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BANK DEBITS AND DEPOSIT TURNOVER

Bank debits to demand deposit accounts (except interbank and U. S. Government accounts) for the month of February for banks in 233 Standard Metropolitan Statistical areas and other centers were \$7,263.9 billion at a seasonally adjusted annual rate. This was 1.4 per cent lower than the previous month and 15.4 per cent higher than February 1967.

New York area banks reported a decrease of 3.2 per cent from the preceding month and an increase of 18.1 per cent over February a year ago. Compared to a year ago, debits at 6 Other Centers were up 14.7 per cent, and at 226 Centers the increase was 12.5 per cent.

Demand deposit turnover at banks in 233 reporting centers showed little change in February. The rate of turnover at banks in the New York area and in 6 Other Centers continued to rise.

		DEBITS TO DEMAND DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS (IN BILLIONS OF DOLLARS)				TURNOVER OF DEMAND DEPOSITS					
		TOTAL 233 CENTERS	LEADING CENTERS		TOTAL 232 CENTERS (EXCLUDES NY)	226 OTHER CENTERS	TOTAL 233 CENTERS	LEADING CENTERS		TOTAL 232 CENTERS (EXCLUDES NY)	226 OTHER CENTERS
			NY	6 OTHERS*				NY	6 OTHERS*		
		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES									
1967	FEBRUARY	6,294.5	2,724.7	1,389.5	3,570.2	2,180.7	55.6	119.4	52.6	39.4	34.2
	MARCH	6,315.9	2,756.6	1,386.8	3,559.3	2,172.5	54.8	117.2	51.2	39.1	33.9
	APRIL	6,553.5	2,864.0	1,451.4	3,689.5	2,238.1	57.7	123.0	54.2	40.8	35.1
	MAY	6,348.2	2,734.5	1,409.2	3,613.7	2,204.5	54.8	115.2	52.0	39.2	33.9
	JUNE	6,637.2	2,904.1	1,476.4	3,733.1	2,256.7	56.5	120.0	53.4	40.1	34.4
	JULY	6,688.7	2,857.1	1,560.5	3,831.6	2,271.1	56.8	119.8	55.5	40.7	34.5
	AUGUST	7,067.8	3,185.7	1,575.0	3,882.1	2,307.1	59.0	128.5	56.6	41.1	34.6
	SEPTEMBER	6,799.4	2,952.4	1,513.6	3,847.0	2,333.4	57.4	120.6	55.4	40.8	35.1
	OCTOBER	6,593.0	3,102.4	1,537.7	3,890.6	2,352.9	58.3	125.5	54.6	40.8	35.1
	NOVEMBER	6,997.7	3,100.8	1,557.8	3,896.9	2,339.1	58.4	130.2	55.7	41.2	34.8
	DECEMBER	7,047.0	3,149.7	1,515.4	3,897.3	2,381.9	58.5	122.1	54.6	41.1	35.3
1968	JANUARY	7,369.4	3,323.4	1,584.8	4,046.0	2,461.2	60.2	128.5	55.6	41.6	36.0
	FEBRUARY	7,263.9	3,216.8	1,593.3	4,047.1	2,453.8	59.8	129.2	56.9	42.1	36.1

* BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, CHICAGO, DETROIT, SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND, AND LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH SMSA'S.

BANK DEBITS - FEBRUARY 1968
(IN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS)

		DEBITS TO DEMAND DEPOSITS		
		FEBRUARY 1968	PER CENT CHANGE FROM	
			MONTH AGO	YEAR AGO
DISTRICT NO. 1 - BOSTON		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES		
CONNECTICUT	HARTFORD	39,341.5	-6.6	+23.4
	NEW HAVEN	8,564.3	+3	+12.7
	NEW LONDON-GROTON-NORWICH	2,115.8	+12.8	+12.0
	WATERBURY	3,268.5	-10.4	+9.5
MAINE	BANGOR*	1,029.5	+1	+15.1
	LEWISTON-AUBURN	1,068.4	-.8	+24.8
	PORTLAND	4,088.5	+7.3	+19.2
MASSACHUSETTS	BOSTON	176,064.1	-2.0	+26.4
	BROCKTON	1,781.8	+3.1	+13.0
	FALL RIVER	1,311.9	-.4	+16.4
	LAWRENCE-HAVERHILL	2,592.6	-.6	+20.1
	LOWELL	1,841.4	+2.5	+9.7
	NEW BEDFORD	1,743.4	-3.4	+2.2
	PITTSFIELD	1,488.7	+2.4	+10.8
	SPRINGFIELD-CHICOPEE-HOLYOKE	9,753.3	-2.8	+22.3
	WORCESTER	7,085.0	+6.4	+12.5
	NEW HAMPSHIRE	CONCORD*	919.7	+5.0
MANCHESTER		2,017.2	+5	+13.9
RHODE ISLAND	PROVIDENCE-PAWTUCKET	19,690.4	-2.4	+12.0
VERMONT	BURLINGTON*	1,636.9	+4.1	+31.2
DISTRICT NO. 1 TOTALS		287,402.9	-2.2	+22.8
DISTRICT NO. 2 - NEW YORK				
CONNECTICUT	BRIDGEPORT	7,891.5	-2.8	+7.5
	STAMFORD	4,816.7	-8.1	+13.6
NEW JERSEY	JERSEY CITY	14,979.9	-17.5	+6.2
	NEWARK	60,107.4	-2.9	+10.8
	PATERSON-CLIFTON-PASSAIC	24,150.8	-1.7	+16.3
NEW YORK	BINGHAMTON	4,022.3	+6	+7.8
	BUFFALO	33,954.9	-9.1	+11.6
	NEW YORK	3,216,752.9	-3.2	+18.1
	ROCHESTER	19,997.0	-5.2	+11.3
	SYRACUSE	14,316.2	-6.3	+14.4
	UTICA-ROME	4,912.8	+1.6	+19.0
DISTRICT NO. 2 TOTALS		3,405,902.6	-3.3	+17.7
DISTRICT NO. 3 - PHILADELPHIA				
DELAWARE	WILMINGTON	51,082.1	+12.2	+12.8
NEW JERSEY	ATLANTIC CITY	2,589.7	+2.9	+20.4
	TRENTON	16,220.4	+34.5	+40.7
PENNSYLVANIA	ALTOONA	1,372.1	+4.6	+12.4
	HARRISBURG	6,662.9	+7.7	+7.0
	JOHNSTOWN	1,506.2	-8.4	+9.2
	LANCASTER	4,581.2	-4.9	+9.2
	LEBANON*	646.2	-1.3	+18.7
	LEHIGH VALLEY	6,485.5	-5.9	+5.7
	PHILADELPHIA	182,732.9	-2.2	+10.9
	READING	5,199.9	-.3	+19.3
	SCRANTON	3,547.8	+4.7	+11.0
	WILKES-BARRE	3,714.1	-10.9	+1.6
WILLIAMSPORT*	965.2	-7.5	+5.9	
YORK	5,876.5	-2.8	+8.5	
DISTRICT NO. 3 TOTALS		293,182.5	+1.7	+12.4

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		DEBITS TO DEMAND DEPOSITS		
		FEBRUARY 1968	PER CENT CHANGE FROM	
			MONTH AGO	YEAR AGO
DISTRICT NO. 4 - CLEVELAND		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES		
KENTUCKY	LEXINGTON	3,527.4	+0.8	-4.2
OHIO	AKRON	14,189.4	-3.7	+1.0
	CANTON	5,440.2	-6.0	+15.8
	CINCINNATI	39,521.9	-2.9	+9.8
	CLEVELAND	84,966.2	-0.8	+9.4
	COLUMBUS	35,877.5	+0.6	+8.9
	DAYTON	14,842.3	+1.5	+7.9
	HAMILTON-MIDDLETOWN	2,772.3	-1.1	+11.5
	LIMA	1,814.2	-12.4	+17.8
	LORAIN-ELYRIA	2,211.2	+8.1	+18.5
	MANSFIELD	1,903.1	-2.5	+9.2
	SPRINGFIELD	1,905.6	-7.1	+8.7
	STEUBENVILLE-WEIRTON, W. VA.	1,675.0	+5.5	+10.9
TOLEDO	17,287.8	+2.4	+32.8	
YOUNGSTOWN	7,345.8	-2.2	+4.8	
PENNSYLVANIA	ERIE	3,713.7	-9.2	+6.7
	PITTSBURGH	121,093.6	-6.3	+13.2
WEST VIRGINIA	WHEELING	2,322.2	+1.4	+2.7
DISTRICT NO. 4 TOTALS		362,409.2	-2.9	+11.0
DISTRICT NO. 5 - RICHMOND				
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	WASHINGTON	72,520.4	+0.8	+31.8
MARYLAND	BALTIMORE	47,737.6	-6.6	+8.2
NORTH CAROLINA	ASHEVILLE	2,493.6	+6.5	+20.3
	CHARLOTTE	15,437.1	-3.6	+7.4
	DURHAM	3,038.7	+8.3	+14.7
	FAYETTEVILLE	1,571.1	+7.2	+22.0
	GREENSBORO-HIGH POINT	8,288.8	-1.7	-4.4R
	RALEIGH	11,790.1	+10.7	+9.2
	WILMINGTON	1,373.7	-1.4	+9.4
WINSTON-SALEM	9,869.3	-0.2	+21.6	
SOUTH CAROLINA	CHARLESTON	3,226.7	+3.4	+13.9R
	COLUMBIA	6,986.9	-0.5	+8.8
	GREENVILLE	5,316.4	+5.4	+3.5
VIRGINIA	LYNCHBURG	1,731.6	+6.9	+9.6
	NEWPORT NEWS-HAMPTON	2,789.6	-2.3	+10.9
	NORFOLK-PORTSMOUTH	8,915.7	-3.6	+10.9
	RICHMOND	20,897.5	-0.7	-0.2
	ROANOKE	4,834.8	-0.1	+11.8
WEST VIRGINIA	CHARLESTON	5,518.1	+18.2	+5.5
	HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND, KY.	3,396.0	-6.2	+4.4
DISTRICT NO. 5 TOTALS		237,733.9	-0.6	+13.9R
DISTRICT NO. 6 - ATLANTA				
ALABAMA	BIRMINGHAM	18,982.3	-1.5	+7.6
	GADSDEN	735.8	-3.2	+1.9
	HUNTSVILLE	2,275.6	+3.5	+5.6
	MOBILE	6,276.1	+3.0	+11.8R
	MONTGOMERY	3,890.7	+3.3	+6.2
	TUSCALOOSA	1,255.7	-2.9	+6.6
FLORIDA	FT. LAUDERDALE-HOLLYWOOD	8,234.8	-5.5	+13.8
	JACKSONVILLE	17,626.4	-0.6	-1.6
	MIAMI	29,296.6	-5.5	+19.0R
	ORLANDO	6,684.3	-12.3	+13.5
	PENSACOLA	2,563.9	+1.8	+7.5R
	TALLAHASSEE	1,767.3	-0.2	+2.3
	TAMPA-ST. PETERSBURG	18,501.0	+5.1	+20.1R
	WEST PALM BEACH	5,385.0	-6.1	+12.9

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DISTRICT NO. 6 - CONTINUED		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES			
GEORGIA	ALBANY	1,091.4	-10.3	+8.8	
	ATLANTA	62,152.3	-4.8	+7.3R	
	AUGUSTA	3,591.8	+4.6	+5.7	
	COLLMBUS	2,779.1	+4.3	+11.7R	
	MACON	3,190.7	+2.3	+14.3	
	SAVANNAH	3,497.3	+0.8	+8.6	
LOUISIANA	BATCN ROLGE	7,073.3	+2.0	+7.4R	
	LAFAYETTE	1,592.9	-2.0	+9.9	
	LAKE CHARLES	1,880.7	+2.1	+8.1	
	NEW ORLEANS	30,988.4	+4.8	+12.2R	
MISSISSIPPI	JACKSON	8,598.0	+10.0	+10.1	
TENNESSEE	CHATTANCGA	7,444.2	+11.8	+7.9	
	KNOXVILLE	5,534.9	-7.0	-0.3	
	NASHVILLE	19,634.1	-5.2	+5.6	
DISTRICT NO. 6 TOTALS		282,524.8	-1.3	+9.5R	
DISTRICT NO. 7 - CHICAGO					
ILLINOIS	BLOOMINGTON	2,581.1	+10.5	+18.6R	
	CHAMPAIGN-URBANA	2,075.1	+2.3	+6.7	
	CHICAGO	534,490.2	-1.7	+14.9	
	DECATUR	2,241.7	-5.6	-2.5	
	PEORIA	6,545.1	-3.1	+6.2	
	QUAD CITIES	7,604.5	+11.9	+22.4	
	ROCKFORD	4,902.0	-4.1	+8.3	
	SPRINGFIELD	3,278.4	+1.5	+1.3	
	INDIANA	FORT WAYNE	7,581.1	+1.9	+4.4
		GARY-HAMMOND	7,241.2	-9.9	+5.2
INDIANAPOLIS		30,583.4	-6.5	+4.3	
LAFAYETTE		2,388.4	+0.1	+24.3	
MUNCIE		2,094.4	+3.9R	+5.9	
SOUTH BEND		5,340.1	-9.5	-2.8	
TERRE HAUTE		2,248.9	-2.5R	+4.4	
IOWA	CEDAR RAPIDS	3,475.8	-0.1	+9.0	
	DES MOINES	16,344.4	-6.4	+1.5	
	DUBUQUE	1,582.5	+8.0	+11.5	
	SIOUX CITY	3,321.3	+3.2R	+8.6	
	WATERLOO	2,177.2	-0.2	-0.4	
	MICHIGAN	ANN ARBOR	3,383.9	+3.9	+11.0
BAY CITY		1,322.3	+7.9	+4.6	
DETROIT		200,982.3	+7.0	+12.0	
FLINT		5,864.1	+9.8	+14.9	
GRAND RAPIDS		11,721.3	+1.1	+12.9	
JACKSON		2,228.5	-3.9	+7.6	
KALAMAZOO		3,767.3	+4.8R	+12.2	
LANSING		5,446.3	+8.5	+2.3	
MUSKEGON		1,812.3	-11.7	-0.4	
SAGINAW		3,798.6	+5.2	+12.4	
WISCONSIN		GREEN BAY	2,628.2	-2.0	+10.7
		KENOSHA	1,025.0	+3.8	-6.4
		MADISON	5,887.5	+15.2	+22.8
		MILWAUKEE	50,477.3	-2.1	+4.3
	RACINE	2,520.6	-10.8	-0.7	
DISTRICT NO. 7 TOTALS		950,962.2	+0.1R	+12.3R	

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DISTRICT NO. 8 - ST. LOUIS		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES		
ARKANSAS	EL DORADO*	725.1	- .4	+7.3
	FORT SMITH	1,954.0	-5.4	+2.8
	HELENA*	312.3	-4.5	+1.8
	LITTLE ROCK	6,632.4	+2.4	+5.5
	PINE BLUFF	1,397.5	+10.5	+22.7
	TEXARKANA	1,378.8	+1.5	+7.2
ILLINOIS	QUINCY*	1,073.5	+2.7	+14.4
INDIANA	EVANSVILLE	4,779.5	+6.7	- .7
KENTUCKY	LOUISVILLE	23,036.9	+1.3	+14.3
	OWENSBORO*	1,124.2	-10.2	+2.8
	PADUCAH*	925.7	+3.5	+6.2
MISSISSIPPI	GREENVILLE*	776.6	+8.1	+4.5
MISSOURI	CAPE GIRARDEAU*	492.9	+ .7	-6.2
	HANNIBAL*	249.9	+7.0	+ .9
	ST. LOUIS	88,844.9	-1.9	+7.2
	SEDALIA*	373.0	+12.9	+ .0
	SPRINGFIELD	3,264.6	+1.8	+29.2
TENNESSEE	JACKSON*	711.6	+4.9	-3.1
	MEMPHIS	24,292.0	+7.7	+11.8
DISTRICT NO. 8 TOTALS		162,345.3	+ .6	+8.8
DISTRICT NO. 9 - MINNEAPOLIS				
MINNESOTA	DULUTH-SUPERIOR, WISC.	3,880.6	-5.0	+9.5
	MINNEAPOLIS-ST. PAUL	99,663.4	-2.6	+17.7
MONTANA	BILLINGS	1,726.3	+5.1	+8.2
	GREAT FALLS	1,760.6	+3.8	+2.8
NORTH DAKOTA	FARGO-MOORHEAD, MINN.	2,405.4	-3.9	+11.2
SOUTH DAKOTA	SIOUX FALLS	2,692.2	+20.7	+12.0
DISTRICT NO. 9 TOTALS		112,128.7	-2.0	+16.7
DISTRICT NO. 10 - KANSAS CITY				
COLORADO	COLORADO SPRINGS	2,708.0	+2.5	+6.8
	DENVER	35,250.0	-4.6	+9.0
	PUEBLO	1,343.0	- .2	+ .7
KANSAS	TOPEKA	6,532.0	+21.7	+15.0
	WICHITA	9,106.0	-3.3	+6.2
MISSOURI	KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI-KANSAS	59,878.0	+10.8	+26.9
	ST. JOSEPH	2,108.0	+9.1	+6.6
NEBRASKA	LINCOLN	4,330.0	+4.3	+15.3
	OMAHA, NEBRASKA-IOWA	19,148.0	+11.2	+16.0
NEW MEXICO	ALBUQUERQUE	7,517.0	+34.7	+58.3
OKLAHOMA	LAWTON	838.0	+2.4	+10.0
	OKLAHOMA CITY	18,504.0	+1.9	+7.4
	TULSA	21,065.0	+5.7	+7.9
DISTRICT NO. 10 TOTALS		188,327.0	+6.1	+16.1

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DISTRICT NO. 11 - DALLAS		SEASONALLY ADJUSTED ANNUAL RATES		
ARIZONA	TUCSON	4,495.0	+2.7	+4.5
LOUISIANA	MONROE	2,144.9	+7	+1.6
	SHREVEPORT	6,436.0	+2.6	+6.9
NEW MEXICO	ROSWELL*	666.1	-6.5	+6.2
TEXAS	ABILENE	1,812.8	+7.0	-5.8
	AMARILLO	5,080.2	+6.4	+7.9
	AUSTIN	5,490.2	-3.9	+24.7
	BEAUMONT-PORT ARTHUR	5,576.0	+1.7	-.2
	BROWNSVILLE-HARLINGEN-SAN BENITO	1,503.0	-3.1	+16.1
	CORPUS CHRISTI	4,538.3	+3.0	+15.8
	CORSICANA*	353.9	-18.3	+6
	DALLAS	74,226.8	-8.0	+11.1
	EL PASO	5,067.9	-10.9	-.3
	FORT WORTH	17,453.6	+7.6	+20.2
	GALVESTON-TEXAS CITY	2,462.5	+2.3	+9.0
	HOUSTON	75,426.9	+4.8	+20.0
	LAREDO	668.3	-1.5	+14.1
	LUBBOCK	3,440.8	+6.3	+5.9
	MC ALLEN-PHARR-EDINBURG	1,334.7	-3.0	+5.2
	MIDLAND	1,665.9	-1.2	+13.2
	ODESSA	1,232.5	-.4	+4.9
SAN ANGELO	1,004.9	+1.6	+3.2	
SAN ANTONIO	14,975.3	+10.9	+28.2	
TYLER	1,703.1	-1.6	+9.2	
WACO	2,321.9	+1.6	+12.2	
WICHITA FALLS	2,020.8	-3.1	-2.0	
DISTRICT NO. 11 TOTALS		243,102.4	-.1	+14.2
DISTRICT NO. 12 - SAN FRANCISCO				
ARIZONA	PHOENIX	18,912.5	+1.0	+10.8
CALIFORNIA	ANAHEIM-SANTA ANA-GARDEN GROVE	18,941.9	-1.9	+15.7
	BAKERSFIELD	4,531.3	-.1	-8.6
	FRESNO	6,833.7	+3.3	+12.2
	LOS ANGELES-LONG BEACH	288,965.2	+1.0	+16.8
	OXNARD-VENTURA	3,422.2	-.2	+14.2
	SAN BERNARDINO-RIVERSIDE-ONTARIO	11,574.2	+6.6	+10.5
	SAN DIEGO	23,583.2	+16.0	+19.7
SAN FRANCISCO-OAKLAND	210,026.5	+4.6	+8.6	
SAN JOSE	20,716.1	+10.8	+23.8	
SANTA BARBARA	3,531.9	-4.1	+13.4	
STOCKTON	3,893.0	-4.0	+3.8	
IDAHO	BOISE	3,466.6	+2.1	+17.7
NEVADA	LAS VEGAS	4,572.4	-3.0	+8.8
	RENO	2,755.0	-1.7	-4.1
OREGON	EUGENE	2,978.9	+2.3	+12.6
	PORTLAND	29,323.2	+9	+20.8
UTAH	OGDEN	2,082.4	+7.6	+25.6
	SALT LAKE CITY	15,041.3	+11.9	+7.4
WASHINGTON	SEATTLE-EVERETT	47,983.7	+1.1	+8.5
	SPOKANE	5,155.9	-16.4	+3.1
	TACOMA	9,527.1	+3.9	+32.9
DISTRICT NO. 12 TOTALS		737,818.4	+2.7	+13.3

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