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BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
BANK RATES ON SHORT-TERM BUSINESS LOANS 1/
May 1-15, 1969 and February 1-15, 1969

June 23, 1969.

Interest rate (per cent per annum)	Percentage distribution of dollar amount by size of loan											
	All sizes		\$1,000-\$9,999		\$10,000-\$99,999		\$100,000-\$499,999		\$500,000-\$999,999		\$1,000,000 and over	
	May 1969	February 1969	May 1969	February 1969	May 1969	February 1969	May 1969	February 1969	May 1969	February 1969	May 1969	February 1969
Less than 7.50	3.3	69.7	7.0	29.9	4.7	32.0	4.4	53.2	3.6	71.3	2.6	83.8
7.50	38.4	7.6	7.9	12.1	9.8	15.3	20.3	11.5	33.0	7.7	53.4	4.5
7.51 - 7.99	25.6	9.7	13.2	18.7	14.5	20.8	26.5	13.6	30.4	8.1	26.4	6.2
8.00	8.9	5.1	15.9	14.1	17.3	11.1	12.6	7.7	9.6	5.3	5.4	2.7
8.01 - 8.49	8.5	3.4	16.6	12.7	20.4	8.5	13.9	5.9	8.4	3.5	3.8	1.2
8.50	5.2	1.7	11.8	3.8	11.0	3.3	8.2	3.0	5.0	1.2	2.7	1.1
8.50 - 8.99	3.7	0.8	14.5	3.1	9.7	2.4	5.1	1.5	3.9	0.6	1.6	0.2
9.00	3.0	0.7	4.6	1.6	3.8	2.1	2.8	1.6	2.1	0.7	3.1	0.1
Over 9.00	3.4	1.2	8.4	3.8	8.7	4.5	6.1	2.2	3.8	1.5	0.9	0.2
Total per cent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total - Dollar amount*	4,471,403	3,880,481	55,089	49,258	470,912	421,589	944,367	793,284	638,503	498,152	2,362,532	2,118,198
Total - Number of loans	36,508	32,181	14,351	12,806	15,171	13,562	4,853	4,111	1,057	832	1,076	870
WEIGHTED AVERAGE RATES (per cent per annum)												
35 centers	7.86	7.32	8.22	7.73	8.23	7.70	8.01	7.46	7.84	7.29	7.70	7.16
New York City	7.66	7.13	8.23	7.76	8.14	7.65	7.81	7.30	7.65	7.13	7.60	7.06
7 Other Northeast	8.18	7.59	8.31	7.88	8.50	8.03	8.31	7.76	8.16	7.48	7.84	7.18
8 North Central	7.89	7.41	8.09	7.79	8.20	7.81	8.07	7.60	7.95	7.49	7.76	7.26
7 Southeast	7.66	7.01	7.96	7.37	7.91	7.20	7.72	7.09	7.44	6.79	7.45	6.84
8 Southwest	7.87	7.25	8.27	7.56	8.09	7.42	7.89	7.21	7.80	7.23	7.76	7.18
4 West Coast	7.83	r 7.35	8.51	8.09	8.23	7.81	7.97	r 7.54	7.75	7.26	7.70	7.18

1/ Beginning February 1967 the Quarterly Survey of Interest Rates on Business Loans was revised. For description of revised series see pp. 721-727 of the May 1967 Bulletin.

* - Dollar amounts in thousands.

r - Revised.