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¹Source: *Euromoney*, Private Banking 2009 — Methodology: For this survey, private banking is defined as banking services targeted at wealthy clients. Euromoney asked the private banks themselves to identify the companies that they admire as the top providers of both competitive and non-competitive services. It is therefore a peers' poll.

Participating private banks were sent an online questionnaire in English by email, or were able to access the questionnaire directly from the homepage at www.euromoney.com.

The poll had two distinct components this year, Part A and Part B.

For Part A, country heads of private banking/marketing/heads of development were asked to provide on a country-level basis (i) their bank's latest reported audited annual non-institutional private banking assets under management (AUM), US\$ (ii) average AUM growth, LAST 3 YEARS, audited annual non-institutional figures, arithmetic mean (iii) number of employees — average for latest audited year (iv) net income — latest audited annual figures, US \$ (v) year-on-year percentage change in annual net income. For each of these variables *Euromoney* calculated as total for each country from the data provided. *Euromoney* then calculated each firm's percentage share of the respective country total. Each firm was then awarded the corresponding share of 30% of their country score in the "Best private banking services" category. Banks who gave no country-level data received no score at all for Part A.

In Part B, *Euromoney* was interested in the views of frontline banking staff — individual employees with a perspective on the relative merits and demerits of their banks and its competitors. *Euromoney* targeted for this purpose relationship managers and product structurers to identify the country about which they had the most knowledge. They then nominated the peers in that country they thought were best, second and third in each category. *Euromoney* awarded four, three and two points, respectively, to each of those nominations in that category and country. *Euromoney* also awarded a small number of points to the respondent's own firm for each nomination provided; this number increased as a function of the square root of the number of votes from that firm in that country.

Worldwide and regional results are aggregates of country results. Firms that received votes in the "Best private banking services" category from more than one continent were included in global rankings for worldwide, regional and country tables. Firms that did not were included in 'local' rankings for worldwide, regional and country tables.

The poll was conducted from Monday 24th August until Friday 2nd November 2008. *Euromoney* received 10450 valid Part B votes, 57% up on the results published in 2007 (5580 valid votes for peers) representing a total \$7.6tm of assets under management, an increase of 128% over January 2007's sample size of \$3.3 trillion. 3850 Part A forms were submitted.

Euromoney have used both information from banks' own votes, and follow-up contacts with supporting banks and to voters, to make nominations as accurate as possible. In some cases banks may be nominated for services and/or in countries where they do not have operations. In these cases voting reflects perceptions of service provision, rather than reality. It is also possible that banks are being nominated for services provided from neighboring countries, or by other parts of the parent bank.

There are three distinct private bank winners for each country, which is different from last year. Overall, which is a compilation of best for privacy, range of products, customer service, profitability, market share, advisory, as well as who is best foreign and who is best local — it also includes the questions from part A. The best local and global private bank categories are just taken from those two specific questions on the voting process — they are sub-categories. The best local is based on who is perceived as having the best reputation in the local market, whereas the best global is the bank in a particular market that is also operating in three different continents.

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