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DOMESTIC BANKING AND FINANCE

- I. Reserve Bank Credit, Gold, and Currency
 - A. Reserve Bank Credit and Related Items; daily, weekly, Primary monthly, annually. (13 series)

Bills discounted
Bills bought
U. S. Government securities
Other Reserve bank credit
Total Reserve bank credit outstanding
Monetary gold stock
Treasury and national bank currency
Money in circulation
Treasury cash and deposits with Federal
Reserve banks
Nonmember deposits
Other Federal Reserve accounts
Total member bank reserve balances
Excess member bank reserve balances

- B. Reserve Bank Credit and Related Items, interdistrict Primary analysis; daily and weekly. (In experimental form)
- C. Reserve Bank Assets and Liabilities, end of month.

D. Open-market operations, Federal Reserve banks; weekly. (12 series) Primary

E. Money in circulation.

Primary and Secondary

Primary

- 1. Kinds Monthly (10 series)
- Paper currency, by denominations -Monthly. (12 series)
- Shipments and receipts of U. S. paper currency to and from Europe.

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"Secondary" refers to data collected by some other agency and tabulated for reference purposes by the Division of Research and Statistics.

II. Member Bank Credit

A.	Consolidated call reports.	Primary			
В.	Reporting member bank figures; weekly.	Primary			
C.	Member bank deposits; weekly and monthly.	Primary			
D.	Reserve balances and excess reserves; weekly and monthly.	Primary			
E.	Various formulas for calculating reserve requirements of all member banks and reporting member banks for call dates, monthly and weekly. (In experimental form)	Primary			
F.	Member bank credit and related items; call dates. (In experimental form)	Primary			
G.	Velocity of bank deposits; monthly for 141 cities, New York City and 140 cities; weekly by districts and Federal Reserve cities. (In experimental form)	Primary			
H.	Adjusted demand deposits.				
	1. By classes of member banks, call dates 2. Reporting member banks, weekly	Primary Primary			
Money Rates					
A.	Open-market money rates in New York City; daily, weekly and monthly. (6 series)	Primary			

Primary

Primary

B. Customers' rates in 36 cities; monthly.

C. Discount rates of Federal Reserve banks.

III.

IV. Banking Structure and Operations

A. Branch banking laws

Branch banking laws are followed from all available sources, State banking departments, Division of Bank Operations, newspapers, etc.

Primary

B. Earnings and expenses of banks -- gross earnings, expenses, gross losses, and net profits per \$100 of loans and investments.

1.National banks -- Comptroller of Currency 2.Member banks

Secondary Primary

C. Number of banks by class of bank.

Number of national, state, member and nonmember, mutual savings and private banks.

Primary

D. Number and location of branch banking offices

Number of branches and their distribution by location inside or outside of head office city.

Primary

V. United States Government

A. Treasury Finance

	Summary of Treasury receipts and expenditures; monthly. (30 series)	Secondary
2.	United States Government interest-bearing debt:	Secondary
	a. Amount and kind of securities;monthly. (9 series)b. By maturities; monthly. (15 series)	
3.	Expenditures of Federal emergency organizations for recovery and relief by kinds; monthly. (32 series)	Secondary
4.	Obligations fully guaranteed by the United States Government; by agencies, monthly. (4 series)	Secondary
5.	Internal Revenue receipts; monthly. (6 series)	Secondary
6.	New Treasury financing data. (12 series)	Secondary
7.	Income increasing expenditures of Federal	
	Government.	Primary

B. Government Agencies

1.	Postal Savings System, depositors balances and assets; monthly. (7 series)	Secondary
2.	Reconstruction Finance Corporation, outstanding	Secondary
	loans and authorizations not yet disbursed; monthly. (10 series)	
3.	Federal Home Loan System, loans by institutions;	Secondary
	monthly. (16 series)	
4.	Farm Credit Administration, outstanding loans;	Secondary
	monthly. (10 series)	
5.	Combined statements of United States agencies;	Secondary
	monthly. (20 series for various agencies)	

VI. Capital Issues and Security Markets

A. Capital issues; monthly (23 series) Secondary

B. Investments of life insurance companies: monthly (16 series) Secondary

C. Security Prices

1. Bond prices; indexes or averages, Standard Statistics, Dow-Jones, New York News Bureau; daily. (11 series, weekly 14 series)

Secondary

2. Stock prices; indexes Standard Statistics and Dow-Jones, daily (7 series; weekly 14 series)

Secondary

3. United States Government bonds, closing prices, now about 40 series

Secondary

4. United States Government bonds, average price

Primary

5. United States Treasury notes, asked prices; daily

Secondary

6. Bond values, New York Stock Exchange; monthly (13 series)

Secondary

7. Foreign bond prices, Baker-Kellog awerage; weekly (1 series)

Secondary

D. Bond yields

1. Bond yields; averages, Moody's and Standard Statistics, daily 5 series, weekly 24 series

Secondary

2. Yield on outstanding Treasury bonds; daily, weekly and monthly (3 series)

Secondary

3. Yield on Government guaranteed obligations

Secondary

4. Yields on offerings of Treasury bills; daily, weekly, and monthly (3 series)

Secondary

5. Bond yields, New York Stock Exchange; monthly (3 series)

Secondary

VII. Corporate Profits

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A. Net profits of 163 industrial corporations, quarterly

1. Totals and groups

a. Compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York

Secondary

b. Index of total

Primary

B. Profits of varying number of industrial, railroad, telephone, and other public utility companies, compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, quarterly

Secondary

C. Profits of varying number of corporations, subdivided as to manufacturing and trading, railroads, telephone and telegraphs and other public utilities, prepared by the National City Bank, cumulative for current year

Secondary

D. Index of profits of 120 industrial, 26 railroads, 15 utility companies, adjusted and unadjusted for seasonal variation by the Standard Statistics Company, quarterly

Secondary

E. Profits of varying number of companies, published at irregular times, in dollar amounts or in index form, for current period only or covering considerable period. Compiled by Standard Statistics Company

Secondary

F. Profits of varying number of companies, published at irregular times, in dollar amounts or in index form, for current period only or covering considerable period. Compiled by Moody's

Secondary

G. Railway Income

1. Net railway operating income as reported to the Interstate Commerce Commission, monthly

Secondary

H. Price-earnings ratios of varying number of industrial, railroad, and utility companies, compiled by the Standard Statistics Company

DOMESTIC INDUSTRY, TRADE, AND PRICES

VIII. Industrial Production

A. Federal Reserve Board Index of Industrial Production, monthly and annual

Primary

- 1. Total, including manufactures and minerals, -indexes and aggregates, unadjusted and adjusted
 for seasonal variation
- 2. Manufactures
 - a. Total -- indexes and aggregates, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
 - b. Census groups indexes and aggregates, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
 - c. Durable and non-durable groups -- aggregates adjusted for seasonal variation
 - d. Individual industries, 47 basic series
 - (1) Monthly totals
 - (2) Working days
 - (3) Daily averages
 - (4) Seasonal adjustment factors
 - (5) Indexes and aggregates, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
- 3. Minerals
 - a. Total -- indexes and aggregates, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
 - b. Individual industries, 7 series -- same types of series as for individual manufacturing industries
- B. Federal Reserve Board -- Central Statistical Board Annual Index, Adjusted to the Census 1919-1933

Primary

- C. Other Data Tabulated
 - 1. Annual only
 - a. Indexes of industrial production, manufactures Primary and minerals, 1863 to date, total and per capita (unpublished indexes of Federal Reserve Board)
 - b. Gross domestic output of commodities and re- Secondary lated services as estimated by National Bureau of Economic Research
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"Secondary" refers to data collected by some other agency and tabulated for reference purposes by the Division of Research and Statistics. 2. Annual and monthly

- a. Production of dairy products, rayon and several Secondary other commodities not included in Board's index
- b. Data closely allied to production, e.g., ship- Secondary ments of steel by U. S. Steel Corporation, consumption of gasoline, electric power production

3. Weekly

a. New York Times index of business activity

Secondary Secondary

b. Production series for 8 individual industries

- D. Data Readily Available but not Tabulated
 - 1. Publications and special reports of Federal Reserve banks
 - 2. Publications of Federal agencies, such as the Bureau of the Census, the Bureau of Mines, and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation
 - 3. Publications of other statistical organizations, such as the National Bureau of Economic Research, the National Industrial Conference Board, Standard Statistics, and university bureaus of business research

IX. Employment and Payrolls

A. Estimates of total employment and unemployment, monthly

1. National Industrial Conference Board

Secondary Secondary

2. American Federation of Labor

Secondary

3. Central Statistical Board

B. Factory employment and payrolls, monthly and annual

1. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Secondary

- a. Number employed, amount of payrolls and indexes for both, without adjustment for seasonal variation
 - (1) Total
 - (2) Census groups
 - (3) Durable and non-durable manufactures

(4) 90 individual industries

2. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

- a. Number employed, amount of payrolls and indexes for both, adjusted for seasonal variation, corresponding to Bureau of Labor Statistics data without seasonal adjustment
 - (1) Total
 - (2) Census groups
 - (3) Durable and non-durable manufactures
 - (4) 90 individual industries (not available for payrolls)
- b. Number employed, amount of payrolls and indexes for both, for special groups
 - (1) Industries comparable with those included in the Board's index of manufacturing production and other industries, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation for employment, unadjusted only for payrolls
 - (2) Selected industries producing semi-finished and finished manufactures (adjusted for seasonal variation for employment, not available for payrolls)
- C. Employment and payrolls in non-manufacturing industries
 - 1. Railroads -- Interstate Commerce Commission

Secondary

- a. Number employed and amount of payrolls, monthly and annual
- b. Indexes, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation (not available for payrolls)
- 2. Mines -- Bureau of Labor Statistics

Secondary

a. Number employed and amount of payrolls at anthracite and bituminous coal mines, monthly and annual 3. Construction Industry

Secondary

a. Bureau of Labor Statistics

(1) Privately financed

(2) Projects financed by public works funds (man hours in addition to employment and payrolls)

b. American Federation of Labor

Secondary

(1) Percentage of unemployed in building

trade unions

4. Public utilities, certain types of mining, trade, management, professional and governmental services, agriculture, miscellaneous lines, and recovery agencies (estimates of employment, by Central Statistical Board in cooperation with Bureau of Labor Statistics and Department of Agriculture)

X. Construction and Real Estate

A. Construction activity

1. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

- a. Indexes of value of construction contracts awarded, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation, monthly and annual, based on 3-month moving averages of Dodge data for 37 Eastern States
 - (1) Total
 - (2) Residential
 - (3) All other
- b. Value of construction contracts awarded, by Federal Reserve districts, based on F. W. Dodge data, by States
 - (1) Total
 - (2) Residential
 - (3) All other
- 2. F. W. Dodge Corporation

Secondary

- a. Value of construction contracts awarded
 - (1) 37 Eastern States
 - (a) Monthly and annual

Total

By 5 principal types of construction By ownership Note:--Data on 58 sub-groups readily available in Dodge reports

(b) Tri-monthly Total

Residential

- (2) Dodge districts, States, and cities
 - (a) 1 and 2 family houses in 48 selected cities, monthly and annual
 - (b) Other data readily available in Dodge reports
- Number of projects and quare feet, readily available in Dodge reports
- 3. Bureau of Labor Statistics

- a. Value of construction contracts awarded
 - (1) Federal Public Works Administration projects, by classes
 - (2) Non-Federal Public Works Administration construction projects, by classes
- b. Permits issued in selected cities
 - (1) Estimated cost for total and residential, individual cities
 - (2) Data on number of projects, cost, and, for residential buildings, number of families provided for, readily available in publications

4. National Bureau of Economic Research Secondary a. Kuznets' estimates of construction volume b. Gayer's estimates of construction volume Secondary 5. Real Property Inventory a. Retrospect on total volume of residential buildings in 64 cities, five-year period Secondary 6. Financial Survey of Urban Housing a. Retrospect on volume of residential building on sample basis in 61 cities by types, materials, number of rooms, annually Secondary 7. Bureau of the Census a. Census of Construction, 1929 Secondary 8. Other sources :: :: Secondary B. Vacancies, rents and real estate values 1. Federal Housing Administration -- data on vacancies in residential properties 2. Skyscraper Management -- data on vacancies in office buildings 3. Bureau of Labor Statistics -- data on rents for total and each of 32 cities 4. National Industrial Conference Board -- data on rents, total 5. Real Property Inventory as of January 1, 1934, covering 64 cities 6. Financial Survey of Urban Housing, as of January 1,

C. Cost of construction

8. Other sources

1. Indexes of Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Engineer-Secondary ing News Record, American Appraisal Company, and Contractor

Primary

2. Original cost of owner-occupied properties with 5-room and 6-room wood houses, for several cities, annually 1910 to date; a special tabulation from Financial Survey of Urban Housing

1934, covering 61 cities and giving considerable detail on real estate situation for residential prop-

erties at beginning of 1934, and retrospect 7. Part of Wenzlick studies for St. Louis on file

3. Data of Bureau of Public Roads readily available

Secondary

D. Mortgage finance

1. Volume of mortgages outstanding Primary and a. By lending agencies Secondary

(1) Federal Home Loan Bank Board estimates

(2) Terborgh estimates

- (3) Sample data for distribution of mortgages on certain types of property, in Financial Survey of Urban Housing
- (4) Real estate loans of member banks, on farm land and other real estate
- (5) Loans of Federal agencies -- see action on Federal Credit Agencies
- b. A mass of detail in Financial Survey of Urban Housing concerning mortgages outstanding January 1934 on urban residential property with many crossclassifications including
 - (1) Type of structure
 - (2) Tenture
 - (3) Date of original loan
 - (4) Amount of original loan
 - (5) Current amount of original loan outstanding
 - (6) Value of property
 - (7) Relation of debt to value
 - (8) Contract and effective interest rates
 - (9) Term of loan
 - (10) Type of mortgage
 - (11) Amount of annual payments due in relation to 1933 family income
 - (12) Delinquency in payments
- 2. Volume of mortgage loans being made currently on non- Secondary farm properties
 - a. Investments by life insurance companies see section on Capital Issues, Security Prices, and Yields
 - b. Lending activities of Federal agencies -- see section on Federal Credit Agencies
- 3. Relation of volume of real estate loans of national banks to legal limit, for total, selected cities and individual banks in selected Reserve city and country areas
- 4. Volume of mortgages held by insured banks eligible for guarantee by Federal Housing Administration
- 5. Other data

Primary

Secondary

XI. Agriculture

A. Federal Reserve Board

- 1. Crop report by Federal Reserve districts, for 8 commodities
- 2. Net demand and time deposits in cities of 15,000 and Primary less, by selected geographical regions and States

B. Department of Agriculture

- 1. Index of net agricultural production, annual Secondary a. Total
 - b. 9 classes of products
- 2. Farm income
 - a. Annual data on gross income and cash income, for total and 14 principal groups
 - b. Monthly data on cash income from agricultural marketings, benefit payments received and emergency purchases of cattle and sheep
- 3. Index of agricultural exports
 4. Other data in annual reports and current publications, in considerable detail, covering such items as production of individual crops, stocks, livestock on farms, marketings, changes in value of farm real estate, interest rates, volume of mortgages outstanding,

and ratio of debt to value of mortgaged farm properties

C. Other sources

- 1. Reports of other governmental agencies such as Agricultural Adjustment Administration and Farm Credit Administration
- 2. International Federation of Master Cotton Spinners and Secondary Manufacturers Association reports on world cotton mill statistics and consumption, by growths, semiannual

Note: See also sections on prices distribution, industrial production, employment, and commodity stocks,

XII. Distribution

A. Retail trade

1. Sales

a. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

Primary

- (1) Index of department store sales, monthly and annual, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
- (2) Monthly year-period percentage changes in department store sales, for United States and by Federal Reserve districts

(3) Weekly estimates based on small sample of department stores

(4) Retail lumber reports for the Chicago, Kansas City, and Minneapolis districts, monthly

b. Department of Commerce

Secondary

- (1) Variety stores, automobiles, and general merchandise in rural areas, monthly sales indexes, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
- (2) Retail grocery chains, monthly sales indexes, unadjusted
- (3) Retail sales in Massachusetts, monthly yearperiod percentage changes
- c. Incorporated Association of Retail Distribution, London
 - (1) Total retail foods and perishables, and other merchandise in Great Britain, monthly sales indexes

2. Stocks

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a. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

Secondary

- (1) Index of department store stocks, monthly, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation
- (2) Retail lumber reports for the Chicago, Kansas City, and Minneapolis districts, monthly
- 3. Collections and receivables
 - a. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

(1) Department stores, monthly, for regular and installment accounts, United States and by Federal Reserve districts

B. Wholesale Trade

- 1. Sales
 - a. Federal Reserve Board monthly percentage changes by Federal Reserve districts for selected lines of wholesale trade
- 2. Stocks
 - a. Federal Reserve Board percentage changes by Federal Reserve districts for selected lines of wholesale trade

Primary

Primary

C. Railroad freight traffic

1. Federal Reserve Board

Primary

- a. Indexes of carloadings, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation, monthly and annual
 - (1) Total
 - (2) 8 classes of commodities

2. Association of American Railways

Secondary

a. Total carloadings, weekly

b. 8 classes of commodities, weekly

3. Interstate Commerce Commission

Secondary

a. Carloadings, total carload freight and 5 groups, annual

b. Tons originated, total and 6 groups, annual

Note: The Federal Reserve banks compile a large amount of detailed information concerning wholesale and retail trade which is available in reports but for the most part has not been tabulated here.

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XIII. Commodity prices

A. Wholesale prices

1. Federal Reserve Board 44 commodity index

Primary

2. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Secondary

- a. Annual and monthly
 - (1) All commodity index, based on 784 commodities
 - (2) 15 group indexes
 - (3) 47 sub-group indexes
 - (4) 784 individual prices and indexes
 - (5) Prices of commodities in San Francisco district
 - b. Weekly
 - (1) All commodity index
 - (2) 15 group indexes
 - c. Daily
 - (1) Index based on 30 commodities
- 3. Department of Agriculture

Secondary

- a. Annual and monthly
 - (1) Index of prices at the farm, total and 8 group indexes, based on 47 commodities
 - (2) Index of prices paid by farmer, total
 - b. Weekly
 - (1) 7 quotations for cotton and grains
 - (2) 9 quotations for livestock and livestock products
 - c. Daily
 - (1) 9 quotations for cotton and grains
 - (2) 3 livestock quotations
- 4. Trade journals

- a. Monthly
 - (1) Index for woolen and worsted goods--International Textile Apparel Analysis
- b. Weekly
 - (1) Indexes of domestic prices published by Journal of Commerce, National Fertilizer Association, Annalist and Fisher
 - (2) Indexes for England, France, Germany, and Italy, published by Fisher
 - (3) Quotations for 37 commodities from 10 trade journals

XIII. Commodity prices (Continued)

- c. Daily
 - (1) Moody's index for 15 staple commodities
 - (2) Journal of Commerce index
 - (3) Dow-Jones index of commodity futures
 - (4) 15 spot prices from Journal of Commerce
 - (5) 9 futures quotations from Journal of Commerce
 - (6) 2 spot quotations on livestock from Drovers Journal, transmitted by telegram by Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago for Bureau of Labor Statistics

B. Retail prices

1. Bureau of Labor Statistics

Secondary

- a. Annual, semi-annual, and quarterly
 - (1) Cost of living indexes for total and 6 groups, including food, clothing, rent, fuel and light, house furnishings, and miscellaneous
- b. Bi-weekly
 - (1) Index of food prices, total and 8 groups

2. Other sources

- a. National Industrial Conference Board monthly index of cost of living, total and 5 groups, including food, housing, clothing, fuel and light, and sundries
- b. Fairchild Publication Retail Price index, monthly, total and 5 groups
- c. Department of Labor and Industries of
 Massachusetts, monthly cost of living
 index for Massachusetts

XIV. Commodity Stocks

A. Federal Reserve Board -- see section on Distribution

Primary

B. Department of Agriculture

Secondary

- 1. Grains on farms
 - a. Stocks, wheat, corn. and oats/quarterly
 - b. Stocks of wheat in country mills and elevators and in transit
 - c. Commercial stocks for 6 grains, weekly
 - d. Estimates of stocks of wheat in other countries
- 2. Cotton
 - a. Stocks in mills and warehouses, collected by Bureau of Census, monthly
 - b. Estimates of stocks in other positions in this country and other countries, compiled by several private agencies
- Meats and dairy products cold storage holdings, monthly
- 4. Livestock on farms, January 1
- C. Bureau of Mines -- stocks of minerals and mineral products, Secondary 7 series, mostly on a monthly basis
- D. Department of Commerce

Secondary

- 1. Index of world stocks of raw materials, unadjusted and adjusted for seasonal variation, monthly
 - a. Total
 - b. 9 commodities
- 2. A few scattered monthly series for individual commodities at various stages of the processes of manufacture and distribution, largely from trade sources
- 3. Certain biennial series on stocks held by manufacturers, chiefly raw materials, available in Census of Manufactures
- Note: The monthly index of domestic stocks of manufactured goods and raw materials is also available but not considered representative.
- Kuznets'

 E. National Bureau of Economic Research --/estimates of annual Secondary net changes in business inventories
- F. Other sources

- 1. Bureau of Public Roads -- registration of automobiles
- 2. General Motors Company sales of automobiles to dealers and consumers, indicating changes in dealers stock

XV. Relief

- Federal Emergency Relief Administration Data
 - 1. All types of relief except Civil Works Administration Secondary a. Number receiving emergency relief, monthly
 - (1) Persons
 - (a) Total
 - (b) By geographic regions
 - (2) Families
 - (3) Single resident persons
 - (4) Transients
 - b. Obligations incurred (approximate expenditures) for emergency relief
 - (1) Total amount
 - (a) By months
 - (b) Cumulative by months for each year
 - (2) By source of funds, amount and percent of total, monthly
 - (a) Federal
 - (b) State
 - (c) Local
 - c. Average benefits per family, monthly
 - (1) Continental United States
 - (2) Principal caties
 - (3) Remainder of country
 - 2. Emergency Relief Administration Works Program, monthly and weekly
 - a. Number of persons employed
 - b. Total earnings
 - c. Average earnings
 - 3. Civil Works Program, weekly
 - a. Number of persons employed
 - b. Total earnings
 - c. Average earnings

Secondary

INTERNATIONAL FINANCE AND BUSINESS

XVI. Gold

A. International gold movements

1. Gold imports, exports, and net imports of United States, England, France, Germany, Netherlands, Switzerland, British India, in dollars, monthly

Primary

2. Gold imports and exports of United States in dollars and England in sterling, by major countries, weekly

Secondary

3. Gold imports and exports of United States by major countries, daily

Primary

4. Daily figures showing, by individual countries, gold scheduled to be imported (futures) into the United States

Primary

B. Central gold reserves

1. Total dollar figures for 53 countries, monthly

Primary

2. Figures for 53 individual countries in their national currencies and in dollars, monthly

Primary

3. Figures for more important countries in their national currencies, weekly

Secondary

4. Analysis of changes in French reserves together with changes in reserves of Italy, Belgium,
Netherlands, and Switzerland split in case of last two countries between "at home" and "abroad", in dollars, weekly, (confidential)

Primary

C. Gold under earmark (confidential)

1. At Federal Reserve Bank of New York by individual countries

Primary

2. Changes in gold under earmark at Bank of France, weekly

Primary

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D.	Analysis of changes in United States monetary gold stock				
	 Net imports, earmarking operations, production, etc., compared with total changes in gold stock, monthly 	Primary			
	 Net imports, earmarking operations, return of scrap gold, domestic newly mined gold, and return of gold coin compared with changes in gold stock, weekly 	Primary			
E•	Gold hoarding: estimates of changes in unreported holdings of gold in the world and in India, England, France, Netherlands, Switzerland, Belgium, and Italy, monthly	Primary			
F.	Gold production: estimates of total world production and monthly figures for twelve individual countries, monthly	Primary			
G.	London bullion market				
	il. Amount of gold bought by special quarters (Bank of England) and by market, daily	Secondary			
	2. Price of gold in sterling and in dollars, daily	Secondary			
	 Comparison of London market price with Bank of France price after allowance for costs of ship- ping gold between London and Paris, daily 	Primary			
XVII. Silver					
Α.	United States imports and exports of silver, by countries, weekly	Secondary			
В.	New York price of silver, and monthly averages of daily prices, daily	Secondary			
XVIII.	Foreign exchange rates				
Α.	Noon buying rates for cable transfers in New York for 39 countries, and monthly and annual averages of these, daily	Primary			
В.	Averages of daily New York rates for sterling, weekly	Primary			
С.	Paris quotations on United States, England, Holland, Switzerland, and Belgium, daily	Secondary			

D. United States gold points for important currencies

Primary

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One-month and three-month future quotations in New York for England, France, Netherlands, Switzerland, Belgium, and Canada, daily Primary F. Activity of British Exchange Equalization Fund in francs as reported by Guaranty Trust Company, daily Primary XIX. Money markets abroad Discount rates of 40 central banks Primary Other short-term money rates Call rates: daily figures for England and Germany, and monthly averages of these for England, Germany, Primary Hungary, and Japan 2. Private discount rates: daily figures for England and Germany and monthly averages of these for England, France, Germany, Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, Italy, Hungary, Sweden, and Japan Primary 3. Rates paid on United States deposits abroad a. Daily rates at Bank for International Settlements Secondary b. Tuesday rates for commercial banks in England and France; also these rates adjusted for premium or discount on forward exchange Primary C. Security prices: monthly and annual indexes of the prices of bonds and of common stocks in England, France, Germany, Italy, and Canada Secondary XX. Central banks abroad A. Balance sheets of 45 central banks, weekly, except in some cases only semi-monthly or monthly Secondary B. Central bank and currency laws of 50 countries Primary C. Bank for International Settlements: monthly balance sheets and statutes Secondary D. Federal Reserve credits to foreign central banks Primary E. Central bank discount rates (see money markets,

above) and central gold reserves (see gold, above)

XXI. Commercial banks abroad: balance sheets of commercial banks in Canada, England, France, and Germany, monthly

Primary

XXII. Balance of international payments

A. United States, semi-annual and annual

Secondary

B. Estimates for 35 foreign countries, annual

Secondary

XXIII. International capital movements

A. Confidential figures from each Federal Reserve district showing movements between United States and rest of world, as reported by banks and brokers on Treasury forms, weekly

Primary

- 1. Short-term balances
 - a. Reports by banks showing assets and liabilities classified by countries and by items (loans, bills, Government securities, deposits, acceptance liabilities, etc.)
 - b. Reports by <u>brokers</u> showing debit and credit balances classified by countries
- 2. Security transactions: reports by <u>banks and brokers</u> showing purchases and sales of securities, classified as domestic or foreign, with operations distinguished according as to whether they are for foreign account, domestic account, or arbitrage
- 3. Total net capital movement on single card: changes in net short-term balances combined with net security transactions, shown separately for United States and for New York District, cumulated weekly since December 5, 1934; also cumulative figures of net short-term balances for United States with separate figures for movement between New York District and all foreign countries, Europe, England, France, Netherlands, Switzerland, and Germany; also cumulative figures for New York District of net security purchases, distinguishing transactions in foreign and domestic securities; also cumulative figures for changes in net credit balances with brokers, and security transactions adjusted for these changes in net credit balances.
- 4. Outstanding forward exchange contracts: reports by banks of purchases and sales classified by countries with contracts distinguished according as to whether they are with foreigners or Americans

- 5. Net foreign exchange position of banks, covering all foreign currency assets and liabilities, both long-and short-term together, by countries
- 6. Net position of New York banks in gold, silver, foreign exchange (total), and foreign exchange (short-term) as against all foreign countries as a group and England separately
- 7. Net foreign position in dollars of all foreign countries as a group and of England, France, Netherlands, and Canada separately
- 8. Purchases and sales of spot and forward exchange classified by countries, type of underlying business, and according as to whether transactions were with banks or with other customers
- B. Confidential figures from most Federal Reserve districts showing short-term foreign assets and liabilities, classified by types of account and by countries, and purchases and sales of forward foreign exchange as reported by exporters, importers, industrial, and commercial concerns on Treasury forms, monthly

Primary

C. Annual estimates of capital movements for United States and foreign countries (see balance of payments, above)

Primary

XXIV. International trade

A. Analysis of United States imports and exports of commodities, by countries and by commodities, monthly

Primary

B. Imports and exports for England, France, and Germany, monthly

Primary

XXV. Commodity prices abroad

A. Wholesale prices, monthly and annual indexes

Secondary

- 1. Total for 30 countries
- 2. By groups of commodities for 12 countries
- B. Retail food prices; monthly and annual indexes for 11 countries

Secondary

C. Cost of living; monthly and annual indexes for 14 countries

Secondary

XXVI. Production, employment and other industrial data largely available in the Monthly Bulletin of Statistics of the League of Nations and the official publications of foreign governments and central banks