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## BANK DEBITS

Debits to individual accounts, as reported by banks in leading cities for the week ended May 3, aggregated \$9,289,000,000, or 28 percent above the total reported for the preceding week, which included five business days in some of the reporting centers, and 9 percent above the total for the corresponding week of last year.

Aggregated debits for the 141 cities for which a separate total has been maintained since January 1919 amounted to \$8,601,000,000, compared with \$6,663,000,000 the preceding week and \$7,906,000,000 the week ended May 4 of last year.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS  
(In thousands of dollars)

Federal Reserve District	Number of centers included	Week ended		
		May 3, 1939	April 26, 1939	May 4, 1938
No. 1 - Boston	17	487,768	442,004	456,785
2 - New York	15	4,452,632	3,082,108	4,087,992
3 - Philadelphia	18	456,898	383,038	434,800
4 - Cleveland	25	549,040	446,861	510,422
5 - Richmond	24	284,030	250,623	282,490
6 - Atlanta	26	256,181	191,192	228,660
7 - Chicago	41	1,266,272	1,043,967	1,096,733
8 - St. Louis	16	231,673	212,849	224,277
9 - Minneapolis	17	191,024	156,247	192,426
10 - Kansas City	28	261,329	233,148	250,342
11 - Dallas	18	194,183	175,939	181,914
12 - San Francisco	29	657,569	626,287	611,177
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>9,288,599</b>	<b>7,244,263</b>	<b>8,558,018</b>

DEBITS BY BANKS IN EACH REPORTING CENTER  
(In thousands of dollars)

	Week ended May 3, 1939	Week ended May 3, 1939	
<b>DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON</b>		<b>DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK (Cont'd)</b>	
Bangor, Me.	3,223	Northern New Jersey	
Boston, Mass.	306,459	Clearing House Ass'n	37,244
Brockton, Mass.	4,277	Passaic, N. J.	6,235
Burlington, Vt.	2,263	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	3,273
Fall River, Mass.	3,966	Rochester, N. Y.	29,085
Hartford, Conn.	51,629	Stamford, Conn.	4,797
Holyoke, Mass.	2,440	Syracuse, N. Y.	18,669
Lowell, Mass.	3,076	Utica, N. Y.	7,525
Lynn, Mass.	4,021		
Manchester, N. H.	4,427	<b>DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA</b>	
New Bedford, Mass.	3,741	Allentown, Pa.	6,371
New Haven, Conn.	17,253	Altoona, Pa.	2,505
Portland, Maine	8,579	Camden, N. J.	11,561
Providence, R. I.	34,650	Chester, Pa.	3,275
Springfield, Mass.	16,771	Harrisburg, Pa.	9,475
Waterbury, Conn.	8,323	Hazleton, Pa.	2,953
Worcester, Mass.	12,670	Johnstown, Pa.	3,779
		Lancaster, Pa.	5,703
		Lebanon, Pa.	1,830
<b>DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK</b>		Norristown, Pa.	2,421
Albany, N. Y.	62,362	Philadelphia, Pa.	330,780
Binghamton, N. Y.	4,624	Reading, Pa.	11,179
Buffalo, N. Y.	50,576	Scranton, Pa.	10,911
Elmira, N. Y.	3,373	Trenton, N. J.	18,026
Jamestown, N. Y.	2,899	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	5,114
Montclair, N. J.	4,491	Williamsport, Pa.	2,497
Newark, N. J.	81,353	Wilmington, Del.	22,325
New York, N. Y.	4,136,126	York, Pa.	6,193

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	Week ended May 3, 1939		Week ended May 3, 1939
<b>DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND</b>		<b>DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA (Cont'd)</b>	
Akron, Ohio	17,381	Elberton, Ga.	257
Butler, Pa.	2,298	Hattiesburg, Miss.	1,165
Canton, Ohio	8,329	Jackson, Miss.	7,531
Cincinnati, Ohio	79,516	Jacksonville, Fla.	19,785
Cleveland, Ohio	142,752	Knoxville, Tenn.	6,960
Columbus, Ohio	42,670	Macon, Ga.	3,975
Dayton, Ohio	14,047	Meridian, Miss.	2,887
Erie, Pa.	6,786	Miami, Fla.	12,268
Franklin, Pa.	562	Mobile, Ala.	9,754
Greensburg, Pa.	1,638	Montgomery, Ala.	5,810
Hamilton, Ohio	2,823	Nashville, Tenn.	19,954
Homestead, Pa.	813	Newnan, Ga.	471
Lexington, Ky.	4,323	New Orleans, La.	51,896
Lima, Ohio	3,301	Pensacola, Fla.	2,319
Lorain, Ohio	1,106	Savannah, Ga.	7,249
Middletown, Ohio	2,341	Tampa, Fla.	7,607
Oil City, Pa.	2,291	Valdosta, Ga.	980
Pittsburgh, Pa.	159,181	Vicksburg, Miss.	1,539
Springfield, Ohio	3,806		
Steubenville, Ohio	2,256	<b>DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO</b>	
Toledo, Ohio	28,721	Adrian, Mich.	800
Warren, Ohio	2,454	Aurora, Ill.	2,947
Wheeling, W. Va.	6,654	Battle Creek, Mich.	2,713
Youngstown, Ohio	11,116	Bay City, Mich.	2,330
Zanesville, Ohio	1,875	Bloomington, Ill.	2,891
		Cedar Rapids, Iowa	5,536
<b>DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND</b>		Champaign-Urbana, Ill.	3,474
Asheville, N. C.	2,759	Chicago, Ill.	723,314
Baltimore, Md.	79,148	Clinton, Iowa	1,579
Charleston, S. C.	4,088	Danville, Ill.	2,353
Charleston, W. Va.	10,343	Davenport, Iowa	5,339
Charlotte, N. C.	13,789	Decatur, Ill.	4,312
Columbia, S. C.	6,407	Des Moines, Iowa	29,740
Cumberland, Md.	2,044	Detroit, Mich.	239,328
Danville, Va.	1,696	Dubuque, Iowa	2,165
Durham, N. C.	5,865	Elgin, Ill.	1,889
Greensboro, N. C.	4,521	Flint, Mich.	5,639
Greenville, S. C.	4,207	Fort Wayne, Ind.	9,030
Hagerstown, Md.	2,088	Gary, Ind.	3,346
Huntington, W. Va.	3,980	Grand Rapids, Mich.	12,546
Lynchburg, Va.	3,259	Green Bay, Wis.	3,348
Newport News, Va.	2,039	Hammond, Ind.	1,744
Norfolk, Va.	12,008	Indianapolis, Ind.	52,196
Portsmouth, Va.	1,072	Jackson, Mich.	3,783
Raleigh, N. C.	10,835	Kalamazoo, Mich.	5,327
Richmond, Va.	34,855	Lansing, Mich.	5,424
Roanoke, Va.	6,438	Manitowoc, Wis.	1,621
Spartanburg, S. C.	2,103	Mason City, Iowa	2,189
Washington, D. C.	59,194	Milwaukee, Wis.	61,648
Wilmington, N. C.	2,498	Moline, Ill.	1,782
Winston-Salem, N. C.	8,794	Muscatine, Iowa	1,016
		Oshkosh, Wis.	1,991
<b>DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA</b>		Peoria, Ill.	15,509
Albany, Ga.	1,011	Rockford, Ill.	5,749
Atlanta, Ga.	50,976	Saginaw, Mich.	4,634
Augusta, Ga.	4,335	Sheboygan, Wis.	2,871
Birmingham, Ala.	23,089	Sioux City, Iowa	9,136
Brunswick, Ga.	893	South Bend, Ind.	9,727
Chattanooga, Tenn.	9,307	Springfield, Ill.	5,473
Columbus, Ga.	3,361	Terre Haute, Ind.	5,355
Dothan, Ala.	802	Waterloo, Iowa	4,478

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	Week ended May 3, 1939		Week ended May 3, 1939
<b>DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS</b>		<b>DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY (Cont'd)</b>	
East St. Louis & Nat'l		Omaha, Neb.	31,736
Stock Yards, Ill.	8,055	Pittsburg, Kans.	791
Eldorado, Ark.	1,180	Pueblo, Colo.	3,842
Evansville, Ind.	6,639	St. Joseph, Mo.	5,773
Fort Smith, Ark.	3,082	Topeka, Kans.	4,905
Greenville, Miss.	1,316	Tulsa, Okla.	23,795
Helena, Ark.	371	Wichita, Kans.	10,488
Little Rock, Ark.	8,592		
Louisville, Ky.	35,659	<b>DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS</b>	
Memphis, Tenn.	27,453	Abilene, Tex.	1,895
Owensboro, Ky.	1,447	Austin, Tex.	7,836
Pine Bluff, Ark.	1,817	Beaumont, Tex.	4,609
Quincy, Ill.	1,988	Corsicana, Tex.	671
St. Louis, Mo.	129,700	Dallas, Tex.	54,182
Sedalia, Mo.	468	El Paso, Tex.	7,375
Springfield, Mo.	3,191	Fort Worth, Tex.	17,790
Texarkana, Ark. (See also Tex.)	715	Galveston, Tex.	6,110
		Houston, Tex.	52,442
<b>DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS</b>		Port Arthur, Tex.	1,596
Aberdeen, S. D.	1,327	Roswell, N. M.	886
Billings, Mont.	2,189	San Antonio, Tex.	17,043
Dickinson, N. D.	289	Shreveport, La.	9,508
Duluth, Minn.	11,331	Texarkana, Tex.	
Fargo, N. D.	4,007	(See also Ark.)	859
Grand Forks, N. D.	1,143	Tucson, Ariz.	2,674
Helena, Mont.	2,566	Tyler, Tex.	2,770
Jamestown, N. D.	351	Waco, Tex.	2,817
La Crosse, Wis.	2,042	Wichita Falls, Tex.	3,120
Minneapolis, Minn.	105,731		
Minot, N. D.	883	<b>DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO</b>	
Red Wing, Minn.	468	Bakersfield, Calif.	3,916
St. Paul, Minn.	46,735	Bellingham, Wash.	1,352
Sioux Falls, S. D.	3,718	Berkeley, Calif.	5,058
South St. Paul, Minn.	5,595	Boise, Idaho	4,027
Superior, Wis.	927	Eugene, Ore.	1,625
Winona, Minn.	1,722	Everett, Wash.	1,740
		Fresno, Calif.	6,021
<b>DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY</b>		Long Beach, Calif.	8,240
Albuquerque, N. M.	3,750	Los Angeles, Calif.	204,166
Atchison, Kans.	697	Oakland, Calif.	23,924
Bartlesville, Okla.	7,424	Ogden, Utah	3,913
Casper, Wyo.	1,422	Pasadena, Calif.	6,081
Cheyenne, Wyo.	2,038	Phoenix, Ariz.	10,561
Colorado Springs, Colo.	2,953	Portland, Ore.	36,627
Denver, Colo.	35,964	Reno, Nev.	2,680
Enid, Okla.	2,161	Sacramento, Calif.	34,296
Fremont, Neb.	692	Salem, Ore.	3,765
Grand Junction, Colo.	888	Salt Lake City, Utah	15,685
Guthrie, Okla.	457	San Bernardino, Calif.	2,771
Hutchinson, Kans.	2,300	San Diego, Calif.	10,101
Independence, Kans.	796	San Francisco, Calif.	189,855
Joplin, Mo.	1,994	San Jose, Calif.	5,469
Kansas City, Kans.	3,369	Santa Barbara, Calif.	4,163
Kansas City, Mo.	68,958	Seattle, Wash.	43,925
Lawrence, Kans.	790	Spokane, Wash.	10,394
Lincoln, Neb.	7,613	Stockton, Calif.	4,506
Muskogee, Okla.	1,839	Tacoma, Wash.	8,407
Oklahoma City, Okla.	33,207	Walla Walla, Wash.	1,576
Okmulgee, Okla.	687	Yakima, Wash.	2,725