

THE WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ Industrial production rose at a 2.1 percent annual rate in May. Over the last three months, industrial production has increased at a 3.9 percent rate, down from an 8 percent rate for the previous three-month period. The total industry capacity utilization rate decreased 0.1 percentage point to 83.5 percent in May.
- ✓ Real retail sales declined at a 5.1 percent rate in May. Despite this decline, real retail sales have increased at a 0.2 percent rate since December 1993.
- ✓ The consumer price index rose at a 2.5 percent rate in May. Over the last three months, consumer prices have risen at a 2.8 percent rate, up from a 1.9 percent rate for the previous three-month period. Excluding food and energy, consumer prices rose at a 3.9 percent rate in May.
- The producer price index for finished goods decreased at a 1 percent rate in May, the same rate as in the previous month. Finished goods excluding food and energy prices have risen at a 3.1 percent rate over the last two months.

All data are seasonally adjusted unless otherwise indicated.

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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.

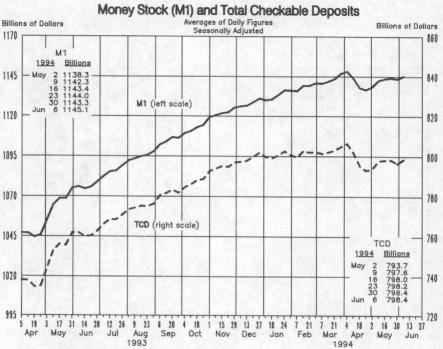
Adjusted Monetary Base

To the average of two maintenance periods ending:	6/9/93		rates of cf 11/10/93			2/2/94	3/2/94	4/13/94
11/10/93	9.4							
12/8/93	8.8	7.6						
1/5/94	8.3	7.0	5.4					
2/2/94	9.8	9.6	10.6	13.2				
3/2/94	10.5	10.6	12.1	14.3	19.2			
4/13/94	9.7	9.4	10.0	10.9	12.7	9.2		
5/11/94	9.4	9.0	9.3	10.0	11.1	8.2	5.0	
6/8/94	9.3	9.0	9.3	9.8	10.7	8.4	6.1	7.4

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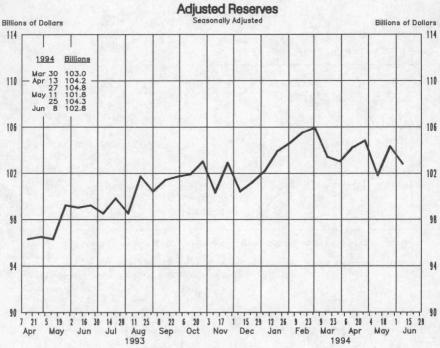
Latest data plotted week ending: June 6, 1994

Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.6 release.

M1 is the sum of currency held by the nonbank public, demand deposits, other checkable deposits and travelers checks.

Total checkable deposits is the sum of demand deposits and other checkable deposits at depository institutions.

			Money	Stock (M	H)			
To the average of four weeks ending:	Con 6/7/93	1pounded 9/6/93	annual rate 11/8/93	es of chang 12/6/93	e, average 1/3/94	of four we 2/7/94	eeks endin 3/7/94	g: 4/4/94
11/8/93	10.2							
12/6/93	9.9	9.9						
1/3/94	9.4	9.0	7.4					
2/7/94	8.9	8.3	6.8	6.1				
3/7/94	8.5	7.9	6.5	5.8	5.7			
4/4/94	8.3	7.6	6.4	5.9	5.8	5.6		
5/9/94	6.8	5.6	4.0	3.2	2.5	1.2	-0.6	
6/6/94	6.7	5.7	4.3	3.6	3.2	2.4	1.5	-0.5



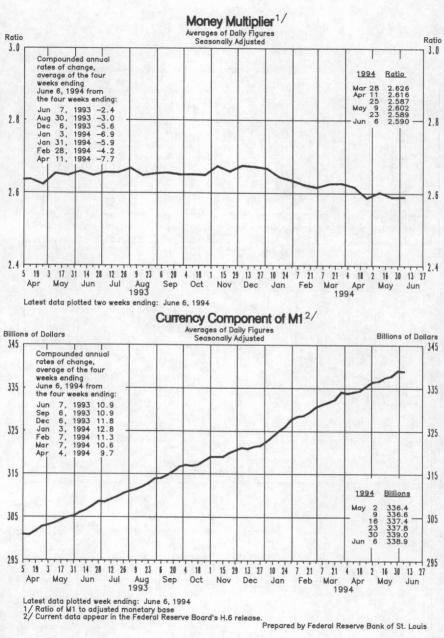
Latest data plotted two weeks ending: June 8, 1994

Adjusted reserves is the difference between adjusted monetary base and currency component of M1.

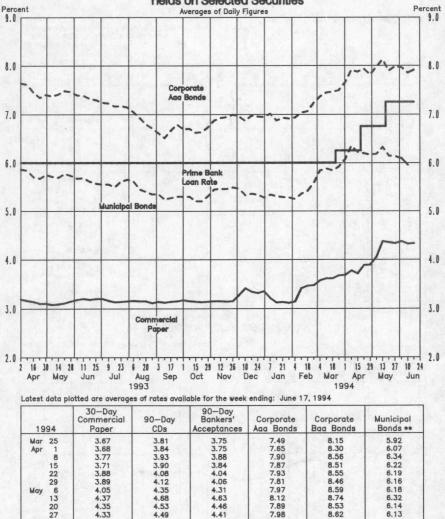
Adjusted Reserves

o the average of wo maintenance periods ending:	6/9/93	9/1/93	11/10/93	12/8/93	1/5/94	2/2/94	3/2/94	4/13/94
11/10/93	6.3							
12/8/93	5.3	2.2						
1/5/94	4.6	1.7	0.0					
2/2/94	8.1	7.6	11.6	17.8				
3/2/94	9.2	9.3	13.4	18.2	28.5			
4/13/94	5.4	4.0	4.5	5.5	7.1	-3.4		
5/11/94	4.6	3.2	3.2	3.8	4.6	-3.5	-11.3	
6/8/94	4.5	3.2	3.3	3.8	4.5	-1.9	-7.2	0.0





Yields on Selected Securities



4.44

4.38

4.43

7.96

7.85

7.91

Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.15 release.

* Averages of rates available

4.37

4.32

4.33

** Bond Buyer's Average Index of 20 municipal bonds, Thursday data

4.52

4.43

4.45

N.A. - Not Available

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Jun 3

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8.61

8.51

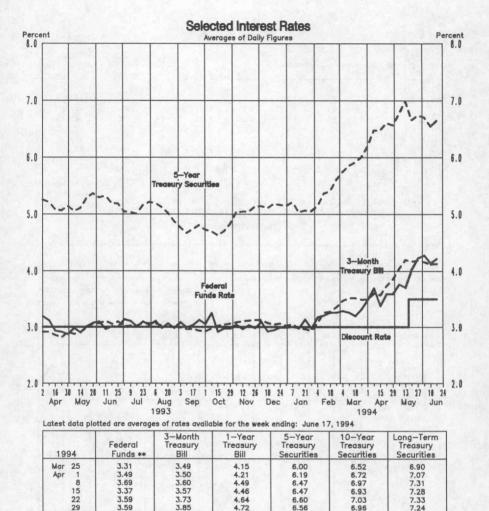
8.60

6.09 5.96

N.A.







Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's 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

4.96

5.19

4.95

5.00

5.04

4.89

4.90

6.76

6.98

6.65

6.73

6.70

6.54

6.64

** Seven-day averages for week ending two days earlier than date shown *** Auction average (discount)

4.04

4.19

4.16

4.18

4.15

4.11

4.12

3.76

3.70

4.02

4.22

4.27

4.13

4.21

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7.16

7.37

7.06

7.14

7.09

6.97

7.06

7.42

7.60

7.34

7.44

7.39

7.28

7.36

May 6

Jun 3

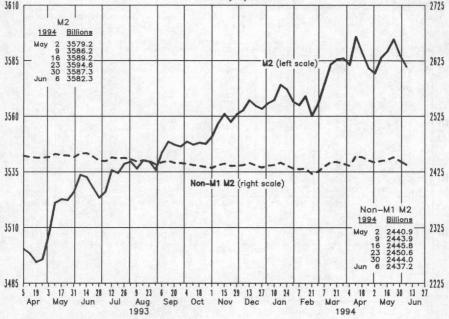
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Latest data plotted week ending: June 6, 1994

Billions of Dollars

3610

Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.6 release.

M2 is the sum of M1, overnight RPs issued by all commercial banks, overnight Eurodollars issued to U.S. residents by foreign branches of U.S. banks, savings (including money market deposit accounts), small time deposits and general purpose and broker/dealer money market mutual funds. For more detail, see the H.6 release.

Money Stock (M2)

To the average of four weeks ending:	6/7/93	9/6/93	11/8/93	12/6/93	1/3/94	2/7/94	3/7/94	4/4/94
11/8/93	1.7							
12/6/93	2.0	2.4						
1/3/94	1.9	2.2	2.7					
2/7/94	1.8	2.0	2.1	1.5				
3/7/94	1.6	1.6	1.4	0.8	0.3			
4/4/94	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.8		
5/9/94	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	2.7	
6/6/94	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.4	0.6

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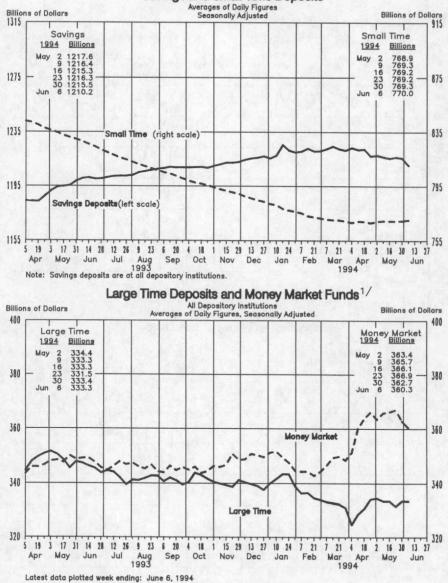
Billions of Dollars

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Money Stock (M2) and Non-M1 Components of M2 Averages of Daily Figures Seasonally Adjusted

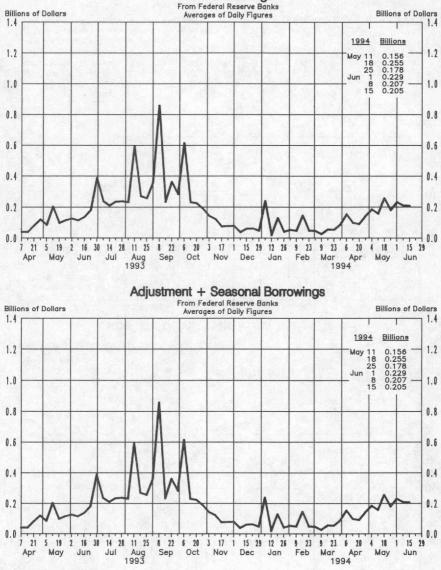
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Savings and Small Time Deposits



1/ Large time deposits are those issued in denominations of \$100,000 or more. Money market funds are general purpose and broker/dealer.

Total Borrowings



Latest data plotted week ending: June 15, 1994

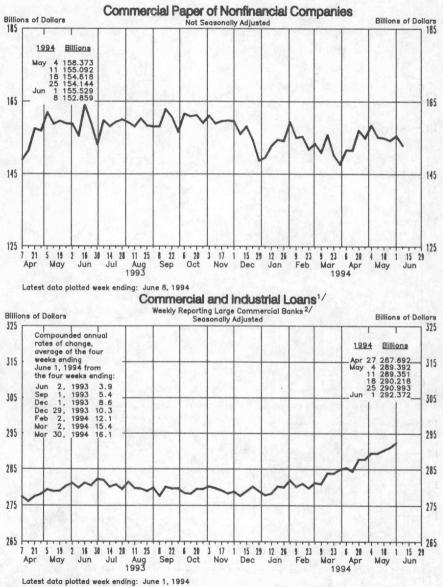
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1/ Commercial and industrial loans include banker's acceptances and commercial paper.

2/ Banks with domestic assets greater than \$1.4 billion



Latest data plotted week ending: June 15, 1994

Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board'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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