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## BANK DEBITS

Debits to deposit accounts (except interbank accounts), as reported by banks in leading cities for the week ended May 29, aggregated \$8,825,000,000. Total debits during the 13 weeks ended May 29 amounted to \$112,733,000,000, or 9 percent above the total reported for the corresponding period a year ago.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS  
(In millions of dollars)

	Week ended		13 weeks ended --	
	May 29, 1940	May 31, 1939	May 29, 1940	May 31, 1939
Boston	463	356	6,018	5,529
New York	3,885	2,988	49,324	46,757
Philadelphia	499	498	5,734	5,396
Cleveland	584	420	7,171	6,133
Richmond	304	229	3,998	3,492
Atlanta	229	200	3,387	2,959
Chicago	1,272	1,003	16,509	14,508
St. Louis	337	322	3,317	2,984
Minneapolis	165	128	2,304	1,912
Kansas City	250	230	3,427	3,181
Dallas	197	158	2,741	2,448
San Francisco	641	528	8,803	8,046
Total, 274 reporting centers	8,825	7,059	112,733	103,345
New York City*	3,609	2,756	45,311	43,160
140 Other leading centers*	4,552	3,761	58,341	52,057
133 Other centers	664	542	9,082	8,129

DEBITS BY BANKS IN EACH REPORTING CENTER, DURING THE WEEK ENDED MAY 29, 1940  
(In thousands of dollars)

<u>DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON</u>			<u>DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK (Cont'd)</u>		
Hartford	Conn.	49,663	Elmira	N. Y.	3,226
New Haven	"	17,119	Jamestown	"	3,041
Waterbury	"	7,061	New York	"	3,609,382
Bangor	Maine	3,670	Poughkeepsie	"	3,651
Portland	"	8,471	Rochester	"	26,315
Boston	Mass.	292,821	Syracuse	"	18,402
Brockton	"	3,361	Utica	"	7,088
Fall River	"	4,030			
Holyoke	"	2,844	<u>DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA</u>		
Lowell	"	3,316	Wilmington	Del.	24,407
Lynn	"	4,542	Camden	N. J.	11,893
New Bedford	"	3,851	Trenton	"	13,667
Springfield	"	14,549	Allentown	Penna.	5,513
Worcester	"	12,904	Altoona	"	2,528
Manchester	N. H.	2,522	Chester	"	3,423
Providence	R. I.	29,888	Harrisburg	"	8,644
Burlington	Vt.	2,453	Hazleton	"	2,510
			Johnstown	"	3,521
			Lancaster	"	5,541
			Lebanon	"	1,707
			Norristown	"	2,290
			Philadelphia	"	379,651
			Reading	"	8,997
			Scranton	"	10,475
			Wilkes-Barre	"	5,539
			Williamsport	"	2,721
			York	"	5,547
<u>DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK</u>					
Stamford	Conn.	4,664			
Montclair	N. J.	3,134			
Newark	"	65,790			
Northern New Jersey					
Clearing House Assn.		39,658			
Passaic	"	7,170			
Albany	N. Y.	30,889			
Binghamton	"	4,908			
Buffalo	"	57,419			

\*Centers for which bank debit figures are available back to 1919.

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(In thousands of dollars)

<u>DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND</u>			<u>DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA (Cont'd)</u>		
Lexington	Ky.	3,743	Albany	Ga.	1,084
Akron	Ohio	16,623	Atlanta	"	48,327
Canton	"	8,530	Augusta	"	3,914
Cincinnati	"	78,258	Brunswick	"	516
Cleveland	"	152,189	Columbus	"	3,745
Columbus	"	39,147	Elberton	"	247
Dayton	"	17,188	Macon	"	3,329
Hamilton	"	2,751	Newman	"	327
Lina	"	3,099	Savannah	"	6,285
Lorain	"	1,470	Valdosta	"	1,086
Middletown	"	2,472	New Orleans	La.	49,033
Springfield	"	3,939	Hattiesburg	Miss.	1,032
Steubenville	"	2,791	Jackson	"	5,106
Toledo	"	29,164	Meridian	"	2,542
Warren	"	2,640	Vicksburg	"	1,451
Youngstown	"	12,049	Chattanooga	Tenn.	7,939
Zanesville	"	1,991	Knoxville	"	4,123
Butler	Pa.	2,206	Nashville	"	18,377
Erie	"	7,292			
Franklin	"	742	<u>DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO</u>		
Greensburg	"	1,796	Aurora	Ill.	3,040
Homestead	"	867	Bloomington	"	2,865
Oil City	"	2,151	Champaign-Urbana	"	3,287
Pittsburgh	"	183,871	Chicago	"	716,973
Wheeling	W. Va.	6,806	Danville	"	2,632
			Decatur	"	4,341
			Elgin	"	2,390
			Moline	"	1,666
			Peoria	"	13,181
			Rockford	"	5,834
			Springfield	"	5,846
			Fort Wayne	Ind.	6,834
			Gary	"	4,325
			Hammond	"	2,264
			Indianapolis	"	43,617
			South Bend	"	10,051
			Terre Haute	"	5,527
			Cedar Rapids	Iowa	6,111
			Clinton	"	1,287
			Davenport	"	4,744
			Des Moines	"	19,166
			Dubuque	"	2,246
			Mason City	"	2,086
			Muscatine	"	879
			Sioux City	"	8,373
			Waterloo	"	4,278
			Adrian	Mich.	872
			Battle Creek	"	2,811
			Bay City	"	2,697
			Detroit	"	272,774
			Flint	"	6,405
			Grand Rapids	"	13,309
			Jackson	"	3,351
			Kalamazoo	"	5,491
			Lansing	"	5,247
			Saginaw	"	5,081
			Green Bay	Wis.	3,459
			Manitowoc	"	1,435
			Milwaukee	"	58,995
			Oshkosh	"	2,040
			Sheboygan	"	3,834

DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND

Washington	D. C.	64,239
Baltimore	Md.	95,195
Cumberland	"	1,756
Hagerstown	"	1,860
Asheville	N. C.	2,908
Charlotte	"	13,396
Durham	"	6,777
Greensboro	"	4,570
Raleigh	"	9,012
Wilmington	"	2,719
Winston-Salem	"	8,554
Charleston	S. C.	4,429
Columbia	"	8,515
Greenville	"	4,067
Spartanburg	"	2,316
Danville	Va.	1,797
Lynchburg	"	2,916
Newport News	"	2,988
Norfolk	"	12,199
Portsmouth	"	983
Richmond	"	33,571
Roanoke	"	5,417
Charleston	W. Va.	10,494
Huntington	"	3,745

DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA

Birmingham	Ala.	19,807
Dothan	"	567
Mobile	"	9,565
Montgomery	"	4,765
Jacksonville	Fla.	16,771
Miami	"	10,673
Pensacola	"	2,097
Tampa	"	6,576

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(In thousands of dollars)DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS

El Dorado	Ark.	1,303
Fort Smith	"	2,304
Helena	"	294
Little Rock	"	8,711
Pine Bluff	"	1,207
Texarkana	"	
(See also Tex.)		523
East St. Louis & Nat'l		
Stock Yards	Ill.	9,508
Quincy	"	1,996
Evansville	Ind.	7,336
Louisville	Ky.	38,101
Owensboro	"	1,117
Greenville	Miss.	998
St. Louis	Mo.	232,100
Sedalia	"	450
Springfield	"	4,373
Memphis	Tenn.	27,008

DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS

Duluth	Minn.	12,256
Minneapolis	"	93,079
Red Wing	"	518
St. Paul	"	32,414
South St. Paul	"	5,579
Winona	"	1,233
Billings	Mont.	2,557
Helena	"	2,301
Dickinson	N. D.	295
Fargo	"	3,849
Grand Forks	"	925
Jamestown	"	313
Minot	"	732
Aberdeen	S. D.	1,134
Sioux Falls	"	4,832
La Crosse	Wis.	1,795
Superior	"	1,035

DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY

Colorado Springs	Colo.	3,090
Denver	"	35,342
Grand Junction	"	725
Pueblo	"	2,817
Atchison	Kans.	752
Hutchinson	"	2,547
Independence	"	596
Kansas City	"	3,450
Lawrence	"	596
Pittsburg	"	902
Topeka	"	2,936
Wichita	"	7,732
Joplin	Mo.	2,002
Kansas City	"	79,944
St. Joseph	"	5,951
Fremont	Neb.	670
Lincoln	"	5,750
Omaha	"	32,408
Albuquerque	N. M.	3,650
Bartlesville	Okla.	4,700
Enid	"	1,834
Guthrie	"	225

DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY (Cont'd)

Muskogee	Okla.	1,795
Oklahoma City	"	18,963
Okmulgee	"	664
Tulsa	"	26,968
Casper	Wyo.	1,113
Cheyenne	"	1,772

DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS

Tucson	Ariz.	2,915
Shreveport	La.	9,501
Roswell	N. M.	908
Abilene	Tex.	1,658
Austin	"	5,857
Beaumont	"	4,478
Corsicana	"	713
Dallas	"	51,080
El Paso	"	6,555
Fort Worth	"	17,497
Galveston	"	5,729
Houston	"	60,258
Port Arthur	"	1,770
San Antonio	"	18,701
Texarkana	"	
(See also Ark.)		948
Tyler	"	2,441
Waco	"	2,352
Wichita Falls	"	3,482

DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO

Phoenix	Ariz.	9,030
Bakersfield	Calif.	4,021
Berkeley	"	5,251
Fresno	"	8,169
Long Beach	"	6,557
Los Angeles	"	191,425
Oakland	"	22,341
Pasadena	"	5,389
Sacramento	"	40,946
San Bernardino	"	2,816
San Diego	"	8,976
San Francisco	"	177,604
San Jose	"	5,669
Santa Barbara	"	2,209
Stockton	"	4,247
Boise	Idaho	3,778
Reno	Nev.	2,647
Eugene	Ore.	1,885
Portland	"	37,930
Salem	"	3,412
Ogden	Utah	2,735
Salt Lake City	"	14,275
Bellingham	Wash.	1,371
Everett	"	1,965
Seattle	"	53,763
Spokane	"	10,943
Tacoma	"	7,888
Walla Walla	"	1,386
Yakima	"	2,419