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CHANGES IN COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL LOANS BY INDUSTRY

Commercial and industrial loans increased in all but three districts and a total of \$15 million at all reporting member banks during the week ended September 9. The principal increases were \$27 million in loans to public utilities, \$19 million to commodity dealers, \$14 million to manufacturers of food, liquor, and tobacco products, and \$11 million to manufacturers and producers of petroleum, coal, chemicals, and rubber products.

The larger offsetting net decreases were \$23 million to manufacturers of metals and metal products and \$44 million to unclassified borrowers.

Changes in loans during the week and since mid-year are shown below; the third column shows the changes during the comparable period last year.

<u>Business of Borrower</u>	Week ended Sept. 9 ^{p/}	<u>Cumulative since mid-year</u>	
		July 8, 1959 to Sept. 9, 1959 ^{p/}	July 9, 1958 to Sept. 10, 1958
(In millions of dollars)			
Manufacturing and mining:			
Food, liquor, and tobacco	+14	+ 88	+110
Textiles, apparel, and leather	- 1	+153	- 8
Metals and metal products	-23	- 71	-363
Petroleum, coal, chemicals, and rubber	+11	+ 56	+ 49
Other manufacturing and mining	--	+103	- 22
Trade--wholesale and retail	+ 7	+ 44	+ 50
Commodity dealers	+19	+155	+148
Public utilities and transportation	+27	+106	-107
Construction	+ 4	+ 8	+ 38
All other types of business	--	<u>-142</u>	<u>+147</u>
Classified changes - net	+59	+500	+ 42
Unclassified changes - net	<u>-44</u>	<u>+ 23</u>	<u>- 16</u>
Net change in commercial and industrial loans	+15	+523	+ 26

Note: Cumulative figures in the last column are not strictly comparable with current figures because of revised loan classification beginning with week ended July 8, 1959.

^{p/} Preliminary.

CHANGES IN COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL LOANS OF A SAMPLE OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS
 BY INDUSTRY AND FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT,
 WEEK ENDED WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1959

Business of Borrower	All Dis- tricts p/	Boston	New York	Phila- delphia	Cleve- land	Rich- mond	Atlanta	Chicago	St. Louis	Minne- apolis	Kansas City	Dallas	San Fran- cisco p/
(In millions of dollars)													
Manufacturing and mining:													
Food, liquor, and tobacco	+14.4	+ .7	- 4.5	+5.1	+ .4	+1.4	+1.3	+6.1	+ .6	+ .2	- .2	+ .9	+ 2.4
Textiles, apparel, and leather	- .5	-2.3	+ 5.4	+ .9	- .2	-3.0	-1.5	- .1	- .2	+ .2	- .2	+ .1	+ .4
Metals and metal products (including machinery & transportation equipment)	-23.3	+1.8	-15.7	- .9	-1.7	-1.1	-1.4	-1.0	+ .2	--	-1.0	+ 1.5	- 4.0
Petroleum, coal, chemicals, and rubber	+10.7	+3.3	+ 2.8	+ .2	+ .5	- .2	+ .4	-2.1	+ .5	+ .2	+ .5	+ 2.4	+ 2.2
Other manufacturing and mining	--	+1.2	+ 1.7	+1.5	- .4	- .2	+ .3	+ .3	--	--	- .4	+ 1.0	- 5.0
Trade:													
Wholesale	(+ 7.4)	- .9	+ 6.9	- .4	+ .3	-1.2	+1.4	+1.6	+ .9	- .1	- .4	(+ 2.0)	- 1.4
Retail	(+ 7.4)	- .7	+ 4.8	+1.0	+ .2	- .4	- .2	-5.8	- .9	- .1	- .8	(+ 2.0)	+ 1.6
Commodity dealers	+18.7	- .8	+ 8.0	- .7	+2.6	+2.0	+ .4	-2.1	+ .4	+7.1	+ .5	+ 1.4	- .1
Public utilities (including transportation)	+27.1	- .2	+24.9	+1.8	+7.7	+ .5	+ .5	+4.2	- .1	+ .5	+ .1	+ 3.4	-16.2
Construction	+ 3.8	+2.7	- 2.1	+ .8	+1.5	-1.5	+ .3	- .2	- .1	+1.5	- .1	- 1.0	+ 2.0
All other types of business	+ .2	- .4	- .3	-2.5	-1.4	- .5	+1.5	+5.9	-1.8	- .2	- .2	+ 2.1	- 2.0
Net change in classified loans <u>1/</u>	+58.5	+4.4	+31.9	+6.8	+9.5	-4.2	+3.0	+6.8	- .5	+9.3	-2.2	+13.8	-20.1
Unclassified changes - net	-43.5	-2.4	- 9.9	- .8	- .5	-4.8	+1.0	-3.8	- .5	-4.3	-1.8	- .8	-14.9
Net change in commercial and industrial loans	+15.0	+2.0	+22.0	+6.0	+9.0	-9.0	+4.0	+3.0	-1.0	+5.0	-4.0	+13.0	-35.0

p/ Preliminary; final totals will appear in the F. R. Bulletin and San Francisco District final figures appear in a release of the Reserve Bank.

1/ About 210 weekly reporting member banks are reporting changes in their larger loans as to industry; these banks hold about 95 per cent of total commercial and industrial loans of all weekly reporting member banks and about 75 per cent of those of all commercial banks.