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## CONSUMER INSTALMENT CREDIT AT COMMERCIAL BANKS

Consumer instalment credit outstanding at commercial banks amounted to \$70,996 million at the end of July, an increase of \$521 million from June 30, but still \$1,388 million below the year earlier figure. All major types of credit showed gains during the month, with a small decline in mobile home credit the only negative note.

Instalment loans made to consumers during July were \$293 million above the June volume, with automobile credit accounting for more than one-half the gain.

Consumer Instalment Credit at Commercial Banks (Estimates, in millions of dollars)

Amounts outstanding Volume extended Change from: Change from: July 31, July Type of credit Month Year Month Year 1975 1975 ago ago ago. ago 29,321 279 -2,306 2.545 185 Automobile paper, total . Purchased 17,708 148 -1.669 1.443 96 -110 Direct 11.613 131 -637 1.102 89 102 -Other consumer goods: Credit cards 8,042 65 820 1,635 91 132 7,351 Mobile homes - 24 -272 194 6 - 78 All other 6.497 51 13 503 - 25 - 29 254 4,463 60 147 - 24 Home improvement loans 11 25 Personal loans: Check-credit 2,396 21 130 309 - 11 All other 12,926 69 80 1.043 \* -113 Total 70,996 521 -1,388 6.483 293 -131 Federal Reserve District: Boston 2,780 16 - 15 261 16 - 24 29 - 58 New York 8,183 40 692 Philadelphia 4.137 6 -199 318 23 - 10 Cleveland 5,473 56 - 70 467 / 38 -5 Richmond 24 6,689 32 -643 571 36 Atlanta 7,761 - 13 -543 645 - 28 71 Chicago 9,626 84 - 79 890 34 3 43 22 5 St. Louis 3,840 29 352 Minneapolis 2,295 49 157 213 30 31 Kansas City 4,190 68 16 445 55 12 4,362 25 Dallas 29 - 86 506 85 San Francisco 11,660 111 40 1,123 25 - 53

\*Less than 0.5 million dollars.