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CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF THE REPORT: OCTOBER 21, 1997

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-5805

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

DELAWARE (STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION) 13-2624428 (I.R.S. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO.)

270 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NY (ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)

10017 (ZIP CODE)

REGISTRANT'S TELEPHONE NUMBER, INCLUDING AREA CODE (212) 270-6000

Item 5. Other Events

1. The Chase Manhattan Corporation (the "Corporation") reported on October 21, 1997 that fully diluted earnings per share before restructuring costs, rose to \$2.26 in the 1997 third quarter from \$1.83 in the third quarter of 1996. Net income on the same basis rose to \$1,027 million for the 1997 third quarter from \$878 million in the prior year period. Including merger-related restructuring costs, net income was \$982 million in the third quarter of 1997, versus \$858 million in the third quarter of 1996.

2. On October 21,1997, the Corporation announced that it agreed to purchase substantially all of The Bank of New York's credit card portfolio, totaling approximately 3.5 million accounts and approximately \$4 billion in outstandings. The acquisition is expected to be completed by year-end 1997.

Copies of the Corporation's press releases are attached as exhibits hereto. The press releases contain statements that are forward-looking within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are subject to risks and uncertainties and the Corporation's actual results may differ materially from those set forth in such forward-looking statements. Factors that would affect the prospects of the Corporation's business are discussed in the Annual Report to Stockholders on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31,1996, to which reference is hereby made.

Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed with this Report:

Exhibit Number	Description
99.1	Press Release - 1997 Third Quarter Earnings.
99.2	Press Release - Chase to Acquire Bank of New York's
	Credit Card Portfolio.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION (Registrant)

Dated October 21, 1997

by /s/ JOSEPH L. SCLAFANI Joseph L. Sclafani Controller [Principal Accounting Officer]

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NEWS RELEASE

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CHASE'S EARNINGS PER SHARE UP 23 PERCENT IN THIRD QUARTER

New York, October 21, 1997 -- The Chase Manhattan Corporation (NYSE:CMB) today reported that fully diluted earnings per share before restructuring costs rose to \$2.26 from \$1.83 in the third quarter of 1996. Net income on the same basis rose to \$1,027 million from \$878 million in the prior year quarter. Including merger-related restructuring costs, net income was \$982 million, versus \$858 million in the third quarter of 1996.

THIRD QUARTER HIGHLIGHTS

- Revenue on a managed basis rose 15 percent, with double-digit growth in a range of businesses including consumer credit, asset management and private banking, operating services, trading and investment banking.
- Total noninterest expenses, before merger-related restructuring costs, rose 13 percent, including \$85 million related to the accelerated vesting of stock-based incentive awards.
- Return on average common stockholders' equity rose to 21 percent, from 18 percent in the third quarter of 1996.
- The efficiency ratio improved to 53 percent, on an operating basis excluding the \$85 million charge mentioned above.

"It was another excellent quarter for Chase with strong revenue and bottom line results validating the power of our franchise across both wholesale and consumer businesses," said Walter V. Shipley, chairman and chief executive officer.

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THIRD QUARTER LINE OF BUSINESS RESULTS

Global Wholesale Banking

Operating net income from Global Wholesale Banking rose 50 percent to \$736 million, as total revenues increased 23 percent.

Net income from Chase's global markets businesses rose 32 percent, spurred by a second consecutive quarter of record trading results. Total trading revenues were \$678 million, including \$173 million of trading related net interest income. Chase's market-making and client-driven activities continued to benefit from increasing demand and a positive trading environment. Revenues from foreign exchange, emerging market activities and derivatives were particularly strong.

Corporate finance and loan syndication fees of \$308 million surpassed record second quarter 1997 levels and were 30 percent higher than in the third quarter of 1996. Investment banking deal flow continued to be robust, reflecting market share gains in high-yield and investment-grade underwriting and higher levels of corporate finance activities outside the United States.

Net income from global operating services rose 61 percent, as revenues increased by 13 percent and expenses remained flat. Global investor services and global trust saw particularly vibrant revenue growth, reflecting new business and higher levels of assets under trust and custody.

Net income from global asset management and private banking rose 59 percent. Revenues grew 22 percent, reflecting an increased volume of global banking transactions for private banking clients and higher levels of client assets.

Equity-related investment revenues of \$243 million rose substantially from year-ago levels, reflecting gains in Chase's \$3.2 billion portfolio, as market conditions continued to favor corporate mergers and small cap stocks.

Regional and Nationwide Consumer Banking

Operating net income from Regional and Nationwide Consumer Banking rose 12 percent to \$387 million, driven by a nine percent rise in revenues.

Credit card revenues rose 15 percent as average managed receivables increased by 13 percent, reflecting growth in both the core portfolio and from co-branded initiatives. Net income was \$86 million, significantly higher than 1997 second quarter levels, and up six percent from the third quarter of 1996. Credit card charge-offs declined from second quarter levels, reflecting the improvement in credit card loss ratios and delinquency rates. Net income from mortgage banking rose 46 percent, reflecting continuing benefits from the reengineering of Chase's mortgage origination business. Both loan origination and mortgage servicing levels increased, boosting revenues by 15 percent.

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National consumer finance revenues increased by 13 percent, with solid growth in both Chase auto finance and other consumer credit activities. Average managed auto finance receivables rose 15 percent from 1996 third quarter levels.

Net income for tri-state regional banking, which includes retail payment and investments and middle market banking, increased by 18 percent, reflecting modest revenue growth and the benefits of ongoing productivity and efficiency initiatives.

Texas Commerce Bank's net income rose by 17 percent, with higher loan volumes and fee-based activities contributing to an 11 percent increase in revenues.

THIRD QUARTER FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Asset Quality

The provision for credit losses was \$190 million, compared with \$220 million in the third quarter of 1996.

Total managed consumer net charge-offs in the third quarter of 1997 were \$442 million, of which \$196 million were related to assets retained on the balance sheet. That compared with net charge-offs of \$354 million in the third quarter of 1996, of which \$210 million were related to retained assets.

Managed credit card net charge-offs were 5.57 percent of average managed receivables, down from their peak of 5.99 percent in the second quarter. Managed credit card net charge-offs in the third quarter of 1996 were 4.95 percent.

Total domestic commercial net charge-offs were \$1 million in the third quarter of 1997 compared with total net charge-offs of \$2 million in the third quarter of 1996.

Nonperforming assets, at September 30, 1997, were \$1,036 million, compared with \$1,106 million on June 30, 1997, and \$1,517 million on September 30, 1996.

Other Financial Data

Total noninterest operating expense rose to \$2,488 in the third quarter of 1997. The quarter included incremental merger savings of \$130 million, which were offset by investment spending and increased incentives related to higher revenues. The quarter also included \$85 million of expenses related to the accelerated vesting of stock-based incentive awards, and restructuring expenses of \$71 million.

During the 1997 third quarter, Chase purchased approximately 7.0 million common shares as part of a stock repurchase plan announced in October of 1996. Chase reissued approximately 4.3 million treasury shares under its employee benefit plans, resulting in a net repurchase of 2.7 million shares (\$348 million) of its common stock.

The Adoption of New Market Risk Capital Guidelines

During the third quarter, Chase elected early adoption of the Federal Reserve Board's new guidelines for incorporating market risk in the calculation of risk adjusted capital. These guidelines incorporate the use of internal models to measure market risk. In addition, the capital and assets of Chase Securities Inc. are included in the calculation of risk-based capital ratios at the holding company level.

At September 30, 1997, Chase's estimated Tier 1 and total risk-based capital ratios were 7.8 percent and 11.6 percent, respectively, and its leverage ratio was 6.1 percent.

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CHASE'S NEWS RELEASES AND QUARTERLY FINANCIAL RESULTS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT www.Chase.com.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

	THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,		NINE MONTHS SEPTEMBER	30,
		1996	1997	
EARNINGS: Income Before Restructuring Costs Restructuring Costs (After-Tax) (b)	\$ 1,027 (45)		\$ 2,942 (108)	\$ 2,685 (a) (1,060)
Net Income	\$ 982	\$ 858	\$ 2,834	\$ 1,625
Net Income Applicable to Common Stock	======= \$ 941 =======	======= \$ 803 =======	\$ 2,834 ======= \$ 2,687 =======	======= \$ 1,461 =======
INCOME PER COMMON SHARE: Primary: Income Before Restructuring Costs Restructuring Costs (After-Tax) (b)	\$ 2.27 (0.10)	\$ 1.85 (0.05)	(0.24)	\$ 5.66 (a) (2.38)
Net Income	\$ 2.17 ======	• • • • •	\$ 6.16	\$ 3.28 =======
Assuming Full Dilution: Income Before Restructuring Costs Restructuring Costs (After-Tax) (b)	\$ 2.26 (0.10)	\$ 1.83	\$ 6.32 (0.24)	\$ 5.57 (a) (2.34)
Net Income	\$ 2.16		\$ 6.08	\$ 3.23
PER COMMON SHARE: Book Value at September 30, Market Value at September 30, Common Stock Dividends Declared (c) COMMON SHARES OUTSTANDING: Average Common and Common Equivalent Shares Average Common Shares Assuming Full Dilution	433.6 436.3	447.2 450.5	442.2	446.0 452.3
Common Shares at Period End PERFORMANCE RATIOS: (AVERAGE BALANCES) (d) Income Before Restructuring Costs: Return on Assets Return on Common Stockholders' Equity Return on Total Stockholders' Equity Net Income: Return on Assets Return on Common Stockholders' Equity Return on Total Stockholders' Equity Return on Total Stockholders' Equity Efficiency Ratio (e) Efficiency Ratio - Excluding Securitizations (e)	420.6 1.13% 20.56% 19.40% 1.08% 19.63% 18.55% 57% 53%	439.9 1.08% 18.35% 17.04% 1.06% 17.90% 16.65% 58% 56%	1.13% 20.11% 18.77%	439.9 1.13% 18.96% (a) 17.57% 0.68% 10.99% 10.63% 59% 57%
CAPITAL RATIOS AT SEPTEMBER 30: Common Stockholders' Equity to Assets Total Stockholders' Equity to Assets Tier 1 Leverage Risk-Based Capital: Tier 1 (4.0% required) Total (8.0% required) FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT EMPLOYEES AT SEPTEMBER 30,			5.3% 5.8% 6.1% (f) 7.8% (f)* 11.6% (f)* 68,396	8.4% 12.2%

- (a) Includes nonrecurring items which had a \$70 million net favorable impact on net income. Excluding these items, net income was \$2,615 million, primary earnings per share was \$5.50, fully-diluted earnings per share was \$5.42 and return on common stockholders' equity was 18.43%.
- (b) Reflects merger-related restructuring charge of \$1,022 million, after-tax, which was recorded on March 31, 1996. In addition, after-tax merger-related expenses were incurred and recognized under an existing accounting pronouncement (\$45 million in the third quarter of 1997 and \$108 million in the first nine months of 1997, compared with \$20 million and \$38 million, respectively, for the prior year's periods).
- (c) The Corporation increased its quarterly common stock dividend to \$0.62 per share, from \$0.56 per share, in the first quarter of 1997.
- (d) Performance ratios are based on annualized amounts.
- (e) Excludes restructuring costs, foreclosed property expense, charges for accelerated vesting of stock-based incentive awards and nonrecurring items.
- (f) During the third quarter, the Corporation elected early adoption of the Federal Reserve Board's new guidelines for calculating risk-adjusted capital. The guidelines incorporate a measure of market risk and now include the assets and off-balance sheet financial instruments of the Corporation's securities subsidiary, Chase Securities Inc., as well as the Corporation's investment in this subsidiary. Prior period ratios have not been restated.

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THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

	THREE MONTHS ENDED			
		JUNE 30, 1997	SEPT. 30, 1996	
INTEREST INCOME				
Loans	\$3,271	\$3,082	,	
Securities	720	735	690	
Trading Assets Federal Funds Sold and Securities Purchased Under Resale	732	705	482	
Agreements	623	697 114	549	
Deposits with Banks	149		112	
Total Interest Income	5,495	5,333	4,875	
INTEREST EXPENSE		1 500	1 110	
Deposits Short-Term and Other Borrowings	1,714 1,451	1,568 1 510	1,416 1,213	
Long-Term Debt	284	1,510 273	220	
Total Interest Expense		3,351		
NET INTEREST INCOME	2,046	1,982	2,026	
Provision for Credit Losses	190	189	220	
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES	1 956	1 702	1 906	
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES	1,856	1,793	1,806	
NONINTEREST REVENUE Corporate Finance and Syndication Fees	308	283	237	
Trust, Custody and Investment Management Fees	338	321	295	
Credit Card Revenue	304	248	277	
Service Charges on Deposit Accounts	94	95	97	
Fees for Other Financial Services Trading Revenue	411 505	392 491	393 343	
Securities Gains	58	30	34	
Revenue from Equity-Related Investments	243	179	112	
Other Revenue	102	119	111	
Total Noninterest Revenue	2,363	2,158	1,899	
NONINTEREST EXPENSE				
Salaries		1,110	1,040	
Employee Benefits Occupancy Expense	206 194	219	211 204	
Equipment Expense	194 192	193 193	179	
Foreclosed Property Expense	0		2	
Other Expense	700 (b)	685 (b)	652	
Total Noninterest Expense Before Restructuring Charge Restructuring Charge and Expenses	2,590 71	2,400 71	2,288 32	
Total Noninterest Expense	2,661	2,471	2,320	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	1,558	1,480	1,385	
Income Tax Expense	576	555	527	
NET INCOME	\$ 982	\$ 925	\$ 858	
NET INCOME APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCK	===== \$ 941 ======	===== \$ 874 ======	====== \$ 803 ======	
NET INCOME PER COMMON SHARE:	• • · -		.	
Primary	\$ 2.17 ======	\$ 2.00 =====	\$ 1.80 ======	
Assuming Full Dilution	\$ 2.16	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.78	
	======	======	======	

(a) Includes \$85 million of costs for the accelerated vesting of stock-based incentive awards.

(b) Includes minority interest related to the issuance of preferred stock by a subsidiary ("Series A Preferred Shares") of \$11 million in each of the third and second quarters of 1997.

Certain amounts have been reclassified to conform to current presentation.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,		
	1997	1996	
INTEREST INCOME			
Loans	\$ 9,465	\$ 9,311	
Securities	2,177	2,095	
Trading Assets	2,063	1,283	
Federal Funds Sold and Securities Purchased Under Resale	1 070	4 504	
Agreements	1,879	1,564	
Deposits with Banks	369	440	
Total Interest Income	15,953	14,693	
INTEREST EXPENSE	4 707	4 510	
Deposits Short Torm and Other Perrowings	4,797	4,518 3,326	
Short-Term and Other Borrowings Long-Term Debt	4,263 814	668	
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Total Interest Expense	9,874	8,512	
NET INTEREST INCOME	6 070	6 191 (2)	
Provision for Credit Losses	6,079 599	6,181 (a) 715	
NET INTEREST INCOME AFTER PROVISION FOR CREDIT LOSSES	5,480	5,466	
NONINTEREST REVENUE			
Corporate Finance and Syndication Fees	767	731	
Trust, Custody and Investment Management Fees	969	882	
Credit Card Revenue	830	743	
Service Charges on Deposit Accounts	280	296	
Fees for Other Financial Services	1,186 1,401	1,152 1,085	
Trading Revenue Securities Gains	189	110	
Revenue from Equity-Related Investments	586		
Other Revenue	412 (b)	180 (c)	
Total Noninterest Revenue	6,620		
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NONINTEREST EXPENSE			
Salaries	3,526 (d)	3,162	
Employee Benefits	647	741 (e)	
Occupancy Expense	574	632	
Equipment Expense	575	544	
Foreclosed Property Expense	9	(15)	
Other Expense	2,076	1,963	
Total Noninterest Expense Before Restructuring Charge	7,407	7,027	
Restructuring Charge and Expenses	172	1,710	
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Total Noninterest Expense	7,579	8,737	
TNCOME REFORE TAX EXPENSE	4 521	2 462	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX EXPENSE Income Tax Expense	4,521 1,687	2,462 837 (f)	
NET INCOME	\$ 2,834	\$ 1,625	
	=======	=======	
NET INCOME APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCK	\$ 2,687 ======	\$ 1,461 ======	
NET INCOME PER COMMON SHARE:			
Primary	\$ 6.16	\$ 3.28	
	=======	=======	
Assuming Full Dilution	\$ 6.08	\$ 3.23	
	=======	=======	

(a) Includes \$54 million of interest related to tax audit settlements.

- (b) Includes \$44 million gain on the sale of a partially-owned foreign investment.
- (c) Includes \$60 million loss on the sale of a building in Japan.
- (d) Includes \$135 million of costs for the accelerated vesting of stock-based incentive awards.
- (e) Includes \$40 million charge related to combining the Corporation's foreign retirement plans.
- (f) Includes tax benefits related to the restructuring charge as well as aggregate tax benefits and refunds.

Certain amounts have been reclassified to conform to current presentation.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES NONINTEREST REVENUE DETAIL (IN MILLIONS)

	THREE MONTHS ENDED					NINE MONTHS ENDED				
		Г. 30, 997		NE 30, 997		. 30, 996		SEPTEME	ER 30), 996
FEES FOR OTHER FINANCIAL SERVICES: Fees in Lieu of Compensating Balances Commissions on Letters of Credit and	\$	81	\$	74	\$	75	\$	236	\$	223
Acceptances		78		74		81		224		252
Mortgage Servicing Fees		59		62		55		177		159
Loan Commitment Fees		30		29		32		86		92
Other Fees		163		153		150		463		426
Total	\$	411	\$	392	\$	393	\$ 1	,186	\$ 1	L,152
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TRADING-RELATED REVENUE: (a) Interest Rate Contracts Foreign Exchange Revenue Debt Instruments and Other	\$	159 228 291	\$	217 175 263	\$	124 108 243	\$	559 572 780	\$	450 341 711
Total	\$	678	\$	655	\$	475		,911	\$ 1	L,502
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OTHER REVENUE: Residential Mortgage Origination/Sales Activities Net Losses on Emerging Markets Securities Sales Gain on Sale of Partially-owned Foreign Investment Loss on Sale of a Building in Japan All Other Revenue	\$	37 65	\$	30 89	\$	15 96	\$	98 44 270	\$	41 (65) (60) 264
Total	\$ ===	102	\$ ===	119 =====	\$ ===	111	\$ ===	412	\$ ===	180 =====

(a) Includes net interest income attributable to trading activities.

Certain amounts have been reclassified to conform to current presentation.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES NONINTEREST EXPENSE DETAIL (IN MILLIONS)

	THRE	E MONTHS ENDED	NINE MONTHS ENDED		
	SEPT. 30, 1997	JUNE 30, SEPT. 30, 1997 1996	SEPTEMBER 30, 1997 1996		
OTHER EXPENSE: Professional Services Marketing Expense Telecommunications Amortization of Intangibles Minority Interest All Other	\$ 139 90 77 41 19 (a) 334	\$ 136 \$ 127 107 73 73 82 41 42 20 (a) 16 308 312	\$ 408 \$ 397 300 236 225 249 123 127 58 (a) 36 962 918		
Total	\$ 700 ======	\$ 685 \$ 652 ====== ====	\$2,076 \$1,963		

(a) Includes minority interest related to the Series A Preferred Shares of \$11 million in each of the third, second and first quarters of 1997.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET (IN MILLIONS)

	SEPTEMBER 30, 1997	SEPTEMBER 30, 1996
ASSETS		
Cash and Due from Banks	\$ 14.367	\$ 13,729
Deposits with Banks	4,152	4,433
Federal Funds Sold and Securities Purchased Under Resale Agreements	4,152 38,958	26,586
Trading Assets:		
Debt and Equity Instruments	42,456	32,952 26,883
Risk Management Instruments	33,296 (a)	26,883
Securities:		
Available-for-Sale	43,987	42,477
Held-to-Maturity Loans (Net of Allowance for Loan Losses of \$3,462 in 1997 and \$3,697 in 1996)	3,254	3,956 146,636
Premises and Equipment	3,733	3,636
Due from Customers on Acceptances	2 226	2 789
Accrued Interest Receivable	3,685 16,835	2,828
Other Assets	16,835	15,699
		15,699 \$ 322,604 =======
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 366,574	\$ 322,604
	========	========
LIABILITIES Deposits: Domestic:		
Noninterest-Bearing	\$ 39,131	\$ 37,382
Interest-Bearing	69,587	64,374
Foreign:		
Noninterest-Bearing	3,777 69,293	3,591
Interest-Bearing	69,293	59,695
Total Deposits	181,788	165,042
Federal Funds Purchased and Securities Sold Under Repurchase Agreements		57,533
Commercial Paper	65,453 4,584	5,115
Other Borrowed Funds	7,085	12,509
Acceptances Outstanding	2,226	2,776
Trading Liabilities	2,226 53,498	32,972 12,588
Accounts Payable, Accrued Expenses and Other Liabilities	14,935 (a)	12,588
Long-Term Debt	13,899	12,379
Guaranteed Preferred Beneficial Interests in Corporation's Junior Subordinated Deferrable Interest Debentures	1 200 (b)	
Juitor Suboruthated Derefrable linterest Dependures	1,390 (b)	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	344,858	300,914
PREFERRED STOCK OF SUBSIDIARY	550	550
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STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Preferred Stock	1,740	2,650
Common Stock	441	440
Capital Surplus	10,357 10,526	10,444
Retained Earnings	10,526	8,091
Net Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Securities Available-for-Sale,	100	(400)
Net of Taxes Treasury Stock, at Cost	126 (2,024)	(480) (5)
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TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	21,166	21,140
TOTAL LIABILITIES, PREFERRED STOCK OF SUBSIDIARY		
AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 366,574 =======	\$ 322,604
	========	========

(a) In accordance with a recently issued accounting pronouncement, the allowance for credit losses has been allocated into three components: a \$3,462 million allowance for loan losses, which is reported net in Loans; an allowance for credit losses on derivative and foreign exchange financial instruments of \$75 million, which is reported net in Trading Assets Risk Management Instruments; and an allowance for credit losses on letters of credit and guarantees of \$170 million, which is reported in Other Liabilities. Prior period amounts have not been reclassified due to immateriality.

(b) Reflects issuances, by subsidiaries of the Corporation, in the fourth quarter 1996 and first quarter 1997 of Capital Securities which qualify as Tier 1 Capital for the Corporation.

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	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,		
	1997		
PREFERRED STOCK: Balance at Beginning of Year Redemption of Stock	\$ 2,650 (910)		
Balance at End of Period	\$ 1,740	\$ 2,650	
COMMON STOCK: Balance at Beginning of Year Retirement of Treasury Stock Issuance of Common Stock Balance at End of Period	\$ 441 \$ 441	\$ 458 (20) 2 \$ 440	
CAPITAL SURPLUS: Balance at Beginning of Year Retirement of Treasury Stock Shares Issued for Employee Stock-Based Awards and Certain Related Tax Benefits	\$ 10,459 (102)	\$ 11,075 (433) (198)	
Balance at End of Period	\$ 10,357	\$ 10,444	
RETAINED EARNINGS: Balance at Beginning of Year Net Income Retirement of Treasury Stock Cash Dividends Declared: Preferred Stock Common Stock Accumulated Translation Adjustment Balance at End of Period	\$ 8,627 2,834 (147) (789) 1 \$ 10,526	(164) (818) (a) 8	
NET UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON SECURITIES AVAILABLE-FOR-SALE: Balance at Beginning of Year Net Change in Fair Value of Securities Available-for-Sale, Net of Taxes Balance at End of Period	\$ (288) 414 \$ 126		
COMMON STOCK IN TREASURY, AT COST: Balance at Beginning of Year Retirement of Treasury Stock Purchase of Treasury Stock Reissuance of Treasury Stock Balance at End of Period	\$ (895) (2,036) 907 \$ (2,024)	1,010 (1,007) 1,099	
TOTAL STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$ 21,166 ======		

(a) Includes fourth quarter 1995 common stock dividends of \$80 million declared and paid by old Chase in the 1996 first quarter.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CREDIT RELATED INFORMATION (IN MILLIONS)

	LOANS OUT	STANDING	NONPERFORMING ASSETS				
	SEPTEM 1997	BER 30, 1996	SEPTEMB 1997	ER 30, 1996			
Domestic Commercial: Commercial Real Estate	\$ 6 555	\$ 6,078	\$ 119	\$ 430			
Other Commercial	,	38,368					
Total Commercial Loans	50,463	44,446	429	889			
Domestic Consumer: Residential Mortgage Credit Card Other Consumer	11,618	35,672 12,600 22,176		269 28			
Total Consumer Loans	72,060	70,448	356	297			
Total Domestic Loans Foreign	122,523 40,564	114,894 35,439					
Total Loans	\$163,087 ======		931	1,370			
Assets Acquired as Loan Satisfactions			105	147			
Total Nonperforming Assets			\$ 1,036 ======	\$ 1,517 =======			

	THREE MONT SEPTEME	BER 30,	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,		
	1997				
	1997	1990	1337	1330	
Net Charge-Offs:					
Domestic Commercial:					
Commercial Real Estate	\$ (13)	\$6	\$ (23)	\$ 32	
Other Commercial	14	(4)	32	90	
Total Commercial	1	2	9	122	
Domestic Consumer:					
Residential Mortgage	8	7	21	22	
Credit Card	132		403		
Other Consumer	56	51	171	128	
Total Consumer	196	210	595	612	
Total Domestic Net Charge-offs	197	212	604	734	
Foreign	(7)	8	(5)	(19)	
Cubtotal Not Channe offe					
Subtotal Net Charge-offs	190	220	599	715	
Charge Related to Conforming Credit Card				102	
Charge-off Policies				102	
Total Net Charge-offs	\$ 190	\$ 220	\$ 599	\$ 817	
TOTAL NET CHATGE-0113	3 190	\$ 220 =====	3 399	\$ 817 =====	

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CREDIT CARD RELATED INFORMATION (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT RATIOS)

	AS OF OR THREE MONT SEPTEME	THS ENDED	AS OF OR FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	
	1997	1996	1997	1996
MANAGED CREDIT CARD PORTFOLIO: Average Managed Credit Card Receivables Past Due 90 Days & Over and Accruing As a Percentage of Average Credit Card Receivables Net Charge-offs (a) As a Percentage of Average Credit Card Receivables	\$27,089 \$523 1.93% \$378 5.57%	\$23,936 \$ 469 1.96% \$ 296 4.95%	\$25,996 \$523 2.01% \$1,119 5.74%	\$23,457 \$ 469 2.00% \$ 845 4.80%

(a) Excludes charges related to conforming credit card charge-off policies.

FAVORABLE (UNFAVORABLE) IMPACT OF CREDIT CARD SECURITIZATIONS ON REPORTED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF INCOME LINE ITEMS:	THREE MONT SEPTEMB		NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,		
	1997	1996	1997	1996	
Net Interest Income Provision for Credit Losses Credit Card Revenue Other Revenue	\$(319) 249 58 (7)	\$(244) 148 95	\$(913) 730 152 (9)	\$(639) 409 217 11	
Pre-tax Income (Loss) Impact of Securitizations	\$ (19) =====	\$ (1) =====	\$ (40) =====	\$ (2) =====	

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED AVERAGE CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET, INTEREST AND RATES (TAXABLE-EQUIVALENT INTEREST AND RATES; IN MILLIONS)

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	S	HREE MONTHS END EPTEMBER 30, 19	97		THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1996			
	AVERAGE BALANCE	INTEREST	RATE (ANNUALIZED)	AVERAGE BALANCE	INTEREST	RATE (ANNUALIZED)		
ASSETS Liquid Interest-Earning Assets	\$83,332	\$1,504	7.16%	\$70,864	\$1,143	6.42%		
Securities Loans	45,038 161,247	725 3,273	6.38% 8.06%	42,478 150,076	694 3,045	6.50% 8.07%		
Total Interest-Earning Assets Total Noninterest-Earning	289,617	5,502	7.54%	263,418	4,882	7.37%		
Assets Total Assets	70,697			59,495 \$222,012				
LIABILITIES	\$360,314 ======			\$322,913 =======				
Total Interest-Bearing Deposits Total Short-Term and	\$139,091	1,714	4.89%	\$125,179	1,416	4.50%		
Other Borrowings Long-Term Debt	93,693 14,552	1,451 284 	6.14% 7.75%	83,917 12,454	1,213 220	5.75% 7.05%		
Total Interest-Bearing Liabilities	247,336	3,449	5.53%	221,550	2,849	5.12%		
Noninterest-Bearing Deposits Other Noninterest-Bearing	41,935			41,628				
Liabilities	49,493			39,162				
Total Liabilities PREFERRED STOCK OF	338,764			302,340				
SUBSIDIARY STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	550 			78 				
Preferred Stock Common Stockholders' Equity	1,977 19,023			2,650 17,845				
Total Stockholders' Equity	21,000			20,495				
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$360,314			\$322,913				
INTEREST RATE SPREAD	=======		2.01% =====			2.25%		
NET INTEREST INCOME AND NET YIELD ON INTEREST- EARNING ASSETS		\$2,053 ======	2.81%		\$2,033 ======	3.07% =====		
NET INTEREST INCOME AND NET YIELD ON INTEREST- EARNING ASSETS -								
MANAGED BASIS (a)		\$2,372 =====	3.09% =====		\$2,277 =====	3.29%		
		IINE MONTHS ENDE EPTEMBER 30, 19			NINE MONTHS EN SEPTEMBER 30,			
	AVERAGE BALANCE	INTEREST	RATE (ANNUALIZED)	AVERAGE BALANCE	INTEREST	RATE (ANNUALIZED)		
ASSETS Liquid Interest-Earning Assets	\$79,828	\$4,311	7.22%	\$65,733	\$3,287	6.68%		
Securities Loans	44,329 156,942	2,190 9,471	6.61% 8.07%	42,574 150,107	2,110 9,320	6.62% 8.29%		
Total Interest-Earning Assets Total Naminterest Forming	281,099	15,972	7.60%	258,414	14,717	7.61%		
Total Noninterest-Earning Assets	68,470			59,410				
Total Assets	\$349,569 ======			\$317,824 ======				

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LIABILITIES								
Total Interest-Bearing Deposits	\$135,332	4,797	4.74%	\$129,878	4,518	4.65%		
Total Short-Term and	· · ·	,		· ,	,			
Other Borrowings	89,048	4,263	6.40%	74,710	3,326	5.95%		
Long-Term Debt	14,040	814	7.75%	12,781	668	6.98%		

Total Interest-Bearing Liabilities	238,420	9,874	5.54%	217,369	8,512	5.23%
Noninterest-Bearing Deposits Other Noninterest-Bearing	41,302			39,150		
Liabilities	48,343			40,867		
Total Liabilities	328,065			297,386		
PREFERRED STOCK OF SUBSIDIARY	550			26		
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY						
Preferred Stock Common Stockholders'	2,371			2,650		
Equity	18,583			17,762		
Total Stockholders' Equity	20,954			20,412		
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	 \$349,569			\$317,824		
INTEREST RATE SPREAD	=======		2.06%	=======		2.38%
NET INTEREST INCOME AND			=====			=====
NET YIELD ON INTEREST- EARNING ASSETS		\$6,098 =====	2.90%		\$6,205 =====	3.21%
NET INTEREST INCOME AND NET YIELD ON INTEREST- EARNING ASSETS - MANAGED						
BASIS (a)		\$7,011 ======	3.18%		\$6,844 =====	3.40%

(a) Excludes the impact of the credit card securitizations.

THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES LINES OF BUSINESS RESULTS (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT RATIOS)

THREE MONTHS ENDED	GLOBAL WHOLESALE BANKING		REGIONAL AND CONSUMER		TOTAL (a)		
SEPTEMBER 30,	1997 1996		1997	1996	1997	1996	
REVENUES	\$ 2,495	\$ 2,036	\$ 2,254	\$ 2,069	\$ 4,409	\$ 3,925	
OPERATING NET INCOME	736	491	387	347	1,027	878	
AVERAGE COMMON EQUITY	9,884	9,535	6,601	6,483	19,023	17,845	
AVERAGE ASSETS	248,181	217,921	122,241	114,417	360,314	322,913	
RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY (ROCE)	28.7%	19.3%	22.4%	20.0%	20.6%	18.4%	
EFFICIENCY RATIO	50%	57%	51%	55%	59%	58%	

GLOBAL WHOLESALE BANKING KEY FINANCIAL MEASURES

	1997				1996			
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO
GLOBAL INVESTMENT BANKING AND CORPORATE LENDING GLOBAL MARKETS	\$577 869	\$ 177 287	19.5% 44.9	40% 48	\$577 684	\$ 181 217	20.2% 37.7	38% 51
CHASE CAPITAL PARTNERS GLOBAL ASSET MANAGEMENT	220	123	35.1	12	69	33	10.5	24
AND PRIVATE BANKING GLOBAL SERVICES TERMINAL BUSINESSES (b)	199 558 25	43 103	42.5 42.0 NM	64 70 NM	163 496 1	27 64 (20)	22.1 22.9 NM	71 79 NM

REGIONAL AND NATIONWIDE CONSUMER BANKING KEY FINANCIAL MEASURES

	1997				1996			
THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO
CREDIT CARDS RETAIL PAYMENTS AND	\$778	\$86	18.5%	34%	\$674	\$ 81	21.7%	37%
INVESTMENTS (c)	519	82	30.0	72	509	68	24.5	76
MIDDLE MARKET	209	52	23.8	49	204	46	16.7	53
MORTGAGE BANKING	194	51	19.2	53	168	35	10.6	60
NATIONAL CONSUMER FINANCE	163	32	27.8	40	144	31	26.1	43
INTERNATIONAL CONSUMER	65	12	61.2	67	64	15	77.6	58
TEXAS COMMERCE	348	84	22.6	59	314	72	20.3	62

(a) Total column includes Corporate results.

(b) Represents discontinued portfolios, primarily the remaining refinancing country debt and commercial real estate problem asset and nonperforming portfolio.

(c) Insurance products managed within Retail Payments and Investments, but included for reporting purposes in Credit Cards, Mortgage Banking, and National Consumer Finance, generated revenues of \$24 million and \$20 million in 1997 and 1996, respectively.

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THE CHASE MANHATTAN CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES LINES OF BUSINESS RESULTS (IN MILLIONS, EXCEPT RATIOS)

	GLOBA WHOLESALE	-	REGIONAL AND CONSUMER	NATIONWIDE BANKING	TOTAL (a)	
NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996
REVENUES OPERATING NET INCOME AVERAGE COMMON EQUITY AVERAGE ASSETS RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY (ROCE) EFFICIENCY RATIO	\$7,133 2,078 9,539 240,882 28.1% 51%	\$ 6,388 1,656 9,619 215,931 21.8% 55%	\$ 6,590 1,054 6,582 119,968 20.4% 53%	\$ 6,112 1,019 6,452 112,266 19.9% 56%	\$ 12,699 2,942 18,583 349,569 20.1% 58%	\$ 11,920 2,615 17,762 317,824 18.4% 59%

GLOBAL WHOLESALE BANKING KEY FINANCIAL MEASURES

	1997				1996				
NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	
GLOBAL INVESTMENT BANKING									
AND CORPORATE LENDING	\$1,614	\$ 491	18.2%	39%	\$1,676	\$ 535	19.9%	37%	
GLOBAL MARKETS	2,590	898	52.5	46	1,985	595	33.6	54	
CHASE CAPITAL PARTNERS GLOBAL ASSET MANAGEMENT	532	292	33.2	13	529	300	36.6	9	
AND PRIVATE BANKING	552	110	32.9	67	499	87	24.1	69	
GLOBAL SERVICES	1,593	262	33.0	73	1,459	189	22.6	79	
TERMINAL BUSINESSES (b)	51	(20)	NM	NM	30	(40)	NM	NM	

REGIONAL AND NATIONWIDE CONSUMER BANKING KEY FINANCIAL MEASURES

		1997				1996			
NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	REVENUE	NET INCOME	ROCE	EFFICIENCY RATIO	
CREDIT CARDS RETAIL PAYMENTS AND	\$2,228	\$ 180	14.9%	37%	\$1,949	\$ 224	19.9%	39%	
INVESTMENTS (c)	1,548	241	29.2	73	1,514	212	25.9	75	
MIDDLE MARKET	632	162	21.6	48	620	142	17.6	52	
MORTGAGE BANKING	566	143	16.1	54	492	84	8.5	66	
NATIONAL CONSUMER FINANCE	480	87	25.2	41	447	101	29.4	42	
INTERNATIONAL CONSUMER	195	41	71.4	62	188	44	76.9	59	
TEXAS COMMERCE	993	222	19.9	61	925	204	19.2	63	

(a) Total column includes Corporate results.

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CHASE TO ACQUIRE BANK OF NEW YORK'S CREDIT CARD PORTFOLIO

New York, October 21, 1997 -- The Chase Manhattan Corporation (NYSE:CMB) said today that it has agreed to purchase substantially all of The Bank of New York's credit card portfolio, totaling approximately 3.5 million accounts and approximately \$4 billion in outstandings.

The purchase will exclude The Bank of New York's late cycle delinquent and bankrupt accounts. The agreement will afford The Bank of New York the ability to offer credit cards to its customers through an agent program with Chase. Chase said that it expects to offer employment to the majority of The Bank of New York's credit card employees in Newark, Delaware.

The acquisition, expected to be completed by year-end, will increase Chase's portfolio to more than 20 million accounts and more than \$30 billion in outstandings and expand Chase's consumer banking customer base to nearly 30 million individuals and households coast to coast.

"The purchase demonstrates our commitment to the credit card business," said Donald L. Boudreau, vice chairman for nationwide consumer credit. "It is also consistent with our view that ongoing consolidation within the card industry provides attractive opportunities to grow through economically sound acquisitions that allow us to take advantage of our existing scale and technology platforms."

Chase presently ranks as the fourth largest bank card issuer in the United States. Its joint venture with First Data Corporation is the largest merchant processor in the U.S.

The Chase Manhattan Corporation is the nation's largest banking company, with \$352 billion in assets, offices in 39 states and a market capitalization of approximately \$50 billion. All told, Chase's integrated global financial services business encompasses operations in 52 countries and customers in more than 200.

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