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CONDITION OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS

Member Bank Reserves and Related Items

During the week ended January 19, Member bank reserves decreased \$104 million. The principal change reducing reserves was a decrease of \$657 million in Reserve Bank credit. The principal offsetting changes were decreases of \$297 million in Treasury deposits with Federal Reserve Banks, \$237 million in Money in circulation, and \$28 million in Foreign deposits with Federal Reserve Banks.

The decrease of \$657 million in Reserve Bank credit resulted from decreases of \$598 million in U. S. Government securities bought outright, \$239 million in Loans, discounts and advances, and \$17 million in U. S. Government securities held under repurchase agreement, and an increase of \$197 million in Float. Holdings of U. S. Government securities bought outright reflected a decrease of \$598 million in bills.

		Change	since
Member Bank Reserves	Jan. 19,	Jan. 12,	Jan. 20,
and Related Items	<u> 1955 </u>	1955	1954
Reserve Bank credit:	(In mi	llions of do	llars)
U. S. Government securities			
Bought outright	23,899	- 598	-1,465
Held under repurchase agreement	23,099 10	- 17	+ 10
Leans, discounts and advances	298	- 239	+ 227
Float	875	+197	- 102
Total	25,082	-657	-1,330
Gold stock	21,714	+ 1	- 292
Treasury currency outstanding	4,985	+ 1	+ 95
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Money in circulation	29,959	-237	- 124
Treasury cash holdings	827	+ 6	+ 45
Treasury deposits with F. R. Banks	160	- 297	+ 155
Foreign deposits with F. R. Banks	475	- 28	+ 32
Other deposits with F. R. Banks	391	+ 4	+ 105
Other F. R. accounts (net)	902	- 2	+ 69
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Member bank reserves	19,066	-104	-1,808
Required reserves (estimated)	18,433	+ 27	- 902
Excess reserves (estimated)	633	-131	- 906
Control (Control)	933	-3-	7.5
Daily averages for period			
Estimated excess reserves of member banks	776	+ 99	- 498
Member bank borrowings at F. R. Banks	312	- 58	+ 242
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U. S. Government securities held in custody by the Federal Reserve Banks for foreign account were \$2,976 million, an increase of \$16 million for the week and an increase of \$409 million from the comparable date a year ago.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE TWELVE FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS COMBINED (In thousands of dollars)

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		Chang	e since
	Jan. 19,	Jan. 12,	Jan. 20,
	1955	1955	1954
ASSETS			
Gold certificates	20,174,103	+ 9,000	- 254,999
Redemption fund for F. R. notes	865,213	- 1	- 27,567
Total gold certificate reserves	21,039,316	+ 8,999	- 282,566
F. R. notes of other Banks	228,594	- 1,069	- 2,233
Other cash	434,823	+ 22,390	- 16,770
Discounts and advances	297,598	- 238,918	
Industrial loans	572	- 117	- 1,129
U. S. Government securities:			
Bought outright			
Bills	1,177,944	- 597,800	-1,141,468
Certificates:	•		
Special			- 323,000
Other	13,882,341	••	+8,065,800
Notes	6,037,271		-7,226,400
Bonds	2,801,750		- 839,400
Total bought outright	23,899,306	- 597,800	-1,464,468
Held under repurchase agreement	9,500	- 17,500	+ 9,500
Total U. S. Government securities	23,908,806	- 615,300	-1,454,968
Total loans and securities	24,206,976	- 854,335	-1,228,165
Due from foreign banks	22		
Uncollected cash items	4,509,446	+ 436,019	+ 188,999
Bank premises	54,931	+ 58	+ 2,185
Other assets	156,009	+ 7,147	- 22,436
TOTAL ASSETS	50,630,117	- 380,791	-1,360,986
LIABILITIES	or #0o 0o#	000 207	192 009
Federal Reserve notes	25,789,807	- 202,307	- 183,908
Deposits: Member bankreserve accounts	10 0// 21/0	102 010	2 000 353
	19,066,342	- 103,218	-1,808,151
U. S. Treasurergeneral account Foreign	159,570	- 297,268	+ 154,541
Other	475,479	- 27,254	+ 32,469
Total deposits	391,310	+ 4,769	+ 104,962
Deferred availability cash items	20,092,701	- 422,971	-1,516,179
Other liabilities and accrued dividends	3,634,593		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	14,880 49,531,981	+ 341 - 385,805	$\frac{-2,703}{-1,412,121}$
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CAPITAL ACCOUNTS			
Capital paid in	289,453	+ 575	+ 22,667
Surplus (Section 7)	660,901		+ 35,888
Surplus (Section 13b)	27,543		. 37,000
Other capital accounts	120,239	+ 4,439	- 7,420
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	50,630,117	- 380,791	-1,360,986
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Ratio of gold certificate reserves to deposit	1 4	4	
and F. R. note liabilities combined	45.9%	+ .7%	+ 1.1%
Contingent liability on acceptances purchased	A- A-1	. 0	01
for foreign correspondents	21,214		
Industrial loan commitments	3, 191	+ 2,034	- 528
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MATURITY DISTRIBUTION OF LOANS AND SECURITIES, JANUARY 19, 1955 (Securities held under repurchase agreement are classified as maturing within 15 days in accordance with maximum maturity of the agreements.)

	Discounts and advances	Industrial loans	U. S. Government securities
Within 15 days	142,174	85	483,194
16 to 90 da y s	62,051	102	4,716,250
91 days to 1 year	93,373	312	13,193,764
Over 1 year to 5 years		73	3,087,127
Over 5 years to 10 years		••	1,013,614
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ASSETS	Total	Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleve,	Rich.	Atlanta	Chicago	St.Louis	Mpls.	Kans.Cy.	Dallas	SanFran
Gold certificates Redemption fund for	20,174,103	1045,551	5,324,853	1228,793	1729,556	1115,174	904,084	3616,711	821,217	436,990	857,355	811,073	2282,746
F. R. notes	865,213	53,580	183,657	58,737	76,851	74,295	53,802	143,843	47,088	24,617	39,725	28,736	80,282
Total gold certificate reserves	21,039,316	1099,131	5,508,510	1287,530	1806,407	1189,469	957,886	3760,554	868,305	461,607	897,080	839,809	
F.R. notes of other Banks Other cash Discounts and advances Industrial loans	228,594 434,823 297,598 572	15,985 31,359 16,809	49,246 101,630 46,383	8,673 20,852 12,453 478	12,424 43,647 15,703	23,900 23,926 12,342	45,653 35,769 28,708	21,084 69,750 97,983	24,944	5,569 10,065 6,833 94	6,744 14,692	12,398 14,541 8,267	18,454 43,648
U. S. Govt. securities: Bought outright Bills Certificates Notes Bonds Total Held under repurchase agreement	1,177,944 13,882,341 6,037,271 2,801,750 23,899,306	64,997 765,999 333,125 154,595 1318,716	300,885 3,545,994 1,542,112 715,657 6,104,648	844,852 367,416 170,509	100,958 1189,814 517,436 240,130 2048,338	817,643 355,583 165,017	707,042 307,484 142,696	205,926 2426,883 1055,424 489,796 4178,029	580,906 252 ,630	28,927 340,909 148,257 68,802	50,821 598,940 260,472	46,286 545,492 237,229 110,092	128,794 1517,867 660,103
Total U. S. Government securities	23,908,806	1318,716		1454,464	2048,338	1407,621	1217,216	4178.029	1000.066	586.895	1031,112	939 099	2612 102
Total loans and securities	24,206,976												
Due from foreign banks Uncollected cash items Bank premises Other assets	22 4,509,446 54,931 156,009	1 356,687 5,933 8,215	1/ 6 928,835 7,151 38,546	2 2 7 1,671 5,241 9,099	2 416,196 5, 2 59 13,281	1 337,773 4,495 9,114	1 338,192 3,879 8,581	3 706,245 6,281 28,330	1	1 123,435 1,008 3,721	1 230,416 2,574 6,939	1 191,573 1,182 6,709	2 431,021 9,096 16,801

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TOTAL ASSETS

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS ON JANUARY 19, 1955 (In thousands of dollars)

LIABILITIES	Total	Boston	New York	Phila.	Cleve.	Rich.	Atlanta	Chicago	St.Louis	Mpls.	Kans.Cy.	Dallas	SanFran.
Federal Reserve notes Deposits:	25,789,807	1577,074	5,806,097	1812,050	2384,943	1829,004	1364,449	4993,492	1161,423	577,104	1018,184	728,880	2537,107
Member bank-reserve accts. U.S.Treasurer-general acct.		849,576 5,010	5,523,008 91,196	904,796 5,028	1476,350 5,000	806,184 5,094	914,995 5,045	3064,861 5,087		462,921 5,055	. ,		2407,302 5,550
Foreign Other	475,479 391,310	28,140 9,835	1/143,408 248,322	34,237	42,679 14,762	23,450	20,167	65,660	17,822	11,725	17,822	22,043	48,326
Total deposits	20,092,701		6,005,934	956,102	1538,791	840,056	952,466	3147,526	752,550	483,055	961,492	······································	2503,531
Deferred avail. cash items Other liabilities and	3,634,593	315,803	665,151	•	, ,	281,131	268,759	571,539	142,834	109,622	191,605	173,759	
accrued dividends	14,880	712	5,539	686	1,432	609	511	2,420	410	533	413	546	1,069
TOTAL LIABILITIES Capital paid in	49,531,981	2786,150	12,482,721	2990,282	4261,789	2950,800	2586,185	8714,977	2057,217	1170,314			
Surplus (Section 7) Surplus (Section 13b)	289,453 660,901 27,543	15,017 40,309 3,011	90,378 188,070	19,183 47,773 4,489	27,336 60,222	33,480	12,477 29,480		26,619		24,755	14,602 29,985	66,724
Other capital accounts TOTAL LIABILITIES AND	120,239	8,349	7,319 25,967	8,736	1,006 10,904	3,349 8,165	762 6,981	1,429 16,721	521 6,525	1,073 4,516	1,137 6,170	1,307 5,863	2,140 11,342
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	50,630,117	2852,836	12,794,455	3070,463	4361,257	3008,641	2635,885	8868,259	2100,904	1199,228	2214,775	2013,579	5509,835
Contingent liability on acceptances purchased													
for foreign correspondents Industrial loan commitments	21,214 3, 191	1,272	2/6,204	1,548 262	1,929 598	1,060 39	911 104	2,968 16		530 	806 2,1 7 2		2,184
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F. R. notes outstanding	27,012,747	1661,881						5144,617	1211,457	619,769	1051,164	778,837	2686,063
Collateral for F.R. notes; Gold certificates	11,208,000	640,000	_	800,000		675,000					_		1380,000
Eligible paper U. S. Govt. securities	48,954 17,140,000		3,600,000	2,720 1200,000	1550,000	5,675 1300,000	1000,000	2900,000	7,150 945,000	3,500 500,000			950 1620,000
Total collateral	28,396,954	1848,809	6,270,000	2002,720	2600,000	1980,675	1500,000	5300,000	1307,150		1100,150		3000,950

 $\frac{1}{4}$ After deducting \$332,052,000 participations of other Federal Reserve Banks. $\frac{2}{4}$ After deducting \$15,010,000 participations of other Federal Reserve Banks.

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