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At the conclusion of the Committee's discussion of policy implementation for the weeks immediately ahead, all of the members indicated their acceptance of a directive that called for maintaining the degree of reserve pressure that had prevailed in recent weeks. The members agreed that modest increases in reserve restraint would be sought if growth in M1 appeared to be exceeding an annual rate of about 8 percent and M2 and M3 a rate of around 10 to 11 percent during the period from December to March, particularly if such monetary expansion was associated with satisfactory growth in business activity and diminishing pressures in exchange markets. The members also agreed that lesser restraint on reserve positions would be acceptable in the event of substantially slower growth in the monetary aggregates, especially against the background of sluggish growth in economic activity and continued strength of the

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U.S. International Transactions in 1984

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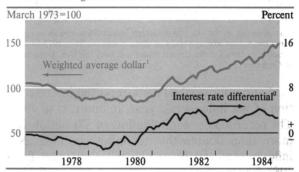
The key feature of the U.S. external accounts in 1984 was the unprecedented size of the current account deficit and the accompanying capital account surplus. These mirror imbalances occurred against a background of strong U.S. growth, large federal budget deficits, an anti-inflationary monetary policy, associated high real interest rates, and a rising exchange value of the dollar. The complex of macroeconomic factors contributed to pressures in product markets for protection to ease the burden of adjustment to international competition and, in capital markets, encouraged continued deregulation and innovation that facilitated financing of the federal budget and external deficits.

CONTRIBUTING TO LARGE IMBALANCES: INTEREST RATES AND EXCHANGE RATES

The trade-weighted average exchange value of the dollar in terms of major foreign currencies advanced 12 percent between December 1983 and December 1984, bringing the appreciation since the fourth quarter of 1980 to 68 percent.

Relatively attractive real interest rates on dollar-denominated assets and strong current and prospective growth in U.S. economic activity fostered an unprecedented demand for dollar assets with a resulting appreciation in the dollar. The general correlation between differentials in long-term real interest rates and the strength of the dollar is evident from chart 1. Yet even when differentials in real interest rates and rates of growth in economic activity between the United States and other industrial countries narrowed in mid-1984, the dollar continued to climb (charts 1 and 2). In part, strong U.S. investment, combined with the continuation of lackluster investment activity in Europe, suggested a more advantageous environment for long-run growth in

1. Foreign exchange value of the U.S. dollar and real long-term interest rate differential



1. Exchange value of the U.S. dollar is the index of its weighted average exchange value against currencies of the other Group of Ten countries plus Switzerland, using 1972-76 total trade weights.

2. Interest rates are those on long-term government or public authority bonds adjusted for the expected rate of inflation estimated by a 36-month centered moving average of actual inflation (staff estimates have been made when needed). The differential is calculated by subtracting from the U.S. rate the trade-weighted average rate for the other G-10 countries plus Switzerland.

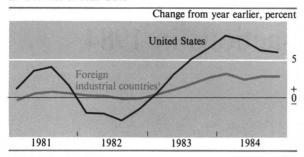
the United States. In addition, expectations of the continued strength of the dollar and a view of the United States as a safe haven contributed to the dollar's appreciation even as market fundamentals suggested a decline in its value in the future.

The U.S. net private saving rate was at a historical high in 1984, but it was insufficient to finance both net investment and continued large federal budget deficits (chart 3). The inflow of foreign savings lessened the crowding out of investment in interest-sensitive sectors such as residential construction. By the same token, the demand for U.S. assets raised the exchange value of the dollar; competitive pressures on U.S. producers of tradable goods intensified, and they were increasingly crowded out of U.S. and foreign markets.

DEREGULATION AND FINANCIAL INNOVATION: THE CAPITAL ACCOUNT

The demand for U.S. and dollar assets was higher in 1984 than in 1983, and nonbank inter-

2. Growth of real GNP



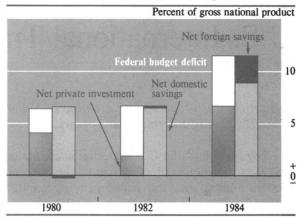
1. Average of the six major foreign industrial countries weighted using the annual average trade of these countries from 1972 to 1976. Source. Data for the United States are from the U.S. Department of Commerce.

mediation outweighed bank-reported intermediation of net inflows last year, in contrast to 1983. The recorded net capital inflow of \$71 billion was more than double the net inflow in 1983. Net inflows reported by banks fell somewhat from 1983 levels, but net foreign purchases of U.S. securities more than doubled on the strength of sizable net foreign purchases of U.S. Treasury securities.

Macroeconomic factors generated the net capital inflow; changes in the taxation and regulation of international capital flows and innovations in credit extension and exposure management facilitated the rush of foreign saving to the United States and in part determined the channels through which it entered. The U.S. government removed the withholding tax on certain interest payments to foreigners, thereby permitting U.S. corporations to issue Eurobonds directly from the United States: furthermore, the U.S. Treasury began to compete in the Eurobond market via foreign-targeted registered obligations. Innovations by private financial intermediaries reduced the costs and exchange risk of gaining access to foreign capital and also encouraged the exploitation of arbitrage opportunities that resulted from the differing pace of deregulation among countries.

Some of these intermediation techniques and innovations also affect the interpretation of capital account data. The proper attribution of flows to certain agents (for example, banks versus nonbanks) is becoming clouded, and the interest rate and currency characteristics of debt service arising from overseas sales of U.S. bonds are no longer easily identified. Unfortunately, precise

3. Demands on and sources of net savings



Federal budget deficit is reported on a national income accounts

Net private investment is the sum of business fixed investment, residential construction outlays, and the change in business inventories, less depreciation, minus a statistical discrepancy.

Net domestic savings includes personal savings, undistributed corporate profits, and state and local government surpluses.

Net foreign savings equals payments to foreigners for imports of goods and services, transfer payments, and interest paid by governments to foreigners minus receipts from foreigners for exports of goods and services.

Figures exclude depreciation, which amounted to \$403 billion in 1984; including depreciation would raise both domestic investment and domestic saving. Data for 1984 are preliminary

Source. Calculations based on data from the national income and product accounts.

clarification of the capital accounts is impossible because some agents are anonymous and some transactions are not reported under current arrangements.

Bank and Nonbank Intermediation

Associated with the new intermediation techniques was an apparent shift away from standard bank intermediation of U.S. capital inflows toward intermediation by private nonbanking entities and direct participation by the government (table 1). Net inflows reported by banks decreased somewhat in 1984, to \$20 billion, while net private foreign purchases of U.S. securities (government and corporate) grew about 75 percent, to \$39 billion. Taken by themselves, however, these magnitudes can be misleading.

In the early 1980s, U.S. banks were net providers of funds abroad. In 1983, however, banks became intermediaries for net inflows of funds and in fact accounted for two-thirds of those

Summary of U.S. international capital transactions¹

Billions of dollars, + = net inflow

Item	1982	1983	1984
Private capital, net	-16	33	77
Bank-reported	-45 14	24 14	20 34
U.S. net purchase of foreign securities Foreign net purchase of U.S.	-8	-8	-5
corporate securities ² Foreign net purchase of U.S.	15	13	17
Treasury obligations Other nonbank, net Direct investment, net ²	7 4 11	9 -7 2	22 11 11
Official capital, net	-8	-1	-6
Total reported capital flows, net	-23	33	71
Statistical discrepancy	33	9	30
Current account balance	-9	-42	-102

- 1. Components may not add to totals because of rounding.
- 2. Through the third quarter of 1984, inflows from finance affiliates of U.S. companies in the Netherlands Antilles have been excluded from direct investment outflows and added to net foreign purchases of U.S. securities because they are largely the result of Eurobond sales.

SOURCE. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

inflows. In 1984, the dollar volume of recorded bank inflows did not increase significantly, so that only about one-quarter of the net private capital inflow was attributed to banks.

Factors contributing to the decline in the share of bank intermediation included the temporary chilling of the Euro-interbank market brought on by the Continental Illinois Bank crisis, strong domestic credit demands, continuing concern over bank exposure to developing countries, and pressures on banks from both investors and regulators to increase bank capital, especially in relation to assets. The Continental Illinois Bank problem led to a reduction in bank liabilities to foreigners; credit demands and the concern over bank exposure contributed to a reduction in claims on foreigners; and pressure to improve bank capital fostered a desire to restrain both domestic and foreign lending.

The perceived need to augment capital also contributed to an unprecedented bank presence in the Eurobond market and encouraged banks to develop new forms of intermediation that produce income while conserving capital. U.S. banks or bank holding companies issued about \$3 billion in so-called mandatory convertible securi-

ties in the Eurobond market in 1984. Under the current guidelines of U.S. regulators, such securities can be counted as bank capital, although up to only a limited percentage of primary capital. Some of the intermediation techniques further leverage existing capital by increasing fee income and by creating off-balance-sheet, instead of on-balance-sheet, extensions of credit or exposures. As securities, the mandatory convertible notes are recorded in the capital account data as inflows outside banking channels. Likewise, off-balance-sheet credit extensions do not appear as bank-reported transactions in the capital account. Thus the capital account data for 1984 probably underestimates the role of banks in intermediating net capital inflows.

Further bolstering the importance of securities transactions in the 1984 capital account was \$22 billion of net foreign purchases of U.S. government securities (table 1), which accounted for nearly one-third of total net private capital inflows. Net sales to the private sector of \$190 billion of domestic Treasury securities helped finance the federal budget deficit in 1984, and about 14 percent was purchased by foreigners. In addition, the U.S. Treasury issued \$2 billion of foreign-targeted registered obligations (FTROs) directly into the Eurobond market. The FTRO was a novel effort by the U.S. Treasury to tap foreign savings and obtain a better price than that on its domestic registered debt. However, after initially selling at prices above domestic Treasury securities, the FTROs now trade in the secondary market at about the same yield as comparable domestic issues.

The \$17 billion in net private foreign purchases of securities issued by U.S. corporations (both banks and nonbanks) was fueled by \$23 billion of newly issued U.S. corporate Eurobonds, compared with \$7 billion issued in 1983. Many U.S. corporations find it attractive to issue Eurobonds because the overseas market apparently will pay relatively more for the generally high-quality credits and the intermediate-term, bearer form supplied by U.S. firms. The characteristics of these bonds determine, in part, the nature of U.S. net capital inflows and of the debt-service payment recorded in the nontrade current account. About 20 percent of the dollar volume of new U.S. corporate Eurobonds issued in 1984

was in floating-rate notes, so called because the interest rate on the bond changes with its underlying reference rate (for example, the London interbank offered rate or Treasury bill rates); in 1981 the floating-rate share was 8 percent. About 14 percent of the total 1984 volume was denominated in foreign currency, up from 12 percent in 1981. The nondollar denomination may imply financing of the current account deficit with some foreign currency, and a payment stream with a floating interest rate or in a foreign currency would affect the future volatility of the service account.

Swaps

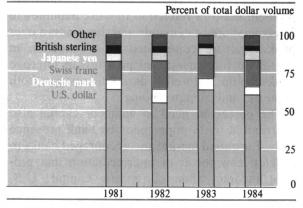
Debt-service payments recorded in the external accounts are based on publicized terms of Eurobond issues, but because of the now-widespread use of swap transactions, it is no longer proper to infer from such sources the characteristics of actual debt-service payments. A swap transaction contractually transforms the interest rate or the currency of the payment stream associated with a bond, or both. Although the swap does not change the magnitude of the capital flow recorded in the external accounts, it can alter the apparent interest rate and currency exposure associated with that capital flow. For example, when a U.S. corporate bond with a floating rate and denominated in dollars is sold to a foreigner, the issuer undertakes an obligation to make payments in dollars at a floating rate of interest. The swap, arranged for a fee by a financial intermediary, transforms the original payment stream into, say, a fixed-rate yen obligation. The U.S. service account will continue to record a floating-rate dollar payment even though the U.S. corporation's actual payment over the life of the bond is at a fixed rate and in yen. The difference between the recorded payment and the actual payment will likely appear in the statistical discrepancy.

The motivation for entering into swap arrangements varies. One motive might be to manage balance-sheet exposures such as the variability of a corporation's asset returns and liability payments or the foreign currency risk associated with the nature or the country of business.

Another motive might be to exploit the preferential terms of access that a borrower has with respect to a pool of funds without accepting exposure to an interest rate or currency that is not appropriate to the borrower's balance sheet. Preferential access might exist because of the novelty of the debt issue, sociocultural similarities between investors and borrowers, or regulations. The swap provides the means for the borrower to take advantage of the preferential terms and still obtain a payment contract with the desired attributes. Presumably, the other party to the swap obtains an interest-payment stream matching its own desired attributes and can also claim part of the benefits associated with the preferential access. The swap therefore provides opportunities that may make available for international intermediation funds that were previously too costly.

One additional consequence of the new intermediation techniques is diversification away from the dollar as a denominating currency for Eurobonds. The pool of nondollar bonds is growing, as suggested by chart 4, which shows the sizable portion of new bond issues denominated in foreign currencies. Combined with cross-currency swaps, this development suggests an increase in the liquidity of foreign currency investments. If investors have financial options with greater currency diversity but equal liquidity and risk management opportunities, their desired portfolio shares of assets denominated in dollars may fall, and pressure on the dollar may abate.

4. New issues of Eurobonds, by currency



Source. Salomon Brothers Inc.

Response by Foreign Governments

The counterpart of the recorded U.S. net capital inflow was a substantial net capital outflow from Europe and Japan. Some foreign governments were concerned that, because of their magnitude, the net capital outflows could prove inflationary by weakening their currencies and could inhibit investment by raising domestic interest rates. After the United States eliminated the withholding tax, West Germany and France also eliminated their withholding taxes on foreign purchases of some domestic bonds so as to reduce capital flows motivated solely by the tax differentials. Japan, too, recently removed its withholding tax on foreign purchases of Euroyen bonds issued by Japanese corporations. In addition, some central banks acted to keep interest rates higher than they otherwise would have been in order to reduce the differential in real interest rates favoring instruments denominated in dollars.

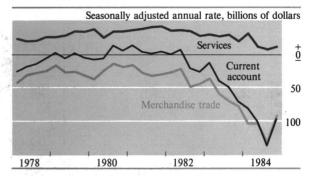
However, the net result of efforts by foreign governments to stem capital flows and currency depreciation through deregulation and changes in market interest rates has been unclear. Without question, the dollar continued to climb on the strength of investor demand for dollar assets. Apparently, the changes abroad did not significantly affect the market's expectations about the U.S. economy, U.S. monetary policy, or the dollar's value.

PROTECTIONIST PUSH: THE MERCHANDISE TRADE BALANCE

Coincident with the 1984 increase in net capital inflow and the demand for dollar assets was the slide of the merchandise trade balance to an unprecedented deficit. In response, the United States took some protectionist measures, and pressure for stronger action persists. An analysis of merchandise exports and imports by geographical area, however, suggests that protection, by weakening the links between trade and growth, can be detrimental to the United States itself as well as to its trading partners, particularly the developing countries.

In 1984, the merchandise trade deficit was \$107 billion, \$46 billion greater than in 1983 and

5. U.S. external balances



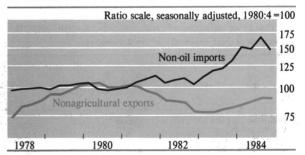
Source, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

more than \$80 billion greater than in 1980 (table 2; chart 5). The value of U.S. exports rebounded by 10 percent in 1984 after two years of decline, while the value of U.S. imports surged 25 percent.

The volume of nonagricultural exports posted a healthy 11 percent rate of growth, largely in industrial supplies and materials and in capital goods, as economic recovery in Western Europe and Latin America began to take hold. The response of export volume to foreign growth was only partially offset by the strong dollar. Even so, volume remained well below the level of 1980 (chart 6). In addition, export prices rose little (chart 7) for two reasons: the dollar's appreciation restrained the rise in the cost of intermediate inputs into the production process, and U.S. firms squeezed profit margins in an effort to offset the effects of the appreciation on their prices as expressed in foreign currencies.

Continuing U.S. expansion and the strength of the dollar generated an increase in non-oil import

6. Volume of U.S. merchandise trade



Source. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

2. U.S. merchandise trade

Billions of dollars, seasonally adjusted annual rate

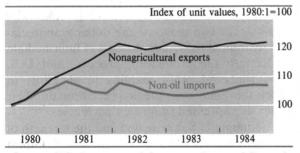
	Exports						
Period	Total	Agri- cultural	Nonagri- cultural	Total	Oil	Non-oil	Trade balance
1981	237.1	44.0	193.1	265.1	77.8	187.3	-28.0
1982	211.2	37.2	174.0	247.7	61.3	186.4	-36.5
1983	200.3	36.6	163.6	261.3	53.8	207.5	-61.1
1984	220.3	38.4	181.9	327.8	57.3	270.5	-107.4
1984:1	215.7	41.4	174.3	318.9	55.4	263.5	-103.3
	218.2	37.2	180.9	321.4	59.6	261.8	-103.2
	222.5	36.3	186.2	354.2	57.8	296.4	-131.8
	225.0	38.7	186.3	316.6	56.4	260.2	-91.5

Source, U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

volume of 27 percent in 1984 (chart 6). An examination of the large flows of imports by sector (table 3) shows that the share of capital goods and industrial supplies in non-oil imports was stable during 1984 and supported the domestic investment boom. The impressive surge of non-oil imports around midyear (shown in table 2) developed from a combination of events: the steep appreciation of the dollar during the previous six months (which may have generated an expectation that it would soon reverse its

course); the strong growth of economic activity in the previous six months; and inventory hoarding, perhaps in expectation of protectionist pressures. The increase in the unit value index for non-oil imports was moderated by the dollar's climb (chart 7), although the rise of about 3 percent suggests that importers may have chosen to improve profit margins instead of passing through to U.S. prices the full extent of the depreciation of their currency.

7. Prices in U.S. international trade



Source. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Regional Analysis

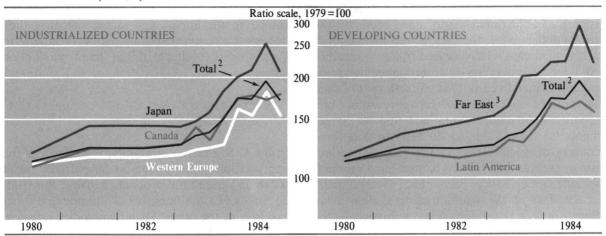
A disaggregation by region of U.S. exports other than agricultural products and U.S. non-oil imports indicates the importance of linkages between trade and growth both in the United States and in other countries, particularly developing countries. Chart 8 displays an analysis of non-oil imports by geographical area that shows how the U.S. expansion was transmitted internationally. The regions responsible for the most significant growth in U.S. non-oil imports in 1984, with

Shares of selected sectors in U.S. non-oil imports Percent of total, seasonally adjusted annual rate

			1984				
Sector	1980	1982	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter	
Industrial supplies and materials (non-oil)	30.4	25.9	24.6	24.6	23.5	23.9	
	18.3	20.8	21.8	21.5	23.5	22.1	
Total	48.7	46.7	46.4	46.1	47.0	46.0	
	20.7	21.7	22.9	22.0	22.2	22.3	
	30.6	31.6	30.7	31.9	30.8	31.7	

Source. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

8. U.S. non-oil imports, by area ¹



- Data for 1980-82 are annual. Data for 1983-84 are quarterly at seasonally adjusted annual rate.
 - 2. Total U.S. non-oil imports from all countries.

rates greater than the overall average of 30 percent, were Japan, four newly industrializing countries in the Far East, and Western Europe. However, the United States also imported 25 percent more from Latin America in 1984 than in 1983. The data suggest that the United States contributed to export-led growth in developed and newly industrializing countries and that trade expansion aided the growth and debt-servicing ability of Latin American countries.

As for U.S. nonagricultural exports, the largest increases during the last year were to developing countries (chart 9). Shipments to Latin America rose more than 30 percent as economic activity in several major countries re-

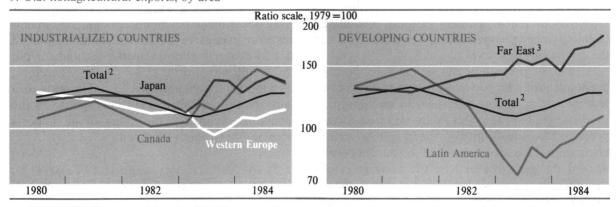
3. Hong Kong, Korea, Singapore, and Taiwan. SOURCE. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

sumed growth, stimulated in part by increased exports to the United States. The exports provided the foreign exchange earnings needed for purchases of U.S. products. Growth in U.S. nonagricultural exports to the industrial countries was less robust (except in the case of Canada).

Protection

The large U.S. merchandise trade deficit stirred demands for sectoral protection, and perceptions of "unfair" foreign competition and "distorted" exchange rates encouraged calls for action against imports in general. Certain industries





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- 2. Total U.S. nonagricultural exports to all countries.
- 3. Hong Kong, Korea, Singapore, and Taiwan. SOURCE. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

sought to stem the erosion of domestic and international market shares and to relieve the strains of adjustment made more acute by the strong dollar. While the U.S. government continued to advocate relatively free trade, it negotiated bilateral voluntary-restraint agreements on steel; obtained in early 1984 a fourth year of such agreements on exports of Japanese autos; and reinforced bilateral textile and apparel agreements by using value-added tests to determine country of origin. The trend toward protectionism in general, and toward bilateral and productspecific agreements in particular, is symptomatic of the drift of the world trading system away from the free trade principles embodied in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

The developing countries are increasingly important U.S. trade partners. Some U.S. industries enjoying renewed protection are ones in which the developing countries have relatively lower costs of production; in some countries, officially encouraged strategies to promote exports have recently borne fruit only to find major international markets closed or closing. The current proliferation of bilateral agreements demonstrates their virulence; because the agreements freeze world import shares, the United States is unable to benefit from shifts in productive efficiencies among its trading partners.

Arguments for protection often stress the need to ease the transition of declining industries or to allow time for reinvestment in industries whose problems are more ones of structure than of inherent uncompetitiveness. Such arguments are invalid from an economic standpoint because market forces would yield a more efficient outcome. However, such arguments do gain force as the costs of the adjustment process, including unemployment compensation, are passed on to the public through taxes.

A case for protection can be made on purely economic grounds, however. For some firms in a few industries, the loss in sales to an imported product could induce sales losses on other goods produced by the firm, and the resulting inefficiencies in the use of productive resources could exceed the gains realized by the consumers of the cheaper imports. Broadly speaking, these inefficiencies may occur in firms that produce several kinds of similar goods with the same equipment. As sales of one type of good are lost

to a competitor with lower costs, sales of the other goods suffer, in part because they too are similar to the import and in part because they become more expensive by virtue of having to bear a greater share of the fixed production costs.

ROLE OF THE EXCHANGE RATE: OIL AND AGRICULTURE

In the U.S. external accounts, the effects of the appreciation of the dollar on oil partially offset those on agricultural products because the United States is a net importer of the one and a net exporter of the other. High commodity prices in the 1970s and early 1980s encouraged significant expansion of agricultural production both in the United States and abroad. Although dollar prices of agricultural exports fell in 1984, international demand for U.S. agricultural exports was severely depressed by the strong dollar: when measured in foreign currency, prices of U.S. agricultural products actually rose over the last several years. Domestic price support policies also played a part in making U.S. agriculture uncompetitive. Agricultural export volume stagnated, growing less than 1 percent; and the value of these exports plummeted in midyear, recovering only at year-end for a gain of 4 percent in 1984.

The significant increases in the price of oil over the last decade encouraged exploration and reclamation, thereby expanding the world supply of oil and reducing the proportion of the world supply produced by members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries. At the same time, consumers responded by conserving oil and substituting other energy sources. A rising dollar made payments denominated in dollars more expensive for foreign countries and led to a further reduction in world demand for oil. The result was a drop in oil prices. Therefore, even though the volume of U.S. oil imports rose more than 8 percent in 1984 in response to the economic expansion, the value of oil imports increased only about 6 percent.

U.S. International Creditor Position and the Nontrade Current Account

Large current account deficits in 1983 and 1984 significantly eroded the U.S. position as a net

4.	International	investment	position	of the	United	States ¹
-	Billions of dollar	rs	14			

	N	Net recorded international investment position				Recorded position plus
Year-end	Total, net	Net direct investment	Other recorded portfolio, net	Gold, SDRs, and IMF	unrecorded transactions ²	cumulative unrecorded transactions ³
1981 1982 1983 1984*	143.1 149.5 106.0 35	122.2 99.6 92.6 80	.6 26.2 -14.1 -75	20.3 23.7 27.5 30	-78.1 -111.1 -120.4 -150	65.0 38.5 -14.4 -115

^{1.} Positive figures denote U.S. investment abroad; negative figures indicate foreign investment in the United States. All data except those for 1984 include estimates for gains or losses on assets denominated in foreign currency due to their revaluation at current exchange rates, as well as estimates for price changes in stocks, bonds, or other assets. Other adjustments to the value of assets relate to changes in coverage, statistical discrepancies, and the like.

2. This item is the statistical discrepancy from the U.S. international transactions account, which is cumulated beginning in 1959 with a base of zero. A positive discrepancy in the international transactions

account appears here with a negative sign, on the assumption that it represents a net accumulation of claims by foreigners.

3. This item is equivalent to the cumulative U.S. current account position plus valuation adjustments (note 1).

SOURCES. 1981–83, net recorded position—Survey of Current Business, vol. 64 (August 1984), p. 40; 1981–83, other data—U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis. All data for 1984 are estimates by Federal Reserve staff. Estimates do not include valuation adjustments (note 1), which would likely reduce the estimate of the net total (the first column) still further.

creditor (table 4). The bulk of the reduction in the overall U.S. net investment position occurred in portfolio investments, a development that reflects the importance of securities transactions in U.S. net capital inflows discussed earlier.

The true size of the U.S. net investment position continued to be clouded by the serious measurement problems represented by the cumulated statistical discrepancy (table 4, column 5), which increased by \$30 billion in 1984. The discrepancy arises from incomplete or inaccurate reporting of trade and capital flows; for 1984 the increase probably represented in large part unreported capital inflows. If the statistical discrepancy recorded in 1984 was entirely in portfolio investments, the United States now may be very nearly a net debtor.

Other U.S. nontrade current account transactions¹ Billions of dollars, seasonally adjusted annual rate

Account	1981	1982	1983	1984
Total, nontrade current account	34.3	27.3	19.5	5.8
Service transactions, net	41.1	35.3	28.1	17.0
Net investment income	34.1	27.8	23.5	18.1
Net direct investment				
income	25.5	18.1	14.0	12.4
Other, net	8.6	9.7	9.5	5.8
Net military	-1.1	.2	.5	-1.6
Other services, net	8.2	7.3	4.1	.5
Unilateral transfers	-6.8	-8.1	-8.6	-11.2
Private transfers	9	-1.2	-1.0	-1.4
U.S. government grants and				
pensions	-5.9	-6.9	-7.6	-9.8

 Components may not add to totals because of rounding. SOURCE. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis. The eroding U.S. net investment position was one of the reasons for the sharp decline in net service receipts since 1981 (table 5). In addition, U.S. direct investors abroad suffered large unrealized capital losses as their assets denominated in foreign currencies were revalued at rising dollar exchange rates. Net receipts from service transactions other than investment income also declined substantially, largely because payments rose for such services as transportation and travel.

OUTLOOK: IMPLICATIONS FOR ECONOMIC POLICY

The year 1984 saw the constellation of historically high federal budget deficits, strong U.S. growth and investment, and foreign enthusiasm for U.S. assets. By increasing U.S. absorption of world savings, these macroeconomic factors produced high real interest rates and a high exchange value of the dollar. The combined demand and price effects led to an enormous merchandise trade deficit and produced the related capital inflow.

The high dollar priced many U.S. tradable goods out of international markets and encouraged a flood of imports into the domestic goods market. Both developments generated pressures for sectoral protection and for greater shielding of the U.S. market against all imports. It is to be

hoped that protection will be limited or avoided altogether, because it causes worldwide misallocation of resources. In addition, protection can only delay, not prevent, needed industrial adjustment. Moreover, if it succeeds in reducing the trade deficit, protection will yield a smaller net capital inflow, relatively higher domestic interest rates, and perhaps a reduced rate of domestic investment and growth in economic activity.

In the longer run, the microeconomic forces resulting from financial innovation and deregulation may either augment or attenuate the strengthening of the dollar. Financial innovation can increase competition for dollar assets by encouraging wider participation in financial markets; the result would be increased upward pressure on the dollar's exchange value. But financial innovation can also increase the availability and liquidity of foreign currency assets, which could cause investors to shift away from the dollar in the currency composition of their portfolios and reduce upward pressure on the dollar's value. In any event, financial innovation and deregulation of domestic and international capital markets facilitated the strong net inflow of foreign savings in 1984. By helping finance the federal budget deficit and the external deficit, the capital inflow lowered the cost and expanded the availability of funds for U.S. investment, with particular benefits for interest-sensitive and nontraded goods industries.

Finally, the combined forces of financial innovation and protection, together with the macroeconomic environment of 1984, have implications for the successful resolution of the international debt situation. Financial innovation has increased the access of higher-quality borrowers to the pool of world savings, possibly to the detriment of developing countries with debt problems. U.S. protection could reduce the export earnings of the developing countries, thereby altering their investment choices, reducing their income growth, and restricting their future ability to service debt. High interest rates and an appreciating dollar do more immediate damage by increasing the local currency costs of servicing debt.

Current account deficits and capital account surpluses go hand in hand, as do the hardships and the benefits of each. Simultaneous shrinkage in the one and enlargement of the other are inherently contradictory: the two accounts must move in tandem. Moreover, one country's surplus in its capital account is the collective capital account deficit of the rest of the world. Thus, until the deficit in the U.S. current account is eliminated, residents of other countries will be net lenders to the United States, notwithstanding foreign official efforts to curb financial outflows.

The forces and conflicts discussed here—the high dollar and relatively high interest rates, the current account deficit and capital account surplus in the United States and matching imbalances elsewhere, the attendant pressures for protection on the one hand and encouragement of innovation and deregulation in financial markets on the other—all will continue until the federal budget deficit is controlled and the economic recovery in the rest of the world catches up to that of the United States.

Treasury and Federal Reserve Foreign Exchange Operations

This 46th joint report reflects the Treasury-Federal Reserve policy of making available additional information on foreign exchange operations from time to time. The Federal Reserve Bank of New York acts as agent for both the Treasury and the Federal Open Market Committee of the Federal Reserve System in the conduct of foreign exchange operations.

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During the six months ended in January, the dollar rose to its highest levels of the floating-rate period against the German mark and to record levels against the British pound and most other European currencies. The dollar's advance largely occurred in two steps—first around mid-September and again from early November to mid-January. In all, the dollar rose some 8 percent against the currencies of continental Europe and 15 percent against the pound sterling. It advanced a substantially smaller $3\frac{1}{2}$ percent against the Japanese yen and about 1 percent in terms of the Canadian dollar. In trade-weighted terms the dollar rose some 8 percent over the sixmonth period.

The dollar continued to rise despite a shift in the prospects for the U.S. economy and for U.S. interest rates, which began to occur in the summer. For the past couple of years, the dollar's strong performance had been associated with exceptionally vigorous U.S. economic growth, in contrast to slower recoveries elsewhere. Relatively high U.S. interest rates had also been viewed as supporting the dollar. But indications emerged in August that the U.S. expansion was slowing in the third quarter, while economic activity abroad was picking up. Private economic forecasters tended to scale back their projections of U.S. output gains for late 1984; some even speculated that the United States might experience a growth recession in the coming quarters. At the same time, long-term U.S. interest rates were progressively declining. By early autumn, evidence accumulated that the narrowly defined monetary aggregate was no longer expanding and short-term interest rates began to fall back. By late January, interest rates on long-term U.S. government bonds had eased 11/2 percentage

Federal Reserve reciprocal currency arrangements Millions of dollars

Institution	Amount of facility, January 31, 1985
Austrian National Bank National Bank of Belgium Bank of Canada National Bank of Denmark Bank of England Bank of France German Federal Bank Bank of Italy Bank of Japan Bank of Mexico Netherlands Bank Bank of Norway Bank of Sweden Swiss National Bank	250 1,000 2,000 250 3,000 2,000 6,000 3,000 5,000 700 500 250 300 4,000
Bank for International Settlements: Swiss francs/dollars Other authorized European currency/dollars Total	600 1,250 30,100

 Net profits or losses (-) on U.S. Treasury and Federal Reserve current foreign exchange operations¹

Millions of dollars

Period	Federal Reserve	U.S. Treasury Exchange Stabilization Fund
1984:1 1984:2 1984:3 1984:4 January 1985	-17.7 0 0 0	-21.4 0 0 0
Valuation profits and losses on outstanding assets and liabilities as of January 31, 1985 ²	-1,380.7	-900.6

1. Data are on a value-date basis.

points. Short-term interest rates had dropped even more, the decline accompanied by two cuts of ½ percentage point in the Federal Reserve's discount rate to 8 percent. For the period as a whole, the rate for three-month Eurodollar deposits had declined more than 3 percentage points, and interest differentials vis-à-vis the German mark, for example, though still favorable to the dollar, had been cut just about in half.

Under these circumstances, expectations developed that the dollar would weaken during the latter part of 1984, but these expectations failed to materialize. Each time the dollar started to move lower, it quickly recovered. The dollar was buoyed by an easing of inflationary fears in the United States that implied U.S. real interest rates were still attractive, even at lower nominal levels. Forecasts that price pressures would reappear, made when the U.S. expansion was stronger early in 1984, had not been borne out. Inflation continued moderate, and confidence grew that the U.S. economy might experience reasonable price stability for some time. This confidence gained support from continued declines in world commodity prices, most particularly crude petroleum.

The strength of the dollar reflected as well a continuing preference on the part of both residents and nonresidents to invest in dollar-denominated assets. Since the last recession, econominated assets.

nomic growth was considerably greater in the United States than in most other industrialized countries, many of which were still facing nearrecord levels of unemployment. The United States and its currency continued to be well regarded on grounds of relative political stability. The flexibility of its labor and product markets compared favorably with those of other countries, some of which had been experiencing unusually protracted labor disputes. The weakness of precious metals and other commodity prices tended to underline the attractiveness of financial assets in general and of dollar assets in particular. Investors, still reacting to the credit problems of recent years, attempted to be more selective. They tended to place a greater premium on security in making investment decisions, and the dollar provided an outlet for many of these investments. Portfolio managers as well remained attracted to dollar markets. These markets seemed to provide the flexibility needed to adjust investment strategies quickly in the face of shifting interest rate expectations, and the liquidity to cover the currency exposure if the dollar should drop.

Thus, capital inflows continued to be attracted to the United States at a pace greater than needed to finance a large current account deficit at prevailing exchange rates. During the third quarter, heavy inflows came through the banking sector, as banks in the United States pulled back funds previously placed in the Eurodollar market. As inflationary expectations in the United States continued to moderate, as long-term interest rates fell, and as expectations of a decline in the dollar faded, a larger portion of the inflows subsequently took the form of portfolio investments in dollar-denominated securities. In November and December, the U.S bond market in particular attracted attention at least partly because of relatively attractive yields and prospects for capital appreciation.

As these developments unfolded during the six months, market participants focused on the economic consequences and the possible policy implications of the dollar's continued advance. For the United States, while a strong currency helped to moderate price pressures at a time of vigorous economic growth, it imposed major strains on the U.S. competitive position. The

^{2.} Valuation gains and losses represent the increase or decrease in the dollar value of outstanding currency assets and liabilities, using end-of-period exchange rates as compared with rates of acquisition. The valuation losses reflect the dollar's appreciation since foreign currencies were acquired.

current account deficit was building up close to \$100 billion, largely as the result of sharp increases in imports of consumer and investment goods. For other countries, market participants noted the competitive boost being given to their exports, the leading source of stimulus to otherwise relatively modest economic recoveries. But they believed the authorities would prefer a broader-based recovery and, therefore, would seek to keep interest rates as low as possible, particularly since inflationary expectations were subdued.

Thus, market participants concluded that the authorities would be reluctant to use monetary policy to resist the dollar's rise. For a time early in the period, dealers were skeptical that even intervention would be used. But market sensitivity to intervention increased, after the Bundesbank sold dollars aggressively in the exchange market late in September, in the first of several, highly visible operations. The U.S. authorities, having intervened on one occasion earlier that month, again entered the market on four days following the Bundesbank's late-September operation. Central banks of some other countries also intervened to sell dollars during late September and early October. Later in the period, when the dollar resumed its advance, market professionals again expected the authorities would try to moderate the move with intervention. Expectations of central bank resistance, along with the intervention operations that actually took place, for a time kept the dollar's rise in check.

By the turn of the year, the outlook for the U.S. economy was progressively improving. Published data revealed quicker growth in the fourth quarter for the United States than had been anticipated. Also, an accelerating expansion of monetary aggregates late in the year was seen as narrowing the scope for any further easing of U.S. monetary policy. Economic performance in several European countries, though also improving, was still viewed by market professionals as not so vigorous as to require greater monetary restraint. As sentiment toward the dollar became even more bullish early in January, the dollar's rise against all currencies gained increasing momentum. The market noted the dollar's approach to levels against the German mark at which the Bundesbank had been seen intervening several months before, as well as intense selling pressure against the British pound. In a few European countries, domestic interest rates were tending to firm in response to concerns that the dollar's continued rise would eventually be reflected in increased domestic inflation.

With the approach of a scheduled meeting of G-5 finance ministers and central bank governors, market professionals anticipated that this might be an occasion for monetary authorities to plan a large and concerted exchange market operation. The officials discussed a range of international economic and financial issues. In their announcement of January 17, they reaffirmed their commitments to promote a convergence of economic performance and stressed the importance of removing structural rigidities in their economies. They also reaffirmed the May 1983 Williamsburg agreement to undertake coordinated intervention as necessary.

After the G-5 meeting, visible foreign exchange market operations were in fact undertaken by several countries. Most central banks in Europe and the Bank of Japan operated on occasion to sell dollars during the rest of January. The U.S. authorities, in coordination with the others, also intervened on two occasions late in January to sell dollars against marks.

These operations reinforced market perceptions that the central banks were more willing to intervene than before. At the end of the month, however, market participants were still uncertain of the extent to which the authorities were prepared to intervene and of the circumstances in which the central banks would judge intervention to be appropriate or helpful. Dealers remained impressed by the steady stream of commercial and investment-related orders for dollars coming into the market. Under these circumstances the dollar steadied but did not fall back appreciably from mid-January levels.

In summary, during the six months under review, the U.S. authorities intervened in the exchange markets on seven occasions, selling dollars and buying marks in each instance. They bought \$50 million equivalent of marks on one day early in September, \$229 million on four occasions between September 24 and October 17, and \$94 million on two days late in January.

The total, \$373 million equivalent of marks, was shared equally between the U.S. Treasury and the Federal Reserve.

In other operations, the Treasury Department announced on October 12 that it had joined with the Bank of Japan and the Bank of Korea in arrangements to provide short-term financing to the Central Bank of the Philippines, totaling \$80 million in support of the Philippine economic adjustment program, which had been agreed upon with the management of the International Monetary Fund (IMF). The Treasury, through the Exchange Stabilization Fund (ESF), agreed to provide \$45 million; the Bank of Japan, \$30 million; and the Bank of Korea, \$5 million. The full amount of the facility was drawn on November 7. The drawing occurred after the Managing Director of the IMF confirmed that the IMF had received assurances of the availability of adequate financing in support of the Philippine economic adjustment program and that he had formally submitted the Philippine request for a standby arrangement to the Fund's Executive Board. The drawings were repaid on December 28, after the Philippines drew on its standby arrangement with the Fund.

On December 3, the U.S. Treasury agreed to provide a \$500 million swap facility to the Central Bank of the Argentine Republic as bridging credit in support of the Argentine economic adjustment program, which had been agreed upon with the IMF. The full \$500 million was drawn on December 28. On that day the IMF Managing Director indicated that the IMF had assurances of adequate financing from commercial banks in support of the Argentine government's economic program. Argentina's requests to draw on a standby arrangement and on the Compensatory Financing Facility (CFF) were

then approved by the Fund's Executive Board. The drawing was repaid in the amounts of \$270 million on January 3, 1985, and \$230 million on January 15, 1985, after the Argentine government's drawings from the IMF under the CFF and its standby arrangement respectively.

The Federal Reserve and the ESF invest foreign currency balances acquired in the market as a result of their foreign exchange operations in a variety of instruments that yield market-related rates of return and that have a high degree of quality and liquidity. Under the authority provided by the Monetary Control Act of 1980, the Federal Reserve had invested \$870.1 million of its foreign currency holdings in securities issued by foreign governments as of January 31. In addition, the Treasury held the equivalent of \$1,573.8 million in such securities as of the end of January.

GERMAN MARK

During the period under review, the mark fell 8.5 percent against the strongly rising dollar and eased relative to all other major currencies except sterling, ending the period near the bottom of the European Monetary System (EMS). The mark's decline against the dollar was interrupted only temporarily—between late September and early November.

At the start of the period, international investors' attention was deflected to dollar-denominated securities. A rally in the U.S. bond market had just gotten under way. A much talked-about elimination of the U.S. withholding tax on interest payments to nonresidents was finally approaching. And talk spread that the U.S. Treasury would soon issue securities targeted

3. Drawings and repayments by foreign central banks under special swap arrangements with the U.S. Treasury

Millions of dollars; drawings or repayments (-)

Drawings on the U.S. Treasury	1984:3	1984:4	January 1985	Outstanding January 31, 1985
Central Bank of the Philippines	0	$\left\{\begin{array}{c} 45 \\ -45 \end{array}\right\}$	0	0
Central Bank of the Argentine Republic	0	500	$\left\{\begin{array}{c} -230 \\ -270 \end{array}\right\}$	0

Note. Data are on a value-date basis.

especially for foreign investors. Meanwhile, the mark continued to suffer from comparison between the recoveries in Germany and in the United States. Under these circumstances, the mark was trading at DM2.9170, near the elevenand-one-half-year lows against the dollar early in August. Its margin over other currencies within the EMS had also been significantly reduced.

After trading steadily in seasonally thin markets for several weeks, the mark again began to decline as the dollar rose early in September. As the mark's fall progressed, market participants questioned whether the German authorities would act to stop the decline. The economic justification for doing so was unclear. Additional stimulus to Germany's export sector—already the driving force to economic recovery—was seen in the market as a welcome boost to the economy and a spur to employment. Meanwhile, depreciation was not generating any evident pickup in inflationary pressures, partly because of the weakness of world commodity prices. Moreover, market participants were unsure what policy tool the authorities might use if they chose to act against the mark's decline. The Bundesbank had emphasized before, when the mark was also declining against the dollar, that it did not intend to tighten monetary policy. As for official intervention, remarks of Bundesbank officials pointed to its limited effectiveness in resisting fundamental market trends.

In fact, the Bundesbank had been intervening regularly at the Frankfurt fixings and on occasion at other times in the open market. These operations, at least during August, just about offset interest earnings and other inflows into reserves of Germany, so that the foreign exchange reserves showed little net change from the \$38 billion level at the end of July. When the dollar's rise accelerated, pulling the mark rate down to DM3.1765, the Bundesbank intervened more aggressively. Its actions, followed by other European central banks, helped the mark to bounce back up immediately. For several days thereafter, market participants were extremely wary of possible further dollar sales by the Bundesbank, and rumors of other large operations circulated widely. For the month of September, Germany's foreign exchange reserves fell \$2.7 billion.

The U.S. authorities had purchased \$50 mil-

lion equivalent of marks on one occasion early in September. After the Bundesbank's action of September 21, they purchased a total of \$135 million equivalent of marks during three days from late September to early October to counter disorderly markets. These purchases were shared equally between the Federal Reserve and the Treasury.

Immediately after the central bank interventions, the mark traded generally between DM3.00 and DM3.10. In early October, the mark received a further lift when the cabinet announced repeal of Germany's 25 percent withholding tax on German securities held by nonresidents, retroactively to August 1, sparking renewed foreign interest in German bonds. But soon thereafter, the mark began to drift lower against the dollar and to a lesser extent against most other currencies. In mid-October, when the mark was approaching the lows of September and trading at DM3.1575, the Bundesbank again intervened. The U.S. authorities also bought \$95 million equivalent of marks on one occasion to counter a renewed outbreak of disorderly market conditions.

The mark then rallied. Market participants had become impressed that the Bundesbank and others were resisting the generalized rise of the dollar. Furthermore, the economic environment appeared to have shifted in Germany's favor since midsummer. Statistics were released indicating that the economy had revived strongly during the summer. Exports continued to be the principal boost to output and earnings. But for the first time the export boom appeared to be spilling over to other sectors, as reflected in increased domestic new orders for capital goods. U.S. interest rates of all maturities were declining, so that the market no longer perceived the Bundesbank as having to resist a gradual decline in German rates to obtain a narrowing of adverse interest differentials to strengthen the mark. Under these circumstances, market professionals began to build up long positions in marks in the expectation that a major adjustment in the dollar-mark relationship was about to occur. The bidding for marks pushed the spot rate up 9 percent to DM2.90 in the first week in November.

But after November 7, the mark changed direction and declined as the dollar strengthened for the balance of the period under review. At first the selling of marks appeared to be dominated by corporations and others that had postponed dollar purchases required before the yearend in hopes of taking advantage of the expected rise in the mark. Before long the selling of marks broadened as expectations of a generalized decline in dollar rates diminished. Speculators in the futures markets and dealers in commercial banks liquidated much of their long mark positions by year-end. Moreover, international investors, no longer as concerned that a decline in the dollar would erode their total return on dollar-denominated securities, came back to U.S. securities markets in size. With investors attracted by the remaining interest differentials favoring the dollar and the prospect of profits as U.S. interest rates continued to decline, the dollar quickly came to overshadow the mark in the exchange markets. By January 11, the mark had been pulled down to a record low for the floating-rate period of DM3.2020.

The Bundesbank had continued to operate in the exchange markets to sell dollars. These operations contributed to a \$950 million decline in Germany's foreign exchange reserves during the three months from October to December. But German authorities were also attempting to modify their money market management to ensure that German banks not have permanent recourse to large amounts of Lombard loans at the central bank, and they were concerned that larger dollar sales might complicate this endeavor. Accordingly, by January central bank money was increasingly being provided through securitybased repurchase agreements, sometimes at interest rates slightly below the Bundesbank's Lombard rate. Foreign exchange market operators at times misread the central bank's actions as signaling a desire for short-term interest rates to ease. In fact, the Bundesbank had announced that its monetary growth targets for 1985 would be lower than for the previous year, at 3 to 5 percent. Bundesbank officials pointed to the impact of the mark's continued decline on import prices, thereby suggesting there was little scope for easing monetary policy. Yet the market's misinterpretation of the Bundesbank's intentions for money market rates was not fully dispelled until the Bundesbank announced it would raise the Lombard rate ½ percentage point, to 6 percent, effective February 1.

In any case, by the time the mark hit its mid-January low, market attention was focused more on the rise of the dollar than on the decline of the mark. Other currencies, too, were weakening sharply, most especially the pound. As a result, when market participants became aware that a G-5 meeting of finance ministers and central bank governors was to take place in Washington on January 17, they began to expect a concerted intervention operation. Between the middle of January and the close of the period, there were joint intervention operations in which the U.S. monetary authorities purchased \$94 million equivalent of marks. These operations, like those earlier in the period, were shared equally between the Federal Reserve and the Treasury and were conducted to resist a renewed rise in the dollar.

At the end of January the mark was above its lows, trading at DM3.1670 against the dollar. But it was 9 percent below its high reached in early November, and 8½ percent below levels at the end of July. Germany's reserves declined a further \$821 million in January to close the period at \$34 billion.

Within the EMS, the mark's attraction as an investment vehicle for private-sector investors weakened in relation to other EMS currencies, as well as to the dollar. Economic performance and macroeconomic policies among EMS countries were showing growing convergence. Other European countries were adopting more marketoriented policies. Against this background, the persistence of wide, unfavorable interest differentials at a time when inflation differentials were narrowing and prospects for a new currency realignment were appearing remote led virtually all the EMS currencies to strengthen relative to the mark. The authorities of other EMS countries took advantage of this development to buy substantial amounts of marks in the market to add to reserves.

STERLING

At the beginning of the period under review, a five-month decline of sterling against the dollar

was ending, with the currency trading around \$1.30 and between 78 and 79 according to the Bank of England's trade-weighted index. After mid-October, however, the pound became increasingly vulnerable to selling pressure, and by December it was falling across the board. The downward pressure continued in January. For the period as a whole the pound fell 15 percent against the dollar and 9 percent in terms of the Bank of England's trade-weighted index.

In August and September, sterling traded steadily against other European currencies, even though all were declining against the dollar. The British authorities' resolve to adhere to their medium-term financial plan calling for cuts in growth of monetary and public-sector borrowing had recently been reaffirmed. The Bank of England ratified a substantial increase in shortterm British interest rates that restored an interest rate advantage for the pound relative to the dollar. Although the pound declined 8½ percent against the dollar to \$1.22 as the dollar advanced generally, it did not move below 76.6 on the trade-weighted index. The overall steadiness of sterling and an apparent moderation in the growth of British monetary aggregates permitted staged reductions in short-term sterling interest rates during August totaling 1½ percentage points. With these cuts the interest differentials favoring sterling were more than eliminated.

Notwithstanding the pound's steadier tone in the exchange markets, a number of factors undermined market confidence that the British authorities would hold to their anti-inflation policies. Britain's economy, in its third year of expansion, was showing signs of losing momentum while unemployment was still rising. No progress was being made in bringing inflation down below 5 percent or in slowing the rise of unit labor costs, by then increasing more rapidly than in other industrial countries. Meanwhile Britain's current account position was deteriorating, despite a pickup in demand in major export markets, because of a sharp jump in imports. A lengthy strike by coal miners was having an adverse effect on production, as well as the balance of payments since imported oil was being substituted for domestically produced coal. Moreover, the oil sector, which had been accounting for more than half the economy's

recent growth and had kept Britain's current account in surplus, was no longer seen as a reliable source of strength. With predictions that North Sea oil production would peak in the next couple of years, the stimulative effect of the oil sector on the economy was expected to wane. In the meantime the contribution of net oil exports to Britain's balance of payments was expected to be undercut if an apparent weakness in oil markets led to any significant drop in petroleum prices.

Britain's domestic economy and external position were thus perceived to be in precarious balance. Market participants paid close attention to any development thought capable of forcing the government to have to choose between supporting further growth and employment or dealing with pressures on prices, costs, and the exchange rate. Thus, prospects of a possible spreading of the coal miners' strike and of a reduction in oil prices set the stage for an abrupt, but limited, drop in the exchange rate around mid-October. Within a week, the pound slid below \$1.20 against the dollar and to 74.0 against the trade-weighted index.

Then, for about two months, the pound steadied. The coal miners' strike failed to widen, and downward pressure on oil prices was being contained as long as OPEC discussions on ways to deal with weak oil prices continued. The pound traded within a range of 74 to 76 according to the trade-weighted index. Against the dollar it moved in line with other European currencies, rising during late October and early November before falling back below \$1.21 early in December. With the pound again trading more steadily, British short-term interest rates continued to ease largely in line with the decline in Eurodollar rates. By mid-December, the British clearing banks had cut their base lending rates from the midsummer highs a total of $2\frac{1}{2}$ percentage points to $9\frac{1}{2}$ or $9\frac{3}{4}$ percent.

From December on, sterling began to fall sharply against all currencies, setting successive new lows in terms of both the dollar and the trade-weighted index. Selling of sterling was stimulated by the expectation that OPEC would have difficulty reaching an effective agreement on price differentials. In addition, the market's underlying concern intensified that the authori-

ties were shifting their priorities for economic policy toward spurring output. Growth of publicsector borrowing was turning out well in excess of the government's target, only partly because of strike-related expenditures. Credit extended to the private sector also showed signs of accelerating. The monetary aggregates remained near the top of their official target ranges. Admittedly, the monetary aggregates were distorted in December by a stock issue. But market participants, interpreting the evidence at hand, concluded that the Bank of England would be reluctant to see a reversal of the interest rate declines of the past several months even to stem a fall in the exchange rate. Market participants also came to doubt that authorities were prepared to use intervention to resist a renewed decline in sterling. Official declarations and actions suggested the authorities were willing to let the pound fall if dictated by market forces.

Under these circumstances the pound dropped steadily, falling most precipitously in mid-January when the OPEC negotiations appeared to be under particular strain. The pound touched a low against the dollar of \$1.1015 in Far Eastern trading on January 14 and of 70.6 against the trade-weighted index at the opening in London that same day. As the exchange rate fell, the authorities did not resist a rise in money market interest rates. The Bank of England at one point seized the initiative to push interest rates up further, to the levels of midsummer. In the end, sterling interbank rates rose even more-for a total increase of 4½ percentage points to 14 percent. At that point interest rate differentials were again strongly in favor of the pound, reaching a level of 3½ percentage points for threemonth deposits relative to the dollar.

Late in January, the high level of sterling interest rates made selling the pound short expensive. In addition, OPEC had demonstrated an ability to work out a limited agreement on pricing differentials, and spot oil prices firmed. Thus, the immediate pressures against the currency abated. Sterling also benefited from market talk of stepped-up central bank intervention following the mid-January G-5 meeting in Washington. Although the pound remained subject to sporadic pressure through the end of the month, it traded without clear direction. The pound closed slight-

ly above its low at \$1.1275 and 71.5 in terms of the Bank of England's trade-weighted index.

British foreign exchange reserves were little changed on balance between the end of July and the end of December. Then for January, they dropped \$233 million to \$6.73 billion as of the end of the period.

On December 18, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, in reply to questions in Parliament, stated that the Bank of England would no longer request foreign monetary authorities to restrict sterling balances to working levels, thereby ending formally an agreement the government felt was no longer appropriate to the current international monetary setting. The announcement did not cause any visible impact on exchange rates at the time.

JAPANESE YEN

Over the six-month period under review, the Japanese ven eased against the dollar but appreciated against the European currencies. A record-breaking pace of long-term capital outflows continued to be a source of downward pressure on the currency against the dollar. Outflows of Japanese resident capital were attracted in part by relatively high interest rates abroad. They also reflected the continuing diversification of financial assets by Japanese investors and increased yen lending to foreign borrowers. Meanwhile, some nonresidents that had been among the largest investors in Japanese securities several years ago continued to liquidate their holdings at maturity, largely to meet payment needs. The net long-term capital outflows swamped Japan's large and growing current account surplus, which was reaching \$35 billion for the year. At times, however, favorable shifts in commercial leads and lags gave a boost to the yen against all currencies. Vis-à-vis the European currencies, Japan's large current account surplus and robust domestic economy were important sources of strength.

At first, the yen got some respite from the full brunt of the capital outflows that had helped to push the spot rate down to \(\frac{2}{2}46.45\) by the start of the six-month period. The outflows subsided in August as foreign investment in Japanese

equities resumed during a late-summer rebound in the Tokyo stock market. Also, Japanese investors slowed their net purchases of foreign securities ahead of the end of the financial half-year in September. Thus, the yen advanced to \fomale 242 early in August and traded steadily against the dollar at that level for several weeks.

During September and October, the yen also received a lift from a favorable swing in commercial transactions. The yen started to ease against the dollar, which had become well-bid across the board. But market participants expected this weakness to be short lived, anticipating that the dollar would soon decline in response to declining U.S. interest rates. Thus, as the yen fell through the lows of late July and early August and toward the ¥250 level, Japanese exporters stepped up their selling of dollars to take advantage of the current dollar rate. Meanwhile, importers postponed their currency purchases. At the same time, Japan's imports of oil slowed so that the net export balance was unusually favorable.

With these trade transactions favoring the yen and capital outflows temporarily subdued, the yen's decline against the dollar was more gradual than the decline of the European currencies during September and early October. The yen did touch a two-year low of ¥250.45 on October 17, but it gained 7 percent against the German mark to trade near a record high vis-à-vis that currency. Moreover, the yen recouped its losses against the dollar during late October when the dollar eased back. By early November the yen was again trading near the ¥240 level against the dollar and reached a high for the six-month period of ¥239.40 on November 7.

Meanwhile, the changing economic environment abroad had several implications for Japan. The slowdown of the U.S. economic expansion in the third quarter of 1984 seemed to show up almost immediately in a sharp deceleration of Japan's export growth. As a result, Japan's external position actually had a negative impact on GNP in the same quarter. In addition, the decline in U.S. interest rates, widely expected to be further encouraged by cuts in the Federal Reserve's discount rate, contributed to a substantial easing of long-term interest rates in Japan. Japanese enterprises shifted their expectations

about immediate financing requirements and the future costs of funds. Credit demand softened and corporate borrowing increasingly took place at shorter maturities.

Against this background, there was discussion in the fall that a reduction of the Bank of Japan's official interest rates could entail large potential benefits and low risks for the Japanese economy, given Japan's restrictive fiscal policy, low inflation, and the more restrained outlook for economic growth. Officials of the Bank of Japan were concerned, however, that any further drop in Japan's relatively low short-term rates would put further pressure on the ven exchange rate at a time when the size of Japan's current account surplus was threatening to provoke protectionist reactions in major export markets. It therefore kept its discount rate at the 5 percent level established a year earlier with the result that short-term interest rates remained steady.

As a result of these interest rate developments, the interest differentials adverse to the yen narrowed somewhat for long-term rates and declined even more for short-term rates. But market operators began to waver in their expectations that the yen would strengthen further in response to this narrowing of interest differentials because the dollar generally had eased relatively little from its highs of October.

Thus, the allure of the remaining interest differentials favoring the United States and of prospects of significant further capital appreciation on dollar-denominated bonds began once again to weigh on the Japanese ven. Toward the end of the year Japanese investment in foreign securities mounted. The December U.S. government issue targeted at foreign investors, as well as the offering of British Telecom shares, were well received in the Tokyo market. Thus, net capital outflows therefore jumped up in November and December to \$5 billion and a record \$8 billion respectively. In the year as a whole, net longterm capital outflows from Japan rose to \$50 billion. At the same time, exchange market participants noted that foreign private borrowers rushed to take advantage of the opening of the Euroyen market to them, effective December 1, to place yen issues. To the extent these issues were purchased by Japanese residents, the transactions contributed to Japan's capital outflows.

Commercial leads and lags also began to shift against the Japanese yen. When expectations of a decline in the dollar faded, importers who had postponed their currency purchases came to fear that exchange rates would become even more unfavorable if they waited any longer. Meanwhile, exporters had already converted some of their foreign currency proceeds ahead of schedule.

As a result, the yen progressively weakened against the dollar, falling more than 6½ percent from its early November high to ¥255.40 by the end of January. At this level it was down 3½ percent on balance during the six months, although against the major European currencies, it rose nearly 5 percent.

Throughout the six-month period the Bank of Japan intervened in the foreign exchange market in comparatively small amounts. Following the meeting of the G-5 in mid-January, the prospect of an increase in coordinated intervention made market participants wary of speculating too heavily against the yen. However, the concern was not sufficient to stem the yen's slide. In total, intervention sales of dollars offset only a fraction of Japan's interest earnings on its foreign exchange reserves, which rose \$1.6 billion over the six-month period to close at \$22.5 billion.

EUROPEAN MONETARY SYSTEM

During the period under review, there was a growing convergence of economic performance among EMS countries. Recovery had spread to all. The countries showing the greatest improvement in 1984 were those that had still been in recession during 1983. Inflation was continuing to decelerate, with the countries showing the greater declines being those with the higher inflation rates a year earlier. In general, current account positions were either stable or continuing to improve.

In all cases, the economic expansion proved insufficient to reduce historically high levels of unemployment. Yet fiscal and monetary policies were generally restrained. Fiscal policies were aimed at reducing the size of the government deficit relative to GNP, with actual results varying depending on the burden of unemployment

compensation and interest payments on government debt. Monetary policy was generally unaccommodating. Interest rates were allowed to ease only in response to declines in other countries or to improvements in inflation and fiscal deficit control at home.

Under these circumstances, the exchange rate relationship within the EMS remained free from strain during the entire period under review. Early on, most of the EMS currencies were clustered within 1 percent of their bilateral parity rates. The only exception was the Italian lira, which started near the upper limit of the wider, 6 percent limit established for that currency. The German mark and the Dutch guilder alternated as the topmost currency within the narrow band against the Belgian franc at the bottom. During the period, the German mark and Dutch guilder fell progressively, albeit unevenly, to the lower part of the band. The two currencies fell below the Danish krone, and the Irish pound by early September, dropped below the French franc late in November, and approached the bottom of the narrow band to trade below the Belgian franc by early January.

The strength of other currencies vis-à-vis the mark presented many EMS countries with opportunities and policy choices. One option, chosen by the Belgian, French, and Italian authorities, was to take advantage of the lack of pressure to build their foreign currency reserves. Before the period, the Belgian National Bank had been able to begin reducing its liabilities to the European Monetary Cooperation Fund (EMCF), using the proceeds of the government's external borrowings. During the six months under review, the Belgian central bank was able to continue this program, not only with proceeds of further borrowings, but also with foreign currencies acquired in the market. By the end of the period, Belgium had fully restored its European Currency Unit (ECU) position in the EMCF and increased foreign currency reserves more than \$500 million over the six months. Before the period, the French and Italian authorities had already restored their foreign currency reserves to the levels prevailing before the last EMS realignment. They continued, however, to buy substantial amounts of marks along with some other currencies.

Another option, chosen in a small way by the French and Italian authorities, was to ease some of the exchange controls imposed during earlier periods of pressure against their currencies. On December 1, the French authorities announced a partial lifting of controls on the transfer of funds abroad by individuals and corporations and permitted Economic Community institutions to float ECU-denominated bonds in the French market. On December 1, the Italian authorities announced reductions in the non-interest-bearing deposit required against residents' investment abroad and eased restrictions on foreign exchange accounts as well as on the means of payment to be used by Italians traveling abroad.

A third option was to take advantage of the relative strength of the currency to lower interest rates. In France and Belgium the authorities cautiously permitted an easing of interest rates once the foreign currency reserve position was restored and after inflation had shown clear signs of moderation. The French authorities also took advantage of moderating domestic credit demands to replace the strict guidelines on banks' credit, known as the *encadrement du credit*, with a more flexible credit control system.

But in general the authorities perceived the scope for lowering interest rates to be limited. Faster or more substantial cuts in interest rates were judged to be inappropriate in view of the remaining inflation differentials vis-à-vis Germany, the continuing need to finance a large budget deficit, or the financing requirements of a current account deficit. In both Italy and Ireland, interest rates were actually increased. The Bank of Italy temporarily raised its discount rate 1 percentage point to 16.5 percent in September to curb growth in bank credit that was exceeding its target range. When credit growth moderated, however, the Bank of Italy cut its discount rate back to 15.5 percent in recognition of the continuing progress in reducing inflation to less than double-digit rates.

Thus, interest differentials among EMS countries remained relatively wide and did not narrow as rapidly as, for example, the inflation differentials. Residents in countries with still relatively high interest rates increased their borrowings in international markets, partly to finance domestic operations, while short-term capital movements

through the banking sector also flowed to the centers with higher rates. Judging these inflows to be potentially reversible, the central banks chose to resist a substantial appreciation of their currencies within the EMS through intervention.

Against the dollar, the EMS currencies fluctuated generally in line with the German mark, weakening during most of the period under review, with the only major reversal during October and November. By the end of January many of these currencies were trading at record lows against the dollar, and all were some 8 percent below levels at the end of July.

Although several of the EMS central banks at times intervened in dollars to limit the decline of their currencies against the dollar, total dollar sales by central banks other than the Bundesbank were moderate for the period as a whole. In any case, by the end of January, the EMS central banks had purchased considerably more EMS and other currencies in the exchange market than they had sold dollars.

SWISS FRANCS

As the period under review began, Swiss interest rates were under some upward pressure. Throughout 1984, the monetary authorities in Switzerland aimed at controlling inflation by monetary restraint, adhering to a targeted rate of growth of about 3 percent for the central bank money stock. They held to this goal even though economic recovery slowed during the second half of the year. The economic recovery, though moderate by historical standards, was sufficient to generate a modest pickup in credit demands and some increase in interest rates. In addition, domestic financial markets were somewhat unsettled by the decline of the Swiss franc from its peak in March that amounted to nearly 19 percent vis-à-vis the dollar and about 2 percent visà-vis the German mark by the end of July. These declines had brought the spot rate down to SF2.4745 and DM.8493 by the opening of the period.

During August the Swiss franc steadied. Although short- and long-term interest rates in Switzerland remained the lowest of any of the industrialized countries, the tightening of money

market conditions in Switzerland combined with other factors to begin to reverse the decline in the Swiss franc. Interest rates in Switzerland were rising at a time when rates elsewhere were either steady or declining. Interest differentials, while still adverse vis-à-vis both the dollar and the German mark, narrowed. In addition, nonresidents had significantly reduced their issuance of Swiss-franc-denominated bonds. Also, there had been a particularly sharp drop in bond placements—and therefore in the ensuing conversion of bond proceeds into dollars—by Japanese firms whose ability to offer attractive terms on bonds with stock warrants became compromised by a poor performance of Japan's stock market during the second quarter. Nor did Swiss franc bonds offer as much prospect for capital appreciation to attract investors as did bonds denominated in currencies of countries where interest rates were declining.

The Swiss franc therefore recovered irregularly against the dollar to reach its high of the sixmonth period of SF2.3650 on August 16. The franc recovered against the German mark for somewhat longer, moving to a level below DM0.82 after mid-September.

During late September and October, when European currencies were generally fluctuating widely vis-à-vis the dollar, the Swiss franc moved with the German mark, but not as widely. The Swiss franc was not the focus of selling pressures before September 21. Thereafter, it did not benefit as much from intervention. The Swiss authorities made it clear that they did not intend to intervene aggressively in the exchange markets out of concern that they might then have to deviate substantially from their domestic monetary policy objectives. When the dollar fell back in late October, the Swiss franc was again trading close to its highs for the period against both the dollar and the mark.

Thereafter, however, the franc began to lose ground relative to both currencies. This weakness in the franc followed statistical releases confirming that inflation continued to be higher and growth lower than in Germany. Also, the franc did not benefit, as the mark did, from continuing expectations of central bank intervention. The National Bank, having kept its restrictive 3 percent target for growth of central bank

money for 1985, was perceived as reluctant to add further upward pressure on domestic interest rates by intervening in the exchange markets. The franc declined more rapidly than the mark as the dollar strengthed across the board during late December and January. The franc closed the period at SF2.6830, down 8½ percent relative to the dollar for the six months.

As the franc began again to decline in late 1984, market commentators started to attribute the move at least in part to a long-term loss of the franc's international appeal. They suggested the franc might be suffering from an erosion of its "safe haven" status in the face of worldwide reductions in inflation and the perception of an increasingly fragile political environment in Europe. Some also suggested that the transactions demand for the currency had diminished to the extent that the franc had lost attractiveness as a trading vehicle. As for foreign exchange dealing, the dollar-mark relationship was volatile enough to provide sufficient profit opportunities in markets larger in size and permitting bigger transactions. As a medium for investment, the franc was being overshadowed by other currencies, most especially the dollar.

The Swiss National Bank did not intervene in the exchanges during the August-January period. Swiss reserves fluctuated as the central bank used currency swaps to adjust domestic liquidity, closing virtually unchanged from levels at the end of July.

CANADIAN DOLLAR

Just before the period opened, the Canadian dollar had shaken off the severe selling pressures of the earlier part of the year. In midsummer, Canadian interest rates had moved up, restoring a positive differential in favor of the Canadian dollar. With money market rates well above corresponding U.S. rates at the start of August, the cost of short Canadian dollar positions had become expensive. Thus professional selling of the currency subsided and commercial leads and lags came into better balance. Also a public debate faded over whether economic policy should give priority to reducing unemployment or dealing with inflation. The Canadian dollar

rose from the historic low of Can.\$1.3368 (\$0.748) against the U.S. dollar reached in mid-July to Can.\$1.3094 (\$0.764) by early August.

During the period under review, a number of factors supported the Canadian currency, which, along with the U.S. dollar, rose relative to the other major currencies. Canada's current account was in surplus, buoyed by a strong export performance. Canada's economy revived in the third quarter, catching up for slower growth earlier in the year. Meanwhile, inflation continued to moderate, falling to below 4 percent at an annual rate. In addition, a change in government at the September national elections encouraged market participants because of the new governing party's advocacy of policies to encourage foreign investment in Canada, to reduce government intervention in the economy, and to cut government expenditures. These ideas were reaffirmed in November when the government gave a statement to Parliament of its intended legislative program.

Yet market confidence in the Canadian dollar was not fully restored. The public debate preceding the election had left uncertain the priority any government would place between lower interest rates to stimulate the economy and higher rates to fight inflation. By midwinter there was also some doubt that the new government would be able to implement its program of fiscal restraint. Moreover, large corporate transactions occasionally weighed on the market for Canadian dollars.

Under these circumstances, the Canadian authorities moved cautiously to take advantage of the decline of U.S. interest rates to avoid an outbreak of revived pressure against the currency. Canadian interest rates at first did not decline as quickly as U.S. rates, and by mid-October the interest differentials vis-à-vis the U.S. dollar were even wider than in early August. Thereafter, Canadian interest rates did ease more in line with U.S. interest rates, maintaining the wider differentials for the balance of the six-month period.

Against this background, the Canadian dollar fluctuated without clear direction against the U.S. dollar, declining less than other currencies. On balance it declined 1½ percent to Can.\$1.3258 (\$0.754) by the end of January. The Canadian dollar thereby continued to appreciate against other currencies during the period under review, benefiting at least in part from high yields on Canadian assets and the currency's relative firmness against the U.S. dollar to attract sizable capital inflows from abroad.

Foreign exchange intervention by the Canadian authorities was aimed at smoothing out sharp movements in the currency. Total foreign currency reserves fell \$1.2 billion, mostly in August and November, to stand at \$1.5 billion at the end of the period. The declines primarily reflected repayments of outstanding foreign exchange drawings made earlier in the year on the government's credit lines with Canadian and foreign banks

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STUDY SUMMARY

SCALE ECONOMIES IN COMPLIANCE COSTS FOR CONSUMER PROTECTION REGULATIONS: THE TRUTH IN LENDING AND EQUAL CREDIT OPPORTUNITY LAWS

Gregory E. Elliehausen and Robert D. Kurtz-Staff, Board of Governors Prepared as a staff study in the fall of 1984

This study investigates scale economies in compliance costs for Regulations Z (Truth in Lending) and B (Equal Credit Opportunity) at commercial banks. The data are from a 1981 survey of financial institutions conducted by the Federal Reserve Board to determine compliance costs associated with consumer protection laws that are implemented by Board regulations.

The major finding of the study is that there are economies of scale in compliance costs for Regulations Z and B at commercial banks at levels of output up to 375,000 consumer credit accounts, beyond which there are small diseconomies of scale. At the lowest output levels, in terms of the volume of consumer credit accounts, large unexploited scale economies exist, which suggest that Regulations Z and B impose a competitive disadvantage on banks with small consumer credit portfolios. Scale economies decrease rapidly, however, as output increases, and they are exhausted at a moderate level of output. Thus, the costs of complying with consumer protection

regulations do not appear to be a factor that would lead to much greater concentration in consumer lending at banks.

Other findings are that labor and administration account for 50 to 70 percent of total compliance costs at all levels of output and that compliance costs increase about proportionately with wage rates, suggesting that compliance activities for Regulations Z and B are labor intensive. Administration accounts for a smaller share of compliance costs than labor does at moderate and higher output levels. This result suggests that scale economies may arise from more efficient use of high-cost administrative personnel at banks with larger consumer credit portfolios (although other factors may offset the scale economies at high levels of output). Finally, the analysis indicates that larger average sizes of accounts are associated with higher compliance costs. Because closed-end (mortgage and consumer installment) accounts are generally larger than open-end (credit card) accounts, the average size of the account reflects the composition of banks' consumer credit portfolios. Thus, compliance costs may be larger for closed-end accounts than for open-end accounts. As a result, the consumer protection regulations may provide an incentive for banks to shift from closed-end to open-end lending. \Box

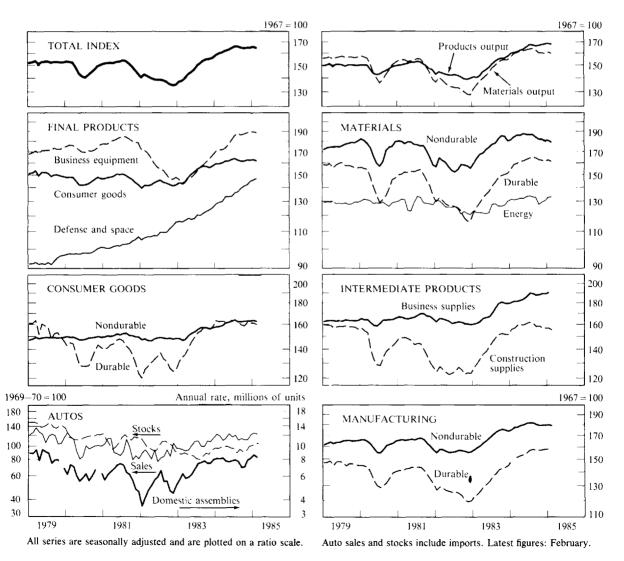
Industrial Production

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Industrial production declined an estimated 0.5 percent in February, and gains during the preceding three months were revised downward. At 164.7 percent of the 1967 average, the index in February was 2.9 percent above its level a year ago, although not much higher than its mid-1984 level. The February decline, in part weather-

related, was widespread among products and materials.

In market groupings, output of consumer goods declined 0.6 percent in February as automotive products fell 1.8 percent. Automobiles were assembled at an annual rate of 8.2 million units following a January rate of 8.6 million. Production of home goods edged down following larger declines in preceding months, and nondu-



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Note. Indexes are seasonally adjusted.

rable consumer goods declined 0.5 percent. Output of total equipment was little changed in January and February as cutbacks in business equipment were offset by continued growth in the output of defense and space equipment. Weakness continued in February in the production of construction supplies. Output of materials decreased 0.6 percent, with declines both in

durables such as equipment parts and in nondurables such as textiles and chemicals.

In industry groupings, declines were widespread in manufacturing, with an overall drop of 0.4 percent in February; however, steel production rose for the second month. Mining output declined more than 2 percent in February, and utilities were little changed.

Statements to Congress

Statement by Paul A. Volcker, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, before the Committee on the Budget, U.S. House of Representatives, March 6, 1985.

I am pleased to appear once again before this committee to discuss the economic situation and its relationship to the budgetary choices before you. I know the task that confronts you in reconciling budgetary priorities in the context of a huge deficit is extremely difficult. I can shed little light on the choices you must make among national security, social, and other programmatic objectives. But from my vantage point, it does seem clear that an adequate reduction in the overall deficit must be a critical ingredient in any satisfactory budget plan.

Last month the Federal Reserve submitted its semiannual report on monetary policy to the Congress, and my testimony to the Banking Committees at that time provided an extensive review of recent monetary developments and the Federal Reserve's expectations for the performance of the economy in 1985. [See Federal Reserve Bulletin, vol. 71 (April 1985), pp. 187–99]. I have submitted copies of that earlier testimony to this committee, and I shall limit my prepared remarks this morning to some summary comments on the economic setting.

As you know, we have made substantial progress over the past two years toward our longerrun aims for the economy. Despite widespread doubts about our economic prospects at the beginning of the recovery, the expansion that developed has been the strongest since the Korean War period. Real gross national product rose almost 6 percent over the four quarters of 1984, bringing the cumulative gain in domestic output since the recession trough in late 1982 to about 12½ percent. The rise in production has been associated with large increases in employment and a sizable decline in the unemployment rate. As part of that general improvement, there has been a sharp rebound in profits and a surge in

business investment, especially for innovative, high-technology capital equipment. Productivity also has grown relatively strongly. Taken together, those factors should bode well for our future growth potential.

I am particularly encouraged by the fact that this remarkable expansion of activity has been achieved without any significant increase in the inflation rate from the sharply reduced levels of 1982 and 1983. To be sure, a number of factors that may not be lasting have helped to hold down price increases. The continuing appreciation of the dollar and competition from imports have placed considerable downward pressure on prices in some manufacturing and mining industries. Declines in prices of some important commodities, including petroleum and a number of raw materials, also have played a key role. But perhaps more fundamentally, increases in nominal wages are reflecting and supporting the lower rate of inflation, and there are encouraging signs that expectations of future inflation have been damped.

At this point, the most common forecasts suggest that growth will remain strong enough in 1985 to produce some further declines in unemployment, with little if any pickup in inflation. That, in fact, is the "central tendency" of the forecasts of members of the Federal Open Market Committee. But we must not be lulled by these seemingly favorable near-term prospects. Despite the strength indicated by the aggregate statistics and favorable near-term expectations for the economy as a whole, there are some large and unsustainable imbalances in our economy. Unless dealt with effectively, those imbalances will, in time, undercut all that has been achieved.

The strains in agriculture, in the heavy capital equipment area, and in the metals industry are most visible. To some extent, the difficulties in these sectors arise out of severe structural problems that must be dealt with directly. But there can be little doubt that these specific problems have been exacerbated by pressures related to

the massive deficits in the federal budget and in our external accounts.

It is not a coincidence that the unprecedentedly large deficits in our trade and current accounts have developed alongside the internal budget deficit. In the end, a government deficit must be financed, either internally or externally, out of savings. We do not have now, nor are we likely to have in the future, the capacity to save enough domestically to finance both federal deficits at or approaching the current size and the rising levels of investment needed to support growth and productivity. Thus far in the expansion period, we have been able to bridge the gap by drawing on a growing net inflow of foreign saving to supplement our own.

Net domestic saving—by individuals, by businesses, and by state and local governmentshas, in fact, increased quite rapidly over the past few years, amounting to about 9 percent of the GNP in 1984, near the higher end of the range that has prevailed over the postwar period. Nevertheless, about a quarter of our net needs for investment and for deficit financing last year still had to be met from foreign sources. So far, that capital has been readily available and has played a key role in containing pressures on domestic interest rates. Even so, interest rates, as you know, have remained high both historically and relative to current levels of inflation. Without the net flow of savings from the rest of the world. pressures on our financial markets would have been still greater and interest rates would have been still higher.

Thanks to the capital inflow, the kinds of obvious "crowding out" of housing and investment so widely anticipated a year or two earlier largely have been avoided. But other key sectors—particularly those that are heavily dependent on export markets or that must compete with imports—are being "crowded." Looking abroad, growth in many industrialized countries remains relatively sluggish and the depreciation of foreign currencies vis-à-vis the dollar seems to be one factor inhibiting the pursuit of more expansionary policies by our major trading partners, feeding back on our own export prospects. At the same time, the stability of our capital markets has become hostage to a continuing net inflow of international funds.

In this context, let me make a few observa-

tions about monetary policy. In the most general terms, the objective of the Federal Reserve is to provide sufficient money and credit to support sustainable growth in real output and employment, while moving toward greater price stability. Appreciable progress was made in these directions in 1984. We will want to provide enough money this year to sustain orderly growth in demand and output, and my earlier testimony reviews our plans in that respect.

However, money creation cannot resolve an underlying imbalance between domestic saving and investment. Real savings release real resources for investment and for use of the government, and growth in savings tends to work against inflation. But beyond fostering sustainable growth, money creation cannot release resources to meet investment and federal needs. Rather it adds to the demands upon those resources. Indeed, should excessive monetary growth ignite inflationary fears, the effort to encourage savings and reduce capital market pressures would be undercut. As prospects for stability are undermined, the international capital flows on which, for the time being, we are dependent would be discouraged. And the implications for interest rates—probably sooner rather than later—would be adverse. The risks of more inflation and less growth over time would be increased, not reduced.

A number of policies—with monetary and fiscal policies leading the list—must be blended together to encourage sustained and balanced growth. In practice, achieving an optimum blend is seldom easy, and the precise measures to be taken can be debated. But what does seem clear now is that any satisfactory approach is dependent upon substantial cuts in our massive budgetary deficit. And, within the range of practicality, the larger and sooner the cuts, the better. To have a real impact this year on markets and on the economy the actions must be large enough and credible enough to have an impact on expectations and confidence, even if the measures taken will be phased in over time.

I am sensitive to the practical and political difficulties of the decisions that must be made. I realize that there is no natural constituency for specific budgetary cuts or revenue measures. But I also know that we are, at present, on a course that cannot be sustained indefinitely.

The practical question is whether we act now to build on the progress of the past and reinforce prospects for future growth and stability or whether, as so often in the past, we wait for crisis and dislocation to be a catalyst for action. But then it would be too late, and the longer constructive action is delayed, the greater the risks and the larger the task.

Statement by Emanuel Melichar, Senior Economist, Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, before the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, U.S. Senate, March 20, 1985.

After experiencing a major boom during the past decade, the farm sector is in the sixth year of a period of lower and relatively stagnant income, with poor prospects for near-term improvement. Reduced income flows and the consequent decline in land prices, plus sharply higher interest rates, have in this period produced severe financial stress for those farmers who had borrowed heavily to expand their enterprises during the concluding years of the boom. The progressive erosion of the equity of these farmers, who owe most of the total farm debt, has been increasing the incidence of problem farm loans at banks and other farm lenders.

CHARGE-OFFS OF FARM LOANS AT BANKS

Net charge-offs of farm production loans, an item added to bank reports last year, in 1984 were equal to 2.2 percent of such farm loans outstanding at year-end. Relative farm-loan charge-offs were highest by far in California; charge-offs in the other 49 states averaged 1.8 percent of loans. As shown in table 1, other states with relatively high farm-loan charge-offs were in the western Corn Belt, the Great Plains, and the Southeast.

As data discussed later will indicate, the relative rate of farm-loan charge-offs at all banks was

nearly double that for all loans at agricultural banks; and that rate, in turn, was about double the rate of charge-offs of all loans at other small banks.

Net charge-offs of farm production loans totaled about \$900 million in 1984, of which about \$240 million was reported by banks in California.

DELINQUENT FARM LOANS AT BANKS

Banks have been reporting amounts of delinquent farm loans since December 1982; however, the data are incomplete because only relatively large banks (assets of \$100 million or more) report nonaccrual and renegotiated farm loans. These large banks account for only 31 percent of farm production loans at banks nationally, and for much smaller percentages in highly rural states.

Data are available on farm loans that are past due but still accruing interest, which must be reported by most banks engaged in farm lending. At year-end, these past-due loans represented 3.8 percent of farm loans outstanding, a level that has not changed much since 1982. During this period, however, the proportion of farm loans past due fell in some states, such as California, but rose somewhat in most midwestern states.

At large banks required to report all categories of delinquent farm loans, the total (past due, nonaccrual, and renegotiated "troubled" debt) has remained near 10 percent of outstanding loans over the past two years. Farm lending at these banks, however, is disproportionately concentrated in California, where large banks make most farm loans. At year-end, the total delinquent farm production loans at large California banks averaged 13 percent of loans outstanding, compared with 9 percent at large banks in other states. The nonaccrual component averaged 8 percent of loans outstanding in California, compared with just under 5 percent in other states. But these relatively high numbers of delinquen-

^{1.} All data for 1984 are preliminary estimates based on reports available on March 8, 1985, when more than 99 percent of banks had reported, but regular editing was not complete. Special editing of some items was performed in compiling this report.

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cies on farm loans did not pose a serious threat to the large California banks because farm loans represented only about 4 percent of total loans at these banks (the same proportion as at all banks nationally).

Though small banks have not been required to report nonaccrual farm loans, they do report their total nonaccrual loans. From these data, it appears that about 3 percent of the farm production loans at small banks may be in the nonaccrual category. When this figure is averaged with the 5.8 percent of loans in nonaccrual status at the larger banks that account for 31 percent of farm loans outstanding, about 3.8 percent of all farm production loans are estimated to be in the nonaccrual category.

Thus, about 5 percent, or \$2 billion, of all farm production loans were nonperforming at year-end. Another 2.6 percent, or about \$1 billion, was reported as past due 30 to 89 days. Thus about \$3 billion of farm production loans at banks were delinquent.

EXPERIENCE OF AGRICULTURAL BANKS

Although farm loans constitute only 4 percent of all loans outstanding at banks, many small banks have a much higher farm-loan ratio. The "unweighted" average of the farm-loan ratios at all banks is now about 17 percent, and about 5,000 "agricultural" banks now have a ratio that exceeds that average. The financial experience of these banks has recently been dominated by the rise in farm-loan delinquencies.

Two years ago, loan delinquencies were still lower at agricultural banks than at other small banks (banks with assets of less than \$500 million and a farm-loan ratio that is below average). At the latter banks, relative delinquencies were peaking as the business recession was ending, while delinquencies at agricultural banks were rising from a lower level. By the end of 1983, delinquent loans at agricultural banks reached the same relative level as the recession peak at other small banks. A year later, at the end of 1984, delinquent loans at agricultural banks had risen further, to 6.2 percent of total loans, well above the average of 4.7 percent at other small banks.

Of the four categories of delinquent loans,

nonaccrual loans rose most rapidly during the past two years, especially at the banks most heavily concentrated in farm lending. At banks with a farm-loan ratio of more than 50 percent, for example, nonaccrual loans rose from an average of about 0.5 percent of total loans in December 1982 to about 2.5 percent of total loans two years later.

Total loan charge-offs, for which there are data over a longer period, have risen substantially at agricultural banks since 1980. At 1.2 percent of year-end loans, net charge-offs at agricultural banks were double the relative level at other small banks—the opposite of the situation that had prevailed for many years before 1983. At the more heavily agricultural banks, average net charge-offs were still higher—between 1.5 and 2.0 percent of loans outstanding.

Net income at agricultural banks was sharply reduced by their loan losses. However, these banks had been relatively profitable, and in 1984 their return to equity still averaged 9 percent. But in each year since 1980, an increased proportion of agricultural banks experienced loan losses larger than could be covered by annual net earnings. In 1984, 16 percent of agricultural banks made loan-loss provisions that exceeded 2.5 percent of year-end loans outstanding. Mostly because of such adverse loan experience, 12 percent of agricultural banks reported negative net income for 1984, compared with an average of only 1 percent during the 1970s. On the other hand, 32 percent of agricultural banks needed loan-loss provisions equal to less than 0.4 percent of outstanding loans in 1984, and 59 percent needed provisions of less than 1.0 percent. Such relatively low losses enabled nearly a fifth of all agricultural banks to report earning more than 15 percent on equity in 1984, and more than half earned more than 10 percent.

Because most agricultural banks maintained positive earnings while their growth was slowed by the weak farm economy, the ratio of capital to assets at these banks rose slightly further in 1984, to an average of 9.5 percent. The capital ratio at agricultural banks now averages a full percentage point above that at other small banks. Furthermore, average capital ratios are highest at the most heavily agricultural banks, at which they also rose in spite of increased farm-loan losses.

The favorable capital position of most agricul-

tural banks provides a valuable, but limited, cushion for coping with adverse loan experience. If relatively large loan losses occur in a short period of time and thus cannot be covered from current earnings, capital can be depleted rapidly. At agricultural banks, loans average about 50 percent of assets and capital about 10 percent of assets; therefore, loan losses equal to about 20 percent of outstanding loans would, on average, deplete all capital.

During the past two years, banks that have failed have come predominately from the group that had earlier reported levels of delinquent loans that exceeded total capital. The number of such banks rose about one-third during 1984, to more than 600 banks at year-end, or 4 percent of all banks. There were significant increases in the number of such banks in several highly agricultural states: yet, in most of these states— Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Wisconsin—the proportion of banks in this condition at the end of 1984 was still only roughly equal to the national average of 4 percent. Furthermore, farm loans at such banks nationally averaged only 7 percent of total loans at the banks. In several states with a relatively high number of these potentially vulnerable banks-California, Colorado, Florida, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Texas-their low average farm-loan ratio indicates that farm loan difficulties play, on average, a minor role in loan problems at these banks.

The relative proportions of agricultural and

other small banks troubled by problem loans over the past two years can be contrasted. In December 1982, more of the small nonagricultural banks than of the agricultural banks had relatively high proportions of delinquent loans. Over the next two years, the situation among nonagricultural banks changed little while that at the agricultural banks deteriorated until, by December 1984, it appeared somewhat worse than at the other banks.

A more vulnerable subgroup of the banks discussed above consists of the banks at which nonperforming loans alone exceed total capital. Farm loans figure more prominently at these banks, averaging 15 percent of total loans. And, whereas the number of small nonagricultural banks in this predicament changed little over the last two years, the number of agricultural banks with delinquent loans equal to (approximately) or greater than capital more than tripled over two years—but is still smaller than the number of nonagricultural banks in the same position.

In 1983, only 7 of the 44 insured commercial banks that failed, or 16 percent, were agricultural banks. Last year, 32 of the 78 failures, or 41 percent, were agricultural banks. Still, farm loans constituted only 10 percent of total loans at the banks that failed in 1984, and totaled only \$199 million at these banks at the beginning of that year. Growth last year in the number of agricultural banks with a relatively high level of nonperforming loans may portend a further increase in failures of agricultural banks.

Statement by Henry C. Wallich, Member, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, before the Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, U.S. House of Representatives, March 22, 1985.

I welcome this opportunity to discuss the important issues relating to U.S. trade and current account deficits. I will begin with some thoughts on the basic factors at work, to provide a framework within which to consider the desirability of various possible actions in terms of their contributions to noninflationary economic growth as well as to reductions in our external deficits.

CAUSES OF THE EXTERNAL DEFICITS

It is customary to analyze changes in the external deficits by focusing on proximate causes, such as the growth of economic activity at home and abroad and changes in exchange rates. The cyclical behavior of the U.S. and foreign economies has been an important factor contributing to both the timing and the widening of the U.S. external deficits. The U.S. recession held down the growth of imports from the fourth quarter of 1980 until the fourth quarter of 1982 and, thus, delayed the rise in our external deficits in spite of an appreciating dollar. Since 1982, we have enjoyed a strong recovery, with output—measured

by real gross national product (GNP)—rising about 12½ percent from the fourth quarter of 1982 to the fourth quarter of 1984. Aggregate demand—measured by all U.S. purchases of goods and services, both domestic and foreign—has increased even faster, about 15 percent during this period, with some of this demand spilling over abroad. A significant part of the deterioration in our external accounts has therefore resulted from the strong growth in the U.S. economy.

In contrast, the growth of demand for U.S. exports had been quite weak. In major foreign industrial countries, real GNP increased only about 5 percent from the end of 1982 to the end of 1984, after virtually no growth on average over the preceding two years. The slight support that this growth provided for U.S. exports was offset to a large extent by the external financing problems of some developing countries, especially our neighbors in Latin America. As a result, the value of U.S. exports in 1984 was little changed from 1980. The Board staff estimates that about one-third of the increase in the U.S. current account deficit from the end of 1980 to the end of 1984, after abstracting from a decline in imports of oil, can be attributed to the cyclical expansion of the U.S. economy relative to that of our trading partners.

A somewhat larger portion can be related to the very substantial appreciation of the dollar. On a weighted-average basis against the currencies of other major industrial countries, the dollar has appreciated more than 70 percent since the fourth quarter of 1980, when our current account was showing a small surplus. Some of the appreciation has reflected and contributed to our relatively good inflation performance, but even in real terms—adjusted for changes in consumer price levels in the United States and abroad—the weighted average value of the dollar is now nearly 60 percent higher than it was at the end of 1980, and roughly 45 percent higher than its average for the entire floating-rate period.

I think it is fair to say that no one fully understands the factors that have led to the enormous appreciation of the dollar; certainly no one anticipated it. Nevertheless, it seems clear that several forces have been at work at one time or another. A rise in U.S. interest rates relative to those abroad can explain a good part of the dollar's rise, particularly in its early phases. In

addition, one can point perhaps more broadly to the vigor and dynamism of the U.S. economy and its high profitability. But one cannot find much direct evidence in the statistics that international flows, such as purchases of U.S. equities or direct foreign investment, have been of a nature that might be specially responsive to such incentives. Finally, one can point to the political and social, as well as economic, stability of the United States, which has made this country a relatively secure haven in which savers may want to keep their wealth.

History provides some support to this notion that capital movements can be a dominant influence in the determination of the dollar exchange rate. Evidence covering the periods 1919–39 and the postwar period indicates that an expansion in the United States relative to the rest of the world, while weakening the current account, strengthened the capital account sufficiently to improve the overall balance of payments by increasing desires to move funds into the United States under the old regime of fixed exchange rates and by causing the dollar to appreciate under the present regime of flexible rates.

While the strong dollar and our large external deficits reflect, in part, our improved macroeconomic performance and the greater return on financial investment in this country, in a more fundamental sense they are related to the budget deficit. When the U.S. government runs a deficit, other sectors must, on balance, finance it. Private domestic residents and state and local governments through their savings have provided part of the financing, not just of their own investment, but of the government's deficit as well. The net inflow of savings from abroad which is the counterpart of the current account deficit—has (directly or indirectly) provided the remainder of the financing. This capital inflow has enabled us to have lower interest rates than we would have had otherwise, given our budget deficit.

CONSEQUENCES OF THE DEFICITS AND THE STRONG DOLLAR

The goal of macroeconomic policy is to provide an environment for sustainable noninflationary economic growth. The strong dollar and the external deficits have contributed to that environment. The external deficits reflect the growth and relative dynamism of the American economy that have attracted a flow of funds from abroad. The growing net capital inflow—now supplementing net domestic savings of individuals, businesses, and state and local governments by nearly a third—has been a critically important factor in enabling us to finance both rising investment and the enormous federal deficit at lower rates of interest than otherwise would have prevailed. Of course, it is our rising private investment that would be crowded out by higher interest rates in the absence of the net foreign capital inflow. The strength of the dollar and the ready availability of goods from abroad have also been potent factors restraining price increases in the United States.

At the same time, the strength of the U.S. economy, acting through our trade and current account balances, has provided a major and needed stimulus to the rest of the world. The support we have provided to the exports, particularly of developing countries, has been a critical element in the difficult process of economic adjustment that they have embarked on. Exports to the United States have helped to sustain the economies of our industrial trading partners, as well, thereby contributing to a healthier world economy.

Some have argued that the strong dollar has cost the U.S. economy something like 2 million jobs since 1980. But it is difficult to conclude that overall U.S. employment and output have been unduly restrained during the past two years by the large trade deficit and, more fundamentally, by the appreciation of the dollar. Employment has increased by 7 million people since the end of 1982. It would be misleading to suggest that last year's trade deficit of \$107 billion could have been simply transformed into an additional \$107 billion of domestic output. Any attempt to demand that much more output from the domestic economy-equivalent to about 3 percent of GNP—would likely have produced higher interest rates, run into capacity constraints, and encountered structural rigidities in the labor market. The result would not have been 3 percent more output but a significantly less favorable U.S. price performance. In the absence of the policies that have led to the capital inflow and the

strong dollar, while losses of jobs from these sources would have been less, so probably would have been the creation of new jobs.

From these perspectives, the effects of the strong dollar and the external deficits are gratifying. However, strains and distortions are evident, for instance, in pressures on our farmers, miners, and producers of capital equipment. All sectors, clearly, have not shared equally in our expansion.

You have asked for my best assessment of the cumulative effects of such deficits upon the U.S. and global economies, and what consequences can be expected if annual trade deficits of the current magnitude should continue to be incurred. I do not believe that the budgetary and trade deficits of the magnitude we are running are sustainable forever, even in a framework of growth and prosperity. They imply a dependence on foreign borrowing by the United States that, left unchecked, will sooner or later undermine the confidence in our economy essential to a strong currency and prospects for lower interest rates.

If the external deficits continue, the United States will become an international debtor country on a rapidly rising scale. Our longstanding position as an international creditor has been a major support to our balance of payments so far. Thanks to the very productive character of some of our foreign assets, the United States had a surplus of investment income averaging more than \$30 billion annually during 1979-81. This surplus has meant that we have been able to tolerate a sizable trade deficit without incurring a deficit in the current account, which combines services and trade. This advantage is rapidly being eroded; indeed, our net investment income fell below \$20 billion in 1984. If these developments are not reversed, the United States may soon find itself in a position where it would have to earn a surplus in the trade balance to cover a deficit on investment income. The longer the situation continues, the more the value of the dollar would have to fall in the long run to generate such a trade surplus.

As a final consequence, the exchange rate pressures and trade imbalances we have been experiencing are generating economic and political pressures toward protection. It is essential that these pressures be resisted. This brings me to the specific questions you have asked me to address this morning.

EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

You have asked me to evaluate various policy approaches that the committee is considering.

One general approach—suggested by the questions on foreign investment and import measures—is increased protection against imports. This would be a gross mistake for many reasons. First, if protectionist measures actually had the effect of appreciably reducing some imports, they would presumably be reflected, other things equal, in still further upward pressures on the dollar. This would intensify the problems experienced by exporters, farmers, and other groups that are not protected. Second, quotes, new tariffs, or import surcharges all act directly to raise prices, and the problem would not be temporary if the effect would be to refuel inflationary expectations—just at a time when so much progress has been made in changing that psychology. Third, protectionism would be particularly troublesome from the point of view of the developing countries. We have encouraged developing countries to adopt sound adjustment policies that will enable them to service their debts, to enhance over time their productive capacity, and to grow. Success is dependent upon their ability to increase exports, and as their exports grow they will also import from the United States and other industrialized countries. But that success will be denied if the United States and other industrial countries protect their own markets from fair competition by developing countries.

In some respects, the situation of the developing country debtors today resembles that of Germany after World War I. Heavy demands were being made upon Germany for payment of war reparations. At the same time, the countries receiving these reparations protected themselves against the imports from Germany, which were the necessary means by which Germany might have paid. Default and financial restrictions were the result.

Finally, protectionist measures would almost certainly provoke retaliation. The worldwide trend toward free trade would be in danger of being reversed. A situation might result, resembling that after the tariffs and other restrictions adopted around the world in the 1930s greatly reduced world trade.

Turning to specific proposals, I would like to focus on plans for a temporary import surcharge. Those proposals are sometimes coupled with other measures to reduce our budget deficit. Such proposals are offered as a relatively painless means of raising government revenue while simultaneously addressing the trade deficit.

One attraction of an import surcharge is that it seems to tax foreign exporters as well as domestic residents. But it is also clear that any benefits, either for our current account balance or for the budget, would be temporary. Lasting effects cannot come from a temporary surcharge. But a surcharge might make other budget measures more difficult to enact. In any event, the surcharge would act directly to raise prices, reduce real income, lower employment, and perhaps raise the value of the dollar.

If this tax is so attractive to the United States, it would certainly be attractive to others as well. Most countries have budget deficits larger than they would like and, with high unemployment, would not be averse to reducing imports. If the surcharge approach is, in effect, legitimized by the United States, other countries might follow our example. That would eliminate any net benefits and also have destructive implications for world trade.

At a more fundamental level, it does not seem consistent to prepare actions to reduce our trade deficit and at the same time welcome the associated capital inflows from abroad. Unless we reduce our budget deficit, success in improving our trade balance, and thus reducing the capital inflow, will intensify pressures on our domestic financial markets, jeopardizing such interest-sensitive sectors of the economy as housing and investment.

In essence, a lasting solution to the problem of our external imbalance rests on simultaneously restoring internal financial equilibrium. There is simply little choice but to take prompt action to reduce our budget deficit over time. Approaches that obscure that basic need will, in the end, not succeed.

This applies also to capital controls—such as payments restrictions, taxes, or surcharges on

incoming foreign investment dollars. If these controls were effective, they would only shift the impact of the nation's budget problems by pushing up interest rates and most likely the value of the dollar. However, such controls are not likely to be effective, given the integration of domestic financial markets with the Euromarket and international financial markets generally. Participants in financial markets are sophisticated enough to find ways around any controls, as they have done in the past. Imposing capital controls in these circumstances would only serve to raise costs and undermine the efficiency of our financial markets and could jeopardize the role of the U.S. dollar as a reserve currency. The experience of the United States with the interest equalization tax and with the so-called "Voluntary Credit Restraint Program" confirms this judgment.

You raised the possibility of a surcharge on oil imports. Imposing a surcharge on oil imports is similar to increasing taxes on oil consumption. This tax should be judged on its merit as an energy policy measure. A smaller tax on oil consumption could yield the same reductions in the budget and trade deficits.

You have asked, as well, whether the floating exchange rate system itself may have contributed to our problems. Swings in exchange rates over the past decade, to be sure, have been extremely wide. They have far exceeded movements needed to establish or restore equilibrium in international trade and payments. Many of these swings must be related mainly to changes in the relative outlooks for interest rates, inflation, and real growth in different countries. A good part of the changes in relative economic outlooks, in turn, can be related to changes in monetary and fiscal policies. Given the stances of monetary and fiscal policies in the United States and abroad during the past four or five vears, it is hard to believe that the Bretton Woods system of pegged exchange rates could have survived. Greater stability of exchange rates, which is greatly to be desired, must be founded, in the first place, on greater convergence of economic performance in all countries, and on policies capable of sustaining that convergence.

Finally, you raised the question of whether the dollar is overvalued. It is sometimes argued that whatever exchange rate prevails in the market at any moment balances demand and supply and therefore cannot be over- or undervalued. In my view, however, it is more meaningful to interpret this question as referring to the effect of the exchange rate on key economic magnitudes, such as the trade balance or the current account, over the medium term. It seems evident that the recent value of the dollar has been clearly inconsistent with even very approximate balance in either the trade or the current account. In this sense, therefore, the dollar's current value is not sustainable over time.

Given this interpretation of our situation, the right policy prescription for dealing with the trade deficit must be to deal with the circumstance that is at the root of the high dollar. This brings me back to the need to reduce the structural deficit in our federal budget. Such action, of course, would not cure all the diverse problems encountered in the various sectors of our economy or the world economy. But a substantial adjustment of the budget toward balance is a necessary first step. It would, other things equal, lead to declines in real interest rates, a depreciation of the dollar in exchange markets, and (with some lag) a reduction in the external deficits.

Statement by Paul A. Volcker, Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, before the Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer, and Monetary Affairs, of the Committee on Government Operations, U.S. House of Representatives, March 27, 1985.

I appreciate the opportunity to appear before this subcommittee to review with you recommendations to reform the federal regulatory structure for financial institutions contained in the Report of the Task Group on Regulation of Financial Services, chaired by Vice President Bush.

I want to state clearly at the outset that we at the Federal Reserve Board support the Task Group recommendations when viewed as a comprehensive and interrelated package.

Obviously, other approaches could have been

taken, and a number were considered. The report, as you explicitly recognized, Mr. Chairman, in your letter to me requesting this testimony, involves "trade-offs" among competing objectives and valid concerns of regulatory policy. Some of those concerns, perhaps inevitably, were weighed differently by different members of the Task Group. Reaching an agreed approach was a difficult process, and necessarily involved a degree of complexity in the specific proposals. But I am satisfied that the net result would be both greater simplification and, in some areas, greater coherence in the regulatory and supervisory processes. Other approaches reviewed by the Task Group could not achieve as much.

Within the general framework of the present proposal, congressional debate and consideration may point to the need for modification. But certain basic elements of the proposed approach, in my judgment, should not be undermined.

You have requested that I be explicit about those areas that are of critical importance to the Federal Reserve or otherwise, in which even seemingly small changes would alter the desired balance and be "fatal" to our continuing endorsement. I will address those points as well as note some areas where we perceive possible problems in implementation that need to be explored more fully in the legislative process.

THE REGULATORY ENVIRONMENT

Reform of the federal regulatory structure for banking institutions is, as you are aware, not a new issue. Through the years there have been many proposals for change, yet the current structure has been in place essentially unchanged for a long time. That history suggests that the present system has responded fairly effectively to continuing and diverse needs. But I share the widening perception that the time has come for change. The overlapping responsibilities among the banking, thrift, and other agencies at a time of rapid technological and institutional change in the financial world has been reflected in increased uncertainties both among those regulated and the regulators. There have been inconsistencies in regulatory rulings or approaches by different agencies, flowing from differing responsibilities under existing law or differing views of how the financial system should evolve. In some instances, a clear locus of responsibility for newly emerging institutions or practices is not clear.

At the same time, I must emphasize as strongly as I can that the present sense of disarray does not arise primarily as a result of jurisdictional questions. Rather, in my judgment, it grows mainly out of the difficulties for any agency in interpreting and carrying out policies set out in existing substantive law. That body of law was developed in a quite different setting many years ago, and markets and institutions have meanwhile been transformed by economic and technological change.

The financial system is adapting, as it must. But those adaptations have often not been guided by clear expressions of public policy enunciated by the Congress in the light of changing circumstances. As things now stand, the pressures for change are reflected in, and potentially distorted by, exploitation of perceived loopholes, reinterpretation of existing laws by regulators and the courts, and actions taken by states with little or no consideration of the implications for the financial system generally. These questions about banking law and congressional intent need urgently to be resolved by fresh expressions of substantive law. They will not be resolved by changing regulatory structure, procedures, or bureaucratic jurisdiction. Instead, it is those substantive questions that breed the appearance of regulatory conflict and inconsistency. Consequently, I would again urge the Congress to proceed as expeditiously as possible to deal with needed changes in substantive law, and to consider administrative structure in that light, rather than the reverse.

The problem becomes steadily more acute with the passage of time. Banks and bank holding companies, and thrifts and their service corporations and holding companies, are expanding interstate and into new product lines—including investment banking, real estate development, and insurance activities—whenever and wherever they can find room through new interpretations of federal law or new state law. Nonbank entities—securities firms, insurance companies, and commercial and retail organizations—are making inroads, where they can, into the banks' traditional franchise in deposit taking and pay-

ments system. In the process, long-established policies set by the Congress are breaking downthe separation of banking and commerce and of commercial banking and investment banking, as well as statutory limitations on interstate branching. Confusion abounds. Equity is lost.

My point is not that all change in these directions is necessarily bad. On the contrary, in some areas the process of change should be facilitated rather than forced into unnatural channels, with full consideration of the implications for safety and soundness, competition, conflicts of interest, and other fundamental continuing considerations of public policy.

It would make little sense to move ahead on the question of regulatory structure without first resolving these underlying substantive issues. The entire complex of issues—summed up in "nonbank banks," "nonthrift thrifts," the relationship between state and federal banking powers, expanded powers for bank holding compaand interstate banking—should considered and decided as quickly as possible. I know that many of these issues still are controversial within the affected industries. But I also know that no administrative structure can be expected to work well without a fresh sense of direction from the Congress as to these basic issues.

THE GOALS OF FINANCIAL REGULATION

Government regulation of the financial system, in general, and of depository institutions, in particular-both commercial banks and thriftshas been intended to serve a variety of objectives. The most prominent among these is commonly referred to as "safety and soundness." That goal is directly related to protecting individual depositors but also has profound implications for the operation of the financial system and the economy as a whole.

Commercial banks, in particular, are custodians of the largest share of the money supply, liquid assets, and the payments system. The stability of one part of the banking system rests increasingly on the soundness of the whole as the interrelationships among institutions become even more complex. In the last analysis, prospects for growth and stability in the economy as a whole must be premised on a strong and stable financial system.

In recognition of that fact, the federal government has long provided a strong "safety net" for depository institutions, reflected primarily in the assistance available at times of need from the Federal Reserve, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board (FHLBB), the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), and the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation (FSLIC). And that "safety net" is logically paralleled by a system of supervision and regulation designed to keep risks manageable.

At the same time, the regulatory and supervisory apparatus is designed to achieve other continuing objectives. These objectives include protection from conflicts of interest, fraud, and other abuses, encouragement of competition and avoidance of excessive concentrations of financial power, and promotion of certain social objectives, such as consumer protection and, traditionally, access to mortgage credit.

These objectives have spawned a variety of federal agencies and approaches, and the responsibilities are shared between the federal and the state governments. Legislation at the federal and the state levels can set out in relatively broad terms the boundaries between acceptable and unacceptable behavior, and the responsibilities of different agencies. But substantial elements of discretion by those administering the laws are inherent in the process.

Regulations issued by those agencies elaborate the general principles enunciated by law in more detailed form, and, in effect, amplify and clarify the public policies set out by the Congress. Supervision and examination is a process by which government agencies seek to assure, on a case-by-case basis, appropriate compliance with relevant laws and regulation, involving the application of professional expertise, judgment, and discretion. One technique of supervision and regulation may be to encourage or require financial disclosures, seeking by that method to protect the public and to encourage natural market disciplines on financial institutions and other participants in financial markets.

As with any complex set of objectives, specific situations often arise in which the goals of financial regulation are in conflict, and there is a need to choose or balance between the attainment of one and the others in greater or lesser degree. Moreover, the weights society places on these goals may change over time. Finally, the specific techniques used to attain these goals may need to be modified over time because of changes in financial conditions or practices.

All of this is the backdrop to any consideration of reform of the administrative apparatus. None of it suggests that any simple formula provides an all-encompassing answer. What we need is a workable balance, adequately reflecting the public priorities involved.

SOME GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS IN MODIFYING THE REGULATORY STRUCTURE

In approaching the particular issues of administrative structure, several potentially conflicting considerations need to be taken into account.

First, the regulatory and supervisory structure should encourage a high degree of continuity, consistency, independence, and professionalism. That points toward an "arms-length" relationship to the regulated industries and to a high degree of insulation from narrow political pressures, particularly in the quasijudicial "casework" of examinations and supervision. But it is also true that regulation and supervision must be alert and responsive to the legitimate needs of the affected industries—we need a strong and competitive banking and financial system—and to the basic policies enunciated by our elected representatives in the Congress.

Second, the regulatory and supervisory process should be as simple and cohesive as possible—an objective emphasized by the Bush Task Group in the light of the sheer mass of regulation and the layers of overlapping and sometimes conflicting authority that have developed over time. But simplicity pursued singlemindedly implies a degree of consolidation that may conflict with a desirable element of checks and balances and experimentation. One issue in this respect is the appropriate role for the state regulatory authorities within the context of the "dual banking system." Another issue is the extent to which conditions still justify separate regulatory and supervisory treatment for thrift institutions that

have come to closely resemble banks in their powers and functions.

Third, the question of the appropriate degree of coordination with related areas of public policy can arise in several guises. For instance, any Secretary of the Treasury, in the light of his broad responsibilities as the chief financial officer of an administration, will have a continuing interest in the functioning of financial markets and institutions, in the soundness of the insurance funds, and in the general direction of regulatory policy. That interest can be and is expressed through the administration's role in the legislative process. In the present system, it also has a tangible reflection in the location of the Comptroller of the Currency within the Treasury, in the Secretary's participation in the Depository Institutions Deregulation Committee, and in more informal consultative arrangements.

Fourth, even more immediate are the concerns of a central bank. By law and custom, here and in other industrialized countries, the central bank is and must be concerned about the stability and functioning of the financial system as a whole and the banking system in particular. Indeed, this was the primary concern in establishing the Federal Reserve, and the Federal Reserve has always had a substantial presence in both the regulation and the supervision of banking institutions. In fact, the Congress has substantially increased the Federal Reserve's regulatory and supervisory responsibilities over the years.

Beyond the specifics of legislation, I also believe it apparent that the Congress and the public at large have looked to the Federal Reserve to take a lead role in anticipating and in dealing with financial problems that impact the financial system as a whole. In the light of our responsibilities for monetary policy and as lender of last resort, it is hard for me to see how it could be otherwise. The obvious and essential corollary is that the Federal Reserve must have enough involvement in the ongoing regulatory and supervisory effort to provide it with the knowledge, the expertise, and the tools necessary to discharge those responsibilities.

We believe that the Task Group proposals adequately recognize those fundamental concerns. Conceptually, those concerns could be met by other arrangements, some of them potentially more desirable from our perspective. At

the same time, a basically different approach would raise concerns from other perspectives. So long as the provisions bearing on our ability to discharge our responsibilities remain as outlined in the Task Group proposals, we are satisfied that the Federal Reserve will be able to meet its responsibilities effectively.

THE FEDERAL RESERVE AND FINANCIAL REGULATION¹

In light of the critical importance of the point, it may be worth amplifying the interconnection of responsibilities for monetary policy and financial regulation and supervision. Both, at their roots, are concerned with a stable, smoothly functioning financial system. More specifically, the banking system and other depository institutions provide the critical mechanism for transmitting monetary policy impulses to the economy, and those impulses work more broadly through financial markets. Ideally, that system will have the strength, the resiliency, and the competitiveness to adapt to changes in economic conditions and monetary policy while maintaining the continuity in services and the confidence of the public. If there are weak spots or fragilities in the system, they could well bear upon monetary policy decisions. The Federal Reserve must be in a position to sense emerging vulnerabilities.

Conversely, the Federal Reserve has inherent powers to deal with dislocations in the banking system, through the discount window and otherwise. Effective exercise of those powers implies ongoing knowledge of the condition of the financial system, and requires expertise, manpower, and experience to deal with points of trouble. The actions taken—for instance, through the discount window—in turn, may have market and monetary effects, which need to be taken into account in the conduct of monetary policy.

The points are not theoretical. Within the past year the Federal Reserve has necessarily had to consider appropriate responses—including the provision of needed liquidity—to counter threats to systemic stability and confidence implicit in the problems of the Continental Illinois Bank, of the agricultural sector, and of the state-chartered, privately insured savings and loans in the state of Ohio. More broadly, management of the international debt problem has had clear systemic implications. Each of these problems had different causes and different implications for the financial markets and the economy. Each problem required a response from the central bank. And, unless contained, each could have had implications for monetary policy.

While the need for a close familiarity with the operations of banking institutions and for adequate authority is dramatically important during times of financial distress, the need is ongoing. We have a natural interest in encouraging a strong banking structure and a payments system on a continuing basis to minimize the possibility of crises and to maintain the effectiveness of monetary policy. While that general goal can be and is shared by others, I doubt that, without a strong ongoing Federal Reserve voice in the evolution of the system, these concerns will be appropriately balanced with other objectives.

Policies such as those affecting capital and liquidity standards, the "toughness" of examinations, loan-loss provisioning, and information disclosure can have great significance for the effectiveness of monetary policy as well as for the stability of the entire financial system. Conflicts will inevitably arise in these areas as they are approached from different perspectives. Those conflicts need to be resolved, and I believe the perspective of the central bank is one essential part of a satisfactory resolution.

In sum, to be effective in carrying out its interrelated responsibilities for monetary policy and the stability of the banking and financial system, the Federal Reserve needs to maintain a strong position as a "hands-on" regulator and a supervisor, not just as an adviser or a bystander. Specifically, we must have a sufficient level of supervisory and regulatory authority so that we can accomplish the following: (1) retain a well-informed, able, and motivated staff in these areas, able to understand markets and institutions; (2) act forcefully to deal with emerging problems; and (3) play an active role in shaping

^{1.} The attachments to this statement are available on request from Publications Services, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

public policy toward banking and financial regulation.

CURRENT ROLE OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE

The Congress has long recognized the need for the Federal Reserve to maintain an active role in bank supervision and regulation. These criteria are broadly satisfied by present arrangements.

Our specific jurisdictions are as the primary federal regulator of state member banks, bank holding companies, and certain activities of foreign banks operating in the United States and of U.S. banks operating abroad. While the Comptroller is the primary regulator and the supervisor of national banks, the Board has residual supervisory jurisdiction by virtue of the banks' membership in the Federal Reserve System.

With the growing numbers and activities of holding companies, regulatory authority in this area has assumed increased importance. Centralization of the authority has helped assure a substantial core of consistency in regulation of banking institutions and their affiliates throughout the country, especially with respect to the involvement of banks in nonbanking activities and in activities involving interstate locations. Many bank holding companies already engage in nonbanking activities nationwide, and as more and more states join regional interstate banking compacts or otherwise engage in interstate deposit taking, the regulation of bank holding companies will take on even greater significance.

The Congress has also entrusted the Board with broad rulemaking authority in a variety of other areas affecting both state and national banks. Some of these areas, such as reserve requirements, are an integral part of monetary policy. Other areas include margin requirements, enforcement of some Glass-Steagall Act provisions, limits on loans to insiders, limits on loans to affiliates, Truth in Lending, and certain other consumer statutes. Some of the responsibilities peripheral to our "core" functions as a central bank could reasonably be lodged elsewhere.

In general, present arrangements permit us to maintain a capability with respect to relevant facets of the banking business essential to the performance of our central banking responsibilities. Through the regional Reserve Banks, that presence is maintained in all parts of the country.

THE TASK GROUP RECOMMENDATIONS

The Task Group recommendations for regulation of banking institutions would, as I will describe in a moment, change some of the supervisory and regulatory responsibilities of the Federal Reserve, decreasing them in some areas while strengthening them in others. Taken as a whole, the recommendations, at least at a conceptual level, would continue to satisfy our needs as a central bank, and on balance should lead to an effective and somewhat simpler supervisory structure as a whole.

The recommendations would centralize in the Federal Reserve, for the first time, all federal supervision and regulation of federally insured, state-chartered banks. At present, the Board's direct responsibilities for state-chartered banks is limited to the minority that choose to be members of the Federal Reserve System. In assuming responsibility for other state-chartered banks, we would also have primary responsibility for establishing and monitoring a program under which qualifying states could be certified to assume much of the federal supervision of state banking organizations.

The Board would continue to regulate and supervise the largest bank holding companies—so-called "international class bank holding companies"—regardless of the charter class of their lead bank. Authority over holding companies in which the lead bank is state chartered would also continue. Our residual authority over national banks, by virtue of their membership in the Federal Reserve System, would remain unchanged. The Board also would retain its current jurisdiction over foreign bank holding companies operating in the United States as well as over U.S. banks operating foreign branches.

At the same time, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency would assume the title of "Federal Banking Agency" (FBA) and, as an executive branch agency, would remain attached to the Treasury Department.² The agency would re-

^{2.} The term "executive branch agency," in Task Group terminology, implies that the agency director would report to the Secretary of the Treasury on broad policy issues and on overall budget and staffing to maintain conformity with administration programs in these areas.

main the primary supervisor of national banks. Apart from international class organizations, the agency would also supervise and regulate bank holding companies in which a national bank is the lead bank. It would become the initiating agency in deciding upon nonbanking activities appropriate for all bank holding companies.

The recommendations reflect several concerns of the Task Group. The concept of more than one federal bank regulator is retained, despite the complications, partly to maintain checks and balances as a safeguard against undue concentration of regulatory power. Insofar as possible, consistent with other objectives, the Task Group wished to provide a single supervisor for a bank and its holding company, sacrificing assured uniformity among all bank holding companies to achieve that objective. Also, incentives would be provided for a greater role for state supervisory authorities.

As indicated earlier, the essential needs of the central bank are respected. In retaining the basic institutional structure for the regulation of national banks, the Secretary of the Treasury is afforded a direct avenue for continuing input and influence on regulatory policies and direct access to expertise.

The role of the FDIC under the report's recommendations would be limited essentially to administering the federal deposit insurance system. The composition of the FDIC board would consist of three presidential appointees, with the Director of the FBA and the Chairman of the Federal Reserve serving as nonvoting members.

The extent to which the insurer of banks needs to remain involved in the active continuing supervision of banks was a matter of considerable discussion and was resolved by providing the FDIC with expanded powers to monitor all troubled insured banks that pose a direct threat to the FDIC insurance fund, as well as a sample of nontroubled banks, in cooperation with the primary supervisor. However, the FDIC's current day-to-day supervision, examination, and regulation of state nonmember banks would be transferred to the Federal Reserve Board or state agencies that have been certified by the Board to assume such responsibilities.

The recommendations regarding state banks provide a substantial opportunity for simplification, both by reducing the number of federal agencies involved and by working toward less overlap with the states. The structure of the Federal Reserve, which through 12 District Federal Reserve Banks has strong regional roots and contact with local banking institutions, should enhance prospects for fruitful cooperation with state authorities.

Bank Holding Company Regulation

One of the most significant changes in the structure of bank regulation recommended by the report is the division of supervisory and regulatory authority over bank holding companies, as opposed to the present centralization in the Federal Reserve Board.

Division of BHC Regulation. The report's goal of reducing the number of regulators overseeing particular banking organizations is straightforward. The advantages are strongest in the case of those bank holding companies with only one subsidiary bank, and with a parent company that is essentially a shell with no significant nonbanking operations of its own. That is true of the vast number of bank holding companies—more than 5,000 out of the total of about 6,100.

The merits are more ambiguous in the case of multibank holding companies (of which there are more than 600) with a combination of state and national bank subsidiaries that would be regulated by the Comptroller, by the Federal Reserve, and by one or more state supervisors. In these cases, the goal of a single regulator of bank and holding company cannot be achieved, although the bulk of the banking assets would ordinarily be under the same supervision as the parent holding company.

At a practical level, friction could arise as the asset size of banks within a holding company varies over time, calling for a different federal supervisor of the holding company. Indeed, some bank holding companies may find it advantageous to shift the charters or the assets of their subsidiary banks to switch from one regulator to another. The recommendations thus introduce into holding company supervision at least the theoretical possibility of "forum shopping" or "competition in laxity" not present in the existing bank holding company regulatory structure.

These jurisdictional questions could become

more difficult given the trend toward interstate banking and the regional banking compacts being enacted by many states. As an increasing number of bank holding companies have subsidiary state banks in a number of states, delegation of authority over the holding company could become complicated and contentious.

International Class Bank Holding Companies. The report recommends that the Federal Reserve Board retain its jurisdiction over the so-called international class bank holding companies—those holding companies owning or controlling U.S. banks with foreign branches or material foreign banking subsidiaries, or companies with total assets in excess of one-half of 1 percent of aggregate bank holding company assets (approximately \$12.5 billion at present). (As more banking institutions establish international operations or cross the threshold of relative size, they would be added to the international class grouping).

This recommendation, while retaining a situation in which the holding company supervisor may be different from the lead bank supervisor, recognizes that the supervision and the regulation of large banking institutions inherently carry important implications for the stability of the domestic and international financial system as a whole. Those implications are directly related to the broader responsibilities of the Federal Reserve, and treatment should be uniform.

Nonbank Activities. The recommendations in the report contemplate that the Federal Banking Agency (rather than the Federal Reserve, as at present) take the initiative in determining the scope of nonbanking activities for all bank holding companies. The main ground for that proposal appears to be a sense that these decisions affecting the structure of the banking system might better be made by an executive branch agency more assuredly responsive to administration policy and philosophy. These decisions once made are not practically reversible and can profoundly affect the structure of financial markets. Our concern is that the decisions do not undercut the stability of the banking system and its safety and soundness, given the inherent interdependence and interconnection among parts of a holding company organization.

In recognition of those concerns, the report

proposes that the Federal Reserve Board retain a right to veto any activity determined to be permissible for bank holding companies by the Director of the Federal Banking Agency if, by a two-thirds vote, the Board determines that the activity would "undermine the stability of the banking system or have a serious adverse effect on safe and sound financial practices." Clearly, exercise of that veto would require, and is intended to require, a strong sense of conviction on the part of the Board, and would likely be exercised only rarely. Differences of opinion between the Federal Banking Agency and the Board about the suitability of specific nonbank activities should normally be resolved by informal consultation. Clearly, the specificity of substantive legislation delineating the appropriate range of activities for bank holding companies would be important. In any event, the Congress will have to decide the degree to which it is appropriate to provide latitude for these decisions by an executive branch agency headed by an individual.

State Certification Program

The report recommends that the operational examination and supervisory responsibilities for state-chartered banks be transferred to the extent practicable to state agencies as those agencies are "certified" as having the capability to assume such responsibilties. The Federal Reserve Board would be charged with administering such certification procedures and with monitoring their performance. However, the basic criteria for certification would be determined by a majority of the Federal Reserve Board, the Federal Banking Agency, and the FDIC. While cumbersome, that procedure would help assure that the interests of each federal agency are taken into account. We believe that the concept that state regulators could potentially play a larger role in the detailed supervision and examination of state institutions, when the resources are adequate to perform that function, is valid. For many banking institutions, particularly of smaller size, duplicative examinations would be avoided. Moreover, the states would have stronger incentives to provide needed professional resources.

State banks would, in any event, continue to

be subject to the substantive provisions of federal law, when applicable, and state regulatory agencies would be required, as a prerequisite for certification, to demonstrate their ability and willingness to ensure compliance by state banks with federal law.

States that desire that their regulatory agencies also be certified to supervise bank holding companies when a state bank is the lead bank would be required to adopt a law no less restrictive than the Federal Bank Holding Company Act. The Federal Reserve, as the federal regulator of those banks and bank holding companies, would maintain sufficient oversight to ensure that state banking departments were fulfilling all their commitments.

We envisage that the certification process would proceed with some flexibility, probably involving different levels of certification (and Federal Reserve participation in examinations), depending on the size and activities of the banking organization. In many states, for instance, the most rapid progress toward full reliance on state examinations would likely be with smaller and medium-sized institutions. However, states with demonstrably strong banking departments would be expected in time to assume a primary role in all but the international class institutions.

Effective administration would depend heavily on close working relationships between the regional Reserve Banks and the state authorities. The Federal Reserve Board will strongly encourage close cooperation, and is prepared to work with states in training programs for examiners and in developing common supervisory approaches.

Simplified BHC Regulation

The report calls for streamlined reporting requirements and for elimination of restrictions on the opening or relocation of bank holding company nonbanking offices. The report also would substitute a notice procedure for the current application procedures for bank holding company acquisitions and activities. These recommendations would, in part, simply codify some changes that the Federal Reserve Board has already implemented and would faciliate further simplification.

Antitrust, Securities, and Margin Responsibilities

The Task Group recommends that the competitive effects of mergers and acquisitions be reviewed exclusively by the Justice Department under normal antitrust standards, rather than, in the first instance, by the banking agencies as at present.3 Similarly, the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) would assume the current responsibilities of the banking agencies to administer and enforce the disclosure and other requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 for bank securities—matters that already conform to SEC policy direction. While present procedures do not appear to have posed serious problems for the industry or the agencies, these steps toward "functional regulation" could result in some limited but useful simplification.

The report also makes certain recommendations with respect to margin requirements on stocks and options. The Board's regulations are now consistent with some of the technical recommendations.

More importantly, the Board recently sent to the Congress a comprehensive study of federal regulation of margin requirements. We have proposed that the Congress establish a general regulatory framework for setting margins on securities, on options, and on futures based on securities, possibly through a self-regulatory body with federal oversight. We would recommend that the appropriate congressional committees consider that study, and we would be glad to work with the SEC and with the Congress to prepare implementing legislation.

Deposit Insurance Reform

The Task Group recommendations include several proposals to reform the federal deposit insurance system. These recommendations include the adoption of common minimum capital standards for insurance purposes and common accounting rules by the FDIC and the FHLBB by a fixed date (such as within seven years). They also call for authority for risk-sharing for unin-

Financial and managerial criteria would continue to be developed and administered by the banking agencies, and competitive criteria could be overridden in the case of failing banks.

sured depositors and risk-related insurance premiums.

Equity alone would suggest that banks and thrifts should have common capital and accounting standards, especially as thrifts become more like banks in the types of activities they can and do participate in. Recently the FHLBB adopted new capital requirements designed to tighten and strengthen the net worth positions of thrift institutions in recognition of greater risk-taking by them. This would narrow somewhat the gap between capital required for banks and thrifts, but that gap is very large and should, as suggested by the report, be closed over time.

The proposals for authorizing risk-sharing and risk-related insurance premiums have been made in legislation previously proposed by the FDIC. The broader issues involved in deposit insurance reform have recently been reviewed by the Working Group of the Cabinet Council on Economic Affairs. The Federal Reserve was not a direct part of that effort, and the Board has not taken a position on their recommendations.

The Board does believe, however, that a variety of issues that have arisen with respect to deposit insurance do deserve active study and that some change would be appropriate. We also believe that the prospect of change should be approached with great care and deliberation given the sensitivity in terms of the confidence of depositors and the stability of the banking system. We would urge that these issues be approached on their merits, separate and apart from administrative reform of the regulatory framework.

CONCLUSION

The Bush Task Group Report is the most comprehensive review of the federal regulatory structure pertaining to financial markets and institutions that has been made for many years. Its main thrust and purpose is to achieve simplification by reducing overlapping jurisdiction and avoiding unnecessary regulation. As the discussion proceeded, it also became evident that certain fundamental and lasting objectives of the regulatory process, and the legitimate needs of different agencies charged with policy responsibility, inevitably posed complications for any reform plan.

In our judgment at the Federal Reserve, the report outlines a reasonable and a practical approach toward reconciling these conflicting objectives, building on experience and the strengths of the current structure. Specifically, the particular needs that we perceive as crucial to the effective conduct of monetary policy and our responsibilities for helping to ensure the stability of the financial system are respected. While other approaches are clearly conceptually possible consistent with our needs, we commend the report to you as the base for a practical legislative program.

As I emphasized at the start, however, the sense of confusion in banking and financial regulation stems largely from basic economic and technological change that has outmoded much of the substantive law that the various agencies must interpret and administer. No reshuffling of regulatory authorities will be satisfactory without resolving those substantive matters.

I believe that there is a wide area of conceptual consensus and agreement on several fronts-on what a "bank" is and should be; on the desirability of retaining a broad separation of banking and commerce; on the need to redefine a "thrift"; and on simplification of procedures under the Bank Holding Company Act. While more contentious, the time has come to reach a new consensus on such matters as the appropriate range of discretion by states in authorizing new activities for banks or bank holding companies that may conflict with safety and soundness or other basic aspects of federal policy, on the appropriate range of additional nonbanking activities for bank holding companies, and on a rational approach to interstate banking. These issues have been before the Congress for some time. They urgently need to be settled.

The Federal Reserve Board clearly has a great and continuing interest in all these issues. We stand ready to work with your subcommittee as you proceed with your examination and deliberations.

Announcements

MODIFICATION OF SEASONAL CREDIT PROGRAM

The Federal Reserve Board has announced a two-part modification in its seasonal credit program. The changes are designed to provide further assurance that small- and medium-sized agricultural banks can meet temporary liquidity requirements that might arise in accommodating the needs of their farm borrowers over the forthcoming planting and production cycle.

While the great bulk of farm banks appear to have adequate liquidity, the modifications are designed to ensure that liquidity strains do not hamper the necessary flow of credit in various local areas. The modified program to meet seasonal liquidity needs complements loan guarantee actions taken by the administration to help assure a necessary flow of credit to agriculture.

The seasonal credit program, which has been in place for many years, provides access to discount window borrowing for institutions that demonstrate recurring financing needs related to seasonal fluctuations in their deposit flows and loan demands. The program has been modified by (1) certain changes that liberalize amounts available under the regular program and (2) addition of a temporary simplified program, which may be used as an alternative.

Modification of Regular Program

The regular seasonal program requires an institution to fund a portion of the seasonal swing in its net need for funds (computed from past and projected patterns of deposit and loan variations) from its own resources before it can borrow from the Federal Reserve. The Board has reduced the amount that a bank must fund from its own liquidity.

The formula for computing this deductible has been changed from 4 to 2 percent of the first \$100

million in deposits and from 7 to 6 percent of the second \$100 million in deposits, while remaining at 10 percent of deposits of more than \$200 million. This change will allow a borrowing institution, especially a smaller one, to obtain a greater portion of its seasonal needs for funds from the Federal Reserve.

Also, discount officers will be taking a more flexible approach to the administration of the seasonal credit program, particularly in judging whether there are special factors under current circumstances in the farm economy that would modify evaluation of seasonal swings based on historical data. Reserve Banks will be making special efforts to acquaint depository institutions with both the regular and temporary seasonal credit facilities.

Temporary Simplified Program

The temporary simplified program will be available as an alternative through September to smaller banks actively engaged in agricultural lending and with no or limited access to the national money market. Such banks generally would have less than \$200 million in deposits and would have a ratio of loans to farmers or of farm real estate to total loans greater than 17 percent (the average for the banking system of the ratio at each bank of farm loans to total loans). Banks with loan-to-deposit ratios of 60 percent or more would be eligible.

For banks that qualify for the program, credit at the discount window would be available to fund half their total loan growth in excess of 2 percent from a base level, either the average for February or for the two weeks just before submission of an application. Credit under this program may not exceed 5 percent of a bank's deposits. It is expected that credit will be used primarily to fund loans for agricultural or agricultural-related purposes.

Exceptions under the program may be made at the discretion of a Reserve Bank for banks particularly affected by agricultural credit conditions and that lack ready access to national money markets.

As a matter of policy, borrowing under this program would be repaid as the seasonal credit needs abate. In no case should such borrowing, including renewals, be outstanding beyond February 1986.

Interest on credit advanced under the special seasonal borrowing program will be set at a rate that will remain fixed during the time that the credit is outstanding. The rate was initially set at 8½ percent, a rate between the basic discount rate and the rate on extended credit that is outstanding for more than 60 days. The rate for new loans may be changed as the basic discount rate and extended credit rates are changed.

Banks may borrow under either the regular or the temporary seasonal program. They may shift between programs, but may not borrow under both at the same time.

The Board also stressed that the discount window would be available on a regular adjustment or extended credit basis when unusual demands developed in local areas as a result of the agricultural credit situation.

SUSPENSION OF PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS TO ACQUIRE NONBANK BANKS

The Federal Reserve Board announced on March 15, 1985, that it is suspending further processing of pending applications from bank holding companies to acquire nonbank banks.

The Board acted as a result of the recent decision by a U.S. District Court preliminarily enjoining the Comptroller of the Currency from issuing final charters for nonbank banks. The Court's action, unless reversed or limited, eliminates the ability of bank holding companies to open nationally chartered nonbank banks.

In light of the fact that the applications can no longer be consummated, the Board has decided to suspend action on the applications during the time that the Court's injunction is in effect. If the issues raised by the District Court opinion are

resolved in a manner allowing the Comptroller to grant final charters for nonbank banks, the Board would act on these applications promptly upon their refiling.

The Board also returned a similar application from Citicorp to acquire a North Carolina industrial bank, pending resolution of Citicorp's appeal of the North Carolina Banking Commissioner's decision denying Citicorp's application under state law.

ELIMINATION OF FRACTIONAL AVAILABILITY CREDITING OPTION

The Federal Reserve Board has approved a proposal to eliminate the fractional availability crediting option offered to depository institutions for the recovery of Federal Reserve interterritory check float. The Board's action will become effective September 1, 1986.

The Board took this action because experience with the fractional availability crediting option has indicated that the option would not provide for the full recovery of float from those institutions generating it.

The Board also approved a continuation of the current moratorium on permitting additional depository institutions to select this crediting option. Reserve Banks will continue to provide the fractions, on request, to depository institutions.

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS G AND U

The Board has adopted a technical amendment, effective April 19, 1985, to Regulations G (Securities Credit by Persons Other than Banks, Brokers, or Dealers) and U (Credit by Banks for the Purpose of Purchasing or Carrying Margin Stocks) to exclude face-amount certificates from the definition of "margin stock." A face-amount certificate is a security, which promises to pay an investor a fixed sum of money at a fixed future date in return for a designated payment, and is issued by an investment company that is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940. As permitted by the Investment Company Act, face-amount certificates have built-in credit features. Also, the Board's final action allows

broker-dealers to sell these instruments without being considered in violation of the credit-arranging provision of Regulation T.

CHANGES IN OFFICIAL COMMENTARIES ON REGULATIONS E AND Z

The Federal Reserve Board has published, in final form, changes in the official staff commentaries on Regulations E (Electronic Fund Transfers) and Z (Truth in Lending).

The major changes to the official staff commentary on Regulation E pertain to unauthorized transfers, specifically forced initiation, and to unsolicited issuance of personal identification numbers (PINs). Some technical changes to the commentary were also made.

The revisions to the official staff commentary to Regulation Z address such matters as the assumption provision, surcharges, discounted variable-rate disclosures, and implementation of the statutory change to the right of rescission in open-end credit.

PROPOSED ACTIONS

The Federal Reserve Board has issued for public comment revisions to Regulation B (Equal Credit Opportunity) that would simplify the regulation and update some of its provisions. Comment is requested by June 14, 1985.

The Federal Reserve Board has also issued for public comment a proposed amendment to Regulation G (Securities Credit by Persons Other than Banks, Brokers, or Dealers) that would give savings and loan associations and other lenders the same authority as banks to extend credit to employee stock ownership plans. Comment is requested by April 19.

The Board has issued for comment proposed amendments to update Regulation J (Collection of Checks and Other Items and Wire Transfers of Funds). Comment is requested by May 21.

CHANGES IN BOARD STAFF

The Board on March 11 took several steps to restructure the management of its computing and information services. These steps were designed to establish the management team and organizational structure for accomplishing the goals and reflect a new direction that places greater emphasis on the Board's computing and information services and accelerates the transition toward end-user computing.

The Board's actions include the restructuring of the current Division of Data Processing into two new divisions of distinctly separable functions—the Division of Computing Services and the Division of Information Services-and the selection of officers to manage these divisions.

The two new divisions will be organized and managed as follows:

Bruce M. Beardsley, formerly Deputy Director of the Division of Data Processing, became Director of the Division of Computing Services. Other officers in the Division are the following:

- Thomas C. Judd, Assistant Director, with responsibility for overseeing the Contingency Processing Center in Culpeper, Virginia, where he had been Manager.
- Elizabeth B. Riggs, Assistant Director, with responsibility for the Computer Operations Branch.
- Robert J. Zemel, Assistant Director, with responsibility for the Computing Systems Branch.

William R. Jones became the Director of the Division of Information Services, Mr. Jones had been the Assistant Director for the Program Improvement Project. Other officers in the Division are the following:

- Stephen R. Malphrus, Assistant Director, was formerly Assistant Staff Director for Office Automation and Technology in the Office of Staff Director for Management, and this function will transfer to the User Services and Applications Branch in the Division of Information Services.
- Richard J. Manasseri, Assistant Director, with responsibility for the Banking Systems Statistics Branch.
- William C. Schneider, Jr., Assistant Director, with responsibility for the Data Services Branch.

Charles L. Hampton, formerly Director of the Division of Data Processing, assumes the position of Senior Technical Adviser in the Office of Staff Director for Management.

PUBLICATION OF STAFF STUDY

Small Empirical Models of Exchange Market Intervention: Applications to Canada, Germany, and Japan, Staff Study 135, has been published. This study, written by Deborah J. Danker, Richard A. Haas, Dale W. Henderson, Steven A. Symansky, and Ralph W. Tryon, is the last in a series of ten studies on intervention written by members of the staffs of the U.S. Department of the Treasury and of the Federal Reserve System. They are published as Staff Studies 126–135; single copies may be obtained free of charge from Publications Services, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP: ADMISSION OF STATE BANKS

The following banks were admitted to membership in the Federal Reserve System during the period March 1 through April 1, 1985:

Arizona	
Avondale	Columbia Bank
Ohio	
Columbus	Trustcorp Company
Texas	
Waco	Waco State Bank

Record of Policy Actions of the Federal Open Market Committee

MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 12–13, 1985

1. Domestic Policy Directive

The information reviewed at this meeting suggested that the rate of economic expansion strengthened in late 1984. For the fourth quarter as a whole, growth in real gross national product picked up to an annual rate of about 4 percent, according to the preliminary estimate of the Commerce Department, from about 1½ percent in the third quarter, and there was evidence of continued moderate expansion in early 1985. The pickup in growth from the third to the fourth quarter was attributable in large part to stronger domestic final demand and a reduction in the current account deficit with foreign countries after a sharp further widening of that deficit in the third quarter. Broad measures of prices and wages generally continued to rise in 1984 at rates close to those recorded in 1983.

Industrial production increased 1.0 percent in the November-December period, offsetting the declines in the preceding two months, and preliminary indications suggested a further gain in January. The December rise was broadly based, in contrast to the increase in November, which was concentrated in the automotive category. The index of industrial capacity utilization moved up to 81.9 percent in December, but remained almost 1 percentage point below its recent high in mid-1984.

Nonfarm payroll employment, adjusted for strike activity, rose more than 300,000 further in January. The largest gain occurred at retail trade establishments, but employment growth was also strong in services and in construction, where unseasonably mild weather boosted hiring in both December and early January. In manufacturing, employment rose moderately after a large gain in December, and the length of the work-

week edged down but remained above the average level in the fourth quarter. Despite the continued rise in employment, the civilian unemployment rate increased slightly to 7.4 percent, as the civilian labor force grew substantially.

Retail sales rose 0.7 percent in January, continuing at about the same pace as the average for November and December. Much of the January rise was attributable to sales at automotive outlets. Sales of new domestic automobiles were at an annual rate of 8½ million units, about 1 million units higher than the average in the fourth quarter of 1984. Stores selling primarily discretionary items such as general merchandise, apparel, furniture, and appliances registered a marked decline in sales in January, after substantial increases in the final months of 1984.

The decline in housing activity that had characterized the second half of 1984 appeared to be ending as the year drew to a close. Total private housing starts, though down about 6 percent in the fourth quarter as a whole to an annual rate below 1.6 million units, edged up in the November–December period, and sales of existing homes rose somewhat over the final two months of the year.

Business fixed investment spending continued to grow in the fourth quarter, although at a less rapid pace than in the first three quarters of 1984. Shipments of nondefense capital goods increased moderately in the fourth quarter, and spending on nonresidential construction advanced substantially. In contrast, new orders for plant and equipment fell in December and over the fourth quarter as a whole.

Some imbalances in business inventories had developed during 1984, but businesses appeared to have made substantial progress toward attaining desired inventory levels, and in some sectors inventories relative to sales were quite lean.

Investment in business inventories slowed markedly in late fall, largely in response to the earlier weakness in orders and sales. In November, stocks at all manufacturing and trade establishments were little changed in real terms, after average monthly increases in the range of \$20 billion to \$25 billion at an annual rate during prior months in 1984.

In December, the producer price index for finished goods and the consumer price index edged up 0.1 percent and 0.2 percent respectively. During 1984 the rise in producer prices was 1.8 percent, compared with 0.6 percent in 1983, while the increase of 4 percent in consumer prices was about the same as that in the previous year. The advance in the average hourly earnings index was 3.0 percent last year, compared with 3.9 percent in 1983.

The foreign exchange value of the dollar rose about 5½ percent to a new high over the intermeeting period. After the announcement on January 17 by the G-5 Ministers of Finance and Central Bank Governors regarding coordinated intervention in exchange markets, and subsequent exchange market operations, the dollar tended to stabilize. The rise resumed in early February, apparently in association with a perception that the outlook for economic activity in the United States was improving without signs of a strengthening in inflationary pressures. The U.S. merchandise trade deficit declined sharply in December and for the fourth quarter as a whole, primarily because imports dropped substantially from the high rate in the third quarter. Nevertheless, the trade deficit for 1984 totaled nearly \$108 billion, compared with \$61 billion in 1983.

At its meeting on December 17–18, 1984, the Committee had adopted a directive that called for some further reduction in the degree of restraint on reserve positions. The members expected that such an approach to policy implementation would be consistent with growth of M1, M2, and M3 at annual rates of around 7, 9, and 9 percent respectively during the four-month period from November to March. Given the estimated shortfall in growth of M1 for the fourth quarter relative to the Committee's expectations at the beginning of the period, the members agreed that somewhat more rapid growth would

be acceptable, particularly if the faster growth occurred in the context of sluggish expansion in economic activity and continued strength of the dollar in foreign exchange markets. The Committee also indicated that greater restraint on reserve positions might be acceptable if growth in the monetary aggregates were substantially more rapid than expected and if there were indications that economic activity and inflationary pressures were strengthening significantly. The intermeeting range for the federal funds rate was set at 6 to 10 percent.

After growing little on balance since early summer, M1 expanded at estimated annual rates of about 10½ and 9 percent respectively in December and January. 1 M2 and M3 also expanded rapidly over the two months, rising on average at annual rates estimated to be around 14 and 131/2 percent respectively, considerably above the short-run objectives for the November-to-March period established at the December meeting. Relative to the Committee's longer-run objectives for the period from the fourth quarter of 1983 to the fourth quarter of 1984, M1 grew at a rate of about 51/4 percent, somewhat below the midpoint of its 4 to 8 percent range, and M2 increased at a rate of about 73/4 percent, a bit above the midpoint of its 6 to 9 percent range. M3 and domestic nonfinancial sector debt expanded at rates of about 10½ and 13½ percent respectively, above the Committee's ranges of 6 to 9 percent and 8 to 11 percent for the year. The rapid growth in total debt reflected very large government borrowing and strong private credit growth that was boosted in part by the unusual size of merger-related credit activity.

Over the December-January period, the average level of borrowing by depository institutions at the discount window declined on balance, despite a bulge around the year-end statement date, and both nonborrowed and total reserves expanded at very rapid rates. In the first part of the recent intermeeting interval, open market operations were directed toward achieving some further reduction in pressures on reserve positions. Adjustment plus seasonal borrowing at the

^{1.} These growth rates and all subsequent data on the monetary aggregates reflect annual benchmark and seasonal factor revisions as published on February 14, 1985.

discount window, after bulging around year-end, declined to the \$250 million to \$300 million range over much of January. By the latter part of January, against the background of continued rapid growth in the monetary and credit aggregates and the relatively good performance of the economy, the easing process came to an end; reserves were provided more cautiously through open market operations, and borrowing rose somewhat, partly because of unexpectedly large demands for excess reserves. Reflecting variations in actual pressures on bank reserve positions, but in part in anticipation of an easing in pressures, the federal funds rate declined in the early part of the period from around 8³/₄ percent to the 8 to 81/4 percent area; subsequently it rose to around 8½ percent or somewhat higher. Other short-term market interest rates generally rose somewhat on balance over the intermeeting interval, while most long-term rates were roughly unchanged or a little lower.

The staff projections presented at this meeting suggested that real GNP would grow at a moderate pace in 1985. Business fixed investment was likely to expand further during the year, and anticipated gains in real disposable income were expected to support continued sizable advances in consumption expenditures. The unemployment rate was expected to edge down over the period, and the rate of increase in prices was projected to remain close to, or slightly below, that experienced in 1984.

In the Committee's discussion of the economic situation and outlook, the members agreed that continuing expansion in business activity was a likely prospect for 1985, though at a more moderate rate than in the first two years of the current cyclical upswing. As they had at previous meetings, however, members referred to persisting problems and financial strains in various sectors of the economy that constituted threats to the sustainability of the overall expansion, especially if substantial progress was not made toward reducing the massive deficit in the federal budget. Moreover, the high level of the dollar and large trade deficit were increasingly being reflected in pressures on some sectors of the economy. Most of the members expected about the same rate of inflation in 1985 as that experienced in 1984, assuming that the dollar exchange rate remained in the range of recent months, but some saw the odds as tilted in the direction of some modest further progress toward price stability.

At this meeting the members of the Committee and the Federal Reserve Bank presidents not currently serving as members presented specific forecasts of economic activity, the rate of unemployment, and average prices. For the period from the fourth quarter of 1984 to the fourth quarter of 1985, the forecasts for growth of real GNP centered on a range of 3½ to 4 percent, with an overall range of 31/4 to 41/4 percent. Forecasts of the rate of inflation, as indexed by the GNP deflator, also centered on a range of 3½ to 4 percent, and the central tendency of the forecasts for growth in nominal GNP was a range of 7½ to 8 percent. Forecasts of the rate of unemployment in the fourth quarter of 1985 varied from $6\frac{1}{2}$ to $7\frac{1}{4}$ percent, but most of the members anticipated unemployment rates ranging from 6³/₄ to 7 percent. These forecasts were based on the Committee's objectives for growth in money and credit established at this meeting. The members also assumed that significant progress would be made toward reducing future deficits in the federal budget, thereby helping over the nearer term to moderate inflationary expectations and pressures on interest rates, and they assumed that the foreign exchange value of the dollar would fluctuate within the range experienced in recent months.

While a number of members commented during the discussion that actual growth in line with the forecasts would represent a favorable development for the third year of an economic expansion, several observed that growth might well be faster, especially in the short run. This possibility was raised by current indications of appreciable strength in both consumer and business spending and an expansive fiscal policy. It was also pointed out that a large decline in the foreign exchange value of the dollar, should it occur, would tend to stimulate domestic business activity while also adding to inflationary pressures. Several members noted their concern that strong growth in spending by the private sectors in the context of a stimulative fiscal policy could lead to some inflationary pressures, particularly as the margin of unutilized productive resources diminished, with adverse consequences for interest rates and interest-sensitive sectors of the economy and ultimately for the sustainability of the expansion itself.

While the overall expansion in economic activity was currently displaying some momentum, the members also referred to the decidedly uneven participation in the expansion of different sectors of the economy or parts of the country, including adverse conditions in agriculture and in certain sectors of industry. Circumstances and problems varied from one industry or region to another, but particular concern was expressed about the damaging impact that a rising dollar internationally was having on a number of manufacturing and extractive industries and on agriculture, with attendant financial difficulties for those sectors of the economy and related strains on the financial institutions that serviced them. Reference was also made to the overbuilding of multifamily housing and office structures in some parts of the country and to the problem loans associated with such overbuilding. Some concern was expressed about the rapid accumulation of debt by many households and businesses that rendered these borrowers more vulnerable to adverse economic developments. It was generally expected that such problems would not significantly retard overall economic expansion in the near term, but several members indicated that they were more troubled by the economic prospects for the longer run. The members agreed that the odds of prolonging the expansion would be greatly enhanced by a substantial reduction in federal budgetary deficits and the emergence of a more sustainable pattern of international transactions.

With regard to the outlook for inflation, most of the members anticipated that continuing economic expansion in line with their forecasts would probably be associated with little change in the rate of inflation during 1985. Some members were more optimistic and viewed the prospects for some decline in inflation as relatively favorable. Although the members had assumed in presenting their forecasts that the dollar would remain within its recent range of fluctuation in foreign exchange markets, they recognized that the future performance of the dollar was in fact highly uncertain.

Members who were relatively sanguine about the outlook for inflation cited the favorable trend in wages, the strong competition from abroad in many industries, the growth of productive capacity, and the widespread efforts of businesses to improve productivity. The possibility of further declines in oil prices was also cited. The removal of quotas on imports of automobiles from Japan would also help to restrain the rise in average prices, although the extent of that effect was uncertain. Members who were less optimistic about the outlook for inflation noted that unit labor costs could be expected to be under upward pressure because productivity gains would tend to diminish as the nation continued to move toward fuller utilization of its productive resources during the third year of the current expansion. One member also raised the prospect of at least some pressures from rising commodity prices in 1985.

At this meeting the Committee reviewed the 1985 growth ranges for the monetary and credit aggregates that it had tentatively set in July 1984 within the framework of the Full Employment and Balanced Growth Act of 1978 (the Humphrey-Hawkins Act). Those tentative ranges included growth—measured from the fourth quarter of 1984 to the fourth quarter of 1985—of 4 to 7 percent for M1, 6 to 8½ percent for M2, and 6 to 9 percent for M3. The associated range for total domestic nonfinancial debt had been provisionally set at 8 to 11 percent for 1985.

The Committee's discussion focused on whether the tentative ranges for 1985 remained appropriate in light of developments since mid-1984 and foreseeable economic and financial circumstances. There were a number of proposals for small changes in the ranges. With respect to M1, a majority of the members wanted to retain the tentative range of 4 to 7 percent, but the remaining members expressed a preference for raising the upper limit to $7\frac{1}{2}$ or 8 percent. In the majority view, the tentative range provided adequate room to accommodate a desirable and sustainable rate of economic expansion and retention of that range would also serve to underscore the Committee's commitment to an antiinflationary policy. The members who preferred a higher limit for the M1 range gave considerable emphasis to the uncertainties that surrounded

both the economic outlook and the relationship between money growth and GNP. They did not necessarily disagree that the tentative range might in fact prove to be consistent with a satisfactory economic performance, but they believed that some additional leeway was desirable for use if needed.

In the course of their discussion, the members referred to evidence that the income velocity of M1—nominal GNP divided by the M1 stock seemed to be returning to a more normal or predictable pattern. Some analysis suggested that the trend growth of M1 velocity might be somewhat lower than that experienced over much of the postwar period, reflecting in part the deregulation of deposits and other financial changes in recent years and the related prospect of a slower rate of financial innovation in the future. A number of members emphasized that such a development would imply the need for M1 growth in the upper part of the Committee's tentative range. It was also noted that the lagged effects of the interest rate declines during the latter part of 1984 were likely to depress velocity growth in the first part of 1985. Other members raised the prospect that the growth in M1 velocity might not decline as much as expected from the rate experienced in 1984 and in that event growth of M1 near the upper limit of the tentative range, or above it, would have inflationary implications. The members agreed that the trend rate of increase in M1 velocity, as well as the velocity of the other monetary aggregates, remained subject to a considerable range of uncertainty, given the still limited experience with a relatively deregulated financial environment. Under these conditions, the Committee members indicated the need to continue to judge the behavior of the monetary aggregates in light of the flow of information on business activity, inflationary pressures, and conditions in domestic credit and foreign exchange markets.

With regard to M2, most of the members indicated that they could accept an increase of ½ percentage point in the upper limit of the tentative range, although some expressed an initial preference for no change in the range. The small upward adjustment reflected the technical judgment, based upon an assessment of recent developments, that growth in M2 for the year could

revert to its earlier pattern that was more in line with the growth in nominal GNP.

Most of the members also supported an increase of ½ percentage point in the upper limit of the tentative range for M3 and an increase of 1 percentage point in the provisional monitoring range for total domestic nonfinancial debt. Growth within both ranges in 1985 would represent a considerable slowing from the actual pace in 1984. Some members questioned the need for any increase in those ranges, both because of the anticipated moderation in the expansion of GNP and because the higher ranges could convey a wrong impression of the Committee's anti-inflationary policy. Nonetheless, total debt was expected to continue to grow at a faster rate than nominal GNP, reflecting further rapid expansion in the federal debt, larger than normal growth in merger and other corporate restructuring activities, and the continuing need to finance increases in spending by domestic sectors that exceeded the rise in nominal GNP, as reflected in the expected further widening of the nation's large deficit in its external trade balance.

In the course of the Committee's discussion. consideration was given to a proposal for using the midpoint of the previous year's fourth-quarter target range, rather than the actual fourthquarter outcome, as the base for the following year's target range. This issue had been discussed in some detail at the previous meeting of the Committee. No support was expressed in favor of such an approach, although the members recognized that in some circumstances such an alternative might be appropriate. In setting its objectives for a current year, the Committee already took into account the prior year's monetary developments and their implications for the evolving relationship between money and GNP. It was generally felt that employing the midpoint of the previous year's target range as the base for the current year's target would have the disadvantage of introducing a degree of rigidity in the decisionmaking process; it would impose a base that was decided upon many months before under possibly quite different circumstances. In the current situation, such problems were particularly evident for M3 and total credit whose levels at the end of 1984 were well above their long-run ranges; use of a previously targeted fourth-quarter base would therefore imply either a wrenching slowdown in actual growth for 1985 or adoption of very high target ranges for growth in 1985.

The members also noted that the levels of the monetary aggregates at the start of the year were all above the target ranges under consideration. as those ranges were conventionally illustrated. because monetary growth had been relatively rapid in late 1984 and early 1985. No member expressed concern about this development, since it was contemplated that monetary growth would slow as the year progressed and expansion for the year as a whole would be consistent with the target ranges. With reference to the Humphrey-Hawkins testimony, the pictorial representation of the targets as "cones" would be supplemented by other lines to indicate that the Committee was not concerned about variations in money growth outside the relatively narrow portion of the cones early in the year.

At the conclusion of the Committee's discussion, a majority of the members indicated that they favored or found acceptable a policy that included retention of the tentative range for M1, increases of ½ percentage point in the upper limits of the tentative ranges for M2 and M3, and an increase of 1 percentage point in the provisional monitoring range for total domestic nonfinancial debt. The members indicated that it might be appropriate for growth in the aggregates to be in the upper part of their ranges for the year, depending on developments with respect to velocity and provided that inflationary pressures remained subdued. In keeping with the Committee's usual procedures under the Humphrey-Hawkins Act, the ranges would be reviewed at midyear against the background of economic and financial developments.

The following paragraph relating to the longerrun ranges was approved:

The Federal Open Market Committee seeks to foster monetary and financial conditions that will help to reduce inflation further, promote growth in output on a sustainable basis, and contribute to an improved pattern of international transactions. In furtherance of these objectives the Committee agreed at this meeting to establish ranges for monetary growth of 4 to 7 percent for M1, 6 to 9 percent for M2, and 6 to 9½ percent for M3 for the period from the fourth quarter

of 1984 to the fourth quarter of 1985. The associated range for total domestic nonfinancial debt was set at 9 to 12 percent for the year 1985. The Committee agreed that growth in the monetary aggregates in the upper part of their ranges for 1985 may be appropriate, depending on developments with respect to velocity and provided that inflationary pressures remain subdued.

Votes for this action: Messrs. Volcker, Corrigan, Boykin, Gramley, Mrs. Horn, Messrs. Partee, Rice, Ms. Seger, and Mr. Balles. Votes against this action: Messrs. Boehne, Martin, and Wallich. (Mr. Balles voted as an alternate).

Messrs. Boehne and Martin dissented because they preferred a somewhat higher upper boundary for the M1 range in order to provide enough leeway, if needed, to accommodate a satisfactory rate of economic expansion. In their view, the additional leeway was desirable because of the uncertainties surrounding the outlook for velocity, and it took account of the favorable outlook for inflation and the continuing financial strains in some sectors of the economy. Mr. Boehne also noted that M1 growth in 1984 was in the lower part of the Committee's range.

Mr. Wallich dissented because he wanted to retain the ranges for the broad monetary aggregates that were tentatively adopted in July 1984. In his view those ranges provided adequate room for fostering a sustainable rate of economic expansion. They were more consistent with the Committee's long-run objective of bringing down inflation, and raising them might be misinterpreted by the market as a weakening of policy in that regard.

In the Committee's discussion of policy implementation for the weeks immediately ahead, all of the members indicated their support of an approach directed toward maintaining the reserve conditions characteristic of recent weeks. Such an approach was thought likely to be associated with reduced growth in the monetary aggregates over the balance of the first quarter, although growth for the quarter as a whole would probably exceed the Committee's longer-run ranges for the year. That approach was reinforced by the current strength of the dollar in the exchange markets and the sense that the outlook for the economy and prices did not appear to signal a need for a change.

With regard to M1, the members referred to an analysis, which suggested that expansion in this aggregate should moderate as the lagged effects of earlier declines in market interest rates on the demand for money balances dissipated. With respect to the outlook for the broader aggregates, the members viewed appreciably slower growth as a reasonable expectation, partly because of the prospect that inflows of funds to money market deposit accounts and to money market mutual funds would moderate as the interest paid on such accounts was brought into better alignment with short-term market rates. Indeed, evidence of such a development was already apparent with respect to money market mutual funds. Additionally, the expansion in M3 might be held down by continued moderation in the issuance of large-denomination certificates of deposit by commercial banks.

Despite the prospects for more moderate growth in the monetary aggregates, some members were concerned that such growth might not slow sufficiently over the period ahead and that some firming of reserve conditions might be needed to foster a desirable rate of monetary expansion. They found the current approach to policy implementation appropriate for the present, but they did not want to rule out the possible need for some modest firming over the weeks ahead. Several members indicated that the degree of any firming should remain fairly limited even if money growth was above expectations for a time because they were concerned about the adverse impact that a substantial rise in market interest rates over the near term could have on the exchange market situation and on interest- or trade-sensitive sectors of the economy and ultimately on the economic expansion itself. Members concluded that evaluation of the desirability for firming should take account of the strength of the dollar in exchange markets as well as the business outlook and inflationary pressures and that any firming of reserve conditions over the weeks ahead should be undertaken in a limited and gradual manner. Accordingly, relatively rapid monetary growth would not automatically call for more reserve restraint if it occurred in the context of emerging weakness in business conditions and a strong dollar in the foreign exchange markets. The members also agreed on the possibility of some easing in reserve conditions, but in the view of at least some of the members, any potential need for easing seemed less likely, given the recent strength of the monetary aggregates and the performance of the economv.

At the conclusion of the Committee's discussion, all of the members indicated their acceptance of a directive that called for maintaining the degree of reserve pressure that had prevailed in recent weeks. The members agreed that modest increases in reserve restraint would be sought if growth in M1 appeared to be exceeding an annual rate of about 8 percent and M2 and M3 a rate of around 10 to 11 percent during the period from December to March, particularly if such monetary expansion was associated with satisfactory growth in business activity and diminishing pressures in exchange markets. The members also agreed that lesser restraint on reserve positions would be acceptable in the event of substantially slower growth in the monetary aggregates, especially against the background of sluggish growth in economic activity and continued strength of the dollar in foreign exchange markets. It was agreed that the intermeeting range for the federal funds rate, which provides a mechanism for initiating consultation of the Committee when its boundaries are persistently exceeded, should be left unchanged at 6 to 10 percent.

The following directive, embodying the Committee's longer-run ranges and its short-run operating instructions, was issued to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York:

The information reviewed at this meeting suggests that real GNP expanded at a moderate pace in the fourth quarter, reflecting some strengthening in late 1984 after several months of considerably reduced growth, and there was evidence of continued moderate expansion in early 1985. Total retail sales rose in January at about the same pace as the average for November and December, while the decline in housing starts appears to have ended. Industrial production and nonfarm payroll employment increased appreciably in the November-December period and nonfarm payroll employment rose substantially further in January. The civilian unemployment rate rose slightly in January to 7.4 percent. Information on business spending suggests less rapid expansion in outlays for fixed investment, following exceptional growth earlier; businesses also appear to have made substantial progress in adjusting their inventories. During 1984 broad measures of prices generally increased at rates close to those recorded in 1983, and the index of average hourly earnings rose somewhat more slowly.

The foreign exchange value of the dollar against a trade-weighted average of major foreign currencies has continued to appreciate strongly since mid-December. After the announcement on January 17 by the G-5 Ministers of Finance and Central Bank Governors regarding coordinated intervention in exchange markets, and subsequent operations, the dollar's rise moderated somewhat. The merchandise trade deficit declined sharply in December and for the fourth quarter as a whole, primarily because of a large drop in imports from the high rate in the third quarter. Nevertheless, the deficit for the full year 1984 was substantially higher than in 1983.

After growing little on balance since early summer, M1 expanded at a rapid pace in late 1984 and early 1985. The broader aggregates also expanded rapidly in recent months. For the period from the fourth quarter of 1983 to the fourth quarter of 1984, M1 grew at a rate of about 51/4 percent, somewhat below the midpoint of the Committee's range for the year, and M2 increased at a rate of about 7\(\frac{3}{4}\) percent, a bit above the midpoint of its longer-run range. Both M3 and total domestic nonfinancial debt expanded at rates above the Committee's ranges for the year, reflecting very large government borrowing and strong private credit growth, boosted in part by the unusual size of mergerrelated credit activity. Short-term interest rates have risen somewhat on balance since the December meeting of the Committee, but long-term rates are about unchanged to a little lower. On December 21, the Federal Reserve approved a reduction in the discount rate from 8½ to 8 percent.

The Federal Open Market Committee seeks to foster monetary and financial conditions that will help to reduce inflation further, promote growth in output on a sustainable basis, and contribute to an improved pattern of international transactions. In furtherance of these objectives the Committee agreed at this meeting to establish ranges for monetary growth of 4 to 7 percent for M1, 6 to 9 percent for M2, and 6 to 91/2 percent for M3 for the period from the fourth quarter of 1984 to the fourth quarter of 1985. The associated range for total domestic nonfinancial debt was set at 9 to 12 percent for the year 1985. The Committee agreed that growth in the monetary aggregates in the upper part of their ranges for 1985 may be appropriate, depending on developments with respect to velocity and provided that inflationary pressures remain sub-

The Committee understood that policy implementation would require continuing appraisal of the relationships not only among the various measures of money and credit but also between those aggregates and nominal GNP, including evaluation of conditions in domestic credit and foreign exchange markets.

In the implementation of policy for the immediate future, taking account of the progress against inflation,

remaining uncertainties in the business outlook, and the strength of the dollar in the exchange markets, the Committee seeks to maintain reserve conditions characteristic of recent weeks. Should growth in M1 appear to be exceeding an annual rate of around 8 percent and M2 and M3 a rate of around 10 to 11 percent during the period from December to March, modest increases in reserve pressures would be sought, particularly if business activity is rising at a satisfactory rate and exchange market pressures diminish. Lesser restraint on reserve positions would be acceptable in the event of substantially slower growth in the monetary aggregates, particularly in the context of sluggish growth in economic activity and continued strength of the dollar in foreign exchange markets. The Chairman may call for Committee consultation if it appears to the Manager for Domestic Operations that pursuit of the monetary objectives and related reserve paths during the period before the next meeting is likely to be associated with a federal funds rate persistently outside a range of 6 to 10 percent.

Votes for short-run operational paragraph: Messrs. Volcker, Corrigan, Boehne, Boykin, Gramley, Mrs. Horn, Messrs. Martin, Partee, Rice, Ms. Seger, Messrs. Wallich and Balles. Votes against this action: None. (Mr. Balles voted as an alternate).

2. Authorization for Domestic Open Market Operations

At this meeting the Committee voted to increase from \$4 billion to \$6 billion the limit on changes between Committee meetings in System account holdings of U.S. government and federal agency securities specified in paragraph 1(a) of the authorization for domestic open market operations, effective for the intermeeting period ending with the close of business on March 26, 1985.

Votes for this action: Messrs. Volcker, Corrigan, Boehne, Boykin, Gramley, Mrs. Horn, Messrs. Martin, Partee, Rice, Ms. Seger, Messrs. Wallich and Balles. Votes against this action: None. (Mr. Balles voted as an alternate).

This action was taken on the recommendation of the Manager for Domestic Operations. The Manager had advised that substantial net purchases of securities were likely to be necessary over the upcoming intermeeting interval in order to offset the estimated absorption of reserves stemming from technical factors including changes in currency in circulation, vault cash, and required reserves.

Legal Developments

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS B, E, M, AND Z

The Board of Governors is making technical amendments to its Regulation B (Equal Credit Opportunity), Regulation E (Electronic Fund Transfers), Regulation M (Consumer Leasing), and Regulation Z (Truth in Lending) to indicate that The Department of Transportation has assumed the enforcement responsibilities for the regulation previously carried out by the Civil Aeronautics Board.

Effective March 4, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 202 (Regulation B) as follows:

Part 202-Equal Credit Opportunity

- 1. In section 202.1(b)(1), remove the words "Civil Aeronautics Board" and insert, in their place, the words "Secretary of Transportation."
- 2. In Appendix A, remove the words "Creditors Subject to Civil Aeronautics Board" and the address of that agency, and insert, in their place, the words "Air Carriers" and the following address:

Assistant General Counsel for Aviation Enforcement and Proceedings Department of Transportation 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

Effective March 4, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 205 (Regulation E) as follows:

Part 205-Electronic Fund Transfers

- 1. In section 205.13(a)(1), remove the words "Civil Aeronautics Board" and insert, in their place, the words "Secretary of Transportation."
- 2. In Appendix B, remove the words "Creditors Subject to Civil Aeronautics Board" and the address of that agency, and insert, in their place, the words "Air Carriers" and the following address:

Assistant General Counsel for Aviation Enforcement and Proceedings Department of Transportation 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590 Effective March 4, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 213 (Regulation M) as follows:

Part 213—Consumer Leasing

1. In Appendix D, remove the words "Creditors Subject to Civil Aeronautics Board" and the address of that agency, and insert, in their place, the words "Air Carriers" and the following address:

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Effective March 4, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 226 (Regulation Z) as follows:

Part 226—Truth in Lending

1. In Appendix I, remove the words "Creditors Subject to Civil Aeronautics Board" and the address of that agency, and insert, in their place, the words "Air Carriers" and the following address:

Assistant General Counsel for Aviation Enforcement and Proceedings Department of Transportation 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

AMENDMENTS TO REGULATIONS G, T, AND U

The Board of Governors is amending the definition of "margin stock" in Regulations G and U so as to make it clear that the definition does not include face-amount certificates as defined in 15 U.S.C. 80a-2(a)(15) and, the "arranging" provision of Regulation T to reflect that a broker-dealer selling these instruments would not be considered to be violating that provision. Although the changes are being made effective April 19, 1985, comments will be received until that date and appropriate modifications, if any, will be made in response to comments.

Effective April 19, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 207 as follows:

Part 207—Securities Credit by Persons Other Than Banks, Brokers, or Dealers

Section 207.2—Definitions

- (i) "Margin stock means:
 - (1) any equity security registered or having unlisted trading privileges on a national securities exchange; (2) any OTC margin stock;
 - (3) any OTC security designated as qualified for trading in the National Market System under a designation plan approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission (NMS Security);
 - (4) any debt security convertible into a margin stock or carrying a warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase a margin stock;
 - (5) any warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase a margin stock; or
 - (6) any security issued by an investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(12)); or
 - (i) a company licensed under the Small Business Investment Company Act of 1958, as amended (12 U.S.C. 661); or
 - (ii) A company which has at least 95 per cent of its assets continuously invested in exempted securities (as defined in 15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(12)); or
 - (iii) a company which issues face-amount certificates as defined in 15 U.S.C. 80a-2(a)(15), but only with respect of such securities.

Effective April 19, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 220, Regulation T, as follows:

Part 220—Credit by Brokers and Dealers

Section 220.13—Arranging for Loans by Others

A creditor may not arrange for the extension or maintenance of credit to or for any customer by any person upon terms and conditions other than those upon which the creditior may itself extend or maintain credit under the provisions of this part, except that this limitation shall not apply to credit arranged for a customer which does not violate parts 207 and 221 of this chapter and results solely from;

- (a) investment banking services, provided by the creditor to the customer, including, but not limited to, underwritings, private placements, and advice and other services in connection with exchange offers, mergers, or acquisitions, except for underwritings that involve the public distribution of an equity security with installment or other deferred payment provisions:
- (b) the sales of nonmargin securities (including securities with installment or other deferred payment provisions) if the sale is exempted from the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 under section 4(2) or section 4(6) of the act; or
- (c) a subsequent loan or advance on a face-amount certificate as permitted under 15 U.S.C. 80a-28(d).

Effective April 19, 1985, the Board amends 12 C.F.R. Part 221, Regulation U, as follows:

Part 221—Credit by Banks for the Purpose of Purchasing or Carrying Margin Stock

Section 221.2—Definitions

- (h) "Margin stock means:
 - (1) any equity security registered or having unlisted trading privileges on a national securities exchange;
 - (2) any OTC margin stock;
 - (3) any OTC security designated as qualified for trading in the National Market System under a designation plan approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission (NMS Security);
 - (4) any debt security convertible into a margin stock or carrying a warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase a margin stock;
 - (5) any warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase a margin stock; or
 - (6) any security issued by an investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(12)); other than
 - (i) a company licensed under the Small Business Investment Company Act of 1958, as amended (12 U.S.C. 661); or
 - (ii) A company which has at least 95 per cent of its assets continuously invested in exempted securities (as defined in 15 U.S.C. 78c(a)(12)); or
 - (iii) a company which issues face-amount certificates as defined in 15 U.S.C. 80a-2(a)(15), but only with respect of such securities.

ORDERS ISSUED UNDER BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT, BANK MERGER ACT, AND SERVICE CORPORATION ACT

Orders Issued Under Section 3 of Bank Holding Company Act

CB&T Bancshares, Inc. Columbus, Georgia

Order Approving Acquisition of a Bank Holding Company

CB&T Bancshares, Inc., Columbus, Georgia, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act ("Act"), has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(3)) to acquire F&M Bancshares, Inc. ("Bancshares"), Leslie, Georgia, and thereby indirectly acquire Bancshares' only subsidiary, Farmers & Merchants Bank ("Bank"), Leslie, Georgia.

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3 of the Act. 49 Federal Register 46,199 (1984). The time for filing comments has expired, and the Board has considered the application and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act.

Applicant is the seventh largest banking organization in Georgia with total deposits of approximately \$717 million, representing 2.8 percent of statewide commercial bank deposits. Bancshares is a small banking organization, controlling 0.03 percent of statewide commercial bank deposits. Upon consummation of the proposed acquisition, Applicant will remain the seventh largest banking organization in the state, and will control \$724.5 million total deposits or 2.8 percent of statewide commercial bank deposits. Accordingly, the Board concludes that consummation of this acquisition would not have any significantly adverse effects on the concentration of commercial banking resources in Georgia.

Applicant is the third largest of four commercial banking organizations in the Sumter County banking market,² where its subsidiary bank, Sumter County

Bank and Trust Company, Americus, Georgia ("Sumter Bank"), controls 21.1 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market.³ Bank controls 5.6 percent of commercial bank deposits in the market and ranks last among commercial banking organizations therein. After consummation of the proposal, Applicant would control 26.7 percent of the market's total deposits in commercial banks, and its rank would remain unchanged. The Herfindahl–Hirschman Index ("HHI") in the banking market would increase by 237 points to 3444, and the market would be considered highly concentrated.⁴

Although consummation of the proposal would result in the elimination of existing competition, several factors mitigate the competitive effects of the proposal. The Board has considered Bank's small absolute and relative size. With total deposits of only \$6.9 million, Bank controls less than one-tenth of one percent of statewide deposits in commercial banks, and only 5.6 percent of the market's commercial bank deposits. Moreover, the next largest commercial bank competitor in the market (Sumter Bank) controls a deposit base nearly four times as large as Bank.⁵ In addition, Bank is located in a small community on the periphery of the market, which is a rural market.

The Board also has considered the presence of thrift institutions in the market as a factor in assessing the competitive effects of this proposal.⁶ Two thrift institutions compete in the Sumter County banking market with combined deposits of \$53.7 million, representing approximately 30.5 percent of the total market depos-

^{1.} State banking data are as of December 31, 1983.

^{2.} The Sumter County banking market is approximated by Sumter County, Georgia. Applicant contends that a more appropriate definition of the market would be an area encompassed within a 20-mile radius of a point equidistant between Americus and Leslie, Georgia—an area significantly larger than Sumter County. Upon a review of the information provided by Applicant, the Board continues to believe that the area approximated by Sumter County remains the relevant market for Bank's and Sumter Bank's services.

^{3.} Unless otherwise indicated, market data are as of June 30, 1983.
4. Under the revised Department of Justice Merger Guidelines (49 Federal Register 26,823), a market in which the post-merger HHI is above 1800 is considered highly concentrated. In such markets, the Department is likely to challenge a merger that produces an increase in the HHI of more than 50 points unless other factors indicate that the merger will not substantially lessen competition. Other factors include the post-merger HHI, the increase in the HHI, changing market conditions, the financial condition of the firm to be acquired, ease of entry, nature of the product, substitute products, similarities in firms that are subject to the transaction, and increased efficiencies that may result from the transaction. As noted below, several of these factors are present in this instance.

If the increase in the HHI exceeds 100 points and the HHI substantially exceeds 1800, the Department has indicated that only in extraordinary cases will other factors establish that the merger is not likely substantially to lessen competition. The Department has voiced no objection to the instant proposal.

^{5.} The market's three remaining commercial bank competitors hold deposits of \$25.8 million, \$39.2 million, and \$50.1 million, respectively. These institutions control over 94 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market.

^{6.} The Board previously has concluded that thrift institutions have become, or at least have the potential to become, major competitors of commercial banks. The Chase Manhattan Corporation, 70 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 529 (1984); NCNB Bancorporation, 70 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 225 (1984); General Bancshares Corporation, 69 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 802 (1983); First Tennessee National Corporation, 69 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 298 (1983).

its.⁷ These thrifts are authorized to provide consumer loans, NOW accounts and commercial real estate loans, and to engage in certain additional commercial lending. Based upon the number, size, and market shares of these institutions in the Sumter County market, the Board has concluded that thrift institutions exert a significant competitive influence in the Sumter County banking market.⁸

After consideration of these factors in the context of the specific facts of this case, the Board concludes that consummation of this proposal would not have any significantly adverse effects on existing competition in the Sumter County banking market. Thus, competitive effects are consistent with approval of the application.

The financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Applicant, Bancshares, and the combined organization are consistent with approval of the proposal. Bank's affiliation with Applicant will allow it to take advantage of Applicant's technical expertise in such areas as marketing, product development, investment advisory counseling services, mortgage lending, commercial and consumer credit, data processing, automated banking, accounting and auditing. As a branch of Sumter Bank, Bank will immediately be provided with all of the services currently available to Sumter Bank. Thus, considerations relating to the convenience and needs of the communities to be served also are consistent with approval of the application.

Based upon the foregoing and all the facts of record, the Board has determined that consummation of the transaction would be consistent with the public interest and that the application should be, and hereby is, approved. The transaction shall not be consummated before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 4, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Wallich, Partee, Rice, Gramley, and Seger.

JAMES McAFEE
Associate Secretary of the Board

[SEAL]

Columbian Corporation Topeka, Kansas

Order Approving Formation of a Bank Holding Company

Columbian Corporation, Topeka, Kansas, has applied for the Board's approval pursuant to section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act (the "Act") (12 U.S.C. § 1841(a)(1)) to become a bank holding company by acquiring all of the voting shares of Topeka Bank Shares, Topeka, Kansas ("Topeka"), a bank holding company within the meaning of the Act, and thereby indirectly acquire Topeka Bank and Trust, Topeka, Kansas ("Bank").

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments has expired and the Board has considered the application and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)).

Applicant currently is an insurance holding company controlled by members of the Sam McCaffree family ("McCaffree family"), which engages in the sale and underwriting of title insurance, the sale of home warranty insurance, and mortgage servicing activities through ten subsidiaries. The activities of all ten subsidiaries are impermissible for bank holding companies under section 4 of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1843). Applicant has committed to divest all ten subsidiaries prior to consummation of this proposal.

Upon consummation of this proposal, Applicant would become the 173rd largest commercial banking organization in Kansas, controlling one bank with total deposits of \$29.5 million, representing less than 0.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in Kansas. Applicant is affiliated with Columbian Financial Corporation, Topeka, Kansas ("Columbian Financial"), a bank holding company within the meaning of the Act, through common control by the McCaffree family. Columbian Financial is the 553rd largest commercial banking organization in Kansas, controlling

^{7.} Thrift data are as of June 30, 1983. Thrifts rank as the market's second and fifth largest depository institutions. Bank remains the smallest depository institution even after thrifts are included in the market.

^{8.} If 50 percent of the deposits held by thrift institutions in the Sumter County banking market were included in the calculation of market concentration, Applicant would hold 17.3 percent of market deposits, Bank would hold 4.6 percent of total deposits, and their combined market share would be 21.9 percent. The HHI would rise by 159 points to 2405.

^{9.} Upon consummation of the proposal, Applicant intends to merge Bank into its existing bank subsidiary in the market and operate it under the name, and as a branch, of Sumter Bank.

^{1.} Banking data are as of December 31, 1983.

one bank with total deposits of \$5 million, representing less than 0.1 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in Kansas. Applicant and Columbian Financial together would be the 136th largest commercial banking organization in Kansas, controlling total deposits of \$34.5 million, representing 0.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Consummation of this proposal would have no significant effect on the concentration of banking resources in Kansas.

Both Topeka and Columbian Financial compete in the Topeka banking market.² Topeka is the seventh largest of 16 commercial banking organizations in the banking market, controlling 3.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Columbian Financial is the smallest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling 0.5 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Upon consummation of the transaction, Applicant and Columbian Financial together would be the seventh largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling 3.7 percent of the total deposits in commercial banks in the market.

The Topeka banking market is considered to be moderately concentrated, with a four-firm concentration ratio of 70 percent and a Herfindahl-Hirschman Index ("HHI") of 1656.³ Upon consummation of this proposal, the four-firm concentration ratio would remain unchanged and the HHI would increase by 3 points to 1659. Accordingly, the Board concludes that consummation of this proposal would have no significant adverse effect on existing competition.

Where principals of an applicant are engaged in operating a chain of banking organizations, the Board, in addition to analyzing the bank holding company proposal before it, also considers and analyzes the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of the entire banking organization under the Board's Capital Adequacy Guidelines. Based upon such an analysis in this case, the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Applicant, Topeka, Columbian Financial, and their subsidiary banks are generally satisfactory, especially in light of certain commitments made by Applicant in connection with this application. Applicant has proposed no new services for Applicant or its subsidiary bank. However,

the record contains no evidence that the banking needs of the community to be served are not being met. Accordingly, factors relating to the convenience and needs of the community to be served are consistent with approval.

Based on the foregoing and other facts of record, the Board has concluded that approval of the application is consistent with the public interest and that the application should be, and hereby is, approved. The transaction shall not be consummated before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, acting pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 13, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Partee, Rice, Gramley, and Seger. Absent and not voting: Governor Wallich.

JAMES MCAFEE [SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

First American Bancshares, Inc. New Orleans, Louisiana

First National Bankshares, Inc. Houma, Louisiana

Order Approving the Formation of a Bank Holding Company and the Acquisition of a Bank Holding Company

First American Bancshares, Inc., New Orleans, Louisiana ("First American"), has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act, 12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(1), to become a bank holding company by acquiring 95.1 percent of the voting shares of the American Bank and Trust Company, New Orleans, Louisiana ("Bank"). First National Bankshares, Inc., Houma, Louisiana ("First National"), a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act ("Act") (12 U.S.C. § 1841 et seq.), has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(3) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(3)) to acquire 50 percent of First American.

Notice of the applications, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments has expired and the Board has considered the applications and all comments

The Topeka banking market is defined as the Topeka Ranally Metro Area.

^{3.} Under the Department of Justice's revised Merger Guidelines (49 Federal Register 26,823 (1984)), a market with a post-merger HHI between 1000 and 1800 is considered moderately concentrated. In such markets, the Department is unlikely to challenge a merger that produces an increase in the HHI of less than 100 points, as in this case.

^{4.} Capital Adequacy Guidelines, 12 C.F.R. § 225, Appendix A.

received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)).

First National is the 27th largest commercial banking organization in Louisiana, controlling one bank with total deposits of \$222.3 million, representing less than 1 percent of the total deposits in commercial banks in the state. First American is a nonoperating Louisiana corporation organized for the purpose of becoming a bank holding company by acquiring Bank. Bank is the 19th largest commercial bank in Louisiana. with total deposits of \$334.4 million, representing 1.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Upon consummation of this proposal, First National would control total deposits of \$556.7 million, representing approximately 2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state, and it would become the ninth largest commercial banking organization in the state. Consummation of these proposals would have no significant effect on the concentration of banking resources in Louisiana.

Bank is the 6th largest commercial banking organization in the New Orleans banking market and controls approximately 4.7 percent of the deposits in commercial banks therein.2 First National is the second largest commercial banking organization in the Houma banking market and controls one bank with deposits of \$207.5 million, representing 31.1 percent of the market's deposits.3 Neither First National, First American, nor any of their principals are associated with any other banking organization in the relevant banking markets. Accordingly, no existing competition would be eliminated as a result of this proposal. The Board has also concluded that consummation of this proposal would not result in any significant adverse effects on probable future competition in any market.

The financial and managerial resources of First National, its subsidiary, First American, and Bank are considered consistent with approval of this proposal. First American and First National plan on expanding Bank's international activities and on making Bank a more active competitor in the market. Accordingly, considerations relating to the convenience and needs of the community to be served are consistent with approval.

Based on the foregoing and other facts of record, including the commitments submitted by the applicants and their principals, the Board has determined

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 13, 1985.

Voting for this action: Vice Chairman Martin and Governors Partee, Rice, Gramley, and Seger. Absent and not voting: Chairman Volcker and Governor Wallich.

> JAMES MCAFEE Associate Secretary of the Board

[SEAL]

F.N.B. Corporation Hermitage, Pennsylvania

Order Approving Acquisition of a Stock Savings and Loan Association

F.N.B. Corporation, Hermitage, Pennsylvania, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act (the "BHC Act"), has applied for the Board's approval under section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. § 1843(c)(8)), and section 225.25(b)(1) of the Board's Regulation Y (12 C.F.R. § 225.25(b)(1)), to acquire all of the shares of Metropolitan Savings Bank of Youngstown, Youngstown, Ohio ("Metropolitan"), a state-chartered savings and loan association insured by the Ohio Deposit Guaranty Fund. Upon consummation of the proposed acquisition, Applicant will engage through Metropolitan in the activity of operating a savings and loan association. Although the Board has not added the operation of a thrift institution to the list of activities specified in section 225.25(b) of Regulation Y as generally permissible for bank holding companies, the Board has determined in several individual cases that the operation of a thrift institution is closely related to banking.¹

As a result of amendments to the BHC Act contained in the Garn-St Germain Depository Institutions

that these applications would be in the public interest and that the applications should be approved. These transactions shall not be consummated before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, acting pursuant to delegated authority.

^{1.} Banking data are as of December 31, 1983.

^{2.} The New Orleans banking market is approximated by the New Orleans MSA.

^{3.} The Houma banking market is defined as Terrebone Parish, Louisiana.

^{1.} American Fletcher Corp., 60 Federal Reserve Bulletin 868 (1974); D.H. Baldwin & Co., 63 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 280 (1977); Interstate Financial Corp., 68 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 316 (1982); Citicorp, 68 Federal Reserve Bulletin 656 (1982); Old Stone Corporation; 69 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 812 (1983). A recent Board staff study of thrift institutions supports the view that operating a thrift institution is closely related to banking. Bank Holding Company Acquisitions of Thrift Institutions. September 1981.

Act of 1982, section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act provides that the Board may dispense with the notice and hearing requirements of section 4(c)(8) with regard to the acquisition of a thrift institution if the Board finds that an emergency exists that requires immediate action and the primary federal regulator of the institution concurs in this finding. (12 U.S.C. § 1843(c)(8); 12 C.F.R. § 225.23(i)). Metropolitan is a thrift institution as that term is defined in section 2(i) of the BHC Act. On the basis of information provided by the Ohio Superintendent of Building and Loan Associations and other facts of record, the Board finds that an emergency exists that requires immediate action on this application. Since Metropolitan does not have a federal regulator, the Board has determined that no further action is necessary to authorize the Board to dispense with notice and opportunity for hearing.

As noted above, this application has been filed under section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act as a nonbanking activity. The BHC Act defines a "bank" as an institution that accepts deposits that the depositor has a legal right to withdraw on demand and that is engaged in the business of making commercial loans. (12 U.S.C. § 1841(c)).

Metropolitan is, and will continue to be after the proposed acquisition, a "thrift institution" as that term is defined in section 2(i) of the BHC Act. (12 U.S.C. § 1841(i)). Prior to obtaining FSLIC insurance, Metropolitan will not make commercial loans, and subsequent to obtaining such insurance, will exercise only those powers permitted to federally chartered savings and loan associations. Thus, the acquisition of Metropolitan qualifies as a nonbanking acquisition, and after Metropolitan has obtained FSLIC insurance, it may be retained by Applicant as a nonbanking institution under the provisions of the Garn-St Germain Act, which provide that any institution that is insured by FSLIC is exempt from the definition of bank in the BHC Act. In this regard, Metropolitan must obtain the approval of the FSLIC to obtain FSLIC deposit insurance, and Applicant must register with the Federal Home Loan Bank Board under, and comply with, the provisions of the Savings and Loan Holding Company Act. Thus, the Board concludes that this application may properly be considered under section 4 of the Act as a nonbanking application.

Applicant controls two bank subsidiaries, both of which are located in Pennsylvania, and has \$447.9 million in total assets.² Applicant also operates a consumer finance subsidiary, which has four offices located in the Youngstown, Ohio banking market.

Metropolitan, a stock savings and loan association, controls \$192.5 million in assets and operates in the Youngstown, Ohio banking market.

In view of the fact that Applicant's bank subsidiaries and Metropolitan operate in separate banking markets and there is no significant amount of direct competition between them, consummation of the proposed acquisition would not have a significant effect on existing competition in any relevant market. In view of the relatively small size of Metropolitan, and the number of potential entrants into its markets, the Board finds that this acquisition would not have any significant adverse effect on potential competition. Similarly, the overlapping share of the consumer finance market controlled by Applicant and Metropolitan is insignificant in comparison with the total market volume. Moreover, there are a large number of competitors in the consumer finance market and elimination of Applicant or Metropolitan as a competitor would not have any significant adverse effects. Indeed, the proposed acquisition would have a substantial beneficial impact on competition by ensuring the continued operation of Metropolitan as a viable institution.

Section 4(c)(8) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1843(c)(8)) authorizes a bank holding company to acquire a nonbank company where the activities of the nonbank company are determined by the Board to be "so closely related to banking or managing or controlling banks as to be a proper incident thereto." The Act provides that the Board may make such determinations by order or by regulation. As earlier stated, the Board has determined previously that the operation of a thrift institution is closely related to banking, and reaffirms that determination in this Order.

With respect to the "proper incident" requirement, section 4(c)(8) of the Act requires the Board to consider whether the performance of the activity by an affiliate of a holding company "can reasonably be expected to produce benefits to the public, such as greater convenience, increased competition, or gains in efficiency that outweigh possible adverse effects, such as undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interests, or unsound banking practices."

In 1977, the Board considered the general question whether savings and loan association ("S&L") activities are a proper incident to banking. At that time, the Board determined that, as a general matter, S&L activities are not a proper incident to banking because the potential adverse effects of generally allowing affiliations of banks and S&Ls were then sufficiently strong to outweigh any public benefits that might result in individual cases. (D.H. Baldwin & Co. 63 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 280 (1977)).

^{2.} All banking data are as of December 31, 1984.

Because of the considerations elaborated in *D.H. Baldwin & Co.*, the Board has not been prepared to permit bank holding companies to acquire thrift institutions on a general basis. However, the Board has consistently regarded the BHC Act as authorizing the Board to permit such an acquisition, and the Board has approved several such proposals involving failing thrift institutions on the basis that any adverse effects of bank/thrift affiliations would be overcome by the public benefits of preserving the failing thrift institution.³ In addition, Congress has recognized the need to allow bank holding companies to acquire failing federally insured thrift institutions in the Garn–St Germain Act.

The Board has reexamined, in the context of this application, the general adverse factors cited in the Board's 1977 D.H. Baldwin decision, including regulatory conflict, erosion of institutional rivalry, and the potential for undermining interstate banking prohibitions. The Board has also considered the adverse factors that might be associated with this particular application, including the potential for unfair competition, conflicts of interests, financial risks, diversion of funds, and participation in impermissible activities.

In view of the unique circumstances that led to the closing of Metropolitan and other privately insured institutions by the Governor of Ohio, the emergency legislation recently enacted by the Ohio legislature to remedy the problems faced by these institutions and their depositors, 5 the need for a prompt solution in this case, and the other considerations detailed below, the Board has determined that there are substantial benefits to the public associated with preserving Metropolitan as a thrift competitor sufficient to outweigh the generalized adverse effects found by the Board in the D.H. Baldwin case.

The Board considers Applicant's acquisition of Metropolitan to be a substantial and compelling public benefit in that Applicant will provide Metropolitan with sufficient new capital funds to enable Metropolitan to continue its operations and to remain a viable competitor. The record establishes that Applicant has the financial and managerial resources and commitment to serving the convenience and needs of the public to achieve this result. The acquisition will preserve a competitor in the markets served by Metropolitan, thus ensuring the continuation of services by

Metropolitan to its customers and protecting the interests of Metropolitan's depositors.

The affiliation of Applicant and Metropolitan is not likely to result in unfair competition. To guard against possible adverse effects of affiliation in this case between a banking organization and a savings and loan association, including the potential for unfair competition and diversion of funds, the Board has relied on the following commitments offered by Applicant:

- 1. Applicant will operate Metropolitan as a savings and loan association having as its primary purpose the provision of residential housing credit. Metropolitan will limit its activities to those currently permitted to federal savings and loan associations under the Home Owners' Loan Act, but shall not engage in any activity prohibited to bank holding companies and their subsidiaries under section 4(c)(8) of the Bank Holding Company Act. These limitations will apply to Metropolitan's wholly owned service corporation, which shall have two years from the date of this Order to complete the divestiture of its impermissible real estate development projects.
- 2. Metropolitan will not establish or operate a remote service unit at any location outside Ohio.
- 3. Metropolitan will not establish or operate branches at locations not permissible for national or state banks located in Ohio.6
- 4. Metropolitan will be operated as a separate, independent, profit-oriented corporate entity and shall not be operated in tandem with any other subsidiary of Applicant. Applicant and Metropolitan will limit their operations to effect this condition, and will observe the following conditions:
 - a. No banking or other subsidiary of Applicant will link its deposit-taking activities to accounts at Metropolitan in a sweeping arrangement or similar arrangement.
 - b. Neither Applicant nor any of its subsidiaries will solicit deposits or loans for Metropolitan, nor shall Metropolitan solicit deposits or loans for any other subsidiary of Applicant.
- 5. Applicant will not change Metropolitan's name in any manner that might confuse the public regarding Metropolitan's status as a nonbank thrift institution.
- 6. Metropolitan will not convert its charter to that of a national or state commercial bank without the Board's prior approval.

^{3.} Interstate Financial Corp., supra; Citicorp, supra; Old Stone Corporation, supra.

^{4.} As stated above, the Board has examined the competitive effects associated with this particular application and has concluded that there are no significant adverse effects associated with the proposed acquisition

^{5.} Ohio Am. Sub. S.B. No. 119 § 8 (March 19, 1985).

^{6.} The Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland is hereby delegated authority to act on applications by Applicant to open additional offices of Metropolitan under section 225.25(b)(1) of Regulation Y. (12 C.F.R. § 225.25(b)(1)).

7. To the extent necessary to insure independent operation of Metropolitan and prevent the improper diversion of funds, there shall be no transactions between Metropolitan and Applicant or any of its subsidiaries without the prior approval of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland. This limitation encompasses the transfer, purchase, sale or loan of any assets or liabilities, but does not include infusions of capital from Applicant, the payment of dividends by Metropolitan to Applicant, or the sale of residential real estate loans from Metropolitan to any subsidiary of Applicant.

8. F.N.B. Corporation will cooperate with Metropolitan in applying for and obtaining FSLIC insurance.

The Board concludes that consummation of the proposal, subject to the commitments set out above, may reasonably be expected not to result in conflicts of interests, unsound banking practices, undue concentration of resources, or other adverse effects.

Based upon the foregoing and other facts and circumstances reflected in the record, the Board has determined that the acquisition of Metropolitan by Applicant would result in substantial and compelling public benefits that are sufficient to outweigh any adverse effects that may reasonably be expected to result from this proposal, including any potential adverse effects of the affiliation of a commercial banking organization with a thrift institution. Accordingly, the application is approved subject to the commitments described in this Order, and the record of this application.

The Board's decision is further subject to the conditions set forth in Regulation Y, including sections 225.4(d) and 225.23(b), and to the Board's authority to require such modification or termination of the activities of a holding company or any of its subsidiaries as the Board finds necessary to assure compliance with, or to prevent evasion of, the provisions and purposes of the Act and the Board's regulations and orders issued thereunder. The transaction shall be made not later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless that period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland pursuant to authority hereby delegated.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 22, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker, Governors Martin, Partee, Rice, and Gramley. Absent and not voting: Governors Wallich and Seger.

WILLIAM W. WILES Secretary of the Board Founders Bancorporation, Inc. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Order Approving Merger of Bank Holding Companies

Founders Bancorporation, Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act ("Act") (12 U.S.C. § 1841 et seq.), has applied for the Board's approval pursuant to section 3(a)(5) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(5)) to merge with Commerce Bancshares, Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma ("Commerce"), also a bank holding company, and thereby indirectly acquire Commerce Bank, The Village, Oklahoma ("Commerce Bank"). At the time of the merger of Applicant and Commerce, Applicant's subsidiary bank, Founders Bank & Trust Company, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma ("Founders Bank"), and Commerce Bank will merge and continue under Founders Bank's name and charter.

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments has expired and the Board has considered the application and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)).

Applicant and Commerce are both controlled by the Charles A. Vose family ("Vose family"). The Vose family was instrumental in chartering Commerce Bank in 1962 and acquired control of Founders Bank in 1970. Accordingly, this proposal represents a reorganization of existing ownership interests. The family also controls four other commercial banking organizations, all in Oklahoma.

Applicant is the 18th largest commercial banking organization in Oklahoma, controlling one bank with total deposits of \$157.3 million, representing 0.6 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in Oklahoma.² Commerce is the 43rd largest banking organization in Oklahoma, controlling one bank with total deposits of \$96.4 million, representing 0.4 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in Oklahoma. Upon consummation of this proposal, Applicant would become the eighth largest commercial banking organization in the state, controlling total deposits of \$253.7 million, representing 1.0 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Applicant, togeth-

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^{1.} On January 10, 1985, the FDIC approved the application pursuant to the Bank Merger Act (12 U.S.C. § 1828), of Founders Bank to merge with Commerce Bank.

^{2.} Banking data are as of December 31, 1983, unless otherwise indicated.

er with its four affiliated commercial banking organizations, would be the third largest commercial banking organization in Oklahoma, controlling 8.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Banking resources in Oklahoma are not highly concentrated, with the four largest commercial banking organizations in the state controlling only 28.5 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Accordingly, consummation of this proposal would not result in any significant increase in the concentration of banking resources in Oklahoma.

Both Applicant and Commerce compete in the Oklahoma City banking market.3 Applicant is the ninth largest commercial banking organization in the banking market, controlling 1.8 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Commerce is the 18th largest commercial banking organization in the banking market, controlling 1.1 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Upon consummation. Applicant would be the sixth largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling 2.9 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Applicant is also affiliated with two other commercial banking organizations located in the Oklahoma City banking market. Applicant and the two affiliated banking organizations located in the banking market would become the largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling total deposits of \$2.1 billion, representing 24.8 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market.

In analyzing the competitive effects of a proposal such as this one, involving banking organizations located in the same market and under common control, the Board considers the competitive effects of the transaction whereby common control of the institutions was established.4 In 1970, prior to its acquisition of Founders Bank, the Vose family controlled three commercial banks, including Commerce Bank, Together, these institutions constituted the second largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling total deposits of \$427.3 million, representing 24.4 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market.5 Founders Bank was the 20th largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling total deposits of \$13.8 million, representing 0.8 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market. Upon acquisition of Founders, the combined banking organization controlled by the Vose family became the largest commercial banking organization in the market, controlling total deposits of \$441.1

million, representing 25.2 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the market.

The Oklahoma City banking market was considered to be moderately concentrated in 1970, with a four-firm concentration ratio of 63.7 percent and a Herfindahl-Hirschman Index ("HHI") of 1390.6 Upon acquisition of Founders Bank by the Vose family, the four-firm concentration ratio increased by 0.8 percent to 64.5 percent and the HHI increased by 39 points to 1429. Accordingly, the Board concludes that the acquisition of Founders Bank in 1970 had no significant adverse effect on existing competition.

Where principals of an applicant are engaged in operating a chain of banking organizations, the Board, in addition to analyzing the bank holding company proposal before it, also considers and analyzes the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of the entire banking organization under the Board's Capital Adequacy Guidelines. Based upon such an analysis in this case, the financial and managerial resources and future prospects of Applicant, Commerce, their subsidiary banks and their affiliated banking organizations are consistent with approval, especially in light of certain commitments made by Applicant in connection with this application. Applicant has proposed no new services for Applicant or its subsidiary bank. However, the record contains no evidence that the banking needs of the community to be served are not being met. Accordingly, factors relating to the convenience and needs of the community to be served are consistent with approval.

Based on the foregoing and other facts of record, the Board has concluded that approval of the application is consistent with the public interest and that the application should be, and hereby is, approved. The transaction shall not be consummated before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, acting pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 1, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Wallich, Partee, Rice, and Seger. Absent and not voting: Governor Gramley.

JAMES MCAFEE

[SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

^{3.} The Oklahoma City banking market is defined as the Oklahoma City Ranally Metro Area.

^{4.} See Mid-Nebraska Bancshares, Inc. v. Board of Governors, 627 F.2d 26 (D.C. Cir., 1980).

^{5.} Banking data for 1970 are as of December 31, 1970.

^{6.} Under the Department of Justice's revised Merger Guidelines (49 Federal Register 26,823 (1984)), a market with a post-merger HHI between 1000 and 1800 is considered moderately concentrated. In such markets, the Department is unlikely to challenge a merger that produces an increase in the HHI of less than 100 points, as in this case.

^{7.} Capital Adequacy Guidelines, 12 C.F.R. § 225, Appendix A.

Green Mountain Financial Services Corporation Wilmington, Delaware

Order Approving Formation of a Bank Holding Company

Green Mountain Financial Services Corporation, Wilmington, Delaware, has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act ("Act") (12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(1)) to become a bank holding company by acquiring up to 38 percent of the voting shares of Green Mountain Bank, Winhall Township, Vermont ("Bank").

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments has expired and the Board has considered the application and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)).

Applicant is a nonoperating corporation with no subsidiaries, formed for the purpose of acquiring Bank. Bank is the 23rd largest commercial banking organization in Vermont, with total deposits of \$13.6 million, representing approximately 4 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state. Principals of Applicant are also principals of Bank. Accordingly, this proposal represents a restructuring of ownership interests in Bank.

Bank operates in the Bennington banking market,² where it is the smallest of six commercial banks in the market, controlling 4.8 percent of total deposits in commercial banks therein. Principals of Applicant are not affiliated with any other depository organization in this market. Consummation of this proposal would not result in any adverse effects upon competition or increase the concentration of banking resources in any relevant area. Accordingly, the Board concludes that competitive considerations are consistent with approval.

The financial and managerial resources of Applicant and Bank are consistent with approval of this application. Although Applicant has proposed no new services for Bank upon acquisition, there is no evidence that the banking needs of the community to be served are not being met. Accordingly, considerations relating to the convenience and needs of the communities to be served are consistent with approval.

Based on the foregoing and other facts of record, the Board has determined that approval of the application

would be consistent with the public interest and that the application should be and hereby is approved. The transaction shall not be consummated before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, acting pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 25, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Partee, Rice, and Gramley. Absent and not voting: Governors Wallich and Seger.

JAMES MCAFEE
[SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

The Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan, Limited Tokyo, Japan

Order Approving Formation of Bank Holding Company

The Long-Term Credit Bank of Japan, Limited, To-kyo, Japan has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(1)) ("BHC Act") to become a bank holding company by expanding the activities of its wholly owned, limited-purpose trust company, LTCB Trust Company, New York, New York ("Company"), to include making commercial loans and taking demand deposits, thereby operating Company as a "bank" as defined under section 2(c) of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. § 1841(c)).

Notice of the application, affording opportunity for interested persons to submit comments, has been given in accordance with section 3(b) of the Act. The time for filing comments has expired, and the Board has considered the application and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)).

Applicant, a publicly owned company with total assets equivalent to approximately \$70 billion, ranks as the second largest of three long-term credit banks and the tenth largest private bank in Japan. Applicant

^{1.} Banking data are as of December 31, 1984.

The Bennington banking market is defined as Bennington County and the town of Danby in Rutland County, Vermont, and Stanford and Readsboro townships in Massachusetts.

^{1.} Banking data are as of September 30, 1984.

^{2.} Applicant's principal activity is the extension to Japanese industries of long-term credit in the form of secured loans, discounts and guarantees, obtained primarily from the issuance of yen-denominated debentures. Long-term credit banks may accept deposits from financial institutions and their own clients but not from the general public, and are also permitted under Japanese law to underwrite and sell central and local government bonds and government-guaranteed bonds.

is the 23rd largest bank worldwide. Applicant operates 17 branches in Japan, and operates foreign branches in London and Singapore. In the United States, Applicant operates a branch in New York, its home state, and an agency in Los Angeles, which have total assets of \$4.1 billion and \$1.0 billion, respectively.3 Applicant has merchant bank subsidiaries in Hong Kong and Switzerland and a finance subsidiary in the Netherlands Antilles.

Applicant proposes to convert Company, with assets of \$18.3 million, to an FDIC-insured commercial bank ("Bank").4 Bank will serve the Metropolitan New York banking market⁵ by extending credit services to the corporate market, and by lending primarily to U.S. public utilities, subsidiaries of Japanese companies, and U.S.-Japanese joint ventures. In addition. Bank will continue to offer corporate trust services. In view of the de novo status of Bank, and based upon the facts of record, the Board concludes that the proposed transaction will have no adverse effect on competition. Accordingly, competitive considerations are consistent with approval of this application.

Section 3(c) of the Act requires in every case that the Board consider the financial resources of the applicant and the bank to be acquired. In this case, the Board noted that the primary capital ratio of Applicant is below the minimum capital guidelines established by the Board for U.S. multinational bank holding companies. On previous occasions, however, the Board has determined that certain factors could mitigate its concerns regarding a foreign banking organization's failure to comply with the minimum capital guidelines. The Board notes that Applicant will establish Bank de novo, which initially will be small in relation to Applicant, and will be strongly capitalized.6

Based on these and other facts of record, the Board concludes that Applicant's financial and managerial factors are consistent with approval of the application. As Bank's size increases, the Board will expect Appli-

The Board has also determined that considerations relating to the convenience and needs of the community to be served are consistent with approval. Based upon the foregoing and other facts of record, the Board has determined that consummation of the transaction would be consistent with the public interest and that, subject to certain conditions, the application should be and hereby is approved. The transaction shall not be made before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order, or later than three months after the effective date of this Order. unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 25, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Wallich, Partee, Rice, Gramley, and Seger.

James McAfee [SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

Orders Issued Under Section 4 of Bank Holding Company Act

First Security Corporation Salt Lake City, Utah

Order Approving Application to Engage De Novo in General Insurance Agency Activities

First Security Corporation, Salt Lake City, Utah, a bank holding company within the meaning of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended (12 U.S.C. § 1841 et seq.) (the "BHC Act"), has applied under section 4(c)(8) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1843 (c)(8)) and section 225.23(a)(1) of the Board's Regulation Y (12 C.F.R. 225.23(a)(1)) for approval to engage de novo, through its subsidiary, First Security Insurance, Inc., in general insurance agency activities in the state of Utah.

Notice of the application, affording interested persons an opportunity to submit comments, was duly published (50 Federal Register 3977 (1985)). The time for filing comments has expired and the Board has considered this application and all comments received

cant to maintain Bank among the more strongly capitalized banking organizations of comparable size in the United States. In view of these and other facts of record, the Board finds that considerations relating to banking factors are consistent with approval of the application.

^{3.} Applicant selected New York as its home state pursuant to Section 5 of the IBA (12 U.S.C. § 3103). Unless otherwise indicated, all banking data are as of December 31, 1984.

^{4.} On January 3, 1985, the New York State Banking Department approved Applicant's proposal. An application with the FDIC to obtain insurance for Bank is pending.

^{5.} The Metropolitan New York banking market is defined to include New York City, Nassau, Westchester, Rockland, Putnam and western Suffolk Counties in New York; portions of Bergen and Hudson Counties in New Jersey; and a portion of Fairfield County in Connecticut.

^{6.} See, e.g., The Commercial Bank of Korea, Ltd., 70 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 36 (1984) (where the Board approved the establishment of a bank holding company despite a primary capital ratio below the minimum required of U.S. multinational bank holding companies because the bank was to be established de novo, was strongly capitalized, and was small in relation to Commercial Bank of Korea's total assets)

in light of the public interest factors set forth in section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act.

Applicant, with consolidated assets of \$5.1 billion,¹ controls four subsidiary banks and is the largest commercial banking organization in Utah. Applicant proposes to expand the activities of its insurance agency subsidiary, First Security Insurance, Inc., to include the sale of all types of personal and commercial insurance, including, but not limited to, property and casualty insurance and life insurance. Applicant will also expand by offering these services to the general public as well as to customers of Applicant's lending subsidiaries.

Title VI of the Garn-St Germain Depository Institutions Act of 1982 ("the Garn Act") amended section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act to provide that insurance agency, brokerage, and underwriting activities are not "closely related to banking" and thus are not permissible activities for bank holding companies, unless the activities are included within one of seven specific exemptions (A through G) contained in section 4(c)(8). Applicant claims it is authorized to operate a general insurance agency engaged in the sale of all types of personal and commercial insurance under exemption G, which authorizes insurance agency activities for those bank holding companies engaged in insurance agency activities with Board approval prior to 1971. Unless Applicant's proposal qualifies under this exemption, the operation of a general insurance agency as proposed by Applicant is not a permissible activity under section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act.2

Applicant was engaged in the operation of a general insurance agency from 1931 through 1959 when it spun this general insurance agency off to a separate corporation controlled by Applicant's shareholders. Applicant has also been engaged in the sale of credit-related insurance through a subsidiary bank since 1959. In 1969, Applicant received approval from the Board, under the provisions of the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended, to acquire an insurance agency subsidiary, First Security Insurance, Inc., which engaged in the sale of credit life and disability insurance, credit accident insurance, decreasing term mortgage insurance, and property damage insurance to customers of Applicant.³ Applicant has been engaged in the sale of such credit-related insurance

Applicant now seeks approval to expand its insurance agency activities through the operation in Utah of a general insurance agency engaged in the sale of all types of personal and commercial insurance to the general public as well as to Applicant's customers. Applicant did not sell insurance other than credit-related insurance pursuant to Board approval prior to 1971. Nevertheless, the Board has determined in its Order involving First Wisconsin Corporation, 71 Federal Reserve Bulletin 171 (1985), that bank holding companies that qualify under exemption G are authorized to engage in general insurance agency activities and thus to sell various types of insurance they were not selling with Board approval prior to 1971.4

The Board found this conclusion is supported by the language of exemption G and by a reading of exemption G in the context of the other exemptions, particularly exemption D. The Board also relied upon the limited scope of exemption G, which affects only 16 bank holding companies. Finally, the Board based its conclusion to allow all qualifying companies to engage in general insurance agency activities on a reading of exemption G in the context of the Board's pre-1971 orders by which exemption G eligibility is defined. For these reasons, as set forth more completely in its decision in its Order in *First Wisconsin Corporation*, *supra*, the Board concludes that Applicant may engage in general insurance agency activities under exemption G.

There is no evidence in the record indicating that consummation of Applicant's proposal would result in any undue concentration of resources, adverse effects on competition, conflicts of interests, unsound banking practices, or any other adverse effects. Applicant will provide an additional source for insurance that is particularly convenient for its customers and an additional source for special types of insurance that may not otherwise be generally available. It will engage in the sale of new types of insurance de novo, and it has indicated that it will act affirmatively to ensure compliance with all laws and regulations prohibiting tie-ins. Applicant will explicitly inform its subsidiary bank

through this insurance agency subsidiary on a continuous basis since receiving Board approval in 1969. Applicant, therefore, is one of 16 active companies with grandfather rights under exemption G.

^{1.} All banking data are as of December 31, 1984, unless otherwise indicated.

^{2.} Applicant does not qualify under the other relevant exemptions, including exemption C, which allows general insurance agency activities by bank holding companies in towns with a population not exceeding 5,000, and exemption F, which permits general insurance agency activities (except the sale of life insurance) by small bank holding companies with consolidated assets of less than \$50 million.

^{3. 55} Federal Reserve Bulletin 667 (1969).

^{4.} The Board has previously interpreted exemption G to permit bank holding companies qualifying under exemption G to engage in the sale of insurance "without restriction on location" and thus without regard to where such companies may have engaged in the sale of insurance prior to 1971. Norwest Corporation, 70 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 235 (1984).

customers that they need not purchase insurance from Applicant in order to obtain credit or other bank services. Accordingly, the Board has determined that the balance of the public interest factors the Board is required to consider under section 4(c)(8) of the BHC Act is favorable.

Based upon the foregoing and other facts of record. the application is hereby approved. This determination is subject to the conditions set forth in section 225.23(b) of Regulation Y (12 C.F.R. § 225.23(b)) and to the Board's authority to require such modification or termination of the activities of a bank holding company or any of its subsidiaries as the Board finds necessary to assure compliance with the provisions and purposes of the BHC Act and the Board's regulations and orders issued thereunder, or to prevent evasion thereof.

The proposal shall be consummated not later than three months after the effective date of this Order. unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 11, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Partee, Rice, Gramley, and Seger. Absent and not voting: Governor Wallich.

JAMES MCAFEE [SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

Orders Issued Under Sections 3 and 4 of Bank Holding Company Act

Oxford Agency, Inc. Oxford, Nebraska

Order Approving Applications to Form a Bank Holding Company and Engage in General Insurance Agency Activities

Oxford Agency, Inc., Oxford, Nebraska ("Applicant"), has applied for the Board's approval under section 3(a)(1) of the Bank Holding Company Act $(12 \text{ U.S.C.} \S 1842(a)(1))$ to become a bank holding company by acquiring all of the voting stock of Security State Bank, Oxford, Nebraska ("Bank").

Applicant has also applied for the Board's approval under section 4(c)(8) of the Act (12 U.S.C. § 1843(c)(8)) and section 225.23(a)(2) of the Board's Regulation Y (12 C.F.R. § 225.23 (a)(2)) to acquire the assets of Oxford Insurance Agency ("Agency") and thereby to engage directly in the activities of a general insurance agency in a community with a population of less than 5,000 persons. This activity has been determined by the Board to be closely related to banking under section 225.25(b)(8)(ii) of Regulation Y (12 C.F.R. § 225.25(b)(8)(ii)).

Notice of these applications, affording an opportunity for interested persons to submit comments and views, has been given in accordance with sections 3 and 4 of the Act (50 Federal Register 1274 (1985)). The time for filing comments and views has expired and the Board has considered the applications and all comments received in light of the factors set forth in section 3(c) (12 U.S.C. § 1842(c)) and the considerations specified in section 4(c)(8) of the Act.

Applicant, a non-operating corporation with no subsidiaries, was organized for the purposes of acquiring Bank and of operating as a general insurance agency. Upon acquisition of Bank (total deposits of \$10.5 million), Applicant would control the 291st largest of 474 banking organizations in Nebraska, and would hold less than 0.1 percent of total deposits in commercial banks in the state.1 Consummation of the transaction would not have any significant adverse effects upon the concentration of banking resources in the state.

Bank is the fourth largest of seven banks in the Furnas County banking market, controlling 11.9 percent of deposits in commercial banks in the market.2 Neither Applicant nor any of its principals is a principal of any other banking organization in the market. Thus, consummation of the proposal would not appear to have any adverse effects upon competition or increase the concentration of banking resources in any relevant area.

The financial and managerial resources of Applicant and Bank are considered generally satisfactory and the prospects for each appear favorable. Although Applicant proposes to incur debt in connection with its proposal, it appears that Applicant will be able to service its debt while maintaining required capital within the Board's guidelines.3 Although consummation of the proposal would effect no changes in the services offered by Bank, considerations relating to

^{1.} All deposit data are as of December 31, 1983, unless otherwise noted.

^{2.} The Furnas County banking market is approximated by Furnas County, Nebraska,

^{3.} The Board has analyzed the financial factors of this proposal under the Board's "Policy Statement for Assessing Financial Factors in the Formation of Small One-Bank Holding Companies," 66 FEDER-AL RESERVE BULLETIN 320 (1980), as amended by the Board's "Capital Adequacy Guidelines," 68 FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN 33 (1982). The guidelines in the policy statement were developed in order to facilitate the transfer of ownership of small, community banks, thereby promoting service to the convenience and needs of the community.

the convenience and needs of the community to be served are consistent with approval. Accordingly, the Board has determined that consummation of the transaction would be in the public interest and that the application to acquire Bank should be approved.

Applicant has also applied, pursuant to section 4(c)(8) of the Act, to engage in the activities of a general insurance agency in a community with a population not exceeding 5,000. Applicant proposes to acquire all of the operating assets of Agency, a general insurance agency which conducts its business in the building occupied by Bank in Oxford, Nebraska, a town of approximately 1,100 persons. Following consummation of this acquisition, Applicant would engage directly in general insurance agency activities. This proposal would assure the residents of the Oxford area of the continued availability of a convenient source of insurance agency services, a factor which the Board regards as being in the public interest. There is no evidence in the record to indicate that approval of this proposal would result in undue concentration of resources, decreased or unfair competition, conflicts of interest, unsound banking practices or other adverse

effects on the public interest. Accordingly, the Board has determined that the balance of public interest factors it must consider under section 4(c)(8) of the Act is favorable and consistent with approval of this application.

Based on the foregoing and other facts of record, the Board has determined that the applications under sections 3(a)(1) and 4(c)(8) of the Act should be and hereby are approved. The transaction shall not be made before the thirtieth calendar day following the effective date of this Order or later than three months after the effective date of this Order, unless such period is extended for good cause by the Board or by the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, acting pursuant to delegated authority.

By order of the Board of Governors, effective March 22, 1985.

Voting for this action: Chairman Volcker and Governors Martin, Partee, Rice, and Gramley. Absent and not voting: Governors Wallich and Seger.

JAMES MCAFEE
[SEAL] Associate Secretary of the Board

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ORDERS APPROVED UNDER BANK HOLDING COMPANY ACT

By the Board of Governors

During March 1985 the Board of Governors approved the applications listed below. Copies are available upon request to Publications Services, Division of Support Services, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551

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Applicant	Bank(s)	Board action (effective date)
FirstBank Holding Company of Colorado, Lakewood, Colorado FirstBank Holding Company, Lakewood, Colorado	FirstBank of Breckenridge, N.A., Summit County, Colorado	March 7, 1985
Liberty United Banccorp, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky	CF Bancorp, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky Citizens State Bank, Owensboro, Kentucky	February 27, 1985
Society Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio	Scioto Bank, Columbus, Ohio	March 22, 1985
TexAm Bancshares, Inc., Bridge City, Texas	Bridge City State Bank, Bridge City, Texas Peoples State Bank, Shepherd, Texas	March 1, 1985
United Bankshares, Inc., Parkersburg, West Virginia	The First National Bank of Ripley, Ripley, West Virginia	March 26, 1985

By Federal Reserve Banks

Recent applications have been approved by the Federal Reserve Banks as listed below. Copies of the orders are available upon request to the Reserve Banks.

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Applicant	Bank(s)	Reserve Bank	Effective date
American Bankshares, Inc., War, West Virginia	The Security Bank, Fairmont, West Virginia	Richmond	February 22, 1985
ANB Corporation, Muncie, Indiana	American National Bank and Trust Company of Muncie, Muncie, Indiana	Chicago	February 15, 1985
Andover Banc Shares, Inc., Wichita, Kansas	National Bank of Andover, Andover, Kansas	Kansas City	March 1, 1985
Bank of New Hampshire Corporation, Manchester, New Hampshire	Strafford National Bank, Dover, New Hampshire	Boston	March 22, 1985

Applicant	Bank(s)	Reserve Bank	Effective date
The Bank of New Mexico Holding Company, Albuquerque, New Mexico	The Bank of Northern New Mexico, Las Vegas, New Mexico	Kansas City	March 19, 1985
Banterra Corp., Eldorado, Illinois	Egypt Bancorp, Inc., Marion, Illinois	St. Louis	March 15, 1985
Barnett Banks of Florida, Inc., Jacksonville, Florida	Cawthon State Bank, Defuniak Springs, Florida	Atlanta	March 14, 1985
Bement Bancshares, Inc., Bement, Illinois	The American Bank, Cerro Gordo, Illinois First National Bank of Ivesdale, Ivesdale, Illinois	Chicago	March 1, 1985
Carlisle Bancshares, Inc., Little Rock, Arkansas	Grand Prairie Bancshares, Inc., Carlisle, Arkansas Citizens Bank and Trust, Carlisle, Arkansas	St. Louis	March 1, 1985
Citibancshares, Inc., Muskogee, Oklahoma	Citibanc Holding Co., Inc., Muskogee, Oklahoma City Bank, Muskogee, Oklahoma	Kansas City	March 5, 1985
Citizens Bancshares, Inc., Walnut, Illinois	Citizens First State Bank of Walnut, Walnut, Illinois	Chicago	March 22, 1985
Comprehensive Investment Company, Coon Rapids, Iowa	The Farmers State Bank, Bayard, Iowa	Chicago	February 27, 1985
Cromwell Financial Corp., Cromwell, Indiana	The Cromwell State Bank, Cromwell, Indiana	Chicago	March 6, 1985
Dahlonega Bancorp, Inc., Dahlonega, Georgia	The Bank of Ellijay, Ellijay, Georgia	Atlanta	March 8, 1985
Egypt Bancorp, Inc., Marion, Illinois	Bank of Egypt, Marion, Illinois	St. Louis	March 15, 1985
Evangeline Bancshares, Inc., Ville Platte, Louisiana	The Evangeline Bank and Trust Company, Ville Platte, Louisiana	Atlanta	March 15, 1985
F & M Bancorporation, Inc., Kaukauna, Wisconsin	WCB Corporation, Omro, Wisconsin Winnebago County Bank, Omro, Wisconsin	Chicago	March 18, 1985
Farmers Banc, Inc., Tipton, Indiana	Farmers Loan and Trust Company, Tipton, Indiana	Chicago	February 27, 1985
FBC Bancshares, Inc., Lakeview, Ohio	The Farmers Banking Company, N.A., Lakeview, Ohio	Cleveland	March 7, 1985
The First BancCrossville, Inc., Crossville, Tennessee	The First National Bank of Crossville, Crossville, Tennessee	Atlanta	March 1, 1985
First Bankers Corporation of Florida, Pompano Beach, Florida	The First Bankers of Seminole County, N.A., Longwood, Florida	Atlanta	March 20, 1985

Applicant	Bank(s)	Reserve Bank	Effective date
First Berne Financial Corporation, Berne, Indiana	First Bank of Berne, Berne, Indiana	Chicago	March 5, 1985
First City Bancshares, Inc., New Orleans, Louisiana	First City Bank, New Orleans, Louisiana	Atlanta	March 8, 1985
First Community Financial Corporation, Mifflintown, Pennsylvania	The First National Bank of Mifflintown, Mifflintown, Pennsylvania	Philadelphia	March 8, 1985
First National Bancshares, Inc., Jacksonville, Florida	First National Bank of Jacksonville, Jacksonville, Florida	Atlanta	March 15, 1985
First State Capital Corporation, Lineville, Alabama	First State Bank of Lineville, Lineville, Alabama	Atlanta	February 27, 1985
First Union Bancorp, Denver, Colorado	First Union National Bank of Colorado, Denver, Colorado	Kansas City	March 1, 1985
FM Bancorp, Inc., Paxton, Illinois	Farmers-Merchants National Bank of Paxton, Paxton, Illinois	Chicago	March 11, 1985
FNB Bancshares, Inc., Lake Providence, Louisiana	The First National Bank of Lake Providence, Lake Providence, Louisiana	Dallas	March 1, 1985
Founders Bank Corporation, Scottsdale, Arizona	Founders Bank of Arizona, Scottsdale, Arizona	San Francisco	March 5, 1985
Fulda Bancorporation, Inc., Fulda, Minnesota	Fulda State Bank, Fulda, Minnesota	Minneapolis	February 19, 1985
GHW Associates, Hackensack, New Jersey	First Inter-County Bank of New York, New York, New York	New York	March 25, 1985
Greater Texas Bancshares, Inc., Georgetown, Texas	National Bank of Oak Hill, Austin, Texas	Dallas	March 1, 1985
Hill City, Inc., Hill City, Kansas	The Farmers and Merchants Bank of Hill City, Hill City, Kansas	Kansas City	March 11, 1985
Home National Corporation, Thorntown, Indiana	The Home National Bank of Thorntown, Thorntown, Indiana	Chicago	March 13, 1985
Horizon Bankshares, Inc., Fort Worth, Texas	The National Bank of Texas at Fort Worth, Fort Worth, Texas	Dallas	March 6, 1985
Iowa National Bankshares Corp., Waterloo, Iowa	Midway Bank & Trust, Cedar Falls, Iowa	Chicago	March 8, 1985
Kisco Financial Corporation, Miami, Florida	Kislak National Bank, North Miami, Florida	Atlanta	March 4, 1985
Lafayette Bancorporation, Lafayette, Indiana	The Lafayette Bank and Trust Company, Lafayette, Indiana	Chicago	March 21, 1985

Applicant	Bank(s)	Reserve Bank	Effective date
Logan County BancShares, Inc., Logan, West Virginia	Logan Bank & Trust Company, Logan, West Virginia Bank of Chapmanville, Chapmanville, West Virginia	Richmond	March 22, 1985
Louisiana Bancshares, Inc., Baton Rouge, Louisiana	Chapmanville, West Virginia The State National Corp., New Iberia, Louisiana	Atlanta	March 11, 1985
McHugh Investment Company, Murdock, Nebraska	Corn Growers State Bank, Murdock, Nebraska	Kansas City	March 21, 1985
Macon-Atlanta Bancorp., Inc., Macon, Missouri	Macon-Atlanta State Bank, Macon, Missouri	St. Louis	March 5, 1985
The Marine Corporation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin	The Citizens National Bank of Stevens Point, Stevens Point, Wisconsin	Chicago	March 7, 1985
Marion County Bancshares, Inc., Hamilton, Alabama	First National Bank of Hamilton, Hamilton, Alabama	Atlanta	March 5, 1985
Martinsburg Bancorp, Inc., Martinsburg, Missouri	Martinsburg Bank, Martinsburg, Missouri	St. Louis	March 13, 1985
Mercantile Bancorporation, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri	Bank of Poplar Bluff Bancshares, Poplar Bluff, Missouri Bank of Marble Hill, Marble Hill, Missouri	St. Louis	March 13, 1985
Merchants Bancorp, Inc., Aurora, Illinois	The Bank of Boulder Hill, Montgomery, Alabama	Chicago	March 15, 1985
Metamora Bancorp, Inc., Metamora, Ohio	The Metamora State Bank, Metamora, Ohio	Cleveland	March 21, 1985
Mustang Financial Corporation, Rio Vista, Texas	Johnson County Bank, N.A., Cleburne, Texas	Dallas	March 1, 1985
Olde Windsor Bancorp, Inc., Windsor, Connecticut	Windsor Bank and Trust Company, Windsor, Connecticut	Boston	March 11, 1985
Omnibancorp, Denver, Colorado	Omnibank Kiowa County, N.A., Eads, Colorado	Kansas City	February 22, 1985
Palmer Bancorp, Inc., Danville, Illinois	Palmer-American National Bank of Danville, Danville, Illinois	Chicago	March 19, 1985
Penn Bancshares, Inc., Pennsville, New Jersey	The Pennsville National Bank, Pennsville, New Jersey	Philadelphia	February 28, 1985
Peoples Financial Corporation, Biloxi, Mississippi	The Peoples Bank of Biloxi, Biloxi, Mississippi	Atlanta	March 13, 1985
Princeton Bancshares, Inc., Princeton, Minnesota	Princeton State Bank, Princeton, Minnesota	Minneapolis	March 1, 1985
Provident Bancorp, Inc., Dallas, Texas	Provident Bank-Denton, Denton, Texas	Dallas	March 1, 1985
Seconn Holding Company, Waterford, Connecticut	The Bank of Southeastern Connecticut, Waterford, Connecticut	Boston	March 11, 1985
Security Acadia Bancshares, Inc.,	Rayne State Bank and Trust Company,	Atlanta	March 5, 1985
Rayne, Louisiana	Rayne, Louisiana		

Applicant	Bank(s)	Reserve Bank	Effective date
Security Bancorp, Inc., Southgate, Michigan	Imlay City State Bank, Imlay City, Michigan	Chicago	February 26, 1985
Security Bancorp, Inc., San Antonio, Texas	Security Bank East, N.A., San Antonio, Texas	Dallas	March 18, 1985
Skiatook Bancshares, Inc., Skiatook, Oklahoma	Exchange Bancshares, Inc., Skiatook, Oklahoma The Exchange Bank, Skiatook, Oklahoma	Kansas City	March 15, 1985
Southwest Financial Corporation, Evergreen Park, Illinois	Hickory Creek Bank of New Lenox, New Lenox, Illinois	Chicago	March 13, 1985
Stebbins Bancshares, Inc., Creston, Ohio	Stebbins National Bank of Creston, Creston, Ohio	Cleveland	February 27, 1985
Stone Oak Bankshares, Inc., San Antonio, Texas	Stone Oak National Bank, San Antonio, Texas	Dallas	March 1, 1985
Texas First Financial Corporation, Dallas, Texas	Dallas International Bank, Dallas, Texas	Dallas	February 26, 1985
Texico Bancshares Corporation, Texico, Illinois	Texico State Bank, Texico, Illinois	St. Louis	March 15, 1985
United City Corporation, Plano, Texas	First National Bank, DeSota, Texas	Dallas	March 4, 1985
Victoria Bankshares, Inc., Victoria, Texas	First Schulenburg Financial Corporation, Schulenburg, Texas First National Bank of Schulenburg, Schulenburg, Texas	Dallas	March 22, 1985
Victoria Bankshares, Inc., Victoria, Texas	Nolte Bancshares, Inc., Seguin, Texas The Nolte National Bank of Seguin, Seguin, Texas	Dallas	March 18, 1985
Woodson Bancshares, Inc., Woodson, Texas	First State Bank, Woodson, Texas	Dallas	March 21, 1985

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Applicant	Nonbanking company	Reserve Bank	Effective date
Atlantic Bancorporation, Jacksonville, Florida, et al.	Interchange Group, Inc., Orlando, Florida	Atlanta	March 4, 1985
Comprehensive Investment Company, Coon Rapids, Iowa	Siedhoff Insurance Agency, Bayard, Iowa	Chicago	March 20, 1985

Applicant	Nonbanking company	Reserve Bank	Effective date
The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hong Kong, B.C.C. Kellett N.V.	First Leasing Corporation, San Leandro, California	New York	March 12, 1985
Curacao, Netherlands Antilles HSBC Holdings B.V., Amsterdam, The Netherlands Marine Midland Banks, Inc., Buffalo, New York			
Marine Midland National Corporation, Buffalo, New York			
Montgomery County Financial Corporation, Independence, Kansas	Sale of credit related insurance	Kansas City	March 21, 1985
NCNB Corporation, Charlotte, North Carolina	Florida Interchange Group, Inc., Orlando, Florida	Richmond	March 1, 1985
NS&T Bankshares, Incorporated, Washington, D.C.	Franklin Mortgage Corporation, Fairfax, Virginia	Richmond	March 22, 1985
Phillips Insurance Agency, Inc., Newport, Minnesota	Ronald P. Raleigh Insurance Agency, Tripoli, Wisconsin	Minneapolis	March 15, 1985
PT Invesment Corporation, Pawtucket, Rhode Island	Firestone Financial Corp., Newton Centre, Massachusetts	Boston	March 19, 1985
SouthTrust Corporation, Birmingham, Alabama	Finance South, Inc., Florala, Alabama	Atlanta	March 4, 1985
Sovran Financial Corpoation, Norfolk, Virginia	Sovran Life Insurance Company, Norfolk, Virginia Security Atlantic Life Insurance Company, Norfolk, Virginia	Richmond	March 20, 1985

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Applicant	Bank(s)/Nonbanking Company	Reserve Bank	Effective date
Flint Hills Financial Services Corporation, Leawood, Kansas	The Americus State Bank, Americus, Kansas sale of general insurance	Kansas City	March 14, 1985
Colt Investments, Inc., Leawood, Kansas	Flint Hills Financial Services, Leawood, Kansas sale of general insurance	Kansas City	March 14, 1985

PENDING CASES INVOLVING THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

This list of pending cases does not include suits against the Federal Reserve Banks in which the Board of Governors is not named a party.

- Dimension Financial Corporation v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1274 (U.S., filed Feb. 6, 1985).
- Citicorp v. Board of Governors, No. 85-4009 (2d Cir., filed Jan. 15, 1985).
- Citicorp v. Board of Governors, No. 84–4173 (2d Cir., filed Dec. 31, 1984).
- Florida Bankers Association v. Board of Governors, Nos. 84-3883, 84-3884 (2d Cir., filed Dec. 21, 1984).
- Florida Department of Banking v. Board of Governors, No. 84-3831 (11th Cir., filed Nov. 30, 1984).
- Florida Department of Banking v. Board of Governors, No. 84-3832 (11th Cir., filed Nov. 30, 1984).
- Citicorp v. Board of Governors, No. 84-754 (U.S., filed Oct. 12, 1984).
- David Bolger Revocable Trust v. Board of Governors, No. 84-4141 (2d Cir., filed Aug. 31, 1984).
- Citicorp v. Board of Governors, No. 84-4121 (2d Cir., filed Aug. 27, 1984).
- Seattle Bancorporation v. Board of Governors, No. 84-7535 (9th Cir., filed Aug. 15, 1984).
- Bank of New York Co., Inc. v. Board of Governors, No. 84-4091 (2d Cir., filed June 14, 1984).
- Citicorp v. Board of Governors, No. 84-4081 (2d Cir., filed May 22, 1984).
- Lamb v. Pioneer First Federal Savings and Loan Association, No. C84-702 (D. Wash., filed May 8, 1984).
- Melcher v. Federal Open Market Committee, No. 84–1335 (D.D.C., filed Apr. 30, 1984).
- Florida Bankers Association v. Board of Governors, No. 84-3269 and No. 84-3270 (11th Cir., filed Apr. 20, 1984).

- Northeast Bancorp, Inc. v. Board of Governors, No. 84-363 (U.S., filed Mar. 27, 1984).
- De Young v. Owens, et al., No. SC 9782-20-6 (D., N. Dist., Iowa, filed Mar. 8, 1984).
- Huston v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1361 (8th Cir., filed Mar. 20, 1984); and No. 84-1084 (8th Cir., filed Jan. 17, 1984).
- State of Ohio v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1270 (10th Cir., filed Jan. 30, 1984).
- Ohio Deposit Guarantee Fund v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1257 (10th Cir., filed Jan. 28, 1984).
- Colorado Industrial Bankers Association v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1122 (10th Cir., filed Jan. 27, 1984).
- Financial Institutions Assurance Corp. v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1101 (4th Cir., filed Jan. 27, 1984).
- First Bancorporation v. Board of Governors, No. 84-1011 (10th Cir., filed Jan. 5, 1984).
- Oklahoma Bankers Association v. Federal Reserve Board, No. 83-2591 (10th Cir., filed Dec. 13, 1983).
- The Committee for Monetary Reform v. Board of Governors, No. 84-5067 (D.C. Cir., filed June 16, 1983).
- Securities Industry Association v. Board of Governors, No. 80-2614 (D.C. Cir., filed Oct. 24, 1980), and No. 80-2730 (D.C. Cir., filed Oct. 24, 1980).
- A. G. Becker, Inc. v. Board of Governors, No. 80–2614 (D.C. Cir., filed Oct. 14, 1980), and No. 80–2730 (D.C. Cir., filed Oct. 14, 1980).

Directors of Federal Reserve Banks and Branches

The following list presents directors of Federal Reserve Banks and Branches as of March 31, 1985, and shows the class of directorship, the principal business affiliation, and the date the term expires for each director. Each Reserve Bank has nine members on its board of directors: three Class A and three Class B directors elected by the stockholding member banks, and three Class C directors appointed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. Directors are chosen without discrimination as to race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.

Class A directors represent the stockholding member banks in each Federal Reserve District. Class B and Class C directors represent the public and are chosen with due, but not exclusive, consideration to the interests of agriculture, commerce, industry, services, labor, and consumers; they may not be officers, directors, or employees of any bank. In addition, Class C directors may not be stockholders of any bank.

For election of Class A and Class B directors, the Board of Governors classifies the member banks of each Federal Reserve District into three groups of similar capitalization. Each group then elects one Class A and one Class B director. The Board of Governors designates one Class C director as chairman of the board of directors and Federal Reserve Agent of each District Bank, and another as deputy chairman.

Federal Reserve Branches have either five or seven directors, a majority of whom are appointed by the board of directors of the parent Reserve Bank; the others are appointed by the Board of Governors. One of the directors appointed by the Board is designated annually as chairman of the board of that Branch in a manner the Federal Reserve Bank prescribes.

In the following list, note 1 denotes a chairman of the board; note 2, a deputy chairman; and note 3, a director whose service began in 1985.

DISTRICT 1—BOSTON		Term
District 1 Doston		expires
Class A		Dec. 31
William W. Treat	President, Bank Meridian, N.A., Hampton, New Hampshire	1985
William S. Edgerly	Chairman and President, State Street Bank and Trust Company, Boston, Massachusetts	1986
Homer B. Ellis, Jr. ³	President, Factory Point National Bank, Manchester Center, Vermont	1987
Class B		
Matina S. Horner	President, Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts	1985
Richard M. Oster ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Cookson America, Inc., Providence, Rhode Island	1986
George N. Hatsopoulos	Chairman of the Board and President, Thermo Electron Corporation, Waltham, Massachusetts	1987
Class C		
Thomas I. Atkins ²	Attorney, Brooklyn, New York	1985
Michael J. Harrington	Harrington Company, Peabody, Massachusetts	1986
Joseph A. Baute	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Markem Corporation, Keene, New Hampshire	1987

DISTRICT 2—NEW YORK		Term expires
Class A		Dec. 31
Alfred Brittain III	Chairman of the Board, Bankers Trust Company, New York, New York	1985
T. Joseph Semrod	Chairman of the Board, United Jersey Bank, Hackensack, New Jersey	1986
Robert W. Moyer ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Wilber National Bank, Oneonta, New York	1987
Class B		
William S. Cook	President and Chief Executive Officer, Union Pacific Corporation, New York, New York	1985
John R. Opel	Chairman of the Board, International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York	1986
John F. Welch, Jr. ³	Chairman of the Board, General Electric Company, Fairfield, Connecticut	1987
Class C		
John Brademas ¹	President, New York University, New York, New York	1985
Clifton R. Wharton, Jr. ²	Chancellor, State University of New York System, Albany, New York	1986
Virginia A. Dwyer ³	Senior Vice President-Finance, American Telephone and Telegraph Company, New York, New York	1987
—BUFFALO BRA	NCH	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
William Balderston III	President and Chief Executive Officer, Chase Lincoln First Bank, N.A., Rochester, New York	1985
Donald I. Wickham	President, Tri-Way Farms, Inc., Stanley, New York	1985
Herbert Fort Ross B. Kenzie ³	President, The Bath National Bank, Bath, New York Chairman of the Board, Goldome FSB, Buffalo, New York	1986 1987
Appointed by Board of Gov	ernors	
M. Jane Dickman ¹	Partner, Touche Ross & Co., Buffalo, New York	1985
Laval S. Wilson	Superintendent, Rochester City School District, Rochester, New York	1986
Joseph Yantomasi ³	Western New York Area Director, United Auto Workers, Buffalo, New York	1987
DISTRICT 3—PHILADELPH	IIA	
Class A		
JoAnne Brinzey	Chief Executive Officer and Cashier, The First National Bank at Gallitzin, Gallitzin, Pennsylvania	1985
John H. Walther	Chairman of the Board, New Jersey National Bank, Pennington, New Jersey	1986
Ronald H. Smith ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, CCNB Bank, N.A., New Cumberland, Pennsylvania	1987

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DISTRICT 3—Continued		Term expires
Class B		Dec. 31
Eberhard Faber IV	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Eberhard Faber, Inc., Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania	1985
Carl E. Singley	Dean and Professor of Law, Temple University Law School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	1986
Charles F. Seymour ³	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Jackson-Cross Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	1987
Class C		
Nevius M. Curtis ²	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Delmarva Power & Light Company, Wilmington, Delaware	1985
Robert M. Landis ¹ George E. Bartol III	Partner, Dechert, Price and Rhoads, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Chairman of the Board, Hunt Manufacturing Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	1986 1987
DISTRICT 4—CLEVELAND		
Class A		
William A. Stroud J. David Barnes	President, First-Knox National Bank, Mount Vernon, Ohio Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Mellon Bank, Pittsburgh,	1985 1986
Raymond D. Campbell	Pennsylvania President and Chief Executive Officer, Independent State Bank of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio	1987
Class B		
John W. Kessler John R. Hall	President, John W. Kessler Company, Columbus, Ohio Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Ashland Oil,	1985 1986
Richard D. Hannan	Inc., Ashland, Kentucky Chairman of the Board and President, Mercury Instruments, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio	1987
Class C		
Lewis R. Smoot, Sr.	President and Chief Executive Officer, The Sherman R. Smoot Company, Columbus, Ohio	1985
W. H. Knoell ¹	President and Chief Executive Officer, Cyclops Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1986
E. Mandell de Windt ²	Chairman of the Board, Eaton Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio	1987
—CINCINNATI BE	RANCH	
Appointed by Federal Reserv	ve Bank	
Clement L. Buenger	President and Chief Executive Officer, The Fifth Third Bank, Cincinnati, Ohio	1985
Vernon J. Cole	Executive Vice President and Chief Executive Officer, Harlan National Bank, Harlan, Kentucky	1986
Sherrill Cleland Jerry L. Kirby ³	President, Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio Chairman of the Board, President, and Chief Executive Officer, Citizens Federal Savings and Loan Association, Dayton, Ohio	1987 1987

DISTRICT 4—Continued		Term expires
—CINCINNATI В	RANCH—Continued	Dec. 31
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
Vacancy		1985
Robert E. Boni ¹	President and Chief Executive Officer, Armco Inc., Middletown, Ohio	1986
Don Ross	Owner, Dunreath Farm, Lexington, Kentucky	1987
—Pittsburgh E	BRANCH	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
A. Dean Heasley	President and Chief Executive Officer, Century National Bank & Trust Co., Rochester, Pennsylvania	1985
G. R. Rendle	President and Chief Executive Officer, Gallatin National Bank, Uniontown, Pennsylvania	1986
Charles L. Fuellgraf, Jr. ³	Chief Executive Officer, Fuellgraf Electric Company, Butler, Pennsylvania	1987
James S. Pasman, Jr.	Vice Chairman, Aluminum Company of America, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1987
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
Robert S. Kaplan	Professor of Industrial Administration, Graduate School of Industrial Administration, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1985
Milton G. Hulme, Jr.1	President and Chief Executive Officer, Mine Safety Appliances Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1986
Milton A. Washington	President and Chief Executive Officer, Allegheny Housing Rehabilitation Corporation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	1987
DISTRICT 5—RICHMOND		
Class A		
Willard H. Derrick	President and Chief Executive Officer, Sandy Spring National Bank and Savings Institution, Sandy Spring, Maryland	1985
Robert S. Chiles, Sr.	President and Chief Executive Officer, Greensboro National Bank, Greensboro, North Carolina	1986
Robert F. Baronner ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, One Valley Bancorp of West Virginia, Inc. and Kanawha Valley Bank, N.A., Charleston, West Virginia	1987
Class B		
George Dean Johnson, Jr.	Partner, Johnson, Smith, Hibbard, Cleveland, Wildman and Dennis, Spartanburg, South Carolina	1985
Thomas B. Cookerly	President, Broadcast Division, Allbritton Communications, Washington, D.C.	1986
Floyd D. Gottwald, Jr. ³	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Ethyl Corporation, Richmond, Virginia	1987

DISTRICT 5—Continued		Term expires
Class C		Dec. 31
Robert A. Georgine ²	President, Building and Construction Trades Department, AFL-CIO, Washington, D.C.	1985
Leroy T. Canoles, Jr. 1 Vacancy	President, Kaufman and Canoles, Norfolk, Virginia	1986 1987
—Baltimore Br	RANCH	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
Howard I. Scaggs	Chairman of the Board, American National Building and Loan Association, Baltimore, Maryland	1985
Hugh D. Shires	Senior Vice President (Retired), The First National Bank of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland	1985
Charles W. Hoff III	President and Chief Executive Officer, Farmers and Mechanics National Bank, Frederick, Maryland	1986
Raymond V. Haysbert, Sr. ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Parks Sausage Company, Baltimore, Maryland	1987
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
Edward H. Covell Robert L. Tate ¹ Vacancy	President, The Covell Company, Easton, Maryland Chairman, Tate Industries, Baltimore, Maryland	1985 1986 1987
—CHARLOTTE Ві	RANCH	
Appointed by Federal Reser	rve Bank	
J. Donald Collier	President and Chief Executive Officer, First National Bank, Orangeburg, South Carolina	1985
James G. Lindley ³	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, South Carolina National Bank, Columbia, South Carolina	1985
John A. Hardin	Chairman of the Board and President, First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Rock Hill, South Carolina	1986
James M. Culberson, Jr. ³	President and Chairman, The First National Bank of Randolph County, Asheboro, North Carolina	1987
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
G. Alex Bernhardt Wallace J. Jorgenson ¹	President, Bernhardt Industries, Inc., Lenoir, North Carolina President, Jefferson-Pilot Broadcasting Company, Charlotte, North Carolina	1985 1986
Robert L. Albright ³	President, Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, North Carolina	1987

DISTRICT 6—Continued —JACKSONVILLE	E BRANCH—Continued	Term expires Dec. 31		
Appointed by Board of Gov	ernors			
E. William Nash, Jr. ¹ JoAnn Doke Smith Andrew A. Robinson ³	President, South Central Operations, The Prudential Insurance Company of America, Jacksonville, Florida Co-Owner, Smith Brothers, Micanopy, Florida Dean, College of Education and Human Services, University of North Florida, Jacksonville, Florida	1985 1986 1987		
—Miami Branc	H			
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank			
D. S. Hudson, Jr.	Chairman, First National Bank and Trust Company of Stuart,	1985		
Robert L. Kester	Stuart, Florida Vice Chairman, Barnett Bank of South Florida, N.A., Pompano Beach, Florida	1986		
James P. Hermes ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Bank of the Islands, Sanibel, Florida	1987		
Robert D. Rapaport Principal, The Rapaport Companies, Palm Beach, Florida				
Appointed by Board of Gov	ernors			
Sue McCourt Cobb	Attorney, Greenberg, Traurig, Askew, Hoffman, Lipoff, Rosen, and Quentel, P.A., Miami, Florida	1985		
Eugene E. Cohen ¹	Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer, Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Coconut Grove, Florida	1986		
Robert D. Apelgren ³	Vice President, Sugar Cane Growers Cooperative of Florida, Inc., Pahokee, Florida	1987		
—NASHVILLE BI	RANCH			
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank			
Samuel H. Howard	Vice President and Treasurer, Hospital Corporation of America, Nashville, Tennessee	1985		
Owen G. Shell, Jr.	President and Chief Executive Officer, First American National Bank of Nashville, Nashville, Tennessee	1985		
Robert W. Jones	Chairman and President, First National Bank, McMinnville, Tennessee	1986		
Will A. Hildreth ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, First National Bank of Loudon County, Lenoir City, Tennessee	1987		
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors			
Condon S. Bush ¹ Patsy R. Williams C. Warren Neel	President, Bush Brothers & Company, Dandridge, Tennessee Partner, Rhyne Lumber Company, Newport, Tennessee Dean, College of Business Administration, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee	1985 1986 1987		

DISTRICT 6—Continued		Term expires Dec. 31
—New Orleans	BRANCH	Dec. 31
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
Philip K. Livingston	Vice Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, Citizens National Bank, Hammond, Louisiana	1985
Tom Burkett Scott, Jr.	President and Chief Executive Officer, Unifirst Bank for Savings, F.A., Jackson, Mississippi	1985
Carl E. Jones, Jr.	President, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Merchants National Bank of Mobile, Mobile, Alabama	1986
James G. Boyer ³	Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, Gulf National Bank at Lake Charles, Lake Charles, Louisiana	1987
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
Sharon A. Perlis	President, Sharon A. Perlis Law Corporation, Metairie, Louisiana	1985
Leslie B. Lampton ¹ Roosevelt Steptoe	President, Ergon, Inc., Jackson, Mississippi Professor of Economics, Southern University, Baton Rouge Campus, Baton Rouge, Louisiana	1986 1987
DISTRICT 7—CHICAGO		
Class A		
Patrick E. McNarny Ollie Jay Tomson	President, First National Bank of Logansport, Logansport, Indiana President, The Citizens National Bank of Charles City, Charles City, Iowa	1985 1986
Barry F. Sullivan ³	Chairman of the Board, First National Bank of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois	1987
Class B		
Mary Garst	Manager, Cattle Division, Garst Company, Coon Rapids, Iowa	1985
Leon T. Kendall	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Mortgage Guaranty Insurance Corporation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin	1986
Edward D. Powers ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Mueller Company, Decatur, Illinois	1987
Class C		
Stanton R. Cook ¹ Robert J. Day ²	President, Tribune Company, Chicago, Illinois President and Chief Operating Officer, USG Corporation, Chicago, Illinois	1985 1986
Marcus Alexis ³	Chairman, Department of Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois	1987

DISTRICT 7—Continued		Term expires Dec. 31		
—DETROIT BRA	NCH			
Appointed by Federal Rese	erve Bank			
Charles T. Fisher III	Chairman and President, National Bank of Detroit, Detroit, Michigan	1985		
Ronald D. Story	President, The Ionia County National Bank of Ionia, Ionia, Michigan	1986		
Richard Gillett ³	Chairman, Old Kent Financial Corporation and Old Kent Bank and Trust Company, Grand Rapids, Michigan	1987		
Thomas R. Ricketts	Chairman and President, Standard Federal Savings and Loan Association, Troy, Michigan	1987		
Appointed by Board of Go	vernors			
Russell G. Mawby ¹ Russell G. Mawby ¹ President and Trustee, W. K. Kellogg Foundation, Battle Creek, Michigan Karl D. Gregory Professor, Management and Economic Consultant, School of Economics and Management, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan Robert E. Brewer Executive Vice President-Finance, K Mart Corporation, Troy, Michigan				
Karl D. Gregory Professor, Management and Economic Consultant, School of Economics and Management, Oakland University, Rochester,				
Robert E. Brewer	Executive Vice President-Finance, K Mart Corporation, Troy,	1987		
DISTRICT 8—ST. LOUIS				
Class A				
Donald L. Hunt Clarence C. Barksdale H. L. Hembree III ³	President, First National Bank of Marissa, Marissa, Illinois Chairman of the Board, Centerre Bank, N.A., St. Louis, Missouri Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Arkansas Best Corporation, Fort Smith, Arkansas	1985 1986 1987		
Class B				
Robert J. Sweeney	President and Chief Executive Officer, Murphy Oil Corporation, El Dorado, Arkansas	1985		
Frank A. Jones, Jr. Jesse M. Shaver, Jr.	President, Dietz Forge Company, Memphis, Tennessee President, JMS Corporation, Louisville, Kentucky	1986 1987		
Class C				
Robert L. Virgil, Jr.	Dean, School of Business, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri	1985		
Mary P. Holt ² W. L. Hadley Griffin ¹	President, Clothes Horse, Little Rock, Arkansas Chairman of the Executive Committee, Brown Group, Inc., St. Louis, Missouri	1986 1987		

DISTRICT 8—Continued		Term expires	
—LITTLE ROCK	Branch	Dec. 31	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank		
D. Eugene Fortson	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Worthen Bank and Trust	1985	
William H. Kennedy, Jr.	Chairman of the Executive Committee, National Bank of	1986	
Wilbur P. Gulley, Jr.	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Savers	1987	
W. Wayne Hartsfield ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, First National Bank, Searcy, Arkansas	1987	
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors		
Shirley J. Pine	Professor, Department of Communicative Disorders, University of	1985	
D. Eugene Fortson Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Worthen Bank and Trust Company, N.A., Little Rock, Arkansas William H. Kennedy, Jr. Wilbur P. Gulley, Jr. Chairman of the Executive Committee, National Bank of Commerce of Pine Bluff, Pine Bluff, Arkansas Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, Savers Federal Savings and Loan Association, Little Rock, Arkansas President and Chief Executive Officer, First National Bank, Searcy, Arkansas Professor, Department of Communicative Disorders, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Little Rock, Arkansas Group Vice President, Wood Products Group, Potlatch Corporation, Warren, Arkansas Partner, House, Wallace, Nelson and Jewell, P.A., Little Rock, Arkansas —LOUISVILLE BRANCH Professor, Department of Communicative Disorders, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Arkansas Partner, House, Wallace, Nelson and Jewell, P.A., Little Rock, Arkansas —LOUISVILLE BRANCH Professor, Rentucky Frank B. Hower, Jr. Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Liberty National Bank and Trust Company of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Great Financial Federal, Louisville, Kentucky Chairman of the Board, President, and Chief Executive Officer, Great Financial Federal, Louisville, Kentucky William C. Ballard, Jr. President and Chief Operating Officer, BATUS, Inc., Louisville, Kentucky President, Kentucky State University, Frankfort, Kentucky —MEMPHIS BRANCH Professor, Rentucky President, First National Bank of Phillips County, Helena, Arkansas President, Memphis Fire Insurance Company, Memphis, Tennessee Edgar H. Bailey Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Leader Federal Savings and			
Sheffield Nelson ¹ Partner, House, Wallace, Nelson and Jewell, P.A., Little Rock, Arkansas		1987	
—LOUISVILLE B	RANCH		
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank		
Allan S. Hanks		1985	
Frank B. Hower, Jr.	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Liberty National Bank and	1986	
John E. Darnell, Jr.	Chairman of the Board, The Owensboro National Bank,	1987	
R. I. Kerr, Jr.		1987	
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors		
Henry F. Frigon ¹		1985	
William C. Ballard, Jr.	Executive Vice President, Finance and Administration, Humana,	1986	
Raymond M. Burse ³		1987	
—МЕМРНІS BRA	NCH		
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank		
William H. Brandon, Jr.		1985	
Wayne W. Pyeatt	President, Memphis Fire Insurance Company, Memphis,	1986	
Edgar H. Bailey		1987	
John P. Dulin ³	President, First Tennessee Bank, Memphis, Tennessee	1987	

DISTRICT 8—Continued		Term	
—MEMPHIS BRANCH—Continued			
Appointed by Board of Gov			
Appointed by Board of Gov	critors		
Patricia W. Shaw	President and Chief Executive Officer, Universal Life Insurance Company, Memphis, Tennessee	1985	
Donald B. Weis ¹	President, Tamak Transportation Corporation, West Memphis, Arkansas	1986	
G. Rives Neblett	Attorney, Neblett, Bobo, Chapman, and Heaton, Shelby, Mississippi	1987	
DISTRICT 9—MINNEAPOL	IS		
Class A			
Curtis W. Kuehn	President, The First National Bank in Sioux Falls, Sioux Falls, South Dakota	1985	
Burton P. Allen, Jr. Thomas M. Strong ³	President, First National Bank, Milaca, Minnesota President and Chief Executive Officer, Citizens State Bank, Ontonagon, Michigan	1986 1987	
Class B			
Richard L. Falconer	District Manager, Northwestern Bell, Bismarck, North Dakota	1985	
Harold F. Zigmund William L. Mathers	Chairman, Blandin Paper Company, Grand Rapids, Minnesota President, Mathers Land Company, Inc., Miles City, Montana	1986 1987	
Class C			
Sister Generose Gervais John B. Davis, Jr. ²	Administrator, St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, Minnesota Interim Executive Director, Children's Theatre Company and	1985 1986	
William G. Phillips	School, Minneapolis, Minnesota Chairman, International Multifoods, Minneapolis, Minnesota	1987	
—HELENA BRAN	ICH		
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank		
Roger H. Ulrich	President, First State Bank, Malta, Montana	1985	
Dale W. Anderson ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, Norwest Bank Great Falls, N.A., Great Falls, Montana	1986	
Seabrook Pates	President and Chief Executive Officer, Midland Implement Company, Inc., Billings, Montana	1986	
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors		
Gene J. Etchart ¹ Marcia S. Anderson ³	Past President, Hinsdale Livestock Company, Glasgow, Montana President, Bridger Canyon Stallion Station, Inc., Bozeman, Montana	1985 1986	

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DISTRICT 10—Continued		Term
ОКІ АНОМА (CITY BRANCH—Continued	expires Dec. 31
Appointed by Board of Gove		
Patience S. Latting ¹	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma	1985
John F. Snodgrass	President and Trustee, Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation, Inc., Ardmore, Oklahoma	1986
—Омана Branc	СН	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
William W. Cook, Jr.	President, The Beatrice National Bank and Trust Company, Beatrice, Nebraska	1985
Charles H. Thorne	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, First Federal	1985
Donald J. Murphy	Savings and Loan Association of Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska Director, Norwest Bank Omaha, N.A., Omaha, Nebraska	1986
Appointed by Board of Gove	ernors	
Kenneth L. Morrison ¹ Janice D. Stoney ³	President, Morrison-Quirk Grain Corporation, Hastings, Nebraska Vice President, Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, Omaha, Nebraska	1985 1986
DISTRICT 11—DALLAS		
Class A		
John P. Gilliam	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, First National Bank in Valley Mills, Valley Mills, Texas	1985
Miles D. Wilson	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, The First National Bank of Bellville, Bellville, Texas	1986
Gene Edwards ³	Chairman of the Board, First Amarillo Bancorporation, Inc., Amarillo, Texas	1987
Class B		
Robert Ted Enloe III	President, Lomas & Nettleton Financial Corporation, Dallas, Texas	1985
Kent Gilbreath	Associate Dean, Hankamer School of Business, Baylor University, Waco, Texas	1986
Robert L. Pfluger ³	Rancher, San Angelo, Texas	1987
Class C		
Robert D. Rogers ¹	President and Chief Executive Officer, Texas Industries, Inc.,	1985
Hugh G. Robinson ³	Dallas, Texas Vice President for Real Estate Development, Southland Corporation, Dallas, Texas	1986
Bobby R. Inman ²	Chairman of the Board, President, and Chief Executive Officer, Microelectronics and Computer Technology Corporation, Austin, Texas	1987

DISTRICT 11—Continued		Term expires		
—EL PASO BRA	—EL PASO BRANCH			
Appointed by Federal Rese	rve Bank			
Hector Holguin ³ David L. Stone Tony A. Martin	Founder and Chairman, Holguin Corporation, El Paso, Texas President, The Portales National Bank, Portales, New Mexico Chairman of the Board, First City National Bank of Midland, Midland, Texas	1985 1986 1987		
Gerald W. Thomas	President Emeritus and Professor of Animal Range Science, Center for International Programs, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico	1981		
Appointed by Board of Gov	vernors			
Peyton Yates John Sibley ¹ Mary Carmen Saucedo	President, Yates Drilling Company, Artesia, New Mexico President, Delaware Mountain Enterprises, Carlsbad, New Mexico Associate Superintendent, Central Area Office, El Paso Independent School District, El Paso, Texas	1985 1986 1987		
—HOUSTON BRA	ANCH			
Appointed by Federal Reser	rve Bank			
Will E. Wilson	Chairman of the Executive Committee, First City National Bank of Beaumont, Beaumont, Texas	1985		
Marcella D. Perry	President and Chief Executive Officer, Heights Savings Association, Houston, Texas	1986		
Thomas B. McDade	Vice Chairman, Texas Commerce Bancshares, Inc., Houston, Texas	1987		
David E. Sheffield ³	President and Chief Executive Officer, First Victoria National Bank, Victoria, Texas	1987		
Appointed by Board of Gov	vernors			
Robert T. Sakowitz ¹	Chairman of the Board and President, Sakowitz, Inc., Houston, Texas	1985		
Walter M. Mischer, Jr. ³ Andrew L. Jefferson, Jr. ³	President, The Mischer Corporation, Houston, Texas Attorney, Jefferson, Mims, and Plummer, Houston, Texas	1986 1987		
—SAN ANTONIC	BRANCH			
Appointed by Federal Reser	rve Bank			
George Brannies	Chairman of the Board and President, The Mason National Bank, Mason, Texas	1985		
C. Ivan Wilson	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, First City Bank of Corpus Christi, Corpus Christi, Texas	1986		
Joe D. Barbee	President and Chief Executive Officer, Barbee-Neuhaus Implement Company, Weslaco, Texas	1987		
Robert T. Rork ³	Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, RepublicBank San Antonio, N.A., San Antonio, Texas	1987		

DISTRICT 11—Continued		Term expires
—SAN ANTONI	O BRANCH—Continued	Dec. 31
Appointed by Board of Gov	ernors	
Robert F. McDermott ¹	Chairman of the Board and President, United Services Automobile Association, San Antonio, Texas	1985
Lawrence L. Crum	Professor of Banking and Finance, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas	1986
Ruben M. Garcia ³	President, Modern Machine Shop, Inc., Laredo, Texas	1987
DISTRICT 12—SAN FRANC	CISCO	
Class A		
Spencer F. Eccles	Chairman, President, and Chief Executive Officer, First Security Corporation, Salt Lake City, Utah	1985
Rayburn S. Dezember Donald J. Gehb ³	Chairman, Central Pacific Corporation, Bakersfield, California President and Chief Executive Officer, Alameda First National Bank, Alameda, California	1986 1987
Class B		
Togo W. Tanaka John C. Hampton	Chairman, Gramercy Enterprises, Inc., Los Angeles, California Chairman and President, Willamina Lumber Company, Portland, Oregon	1985 1986
George H. Weyerhaeuser	President and Chief Executive Officer, Weyerhaeuser Company, Tacoma, Washington	1987
Class C		
Carolyn S. Chambers Fred W. Andrew ²	President, Chambers Cable Co., Inc., Eugene, Oregon Chairman, President, and Chief Executive Officer, Superior Farming Company, Bakersfield, California	1985 1986
Alan C. Furth ¹	Vice Chairman, Santa Fe Southern Pacific Corporation and President, Southern Pacific Company, San Francisco, California	1987
—Los Angeles	BRANCH	
Appointed by Federal Reser	ve Bank	
Bram Goldsmith	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, City National Bank, Beverly Hills, California	1985
William L. Tooley	Chairman, Tooley and Company, Investment Builders, Los Angeles, California	1985
Harvey J. Mitchell	President and Chief Executive Officer, Escondido National Bank, Escondido, California	1986
Robert R. Dockson	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, CalFed, Inc., Los Angeles, California	1987
Appointed by Board of Gov.	ernors	
Thomas R. Brown, Jr. Lola M. McAlpin-Grant Richard C. Seaver ^{1,3}	Chairman of the Board, Burr-Brown Corporation, Tucson, Arizona Attorney, Inglewood, California President, Hydril Company, Los Angeles, California	1985 1986 1987

DISTRICT 12—Continued		Term expires
—PORTLAND BE	RANCH	Dec. 31
Appointed by Federal Rese	rve Bank	
Herman C. Bradley, Jr.	President and Chief Executive Officer, Tri-County Banking Company, Junction City, Oregon	1985
William S. Naito John A. Elorriaga	Vice President, Norcrest China Company, Portland, Oregon Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, United States National Bank of Oregon, Portland, Oregon	1986 1987
G. Dale Weight ³	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Benjamin Franklin Savings and Loan Association, Portland, Oregon	1987
Appointed by Board of Gov	vernors	
G. Johnny Parks	Northwest Regional Director, International Longshoremen's & Warehousemen's Union, Portland, Oregon	1985
Paul E. Bragdon ¹ Sandra A. Suran ³	President, Reed College, Portland, Oregon Partner, Suran and Company, Beaverton, Oregon	1986 1987
—SALT LAKE C	ITY BRANCH	
Appointed by Federal Rese	rve Bank	
John A. Dahlstrom	Chairman of the Board, Tracy-Collins Bank and Trust Company, Salt Lake City, Utah	1985
Fred C. Humphreys	Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, The Idaho First National Bank and Moore Financial Group, Boise, Idaho	1985
Albert C. Gianoli	President and Chairman of the Board, First National Bank of Ely, Ely, Nevada	1986
Lela M. Ence	Executive Director, University of Utah Alumni Association, Salt Lake City, Utah	1987
Appointed by Board of Gov	vernors	
Vacancy Robert N. Pratt Don M. Wheeler ^{1,3}	President, Moriah Enterprises, Inc., Bountiful, Utah President, Wheeler Machinery Company, Salt Lake City, Utah	1985 1986 1987
SEATTLE BRA	NCH	
Appointed by Federal Rese	rve Bank	
William W. Philip	Chairman of the Board and President, Puget Sound National Bank, Tacoma, Washington	1985
Lonnie G. Bailey	Executive Vice President, Farmers & Merchants Bank of Rockford, Spokane, Washington	1986
John N. Nordstrom William S. Randall ³	Co-Chairman of the Board, Nordstrom, Inc., Seattle, Washington President and Chief Executive Officer, First Interstate Bank of Washington, N.A., Seattle, Washington	1987 1987
Appointed by Board of Gov	vernors	
Byron I. Mallott	President and Chief Executive Officer, Sealaska Corporation, Juneau, Alaska	1985
Carol A. Birkholz John W. Ellis ¹	Managing Partner, Laventhol & Horwath, Seattle, Washington President and Chief Executive Officer, Puget Sound Power & Light Company, Bellevue, Washington	1986 1987

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		()	annual rate	Monetary a	and credit a , seasonally	ggregates adjusted i	n percent) [[]	·		
Item		1984				1984			1985	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
Reserves of depository institutions ² 1 Total	7.7	8.6	6.8	7	-12.1	11.3	18.8	31.1	19.7	
	5.3	10.3	6.6	-1.5	-12.1	9.1	14.0	35.2	15.4	
	9.0	-10.8	-44.6	30.7	32.6	66.3	72.6	94.4	23.8	
	9.5	7.0	7.2	3.9	4	7.6	8.0	8.0	12.3	
Concepts of money, liquid assets, and debt ⁴ 5 M1 6 M2 7 M3 8 L 9 Debt.	6.2	6.5	4.5	3.2'	-7.0°	12.0	10.2 ^r	9.0	14.1	
	7.2	7.1	6.8	9.0	5.5	14.0	13.1 ^r	13.6'	10.5	
	9.2	10.5	9.5	11.0	9.9°	14.2	14.4 ^r	10.1'	7.9	
	11.1 ^r	12.4'	12.2'	9.3	7.0	9.9	11.9	n.a.	n.a.	
	13.1	13.1	12.4'	12.5'	11.8°	14.7	14.2 ^r	12.8	n.a.	
Nontransaction components 10 In M2 ⁵	7.5	7.2	7.6	10.8	9,4r	14.6	14.1 ^r	15.1 ^r	9.4	
	18.2	24.9	20.3	18.9	27.3r	15.0°	18.8 ^r	-3.1 ^r	-2.5	
Time and savings deposits Commercial banks 12 Savings ⁷ 13 Small-denomination time ⁸ 14 Large-denomination time ^{9,10} Thrift institutions 15 Savings ⁷ 16 Small-denomination time 17 Large-denomination time 18 Small-denomination time 19 Large-denomination time	-11.6	-6.7	-5.6	-10.4	-11.4	-10.6	-11.6	-9.8	-2.0	
	9.5	13.1	13.4	6.9	4.4	4.4	7.8	-8.1'	-8.4	
	7.4	21.8	19.3	12.2 ^r	24.2	1.8 ^r	3.6'	-9.5'	9.1	
	-5.7	7	-6.7	-6.6 ^r	-5.7r	-5.7 ^r	-6.5'	7.2	8.6	
	13.0	13.4	17.0	14.8	15.9	10.8	11.4	-3.1'	-6.0	
	52.3	48.1	38.1	31.3	38.2	42.9	39.0	20.5	2.3	
Debt components ⁴ 18 Federal 19 Nonfederal 20 Total loans and securities at commercial banks ¹¹	16.6	13.1	14.7	15.6	12.9	20.0	17.7	16.3	п.а.	
	12.1	13.1	11.8	11.6	11.5r	13.1 ^r	13.1 ^r	11.7	n.а.	
	11.9	11.0	9.1	9.2	6.5	13.0 ^r	9.7 ^r	6.4	12.6	

1. Unless otherwise noted, rates of change are calculated from average

1. Unless otherwise noted, rates of change are calculated from average amounts outstanding in preceding month or quarter.

2. Figures incorporate adjustments for discontinuities associated with the implementation of the Monetary Control Act and other regulatory changes to reserve requirements. To adjust for discontinuities due to changes in reserve requirements on reservable nondeposit liabilities, the sum of such required reserves is subtracted from the actual series. Similarly, in adjusting for discontinuities in the monetary base, required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float also are subtracted from the actual series.

3. The monetary base not adjusted for discontinuities consists of total reserves plus required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float at Federal Reserve Banks plus the currency component of the money stock less the amount of vault cash holdings of thrift institutions that is included in the currency component of the money stock plus, for institutions not having required reserve balances, the excess of current vault cash over the amount applied to satisfy current reserve requirements. After the introduction of contemporaneous reserve requirements (CRR), currency and vault cash over the amount applied to satisfy current place of ending Monday.

Before CRR, all components of the monetary base other than excess reserves are added on a not seasonally adjusted basis. After CRR, the seasonally adjusted series consists of seasonally adjusted basis. After CRR, the seasonally adjusted series consists of seasonally adjusted basis, plus the seasonally adjusted excess reserves on a not seasonally adjusted basis, plus the seasonally adjusted currency component of the money stock plus the remaining items seasonally adjusted to the remaining items seasonall

adjusted as a whole.

4. Composition of the money stock measures and debt is as follows:

M1: (1) currency outside the Treasury, Federal Reserve Banks, and the vaults of commercial banks; (2) travelers checks of nonbank issuers; (3) demand deposits at all commercial banks other than those due to domestic banks, the U.S. government, and foreign banks and official institutions less cash items in the process of collection and Federal Reserve float; and (4) other checkable deposits (OCD) consisting of negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) and automatic transfer

(OCD) consisting of negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) and automatic transfer service (ATS) accounts at depository institutions, credit union share draft accounts, and demand deposits at thrift institutions. The currency and demand deposit components exclude the estimated amount of vault cash and demand deposits respectively held by thrift institutions to service their OCD liabilities.

M2: M1 plus overnight (and continuing contract) repurchase agreements (RPs) issued by all commercial banks and overnight Eurodollars issued to U.S. residents by foreign branches of U.S. banks worldwide, MMDAs, savings and small-denomination time deposits (time deposits—including retail RPs—in amounts of less than \$100,000), and balances in both taxable and tax-exempt general purpose and broker/dealer money market mutual funds. Excludes individual retirement accounts (IRA) and Kengh balances at depository institutions and money market accounts (IRA) and Keogh balances at depository institutions and money market

funds. Also excludes all balances held by U.S. commercial banks, money market

funds. Also excludes all balances held by U.S. commercial banks, money market funds (general purpose and broker/dealer), foreign governments and commercial banks, and the U.S. government. Also subtracted is a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of demand deposits and vault cash held by thrift institutions to service their time and savings deposits.

M3: M2 plus large-denomination time deposits and term RP liabilities (in amounts of \$100.000 or more) issued by commercial banks and thrift institutions, term Eurodollars held by U.S. residents at foreign branches of U.S. banks worldwide and at all banking offices in the United Kingdom and Canada, and balances in both taxable and tax-exempt, institution-only money market mutual funds. Excludes amounts held by depository institutions. Also subtracted is a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of overnight RPs and Eurodollars held by institution-only money market mutual funds.

L: M3 plus the nonbank public holdings of U.S. savings bonds, short-term Treasury securities, commercial paper and bankers acceptances, net of money market mutual fund holdings of these assets.

Debt: Debt of domestic nonfinancial sectors consists of outstanding credit

Ireasury securities, commercial paper and bankers acceptances, net of money market mutual fund holdings of these assets.

Debt: Debt of domestic nonfinancial sectors consists of outstanding credit market debt of the U.S. government, state and local governments, and private nonfinancial sectors. Private debt consists of corporate bonds, mortgages, consumer credit (including bank loans), other bank loans, commercial paper, bankers acceptances, and other debt instruments. The source of data on domestic nonfinancial debt is the Federal Reserve Board's flow of funds accounts. Debt data are on an end-of-month basis. Growth rates for debt reflect adjustments for discontinuities over time in the levels of debt presented in other tables.

5. Sum of overnight RPs and Eurodollars, money market fund balances (general purpose and broker/dealer), MMDAs, and savings and small time deposits less the estimated amount of demand deposits and vault cash held by thrift institutions to service their time and savings deposit liabilities.

6. Sum of large time deposits, term RPs, and Eurodollars of U.S. residents, money market fund balances (institution-only), less a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of overnight RPs and Eurodollars held by institution-only money market mutual funds.

7. Excludes MMDAs.

8. Small-denomination time deposits—including retail RPs—are those issued in amounts of less than \$100,000. All IRA and Keogh accounts at commercial banks and thrifts are subtracted from small time deposits.

9. Large-denomination time deposits are those issued in amounts of \$100,000 or more, excluding those booked at international banking facilities.

- or more, excluding those booked at international banking facilities.

 10. Large-denomination time deposits at commercial banks less those held by money market mutual funds, depository institutions, and foreign banks and official institutions.
 - 11. Changes calculated from figures shown in table 1.23.

1.11 RESERVES OF DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS AND RESERVE BANK CREDIT

Millions of dollars

		thly average daily figures	s of		Weekly	averages o	f daily figure	es for week	ending		
Factors	1984	19	35				1985				
	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	
SUPPLYING RESERVE FUNDS											
1 Reserve Bank credit	183,925	182,763	180,077	183,752	179,274	179,901	180,153	179,550	179,690	180,318	
2 U.S. government securities! 3 Bought outright. 4 Held under repurchase agreements. 5 Federal agency obligations 6 Bought outright. 7 Held under repurchase agreements. 8 Acceptances.	159,474 159,010 464 8,462 8,389 73 0	159,619 158,152 1,467 8,526 8,389 137	157,221 155,848 1,373 8,565 8,378 187 0	161,411 158,645 2,766 8,640 8,389 251 0	156,368 156,368 0 8,389 8,389 0	157,296 156,858 438 8,440 8,389 51 0	156,272 155,135 1,137 8,515 8,389 126 0	156,656 155,694 962 8,692 8,382 310	157,641 154,608 3,033 8,628 8,372 256 0	157,589 157,589 0 8,372 8,372 0 0	
9 Loans 0 Float 1 Other Federal Reserve assets 2 Gold stock 3 Special drawing rights certificate account 4 Treasury currency outstanding ABSORBING RESERVE FUNDS		1,567 1,203 11,848 11,095 4,618 16,453	1,278 1,248 11,765 11,094 4,618 16,501	1,200 664 11,836 11,095 4,618 16,448	784 1,606 12,127 11,095 4,618 16,462	1,167 877 12,122 11,095 4,618 16,474	1,642 1,460 12,265 11,095 4,618 16,478	1,095 720 12,387 11,094 4,618 16,492	994 959 11,468 11,094 4,618 16,506	1,354 1,624 11,380 11,094 4,618 16,520	
15 Currency in circulation 16 Treasury cash holdings Deposits, other than reserve balances, with	181,720 511	180,036 526	178,273 550	180,592 524	178,689 528	177,310 534	177,657 538	178,479 549	178,700 556	178,134 555	
17 Treasury	3,406 247 1,676	3,875 219 1,961	4,344 223 1,191	3,463 211 1,884	3,300 223 2,074	4,946 212 1,612	5,015 203 1,982	4,797 210 1,590	3,819 236 1,886	4,038 229 1,693	
20 Other	450	479	533	420	387	574	653	521	508	466	
capital	6,370	6,200	6,061	6,319	6,222	6,166	6,040	6,008	6,026	6,182	
Reserve Banks ²	21,648	21,634	21,115	22,500	20,027	20,734	20,257	19,599	20,176	21,253	
	End-	of-month fig	ures	Wednesday figures							
	1984	19	35		1985						
	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	
SUPPLYING RESERVE FUNDS								ľ			
23 Reserve Bank credit	ĺ	177,890	181,786	185,645	178,913	179,161	180,050	182,424	182,216	178,271	
24 U.S. government securities! 25 Bought outright. 26 Held under repurchase agreements. 27 Federal agency obligations. 28 Bought outright. 29 Held under repurchase agreements. 30 Acceptances.	159,223 1,627 8,777 8,389 388 0	154,555 154,555 0 8,389 8,389 0	159,632 157,124 2,508 8,752 8,372 380	163,153 158,733 4,420 8,644 8,389 255 0	156,030 156,030 0 8,389 8,389 0 0	155,418 155,418 0 8,389 8,389 0 0	155,562 155,562 0 8,389 8,389 0	157,651 157,651 0 8,372 8,372 0 0	158,072 154,743 3,329 8.676 8,372 304 0	155,501 155,501 0 8,372 8,372 0 0	
31 Loans	3,577 833 12,347	2,139 502 12,305	2,329 -56 11,129	1,125 584 12,139	764 1,661 12,069	1,910 1,120 12,324	1,055 2,645 12,399	1,613 2,189 12,599	1,168 2,885 11,415	1,939 588 11,871	
34 Gold stock	11,096 4,618 16,418	11,095 4,618 16,476	11,093 4,618 16,532	11,095 4,618 16,460	11,095 4,618 16,474	11,095 4,618 16,476	11,095 4,618 16,490	11,094 4,618 16,504	11,094 4,618 16,518	11,093 4,618 16,532	
		l .									
Absorbing Reserve Funds											
37 Currency in circulation	183,796 513	177,569 535	178,416 557	179,800 527	178,161 534	177,291 535	178,112 545	178,779 556	178,934 555	178,130 557	
37 Currency in circulation	5,316 253										
37 Currency in circulation 38 Treasury cash holdings Deposits, other than reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks 39 Treasury 40 Foreign 41 Service-related balances and adjustments 42 Other	5,316 253	535 5,349 244	3,308 332	3,331 198	4,399 224	2,963 238	5,618 211	3,974 268	3,916 244	3,099 223	
37 Currency in circulation 38 Treasury cash holdings Deposits, other than reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks 39 Treasury 40 Foreign 41 Service-related balances and adjustments	5,316 253 1,126	535 5,349 244 1,164	3,308 332 1,226	3,331 198 1,143	4,399 224 1,158	2,963 238 1,157	5,618 211 1,164	3,974 268 1,164	3,916 244 1,213	3,099 223 1,213	

Includes securities loaned—fully guaranteed by U.S government securities pledged with Federal Reserve Banks—and excludes (if any) securities sold and scheduled to be bought back under matched sale-purchase transactions.

^{2.} Excludes required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float.

Note. For amounts of currency and coin held as reserves, see table 1.12.

1.12 RESERVES AND BORROWINGS Depository Institutions

Millions of dollars

	Monthly averages ⁸										
Reserve classification	1982	1983	1984		1984				1985		
	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
1 Reserve balances with Reserve Banks ¹ 2 Total vault cash ² 3 Vault cash used to satisfy reserve requirements ³ 4 Surplus vault cash ⁴ 5 Total reserves ⁵ 6 Required reserves 7 Excess reserve balances at Reserve Banks ⁶ 8 Total borrowings at Reserve Banks 9 Seasonal borrowings at Reserve Banks 10 Extended credit at Reserve Banks ⁷	24,939 20,392 17,049 3,343 41,853 41,853 500 697 33 187	21,138 20,755 17,908 2,847 38,894 38,333 561 774 96 2	21,738 22,316 18,958 3,358 40,696 39,843 853 3,186 113 2,604	19,270 21,688 17,995 3,694 37,264 36,575 689 8,017 346 7,043	20,143 21,232 17,900 3,333 38,043 37,415 628 7,242 319 6,459	20,099 21,875 18,413 3,462 38,512 37,892 620 6,017 299 5,057 y figures fo	20,843 21,827 18,392r 3,434r 39,235 38,542 693 4,617 212 3,837	21,738 22,316 18,958 3,358 40,696 39,843 853 3,186 113 2,604	21,577° 23,044 19,547 3,497 41,125° 40,380° 745° 1,395 62 1,050	20,417 23,927 19,856 4,071 40,273 39,374 899 1,289 71 803	
		19	84		1985						
	Nov. 7	Nov. 21	Dec. 5	Dec. 19	Jan. 2	Jan. 16	Jan. 30	Feb. 13	Feb. 27 ^p	Mar. 13 ^p	
11 Reserve balances with Reserve Banks ¹ 12 Total vault cash ² 13 Vault cash used to satisfy reserve requirements ³ 15 Total reserves ⁵ 16 Required reserves 17 Excess reserve balances at Reserve Banks ⁶ 18 Total borrowings at Reserve Banks 19 Seasonal borrowings at Reserve Banks 20 Extended credit at Reserve Banks ⁷	20,566 20,577 17,949 3,456 38,526 37,949 577 5,373 265 4,184	20,734 20,748 18,661 3,456 39,409 38,800 610 4,476 204 3,888	21,184 21,196 18,320 3,385 39,516 38,602 914 4,251 184 3,488	21,584 21,596 18,547 3,120 40,143 39,617 526 3,231 115 2,774	22,171 22,129 19,701 19,703 41,832 40,625 1,207 2,691 81 2,038	22,819 22,819 22,089 19,002 41,820 41,187 634 1,631 58 1,371	20,375 20,379 23,828 19,995 40,374 39,590 785 976 63 593	19,924 24,893 20,624 4,269 40,548 39,537 1,012 1,369 60 988	20,734 23,203 19,270 3,933 40,003 39,198 806 1.174 81 603	22,382 21,518 18,094 3,424 40,476 39,726 751 1,865 69 1,224	

^{1.} Excludes required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for

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1.13 FEDERAL FUNDS AND REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS Large Member Banks¹

Averages of daily figures, in millions of dollars

Dr. maturity and record	1985 week ending Monday										
By maturity and source	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Feb. 4	Feb. 11	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 4	Mar. 11	Mar. 18		
One day and continuing contract 1 Commercial banks in United States 2 Other depository institutions, foreign banks and foreign official institutions, and U.S. government agencies. 3 Nonbank securities dealers.	60,571	56,740	60,129	61,359	61,529	58,363	60,758	62,875	59,617		
	27,149	27,503	29,148	30,114	29,116	27,655	25,753	27,269	26,391		
	7,290	8,643	8,335	7,484	8,404	9,055	8,973	8,992	9,082		
	26,087	28,150	28,217	28,931	30,655	32,282	32,281	30,605	29,390		
All other maturities 5 Commercial banks in United States 6 Other depository institutions, foreign banks and foreign official institutions, and U.S. government agencies. 7 Nonbank securities dealers. 8 All other	8,652	7,475	7,644	8,178	8,472	8,468	8,633	8,916	9,354		
	8,072	7,315	7,010	7,200	6,981	7,715	8,068	8,282	8,401		
	7,503	7,038	6,936	7,534	7,507	7,772	7,600	7,540	8,366		
	9,588	7,776	8,241	8,605	8,998	8,707	9,010	8,753	8,946		
MEMO: Federal funds and resale agreement loans in maturities of one day or continuing contract 9 Commercial banks in United States 10 Nonbank securities dealers	28,438	28,298	29,664	25,960	28,703 ^r	26,434	26,737	24,922	26,777		
	5,952	6,535	6,871	6,087	6,137	6,117	6,883	6,410	6,505		

^{1.} Banks with assets of \$1 billion or more as of Dec. 31, 1977.

float.

2. Dates refer to the maintenance periods in which the vault cash can be used to satisfy reserve requirements. Under contemporaneous reserve requirements, maintenance periods end 30 days after the lagged computation periods in which

maintenance periods can be used after the tagged computation period by institutions having required reserve balances at Federal Reserve Banks plus the amount of vault cash equal to required reserves during the maintenance period at

amount of value cash equal to required reserve balances.

4. Total vault cash at institutions having no required reserve balances the amount of vault cash equal to their required reserves during the maintenance period.

^{5.} Total reserves not adjusted for discontinuities consist of reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks, which exclude required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float, plus vault cash used to satisfy reserve requirements. Such vault cash consists of all vault cash held during the lagged

computation period by institutions having required reserve balances at Federal Reserve Banks plus the amount of vault cash equal to required reserves during the maintenance period at institutions having no required reserve balances.

6. Reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks plus vault cash used to satisfy reserve requirements less required reserves.

7. Extended credit consists of borrowing at the discount window under the terms and conditions established for the extended credit program to help depository institutions deal with sustained liquidity pressures. Because there is not the same need to repay such borrowing promptly as there is with traditional short-term adjustment credit the money market impact of extended credit.

not the same need to repay such corrowing promptly as there is with traditional short-term adjustment credit, the money market impact of extended credit is similar to that of nonborrowed reserves.

8. Before February 1984, data are prorated monthly averages of weekly averages; beginning February 1984, data are prorated monthly averages of biweekly averages.

Note. These data also appear in the Board's H.3 (502) release. For address, see

1.14 FEDERAL RESERVE BANK INTEREST RATES

Percent per annum

Current and previous levels

				Extended credit ¹									
	Short-i	Short-term adjustment credit and seasonal credit			First 60 days of borrowing		Next 90 days of borrowing		After 150 days				
	Rate on 3/27/85	Effective date	Previous rate	Rate on 3/27/85	Previous rate	Rate on 3/27/85	Previous rate	Rate on 3/27/85	Previous rate	for current rates			
Boston	8	12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84	81/2	8	81/2	9	91/2	10	101/2	12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84			
Chicago	8	12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84	81/2	8	♦ 81⁄2	9	91/2	10	101/2	12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84 12/24/84			

Range of rates in recent years2

Effective date	Range (or level)— All F.R. Banks	F.R. Bank of N.Y.	Effective date	Range (or level)— Bank All F.R. of N.Y.		Effective date	Range (or level)— All F.R. Banks	F.R. Bank of N.Y.
In effect Dec. 31, 1973	7½ 7½-8 8 7¾-8 7¾	7½ 8 8 7¾ 7¾ 7¾	1978— July 3	7-71/4 71/4 73/4 8 8-81/2 81/2	71/4 71/4 73/4 8 81/2 81/2	1981— May 5	13-14 14 13-14 13 12	14 14 13 13 12
1975— Jan. 6	7¼-7¾ 7¼-7¾ 7¼ 6¾-7¼ 6¾ 6¼-6¾ 6¼ 6¼ 6-6¼ 6	7 ³ / ₄ 7 ¹ / ₄ 7 ¹ / ₄ 6 ³ / ₄ 6 ³ / ₄ 6 ³ / ₄ 6 ¹ / ₄ 6 6	Nov. 1 3	8½-9½ 9½ 10 10-10½ 10½-11 11 11-12	9½ 9½ 10 10½ 10½ 11 11 11 12	1982— July 20	11½-12 11½ 11-11½ 11 10½ 10-10½ 10 9½-10 9½ 9-9½	11½ 11½ 11 11 10½ 10 10 9½ 9½ 9½
1976— Jan. 19	5½-6 5½ 5½-5½ 5¼-5½ 5¼	5½ 5½ 5¼ 5¼ 5¼	1980— Feb. 15	12–13 13 12–13	13 13 13 13	26	9 8½-9 8½-9 8½	9 9 8½ 8½
1977— Aug. 30	51/4-53/4 51/4-53/4 53/4 6	5½ 5¾ 5¾ 5¾ 6	June 13	11–12 11 10–11 10	11 11 10 10 10	1984— Apr. 9	8½-9 9 8½-9 8½ 8	9 9 8½ 8½ 8
1978— Jan. 9		6½ 6½ 7 7	Nov. 17	12 12–13 13	12 13 13	In effect Mar. 27, 1985	8	8

^{1.} Applicable to advances when exceptional circumstances or practices involve I. Applicable to advances when exceptional circumstances or practices involve only a particular depository institution and to advances when an institution is under sustained liquidity pressures. As an alternative, for loans outstanding for more than 150 days, a Federal Reserve Bank may charge a flexible rate that takes into account rates on market sources of funds, but in no case will the rate charged be less than the basic rate plus one percentage point. Where credit provided to a particular depository institution is anticipated to be outstanding for an unusually prolonged period and in relatively large amounts, the time period in which each rate under this structure is applied may be shortened. See section 201.3(b)(2) of

Regulation A.

2. Rates for short-term adjustment credit. For description and earlier data see the following publications of the Board of Governors: Banking and Monetary

Statistics, 1914–1941, and 1941–1970; Annual Statistical Digest, 1970–1979, 1980, 1981, and 1982.

In 1980 and 1981, the Federal Reserve applied a surcharge to short-term adjustment credit borrowings by institutions with deposits of \$500 million or more that had borrowed in successive weeks or in more than 4 weeks in a calendar quarter. A 3 percent surcharge was in effect from Mar. 17, 1980, through May 7, 1980. There was no surcharge until Nov. 17, 1980, when a 2 percent surcharge was adopted; the surcharge was subsequently raised to 3 percent on Dec. 5, 1980, and to 4 percent on May 5, 1981. The surcharge was reduced to 3 percent effective Sept. 22, 1981, and to 2 percent effective Oct. 12. As of Oct. 1, the formula for applying the surcharge was changed from a calendar quarter to a moving 13-week period. The surcharge was eliminated on Nov. 17, 1981.

1.15 RESERVE REQUIREMENTS OF DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS¹

Percent of deposits

Type of deposit, and deposit interval	before implen	k requirements nentation of the Control Act	Type of deposit, and deposit interval ⁵	Depository institution requirement after implementation of the Monetary Control Act ⁶		
	Percent	Effective date		Percent	Effective date	
Net demand ² \$0 million-\$2 million \$2 million-\$10 million \$10 million-\$100 million \$10 million-\$100 million \$10 million-\$100 million Over \$400 million Time and savings ^{2,3} Savings Time ⁴ \$0 million-\$5 million, by maturity 30-179 days 180 days to 4 years 4 years or more Over \$5 million, by maturity 30-179 days 180 days to 4 years 4 years or more 180 days to 4 years 4 years or more 180 days to 4 years 4 years or more 180 days to 4 years 4 years or more	7 9½ 11¾ 12¾ 16¼ 3 3 2½ 1 6 2½	12/30/76 12/30/76 12/30/76 12/30/76 12/30/76 3/16/67 3/16/67 1/8/76 10/30/75	Net transaction accounts ^{7,8} S0-529.8 million. Over \$29.8 million. Nonpersonal time deposits ⁹ By original maturity Less than 1½ years 1½ years or more Eurocurrency liabilities All types.	3 0 3	1/1/85 1/1/85 10/6/83 10/6/83 11/13/80	

1. For changes in reserve requirements beginning 1963, see Board's Annual Statistical Digest, 1971–1975, and for prior changes, see Board's Annual Report for 1976, table 13. Under provisions of the Monetary Control Act, depository institutions include commercial banks, mutual savings banks, savings and loan associations, credit unions, agencies and branches of foreign banks, and Edge Act comparation.

corporations.

2. Requirement schedules are graduated, and each deposit interval applies to that part of the deposits of each bank. Demand deposits subject to reserve requirements were gross demand deposits minus cash items in process of collection and demand balances due from domestic banks.

The Federal Reserve Act as amended through 1978 specified different ranges of requirements for reserve city banks and for other banks. Reserve cities were designated under a criterion adopted effective Nov. 9, 1972, by which a bank having net demand deposits of more than \$400 million was considered to have the character of business of a reserve city bank. The presence of the head office of such a bank constituted designation of that place as a reserve city. Cities in which here were Federal Reserve Banks or branches were also reserve cities. Any banks having net demand deposits of \$400 million or less were considered to have the character of business of banks outside of reserve cities and were permitted to maintain reserves at ratios set for banks not in reserve cities.

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Effective Aug. 24, 1978, the Regulation M reserve requirements on net balances due from domestic banks to their foreign branches and on deposits that foreign branches lend to U.S. residents were reduced to zero from 4 percent and 1 percent respectively. The Regulation D reserve requirement of borrowings from unrelated banks abroad was also reduced to zero from 4 percent.

Effective with the reserve computation period beginning Nov. 16, 1978, domestic deposits of Edge corporations were subject to the same reserve requirements as deposits of member banks.

3. Negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts and time deposits such as

Christmas and vacation club accounts were subject to the same requirements as savings deposits.

The average reserve requirement on savings and other time deposits before implementation of the Monetary Control Act had to be at least 3 percent, the

The average reserve requirement on savings and other time deposits before implementation of the Monetary Control Act had to be at least 3 percent, the minimum specified by law.

4. Effective Nov. 2, 1978, a supplementary reserve requirement of 2 percent was imposed on large time deposits of \$100.000 or more, obligations of affiliates, and ineligible acceptances. This supplementary requirement was eliminated with the maintenance period beginning July 24, 1980.

Effective with the reserve maintenance period beginning Oct. 25, 1979, a marginal reserve requirement of 8 percent was added to managed liabilities in excess of a base amount. This marginal requirement was increased to 10 percent beginning Apr. 3, 1980, was decreased to 5 percent beginning June 12, 1980, and was eliminated beginning July 24, 1980. Managed liabilities are defined as large time deposits, Eurodollar borrowings, repurchase agreements against U.S. government and federal agency securities, federal funds borrowings from non-member institutions, and certain other obligations. In general, the base for the marginal reserve requirement was originally the greater of (a) \$100 million or (b) the average amount of the managed liabilities held by a member bank. Edge corporation, or family of U.S. branches and agencies of a foreign bank for the two reserve computation periods ending Sept. 26, 1979. For the computation period beginning Mar. 20, 1980, whichever was greater. For the computation period beginning Mar. 12, 1980, whichever was greater. For the computation period beginning May. 29, 1980, the base was increased by 7½ percent or for the statement was or a fermination of the base period (Sept. 13–26, 1979) and the week ending Mar. 12, 1980, whichever was greater. For the computation period beginning May. 29, 1980, the base was increased by 7½ percent above the base used to calculate the marginal reserve in the statement

week of May 14–21, 1980. In addition, beginning Mar. 19, 1980, the base was reduced to the extent that foreign loans and balances declined.

5. The Garn-St Germain Depository Institutions Act of 1982 (Public Law 97–320) provides that \$2 million of reservable liabilities (transaction accounts, nonpersonal time deposits, and Eurocurrency liabilities) of each depository institution be subject to a zero percent reserve requirement. The Board is to adjust the amount of reservable liabilities subject to this zero percent reserve requirement each year for the next succeeding calendar year by 80 percent of the percentage increase in the total reservable liabilities of all depository institutions, measured on an annual basis as of June 30. No corresponding adjustment is to be made in the event of a decrease. Effective Dec. 9, 1982, the amount of the exemption was established at \$2.1 million. Effective with the reserve maintenance period beginning Jan. 1, 1985, the amount of the exemption is \$2.4 million. In determining the reserve requirements of a depository institution, the exemption shall apply in the following order: (1) nonpersonal money market deposit accounts (MMDAs) authorized under 12 CFR section 1204.122: (2) net NOW accounts (NOW accounts less allowable deductions); (3) net other transaction accounts; and (4) nonpersonal time deposits or Eurocurrency liabilities starting with those and (4) nonpersonal time deposits or Eurocurrency liabilities starting with those with the highest reserve ratio. With respect to NOW accounts and other

with the highest reserve ratio. With respect to NOW accounts and other transaction accounts, the exemption applies only to such accounts that would be subject to a 3 percent reserve requirement.

6. For nonmember banks and thrift institutions that were not members of the Federal Reserve System on or after July 1, 1979, a phase-in period ends Sept. 3, 1987. For banks that were members on or after July 1, 1979, but withdrew on or before Mar. 31, 1980, the phase-in period established by Public Law 97-320 ends on Oct. 24, 1985. For existing member banks the phase-in period of about three years was completed on Feb. 2, 1984. All new institutions will have a two-year phase-in beginning with the date that they open for business, except for those institutions that have total reservable hiabilities of \$50 million or more.

7. Transaction accounts include all deposits on which the account holder is permitted to make withdrawals by negotiable or transferable instruments, payment orders of withdrawal, and telephone and preauthorized transfers (in excess of three per month) for the purpose of making payments to third persons or others. However, MMDAs and similar accounts offered by institutions not subject to the rules of the Depository Institutions Deregulation Committee (DIDC) that permit on more than three can be checks—are not transaction accounts (such accounts offered by institutions not subject to the no more than three can be checks—are not transaction accounts (such accounts).

no more than six preauthorized, automatic, or other transfers per month of which no more than three can be checks—are not transaction accounts (such accounts are savings deposits subject to time deposit reserve requirements.)

8. The Monetary Control Act of 1980 requires that the amount of transaction accounts against which the 3 percent reserve requirement applies be modified annually by 80 percent of the percentage increase in transaction accounts held by all depository institutions determined as of June 30 each year. Effective Dec. 31, 1981, the amount was increased accordingly from \$25 million to \$26 million; effective Dec. 20, 1982, to \$26.3 million; effective Dec. 29, 1983, to \$28.9 million; and effective Jan. 1, 1985, to \$29.8 million;

9. In general, nonpersonal time deposits are time deposits, including savings deposits, that are not transaction accounts and in which a beneficial interest is held by a depositor that is not a natural person. Also included are certain transferable time deposits held by natural persons, and certain obligations issued to depository institution offices located outside the United States. For details, see section 204.2 of Regulation D.

NOTE. Required reserves must be held in the form of deposits with Federal Reserve Banks or vault cash. Nonmembers may maintain reserve balances with a Federal Reserve Bank indirectly on a pass-through basis with certain approved

Domestic Financial Statistics ☐ May 1985

MAXIMUM INTEREST RATES PAYABLE on Time and Savings Deposits at Federally Insured Institutions¹ Percent per annum

	Comm	ercial banks	Savings and loan associations and mutual savings banks (thrift institutions) ¹ In effect Mar. 31, 1985			
Type of deposit	In effect	Mar. 31, 1985				
	Percent	Effective date	Percent	Effective date		
1 Savings	5½ 5¼ (3)	1/1/84 12/31/80 1/5/83 12/14/82	5½ 5¼ (³)	7/1/79 12/31/80 1/5/83 12/14/82		
Time accounts 5 7-31 days of less than \$1,000 ⁴ 6 7-31 days of \$1,000 or more ² 7 More than 31 days	51/2	1/1/84 1/5/83 10/1/83	5½	9/1/82 1/5/83 10/1/83		

^{1.} Effective Oct. 1, 1983, restrictions on the maximum rates of interest payable by commercial banks and thrift institutions on various categories of deposits were removed. For information regarding previous interest rate ceilings on all categories of accounts see earlier issues of the Federal Reserve Bulletin, the Federal Home Loan Bank Board Journal, and the Annual Report of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

2. Effective Dec. 1, 1983, IRA/Keogh (HR10) Plan accounts are not subject to minimum deposit requirements. Effective Jan. 1, 1985, the minimum denomination requirement was lowered from \$2,500 to \$1,000.

3. Effective Dec. 14, 1982, depository institutions are authorized to offer a new account with a required initial balance of \$2,500 and an average maintenance balance of \$2,500 not subject to interest rate restrictions. Effective Jan. 1, 1985,

the minimum denomination and average maintenance balance requirements was lowered to \$1,000. No minimum maturity period is required for this account, but depository institutions must reserve the right to require seven days, notice before withdrawals. When the average balance is less than \$1,000, the account is subject to the maximum ceiling rate of interest for NOW accounts; compliance with the average balance requirement may be determined over a period of one month. Depository institutions may not guarantee a rate of interest for this account for a period longer than one month or condition the payment of a rate on a requirement that the funds remain on deposit for longer than one month.

4. Effective Jan. 1, 1985, the minimum denomination requirement was lowered from \$2,500 to \$1,000. Deposits of less than \$1,000 issued to governmental units continue to be subject to an interest rate ceiling of 8 percent.

1.17 FEDERAL RESERVE OPEN MARKET TRANSACTIONS Millions of dollars

		4000	1001			19	84			1985
Type of transaction	1982	1983	1984	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES										
Outright transactions (excluding matched transactions)							1			
Treasury bills Gross purchases Gross sales Sales Gross sales Treasury bills Gross sales Gross sale	17,067 8,369 0 3,000	18,888 3,420 0 2,400	20,036 8,557 0 7,700	0 897 0 600	187 1,491 0 800	3,249 71 0 0	507 1,300 0 2,200	4,463 0 0	3,410 0 0 0	2,668 0 1,600
Others within I year 5 Gross purchases 6 Gross sales 7 Maturity shift 8 Exchange 9 Redemptions	312 0 17,295 -14,164	484 0 18,887 -16,553 87	1,126 0 16,354 -20,840 0	0 0 428 -2,606 0	0 0 3,811 -2,274 0	600 0 872 0	0 0 896 -1,497 0	146 0 1,348 -3,363 0	182 0 771 -966 0	0 0 596 625 0
1 to 5 years 10 Gross purchases 11 Gross sales	1,797 0 -14,524 11,804	1,896 0 -15,533 11,641	1,638 0 -13,709 16,039	0 0 -345 2,606	0 0 -3,811 1,443	0 0 -872 0	0 0 -896 1,497	830 0 594 1,763	0 0 771 966	0 0 -596 625
5 to 10 years 14 Gross purchases 15 Gross sales	388 0 -2,172 2,128	890 0 -2,450 2,950	536 300 -2,371 2,750	0 0 -83 0	0 0 52 500	0 0 0 0	0 0 0	335 0 -1,893 850	0 0 0 0	0 100 0 0
Over 10 years 18 Gross purchases 19 Gross sales 20 Maturity shift 21 Exchange	307 0 -601 234	383 0 -904 1,962	441 0 -275 2,052	0 0 0	0 0 -52 332	0 0 0 0	0 0 0	164 0 49 750	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
All maturities 22 Gross purchases 23 Gross sales 24 Redemptions	19,870 8,369 3,000	22,540 3,420 2,487	23,476 7,553 7,700	0 897 600	0 187 800	3,849 71 0	507 1,300 2,200	5,938 0 0	3,591 0 0	0 2,768 1,600
Matched transactions 25 Gross sales	543,804 543,173	578,591 576,908	808,986 810,432	81,799 81,143	79,087 78,842	52,893 55,776	89,689 85,884	51,904 55,516	63,674 61,537	66,668 66,367
Repurchase agreements Cross purchases Gross sales Repurchases	130,774 130,286	105,971 108,291	139,441 139,019	14,830 14,830	4,992 166	26,040 30,867	0	12,063 12,063	3,888 2,261	20,225 21,852
29 Net change in U.S. government securities	8,358	12,631	8,908	-2,154	2,478	1,835	-6,798	9,549	3,080	-6,295
FEDERAL AGENCY OBLIGATIONS										
Outright transactions 30 Gross purchases 31 Gross sales 32 Redemptions	0 0 189	0 0 292	0 0 256	0 0 1	0 0 5	0 0 1	0 0 14	0 0 90	0 0 0	0 0 0
Repurchase agreements 33 Gross purchases	18,957 18,638	8,833 9,213	1,205 817	958 958	381 12	3,743 4,112	0	698 698	506 119	1,463 1,851
35 Net change in federal agency obligations	130	-672	132	~1	364	-370	-14	-90	388	388
Bankers Acceptances	1 200	1.000					,	,		
36 Repurchase agreements, net	1,285	-1,062	-418	0	0	0	0	0	0	U
Account	9,773	10,897	6,116	-2,155	2,842	1,465	-6,811	9,459	3,468	-6,683

Note: Sales, redemptions, and negative figures reduce holdings of the System Open Market Account; all other figures increase such holdings. Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

1.18 FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS Condition and Federal Reserve Note Statements Millions of dollars

			Wednesday			End of month			
Account			1985			1984	198	5	
	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
			Con	solidated cond	dition stateme	ent			
ASSETS									
1 Gold certificate account	11,095 4,618 495	11,095 4,618 514	11,094 4,618 527	11,094 4,618 537	11,093 4,618 555	11,096 4,618 436	11,095 4,618 497	11,093 4,618 551	
Loans 4 To depository institutions	1,910	1,055	1,613 0	1,168	1,939	3,577	2,139	2,329	
Acceptances—Bought outright 6 Held under repurchase agreements	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
7 Bought outright	8,389	8,389 0	8,372 0	8,372 304	8,372	8,389 388	8,389 0	8,372 380	
9 Bills	67,330 65,137 22,951 155,418 0 155,418	67,474 65,137 22,951 155,562 0 155,562	69,563 65,137 22,951 157,651 0	66,655 64,644 23,444 154,743 3,329 158,072	67,413 64,644 23,444 155,501 0 155,501	71,035 65,237 22,951 159,223 1,627 160,850	66,467 65,137 22,951 154,555 0 154,555	69,036 64,644 23,444 157,124 2,508 159,632	
15 Total loans and securities	165,717	165,006	167,636	167,916	165,812	173,204	165,083	170,713	
16 Cash items in process of collection	7,205 570	9,373 570	7,893 570	12,398 570	6,814 571	5,498 568	6,161 570	6,241 571	
Other assets 18 Denominated in foreign currencies ²	3,642 8,112	3,704 (8,125	3,746 8,283	3,750 7,095	3,790 7,510	3,597 8,167	3,631 8,104	3,498 7,060	
20 Total assets	201,454	203,005	204,367	207,978	200,763	207,184	199,759	204,345	
LIABILITIES							1		
21 Federal Reserve notes	161,845	162,681	163,359	163,508	162,710	168,327	162,125	162,992	
22 To depository institutions	23,717 2,963 238 650	21,330 5,618 211 597	24,723 3,974 268 479	24,398 3,916 244 473	22,090 3,099 223 452	21,818 5,316 253 865	19,858 5,349 244 560	25,092 3,308 332 461	
26 Total deposits	27,568	27,756	29,444	29,031	25,864	28,252	26,011	29,193	
27 Deferred availability cash items	6,085 2,359	6,728 2,283	5,704 2,236	9,513 2,284	6,226 2,321	4,653 2,700	5,659 2,355	6,297 2,463	
29 Total liabilities	197,857	199,448	200,743	204,336	197,121	203,932	196,150	200,945	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 30 Capital paid in	1,635 1,626 336	1,650 1,626 281	1,661 1,626 337	1,664 1,626 352	1,669 1,626 347	1,626 1,626 0	1,639 1,626 344	1,669 1,626 105	
33 Total liabilities and capital accounts	201,454	203,005	204,367	207,978	200,763	207,184	199,759	204,345	
34 Мемо: Marketable U.S. government securities held in custody for foreign and international account	116,856	115,854	116,226	117,145	116,415	122,134	116,649	116,519	
			Fee	ieral Reserve	note statemer	nt	·		
35 Federal Reserve notes outstanding 36 LESS: Held by bank 37 Federal Reserve notes, net Collateral held against notes net:	193,598 31,753 161,845	193,509 30,828 162,681	193,693 30,334 163,359	194,259 30,751 163,508	194,549 31,839 162,710	193,867 25,540 168,327	193,440 31,315 162,125	194,635 31,643 162,992	
38 Gold certificate account	11,095 4,618 0	11,095 4,618 0	11,094 4,618 0	11,094 4,618 0	11,093 4,618 0	11,096 4,618 0	11,095 4,618 0	11,093 4,618	
41 U.S. government and agency securities	146,132	146,968	147,647	147,796	146,999	152,613	146,412	147,281	
42 Total collateral	161,845	162,681	163,359	163,508	162,710	168,327	162,125	162,992	

^{1.} Includes securities loaned—fully guaranteed by U.S. government securities pledged with Federal Reserve Banks—and excludes (if any) securities sold and scheduled to be bought back under matched sale-purchase transactions.

2. Assets shown in this line are revalued monthly at market exchange rates.

3. Includes special investment account at Chicago of Treasury bills maturing within 90 days.

^{4.} Includes exchange-translation account reflecting the monthly revaluation at market exchange rates of foreign-exchange commitments.

Note: Some of these data also appear in the Board's H.4.1 (503) release. For address, see inside front cover.

1.19 FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS Maturity Distribution of Loan and Security Holdings Millions of dollars

			Wednesday				End of month	
Type and maturity groupings	1000		1985			1984	19	85
	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	Dec. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 28
i Loans—Total Within 15 days li days to 90 days 91 days to 1 year	1,910 1,905 5 0	1,055 1,035 20 0	1,599 1,589 10 0	1,168 1,164 4 0	1,939 1,936 3 0	3,577 3,547 30 0	2,139 2,125 14 0	2,329 2,320 9 0
5 Acceptances—Total 6 Within 15 days. 7 16 days to 90 days 8 91 days to 1 year.	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
9 U.S. government securities—Total 10 Within 15 days 11 16 days to 90 days 12 91 days to 1 year 13 Over 1 year to 5 years 14 Over 5 years to 10 years 15 Over 10 years	155,418 3,479 34,846 45,788 37,072 14,000 20,233	155,562 8,611 29,697 45,921 37,100 14,000 20,233	157,651 11,234 29,240 45,843 37,101 14,000 20,233	158,072 10,191 32,350 43,430 36,859 14,546 20,696	155,501 4,207 33,057 46,136 36,859 14,546 20,696	160,850 4,254 37,396 47,795 37,072 14,100 20,233	154,555 3,249 32,498 47,474 37,101 14,000 20,233	159,632 5,276 33,214 49,056 36,844 14,546 20,696
16 Federal agency obligations—Total. 17 Within 15 days! 18 16 days to 90 days 19 91 days to 1 year. 20 Over 1 year to 5 years. 21 Over 5 years to 10 years. 22 Over 10 years.	8,389 97 681 1,718 4,248 1,246 399	8,389 17 755 1,724 4,262 1,232 399	8,372 82 682 1,748 4,229 1,232 399	8,676 485 582 1,748 4,230 1,232 399	8,372 234 514 1,739 4,222 1,264 399	8,777 575 521 1,665 4,350 1,267 399	8,389 97 755 1,644 4,248 1,246 399	8,752 615 514 1,738 4,222 1,264 399

^{1.} Holdings under repurchase agreements are classified as maturing within 15 days in accordance with maximum maturity of the agreements.

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AGGREGATE RESERVES OF DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS AND MONETARY BASE

Billions of dollars, averages of daily figures

Item	1981	1982	1983	1984			19	84			19	35
nem	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Adjusted for Changes in Reserve Requirements!					Se	asonally	adjusted					
1 Total reserves ²	32.10	34.28	36.14	38.71	38.24	38.39	38.14	37.76	38.11	38.71	39.71	40.37
2 Nonborrowed reserves. 3 Nonborrowed reserves plus extended credit ³ 4 Required reserves. 5 Monetary base ⁴ .	31.46 31.61 31.78 158.10	33.65 33.83 33.78 170.14	35.36 35.37 35.58 185.49	35.52 38.13 37.86 198.74	32.32 37.32 37.63 194.62	30.37 37.41 37.70 195.78	30.90 37.36 37.52 196.25	31.74 36.80 37.14 196.18	33.50 37.33 37.42 197.43	35.52 38.13 37.86 198.74	38.32 39.37 38.97	39.08 39.88 39.47 202.12
					Not	seasonal	ly adjust	ed				
6 Total reserves ²	32.82	35.01	36.86	40.13	37.85	37.70	37.88	37.95	38.69	40.13	40.70°	39.88
7 Nonborrowed reserves. 8 Nanborrowed reserves plus extended credit ³ . 9 Required reserves. 10 Monetary base ⁴ .	32.18 32.33 32.50 160.94	34.37 34.56 34.51 173.17	36.09 36.09 36.30 188.76	36.94 39.55 39.28 202.02	31.93 36.94 37.24 195.90	29.68 36.72 37.01 196.11	30.64 37.10 37.25 196.07	31.94 36.99 37.33 196.13	34.07 37.91 37.99 198.22	36.94 39.55 39.28 202.02	39.31 40.36 39.96 200.93	38.59 39.39 38.98 199.55
Not Adjusted for Changes in Reserve Requirements ⁵												
11 Total reserves ²	41.92	41.85	38.89	40.70	37.47	37.26	38.04	38.51	39.23	40.70	41.12	40.27
12 Nonborrowed reserves. 13 Nonborrowed reserves plus extended credit ³ 14 Required reserves. 15 Monetary base ⁴	41.29 41.44 41.61 170.47	41.22 41.41 41.35 180.52	38.12 38.12 38.33 192.36	37.51 40.09 39.84 202.59	31.55 36.39 36.86 195.52	29.25 36.29 36.57 195.68	30.80 37.29 37.41 196.23	32.50 37.37 37.89 196.69	34.62 38.54 38.54 198.77	37.51 40.09 39.84 202.59	39.73 40.88 40.38 201.35	38.98 39.83 39.37 199.95

^{1.} Figures incorporate adjustments for discontinuities associated with the implementation of the Monetary Control Act and other regulatory changes to reserve requirements. To adjust for discontinuities due to changes in reserve requirements on reservable nondeposit liabilities, the sum of such required reserves is subtracted from the actual series. Similarly, in adjusting for discontinuities in the monetary base, required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float also are subtracted from the actual series.

2. Total reserves not adjusted for discontinuities consist of reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks, which exclude required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float, plus vault cash sed to satisfy reserve requirements. Such vault cash consists of all vault cash held during the lagged computation period by institutions having required reserve balances at Federal Reserve Banks plus the amount of vault cash equal to required reserves during the maintenance period at institutions having no required reserve balances.

3. Extended credit consists of borrowing at the discount window under the terms and conditions established for the extended credit program to help depository institutions deal with sustained liquidity pressures. Because there is not the same need to repay such borrowing promptly as there is with traditional short-term adjustment credit, the money market impact of extended credit is similar to that of nonborrowed reserves. 1. Figures incorporate adjustments for discontinuities associated with the

The monetary base not adjusted for discontinuities consists of total reserves plus required clearing balances and adjustments to compensate for float at Federal Reserve Banks and the currency component of the money stock less the amount

of vault cash holdings of thrift institutions that is included in the currency

of vault cash holdings of thrift institutions that is included in the currency component of the money stock plus, for institutions not having required reserve balances, the excess of current vault cash over the amount applied to satisfy current reserve requirements. After the introduction of contemporaneous reserve requirements (CRR), currency and vault cash figures are measured over the weekly computation period ending Monday.

Before CRR, all components of the monetary base other than excess reserves are seasonally adjusted as a whole, rather than by component, and excess reserves are added on a not seasonally adjusted basis. After CRR, the seasonally adjusted series consists of seasonally adjusted total reserves, which include excess reserves on a not seasonally adjusted basis, plus the seasonally adjusted currency component of the money stock and the remaining items seasonally adjusted as a whole.

5. Reflects actual reserve requirements, including those on nondeposit liabilities, with no adjustments to eliminate the effects of discontinuities associated with implementation of the Monetary Control Act or other regulatory changes to reserve requirements.

Note: Latest monthly and biweekly figures are available from the Board's H.3(502) statistical release. Historical data and estimates of the impact on required reserves of changes in reserve requirements are available from the Banking Section, Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

1.21 MONEY STOCK, LIQUID ASSETS, AND DEBT MEASURES

Billions of dollars, averages of daily figures

	1981	1982	1983	1984	198	14	198	15
Item ¹	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.'	Feb.
				Seasonally	adjusted			
1 M1	441.9	480.5	525.4	558.5r	553.8 ^r	558.5r	562.7	569.3
2 M2	1,796.6	1,965.3	2,196.3	2,371.4r	2,345.9	2,371.7	2,398.3	2,419.3
3 M3	2,236.7	2,460.3	2,710.4	2,995.2r	2,959.8 ^r	2,995.2r	3,020.5	3,040.3
4 L	2,598.4	2,868.7	3,178.7	3,544.0	3,509.1	3,544.0	n.a.	n.a.
5 Debt ² .	4,323.8	4,710.1	5,224.6	5,937.6	5,868.3 ^r	5,937.6	6,000.8	n.a.
M1 components 6 Currency ² 7 Travelers checks ³ 8 Demand deposits ⁴ 9 Other checkable deposits ⁵ .	124.0	134.1	148.0	158.7	157.9	158.7	159.4	160.6
	4.3	4.3	4.9	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.3
	236.2	239.7	243.7	248.6	246.8	248.6	249.1	251.7
	77.4	102.4	128.9	145.9r	144.1	145.9r	148.9	151.7
Nontransactions components 10 In M2 ⁵	1,354.6	1,484.8	1,670.9	1,812.9	1,791.9	1,812.9	1,835.7	1,850.1
	440.2	495.0	514.1	623.8 ^r	614.2 ^r	623.8r	622.2	620.9
Savings deposits ⁹ 12 Commercial Banks	159.7	164.9	134.6	122.6	123.8	122.6	121.6	121.4
	186.1	197.2	178.2	165.9	166.8	165.9	166.9	168.1
Small denomination time deposits ⁹ 14 Commerical Banks	349.6	382.2	353.1	387.0	384.5	387.0	384.4	381.7
	477.7	474.7	440.0	498.1	493.4	498.1	496.8	494.3
Money market mutual funds 16 General purpose and broker/dealer	150.6	185.2	138.2	167.7 [,] 1	162.0r	167.7 ^r	172.2	175.4
	36.2	48.4	43.2	62.7	58.3	62.7	65.0	62.2
Large denomination time deposits ¹⁰ 18 Commercial Banks ¹¹ 19 Thrift institutions	247.3	261.8	225.1	264.4	263.6 ^r	264.4	262.3	264.3
	54.3	66.1	100.4	152.4	147.6	152.4	155.0	155.3
Debt components 20 Federal debt	830.1	991.4	1,173.1	1,367.1	1,347.2 ^r	1,367.1	1,385.6	п.а.
	3,493.7	3,718.7	4,051.6	4,570.5	4,521.0 ^r	4,570.5	4,615.2	п.а.
				Not seasonal	ly adjusted			
22 MI	452.3	491.9	537.9°	570.4 ^r	555.9r	570.4 ^r	568.2	558.5
	1,798.7	1,967.4	2,198.1	2,376.3 ^r	2,343.8r	2,376.3 ^r	2,403.6	2,412.6
	2,242.7	2,466.6	2,716.5	3,002.3 ^r	2,960.3r	3,002.3 ^r	3,024.2	3,033.6
	2,605.6	2,876.5	3,189.4	3,545.7	3,509.2	3,509.2	n.a.	n.a.
	4,323.8	4,710.1	5,218.5	5,931.0	5,855.9r	5,855.9	5,992.3	n.a.
M1 components 27	126.1	136.4	150.5	160.9	158.7	160.9	158.3	158.6
	4.1	4.1	4.6	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0
	243.6	247.3	251.6	257.4	248.9	257.4	254.9	244.9
	78.5	104.1	131.3	147.2r	143.4r	147.2	150.1	150.0
Nontransactions components 31	1,346.3	1,475.5	1,660.2	1,805.9	1,787.9 ^r	1,805.9	1,835.4	1,854.4
	444.1	499.2	518.4	626.0r	616.5 ^r	626.0	620.6	620.7
Money market deposit accounts 33 Commercial banks	n.a.	26.3	230.0	267.1	257.1	267.1	280.4	289.3
	n.a.	16.6	145.9	148.1	145.5	148.1	153.3	159.1
Savings deposits ⁸ 35 Commercial Banks	157.5	162.1	132.0	121.4	122.7	121.4	121.1	120.4
	184.7	195.5	176.5	164.8 ⁷	166.0r	164.8	165.7	166.5
Small denomination time deposits ⁹ 37 Commercial Banks	347.7	380.1	351.0	387.6	387.1	387.6	386.0	383.8
	475.6	472.4	437.6	498.8	496.8	498.8	501.6	498.2
Money market mutual funds 39 General purpose and broker/dealer	150.6	185.2	138.2	167.7 ^r	162.0r	167.7 ^r	172.2	175.4
	36.2	48.4	43.2	62.7	58.3	62.7	65.0	62.2
Large denomination time deposits ¹⁰ 41 Commercial Banks ¹¹ 42 Thrift institutions	252.1	266.2	228.5	265.9	263.6	265.9r	263.1	263.8
	54.3	66.2	100.7	151.6	148.1	151.6	154.5	155.3
Debt components 43 Federal debt	830.1	991.4	1,170.2	1,364.7	1,343.0	1,364.7	1,383.1	n.a.
	3,943.7	3,718.7	4,048.3	4,566.3	4,512.9	4,566.3	4,609.2	n.a.

For notes see following page.

NOTES TO TABLE 1.21

1. Composition of the money stock measures and debt is as follows:

M1: (1) currency outside the Treasury, Federal Reserve Banks, and the vaults of commercial banks; (2) travelers checks of nonbank issuers; (3) demand deposits at all commercial banks other than those due to domestic banks, the U.S. government, and foreign banks and official institutions less cash items in the process of collection and Federal Reserve float; and (4) other checkable deposits (OCD) consisting of negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) and automatic transfer service (ATS) accounts at depository institutions, credit union share draft accounts, and demand deposits at thrift institutions. The currency and demand deposits components exclude the estimated amount of vault cash and demand deposits respectively held by thrift institutions to service their OCD liabilities.

M2: M1 plus overnight (and continuing contract) repurchase agreements (RPs) issued by all commercial banks and overnight Eurodollars issued to U.S. residents by foreign branches of U.S. banks worldwide, MMDAs, savings and small-denomination time deposits (time deposits—including retail RPs—in amounts of less than \$100,000), and balances in both taxable and tax-exempt general purpose and broker/dealer money market mutual funds. Excludes individual retirement accounts (IRA) and Keogh balances at depository institutions and money market funds. Also excludes all balances held by U.S. commercial banks, money market funds (general purpose and broker/dealer), foreign governments and commercial banks, and the U.S. government. Also subtracted is a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of demand deposits and vault cash held by thrift institutions to service their time and savings deposits.

M3: M2 plus large-denomination time deposits and vault cash held by thrift institutions, and term RP liabilities (in amounts of \$100,000 or more) issued by commercial banks and thrift institutions, term Eurodollars held by u.S. residents at foreign branches of U.S. banks wo

money market funds, and foreign banks and official institutions. Also subtracted is a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of overnight RPs and Eurodollars held by institution-only money market mutual funds.

L: M3 plus the nonbank public holdings of U.S. savings bonds, short-term Treasury securities, commercial paper and bankers acceptances, net of money market mutual fund holdings of these assets.

Debt: Debt of domestic nonfinancial sectors consists of outstanding credit market debt of the U.S. government, state and local governments, and private nonfinancial sectors. Private debt consists of corporate bonds, mortgages, consumer credit (including bank loans), other bank loans. sumer credit (including bank loans), other bank loans, commercial paper, bankers acceptances, and other debt instruments. The source of data on domestic nonlinancial debt is the Federal Reserve Board's flow of funds accounts. Debt data are on an end-of-month basis.

Currency outside the U.S. Treasury, Federal Reserve Banks, and vaults of commercial banks. Excludes the estimated amount of vault cash held by thrift institutions to service their OCD liabilities.
 Outstanding amount of U.S. dollar-denominated travelers checks of non-

bank issuers. Travelers checks issued by depository institutions are included in demand deposits

demand deposits.

4. Demand deposits at commercial banks and foreign-related institutions other than those due to domestic banks, the U.S. government, and foreign banks and official institutions less cash items in the process of collection and Federal Reserve float. Excludes the estimated amount of demand deposits held at commercial banks by thrift institutions to service their OCD liabilities.

5. Consists of NOW and ATS balances at all depository institutions, credit union share draft balances, and demand deposits at thrift institutions. Other checkable deposits seasonally adjusted equals the difference between the seasonally adjusted sum of demand deposits, Included are all ceiling free "Super NOWs," authorized by the Depository Institutions Deregulation committee to be offered beginning Jan. 5, 1983.

1983.

6. Sum of overnight RPs and overnight Eurodollars, money market fund balances (general purpose and broker/dealer), MMDAs, and savings and small time deposits, less the consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of demand deposits and vault cash held by thrift institutions to service their time and savings deposits liabilities.

7. Sum of large time deposits, term RPs and term Eurodollars of U.S. residents, money market fund balances (institution-only), less a consolidation adjustment that represents the estimated amount of overnight RPs and Eurodollars beld by institution-only money market funds

adjustment that represents the estimated amount of overlinging Res and Eurocol-lars held by institution-only money market funds.

8. Savings deposits exclude MMDAs.

9. Small-denomination time deposits—including retail RPs— are those issued in amounts of less than \$100,000. All individual retirement accounts (IRA) and Keogh accounts at commercial banks and thrifts are subtracted from small time

deposits.

10. Large-denomination time deposits are those issued in amounts of \$100,000

10. Large-denomination time deposits are those issued in amounts of \$100,000 or more, excluding those booked at international banking facilities.

11. Large-denomination time deposits at commercial banks less those held by money market mutual funds, depository institutions, and foreign banks and official institutions.

NOTE: Latest monthly and weekly figures are available from the Board's H.6 (508) release. Historical data are available from the Banking Section, Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

1.22 BANK DEBITS AND DEPOSIT TURNOVER

Debits are shown in billions of dollars, turnover as ratio of debits to deposits. Monthly data are at annual rates.

				<u> </u>					
B. I	10021	10071	1004			1984			1985
Bank group, or type of customer	19821	1983 ^t	19841	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
DEBITS TO				Seas	sonally adjust	ed			
Demand deposits ² 1 All insured banks 2 Major New York City banks 3 Other banks 4 ATS-NOW accounts ³ 5 Savings deposits ⁴	80,858.7 34,108.1 46,966.5 761.0 679.6	90.914.4 37,932.9 52,981.5 1,036.2 720.3	109,642.3 47,769.4 61,873.1 1,405.5 741.4	128,141.9 57,096.5 71,045.4 1,851.9 694.5	124,117.4 55,591.4 68,526.0 1,640.6 566.8	142,907.3 67,488.7 75,418.5 1,698.6 597.2	134,016.3 60,992.8 73,023.5 1,678.5 579.1	137,512.0 62,341.0 75,171.0 1,677.5 486.0	140,678.6 64,474.7 76,203.9 1,552.0 501.3
Deposit Turnover									
Demand deposits ² 6 All insured banks 7 Major New York City banks 8 Other banks 9 ATS-NOW accounts ³ 10 Savings deposits ⁴	285.8 1,116.7 185.9 14.4 4.1	324.2 1,287.6 211.1 14.5 4.5	379.7 1,528.0 240.9 15.6 5.4	436.7 1,834.6 270.9 18.3 5.6	424.5 1,822.5 261.7 16.2 4.6	486.8 2,199.6 286.9 16.9 4.9	448.2 1.917.5 273.3 16.5 4.7	453.4 1,903.0 277.8 16.3 4.0	468.6 2,008.6 284.2 14.6 4.2
DEBITS TO				Not se	easonally adju	isted			
Demand deposits ² 11 All insured banks 12 Major New York City banks 13 Other banks 14 ATS-NOW accounts ³ 15 MMDA ⁵ 16 Savings deposits ⁴ .	81,197.9 34,032.0 47,165.9 737.6	91,031.8 38,001.0 53,030.9 1,027.1	109,517.6 47,707.4 64,310.2 1,397.0 567.4 742.0	133,844.2 59,743.8 74,100.3 1,629.4 888.2 680.3	120,120.8 54,329.0 65,791.8 1,523.7 821.6 543.1	141,249.5 64,790.2 76,459.2 1,665.7 901.1 616.2	131,791.6 61,148.7 70,643.0 1,524.8 819.7 538.7	140,166.0 64,498.9 75,667.1 1,625.4 899.7 470.6	148,880.1 68,203.1 80,677.0 1,838.9 1,103.9 544.7
Deposit Turnover									
Demand deposits ² All insured banks Major New York City banks Other banks ATS-NOW accounts ³ MDA ⁵ Savings deposits ⁴	286.4 1,114.2 186.2 14.0 4.1	325.0 1,295.7 211.5 14.4 4.5	379.99 1,510.0 240.5 15.5 2.81 5.4	465.7 2,008.0 287.6 16.4 3.7 5.5	408.9 1,786.4 249.8 15.2 3.4 4.5	479.9 2,120.7 289.9 16.6 3.7 5.1	438.8 1,944.6 262.7 14.9 3.2 4.4	447.1 1,910.8 270.5 15.4 3.4 3.9	486.0 2,025.9 295.9 17.1 4.0 4.6

Note. Historical data for demand deposits are available back to 1970 estimated in part from the debits series for 233 SMSAs that were available through June 1977. Historical data for ATS-NOW and savings deposits are available back to July 1977. Back data are available on request from the Banking Section, Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

These data also appear on the Board's G.6 (406) release. For address, see inside front cover.

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Annual averages of monthly figures.
 Represents accounts of individuals, partnerships, and corporations and of states and political subdivisions.
 Accounts authorized for negotiable orders of withdrawal (NOW) and accounts authorized for automatic transfer to demand deposits (ATS). ATS data availability starts with December 1978.
 Excludes ATS and NOW accounts, MMDA and special club accounts, such as Christmas and vacation clubs.
 Money market deposit accounts.

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1.23 LOANS AND SECURITIES All Commercial Banks¹

Billions of dollars; averages of Wednesday figures

Charles					19	84			_		19	85
Category	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept,	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.'	Feb.
						Seasonally	adjusted					
l Total loans and securities ²	1,599.6	1,612.9	1,629.8	1,636.6	1,652.6	1,662.1	1,674.9	1,682.8	1,701.1	1,714.8	1,724.0	1,742.0
2 U.S. government securities 3 Other securities 4 Total loans and leases ² . 5 Commercial and industrial 6 Bankers acceptances held ³ . 7 Other commercial and	261.0	257.6	257.3	253.7	256.4	257.1	258.0	257.0	259.4	260.2	260.1	265.7
	142.3	142.1	140.5	139.7	139.5	140.8	141.9	141.5	141.1	139.9	142.5	141.2
	1,196.3	1,213.2	1,232.0	1,243.2	1,256.7	1,264.2	1,275.0	1,284.3	1,300.6	1,314.7	1,321.4	1,335.2
	432.2	438.5	448.0	452.2	455.0	458.1	460.0	463.0	467.1	468.1	468.5	473.8
	5.6	5.2	5.8	5.8	6.5	6.1	5.7	5.9	6.2	5.4	5.1	6.3
industrial 8 U.S. addressees ⁴ 9 Non-U.S. addressees ⁴ 10 Real estate 11 Individual 12 Security 13 Nopbank financial	426.6	433.2	442.2	446.3	448.5	451.9	454.3	457.1	460.8	462.7	463.4	467.5
	414.3	420.8	430.2	434.7	436.8	440.3	443.2	446.5	450.5	453.1	453.7	457.4
	12.3	12.4	12.0	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.1	10.6	10.3	9.6	9.7	10.2
	342.9	347.2	350.7	354.7	358.3	361.2	364.8	367.7	371.8	375.6	377.9	381.9
	221.1	224.9	229.0	233.0	236.3	238.5	241.3	243.5	246.7	251.0	254.6	257.7
	29.6	29.6	30.1	28.6	28.0	26.1	28.8	30.3	30.2	31.5	31.9	31.6
institutions	30.2	30.5r	31.4	31.4	31.4	30.8 ^r	31.2 ^r	31.1	31.2	31.4	31.4	30.9
	40.0	40.1	40.3	40.4	40.6	40.5	40.7	40.6	40.5	40.3	40.2	40.2
subdivisions 16 Foreign banks 17 Foreign official institutions 18 Lease financing receivables 19 All other loans	35.6°	36.6 ^r	37.4	38.7	40.1	40.9	41.5	41.0	41.9	43.8	46.5	46.4
	12.8	12.7	12.3	12.3	12.2	12.0	11.5	11.4	11.7	11.4	11.3	11.4
	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.3	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.4	8.3	7.9	7.9
	13.8	14.0	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.8	15.0	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.6	15.8
	29.0°	30.2 ^r	29.8	29.0	31.1	31.9	31.3	32.0	35.9	37.7	35.5	37.6
					N	ot seasona	lly adjusted					
20 Total loans and securities ²	1,596.5	1,613.7	1,626.6	1,637.6	1,646.7	1,656.1	1,673.3	1,684.0	1,701.9	1,725.8	1,732.0	1,740.1
21 U.S. government securities	263.1	263.0	259.4	257.2	256.2	255.5	255.8	254.1	255.3	256.9	260.0	266.6
	142.5	141.8	141.1	139.4	138.2	140.4	141.3	140.9	141.2	141.5	143.4	141.4
	1,190.9	1,209.0	1,226.1	1,241.0	1,252.4	1,260.2	1,276.3	1,289.0	1,305.5	1,327.4	1,328.6	1,332.1
	431.8	438.7	446.8	450.9	454.3	456.1	459.9	463.8	467.3	471.2	470.4	473.3
	5.5	5.3	5.7	6.0	6.4	5.9	5.6	5.8	6.1	5.8	5.2	6.1
industrial 27 U.S. addressees ⁴ 28 Non-U.S. addressees ⁴ 29 Real estate 30 Individual 31 Security 32 Nonbank financial	426.3	433.4	441.0	444.8	447.9	450.1	454.3	458.0	461.2	465.3	465.2	467.2
	414.4	421.7	429.5	433.5	436.2	438.5	443.0	447.0	450.2	454.8	455.4	457.5
	11.8	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.1	11.0	10.6	9.8	9.7
	341.9	346.0	349.8	354.1	357.7	361.4	365.9	368.9	372.8	376.2	378.5	381.5
	219.3	222.9	227.2	231.3	234.7	238.3	242.4	245.3	248.4	254.0	257.1	257.4
	29.0	29.6	28.9	28.5	26.6	25.4	27.7	30.2	31.7	35.2	33.0	30.8
institutions	30.2	30.7	31.2	31.4	31.4	30.9 ^r	31.3 ^r	31.1	31.1	31.5	31.4	30.7
	39.0	39.4	40.2	40.9	41.3	41.4	41.5	41.2	40.6	40.0	39.6	39.4
subdivisions subdivisions subdivisions subdivisions subdivisions Lease financing receivables All other loans	35.6r	36.6 ^r	37.4	38.7	40.1	40.9	41.5	41.0	41.9	43.8	46.5	46.4
	12.6	12.3	12.0	11.8	12.0	11.7	11.7	11.8	12.0	12.0	11.6	11.4
	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.3	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.4	8.3	7.9	7.9
	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.7	14.9	15.0	15.1	15.5	15.8	16.0
	28.4r	29.8 ^r	29.8	30.3	30.5	30.0	30.7	32.3	36.0	39.7	36.7	37.4

^{1.} Data are prorated averages of Wednesday estimates for domestically chartered insured banks, based on weekly sample reports and quarterly universe reports. For foreign-related institutions, data are averages of month-end estimates based on weekly reports from large U.S. agencies and branches and quarterly reports from all U.S. agencies and branches. New York investment companies majority owned by foreign banks, and Edge Act corporations owned by domestically chartered and foreign banks.

Excludes loans to commercial banks in the United States.
 Includes nonfinancial commercial paper held.
 United States includes the 50 states and the District of Columbia.
 NOTE. These data also appear in the Board's G.7 (407) release. For address, see inside front cover.

1.24 MAJOR NONDEPOSIT FUNDS OF COMMERCIAL BANKS¹

Monthly averages, billions of dollars

0					19	84					198	85
Source	Маг.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Total nondeposit funds Seasonally adjusted ² Not seasonally adjusted Federal funds, RPs, and other borrowings from nonbanks ³	98.9	102.1	109.1	99.4	100.3	103.5	106.5	107.9	112.0	108.6 ^r	102.2	113.6
	101.3	105.0	113.8	101.8	99.9	105.7	107.0	109.6	117.5	111.1	104.6	117.1
3 Seasonally adjusted	135.8	135.7	137.4	133.2	134.5	139.3	141.6	141.4	145.0	140.5	138.7	146.7
	138.1	138.7	142.1	135.7	134.0	141.5	142.1	143.1	150.5	143.1	141.1	150.2
adjusted	-36.8	-33.5	-28.2	-33.9r	-34.2r	-35.8r	-35.1r	-33.5r	-33.1r	-32.0°	-36.5	-33.1
MEMO 6 Domestically chartered banks' net positions with own foreign branches, not seasonally adjusted' 7 Gross due from balances 8 Gross due to balances. 9 Foreign-related institutions net positions with directly related institutions, not seasonally	-34.8 73.8 38.9	-33.1 73.6 40.4	-29.8 73.5 43.6	-32.9 ^r 73.8 40.9	-33.1 ^r 71.2 38.1	-35.0r 72.8 37.7	-35.2 ^r 71.5 36.3	-34.2r 69.8 35.6	-32.7 ^r 68.3 35.6	-31.4 ^r 69.0 37.6	-34.9 71.4 36.5	-31.8 70.6 38.8
adjusted ⁵	-1.8	-0.3	1.6	-0.9°	-1.0	-0.7	0.1	0.7	-0.4 ^r	-0.6 ^r	-1.6	-1.3
	50.2	49.6	49.7	50.7	51.9	51.6	51.7	50.8	50.7	52.0	52.9	54.0
	48.3	49.2	51.2	49.7	50.8	50.8	51.8	51.5	50.4	51.4	51.3	52.7
Security RP borrowings 12 Seasonally adjusted	80.1	80.9	79.6	76.1	77.5	79.9	81.4	82.0	84.0	81.1	82.3	90.1
	79.9	81.3	81.9	76.0	74.6	79.6	79.4	81.2	87.0	81.1	82.2	91.1
14 Seasonally adjusted	16.1	15.6	13.4	14.1	12.8	13.1	16.0	8.0	17.3	16.1	14.7	13.0
	17.5	16.5	12.8	12.4	11.9	10.3	17.5	11.0	10.4	12.5	18.5	15.8
16 Seasonally adjusted	289.3	292.2	302.2	309.9	314.8	314.2	315.4	321.4	323.0	325.8	324.8	325.2
	290.1	290.1	300.2	309.0	313.7	315.6	316.8	322.2	322.9	327.3	325.6	324.9

^{1.} Commercial banks are those in the 50 states and the District of Columbia with national or state charters plus agencies and branches of foreign banks, New York investment companies majority owned by foreign banks, and Edge Act corporations owned by domestically chartered and foreign banks.

2. Includes seasonally adjusted federal funds, RPs, and other borrowings from nonbanks and not seasonally adjusted net Eurodollars. Includes averages of Wednesday data for domestically chartered banks and averages of current and previous month-end data for foreign-related institutions.

3. Other borrowings are borrowings on any instrument, such as a promissory note or due bill, given for the purpose of borrowing money for the banking business. This includes borrowings from Federal Reserve Banks and from foreign

banks, term federal funds, overdrawn due from bank balances, loan RPs, and

banks, term federal funds, overdrawn due from bank balances, loan RPs, and participations in pooled loans.

4. Averages of daily figures for member and nonmember banks.

5. Averages of daily data.

6. Based on daily average data reported by 122 large banks.

7. Includes U.S. Treasury demand deposits and Treasury tax-and-loan notes at commercial banks. Averages of daily data.

8. Averages of Wednesday figures.

Note. These data also appear in the Board's G.10 (411) release. For address see inside front cover.

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ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF COMMERCIAL BANKING INSTITUTIONS Last-Wednesday-of-Month Series Billions of dollars

	1983				199	84			<u>.</u>	198	35
Account	Dec.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.'	Feb.
ALL COMMERCIAL BANKING Institutions ¹											
1 Loans and securities. 2 Investment securities. 3 U.S. government securities. 4 Other. 5 Trading account assets. 6 Total loans Interbank loans. 8 Loans excluding interbank. 9 Commercial and industrial. 10 Real estate Individual. 11 Individual. 12 All other	1,680.6 ² 7.4 6.1 1.3 0 1,249.3 ² 111.4 ² 1,137.9 ² 419.4 332.4 ⁴ 217.6 ⁴ 168.5 ²	1,756.9 382.0 247.7 134.4 18.8 1,356.1 124.7 1,231.4 447.3 350.3 228.4 205.4	1,764.1 381.2 248.2 133.0 14.6 1,368.3 122.8 1,245.5 452.9 354.6 232.8 205.2	1,765.3 378.2 246.5 131.7 15.7 1,371.4 118.6 1,252.8 454.4 356.8 235.2 206.5	1,784.5 376.2 243.5 132.7 20.0 1,388.4 127.1 1,261.2 455.2 361.8 240.0 204.2	1,798.9 377.3 243.5 133.8 20.9 1,400.6 123.3 1,277.3 459.9 366.7 243.4 207.3	1,822.7 375.2 241.2 134.0 22.5 1,424.9 126.1 1,298.8 467.7 369.8 247.1 214.2	1,822.7 374.4 240.4 133.9 21.9 1,426.4 122.6 1,303.8 468.7 374.4 249.6 211.1	1,864.0 377.5 242.5 134.9 22.9 1,463.7 126.9 1,336.8 476.8 377.7 255.5 226.8	1,854.5 381.3 244.8 136.4 24.2 1,449.1 125.3 1,323.8 470.6 380.5 257.6 215.1	1,874.4 382.2 247.9 134.3 27.6 1,464.6 128.7 1,335.9 477.3 382.5 258.1 218.0
 13 Total cash assets 14 Reserves with Federal Reserve Banks 15 Cash in vault 16 Cash items in process of collection 17 Demand balances at U.S. depository 	219.6 23.5 23.4 73.2	202.5 18.6 22.3 76.4	185.6 19.1 21.8 63.7	179.1 19.4 21.6 60.2	177.3 17.4 22.2 60.7	176.0 .8 21.6 63.2	188.0 18.1 21.4 70.2	188.4 20.4 23.9 66.5	201.9 20.5 23.3 75.9	187.8 20.9 21.9 66.9	189.2 19.6 21.8 68.7
institutions	99.5	34.8 50.4	30.8 50.1	29.3 48.6	29.5 47.5	31.2 59.3	32.0 46.3	30.9 46.7	34.5 47.7	30.9 47.3	32.3 46.7
19 Other assets	193.6	200.1	205.9	205.4	204.7	215.3	215.7	204.2	210.9	205.8	209.1
20 Total assets/total liabilities and capital	2,093.8	2,159.5	2,155.5	2,149.7	2,166.5	2,190.2	2,226.3	2,215.3	2,276.7	2,248.1	2,272.7
21 Deposits 22 Transaction deposits. 23 Savings deposits 24 Time deposits 25 Borrowings. 26 Other liabilities 27 Residual (assets less liabilities).	1.508.9 374.6 ² 457.2 ² 677.1 273.2 ² 164.4 ² 147.3 ²	1,541.3 462.6 371.6 707.2 292.8 187.8 137.6	1,532.9 445.9 369.5 717.4 292.8 187.9 141.9	1,535.5 441.4 368.5 725.6 292.0 182.0 140.2	1,539.0 440.0 365.1 734.0 301.5 183.8 142.1	1,549.9 442.3 364.9 742.7 307.1 187.0 146.2	1,578.9 462.7 371.1 745.0 314.3 189.2 144.0	1,578.2 453.1 378.1 747.0 ,298.8 193.5 144.8	1,631.2 491.1 386.3 753.8 304.1 195.2 146.2	1,604.5 456.9 400.0 747.5 306.7 188.4 148.6	1,617.9 459.4 406.8 751.8 309.0 196.8 149.0
MEMO 28 U.S. government securities (including trading account). 29 Other securities (including trading account).	254.1 ² 177.2 ²	260.1 140.7	256.5 139.3	255.6 138.3	255.1 141.0	255.5 142.7	256.3 141.5	255.2 141.1	256.9 143.4	261.8 143.6	269.4 140.4
Domestically Chartered Commercial Banks ³											
30 Loans and securities. 31 Investment securities. 32 U.S. government securities. 33 Other. 34 Trading account assets. 35 Total loans. 36 Interbank loans. 37 Loans excluding interbank. 38 Commercial and industrial. 39 Real estate. 40 Individual. 41 All other.	1,591.3 ² n.a. n.a. n.a. 1,167.4 ² 87.0 ² 1,080.4 ² 381.3 ² 327.2 217.4 154.6 ²	1,663.2 375.3 242.5 132.8 1.88 1,269.2 96.2 1,172.9 407.4 346.1 228.3 191.1	1,671.0 374.5 243.1 131.4 14.6 1,281.8 94.7 1,187.1 412.9 350.5 232.6 191.1	1,676.7 371.2 241.4 129.8 15.7 1,289.8 95.2 1,194.6 414.0 353.1 235.1 192.4	1,688.4 369.1 238.5 130.7 20.0 1,299.4 97.6 1,201.8 414.5 358.0 239.8 189.6	1,708.0 370.0 238.5 131.5 20.9 1,317.0 100.0 1,217.1 418.8 362.4 243.2 192.6	1,728.5 367.9 236.1 131.8 22.5 1.338.0 103.3 1,234.7 423.0 365.5 246.9 199.3	1,726.7 367.5 235.8 131.6 21.9 1,337.3 96.1 1,241.2 424.7 369.1 249.4 198.0	1,765.4 370.5 237.9 132.6 22.9 1,372.1 102.8 1,269.3 430.2 372.1 255.3 211.7	1,759.5 374.0 240.0 134.0 24.2 1,361.3 100.6 1,260.7 426.2 374.9 257.4 202.2	1,774.6 374.9 243.1 131.7 27.6 1,372.1 101.0 1,271.1 432.0 377.1 257.9 204.1
42 Total cash assets	207.0 19.9 23.4 73.0	190.7 17.4 22.3 76.3	173.2 18.4 21.8 63.5	166.7 18.0 21.6 60.1	165.9 16.7 22.2 60.5	164.0 .1 21.6 63.0	176.6 17.1 21.4 69.9	176.8 19.7 23.9 66.3	190.3 19.2 23.3 75.7	175.7 20.2 21.9 66.7	177.8 18.7 21.8 68.5
institutions	} 90.8	33.5 41.3	29.4 40.1	27.9 39.2	28.2 38.3	29.7 49.6	30.7 37.5	29.4 37.5	32.9 39.3	29.5 37.5	31.0 37.9
48 Other assets	150.4	139.0	141.5	138.9	140.6	145.6	147.9	139.7	142.1	137,5	138.8
49 Total assets/total liabilities and capital	1,948.7	1,992.9	1,985.7	1,982.3	1,995.0	2,017.6	2,053.1	2,043.2	2,097.8	2,072.6	2,091.2
50 Deposits 51 Transaction deposits. 52 Savings deposits 53 Time deposits 54 Borrowings. 55 Other liabilities 56 Residual (assets less liabilities).	1,468.1 368.5 ² 456.6 ² 643.0 214.1 ² 122.3 ² 144.1 ²	1,501.7 456.2 370.7 674.9 232.5 123.9 134.8	1,492.5 439.6 368.6 684.3 229.6 124.4 139.1	1,495.4 434.8 367.5 693.1 228.0 121.5 137.4	1,500.3 433.7 364.2 702.4 236.0 119.3 139.3	1,510.9 435.9 363.9 711.1 243.5 119.7 143.4	1,539.1 456.2 370.1 712.8 251.3 120.5 142.1	1,538.0 446.8 377.1 714.1 240.9 122.3 142.0	1,587.8 484.5 385.2 718.1 243.1 123.5 143.4	1,561.8 450.6 398.9 712.3 246.5 118.5 145.8	1,573.7 452.9 405.6 715.2 247.0 124.3 146.2

^{1.} Commercial banking institutions include insured domestically chartered commercial banks, branches and agencies of foreign banks, Edge Act and Agreement corporations, and New York State foreign investment corporations.

2. Data are not comparable with those of later dates. See the Announcements section of the March 1985 BULLETIN for a description of the differences.

3. Insured domestically chartered commercial banks include all member banks and insured nonmember banks.

Note. Figures are partly estimated. They include all bank-premises subsidiaries and other significant majority-owned domestic subsidiaries. Loan and securities data for domestically chartered commercial banks are estimates for the last Wednesday of the month based on a sample of weekly reporting banks and quarter-end condition report data. Data for other banking institutions are estimates made for the last Wednesday of the month based on a weekly reporting sample of foreign-related institutions and quarter-end condition reports.

ALL LARGE WEEKLY REPORTING COMMERCIAL BANKS with Domestic Assets of \$1.4 Billion or More on December 31, 1982, Assets and Liabilities

Millions of dollars, Wednesday figures

					1985				
Account	Jan. 16/	Jan. 23 ^r	Jan. 30	Feb. 6/	Feb. 13'	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	Mar. 6	Mar. 13
Cash and balances due from depository institutions	101,126	90,655	90,836	88,256	93,172	105,784	90,922	91,714	94,036
2 Total loans, leases and securities, net	826,749	814,822	817,895	820,785	823,236	827,540	828,529	830,362	829,862
3 U.S. Treasury and government agency	82,199	82,843	83,912	86,224	85,711	90,052	91,519	91,955	90,326 20,417
4 Trading account	15,085 67,114	15,845 66,998	17,019 66,892	17,807 68,417	17,610 68,102	20,290 69,762	21,500 70,020	22,233 69,722	69,910
6 One year or less	20,888	20,480	20,348	20,186	20,187	19,958	20,318	21,653	21,687
7 Over one through five years	32,678 13,548	33,073 13,446	33,158 13,387	34,799 13,432	34,476 13,438	37,044 12,760	36,711 12,991	35,002 13,066	35,036 13,186
8 Over five years	48,974	48,901	48,997	48,501	48,084	47,953	47,400	47,341	46,868
10 Trading account	3,770	3,654 45,247	3,952 45,045	3,845 44,656	3,551 44,533	3,571 44,382	3,166 44,235	3,248 44,093	3,248 43,620
11 Investment account	45,204 40,676	40,694	40,522	40,089	39,978	39,833	39,683	39,518	39,044
One year or less	5,363	5,402	5,192	5,298	5,340 34,638	5,329	5,252 34,431	5,245 34,273	4,922 34,121
Over one year	35,313 4,528	35,291 4,553	35,330 4,523	34,791 4,567	4,554	34,503 4,550	4,552	4,574	4,577
16 Other trading account assets	2,726	3,438	3,201	3,495	3,435	3,238	2,956	2,965	3,047
17 Federal funds sold ¹	58,733	49,260	52,092	48,462	51,402	49,624	49,087	47,357	51,504
To commercial banks To nonbank brokers and dealers in securities	42,589 11,255	34,326 11,237	36,676 11,664	32,514 11,608	36,888 10,403	34,637 10,619	33,724 11,048	31,169 11,698	35,205 11,514
20 To others	4,889	3,697	3,752	4,341	4,111	4,368	4,315	4,490	4,785
21 Other loans and leases, gross ²	650,447 637,627	646,744 633,907	646,145 633,330	650,685 637,827	651,136 638,275	653,250 640,265	654,197 641,040	657,481 644,320	654,948 641,742
22 Other loans, gross ²	250,656	249,053	249,235	251,337	251,338	252,392	253,284	255,650	254,929
24 Bankers acceptances and commercial paper	3,073	3,038 246,015	3,296 245,939	3,780 247,557	3,945 247,393	3,844 248,548	3,928 249,356	4,404 251,247	4,138 250,791
25 All other	247,583 241,885	240,013	240,305	241,901	241,781	242,854	243,642	245,488	245,074
26 U.S. addressees	5,698	5,691	5,634	5,656	5,612	5,694	5,714	5,759	5,717
28 Real estate loans ²	161,246	161,512	161,963	162,234	162,850	163,037	163,485	163,859	164,340
To individuals for personal expenditures	114,789	114,688 40,787	114,876 40,101	114,584 42,116	114,699 42,052	114,861 41,107	115,329 40,823	115,520 40,234	115,708 39,422
31 Commercial banks in the United States	10,038	10,175	10,121	11,549	11,361	10,931	11,203	10,750	9,968
32 Banks in foreign countries	6,008 24,899	6,403 24,208	5,923 24,057	6,276 24,290	6,410 24,280	6,092 24,084	5,838 23,782	5,797 23,686	5,814 23,641
Nonbank depository and other financial institutions For purchasing and carrying securities	15,618	13,883	13,192	13,595	13,187	14,019	13,638	14,920	13,802
35 To finance agricultural production	6,942	6,902	6,905 29,508	6,872	6,893	6,886	6,882 29,382	6,982 29,337	6,995 29,405
To states and political subdivisions	29,520 3,812	29,418 3,726	3,796	29,328 3,745	29,186 3,851	29,394 3,720	3.967	3,649	3,616
38 All other	14,100	13,938	13,754	14,015	14,220	14,849	14,249	14,168	13,526 13,205
39 Lease financing receivables	12,819	12.837	12,814 5,310	12,857	12,860 5,260	12,985 5,263	13,157 5,294	13,162 5,243	5,274
41 Loan and lease reserve ²	11,026	11,057	11,143	11,320	11,272	11,314	11,337	11,493	11,556
42 Other loans and leases, net ²	634,117 134,512	630,379 131,645	629,692 129,845	634,102 131,026	634,604 132,105	636,673 129,575	637,565	640,745 130,895	638,117 128,477
43 All other assets	1,062,387	1,037,122	1,038,576	1,040,067	1,048,514	1,062,900	1,050,619	1,052,971	1,052,376
45 Demand deposits	198,444	186,198	184,629	184,622	188,258	197.228	185,246	185,067	182,062
46 Individuals, partnerships, and corporations	151,542	140,781	139,377	139,190	145,248	148,928	140,344	140,674	142.069
47 States and political subdivisions	5,376 3,760	5,902 3,034	5,136 2,768	5,778 2,212	4,684 1,617	5,515 1,897	4,901 2,713	5,171 2,286	4,424 1,156
48 U.S. government. 49 Depository institutions in United States.	22,242	20,998	20,973	21,849	20,951	25,266	22,190	22,104	20,434
50 Banks in foreign countries	5,823 809	6,495 830	6,187 1,040	5,961 1,152	6,131 922	6,366 821	5,740 744	5,391 736	5,143 666
Foreign governments and official institutions Certified and officers' checks	8,891	8,157	9,148	8,479	8,705	8,435	8,613	8,704	8,170
53 Transaction balances other than demand deposits	36,797 460,123	35,108 459,764	34,690 459,596	36,574 459,936	35,848 460,162	35,957 460,247	35,476 462,490	37,409 462,802	36,687 462,350
54 Nontransaction balances	426,375	425,884	425,100	425,448	424,923	425,008	426,435	427,492	426,851
56 States and political subdivisions	21,547	21,687	22,104 450	22,243 447	22,825 447	22,919 445	23,344 421	22,948 453	23,154
57 U.S. government	464 8,602	454 8,677	8,912	8,915	8,996	8,957	9,334	9,125	9,242
59 Foreign governments, official institutions and banks	3,135	3,062	3,029	2,882	2,970	2,917	2,955	2,784 197,212	2,750 199,272
60 Liabilities for borrowed money	199,741 846	192,874 510	195,657 1,555	193,727 862	197,187 1,369	200,277 780	197,161 1,544	1,200	5,521
62 Treasury tax-and-loan notes	10,284	14,859	15,650	7,462	8,269	9,147	10,360 185,258	3,693 192,319	2,168 191,584
All other liabilities for borrowed money ³	188,611 94,920	177,505 90,931	178,452 91,638	185,403 92,260	187,549 93,898	190,350 96,227	97,526		98,626
65 Total liabilities	990,024	964,874	966,209	967,119		989,936	977,899	979,679	978,996
66 Residual (total assets minus total liabilities) ⁴	72,362	72,247	72,366	72,948	73,159	72,963	72,720	73,292	73,379
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67 Total loans and leases (gross) and investments adjusted ⁵	790,452	786,686	787,550 651,440	793,304 655,084	791,519 654,288	798,550 657,307	800,233 658,357	805,179 662,919	801,520 661,279
68 Total loans and leases (gross) adjusted ^{2,5}	656,553 158,138	651,503 157,692	156,976	156,178	156,123	155,711	157,194	157,026	156,673
70 Loans sold outright to affiliates—total6	2,933	2,898	2,785	2,717	2,811	2,841	2,822	2,828	2,847
71 Commercial and industrial	1,959 975	1,940 958				1,910 931	1,880 942	1,886 942	1,918 929
73 Nontransaction savings deposits (including MMDAs)	171,865	172,473					176,386	176,744	176,471
73 Nontransaction savings deposits (including MMDAs)	1/1,003	1/2,4/3	173,479	174,332	1/4,000	1/5,/4/	170,300	170,744	170,471

^{1.} Includes securities purchased under agreements to resell.
2. Levels of major loan items were affected by the Sept. 26, 1984 transaction between Continental Illinois National Bank and the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. For details see the H.4.2 statistical release dated Oct. 5, 1984.
3. Includes federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase; for information on these liabilities at banks with assets of \$1 billion or more on Dec. 31, 1977, see table 1.13.
4. This is not a measure of equity capital for use in capital adequacy analysis or for other analytic uses.

^{5.} Exclusive of loans and federal funds transactions with domestic commercial

^{6.} Loans sold are those sold outright to a bank's own foreign branches, nonconsolidated nonbank affiliates of the bank, the bank's holding company (if not a bank), and nonconsolidated nonbank subsidiaries of the holding company. Note. These data also appear in the Board's H.4.2 (504) release. For address, see inside front cover.

LARGE WEEKLY REPORTING COMMERCIAL BANKS IN NEW YORK CITY Assets and Liabilities

Millions of dollars, Wednesday figures

					1985				
Account	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	March 6	March 13
1 Cash and balances due from depository institutions	26,265r	23,913 ^r	24,150r	22,551	26,683	27,586	22,661	21,904	24,355
2 Total loans, leases and securities, net1	173,469	168,262	168,335′	169,791'	171,345	173,601	174,709	174,882	176,690
Securities									
3 U.S. Treasury and government agency ²									
5 Investment account, by maturity	9,769	9,717	9,649	11,209	10,499	12,756	13,243	13,207	13,335
6 One year or less	1,963 5,708	1,638 6,092	1,619 6,083	1,556 7,745	1,658 6,944	1,764 9,683	2,200 9,631	2,256 9,447	2,257 9,447
8 Over five years	2.097	1,986	1,947	1,907	1,897	1,309	1,412	1,504	1,631
9 Other securities ² . 10 Trading account ² .									
11 Investment account	9,863	9,900	9,830	9,720	9,655	9,592	9,571	9,522	9,254
12 States and political subdivisions, by maturity		9,067 1,288	8,985 1,116	8,861 1,251	8,800 1,253	8,729 1,239	8,715 1,229	8,677 1,219	8,360 995
14 Over one year	7.728	7,779	7,869	7,609	7,547	7,490	7,486	7,458	7,365
15 Other bonds, corporate stocks and securities	833	833	844	859	855	862	856	845	894
Loans and leuses		*****							,
17 Federal funds sold ³		18,199	19,570	17,860	20,214 ^r	20,598	20,884	19,281	22,388
18 To commercial banks		10,141 6,004	11,798	9,407 5,830	12,478 5,353r	12,728 5,228	12,713	10,979 5,398	13,590 5,812
20 To others	2,991	2,055	5,505 2,268	2,623	2,383	2,642	2,684	2,904	2,986
21 Other loans and leases, gross	136,624 ^r 134,537 ^r	135,227 ^r 133,140 ^r	134,080 ^r 132,046 ^r	135,825 ^r 133,769 ^r	135,793 ^r 133,729 ^r	135,496 133,352	135,885 133,599	137,768 135,490	136,653
23 Commercial and industrial	$162,232^r$	61,208r	61,005°	61,355	61,362r	60,954	61,373	62,359	61,852
24 Bankers acceptances and commercial paper	661	649 60,560	681 60,324	991 60,364'	1,121 60,240	1,008 59,946	969 60,404	1,071 61,288	60,950
26 U.S. addressees	60,911	59,896	59,669r	59,732r	59,594	59,303	59,750	60,634	60,293
27 Non-U.S. addressees	24,550	24,443	655 24,583	632 24,732	646 24,781	643 24,719	654 24,989	25,162	25,328
29 To individuals for personal expenditures	16,079	16,058	15,985	16,042	16,026	16,057	16,053	16,084	16,125
To depository and financial institutions	11,604	12,311 ^r 2,474	11,500° 2,111	12,738 ^r 2,788	12,450° 2,403°	12,200 2,346	11,896 2,510	11,946 2,588	11,550
32 Banks in foreign countries	2,108	2,489	2,062	2,295	2,297	2,137	1,894	1,896	1,956
Nonbank depository and other financial institutions For purchasing and carrying securities		7,348 ^r 6,095	7,327 ^r 6,284	7,655 ^r 6,372	7,750r 6,446	7,717 6,473	7,492 6,388	7,462 7,537	7,427 7,014
To finance agricultural production	390	380	380	387	386	389	383	418	410
To states and political subdivisions	8,223 823	8,093 791	8,052 819	7,926 799	7,732r 917r	7,897 811	7,884 1,045	7,840 794	7,910
38 All other	3,678	3,759	3,438r	3,417r	3,629	3,853	3,587	3,350	3,429
39 Lease financing receivables	2,087 1,489	2,088 1,485	2,034 1,488 ^r	2,056 1,472	2,064 1,472 ^r	2,144 1,478	2,286 1,500	2,277 1,472	2,267 1,490
41 Loan and lease reserve	3.284	3,296	3,306	3,351	3,344	3,363	3,374	3,424	3,450
42 Other loans and leases, net	131,851 ⁷ 68,486 ⁷	130,446 ^r 68,723 ^r	129,286 ^r 67,383 ^r	131,002 ^r 68,259 ^r	130,976 ^r 68,871 ^r	130,655 70,046	131,010 70,073	132,871 70,962	131,713 67,673
44 Total assets	268,220	260,898	259,868	260,600	266,899	271,232	267,443	267,748	268,719
Deposits	200,220	200,070	207,000	200,000	200,077	2,1,234	207,443	207,740	200,719
45 Demand deposits	50,482	49,050	48,920	46,257r	50,468	49,593	47,565	45,784	44,703
46 Individuals, partnerships, and corporations		33,580° 832	32,554 ^r 838	31,290 ^r 1,014	34,964 ⁷ 815	34,137 834	32,122 733	31,334 785	31,476 687
48 U.S. government	731	318	684	389	378	237	637	321	166
Depository institutions in the United States	4,941 4,413	4,841 5,056	4,690 4,672	4,330 4,383 ^r	4,813 ^r 4,556 ^r	5,033 4,764	5,077 4,235	4,647 3,976	4,197 3,829
5) Foreign governments and official institutions	.1 3/4	617	804	953	726	631	576	551	485
52 Certified and officers' checks	3,962	3,805	4,676	3,898	4,216	3,957	4,184	4,169	3,862
ATS, NOW, Super NOW, telephone transfers)	3,967	3,752	3,748	3,872	3,854	3,787	3,756	3,888	3,830
54 Nontransaction balances	1 85,239	84,967' 77,020'	84,767 ^r 76,771 ^r	84,413 ^r 76,500 ^r	84,011 ^r 75,959 ^r	84,471 76,312	85,226 76,761	85,200 77,145	84,581 76,478
56 States and political subdivisions	3,792	3,800	3,820	3,802	3,905	3,979	4,084	4,008	4,037
57 U.S. government	59 2,420 ^r	2,435r	77 2,480r	84 2,494	83 2,445	2,504	70 2,678	70 2,488	2,537
59 Foreign governments, official institutions and banks	1,702	1,649r	1,619	1,532	1,620	1,596	1,632	1,489	1,460
60 Liabilities for borrowed money	63,420	60.705	59,718	63,740r	64,418 ^r 500	67,959	65,645 425	67,925	68,606 2,776
62 Treasury tax-and-loan notes	2,658	3,538	3,711	1,686	2,298	2,497	2,894	875	524
63 All other liabilities for borrowed money ⁵		57,167 ^r 39,304 ^r	56,007 ^r 39,549 ^r	62,054 ^r 38,855 ^r	61,620° 40,669°	65,462 41,997	62,326 41,943	67,050 41,321	65,306
65 Total liabilities	245,006	237,778	236,703	237,137	243,421 ^r	247,807	1	1 '	43,442 245,163
66 Residual (total assets minus total liabilities) ⁶	23,214	23,120	23,165	23,463	23,478	23,425	244,135	23,628	23,556
oo Residual (total assets itiitus total liabilities)	12,624	23,120	23,103	25,405	23,470	23,423	23,300	23,020	23,336
MEMO 67 Total loans and leases (gross) and investments adjusted 1.7	163,422 ^r	160,429r	159,220r	162,418 ^r	161,280r	163 360	164 260	166 211	165 974
68 Total loans and leases (gross) adjusted?	143,790	140,812r	139,741	141,490°	141,126	163,369 141,021	164,360 141,546	166,211 143,481	165,874 143,285
69 Time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more	34,672	34.301	33,760	33,293	33,139	33,367	33,520	33,612	33,420

Excludes trading account securities.
 Not available due to confidentiality.
 Includes securities purchased under agreements to resell.
 Includes trading account securities.
 Includes federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase.

^{6.} Not a measure of equity capital for use in capital adequacy analysis or for other analytic uses.
7. Exclusive of loans and federal funds transactions with domestic commercial

banks.

Note. These data also appear in the Board's H.4.2 (504) release. For address, see inside front cover.

1.30 LARGE WEEKLY REPORTING U.S. BRANCHES AND AGENCIES OF FOREIGN BANKS WITH ASSETS OF \$750 MILLION OR MORE ON JUNE 30, 1980 Assets and Liabilities A

Millions of dollars, Wednesday figures

					1985			-	
Account	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	March 6	March 13
1 Cash and due from depository institutions.	6,652	6,455	6,949	6,424 ^r	7,422	6,372	6,445	6,583	6,484
2 Total loans and securities	43,407	44,018	44,208	43,752	45,040	45,143	46,259	45,386	44,208
3 U.S. Treasury and govt. agency securities	4,093	3,966	4,070	4,195	4,022	4,040	4,050	3,610	3,445
4 Other securities	1,356 3,326	1,350 3,844	1,367 4,487	1,390 3,353	1,390 5,070	1,380 4,397	1,404 5,390	1,553 4,788	1,471 4,564
5 Federal funds sold 1	3,018	3,530	4,074	2,958	4,629	3,993	4,987	4,382	4,118
7 To others	308	314	413	395	442	404	403	406	446
8 Other loans, gross	34,631	34,858	34,284	34,814	34,558	35,326	35,415	35,435	34,727
9 Commercial and industrial	19,790	20,202	20,033	20,365	20,248	20,470	20,412	20,068	19,940
10 Bankers acceptances and commercial			4 400-				. ==0		
paper	1,360	1,489	1,509	1,766	1,733	1,900	1,759 18,652	1,794 18,274	1,843
11 All other	18,430 17,235	18,713 ^r 17,561 ^r	18,524 ^r 17,410 ^r	18,600° 17,477°	18,515 17,369	18,569 17,434	17,456	16,962	16,861
13 Non-U.S. addressees	1,195	1,152	1,114	1,122	1,146	1,135	1,196	1.311	1,236
14 To financial institutions	10,779	10.837	10,427	10,524	10,484	10,968	11,158	11,405	11,013
15 Commercial banks in the United States.	8,460	8,634	8,296	8,106	8,233	8,722	8,914	9,142	8,855
16 Banks in foreign countries	1,422	1,327	1,310	1,328	1,432	1,344	1,322	1,243	1,262
17 Nonbank financial institutions	897	876	822	1,090	819	902	923 702	1,021	896
18 To foreign govts, and official institutions. 19 For purchasing and carrying securities.	694 1,193	667 968	688 914	670 1,118	666 1,001	650 1,015	978	654 1,142	653 960
20 All other	2,175	2.184	2,222	2.137	2,158	2,223	2.165	2,167	2,161
21 Other assets (claims on nonrelated parties).	18,888	18.837	18,787	18,850	19,020	18,786	19,355	19,233	19,119
22 Net due from related institutions	11,473	10,562	10,292	11,016	10,646	11,112	11,130	11,004	9,871
23 Total assets	80,420	79,873	80,236	80,042	82,128	81,413	83,189	82,206	79,681
24 Deposits or credit balances due to other	24 245	22.024	24.024-		2. 225	24 100	24.022	25.221	25.074
than directly related institutions	24,045 137	23,924 136	24,036 ⁷ 118	23,921' 129	24,315 193	24,103 140	24,973 232	25,221 146	25,024 130
25 Credit balances	1.651	1,492	1,580	1,628	1.892	1.680	1.627	1,779	1,644
27 Individuals, partnerships, and	1,051	1,722	1,500	1,020	1,072	1,000	1,027	1,,,,,	1,077
corporations	837	749	799	880	821	916	850	888	822
28 Other	815	743	780	748	1,072	764	777	890	822
29 Time and savings deposits	22,257	22,296	22,338	22,164 ^r	22,229	22,283	23,115	23,297	23,249
30 Individuals, partnerships, and	10 170	19 143	10 200	18,125r	18,105	18.111	18,701	18.893	18,949
corporations	18,128 4,129	18,142 4,154	18,208 4,129 ^r	4,039	4,124	4,172	4,414	4,404	4,300
32 Borrowings from other than directly	7,127	7,1.7	7,122	4,022	7,124	7,1/2	7,717	7,704	1,500
related institutions	29,672	28,270	27,765	29,146	30,499	29,653	28,874	28,427	27,122
33 Federal funds purchased ²	12,113	11,538	11,419	12,361	12,675	12,017	10,742	10,542	9,851
34 From commercial banks in the	0.022	0.020	9.02	0.540	0.040	0.365	0.104	7.04	9.5
United States	9,927	8,828 2,709	8,926 2,494 ^r	9,549	9,940 2,735	9,365 2,652	8,396 2,346	7,964 2,578	7,516 2,335
35 From others	2,187 17,559	16,732	16.345	2,812 16,786	2,733 17,824	17,636	18,132	17.885	17,270
37 To commercial banks in the	17,007	10,732	10,545	10,700	17,024	17,030	10,132	17,000	1 17,270
United States	16,002	15,190	14,955	15,452	16.407	16,216	16,687	16,434	15,920
38 To others	1,556	1,543	1,390	1,334	1,417	1,420	1,445	1,451	1,351
39 Other liabilities to nonrelated parties	20,242	20,343	20,335	20,311	20,329	20,332	20,875	20,899	20,866
40 Net due to related institutions	6,459	7,336 79,873	8,101 80,236	6,663 ^r 80,042 ^r	6,984 82,128	7,325 81,413	8,466 83,189	7,659 82,206	6,669 79,681
41 Total liabilities	80,420	/9,0/3	00,236	00,042	02,120	01,413	63,169	04,400	/5,081
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42 Total loans (gross) and securities adjusted ³	31,929	31,854	31,838	32,688	32,179	32,428	32,358	31,862	31,234
43 Total loans (gross) adjusted ³	26,479	26,537	26,401	27,102	26,767	27,008	26,904	26,700	26,318

[▲] Levels of many asset and liability items were revised beginning Oct. 31, 1984. For details, see the H.4.2 (504) statistical release dated Nov. 23, 1984.

1. Includes securities purchased under agreements to resell.

2. Includes securities sold under agreements to repurchase.

United States.

Note. These data also appear in the Board's H.4.2 (504) release. For address, see inside front cover.

^{3.} Exclusive of loans to and federal funds sold to commercial banks in the

A22 Domestic Financial Statistics ☐ May 1985

GROSS DEMAND DEPOSITS Individuals, Partnerships, and Corporations¹ 1.31

Billions of dollars, estimated daily-average balances

				-	Commercia	ıl banks				
Type of holder	1979²	1980	1981	1982	198	83		19	84	
	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.
1 All holders—Individuals, partnerships, and corporations.	302.3	315.5	288.9	291.8	280.3	293.5	279.3	285.8	284.7	304.5
2 Financial business 3 Nonfinancial business 4 Consumer 5 Foreign 6 Other	27.1 157.7 99.2 3.1 15.1	29.8 162.8 102.4 3.3 17.2	28.0 154.8 86.6 2.9 16.7	35.4 150.5 85.9 3.0 17.0	32.1 150.2 77.9 2.9 17.1	32.8 161.1 78.5 3.3 17.8	31.7 150.3 78.1 3.3 15.9	31.7 154.9 78.3 3.4 17.4	31.3 154.8 78.4 3.3 16.8	33.0 166.3 81.7 3.6 19.9
		· · · · ·		w	eekly repor	ting banks				
	1979 ³	1980	1981	1982	19	83		19	84	
	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Sept.	Dec.⁴	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.
7 All holders—Individuals, partnerships, and corporations.	139.3	147.4	137.5	144.2	136.3	146.2	139.2	145.3	145.3	157.1
8 Financial business 9 Nonfinancial business 10 Consumer 11 Foreign 12 Other	20.1 74.1 34.3 3.0 7.8	21.8 78.3 35.6 3.1 8.6	21.0 75.2 30.4 2.8 8.0	26.7 74.3 31.9 2.9 8.4	23.6 72.9 28.1 2.8 8.9	24.2 79.8 29.7 3.1 9.3	23.5 76.4 28.4 3.2 7.7	23.6 79.7 29.9 3.2 8.9	23.7 79.2 29.8 3.2 9.3	25.3 87.1 30.5 3.4 10.9

exceeding \$750 million as of Dec. 31, 1977. Beginning in March 1979, demand deposit ownership estimates for these large banks are constructed quarterly on the basis of 97 sample banks and are not comparable with earlier data. The following estimates in billions of dollars for December 1978 have been constructed for the new large-bank panel; financial business, 18.2; nonfinancial business, 67.2; consumer. 32.8; foreign, 2.5; other. 6.8.

4. In January 1984 the weekly reporting panel was revised; it now includes 168 banks. Beginning with March 1984, estimates are constructed on the basis of 92 sample banks and are not comparable with earlier data. Estimates in billions of dollars for December 1983 based on the newly weekly reporting panel are: financial business, 24.4; nonfinancial business, 80.9; consumer, 30.1; foreign, 3.1; other. 9.5.

^{1.} Figures include cash items in process of collection. Estimates of gross deposits are based on reports supplied by a sample of commercial banks. Types of depositors in each category are described in the June 1971 BULLETIN, p. 466.

2. Beginning with the March 1979 survey, the demand deposit ownership survey sample was reduced to 232 banks from 349 banks, and the estimation procedure was modified slightly. To aid in comparing estimates based on the old and new reporting sample, the following estimates in billions of dollars for December 1978 have been constructed using the new smaller sample; financial business, 27.0; nonfinancial business, 146.9; consumer, 98.3; foreign, 2.8; and other, 15.1.

3. After the end of 1978 the large weekly reporting bank panel was changed to 170 large commercial banks, each of which had total assets in domestic offices

1.32 COMMERCIAL PAPER AND BANKERS DOLLAR ACCEPTANCES OUTSTANDING

Millions of dollars, end of period

Instrument	19791	1980	1981	1982	1983		-	1984 ³			1985
instrument	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.	Dec.2	Dec.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
			Con	nmercial pa	per (season	ally adjuste	d unless no	oted otherw	ise)		
1 All issuers	112,803	124,374	165,829	166,436	188,312'	221,174	225,127′	228,194	235,363	239,117'	245,322
Financial companies ⁴ Dealer-placed paper ⁵ 2 Total 3 Bank-related (not seasonally adjusted) Directly placed paper ⁶ 4 Total 5 Bank-related (not seasonally adjusted) 6 Nonfinancial companies ⁷	17,359 2,784 64,757 17,598 30,687	19,599 3,561 67,854 22,382 36,921	30,333 6,045 81,660 26,914 53,836	34,605 ^r 2,516 84,393 ^r 32,034 47,437 ^r Bankers d	44,622 ^r 2,441 96,918 ^r 35,566 46,772 ^r	50,900° 2,010 108,630° 43,665 61,644	52,543 ^r 1,959 107,537 ^r 41,066 65,047 ^r seasonally	54,527 ^r 2,060 105,379 ^r 38,112 68,288 ^r adjusted) ⁸	55,176 ^c 1,996 109,419 ^c 40,185 70,768 ^c	56,917r 2,035 110,474r 42,105 71,726r	59,713 2,137 113,101 43,046 72,508
7 Total	45,321	54,744	69,226	79,543	78,309	79,779	77,928	75,740	75,179	75,470	72,532
Holder 8 Accepting banks 9 Own bills. 10 Bills bought Federal Reserve Banks 11 Own account 12 Foreign correspondents 13 Others Basis 4 Imports into United States 15 Exports from United States 16 All other	9,865 8,327 1,538 704 1,382 33,370 10,270 9,640 25,411	10,564 8,963 1,601 776 1,791 41,614 11,776 12,712 30,257	10,857 9,743 1,115 195 1,442 56,731 14,765 15,400 39,060	10,910 9,471 1,439 1,480 949 66,204 17,683 16,328 45,531	9,355 8,125 1,230 418 729 68,225 15,649 16,880 45,781	10,743 8,823 1,920 0 632 68,404 17,647 15,871 46,260	11,065 8,729 2,336 0 686 66,177 17,196 15,985 44,746	10,534 8,960 1,574 0 658 64,548 16,256 16,312 43,172	10,397 9,113 1,284 0 615 64,781 16,433 15,849 42,897	10,256 9,065 1,191 0 671 64,167 16,975 15,859 42,635	9,991 8,818 1,173 0 679 61,862 16,757 15,477 40,297

1.33 PRIME RATE CHARGED BY BANKS on Short-Term Business Loans

Percent per annum

Effective date	Rate	Effective Date	Rate	Month	Average rate	Month	Average rate
1983—Jan. 11 Feb. 28 Aug. 8. 1984—Mar. 19. Apr. 5 May 8. June 25	11.00 10.50 11.00 11.50 12.00 12.50 13.00	1984—Sept.27	12.50 12.00 11.75 11.25	1983—Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr. Apr. May. June July. Aug. Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec. 1984—Jan. Feb.	11.16 10.98 10.50 10.50 10.50 10.50 10.50 10.89 11.00 11.00 11.00 11.00	1984—Mar	11.21 11.93 12.39 12.60 13.00 13.00 12.97 12.58 11.77 11.06

NOTE. These data also appear in the Board's H.15 (519) release. For address, see inside front cover.

^{1.} A change in reporting instructions results in offsetting shifts in the dealer-placed and directly placed financial company paper in October 1979.

2. Effective Dec. 1, 1982, there was a break in the commercial paper series. The key changes in the content of the data involved additions to the reporting panel, the exclusion of broker or dealer placed borrowings under any master note agreements from the reported data, and the reclassification of a large portion of bank-related paper from dealer-placed to directly placed.

3. Correction of a previous misclassification of paper by a reporter has created a break in the series beginning December 1983. The correction adds some paper to nonfinancial and to dealer-placed financial paper.

4. Institutions engaged primarily in activities such as, but not limited to, commercial, savings, and mortgage banking; sales, personal, and mortgage

financing; factoring, finance leasing, and other business lending; insurance underwriting; and other investment activities.

5. Includes all financial company paper sold by dealers in the open market.

6. As reported by financial companies that place their paper directly with

investors.

7. Includes public utilities and firms engaged primarily in such activities as communications, construction, manufacturing, mining, wholesale and retail trade, transportation, and services.

^{8.} Beginning October 1984, the number of respondents in the bankers acceptance survey will be reduced from 340 to 160 institutions—those with \$50 million or more in total acceptances. The new reporting group accounts for over 95 percent of total acceptances activity.

1.35 INTEREST RATES Money and Capital Markets

Averages, percent per annum; weekly and monthly figures are averages of business day data unless otherwise noted.

Instrument	1982	1983	1984	198	34	198	35		1985.	, week end	ling	
				Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Feb. I	Feb. 8	Feb. 15	Feb. 22	Mar. 1
Money Market Rates												
1 Federal funds ^{1,2}	12.26	9.09	10.23	9.43	8.38	8.35	8.50	8.45	8.59	8.44	8.57	8.40
	11.02	8.50	8.80	8.83	8.37	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
3 1-month 4 3-month 5 6-month Finance paper, directly placed ^{4,5}	11.83 11.89 11.89	8.87 8.88 8.89	10.05 10.10 10.16	9.01 9.03 9.06	8.39 8.44 8.55	7.99 8.03 8.15	8.46 8.54 8.69	8.14 8.14 8.22	8.40 8.41 8.48	8.46 8.51 8.63	8.50 8.59 8.74	8.55 8.75 9.05
6 1-month. 7 3-month. 8 6-month. Bankers acceptances ^{5,6}	11.64	8.80	9.97	8.92	8.25	7.95	8.42	8.12	8.36	8.43	8.42	8.54
	11.23	8.70	9.73	8.83	8.12	7.81	8.25	7.86	8.09	8.28	8.28	8.48
	11.20	8.69	9.65	8.82	8.09	7.82	8.20	7.86	8.05	8.18	8.28	8.41
9 3-month	11.89	8.90	10.14	9.00	8.45	8.01	8.55	8.11	8.39	8.48	8.66	8.80
	11.83	8.91	10.19	9.02	8.54	8.11	8.69	8.18	8.43	8.60	8.79	9.13
1	12.04	8.96	10.17	9.09	8.47	8.05	8.50	8.15	8.43	8.47	8.54	8.62
	12.27	9.07	10.37	9.18	8.60	8.14	8.69	8.23	8.56	8.64	8.77	8.91
	12.57	9.27	10.68	9.39	8.85	8.45	9.04	8.49	8.78	8.95	9.16	9.47
	13.12	9.56	10.73	9.50	8.90	8.37	9.05	8.49	8.91	8.99	9.09	9.35
Secondary market9 15 3-month 16 6-month 17 1-year Auction average 10	10.61	8.61	9.52	8.61	8.06	7.76	8.27	7.92	8.17	8.21	8.31	8.47
	11.07	8.73	9.76	8.81	8.28	8.00	8.39	8.09	8.28	8.29	8.42	8.70
	11.07	8.80	9.92	9.01	8.60	8.33	8.56	8.35	8.47	8.47	8.58	8.84
18 3-month 19 6-month 20 1-year.	10.686 11.084 11.099	8.63 8.75 8.86	9.58 9.80 9.91	8.79 8.99 9.10	8.16 8.36 8.38	7.76 8.03 8.39	8.22 8.34 8.46	7.76 7.97	8.16 8.30	8.20 8.28	8.15 8.25 8.46	8.36 8.53
CAPITAL MARKET RATES	•											
U.S. Treasury notes and bonds ¹¹ Constant maturities ¹² 21	12.27 12.80	9.57 10.21	10.89 11.65	9.82 10.65	9.33 10.18	9.02 9.93	9.29 10.17	9.03 9.86 10.05	9.18 10.03	9.19 10.02 10.25	9.30 10.19	9.61 10.53 10.45
24 3-year.	12.92	10.45	11.89	10.90	10.56	10.43	10.55	10.34	10.42	10.40	10.56	10.91
25 5-year.	13.01	10.80	12.24	11.33	11.07	10.93	11.13	10.76	10.99	11.00	11.17	11.47
26 7-year.	13.06	11.02	12.40	11.49	11.45	11.27	11.44	11.04	11.28	11.30	11.50	11.78
27 10-year.	13.00	11.10	12.44	11.57	11.50	11.38	11.51	11.15	11.37	11.37	11.57	11.83
28 20-year.	12.92	11.34	12.48	11.66	11.64	11.58	11.70	11.31	11.50	11.58	11.81	12.06
29 30-year.	12.76	11.18	12.39	11.56	11.52	11.45	11.47	11.21	11.31	11.32	11.54	11.80
Composite ¹⁴ 30 Over 10 years (long-term) State and local notes and bonds	12.23	10.84	11.99	11.25	11.21	11.15	11.35	10.92	11.09	11.19	11.51	11.77
Moody's series ¹⁵ 31 Aaa. 32 Baa. 33 Bond Buyer series ¹⁶ Corporate bonds	10.88	8.80	9.61	9.78	9.54	9.08	8.98	8.80	8.85	8.90	9.10	9.05
	12.48	10.17	10.38	10.47	10.45	10.16	10.05	9.90	9.95	10.00	10.15	10.10
	11.66	9.51	10.10	10.17	9.95	9.51	9.65	9.37	9.52	9.64	9.71	9.71
Seasoned issues 7 34 All industries 35 Aaa 36 Aa 37 A 38 Baa 39 Baa 39 Baa 39 Baa 39 Baa 39 Baa 39 Baa 30 30 30 30 30 30 30	14.94	12.78	13.49	12.88	12,74	12.64	12.66	12.47	12.54	12.57	12.71	12.93
	13.79	12.04	12.71	12.29	12,13	12.08	12.13	11.85	11.95	12.01	12.21	12.47
	14.41	12.42	13.31	12.66	12,50	12.43	12.49	12.29	12.37	12.43	12.55	12.69
	15.43	13.10	13.74	13.09	12,92	12.80	12.80	12.59	12.69	12.72	12.84	13.06
38 Baa. 39 A-rated, recently-offered utility bonds ¹⁸ .	16.11	13.55	14.19 13.81	13.48 12.98	13.40 12.88	13.26 12.78	13.23 12.76	13.13 12.59	13.14 12.68	13.13	13.21	13.51 13.18
MEMO: Dividend/price ratio ¹⁹ 40 Preferred stocks. 41 Common stocks.	12.53	11.02	11.59	11.36	11.21	11.13	10.88	10.99	10.97	10.83	10.77	10.94
	5.81	4.40	4.64	4.61	4.68	4.51	4.30	4.31	4.31	4.25	4.30	4.32

^{1.} Weekly and monthly figures are averages of all calendar days, where the rate for a weekend or holiday is taken to be the rate prevailing on the preceding business day. The daily rate is the average of the rates on a given day weighted by the volume of transactions at these rates.

- 11. Yields are based on closing bid prices quoted by at least five dealers.

 12. Yields adjusted to constant maturities by the U.S. Treasury. That is, yields are read from a yield curve at fixed maturities. Based on only recently issued, actively traded securities.

 13. Each biweekly figure is the average of five business days ending on the Monday following the date indicated. Until Mar. 31, 1983, the biweekly rate determined the maximum interest rate payable in the following two-week period on 2-½-year small saver certificates. (See table 1.16.)

 14. Averages (to maturity or call) for all outstanding bonds neither due nor callable in less than 10 years, including several very low yielding "flower" bonds. 15. General obligations based on Thursday figures: Moody's Investors Service.

 16. General obligations only, with 20 years to maturity, issued by 20 state and local governmental units of mixed quality. Based on figures for Thursday.

 17. Daily figures from Moody's Investors Service. Based on yields to maturity on selected long-term bonds.

 18. Compilation of the Federal Reserve. This series is an estimate of the yield on recently-offered, A-rated utility bonds with a 30-year maturity and 5 years of call protection. Weekly data are based on Friday quotations.

 19. Standard and Poor's corporate series. Preferred stock ratio based on a sample of ten issues: four public utilities, four industrials, one financial, and one transportation. Common stock ratios on the 500 stocks in the price index. Note. These data also appear in the Board's H.15 (519) and G.13 (415) releases. For address, see inside front cover.

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Weekly figures are averages for statement week ending Wednesday.
 Rate for the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.
 Unweighted average of offering rates quoted by at least five dealers (in the case of commercial paper), or finance companies (in the case of finance paper).
 Before November 1979, maturities for data shown are 30-59 days, 90-119 days, and 120-179 days for commercial paper; and 30-59 days, 90-119 days, and 150-179 days for finance paper.

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5. Yields are quoted on a bank-discount basis, rather than an investment yield basis (which would give a higher figure).

6. Dealer closing offered rates for top-rated banks. Most representative rate (which may be, but need not be, the average of the rates quoted by the dealers).

7. Unweighted average of offered rates quoted by at least five dealers early in

Unweighted average of offered rates quoted by at least five dealers early in the day.
 Calendar week average. For indication purposes only.
 Unweighted average of closing bid rates quoted by at least five dealers.
 Rates are recorded in the week in which bills are issued. Beginning with the Treasury bill auction held on Apr. 18, 1983, bidders were required to state the percentage yield (on a bank discount basis) that they would accept to two decimal places. Thus, average issuing rates in bill auctions will be reported using two rather than three decimal places. rather than three decimal places.

1.36 STOCK MARKET Selected Statistics

Indicator	1982	1983	1984				1984				198	5
Indicator	1962	1903	1904	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
				Pr	ices and	trading (averages	of daily fi	igures)			
Common stock prices 1 New York Stock Exchange (Dec. 31, 1965 = 50)	68.93 78.18 60.41 39.75 71.99 119.71	92.63 107.45 89.36 47.00 95.34 160.41 216.48	92.46 108.01 85.63 46.44 89.28 160.50 207.96		87.08 102.29 76.72 44.17 79.03 151.08	94.49 111.20 86.86 46.69 87.92 164.42 207.90	95.68 112.18 86.88 47.47 91.59 166.11 214.50	95.09 110.44 86.82 49.02 92.94 164.82 210.39	95.85 110.91 87.37 49.93 95.28 166.27 209.47	94.85 109.05 88.00 50.58 95.29 164.48 202.28	99.11 113.99 94.88 51.95 101.34r 171.61 211.82	104.73 120.71 101.76 53.44 109.58 180.88 228.40
Volume of trading (thousands of shares) 8 New York Stock Exchange	64,617 5,283	85,418 8,215	91,084 6,107	85,920 5,071	79,156 5,141	109,892 7,477	93,108 5,967	91,676 5,587	83,692 6,008	89,032 7,254	121,545 9,130	115,489 10,010
		L	Cust	omer fina	ancing (e	nd-of-per	iod balan	ces, in m	illions of	dollars)	-	L
10 Margin credit at broker-dealers ³	13,325	23,000	22,470	23,450	22,980	22,810	22,800	22,330	22,350	22,470	22,090	22,970
11 Margin stock 12 Convertible bonds 13 Subscription issues	12,980 344 1	22,720 279 1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	† n.a. 	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Free credit balances at brokers ⁴ 14 Margin-account 15 Cash-account	5,735 8,390	6,620 8,430	7,015 10,215	6,430 8,305	6,430 8,125	6,855 8,185	6,690 8,315	6,580 8,650	6,699 8,420	7,015 10,215	6,770 9,725r	6,680 9,840
			Margin	-account	debt at b	rokers (p	ercentag	e distribu	tion, end	of period)		
16 Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
By equity class (in percent) ⁵ 17 Under 40	21.0 24.0 24.0 14.0 9.0 8.0	41.0 22.0 16.0 9.0 6.0 6.0	46.0 18.0 16.0 9.0 5.0 6.0	50.0 19.0 12.0 8.0 6.0 5.0	52.0 17.0 12.0 8.0 5.0 6.0	40.0 22.0 16.0 9.0 6.0 7.0	42.0 22.0 15.0 9.0 6.0 6.0	44.0 21.0 14.0 9.0 6.0 6.0	47.0 19.0 13.0 9.0 6.0 6.0	46.0 18.0 16.0 9.0 5.0 6.0	35.0 19.0 20.0 11.0 7.0 8.0	36.0 20.0 18.0 11.0 8.0 8.0
			Spec	ial misce	llaneous	-account	balances	at broker	s (end of	period)		
23 Total balances (millions of dollars) ⁶	35,598	58,329	75,840	69,410	70,588	71,840	72,350	71,914	73,904	75,840	79,600	81,830
Distribution by equity status (percent) 24 Net credit status. Debt status, equity of 25 60 percent or more.	62.0 29.0	63.0 28.0	59.0 29.0	56.0 30.0	57.0 30.0	58.0 31.0	58.0 31.0	59.0 30.0	59.0 29.0	59.0 29.0	59.0 30.0	59.0 31.0
26 Less than 60 percent	9.0	9.0	11.0	14.0	13.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	12.0	11.0	10.0	10.0
			Marg	gin requir	ements (percent o	of market	value an	d effective	date)7		
	Mar. 11	1, 1968	June 8	, 1968	May 6	, 1970	Dec. 6	, 1971	Nov. 24	1, 1972	Jan. 3,	1974
27 Margin stocks	70 50 70		80 60 80)	65 50 65)	55 50 55	,	65 50 65		50 50 50	

^{1.} Effective July 1976, includes a new financial group, banks and insurance companies. With this change the index includes 400 industrial stocks (formerly 425), 20 transportation (formerly 15 rail), 40 public utility (formerly 60), and 40

5. Each customer's equity in his collateral (market value of collateral less net debit balance) is expressed as a percentage of current collateral values.

6. Balances that may be used by customers as the margin deposit required for additional purchases. Balances may arise as transfers based on loan values of other collateral in the customer's margin account or deposits of cash (usually sales preceded) occur.

financial.

2. Beginning July 5, 1983, the American Stock Exchange rebased its index effectively cutting previous readings in half.

3. Beginning July 1983, under the revised Regulation T, margin credit at broker-dealers includes credit extended against stocks, convertible bonds, stocks acquired through exercise of subscription rights, corporate bonds, and government securities. Separate reporting of data for margin stocks, convertible bonds, and subscription issues was discontinued in April 1984, and margin credit at broker-dealers became the total that is distributed by equity class and shown on lines 17-22.

4. Free credit balances are in accounts with no unfulfilled commitments to the brokers and are subject to withdrawal by customers on demand.

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other collateral in the customer's margin account or deposits of cash (usually sales proceeds) occur.

7. Regulations G, T, and U of the Federal Reserve Board of Governors, prescribed in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, limit the amount of credit to purchase and carry margin stocks that may be extended on securities as collateral by prescribing a maximum loan value, which is a specified percentage of the market value of the collateral at the time the credit is extended. Margin requirements are the difference between the market value (100) percent) and the maximum loan value. The term "margin stocks" is defined in the corresponding regulation.

1.37 SELECTED FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS Selected Assets and Liabilities

Millions of dollars, end of period

							19	84					1985
Account	1982	1983	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
					s	avings an	d loan ass	ociations		·			
Assets Mortgages Cash and investment securities Other	707,646 483,614 85,438 138,594	773,417 494,789 104,274 174,354	797,849 503,509 109,477 184,863	808,264 510,670 106,863 190,731	825,557 519,628 110,033 195,896	840,682 528,172 109,752 202,758	850,780 535,814 108,456 206,510	860,088 540,644 108,820 210,624	877,642 550,129 112,350 215,163	881,627 552,516 112,023 217,088	887,696 556,229 114,879 216,588	902,449 555,277 125,358 221,814	898,643 558,241 119,309 221,093
5 Liabilities and net worth	707,646	773,417	797,849	808,264	825,557	840,682	850,780	860,088	877,642	881,627	887,696	902,449	898,643
6 Savings capital 7 Borrowed money 8 FHLBB 9 Other 10 Loans in process ² 11 Other	567,961 97,850 63,861 33,989 9,934 15,602	634,455 92,127 52,626 39,501 21,117 15,968	656,650 94,113 50,663 43,450 22,969 15,548	660,663 98,275 51,951 46,324 23,938 17,524	670,666 103,119 53,485 49,634 24,761 19,832	681,947 108,417 56,558 51,859 25,726 17,586	687,817 110,238 57,115 53,123 26,122 19,970	691,704 114,747 60,178 54,569 26,773 20,599	704,558 121,329 63,627 57,702 27,141 18,050	708,846 119,305 63,412 55,893 26,754 19,894	714,780 117,775 63,383 54,392 26,683 21,302	724,301 126,169 64,207 61,962 26,959 17,215	730,699 114,850 63,152 51,698 26,540 18,431
12 Net worth ³	26,233	30,867	31,538	31,802	31,940	32,732	32,755	33,038	33,705	33,582	33,839	34,764	34,663
13 MEMO: Mortgage loan commitments outstanding ⁴	18,054	32,996	39,867	41,732	45,274	44,878	43,878	41,182	40,089	38,530	37,856	34,841	33,324
						Mutual	savings b	anks ⁵					
14 Assets	174,197	193,535	197,178	198,000	200,087	198,864	199,128	200,722	201,445	203,274	204,455	203,828	204,835
Loans	94,091 16,957	97,356 19,129	98,472 21,971	99,017 22,531	99,881 22,907	99,433 23,198	100,091 23,213	101,211 24,068	101,621 24,535	102,704 24,486	102,953 24,930	102,872 24,956	103,394 25,747
17 U.S. government ⁶ 18 State and local government 19 Corporate and other ⁷ 20 Cash 21 Other assets	9,743 2,470 36,161 6,919 7,855	15,360 2,177 43,580 6,263 9,670	15,772 2,067 43,547 5,040 10,309	15,913 2,033 43,122 5,008 10,376	16,404 2,024 43,200 5,031 10,640	15,448 2,037 42,479 5,452 10,817	15,457 2,037 42,682 4,896 10,752	15,019 2,055 42,632 4,981 10,756	14,965 2,052 42,605 4,795 10,872	15,295 2,080 43,003 4,605 11,101	14,925 2,077 43,366 4,805 11,399	14,633 2,077 42,936 4,945 11,409	14,616 2,054 43,349 4,141 11,534
22 Liabilities	174,197	193,535	197,178	198,000	200,087	198,864	199,128	200,722	201,445	203,274	204,455	203,828	204,835
23 Deposits. 24 Regulars 25 Ordinary savings 26 Time 27 Other 28 Other liabilities 29 General reserve accounts 30 MEMO: Mortgage loan commitments	155,196 152,777 46,862 96,369 2,419 8,336 9,235	172,665 170,135 38,554 95,129 2,530 10,154 10,368	176,044 173,385 37,866 97,339 2,659 10,390 10,373	175,875 173,010 37,329 96,920 2,865 11,211 10,466	176,253 173,310 37,147 97,236 2,943 12,861 10,554	174,972 171,858 36,322 97,168 3,114 12,999 10,404	174,823 171,740 35,511 98,410 3,083 13,269 10,495	176,085 172,990 34,787 101,270 3,095 13,604 10,498	177,345 174,296 34,564 102,934 3,049 12,979 10,488	178,624 175,727 34,221 104,151 2,897 13,853 10,459	180,142 177,196 34,008 104,913 2,946 13,367 10,508	180,559 177,362 33,732 104,689 3,197 12,501 10,500	181,013 177,904 33,420 104,067 3,109 12,962 10,613
outstanding ⁹	1,285	2,387	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	п.а.
						Life insu	rance cor	npanies		_			
31 Assets	588,163	654,948	665,836	671,259	673,518	679,449	684,573	694,082	699,996	705,827	712,271	720,807	
Securities 32 Government 33 United States 10 34 State and local 35 Foreign 1 36 Business 37 Bonds 38 Stocks 39 Mortgages 40 Real estate 41 Policy loans 42 Other assets 40 Other assets 41 States 42 Other assets 43 Other assets 45 States 45 States 46 States 47 States 48 States 49 States 49 States 40 States 40 States 41 States 5 States	36,499 16,529 8,664 11,306 287,126 231,406 55,720 141,989 20,264 52,961 48,571	28,636 9,986 12,130 322,854 257,986 64,868 150,999 22,234 54,063	54,254	52,828 31,358 9,192 12,278 334,634 271,296 63,338 152,373 23,237 54,365 53,822	53,422 31,706 9,239 12,477 334,151 273,212 60,939 152,968 23,517 54,399 55,061	23,792	54,688 32,654 9,236 12,798 341,802 281,113 60,689 154,299 24,019 54,441 55,324	56,263 33,886 9,357 13,020 348,614 283,673 64,941 155,438 24,117 54,517 55,133	57,552 35,586 9,221 12,745 350,512 285,543 64,969 155,802 24,685 54,551 56,894	59,825 37,594 9,344 12,887 352,059 287,607 64,452 156,064 24,947 54,574 58,358	62,678 40,288 9,385 13,005 354,815 291,021 63,794 156,691 25,467 54,571 58,049	64,683 41,970 9,757 12,956 354,902 290,731 64,171 157,283 25,985 54,610 63,344	n.a.
						Cre	dit union	S ¹²					
43 Total assets/liabilities and capital 44 Federal	69,585 45,493 24,092	54,482	85,789 57,569 28,220	86,594 58,127 28,467	88,350 59,636 28,714	28,960	90,145 61,163 28,982	61,500 29,003	62,107 29,544	91,619 61,935 29,684		1	94,646 64,505 30,141
46 Loans outstanding	43,232 27,948 15,284 62,990 41,352 21,638	32,930 17,153 74,739 49,889	17,759 78,487 52,905	53,247 35,286 17,961 79,413 53,587 25,826	18,163 80,702 54,632	18,368 82,578 56,261	82,402 56,278	39,578 19,224 82,135 56,205	56,734	19,756 83,129 56,655	84,000 57,302	42,337 20,224 84,348 57,539	62,662 42,220 20,442 86,047 58,820 27,227

1.37 Continued

A	1982	1983					19	84					1985
Account	1962	1903	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
					FSLI	C-insured	l federal s	avings ba	nks				
52 Assets 53 Mortgages 54 Cash and investment securities ¹ 55 Other	6,859 3,353	64,969 38,698 10,436 15,835	75,555 44,708 12,552 18,295	77,374 45,900 12,762 18,712	78,952 46,791 12,814 19,347	81,310 48,084 13,071 20,155	83,989 49,996 13,184 20,809	87,209 52,039 13,331 21,839	82,174 48,841 12,867 20,466	87,743 51,554 13,615 22,574	94,536 55,861 14,826 23,849	98,559 57,429 16,001 25,129	98,747 57,667 15,378 25,702
56 Liabilities and net worth	6,859	64,969	75,555	77,374	78,952	81,310	83,989	87,209	82,174	87,743	94,536	98,559	98,747
57 Savings and capital 58 Borrowed money 59 FHLBB 60 Other 61 Other 62 Net worth ³ .		53,227 7,477 4,640 2,837 1,157 3,108	61,433 9,213 5,232 3,981 1,360 3,549	62,495 9,707 5,491 4,216 1,548 3,624	63,026 10,475 5,900 4,575 1,747 3,704	64,364 11,489 6,538 4,951 1,646 3,811	66,227 12,060 6,897 5,163 1,807 3,895	68,443 12,863 7,654 5,209 1,912 3,991	65,079 11,828 6,600 5,228 1,610 3,657	70,080 11,935 6,867 5,068 1,896 3,832	76,167 11,937 7,041 4,896 2,259 4,173	79,572 12,798 7,515 5,283 1,903 4,286	80,091 12,372 7,361 5,011 1,982 4,302
MEMO 63 Loans in process ² 64 Mortgage loan commitments outstanding ⁴	98	1,264 2,151	1,669 3,253	1,716 3,714	1,787 3,763	1,839 3,583	1,901 3,988	1,895 3,860	1,505 2,970	1,457 2,925	1,689 3,298	1,738 3,234	1,685 3,510

- Holdings of stock of the Federal Home Loan Banks are in "other assets."
 Beginning in 1982, loans in process are classified as contra-assets and are not included in total liabilities and net worth. Total assets are net of loans in process.

 3. Includes net undistributed income accrued by most associations.

- Excludes figures for loans in process.
 The National Council reports data on member mutual savings banks and on savings banks that have converted to stock institutions, and to federal savings.

- banks.

 6. Beginning April 1979, includes obligations of U.S. government agencies. Before that date, this item was included in "Corporate and other."

 7. Includes securities of foreign governments and international organizations and, before April 1979, nonguaranteed issues of U.S. government agencies.

 8. Excludes checking, club, and school accounts.

 9. Commitments outstanding (including loans in process) of banks in New York State as reported to the Savings Banks Association of the State of New York York.
- 10. Direct and guaranteed obligations. Excludes federal agency issues not guaranteed, which are shown in the table under "Business" securities.

- 11. Issues of foreign governments and their subdivisions and bonds of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

 12. As of June 1982, data include only federal or federally insured state credit

12. As of June 1982, data include only federal or federally insured state credit unions serving natural perons.

Note. Savings and loan associations: Estimates by the FHLBB for all associations in the United States. Data are based on monthly reports of federally insured associations and annual reports of other associations. Even when revised, data for current and preceding year are subject to further revision.

Mutual savings banks: Estimates of National Council of Savings Institutions for all savings banks in the United States.

Life insurance companies: Estimates of the American Council of Life Insurance for all life insurance companies in the United States. Annual figures are annual-statement asset values, with bonds carried on an amortized basis and stocks at year-end market value. Adjustments for interest due and accrued and for differences between market and book values are not made on each item separately but are included, in total, in "other assets."

Credit unions: Estimates by the National Credit Union Administration for a group of federal and federally insured state credit unions serving natural persons. Figures are preliminary and revised annually to incorporate recent data.

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FEDERAL FISCAL AND FINANCING OPERATIONS

Millions of dollars

						Calenda	г уеаг		
Type of account or operation	Fiscal year 1982	Fiscal year 1983	Fiscal year 1984	198	3	1984	1984	198	5
				Hi	Н2	HI	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
U.S. budget 1 Receipts ¹ . 2 Outlays ¹ 3 Surplus, or deficit (-) 4 Trust funds. 5 Federal funds ^{2,3}	617,766 728,375 -110,609 5,456 -116,065	600,562 795,917 -195,355 23,056 -218,410	666,457 841,800 -175,343 30,565 -205,908	306,331 396,477 -90,146 22,680 -112,822	306,584 406,849 -100,265 7,745 -108,005	341,808 420,700 -78,892 18,080 -96,971	62,404 77,583 -15,179 8,426 -23,606	70,454 76,838 -6,384 -188 -6,198	54,021 74,851 -20,830 2,313 -23,140
Off-budget entities (surplus, or deficit (-)) 6 Federal Financing Bank outlays 7 Other ^{3,4}	-14,142 -3,190	-10,404 -1,953	-7,277 -2,719	-5,418 -528	-3,199 -1,206	-2,813 -838	142 475	~840 ~789	0 -421
U.S. budget plus off-budget, including Federal Financing Bank 8 Surplus, or deficit (-) Source of financing 9 Borrowing from the public 10 Cash and monetary assets (decrease, or increase (-)) ⁴ .	134,993	-207,711 212,425 -9,889 5,176	-185,339 170,817 5,636 8,885	-96,094 102,538 -9,664 3,222	-104,670 84,020 -16,294 4,358	-84,884 80,592 -3,127 7,418	-14,563 24,055 -10,490 998	-8,013 12,675 -7,969 3,307	-21,251 15,994 9,094 4,033
MEMO 12 Treasury operating balance (level, end of period) 13 Federal Reserve Banks 14 Tax and loan accounts	29,164 10,975 18,189	37,057 16,557 20,500	37,057 16,557 20,500	27,997' 19,442 8,764'	11,817 [,] 3,661 [,] 8,157 [,]	13,567 ^r 4,397 ^r 9,170 ^r	17,649 5,316 12,333	26,502 5,349 21,153	17,160 3,308 13,852

SOURCE. "Monthly Treasury Statement of Receipts and Outlays of the U.S. Government" Treasury Bulletin, and the Budget of the U.S. Government, Fiscal Year 1985.

^{1.} Effective Feb. 8, 1982, supplemental medical insurance premiums and voluntary hospital insurance premiums, previously included in other insurance receipts, have been reclassified as offsetting receipts in the health function.

2. Half-year figures are calculated as a residual (total surplus/deficit less trust fund surplus/deficit).

3. Other off-budget includes Postal Service Fund; Rural Electrification and Telephone Revolving Fund; Rural Telephone Bank; and petroleum acquisition and transportation and strategic petroleum reserve effective November 1981.

4. Includes U.S. Treasury operating cash accounts; SDRs; gold tranche drawing rights; loans to International Monetary Fund; and other cash and monetary assets.

^{5.} Includes accrued interest payable to the public; allocations of special drawing rights; deposit funds; miscellaneous liability (including checks outstanding) and asset accounts; seigniorage; increment on gold; net gain/loss for U.S. currency valuation adjustment; net gain/loss for IMF valuation adjustment; and profit on the sale of gold.

1.39 U.S. BUDGET RECEIPTS AND OUTLAYS

Millions of dollars

					C	alendar year			
Source or type	Fiscal year 1983	Fiscal year 1984	1982	198	83	1984	1984	198	35
			H2	HI	H2	HI	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
RECEIPTS									
1 All sources	600,563	666,457	286,337	306,331	305,122	341,808	62,404	70,454	54,021
2 Individual income taxes, net	288,938 266,010 36	295,955 279,345 35	145,676 131,567	144,551 135,531 30	147,663 133,768	144,691 140,657 29	27,054 25,979 0	37,852 24,778	23,769 23,127
5 Nonwithheld	83,586 60,692	81,346 64,771	20,041 5,938	63,014 54,024	20,703 6,815	61,463 57,458	2,003 929	12,642 -433	1,683 1,041
7 Gross receipts	61,780 24,758	74,179 17,286	25,660 11,467	33,522 13,809	31,064 8,921	40,328 10,045	12,351 820	4,373 1,594	2,673 919
net	209,001	241,902	94,277	110,520	100,832	131,372	18,127	23,394	23,080
contributions!	179,010	203,476	85,064	90,912	88,388	106,436	17,328	21,661	19,433
contributions ²	6,756 18,799 4,436	8,709 25,138 4,580	177 6,856 2,180	6,427 10,984 2,197	398 8,714 2,290	7,667 14,942 2,329	0 397 403	602 1,328 406	664 2,615 362
14 Excise taxes	35,300 8,655 6,053 15,594	37,361 11,370 6,010 16,965	16,555 4,299 3,444 7,890	16,904 4,010 2,883 7,751	19,586 5,079 3,050 7,811	18,304 5,576 3,102 8,481	2,907 922 469 1,395	3,267 1,085 605 1,471	2,585 842 504 1,488
OUTLAYS	l								
18 All types	795,917	841,800	390,847	396,477	406,849	420,700	77,583	76,838	74,851
19 National defense. 20 International affairs. 21 General science, space, and technology. 22 Energy. 23 Natural resources and environment. 24 Agriculture.	210,461 8,927 7,777 4,035 12,676 22,173	227,405 13,313 8,271 2,464 12,677 12,215	100,419 4,406 3,903 2,058 6,941 13,259	105,072 4,705 3,486 2,073 5,892 10,154	108,967 6,117 4,216 1,533 6,933 5,278	114,639 5,426 3,981 1,080 5,463 7,129	20,156 1,297 692 278 1,253 2,881	19,367 1,254 654 369 1,082 3,372	19,785 884 715 215 786 2,054
25 Commerce and housing credit	4,721 21,231 7,302	5,198 24,705 7,803	2,244 10,686 4,187	2,164 9,918 3,124	2,648 13,323 4,327	2,572 10,616 3,154	1,043 2,055 627	-737 2,053 589	-805 1,505 438
28 Education, training, employment, social services	25,726	26,616	12,186	12,801	13,246	13,445	2,089	2,547	2,628
29 Health	28,655) 223,311 106,211	30,435 235,764 96,714	39,072 133,779	41,206 143,001	42,150 135,579	15,748 65,212	2,677 20,640 10,704	2,822 20,930 11,600	2,778 20,583 10,220
32 Veterans benefits and services 33 Administration of justice 34 General government 35 General-purpose fiscal assistance. 36 Net interest ⁶ 37 Undistributed offsetting receipts ⁷ .	24,845 5,014 4,991 6,287 89,774 -21,424	25,640 5,616 4,836 6,577 111,007 -15,454	13,240 2,373 2,323 3,153 44,948 -8,332	11,334 2,522 2,434 3,124 42,358 -8,887	13,621 2,628 2,479 3,290 47,674 -7,262	12,849 2,807 2,462 2,943 53,729 -7,333	2,393 491 569 21 10,085 -2,368	928 585 244 1,250 10,440 -2,513	2,218 453 699 116 11,820 -2,238

function. Before February 1984, these outlays were included in the income security and health functions.

6. Net interest function includes interest received by trust funds.

7. Consists of rents and royalties on the outer continental shelf and U.S. government contributions for employee retirement.

SOURCE. "Monthly Treasury Statement of Receipts and Outlays of the U.S. Government," and the Budget of the U.S. Government, Fiscal Year 1985.

Old-age, disability, and hospital insurance, and railroad retirement accounts.
 Old-age, disability, and hospital insurance.
 Federal employee retirement contributions and civil service retirement and exhibits fine.

Federal employee retriement contributions and cover service remember and disability fund.
 Deposits of earnings by Federal Reserve Banks and other miscellaneous receipts.
 In accordance with the Social Security Amendments Act of 1983, the Treasury now provides social security and medicare outlays as a separate

1.40 FEDERAL DEBT SUBJECT TO STATUTORY LIMITATION

Billions of dollars

Itam	1982		19	83		1984				
Item	Dec. 31	Mar. 31	June 30	Sept. 30	Dec. 31	Маг. 31	June 30	Sept. 30	Dec. 31	
1 Federal debt outstanding	1,201.9	1,249.3	1,324.3	1,381.9	1,415.3	1,468.3	1,517.2	1,576.7	1,667.4	
Public debt securities Held by public Held by agencies.	1,197.1 987.7 209.4	1,244.5 1,043.3 201.2	1,319.6 1,090.3 229.3	1,377.2 1,138.2 239.0	1,410.7 1,174.4 236.3	1,463.7 1,223.9 239.8	1,512.7 1,255.1 257.6	1,572.3 1,309.2 264.1	1,663.0 1,373.4 289.6	
5 Agency securities 6 Held by public 7 Held by agencies	4.8 3.7 1.2	4.8 3.7 1.1	4.7 3.6 1.1	4.7 3.6 1.1	4.6 3.5 1.1	4.6 3.5 1.1	4.5 3.4 1.1	4.5 3.4 1.1	4.5 3.4 1.1	
8 Debt subject to statutory limit	1,197.9	1,245.3	1,320.4	1,378.0	1,411.4	1,464.5	1,513.4	1,573.0	1,663.7	
9 Public debt securities	1,196.5 1.4	1,243.9 1.4	1,319.0 1.4	1,376.6 1.3	1,410.1 1.3	1,463.1 1.3	1,512.1 1.3	1,571.7 1.3	1,662.4 1.3	
11 Мемо: Statutory debt limit	1,290.2	1,290.2	1,389.0	1,389.0	1,490.0	1,490.0	1,520.0	1,573.0	1,823.8	

^{1.} Includes guaranteed debt of government agencies, specified participation certificates, notes to international lending organizations, and District of Columbia stadium bonds.

GROSS PUBLIC DEBT OF U.S. TREASURY Types and Ownership

Billions of dollars, end of period

Tuna and holden	1980	1981	1982	1983		198	34	
Type and holder	1700	1761	1702	1703	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
1 Total gross public debt	930.2	1,028.7	1,197.1	1,410.7	1,463.7	1,512.7	1,572.3	1,663.0
By type 2 Interest-bearing debt 3 Marketable 4 Bills 5 Notes 6 Bonds 7 Nonmarketable 8 State and local government series 9 Foreign issues 2 O Government 1 Public 1 Public 1 Savings bonds and notes 1 Government account series 1 Non-interest-bearing debt 1 Non-interest-bearing debt 1 Marketable 1 Non-interest-bearing debt 1 Marketable 1 Non-interest-bearing debt 1 Marketable 1 Non-interest-bearing debt 1 Non-interest	928.9 623.2 216.1 321.6 85.4 305.7 23.8 24.0 17.6 6.4 72.5 185.1	1,027.3 720.3 245.0 375.3 99.9 307.0 23.0 19.0 14.9 4.1 68.1 196.7	1,195.5 881.5 311.8 465.0 104.6 314.0 25.7 14.7 13.0 1.7 68.0 205.4	1,400.9 1,050.9 343.8 573.4 133.7 350.0 36.7 10.4 10.4 10.7 20.7 231.9	1,452.1 1,097.7 350.2 604.9 142.6 354.4 38.1 9.9 9.9 0.0 71.6 234.6	1,501.1 1,126.6 343.3 632.1 151.2 374.5 39.9 8.8 8.8 .0 72.3 253.2	1,559.6 1,176.6 1,176.6 356.8 661.7 158.1 383.0 41.4 8.8 8.8 0.73.1 259.5	1,660.6 1,247.4 374.4 705.1 167.9 413.2 44.4 9.1 9.1 9.1 2.0 73.3 286.2
By holder ⁴ 15 U.S. government agencies and trust funds 16 Federal Reserve Banks 17 Private investors. 18 Commercial banks 19 Money market funds 20 Insurance companies 21 Other companies 22 State and local governments Individuals 23 Savings bonds. 24 Other securities 25 Foreign and international ⁵	192.5 121.3 616.4 112.1 13.5 24.0 19.3 87.9	203.3 131.0 694.5 111.4 21.5 29.0 17.9 104.3	209.4 139.3 848.4 131.4 42.6 39.1 24.5 127.8 68.3 48.2 149.5	236.3 151.9 1,022.6 188.8 22.8 56.7 39.7 155.1 71.5 61.9 166.3	239.8 150.8 1,073.0 189.8 19.4 57.1p 42.6 162.9p	257.6 152.9 1,102.2 182.3 14.9 61.6 ^o 45.3 165.0 ^o 72.9 69.3	263.1 155.0 1,154.1 183.0 13.6 58.6 ⁹ 47.7 ⁹ n.a.	289.6 160.9 1,212.5 185.5 <i>p</i> 26.0 73.9 <i>p</i> 50.2 <i>p</i> n.a.

^{1.} Includes (not shown separately): Securities issued to the Rural Electrifica-tion Administration; depository bonds, retirement plan bonds, and individual

NOTE. Data from Treasury Bulletin (U.S. Treasury Department).

retirement bonds.

2. Nonmarketable dollar-denominated and foreign currency-denominated se-

^{2.} Nonmarketable donar-denominated and leteral carry and restrictions held by foreigners.
3. Held almost entirely by U.S. government agencies and trust funds.
4. Data for Federal Reserve Banks and U.S. government agencies and trust funds are actual holdings; data for other groups are Treasury estimates.

^{5.} Consists of investments of foreign and international accounts. Excludes non-interest-bearing notes issued to the International Monetary Fund.
6. Includes savings and loan associations, nonprofit institutions, credit unions, mutual savings banks, corporate pension trust funds, dealers and brokers, certain U.S. government deposit accounts, and U.S. government-sponsored agencies. SOURCES. Data by type of security, U.S. Treasury Department, Monthly Statement of the Public Debt of the United States; data by holder. Treasury Bulletin.

1.42 U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES DEALERS Transactions

Par value; averages of daily figures, in millions of dollars

	1982 ^r	1983	1984	1984	19	85		1985	week endi	ing Wedne	sday	
Item	1982	1963	1964	Dec.	Jan.'	Feb.	Jan. 23	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27
Immediate delivery ¹ 1 U.S. government securities	64,531	42,135	52,784	58,110	71,679	71,196	73,930°	77,407′	73,661	67,530	69,375	77,026
By maturity 2 Bills	36,790 1,620 12,543 7,112 6,466	22,393 708 8,758 5,279 4,997	26,038 1,305 11,734 7,607 6,099	28,202 2,027 14,964 7,914 5,003	32,185 1,758 17,673 12,049 8,014	33,261 1,639 17,347 10,319 8,630		30,631 ^r 1,495 22,698 ^r 13,298 ^r 9,286	34,025 1,595 20,896 9,079 8,067	31,579 1,390 12,679 9,142 12,740	16,415 8,202	33,660 1,740 19,850 14,207 7,568
By type of customer U.S. government securities dealers	3,539	2,257	2,920	3,981	4,288	4,349		3,902	4,088	4,987		4,272
brokers 9	30.041	21,045 18,832 5,576 4,333 2,642 8,036	25,581 24,283 7,843 4,947 3,244 10,018	24,767 29,362 8,499 4,380 3,376 10,882	32,617 34,774 9,846 5,428 3,756 10,780	33,790 33,057 9,435 4,544 3,206 9,946	36,845 ^r 10,328 4,870 3,762	35,300 38,206' 9,495 4,092 3,009 10,132	35,552 34,020 8,353 5,123 3,332 11,093	31,895 30,649 9,914 4,292 3,245 9,575	32,198 33,088 11,552 3,929 2,860 10,066	36,129 36,624 8,897 4,651 3,348 9,277
14 Treasury bills		6,655 2,501 265	6,947 4,503 262	4,686 4,605 131	5,510 5,147 155	7,116 6,067 127	4,789 4,356 167	6,470 6,159 136	7,514 5,199 125	8,005 5,995 133	5,891 5,353 218	7,203 7,204 117
Forward transactions ⁴ 17 U.S. government securities		1,493 1,646	1,362 2,839	1,423 3,355	1,042 3,538	1,551 3,288	1,035 4,082	1,268 ^r 2,560	2,062 2,474	1,610 3,435	1,188 4,373	1,619 3,293

from the date of the transaction for government securities (Treasury bills, notes, and bonds) or after 30 days for mortgage-backed agency issues.

Note. Averages for transactions are based on number of trading days in the

Before 1981, data for immediate transactions include forward transactions.
 Includes, among others, all other dealers and brokers in commodities and securities, nondealer departments of commercial banks, foreign banking agencies, and the Federal Reserve System.
 Tutures contracts are standardized agreements arranged on an organized exchange in which parties commit to purchase or sell securities for delivery at a future date.
 Forward transactions are agreements arranged in the over-the-counter market in which securities are purchased (sold) for delivery after 5 business days.

Transactions are market purchases and sales of U.S. government securities dealers reporting to the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. The figures exclude allotments of, and exchanges for, new U.S. government securities, redemptions of called or matured securities, purchases or sales of securities under repurchase agreement, reverse repurchase (resale), or similar contracts.

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1.43 U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES DEALERS Positions and Financing

Averages of daily figures, in millions of dollars

Item	1982	1983′	1984	1984	198	35		1985 week	ending We	dnesday	
rem	1902	1903	1704	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Jan. 30	Feb. 6	Feb. 13	Feb. 20	Feb. 27
						Positions					
Net immediate¹ 1 U.S. government securities 2 Bills 3 Other within 1 year 4 1-5 years 5 5-10 years 6 Over 10 years 7 Federal agency securities 8 Certificates of deposit 9 Bankers acceptances 10 Commercial paper Futures positions 11 Treasury bills 12 Treasury coupons 13 Federal agency securities Forward positions 14 U.S. government securities 15 Federal agency securities	5,532 2,832 3,317	10,701 8,020 394 1.778 528 7.232 5.839 3,139 -4,125 -1,032 171 -1,936 -3,561	5,543 5,504 63 2,159 -1,119 -1,74 15,294 7,369 3,874 -4,525 1,795 233 -1,643 -9,204	18,358 13,871 -416 7,452 -2,122 -565 18,471 9,155 4,329 5,694 -10,668 808 -10	14,111/ 11,629 -111 5,685 -4,024 823/ 19,429 10,251/ 4,880 -13,133 1,336/ -55 -845 -6,990	13,585 12,441 851 3,054 -2,898 48 19,606 9,487 4,725 5,226 -2,549 3,143 -9 -1,742 -8,156	13,244 12,526 100 5,468 -4,930 -15 20,934 9,701 4,824 5,435 -12,052 2,218 ⁷ 108 -803 -6,326	11,859 12,201 357 4,821 -4,352 -1,257 21,007 10,154 4,819 5,677 -9,301 2,755 216 -1,178 -7,899	11,337 10,506 713 3,763 -4,200 469 20,007 9,775 4,812 5,037 -4,995 2,964 171 -1,877 -8,340	13,921 12,771 852 1,904 -2,547 862 18,846 9,274 4,974 5,274 -1,485 3,136 -87	15,724 13,495 1,132 2,136 -1,434 294 18,803 8,935 4,381 5,118 2,306 3,391 -255 -1,486 -8,001
						Financing ²					
Reverse repurchase agreements ³ 6 Overnight and continuing. 17 Term agreements. Repurchase agreements ⁴ 18 Overnight and continuing. 19 Term agreements.	26,754 48,247 49,695 43,410	29,099 52,493 57,946 44,410	44,078 68,357 75,717 57,047	52,222 75,532 89,419 67,185	57,000 72,387 93,727 63,188	59,989 71,570 96,535 62,327	55,697 69,193 93,269 62,840	59,293 71,218 94,194 62,587	58,024 73,032 93,827 64,499	62,073 70,585 96,337 61,539	59,690 71,618 100,117 60,975

^{1.} Immediate positions are net amounts (in terms of par values) of securities owned by nonbank dealer firms and dealer departments of commercial banks on a commitment, that is, trade-date basis, including any such securities that have been sold under agreements to repurchase (RPs). The maturities of some repurchase agreements are sufficiently long, however, to suggest that the securities involved are not available for trading purposes. Prior to 1984, securities owned, and hence dealer positions, do not include all securities acquired under reverse RPs. After January 1984, immediate positions include reverses to maturity, which are securities that were sold after having been obtained under reverse repurchase agreements that mature on the same day as the securities. Before 1981, data for immediate positions include forward positions.

NOTE. Data for positions are averages of daily figures, in terms of par value, based on the number of trading days in the period. Positions are shown net and are on a commitment basis. Data for financing are based on Wednesday figures, in terms of actual money borrowed or lent.

^{2.} Figures cover financing involving U.S. government and federal agency securities, negotiable CDs, bankers acceptances, and commercial paper.

3. Includes all reverse repurchase agreements, including those that have been arranged to make delivery on short sales and those for which the securities obtained have been used as collateral on borrowings, that is, matched agreements.

4. Includes both repurchase agreements undertaken to finance positions and matched book repurchase agreements.

Note. Data for positions are averages of daily figures in terms of par value.

FEDERAL AND FEDERALLY SPONSORED CREDIT AGENCIES Debt Outstanding Millions of dollars, end of period

	1001	1982	1983			1984			1985
Agency	1981	1982	1983	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
1 Federal and federally sponsored agencies	221,946	237,085	239,716	263,642	267,399	259,330	260,015p	261,294p	260,770 <i>p</i>
2 Federal agencies	31,806 484 13,339 413	33,055 354 14,218 288	33,940 243 14,853 194	34,497 162 15,606 146	34,754 153 15,733 140	35,012 149 15,721 139	35,078 146 15,721 138	35,145 142 15,882 133	35,235 133 15,882 132
6 Government National Mortgage Association participation certificates 7 Postal Service 8 Tennessee Valley Authority 9 United States Railway Association 6	2,715 1,538 13,115 202	2,165 1,471 14,365 194	2,165 1,404 14,970 111	2,165 1,337 15,030 51	2,165 1,337 15,160 51	2,165 1,337 15,450 51	2,165 1,337 15,520 51	2,165 1,337 15,435 51	2,165 1,337 15,535 51
10 Federally sponsored agencies? 11 Federal Home Loan Banks. 12 Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation. 13 Federal National Mortgage Association8 14 Farm Credit Banks. 15 Student Loan Marketing Association	190,140 54,131 5,480 58,749 71,359 421	204,030 55,967 4,524 70,052 71,896 1,591	205,776 48,930 6,793 74,594 72,409 3,050	229,145 62,116 9,068 79,921 73,352 4,688	232,645 65,616 8,950 80,123 73,131 4,824	224,318 66,126 n.a. 80,357 72,859 5,143	224,937 <i>p</i> 66,230 n.a. 81,119 72,267 5,321	226,149 ^p 65,085 n.a. 83,720 71,255 5,369	225,535p 64,705 n.a. 84,612 70,642 5,576
MEMO 16 Federal Financing Bank debt ⁹	110,698	126,424	135,791	144,063	144,836	144,978	145,174	145,217	146,034
Lending to federal and federally sponsored agencies 17 Export-Import Bank³ 18 Postal Servicc6 19 Student Loan Marketing Association 20 Tennessee Valley Authority 21 United States Railway Association6	12,741 1,288 5,400 11,390 202	14,177 1,221 5,000 12,640 194	14,789 1,154 5,000 13,245	15,563 1,087 5,000 13,305	15,690 1,087 5,000 13,435 51	15,690 1,087 5,000 13,725	15,690 1,087 5,000 13,795 51	15,852 1,087 5,000 13,710 51	15,852 1,087 5,000 13,810 51
Other Lending ¹⁰ 22 Farmers Home Administration	48,821 13,516 12,740	53,261 17,157 22,774	55,266 19,766 26,460	59,196 20,742 29,119	59,511 20,587 29,475	59,021 20,694 29,710	58,801 20,889 29,861	58,971 20,693 29,853	59,066 20,653 30,515

Consists of mortgages assumed by the Defense Department between 1957 and 1963 under family housing and homeowners assistance programs.
 Includes participation certificates reclassified as debt beginning Oct. 1, 1976.
 Off-budget Aug. 17, 1974, through Sept. 30, 1976; on-budget thereafter.
 Consists of debentures issued in payment of Federal Housing Administration institution.

insurance claims. Once issued, these securities may be sold privately on the securities market.

6. Off-budget.

7. Includes outstanding noncontingent liabilities: Notes, bonds, and deben-

tures.

8. Before late 1981, the Association obtained financing through the Federal

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9. The FFB, which began operations in 1974, is authorized to purchase or sell obligations issued, sold, or guaranteed by other federal agencies. Since FFB incurs debt solely for the purpose of lending to other agencies, its debt is not included in the main portion of the table in order to avoid double counting.

10. Includes FFB purchases of agency assets and guaranteed loans; the latter contain loans guaranteed by numerous agencies with the guarantees of any particular agency being generally small. The Farmers Home Administration item consists exclusively of agency assets, while the Rural Electrification Administration entry contains both agency assets and guaranteed loans.

^{5.} Certificates of participation issued before fiscal 1969 by the Government National Mortgage Association acting as trustee for the Farmers Home Administration; Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; Department of Housing and Urban Development; Small Business Administration; and the Veterans Administration

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NEW SECURITY ISSUES State and Local Governments Millions of dollars

Type of issue or issuer,	1982	1983	83 1984 -				198	34r			
or use	1702	1703	1704	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1 All issues, new and refunding1	79,138	86,421	105,000	7,323	7,680	7,537	11,726	7,967	12,506	13,225	16,448
Type of issue 2 General obligation. 3 U.S. government loans ² . 4 Revenue. 5 U.S. government loans ² .	21,094 225 58,044 461	21,566 96 64,855 253	26,420 n.a. 78,580 n.a.	2,438 3 4,885 13	2,857 3 4,823 15	1,919 3 5,618 18	1,781 5 9,945 21	1,433 9 6,534 23	3,758 7 8,748 28	2,668 7 10,557 36	2,076 n.a. 14,372 n.a.
Type of issuer 6 State	8,438 45,060 25,640	7,140 51,297 27,984	9,519 62,403 33,087	497 3,990 2,836	447 4,313 2,920	465 5,121 1,951	2,157 7,321 2,248	596 5,202 2,169	1,109 7,076 4,330	805 7,079 5,341	716 10,944 4,788
9 Issues for new capital, total Use of proceeds 10 Education 11 Transportation 12 Utilities and conservation 13 Social welfare 14 Industrial aid 15 Other purposes	6,482 6,256 14,259 26,635 8,349 12,822	8,099 4,387 13,588 26,910 7,821 11,637	7,499 7,394 16,612 29,425 15,897 15,720	987 428 1,685 1,227 429 1,268	877 464 1,195 2,239 463 1,721	466 118 385 3,728 884 1,011	627 423 1,015 4,823 1,055 2,806	7,454 333 590 2,013 3,018 679 821	748 1,018 2,782 3,495 1,493 1,560	989 2,136 504 3,590 3,751 1,099	634 1,196 2,933 3,211 6,198 971

Source. Public Securities Association.

Par amounts of long-term issues based on date of sale.
 Consists of tax-exempt issues guaranteed by the Farmers Home Administration.

NEW SECURITY ISSUES Corporations

Millions of dollars

Type of issue or issuer,	1982	1983	1984				1984				1985
or use	1962	1983	1764	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
1 All issues ^{1,2}	84,638	98,948	95,986	7,401	7,641 ^r	10,917	7,758 ^r	12,350	11,931	6,940	7,294
2 Bonds	54,076	47,369	73,357	5,180	6,309	8,863	6,225	10,403	9,524	5,918	5,739
Type of offering 3 Public	44,278 9,798	47,369 n.a.	73,357 ^r n.a.	5,180 n.a.	6,309r n.a.	8,863 n.a.	6,225 ^r n.a.	10,403 n.a.	9,524 n.a.	5,918 n.a.	5,739 n.a.
Industry group 5 Manufacturing 6 Commercial and miscellaneous. 7 Transportation 8 Public utility 9 Communication 10 Real estate and financial	12,822 5,442 1,491 12,327 2,390 19,604	7,842 5,186 1,039 7,241 3,159 22,900	14,438 ^r 8,745 1,272 6,754 2,407 39,741	1,440 536 225 475 0 2,504	950 875 40 650 31 3,763	2,484 776 183 765 0 4,654	1,614 ^r 576 200 758 0 3,076	2,989 988 161 1,150 240 4,875	1,447 1,198 19 555 1,557 4,749	1,741 555 110 575 169 2,768	1,326 144 297 309 375 3,288
11 Stocks ³	30,562	51,579	22,628	2,221	1,332	2,054	1,533	1,947	2,407	1,022	1,555
Type 12 Preferred	5,113 25,449	7,213 44,366	4,118 18,510	244 1,977	209 1,123	334 1,720	155 1,378	555 1,392	655 1,752	91 931	170 1,385
Industry group 14 Manufacturing 15 Commercial and miscellaneous 16 Transportation 17 Public utility 18 Communication 19 Real estate and financial	5,649 7,770 709 7,517 2,227 6,690	14,135 13,112 2,729 5,001 1,822 14,780	4,054 6,277 589 1,624 419 9,665	584 316 1 282 11 1,027	204 382 28 136 0 582	258 558 0 44 123 1,071	212 378 87 92 9 755	712 489 16 146 69 515	227 1,025 66 150 3 936	137 112 71 66 26 610	172 234 0 225 271 653

^{1.} Figures, which represent gross proceeds of issues maturing in more than one year, sold for cash in the United States, are principal amount or number of units multiplied by offering price. Excludes offerings of less than \$100,000, secondary offerings, undefined or exempted issues as defined in the Securities Act of 1933, employee stock plans, investment companies other than closed-end, intracorporate transactions, and sales to foreigners.

^{2.} Data for 1983 include only public offerings.
3. Beginning in August 1981, gross stock offerings include new equity volume from swaps of debt for equity.
Source. Securities and Exchange Commission and the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

1.47 OPEN-END INVESTMENT COMPANIES Net Sales and Asset Position Millions of dollars

			1004				1984				1985
_	Item	1983	1984	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Investment Companies!										
1 2 3	Sales of own shares ²	84,345 57,100 27,245	107,469 76,147 31,322	8,343 6,156 2,187	7,488 5,777 1,711	8,956 6,497 2,459	8,156 6,185 1,971	9,517 6,766 2,751	9,458 6,343 3,115	10,006 8,948 1,058	19,035 9,183 9,852
4 5 6	Assets ⁴ Cash position ⁵ Other	113,599 8,343 105,256	137,126 11,978 125,148	115,034 11,907 103,127	115,481 11,620 103,861	128,209 12,698 115,511	129,657 13,221 116,436	131,539 11,417 120,122	132,709 11,518 121,191	137,126 11,978 125,148	151,547 12,656 138,891

Note. Investment Company Institute data based on reports of members, which comprise substantially all open—end investment companies registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Data reflect newly formed companies after their initial offering of securities.

1.48 CORPORATE PROFITS AND THEIR DISTRIBUTION

Billions of dollars; quarterly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates.

	1002	1007	1004		198	83			19	84	
Account	1982	1983	1984	Qı	Q2	Q3	Q4	Qı	Q2	Q3	Q4 ^r
Corporate profits with inventory valuation and capital consumption adjustment. Profits before tax. Profits tax liability. Profits after tax Dividends Undistributed profits. Inventory valuation Capital consumption adjustment.	159.1 165.5 60.7 104.8 69.2 35.6 -9.5 3.1	225.2 203.2 75.8 127.4 72.9 54.5 -11.2 33.2	286.2 236.2 90.0 146.2 80.5 65.6 -5.6 55.7	179.1 161.7 59.1 102.6 71.1 31.4 -4.3 21.7	216.7 198.2 74.8 123.4 71.7 51.7 -12.1 30.6	245.0 227.4 84.7 142.6 73.3 69.3 -19.3 36.9	260.0 225.5 84.5 141.1 75.4 65.6 -9.2 43.6	277.4 243.3 92.7 150.6 77.7 72.9 -13.5 47.6	291.1 246.0 95.8 150.2 79.9 70.2 -7.3 52.3	282.8 224.8 83.1 141.7 81.3 60.3 2 58.3	293.5 230.6 88.3 142.3 83.1 59.2 -1.6 64.5

Source. Survey of Current Business (Department of Commerce).

Excluding money market funds.
 Includes reinvestment of investment income dividends. Excludes reinvestment of capital gains distributions and share issue of conversions from one fund to another in the same group.
 Excludes share redemption resulting from conversions from one fund to another in the same group.
 Market value at end of period, less current liabilities.

^{5.} Also includes all U.S. government securities and other short-term debt securities.

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1.49 NONFINANCIAL CORPORATIONS Assets and Liabilities

Billions of dollars, except for ratio

	1070	1070	1000	1981	1982	1983		1984		
Account	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	Q3	Q4	Qı	Q2	Q3
1 Current assets	1,043.7	1,214.8	1,327.0	1,418.4	1,432.7	1,522.8	1,557.3	1,600.6	1,630.6	1,667.3
2 Cash. 3 U.S. government securities. 4 Notes and accounts receivable. 5 Inventories. 6 Other	105.5 17.2 388.0 431.8 101.1	118.0 16.7 459.0 505.1 116.0	126.9 18.7 506.8 542.8 131.8	135.5 17.6 532.0 583.7 149.5	147.0 22.8 519.2 578.6 165.2	150.5 27.0 565.0 597.3 183.0	165.8 30.6 577.8 599.3 183.7	159.3 35.1 596.9 623.1 186.3	155.0 36.7 612.4 633.3 193.2	150.6 32.3 628.0 662.5 194.0
7 Current liabilities	669.5	807.3	889.3	970.0	976.8	1,026.6	1,043.0	1,079.0	1,111.9	1,143.0
8 Notes and accounts payable	383.0 286.5	460.8 346.5	513.6 375.7	546.3 423.7	543.0 433.8	559.4 467.2	577.9 465.2	584.1 495.0	604.6 507.3	624.7 518.4
10 Net working capital	374.3	407.5	437.8	448.4	455.9	496.3	514.3	521.6	518.6	524.3
11 Мемо: Current ratio ¹	1.559	1.505	1.492	1.462	1.467	1.483	1.493	1.483	1.466	1.459

^{1.} Ratio of total current assets to total current liabilities.

NOTE. For a description of this series, see "Working Capital of Nonfinancial Corporations" in the July 1978 BULLETIN, pp. 533-37.

All data in this table reflect the most current benchmarks. Complete data are available upon request from the Flow of Funds Section, Division of Research and

Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

SOURCE. Federal Trade Commission and Bureau of the Census.

1.50 TOTAL NONFARM BUSINESS EXPENDITURES on New Plant and Equipment ▲

Billions of dollars; quarterly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates.

la dissessal	1982	1983	1984		19	83			19	34	
Industry ¹	1982	1903	1904	QI	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q١	Q2	Q3	Q4 ¹
1 Total nonfarm business	282.71	269.22	307.59	261.71	261.16	270.05	283.96	293.15	302.70	313.11	321.40
Manufacturing 2 Durable goods industries	56.44 63.23	51.78 59.75	63.02 67.99	50.74 59.12	48.48 60.31	53.06 58.06	54.85 61.50	58.94 63.84	60.20 67.46	65.44 69.06	67.49 71.60
Nonmanufacturing 4 Mining Transportation	15.45	11.83	12.90	12.03	10.91	11.93	12.43	13.95	12.13	12.61	12.92
5 Raifroad	4.38 3.93 3.64	3.92 3.77 3.50	5.32 3.02 4.57	3.35 4.09 3.60	3.64 4.10 3.14	4.07 3.57 3.36	4.63 3.32 3.91	4.41 2.77 4.28	5.64 2.98 4.33	5.80 3.16 4.69	5.41 3.18 4.98
8 Electric	33.40 8.55 93.68	34.99 7.00 92.67	34.72 9.45 106.61	33.97 7.64 87.17	34.86 6.62 89.10	35.84 6.38 93.79	35.31 7.37 100.62	35.74 7.87 101.35	35.30 9.30 105.35	34.64 10.11 107.61	33.19 10.51 112.12

[▲]Trade and services are no longer being reported separately. They are included in Commercial and other, line 10.

1. Anticipated by business.

^{2. &}quot;Other" consists of construction; wholesale and retail trade; finance and insurance; personal and business services; and communication.

Source. Survey of Current Business (Department of Commerce).

1.51 DOMESTIC FINANCE COMPANIES Assets and Liabilities Billions of dollars, end of period

	1078	1070	1080	1081	1982	19	83		1984	
Account	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	Q3	Q4	QI	Q2	Q3
Assets	_						;			
Accounts receivable, gross 1 Consumer 2 Business 3 Total 4 Less: Reserves for unearned income and losses. 5 Accounts receivable, net 6 Cash and bank deposits 7 Securities 8 All other	52.6 63.3 116.0 15.6 100.4 3.5 1.3 17.3	65.7 70.3 136.0 20.0 116.0 24.91	73.6 72.3 145.9 23.3 122.6 27.5	85.5 80.6 166.1 28.9 137.2	89.5 81.0 170.4 30.5 139.8 39.7	92.3 86.8 179.0 30.1 148.9 45.0	92.8 95.2 188.0 30.6 157.4 45.3	96.9 101.1 198.0 31.9 166.1 47.1	99.6 104.2 203.8 33.4 170.4 48.1	103.4 103.2 206.6 34.7 171.9 49.1
9 Total assets	122.4	140.9	150.1	171.4	179.5	193.9	202.7	213.2	218.5	220.9
Liabilities	ľ		,							
10 Bank loans	6.5 34.5	8.5 43.3	13.2 43.4	15.4 51.2	18.6 45.8	17.0 49.7	19.1 53.6	14.7 58.4	15.3 62.0	16.0 60.1
12 Short-term, n.e.c. 13 Long-term, n.e.c. 14 Other 15 Capital, surplus, and undivided profits.	43.6 12.6	8.2 46.7 14.2 19.9	7.5 52.4 14.3 19.4	9.6 54.8 17.8 22.8	8.7 63.5 18.7 24.2	8.7 66.2 24.4 27.9	11.3 65.4 27.1 26.2	12.2 68.7 29.8 29.4	15.0 67.6 29.0 29.6	15.1 71.2 29.2 29.2
16 Total liabilities and capital	122.4	140.9	150.1	171.4	179.5	193.9	202.7	213.2	218.5	220.9

^{1.} Beginning Q1 1979, asset items on lines 6, 7, and 8 are combined. Note. Components may not add to totals due to rounding.

These data also appear in the Board's G.20 (422) release. For address, see inside front cover.

1.52 DOMESTIC FINANCE COMPANIES Business Credit

Millions of dollars, seasonally adjusted except as noted

	Accounts		ges in acc receivable		F	Extensions		R	epayment	s
Туре	receivable outstanding Jan. 31,	19	84	1985	198	84	1985	19	84	1985
	19851	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
1 Total	137,953	1,860	2,969	4,368	24,946	27,088	28,010	23,086	24,119	23,642
Retail financing of installment sales Automotive (commercial vehicles) Business, industrial, and farm equipment Wholesale financing		39 215	-20 477	-25 -218	771 1,337	720 1,491	720 1,254	732 1,122	740 1,014	745 1,472
4 Automotive 5 Equipment 6 All other	19,001 4,677 6,408	349 43 142	1,295 -82 212	1,096 157 147	8,616 617 1,702	9,898 573 1,690	10,165 711 1,824	8,267 574 1,560	8,603 655 1,478	9,069 554 1,677
Leasing 7 Automotive 8 Equipment 9 Loans on commercial accounts receivable and factored com-	36,459	271 554	377 453		757 I 1,328	917 1,528	1,121 1,767	486 774	540 1,075	498 839
mercial accounts receivable	16,250 10,563	133 114	226 31	1,659	8,753 1,065	9,285 986	9,475 973	8,620 951	9,059 955	7,816 972

^{1.} Not seasonally adjusted.

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MORTGAGE MARKETS

Millions of dollars; exceptions noted.

	1002	1092	1094			1984			198	35
Item	1982	1983	1984	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
			Тегп	s and yield	ls in primar	y and secon	ndary mark	ets		
Primary Markets										
Conventional mortgages on new homes Terms! 1 Purchase price (thousands of dollars)	94.6 69.8 76.6 27.6 2.95 14.47	92.8 69.5 77.1 26.7 2.40 12.20	96.8 73.7 78.7 27.8 2.64 11.87	94.3 71.8 78.1 28.0 2.82 11.89	97.4 72.5 77.3 27.6 2.63 12.03	98.4 74.0 78.2 27.6 2.58	99.5 75.2 77.9 27.5 2.54 12.27	102.6 76.9 77.9 28.0 2.65	94.8 71.4 ^r 77.9 ^r 27.7 ^r 2.65 ^r 11.77 ^r	100.1 75.7 77.8 28.4 2.62 11.70
Yield (percent per annum) 7 FHLBB series³ 8 HUD series⁴	15.12 15.79	12.66 13.43	12.37 13.80	12.43 14.24	12.53 13.98	12.77 13.59	12.75 13.20	12.55 13.05	12.27 ^r 12.88	12.19 13.06
Secondary Markets										
Yield (percent per annum) 9 FHA mortgages (HUD series) ⁵ 10 GNMA securities ⁶	15.30 14.68	13.11 12.25	13.81 13.13	14.21 13.56	13.99 13.36	13.43 13.09	12.90 12.71	12.99 12.54	13.01 12.26	13.27 12.23
	-			Activ	ity in seco	ndary mark	ets			
Federal National Mortgage Association										
Mortgage holdings (end of period) 11 Total	66,031 39,718 26,312	74,847 37,393 37,454	83,339 35,148 48,191	84,193 34,938 49,255	84,851 34,844 50,006	85,539 34,791 50,749	86,416 34,752 51,664	87,940 34,711 53,229	89,353 34,602 54,751	90,369 34,553 55,816
Mortgage transactions (during period) 14 Purchases 15 Sales	15,116 2	17,554 3,528	16,721 978	820 0	1,145 0	1,087 0	1,297 0	1,962 0	1,943 0	1,559 0
Mortgage commitments ⁷ 16 Contracted (during period) 17 Outstanding (end of period)	22,105 7,606	18,607 5,461	21,007 6,384	1,227 6,332	1,142 6,235	1,638 6,656	2,150 5,916	2,758 6,384	1,230 5,678	1,895 5,665
FEDERAL HOME LOAN MORTGAGE CORPORATION							!			
Mortgage holdings (end of period) ⁸ 18 Total	5,131 1,027 4,102	5,996 974 5,022	n.a. n.a. n.a.	9,331 901 8,431	9,447 896 8,551	9,726 891 8,835	9,900 886 9,014	†	1	1
Mortgage transactions (during period) 21 Purchases 22 Sales	23,673 24,170	23,089 19,686	n.a. n.a.	1,821 1,570	1,262 1,137	2,864 2,573	2,241 1, 9 61	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Mortgage commitments ⁹ 23 Contracted (during period) 24 Outstanding (end of period)	28,179 7,549	32,852 16,964	n.a. n.a.	3,130 23,639	3,440 22,013	2,663 25,676	4,158 27,550	↓	. ↓	<u> </u>

^{1.} Weighted averages based on sample surveys of mortgages originated by major institutional lender groups; compiled by the Federal Home Loan Bank Board in cooperation with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

2. Includes all fees, commissions, discounts, and "points" paid (by the borrower or the seller) to obtain a loan.

3. Average effective interest rates on loans closed, assuming prepayment at the end of 10 years.

^{4.} Average contract rates on new commitments for conventional first mortgages; from Department of Housing and Urban Development.

5. Average gross yields on 30-year, minimum-downpayment, Federal Housing Administration-insured first mortgages for immediate delivery in the private secondary market. Any gaps in data are due to periods of adjustment to changes in maximum permissible contract rates.

^{6.} Average net yields to investors on Government National Mortgage Association guaranteed, mortgage-backed, fully modified pass-through securities, assuming prepayment in 12 years on pools of 30-year FHAVA mortgages carrying the prevailing ceiling rate. Monthly figures are averages of Friday figures from the Wall Street Journal.

7. Includes some multifamily and nonprofit hospital loan commitments in addition to 1- to 4-family loan commitments accepted in FNMA's free market auction system, and through the FNMA-GNMA tandem plans.

8. Includes participation as well as whole loans.

9. Includes conventional and government-underwritten loans. FHLMC's mortgage commitments and mortgage transactions include activity under mortgage/securities swap programs, while the corresponding data for FNMA exclude swap activity.

MORTGAGE DEBT OUTSTANDING

Millions of dollars, end of period

_		1002	1004	1004	1983		19	84	
	Type of holder, and type of property	1982	1983	1984	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
2 3 4	Multifamily	1,658,450 1,110,315 140,063 301,362 106,710	1,827,563 1,219,145 150,149 348,958 109,311	2,030,930 1,349,951 163,977 406,139 110,863	1,827,563 1,219,145 150,149 348,958 109,311	1,874,489 1,250,678 153,655 360,540 109,616	1,934,437 1,287,537 158,349 377,974 110,577	1,987,182 1,320,500 161,960 393,600 111,122	2,030,930 1,349,951 163,977 406,139 110,863
6 7 8 9 10	Major financial institutions Commercial banks! I- to 4-family Multifamily Commercial Farm	1,024,680 301,272 173,804 16,480 102,553 8,435	1,110,165 328,323 181,300 18,288 119,411 9,324	1,247,106 374,186 197,944 21,142 144,623 10,477	1,110,165 328,323 181,300 18,288 119,411 9,324	1,138,931 340,797 185,530 20,005 125,550 9,712	1,183,480 353,946 190,706 20,670 132,447 10,123	1,221,779 365,386 194,933 21,412 138,774 10,267	1,247,106 374,186 197,944 21,142 144,623 10,477
12	Mutual savings banks.	97,805	136,054	160,761	136,054	143,180	147,517	150,462	160,761
13	I- to 4-family	66,777	96,569	114,364	96,569	101,868	105,063	106,944	114,364
14	Multifamily	15,305	17,785	20,190	17,785	18,441	18,752	19,138	20,190
15	Commercial	15,694	21,671	26,176	21,671	22,841	23,672	24,349	26,176
16	Farm	29	29	31	29	30	30	31	31
17	Savings and loan associations.	483,614	494,789	554,868	494,789	503,509	528,172	550,129	554,868
18	I- to 4-family	393,323	390,883	431,132	390,883	397,017	414,087	429,101	431,132
19	Multifamily.	38,979	42,552	48,274	42,552	43,553	45,951	47,861	48,274
20	Commercial	51,312	61,354	75,462	61,354	62,939	68,134	73,167	75,462
21	Life insurance companies 1- to 4-family Multifamily Commercial Farm	141,989	150,999	157,291	150,999	151,445	153,845	155,802	157,291
22		16,751	15,319	14,218	15,319	14,917	14,437	14,204	14,218
23		18,856	19,107	18,881	19,107	19,083	19,028	18,828	18,881
24		93,547	103,831	111,692	103,831	104,890	107,796	110,149	111,692
25		12,835	12,742	12,500	12,742	12,555	12,584	12,621	12,500
26	Federal and related agencies Government National Mortgage Association. 1- to 4-family Multifamily.	138,138	147,370	157,826	147,370	150,784	152,669	153,407	157,826
27		4,227	3,395	2,500	3,395	2,900	2,715	2,389	2,500
28		676	630	597	630	618	605	594	597
29		3,551	2,765	1,903	2,765	2,282	2,110	1,795	1,903
30	Farmers Home Administration.	1,786	2,141	1,800	2,141	2,094	1,344	738	1,800
31	1- to 4-family	783	1,159	449	1,159	1,005	281	206	449
32	Multifamily	218	173	124	173	303	463	126	124
33	Commercial	377	409	652	409	319	81	113	652
34	Farm	408	400	575	400	467	519	293	575
35 36 37	Federal Housing and Veterans Administration. I- to 4-family Multifamily	5,228 1,980 3,248	4,894 1,893 3,001	4,782 2,007 2,775	4,894 1,893 3,001	4,832 1,956 2,876	4,753 1,894 2,859	4,801 1,967 2,834	4,782 2,007 2,775
38	Federal National Mortgage Association	71,814	78,256	87,940	78,256	80,975	83,243	84,850	87,940
39		66,500	73,045	82,175	73,045	75,770	77,633	79,175	82,175
40		5,314	5,211	5,765	5,211	5,205	5,610	5,675	5,765
41 42 43	Federal Land Banks. I- to 4-family	50,350 3,068 47,282	51,052 3,000 48,052	50,679 2,948 47,731	51,052 3,000 48,052	51,004 2,982 48,022	51,136 2,958 48,178	51,182 2,954 48,228	50,679 2,948 47,731
44	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation	4,733	7,632	10,125	7,632	8,979	9,478	9,447	10,125
45		4,686	7,559	9,425	7,559	8,847	8,931	8,841	9,425
46		47	73	700	73	132	547	606	700
47	Mortgage pools or trusts ² Government National Mortgage Association I- to 4-family Multifamily	216,654	285,073	331,019	285,073	296,481	305,051	317,548	331,019
48		118,940	159,850	179,873	159,850	166,261	170,893	175,770	179,873
49		115,831	155,801	175,089	155,801	161,943	166,415	171,095	175,089
50		3,109	4,049	4,784	4,049	4,318	4,478	4,675	4,784
51	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation	42,964	57,895	70,417	57,895	59,376	61,267	63,964	70,417
52	1- to 4-family	42,560	57,273	69,817	57,273	58,776	60,636	63,352	69,817
53	Multifamily	404	622	600	622	600	631	612	600
54	Federal National Mortgage Association ³	14,450	25,121	36,215	25,121	28,354	29,256	32,888	36,215
55		14,450	25,121	35,965	25,121	28,354	29,256	32,730	35,965
56		n.a.	n.a.	250	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	158	250
57	Farmers Home Administration. 1- to 4-family Multifamily Commercial Farm	40,300	42,207	44,514	42,207	42,490	43,635	44,926	44,514
58		20,005	20,404	21,578	20,404	20,573	21,331	21,595	21,578
59		4,344	5,090	5,835	5,090	5,081	5,081	5,618	5,835
60		7,011	7,351	7,403	7,351	7,456	7,764	7,844	7,403
61		8,940	9,362	9,698	9,362	9,380	9,459	9,869	9,698
62	Individual and others ⁴ 1- to 4-family ⁵ Multifamily Commercia Farm	278,978	284,955	294,979	284,955	288,293	293,237	294,448	294,979
63		189,121	189,189	192,243	189,189	190,522	193,304	192,809	192,243
64		30,208	31,433	32,754	31,433	31,776	32,169	32,622	32,754
65		30,868	34,931	40,131	34,931	36,545	38,080	39,204	40,131
66		28,781	29,402	29,851	29,402	29,450	29,684	29,813	29,851

^{1.} Includes loans held by nondeposit trust companies but not bank trust

I. Includes loans new by nonuceposit trast companies and departments.
 Outstanding principal balances of mortgages backing securities insured or guaranteed by the agency indicated.
 Outstanding balances on FNMA's issues of securities backed by pools of conventional mortgages held in trust. Implemented by FNMA in October 1981.
 Other holders include mortgage companies, real estate investment trusts, state and local credit agencies, state and local retirement funds, noninsured pension funds, credit unions, and U.S. agencies for which amounts are small or for which separate data are not readily available.

^{5.} Includes estimate of residential mortgage credit provided by individuals. Note. Based on data from various institutional and governmental sources, with some quarters estimated in part by the Federal Reserve in conjunction with the Federal Home Loan Bank Board and the Department of Commerce. Separation of nonfarm mortgage debt by type of property, if not reported directly, and interpolations and extrapolations when required, are estimated mainly by the Federal Reserve. Multifamily debt refers to loans on structures of five or more units.

1.55 CONSUMER INSTALLMENT CREDIT¹ Total Outstanding, and Net Change▲ Millions of dollars

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Holder, and type of credit	1981	1982	1983	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
				A	nounts outs	standing (er	d of period	1)			
1 Total	335,691	355,849	396,082	418,080	427,565	435,367	443,537	450,131	455,318	463,516	477,014
By major holder 2 Commercial banks. 3 Finance companies 4 Credit unions 5 Retailers ² . 6 Savings and loans 7 Gasoline companies 8 Mutual savings banks	147,622	152,490	171,978	186,668	191,519	195,265	199,654	202,452	204,582	206,635	212,391
	89,818	98,693	102,862	102,967	104,460	106,219	106,881	108,437	109,289	111,196	112,548
	45,953	47,253	53,471	58,517	59,893	61,151	62,679	63,808	64,716	66,528	67,858
	31,348	32,735	35,911	33,730	34,206	34,022	34,294	34,426	34,802	36,000	39,873
	12,410	15,823	21,615	24,915	25,837	26,767	27,918	28,868	29,756	30,857	31,905
	4,403	4,063	4,131	4,020	4,289	4,472	4,452	4,328	4,205	4,132	4,108
	4,137	4,792	6,114	7,263	7,361	7,471	7,659	7,812	7,968	8,168	8,331
By major type of credit 9 Automobile 10 Commercial banks 11 Indirect paper 12 Direct loans 13 Credit unions 14 Finance companies	125,331	131,086	142,449	152,225	155,937	159,649	162,038	164,361	166,028	168,095	169,951
	58,081	59,555	67,557	75,787	78,018	80,103	81,786	82,706	83,620	84,326	85,501
	34,375	34,755	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	23,706	23,472	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	21,975	22,596	25,574	27,988	28,646	29,248	29,979	30,519	30,953	31,820	32,456
	45,275	48,935	49,318	48,450	49,273	50,298	50,273	51,136	51,455	51,949	51,994
15 Revolving 16 Commercial banks 17 Retailers 18 Gasoline companies	64,500	69,998	80,823	82,436	84,598	85,588	87,788	89,742	91,017	93,468	101,067
	32,880	36,666	44,184	47,936	49,374	50,358	52,313	54,258	55,276	56,641	60,549
	27,217	29,269	32,508	30,480	30,935	30,758	31,023	31,156	31,536	32,695	36,410
	4,403	4,063	4,131	4,020	4,289	4,472	4,452	4,328	4,205	4,132	4,108
19 Mobile home 20 Commercial banks. 21 Finance companies 22 Savings and loans 23 Credit unions	17,958	22,254	23,680	24,104	24,427	24,751	25,178	25,482	25,484	25,686	25,892
	10,187	9,605	9,842	9,573	9,621	9,681	9,711	9,761	9,627	9,613	9,610
	4,494	9,003	9,365	9,434	9,528	9,612	9,786	9,857	9,890	9,892	9,901
	2,788	3,143	3,906	4,478	4,644	4,811	5,018	5,189	5,282	5,477	5,663
	489	503	567	619	634	647	663	675	685	704	718
24 Other 25 Commercial banks. 26 Finance companies 27 Credit unions 28 Retailers 29 Savings and loans 30 Mutual savings banks	127,903	132,511	149,130	159,315	162,603	165,379	168,533	170,546	172,789	176,267	180,104
	46,474	46,664	50,395	53,372	54,506	55,123	55,844	55,727	56,059	56,055	56,731
	40,049	40,755	44,179	45,083	45,659	46,309	46,822	47,444	47,944	49,355	50,653
	23,490	24,154	27,330	29,910	30,613	31,256	32,037	32,614	33,078	34,004	34,684
	4,131	3,466	3,403	3,250	3,271	3,264	3,271	3,270	3,266	3,305	3,463
	9,622	12,680	17,709	20,437	21,193	21,956	22,900	23,679	24,474	25,380	26,242
	4,137	4,792	6,114	7,263	7,361	7,471	7,659	7,812	7,968	8,168	8,331
		I	<u> </u>	L	Net chan	ge (during)	period) ³		L		
31 Total	18,217	17,886	40,233	10,233	7,825	7,106	5,998	4,283	6,275	7,950	6,948
By major holder Commercial banks. Finance companies Credit unions Setailers ² . Savings and loans Gasoline companies Mutual savings banks	607	4,442	19,488	6,065	3,835	3,192	2,631	1,384	2,756	2,483	3,028
	13,062	4,504	4,169	1,304	1,353	1,402	1,111	1,204	1,191	1,718	796
	1,913	1,298	6,218	1,453	962	1,566	844	686	1,216	1,990	1,130
	1,103	651	3,176	476	471	-101	206	132	103	336	635
	1,682	2,290	5,792	979	1,069	847	1,124	769	823	1,143	1,121
	65	-340	68	46	89	-40	-51	-135	90	102	-11
	85	251	1,322	-90	46	240	133	243	96	178	249
By major type of credit 39 Automobile 40 Commercial banks 41 Indirect paper 42 Direct loans 43 Credit unions 44 Finance companies	8,495	4,898	11,363	3,689	2,897	3,422	1,777	1,317	2,357	2,724	2,066
	-3,455	-9	8,002	2,807	1,907	1,852	1,150	434	1,057	1,019	1,275
	-858	225	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	-2,597	-234	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
	914	622	2,978	695	461	750	405	327	581	955	537
	11,033	3,505	329	187	529	820	222	556	719	750	254
45 Revolving	4,467	4,365	10,825	2,817	1,569	640	1,314	1,324	1,496	1,714	1,571
46 Commercial banks.	3,115	3,808	7,518	2,298	1,047	764	1,159	1,323	1,279	1,289	1,001
47 Retailers	1,417	897	3,239	473	433	84	206	136	127	323	581
48 Gasoline companies	-65	-340	68	46	89	40	-51	-135	90	102	-11
49 Mobile home 50 Commercial banks 51 Finance companies 52 Savings and loans 53 Credit unions	1,049	609	1,426	302	454	462	573	318	-216	-29	-29
	-186	-508	237	-50	10	31	4	4	-91	-1	29
	749	471	430	156	258	185	346	150	-210	-232	-252
	466	633	763	183	174	230	214	157	72	184	181
	20	14	64	13	12	16	9	7	13	20	13
54 Other 55 Commercial banks 56 Finance companies 57 Credit unions 58 Retailers 59 Savings and loans 60 Mutual savings banks	4,206	3,224	16,619	3,425	2,905	2,582	2,334	1,324	2,638	3,541	3,340
	1,133	372	3,731	1,010	871	545	318	-377	511	176	723
	1,280	528	3,424	961	566	397	543	498	682	1,200	794
	975	662	3,176	745	489	800	430	352	622	1,015	580
	-314	-246	-63	3	38	-17	0	-4	-24	13	54
	1,217	1,657	5,029	796	895	617	910	612	751	959	940
	-85	251	1,322	-90	46	240	133	243	96	178	249

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[▲] These data have not been revised this month due to revisions that were not available at time of publication.

1. The Board's series cover most short- and intermediate-term credit extended to individuals through regular business channels, usually to finance the purchase of consumer goods and services or to refinance debts incurred for such purposes, and scheduled to be repaid (or with the option of repayment) in two or more interlibrate.

installments.
2. Includes auto dealers and excludes 30-day charge credit held by travel and entertainment companies.

^{3.} For 1982 and earlier, net change equals extensions, seasonally adjusted less liquidations, seasonally adjusted. Beginning 1983, net change equals outstandings, seasonally adjusted less outstandings of the previous period, seasonally adjusted. Note. Total consumer noninstallment credit outstanding—credit scheduled to be repaid in a lump sum, including single-payment loans, charge accounts, and service credit—amounted to, not seasonally adjusted, \$80.7 billion at the end of 1981, \$85.9 billion at the end of 1982, and \$96.9 billion at the end of 1983. These data also appear in the Board's G.19 (421) release. For address, see inside front cover.

1.56 TERMS OF CONSUMER INSTALLMENT CREDIT

Percent unless noted otherwise

Item	1982	1983	1984			19	84			1985
Tell	1962	1703	1984	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
Interest Rates										
Commercial banks ¹ 1 48-month new car ² 2 24-month personal. 3 120-month mobile home ² 4 Credit card Auto finance companies 5 New car 6 Used car	18.64 18.05	13.92 16.50 16.08 18.78 12.58 18.74	13.71 16.47 15.58 18.77 14.62 17.85	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a. 14.68	14.08 16.75 15.72 18.81 15.01 17.99	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a. 15.16	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a. 15.18	13.91 16.63 15.60 18.82 15.24 18.30	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a. 15.24 18.34	n.a. n.a. n.a. n.a. 15.11 17.88
OTHER TERMS ³ Maturity (months) New car Used car New car Used car Used car Amount financed (dollars)	45.9 37.0 85	45.9 37.9 86 92	48.3 39.7 88 92	48.6 39.8 88 92	49.2 39.8 88 93	49.5 39.9 89 93	49.7 39.9 88 93	50.0 39.9 89 93	50.2 39.8 89 93	50.7 41.3 90 93
11 New car	8,178 4,746	8,787 5,033	9,333 5,691	9,377 5,763	9,409 5,753	9,402 5,792	9,449 5,826	9,577 5,900	9,707 5,975	9,654 5,951

Note. These data also appear in the Board's G.19 (421) release. For address, see inside front cover.

Data for midmonth of quarter only.
 Before 1983 the maturity for new car loans was 36 months, and for mobile home loans was 84 months.
 At auto finance companies.

A42 Domestic Financial Statistics ☐ May 1985

1.57 FUNDS RAISED IN U.S. CREDIT MARKETS

Billions of dollars; half-yearly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates.

Transaction category, sector	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	19	82	198	3	198	34	
		1960	7507	1702	1703	1504	Н	H2	ні	Н2	Н1	H2	
	Nonfinanc						cial sectors						
1 Total net borrowing by domestic nonfinancial sectors By sector and instrument	386.0	344.6	380.4	404.1	526.4	715.3	358.1	450.1	448.9	563.8	697.9	732.6	
2 U.S. government. 3 Treasury securities. 4 Agency issues and mortgages.	37.4 38.8 -1.4	79.2 79.8 6	87.4 87.8 5	161.3 162.1 9	186.6 186.7 1	198.8 199.0 2	104.1 105.5 -1.4	218.4 218.8 4	222.0 222.1 1	151.1 151.2 -,1	177.4 177.6 2	220.2 220.3 1	
5 Private domestic nonfinancial sectors 6 Debt capital instruments 7 Tax-exempt obligations 8 Corporate bonds 9 Mortgages 10 Hogges 11 Multifamily residential 12 Commercial 13 Farm	348.6 211.2 30.3 17.3 163.6 120.0 7.8 23.9 11.8	265.4 192.0 30.3 26.7 135.1 96.7 8.8 20.2 9.3	293.1 159.1 22.7 21.8 114.6 76.0 4.3 24.6 9.7	242.8 158.9 53.8 18.7 86.5 52.5 5.5 23.6 5.0	339.8 239.3 56.3 15.7 167.3 108.7 8.4 47.3 2.9	516.5 288.4 54.6 32.2 201.5 128.9 13.8 57.3 1.6	254.0 140.7 43.9 12.0 84.8 53.6 5.1 19.7 6.5	231.7 177.2 63.7 25.3 88.2 51.3 5.8 27.5 3.5	266.9 214.4 62.8 23.0 128.6 83.8 2.8 40.3 1.6	412.7 264.2 49.7 8.4 206.0 133.6 13.9 54.3 4.1	520.5 280.4 37.9 24.1 218.3 140.9 17.1 58.5 1.8	512.4 296.4 71.3 40.3 184.8 116.9 10.4 56.1	
14 Other debt instruments 15 Consumer credit 16 Bank loans n.e.c. 17 Open market paper 18 Other	137.5 45.4 51.2 11.1 29.7	73.4 6.3 36.7 5.7 24.8	134.0 26.7 54.7 19.2 33.4	83.9 21.0 55.5 -4.1 11.5	100.5 51.3 27.3 -1.2 23.1	228.1 100.6 71.5 23.8 32.3	113.2 20.6 69.0 10.0 13.6	54.6 21.4 42.0 -18.2 9.4	52.5 35.9 13.3 -10.6 13.9	148.5 66.6 41.2 8.3 32.3	240.2 103.0 83.2 31.5 22.4	216.1 98.2 59.7 16.0 42.1	
19 By borrowing sector. 20 State and local governments. 21 Households. 22 Farm. 23 Nonfarm noncorporate. 24 Corporate	348.6 17.6 179.3 21.4 34.4 96.0	265.4 17.2 122.1 14.4 33.7 78.1	293.1 6.2 127.5 16.3 40.2 102.9	242.8 31.3 94.5 7.6 39.5 70.0	339.8 36.7 175.4 4.3 63.9 59.5	516.5 33.0 241.6 2.2 76.3 163.5	254.0 24.1 94.7 9.6 36.6 89.0	231.7 38.5 94.3 5.6 42.3 51.0	266.9 41.9 134.8 .8 50.1 39.3	412.7 31.6 216.0 7.9 77.6 79.6	520.5 18.9 236.6 .6 86.1 178.3	512.4 47.0 246.6 3.8 66.5 148.6	
25 Foreign net borrowing in United States 26 Bonds 27 Bank loans n.e.c. 28 Open market paper 29 U.S. government loans	20.2 3.9 2.3 11.2 2.9	27.2 .8 11.5 10.1 4.7	27.2 5.4 3.7 13.9 4.2	15.7 6.7 -6.2 10.7 4.5	18.9 3.8 4.9 6.0 4.3	1.7 2.7 -6.2 .4 4.8	10.2 2.4 -7.6 12.5 3.0	21.2 11.0 -4.7 9.0 6.0	15.3 4.6 11.3 -4.6 3.9	22.5 2.9 - 1.5 16.5 4.6	19.2 1.1 -6.0 18.9 5.3	-15.7 4.4 -6.3 -18.1 4.4	
30 Total domestic plus foreign	406.2	371.8	407.6	419.8	545.3	717.0	368.3	471.4	504.2	586.3	717.1	717.0	
						Financial	sectors						
31 Total net borrowing by financial sectors	82.4	62.9	84.1	69.0	90.7	126.5	84.2	53.8	74.0	107.3	121.0	131.9	
32 U.S. government related 33 Sponsored credit agency securities 34 Mortgage pool securities 35 Loans from U.S. government	47.9 24.3 23.1	44.8 24.4 19.2	47.4 30.5 15.0	64.9 14.9 49.5	67.8 1.4 66.4	74.2 30.0 44.2	60.0 22.4 36.8	69.7 7.5 62.2	66.2 -4.1 70.3	69.4 6.9 62.5	69.1 30.8 38.3	79.2 29.2 50.0	
36 Private financial sectors. 37 Corporate bonds	.6 34.5 7.8	1.2 18.1 7.1	1.9 36.7 8	4.1 2.5	22.9 17.1	52.3 14.5	.8 24.2 -2.5	-16.0 7.6	7.8 15.2	38.0 18.9	51.9 14.9	52.7 14.1	
38 Mortgages. 39 Bank loans n.e.c. 40 Open market paper. 41 Loans from Federal Home Loan Banks.	5 18.0 9.2	1 9 4.8 7.1	-,5 ,9 20.9 16.2	.1 1.9 -1.2 .8	2 13.0 -7.0	.9 21.2 15.7	.1 3.2 12.3 11.1	.1 .6 -14.7 -9.5	-2.5 7.2 -12.1	2.2 18.8 -2.0	.1 21.2 15.7	1.7 21.1 15.7	
By sector 42 Sponsored credit agencies. 43 Mortgage pools. 44 Private financial sectors. 45 Commercial banks. 46 Bank affiliates. 47 Savings and loan associations. 48 Finance companies. 49 REITs.	24.8 23.1 34.5 1.6 6.5 12.6 16.5 -1.3	25.6 19.2 18.1 .5 6.9 7.4 5.8 -2.2	32.4 15.0 36.7 .4 8.3 15.5 12.8	15.3 49.5 4.1 1.2 1.9 2.5 9	1.4 66.4 22.9 .5 8.6 -2.7 17.0	30.0 44.2 52.3 2.7 10.8 20.1 19.5	23.2 36.8 24.2 .7 9.7 14.3	7.5 62.2 -16.0 1.7 -5.8 -9.3 -1.9	-4.1 70.3 7.8 .8 6.1 -10.0 11.4	6.9 62.5 38.0 .2 11.1 4.5 22.7	30.8 38.3 51.9 4.8 20.0 18.2	29.2 50.0 52.7 .6 1.5 21.9 29.4 .1	
						All see							
50 Total net borrowing. 51 U.S. government securities. 52 State and local obligations. 53 Corporate and foreign bonds 54 Mortgages. 55 Consume credit 56 Bank loans n.e.c. 57 Open market paper. 58 Other loans.	488.7 84.8 30.3 29.0 163.5 45.4 52.9 40.3 42.4	434.7 122.9 30.3 34.6 134.9 6.3 47.3 20.6 37.8	491.8 133.0 22.7 26.4 113.9 26.7 59.3 54.0 55.8	488.8 225.9 53.8 27.8 86.5 21.0 51.2 5.4 17.2	635.9 254.4 56.3 36.5 167.2 51.3 32.0 17.8 20.3	843.5 273.1 54.6 49.4 201.5 100.6 66.2 45.3 52.8	452.5 163.5 43.9 11.8 84.8 20.6 64.6 34.8 28.5	525.1 288.3 63.7 43.8 88.2 21.4 37.9 -23.9 5.9	578.2 288.4 62.8 42.8 128.5 35.9 22.1 -8.0 5.7	693.6 220.5 49.7 30.3 206.0 66.6 41.9 43.6 35.0	838.1 246.7 37.9 40.1 218.2 103.0 77.3 71.5 43.4	848.9 299.5 71.3 58.8 184.7 98.2 55.1 19.0 62.2	
			E	xternal c	orporate	equity fu	nds raise	d in Unit	ed States				
59 Total new share issues. 60 Mutual funds 61 All other 62 Nonfinancial corporations 63 Financial corporations 64 Foreign shares purchased in United States	-3.8 .1 -3.9 -7.8 3.2 .8	22.2 5.2 17.1 12.9 2.1 2.1	-4.1 6.3 -10.4 -11.5 .8 .3	35.3 18.4 16.9 11.4 4.0 1.5	67.8 32.8 34.9 28.3 2.7 4.0	-29.8 38.1 -67.9 -72.1 3.0 1.1	23.3 12.5 10.9 7.0 3.9 1	47.2 24.3 22.9 15.8 4.1 3.0	83.5 36.8 46.8 38.2 2.8 5.7	52.0 28.9 23.1 18.4 2.5 2.2	-43.3 39.0 -82.3 -84.5 2.9 7	-16.4 37.2 -53.6 -59.6 3.2 2.9	

1.58 DIRECT AND INDIRECT SOURCES OF FUNDS TO CREDIT MARKETS

Billions of dollars, except as noted; half-yearly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates.

	1979	1000	1001	1002	1002	1004	19	82	19	983	198	34
Transaction category, or sector	19/9	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	н	H2	Н1	Н2	ні	Н2
1 Total funds advanced in credit markets to domestic nonfinancial sectors	386.0	344.6	380.4	404.1	526.4	715.3	358.1	450.1	488.9	563.8	697.9	732.6
By public agencies and foreign 2 Total net advances 3 U.S. government securities 4 Residential mortgages 5 FHLB advances to savings and loans 6 Other loans and securities	75.2	97.0	97.7	109.1	117.1	142.6	100.8	117.3	119.7	114.6	123.7	161.5
	-6.3	15.7	17.2	18.0	27.6	35.8	9.7	26.2	40.5	14.6	33.4	38.2
	35.8	31.7	23.5	61.0	76.1	56.5	47.6	74.4	80.1	72.0	52.0	61.1
	9.2	7.1	16.2	.8	-7.0	15.7	11.1	-9.5	-12.1	-2.0	15.7	15.7
	36.5	42.4	40.9	29.3	20.5	34.6	32.4	26.2	11.1	29.9	22.6	46.6
Total advanced, by sector U.S. government Sponsored credit agencies Monetary authorities.	19.0	23.7	24.1	16.0	9.7	16.7	14.8	17.1	9.1	10.3	6.1	27.2
	53.0	45.6	48.2	65.3	69.5	71.8	61.8	68.7	68.2	70.7	73.0	70.6
	7.7	4.5	9.2	9.8	10.9	8.4	3.8	15.7	15.6	6.2	17.1	3
	~4.6	23.2	16.3	18.1	27.1	45.7	20.4	15.8	26.8	27.4	27.5	64.0
Agency and foreign borrowing not in line 1 11 Sponsored credit agencies and mortgage pools 12 Foreign	47.9	44.8	47.4	64.9	67.8	74.2	60.0	69.7	66.2	69.4	69.1	79.2
	20.2	27.2	27.2	15.7	18.9	1.7	10.2	21.2	15.3	22.5	19.2	-15.7
Private domestic funds advanced 13 Total net advances 14 U.S. government securities 15 State and local obligations 16 Corporate and foreign bonds 17 Residential mortgages 18 Other mortgages and loans 18 LESS: Federal Home Loan Bank advances.	379.0 91.1 30.3 18.5 91.9 156.3 9.2	319.6 107.2 30.3 19.3 73.7 96.2 7.1	357.3 115.8 22.7 18.8 56.7 159.5 16.2	375.6 207.9 53.8 14.8 -3.2 103.2 .8	495.9 226.9 56.3 14.6 40.9 150.2 -7.0	648.6 237.3 54.6 17.4 86.1 268.9 15.7	327.5 153.7 43.9 1 11.0 130.2 11.1	423.8 262.0 63.7 29.6 -17.4 76.3 -9.5	450.8 247.8 62.8 22.9 6.4 98.7 -12.1	541.1 205.9 49.7 6.3 75.5 201.7 -2.0	662.5 213.2 37.9 18.0 105.9 303.2	634.7 261.3 71.3 16.9 66.2 234.7 15.7
Private financial intermediation Credit market funds advanced by private financial institutions. Commercial banking. Savings institutions Insurance and pension funds.	313.9	281.5	323.4	285.6	376.7	541.9	274.4	296.7	323.2	430.1	522.2	561.6
	123.1	100.6	102.3	107.2	136.1	176.1	99.9	114.5	121.6	150.6	192.8	159.4
	56.5	54.5	27.8	31.3	136.8	147.7	25.2	37.4	128.9	144.6	157.0	138.4
	85.9	94.3	97.4	108.8	98.8	113.2	111.4	106.3	89.5	108.1	95.6	130.8
	48.5	32.1	96.0	38.3	5.0	104.9	37.9	38.6	-16.8	26.8	76.7	133.1
25 Sources of funds 26 Private domestic deposits and RPs. 27 Credit market borrowing	313.9	281.5	323.4	285.6	376.7	541.9	274.4	296.7	323.2	430.1	522.2	561.6
	137.4	169.6	211.9	174.7	203.5	283.9	147.6	201.9	192.7	214.2	277.0	290.7
	34.5	18.1	36.7	4.1	22.9	52.3	24.2	-16.0	7.8	38.0	51.9	52.7
28 Other sources	142.0	93.9	74.8	106.7	150.4	205.8	102.6	110.8	122.8	177.9	193.2	218.3
	27.6	-21.7	-8.7	-26.7	22.1	20.8	-28.3	-25.1	-14.2	58.5	15.7	25.9
	.4	-2.6	-1.1	6.1	-5.3	3.8	-2.0	14.1	10.1	-20.8	.9	6.8
	72.8	83.9	90.4	104.6	99.2	108.2	111.4	97.8	90.0	108.4	107.6	108.9
	41.2	34.2	-5.9	22.8	34.4	72.9	21.5	24.1	36.8	31.9	69.0	76.8
Private domestic nonfinancial investors 33 Direct lending in credit markets 34 U.S. government securities 55 State and local obligations 66 Corporate and foreign bonds 67 Open market paper 68 Other	99.6	56.1	70.6	94.2	142.1	159.0	77.3	111.0	135.3	148.9	192.3	125.7
	52.5	24.6	29.3	37.4	88.7	114.0	35.3	39.5	95.9	81.4	139.4	88.6
	9.9	7.0	10.5	34.4	42.5	31.8	30.1	38.7	52.7	32.3	21.5	42.1
	-1.4	-5.7	-8.1	-5.2	2.0	-6.2	-17.7	7.3	-1.7	5.7	7.8	-20.1
	8.6	-3.1	2.7	1	3.9	1.0	3.5	-3.7	-8.1	15.9	3.0	-1.0
	30.0	33.3	36.3	27.8	5.0	18.4	26.2	29.3	-3.4	13.5	20.7	16.2
39 Deposits and currency 40 Currency 41 Checkable deposits 42 Small time and savings accounts 43 Money market fund shares 44 Large time deposits 45 Security RPs. 46 Deposits in foreign countries.	146.8 8.0 18.3 59.3 34.4 18.8 6.6 1.5	181.1 10.3 5.2 82.9 29.2 45.8 6.5	221.9 9.5 18.0 47.0 107.5 36.9 2.5	181.9 9.7 15.7 138.2 24.7 -7.7 3.8 -2.5	222.6 14.3 21.7 219.1 -44.1 -7.5 14.3 4.8	294.6 14.2 16.4 148.0 47.2 69.8 2.4 -3.4	152.1 6.7 1.9 83.2 39.4 21.9 1.1 -2.2	211.7 12.7 29.5 193.1 10.0 -37.3 6.6 -2.9	214.5 14.8 48.0 278.6 -84.0 -61.0 11.0 7.0	230.7 13.8 -4.7 159.7 -4.2 45.9 17.5 2.7	290.2 17.7 36.6 124.9 30.2 80.0 5.3 -4.5	299.0 10.7 -3.9 171.2 64.2 59.7 5 -2.3
47 Total of credit market instruments, deposits and currency	246.5	237.2	292.5	276.1	364,7	453.6	229.4	322.7	349.8	379,6	482.5	424.8
48 Public holdings as percent of total	18.5	26.1	24.0	26.0	21.5	19.9	27.4	24.9	23.7	19.5	17.2	22.5
	82.8	88.1	90.5	76.0	76.0	83.5	83.8	70.0	71.7	79.5	78.8	88.5
	23.0	1.5	7.6	-8.6	49.2	66.5	-7.9	-9.3	12.6	85.9	43.1	89.9
MEMO: Corporate equities not included above 51 Total net issues. 52 Mutual fund shares 53 Other equities. 54 Acquisitions by financial institutions. 55 Other net purchases	-3.8	22.2	-4.1	35.3	67.8	-29.8	23.3	47.2	83.5	52.0	-43.3	-16.4
	.1	5.2	6.3	18.4	32.8	38.1	12.5	24.3	36.8	28.9	39.0	37.2
	-3.9	17.1	-10.4	16.9	34.9	-67.9	10.9	22.9	46.8	23.1	-82.3	-53.6
	12.9	24.9	20.1	39.2	57.5	19.4	11.0	67.3	75.9	39.2	7.6	31.3
	-16.7	-2.7	-24.2	-3.9	10.2	-49.2	12.3	-20.1	7.6	12.8	-50.8	-47.6

- Notes By Line Number.

 1. Line 1 of table 1.58.
 2. Sum of lines 3-6 or 7-10.
 6. Includes farm and commercial mortgages.
 11. Credit market funds raised by federally sponsored credit agencies, and net issues of federally related mortgage pool securities.
 13. Line 1 less line 2 plus line 11 and 12. Also line 20 less line 27 plus line 33. Also sum of lines 28 and 47 less lines 40 and 46.
 18. Includes farm and commercial mortgages.
 26. Line 39 less lines 40 and 46.
 27. Excludes equity issues and investment company shares. Includes line 19.
 29. Foreign deposits at commercial banks, bank borrowings from foreign branches, and liabilities of foreign banking agencies to foreign affiliates.
 30. Demand deposits at commercial banks.
 31. Excludes net investment of these reserves in corporate equities.

31. Excludes net investment of these reserves in corporate equities.

- 32. Mainly retained earnings and net miscellaneous liabilities.
 33. Line 12 less line 20 plus line 27.
 34-38. Lines 14-18 less amounts acquired by private finance. Line 38 includes 34–38. Lines 14–18 less amounts acquired by private finar mortgages.
 40. Mainly an offset to line 9.
 47. Lines 33 plus 39, or line 13 less line 28 plus 40 and 46.
 48. Line 20/line 1.
 49. Line 20/line 13.

- Line 20mme 13.
 Sum of lines 10 and 29.
 Sum of lines 10 and 29.
 Sa. Includes issues by financial institutions.
 Note. Full statements for sectors and transaction types in flows and in amounts outstanding may be obtained from Flow of Funds Section, Division of Research and Statistics, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551.

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2.10 NONFINANCIAL BUSINESS ACTIVITY Selected Measures

1967 = 100; monthly and quarterly data are seasonally adjusted. Exceptions noted.

Measure	1982	1983	1984				1984			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1985	
Measure	1902	1903	1704	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.r	Jan."	Feb.
I Industrial production	138.6	147.6	166.3	164.4	165.9	166.0	165.0	164.4	164.8′	165.0	165.5	164.7
Market groupings 2 Products, total 3 Final, total 4 Consumer goods 5 Equipment 6 Intermediate 7 Materials	141.8 141.5 142.6 139.8 143.3 133.7	149.2 147.1 151.7 140.8 156.6 145.2	164.7r 162.7r 161.7r 164.1 172.3r 161.2r	165.3 163.1 163.0 163.3 173.5 162.9	167.4 165.2 163.8 167.0 175.8 163.5	167.2 165.1 162.5 168.7 175.1 164.0	166.4 164.6 161.6 168.9 173.0 162.8	166.9 165.2 161.6 170.1 173.4 160.4	167.7 ^r 166.2 ^r 162.6 ^r 171.2 173.1 ^r 160.4 ^r	168.3 167.0 162.5 173.1 173.1 159.9	168.5 167.2 162.9 173.2 173.4 160.9	167.9 166.7 161.9 173.2 172.2 159.9
Industry groupings 8 Manufacturing	137.6	148.2	164.8 ^r	165.7	167.3	167.6	166.6	166.2	166.6 ^r	166.9	167.0	166.3
Capacity utilization (percent) ¹ 9 Manufacturing 10 Industrial materials industries		75.2 75.2	81.6 82.0	82.2 82.9	82.9 83.1	82.8 83.3	82.2 82.4	81.7 81.0	81.6 ^r 80.9	81.5 80.4	81.4 80.7	80.8 80.1
11 Construction contracts (1977 = 100) ² 12 Nonagricultural employment, total ³ 13 Goods-producing, total. 14 Manufacturing, total. 15 Manufacturing, production-worker 16 Service-producing. 17 Personal-income, total. 18 Wages and salary disbursements. 19 Manufacturing. 20 Disposable personal income ⁴ . 21 Retail sales ⁵ .	89.1 154.7 410.3 367.4 285.5	138.0 137.0 100.4 95.1 87.9 157.1 435.6 388.6 294.7 427.1 373.0	150.0 143.1 106.8 100.7 94.0 163.0 478.1r 422.5 323.6 470.3r 412.0r	148.0 143.1 107.1 100.9 94.3 162.8 477.2 422.6 323.1 469.1 416.8	152.0 143.4 107.5 101.3 94.6 163.1 480.6 424.4 324.4 472.5 411.0	151.0 143.6 107.7 101.4 94.8 163.4 483.5 425.5 326.2 475.5 410.4	144.0 144.1 107.3 100.9 94.0 164.2 487.0 428.4 325.7 479.1 414.1	144.6 107.6 101.2 94.3 164.9 488.8 428.8 326.7 480.6 416.4	158.0 145.1 107.8 101.4 94.4 165.6 491.7 432.6 330.0 482.9 421.3	148.0 145.4 108.4 101.8 94.8 165.7 493.9 436.7 333.2 484.5 422.3	n.a. 145.9 108.7 101.8 94.9 166.3 497.0 438.6 334.2 487.9 423.2	n.a. 146.1 108.1 101.4 94.4 166.9 498.6 440.6 333.4 489.2 429.4
Prices ⁶ 22 Consumer	289.1 280.7	298.4 285.2	311.1 291.2	310.7 290.9	311.7 292.3	313.0 291.3	314.5 289.5	315.3 291.5	315.3 292.3	315.5 292.4	316.1 292.7	317.4 292.5

^{1.} Ratios of indexes of production to indexes of capacity. Based on data from Federal Reserve, McGraw-Hill Economics Department, Department of Commerce, and other sources.

2. Index of dollar value of total construction contracts, including residential, nonresidential and heavy engineering, from McGraw-Hill Information Systems Company, F. W. Dodge Division.

3. Based on data in Employment and Earnings (U.S. Department of Labor). Series covers employees only, excluding personnel in the Armed Forces.

4. Based on data in Survey of Current Business (U.S. Department of Commerce).

Based on Bureau of Census data published in Survey of Current Business.
 Data without seasonal adjustment, as published in Monthly Labor Review.
 Seasonally adjusted data for changes in the price indexes may be obtained from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.

Note. Basic data (not index numbers) for series mentioned in notes 4, 5, and 6, and indexes for series mentioned in notes 3 and 7 may also be found in the Survey of Current Business.

Figures for industrial production for the last two months are preliminary and estimated, respectively.

2.11 LABOR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Thousands of persons; monthly data are seasonally adjusted. Exceptions noted.

C	1982	1983	1984			198	35				
Category	1982	1963	1904	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.'	Feb.
Household Survey Data											
1 Noninstitutional population ¹	174,450	176,414	178,602	178,669	178,821	179,005	179,181	179,353	179,524	179,600	179,742
Labor force (including Armed Forces) ¹ Civilian labor force	112,383 110,204	113,749 111,550	115,763 113,544	116,097 113,868	115,867 113,629	116,006 113,764	116,241 114,016	116,292 114,074	116,682 114,464	117,091 114,875	117,310 115,084
4 Nonagricultural industries ²	96,125 3,401	97,450 3,383	101,685 3,321	102,044 3,333	101,884 3,264	102,075 3,319	102,480 3,169	102,598 3,334	102,888 3,385	103,071 3,320	103,345 3,340
6 Number	10,678 9.7 62,067	10,717 9.6 62,665	8,539 7.5 62,839	8,491 7.5 62,572	8,481 7.5 62,954	8,370 7.4 62,999	8,367 7.3 62,940	8,142 7.1 63,061	8,191 7.2 62,842	8,484 7.4 62,509	8,399 7.3 62,432
Establishment Survey Data						Į.		ļ			
9 Nonagricultural payroll employment ³	89,566	90,138	94,166	94,350	94,523	94,807	95,157	95,497	95,681	95,993	96,112
10 Manufacturing 11 Mining. 12 Contract construction 13 Transportation and public utilities. 14 Trade. 15 Finance. 16 Service. 17 Government.	1,128 3,905 5,082	18,497 957 3,940 4,958 20,804 5,467 19,665 15,851	19,589 999 4,315 5,169 21,790 5,665 20,666 15,973	19,696 1,007 4,356 5,175 21,811 5,676 20,701 15,928	19,725 1,017 4,356 5,202 21,839 5,679 20,748 15,957	19,616 1,020 4,374 5,213 21,930 5,684 20,861 16,109	19,686 1,012 4,382 5,225 22,080 5,705 20,964 16,103	19,718 1,009 4,396 5,226 22,267 5,725 21,030 16,126	19,801 1,000 4,457 5,249 22,267 5,749 21,095 16,063	19,805 995 4,532 5,257 22,377 5,760 21,231 16,036	19,728 988 4,480 5,264 22,491 5,790 21,331 16,040

^{1.} Persons 16 years of age and over. Monthly figures, which are based on sample data, relate to the calendar week that contains the 12th day; annual data are averages of monthly figures. By definition, seasonality does not exist in population figures. Based on data from *Employment and Earnings* (U.S. Department of Labor).

2. Includes self-employed, unpaid family, and domestic service workers.

^{3.} Data include all full- and part-time employees who worked during, or received pay for, the pay period that includes the 12th day of the month, and exclude proprietors, self-employed persons, domestic servants, unpaid family workers, and members of the Armed Forces. Data are adjusted to the March 1983 benchmark and only seasonally adjusted data are available at this time. Based on data from Employment and Earnings (U.S. Department of Labor).

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2.12 OUTPUT, CAPACITY, AND CAPACITY UTILIZATION Seasonally adjusted

Series			1984					198	34		1984				
Series			QI	Q2	Q3	Q4r	Qı	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 ^r	
	,		Output (1967 = 100)				Capacit	y (percent	of 1967 o	utput)	Utilization rate (percent)				
1 Total industry		<i></i>	159.8	163.1	165.6	164.7	198.4	199.7	201.1	202.4	80.5	81.7	82.4	81.4	
2 Mining			124.2 179.2	125.1 183.1	129.0 181.1	82.7	165.7 213.8	165.9 215.3	166.1 216.8	166.3 218.3	75.0 83.8	75.4 85.0	77.7 83.5	74.7 83.7	
4 Manufacturing			161.0	164.4	167.2	166.7	199.5	201.0	202.5	204.0	80.7	81.8	82.5	81.6	
5 Primary processing 6 Advanced processing			160.5 161.7	162.5 165.2	162.2 169.7	159.9 169.7	196.5 201.1	197.2 203.0	198.0 204.9	198.7 206.8	81.7 80.3	82.4 81.4	81.9 82.8	80.5 82.0	
7 Materials			158.8	162.1	163.4	160.2	194.7	195.9	197.2	198.4	81.6	82.7	82.9	80.8	
8 Durable goods	nemical		157.6 97.3 183.7 193.2 165.8 236.7	162.0 100.3 186.6 195.9 168.5 240.4	164.6 97.2 185.7 194.9 171.0 238.4	162.2 91.2 181.6 189.9 168.1 234.1	197.1 139.1 221.8 234.2 168.5 302.3	198.3 138.5 223.4 236.2 169.5 305.2	199.5 137.9 225.2 238.2 170.5 308.0	200.8 137.3 226.9 240.3 171.5 310.9	79.9 70.0 82.8 82.5 98.4 78.3	81.7 72.4 83.5 82.9 99.4 78.8	82.5 70.5 82.5 81.8 100.3 77.4	80.7 66.4 80.1 79.1 98.0 75.3	
14 Energy materials	aterials		131.2	132.4	133.1	129.2	155.8	156.4	157.0	157.6	84.2	84.6	84.8	82.0	
	Previous cycle ¹		Latest cycle ² 1984						1984				1985		
	High	Low	High	Low	Jan.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan."	Feb.	
						Capacit	y utilizatio	n rate (pe	rcent)						
15 Total industry	88.4	71.1	87.3	69.6	80.1	82.1	82.7	82.5	81.9	81.4	81.4	81.3	81.4	80.7	
16 Mining	91.8 94.9	86.0 82.0	88.5 86.7	69.6 79.0	75.4 84.8	76.6 85.4	78.3 84.1	77.3 83.3	77.4 83.2	74.3 82.9	75.1 84.6	74.8 83.5	75.3 84.6	73.5 84.4	
18 Manufacturing	87.9	69.0	87.5	68.8	80.1	82.2	82.8	82.8	82.0	81.7	81.6	81.5	81.4	80.8	
19 Primary processing 20 Advanced processing	93.7 85.5	68.2 69.4	91.4 85.9	66.2 70.0	80.6 80.0	82.6 81.9	82.3 83.0	82.1 83.1	81.5 82.4	81.2 81.8	80.6 82.0	79.7 82.3	80.3 82.1	80.0 81.4	
21 Materials	92.6	69.3	88.9	66.6	80.6	82.9	83.1	83.2	82.4	81.0	80.9	80.4	80.7	80.1	
22 Durable goods	91.4 97.8	63.5 68.0	88.4 95.4	59.8 46.2	78.5 67.3	82.0 72.1	82.5 70.8	82.9 70.8	82.2 69.8	81.3 67.6	80.8 66.7	80.2 65.0	80.5 65.6	79.7 67.1	
24 Nondurable goods	94.4	67.4	91.7	70.7	81.9	83.3	83.0	82.9	81.5	80.5	80.2	79.5	79.3	78.4	
chemical 26 Paper 27 Chemical	95.1 99.4 95.5	65.4 72.4 64.2	92.3 97.9 91.3	68.6 86.3 64.0	81.5 99.3 76.7	82.6 99.8 78.4	82.5 101.5 77.9	82.4 99.7 78.1	80.5 99.7 76.1	79.7 98.7 75.7	79.1 97.2 75.7	78.4 98.1 74.5	78.3 97.7 74.8	77.5 n.a. n.a.	
28 Energy materials	94.5	84.4	88.9	78.5	84.4	85.0	85,3	84.7	84.3	81.0	82.1	82.7	83.9	84.0	

Note. These data also appear in the Board's $G.3\ (402)$ release. For address, see inside front cover.

Monthly high 1973; monthly low 1975.
 Monthly highs 1978 through 1980; monthly lows 1982.

2.13 INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION Indexes and Gross Value Monthly data are seasonally adjusted

_		1967 pro-	1984						1984						19	85
	Grouping	por- tion	avg.'	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p	Feb."
-									Index	(1967 =	100)	•				
	Major Market															
	Total index	100.00	163,3	160.0	160.8	162.1	162.8	164.4	165.9	166.0	165.0	164.4	164.8	165.0	165.5	164.7
2 3 4 5 6 7	Products Final products Consumer goods Equipment Intermediate products. Materials	60.71 47.82 27.68 20.14 12.89 39.29	164.7 162.7 161.7 164.1 172.3 161.2	160.4 158.0 159.4 156.1 169.0 159.4	161.1 158.6 160.2 156.4 170.2 160.4	162.5 160.2 161.4 158.5 171.0 161.5	163.3 161.1 161.7 160.3 171.6 162.0	165.3 163.1 163.0 163.3 173.5 162.9	167.4 165.2 163.8 167.0 175.8 163.5	167.2 165.1 162.5 168.7 175.1 164.0	166.4 164.6 161.6 168.9 173.0 162.8	166.9 165.2 161.6 170.1 173.4 160.4	167.7 166.2 162.6 171.2 173.1 160.4	168.3 167.0 162.5 173.1 173.1 159.9	168.5 167.2 162.9 173.2 173.4 160.9	167.9 166.7 161.9 173.2 172.2 159.9
8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16	Consumer goods Durable consumer goods Automotive products Autos and utility vehicles Autos Auto parts and allied goods Home goods Appliances, A/C, and TV Appliances and TV Carpeting and furniture Miscellaneous home goods	7.89 2.83 2.03 1.90 .80 5.06 1.40 1.33 1.07 2.59	162.0 181.3 158.1 135.3 240.2 151.1 134.3 137.5 179.2 148.7	162.5 182.1 162.2 140.4 232.6 151.5 135.1 138.6 178.7 149.1	163.1 184.1 164.1 142.4 234.7 151.3 134.4 138.0 180.2 148.5	162.2 180.9 158.4 134.5 238.0 151.7 136.1 138.8 181.0 148.0	161.4 179.8 155.9 132.9 240.6 151.1 134.0 136.7 179.6 148.6	163.6 184.3 158.7 136.2 249.3 152.0 134.9 138.0 179.4 150.0	163.7 185.0 161.1 138.7 245.8 151.8 133.4 136.9 179.5 150.3	162.6 181.8 159.2 134.3 239.1 151.9 132.3 135.9 180.8 150.6	159.6 173.0 145.6 121.1 242.7 152.0 136.4 140.2 179.3 149.2	158.7 171.9 145.0 123.6 240.2 151.4 133.5 136.8 178.1 150.0	161.5 184.1 161.5 138.9 241.2 148.9 130.5 133.2 177.5 147.0	161.3 185.6 164.7 142.5 238.6 147.7 133.1 136.2 173.7 144.8	161.2 192.8 174.1 151.3 240.0 143.6 122.3 124.7 172.8 143.0	159.9 189.3 169.9 144.6 238.7 143.5 126.1
18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26	Nondurable consumer goods. Clothing. Consumer staples Consumer foods and tobacco Nonfood staples. Consumer chemical products Consumer paper products Consumer energy products Residential utilities	19.79 4.29 15.50 8.33 7.17 2.63 1.92 2.62 1.45	161.6 171.6 160.7 184.2 240.8 145.8 155.6 177.9	158.2 166.9 156.8 178.7 231.9 140.3 153.3 172.8	159.1 168.0 157.6 180.1 231.3 141.8 156.8 177.7	161.1 170.2 160.4 181.6 233.4 144.0 157.1 177.4	161.8 171.6 161.0 183.9 235.9 145.6 159.8 181.1	162.7 173.2 161.9 186.3 241.5 147.9 159.0 182.4	163.9 174.5 162.9 188.0 247.1 151.5 155.3 178.6	162.4 172.7 161.8 185.4 244.3 148.7 153.3 175.0	162.4 173.1 162.1 185.9 247.3 146.7 153.0 174.1	162.7 173.8 162.4 187.0 247.5 146.9 155.6 177.4	163.0 173.9 161.2 188.6 245.7 148.5 160.7 186.5	163.0 173.7 162.6 186.6 247.7 147.0 154.4 178.6	163.5 174.0 186.2 245.9 147.4 154.6	162.7 173.7 185.4
27 28 29 30 31	Equipment Business Industrial Building and mining Manufacturing Power	12.63 6.77 1.44 3.85 1.47	181.0 140.6 187.6 127.4 128.8	171.9 134.6 182.0 120.9 123.8	172.1 134.8 175.2 124.2 122.7	173.5 135.9 173.6 126.2 124.1	176.5 138.5 182.9 127.4 124.1	181.1 140.4 185.8 128.6 126.7	185.5 143.1 190.0 130.1 131.0	187.6 143.3 191.6 129.7 131.2	186.4 143.5 190.7 129.8 133.0	187.3 145.3 194.6 131.0 134.5	188.4 145.6 197.2 129.9 135.8	189.9 147.0 199.8 130.9 137.3	189.5 144.0 192.1 129.4 135.1	188.8 141.3 184.2 128.0 134.1
32 33 34 35	Commercial transit, farm	5.86 3.26 1.93 .67	227.7 325.2 115.4 76.4	215.1 305.9 110.1 75.7	215.3 306.9 109.2 75.0	217.0 309.6 108.9 78.0	220.5 315.5 109.7 77.1	228.1 326.3 115.1 76.1	234.5 333.4 120.4 81.8	238.9 339.2 124.5 80.3	235.9 336.5 121.4 76.4	235.8 338.5 117.8 76.1	237.9 342.1 118.2 76.2	239.4 344.7 119.6 72.2	242.0 349.9 119.6 69.6	243.6 351.1 122.6
36	Defense and space	7.51	135.7	129.5	130.1	133.2	133.1	133.5	135.9	136.8	139.5	141.1	142.2	144.8	145.9	147.0
37 38 39	Intermediate products Construction supplies Business supplies Commercial energy products.	6.42 6.47 1.14	158.8 185.7 193.5	156.6 181.3 191.6	159.1 181.3 187.0	159.6 182.3 190.0	159.5 183.5 190.8	160.9 186.1 195.3	161.9 189.5 194.9	160.9 189.1 193.3	158.2 187.6 194.5	158.6 188.0 194.8	156.9 189.2 199.8	157.0 189.1 196.1	156.7 190.0 200.8	155.3
40 41 42 43 44	Materials Durable goods materials Durable consumer parts Equipment parts Durable materials n.e.c. Basic metal materials	20.35 4.58 5.44 10.34 5.57	161.6 134.4 212.5 146.9 101.0	158.6 133.1 204.0 146.0 103.0	159.5 133.0 206.7 146.3 103.0	161.3 133.2 210.9 147.7 105.7	161.6 132.6 210.6 148.6 104.5	163.0 134.7 214.0 148.7 104.1	164.2 135.1 218.8 148.3 103.4	165.3 136.6 220.1 149.2 102.0	164.3 136.2 219.6 147.7 99.8	162.9 136.3 216.1 146.7 97.8	162.3 134.8 216.4 146.0 95.7	161.3 136.6 215.5 143.8 92.5	162.5 139.2 214.2 145.6 94.3	161.2 138.3 210.7 145.3
45 46	Nondurable goods materials	10.47	184.3	184.1	185.9	185.7	187.4	186.7	186.5	186.7	184.0	182.1	181.9	180.7	180.8	179.0
47 48 49 50 51	materials Textile materials Paper materials Chemical materials Containers, nondurable Nondurable materials n.e.c.	7.62 1.85 1.62 4.15 1.70 1.14	193.3 117.1 168.1 237.3 175.5 137.1	193.9 119.9 166.8 237.6 173.0 135.2	195,3 120.6 163.5 241.1 176.0 137.7	195.0 118.9 166.7 240.0 175.7 138.6	196.8 121.9 169.2 241.1 176.6 140.5	195.8 119.6 169.5 240.2 176.7 140.5	195.9 118.8 172.8 239.3 176.6 138.8	196.3 120.1 170.0 240.6 175.3 139.6	192.4 115.6 170.3 235.3 175.8 140.8	190.7 112.0 168.9 234.5 174.3 136.0	190.2 109.3 166.7 235.5 176.5 134.7	188.7 108.8 168.6 232.3 177.2 132.4	189.2 107.6 168.3 233.8 174.5 133.8	187.5
52 53 54	Energy materials	8.48 4.65 3.82	131.4 119.5 146.1	131.0 121.3 142.8	131.3 119.6 145.4	132.1 119.5 147.3	131.9 11908 146.5	133.2 120.1 149.0	133.7 122.7 147.1	133.0 121.8 146.8	132.7 121.6 146.1	127.6 113.1 145.2	129.4 115.3 146.7	130.7 117.9 146.2	132.7 119.3 149.0	133.0
55 56 57 58	Supplementary groups Home goods and clothing Energy, total Products Materials	9.35 12.23 3.76 8.48	139.4 142.4 167.1 131.4	140.3 141.4 164.9 131.0	140.1 141.9 166.0 131.3	141.0 142.8 167.1 132.1	139.8 143.3 169.2 131.9	139.6 144.5 170.0 133.2	139.7 144.0 167.3 133.7	139.6 143.0 165.4 133.0	138.9 142.8 165.5 132.7	138.3 139.8 167.5 127.6	137.2 142.7 172.6 129.4	137.0 141.8 167.0 130.7	135.3 143.7 168.6 132.7	134.1 144.0 133.0

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2.13 INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION Indexes and Gross Value—Continued

Committee	SIC	1967 pro-	1984						1984						198	85
Grouping	code	por- tion	avg.'	Feb.	Маг.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p	Feb.e
									Index	(1967 =	100)					
Major Industry																
1 Mining and utilities. 2 Mining 3 Utilities 4 Electric 5 Manufacturing 6 Nondurable 7 Durable		12.05 6.36 5.69 3.88 87.95 35.97 51.98	152.0 125.7 181.4 205.5 164.8 179.4 154.7	148.9 124.1 176.5 200.0 161.4 177.2 150.5	150.4 123.8 180.0 204.6 162.1 177.6 151.4	151.3 123.3 182.7 207.7 163.4 179.1 152.6	152.1 125.0 182.3 206.8 164.2 179.9 153.3	154.1 127.0 184.3 209.6 165.7 181.3 154.9	154.4 129.9 181.8 205.9 167.3 181.8 157.2	153.0 128.3 180.6 204.0 167.6 181.7 157.8	153.3 128.7 180.9 204.4 166.6 180.3 157.1	150.5 123.6 180.6 203.8 166.2 179.4 157.1	153.1 124.8 184.7 209.1 166.6 179.6 157.6	152.0 124.4 182.7 205.7 166.9 179.7 158.0	153.8 125.3 185.5 209.4 167.0 179.7 158.2	152.3 122.4 185.6 209.4 166.3 179.2 157.5
Mining 8 Metal 9 Coal 10 Oil and gas extraction 11 Stone and earth minerals.	10 11.12 13 14	.51 .69 4.40 .75	91.7 155.8 121.7 145.0	97.4 163.2 119.6 133.0	100.0 164.0 118.2 135.8	98.5 151.4 118.8 140.4	98.0 153.9 120.4 144.0	96.8 161.5 121.6 147.9	96.4 176.5 122.8 151.9	83.4 171.7 122.5 153.5	84.5 173.7 122.4 154.6	91.2 127.8 122.6 147.8	87.5 134.4 123.8 147.5	76.6 142.1 123.5 146.0	82.3 144.5 123.9 145.0	146.0 120.5
Nondurable manufactures 12 Foods 13 Tobacco products 14 Textile mill products 15 Apparel products 16 Paper and products	20 21 22 23 26	8.75 .67 2.68 3.31 3.21	163.2 115.2 138.5	160.0 110.9 142.3	161.2 111.8 143.5	163.1 113.3 140.0	164.2 112.8 140.5	165.1 118.3 140.7	164.9 115.1 139.8 176.7	164.7 113.8 140.3	164.3 113.1 135.4 177.5	164.0 119.5 133.3 173.5	162.9 117.4 132.0 173.0	164.0 121.5 131.0 173.4	131.5	171.8
17 Printing and publishing 18 Chemicals and products 19 Petroleum products 20 Rubber and plastic products 21 Leather and products	27 28 29 30 31	4.72 7.74 1.79 2.24 .86	169.6 228.2 124.4 331.8 59.9	164.8 224.8 127.6 318.5 63.9	165.2 225.0 127.0 323.8 63.9	166.3 228.3 126.8 328.0 63.5	167.5 227.9 127.9 334.1 61.4	169.0 231.0 127.5 341.0 60.0	172.6 232.0 124.7 341.4 60.6	173.1 231.6 124.3 341.5 59.1	170.5 230.8 122.6 338.4 57.9	172.3 228.0 122.9 338.6 55.0	174.0 230.2 124.0 332.2 55.9	173.4 229.2 120.3 333.2 56.4	173.6 228.5 119.0 334.5 53.9	173.0
Durable manufactures 22 Ordnance, private and government 23 Lumber and products 24 Furniture and fixtures 25 Clay, glass, stone products	19.91 24 25 32	3.64 1.64 1.37 2.74	103.5 148.8 190.2 159.6	99.6 145.6 185.6 160.4	100.6 149.3 184.6 160.2	101.4 151.2 186.6 160.0	100.8 146.3 190.5 160.6	101.7 148.5 191.9 159.7	102.7 146.0 192.6 160.9	105.5 148.8 195.3 160.0	107.1 149.2 194.3 158.0	107.7 152.6 194.7 160.1	108.6 152.2 192.1 159.0	108.3 150.8 191.6 157.5	107.7 152.0 191.6 158.3	108.0
26 Primary metals 27 Iron and steel 28 Fabricated metal products 29 Nonelectrical machinery 30 Electrical machinery	33 331.2 34 35 36	6.57 4.21 5.93 9.15 8.05	95.2 79.8 137.6 181.6 217.5	98.4 86.0 132.8 170.9 209.9	97.5 84.4 134.9 171.9 212.0	99.3 84.0 135.5 174.9 214.6	98.2 83.5 136.5 178.8 214.5	97.9 83.5 138.7 182.0 216.0	94.5 76.5 140.6 186.9 221.5	94.4 77.7 140.0 189.1 221.5	94.1 77.5 139.5 187.9 222.8	92.7 74.6 140.7 187.7 222.3	91.5 73.9 139.0 188.9 222.5	88.1 72.1 141.0 189.3 225.4	90.8 73.0 141.0 189.0 221.5	92.7 140.3 187.0 220.0
31 Transportation equipment	37 371 372-9	9.27 4.50 4.77	137.6 165.7	135.2 164.4 107.7	135.8 165.8 107.5	134.5 161.9 108.8	135.0 163.0 108.6	137.2 165.3 110.8	140.6 169.0 113.8	141.0 169.6 113.9	137.6 162.4 114.2	137.2 161.7	141.3 170.8	143.2 171.7 116.4	145.9 175.9	146.1 172.6 121.2
transportation equipment 34 Instruments	38 39	2.11 1.51	174.2 148.9	168.6 152.0	169.7 152.3	171.0 152.1	171.8 151.5	174.5 150.8	176.7 152.4	177.4	178.5 147.0	176.5	177.5	180.3	179.2	177.5
					Gr	oss valı	e (billio	ns of 19	72 dolla	irs, ann	ual rates)				
Major Market																
36 Products, total		507.4 390.9	670.1 517.0	656.9 505.0	661.8 509.6	661.1 509.0	665.9 514.0	671.5 518.1	682.4 525.9	678.2 522.3	673.6 519.7	674.7 521.3	679.1 525.8	681.0 527.6	683.8 528.1	680. 7
37 Final . 38 Consumer goods		390.9 277.5 113.4 116.6	348.3 168.7 153.2	345.3 159.7 151.9	347.7 161.9 152.2	347.8 161.2 152.2	349.5 164.4 151.9	350.9 167.2 153.4	353.2 172.8 156.5	347.4 174.9 155.9	345.4 174.4	346.7 174.5 153.5	350.1	349.9 177.7 153.4	350.3 177.8 155.7	350.6 178.5

Note. These data also appear in the Board's G.12.3 (414) release. For address, see inside front cover.

2.14 HOUSING AND CONSTRUCTION

Monthly figures are at seasonally adjusted annual rates except as noted.

-									1984					1985
	Item	1981	1982	1983			Ι.	· · ·	· · · · ·			,, ,		
_			L	L	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.r	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
					Privat	e resident	tial real e	state activ	vity (thou	sands of	units)			
	New Units													
1 2 3		986 564 421	1,000 546 454	1,605 902 703	1,802 983 819	1,774 943 831	1,819 941 878	1,590 849 741	1,508 835 673	1,481 865 616	1,436 817 619	1,613 838 775	1,627 852 775	1,676 924 752
5		1,084 705 379	1,062 663 400	1,703 1,067 635	1,949 1,163 786	1,787 1,118 669	1,837 1,077 760	1,730 996 734	1,590 962 628	1,669 1,009 660	1,564 979 585	1,600 1,043 557	1,630 1,112 518	1,841 1,065 776
7 8 9		682 382 301	720 400 320	1,003 524 479	1,087 ^r 579 ^r 508 ^r	1,090 ^r 585 ^r 505 ^r	1,098r 587r 511r	1,100° 582° 518°	1,091 574 ^r 517	1,088r 568r 520r	1,081 571 510	1,077 574 503	1,073 579 495	1,077 576 501
10 11 12		1,266 818 447	1,005 631 374	1,390 924 466	1,661 ^r 996 ^r 665 ^r	1,731 ^r 1,072 ^r 659 ^r	1,718 ^r 1,045 ^r 673 ^r	1,699r 1,062/ 637/	1,681 ^r 1,035 ^r 646 ^r	1,657 1,040 617	1,614 972 642	1,587 1,001 586	1,635 985 650	1,691 1,084 607
13	Mobile homes shipped	241	240	296	287	295	298	301	302	282	302	291	282	273
	Merchant builder activity in 1-family units Number sold Number for sale, end of period ¹	436 278	413 255	622 304	645′ 327′	617 ^r 332 ^r	636r 338r	615 340	557r 343r	670 ^r 343	652 346	596 349	604 356	620 359
16	Price (thousands of dollars) ² Median Units sold Average	68.8	69.3	75.5	79.6	81.4	80.5	80.7	82.0	81.3	80.1	82.5	78.3	84.5
17		83.1	83.8	89.9	96.2	101.9	98.8	97.1	96.9	101.3	95.7	101.4	96.3	98.5
	Existing Units (1-family)													
18	Number sold	2,418	1,991	2,719	3,030 ^r	2,970	2,920 ^r	2,790	2,770	2,730	2,740	2,830	2,870	3,000
	Price of units sold (thousands of dollars) ² Median	66.1 78.0	67.7 80.4	69.8 82.5	72.1 ^r 85.7 ^r	72.7 ^r 85.9 ^r	73.4 ^r 87.2 ^r	74.2° 87.9°	73.5′ 87.6′	71.9° 85.4°	71.9 86.2	71.9 85.1	72.1 85.9	73.8 87.7
			-		,	alue of n	ew const	ruction ³ (1	millions o	of dollars)		•		
	Construction						l	·					<u> </u>	
21	Total put in place	239,112	230,068	262,167	308.596	316,398	315,279	314,223	318.031	318.685	317,876	316.439	318,447	324.925
	Private	185,761	179.090	t		}	1	258,245	261,165	260,871	261,181	260,261	l	
23 24	Residential Nonresidential, total Buildings	86,564 99,197	74,808 104,282	211,369 111,727 99,642	136,577 117,480	138,401	136,418	137,818 120,427	138,926 122,239	137,106 123,765	135,191 125,990	132.643		133,627 134,250
25 26 27 28	Industrial	17,031 34,243 9,543 38,380	17,346 37,281 10,507 39,148	12,863 35,787 11,660 39,332	13,633 47,352 ^r 13,271 43,224 ^r	15,170 49,718 ^r 13,821 44,072 ^r	14,065 48,947 13,327 45,032	13,784 48,436 12,744 45,463	14,613 49,496 12,059 46,071	14,917 50,861 ^r 12,079 45,908 ^r	14,921 53,536 12,129 45,404	15,317 54,634 12,001 45,666	12,365	15,538 59,636 12,100 46,976
29 30 31 32 33	Highway	53,346 1,966 13,599 5,300 32,481	50,977 2,205 13,428 5,029 30,315	50,798 2,544 14,225 4,822 29,207	54,539 2,827 16,781 4,518 30,413	55,216 2,649 16,949 4,356 31,262	57,490 2,703 16,824 4,492 33,471	55,979 2,345 17,136 4,520 31,978	56,866 2,851 17,322 4,520 32,173	57,814 3,508 17,209 4,890 32,207	56,695 2,897 16,772 4,599 32,427	56,179 2,723 17,489 5,044 30,923	2,801 17,720 4,598	57,047 3,104 18,233 4,825 30,885

Note. Census Bureau estimates for all series except (a) mobile homes, which are private, domestic shipments as reported by the Manufactured Housing Institute and seasonally adjusted by the Census Bureau, and (b) sales and prices of existing units, which are published by the National Association of Realitors. All back and current figures are available from originating agency. Permit authorizations are those reported to the Census Bureau from 16,000 jurisdictions beginning with 1978.

^{1.} Not at annual rates.
2. Not seasonally adjusted.
3. Value of new construction data in recent periods may not be strictly comparable with data in prior periods because of changes by the Bureau of the Census in its estimating techniques. For a description of these changes see Construction Reports (C-30-76-5), issued by the Bureau in July 1976.

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2.15 CONSUMER AND PRODUCER PRICES

Percentage changes based on seasonally adjusted data, except as noted

	Change f months		Chan	ge from 3 (at annu	months ea al rate)	rlier		Change fr	om 1 mon	th earlier		Index level
Item	1984	1985		19	84			1984		19	85	Feb. 1985 (1967
	Feb.	Feb.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	= 100)1
Consumer Prices ²												
1 All items	4.6	3.5	5.4	3,2	4.5	3.0	.3	.2	.3	.2	.3	317.4
2 Food 3 Energy items 4 All items less food and energy 5 Commodities 6 Services.	4.5 3.3 4.8 4.5 5.0	2.4 -2.1 4.7 3.9 5.3	8.4 1.2 5.1 3.8 6.0	5 .3 4.8 3.9 5.2	3.9 .1 5.3 3.8 6.2	3.7 7 3.5 .9 5.0	.3 ~.1 .3 .1 .5	.2 .1 .2 .0 .4	4 2 .3 .2 .4	.2 8 .4 .5	.5 -1.4 .6 .8 .4	309,5 411.4 309.5 258.1 368.0
Producer Prices	 									:		
7 Finished goods	5.2	.7 .3 ~8.5 2.6 2.3	6.1 15.2 -5.2 5.6 3.9	4 -7.5 5.0 .8 2.2	.0 4.5 -19.7 2.5 2.3	1.8 4.5 5.7 .0	1 1 1.4 3 2	.3 .7r .6r .1'	.2 .6 6 .2 .0	.0 6 -2.4 .7 .4	1 1 -2.5 .2 .5	292.5 275.5 692.9 250.5 299.1
12 Intermediate materials ³	2.3 2.9	.7 1.4	4.2 4.1	2.7 2.0	~1.1 .9	1.1 1.3	.2 .2	.2 ^r .2 ^r	1 .0	.0.	5 2	324.6 305.2
Crude materials 14 Foods	4.5 -1.7 14.0	-3.8 -4.0 -6.6	8.9 -1.6 .9	-19.2 4.0 14.3	-1.7 .4 ^r -15.3	12.0 -6.5r -10.7	-1.1 2 -2.0	3.7r 9 5	.3 6 4	-2.4 -2.2 -1.4	-2.0 4 -4.3	250.7 755.1 253.1

Not seasonally adjusted.
 Figures for consumer prices are those for all urban consumers and reflect a rental equivalence measure of homeownership after 1982.

^{3.} Excludes intermediate materials for food manufacturing and manufactured animal feeds.

Source. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

2.16 GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT AND INCOME

Billions of current dollars except as noted; quarterly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates.

				1983		1984	•	
Account	1982	1983	1984 ^r	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 ^r
Gross National Product								
! Total	3,069.3	3,304.8	3,662.8	3,431.7	3,553.3	3,644,7	3,694.6	3,758.7
By source 2 Personal consumption expenditures 3 Durable goods 4 Nondurable goods 5 Services	1,984.9	2,155.9	2,341.8	2,230.2	2,276.5	2,332.7	2,361.4	2,396.5
	245.1	279.8	318.8	299.8	310.9	320.7	317.2	326.3
	757.5	801.7	856.9	823.0	841.3	858.3	861.4	866.5
	982.2	1,074.4	1,166.1	1,107.5	1,124.4	1,153.7	1,182.8	1,203.8
6 Gross private domestic investment 7 Fixed investment 8 Nonresidential 9 Structures 10 Producers' durable equipment 11 Residential structures 12 Nonfarm	414.9	471.6	637.8	540.0	623.8	627.0	662.8	637.8
	441.0	485.1	579.6	527.3	550.0	576.4	591.0	601.1
	349.6	352.9	425.7	383.9	398.8	420.8	435.7	447.7
	142.1	129.7	150.4	136.6	142.2	150.0	151.4	157.9
	207.5	223.2	275.3	247.3	256.7	270.7	284.2	289.7
	91.4	132.2	153.9	143.4	151.2	155.6	155.3	153.5
	86.6	127.6	148.8	138.7	146.4	150.5	150.1	148.3
13 Change in business inventories	-26.1	-13.5	58.2	12.7	73.8	50.6	71.8	36.6
	-24.0	-3.1	49.6	14.1	60.6	47.0	63.7	27.2
15 Net exports of goods and services 16 Exports	19.0	-8.3	-64.2	-29.8	-51.5	-58.7	-90.6	-56.0
	348.4	336.2	364.3	346.1	358.9	362.4	368.6	367.2
	329.4	344.4	428.5	375.9	410.4	421.1	459.3	423.2
18 Government purchases of goods and services. 19 Federal	650.5	685.5	747.4	691.4	704.4	743.7	761.0	780.5
	258.9	269.7	295.4	266.3	267.6	296.4	302.0	315.7
	391.5	415.8	452.0	425.1	436.8	447.4	458.9	464.8
By major type of product 21 Final sales, total 22 Goods 23 Durable 24 Nondurable 25 Services 26 Structures	3,095.4	3,318.3	3,604.6	3,419.0	3,479.5	3,594.1	3,622.8	3,722.1
	1,276.7	1,355.7	1,542.9	1,423.9	1,498.0	1,544.8	1,549.1	1,579.8
	499.9	555.3	655.6	607.4	632.3	647.9	654.7	687.7
	776.9	800.4	887.3	816.5	865.7	896.9	894.4	892.1
	1,510.8	1,639.3	1,763.3	1,681.3	1,713.7	1,742.6	1,783.3	1,813.7
	281.7	309.8	356.5	326.5	341.6	357.2	362.1	365.2
27 Change in business inventories 28 Durable goods 29 Nondurable goods	-26.1	-13.5	58.2	12.7	73.8	50.6	71.8	36.6
	-18.0	-2.1	30.4	14.5	34.9	18.2	41.7	26.7
	-8.1	-11.3	27.8	-1.7	38.9	32.4	30.1	9.9
30 Мемо: Total GNP in 1972 dollars	1,480.0	1,534.7	1,639.3	1,572.7	1,610.9	1,638.8	1,645.2	1,662.4
NATIONAL INCOME								1
31 Total	2,446.8	2,646.7	2,960.4	2,766.5	2,873.5	2,944.8	2,984.9	3,038.3
32 Compensation of employees. 33 Wages and salaries 34 Government and government enterprises. 35 Other. 36 Supplement to wages and salaries. 37 Employer contributions for social insurance. 38 Other labor income.	1,864.2	1,984.9	2,173.2	2,055.4	2,113.4	2,159.2	2,191.9	2,228.1
	1,568.7	1,658.8	1,804.1	1,715.4	1,755.9	1,793.3	1,819.1	1,848.2
	306.6	328.2	349.8	335.0	342.9	347.5	352.0	357.2
	1,262.2	1,331.1	1,454.2	1,380.4	1,413.0	1,445.8	1,467.1	1,490.9
	295.5	326.2	369.0	340.0	357.4	365.9	372.8	380.0
	140.0	153.1	173.5	157.9	169.4	172.4	174.7	177.5
	155.5	173.1	195.5	182.1	188.1	193.5	198.1	202.5
39 Proprietors' income ¹ 40 Business and professional ¹ 41 Farm ¹	111.1	121.7	154.4	131.9	154.9	149.8	153.7	159.1
	89.2	107.9	126.2	114.6	122.5	126.3	126.4	129.7
	21.8	13.8	28.2	17.3	32.5	23.4	27.3	29.4
42 Rental income of persons ²	51.5	58.3	62.5	60.4	61.0	62.0	63.0	64.1
43 Corporate profits ¹ . 44 Profits before tax ³ . 5 Inventory valuation adjustment 6 Capital consumption adjustment	159.1	225.2	286.2	260.0	277.4	291.1	282.8	293.5
	165.5	203.2	236.2	225.5	243.3	246.0	224.8	230.6
	-9.5	-11.2	-5.7	-9.2	-13.5	-7.3	2	-1.6
	3.1	33.2	55.7	43.6	47.6	52.3	58.3	64.5
47 Net interest	260.9	256.6	284.1	258.9	266.8	282.8	293.5	293.4

With inventory valuation and capital consumption adjustments.
 With capital consumption adjustment.

^{3.} For after-tax profits, dividends, and the like, see table 1.48. SOURCE. Survey of Current Business (Department of Commerce).

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2.17 PERSONAL INCOME AND SAVING

Billions of current dollars; quarterly data are at seasonally adjusted annual rates. Exceptions noted.

				1983		198	34	
Account	1982	1983	1984r	Q4	QI	Q2	Q3	Q4 ^r
Personal Income and Saving								
1 Total personal income	2,584.6	2,744.2	3,012.1	2,836.5	2,920.5	2,984.6	3,047.3	3,096.2
2 Wage and salary disbursements 3 Commodity—producing industries 4 Manufacturing 5 Distributive industries 6 Service industries 7 Government and government enterprises.	1,568.7 509.3 382.9 378.6 374.3 306.6	1,659.2 519.3 395.2 398.6 413.1 328.2	1,804.0 569.3 433.9 432.0 452.9 349.8	1,715.4 539.0 411.9 413.2 428.2 335.0	1,755.7 555.9 424.6 419.2 437.9 342.8	1,793.1 567.0 432.2 429.5 449.3 347.3	1,819.5 573.3 436.4 436.4 457.3 352.4	1,847.6 580.9 442.4 443.1 466.9 356.7
8 Other labor income. 9 Proprietors' income! 10 Business and professional! 11 Farm! 12 Rental income of persons ² 13 Dividends. 14 Personal interest income 15 Transfer payments. 16 Old—age survivors, disability, and health insurance benefits.	155.5 111.1 89.2 21.8 51.5 66.5 366.6 376.1 204.5	173.1 121.7 107.9 13.8 58.3 70.3 376.3 405.0 221.6	195.5 154.4 126.2 28.2 62.5 77.7 433.7 416.7 237.3	182.1 131.9 114.6 17.3 60.4 72.8 388.2 408.8 227.7	188.1 154.9 122.5 32.5 61.0 75.0 403.9 411.3 232.1	193.5 149.8 126.3 23.4 62.0 77.2 425.6 415.2 235.2	198.1 153.7 126.4 27.3 63.0 78.5 449.3 418.6 238.2	202.5 159.1 129.7 29.4 64.1 80.2 456.1 421.8 243.5
17 Less: Personal contributions for social insurance	111.4	119.6	132.5	123.2	129.6	131.8	133.4	135.2
18 EQUALS: Personal income	2,584.6	2,744.2	3,012.1	2,836.5	2,920.5	2,984.6	3,047.3	3,096.2
19 Less: Personal tax and nontax payments	404.1	404.2	435.3	407.9	418.3	430.3	440.9	451.7
20 EQUALS: Disposable personal income	2,180.5	2,340.1	2,576.8	2,428.6	2,502.2	2,554.3	2,606.4	2,644.5
21 Less: Personal outlays	2,044.5	2,222.0	2,420.7	2,300.0	2,349.6	2,409.5	2,442.3	2,481.5
22 EQUALS: Personal saving	136.0	118.1	156.1	128.7	152.5	144.8	164.1	163.0
MEMO Per capita (1972 dollars) 23 Gross national product. 24 Personal consumption expenditures 25 Disposable personal income 26 Saving rate (percent).	6,369.7 4,145.9 4,555.0 6.2	6,543.4 4,302.8 4,670.0 5.0	6,926.1 4,488.7 4,939.0 6.1	6,681.4 4,386.0 4,776.0 5.3	6,829.4 4,426.5 4,865.0 6.1	6,933.2 4,502.3 4,930.0 5.7	6,943.2 4,498.4 4,965.0 6.3	6,998.3 4,527.1 4,996.0 6.2
GROSS SAVING	}			}			1	
27 Gross saving	408.8	437.2	552.3	485.7	543.9	551.0	556.4	557.9
28 Gross private saving. 29 Personal saving 30 Undistributed corporate profits ¹ 31 Corporate inventory valuation adjustment.	524.0 136.0 29.2 -9.5	571.7 118.1 76.5 -11.2	675.1 156.1 115.7 -5.7	615.0 128.7 100.0 -9.2	651.3 152.5 107.0 -13.5	660.2 144.8 115.3 -7.3	689.4 164.1 118.4 2	699.4 163.0 122.1 -1.6
Capital consumption allowances 32 Corporate 33 Noncorporate 34 Wage accruals less disbursements.	221.8 137.1 .0	231.2 145.9 .0	246.2 157.0 .0	236.4 150.0 .0	239.9 151.8 .0	244.1 156.0 .0	248.1 158.8 .0	252.8 161.5 .0
35 Government surplus, or deficit (-), national income and product accounts. 36 Federal. 37 State and local.	-115.3 -148.2 32.9	-134.5 -178.6 44.1	-122.8 -175.7 53.0	-129.3 -180.5 51.2	-107.4 -161.3 53.9	-109.2 -163.7 54.5	-133.0 -180.6 47.6	-141.5 -197.3 55.8
38 Capital grants received by the United States, net	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
39 Gross investment	408.3	437.7	544.4	480.9	546.1	542.0	543.4	546.1
40 Gross private domestic	414.9 -6.6	471.6 -33.9	637.8 -93.4		623.8 -77.7	627.0 -85.0	662.8 -119.4	637.8 -91.6
42 Statistical discrepancy	5	.5	-7.9	-4.8	2.2	-9.0	-13.0	-11.8

^{1.} With inventory valuation and capital consumption adjustments. 2. With capital consumption adjustment.

Source. Survey of Current Business (Department of Commerce).

Millions of dollars; quarterly data are seasonally adjusted except as noted.1

		1000	100.1-	1983		1984		
Item credits or debits	1982	1983	1984 ^p	Q4	Q۱٬	Q2r	Q3	Q4p
1 Balance on current account	-9,199	-41,563	-101,647	17,213 15,964	- 19,669 -18,616	-24,704 -24,380	-33,599 -36,190	-23,679 -22,461
Merchandise trade balance ² Merchandise exports Merchandise imports Military transactions, net Investment income, net ³ Other service transactions, net	-36,469 211,198 -247,667 195 27,802 7,331	-61,055 200,257 -261,312 515 23,508 4,121	-107,435 220,343 -327,778 -1,635 18,115 506	-19,407 51,829 -71,236 -273 5,119 434	-25,813 53,920 -79,733 -370 7,744 917	-25,802 54,548 -80,350 -404 3,455 204	-32,941 55,616 -88,557 -320 2,876 -352	-22,879 56,259 -79,138 -542 4,039 -263
9 Remittances, pensions, and other transfers	-2,635 -5,423	-2,590 -6,060	-2,946 -8,253	-14,127 -2,398	-717 -1,430	-726 -1,431	-693 -2,169	-811 -3,223
11 Change in U.S. government assets, other than official reserve assets, net (increase, -)	-6,143	-5,013	-5,460	-1,429	-2,037	-1,235	-1,440	-748
12 Change in U.S. official reserve assets (increase, -)	-4,965 0	-1,196	-3,130 0	-953 0	-657 0	-565 0	-799 0	-1,109 0
14 Special drawing rights (SDRs) 5 Reserve position in International Monetary Fund 16 Foreign currencies	-1,371 -2,552 -1,041	-66 -4,434 3,304	-979 -995 -1,156	545 -1,996 498	-226 -200 -231	-288 -321 44	-271 -331 -197	-194 -143 -772
17 Change in U.S. private assets abroad (increase, -) ³ 18 Bank-reported claims 19 Nonbank-reported claims 20 U.S. purchase of foreign securities, net 21 U.S. direct investments abroad, net ³	-107,790 -111,070 6,626 -8,102 4,756	-43,281 -25,391 -5,333 -7,676 -4,881	-12,574 -7,337 5,566 -4,761 -6,043	-12,461 -8,239 -1,671 -983 -1,568	742 1,955 1,659 637 -3,509	-17,200 -20,612 2,120 -820 2,112	19,245 16,871 1,787 -1,322 1,909	-15,362 -5,551 n.a. -3,257 -6,554
22 Change in foreign official assets in the United States (increase, +) U.S. Treasury securities 24 Other U.S. government obligations. 25 Other U.S. government liabilities ⁴ . 26 Other U.S. liabilities reported by U.S. banks. 27 Other foreign official assets ⁵ .	3,318 5,728 -694 382 -1,747 -351	5,339 6,989 -487 199 433 -1,795	2,998 4,644 12 333 676 -2,667	6,555 2,603 417 161 3,498 -124	-2,784 -288 -8 242 -2,131 -599	-345 -310 147 448 349 -979	-830 -577 85 -153 302 -487	6,956 5,819 -212 -205 2,156 -602
28 Change in foreign private assets in the United States (increase, +) ³ . U.S. bank-reported liabilities U.S. nonbank-reported liabilities. Foreign private purchases of U.S. Treasury securities, net Foreign purchases of other U.S. securities, net Greign direct investments in the United States, net ³ .	91,863 65,922 -2,383 7,062 6,396 14,865	76,383 49,059 -1,318 8,731 8,612 11,299	89,800 27,571 5,529 22,487 13,036 21,177	27,249 22,325 -228 1,673 1,134 2,345	18,444 8,775 4,404 1,358 1,516 2,391	40,750 20,789 4,055 6,477 587 8,842	3,662 -5,410 -2,930 5,121 1,609 5,272	26,945 3,417 n.a. 9,531 9,325 4,672
34 Allocation of SDRs. 35 Discrepancy. 36 Owing to seasonal adjustments.	0 32,916	0 9,331	0 30,015	0 -1,748 2,657	0 5,961 - 195	0 3,299 -140	0 13,761 -2,410	0 6,997 2,748
37 Statistical discrepancy in recorded data before seasonal adjustment	32,916	9,331	30,015	-4,405	6,156	3,439	16,171	4,249
MEMO Changes in official assets U.S. official reserve assets (increase, -) Foreign official assets in the United States (increase, +)	-4,965 2,936	-1,196 5,140	-3,131 2,665	953 6,394	-657 -3,026	-566 -793	-7 99 -677	-1,110 7,161
official assets in the United States (part of line 22 above). 41 Transfers under military grant programs (excluded from	7,291	-8,639	-4,198	-1,640	-2,447	-2,170	-494	913
lines 4, 6, and 10 above)	593	205	187	84	41	44	45	58

Seasonal factors are no longer calculated for lines 6, 10, 12-16, 18-20, 22-34, and 38-41.
 Data are on an international accounts (IA) basis. Differs from the Census basis data, shown in table 3.11, for reasons of coverage and timing: military exports are excluded from merchandise data and are included in line 6.
 Includes reinvested earnings.

Primarily associated with military sales contracts and other transactions arranged with or through foreign official agencies.
 Consists of investments in U.S. corporate stocks and in debt securities of private corporations and state and local governments.
 Note. Data are from Bureau of Economic Analysis, Survey of Current Business (Department of Commerce).

3.11 U.S. FOREIGN TRADE

Millions of dollars; monthly data are seasonally adjusted.

ltore	1981			19	84			1985		
Item	1981	1982	1903	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
1 EXPORTS of domestic and foreign merchandise excluding grant-a shipments	id	212,193	200,486	19,154	18,123	18,210	18,411	18,395	19,142	19,401
2 GENERAL IMPORTS including m chandise for immediate consurtion plus entries into bonded warehouses	np-	243,952	258,048	31,334	26,866	28,409	26,783	27,331	25,933	28,297
3 Trade balance	-27,628	-31,759	-57,562	-12,180	-8,743	-10,199	-8,372	-8,936	-6,791	-8,896

Note. The data through 1981 in this table are reported by the Bureau of Census data of a free-alongside-ship (f.a.s.) value basis—that is, value at the port of export. Beginning in 1981, foreign trade of the U.S. Virgin Islands is included in the Census basis trade data; this adjustment has been made for all data shown in the table. Beginning with 1982 data, the value of imports are on a customs valuation basis.

The Census basis data differ from merchandise trade data shown in table 3.10, U.S. International Transactions Summary, for reasons of coverage and timing. On the export side, the largest adjustments are: (1) the addition of exports to Canada

not covered in Census statistics, and (2) the exclusion of military sales (which are not covered in Census statistics, and (2) the exclusion of military sales (which are combined with other military transactions and reported separately in the "service account" in table 3.10, line 6). On the *import side*, additions are made for gold, ship purchases, imports of electricity from Canada, and other transactions; military payments are excluded and shown separately as indicated above.

Source. FT900 "Summary of U.S. Export and Import Merchandise Trade" (Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census).

3.12 U.S. RESERVE ASSETS

Millions of dollars, end of period

	Time	1981	1982	1983			1984			198	85
	Туре	1981	1982	1983	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
1	Total	30,075	33,958	33,747	34,760	34,306	34,570	34,727	34,934	34,380	34,284
2	Gold stock, including Exchange Stabilization Fund ¹	11,151	11,148	11,121	11,098	11,097	11,096	11,096	11,096	11,095	11,093
3	Special drawing rights ^{2,3}	4,095	5,250	5,025	5,652	5,554	5,539	5,693	5,641	5,693	5,781
4	Reserve position in International Monetary Fund ²	5,055	7,348	11,312	11,820	11,619	11,618	11,675	11,541	11,322	11,109
5	Foreign currencies ⁴	9,774	10,212	6,289	6.190	6,036	6,317	6,263	6,656	6,270	6,301

3.13 FOREIGN OFFICIAL ASSETS HELD AT FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS

Millions of dollars, end of period

	1001	1982	1983			1984			198	85
Assets	1981	1902	1903	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
1 Deposits	505	328	190	242	206	270	392	253	244	331
Assets held in custody 2 U.S. Treasury securities!	104,680 14,804	112,544 14,716	117,670 14,414		115,678 14,256		117,433 14,265	118,267 14,265	117,330 14,261	115,179 14,260

Marketable U.S. Treasury bills, notes, and bonds; and nonmarketable U.S.
 Treasury securities payable in dollars and in foreign currencies.
 Earmarked gold is valued at \$42.22 per fine troy ounce.

Note. Excludes deposits and U.S. Treasury securities held for international and regional organizations. Earmarked gold is gold held for foreign and international accounts and is not included in the gold stock of the United States.

^{1.} Gold held under earmark at Federal Reserve Banks for foreign and international accounts is not included in the gold stock of the United States; see table 3.13. Gold stock is valued at \$42.22 per fine troy ounce.

2. Beginning July 1974, the IMF adopted a technique for valuing the SDR based on a weighted average of exchange rates for the currencies of member countries. From July 1974 through December 1980, 16 currencies were used; from January 1981, 5 currencies have been used. The U.S. SDR holdings and reserve position in the IMF also are valued on this basis beginning July 1974.

^{3.} Includes allocations by the International Monetary Fund of SDRs as follows: \$867 million on Jan. 1, 1970; \$717 million on Jan. 1, 1971; \$710 million on Jan. 1, 1972; \$1,139 million on Jan. 1, 1979; \$1,152 million on Jan. 1, 1980; and \$1,093 million on Jan. 1, 1981; plus transactions in SDRs.

4. Valued at current market exchange rates.

3.14 FOREIGN BRANCHES OF U.S. BANKS Balance Sheet Data Millions of dollars, end of period

Accet account	1981	1982	1983			198	34			1985
Asset account	1761	1762	1963	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. p
				-	All foreign	countries				
Total, all currencies	462,847	469,712	477,090	465,902	462,486	454,082	448,360	452,806	452,012	445,36
Claims on United States Parent bank Other banks in United States¹ Nonbanks¹ Claims on foreigners Other branches of parent bank Banks Public borrowers Nonbank foreigners Other assets Total payable in U.S. dollars Claims on United States Parent bank Other banks in United States¹ Nonbanks¹ Claims on foreigners	378,954 87,821 150,763 28,197 112,173 20,150 350,735 62,142 42,721 19,421 276,937	91,805 61,666 30,139 358,493 91,168 133,752 24,131 109,442 19,414 361,982 90,085 61,010 29,075 259,871	115,542 82,026 33,516 342,689 96,004 117,668 24,517 107,785 18,859 371,508 113,436 80,909 32,527 247,406	118,484 82,885 13,987 21,612 327,298 91,410 107,471 23,291 105,126 20,120 357,598 116,145 81,664 13,674 20,807 230,840	117,078 82,437 13,209 21,432 324,474 93,507 103,346 22,654 104,967 20,934 352,807 114,754 81,291 12,890 20,573 227,132	114,160 80,035 13,125 21,000 319,375 92,646 101,567* 22,568* 102,594* 20,547 346,929 111,677 78,847 12,769 20,061 22,603	109,131/ 75,5757 12,591 20,965 319,097 90,821 102,2547 23,0547 102,9687 20,132 340,507 106,5057 74,205/ 12,338 19,962 223,355	112,676' 77,820' 13,553 21,303 319,462' 91,319 103,037 22,914 102,192' 20,668' 345,523' 110,303' 76,625' 13,355' 20,323' 224,229'	113,210 77,926 13,915 21,369 318,743 94,794 100,296 22,860 100,793 20,059 349,349 111,243 77,046 13,745 20,452 22,7,336	115,28 79,08 13,93 22,26 309,74 87,53 99,99 22,52 99,70 20,34 343,49 112,90 78,15 13,73 21,02 220,18
3 Other branches of parent bank	69,398 122,110 22,877 62,552	73,537 106,447 18,413 61,474	78,431 93,332 17,890 60,977	73,653 82,400 17,186 57,601	75,969 77,402 16,783 56,978	75,509 76,566 16,946 55,582 10,649	73,472 76,911 ^r 17,302 55,652 ^r 10,647	74,606 77,083 17,359 55,181'	78,356 76,840 17,148 54,992	72,50 75,86 17,07 54,74
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3 Total, all currencies	157,229	161,067	158,732	155,643	154,250	147,696	147,562°	149,377	144,377	146,12
Claims on United States Parent bank Other banks in United States Nonbanks Claims on foreigners Other branches of parent bank Banks Public borrowers Nonbank foreigners	7,885	27,354 23,017 4,337 127,734 37,000 50,767 6,240 33,727	34,433 29,111 5,322 119,280 36,565 43,352 5,898 33,465	33,697 27,863 1,273 4,561 116,740 37,728 40,980 5,786 32,246	31,691 26,054 1,087 4,550 117,255 39,313 39,906 5,510 32,526	29,333 23,772 1,327 4,234 113,299 37,499 39,133 5,330 31,337	28,952 ^r 23,283 ^r 1,214 4,455 113,524 37,638 38,696 5,441 31,749	29,496' 23,767' 1,484 4,245 114,270 37,401 39,262 5,424 32,183	27,667 21,854 1,429 4,384 111,828 37,953 37,443 5,334 31,098	28,71 22,23 1,54 4,94 112,34 36,42 39,06 5,34 31,50
3 Other assets	6,518	5,979	5,019	5,206	5,304	5,064	5,086	5,611	4,882	5,0€
Total payable in U.S. dollars	115,188	123,740	126,012	120,488	118,337	114,358	113,437	114,895	112,801	112,79
5 Claims on United States 6 Parent bank 7 Other banks in United States! Nonbanks! 9 Claims on foreigners 10 Other branches of parent bank 12 Banks 13 Public borrowers 14 Other assets 15 Other assets 16 Other assets	99,850 35,439 40,703	26,761 22,756 4,005 92,228 31,648 36,717 4,329 19,534 4,751	33,756 28,756 5,000 88,917 31,838 32,188 4,194 20,697 3,339	32,587 27,239 1,149 4,199 84,729 31,762 29,444 4,288 19,235 3,172	30,641 25,509 950 4,182 84,553 33,623 27,961 3,983 18,986 3,143	28,282 23,323 1,195 3,764 83,082 32,704 27,986 3,879 18,513 2,994	27,917 ^r 22,825 ^r 1,113 3,979 82,456 32,461 27,093 4,063 18,839 3,064	28,604° 23,372° 1,437° 3,795° 82,977° 32,675° 27,290° 4,094° 18,918° 3,314°	26,860 21,487 1,363 4,010 82,945 33,607 26,805 4,030 18,503	27,62 21,89 1,49 4,23 82,21 31,95 27,46 4,02 18,77
					Bahamas and	d Caymans	<u>-</u>			
5 Total, all currencies 5 Claims on United States 7 Parent bank 8 Other banks in United States 9 Nonbanks 9 Claims on foreigners 1 Other branches of parent bank 1 Banks 1 Banks 1 Public borrowers 1 Nonbank foreigners 1	46,546 31,643 14,903 98,057 12,951 55,151 10,010	145,156 59,403 34,653 24,750 81,450 18,720 42,699 6,413 13,618	152,083 75,309 48,720 26,589 72,868 20,626 36,842 6,093 12,592	78,252 50,285 11,932 16,035 65,620 15,567 32,007 6,000 12,046	147,319 78,882 51,384 11,540 15,958 64,263 16,093 30,505 5,883 11,782	77,013 50,078 11,072 15,863 63,545 15,639 30,075 6,119 11,712	138,798 71,750 45,480 10,716 15,554 63,010 15,117 30,259 6,040 11,594	141,448 75,522 48,070 11,283 16,169 61,996 13,837 30,516 6,060 11,583	77,150 49,303 11,795 16,052 65,575 17,682 30,214 6,077 11,602	76,71 48,73 11,57 16,40 61,46 14,44 29,31 6,24
5 Other assets	4,505	4,303	3,906	4,040	4,174	4,020	4,038	3,930	3,916	3,76
Total payable in U.S. dollars	143,743	139,605	145,641	141,950	141,139	138,693	132,834	136,049	141,392	137,19

^{1.} Data for assets vis-a-vis other banks in the United States and vis-a-vis nonbanks are combined for dates prior to June 1984.

3.14 Continued

Linkiller	1981	1982	1083			198	34			1985
Liability account	1961	1962	1983	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. p
					All foreign	countries				
57 Total, all currencies	462,847	469,712	477,090	465,902	462,486	454,082	448,360	452,806°	452,012	445,367
58 Negotiable CDs² 59 To United States 60 Parent bank 61 Other banks in United States 62 Nonbanks	n.a. 137,767 56,344 19,197 62,226	n.a. 179,015 75,621 33,405 69,989	n.a. 188,070 81,261 29,453 77,356	41,297 155,231 78,067 22,365 54,799	41,656 152,635 77,160 19,693 55,782	39,866 147,003 75,026 20,120 51,857	38,520 139,402 74,756 18,913 45,733	37,915 138,354 70,339 18,575 ^r 49,440 ^r	37,725 146,804 78,110 18,378 50,316	38,804 143,923 75,780 18,132 50,011
63 To foreigners	305,630 86,396 124,906 25,997 68,331 19,450	270,853 90,191 96,860 19,614 64,188 19,844	269,685 90,615 92,889 18,896 68,845 19,335	248,651 89,081 80,082 21,261 58,227 20,723	246,565 90,747 78,796 20,238 56,784 21,630	245,746 90,426 77,471 21,566 56,283 21,467	248,185 89,530 82,226 19,501 56,928 22,253r	253,956 90,729 86,815 20,883 55,529 22,581	246,794 93,206 78,235 20,241 55,112 20,689	241,479 87,844 79,286 19,615 54,734 21,161
69 Total payable in U.S. dollars	364,447	379,270	388,291	374,735	370,356	364,247	356,418r	361,713	365,626	358,142
70 Negotiable CDs ² 71 To United States	n.a. 134,700 54,492 18,883 61,325	n.a. 175,528 73,295 33,040 69,193	n.a. 184,305 79,035 28,936 76,334	38,990 150,973 75,542 21,749 53,682	39,610 148,102 74,574 19,019 54,509	37,629 142,482 72,254 19,457 50,771	36,102 135,131 72,245 18,259 44,627	35,608 134,159 67,814 18,026r 48,319r	35,227 142,792 75,625 17,904 49,263	36,295 140,052 73,439 17,595 49,018
75 To foreigners 76 Other branches of parent bank 78 Banks 78 Official institutions 79 Nonbank foreigners 80 Other liabilities	217,602 69,299 79,594 20,288 48,421 12,145	192,510 72,921 57,463 15,055 47,071 11,232	194,139 73,522 57,022 13,855 51,260 9,847	174,414 71,438 44,858 16,117 42,001 10,358	171,880 73,501 42,373 15,476 40,530 10,764	173,610 73,412 42,772 16,850 40,576 10,526	174.090 72,204 46,218 14,850 40,818 11,095	180,824 74,552 50,502 16,068 39,702 11,122	177,580 77,222 45,123 15,733 39,502 10,027	171,545 72,770 44,900 14,994 38,881 10,250
	-		<u></u> -		United K	ingdom		L		
81 Total, all currencies	157,229	161,067	158,732	155,643	154,250	147,696	147,562r	149,377′	144,377	146,120
82 Negotiable CDs ² 83 To United States 84 Parent bank 85 Other banks in United States 86 Nonbanks	n.a. 38,022 5,444 7,502 25,076	n.a. 53,954 13,091 12,205 28,658	n.a. 55,799 14,021 11,328 30,450	37,998 29,682 16,730 4,277 8,675	38,265 29,667 18,127 3,548 7,992	36,600 27,280 16,130 3,451 7,699	34,948 26,558 16,598 3,388 6,572	34,269 25,338 15,116 3,002r 7,220r	34,413 25,250 14,651 3,110 7,489	35,455 27,757 16,714 3,556 7,487
87 To foreigners 88 Other branches of parent bank 89 Banks 90 Official institutions 91 Nonbank foreigners. 92 Other liabilities	112,255 16,545 51,336 16,517 27,857 6,952	99,567 18,361 44,020 11,504 25,682 7,546	95,847 19,038 41,624 10,151 25,034 7,086	80,261 21,459 31,435 11,301 16,066 7,702	78,469 22,252 30,735 10,480 15,002 7,849	75,901 21,536 28,996 10,625 14,744 7,915	77,985 21,023 32,436 9,650 14,876 8,071	81,217 20,846 34,739 10,505 15,127 8,553	77,424 21,631 30,436 10,154 15,203 7,290	75,039 20,199 31,216 9,084 14,540 7,869
93 Total payable in U.S. dollars	120,277	130,261	131,167	126,294	124,260	119,337	118,103	119,287′	117,489	117,188
94 Negotiable CDs ² 95 To United States 96 Parent bank 97 Other banks in United States 98 Nonbanks	n.a. 37,332 5,350 7,249 24,733	n.a. 53,029 12,814 12,026 28,189	n.a. 54,691 13,839 11,044 29,808	36,757 28,349 16,390 4,018 7,941	37,219 28,027 17,701 3,244 7,082	35,398 25,738 15,679 3,131 6,953	33,703 25,178 16,209 3,144 5,825	33,168 24,024 14,742 2,792 ^r 6,490 ^r	33,070 24,105 14,339 2,965 6,801	34,084 26,587 16,349 3,407 6,831
99 To foreigners 100 Other branches of parent bank 101 Banks 102 Official institutions 103 Nonbank foreigners 104 Other liabilities	79,034 12,048 32,298 13,612 21,076 3,911	73,477 14,300 28,810 9,668 20,699 3,755	73,279 15,403 29,320 8,279 20,277 3,197	57,495 17,472 18,197 9,610 12,216 3,693	55,337 18,384 16,984 8,920 11,049 3,677	54,590 18,175 16,015 9,375 11,025 3,586	55,482 17,600 18,309 8,306 11,267 3,740	58,163 17,562 20,262 9,072 11,267 3,932	56,923 18,294 18,356 8,871 11,402 3,391	52,954 16,940 17,889 7,748 10,377 3,563
				·	Bahamas and	l Caymans				
105 Total, all currencies	149,108	145,156	152,083	147,912	147,319	144,578	138,798	141,448	146,641	141,947
106 Negotiable CDs ²	n.a. 85,759 39,451 10,474 35,834	n.a. 104,425 47,081 18,466 38,878	n.a. 111,299 50,980 16,057 44,262	965 106,338 45,098 16,498 44,742	905 103,915 42,373 14,742 46,800	788 100,682 42,064 15,459 43,159	878 95,084 42,850 14,143 38,091	898 95,831 40,516 14,155 41,160	615 102,804 47,161 13,922 41,721	734 98,657 44,303 13,318 41,036
111 To foreigners 112 Other branches of parent bank 113 Banks. 114 Official institutions 115 Nonbank foreigners. 116 Other liabilities	60,012 20,641 23,202 3,498 12,671 3,337	38,274 15,796 10,166 1,967 10,345 2,457	38,445 14,936 11,876 1,919 11,274 2,339	37,828 12,381 12,635 2,427 10,385 2,781	39,598 14,446 12,200 2,674 10,278 2,901	40,213 15,283 11,978 3,028 9,924 2,895	39,855 14,823 13,059 2,211 9,762 2,981	41,747 16,455 13,986 2,376 8,930 2,972	40,302 16,782 12,397 2,054 9,069 2,920	39,712 16,014 12,212 2,169 9,317 2,844
117 Total payable in U.S. dollars	145,284	141,908	148,278	143,961	143,294	140,902	135,143	137,712	143,420	138,316

^{2.} Before June 1984, liabilities on negotiable CDs were included in liabilities to the United States or liabilities to foreigners, according to the address of the initial purchaser.

3.15 SELECTED U.S. LIABILITIES TO FOREIGN OFFICIAL INSTITUTIONS

Millions of dollars, end of period

	1982	1983	1984							
Item	1962	1983	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.p	Jan.p	
1 Total ¹	172,718	177,950	174,492	177,276	173,407	176,177	178,158	180,512	176,412	
By type 2 Liabilities reported by banks in the United States ² . 3 U.S. Treasury bills and certificates ³ . U.S. Treasury bonds and notes 4 Marketable. 5 Nonmarketable ⁴ . 6 U.S. securities other than U.S. Treasury securities ⁵ .	24,989 46,658 67,733 8,750 24,588	25,534 54,341 68,514 7,250 22,311	25,869 51,974 69,075 6,600 20,974	26,381 54,022 70,441 5,800 20,632	24,038 54,627 68,471 5,800 20,471	26,893 55,780 67,647 5,800 20,057	25,789 59,570 67,003 5,800 19,996	26,194 59,976 68,910 5,800 19,632	23,019 56,662 71,436 5,800 19,495	
By area 7 Western Europe ¹ 8 Canada 9 Latin America and Caribbean 10 Asia. 11 Africa 12 Other countries ⁶ .	61,298 2,070 6,057 96,034 1,350 5,909	67,645 2,438 6,248 92,572 958 8,089	68,749 1,250 6,993 90,391 970 6,139	70,399 1,434 8,170 90,464 838 5,971	68,091 1,069 7,053 90,403 897 5,894	68,682 1,321 8,109 91,491 967 5,607	70,384 1,466 8,894 90,047 1,316 6,051	69,680 1,528 8,643 93,901 1,291 5,469	68,043 1,491 7,406 92,981 1,120 5,371	

Debt securities of U.S. government corporations and federally sponsored agencies, and U.S. corporate stocks and bonds.
 Includes countries in Oceania and Eastern Europe.
 NOTE. Based on Treasury Department data and on data reported to the Treasury Department by banks (including Federal Reserve Banks) and securities dealers in the United States.

3.16 LIABILITIES TO AND CLAIMS ON FOREIGNERS Reported by Banks in the United States Payable in Foreign Currencies

Millions of dollars, end of period

Item	1981	1982	1983	1984					
nem	1981	1962	1763	Маг.	June	Sept.	Dec.p		
1 Banks' own liabilities. 2 Banks' own claims 3 Deposits. 4 Other claims 5 Claims of banks' domestic customers!	3,523 4,980 3,398 1,582 971	4,844 7,707 4,251 3,456 676	5,219 7,231 2,731 4,501 1,059	5,817 9,034 4,024 5,010 361	6,402 9,623 4,280 5,344 227	5,901 9,006 3,696 5,310 281	7,378 10,736 3,925 6,811 569		

Assets owned by customers of the reporting bank located in the United States that represent claims on foreigners held by reporting banks for the accounts of their domestic customers.

NOTE. Data on claims exclude foreign currencies held by U.S. monetary authorities

Includes the Bank for International Settlements.
 Principally demand deposits, time deposits, bankers acceptances, commercial paper, negotiable time certificates of deposit, and borrowings under repurchase agreements.
 Includes nonmarketable certificates of indebtedness (including those payable in foreign currencies through 1974) and Treasury bills issued to official institutions of foreign countries.
 Excludes notes issued to foreign official nonreserve agencies. Includes bonds and notes payable in foreign currencies.

LIABILITIES TO FOREIGNERS Reported by Banks in the United States Payable in U.S. dollars

Millions of dollars, end of period

W. M	10014	1002	1007			198	4			1985
Holder and type of liability	1981▲	1982	1983	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p
1 All foreigners	243,889	307,056	369,607	398,282	396,436	398,598	388,951	398,481	405,372	401,059
2 Banks' own liabilities 3 Demand deposits 4 Time deposits' 5 Other ² 6 Own foreign offices ³	163,817	227,089	279,087	302,690	296,595	299,732	290,282	296,833	305,298	303,894
	19,631	15,889	17,470	16,355	16,229	17,198	16,490	17,448	19,538	18,561
	29,039	68,797	90,632	109,419	107,604	111,901	109,612	112,678	110,299	114,311
	17,647	23,184	25,874	25,711	23,630	22,087	24,423	23,642	26,332	23,707
	97,500	119,219	145,111	151,205	149,132	148,546	139,758	143,065	149,129	147,315
7 Banks' custody liabilities ⁴	80,072	79,967	90,520	95,593	99,842	98,866	98,669	101,648	100,074	97,165
	55,315	55,628	68,669	71,244	74,148	73,160	73,295	76,531	75,838	73,196
instruments ⁶	18,788	20,636	17,467	19,358	20,567	20,833	20,281	19,703	18,775	18,056
	5,970	3,702	4,385	4,990	5,127	4,873	5,094	5,414	5,460	5,913
11 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations ⁷	2,721	4,922	5,957	5,344	5,748	6,279	4,801	5,831	4,083	6,929
12 Banks' own liabilities	638	1,909	4,632	2,612	1,960	3,305	2,053	2,779	1,644	3,571
	262	106	297	142	325	209	144	354	263	419
	58	1,664	3,584	2,213	1,446	2,526	1,513	2,114	1,092	2,672
	318	139	750	257	189	570	396	311	288	480
16 Banks' custody liabilities ⁴	2,083	3,013	1,325	2,732	3,788	2,975	2,748	3,052	2,440	3,358
	541	1,621	463	1,709	2,722	1,834	1,455	1,448	916	1,921
instruments ⁶	1,542	1,392	862	1,023	1,067	1,140	1,292	1,604	1,524	1,429
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
20 Official institutions8	79,126	71,647	79,876	77,843	80,403	78,665	82,673	85,359	86,169	79,681
21 Banks' own liabilities 22 Demand deposits 23 Time deposits¹ 24 Other²	17,109	16,640	19,427	18,504	18,222	16,274	19,247	18,748	19,062	16,699
	2,564	1,899	1,837	1,875	2,003	1,969	1,725	2,133	1,823	1,832
	4,230	5,528	7,318	8,028	8,060	7,877	8,695	9,457	9,387	8,161
	10,315	9,212	10,272	8,601	8,158	6,429	8,828	7,159	7,852	6,706
25 Banks' custody liabilities ⁴	62,018	55,008	60,448	59,338	62,181	62,391	63,426	66,611	67,108	62,982
	52,389	46,658	54,341	51,974	54,022	54,627	55,780	59,570	59,976	56,662
instruments ⁶	9,581	8,321	6,082	7,356	8,149	7,746	7,626	7,010	7,038	6,257
	47	28	25	9	10	18	20	31	94	63
29 Banks ⁹	136,008	185,881	226,887	249,537	243,552	246,077	233,654	238,349	246,823	243,808
30 Banks' own liabilities 31 Unaffiliated foreign banks 32 Demand deposits 33 Time deposits¹ 34 Other² 35 Own foreign offices³	124,312	169,449	205,347	224,222	218,081	221,185	209,529	214,783	223,975	221,663
	26,812	50,230	60,236	73,017	68,949	72,640	69,771	71,718	74,847	74,348
	11,614	8,675	8,759	8,174	7,884	8,453	8,389	8,528	10,522	9,575
	8,720	28,386	37,439	48,663	46,901	49,763	46,755	47,703	47,046	48,910
	6,477	13,169	14,038	16,180	14,164	14,424	14,627	15,488	17,278	15,863
	97,500	119,219	145,111	151,205	149,132	148,546	139,758	143,065	149,129	147,315
36 Banks' custody liabilities ⁴	11,696	16,432	21,540	25,315	25,471	24,892	24,124	23,566	22,848	22,145
	1,685	5,809	10,178	13,022	12,766	12,234	11,828	11,409	10,927	10,512
instruments ⁶	4,400	7,857	7,485	7,867	8,172	8,421	7,802	7,360	7,156	6,422
	5,611	2,766	3,877	4,426	4,534	4,236	4,494	4,797	4,766	5,211
40 Other foreigners	26,035	44,606	56,887	65,558	66,733	67,576	67,824	68,942	68,296	70,640
41 Banks' own liabilities 42 Demand deposits 43 Time deposits 44 Other ²	21,759	39,092	49,680	57,351	58,332	58,968	59,453	60,523	60,618	61,960
	5,191	5,209	6,577	6,163	6,017	6,567	6,232	6,433	6,929	6,735
	16,030	33,219	42,290	50,515	51,195	51,735	52,648	53,405	52,774	54,567
	537	664	813	672	1,120	665	573	685	914	658
45 Banks' custody liabilities ⁴	4,276	5,514	7,207	8,207	8,401	8,609	8,372	8,419	7,678	8,680
	699	1,540	3,686	4,540	4,639	4,465	4,232	4,103	4,020	4,101
instruments ⁶	3,265	3,065	3,038	3,111	3,180	3,525	3,560	3,730	3,058	3,948
	312	908	483	556	582	619	580	586	601	631
49 Мемо: Negotiable time certificates of deposit in custody for foreigners	10,747	14,307	10,346	10,904	11,415	11,048	10,714	10,437	10,476	9,277

[▲] Liabilities and claims of banks in the United States were increased, beginning in December 1981, by the shift from foreign branches to international banking facilities in the United States of liabilities to, and claims on, foreign residents.

4. Financial claims on residents of the United States, other than long-term securities, held by or through reporting banks.
5. Includes nonmarketable certificates of indebtedness and Treasury bills issued to official institutions of foreign countries.
6. Principally bankers acceptances, commercial paper, and negotiable time certificates of deposit.
7. Principally the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, and the Inter-American and Asian Development Banks.
8. Foreign central banks and foreign central governments, and the Bank for International Settlements.
9. Excludes central banks, which are included in "Official institutions."

residents.

1. Excludes negotiable time certificates of deposit, which are included in "Other negotiable and readily transferable instruments."

2. Includes borrowing under repurchase agreements.

3. U.S. banks: includes amounts due to own foreign branches and foreign subsidiaries consolidated in "Consolidated Report of Condition" filed with bank regulatory agencies. Agencies, branches, and majority-owned subsidiaries of foreign banks: principally amounts due to head office or parent foreign bank, and foreign branches, agencies or wholly owned subsidiaries of head office or parent foreign branches, agencies or wholly owned subsidiaries of head office or parent foreign branches, agencies or wholly owned subsidiaries of head office or parent foreign branches. foreign bank.

^{9.} Excludes central banks, which are included in "Official institutions."

3.17 Continued

	1001.4	1002	1007			19	84			1985
Area and country	1981▲	1982	1983	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p
1 Total	243,889	307,056	369,607	398,282	396,436	398,598	388,951	398,481′	405,372	401,059
2 Foreign countries	241,168	302,134	363,649	392,938	390,688	392,319	384,151	392,650	401,288	394,129
3 Europe	91,275	117,756	138,072	152,759	150,785	147,244	146,413	149,577	151,734	148,847
4 Austria	596 4,117	519 2,517	585 2,709	668 4,848	758 4,789	693 4,278	744 4,093	627 3,613	615 4,114	734 4,007
6 Denmark	333 296	509 748	466 531	429 947	408 489	341 638	337 407	434 487	438 418	452 425
8 France 9 Germany	8,486 7,645	8,171 5,351	9,441 3,599	12,031 3,973	11,539 3,758	11,547 3,036	11,641 3,331	11,935 ^r 3,405 ^r	12,701 3,351	11,907 3,582
10 Greece	463	537	520	600	566	567	609	602	699	616
11 Italy	7,267 2,823	5,626 3,362	8,462 4,290	6,960 5,615	8,356 5,116	8,266 5,239	8,976 4,421	11,056 5,077	10,757 4,799	9,657 4,663
13 Norway	1,457 354	1,567 388	1,673 373	1,624 440	2,026 539	1,912 434	1,895 540	1,693 552	1,548 597	1,717 620
15 Spain	916	1,405	1,603	1,825	1,971	1,984	1,905	1,873	2,082	2,016
16 Sweden	1,545 18,716	1,390 29,066	1,799 32,246	1,833 33,330	2,095 32,919	2,008 32,995	1,945 32,461	1,839 31,494	1,604' 31,126'	2,089 30,926
18 Turkey	518 28,286	296 48,172	467 60,683	340 69,767	354 67,976	320 65,445	557 65,384	457 66,944	584 ⁷ 67,894 ⁷	495 68,008
20 Yugoslavia	375	499	562	525	435	514	579	565	602	545
21 Other Western Europe ¹	6,541 49	7,006 50	7,403 65	6,539 31	6,114 47	6,247 41	6,062 50	6,387 ^r 54	7,183 ^r 79	5,712 96
23 Other Eastern Europe ²	493	576	596	435	532	738	476	481	544r	580
24 Canada	10,250	12,232	16,026	19,221	18,170	17,536	16,767	16,549	15,960°	16,233
25 Latin America and Caribbean	85,223 2,445	114,163 3,578	140,088 4,038	149,541 4,439	150,972 4,411	152,069 4,384	145,771 4,484	149,574 ^r 4,607 ^r	153,292r 4,424	152,614 4,522
27 Baĥamas	34,856	44,744	55.818	60,075	60,077	58,321	52,912	55,102°	56,320r	56,759
28 Bermuda	765 1,568	1,572 2,014	2,266 3,168	2,505 4,120	2,763 4,697	3,177 4,427	3,043 4,714	3,222r 4,978	2,370 ^r 5,332 ^r	2,704 4,967
30 British West Indies	17,794 664	26,381 1,626	34,545 1,842	33,984 2,176	33,789 2,070	35,926 1,874	34,419 2,052	34,336 2,185	36,914 ^r 2,001	35,202 1,944
31 Chile	2,993	2,594	1,689	1,801	1,791	1,957	2,022	2,057	2,514	2,360
33 Cuba	9 434	455	1,047	845	951	931	924	1,029	1,092	26 912
35 Guatemala	479 87	670 126	788 109	118 116	831 126	810 180	855 122	884 110	896 186	920 194
37 Mexico	7,235	8,377	10,392	11,733	12,268	12,869	12,466	13,422r	12,691	13,245
38 Netherlands Antilles	3,182 4,857	3,597 4,805	3,879 5,924	4,253 6,664	4,261 6,506	4,179 6,811	4,187 6,578	4,180 6,847	4,153° 6,928	4,388 6,869
40 Peru	694 367	1,147 759	1,166 1,244	1.278 1,302	1,273 1,319	1,343 1,418	1,304 1,361	1,258	1,247 1,394	1,152 1,485
42 Venezuela	4,245	8,417	8,632	9,684	10,046	9,615	10,367	10,013	10,545	10,667
43 Other Latin America and Caribbean	2,548	3,291	3,535	3,749	3,786	3,839	3,952	4,027	4,275	4,300
44 Asia	49,822 158	48,716	58,570 249	61,884	61,559	66,397 876	66,028 861	67,182 844	71,127 ^r	67,386
45 Mainland	2,082	2,761	4,051	4,891	4,799	4,970	5,041	5,355	4,976	5,098
47 Hong Kong	3,950 385	4,465 433	6,657 464	6.117 621	6,110 800	6,977 644	6,236 616	6,535 606	7,240 507	7,414 554
49 Indonesia	640 592	857 606	997 1,722	911 804	1,137 726	939 750	1,339 2,017	884 1,023	1,033 ^r 1,268	1,136 1,003
50 Israel	20,750	16,078	18,079	19,442	19,792	21,310	19,644	20,750	20,929	21,663
52 Korea	2,013 874	1,692 770	1,648 1,234	1,393 976	1,641	1,572 1,020	1,552 1,097	1,609	1,691 1,396′	1,561 1,637
54 Thailand	534 12,992	629 13,433	747 12,976	779 14,792	782 13,200	741 13,754	980 13,890	1,458 13,436	1,257 16,781	1,161 15,969
55 Middle-East oil-exporting countries ³	4,853	6,789	9,748	10,515	10,815	12,844	12,755	13,432	12,896	9,113
57 Africa	3,180 360	3,124 432	2,827 671	3,145 858	3,052 743	3,018 629	3,329 763	3,492 739	3,511 ^r 757	3,431 798
58 Egypt	32	81	84	128	119	136	115	117	118	120
60 South Africa	420 26	292 23	449 87	409 99	350 101	318 148	459 141	460 163	328 153	376 76
61 Zaire	1,395 946	1,280 1,016	620 917	706 946	775 964	821 966	998 852	1,034 978	1,189 ^r 966 ^r	1,188 872
64 Other countries	1,419 1,223	6,143 5,904	8,067 7,857	6,389 6,095	6,150 5,749	6,055 5,687	5,844 5,464	6,277 5,598	5,665 5,286	5,618 5,242
66 All other	196	239	210	294	401	368	379	679	379	376
67 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations	2,721	4,922	5,957	5,344	5,748	6,279	4,801	5,831	4,083	6,929
68 International	1,661	4,049	5,273	4,740	4,973	5,411	4,086	5,055	3,376	6,165
69 Latin American regional	710 350	517 357	419 265	431 173	445 330	488 381	518 196	593 183	587 120	600 165
70 Other regional ⁵										

[▲] Liabilities and claims of banks in the United States were increased, beginning in December 1981, by the shift from foreign branches to international banking facilities in the United States of liabilities to, and claims on, foreign residents.

1. Includes the Bank for International Settlements. Beginning April 1978, also includes Eastern European countries not listed in line 23.

2. Beginning April 1978 comprises Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, the German Democratic Republic, Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

^{3.} Comprises Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).
4. Comprises Algeria, Gabon, Libya, and Nigeria.
5. Asian, African, Middle Eastern, and European regional organizations, except the Bank for International Settlements, which is included in "Other Western Europe."

BANKS' OWN CLAIMS ON FOREIGNERS Reported by Banks in the United States Payable in U.S. Dollars

Millions of dollars, end of period

						198	4			1985
Area and country	1981▲	1982	1983	,		Γ		,,		
1 Table	251 500	155 705	201 212	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p
1 Total	251,589	355,705	391,312	404,168	396,232	393,959	383,444	384,517	398,611	386,664
2 Foreign countries	251,533	355,636 85,584	391,148 91,927	403,959 102,311	396,034 100,084	393,888	382,762	383,954	397,936	385,740
3 Europe 4 Austria 5 Belgium-Luxembourg 6 Denmark 7 Finland 8 France 9 Germany 10 Greece 11 Italy 12 Netherlands 13 Norway 14 Portugal	49,262 121 2,849 187 546 4,127 940 333 5,240 682 384 529	229 5,138 554 990 7,251 1,876 452 7,560 1,425 572 950	401 5,639 1,275 1,044 8,766 1,284 476 9,018 1,267 690 1,114	636 6,108 1,189 928 9,732 1,142 979 8,331 1,811 648 1,503	581 6,156 1,088 872 9,985 1,257 974 7,832 1,440 649 1,433	98,173 572 6,286 1,057 882 9,094 1,220 1,086 7,803 1,470 649 1,387	95,370 521 5,363 544 887 8,822 1,097 929 7,820 1,190 676 1,346	97,812r 532r 4,988r 4,988r 1,098r 9,299r 1,261 819r 8,854r 1,229 602 1,262	97,906 446 4,768 648 896 9,081 1,294 817 9,079 1,351 675 1,243	95,984 371 4,521 589 818 8,617 960 894 8,042 1,481 651 1,167
Spain	2,095 1,205 2,213 424 23,849 1,225 211 377 1,725	3,744 3,038 1,639 560 45,781 1,430 368 263 1,762	3,573 3,358 1,863 812 47,364 1,718 477 192 1,598	3,955 2,677 1,544 1,210 55,556 1,817 800 172 1,573	3,700 2,404 1,580 1,145 54,752 1,857 732 175 1,471	3,355 2,596 1,741 1,132 53,676 1,888 660 176 1,442	3,189 2,362 2,067 1,145 53,269 1,868 660 159 1,454	3,017' 2,313 2,275' 1,097 54,520' 1,866' 625' 169 1,467	2,882 2,220 2,206 1,130 55,133 1,886 607 142 1,402	2,849 2,475 2,308 1,232 54,857 1,862 668 118 1,505
24 Canada	9,193	13,678	16,341	18,350	16,326	16,604	16,634	15,778	16,054	16,311
25 Latin America and Caribbean 26 Argentina 27 Bahamas 28 Bermuda 29 Brazil 30 British West Indies 31 Chile 32 Colombia 33 Cuba 4 Ecuador 35 Guatemala ³ 36 Jamaica ³ 37 Mexico 38 Netherlands Antilles 39 Panama 40 Peru 41 Uruguay 42 Venezuela 43 Other Latin America and Caribbean	138.347 7.527 43.542 43.542 21.981 3.690 2.018 124 62 22.439 1.076 6.794 1.218 157 7.069 1.844	187.969 10.974 56.669 603 23,271 29,101 5,513 3,211 124 129,552 124 129,552 129,102 129,102 120,102 121,102 12	205,491 11,749 59,633 566 24,667 35,527 6,072 3,745 0 0 2,307 129 34,802 1,154 4,802 1,154 1,287 11,287 2,277	208,404 11,381 58,479 38,782 6,609 38,782 0,2396 124 219 35,306 1,381 7,057 2,487 961 10,836 2,306	203,465 11,021 56,612 509 25,991 35,390 6,619 3,444 2,380 130 216 35,016 1,302 2,401 930 11,137 2,165	203,001 11,108 55,216 55,216 508 26,140 36,002 6,836 3,438 0 2,365 120 2,25 35,602 1,296 7,639 2,397 934 10,982 2,191	198,372 11,014 52,006 6,795 3,343 0,2,452 141 234 35,364 1,337 7,540 2,416 9612 11,029 2,175	199,058 10,983' 54,084 635' 63,722' 6,703 3,406 0 2,431 148 1,337 7,360' 2,358 990 10,994' 2,123	207,543 11,044 58,027 592 26,284 38,088 6,839 3,499 0 2,420 158 252 34,694 1,357 7,702 2,384 1,088 811,003 2,112	199,466 11,444 54,595 617 25,886 35,370 0 2,472 153 226 33,954 1,273 2,388 1,055 2,119
44 Asia	49,851	60,952	67,837	64,812	65,979	66,006	62,356	61,398	66,386	64,284
45 Mainland 46 Taiwan 47 Hong Kong 48 India 49 Indonesia 50 Israel 51 Japan 52 Korea 53 Philippines 54 Thailand 55 Middle East oil-exporting countries 56 Other Asia	107 2,461 4,132 123 352 1,567 26,797 7,340 1,819 565 1,581 3,009	214 2,288 6,787 222 348 2,029 28,379 9,387 2,625 643 3,087 4,943	292 1,908 8,489 330 805 1,832 30,354 9,943 2,107 1,219 4,954 5,603	640 1,510 6,967 323 952 1,827 27,727 9,799 2,650 1,120 5,214 6,081	639 1,573 6,809 295 906 1,869 29,005 9,547 2,756 1,262 4,924 6,396	563 1,651 7,139 354 886 1,802 30,601 9,586 2,578 1,113 4,506 5,227	409 1,588 7,155 302 821 1,890 26,862 9,253 2,510 1,072 4,650 5,844	543r 1,679 6,945r 381 797 1,938 26,421r 8,896 2,487 1,112 4,687r 5,512r	710 1,853 7,364 427 733 2,088 29,038 9,264 2,583 1,125 5,075 6,126	507 1,745 6,800 300 708 1,938 28,493 8,753 2,499 1,123 5,005 6,412
57 Africa 58 Egypt 59 Morocco 60 South Africa 61 Zaire 62 Oil-exporting countries ⁵ 63 Other	3,503 238 284 1,011 112 657 1,201	5,346 322 353 2,012 57 801 1,802	6,654 747 440 2,634 33 1,073 1,727	7,048 638 549 3,307 43 1,025 1,485	6,969 613 556 3,281 30 996 1,493	6,830 650 545 3,152 18 944 1,522	6,862 674 582 3,140 18 938 1,510	6,719 693 536 2,960 19 911 1,600	6,613 728 583 2,795 18 839 1,649	6,497 668 552 2,790 33 812 1,642
64 Other countries 65 Australia	1,376 1,203 172	2,107 1,713 394	2,898 2,256 642	3,036 2,481 554	3,210 2,582 628	3,274 2,673 601	3,169 2,508 661	3,189 2,487 702	3,436 2,760 676	3,196 2,490 706
67 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations ⁶	56	68	164	209	198	71	681	562r	674	925

[▲] Liabilities and claims of banks in the United States were increased, beginning in December 1981, by the shift from foreign branches to international banking facilities in the United States of liabilities to, and claims on, foreign

Danking facilities in the Control States of Incomplete Regioning April 1978, also includes the Bank for International Settlements. Beginning April 1978, also includes Eastern European countries not listed in line 23.

2. Beginning April 1978 comprises Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, the German Democratic Republic, Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

^{3.} Included in "Other Latin America and Caribbean" through March 1978.
4. Comprises Bahrain. Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).
5. Comprises Algeria, Gabon, Libya, and Nigeria.
6. Excludes the Bank for International Settlements, which is included in "Other Western Europe."
NOTE. Data for period before April 1978 include claims of banks' domestic customers on foreigners.

3.19 BANKS' OWN AND DOMESTIC CUSTOMERS' CLAIMS ON FOREIGNERS Reported by Banks in the United States

Payable in U.S. Dollars

Millions of dollars, end of period

T. C. I.	1981▲	1002	1983			19	84			1985
Type of claim	1961	1982	1963	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p
1 Total	287,557	396,015	426,215			427,985			431,518	
2 Banks' own claims on foreigners. 3 Foreign public borrowers 4 Own foreign offices! 5 Unaffiliated foreign banks. 6 Deposits 7 Other. 8 All other foreigners	251,589 31,260 96,653 74,704 23,381 51,322 48,972	355,705 45,422 127,293 121,377 44,223 77,153 61,614	391,312 57,569 146,393 123,837 47,126 76,711 63,514	404,168 59,797 155,665 127,239 48,340 78,899 61,467	396,232 58,477 153,652 123,716 46,990 76,725 60,387	393,959 59,617 152,030 122,482 47,379 75,103 59,830	383,444 61,361 143,576 120,873 46,778 74,094 57,634	384,517 61,443 144,329 121,258 45,788 75,469 57,487	398,611 61,087 156,462 123,820 48,015 75,805 57,242	386,664 61,093 153,742 116,896 45,055 71,842 54,933
9 Claims of banks' domestic customers ² 10 Deposits	35,968 1,378	40,310 2,491	34,903 2,969			34,026 4,575			32,907 3,380	
instruments ³	26,352 8,238	30,763 7,056	26,064 5,870			23,396 6,055			23,805 5,723	
13 MEMO: Customer liability on acceptances	29,952	38,153	37,715			38,586			36,677	
Dollar deposits in banks abroad, re- ported by nonbanking business en- terprises in the United States ⁴	40,369	42,499	45,856	43,291	44,488 ^r	44,074	42,635r	43,777	39,601	n.a.

^{1.} U.S. banks: includes amounts due from own foreign branches and foreign subsidiaries consolidated in "Consolidated Report of Condition" filed with bank regulatory agencies. Agencies, branches, and majority-owned subsidiaries of foreign banks: principally amounts due from head office or parent foreign bank, and foreign branches, agencies, or wholly owned subsidiaries of head office or parent foreign bank.

2. Assets owned by customers of the reporting bank located in the United States that represent claims on foreigners held by reporting banks for the account of their demestic customers.

of their domestic customers

3. Principally negotiable time certificates of deposit and bankers acceptances.

Note. Beginning April 1978, data for banks' own claims are given on a monthly basis, but the data for claims of banks' own domestic customers are available on a quarterly basis only.

3.20 BANKS' OWN CLAIMS ON UNAFFILIATED FOREIGNERS Reported by Banks in the United States Payable in U.S. Dollars

Millions of dollars, end of period

Maturity; by borrower and area	1981▲	1982	1983	1984						
maturity; by borrower and area	1961	1982	1983	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.			
l Total	154,590	228,150	243,715	238,819	249,646	240,674	243,246			
By borrower 2 Maturity of 1 year or less ¹ 3 Foreign public borrowers 4 All other foreigners 5 Maturity of over 1 year ¹ 6 Foreign public borrowers 7 All other foreigners	116,394	173,917	176,158	163,567	172,144	162,914	165,547			
	15,142	21,256	24,039	20,453	21,018	21,059	22,059			
	101,252	152,661	152,120	143,114	151,126	141,854	143,489			
	38,197	54,233	67,557	75,252	77,501	77,760	77,699			
	15,589	23,137	32,521	36,333	37,797	38,410	39,594			
	22,608	31,095	35,036	38,919	39,704	39,350	38,105			
By area Maturity of 1 year or less ¹ 8 Europe 9 Canada 10 Latin America and Caribbean 11 Asia 12 Africa 13 All other ²	28,130	50,500	56,117	54,393	59,666	56,769	58,382			
	4,662	7,642	6,211	6,509	6,925	5,896	5,961			
	48,717	73,291	73,660	65,658	65,109	61,479	60,500			
	31,485	37,578	34,403	31,206	34,002	32,252	33,796			
	2,457	3,680	4,199	4,472	4,790	4,798	4,442			
	943	1,226	1,569	1,330	1,652	1,720	2,466			
Maturity of over 1 year! 14 Europe 15 Canada 16 Latin America and Canibbean 17 Asia 18 Africa 19 All other ²	8,100	11,636	13,576	13,334	12,827	11,269	9,572			
	1,808	1,931	1,857	2,038	2,203	1,801	1,884			
	25,209	35,247	43,888	51,233	54,271	56,577	57,821			
	1,907	3,185	4,850	5,150	5,098	5,106	5,303			
	900	1,494	2,286	2,291	1,865	1,857	2,011			
	272	740	1,101	1,206	1,237	1,150	1,107			

[▲] Liabilities and claims of banks in the United States were increased, beginning in December 1981, by the shift from foreign branches to international banking facilities in the United States of liabilities to, and claims on, foreign residents.

Includes demand and time deposits and negotiable and nonnegotiable certificates of deposit denominated in U.S. dollars issued by banks abroad. For description of changes in data reported by nonbanks, see July 1979 BULLETIN, p. 550.

[▲] Liabilities and claims of banks in the United States were increased, beginning in December 1981, by the shift from foreign branches to international banking facilities in the United States of liabilities to, and claims on, foreign

Remaining time to maturity.
 Includes nonmonetary international and regional organizations.

CLAIMS ON FOREIGN COUNTRIES Held by U.S. Offices and Foreign Branches of U.S.-Chartered Banks¹ Billions of dollars, end of period

	1000	1001	1982		19	83			19	84	
Area or country	1980	1981	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.	Маг.	June ⁷	Sept.	Dec.p
l Total	352.0	415.2	438.7	443.7	439.9	431.0	437.3r	434.2 ^r	429.2 ^r	409.7	407.6
2 G-10 countries and Switzerland. 3 Belgium-Luxembourg 4 France 5 Germany 6 Italy 7 Netherlands 8 Sweden. 9 Switzerland 10 United Kingdom. 11 Canada. 12 Japan	162.1 13.0 14.1 12.1 8.2 4.4 2.9 5.0 67.4 8.4 26.5	175.5 13.3 15.3 12.9 9.6 4.0 3.7 5.5 70.1 10.9 30.2	179.7 13.1 17.1 12.7 10.3 3.6 5.0 5.0 72.1 10.4 30.2	182.5r 13.8r 17.1 13.4r 10.2 4.3 4.3 4.5r 73.4r 12.5 29.0r	177.1 ^r 13.3 17.1 12.6 10.5 4.0 4.7 4.8 70.8 ^r 10.8 28.5 ^r	168.8 ^r 12.6 16.2 11.6 9.9 ^r 3.6 4.9 4.2 67.8 8.9 ^r 29.0 ^r	168.0 12.4 16.3 11.3 11.4 3.5 5.1 4.3 65.4r 8.3 29.9r	166.1r 11.0 15.9 11.7 11.2 3.4r 5.2 4.3 65.1r 8.6r 29.8r	157.8 10.8 14.3 11.0 11.5 3.0 4.3 4.2 60.2 8.9 29.5	148.1 9.8 14.3 10.0 9.7 3.4 3.5 3.9 57.4 8.1 27.9	147.5 8.8 14.0 9.0 10.1 3.9 3.2 4.0 59.7 7.8 27.1
13 Other developed countries 14 Austria 15 Denmark 16 Finland 17 Greece 18 Norway 19 Portugal 20 Spain. 21 Turkey 22 Other Western Europe 23 South Africa 24 Australia	21.6 1.9 2.3 1.4 2.8 2.6 .6 4.4 1.5 1.7 1.1	28.4 1.9 2.3 1.7 2.8 3.1 1.1 6.6 1.4 2.1 2.8 2.5	33.7 1.9 2.4 2.2 3.0 3.3 1.5 7.5 1.4 2.3 3.7 4.4	34.0 2.1 3.3 2.1 2.9 3.3 1.4 7.0 1.5 2.3 3.6 4.6	34.5 2.1 3.4 2.1 2.9 3.4 1.4 7.2 1.4 2.0 3.9 4.5	34.3 1.9 3.3 1.8 2.9 3.2 1.4 7.1r 1.5 2.1 4.7 4.4	36.1 1.9 3.4 2.4 2.8 3.3 1.5 7.1 1.7 1.8 4.7 5.5	35.7 2.0 3.4 2.1 3.0 3.2 1.4 7.1 1.9 1.8 4.8 5.2	37.1 2.0 3.1 2.3 3.3 3.2 1.7 7.3 2.0 1.9 4.7 5.7	36.3 1.8 2.9 1.9 3.2 1.6 6.9 2.0 1.7 5.0 6.2	33.8 1.7 2.2 1.9 2.9 3.0 1.4 6.5 1.9 1.7 4.5 6.1
25 OPEC countries² 26 Ecuador 27 Venezuela 28 Indonesia 29 Middle East countries 30 African countries	22.7 2.1 9.1 1.8 6.9 2.8	24.8 2.2 9.9 2.6 7.5 2.5	27.4 2.2 10.5 3.2 8.7 2.8	28.5 2.2 10.4 3.5 9.3 3.0	28.3 2.2 10.4 3.2 9.5 3.0	27.2 2.1 9.8 3.4 9.1 2.8	28.9 2.2 9.9 3.8 10.0 3.0	28.6 2.1 9.7 4.0 9.8 3.0	26.7 2.1 9.5 4.0 8.4 2.7	25.0 2.1 9.2 3.8 7.4 2.5	25.6 2.2 9.3 3.7 8.2 2.3
31 Non-OPEC developing countries	77.4	96.3	107.1	108.1	108.8	109.8	111.6	112.1	112.7	111.9	112.3
Latin America 32 Argentina	7.9 16.2 3.7 2.6 15.9 1.8 3.9	9.4 19.1 5.8 2.6 21.6 2.0 4.1	8.9 22.9 6.3 3.1 24.5 2.6 4.0	9.0 23.2 6.0 2.9 25.1 2.4 4.2	9.4 22.7 5.8 3.2 25.3 2.6 4.3	9.5 23.1 6.3 3.2 25.9 2.4 4.2	9.5 23.1 6.4 3.2 26.1 2.4 4.2	9.5 25.1 6.5 3.1 25.6 2.3 4.4	9.2 25.4 6.7 3.0 26.0° 2.3 4.0	9.1 26.3 7.1 2.9 26.1 2.2 3.9	8.7 26.3 7.0 2.9 25.8 2.2 3.9
Asia China China 39 Mainland 40 Taiwan 41 India 42 Israel 43 Korea (South) 44 Malaysia 45 Philippines 46 Thailand 47 Other Asia	.2 4.2 .3 1.5 7.1 1.1 5.1 1.6 .6	.2 5.1 .3 2.1 9.4 1.7 6.0 1.5	5.3 .6 2.3 10.9 2.1 6.3 1.6 1.1	2.5 5.1 7 2.0 10.9 2.5 6.6 1.6	.2 5.1 .7 2.3 10.9 2.6 6.4 1.8 1.2	.2 5.2 .8 1.7 10.9 2.8 6.2 1.8 ^r	3 5.3 1.0 1.9 11.3r 2.9 6.2 2.2r 1.0	.3 4.9 1.0 1.6 11.1 2.8 6.7 2.1r	.6 5.3 ^r 1.0 1.9 11.2 2.7 6.3 1.9 ^r	5.2 1.1 1.7 10.3 3.0 5.9 1.8 1.0	.7 5.1 1.0 1.8 10.7 2.8 6.0 1.8 1.1
Africa 48 Egypt. 49 Morocco. 50 Zaire. 51 Other Africa ³ .	.8 .7 .2 2.1	1.1 .7 .2 2.3	1.2 .7 .1 2.4	1.1 .8 .1 2.3	1.3 .8 .1 2.2	1.4 .8 .1 2.4	1.5 .8 .1 2.3	1.4 ^r .8 .1 2.2	1.4 .8 .I 1.9	1.2 .8 .1 1.9	1.2 .8 .1 2.1
52 Eastern Europe. 53 U.S.S.R 54 Yugoslavia. 55 Other	7.4 .4 2.3 4.6	7.8 .6 2.5 4.7	6.2 .3 2.2 3.7	5.7 .3 2.2 3.2	5.8 .4 2.3 3.0	5.3 .2 2.3 2.8	5.3 .2 2.4 2.8	4.9 .2 2.3 2.5	4.9 .2 2.3 2.4	4.5 .2 2.3 2.1	4.5 .1 2.3 2.1
56 Offshore banking centers 57 Bahamas 58 Bermuda 59 Cayman Islands and other British West Indies 60 Netherlands Antilles 61 Panama¹ 62 Lebanon 63 Hong Kong 64 Singapore 65 Others³	47.0 13.7 .6 10.6 2.1 5.4 .2 8.1 5.9	63.7 19.0 .7 12.4 3.2 7.7 .2 11.8 8.7	66.8 19.0 .9 12.9 3.3 7.6 .1 13.9 9.2	68.0° 18.6° 1.0 12.6° 3.1 7.1 .1 15.1 10.4 .0	69.3 ^r 20.7 .8 12.7 ^r 2.6 6.6 .1 14.5 11.2 .0	68.7r 21.6r .8 10.5r 4.1 5.7 .1 15.2 10.5	70.5r 21.8r .9 12.2r 4.2 6.0 .1 15.0r 10.3	70.5r 24.6 .7 11.2r 3.3 6.3 .1 14.4 10.0r 0	73.0° 27.3° .7 11.3° 3.3 6.6° .1 13.5 10.2	66.5 23.7 1.0 10.7 3.1 5.7 .1 12.7 9.5	66.8 21.6 .9 11.7 3.4 6.8 .1 12.5 9.8
66 Miscellaneous and unallocated ⁶	14.0	18.8	17.9	16.9	16.2	16.9	17.0	16.3 ^r	17.3	17.3	17.2

^{1.} The banking offices covered by these data are the U.S. offices and foreign branches of U.S.-owned banks and of U.S. subsidiaries of foreign-owned banks. Offices not covered include (1) U.S. agencies and branches of foreign banks, and (2) foreign subsidiaries of U.S. banks. To minimize duplication, the data are adjusted to exclude the claims on foreign branches held by a U.S. office or another foreign branch claims in table 3.14 (the sum of lines 7 through 10) with the claims of U.S. offices in table 3.18 (excluding those held by agencies and branches of foreign banks and those constituting claims on own foreign branches).

2. Besides the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries shown individually, this group includes other members of OPEC (Algeria, Gabon, Iran, Iraq,

Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates) as well as Bahrain and Oman (not formally members of OPEC).

3. Excludes Liberia.

Includes Canal Zone beginning December 1979. Foreign branch claims only.

^{6.} Includes New Zealand, Liberia, and international and regional organiza-

tions.

7. Beginning with June 1984 data, reported claims held by foreign branches have been reduced by an increase in the reporting threshold for "shell" branches from \$50 million to \$150 million equivalent in total assets, the threshold now applicable to all reporting branches.

3.22 LIABILITIES TO UNAFFILIATED FOREIGNERS Reported by Nonbanking Business Enterprises in the United States¹

Millions of dollars, end of period

					19	83	1984				
	Type, and area or country	1980	1861	1982	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.P		
1 '	Total	29,434	28,618	27,512	26,325	24,866	29,189	34,000	30,708		
2 I	Payable in dollarsPayable in foreign currencies	25,689	24,909	24,280	23,546	21,918	25,968	30,815	27,910		
3 I		3,745	3,709	3,232	2,780	2,948	3,221	3,185	2,799		
4 1 5 6	By type Financial liabilities Payable in dollars Payable in foreign currencies	11,330 8,528 2,802	12,157 9,499 2,658	11,066 8,858 2,208	10,900 9,025 1,875	10,349 8,619 1,730	14,165 12,134 2,031	18,327 16,297 2,030	15,854 14,069 1,784		
7 (Commercial liabilities. Trade payables Advance receipts and other liabilities.	18,104	16,461	16,446	15,425	14,516	15,024	15,674	14,855		
8		12,201	10,818	9,438	8,567	7,736	7,865	7,897	6,921		
9		5,903	5,643	7,008	6,858	6,780	7,159	7,776	7,934		
10	Payable in dollars	17,161	15,409	15,423	14,521	13,299	13,834	14,518	13,841		
11		943	1,052	1,023	904	1,218	1,190	1,155	1,014		
12	By area or country Financial liabilities Europe Belgium-Luxembourg France Germany Netherlands Switzerland United Kingdom	6,481	6,825	6,501	6,014	5,675	7,071	7,230	6,700		
13		479	471	505	379	302	428	359	419		
14		327	709	783	785	820	933	900	904		
15		582	491	467	449	498	519	561	508		
16		681	748	711	730	581	527	583	584		
17		354	715	792	500	486	641	563	513		
18		3,923	3,565	3,102	3,014	2,839	3,790	4,013	3,471		
19	Canada	964	963	746	788	768	798	735	820		
20	Latin America and Caribbean. Bahamas Bermuda Brazil British West Indies Mexico Venezuela	3,136	3,356	2,751	2,737	2,609	4,914	8,888	6,754		
21		964	1,279	904	784	751	1,419	3,603	2,610		
22		1	7	14	13	13	51	13	11		
23		23	22	28	32	32	37	25	32		
24		1,452	1,241	1,027	1,095	1,018	2,635	4,457	3,244		
25		99	102	121	185	215	245	237	246		
26		81	98	114	117	124	121	124	128		
27	Asia	723	976	1,039	1,327	1,268	1,355	1,449	1,551		
28	Japan	644	792	715	896	835	947	1,000	1,070		
29	Middle East oil-exporting countries ²	38	75	169	201	170	170	180	140		
30 31	AfricaOil-exporting countries ³	11 1	14 0	17 0	19	19 0	19 0	16 0	16 0		
32	All other4	15	24	12	15	10	9	9	13		
33	Commercial liabilities Europe Belgium-Luxembourg Grance Germany Netherlands Switzerland United Kingdom	4,402	3,770	3,831	3,633	3,245	3,567	3,409	3,967		
34		90	71	52	47	62	40	45	34		
35		582	573	598	523	437	488	525	430		
36		679	545	468	472	427	417	501	552		
37		219	220	346	243	268	259	265	238		
38		499	424	367	460	241	477	246	417		
39		1,209	880	1,027	967	732	847	794	1,133		
40	Canada	888	897	1,495	1,418	1,841	1,776	1,840	1,923		
41	Latin America and Caribbean. Bahamas Bermuda Brazil British West Indies Mexico Venezuela	1,300	1.044	1,570	1,508	1,445	1,778	1,705	1,758		
42		8	2	16	1	1	14	17	1		
43		75	67	117	77	67	158	124	110		
44		111	67	60	48	44	68	31	68		
45		35	2	32	14	6	33	5	8		
46		367	340	436	512	585	682	568	641		
47		319	276	642	539	404	531	630	628		
48	Asia	10,242	9,384	8,144	7,638	6,741	6,620	6,989	5,554		
49		802	1,094	1,226	1,305	1,247	1,291	1,235	1,388		
50		8,098	7,008	5,503	4,817	4,178	3,735	4,190	2,361		
51	AfricaOil-exporting countries ³	817	703	753	628	553	539	684	587		
52		517	344	277	231	167	243	217	251		
53	All other4	456	664	651	600	692	743	1,046	1,067		

^{1.} For a description of the changes in the International Statistics tables, see July 1979 BULLETIN, p. 550.
2. Comprises Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).

Comprises Algeria, Gabon, Libya, and Nigeria.
 Includes nonmonetary international and regional organizations.
 Revisions include a reclassification of transactions, which also affects the totals for Asia and the grand totals.

CLAIMS ON UNAFFILIATED FOREIGNERS Reported by Nonbanking Business Enterprises in the United States¹

Millions of dollars, end of period

		4004		198	83	1984			
Type, and area or country	1980	1981	1982	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.p	
1 Total	34,482	36,185	28,725	32,934	34,547	32,773	31,322	29,537	
2 Payable in dollars	31,528	32,582	26,085	30,029	31,458	29,885	28,357	26,762	
	2,955	3,603	2,640	2,905	3,089	2,888	2,965	2,775	
By type	19,763	21,142	17,684	22,038	23,416	21,911	20,874	19,254	
	14,166	15,081	13,058	16,907	18,020	16,665	15,759	14,542	
	13,381	14,456	12,628	16,463	17,523	16,236	15,250	14,110	
	785	625	430	445	497	428	510	432	
	5,597	6,061	4,626	5,130	5,396	5,246	5,114	4,711	
	3,914	3,599	2,979	3,279	3,441	3,457	3,358	3,028	
	1,683	2,462	1,647	1,851	1,955	1,788	1,756	1,683	
11 Commercial claims 12 Trade receivables 13 Advance payments and other claims.	14,720	15,043	11,041	10,896	11,131	10,862	10,448	10,283	
	13,960	14,007	9,994	9,562	9,721	9,540	9,105	8,867	
	759	1,036	1,047	1,334	1,410	1,321	1,343	1,416	
14 Payable in dollars	14,233	14,527	10,478	10,287	10,494	10,191	9,749	9,624	
	487	516	563	609	637	671	699	659	
By area or country Financial claims Europe 17 Belgium-Luxembourg. 18 France 19 Germany. 20 Netherlands 21 Switzerland. 22 United Kingdom	6,069	4,596	4,873	6,232	6,440	6,179	6,259	5,424	
	145	43	15	25	37	30	37	15	
	298	285	134	135	154	175	151	162	
	230	224	178	161	159	148	161	187	
	51	50	97	89	71	57	158	62	
	54	117	107	34	38	90	61	64	
	4,987	3,546	4,064	5,577	5,768	5,470	5,438	4,703	
23 Canada	5,036	6,755	4,377	5,244	6,111	5,610	5,098	4,344	
24 Latin America and Caribbean. 25 Bahamas. 26 Bermuda. 27 Brazil. 28 British West Indies. 29 Mexico. 30 Venezuela.	7,811	8,812	7,546	9,500	9,809	9,079	8,238	8,320	
	3,477	3,650	3,279	3,829	4,745	3,787	3,122	3,162	
	135	18	32	62	96	3	5	5	
	96	30	62	49	53	87	83	84	
	2,755	3,971	3,255	4,457	3,830	4,302	4,210	4,187	
	208	313	274	315	291	279	230	232	
	137	148	139	137	134	130	124	128	
31 Asia	607	758	698	764	764	753	963	893	
	189	366	153	257	297	309	307	376	
	20	37	15	8	4	7	8	7	
34 Africa	208	173	158	151	147	144	158	160	
	26	46	48	45	55	42	35	37	
36 All other4	32	48	31	148	145	145	158	113	
Commercial claims 37	5,544	5,405	3,826	3,394	3,670	3,608	3,555	3,563	
	233	234	151	116	135	173	142	128	
	1,129	776	474	486	459	413	408	410	
	599	561	357	382	348	363	443	367	
	318	299	350	282	334	308	306	303	
	354	431	360	292	317	336	250	289	
	929	985	811	738	809	787	812	888	
44 Canada	914	967	633	792	829	1,061	933	1,024	
45 Latin America and Caribbean. 46 Bahamas. 47 Bermuda. 48 Brazil. 49 British West Indies. 50 Mexico. 51 Venezuela.	3,766	3,479	2,526	2,870	2,695	2,419	2,042	1,886	
	21	12	21	15	8	8	4	14	
	108	223	261	246	190	216	89	88	
	861	668	258	611	493	357	310	219	
	34	12	12	12	7	7	8	10	
	1,102	1,022	775	898	884	745	577	509	
	410	424	351	282	272	268	241	242	
52 Asia	3,522	3,959	3,050	2,934	3,063	2,997	3,085	2,879	
	1,052	1,245	1,047	1,033	1,114	1,186	1,178	1,087	
	825	905	751	719	737	701	710	702	
55 Africa	653	772	588	562	588	497	536	594	
	153	152	140	131	139	132	128	135	
57 Ali other 4	321	461	417	344	286	280	297	338	

^{1.} For a description of the changes in the International Statistics tables, see July 1979 BULLETIN, p. 550.
2. Comprises Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).

Comprises Algeria, Gabon, Libya, and Nigeria.
 Includes nonmonetary international and regional organizations.

3.24 FOREIGN TRANSACTIONS IN SECURITIES

Millions of dollars

	-		1985			19	84			1985
Transactions, and area or country	1983	1984	Jan.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.₽
		!	l	U.	S. corpora	te securitie	s	l	<u> </u>	I
Stocks										
1 Foreign purchases	69,770 64,360	60,457 63,394	5,002 5,700	3,377 3,946	7,255 7,399	4,052 4,892	4,657 5,398	4,838 ^r 4,752	4,482 5,049	5,002 5,700
3 Net purchases, or sales (-)	5,410	-2,937	-698	-569	-144	-840	-741	86	-567	-698
4 Foreign countries	5,312	-3,052	-716	-578	-290	-909	-752	74	-466	-716
5 Europe 6 France 7 Germany 8 Netherlands 9 Switzerland. 10 United Kingdom 11 Canada 12 Latin America and Caribbean. 13 Middle East 14 Other Asia 15 Africa 16 Other countries	3,979 -97 1,045 -109 1,325 1,799 1,151 529 -808 395 42 24	-2,992 -405 -50 -315 -1,490 -664 1,673 493 -1,998 -377 -23 171	-561 -20 -135 -44 -161 -178 46 103 -52 -264 -7 19	-592 -45 -38 -34 -321 -127 188 -58 -55 -76 -2	-410 -28 -125 -19 -358 146 129 213 -214 -57 -5 54	-690 -67 -63 -66 -335 -131 149 9 -207 -160 -6 -3	-529 -37 -10 -47 -130 -251 150 -89 -270 -92 -8 87	-96 -46 11 -15 -34 11 47 30 -12 -74 -8 39	-359 -54 -105 -29 -249 91 134 67 -196 -97 -6 -11	-561 -20 -135 -44 -161 -178 46 103 -52 -264 -7 19
17 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations	98	115	17	9	147	69	11	11	-101	17
Bonds ²		,								
18 Foreign purchases	24,000 23,097	39,176 26,030	5,948 3,106	3,082 2,503	2,885 2,030	3,356 2,035	6,994 3,060	4,899 2,556	6,380 2,901	5,948 3,106
20 Net purchases, or sales (-)	903	13,146	2,843	579	855	1,321	3,934	2,342	3,479	2,843
21 Foreign countries	888	12,849	2,847	539	902	1,278	3,954	2,130	3,504	2,847
22 Europe	909 -89 344 51 583 434 123 100 -1,161 865 0 52	11,669 207 1,728 93 644 8,400 -71 390 -1,011 1,862 1	2,636 555 70 9 12 2,441 59 90 -123 140 11	480 33 256 3 13 -80 -35 14 -60 138 0	502 17 181 16 49 311 54 76 1 265	1,004 8 19 2 9 922 3 64 -19 223 1 3	3,956 143 606 22 253 2,860 -3 42 -232 192 0	1,950 -11 139 -1 159 1,599 13 44 -45 169 -2	3,314 24 182 15 276 2,755 14 78 -179 276 1	2,636 55 70 9 12 2,441 59 90 -123 140 11 35
34 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations	15	297	-4	41	-48	43	-20	213	-24	-4
		_			Foreign s	ecurities				
35 Stocks, net purchases, or sales (-)	-3,765 13,281 17,046	-1,074 14,584 15,658	-764 1,160 1,924	111 899 787	-489 1,284 1,773	-340 921 1,261	-318 1,333 1,651	-177 1,147 1,324	-221 1,169 1,390	-764 1,160 1,924
38 Bonds, net purchases, or sales (-)	-3,239 36,333 39,572	-3,535 57,401 60,935	228 5,438 5,210	178 4,427 4,249	-287 5,770 6,057	-481 4,122 4,604	-1,187 4,527 5,714	-231 6,601 6,832	-1,108 5,200 6,307	228 5,438 5,210
41 Net purchases, or sales (-), of stocks and bonds	-7,004	-4,609	-536	289	-777	-821	-1,505	-408	-1,328	-536
42 Foreign countries 43 Europe 44 Canada 45 Latin America and Caribbean 46 Asia 47 Africa 48 Other countries 49 Nonmonetary international and	-6,559 -5,492 -1,328 1,120 -855 141 -144	-4,220 -8,546 413 2,474 1,410 -107 137	-665 -725 75 206 -337 -4 120	227 -468 174 237 331 -21 -25	-613 -602 -7 127 -136 11 -5	-884 -962 -198 28 169 -14 92	-1,470 -1,574 -68 217 -30 -19 6	-561 -707 -23 207 88 -16 -110	-619 -1,100 254 104 -50 3 169	-665 -725 75 206 -337 -4 120
regional organizations	-445	389	-129	62	-163	64	-36	153	709	129

1. Comprises oil-exporting countries as follows: Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).
2. Includes state and local government securities, and securities of U.S. government agencies and corporations. Also includes issues of new debt securi-

ties sold abroad by U.S. corporations organized to finance direct investments abroad.

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3.25 MARKETABLE U.S. TREASURY BONDS AND NOTES Foreign Holdings and Transactions Millions of dollars

	1002	1004	1985			19	84			1985
Country or area	1983	1984	Jan.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.p
				Но	ldings (end	of period	l)¹			
Estimated total ²	88,913	110,352		94,862	101,457	97,664	100,595	102,791	110,352	112,660
2 Foreign countries ²	83,799	100,258		87,909	93,486	91,755	92,847	95,139	100,258	104,051
3 Europe ² . 4 Belgium-Luxembourg. 5 Germany ² . 6 Netherlands. 7 Sweden. 8 Switzerland ² . 9 United Kingdom. 10 Other Western Europe. 11 Eastern Europe. 12 Canada. 13 Latin America and Caribbean. 14 Venezuela. 15 Other Latin America and Caribbean. 16 Netherlands Antilles. 17 Asia. 18 Japan. 19 Africa. 20 All other. 21 Nonmonetary international and regional organizations. 22 International.	847 1,118 8,515 4,594 0 1,301 863 64 716 83 46,008 13,892 79 38 5,114 4,404			40,375 138 19,627 3,109 957 2,021 9,443 5,087 -1,631 133 755 590 -532 45,575 15,719 88 108	44,365 171 20,663 3,122 905 2,089 12,301 5,122 -1 1,862 446 76 822 -452 46,575 16,248 -11 250 7,971 7,340	43,653 191 19,915 3,116 981 2,188 11,988 5,275 -1 2,149 611 79 914 -382 45,100 16,230 15 227 5,909 5,191	44,448 218 19,876 3,574 980 2,015 12,729 5,056 -1 2,386 931 80 975 -124 44,797 17,082 15 271 7,748 6,843	45,223 259 19,913 3,567 981 1,728 12,974 5,803 -1 2,578 1,896 88 1,031 777 45,166 18,369 10 266 7,652 6,655	46.575 305 20,249 3,583 893 1,753 13,742 6,052 -1 2,827 2,276 78 1,244 9,55 48,384 19,954 12 183 10,094 9,016	47.086 408 20.128 3,501 1,042 1,722 14,147 6,137 2,752 2,425 1,242 1,101 51,477 20,532 14 296 8,609 7,341
23 Latin American regional	6	6		6	6	6	6	6	6	6
			Transact	ions (net p	ourchases,	or sales (-) during	period)		
24 Total ²	3,693	21,438	2,309	1,599	6,596	-3,799	2,931	2,197	7,559	2,309
Foreign countries ² Official institutions To ther foreign ² Nonmonetary international and regional organizations	779	16,459 467 15,992 4,982	3,793 2,525 1,268 -1,484	1,172 177 994 428	5,576 1,366 4,210 1,020	-1,736 -1,968 232 -2,063	1,092 -823 1,915 1,839	2,293 -602 2,895 -96	5,118 1,909 3,209 2,442	3,793 2,525 1,268 -1,484
MEMO: Oil-exporting countries 29 Middle East ³ 30 Africa ⁴	-5,419 -1	-6,277 -101	27 0	-312 0	-411 -100	-144 0	- 983 0	-1,284 0	-200 0	27 0

^{1.} Estimated official and private holdings of marketable U.S. Treasury securities with an original maturity of more than 1 year. Data are based on a benchmark survey of holdings as of Jan. 31, 1971, and monthly transactions reports. Excludes nonmarketable U.S. Treasury bonds and notes held by official institutions of foreign countries.

Beginning December 1978, includes U.S. Treasury notes publicly issued to private foreign residents denominated in foreign currencies.
 Comprises Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and United Arab Emirates (Trucial States).
 Comprises Algeria, Gabon, Libya, and Nigeria.

3.26 DISCOUNT RATES OF FOREIGN CENTRAL BANKS

Percent per annum

	Rate on Feb. 28, 1985			Rate on	Feb. 28, 1985		Rate on Feb. 28, 1985	
Country	Per- cent	Month effective	Country	Per- cent	Month effective	Country	Per- cent	Month effective
Austria Belgium Brazii Canada Denmark	11.0 49.0	June 1984 Feb. 1984 Mar. 1981 Feb. 1985 Oct. 1983	France ¹	4.5	Feb. 1985 June 1984 Jan. 1985 Oct. 1983 Feb. 1985	Norway Switzerland United Kingdom ² Venezuela	4.0	June 1979 Mar. 1983 May 1983

^{1.} As of the end of February 1981, the rate is that at which the Bank of France discounts Treasury bills for 7 to 10 days.

2. Minimum lending rate suspended as of Aug. 20, 1981.

Nort. Rates shown are mainly those at which the central bank either discounts

or makes advances against eligible commercial paper and/or government commercial banks or brokers. For countries with more than one rate applicable to such discounts or advances, the rate shown is the one at which it is understood the central bank transacts the largest proportion of its credit operations.

3.27 FOREIGN SHORT-TERM INTEREST RATES

Percent per annum, averages of daily figures

Country, or type	1982	1983	1984	1984					1985	
Country, or type	1762			Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
1 Eurodollars	12.21 14.38	9.57 10.06 9.48 5.73 4.11	10.75 9.91 11.29 5.96 4.35	11.81 11.09 12.41 6.00 4.81	11.67 10.79 12.20 5.81 5.04	10.77 10.60 11.99 6.06 5.23	9.50 9.87 11.09 5.92 5.03	8.90 9.74 10.41 5.81 4.96	8.37 11.63 9.70 5.84 5.13	9.05 13.69 10.63 6.13 5.66
6 Netherlands 7 France 8 Italy 9 Belgium 10 Japan	14.61 19.99	5.58 12.44 18.95 10.51 6.49	6.08 11.66 17.08 11.41 6.32	6.26 11.37 16.50 11.73 6.35	6.23 11.00 17.28 11.16 6.33	6.16 10.75 17.13 11.00 6.31	5.87 10.54 17.13 10.81 6.32	5.77 10.66 16.86 10.75 6.33	5.87 10.43 15.82 10.75 6.27	6.90 10.60 15.79 10.75 6.29

Note. Rates are for 3-month interbank loans except for Canada, finance company paper; Belgium, 3-month Treasury bills; and Japan, Gensaki rate.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Currency units per dollar

Constanton	1982	1983	1984	1984				1985	
Country/currency	1982			Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
1 Australia/dollar¹ 2 Austria/schilling 3 Belgium/franc 4 Brazil/cruzeiro 5 Canada/dollar 6 China, P.R./yuan 7 Denmark/krone	101.65 17.060 45.780 179.22 1.2344 1.8978 8.3443	90.14 17.968 51.121 573.27 1.2325 1.9809 9.1483	87.937 20.005 57.749 1841.50 1.2953 2.3308 10.354	83.08 21.293 61.132 2226.79 1.3145 2.5469 10.9753	83.64 21.557 62.048 2453.64 1.3189 2.6488 11.090	85.88 21.075 60.475 2734.16 1.3168 2.6785 10.824	84.00 21.802 62.380 3008.55 1.3201 2.7953 11.126	81.51 22.267 63.455 3346.67 1.3240 2.8160 11.330	73.74 23.190 66.310 3768.17 1.3547 2.8347 11.807
8 Finland/markka 9 France/franc 10 Germany/deutsche mark 11 Greece/drachma 12 Hong Kong/dollar 13 India/rupee 14 Ireland/pound ¹ 15 Israel/shekel	4.8086 6.5793 2.428 66.872 6.0697 9.4846 142.05 24.407	5.5636 7.6203 2.5539 87.895 7.2569 10.1040 124.81 55.865	6.0007 8.7355 2.8454 112.73 7.8188 11.348 108.64 n.a.	6.2783 9.3041 3.0314 120.40 7.8430 11.858 102.28 n.a.	6.3726 9.4108 3.0678 126.06 7.8242 12.027 100.85 n.a.	6.2653 9.1981 2.9985 123.63 7.8235 12.078 103.41 n.a.	6.4563 9.5083 3.1044 127.26 7.8287 12.293 100.37 n.a.	6.6368 9.7036 3.1706 129.38 7.8110 12.612 98.23 n.a.	6.8616 10.093 3.3025 134.73 7.8017 12.922 94.23 n.a.
16 Italy/lira 17 Japan/yen 18 Malaysia/ringgit 19 Mexico/peso 20 Netherlands/guilder 21 New Zealand/dollar 22 Norway/krone 23 Philippines/peso 24 Portugal/escudo	1354.00 249.06 2.3395 72.990 2.6719 75.101 6.4567 8.5324 80.101	1519.30 237.55 2.3204 155.01 2.8543 66.790 7.3012 11.0940 111.610	1756.10 237.45 2.3448 192.31 3.2083 57.837 8.1596 n.a. 147.70	1870.79 245.46 2.3528 197.71 3.4188 48.953 8.6246 n.a. 158.45	1898.98 246.75 2.4076 203.33 3.4597 48.614 8.8721 n.a. 163.36	1863.05 243.63 2.4300 210.79 3.3817 49.278 8.7175 n.a. 163.10	1912.52 247.96 2.4164 219.56 3.5035 48.260 8.9805 n.a. 167.31	1948.76 254.18 2.4804 227.56 3.5819 47.040 9.1765 n.a. 172.56	2042.00 260.48 2.5513 236.06 3.7387 45.223 9.4695 n.a. 183.24
25 Singapore/dollar 26 South Africa/rand¹ 27 South Korea/won 28 Spain/peseta 29 Sri Lanka/rupee 30 Sweden/krona 31 Switzerland/franc 32 Taiwan/dollar 33 Thailand/baht 34 United Kingdom/pound¹ 35 Venezuela/bolivar	2.1406 92.297 731.93 110.09 20.756 6.2838 2.0327 n.a. 23.014 174.80 4.2981	2.1136 89.85 776.04 143.500 23.510 7.6717 2.1006 n.a. 22.991 151.59	2.1325 69.534 807.91 160.78 25.428 8.2706 2.3500 39.633 23.582 133.66 n.a.	2.1635 60.08 815.82 170.19 25.605 8.5892 2.5049 39.159 23.013 125.63 n.a.	2.1667 56.54 820.03 172.15 25.906 8.6887 2.5245 39.226 23.020 121.96 n.a.	2.1554 55.47 818.89 168.10 26.075 8.5957 2.4700 39.419 26.736 123.92 n.a.	2.1732 52.66 825.73 171.98 26.213 8.8614 2.5602 39.509 27.091 118.61 n.a.	2.2011 46.34 832.16 175.13 26.392 9.0716 2.6590 39.209 27.330 112.71 n.a.	2.2557 50.57 839.16 182.35 26.605 9.3364 2.8045 39.228 27.961 109.31 n.a.
Мемо United States/dollar ²	116.57	125,34	138.19	145.70	147.56	144.92	149.24	152.83	158.43

Note. Averages of certified noon buying rates in New York for cable transfers. Data in this table also appear in the Board's G.5 (405) release. For address, see inside front cover.

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e	Estimated	n.a.	Not available
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*	Amounts insignificant in terms of the last decimal place	RPs	Repurchase agreements
	shown in the table (for example, less than 500,000	SMSAs	Standard metropolitan statistical areas
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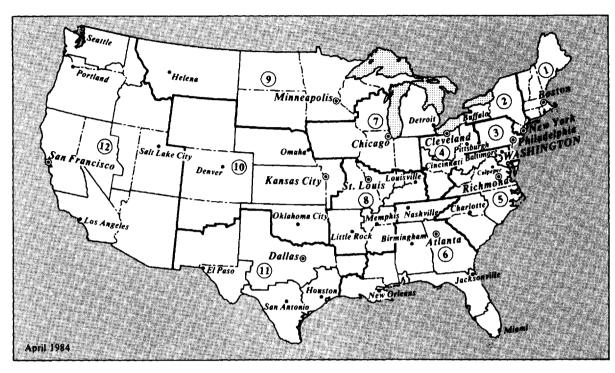
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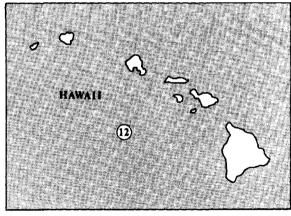
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