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FORM 10-Q

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

For the Quarterly Period Ended March 31, 2013

OR

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

For the Transition Period from ______ to _____

Commission file number 001-35095

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Georgia 58-1807304 (State of Incorporation) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

125 Highway 515 East Blairsville, Georgia Address of Principal Executive Offices

30512 (Zip Code)

(706) 781-2265 (Telephone Number)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

YES x NO o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Date File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required

to submit and post such files).

YES x NO o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer o Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Accelerated filer x

Smaller Reporting Company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act).

YES o NO x

Common stock, par value \$1 per share 43,071,080 shares voting and 14,703,636 shares non-voting outstanding as of April 30, 2013.

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Part I – Financial Information

Item 1 – Financial Statements

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Consolidated Statement of Income (Unaudited)

	Three Month March 31,	s Ended
(in thousands, except per share data)	2013	2012
Interest revenue:		
Loans, including fees	\$50,934	\$55,759
Investment securities, including tax exempt of \$212 and \$250	9,965	13,004
Deposits in banks and short-term investments	870	1,012
Total interest revenue	61,769	69,775
Interest expense:		
Deposits:		
NOW	454	637
Money market	562	641
Savings	36	37
Time	3,226	6,159
Total deposit interest expense	4,278	7,474
Short-term borrowings	516	1,045
Federal Home Loan Bank advances	19	466
Long-term debt	2,662	2,372
Total interest expense	7,475	11,357
Net interest revenue	54,294	58,418
Provision for loan losses	11,000	15,000
Net interest revenue after provision for loan losses	43,294	43,418
Fee revenue:		
Service charges and fees	7,403	7,783
Mortgage loan and other related fees	2,655	2,099
Brokerage fees	767	813
Securities gains, net	116	557
Loss from prepayment of debt	-	(482)
Other	1,885	4,609
Total fee revenue	12,826	15,379
Total revenue	56,120	58,797
Operating expenses:		
Salaries and employee benefits	23,592	25,225
Communications and equipment	3,046	3,155
Occupancy	3,367	3,771
Advertising and public relations	938	846
Postage, printing and supplies	863	979
Professional fees	2,366	1,975
Foreclosed property	2,333	3,825
FDIC assessments and other regulatory charges	2,505	2,510
Amortization of intangibles	705	732
Other	4,055	3,937
Total operating expenses	43,770	46,955

Net income before income taxes	12,350	11,842
Income tax expense	585	314
Net income	11,765	11,528
Preferred stock dividends and discount accretion	3,052	3,030
Net income available to common shareholders	\$8,713	\$8,498
Earnings per common share - basic / diluted	\$.15	\$.15
Weighted average common shares outstanding - basic / diluted	58,081	57,764

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

(in thousands)	Three Month March 31, 2013 Before-tax Amount	Tax (Expense) Benefit	Net of Tax Amount	2012 Before-tax Amount	Tax (Expense) Benefit	Net of Tax Amount
Net income	12,350	(585)	11,765	\$ 11,842	\$ (314)	\$ 11,528
Other comprehensive						
income (loss):						
Unrealized (losses) gains on available-for-sale securities:						
Unrealized holding gains						
(losses) arising during						
period	1,641	(621)	1,020	(3,340)	1,299	(2,041)
Reclassification						
adjustment for gains included in net income	(116)	45	(71	(557	217	(340)
Valuation allowance for	(110)	43	(71)	(557)	217	(340)
the change in deferred taxes arising from unrealized gains and losses on available-for-sale						
securities	_	576	576	_	(1,516)	(1,516)
Net unrealized gains (losses)	1,525		1,525	(3,897)		(3,897)
Amortization of gains included in net income (loss) on available-for-sale securities transferred to	1,525		1,525	(3,677)		(3,021)
held-to-maturity	(319)	124	(195)	(413)	160	(253)
Valuation allowance for the change in deferred taxes arising from the amortization of gains included in net income (loss) on available-for-sale securities transferred to		(124	(124		(160	(160
held-to-maturity Net unrealized losses	(319)	(124)	(124) (319)	(413)	(160)	(160) (413)
Amortization of gains included in net income on terminated derivative	(538)	209	(329)	(1,600)	622	(978)

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financial instruments that were previously accounted for as cash												
flow hedges												
Unrealized losses on derivative financial instruments accounted												
for as cash flow hedges	430		(167)	263							
Valuation allowance for the change in deferred taxes arising from unrealized gains and losses and amortization of gains included in net				,								
income on cash flow hedges			(42)	(42)			(622	`	(622	`
Net unrealized losses	(108)	(42)	(108)	(1,600)	(022)	(1,600)
Net actuarial loss on defined benefit pension	(100	,			(100	,	(1,000	,			(1,000	,
plan	(415)	161		(254)			_			
Amortization of prior service cost and actuarial losses included in net periodic pension cost for defined benefit pension												
plan	132		(51)	81		154		(60)	94	
Valuation allowance for the change in deferred taxes arising from reclassification of unamortized prior service cost and actuarial losses and amortization of prior service cost and actuarial												
losses	_		(110)	(110)			60		60	
Net defined benefit pension plan activity Total other comprehensive income	(283)	_		(283)	154		_		154	
(loss)	815		_		815		(5,756)			(5,756)
Comprehensive income	13,165		(585)	12,580		\$ 6,086	-	\$ (314)	\$ 5,772	

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Consolidated Balance Sheet (Unaudited)

	М	orah 21	D 31	ecember	N	larah 21
(in thousands, except share and per share data)		arch 31,)12		larch 31, 012
ASSETS	20	13	20	712	۷(712
Cash and due from banks	\$	57,638	\$	66,536	\$	53,147
Interest-bearing deposits in banks	Ψ	107,390	Ψ	124,613	Ψ	139,439
Short-term investments		82,000		60,000		235,000
Cash and cash equivalents		247,028		251,149		427,586
Securities available-for-sale		1,909,426		1,834,593		1,898,815
Securities held-to-maturity (fair value \$247,087, \$261,131 and		1,707,120		1,054,575		1,000,015
\$318,490)		231,087		244,184		303,636
Mortgage loans held for sale		18,290		28,821		24,809
Loans, net of unearned income		4,193,560		4,175,008		4,127,566
Less allowance for loan losses		(105,753)		(107,137)		(113,601)
Loans, net		4,087,807		4,067,871		4,013,965
Assets covered by loss sharing agreements with the FDIC		42,096		47,467		72,854
Premises and equipment, net		168,036		168,920		174,419
Bank owned life insurance		82,114		81,867		80,956
Accrued interest receivable		18,302		18,659		20,292
Goodwill and other intangible assets		4,805		5,510		7,695
Foreclosed property		16,734		18,264		31,887
Unsettled securities sales				5,763		43,527
Other assets		23,643		29,191		73,252
Total assets	\$	6,849,368	\$	6,802,259	\$	7,173,693
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY						
Liabilities:						
Deposits:						
Demand	\$	1,298,425	\$	1,252,605	\$	1,101,757
NOW		1,281,454		1,316,453		1,389,016
Money market		1,165,836		1,149,912		1,123,734
Savings		243,347		227,308		214,150
Time:						
Less than \$100,000		1,019,396		1,055,271		1,207,479
Greater than \$100,000		685,174		705,558		796,882
Brokered		332,220		245,033		167,521
Total deposits		6,025,852		5,952,140		6,000,539
Short-term borrowings		51,999		52,574		101,925
Federal Home Loan Bank advances		125		40,125		215,125
Long-term debt		124,825		124,805		120,245
Unsettled securities purchases		_				119,565
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		54,349		51,210		36,755
Total liabilities		6,257,150		6,220,854		6,594,154
Commitments and contingencies						

Shareholders' equity:

Preferred stock, \$1 par value; 10,000,000 shares authorized;

Series A; \$10 stated value; 21,700 shares issued and outstanding	217	7		217	217
Series B; \$1,000 stated value; 180,000 shares issued and outstanding	178	3,937		178,557	177,451
Series D; \$1,000 stated value; 16,613 shares issued and outstanding	16,	613		16,613	16,613
Common stock, \$1 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized;					
43,063,761, 42,423,870 and 41,688,647 shares issued and outstanding	43,	064		42,424	41,689
Common stock, non-voting, \$1 par value; 30,000,000 shares authorized;					
14,703,636, 15,316,794 and 15,914,209 shares issued and outstanding	14,	704		15,317	15,914
Common stock issuable; 133,469, 133,238 and 90,126 shares	2,7	26		3,119	2,948
Capital surplus	1,0	59,222		1,057,951	1,056,135
Accumulated deficit	(70	0,440))	(709,153)	(722,363)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(22	,825))	(23,640)	(9,065)
Total shareholders' equity	592	2,218		581,405	579,539
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 6,8	49,368	\$	6,802,259	\$ 7,173,693

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Shareholders' Equity (Unaudited) For the Three Months Ended March 31,

(in thousands	Prefe	rred Stock			Non-Voti	n ©ommoi	1		Accumula Other	ited
(in thousands, except share and per share	Series	Series	Series	Common	Common	Stock	Capital	Accumulate	€Comprehe	ensive
data)	A	В	D	Stock	Stock	Issuable	Surplus	Deficit	Loss	Total
Balance, December 31, 2011 Net income	\$217	\$177,092	\$16,613	\$41,647	\$15,914		\$1,054,940	\$(730,861) 11,528	\$(3,309)	\$575,486 11,528
Other comprehensive loss									(5,756)	(5,756)
Common stock issued to dividend reinvestment plan and employee benefit plans										
(35,648 shares) Amortization				36			242			278
of stock options and restricted stock awards							585			585
Vesting of restricted stock (4,397 shares issued, 8,399 shares										
deferred) Deferred				4		(151)	187			40
compensation plan, net, including dividend										
equivalents						49				49
Shares issued from deferred compensation plan										
(1,502 shares)				2		(183)	181			_
Preferred stock dividends:										

Series A								(3)		(3)
Series B		359						(2,608)		(2,249)
Series D		337						(419)		(419)
Balance, March								(41)		(41)
31, 2012		\$177.451	\$16.613	\$41 689	\$15 914	\$2 948	\$1,056,135	\$(722.363)	\$(9.065.)	\$579 539
Balance,	Ψ217	Ψ1//,τ31	Ψ10,013	ΨΤ1,002	Ψ15,714	$\Psi Z, \mathcal{I} = 0$	φ1,030,133	Φ(122,303)	ψ(),005	Ψ517,557
December 31,										
2012	\$217	\$178 557	\$16.613	\$42 424	\$15 317	\$3 110	\$1,057,951	\$(709.153)	\$(23,640)	\$581.405
Net income	Ψ217	Ψ170,337	φ10,013	ψτ2,τ2τ	Ψ13,317	Ψ3,117	φ1,037,731	11,765	Ψ(23,040)	11,765
Other								11,703		11,703
comprehensive										
income									815	815
Common stock									013	013
issued to										
dividend										
reinvestment										
plan and to										
employee										
benefit plans										
(18,170										
shares)				18			171			189
Conversion of				10			1/1			10)
non-voting										
common stock										
to voting										
(613,158										
shares)				613	(613)	1				
Amortization				015	(015)					
of stock options										
and restricted										
stock awards							626			626
Vesting of							0_0			0_0
restricted stock,										
net of shares										
surrendered										
to cover payroll										
taxes										
(4,042 shares										
issued,										
259 shares										
deferred)				4			40			44
Deferred										
compensation										
plan,										
net, including										
dividend										
equivalents						46				46
Shares issued										
from deferred										
compensation										
plan										
=										

(4,521 shares)				5		(439)	434			_	
Preferred stock											
dividends:											
Series A								(3)	(3)
Series B		380						(2,630)	(2,250)
Series D								(419)	(419)
Balance, March	l										
31, 2013	\$217	\$178,937	\$16,613	\$43,064	\$14,704	\$2,726	\$1,059,222	\$(700,440) \$(22,825)	\$592,218	3

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC.

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

		ree Month	s Enc	led	
(in thousands)	20			20	12
Operating activities:					
Net income	\$	11,765		\$	11,528
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:					
Depreciation, amortization and accretion		7,505			6,803
Provision for loan losses		11,000			15,000
Stock based compensation		626			585
Securities gains, net		(116)		(557)
Losses and write downs on sales of other real estate owned		1,146			2,204
Loss on prepayment of borrowings					482
Changes in assets and liabilities:					
Other assets and accrued interest receivable		7,915			(2,612)
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		3,225			646
Mortgage loans held for sale		10,531			(928)
Net cash provided by operating activities		53,597			33,151
Investing activities:					
Investment securities held-to-maturity:					
Proceeds from maturities and calls		17,501			25,653
Purchases		(4,993)		
Investment securities available-for-sale:					
Proceeds from sales		15,751			61,585
Proceeds from maturities and calls		132,211			142,236
Purchases		(219,349)		(253,229)
Net increase in loans		(36,224)		(41,418)
Funds collected from FDIC under loss sharing agreements		2,452			2,568
Proceeds from sales of premises and equipment		550			14
Purchases of premises and equipment		(2,001)		(1,614)
Proceeds from sale of other real estate		5,726			6,696
Net cash used in investing activities		(88,376)		(57,509)
Financing activities:					
Net change in deposits		73,712			(97,444)
Net change in short-term borrowings		(575)		(652)
Proceeds from Federal Home Loan Bank advances		185,000			499,000
Settlement of Federal Home Loan Bank advances		(225,000)		(324,982)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock for dividend reinvestment and					
employee benefit plans		189			278
Cash dividends on preferred stock		(2,668)		(2,672)
Net cash provided by financing activities		30,658			73,528
Net change in cash and cash equivalents		(4,121)		49,170
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		251,149			378,416
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	247,028		\$	427,586
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:					
Cash paid during the period for:					

Interest	\$ 8,025	\$ 12,252
Income taxes	1,659	1,026
Unsettled securities sales		43,527
Unsettled securities purchases	_	119,565
Transfers of loans to foreclosed property	6,288	9,534

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Note 1 – Accounting Policies

The accounting and financial reporting policies of United Community Banks, Inc. ("United") and its subsidiaries conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") and general banking industry practices. The accompanying interim consolidated financial statements have not been audited. All material intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated. A more detailed description of United's accounting policies is included in its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

In management's opinion, all accounting adjustments necessary to accurately reflect the financial position and results of operations on the accompanying financial statements have been made. These adjustments are normal and recurring accruals considered necessary for a fair and accurate presentation. The results for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of results for the full year or any other interim periods.

Foreclosed property is initially recorded at fair value, less the estimated cost to sell. If the fair value less the estimated cost to sell at the time of foreclosure is less than the loan balance, the deficiency is charged against the allowance for loan losses. If the fair value less the estimated cost to sell of the foreclosed property decreases during the holding period, a valuation allowance is established with a charge to operating expenses. When the foreclosed property is sold, a gain or loss is recognized on the sale for the difference between the sales proceeds and the carrying amount of the property. Financed sales of foreclosed property are accounted for in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards Board's ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 360-20, Real Estate Sales.

Certain 2012 amounts have been reclassified to conform to the 2013 presentation. The 2012 reclassifications were not material to the financial statement presentation.

Note 2 – Accounting Standards Updates and Recently Adopted Standards

In January 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-01, Clarifying the Scope of Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities. This ASU limits the scope of the new balance sheet offsetting disclosures to derivatives, repurchase agreements, and securities lending transactions to the extent that they are (1) offset in the financial statements or (2) subject to an enforceable master netting agreement. The disclosure requirements were effective for annual reporting periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 and interim periods within those annual periods. It did not have a material impact on United's financial position or results of operations, and resulted in additional disclosures.

In February 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-02, Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income. The amendments in this update require an entity to provide information about the amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by component and by the respective line items of net income. The standard was effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those years, beginning after December 15, 2012. This guidance did not have a material impact on United's financial position or results of operations, and resulted in additional disclosures.

There were no Accounting Standards Updates issued by the FASB since the filing of United's 2012 Annual Report on Form 10-K that were applicable to United.

Note 3 – Offsetting Assets and Liabilities

United enters into reverse repurchase agreements in order to invest short-term funds. In addition, United enters into repurchase agreements and reverse repurchase agreements with the same counterparty in transactions commonly referred to as collateral swaps that are subject to master netting agreements under which the balances are netted in the balance sheet in accordance with ASC 210-20, Offsetting.

United also enters into derivative transactions that are subject to master netting arrangements; however there were no offsetting positions at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 or March 31, 2012.

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

The following table presents a summary of amounts outstanding under master netting agreements as of March 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012 (in thousands).

March 31, 2013	Gross Amounts of Recognized Assets	Gross Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet	Net Asset Balance	Gross Amounts in the Balanc Financial Instruments		Net Amount
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements	\$ 332,000	\$ (250,000)	\$ 82,000	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 82,000
Derivatives	602	_	602	_	_	602
Total	\$ 332,602	\$ (250,000)	\$ 82,602	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 82,602
Weighted average interest rate of reverse repurchase agreements	1.28 %					
	Gross	Gross Amounts		Gross Amour	nts not Offset	
	A mounts of	Offset on	Net	in the Delene	a Chaat	
	Amounts of	the Balance	Net Liability	in the Balanc Financial	Collateral	
	Recognized Liabilities	Sheet	Balance	Instruments	Pledged	Net Amount
	Liabilities	Sheet	DalailCe	msu uments	rieugeu	Net Amount
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements	\$ 250,000	\$ (250,000)	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Derivatives	14,556	<u> </u>	14,556	<u> </u>	14,585	<u> </u>
Total	\$ 264,556	\$ (250,000)		\$ —	\$ 14,585	\$ —
Weighted average interest rate of repurchase agreements	.37 %					
	Gross	Gross Amounts Offset on		Gross Amour		
	Amounts of	the		in the Bala		
D 1 04 2012	Recognized	Balance	Net Asset	Financial	Collateral	
December 31, 2012	Assets	Sheet	Balance	Instruments	Received	Net Amount
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase						
agreements	\$ 325,000	\$ (265,000)	\$ 60,000	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 60,000
	50,000	(50,000)	_	_	_	_

Securities lending transactions						
Derivatives	658	_	658		_	658
Total	\$ 375,658	\$ (315,000)	\$ 60,658	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 60,658
Weighted average interest rate of reverse repurchase agreements	1.18 %	,				
agreements	1.10	O .				
	Gross Amounts of Recognized Liabilities	Gross Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet	Net Liability Balance		unts not Offset llance Sheet Collateral Pledged	Net Amount
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase						
agreements	\$ 265,000	\$ (265,000)	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Securities lending						
transactions	50,000	(50,000)				
Derivatives	12,543	_	12,543	_	11,493	1,050
Total	\$ 327,543	\$ (315,000)	\$ 12,543	\$ —	\$ 11,493	\$ 1,050
Weighted average interest rate of repurchase agreements	.43 %	ó				
March 31, 2012	Gross Amounts of Recognized Assets	Gross Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet	Net Asset Balance		unts not Offset clance Sheet Collateral Received	Net Amount
Repurchase agreements /	Amounts of Recognized	Amounts Offset on the Balance		in the Ba Financial	llance Sheet Collateral	Net Amount
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase	Amounts of Recognized	Amounts Offset on the Balance	Balance	in the Ba Financial	llance Sheet Collateral	Net Amount \$ 235,000
Repurchase agreements /	Amounts of Recognized Assets	Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet	Balance	in the Ba Financial Instruments	llance Sheet Collateral Received	
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements	Amounts of Recognized Assets \$ 406,000	Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet	\$ 235,000 73	in the Ba Financial Instruments	llance Sheet Collateral Received	\$ 235,000
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements Derivatives	Amounts of Recognized Assets \$ 406,000 73	Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet \$ (171,000) \$ (171,000)	\$ 235,000 73	in the Ba Financial Instruments \$ — —	lance Sheet Collateral Received \$ — —	\$ 235,000 73
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements Derivatives Total Weighted average interest rate of reverse repurchase	Amounts of Recognized Assets \$ 406,000 73 \$ 406,073 1.17 % Gross Amounts of Recognized	Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet \$ (171,000) \$ (171,000) Gross Amounts Offset on the Balance	\$ 235,000 73 \$ 235,073 Net Liability	in the Ba Financial Instruments \$ —	s — s — s — unts not Offset Collateral	\$ 235,000 73
Repurchase agreements / reverse repurchase agreements Derivatives Total Weighted average interest rate of reverse repurchase	Amounts of Recognized Assets \$ 406,000 73 \$ 406,073 1.17 % Gross Amounts of	Amounts Offset on the Balance Sheet \$ (171,000) \$ (171,000) Gross Amounts Offset on the	\$ 235,000 73 \$ 235,073	in the Ba Financial Instruments \$ — — \$ — Gross Amore in the Ba	s — S — S — S — S — S — S — S — S — S —	\$ 235,000 73

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agreements					_				
Derivatives	2,599		_	2,599	9	_	2,919	_	
Total	\$ 173,599		\$ (171,000) \$	2,599	9 \$		\$ 2,919	\$ 	
Weighted average interest rate of repurchase									
agreements	.32	%							
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Note 4 – Securities

Realized gains and losses are derived using the specific identification method for determining the cost of securities sold. The following table summarizes securities sales activity for the three month periods ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 (in thousands).

	Three Months Ended									
	March 31,									
	20	13	2012							
Proceeds from sales	\$	15,751	\$	105,111						
Gross gains on sales	\$	116	\$	557						
Gross losses on sales		_		_						
Net gains on sales of										
securities	\$	116	\$	557						
Income tax expense										
attributable to sales	\$	45	\$	217						

Securities with a carrying value of \$1.25 billion, \$1.40 billion, and \$1.38 billion were pledged to secure public deposits and other secured borrowings at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012, respectively. Substantial borrowing capacity remains available under borrowing arrangements with the FHLB with currently pledged securities.

Securities are classified as held-to-maturity when management has the positive intent and ability to hold them until maturity. Securities held-to-maturity are carried at amortized cost.

The amortized cost, gross unrealized gains and losses and fair value of securities held-to-maturity at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 are as follows (in thousands).

As of March 31, 2013	Amortized Cost		Gross Unrealized Gains		Gross Unrealized Losses		Fair Value
State and political							
subdivisions	\$ 51,768	\$	5,663	\$	_	\$	57,431
Mortgage-backed securities							
(1)	179,319		10,388		51		189,656
Total	\$ 231,087	\$	16,051	\$	51	\$	247,087
As of December 31, 2012							
State and political							
subdivisions	\$ 51,780	\$	5,486	\$		\$	57,266
Mortgage-backed securities							
(1)	192,404		11,461		_		203,865

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Total	\$ 244,184	\$ 16,947	\$ _	\$ 261,131
As of March 31, 2012				
State and political				
subdivisions	\$ 51,893	\$ 4,413	\$ 	\$ 56,306
Mortgage-backed securities				
(1)	251,743	10,441	_	262,184
Total	\$ 303,636	\$ 14,854	\$ _	\$ 318,490

⁽¹⁾ All are residential type mortgage-backed securities

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The cost basis, unrealized gains and losses, and fair value of securities available-for-sale at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 are presented below (in thousands).

As of March 31, 2013	Amor Cost	rtized	Uı	ross nrealized ains	U	ross nrealized osses	Fa Va	ir alue
State and political								
subdivisions	\$	22,711	\$	1,330	\$	4	\$	24,037
Mortgage-backed securities								
(1)		1,450,645		21,210		3,544		1,468,311
Corporate bonds		190,843		2,035		4,084		188,794
Asset-backed securities		223,827		2,420		377		225,870
Other		2,414		_		—		2,414
Total	\$	1,890,440	\$	26,995	\$	8,009	\$	1,909,426
As of December 31, 2012								
State and political								
subdivisions	\$	27,717	\$	1,354	\$	19	\$	29,052
Mortgage-backed securities								
(1)		1,408,042		22,552		2,092		1,428,502
Corporate bonds		169,783		1,052		7,173		163,662
Asset-backed securities		209,411		1,894		749		210,556
Other		2,821		_		_		2,821
Total	\$	1,817,774	\$	26,852	\$	10,033	\$	1,834,593
As of March 31, 2012								
U.S. Government agencies	\$	43,593	\$	286	\$	90	\$	43,789
State and political								
subdivisions		21,490		1,321		3		22,808
Mortgage-backed securities								
(1)		1,692,446		33,212		590		1,725,068
Corporate bonds		119,154				14,568		104,586
Other		2,564		_		_		2,564
Total	\$	1,879,247	\$	34,819	\$	15,251	\$	1,898,815

⁽¹⁾ All are residential type mortgage-backed securities

The following table summarizes held-to-maturity securities in an unrealized loss position as of March 31, 2013 (thousands). As of December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012, there were no held-to-maturity securities in an unrealized loss position.

Less than 12 Months

12 Months or More

Total

As of March 31, 2013	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value	Unrealized Loss
Mortgage-backed securities Total unrealized loss position	\$4,929 \$4,929	\$51 \$51	\$— \$—	\$— \$—	4,929 \$4,929	51 \$51
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The following table summarizes available-for-sale securities in an unrealized loss position as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 (in thousands).

A - cf March 21		Less than 12	onths nrealized		12 Month	More nrealized		Tota	nrealized
As of March 31, 2013	F	air Value	Loss	Fa	air Value	Loss	F	air Value	Loss
State and political subdivisions	\$	1,185	\$ 2	\$	10	\$ 2	\$	1,195	\$ 4
Mortgage-backed securities		399,263	3,544		_			399,263	3,544
Corporate bonds		21,323	145		77,007	3,939		98,330	4,084
Asset-backed securities		72,064	377			_		72,064	377
Total unrealized loss									
position	\$	493,835	\$ 4,068	\$	77,017	\$ 3,941	\$	570,852	\$ 8,009
As of December 31, 2012									
State and political									
subdivisions	\$	3,674	\$ 17	\$	10	\$ 2	\$	3,684	\$ 19
Mortgage-backed securities		326,485	2,092		_			326,485	2,092
Corporate bonds		21,248	136		93,903	7,037		115,151	7,173
Asset-backed securities		82,188	749		_	_		82,188	749
Total unrealized loss								,	
position	\$	433,595	\$ 2,994	\$	93,913	\$ 7,039	\$	527,508	\$ 10,033
As of March 31, 2012									
U.S. Government									
agencies	\$	9,905	\$ 90	\$	_	\$ _	\$	9,905	\$ 90
State and political subdivisions			_		11	3		11	3
Mortgage-backed									
securities		405,039	574		21,067	16		426,106	590
Corporate bonds Total unrealized loss		35,306	2,872		69,230	11,696		104,536	14,568
position	\$	450,250	\$ 3,536	\$	90,308	\$ 11,715	\$	540,558	\$ 15,251

At March 31, 2013, there were 68 available-for-sale securities and three held-to-maturity securities that were in an unrealized loss position. United does not intend to sell nor believes it will be required to sell securities in an

unrealized loss position prior to the recovery of their amortized cost basis. Unrealized losses at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 were primarily attributable to changes in interest rates, however the unrealized losses in corporate bonds also reflect downgrades in the underlying securities ratings since the time of acquisition. The bonds remain above investment grade and United does not consider them to be impaired.

Management evaluates securities for other-than-temporary impairment at least on a quarterly basis, and more frequently when economic or market concerns warrant such evaluation. Consideration is given to the length of time and the extent to which the fair value has been less than cost, the financial condition and near-term prospects of the issuer, among other factors. In analyzing an issuer's financial condition, management considers whether the securities are issued by the federal government or its agencies, whether downgrades by bond rating agencies have occurred, and industry analysts' reports. No impairment charges were recognized during the three months ended March 31, 2013 or 2012.

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The amortized cost and fair value of held-to-maturity and available-for-sale securities at March 31, 2013, by contractual maturity, are presented in the following table (in thousands).

	Ar	vailable-for-Sale mortized	Г.	X7 - 1	Ar	eld-to-Maturity mortized	Г.	. X7-1
	Co	OST	Fa	ir Value	Co	ost	Fai	r Value
State and political subdivisions:								
Within 1 year	\$	996	\$	1,005	\$		\$	_
1 to 5 years		14,552		15,453		9,858		10,672
5 to 10 years		6,316		6,658		26,481		29,490
More than 10 years		847		921		15,429		17,269
		22,711		24,037		51,768		57,431
Cornerate hands								
Corporate bonds: 1 to 5 years		38,123		38,503				
5 to 10 years		141,961		140,119		_		_
More than 10 years		10,759		10,172				
More than 10 years		•				_		
		190,843		188,794				_
Asset-backed securities:								
1 to 5 years		32,384		32,405		<u>—</u>		_
5 to 10 years		142,507		143,693		_		
More than 10 years		48,936		49,772		_		_
		223,827		225,870		_		_
Other:								
More than 10 years		2,414		2,414				
More than 10 years		·		•		_		_
		2,414		2,414				_
Total securities other than								
mortgage-backed securities:								
Within 1 year		996		1,005		_		
1 to 5 years		85,059		86,361		9,858		10,672
5 to 10 years		290,784		290,470		26,481		29,490
More than 10 years		62,956		63,279		15,429		17,269
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Mortgage-backed securities		1,450,645		1,468,311		179,319		189,656
	\$	1,890,440	\$	1,909,426	\$	231,087	\$	247,087

Expected maturities may differ from contractual maturities because issuers and borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

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Note 5 – Loans and Allowance for Loan Losses

Major classifications of loans as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012, are summarized as follows (in thousands).

	March 31, 2013		Dec 201	cember 31,	Ma 201	rch 31,
Commercial (secured by real estate)	\$	1,804,030	\$	1,813,365	\$	1,843,207
Commercial & industrial		453,764		458,246		439,496
Commercial construction		152,410		154,769		167,122
Total commercial	2,410,204			2,426,380		2,449,825
Residential mortgage		1,245,975		1,214,203		1,131,248
Residential construction		371,733		381,677		435,375
Consumer installment		165,648	152,748			111,118
Total loans		4,193,560		4,175,008		4,127,566
Less allowance for loan losses		(105,753)		(107,137))	(113,601)
Loans, net	\$	4,087,807	\$	4,067,871	\$	4,013,965

The Bank makes loans and extends credit to individuals and a variety of firms and corporations located primarily in counties in north Georgia, the Atlanta, Georgia metropolitan statistical area, the Gainesville, Georgia metropolitan statistical area, coastal Georgia, western North Carolina, east Tennessee and the Greenville, South Carolina metropolitan statistical area. Although the Bank has a diversified loan portfolio, a substantial portion of its loan portfolio is collateralized by improved and unimproved real estate and is dependent upon the real estate market.

United considers all loans that are on nonaccrual with a balance of \$500,000 or greater and all troubled debt restructurings ("TDRs") to be impaired. In addition, United reviews all accruing substandard loans greater than \$2 million to determine if the loan is impaired. A loan is considered impaired when, based on current events and circumstances, it is probable that all amounts due, according to the contractual terms of the loan, will not be collected. All TDRs are considered impaired regardless of accrual status. Impairment is measured based on the present value of expected future cash flows, discounted at the loan's effective interest rate, the loan's observable market price, or the fair value of the collateral if the loan is collateral dependent. A specific reserve is established for impaired loans for the amount of calculated impairment. Interest payments received on impaired nonaccrual loans are applied as a reduction of the outstanding principal balance. For impaired loans not on nonaccrual status, interest is accrued according to the terms of the loan agreement. Impairment amounts are recorded quarterly and specific reserves are recorded in the allowance for loan losses.

Each quarter, United's management prepares an analysis of the allowance for loan losses to determine the appropriate balance that measures and quantifies the amount of loss inherent in the loan portfolio. The allowance is comprised of specific reserves which are determined as described above, general reserves which are determined based on historical loss experience as adjusted for current trends and economic conditions and an unallocated portion. United uses eight quarters of historical loss experience weighted toward the most recent quarters to determine the loss factors to be used. Eight quarters has been determined to be an appropriate time period as it is recent enough to be relevant to current conditions and covers a length of time sufficient to normalize for nonrecurring and unusual activity that might otherwise influence a shorter time period. The weighted average is calculated by multiplying each quarter's annualized historical net charge-off rate by 1 through 8, with 8 representing the most recent quarter and 1 representing the oldest

quarter. United uses annualized charge-off rates under the broad assumption that losses inherent in the loan portfolio will generally be resolved within twelve months. Problem loans that are not resolved within twelve months are generally larger loans that are more complex in nature requiring more time to either rehabilitate or work out of the bank. These credits are subject to impairment testing and specific reserves.

The weighted loss factor results for each quarter are added together and divided by 36 (the sum of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8) to arrive at the weighted average historical loss factor for each category of loans. United calculates loss factors for each major category of loans (commercial real estate, commercial & industrial, commercial construction, residential construction and consumer installment) except residential real estate loans which are further divided into home equity first lien, home equity junior lien and all other residential real estate loans and a loss factor is calculated for each category.

Management carefully reviews the resulting loss factors for each category of the loan portfolio and evaluates whether qualitative adjustments are necessary to take into consideration recent credit trends such as increases or decreases in past due, nonaccrual, criticized and classified loans, acceleration or delays in timing of recognition of losses that may render the use of annualized charge-off rates to be inappropriate, and other macro environmental factors such as changes in unemployment rates, lease vacancy rates and trends in property values and absorption rates.

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To validate the results, management closely monitors the loan portfolio to determine the range of potential losses based upon probability of default and losses upon default for each major loan category. The potential range of losses resulting from this analysis is compared to the resulting loss factors for each major loan category to validate the loss factors and determine if qualitative adjustments are necessary. United's management believes that its method of determining the balance of the allowance for loan losses provides a reasonable and reliable basis for measuring and reporting losses that are inherent in the loan portfolio as of the reporting date.

The following table presents the balance and activity in the allowance for loan losses by portfolio segment and the recorded investment in loans by portfolio segment based on the impairment method as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 (in thousands).

	Commercial (Secured by	Commerci	a C ommerci	aResidential	Residentia	l Consumer		
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Three Months Ended March 31, 2013	Estate)	industriai	Constructi	omorigage	Constructi	o h nstallmen	t Unamoca	ateo
Allowance for loan losses:	¢27.047	¢ 5 527	¢0.200	¢26.642	¢26,662	¢ 2 7 4 7	¢0.212	ф 1
Beginning balance	\$27,847	\$5,537	\$8,389	\$26,642	\$26,662	\$2,747	\$9,313	\$1
Charge-offs	(5,454)	(1,823)	(.0)	(2,356)	(2,982)	(707)	_	(
Recoveries	211	322	49	209	9	183	(40)	9
Provision	7,804	1,590	(285)	2,433	(363)	(131)	(48)	_
Ending balance	\$30,408	\$5,626	\$8,108	\$26,928	\$23,326	\$2,092	\$9,265	\$1
Ending allowance attributable to loans:		*		*	*			
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$5,089	\$1,026	\$2,093	\$1,804	\$1,945	\$14	\$—	\$1
Collectively evaluated for impairment	25,319	4,600	6,015	25,124	21,381	2,078	9,265	9
Total ending allowance balance	\$30,408	\$5,626	\$8,108	\$26,928	\$23,326	\$2,092	\$9,265	\$1
Loans:								
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$86,978	\$50,347	\$38,970	\$22,156	\$31,936	\$407	\$—	\$2
Collectively evaluated for impairment	1,717,052	403,417	113,440	1,223,819	339,797	165,241		3
Total loans	\$1,804,030	\$453,764	\$152,410	\$1,245,975	\$371,733	\$165,648	\$ —	\$4
Year Ended December 31, 2012								
Allowance for loan losses:								
Ending allowance attributable to loans:								
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$6,106	\$490	\$2,239	\$2,165	\$625	\$19	\$	\$1
Collectively evaluated for impairment	21,741	5,047	6,150	24,477	26,037	2,728	9,313	9
Total ending allowance balance	\$27,847	\$5,537	\$8,389	\$26,642	\$26,662	\$2,747	\$9,313	\$1
Loans:								
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$104,409	\$51,501	\$40,168	\$22,247	\$34,055	\$430	\$—	\$2
Collectively evaluated for impairment	1,708,956	406,745	114,601	1,191,956	347,622	152,318	_	3
Total loans	\$1,813,365	\$458,246	\$154,769	\$1,214,203	\$381,677	\$152,748	\$—	\$4
Three Months Ended March 31, 2012	, ,, ,, ,,,	,, -	, , , , , , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , ,	·	
Beginning balance	\$31,644	\$5,681	\$6,097	\$29,076	\$30,379	\$2,124	\$9,467	\$1
Charge-offs	(3,928)	(756)	(364)	(5,767)		(753)	_	(
Recoveries	231	87	30	392	315	275	_	1
Provision	2,667	460	3,820	3,655	4,408	252	(262)	1
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Ending balance	\$30,614	\$5,472	\$9,583	\$27,356	\$29,473	\$1,898	\$9,205	\$1
Ending allowance attributable to loans:								
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$7,654	\$1,122	\$1,920	\$2,254	\$3,236	\$63	\$ —	\$1
Collectively evaluated for impairment	22,960	4,350	7,663	25,102	26,237	1,835	9,205	9
Total ending allowance balance	\$30,614	\$5,472	\$9,583	\$27,356	\$29,473	\$1,898	\$9,205	\$1
Loans:								
Individually evaluated for impairment	\$117,999	\$60,568	\$46,549	\$21,525	\$47,048	\$331	\$ —	\$2
Collectively evaluated for impairment	1,725,208	378,928	120,573	1,109,723	388,327	110,787	_	3
Total loans	\$1,843,207	\$439,496	\$167,122	\$1,131,248	\$435,375	\$111,118	\$ —	\$4

When a loan officer determines that a loan is uncollectible, he or she is responsible for recommending to the local bank president that the loan be charged off. Full or partial charge-offs may also be recommended by the Collections Department, the Special Assets Department and the Foreclosure / OREO department. Nonaccrual loans that are collateral dependent are generally charged down to 80% of the appraised value of the underlying collateral at the time they are placed on nonaccrual status.

A committee consisting of the Chief Risk Officer, Senior Risk Officer and the Senior Credit Officers meets monthly to review charge-offs that have occurred during the previous month. The 10 largest charge-offs are reported quarterly to the Board of Directors.

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Generally, closed-end retail loans (installment and residential mortgage loans) past due 120 cumulative days are charged-off unless the loan is well secured and in process of collection (within the next 90 days). Open-end (revolving) retail loans which are past due 180 cumulative days from their contractual due date are generally charged-off.

At March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012, loans with a carrying value of \$1.94 billion, \$1.90 billion and \$1.58 billion, respectively, were pledged as collateral to secure FHLB advances and other contingent funding sources.

The average balances of impaired loans and income recognized on impaired loans while they were considered impaired is presented below for the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 (in thousands).

	Three Month	s Ended Marcl	h 31,			
	2013			2012		
		Interest			Interest	
		Revenue	Cash Basis		Revenue	Cash Basis
		Recognized	Interest		Recognized	Interest
	Average	During	Revenue	Average	During	Revenue
	Balance	Impairment	Received	Balance	Impairment	Received
Commercial (secured by real						
estate)	\$91,631	\$ 946	\$ 1,000	\$ 117,551	\$ 1,251	\$ 1,341
Commercial & industrial	43,694	156	629	43,249	118	610
Commercial construction	39,208	151	232	40,759	267	457
Total commercial	174,533	1,253	1,861	201,559	1,636	2,408
Residential mortgage	20,414	241	223	24,262	225	261
Residential construction	40,592	326	428	54,467	401	518
Consumer installment	276	6	6	338	5	5
Total	\$235,815	\$1,826	\$2,518	\$280,626	\$2,267	\$3,192

The following table presents loans individually evaluated for impairment by class of loans as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 (in thousands).

	March 31,	2013		December		March 31, 2012			
			Allowance			Allowance			
			for			for			
	Unpaid		Loan	Unpaid		Loan	Unpaid		
	Principal	Recorded	Losses	Principal	Recorded	Losses	Principal	Reco	
	Balance	Investmen	t Allocate	d Balance	Investmen	t Allocate	ed Balance	Inves	
With no related allowance recorded:									
Commercial (secured by real estate)	\$50,386	\$37,202	\$	\$74,066	\$62,609	\$	\$91,399	\$82,5	
Commercial & industrial	73,196	46,895	_	74,572	49,572		81,896	56,8	
Commercial construction	23,486	16,703	_	23,938	17,305		30,188	27,2	
Total commercial	147,068	100,800	_	172,576	129,486		203,483	166	
Residential mortgage	7,762	6,306	_	10,336	8,383	_	15,375	13,0	
Residential construction	19,026	15,223	_	35,439	19,093	_	44,018	28,4	
Consumer installment		_	_		_				

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Total with no related allowance recorded	173,856	122,329	_	218,351	156,962	_	262,876	208,
With an allowance recorded:								
Commercial (secured by real estate)	52,363	49,777	5,089	44,395	41,800	6,106	36,536	35,4
Commercial & industrial	3,562	3,451	1,026	2,170	1,929	490	3,672	3,67
Commercial construction	23,150	22,267	2,093	23,746	22,863	2,239	20,056	19,2
Total commercial	79,075	75,495	8,208	70,311	66,592	8,835	60,264	58,3
Residential mortgage	16,104	15,850	1,804	14,267	13,864	2,165	9,255	8,48
Residential construction	17,244	16,713	1,945	15,412	14,962	625	19,235	18,5
Consumer installment	420	407	14	441	430	19	340	331
Total with an allowance recorded	112,843	108,465	11,971	100,431	95,848	11,644	89,094	85,7
Total	\$286,699	\$230,794	\$11,971	\$318,782	\$252,810	\$11,644	\$351,970	\$294,

There were no loans more than 90 days past due and still accruing interest at March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 or March 31, 2012. Nonaccrual loans include both homogeneous loans that are collectively evaluated for impairment and individually evaluated impaired loans. United's policy is to place loans on nonaccrual status when, in the opinion of management, the principal and interest on a loan is not likely to be repaid in accordance with the loan terms or when the loan becomes 90 days past due and is not well secured and in the process of collection. When a loan is classified on nonaccrual status, interest previously accrued but not collected is reversed against current interest revenue. Principal and interest payments received on a nonaccrual loan are applied to reduce outstanding principal.

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The following table presents the recorded investment (unpaid principal less amounts charged-off) in nonaccrual loans by loan class as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2102 (in thousands).

	Nonaccrual Loans								
				December					
	Ma	arch 31,		31,			Ma	rch 31,	
	20	13		201	2		201	12	
Commercial (secured by real estate)	\$	17,304		\$	22,148		\$	26,081	
Commercial & industrial		29,545			31,817			36,314	Ļ
Commercial construction		22,359			23,843			23,319)
Total commercial		69,208			77,808			85,714	ļ
Residential mortgage		11,817			12,589			18,741	
Residential construction		14,592			18,702			24,341	
Consumer installment		389			795			908	
Total	\$	96,006		\$	109,89	4	\$	129,70)4
Balance as a percentage of unpaid		66.2	~		60 5	~		7 0.6	64
principal		66.3	%		69.5	%		70.6	%

The following table presents the aging of the recorded investment in past due loans as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 by class of loans (in thousands).

	Lo	ans Past Du	ıe						Lo	ans Not		
As of March 31, 2013	30	- 59 Days	60	- 89 Days	> 9	90 Days	To	tal	Pa	st Due	To	tal
Commercial (secured by												
real estate)	\$	7,402	\$	2,304	\$	5,750	\$	15,456	\$	1,788,574	\$	1,804,030
Commercial &												
industrial		1,485		419		219		2,123		451,641		453,764
Commercial												
construction		856		_		5,530		6,386		146,024		152,410
Total commercial		9,743		2,723		11,499		23,965		2,386,239		2,410,204
Residential mortgage		11,899		2,667		4,159		18,725		1,227,250		1,245,975
Residential construction		2,310		2,371		2,373		7,054		364,679		371,733
Consumer installment		682		152		109		943		164,705		165,648
Total loans	\$	24,634	\$	7,913	\$	18,140	\$	50,687	\$	4,142,873	\$	4,193,560
As of December 31,												
2012												
Commercial (secured by												
real estate)	\$	8,106	\$	3,232	\$	7,476	\$	18,814	\$	1,794,551	\$	1,813,365
Commercial &												
industrial		1,565		429		867		2,861		455,385		458,246
Commercial												
construction		2,216				4,490		6,706		148,063		154,769
Total commercial		11,887		3,661		12,833		28,381		2,397,999		2,426,380
Residential mortgage		12,292		2,426		4,848		19,566		1,194,637		1,214,203
Residential construction		2,233		1,934		5,159		9,326		372,351		381,677

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Consumer installment		1,320	245	289	1,854	150,894	152,748
Total loans	\$	27,732	\$ 8,266	\$ 23,129	\$ 59,127	\$ 4,115,881	\$ 4,175,008
As of March 31, 2012							
Commercial (secured by	7						
real estate)	\$	6,777	\$ 3,219	\$ 14,461	\$ 24,457	\$ 1,818,750	\$ 1,843,207
Commercial &							
industrial		1,930	244	2,905	5,079	434,417	439,496
Commercial							
construction		256	55	8,620	8,931	158,191	167,122
Total commercial		8,963	3,518	25,986	38,467	2,411,358	2,449,825
Residential mortgage		14,540	5,223	9,103	28,866	1,102,382	1,131,248
Residential construction		7,462	1,584	11,201	20,247	415,128	435,375
Consumer installment		961	248	346	1,555	109,563	111,118
Total loans	\$	31,926	\$ 10,573	\$ 46,636	\$ 89,135	\$ 4,038,431	\$ 4,127,566

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As of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012, and March 31, 2012, \$8.12 million, \$9.50 million and \$12.2 million of specific reserves were allocated to customers whose loan terms have been modified in TDRs. United committed to lend additional amounts totaling up to \$613,000, \$689,000, and \$891,000 as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012, respectively, to customers with outstanding loans that are classified as TDRs.

The modification of the terms of the TDRs included one or a combination of the following: a reduction of the stated interest rate of the loan or an extension of the amortization period that would not otherwise be considered in the current market for new debt with similar risk characteristics; a permanent reduction of the principal amount; a restructuring of the borrower's debt into an A/B note structure where the A note would fall within the borrower's ability to pay and the remainder would be included in the B note, or a mandated bankruptcy restructuring.

The following table presents additional information on TDRs including the number of loan contracts restructured and the pre- and post-modification recorded investment as of March 31, 2013, December 31, 2012 and March 31, 2012 (dollars in thousands).

	March 31, 2013			Decei	mber 31, 201	2	March 31, 2012			
		Pre-	Post-		Pre-	Post-		Pre-	Post-	
		Modificatio Modification			Modification	o M odificati	on	oModification		
	Numb	eOutstandin	gOutstandin	gNumb	eOutstandin	gOutstandin	gNumb	eOutstandin	gOutstanding	
	of	Recorded	Recorded	of	Recorded	Recorded	of	Recorded	Recorded	
	Contr	a dts vestment	Investment	t Contr	a dts vestment	Investment	Contr	a dts vestmen	t Investment	
Commercial (sec by RE)	97	\$80,618	\$74,675	96	\$80,261	\$75,340	92	\$83,230	\$79,844	
Commercial & industrial	41	8,944	8,834	32	7,492	7,250	26	3,487	3,487	
Commercial construction	25	36,491	32,614	25	37,537	33,809	16	35,184	34,066	
Total commercial	163	126,053	116,123	153	125,290	116,399	134	121,901	117,397	
Residential mortgage	120	19,901	19,023	117	20,323	19,296	99	15,718	14,832	
Residential construction	71	25,651	23,345	67	25,822	23,786	63	27,128	25,948	
Consumer installment	46	282	269	51	1,292	1,282	40	340	330	
Total loans	400	\$171,887	\$158,760	388	\$172,727	\$ 160,763	336	\$ 165,087	\$ 158,507	

Loans modified under the terms of a TDR during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 are presented in the table below. In addition, the following table presents loans modified under the terms of a TDR that became 90 days or more delinquent during the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 that were initially restructured within one year prior to the three months ended March 31, 2013 and 2012 (dollars in thousands).

			Troubled De	ebt
			Restructurin	gs
			Modified W	ithin the
			Previous	
			Twelve Mon	ths that Have
			Subsequentl	y Defaulted
	Pre-	Post-	During	
	Modification	Modification	the Three M	onths Ended
	Outstanding	Outstanding	March 31, 20	013
Number of	Recorded	Recorded	Number of	Recorded
Contracts	Investment	Investment	Contracts	Investment
		Modification Outstanding Number of Recorded	Modification Modification Outstanding Outstanding Number of Recorded Recorded	Restructuring Modified With Previous Twelve Mont Subsequently Pre- Modification Modification Outstanding Outstanding Number of Recorded Recorded Number of

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Commercial (secured by real estate)	8	\$ 3,568	\$ 3,568	\$1	\$432
Commercial & industrial	9	815	709	1	35
Commercial construction	_	_	_	2	1,454
Total commercial	17	4,383	4,277	4	1,921
Residential mortgage	11	2,115	2,115	1	68
Residential construction	5	784	655	2	117
Consumer installment	4	21	21	3	20
Total loans	37	\$ 7,303	\$ 7,068	10	\$2,126

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Pre- Post-Modification