

For immediate release

BANK DEBITS--DEBITS TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS EXCEPT INTERBANK ACCOUNTS

Bank debits as reported by banks in 334 leading centers for the month of October aggregated 66,270 million dollars. During the past three months total debits for the same centers amounted to 202,642 million dollars or 22 per cent above the total reported for the corresponding period a year ago. At banks in New York City there was an increase of 26 per cent compared with the corresponding three-months period a year ago, and at the 333 other centers there was an increase of 20 per cent.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS
(In millions of dollars)

Federal Reserve District	October	October	3 months ended --	
	1943	1942	Oct. 1943	Oct. 1942
Boston	3,272	3,144	10,369	8,630
New York	26,140	21,918	79,321	63,958
Philadelphia	2,931	2,663	9,423	7,771
Cleveland	4,572	4,188	13,958	11,738
Richmond	2,665	2,633	8,001	7,222
Atlanta	2,359	2,119	7,005	5,835
Chicago	10,434	9,422	32,572	26,667
St. Louis	2,136	2,091	6,159	5,472
Minneapolis	1,467	1,213	4,406	3,411
Kansas City	2,279	2,048	6,384	5,811
Dallas	1,909	1,790	5,795	4,869
San Francisco	6,007	5,105	18,249	14,581
Total, 334 centers	66,270	58,334	202,642	166,024
New York City*	23,990	19,823	73,124	58,067
140 other centers*	35,614	32,131	109,425	90,407
193 other centers	6,666	6,380	20,093	17,551

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

DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON	October	October	3 months ended --	
	1943	1942	Oct. 1943	Oct. 1942
Hartford* Conn.	421,141	367,942	1,367,658	1,054,268
New Haven* "	126,631	117,299	386,451	314,786
New London "	13,214	15,412	49,304	45,120
Waterbury* "	54,536	46,461	165,191	132,715
Bangor* Maine	23,964	20,633	70,369	57,865
Lewiston-Auburn "	15,753	14,767	46,330	40,123
Portland "	72,601	94,225	227,553	258,946
Boston* Mass.	1,847,703	1,782,545	5,864,983	4,847,399
Brockton "	24,826	24,799	69,312	69,137
Fall River* "	29,731	28,499	87,174	78,930
Holyoke* "	20,541	20,465	60,624	54,544
Lowell* "	23,182	22,028	66,324	59,888
Lynn "	27,491	27,336	78,232	75,153
New Bedford* "	32,312	29,978	95,468	83,561
Pittsfield "	19,754	19,696	59,816	54,904
Springfield "	130,440	120,767	491,496	335,011
Worcester* "	94,053	92,928	287,798	254,427
Concord N. H.	16,416	13,743	46,399	36,777
Manchester "	23,266	23,116	71,276	65,192
Providence* R. I.	233,463	248,522	730,244	734,060
Burlington Vt.	16,042	12,953	46,891	37,101

*Included in the national series covering 141 centers, available beginning in 1919.

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(In thousands of dollars)

		October	October	3 months ended --	
		1943	1942	Oct. 1943	Oct. 1942
DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK					
Bridgeport	Conn.	121,565	111,577	364,181	311,950
Stamford	"	31,178	27,204	93,469	79,662
Jersey City	N. J.	208,489	207,686	594,123	553,386
Montclair	"	17,787	15,576	53,837	45,761
Newark	"	559,589	495,587	1,731,055	1,413,741
Passaic*	"	53,560	56,063	165,090	163,376
Paterson	"	75,693	67,697	245,207	185,975
Albany*	N. Y.	178,815	238,327	681,133	688,827
Binghamton*	"	29,996	30,012	92,175	84,151
Buffalo*	"	392,897	374,903	1,199,700	1,040,683
Elmira	"	30,246	30,511	93,393	85,937
Jamestown	"	21,219	20,835	72,778	60,572
New York*	"	23,990,099	19,823,053	73,124,189	58,066,615
Poughkeepsie	"	25,367	20,899	71,196	57,797
Rochester*	"	196,128	176,659	596,296	499,643
Schnectady	"	46,163	42,922	138,998	120,853
Syracuse*	"	113,138	131,131	363,684	367,745
Utica	"	47,777	47,692	140,872	131,525
DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA					
Wilmington*	Del.	179,654	161,043	531,397	449,074
Atlantic City	N. J.	21,596	17,449	76,189	57,404
Camden	"	83,507	91,162	250,926	253,091
Trenton*	"	98,244	86,829	326,412	260,440
Allentown	Penna.	39,720	37,228	124,546	103,394
Altoona*	"	13,650	12,595	41,285	36,281
Bethlehem	"	24,489	26,189	77,609	78,938
Chester*	"	47,201	33,423	134,719	91,893
Harrisburg	"	59,033	59,550	200,968	167,786
Hazleton	"	14,286	13,826	42,635	39,896
Johnstown	"	22,025	22,362	68,607	67,567
Lancaster*	"	41,808	36,282	124,021	100,443
Lebanon	"	11,739	10,046	36,756	29,249
Norristown	"	15,476	14,279	47,247	41,123
Philadelphia*	"	2,057,516	1,852,057	6,679,661	5,418,949
Reading	"	51,995	46,748	159,073	135,266
Scranton*	"	51,199	47,530	202,733	166,748
Wilkes-Barre*	"	34,794	30,857	105,387	89,514
Williamsport*	"	19,694	23,903	59,888	69,341
York*	"	43,281	39,558	133,189	114,453
DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND					
Covington-Newport	Ky.	22,600	22,332	69,426	65,876
Lexington*	"	25,371	28,898	78,895	80,438
Akron*	Ohio	195,878	168,283	572,867	439,765
Canton	"	72,352	68,759	229,312	200,091
Cincinnati	"	588,181	583,818	1,797,298	1,625,189
Cleveland*	"	1,267,416	1,099,694	3,863,000	3,075,182
Columbus*	"	292,574	261,248	911,633	745,858
Dayton*	"	142,101	126,821	433,886	360,015
Hamilton	"	21,401	19,938	64,006	54,709
Lima	"	25,000	24,770	75,650	68,605
Lorain	"	7,763	7,443	23,864	20,045
Mansfield	"	18,413	17,101	57,543	49,145
Middletown	"	19,326	18,579	61,388	55,768
Portsmouth	"	11,735	10,816	33,405	29,130
Springfield*	"	31,096	29,774	96,596	80,456
Steubenville	"	13,618	12,975	39,392	35,225
Toledo*	"	243,381	227,157	726,470	654,935
Warren	"	26,905	26,837	74,457	72,571
Youngstown*	"	93,243	87,874	270,445	232,860
Zanesville	"	12,492	11,788	39,549	34,040

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(In thousands of dollars)

		October	October	3 months ended --	
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DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND (Cont'd)					
Butler	Penna.	18,583	13,805	55,293	39,844
Erie*	"	59,565	53,317	194,291	152,931
Franklin	"	5,346	4,607	16,720	14,224
Greensburg*	"	10,962	10,303	33,212	30,439
Homestead	"	5,015	4,875	15,289	14,096
Oil City*	"	16,089	13,580	48,026	39,386
Pittsburgh*	"	1,270,185	1,182,685	3,903,348	3,327,184
Sharon	"	16,872	16,276	48,993	44,125
Wheeling*	W. Va.	38,745	33,678	124,052	96,046
DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND					
Washington	D. C.	472,123	451,303	1,422,683	1,247,490
Baltimore*	Md.	729,641	692,826	2,234,377	1,952,604
Cumberland	"	12,457	11,469	38,752	31,665
Frederick	"	11,431	10,385	34,636	29,851
Hagerstown	"	16,577	15,190	49,163	43,210
Asheville	N. C.	20,432	19,697	65,793	58,925
Charlotte*	"	112,710	141,631	357,731	416,054
Durham	"	96,170	97,744	270,185	274,060
Greensboro	"	31,701	27,868	103,203	83,489
Kinston	"	21,173	21,461	57,979	53,410
Raleigh*	"	51,932	57,072	158,833	140,997
Wilmington	"	39,095	37,727	119,795	101,229
Wilson	"	30,003	33,763	75,329	82,870
Winston-Salem	"	80,738	77,678	236,968	195,067
Charleston	S. C.	44,044	37,294	122,158	106,263
Columbia*	"	50,229	46,752	145,561	152,384
Greenville*	"	40,401	38,367	116,641	94,872
Spartanburg	"	26,082	23,854	67,160	62,609
Charlottesville	Va.	13,874	12,036	38,815	33,558
Danville	"	31,352	42,662	67,371	81,177
Lynchburg	"	20,199	18,863	61,509	54,279
Newport News	"	24,550	67,983	92,793	108,987
Norfolk*	"	115,000	121,980	364,231	344,351
Portsmouth	"	25,355	15,199	55,286	41,180
Richmond*	"	356,707	328,251	1,060,637	903,864
Roanoke	"	38,649	39,628	116,193	106,404
Bluefield	W. Va.	23,936	20,219	67,451	57,258
Charleston	"	74,742	69,356	234,154	204,497
Clarksburg	"	13,815	13,703	41,055	38,537
Huntington	"	26,907	27,234	80,996	80,608
Parkersburg	"	13,526	13,830	43,697	40,190
DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA					
Anniston	Ala.	15,082	17,566	43,619	45,948
Birmingham*	"	178,423	173,647	526,548	481,550
Dothan	"	10,003	7,772	25,423	20,830
Gadsden	"	10,669	10,531	30,152	25,928
Mobile*	"	113,135	102,888	340,033	311,882
Montgomery*	"	40,493	43,020	118,633	114,733
Jacksonville*	Fla.	151,279	130,803	487,444	380,888
Miami	"	96,177	68,940	266,182	193,236
Orlando	"	23,175	14,383	63,798	39,794
Pensacola*	"	21,646	17,729	66,675	52,849
St. Petersburg	"	18,284	13,329	55,440	34,635
Tampa*	"	73,072	56,674	221,335	160,051
Albany	Ga.	10,159	9,275	28,371	24,365
Atlanta*	"	468,591	418,024	1,367,851	1,141,331
Augusta*	"	38,184	33,740	105,058	92,123
Brunswick	"	16,697	9,157	46,863	24,900
Columbus	"	35,182	36,793	106,495	98,737
Elberton	"	2,245	2,454	5,639	5,509
Macon*	"	41,571	38,264	134,830	107,370
Newman	"	4,927	4,612	13,839	11,397
Savannah*	"	77,466	65,821	238,678	185,149
Valdosta	"	7,159	6,195	29,730	24,281

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DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA (Cont'd)					
Baton Rouge	La.	38,761	41,057	117,100	104,409
Lake Charles	"	20,579	14,414	59,530	36,725
New Orleans*	"	406,731	368,335	1,195,305	1,008,202
Hattiesburg	Miss.	12,606	13,864	39,407	38,378
Jackson	"	50,472	71,760	153,633	172,632
Meridian	"	16,523	16,447	50,448	50,352
Vicksburg*	"	26,813	19,132	69,231	42,961
Chattanooga*	Tenn.	84,470	85,750	254,019	236,415
Knoxville*	"	80,055	47,318	225,128	132,091
Nashville*	"	168,093	159,664	518,394	434,955
DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO					
Aurora	Ill.	19,129	16,385	53,460	47,036
Bloomington*	"	22,198	19,328	64,213	54,077
Champaign-Urbana	"	27,385	24,387	59,058	58,443
Chicago*	"	5,397,540	5,085,776	17,043,323	14,369,924
Danville	"	16,817	15,998	49,789	43,404
Decatur*	"	67,053	62,239	128,857	124,094
Elgin	"	11,412	11,245	35,716	32,048
Joliet	"	26,090	33,850	79,208	98,663
Moline	"	13,830	13,829	43,091	36,735
Peoria*	"	95,604	87,617	272,833	253,557
Rockford*	"	56,294	49,185	176,326	142,429
Springfield	"	39,160	40,482	112,427	111,330
Fort Wayne*	Ind.	67,892	65,797	198,213	179,064
Gary	"	29,705	30,039	86,195	79,202
Hammond	"	15,305	13,567	45,480	38,975
Indianapolis*	"	410,536	368,334	1,267,261	1,006,084
Lafayette	"	18,963	16,508	53,729	44,003
Muncie	"	23,473	22,425	70,309	63,534
South Bend*	"	58,707	59,984	176,990	178,450
Terre Haute	"	34,815	43,478	103,277	118,761
Burlington	Iowa	13,599	12,990	39,046	37,243
Cedar Rapids*	"	49,415	42,051	136,866	115,830
Clinton	"	11,881	11,034	33,191	29,796
Davenport*	"	38,260	34,805	118,062	101,372
Des Moines*	"	155,370	128,427	480,677	389,031
Dubuque*	"	18,631	17,556	56,151	48,727
Mason City	"	14,349	16,855	42,646	44,073
Muscatine	"	6,462	5,439	19,530	15,231
Ottumwa	"	19,539	20,097	57,319	53,290
Sioux City*	"	76,371	67,450	249,560	194,062
Waterloo*	"	32,188	29,530	90,701	81,285

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<u>DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO (Cont'd)</u>					
Adrian	Mich.	8,472	6,857	24,993	18,757
Battle Creek	"	27,468	23,342	36,773	66,839
Bay City*	"	23,241	19,670	70,110	57,013
Detroit*	"	2,375,527	1,929,745	7,273,129	5,525,686
Flint*	"	49,180	38,652	143,486	110,891
Grand Rapids*	"	92,478	86,127	281,271	243,458
Jackson	"	37,344	28,554	120,046	78,848
Kalamazoo*	"	37,462	33,423	111,431	94,371
Lansing*	"	68,641	51,678	194,502	141,792
Muskegon	"	45,156	33,129	131,163	93,857
Port Huron	"	15,731	14,733	47,862	41,476
Saginaw	"	37,048	33,753	108,251	97,830
Green Bay	Wis.	26,975	24,460	82,827	69,848
Madison	"	57,903	51,343	187,972	156,031
Manitowoc	"	14,044	12,796	44,437	36,667
Milwaukee*	"	593,457	494,235	1,870,042	1,440,717
Oshkosh	"	13,330	13,260	42,330	37,961
Racine	"	37,355	31,553	113,141	84,241
Sheboygan	"	30,042	27,303	93,778	80,877
<u>DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS</u>					
El Dorado	Ark.	9,053	11,231	30,866	31,184
Fort Smith	"	20,382	25,306	65,619	60,349
Helena	"	6,127	7,585	15,139	14,111
Little Rock*	"	81,253	89,992	220,673	233,071
Pine Bluff	"	20,204	29,255	55,028	77,946
Texarkana	"				
(See also Tex.)		9,699	7,452	27,163	22,250
Alton	Ill.	12,328	11,447	39,160	34,632
East St. Louis & Nat'l					
Stock Yards	Ill.	84,731	37,722	243,921	240,922
Quincy	"	15,550	14,775	45,326	33,989
Evansville*	Ind.	102,560	70,539	296,195	194,947
Louisville*	Ky.	446,935	293,693	1,077,648	823,730
Owensboro	"	14,024	13,726	40,954	38,501
Paducah	"	7,405	9,329	21,871	26,274
Greenville	Miss.	11,052	11,981	30,304	25,859
Cape Girardeau	Mo.	5,066	4,639	15,614	13,237
Hannibal	"	4,232	4,144	12,835	12,042
Jefferson City	"	19,338	18,058	67,264	59,968
St. Louis*	"	956,489	955,028	2,932,532	2,627,433
Sedalia	"	5,510	4,746	16,234	13,417
Springfield	"	29,340	26,996	87,777	75,850
Jackson	Tenn.	12,520	14,177	31,035	28,639
Memphis*	"	311,573	379,452	735,934	778,207

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DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS					
Duluth*	Minn.	86,815	72,493	241,084	194,342
Mankato	"	8,485	7,964	25,896	22,362
Minneapolis*	"	707,492	545,396	2,131,313	1,573,733
Red Wing	"	3,247	2,864	9,708	7,671
Rochester	"	10,223	8,892	31,626	24,613
St. Cloud	"	6,822	7,550	19,565	18,273
St. Paul*	"	307,125	266,827	986,117	730,691
South St. Paul	"	63,517	63,621	168,581	163,015
Winona	"	9,178	8,068	28,047	22,810
Billings*	Mont.	19,745	19,883	55,292	49,583
Butte	"	26,691	27,443	78,337	80,018
Great Falls	"	30,918	23,560	84,691	68,645
Helena*	"	16,000	16,430	47,652	43,735
Bismarck	N. Dak.	16,779	12,986	55,200	41,394
Dickinson	"	3,656	2,594	9,293	6,959
Fargo*	"	38,150	32,228	98,949	89,438
Grand Forks*	"	11,663	8,687	29,513	20,673
Jamestown	"	3,318	2,310	9,605	7,498
Minot	"	10,717	7,309	26,631	19,367
Aberdeen*	S. Dak.	9,545	7,617	29,497	21,626
SiouX Falls	"	38,568	31,262	119,232	97,711
Eau Claire	Wis.	12,507	15,309	39,961	44,781
La Crosse	"	13,375	11,598	44,343	34,700
Superior*	"	11,822	9,336	35,406	27,142
DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY					
Colorado Springs*	Colo.	23,714	26,523	69,683	78,489
Denver*	"	340,084	297,481	924,469	821,500
Grand Junction	"	8,492	6,138	22,629	14,679
Greeley	"	10,902	7,731	29,902	20,681
Pueblo*	"	19,315	32,892	59,490	88,245
Atchison	Kans.	5,409	4,978	17,463	13,911
Emporia	"	6,316	6,278	19,135	16,255
Hutchinson	"	22,250	18,247	65,616	53,438
Independence	"	4,235	5,037	13,374	12,538
Kansas City*	"	37,140	33,088	110,494	90,758
Lawrence	"	5,933	6,229	18,821	16,183
Pittsburg	"	7,550	7,952	20,883	22,894
Salina	"	19,123	20,783	66,351	61,956
Topeka*	"	55,098	46,585	164,433	128,917
Wichita*	"	176,736	128,352	491,583	345,166
Joplin*	Mo.	15,666	13,970	46,575	40,158
Kansas City*	"	604,463	527,283	1,909,930	1,562,731
St. Joseph*	"	57,370	45,782	167,281	125,430
Fremont	Neb.	6,534	6,113	19,958	16,950
Grand Island	"	12,630	12,511	39,305	34,590
Lincoln	"	44,937	38,530	144,743	116,924
Omaha*	"	322,724	282,368	1,005,580	786,925
Albuquerque*	N. M.	29,103	29,340	87,590	79,126
Bartlesville*	Okla.	35,502	31,616	108,487	96,190
Enid	"	17,303	12,880	52,459	40,766
Guthrie	"	2,223	2,246	6,573	5,727
Muskogee*	"	16,172	18,243	43,609	53,022
Oklahoma City*	"	129,006	159,074	383,561	424,105
Okmulgee	"	3,203	3,166	11,333	8,145
Tulsa*	"	213,059	191,616	672,552	564,527
Casper	Wyo.	9,920	10,311	28,320	28,320
Cheyenne	"	15,599	14,820	51,126	42,177

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DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS					
Tucson*	Ariz.	28,236	23,862	81,721	67,993
Monroe	La.	18,380	18,298	54,458	49,927
Shreveport*	"	70,323	68,698	219,647	192,668
Roswell	N. M.	8,117	6,480	23,173	17,333
Abilene	Tex.	17,737	20,843	52,844	49,661
Amarillo	"	40,829	44,938	121,733	133,268
Austin*	"	68,904	65,440	243,441	181,034
Beaumont*	"	54,431	42,320	164,579	117,286
Corpus Christi	"	45,306	37,957	138,743	114,287
Corsicana	"	6,761	6,822	20,086	16,218
Dallas*	"	486,385	471,792	1,471,299	1,292,994
El Paso*	"	55,650	51,113	157,820	147,241
Fort Worth*	"	198,195	158,564	594,668	433,817
Galveston	"	42,995	50,367	136,344	116,810
Houston*	"	480,555	429,033	1,452,582	1,175,750
Laredo	"	10,424	9,351	31,909	26,054
Lubbock	"	29,386	20,089	75,465	51,844
Port Arthur	"	21,493	16,649	64,872	49,169
San Angelo	"	15,658	17,120	45,176	48,395
San Antonio	"	130,601	155,830	402,550	378,414
Texarkana*	"				
(See also Ark.)		9,090	8,138	26,656	23,145
Tyler	"	19,119	14,606	57,620	41,021
Waco*	"	25,923	29,945	83,558	81,291
Wichita Falls	"	24,277	21,489	74,318	63,400
DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO					
Phoenix	Ariz.	91,987	82,892	279,528	222,442
Bakersfield	Calif.	24,094	22,616	69,390	60,792
Berkeley	"	52,487	45,484	155,213	127,506
Fresno*	"	77,012	53,025	190,729	132,175
Long Beach*	"	106,900	84,288	313,661	229,649
Los Angeles*	"	1,701,241	1,257,103	5,047,108	3,757,217
Oakland*	"	336,272	273,415	1,065,771	762,086
Pasadena*	"	41,119	30,215	124,060	84,387
Riverside	"	23,243	15,061	66,856	43,344
Sacramento*	"	179,485	185,232	560,486	505,593
San Bernardino	"	21,613	22,102	67,393	52,977
San Diego*	"	217,741	186,770	719,539	560,378
San Francisco*	"	1,488,527	1,340,871	4,516,658	3,802,347
San Jose	"	68,809	46,321	189,162	125,504
Santa Barbara	"	16,603	13,081	50,535	37,028
Santa Rosa	"	11,830	8,370	31,989	23,305
Stockton*	"	43,953	39,110	128,010	104,835
Boise*	Idaho	34,534	29,831	114,793	91,525
Reno*	Nev.	20,719	24,049	68,994	67,842
Eugene	Ore.	21,110	17,993	65,549	51,330
Portland*	"	437,195	355,672	1,366,638	1,027,468
Salem	"	35,012	29,646	96,849	83,306
Ogden*	Utah	36,572	39,268	113,985	119,673
Salt Lake City*	"	119,135	120,963	379,363	337,809
Bellingham	Wash.	14,596	12,860	45,837	38,301
Everett	"	18,942	16,911	64,880	47,539
Seattle*	"	505,086	499,449	1,575,892	1,373,283
Spokane*	"	108,647	113,567	311,536	308,749
Tacoma*	"	104,843	101,140	328,050	294,801
Walla Walla	"	15,511	12,271	47,081	36,393
Yakima*	"	32,008	25,179	93,592	70,928