

U.S. Financial Data

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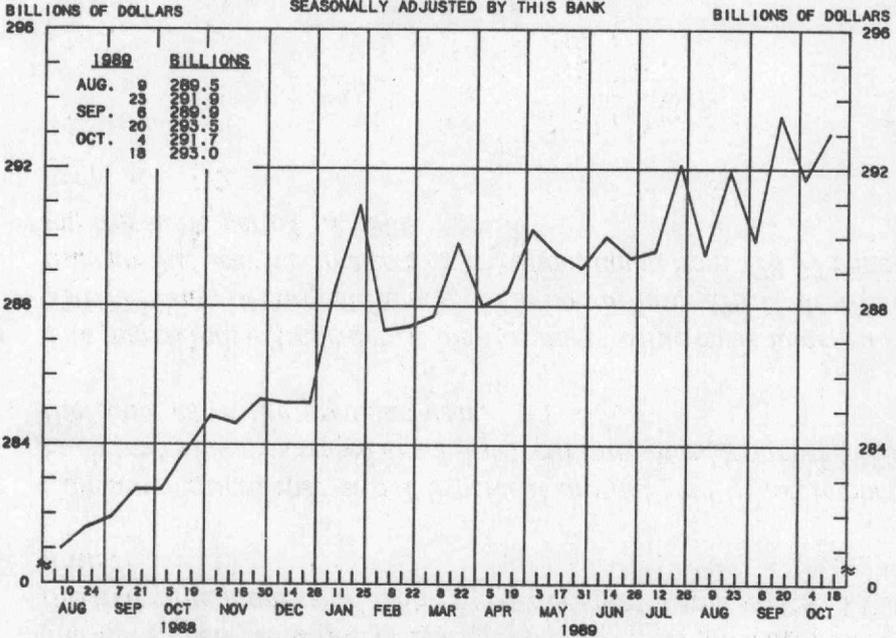
October 19, 1989

THE WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ *Industrial production fell at a 0.8 percent annual rate in September. Production has increased at a 1.8 percent rate thus far this year, compared with 4.9 percent growth during 1988.*
- ✓ *Housing starts fell to 1,263,000 units at an annual rate in September and have averaged a rate of 1,403,000 units thus far in 1989. For the first nine months of 1988, starts averaged a rate of 1,473,000 units.*
- ✓ *Consumer prices rose at a 1.9 percent annual rate in September. Such prices have increased at a 4.4 percent rate since December 1988, the same as in the previous year.*
- ✓ *The merchandise trade deficit on a customs value basis widened to \$10.77 billion in August from \$8.24 billion in July. The trade deficit thus far this year has totaled \$73.15 billion, down from \$78.77 billion for the same period in 1988.*



ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE
AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED BY THIS BANK



LATEST PLOTTED RESERVE MAINTENANCE PERIOD ENDING: OCTOBER 18, 1989

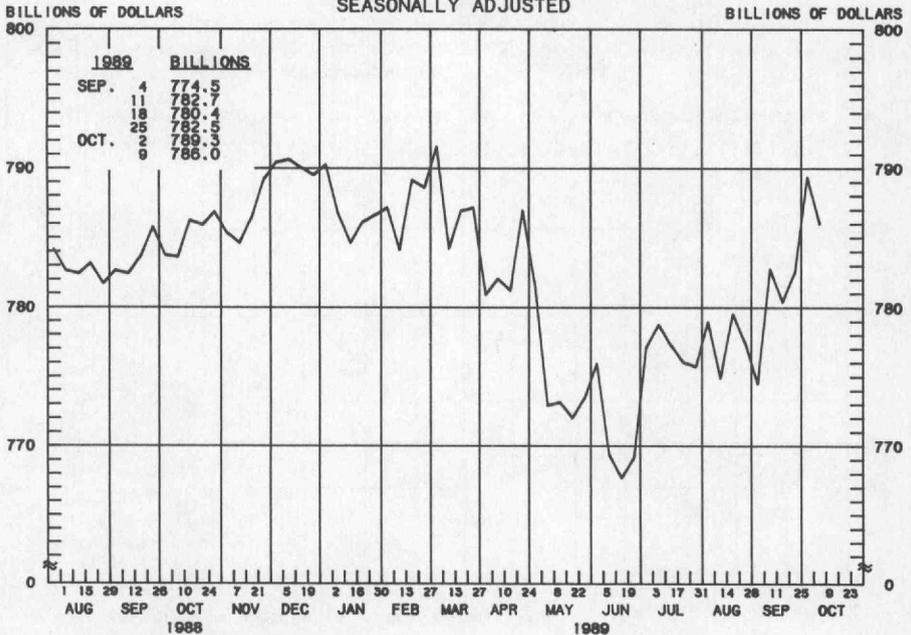
THE ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE IS THE SUM OF RESERVE ACCOUNTS OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AT FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS, CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION (CURRENCY HELD BY THE PUBLIC AND IN THE VAULTS OF ALL DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS) AND AN ADJUSTMENT FOR RESERVE REQUIREMENT RATIO CHANGES. THE MAJOR SOURCE OF THE ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE IS FEDERAL RESERVE CREDIT. DATA ARE COMPUTED BY THIS BANK. A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE IS AVAILABLE FROM THIS BANK.

RECENT DATA ARE PRELIMINARY.

ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE									
COMPOUNDED ANNUAL RATES OF CHANGE,									
AVERAGE OF TWO MAINTENANCE PERIODS ENDING:									
	10/19/88	1/11/89	3/22/89	4/19/89	5/17/89	6/14/89	7/12/89	8/23/89	
TO THE AVERAGE OF TWO MAINTENANCE PERIODS ENDING:									
3/22/89	4.6								
4/19/89	3.5	1.7							
5/17/89	4.1	3.1	2.5						
6/14/89	3.4	2.2	1.2	3.2					
7/12/89	3.0	1.8	0.8	2.0	-0.9				
8/23/89	3.1	2.2	1.6	2.5	1.0	2.0			
9/20/89	3.2	2.4	2.0	2.9	1.8	2.7	4.0		
10/18/89	3.2	2.5	2.2	2.9	2.1	2.8	3.8	3.9	

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MONEY STOCK (M1)
AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 9, 1989

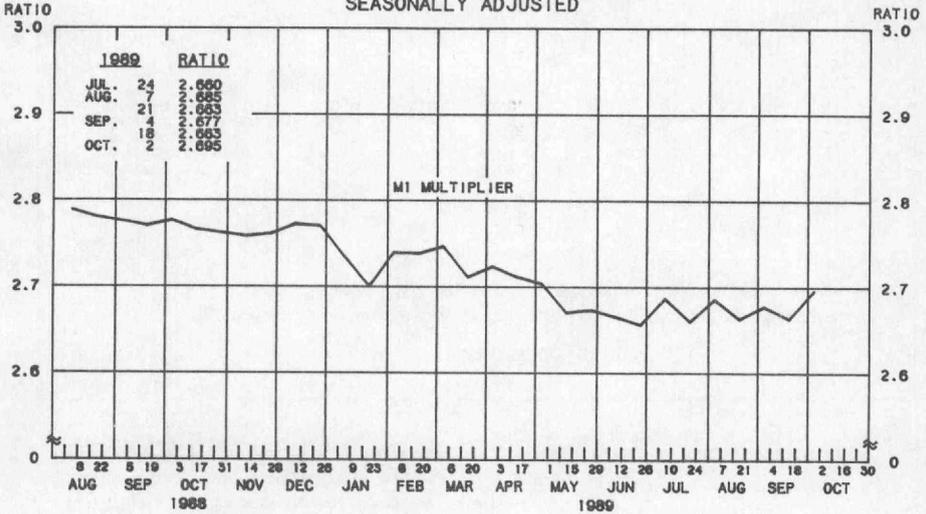
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M1 IS THE SUM OF CURRENCY HELD BY THE NONBANK PUBLIC, DEMAND DEPOSITS, OTHER CHECKABLE DEPOSITS AND TRAVELERS CHECKS.

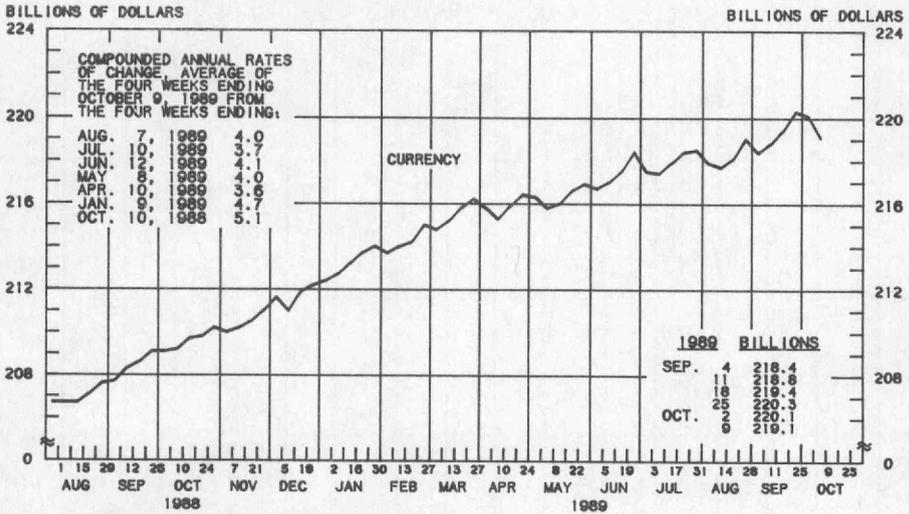
MONEY STOCK (M1)									
COMPOUNDED ANNUAL RATES OF CHANGE, AVERAGE OF FOUR WEEKS ENDING:									
TO THE AVERAGE OF FOUR WEEKS ENDING:	10/10/88	1/9/89	3/6/89	4/10/89	5/8/89	6/12/89	7/10/89	8/7/89	
3/ 6/89	1.3								
4/10/89	0.0	-2.5							
5/ 8/89	-0.8	-3.3	-5.5						
6/12/89	-2.2	-4.8	-7.2	-8.2					
7/10/89	-1.9	-4.0	-5.4	-5.5	-5.4				
8/ 7/89	-1.1	-2.6	-3.4	-2.8	-1.8	3.7			
9/11/89	-0.8	-2.0	-2.4	-1.7	-0.8	3.0	4.0		
10/ 9/89	0.1	-0.8	-0.8	0.1	1.2	4.8	6.0	5.8	

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MONEY MULTIPLIER ^{1/}
CURRENCY COMPONENT OF MONEY STOCK ^{2/}
 AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES
 SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



LATEST DATA PLOTTED TWO WEEKS ENDING: OCTOBER 2, 1989



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 9, 1989

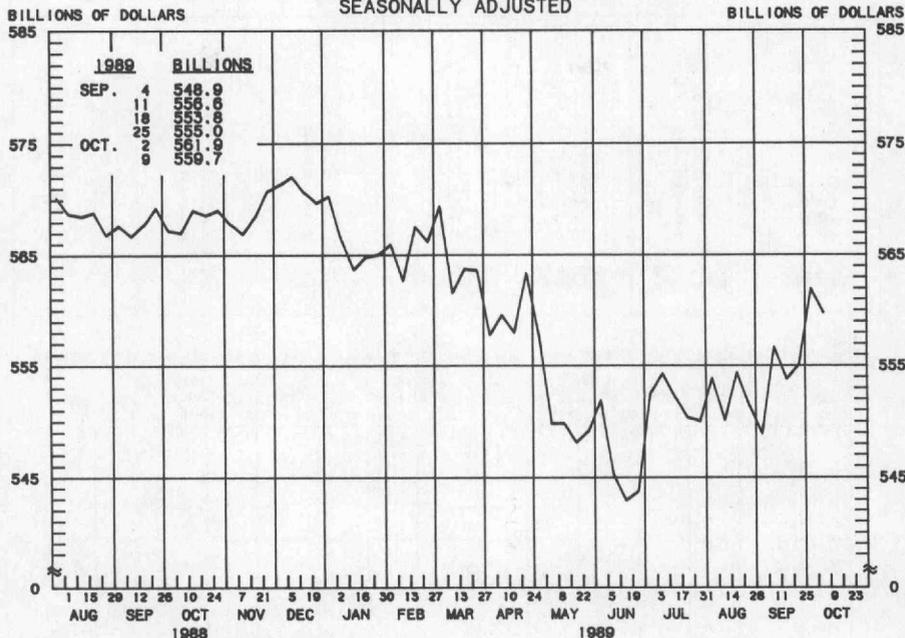
1/ RATIO OF MONEY STOCK (M1) TO ADJUSTED MONETARY BASE

2/ CURRENT DATA APPEAR IN THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS' H.6 RELEASE.

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TOTAL CHECKABLE DEPOSITS

AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 9, 1989

TOTAL CHECKABLE DEPOSITS IS THE SUM OF DEMAND DEPOSITS AND OTHER CHECKABLE DEPOSITS AT ALL DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS.

TOTAL CHECKABLE DEPOSITS

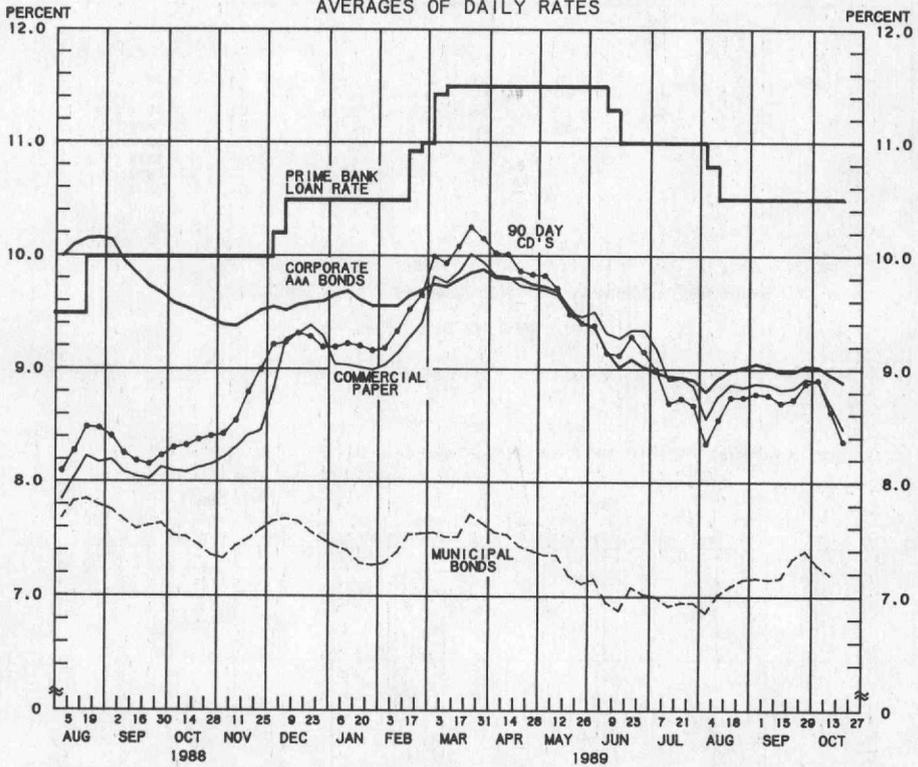
COMPOUNDED ANNUAL RATES OF CHANGE, AVERAGE OF FOUR WEEKS ENDING:

	10/10/88	1/9/89	3/6/89	4/10/89	5/8/89	6/12/89	7/10/89	8/7/89
TO THE AVERAGE OF FOUR WEEKS ENDING:								
3/ 6/89	-0.6							
4/10/89	-2.3	-5.5						
5/ 8/89	-3.2	-6.3	-9.0					
6/12/89	-5.0	-8.3	-11.2	-12.3				
7/10/89	-4.6	-7.2	-9.0	-8.9	-8.9			
8/ 7/89	-3.4	-5.3	-6.1	-5.1	-4.0	3.6		
9/11/89	-2.9	-4.3	-4.6	-3.5	-2.3	3.1	4.8	
10/ 9/89	-1.8	-2.7	-2.6	-1.3	0.2	5.1	7.0	6.5

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YIELDS ON SELECTED SECURITIES

AVERAGES OF DAILY RATES



1989	90 DAY CD'S	30-DAY COMMERCIAL PAPER	90-DAY BANKERS' ACCEPTANCES	CORPORATE AAA BONDS	CORPORATE BAA BONDS	MUNICIPAL BONDS ^{30BK}
AUG. 4	8.35	8.57	8.15	8.81	9.77	6.86
11	8.56	8.77	8.41	8.92	9.82	7.02
18	8.76	8.87	8.57	8.99	9.90	7.09
25	8.76	8.85	8.58	9.02	9.92	7.15
SEP. 1	8.79	8.88	8.57	9.05	9.96	7.16
8	8.78	8.87	8.57	9.02	9.94	7.15
15	8.71	8.83	8.53	8.98	9.88	7.16
22	8.74	8.84	8.55	8.98	9.88	7.33
29	8.88	8.92	8.70	9.03	9.94	7.40
OCT. 6	8.91	8.90	8.70	9.02	9.92	7.27
13	8.63	8.69	8.40	8.95	9.82	7.19
20 *	8.37	8.48	8.28	8.89	9.77	N.A.
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* AVERAGES OF RATES AVAILABLE

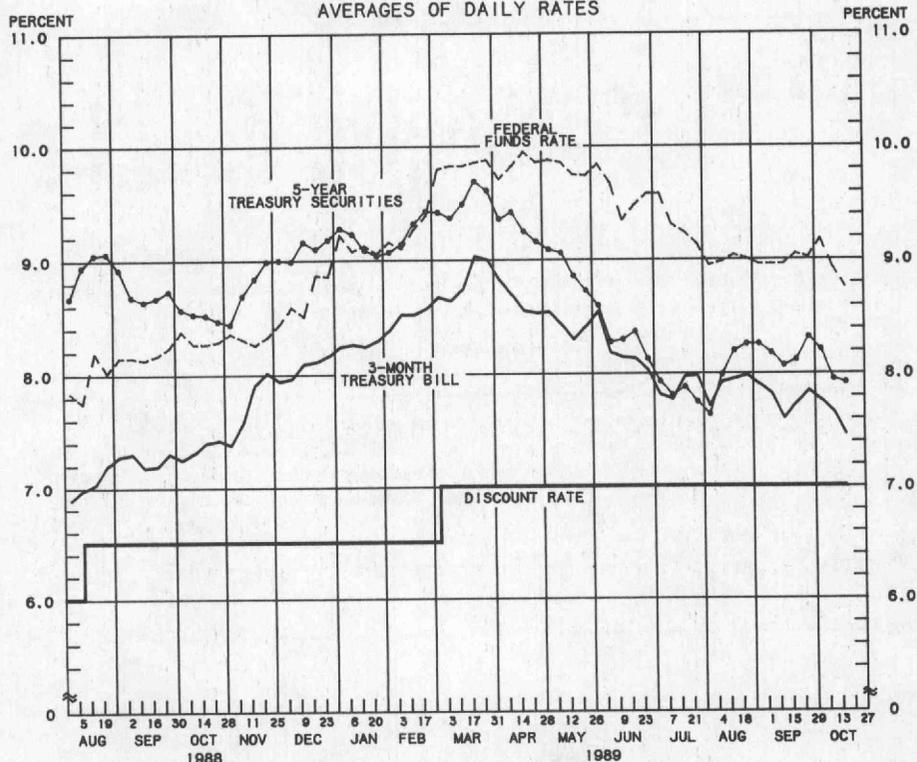
^{30BK} BOND BUYER'S AVERAGE INDEX OF 20 MUNICIPAL BONDS, THURSDAY DATA

N.A. - NOT AVAILABLE

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SELECTED INTEREST RATES

AVERAGES OF DAILY RATES



LATEST DATA PLOTTED ARE AVERAGES OF RATES AVAILABLE FOR THE WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 20, 1989.

1989	FEDERAL FUNDS %**	3-MONTH TREASURY BILL	6-MONTH TREASURY BILL %***	1-YEAR TREASURY BILL	5-YEAR TREASURY SECURITIES	LONG-TERM TREASURY SECURITIES
AUG. 4	8.95	7.71	7.35	7.20	7.64	7.97
11	8.98	7.92	7.70	7.56	7.96	8.18
18	9.04	7.95	7.83	7.72	8.20	8.30
25	9.01	7.98	7.85	7.78	8.26	8.33
SEP. 1	8.96	7.90	7.88	7.72	8.26	8.33
8	8.96	7.82	7.87	7.68	8.18	8.25
15	8.96	7.60	7.64	7.51	8.07	8.23
22	9.05	7.73	7.64	7.61	8.12	8.28
29	9.02	7.84	7.79	7.78	8.32	8.41
OCT. 6	9.18	7.76	7.92	7.76	8.21	8.27
13	8.93	7.66	7.60	7.46	7.95	8.13
20 *	8.76	7.46	7.42	7.31	7.92	8.12
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NOTE: CURRENT DATA APPEAR IN THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS' H. 15 RELEASE EXCLUDING LONG-TERM TREASURY SECURITIES WHICH ARE COMPUTED BY THIS BANK. TREASURY BILL YIELDS ARE ON A DISCOUNT BASIS.

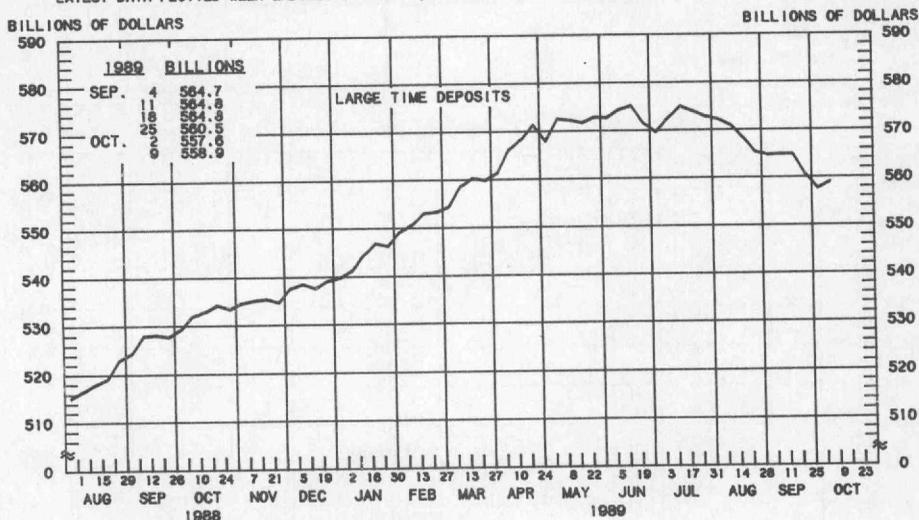
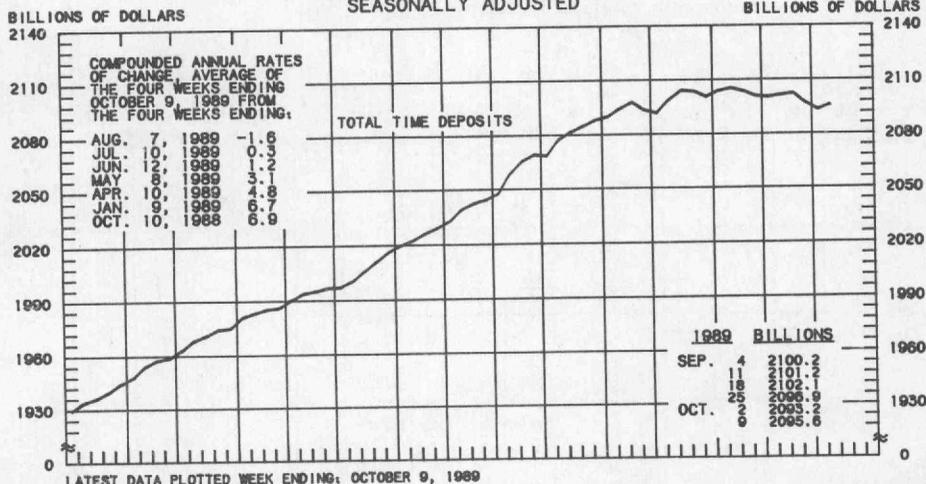
* AVERAGES OF RATES AVAILABLE

** SEVEN-DAY AVERAGES FOR WEEK ENDING TWO DAYS EARLIER THAN DATE SHOWN

*** AUCTION AVERAGE (DISCOUNT)

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**ALL DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS
TOTAL TIME DEPOSITS ^{1/}
LARGE TIME DEPOSITS ^{2/}
AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED**



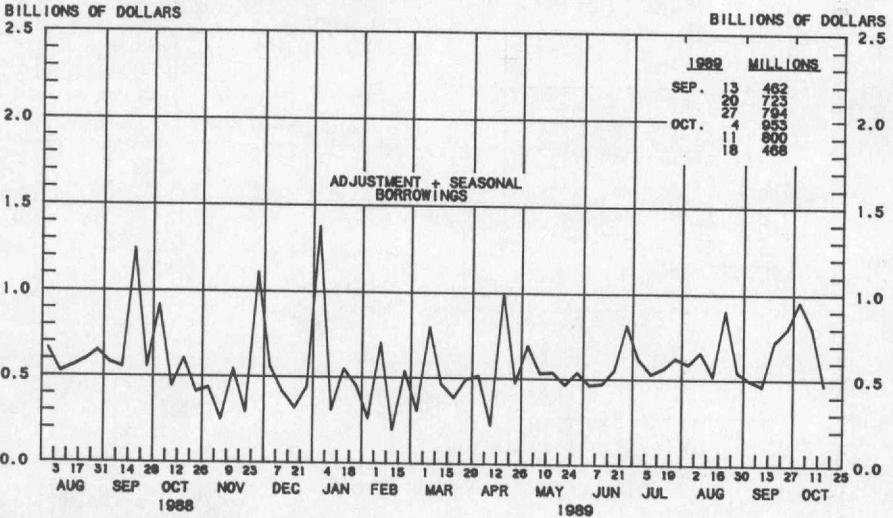
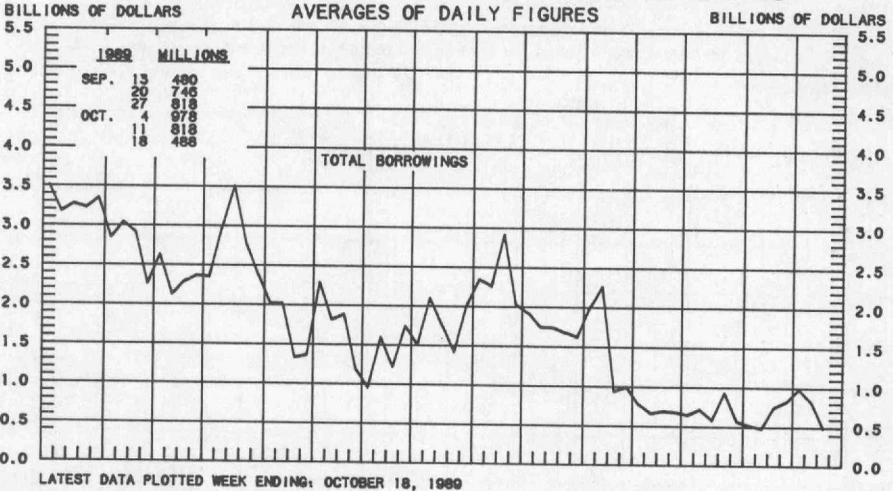
LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 9, 1989

1/ TOTAL TIME IS THE SUM OF SAVINGS DEPOSITS, SMALL TIME DEPOSITS AND LARGE TIME DEPOSITS.

2/ TIME DEPOSITS ISSUED IN DENOMINATIONS OF \$100,000 OR MORE

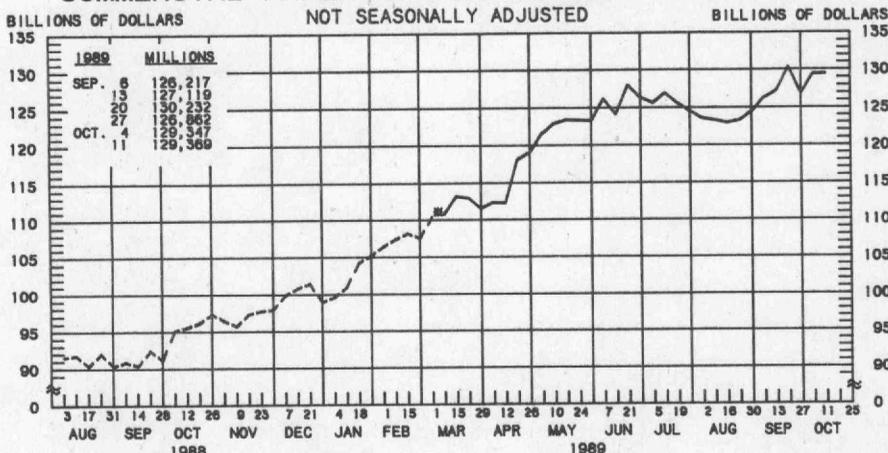
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BORROWINGS FROM FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS



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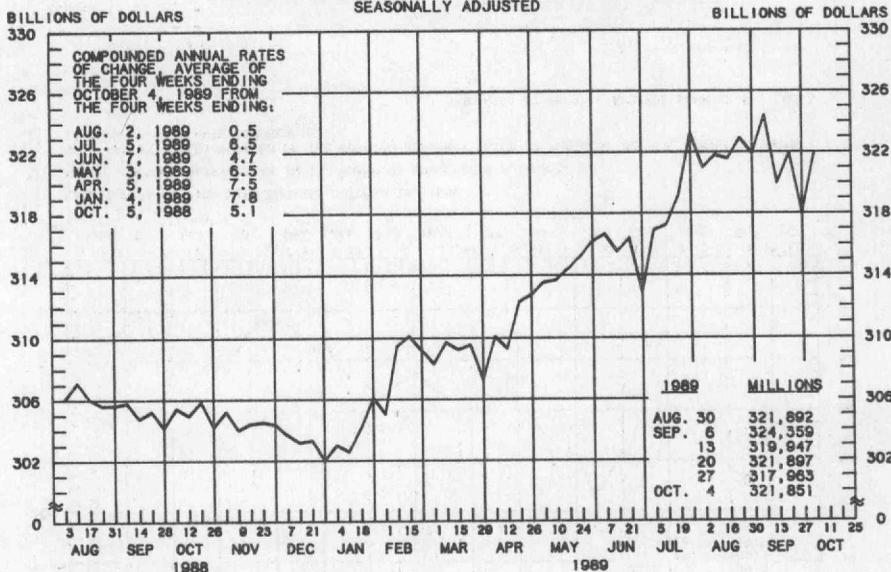
COMMERCIAL PAPER OF NONFINANCIAL COMPANIES



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 11, 1989

* DASHED LINE REPRESENTS DATA USING AN OLD REPORTING PANEL AND IS NOT COMPARABLE TO CURRENT DATA.

BUSINESS LOANS^{1/} (COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL) WEEKLY REPORTING LARGE COMMERCIAL BANKS^{2/} SEASONALLY ADJUSTED



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 4, 1989

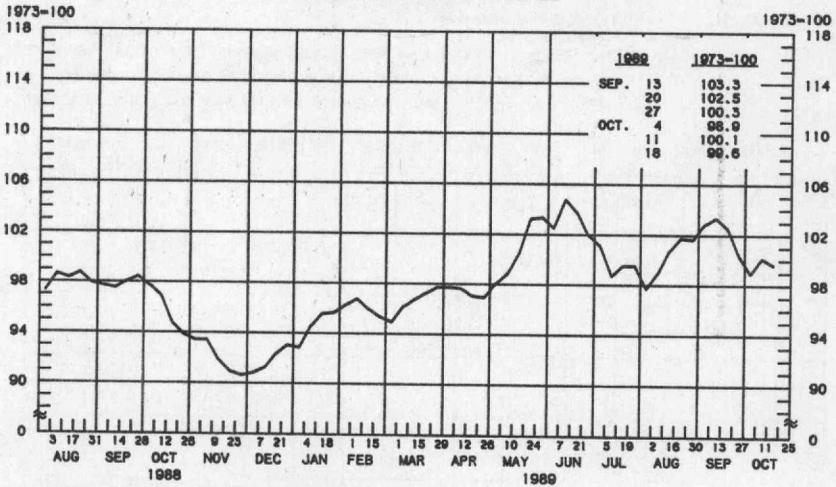
1/ BUSINESS LOANS INCLUDE BANKERS' ACCEPTANCES AND COMMERCIAL PAPER.

2/ BANKS WITH DOMESTIC ASSETS GREATER THAN \$1.4 BILLION

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DOLLAR'S TRADE-WEIGHTED EXCHANGE INDEX

AVERAGES OF DAILY FIGURES



LATEST DATA PLOTTED WEEK ENDING: OCTOBER 18, 1989

NOTE: CURRENT DATA APPEAR IN THE BOARD OF GOVERNOR'S H.10 RELEASE.

DATA ARE WEIGHTED AVERAGES OF THE FOREIGN-CURRENCY PRICE OF THE U.S. DOLLAR, COMPUTED USING 10 INDUSTRIAL COUNTRY CURRENCIES.

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