

National Economic Trends

September 1991

Federal government outlays increased at an average annual rate of 7.8 percent between fiscal years 1980 and 1990 and are projected by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to grow at an average annual rate of 3.7 percent from 1990 to 1995. Over the same two periods, budget receipts grew at an average rate of 7.1 percent and are expected to grow at an average rate of 6.7 percent. The diverging rates of growth for federal outlays and receipts imply a declining federal budget deficit over the projection period.

While the size of the federal budget continues to expand, the OMB projections of the federal budget's mandatory and discretionary components indicate some major shifts in spending priorities. (Spending that requires a separate appropriation act is referred to as discretionary, whereas spending that is subject to other laws with continuing budget authority is called mandatory.) Budget share data shown in the table below, based on OMB projections, indicate that by 1995 the primary mandatory programs—Social Security and Medicare/Medicaid—will have increased from about 30 percent to more than 38 percent of the total budget. In contrast, the share of defense spending in the total budget is projected to fall another 4 percentage points by 1995, bringing its total decline since 1985 to nearly 7 percentage points. The budget share of domestic programs, after declining 7 percentage points in the 1980s, is projected to increase slightly over the 1990 level by 1995.

Budget Shares of Major Expenditure Categories (percent)¹

First year	Discretionary		Mandatory			Net interest
	National defense	Domestic	Social Security	Medicare/Medicaid	Other	
1980	22.0%	21.0%	19.2%	7.4%	19.8%	8.6%
1985	25.9	14.9	19.0	8.9	16.7	13.2
1990	23.2	14.2	19.1	10.6	12.7	14.3
1995 (estimated)	19.1	15.3	22.3	15.9	14.6	14.1

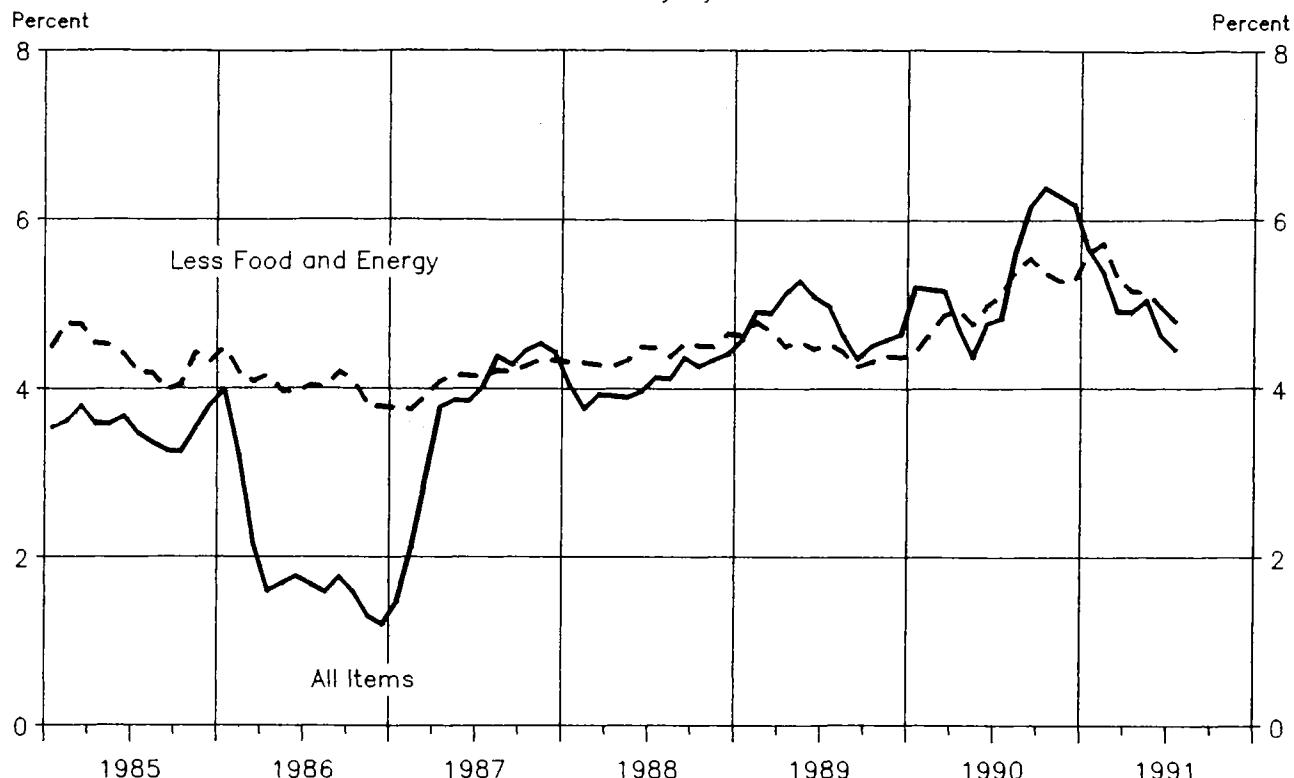
¹Rows do not add to 100 percent because "undistributed offsetting receipts" and several small categories are excluded.

—Michael T. Belongia



Consumer Price Index – All Urban Consumers

Percent Change From Previous Year
Seasonally Adjusted



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Consumer Price Index (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month															1982-84=100				
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	12.0																			127.6
2-90	8.9	5.8																		128.2
3-90	7.5	5.3	4.8																	128.7
4-90	6.3	4.5	3.8	2.8																129.0
5-90	5.4	3.8	3.2	2.4	1.9															129.2
6-90	5.8	4.6	4.3	4.1	4.7	7.7														130.0
7-90	5.6	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.7	6.2	4.7													130.5
8-90	6.2	5.4	5.4	5.5	6.2	7.6	7.6	10.6												131.6
9-90	6.6	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.8	8.1	8.2	10.1	9.5											132.6
10-90	6.7	6.1	6.1	6.3	6.9	8.0	8.1	9.2	8.5	7.5										133.4
11-90	6.4	5.9	5.9	6.0	6.5	7.2	7.2	7.8	6.9	5.6	3.7									133.8
12-90	6.2	5.7	5.6	5.7	6.1	6.7	6.6	6.9	6.0	4.9	3.7	3.6								134.2
1-91	6.1	5.6	5.6	5.7	6.0	6.6	6.4	6.7	5.9	5.1	4.3	4.6	5.5							134.8
2-91	5.9	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7	6.1	5.9	6.1	5.4	4.6	3.9	3.9	4.1	2.7						135.1
3-91	5.4	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.4	5.2	5.2	4.5	3.7	2.9	2.7	2.4	0.9	-0.9					135.0
4-91	5.2	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.9	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.2	3.5	2.9	2.7	2.5	1.5	0.9	2.7				135.3
5-91	5.1	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.8	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.2	3.5	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.0	1.8	3.2	3.6			135.7
6-91	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.6	4.6	4.0	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.1	2.0	3.0	3.1	2.7		136.0
7-91	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.4	3.9	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.7	136.3
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	

The CPI is for all urban consumers.

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Consumer Price Index - Food

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month																		1982-84=100	
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	21.5																			130.2
2-90	14.9	8.6																		131.1
3-90	10.4	5.2	1.8																	131.3
4-90	7.4	3.1	0.5	-0.9																131.2
5-90	5.9	2.3	0.3	-0.5	0.0															131.2
6-90	6.3	3.5	2.3	2.5	4.2	8.5														132.1
7-90	6.4	4.0	3.1	3.5	5.0	7.5	6.5													132.8
8-90	6.0	4.0	3.2	3.5	4.6	6.2	5.1	3.7												133.2
9-90	5.8	3.9	3.3	3.5	4.4	5.6	4.6	3.7	3.7											133.6
10-90	5.6	4.0	3.5	3.7	4.5	5.4	4.6	4.0	4.1	4.6										134.1
11-90	5.6	4.2	3.7	3.9	4.6	5.4	4.8	4.4	4.6	5.0	5.5									134.7
12-90	5.3	3.9	3.5	3.7	4.3	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.6	1.8								134.9
1-91	5.5	4.2	3.8	4.0	4.6	5.2	4.7	4.4	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.5	7.4							135.7
2-91	4.9	3.7	3.3	3.4	3.9	4.3	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.3	2.9	2.1	2.2	-2.6						135.4
3-91	4.7	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.7	4.1	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.2	2.9	2.2	2.4	0.0	2.7					135.7
4-91	5.0	4.0	3.7	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.2	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.6	4.1	3.0	5.9	9.2				136.7
5-91	4.7	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.9	4.2	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.0	3.2	2.2	3.9	4.5	0.0			136.7
6-91	4.8	3.9	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.0	4.5	5.1	3.1	6.3		137.4
7-91	4.1	3.3	2.9	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.2	1.3	2.1	2.0	-0.3	-0.4	-6.8	136.6

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Consumer Price Index - Energy

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

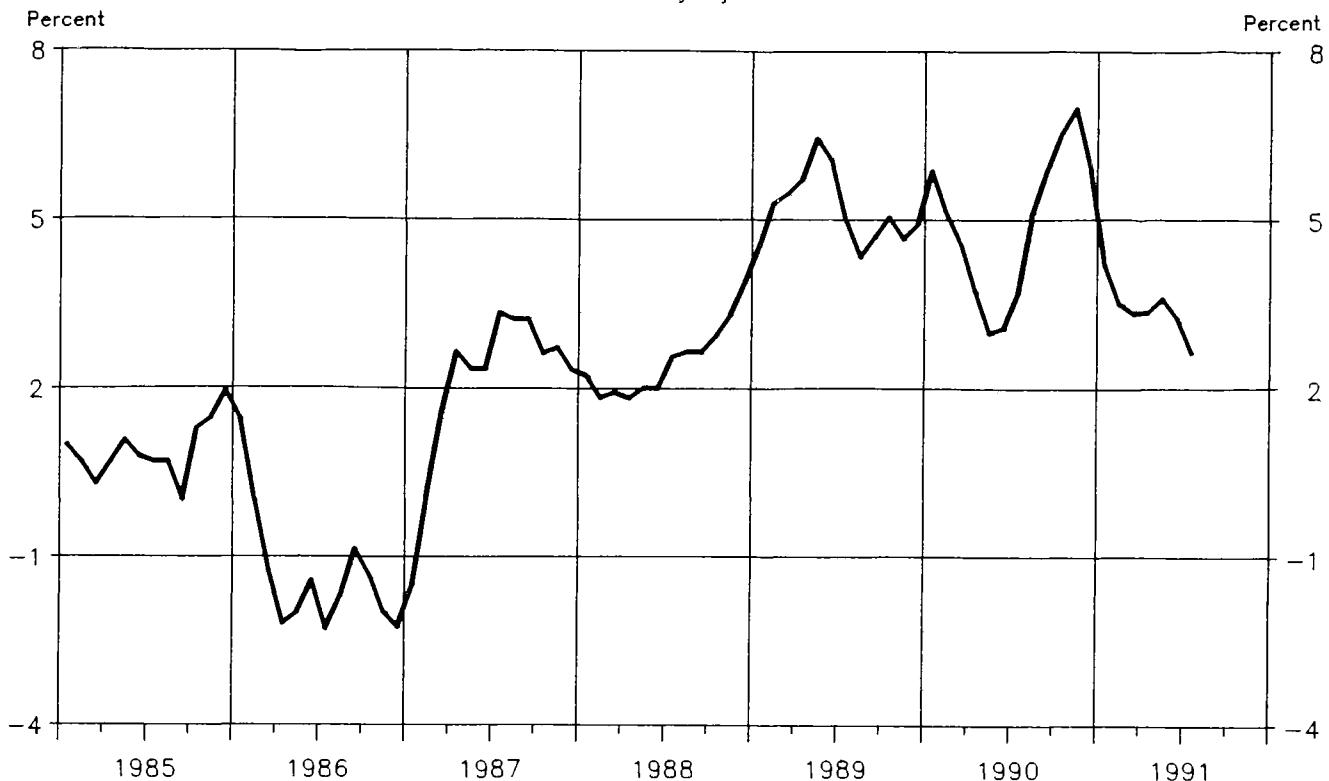
Terminal Month	Initial Month																		1982-84=100	
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	73.0																			98.5
2-90	23.7	-11.5																		97.5
3-90	12.0	-9.9	-8.3																	96.8
4-90	8.9	-6.7	-4.2	0.0																96.8
5-90	6.2	-6.0	-4.0	-1.8	-3.7															96.5
6-90	6.5	-3.4	-1.2	1.2	1.9	7.7														97.1
7-90	5.0	-3.4	-1.7	0.0	0.0	1.9	-3.6													96.8
8-90	11.2	4.4	7.3	10.7	13.6	20.0	26.7	66.5												101.0
9-90	17.8	12.3	16.2	20.8	25.5	34.0	44.2	76.4	86.8											106.4
10-90	21.8	17.1	21.3	26.3	31.3	39.6	49.0	72.3	75.3	64.4										110.9
11-90	20.2	15.9	19.4	23.5	27.2	33.3	39.1	52.4	48.0	31.7	5.5									111.4
12-90	17.9	13.8	16.7	19.9	22.6	26.9	30.4	38.6	32.4	18.0	0.0	-5.3								110.9
1-91	13.8	9.8	12.0	14.3	16.0	18.7	20.4	24.9	18.0	5.2	-9.4	-16.0	-25.6							108.2
2-91	8.9	5.1	6.6	8.0	8.9	10.4	10.7	12.9	5.8	-5.5	-17.8	-24.3	-32.4	-38.5						103.9
3-91	6.0	2.3	3.5	4.5	5.0	5.9	5.7	6.9	0.3	-9.5	-19.7	-25.0	-30.7	-33.1	-27.1					101.2
4-91	5.1	1.6	2.6	3.5	3.8	4.5	4.2	5.1	-0.7	-9.3	-17.9	-21.9	-25.6	-25.6	-18.1	-8.0			100.5	
5-91	5.8	2.6	3.6	4.5	4.9	5.6	5.4	6.4	1.2	-6.3	-13.5	-16.3	-18.4	-16.5	-7.5	4.2	18.1		101.9	
6-91	4.8	1.7	2.6	3.4	3.6	4.2	3.9	4.6	-0.1	-6.8	-13.2	-15.6	-17.2	-15.4	-8.4	-1.2	2.4	-11.2		100.9
7-91	4.2	1.3	2.2	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.2	3.8	-0.5	-6.6	-12.3	-14.3	-15.5	-13.7	-7.7	-2.1	0.0	-8.0	-4.7	100.5

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Producer Price Index - Finished Goods

Percent Change From Previous Year
Seasonally Adjusted



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Producer Price Index - Finished Goods

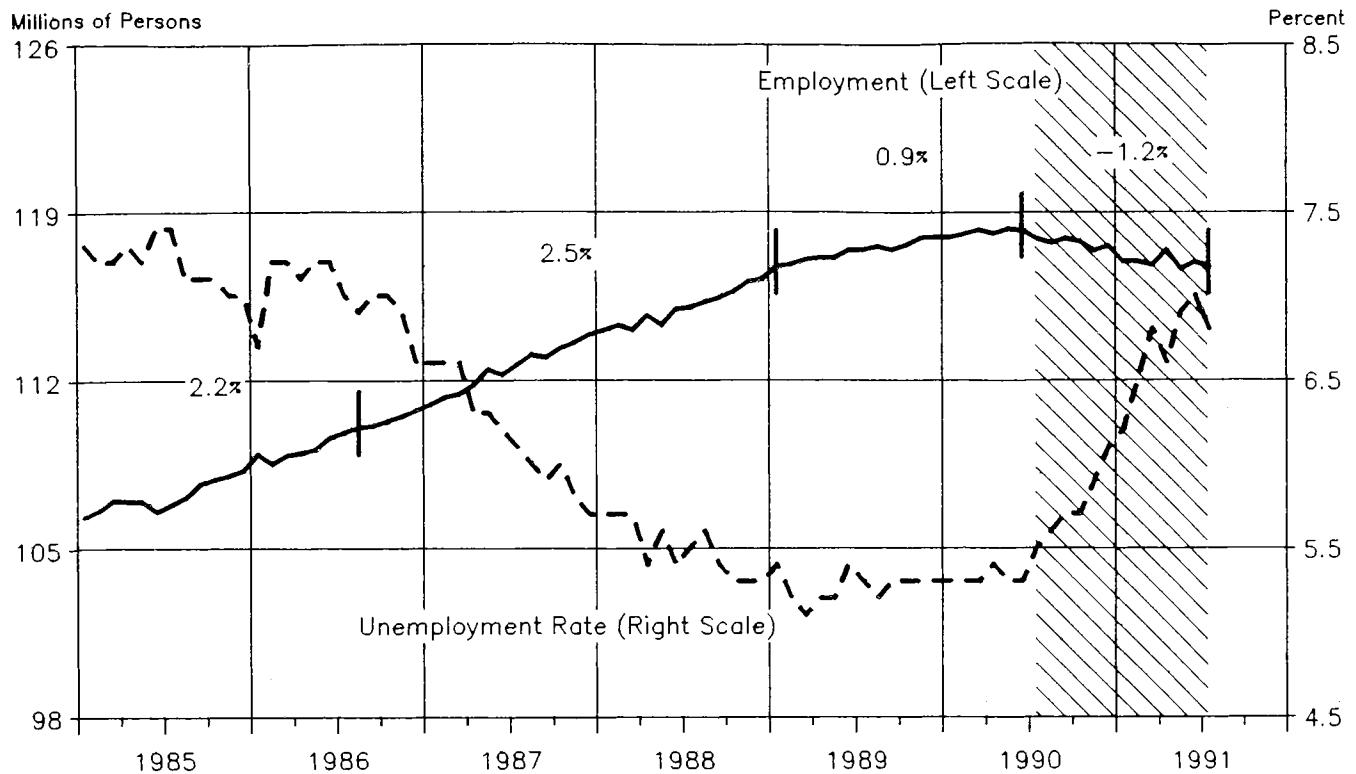
(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month															1982 = 100				
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	22.9																	117.5		
2-90	10.3	-1.0																117.4		
3-90	6.4	-1.0	-1.0															117.3		
4-90	4.5	-1.0	-1.0	-1.0														117.2		
5-90	4.4	0.3	0.7	1.5	4.2													117.6		
6-90	3.7	0.2	0.5	1.0	2.1	0.0												117.6		
7-90	3.7	0.9	1.2	1.8	2.8	2.1	4.2											118.0		
8-90	5.0	2.6	3.3	4.1	5.5	5.9	9.0	14.1										119.3		
9-90	6.2	4.2	5.0	6.1	7.5	8.4	11.3	15.1	16.2									120.8		
10-90	7.1	5.5	6.3	7.4	8.9	9.9	12.5	15.4	16.1	16.0								122.3		
11-90	6.9	5.4	6.2	7.1	8.3	9.0	10.9	12.7	12.3	10.4	5.0							122.8		
12-90	5.9	4.5	5.0	5.7	6.6	6.9	8.2	9.0	7.7	5.1	0.0	-4.8						122.3		
1-91	5.5	4.2	4.7	5.2	6.0	6.2	7.1	7.6	6.4	4.0	0.3	-1.9	1.0					122.4		
2-91	4.4	3.1	3.5	3.9	4.4	4.4	5.0	5.1	3.7	1.4	-1.9	-4.2	-3.9	-8.5				121.5		
3-91	3.9	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.7	3.7	4.1	4.1	2.7	0.7	-2.1	-3.9	-3.5	-5.7	-2.9			121.2		
4-91	3.6	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.5	2.3	0.4	-2.0	-3.3	-2.9	-4.2	-2.0	-1.0		121.1		
5-91	3.8	2.7	3.0	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	2.8	1.2	-0.7	-1.6	-1.0	-1.5	1.0	3.0	7.2	121.8		
6-91	3.4	2.3	2.5	2.8	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	2.1	0.7	-1.1	-1.9	-1.5	-1.9	-0.2	0.7	1.5	-3.9	121.4	
7-91	3.0	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.7	2.6	1.6	0.3	-1.3	-2.1	-1.7	-2.1	-0.8	-0.2	0.0	-3.4	-2.9	121.1
12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91		

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Civilian Employment and Unemployment Rate

Seasonally Adjusted



Shaded area represents a period of business recession.

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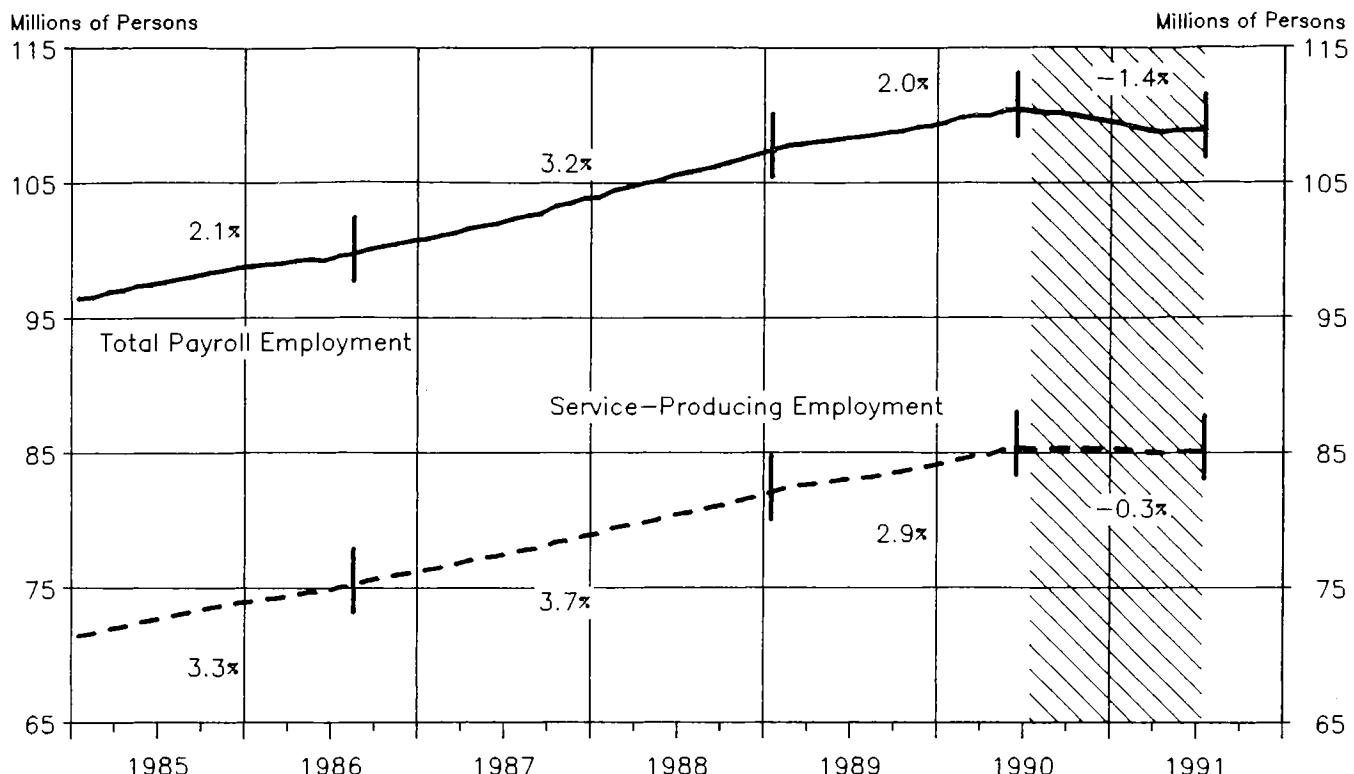
Civilian Employment (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month															Thousands of Persons				
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	-0.1																	117,945		
2-90	0.6	1.3																118,074		
3-90	0.9	1.5	1.6															118,235		
4-90	0.3	0.5	0.1	-1.5														118,090		
5-90	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.2	1.9													118,277		
6-90	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.7	-0.4												118,237		
7-90	-0.1	-0.1	-0.4	-0.9	-0.7	-2.0	-3.5											117,882		
8-90	-0.3	-0.4	-0.6	-1.1	-1.0	-2.0	-2.7	-1.9										117,690		
9-90	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3	-0.6	-0.4	-1.0	-1.2	0.0	2.0									117,883		
10-90	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7	-0.6	-1.1	-1.3	-0.5	0.2	-1.5								117,733		
11-90	-0.5	-0.6	-0.8	-1.1	-1.0	-1.5	-1.7	-1.3	-1.0	-2.5	-3.5							117,386		
12-90	-0.3	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7	-0.7	-1.0	-1.1	-0.6	-0.3	-1.0	-0.8	1.9						117,574		
1-91	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.3	-1.3	-1.7	-1.9	-1.6	-1.6	-2.4	-2.7	-2.3	-6.5					116,922		
2-91	-0.8	-0.8	-1.0	-1.2	-1.2	-1.5	-1.7	-1.4	-1.3	-2.0	-2.1	-1.6	-3.3	0.0				116,918		
3-91	-0.8	-0.9	-1.0	-1.3	-1.2	-1.5	-1.7	-1.4	-1.4	-1.9	-2.0	-1.6	-2.8	-0.9	-1.7			116,754		
4-91	-0.4	-0.4	-0.5	-0.7	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	-0.5	-0.4	-0.7	-0.6	0.0	-0.4	1.6	2.5	6.8		117,398		
5-91	-0.8	-0.9	-1.0	-1.2	-1.2	-1.4	-1.5	-1.3	-1.2	-1.6	-1.7	-1.3	-2.0	-0.8	-1.1	-0.8	-7.9	116,591		
6-91	-0.6	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9	-1.1	-1.1	-0.9	-0.8	-1.1	-1.1	-0.7	-1.2	-0.1	-0.1	0.4	-2.6	3.1	116,884	
7-91	-0.7	-0.7	-0.8	-1.0	-0.9	-1.1	-1.2	-1.0	-0.9	-1.2	-1.2	-0.9	-1.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.1	-2.3	0.6	-1.8	116,712
12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91		

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Payroll Employment

Seasonally Adjusted



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Payroll Employment

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month															Thousands of Persons				
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	2.5																			109,416
2-90	3.4	4.2																		109,792
3-90	2.8	2.9	1.6																	109,933
4-90	2.1	1.9	0.8	0.0																109,934
5-90	2.5	2.5	1.9	2.0	4.1															110,304
6-90	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.8	2.8	1.4														110,435
7-90	1.7	1.6	1.0	0.9	1.2	-0.2	-1.8													110,269
8-90	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.5	0.6	-0.5	-1.5	-1.2												110,160
9-90	1.1	1.0	0.5	0.3	0.4	-0.5	-1.2	-0.8	-0.5											110,113
10-90	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	-0.7	-1.2	-1.0	-1.0	-1.4	-1.0	-1.4	-1.9	-2.4						109,982
11-90	0.6	0.4	0.0	-0.2	-0.3	-1.0	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4	-1.4	-1.9	-2.4								109,761
12-90	0.4	0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-0.4	-1.1	-1.5	-1.4	-1.5	-1.8	-2.0	-2.0	-1.5							109,621
1-91	0.2	0.0	-0.4	-0.6	-0.6	-1.2	-1.6	-1.5	-1.6	-1.9	-2.0	-1.9	-2.2							109,418
2-91	0.0	-0.2	-0.6	-0.8	-0.8	-1.4	-1.7	-1.7	-1.8	-2.1	-2.2	-2.2	-2.5	-2.8						109,160
3-91	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7	-0.9	-1.0	-1.5	-1.8	-1.9	-1.9	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	-2.6	-2.8	-2.8					108,902
4-91	-0.3	-0.5	-0.8	-1.0	-1.1	-1.5	-1.8	-1.8	-1.9	-2.1	-2.3	-2.2	-2.4	-2.5	-2.3	-1.8				108,736
5-91	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7	-0.8	-0.9	-1.3	-1.5	-1.5	-1.5	-1.7	-1.7	-1.6	-1.6	-1.4	-1.0	-0.1	1.7			108,887
6-91	-0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.8	-0.8	-1.2	-1.4	-1.4	-1.4	-1.5	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4	-1.2	-0.8	-0.1	0.7	-0.2		108,866
7-91	-0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.8	-0.8	-1.2	-1.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.4	-1.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.1	-0.8	-0.2	0.3	-0.4	-0.6	108,815
12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91		

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Service-Producing Employment

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month																		Thousands of Persons	
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	3.6																			84,226
2-90	3.4	3.3																		84,453
3-90	3.4	3.3	3.2																	84,678
4-90	2.9	2.6	2.3	1.3																84,769
5-90	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	5.7															85,163
6-90	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	4.1	2.6														85,342
7-90	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.3	0.6	-1.4													85,242
8-90	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	0.3	-0.8	-0.3												85,223
9-90	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.4	0.4	-0.3	0.2	0.7											85,271
10-90	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.2	0.3	-0.2	0.2	0.4	0.1										85,277
11-90	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.0	0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0									85,280
12-90	1.5	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.5								85,246
1-91	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1							85,237
2-91	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	-0.1	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.4	-0.5	-0.7	-0.9	-1.6						85,121
3-91	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.3	-0.2	-0.5	-0.4	-0.4	-0.6	-0.7	-0.9	-1.0	-1.5	-1.3					85,025
4-91	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.2	-0.3	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	-0.7	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.4	-1.3	-1.2				84,942
5-91	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	-0.1	-0.4	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.5	-0.6	-0.6	-0.7	-0.4	0.1	1.4			85,040
6-91	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.2	0.2	1.0	0.5		85,077
7-91	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.5	-0.2	0.0	0.4	0.0	-0.6	85,036

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Goods-Producing Employment

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

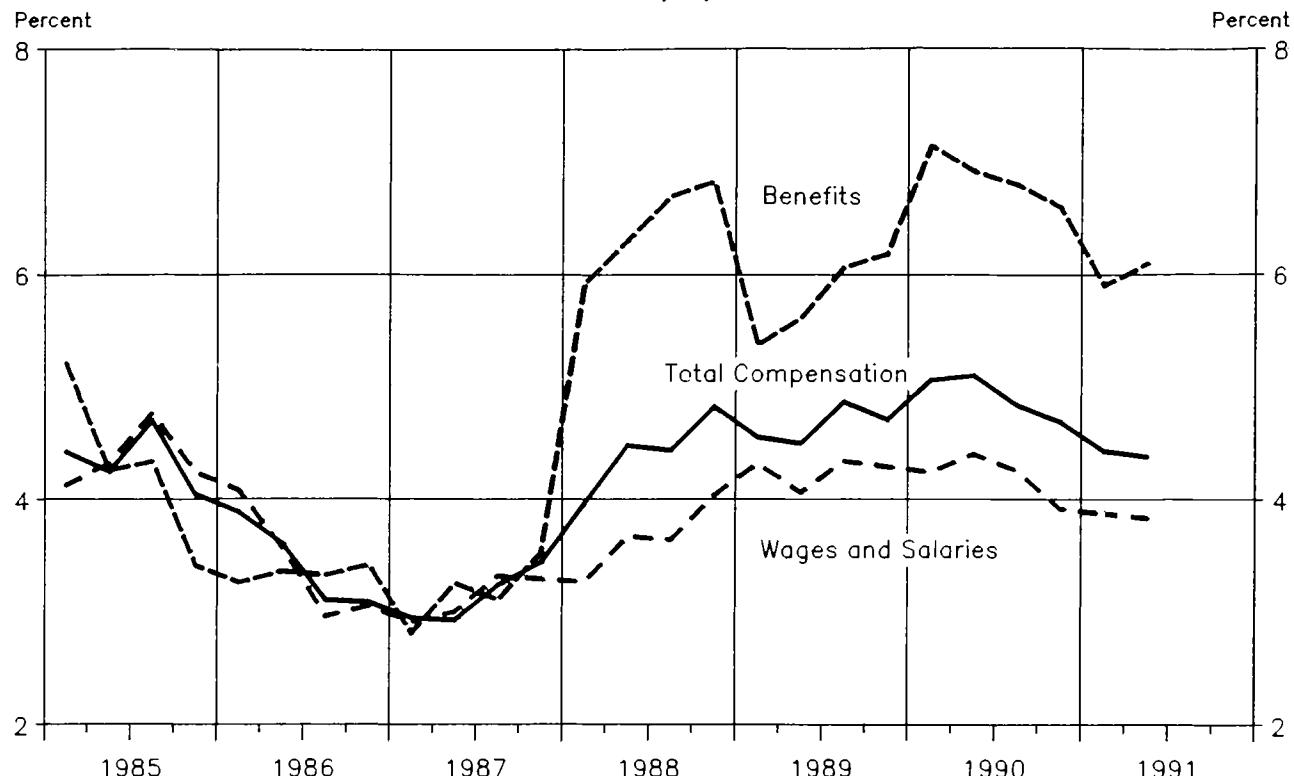
Terminal Month	Initial Month																		Thousands of Persons	
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	-1.0																			25,190
2-90	3.1	7.3																		25,339
3-90	0.7	1.6	-3.9																	25,255
4-90	-0.6	-0.4	-4.1	-4.2																25,165
5-90	-0.7	-0.6	-3.1	-2.7	-1.1															25,141
6-90	-0.9	-0.9	-2.9	-2.5	-1.7	-2.3														25,093
7-90	-1.3	-1.3	-2.9	-2.7	-2.2	-2.7	-3.1													25,027
8-90	-1.6	-1.7	-3.1	-3.0	-2.7	-3.2	-3.7	-4.2												24,937
9-90	-2.0	-2.1	-3.3	-3.2	-3.1	-3.5	-3.9	-4.4	-4.5											24,842
10-90	-2.4	-2.6	-3.7	-3.7	-3.6	-4.1	-4.6	-5.0	-5.5	-6.4										24,705
11-90	-3.2	-3.4	-4.5	-4.6	-4.6	-5.2	-5.8	-6.4	-7.1	-8.4	-10.4									24,481
12-90	-3.3	-3.5	-4.5	-4.6	-4.7	-5.2	-5.6	-6.1	-6.6	-7.3	-7.8	-5.1								24,375
1-91	-3.8	-4.0	-5.0	-5.1	-5.2	-5.7	-6.1	-6.6	-7.1	-7.8	-8.2	-7.1	-9.1							24,181
2-91	-4.0	-4.2	-5.1	-5.2	-5.3	-5.8	-6.2	-6.7	-7.1	-7.6	-7.9	-7.0	-8.0	-6.8						24,039
3-91	-4.3	-4.5	-5.3	-5.5	-5.6	-6.0	-6.4	-6.8	-7.2	-7.6	-7.9	-7.2	-7.9	-7.3	-7.8					23,877
4-91	-4.2	-4.5	-5.2	-5.4	-5.4	-5.8	-6.2	-6.5	-6.8	-7.1	-7.2	-6.6	-7.0	-6.2	-6.0	-4.1				23,794
5-91	-3.9	-4.0	-4.7	-4.8	-4.8	-5.1	-5.4	-5.6	-5.8	-5.9	-5.9	-5.1	-5.1	-4.1	-3.2	-0.8	2.7			23,847
6-91	-3.8	-4.0	-4.6	-4.7	-4.7	-5.0	-5.2	-5.4	-5.5	-5.6	-5.5	-4.8	-4.8	-3.8	-3.1	-1.5	-0.1	-2.9		23,789
7-91	-3.6	-3.8	-4.4	-4.4	-4.4	-4.7	-4.8	-5.0	-5.1	-5.1	-5.0	-4.3	-4.2	-3.3	-2.6	-1.2	-0.3	-1.7	-0.5	23,779

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Change in the Employment Cost Index and Its Components

Percent Change From Previous Year
Seasonally Adjusted



Total compensation is the sum of benefits and wages and salaries for private industry workers.

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Employment Cost Index - Total Compensation (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

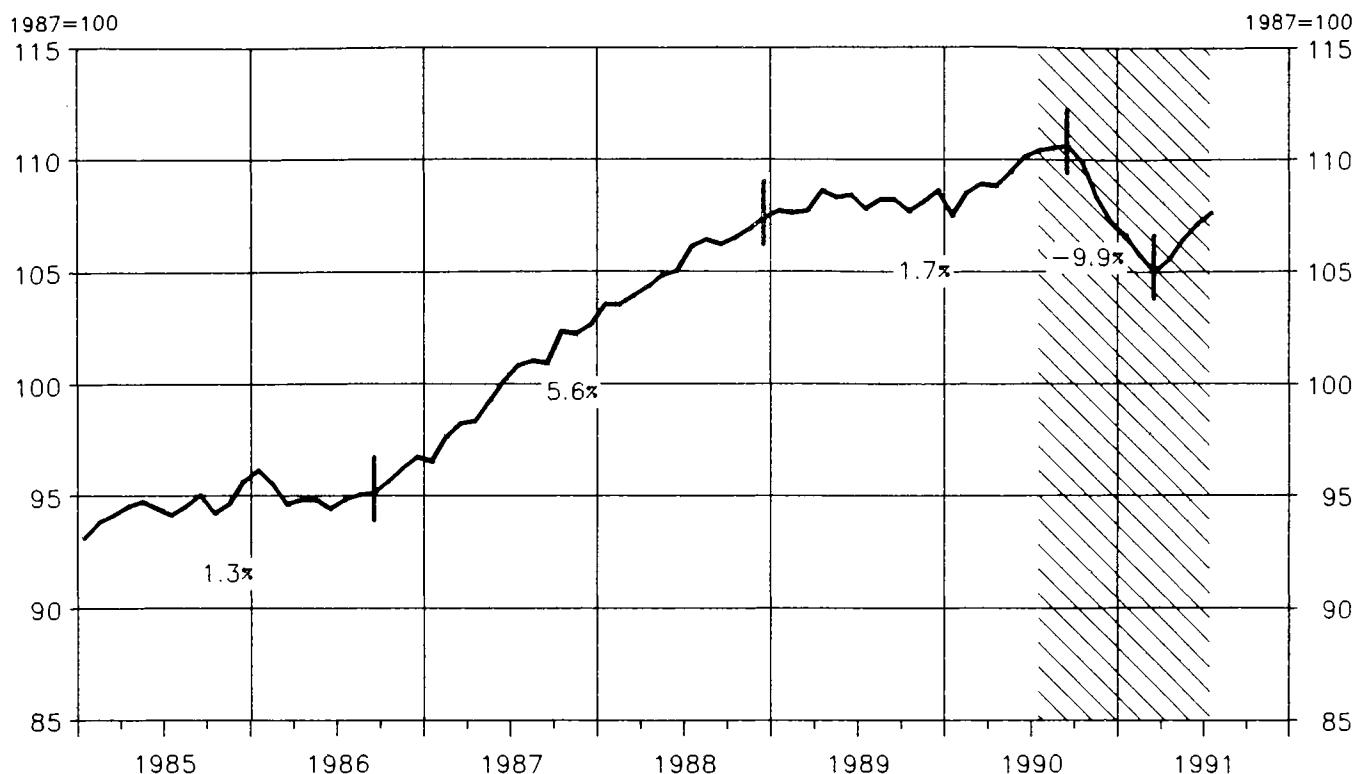
Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																				June 1989 = 100
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91		
4-86	2.7																				90.2
1-87	2.9	3.1																			90.9
2-87	3.0	3.1	3.1																		91.6
3-87	3.2	3.4	3.6	4.0																	92.5
4-87	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.5																93.3
1-88	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.4	5.2															94.5
2-88	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.5	4.6	5.2	5.2														95.7
3-88	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.5	3.8													96.6
4-88	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.4	5.1												97.8
1-89	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.3	4.6	4.2											98.8
2-89	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.9										100.0
3-89	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.9	4.8	5.1	5.3									101.3
4-89	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.7	4.9	4.9	4.4								102.4
1-90	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.6							103.8
2-90	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.3	5.1						105.1
3-90	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.8	5.0	4.7	4.3					106.2
4-90	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.4	4.0	3.8				107.2
1-91	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.4	4.2	4.6				108.4
2-91	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.9			109.7

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Data are for the last month of quarter.

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Industrial Production
Seasonally Adjusted



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Industrial Production
(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

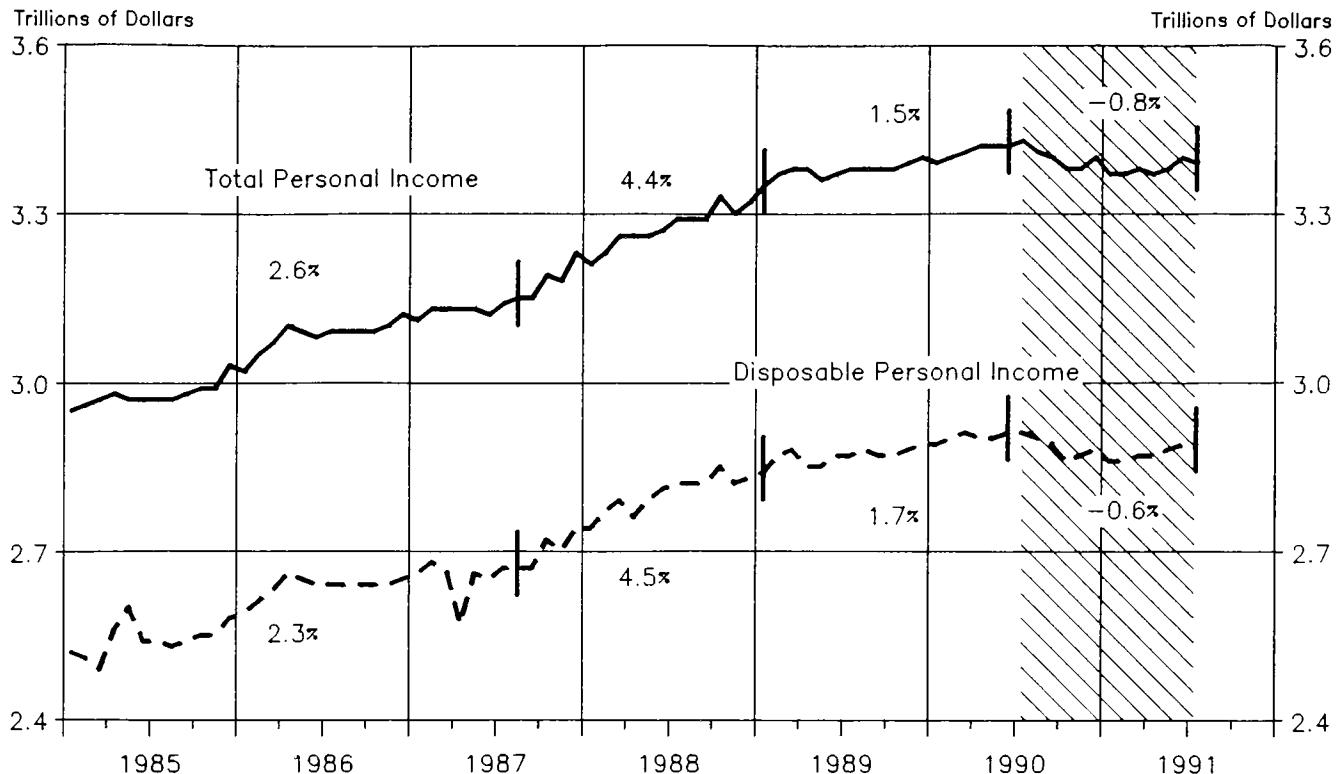
Terminal Month	Initial Month															1987 = 100				
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	-11.5																		107.5	
2-90	-0.6	11.8																	108.5	
3-90	1.1	8.1	4.5																108.9	
4-90	0.6	4.9	1.7	-1.1															108.8	
5-90	1.8	5.4	3.4	2.8	6.8														109.4	
6-90	2.8	5.9	4.5	4.5	7.4	8.0													110.1	
7-90	2.9	5.5	4.3	4.2	6.0	5.6	3.3												110.4	
8-90	2.6	4.8	3.7	3.6	4.8	4.1	2.2	1.1											110.5	
9-90	2.5	4.4	3.3	3.1	4.0	3.3	1.8	1.1	1.1										110.6	
10-90	1.4	3.0	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.1	-0.5	-1.8	-3.2	-7.3									109.9	
11-90	-0.3	0.9	-0.2	-0.8	-0.8	-2.0	-3.9	-5.6	-7.7	-11.8	-16.1								108.3	
12-90	-1.3	-0.3	-1.4	-2.1	-2.2	-3.4	-5.2	-6.8	-8.7	-11.7	-13.9	-11.5							107.2	
1-91	-1.7	-0.8	-1.9	-2.5	-2.7	-3.8	-5.4	-6.8	-8.3	-10.5	-11.5	-9.1	-6.5						106.6	
2-91	-2.3	-1.5	-2.6	-3.2	-3.4	-4.5	-5.9	-7.2	-8.5	-10.3	-11.0	-9.3	-8.1	-9.7					105.7	
3-91	-2.7	-2.0	-3.0	-3.6	-3.8	-4.8	-6.1	-7.2	-8.4	-9.9	-10.4	-8.9	-8.0	-8.7	-7.7				105.0	
4-91	-2.1	-1.5	-2.4	-2.9	-3.0	-3.9	-5.0	-5.9	-6.7	-7.8	-7.8	-6.1	-4.7	-4.1	-1.1	5.9			105.5	
5-91	-1.4	-0.8	-1.6	-2.0	-2.0	-2.7	-3.7	-4.3	-4.9	-5.6	-5.4	-3.5	-1.8	-0.6	2.7	8.3	10.7		106.4	
6-91	-0.9	-0.3	-1.0	-1.3	-1.3	-1.9	-2.7	-3.3	-3.7	-4.2	-3.8	-1.9	-0.2	1.1	4.0	8.2	9.5	8.2	107.1	
7-91	-0.6	0.1	-0.6	-0.9	-0.9	-1.4	-2.1	-2.5	-2.9	-3.2	-2.8	-1.0	0.6	1.9	4.4	7.6	8.2	7.0	5.7	107.6

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Personal Income in 1982 Dollars

Seasonally Adjusted



The personal consumption expenditures deflator is used to calculate real personal income

Shaded area represents a period of business recession.

Percentages are annual rates of change for periods indicated.

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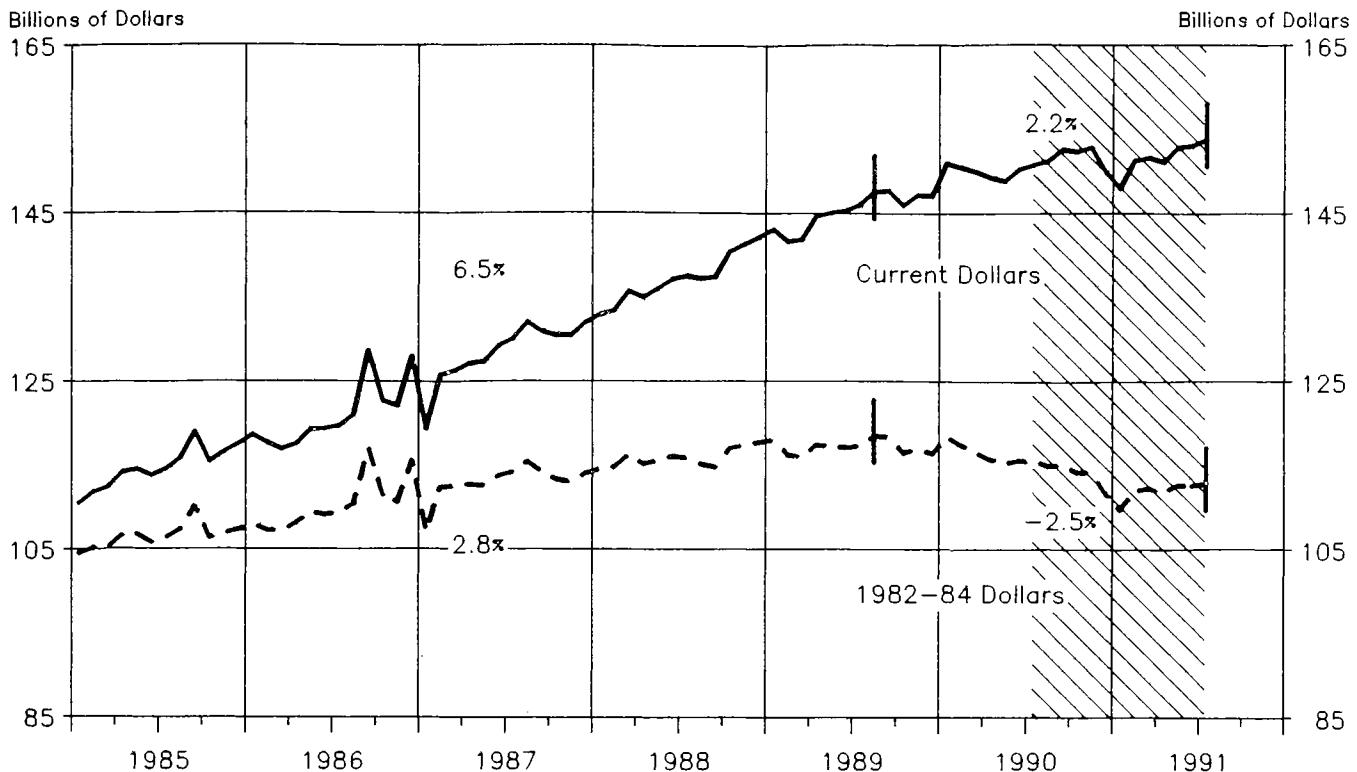
Disposable Personal Income in 1982 Dollars (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month												Billions of Dollars Annual Rates							
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91	
1-90	-0.2																		2,893.1	
2-90	1.5	3.3																	2,900.9	
3-90	2.1	3.3	3.3																2,908.7	
4-90	0.8	1.1	0.0	-3.1															2,901.0	
5-90	0.6	0.8	-0.1	-1.7	-0.2														2,900.4	
6-90	0.9	1.2	0.6	-0.2	1.3	2.8													2,907.1	
7-90	1.0	1.2	0.8	0.2	1.3	2.1	1.5												2,910.6	
8-90	0.2	0.2	-0.3	-1.0	-0.4	-0.5	-2.1	-5.5											2,896.8	
9-90	-0.3	-0.3	-0.8	-1.5	-1.2	-1.4	-2.8	-4.8	-4.1										2,886.8	
10-90	-1.2	-1.4	-1.9	-2.6	-2.6	-3.0	-4.4	-6.3	-6.7	-9.2									2,863.7	
11-90	-0.9	-1.0	-1.4	-2.0	-1.8	-2.1	-3.0	-4.1	-3.7	-3.5	2.6								2,869.9	
12-90	-0.4	-0.4	-0.7	-1.2	-0.9	-1.0	-1.6	-2.2	-1.4	-0.5	4.2	5.8							2,883.5	
1-91	-1.1	-1.2	-1.6	-2.1	-2.0	-2.2	-2.9	-3.6	-3.2	-3.0	-0.8	-2.5	-10.2						2,857.8	
2-91	-1.0	-1.1	-1.4	-1.9	-1.7	-1.9	-2.5	-3.0	-2.6	-2.3	-0.5	-1.5	-5.0	0.5					2,858.9	
3-91	-0.7	-0.7	-1.0	-1.4	-1.2	-1.3	-1.7	-2.1	-1.6	-1.2	0.5	-0.1	-2.0	2.4	4.4				2,869.2	
4-91	-0.7	-0.7	-1.0	-1.3	-1.2	-1.3	-1.7	-2.0	-1.6	-1.2	0.2	-0.3	-1.7	1.2	1.6	-1.1			2,866.6	
5-91	-0.4	-0.4	-0.6	-0.9	-0.7	-0.8	-1.1	-1.3	-0.8	-0.4	0.9	0.6	-0.4	2.2	2.8	2.0	5.1		2,878.6	
6-91	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.5	-0.7	-0.2	0.5	1.5	1.4	0.6	3.0	3.6	3.3	5.6	6.0	2,892.7	
7-91	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3	-0.5	-0.3	-0.3	-0.6	-0.7	-0.3	0.1	1.2	1.0	0.4	2.2	2.6	2.1	3.2	2.3	-1.3	2,889.5

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Retail Sales
Seasonally Adjusted



Shaded area represents a period of business recession.

The CPI is used to deflate retail sales data.

Percentages are annual rates of change for periods indicated.

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Retail Sales in 1982-84 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month															Millions of Dollars			
	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	6-91
1-90	22.4																		118,271
2-90	5.3	-9.4																	117,307
3-90	0.5	-9.0	-8.6																116,434
4-90	-1.7	-8.6	-8.2	-7.8															115,649
5-90	-2.4	-7.8	-7.2	-6.6	-5.3														115,126
6-90	-1.4	-5.5	-4.5	-3.2	-0.7	4.0													115,505
7-90	-1.2	-4.7	-3.7	-2.5	-0.7	1.7	-0.5												115,455
8-90	-1.9	-4.9	-4.2	-3.2	-2.1	-1.0	-3.4	-6.2											114,844
9-90	-1.5	-4.1	-3.3	-2.4	-1.3	-0.3	-1.7	-2.3	1.8										115,017
10-90	-2.3	-4.7	-4.1	-3.4	-2.7	-2.2	-3.6	-4.7	-3.9	-9.3									114,086
11-90	-2.0	-4.2	-3.6	-2.9	-2.2	-1.7	-2.8	-3.4	-2.5	-4.5	0.5								114,154
12-90	-4.0	-6.1	-5.8	-5.5	-5.2	-5.2	-6.7	-7.9	-8.3	-11.4	-12.4	-23.7							111,587
1-91	-5.3	-7.3	-7.1	-7.0	-6.9	-7.1	-8.5	-9.8	-10.5	-13.4	-14.7	-21.4	-19.0						109,646
2-91	-3.3	-5.0	-4.7	-4.3	-3.9	-3.8	-4.7	-5.3	-5.2	-6.5	-5.8	-7.8	1.4	26.8					111,837
3-91	-2.8	-4.4	-4.0	-3.6	-3.3	-3.0	-3.8	-4.2	-3.9	-4.8	-3.9	-5.0	2.2	14.8	3.9				112,198
4-91	-3.1	-4.6	-4.2	-3.9	-3.5	-3.4	-4.1	-4.5	-4.2	-5.1	-4.3	-5.3	0.0	7.2	-1.4	-6.4			111,579
5-91	-2.3	-3.7	-3.3	-2.9	-2.5	-2.3	-2.8	-3.0	-2.7	-3.2	-2.3	-2.8	2.1	8.1	2.5	1.8	10.8		112,535
6-91	-2.2	-3.5	-3.1	-2.7	-2.4	-2.1	-2.6	-2.8	-2.5	-3.0	-2.1	-2.5	1.5	6.2	1.6	0.9	4.8	-0.9	112,448
7-91	-1.9	-3.1	-2.8	-2.4	-2.0	-1.8	-2.2	-2.3	-2.0	-2.4	-1.6	-1.8	1.8	5.7	2.0	1.5	4.2	1.1	112,743

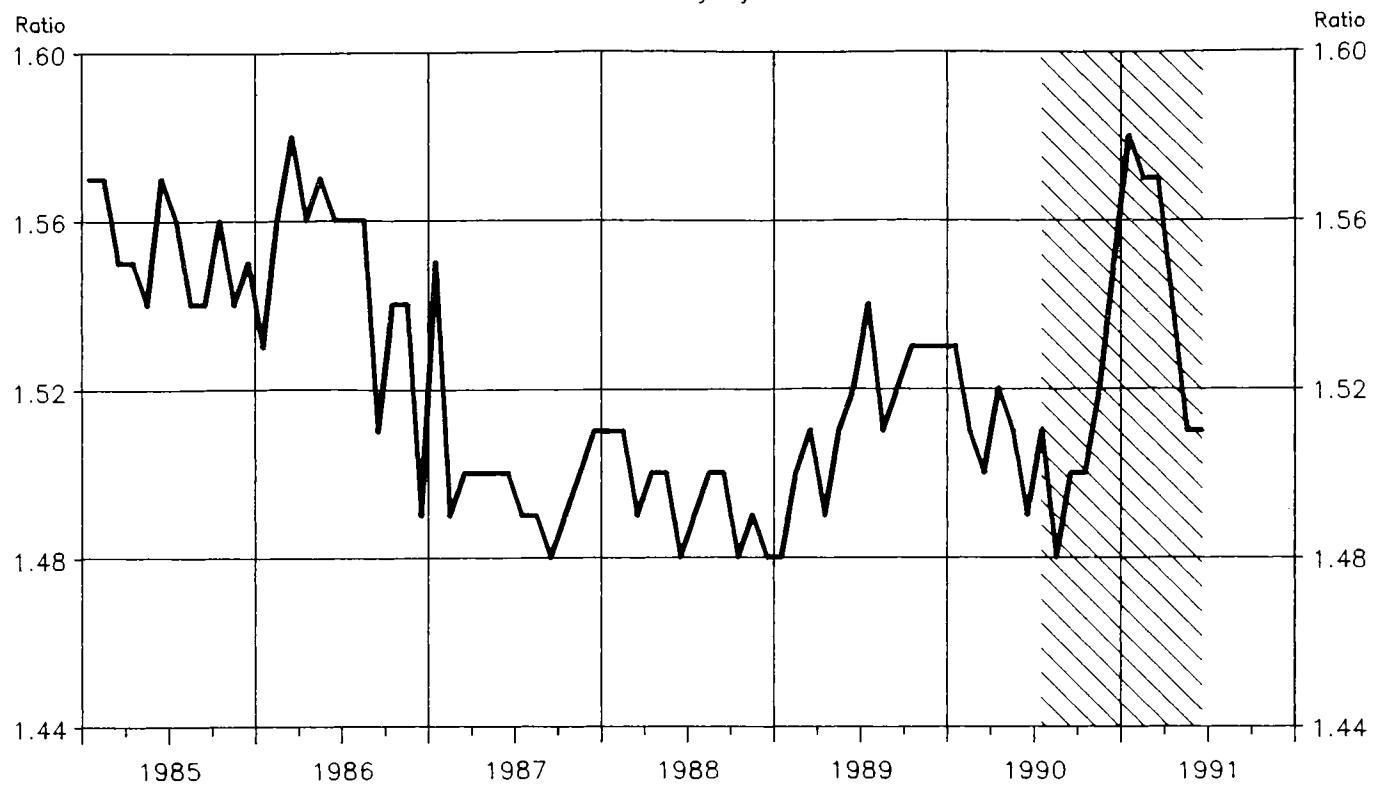
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Inventories Compared With Monthly Sales

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Seasonally Adjusted



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Business Inventories

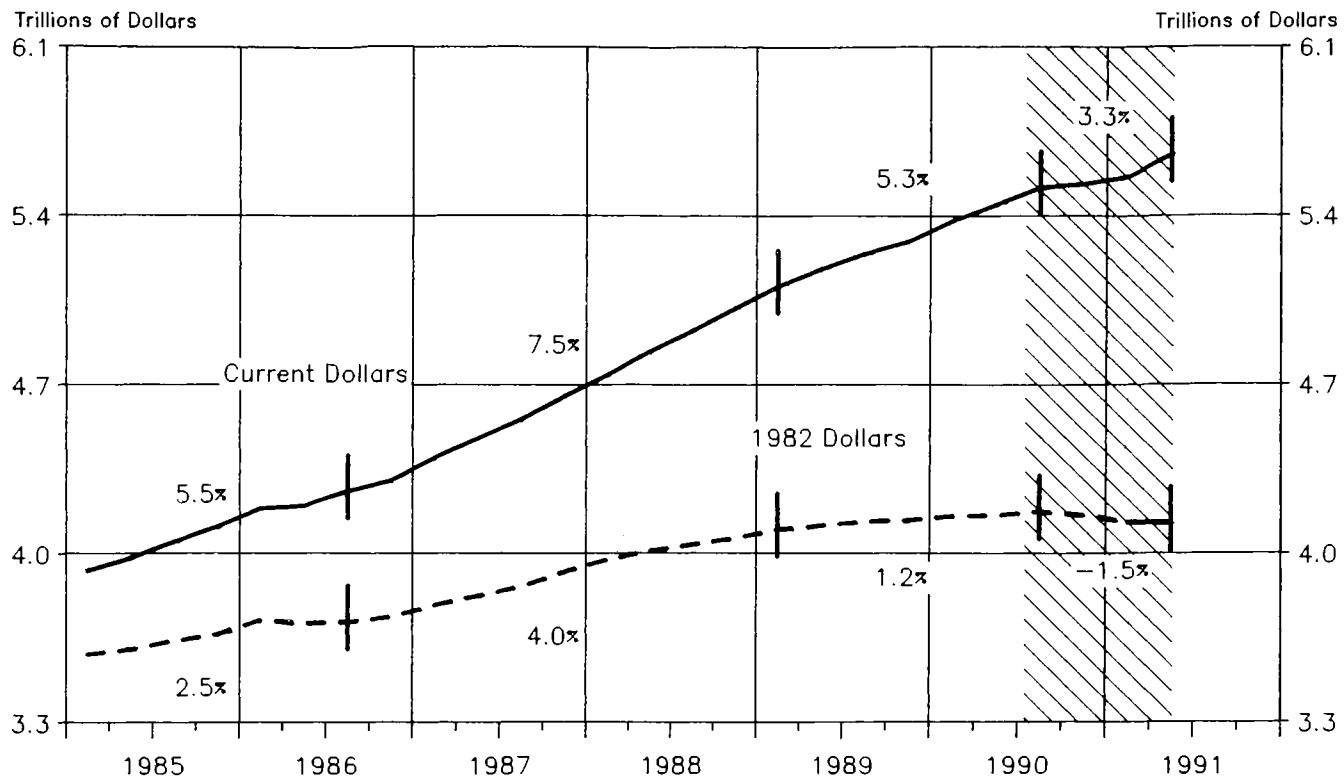
(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Month	Initial Month																		Millions of Dollars	
	11-89	12-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	5-90	6-90	7-90	8-90	9-90	10-90	11-90	12-90	1-91	2-91	3-91	4-91	5-91	
12-89	-3.0																		810,257	
1-90	-1.1	0.7																	810,742	
2-90	-1.1	-0.2	-1.1																810,024	
3-90	-0.5	0.3	0.1	1.2															810,830	
4-90	0.2	1.0	1.1	2.2	3.2														812,976	
5-90	1.1	1.9	2.2	3.3	4.4	5.6													816,667	
6-90	0.2	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.1	-5.1												813,118	
7-90	1.2	1.8	2.0	2.7	3.0	3.0	1.7	9.0											818,951	
8-90	1.8	2.5	2.7	3.3	3.8	3.9	3.4	7.9	6.8										823,468	
9-90	2.2	2.8	3.1	3.7	4.1	4.2	3.9	7.1	6.2	5.5									827,145	
10-90	2.4	3.0	3.2	3.8	4.2	4.3	4.1	6.5	5.7	5.2	4.8								830,414	
11-90	2.5	3.0	3.2	3.7	4.0	4.1	3.9	5.8	5.0	4.4	3.9	3.0							832,464	
12-90	1.7	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.2	3.4	2.4	1.3	-0.1	-2.5	-7.7						826,941	
1-91	2.0	2.4	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.7	3.9	3.1	2.3	1.6	0.5	-0.7	6.7					831,445	
2-91	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.3	1.9	2.8	1.9	1.2	0.3	-0.8	-2.0	0.9	-4.6				828,201	
3-91	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.4	1.1	0.1	-0.8	-1.8	-3.1	-4.6	-3.5	-8.2	-11.8			819,615	
4-91	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.6	-0.3	-1.2	-2.1	-3.2	-4.4	-3.6	-6.8	-7.9	-3.9		816,893	
5-91	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.6	-0.2	-1.1	-1.9	-2.8	-3.8	-4.9	-4.4	-7.0	-7.7	-5.6	-7.3	811,713	
6-91	-0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.9	-0.5	-1.3	-2.1	-2.9	-3.9	-4.8	-4.3	-6.4	-6.8	-5.1	-5.7	-4.0	808,939

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Gross National Product Seasonally Adjusted



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Gross National Product in 1982 Dollars (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

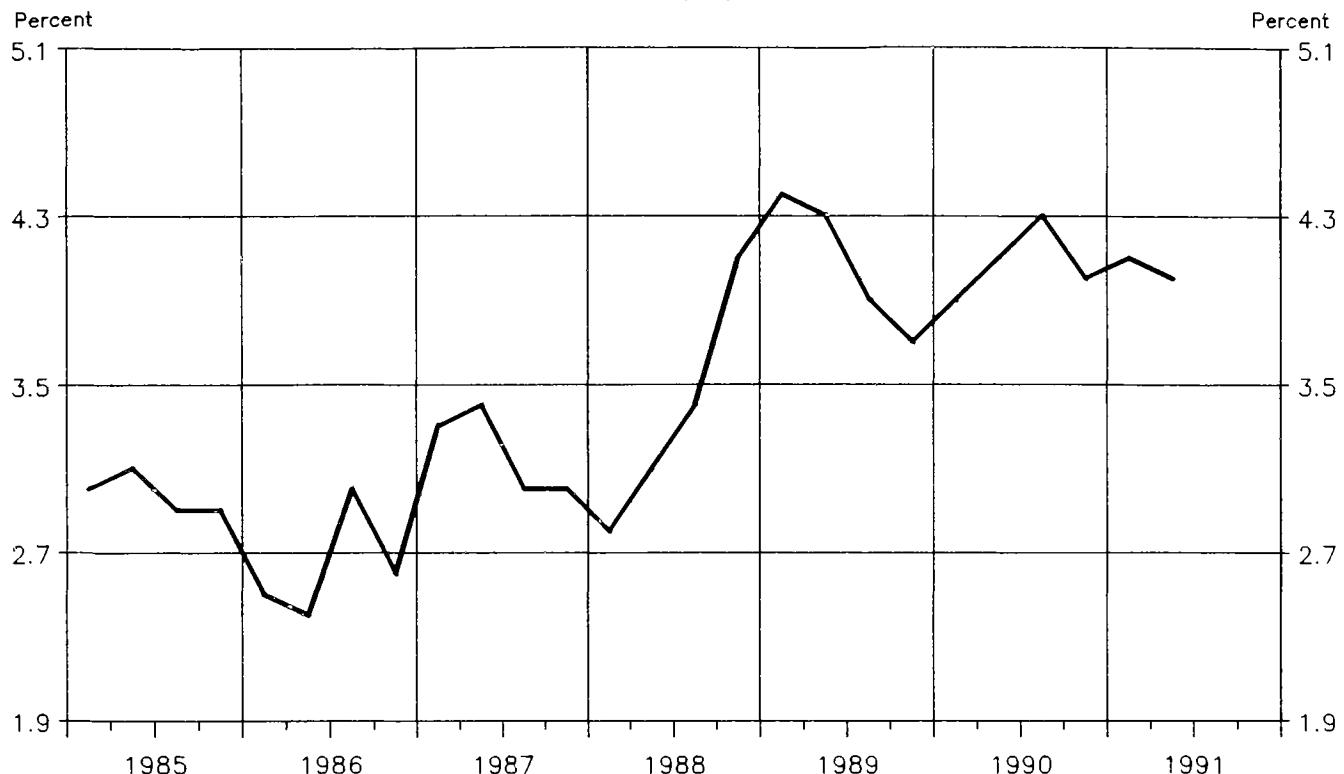
Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars		
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	2.3																		3,733.6
1-87	3.7	5.2																	3,781.2
2-87	3.9	4.7	4.2																3,820.3
3-87	3.9	4.5	4.2	4.1															3,858.9
4-87	4.5	5.0	4.9	5.3	6.6														3,920.7
1-88	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.9	5.1													3,970.2
2-88	4.4	4.8	4.7	4.9	5.1	4.4	3.6												4,005.8
3-88	4.2	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	3.8	3.1	2.7											4,032.1
4-88	4.1	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.7										4,059.3
1-89	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	3.6	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.6								4,095.7
2-89	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	1.6								4,112.2
3-89	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.7	1.7							4,129.7
4-89	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.2	1.0	0.3						4,133.2
1-90	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.7					4,150.6
2-90	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.1	0.4				4,155.1
3-90	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.9	1.4			4,170.0
4-90	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.3	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.1	-0.1	-1.6		4,153.4
1-91	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.6	-1.0	-2.2	-2.8	4,124.1
2-91	2.2	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.5	-0.8	-1.5	-0.1	4,123.0

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Implicit Price Deflator
 Percent Change From Previous Year
 Seasonally Adjusted



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Implicit Price Deflator
 (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																			1982 = 100
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	1.8																			115.1
1-87	2.6	3.5																		116.1
2-87	2.8	3.3	3.1																	117.0
3-87	3.0	3.4	3.3	3.5																118.0
4-87	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.6	1.7															118.5
1-88	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.7														119.3
2-88	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.6	4.4													120.6
3-88	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	4.0	4.6	4.7												122.0
4-88	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	4.1	4.6	4.7	4.7											123.4
1-89	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	4.1	4.4	4.4	4.3	3.9										124.6
2-89	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.2	3.9	3.9									125.8
3-89	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.2								126.8
4-89	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.8							128.0
1-90	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.8						129.5
2-90	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.7					131.0
3-90	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.2	3.7				132.2
4-90	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.2	2.8			133.1
1-91	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.0	5.2			134.8
2-91	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.7	4.2	136.2

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Final Sales in 1982 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	3.9																		3,754.4	
1-87	2.5	1.0																	3,763.9	
2-87	3.1	2.6	4.3																3,803.3	
3-87	3.6	3.4	4.6	5.0															3,850.3	
4-87	3.3	3.1	3.9	3.7	2.3														3,872.3	
1-88	3.9	3.9	4.7	4.8	4.7	7.1													3,939.2	
2-88	4.1	4.1	4.8	4.9	4.8	6.1	5.1												3,988.9	
3-88	3.7	3.7	4.1	4.1	3.9	4.4	3.1	1.1											3,999.5	
4-88	3.8	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.0	4.5	3.6	2.8	4.6										4,045.2	
1-89	3.7	3.6	4.0	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.3	2.7	3.5	2.4									4,069.6	
2-89	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.0	2.4	2.9	2.1	1.7								4,086.6	
3-89	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4	2.8	2.3	2.6	2.0	1.8	1.8							4,105.1	
4-89	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.1	2.5	2.1	2.3	1.7	1.5	1.4	0.9						4,114.4	
1-90	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3	3.8					4,152.8	
2-90	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.3	1.9	2.1	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	-0.7				4,145.6	
3-90	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.3	1.9	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.7	0.6	1.9			4,165.3	
4-90	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	0.9	1.7	1.4		4,179.8	
1-91	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.7	-0.1	0.1	-0.8	-2.9		4,149.0
2-91	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.3	1.4	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.1	-0.5	-1.4	0.2	4,150.7

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Personal Consumption Expenditures in 1982 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	2.2																		2,477.8	
1-87	1.4	0.7																	2,482.2	
2-87	2.5	2.6	4.5																2,509.9	
3-87	2.9	3.2	4.4	4.3															2,536.6	
4-87	2.3	2.3	2.8	1.9	-0.4														2,534.2	
1-88	3.0	3.2	3.8	3.6	3.2	6.9													2,576.8	
2-88	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.0	4.8	2.7												2,594.1	
3-88	3.0	3.2	3.6	3.4	3.1	4.3	3.1	3.5											2,616.4	
4-88	3.1	3.2	3.6	3.4	3.2	4.1	3.2	3.5	3.5										2,638.8	
1-89	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.9	2.6	3.2	2.3	2.2	1.6	-0.3									2,636.7	
2-89	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.9	2.1	2.0	1.5	0.5	1.3								2,645.3	
3-89	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.1	2.5	2.5	2.3	1.8	2.9	4.6							2,675.3	
4-89	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.6	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.9	-0.8						2,669.9	
1-90	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.6	0.1	1.1					2,677.3	
2-90	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.2	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.3	1.3	0.2	0.7	0.2				2,678.8	
3-90	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.6	0.8	1.3	1.5	2.7			2,696.8	
4-90	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.7	-0.1	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-3.4		2,673.6	
1-91	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.5	-0.8	-2.4	-1.5		2,663.7
2-91	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	-0.7	0.6	2,682.1	

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Residential Fixed Investment in 1982 Dollars
 (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	0.4																			200.3
1-87	-4.0	-8.1																		196.1
2-87	-1.3	-2.1	4.4																	198.2
3-87	-2.3	-3.2	-0.6	-5.3																195.5
4-87	-1.7	-2.2	-0.2	-2.4	0.6															195.8
1-88	-2.6	-3.2	-1.9	-3.9	-3.1	-6.8														192.4
2-88	-1.3	-1.6	-0.2	-1.3	0.1	-0.2	6.8													195.6
3-88	-1.1	-1.3	-0.1	-1.0	0.2	0.0	3.6	0.4												195.8
4-88	-1.0	-1.2	-0.1	-0.9	0.0	-0.1	2.2	0.0	-0.4											195.6
1-89	-1.3	-1.5	-0.6	-1.3	-0.6	-0.8	0.7	-1.2	-2.0	-3.6										193.8
2-89	-2.2	-2.5	-1.8	-2.6	-2.2	-2.6	-1.8	-3.8	-5.2	-7.5	-11.3									188.1
3-89	-2.7	-3.0	-2.4	-3.2	-2.9	-3.4	-2.8	-4.6	-5.8	-7.6	-9.5	-7.6								184.4
4-89	-2.9	-3.2	-2.7	-3.4	-3.2	-3.6	-3.2	-4.8	-5.8	-7.1	-8.2	-6.6	-5.5							181.8
1-90	-1.7	-1.9	-1.3	-1.8	-1.5	-1.7	-1.1	-2.1	-2.6	-3.0	-2.8	0.1	4.3	15.1						188.3
2-90	-2.4	-2.6	-2.1	-2.7	-2.4	-2.7	-2.2	-3.3	-3.8	-4.4	-4.6	-2.8	-1.2	1.1	-11.2					182.8
3-90	-3.6	-3.8	-3.5	-4.1	-4.0	-4.4	-4.2	-5.3	-6.0	-6.8	-7.3	-6.5	-6.2	-6.4	-15.6	-19.8				173.0
4-90	-4.7	-5.0	-4.8	-5.4	-5.4	-5.9	-5.8	-7.0	-7.8	-8.6	-9.3	-9.0	-9.3	-10.2	-17.3	-20.2	-20.6			163.3
1-91	-6.0	-6.3	-6.2	-6.9	-7.0	-7.5	-7.6	-8.8	-9.7	-10.7	-11.5	-11.5	-12.2	-13.4	-19.4	-21.9	-23.0	-25.3		151.8
2-91	-5.5	-5.8	-5.7	-6.3	-6.4	-6.8	-6.8	-7.9	-8.6	-9.4	-10.0	-9.9	-10.2	-10.9	-15.4	-16.4	-15.3	-12.4	2.7	152.8
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	

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Nonresidential Fixed Investment in 1982 Dollars
 (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	4.5																			435.7
1-87	0.2	-4.0																		431.3
2-87	4.0	3.8	12.1																	443.8
3-87	7.1	8.0	14.5	17.0																461.6
4-87	5.8	6.1	9.7	8.5	0.6															462.3
1-88	6.7	7.2	10.1	9.5	5.9	11.4														475.0
2-88	7.9	8.5	11.2	11.0	9.1	13.5	15.7													492.6
3-88	7.1	7.5	9.6	9.1	7.1	9.4	8.4	1.6												494.6
4-88	5.6	5.7	7.1	6.3	4.3	5.3	3.3	-2.4	-6.3											486.6
1-89	5.9	6.0	7.4	6.7	5.1	6.0	4.7	1.2	1.0	8.9										497.1
2-89	6.0	6.1	7.3	6.7	5.3	6.1	5.1	2.6	2.9	7.9	6.9									505.5
3-89	6.0	6.1	7.2	6.7	5.5	6.2	5.3	3.3	3.8	7.4	6.6	6.3								513.3
4-89	5.2	5.3	6.2	5.6	4.4	4.9	4.0	2.1	2.2	4.5	3.0	1.2	-3.8							508.4
1-90	5.2	5.3	6.1	5.5	4.4	4.9	4.1	2.5	2.7	4.6	3.5	2.4	0.5	5.0						514.6
2-90	4.5	4.5	5.2	4.6	3.6	3.9	3.1	1.6	1.6	3.0	1.8	0.6	-1.3	0.0	-4.7					508.4
3-90	4.8	4.8	5.4	5.0	4.0	4.3	3.6	2.4	2.5	3.8	3.0	2.2	1.2	2.9	1.8	8.9				519.3
4-90	4.5	4.5	5.1	4.6	3.7	4.0	3.3	2.1	2.2	3.3	2.5	1.8	0.9	2.2	1.2	4.4	0.1			519.4
1-91	3.2	3.1	3.6	3.1	2.1	2.2	1.5	0.3	0.2	0.9	0.0	-1.0	-2.2	-1.8	-3.5	-3.0	-8.5	-16.3		496.8
2-91	2.9	2.9	3.3	2.7	1.9	1.9	1.2	0.1	0.0	0.6	-0.2	-1.1	-2.1	-1.8	-3.1	-2.7	-6.3	-9.4	-1.8	494.5
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	

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Exports in 1982 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates		
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	7.1																		406.5
1-87	9.8	12.7																	418.8
2-87	13.7	17.2	21.9																440.1
3-87	15.4	18.3	21.3	20.6															461.2
4-87	17.1	19.8	22.3	22.4	24.3														487.0
1-88	19.5	22.1	24.6	25.5	28.0	31.7													521.7
2-88	17.2	18.9	20.2	19.8	19.6	17.2	4.4												527.3
3-88	15.6	16.9	17.6	16.8	15.8	13.2	4.9	5.4											534.3
4-88	15.7	16.9	17.5	16.8	16.0	14.0	8.7	10.9	16.7										555.3
1-89	15.8	16.8	17.3	16.6	16.0	14.4	10.4	12.5	16.3	15.8									576.1
2-89	15.4	16.3	16.7	16.1	15.5	14.1	10.8	12.5	15.0	14.1	12.4								593.2
3-89	14.0	14.7	14.9	14.1	13.3	11.9	8.9	9.8	10.9	9.0	5.8	-0.5							592.5
4-89	14.0	14.6	14.8	14.1	13.4	12.1	9.5	10.4	11.4	10.1	8.3	6.3	13.5						611.6
1-90	13.8	14.3	14.5	13.8	13.2	12.0	9.7	10.5	11.4	10.4	9.0	7.9	12.4	11.2					628.1
2-90	12.4	12.8	12.8	12.1	11.4	10.1	8.0	8.4	8.9	7.6	6.1	4.5	6.3	2.8	-5.0				620.1
3-90	12.1	12.4	12.4	11.7	11.0	9.8	7.9	8.3	8.6	7.5	6.2	5.0	6.4	4.1	0.8	6.9			630.5
4-90	12.0	12.3	12.3	11.6	11.0	9.9	8.2	8.5	8.9	8.0	6.9	6.0	7.3	5.8	4.1	8.9	11.0		647.2
1-91	11.3	11.6	11.5	10.9	10.2	9.2	7.5	7.8	8.0	7.1	6.1	5.2	6.2	4.7	3.2	6.0	5.6	0.5	648.0
2-91	11.0	11.2	11.1	10.4	9.8	8.8	7.2	7.5	7.7	6.8	5.9	5.1	5.9	4.7	3.4	5.6	5.2	2.4	654.9

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Imports in 1982 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates		
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	0.0																		541.9
1-87	-0.6	-1.2																	540.2
2-87	4.0	6.1	14.0																558.2
3-87	7.8	10.6	17.0	20.1															584.4
4-87	8.2	10.4	14.6	14.9	9.9														598.3
1-88	6.9	8.3	10.9	9.9	5.1	0.5													599.0
2-88	5.9	7.0	8.7	7.4	3.5	0.4	0.3												599.5
3-88	6.3	7.3	8.8	7.8	4.9	3.2	4.7	9.2											612.8
4-88	7.0	7.9	9.3	8.5	6.3	5.5	7.2	10.8	12.4										631.0
1-89	6.0	6.7	7.8	6.9	4.8	3.9	4.7	6.2	4.8	-2.3									627.3
2-89	6.6	7.3	8.3	7.6	5.9	5.3	6.3	7.8	7.4	5.0	12.8								646.5
3-89	6.6	7.2	8.1	7.5	6.0	5.5	6.3	7.5	7.1	5.4	9.6	6.4							656.6
4-89	6.2	6.8	7.5	6.9	5.5	5.0	5.6	6.6	6.0	4.5	6.9	4.0	1.7						659.4
1-90	6.0	6.4	7.1	6.5	5.2	4.7	5.2	6.0	5.6	4.1	5.8	3.5	2.1	2.5					663.5
2-90	5.6	6.0	6.6	6.0	4.8	4.3	4.7	5.3	4.8	3.5	4.7	2.8	1.6	1.6	0.7				664.7
3-90	5.7	6.1	6.7	6.1	5.0	4.6	5.0	5.6	5.1	4.1	5.2	3.8	3.1	3.6	4.1	7.6			677.0
4-90	4.6	4.9	5.3	4.7	3.6	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.1	2.0	2.6	1.0	-0.1	-0.5	-1.5	-2.6	-11.8		656.0
1-91	3.8	4.0	4.4	3.8	2.7	2.1	2.3	2.5	1.8	0.7	1.1	-0.5	-1.6	-2.2	-3.4	-4.7	-10.4	-8.8	641.0
2-91	4.6	4.8	5.2	4.7	3.7	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.3	2.4	2.9	1.8	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.7	-1.5	4.2	19.0

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Government Purchases of Goods and Services in 1982 Dollars

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	5.8																			776.0
1-87	2.8	-0.2																		775.7
2-87	0.7	-1.7	-3.2																	769.5
3-87	1.9	0.7	1.1	5.5																779.8
4-87	2.7	2.0	2.7	5.7	6.0															791.3
1-88	0.6	-0.4	-0.4	0.5	-1.9	-9.2														772.4
2-88	1.0	0.2	0.3	1.2	-0.2	-3.2	3.3													778.7
3-88	0.4	-0.4	-0.4	0.2	-1.1	-3.4	-0.3	-3.8												771.2
4-88	2.0	1.5	1.8	2.6	2.1	1.1	4.8	5.5	15.7											799.9
1-89	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.1	0.2	2.7	2.5	5.8	-3.3										793.2
2-89	1.7	1.3	1.4	2.0	1.5	0.8	3.0	2.9	5.2	0.3	4.0									801.0
3-89	1.3	0.9	1.0	1.5	1.0	0.4	2.0	1.8	3.2	-0.6	0.8	-2.4								796.2
4-89	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.7	1.3	0.7	2.2	2.0	3.2	0.3	1.5	0.3	3.0							802.2
1-90	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.4	0.9	2.3	2.1	3.1	0.8	1.9	1.2	3.0	2.9						807.9
2-90	1.9	1.6	1.7	2.1	1.9	1.4	2.7	2.6	3.6	1.7	2.7	2.4	4.0	4.5	6.2					820.2
3-90	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.1	1.8	1.4	2.6	2.5	3.3	1.6	2.5	2.2	3.3	3.4	3.7	1.2				822.7
4-90	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.0	1.7	2.8	2.7	3.4	2.0	2.8	2.6	3.6	3.8	4.0	3.0	4.7			832.3
1-91	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.4	2.3	3.0	1.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	1.5	1.7	-1.3		829.6
2-91	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.6	2.5	2.4	3.0	1.8	2.4	2.1	2.8	2.8	2.8	1.9	2.1	0.8	3.0	835.8

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Corporate Profits

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

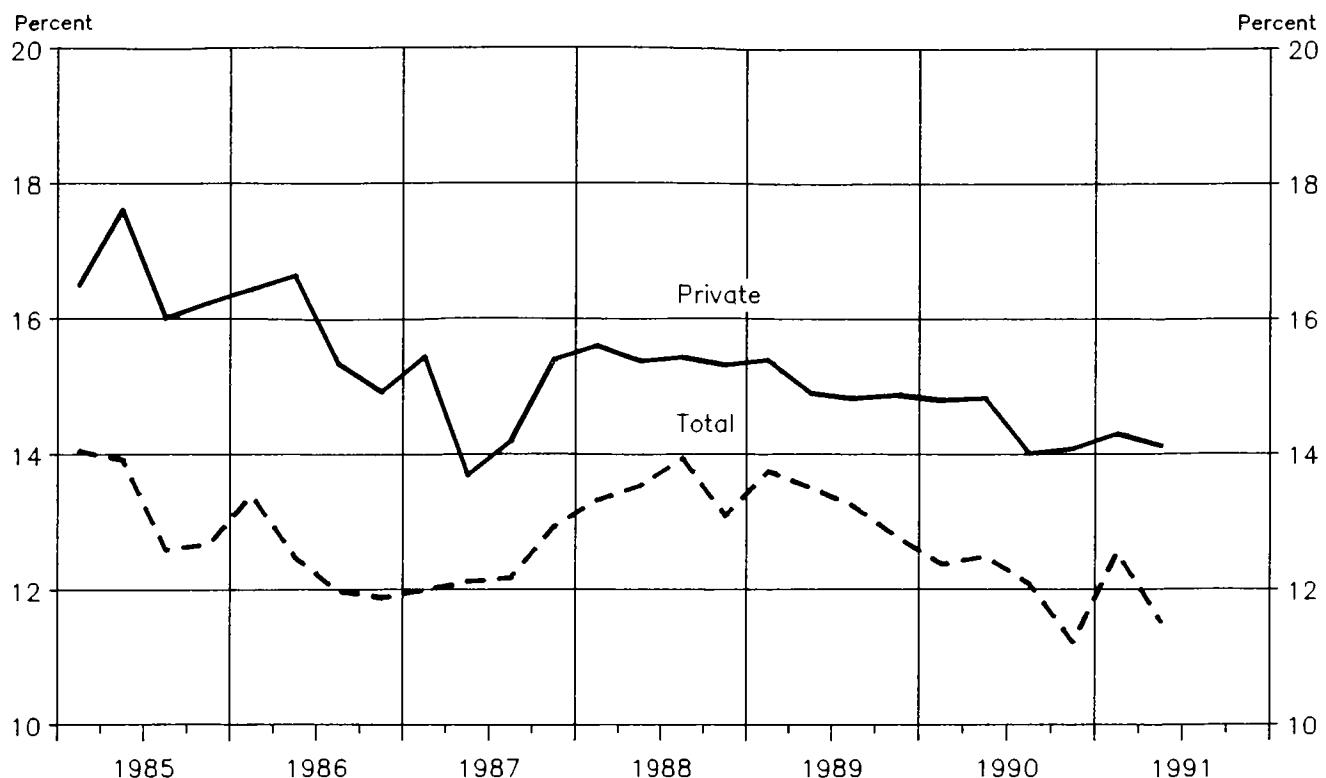
Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91	
4-86	-6.3																			275.2
1-87	1.5	9.9																		281.8
2-87	12.3	23.0	37.6																	305.2
3-87	15.5	23.8	31.4	25.5																323.0
4-87	12.2	17.4	20.0	12.1	0.1															323.1
1-88	11.8	15.8	17.3	11.2	4.7	9.5														330.5
2-88	11.0	14.2	15.1	10.0	5.3	8.0	6.6													335.8
3-88	9.3	11.8	12.1	7.6	3.5	4.7	2.4	-1.7												334.4
4-88	10.4	12.7	13.1	9.5	6.5	8.2	7.8	8.4	19.5											349.6
1-89	6.5	8.0	7.8	4.1	0.9	1.0	-1.0	-3.4	-4.2	-23.2										327.3
2-89	5.2	6.4	6.0	2.6	-0.3	-0.4	-2.2	-4.3	-5.1	-15.5	-7.0									321.4
3-89	3.1	4.0	3.4	0.2	-2.6	-2.9	-4.9	-7.0	-8.3	-16.0	-12.2	-17.1								306.7
4-89	1.2	1.9	1.2	-1.9	-4.5	-5.1	-7.0	-9.1	-10.5	-16.8	-14.5	-18.1	-19.1							290.9
1-90	1.7	2.4	1.7	-1.0	-3.3	-3.7	-5.2	-6.8	-7.6	-12.3	-9.3	-10.1	-6.4	8.4						296.8
2-90	2.5	3.1	2.6	0.2	-1.9	-2.1	-3.3	-4.4	-4.8	-8.4	-5.1	-4.6	0.0	11.1	13.9					306.6
3-90	1.8	2.4	1.9	-0.5	-2.4	-2.6	-3.7	-4.8	-5.2	-8.2	-5.5	-5.2	-2.0	4.5	2.6	-7.5				300.7
4-90	0.8	1.2	0.7	-1.6	-3.4	-3.7	-4.8	-5.8	-6.3	-9.1	-6.9	-6.9	-4.7	-0.7	-3.5	-11.2	-14.8			288.9
1-91	0.5	0.9	0.4	-1.7	-3.4	-3.7	-4.7	-5.6	-6.0	-8.5	-6.5	-6.4	-4.5	-1.3	-3.6	-8.8	-9.4	-3.7		286.2
2-91	0.6	1.0	0.5	-1.4	-3.0	-3.2	-4.2	-5.0	-5.3	-7.5	-5.5	-5.4	-3.6	-0.7	-2.4	-6.1	-5.6	-0.7	2.4	287.9

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Corporate profits with capital consumption and inventory valuation adjustments.

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Gross Saving as a Percent of GNP
Seasonally Adjusted



Total saving equals private saving (personal saving plus business saving) plus government surplus or deficit.

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Gross Private Saving
(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

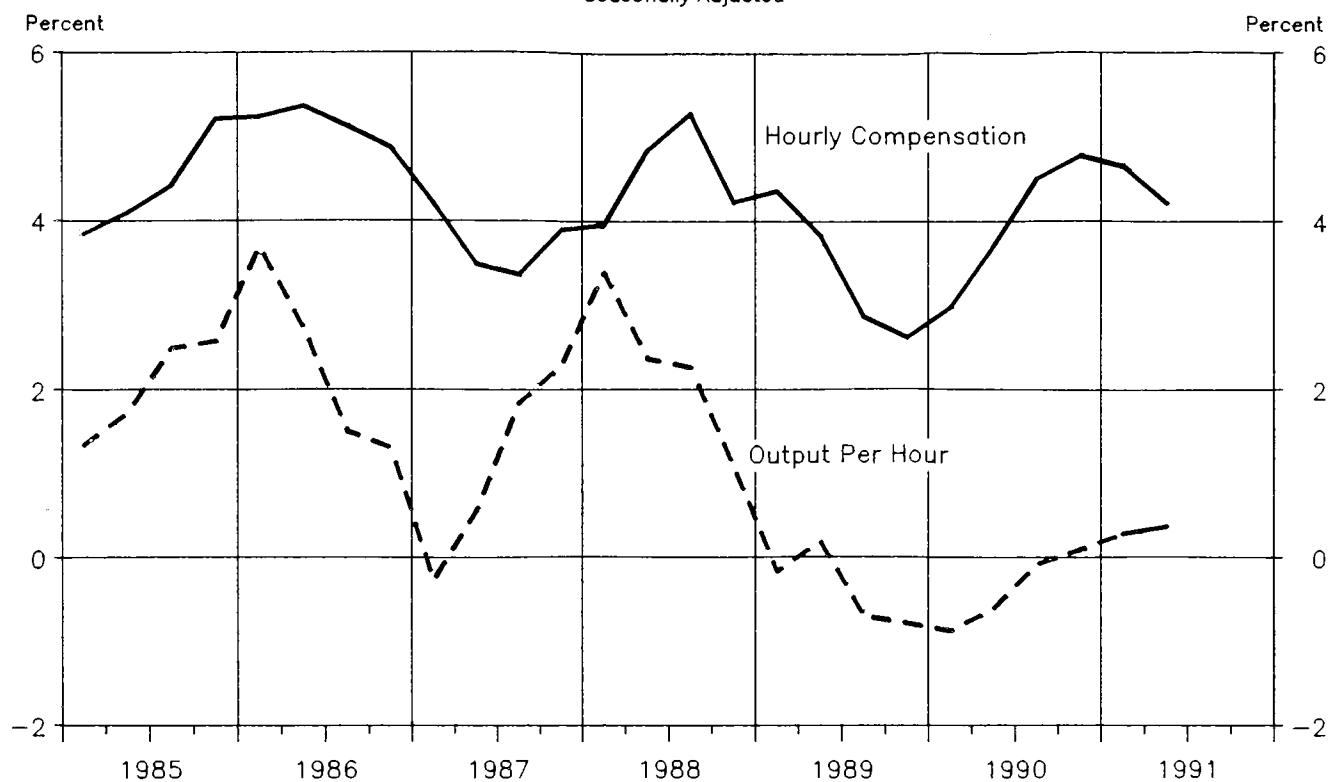
Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter															Billions of Dollars			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	-6.6																		641.2
1-87	8.1	25.0																	678.0
2-87	-8.2	-9.0	-33.7																611.8
3-87	-1.0	0.9	-9.4	23.9															645.5
4-87	7.7	11.5	7.4	36.7	50.7														715.2
1-88	8.6	12.0	8.9	28.5	30.9	13.7													738.5
2-88	7.7	10.3	7.5	21.3	20.5	7.8	2.1												742.4
3-88	7.8	10.0	7.7	18.7	17.4	8.1	5.4	8.7											758.0
4-88	7.4	9.3	7.3	16.2	14.7	7.2	5.1	6.6	4.5										766.4
1-89	7.7	9.4	7.6	15.3	13.9	7.7	6.2	7.6	7.1	9.7									784.4
2-89	6.2	7.6	5.8	12.2	10.6	5.1	3.4	3.8	2.2	1.0	-7.0								770.3
3-89	6.0	7.2	5.5	11.1	9.6	4.8	3.4	3.6	2.4	1.7	-2.1	3.0							776.0
4-89	5.9	7.0	5.5	10.6	9.2	4.9	3.7	3.9	3.0	2.6	0.3	4.2	5.5						786.4
1-90	5.8	6.8	5.4	10.0	8.7	4.8	3.8	4.0	3.2	3.0	1.4	4.3	5.0	4.4					795.0
2-90	5.8	6.8	5.5	9.7	8.4	4.9	4.0	4.2	3.6	3.5	2.3	4.7	5.3	5.2	6.0				806.7
3-90	4.3	5.1	3.8	7.4	6.2	2.8	1.8	1.8	0.9	0.4	-1.0	0.2	-0.5	-2.4	-5.7	-16.0			772.2
4-90	4.2	4.9	3.7	7.1	5.9	2.8	1.9	1.9	1.2	0.7	-0.5	0.6	0.2	-1.1	-2.9	-7.0	2.9		777.8
1-91	4.5	5.2	4.0	7.2	6.1	3.3	2.4	2.5	1.9	1.6	0.6	1.7	1.5	0.8	-0.1	-2.1	5.7	8.5	793.9
2-91	4.3	5.0	3.9	6.8	5.8	3.1	2.4	2.4	1.9	1.6	0.7	1.7	1.6	0.9	0.2	-1.2	4.3	5.1	797.2

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Business Productivity and Compensation

Percent Change From Previous Year
Seasonally Adjusted



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Business Sector Output per Hour

(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																		1982 = 100
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	1.1																		109.4
1-87	0.7	0.4																	109.5
2-87	1.5	1.7	3.0																110.3
3-87	1.8	2.1	2.9	2.9															111.1
4-87	2.0	2.3	2.9	2.9	2.9														111.9
1-88	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.5	3.8	4.7													113.2
2-88	2.0	2.1	2.5	2.4	2.2	1.8	-1.1												112.9
3-88	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.0	0.7	2.5											113.6
4-88	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.1	-0.1	0.4	-1.7										113.1
1-89	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.1	0.8	-0.2	0.1	-1.1	-0.4									113.0
2-89	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.0	0.7	-0.1	0.2	-0.6	0.0	0.4								113.1
3-89	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.5	-0.2	-0.1	-0.7	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-1.1						112.8
4-89	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.1	-0.5	-0.4	-1.0	-0.8	-0.9	-1.6	-2.1						112.2
1-90	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.0	-0.5	-0.5	-0.9	-0.8	-0.9	-1.3	-1.4	-0.7					112.0
2-90	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.2	-0.3	-0.2	-0.6	-0.4	-0.4	-0.6	-0.5	0.4	1.4				112.4
3-90	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1	0.6	1.3	1.1			112.7
4-90	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.5	-0.4	-0.4	-0.5	-0.4	0.1	0.4	-0.2	-1.4		112.3
1-91	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.5	-0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.3	0.1	0.3	-0.1	-0.7	0.0	112.3
2-91	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.1	-0.2	-0.1	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.0	-0.4	0.2	112.4

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Net Federal Debt
(Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																		Billions of Dollars	
	2-86	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	
3-86	15.3																		1,751.2	
4-86	13.8	12.3																	1,802.7	
1-87	11.5	9.7	7.1																1,833.8	
2-87	11.2	9.8	8.6	10.2															1,878.7	
3-87	9.9	8.6	7.5	7.6	5.2														1,902.6	
4-87	9.8	8.7	7.9	8.1	7.1	9.1													1,944.4	
1-88	9.7	8.8	8.2	8.4	7.9	9.3	9.4												1,988.7	
2-88	9.4	8.5	7.9	8.1	7.6	8.4	8.1	6.8											2,021.5	
3-88	9.2	8.5	8.0	8.1	7.7	8.4	8.1	7.5	8.3										2,062.0	
4-88	8.8	8.1	7.6	7.7	7.3	7.7	7.3	6.6	6.6	4.9									2,086.9	
1-89	8.6	8.0	7.5	7.6	7.2	7.6	7.3	6.7	6.7	6.0	7.1								2,122.8	
2-89	8.4	7.8	7.3	7.3	7.0	7.3	7.0	6.5	6.4	5.8	6.2	5.4							2,150.7	
3-89	8.3	7.8	7.4	7.4	7.1	7.3	7.1	6.7	6.7	6.3	6.8	6.6	7.8						2,191.7	
4-89	8.3	7.8	7.4	7.5	7.2	7.4	7.2	6.9	7.0	6.7	7.2	7.2	8.1	8.4					2,236.3	
1-90	8.8	8.3	8.0	8.1	7.9	8.2	8.1	7.9	8.1	8.0	8.7	9.1	10.3	11.6	14.9				2,315.4	
2-90	8.9	8.5	8.2	8.3	8.2	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.5	8.5	9.1	9.5	10.6	11.5	13.1	11.3			2,378.3	
3-90	9.1	8.8	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.9	9.0	9.6	10.0	11.0	11.8	12.9	11.9	12.6		2,449.8	
4-90	9.3	9.0	8.8	8.9	8.8	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3	9.4	10.0	10.5	11.3	12.0	13.0	12.3	12.8	13.1	2,526.4	
1-91	9.3	9.0	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.3	9.4	9.9	10.3	11.0	11.6	12.2	11.6	11.6	11.2	9.3	2,582.9

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT DEBT
(billions of dollars)
Seasonally Adjusted End of Month Totals

	Gross federal debt	Federal debt held by agencies and trusts	Net federal debt	Federal debt held by Federal Reserve Banks	Federal debt held by private investors	Federal debt held by foreign investors
1987 March	2248.9	414.5	1833.8	199.4	1628.4	271.7
June	2311.6	432.9	1878.7	211.7	1668.1	278.0
September	2362.1	459.0	1902.6	214.5	1690.8	282.3
December	2417.2	473.4	1944.4	217.4	1726.2	301.5
1988 March	2487.6	499.3	1998.7	221.3	1763.7	330.5
June	2550.3	527.9	2021.5	226.2	1797.5	342.0
September	2615.3	552.1	2062.0	232.5	1832.2	350.5
December	2671.0	585.1	2086.9	232.4	1854.8	363.3
1989 March	2740.9	618.0	2122.8	232.8	1886.4	373.6
June	2802.7	650.0	2150.7	230.2	1920.6	366.2
September	2871.8	678.1	2191.7	224.2	1970.1	400.9
December	2938.3	703.6	2236.3	222.4	2011.8	392.9
1990 March	3049.0	735.2	2315.4	223.8	2094.2	382.8
June	3146.9	765.1	2378.3	229.6	2154.7	390.5
September	3249.5	797.4	2449.8	236.3	2220.6	411.4
December	3351.4	823.4	2526.4	252.7	2283.7	424.3
1991 March	3461.7	881.8	2582.9	252.3	2337.2	428.3

Columns may not add because each component is seasonally adjusted separately. Gross federal debt equals debt held by agencies and trusts plus net federal debt. Net federal debt equals debt held by Federal Reserve banks plus debt held by private investors (which includes debt held by foreign investors). Sources: Original data may be found in the *Treasury Bulletin* and also in the *Federal Reserve Bulletin*; seasonally adjusted series prepared by this Bank.

Data have been revised to reflect changed seasonal adjustment factors.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT BUDGETS
 (billions of dollars, quarterly totals seasonally adjusted at annual rates)

Quarters	Receipts		Expenditures		Surplus or deficit(-)	
	National income accounts budget	Cyclically adjusted budget	National income accounts budget	Cyclically adjusted budget	National income accounts budget	Cyclically adjusted budget
1984 1	\$ 711.1	\$ 744.7	\$ 865.6	\$ 859.8	\$ - 154.6	- 115.1
2	721.9	747.9	885.3	880.4	- 163.4	- 132.5
3	728.3	754.4	901.1	895.6	- 172.8	- 141.2
4	742.7	771.0	930.2	925.3	- 187.5	- 154.3
1985 1	796.5	819.3	958.2	953.0	- 161.6	- 133.7
2	758.7	780.7	969.9	964.4	- 211.1	- 183.7
3	794.1	811.8	996.7	991.3	- 202.7	- 179.5
4	805.3	822.0	1017.5	1012.6	- 212.2	- 190.6
1986 1	810.9	816.4	1006.6	1001.4	- 195.6	- 185.0
2	815.9	832.2	1051.9	1045.2	- 236.0	- 213.0
3	830.9	852.1	1037.7	1032.4	- 206.8	- 180.3
4	853.8	875.5	1042.8	1038.7	- 189.0	- 163.2
1987 1	862.0	875.1	1060.0	1057.4	- 198.0	- 182.3
2	929.8	938.1	1061.1	1060.4	- 131.3	- 122.3
3	923.4	927.2	1064.9	1065.6	- 141.6	- 138.4
4	940.0	930.0	1101.7	1103.0	- 161.7	- 173.0
1988 1	943.0	924.9	1096.7	1098.0	- 153.7	- 173.1
2	972.5	949.5	1109.4	1111.4	- 136.9	- 161.9
3	976.7	953.0	1096.8	1098.2	- 120.1	- 145.2
4	997.5	971.4	1153.8	1156.1	- 156.3	- 184.7
1989 1	1045.4	1014.3	1178.0	1181.0	- 132.6	- 166.7
2	1062.2	1032.2	1184.9	1187.3	- 122.7	- 155.1
3	1048.1	1020.2	1179.8	1182.0	- 131.7	- 161.8
4	1055.7	1035.4	1205.8	1208.2	- 150.1	- 172.8
1990 1	1080.6	1061.7	1248.8	1252.2	- 168.3	- 190.5
2	1105.8	1093.4	1271.7	1275.4	- 166.0	- 182.0
3	1125.9	1116.0	1271.6	1273.6	- 145.7	- 157.6
4	1126.5	1132.1	1310.8	1311.2	- 184.3	- 179.1
1991 1	1134.5	1163.4	1261.4	1253.3	- 126.9	- 89.9
2	1139.0	N.A.	1324.0	N.A.	- 185.0	N.A.

N.A. - not available

	Fiscal years									Estimates	
	Actual										
	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	
Total budget											
Receipts	\$ 600.6	\$ 666.5	\$ 734.1	\$ 769.1	\$ 854.1	\$ 909.0	\$ 990.7	\$ 1031.3	\$ 1068.7	\$ 1145.5	
Outlays	808.3	851.8	946.3	990.3	1003.8	1064.1	1144.1	1251.8	1350.9	1493.8	
Surplus or deficit (-)	\$ - 207.8	\$ - 185.3	\$ - 212.3	\$ - 221.2	\$ - 149.7	\$ - 155.1	\$ - 153.4	\$ - 220.5	\$ - 282.2	\$ - 348.3	
Calendar years											
National income accounts budget											
Receipts	\$ 659.9	\$ 726.0	\$ 788.7	\$ 827.9	\$ 913.8	\$ 972.4	\$ 1052.9	\$ 1109.7			
Expenditures	835.9	895.6	985.6	1034.8	1071.9	1114.2	1187.2	1275.7			
Surplus or deficit (-)	\$ - 176.0	\$ - 169.6	\$ - 196.9	\$ - 206.9	\$ - 158.2	\$ - 141.7	\$ - 134.3	\$ - 166.0			
Cyclically adjusted budget											
Receipts	\$ 725.8	\$ 754.5	\$ 808.5	\$ 844.1	\$ 917.6	\$ 949.7	\$ 1025.5	\$ 1100.8			
Expenditures	823.5	890.3	980.3	1029.4	1071.6	1115.9	1189.6	1278.1			
Surplus or deficit (-)	\$ - 97.7	\$ - 135.8	\$ - 171.9	\$ - 185.4	\$ - 154.0	\$ - 166.2	\$ - 164.1	\$ - 177.3			

Fiscal years refer to the budget year which runs from October 1 through September 30.

Total budget outlays include federal entities that are off-budget.

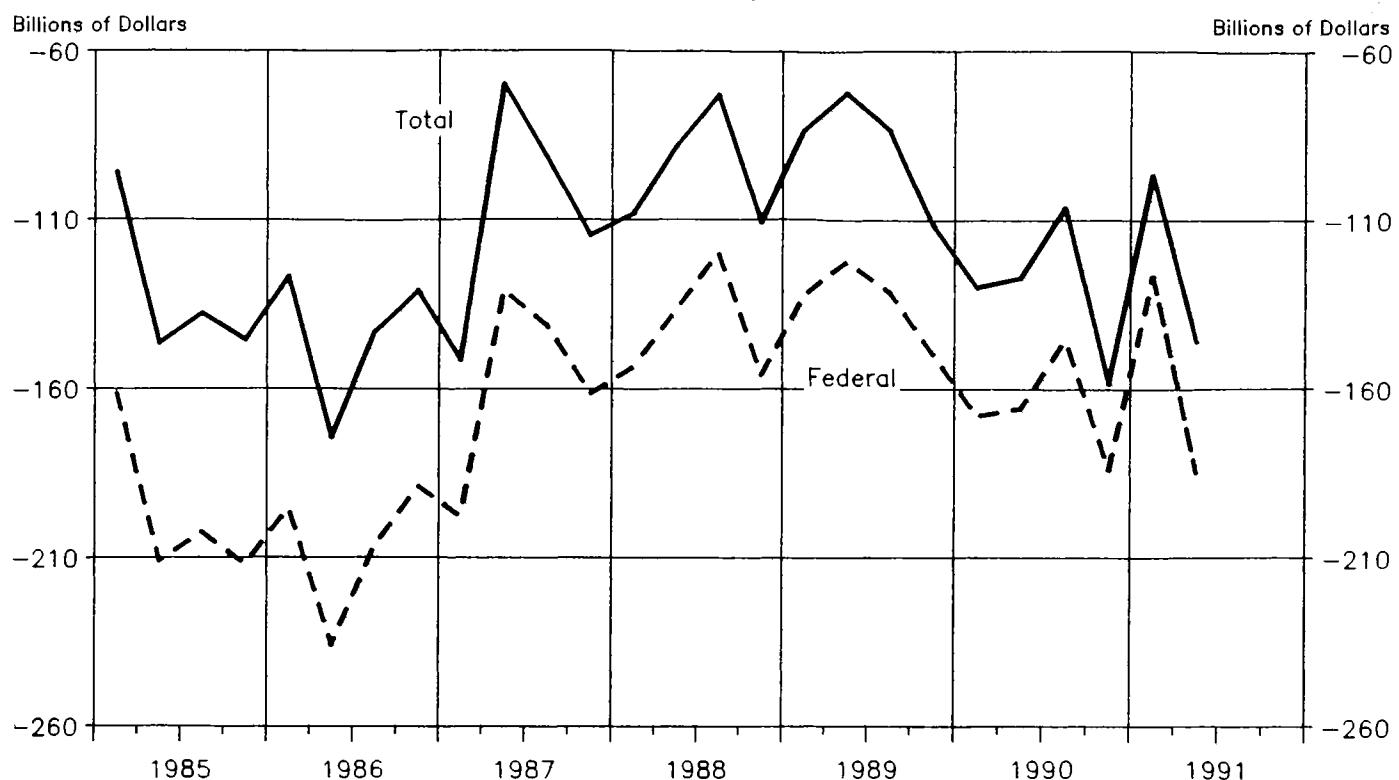
Estimates from Office of Management and Budget's Mid-Session Review of the FY 1991 Budget (July 15, 1991).

Cyclically adjusted budget data are based on a 6 percent rate of unemployment.

Source: Office of Management and Budget and U.S. Department of Commerce.

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Government Deficit(-)/Surplus(+) Seasonally Adjusted



National income accounts basis

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Federal Defense Expenditures (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter															Billions of Dollars Annual Rates			
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91
4-86	-7.9																	280.7	
1-87	0.9	10.5																287.8	
2-87	3.5	9.6	8.8															293.9	
3-87	5.0	9.6	9.2	9.6														300.7	
4-87	2.6	5.5	3.8	1.4	-6.1													296.0	
1-88	2.3	4.5	3.1	1.2	-2.7	0.8												296.6	
2-88	2.1	3.9	2.6	1.1	-1.6	0.7	0.7											297.1	
3-88	1.6	3.0	1.8	0.4	-1.7	-0.2	-0.7	-2.1										295.5	
4-88	2.0	3.3	2.3	1.3	-0.3	1.2	1.4	1.7	5.7									299.6	
1-89	1.6	2.7	1.8	0.8	-0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	1.8	-1.9								298.2	
2-89	1.8	2.8	2.0	1.1	0.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	2.3	0.7	3.3							300.6	
3-89	2.3	3.2	2.5	1.9	0.9	2.0	2.2	2.5	3.7	3.0	5.5	7.8						306.3	
4-89	1.3	2.2	1.4	0.7	-0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0	-0.1	0.4	-0.9	-9.0					299.2	
1-90	2.0	2.8	2.2	1.6	0.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.6	2.0	3.0	2.9	0.6	11.1				307.2	
2-90	2.1	2.8	2.3	1.7	1.1	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.7	2.2	3.0	3.0	1.4	7.1	3.2			309.6	
3-90	2.2	2.9	2.4	1.9	1.3	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.9	2.5	3.2	3.2	2.1	6.0	3.5	3.9		312.6	
4-90	3.0	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.4	3.2	3.4	3.7	4.3	4.2	5.0	5.3	4.9	8.6	7.8	10.2	16.8	325.0	
1-91	3.3	4.0	3.6	3.2	2.8	3.5	3.7	4.0	4.7	4.6	5.4	5.7	5.3	8.5	7.8	9.4	12.3	331.2	
2-91	2.8	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.3	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.6	4.2	4.3	3.8	6.1	5.1	5.7	6.2	-4.9	327.1

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Federal Nondefense Expenditures
 (Compounded Annual Rates of Change)

Terminal Quarter	Initial Quarter																			Billions of Dollars Annual Rates	
	3-86	4-86	1-87	2-87	3-87	4-87	1-88	2-88	3-88	4-88	1-89	2-89	3-89	4-89	1-90	2-90	3-90	4-90	1-91		
4-86	5.9																			762.1	
1-87	5.7	5.4																		772.2	
2-87	2.8	1.3	-2.6																	767.2	
3-87	1.7	0.4	-2.1	-1.6																764.2	
4-87	5.8	5.7	5.8	10.3	23.6															805.7	
1-88	4.3	4.0	3.6	5.8	9.6	-2.8														800.1	
2-88	4.6	4.3	4.1	5.9	8.5	1.6	6.2													812.3	
3-88	3.3	2.9	2.5	3.5	4.9	-0.7	0.3	-5.3												801.3	
4-88	5.9	5.9	5.9	7.4	9.3	6.0	9.1	10.6	29.1											854.2	
1-89	6.5	6.6	6.7	8.1	9.8	7.3	10.0	11.2	20.6	12.5										879.8	
2-89	6.1	6.1	6.2	7.4	8.7	6.4	8.3	8.9	14.0	7.2	2.1									884.3	
3-89	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.9	6.9	4.7	6.0	6.0	9.0	3.0	-1.4	-4.8								873.5	
4-89	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.9	7.9	6.1	7.4	7.6	10.4	6.1	4.1	5.1	16.0							906.6	
1-90	6.7	6.7	6.8	7.7	8.7	7.2	8.5	8.8	11.4	8.1	7.0	8.7	16.2	16.4						941.6	
2-90	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.8	8.7	7.4	8.5	8.8	11.0	8.3	7.4	8.8	13.7	12.6	9.0					962.1	
3-90	6.3	6.3	6.4	7.1	7.9	6.5	7.5	7.7	9.4	6.8	5.9	6.7	9.8	7.8	3.7	-1.3				959.0	
4-90	6.6	6.6	6.7	7.4	8.1	7.0	7.9	8.1	9.6	7.4	6.7	7.5	10.2	8.7	6.3	5.0	11.7			985.8	
1-91	4.9	4.8	4.8	5.3	5.8	4.5	5.2	5.1	6.1	3.9	2.8	2.9	4.3	2.1	-1.2	-4.4	-5.9	-20.7		930.2	
2-91	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.8	7.3	6.3	7.0	7.1	8.3	6.4	5.7	6.2	7.8	6.5	4.7	3.6	5.3	2.3	31.9	996.9	

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