

BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

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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 105,320 million dollars. During the past three months total debits for the same centers amounted to 281,646 million dollars or 9 per cent above the total reported for the corresponding period a year ago. At banks in New York City there was an increase of 2 per cent compared with the corresponding three-months period a year ago, and at the 333 other centers there was an increase of 14 per cent.

SUMMARY BY FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICTS
(In millions of dollars)

Federal Reserve district	October 1947	October 1946	3 months ended --	
			Oct. 1947	Oct. 1946
Boston	4,626	4,096	12,183	11,422
New York	40,811	36,861	106,772	103,834
Philadelphia	4,536	3,968	12,005	11,269
Cleveland	6,789	5,830	18,870	16,752
Richmond	4,234	3,757	11,433	10,651
Atlanta	3,972	3,632	10,857	9,907
Chicago	16,507	13,259	44,269	37,101
St. Louis	3,534	2,867	8,975	7,765
Minneapolis	2,796	2,106	7,487	6,000
Kansas City	4,018	3,213	11,269	9,097
Dallas	3,647	2,956	9,966	8,408
San Francisco	9,850	8,795	27,560	25,135
Total, 334 centers	105,320	91,340	281,646	257,339
New York City*	37,504	33,913	97,672	95,526
140 other centers*	56,594	47,671	153,273	134,509
193 other centers	11,222	9,756	30,700	27,305

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

		October 1947	October 1946	3 months ended -- Oct. 1947 Oct. 1946	
DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON					
Hartford*	Conn.	463,407	404,034	1,269,562	1,160,659
New Haven*	"	180,914	164,697	495,873	470,911
New London	"	23,029	20,618	62,556	59,573
Waterbury*	"	58,693	59,922	162,688	166,550
Bangor*	Maine	45,470	44,041	126,546	120,844
Lewiston-Auburn	"	31,184	22,938	84,669	68,457
Portland	"	96,674	83,378	263,257	235,946
Boston*	Mass.	2,680,241	2,325,155	6,903,397	6,467,387
Brockton	"	42,055	40,977	110,080	105,914
Fall River*	"	49,475	46,178	131,037	128,457
Holyoke*	"	31,884	36,925	86,141	101,850
Lowell*	"	31,297	28,492	82,833	87,086
Lynn	"	45,168	45,265	122,223	120,238
New Bedford*	"	53,114	50,312	146,712	142,575
Pittsfield	"	35,086	29,853	93,470	81,947
Springfield	"	169,191	152,798	455,053	412,092
Worcester*	"	143,040	125,553	373,740	349,712
Concord	N. H.	24,989	21,096	67,826	59,612
Manchester	"	44,305	39,788	125,636	114,977
Providence*	R. I.	347,122	327,921	935,344	893,730
Burlington	Vt.	29,934	25,888	83,996	73,519

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

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		October 1947	October 1946	3 months ended -- October 1947 October 1946	
DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK					
Bridgeport	Conn.	146,338	137,417	403,600	381,104
Stamford	"	56,175	52,601	138,772	128,341
Jersey City	N. J.	294,752	258,781	793,072	733,247
Montclair	"	27,819	26,244	73,538	71,388
Newark	"	709,138	678,160	2,002,886	1,898,711
Passaic*	"	84,577	73,445	231,906	208,537
Paterson	"	152,251	121,222	374,848	336,191
Albany*	N. Y.	400,309	355,625	1,115,901	1,001,715
Binghamton*	"	61,453	54,083	171,453	158,060
Buffalo*	"	582,446	485,969	1,618,130	1,393,175
Elmira	"	34,763	32,813	92,612	94,124
Jamestown	"	39,466	30,829	107,195	88,677
New York*	"	37,503,858	33,912,613	97,671,917	95,525,750
Poughkeepsie	"	39,250	30,435	105,427	85,233
Rochester*	"	323,786	292,783	878,211	824,857
Schenectady	"	66,844	67,821	198,646	192,394
Syracuse*	"	212,870	183,192	586,364	528,250
Utica	"	75,089	66,942	208,018	183,951
DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA					
Wilmington*	Del.	239,811	228,530	665,904	666,472
Atlantic City	N. J.	53,422	50,700	169,473	163,753
Camden	"	126,011	112,422	340,066	304,021
Trenton*	"	156,073	155,602	446,737	417,779
Allentown	Penna.	71,449	63,885	197,736	184,844
Altoona*	"	29,632	28,824	79,867	79,992
Bethlehem	"	33,324	30,558	91,482	87,271
Chester*	"	41,836	35,587	117,572	108,105
Harrisburg	"	99,015	83,082	276,903	244,287
Hazleton	"	30,300	24,959	83,364	73,530
Johnstown	"	42,969	35,363	121,010	102,003
Lancaster*	"	70,822	68,212	187,395	175,619
Lebanon	"	18,706	16,357	53,373	47,501
Norristown	"	28,048	24,506	75,919	70,214
Philadelphia*	"	3,144,239	2,705,050	8,135,177	7,655,730
Reading	"	93,379	78,304	256,092	222,261
Scranton*	"	90,682	79,705	251,291	247,346
Wilkes-Barre*	"	66,495	57,129	176,185	158,661
Williamsport*	"	26,955	22,884	75,967	68,077
York*	"	73,251	66,129	203,596	191,090
DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND					
Covington-Newport	Ky.	39,093	34,130	108,491	102,791
Lexington*	"	58,286	52,363	157,295	150,022
Akron*	Ohio	267,774	252,887	692,507	684,292
Canton	"	108,264	91,497	307,741	273,581
Cincinnati	"	851,197	782,375	2,437,310	2,187,258
Cleveland*	"	1,761,628	1,556,371	4,886,466	4,409,333
Columbus*	"	502,176	437,237	1,370,296	1,220,237
Dayton*	"	232,449	195,059	662,624	562,273
Hamilton	"	38,665	30,481	104,039	86,860
Lima	"	43,608	38,766	122,809	107,679
Lorain	"	19,319	14,482	53,912	41,312
Mansfield	"	39,439	32,149	111,387	92,958
Middletown	"	33,187	29,297	89,931	86,669
Portsmouth	"	22,049	19,581	60,542	52,762
Springfield*	"	45,789	40,131	128,309	117,495
Steubenville	"	22,439	20,096	62,407	58,964
Toledo*	"	417,859	356,360	1,147,301	1,020,953
Warren	"	37,793	33,756	103,924	92,961
Youngstown*	"	157,174	126,318	426,887	343,260
Zanesville	"	24,758	21,418	72,045	62,607

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(In thousands of dollars)

		October 1947	October 1946	3 months ended --	
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DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND (Cont'd)					
Butler	Penna.	31,491	27,381	87,312	76,594
Erie*	"	88,854	74,707	255,305	214,933
Franklin	"	7,922	6,743	21,888	19,842
Greensburg*	"	21,812	17,804	57,154	50,616
Homestead	"	8,071	7,166	22,851	20,840
Oil City*	"	20,914	19,882	58,688	52,933
Pittsburgh*	"	1,800,436	1,434,972	5,015,077	4,341,746
Sharon	"	27,038	22,828	77,161	65,089
Wheeling*	W. Va.	59,887	53,728	168,053	154,882
DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND					
Washington	D. C.	719,932	599,118	1,990,250	1,826,947
Baltimore*	Md.	991,980	864,105	2,711,514	2,477,016
Cumberland	"	22,791	20,318	65,473	59,581
Frederick	"	19,209	16,191	55,404	46,568
Hagerstown	"	26,875	25,167	76,145	73,652
Asheville	N. C.	50,811	43,977	141,951	127,132
Charlotte*	"	229,897	210,336	630,255	613,170
Durham	"	179,690	179,352	449,982	460,550
Greensboro	"	70,844	58,411	195,409	168,614
Kinston	"	38,010	37,890	83,673	95,301
Raleigh*	"	123,587	90,666	318,422	240,594
Wilmington	"	34,704	35,291	102,185	108,312
Wilson	"	67,112	56,397	122,941	123,762
Winston-Salem	"	146,965	132,216	379,909	343,910
Charleston	S. C.	53,013	51,589	155,075	156,026
Columbia*	"	96,340	85,132	254,776	234,114
Greenville*	"	82,580	77,697	220,782	198,899
Spartanburg	"	52,245	44,081	136,275	118,517
Charlottesville	Va.	22,713	22,134	64,382	64,144
Danville	"	54,819	55,348	106,904	113,406
Lynchburg	"	39,860	33,937	109,134	95,513
Newport News	"	31,448	27,539	92,205	79,116
Norfolk*	"	181,511	144,517	511,470	422,831
Portsmouth	"	18,914	18,287	55,135	52,494
Richmond*	"	500,758	503,617	1,355,531	1,419,702
Roanoke	"	84,310	73,564	235,982	210,283
Bluefield	W. Va.	43,943	36,141	117,461	101,294
Charleston	"	130,514	114,913	370,950	340,929
Clarksburg	"	32,872	25,990	90,304	73,527
Huntington	"	57,952	48,178	154,271	135,005
Parkersburg	"	28,057	24,038	78,543	69,822
DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA					
Anniston	Ala.	21,244	23,206	57,082	65,885
Birmingham*	"	325,734	287,013	882,917	792,561
Dothan	"	14,115	13,433	36,028	32,627
Gadsden	"	20,251	17,235	51,057	45,108
Mobile*	"	129,935	105,877	360,524	299,319
Montgomery*	"	86,454	70,126	220,706	187,433
Jacksonville*	Fla.	251,452	223,953	705,869	635,317
Miami	"	221,609	191,808	595,839	535,077
Orlando	"	43,660	43,793	118,396	124,549
Pensacola*	"	33,197	29,886	94,715	86,926
St. Petersburg	"	47,750	44,875	127,704	122,303
Tampa*	"	103,274	97,269	284,394	266,270

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<u>DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA (Cont'd)</u>					
Albany	Ga.	18,181	16,394	46,770	40,710
Atlanta*	"	814,398	716,613	2,192,419	2,007,194
Augusta*	"	59,919	54,613	154,542	148,071
Brunswick	"	9,034	8,623	25,753	24,335
Columbus	"	58,317	56,855	165,853	153,328
Elberton	"	4,643	4,554	11,930	11,161
Macon*	"	60,040	58,027	180,263	159,208
Newnan	"	9,604	9,782	25,601	25,923
Savannah*	"	87,915	77,904	259,208	228,992
Valdosta r/	"	10,938	12,172	57,693	45,334
Baton Rouge	La.	83,034	68,377	237,562	193,439
Lake Charles	"	31,077	24,979	84,345	71,017
New Orleans*	"	679,476	696,749	1,822,566	1,736,222
Hattiesburg	Miss.	17,284	20,323	46,988	49,890
Jackson	"	115,473	97,858	329,747	279,097
Meridian	"	30,951	31,184	82,839	84,301
Vicksburg*	"	31,799	29,782	73,596	74,727
Chattanooga*	Tenn.	139,661	125,908	387,234	353,069
Knoxville*	"	105,515	103,949	306,721	296,291
Nashville*	"	306,081	269,364	830,231	730,940
<u>DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO</u>					
Aurora	Ill.	33,362	29,227	94,809	83,065
Bloomington*	"	47,193	38,867	124,289	98,866
Champaign-Urbana	"	46,135	45,350	107,514	98,628
Chicago*	"	8,837,808	7,152,459	23,330,962	19,910,809
Danville	"	37,043	29,717	100,322	80,341
Decatur*	"	106,586	98,819	215,721	187,203
Elgin	"	23,760	21,027	65,246	57,453
Joliet	"	38,737	36,152	106,790	104,495
Moline	"	28,033	21,418	72,781	58,652
Peoria*	"	203,129	164,026	507,489	422,972
Rockford*	"	92,403	75,089	255,613	213,739
Springfield	"	74,922	61,064	200,570	165,686
Fort Wayne*	Ind.	122,483	96,560	330,278	278,415
Gary	"	57,643	46,745	157,334	132,468
Hammond	"	29,343	23,637	80,597	68,569
Indianapolis*	"	635,451	526,913	1,733,842	1,463,617
Lafayette	"	34,164	30,625	91,894	79,719
Muncie	"	37,662	32,254	103,496	92,169
South Bend*	"	210,104	125,595	556,362	375,113
Terre Haute	"	55,588	54,017	167,458	150,513

r/ Revised figures:

Valdosta, Ga.: September 1947, 10,747;

San Jose, Calif.: September 1947, 122,174.

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DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO (Cont'd)					
Burlington	Iowa	19,095	16,859	51,097	44,669
Cedar Rapids*	"	88,399	74,951	228,611	196,093
Clinton	"	20,608	21,246	52,017	50,557
Davenport*	"	71,032	56,037	197,107	160,591
Des Moines*	"	300,255	246,234	815,253	700,262
Dubuque*	"	42,859	33,401	115,559	92,663
Mason City	"	31,002	24,986	82,524	65,746
Muscatine	"	20,013	11,526	44,569	31,567
Ottumwa	"	31,594	20,718	89,054	56,532
Sioux City*	"	144,095	129,240	421,792	327,305
Waterloo*	"	60,011	47,283	165,227	126,177
Adrian	Mich.	13,788	12,582	39,078	37,055
Battle Creek	"	42,383	35,745	123,345	103,993
Bay City*	"	31,745	26,496	88,207	80,097
Detroit*	"	3,031,615	2,261,006	8,418,419	6,538,924
Flint*	"	84,464	71,453	228,686	208,923
Grand Rapids*	"	169,731	150,331	481,300	422,874
Jackson	"	50,161	42,153	137,602	122,718
Kalamazoo*	"	68,023	55,864	192,198	158,704
Lansing*	"	92,107	78,151	254,338	221,340
Muskegon	"	58,831	48,870	164,424	137,016
Port Huron	"	26,729	24,791	75,161	68,341
Saginaw	"	72,427	61,488	195,425	165,511
Green Bay	Wis.	55,659	46,608	154,868	133,936
Madison	"	98,508	79,422	262,554	231,640
Manitowoc	"	20,544	16,999	56,368	52,583
Milwaukee*	"	878,257	743,464	2,368,733	2,120,107
Oshkosh	"	26,205	21,513	72,367	63,062
Racine	"	55,616	45,861	152,466	130,588
Sheboygan	"	49,275	44,358	137,302	128,801
DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS					
El Dorado	Ark.	20,009	15,861	56,072	46,096
Fort Smith	"	40,548	35,342	110,118	99,369
Helena	"	13,149	9,112	25,940	19,629
Little Rock*	"	135,632	113,966	353,782	306,524
Pine Bluff	"	39,368	34,148	85,146	75,917
Texarkana	"				
(See also Tex.)	"	11,814	10,328	31,105	28,005
Alton	Ill.	23,909	18,274	67,204	53,461
East St. Louis & Nat'l Stock Yards	"	135,144	98,784	361,814	249,321
Quincy	"	29,932	25,636	79,814	67,102
Evansville*	Ind.	111,864	84,978	298,979	241,357
Louisville*	Ky.	508,749	418,760	1,338,526	1,194,218
Owensboro	"	30,262	23,691	72,421	65,664
Paducah	"	15,024	12,766	41,388	35,686
Greenville	Miss.	31,589	18,707	60,642	44,105
Cape Girardeau	Mo.	10,427	8,987	28,664	25,538
Hannibal	"	7,808	7,589	21,773	20,417
Jefferson City	"	52,408	43,658	130,341	124,395
St. Louis*	"	1,516,453	1,255,264	4,086,072	3,606,449
Sedalia	"	10,130	9,239	29,541	26,208
Springfield	"	62,926	56,880	176,957	159,767
Jackson	Tenn.	27,379	21,246	58,172	47,422
Memphis*	"	699,153	543,352	1,460,985	1,228,401

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DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS					
Duluth*	Minn.	189,972	140,583	432,996	343,463
Mankato	"	20,991	17,686	54,382	46,001
Minneapolis*	"	1,381,028	1,012,759	3,744,164	2,969,533
Red Wing	"	5,889	4,825	15,925	13,677
Rochester	"	22,504	19,789	59,414	56,341
St. Cloud	"	13,858	11,713	37,786	33,297
St. Paul*	"	528,324	410,245	1,468,460	1,208,733
South St. Paul	"	112,227	68,082	258,561	160,676
Winona	"	17,233	15,220	48,690	43,045
Billings*	Mont.	46,106	34,055	119,079	90,627
Butte	"	40,145	37,086	117,372	106,205
Great Falls	"	49,927	41,408	142,660	119,344
Helena*	"	26,001	22,645	71,675	65,415
Bismarck	N.Dak.	34,745	24,145	92,668	71,272
Dickinson	"	6,703	4,906	16,970	13,193
Fargo*	"	72,200	59,962	193,150	158,606
Grand Forks*	"	24,419	18,621	62,303	51,142
Jamestown	"	8,594	6,407	22,308	17,065
Minot	"	22,294	17,043	57,607	46,965
Aberdeen*	S.Dak.	23,739	18,079	66,130	51,099
Sioux Falls	"	70,794	53,971	193,325	144,292
Eau Claire	Wis.	33,657	29,520	90,255	81,998
La Crosse	"	30,577	24,464	84,424	71,133
Superior*	"	13,641	13,134	36,953	36,575
DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY					
Colorado Springs*	Colo.	39,705	34,721	112,126	98,960
Denver*	"	523,131	436,620	1,441,749	1,245,895
Grand Junction	"	14,468	11,527	37,854	32,124
Greeley	"	25,071	19,040	66,781	49,197
Pueblo*	"	42,955	32,863	116,048	93,227
Atchison	Kans.	16,544	12,642	49,213	31,758
Emporia	"	11,545	10,130	30,881	25,703
Hutchinson	"	47,400	28,456	140,691	92,198
Independence	"	6,827	5,722	19,638	16,888
Kansas City*	"	60,539	55,238	175,293	155,392
Lawrence	"	10,418	9,242	27,406	25,873
Pittsburg	"	11,846	9,543	32,619	27,467
Salina	"	45,929	27,103	147,244	87,968
Topeka*	"	83,487	70,417	238,655	199,952
Wichita*	"	211,541	166,646	593,624	483,820
Joplin*	Mo.	26,343	24,937	75,819	72,764
Kansas City*	"	1,106,601	844,420	3,116,066	2,446,812
St. Joseph*	"	111,579	84,230	299,241	208,079
Fremont	Neb.	16,087	11,632	44,803	31,346
Grand Island	"	22,452	19,652	62,945	56,477
Lincoln	"	75,613	65,834	208,847	187,934
Omaha*	"	531,668	429,579	1,499,229	1,175,031
Albuquerque*	N.M.	71,293	62,588	192,004	174,364
Bartlesville*	Okla.	67,087	52,311	204,966	157,694
Enid	"	42,558	28,191	122,026	82,190
Guthrie	"	4,017	3,823	11,163	10,618
Muskogee*	"	24,267	21,419	63,808	58,257
Oklahoma City*	"	299,028	264,029	813,347	726,349
Okmulgee	"	6,720	5,360	17,905	15,170
Tulsa*	"	408,864	319,650	1,160,874	905,563
Casper	Wyo.	25,694	20,207	69,708	51,825
Cheyenne	"	27,190	25,014	75,992	69,980

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DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS					
Tucson*	Ariz.	58,619	49,396	157,321	139,255
Monroe	La.	36,180	29,130	94,689	80,177
Shreveport*	"	123,965	108,738	355,651	323,144
Roswell	N. M.	14,308	14,240	38,473	37,188
Abilene	Tex.	36,966	29,430	94,756	77,582
Amarillo	"	92,313	71,271	252,892	194,166
Austin*	"	100,690	87,077	288,907	272,403
Beaumont*	"	82,684	68,196	228,375	190,264
Corpus Christi	"	76,681	63,910	236,565	192,848
Corsicana	"	13,877	10,457	33,094	26,840
Dallas*	"	989,808	780,940	2,657,475	2,209,638
El Paso*	"	119,590	103,398	300,413	275,077
Fort Worth*	"	332,908	272,390	920,539	761,951
Galveston	"	63,479	52,579	183,547	157,118
Houston*	"	945,153	738,462	2,596,954	2,126,890
Laredo	"	15,640	15,604	44,833	45,237
Lubbock	"	77,631	47,707	183,071	124,447
Port Arthur	"	33,124	29,033	95,084	84,618
San Angelo	"	32,092	27,517	85,831	75,884
San Antonio	"	242,671	217,135	681,460	622,388
Texarkana*	"				
(See also Ark.)	"	16,375	14,358	43,798	39,790
Tyler	"	37,707	34,060	107,508	96,446
Waco*	"	54,107	47,942	146,342	137,241
Wichita Falls	"	50,090	42,867	138,432	117,535
DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO					
Phoenix	Ariz.	168,096	160,624	444,920	426,249
Bakersfield	Calif.	87,350	65,141	219,615	178,332
Berkeley	"	82,619	78,782	227,660	209,855
Fresno*	"	191,025	217,357	434,442	489,734
Long Beach*	"	151,710	140,483	439,212	387,487
Los Angeles*	"	2,991,526	2,727,849	8,521,771	8,013,214
Oakland*	"	420,359	384,392	1,184,411	1,118,745
Pasadena*	"	96,953	93,087	273,687	271,553
Riverside	"	35,730	35,000	101,752	103,370
Sacramento*	"	369,138	364,018	1,186,158	1,030,230
San Bernardino	"	56,414	57,375	157,625	160,198
San Diego*	"	222,288	211,165	660,730	623,900
San Francisco*	"	2,459,709	2,044,131	6,597,075	5,897,711
San Jose r/	"	134,729	110,198	383,160	316,363
Santa Barbara	"	38,237	34,470	108,896	99,222
Santa Rosa	"	28,592	26,426	80,133	77,539
Stockton*	"	72,749	73,075	206,581	199,969
Boise*	Idaho	64,400	63,403	182,435	167,396
Reno*	Nev.	38,609	38,796	126,165	122,872
Eugene	Ore.	52,148	42,790	151,278	126,290
Portland*	"	586,247	526,011	1,683,390	1,431,534
Salem	"	59,271	59,077	173,515	161,111
Ogden*	Utah	75,728	86,280	198,294	219,300
Salt Lake City*	"	214,328	180,074	603,200	505,322
Bellingham	Wash.	25,205	20,460	71,747	61,717
Everett	"	34,071	25,942	91,463	76,361
Seattle*	"	711,592	589,015	1,975,770	1,673,745
Spokane*	"	172,953	148,343	473,552	429,464
Tacoma*	"	127,951	116,270	368,477	343,876
Walla Walla	"	26,384	23,690	76,492	69,509
Yakima*	"	53,561	51,475	155,964	143,128

r/See footnote on page c regarding revised figures.