For immediate release

Condition of Weekly Reporting Member Banks in Leading Cities

The condition statement of weekly reporting member banks in 101 leading cities shows the following principal changes for the week ended April 15: Increases of \$606,000,000 in holdings of Treasury certificates of indebtedness and \$454,000,000 in United States Government deposits, declines of \$165,000,000 in reserve balances with Federal Reserve Banks and \$74,000,000 in demand deposits—adjusted, and an increase of \$98,000,000 in deposits credited to domestic banks.

Commercial, industrial and agricultural loans declined \$32,000,000 in New York City and \$27,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Holdings of Treasury certificates of indebtedness, issued as of April 15, were \$269,000,000 in New York City, \$122,000,000 in the Chicago District, \$43,000,000 in the Cleveland District, \$40,000,000 in the Boston District, and \$606,000,000 at all reporting member banks. Holdings of Treasury bills increased \$37,000,000 in New York City and \$68,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Demand deposits-adjusted declined \$353,000,000 in New York City and \$74,000,000 at all reporting member banks, and increased \$168,000,000 in the Chicago District. United States Government deposits increased \$348,000,000 in New York City and \$454,000,000 at all reporting member banks.

Deposits credited to demestic banks increased \$51,000,000 in New York City, \$21,000,000 in the Philadelphia District, \$20,000,000 in the San Francisco District, and \$98,000,000 at all reporting member banks, and declined \$45,000,000 in the Chicago District.

A summary of the principal assets and liabilities of reporting member banks, and of debits to demand deposit accounts, follows:

(In millions of dollars) Increase or decrease April since April 8, 15, April 16, 1942 1942 1941 \mathbf{E} Loans and Investments - total 31,502 +619 +4,339 - 49 Loans - total 11,332 +1,461 6,948 Commercial, industrial, and agricultural loans - 27 +1,418 Open market paper 419 Loans to brokers and dealers in securities - 11 438 47 + 8 Other loans for purchasing or carrying secs. 408 41 Real estate loans. 1,244 15 _ 2 Loans to banks 25 14 Other loans - 14 61 850 Treasury bills 1,113 + 68 + 235 Treasury certificates of indebtedness 606 +606 + 606 - 1 Treasury notes 2,364 + 185 9,681 + 11 U. S. bonds +1,999 - 14 2,682 Obligations guaranteed by U. S. Government 73 Other securities 3,724 74 Reserve with Federal Reserve Banks 9,884 -165 -1,784 - 18 Cash in vault 502 Balances with domestic banks 3,323 + 58 LIABILITIES Demand deposits-adjusted 24,725 - 74 +1,148 Time deposits 5,118 + 1 - 332 U. S. Government deposits +454 2,191 Interbank deposits: Domestic banks 8,971 + 98 407 632 Foreign banks 2 21 4 Borrowings Debits to demand deposit accounts except interbank and U. S. Gov't

accounts, during current week

9,212

Beginning with this week the statement shows, as a memorandum item, the amount of debits to demand deposit accounts, except interbank and United States Government accounts, as reported by member banks in 101 leading cities for the week ending on the report date (mednesday). The new figures differ from the bank debits figures now published in a separate weekly statement which, as already announced, will be published monthly only beginning in May. The older series represents debits to both demand and time deposit accounts of all depositors except other banks, and the figures are currently reported by member and nonmember reporting banks in 274 centers; for 141 centers this series is available since 1919.

Debits to demand deposit accounts, except interbank and United States Government accounts, as shown in the new series for banks in New York City, amount to approximately 98 per cent of the total debits reported for New York City in the more complete series. For all weekly reporting banks in the 100 other leading cities, bank debits as shown in the new series approximate 92 per cent of total debits reported for the 140 centers (other than New York) included since 1919 in the more complete series. As a result, there is a marked similarity in the weekly fluctuations of the two series, as to both direction and amount.

STATEMENT FOR THE PRESS

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Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System April 16, 1942

CONDITION OF WEEKLY REPORTING MEMBER BANKS IN CENTRAL RESERVE CITIES (In millions of dollars)

		New York	City	Chicago					
	Apr.	decre	ease or asc since	Apr.	Increase on decrease since				
	15, 1942	Apr. 8, Apr. 16, 1942 1941		15 , 1942	Apr. 8, 1942	Apr. 16, 1941			
ASSETS	***	4 •	•		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Loans and Investments-total	12,749	+225	+1,594	2,924	+ 69	+ 295			
Loans - total	3,380	- 3 3	+ 654	911	- 4	+ 138			
Commercial, industrial, and agricultural loans Open market paper Loans to brokers and dealers Other loans for purchasing	2,755 77 321	- 32 - 3 - 11	+ 660 - 16 - 16	719 13 26	- 3 + 2 - 2	+ 165 - 12 - 16			
or carrying securities Real estate loans Loans to banks Other loans	154 103 23 447	+ 9 - 1	- 10 - 8 - 7 + 51	50 23 78	- 1 	- 4 + 3 2			
Treasury bills Treasury cert. of indebt. Treasury notes U. S. bonds Obligations guaranteed by	378 269 1,466 3,834		+ 33 + 269 + 100 + 660	337 73 133 955	- 16 + 73 + 7	- 14 + 76 - 3 + 122			
U. S. Government Other securities	1,449 1,473		- 137 + 15	110 400	+ 4	- 16 - 10			
Reserve with F.R. Bank Cash in vault Halances with domestic banks Other assets - net	4,627 75 89 299	- 3 - 16	-1,727 - 6 - 27 - 33	1,135 29 234 41	+ 2 + 1 + 9	+ 98 + 2 + 17 - 1			
LIABILITIES					•				
Demand deposits-adjusted Time deposits U. S. Government deposits Interbank deposits:	10,284 700 1,180	-353 - 3 +343	- 657 - 46 +1,162	2,244 459 300	+ 125	+ 210 - 43 + 200			
Domestic banks Foreign banks	3,311 567	+ 51 + 1	- 636 - 26	1,095	- 51 	+ 18 + 2			
Borrowings Other liabilities CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	256 1,541	+ 6 - 1	- 27 + 31	22 284	- 2	+ 6 + 18			

Debits to demand deposit accounts, except interbank and U.S. Gov't accounts, during current week 3,670

	(In millions of dollars)												
	Total Federal Reserve District												
	All districts	Boston	New York	Phila- delphia	Cleve- land	Rich- mend	Atlanta	Chicago	St. Louis	Minne- apolis	Kansas City	1 1 10 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 1	San Francis
ASSETS				A STATE OF THE PERSON ASSESSMENT OF THE PERSON									•
Loans and Investments - total	31,502	1,624	13,874	1,433	2,483	941	865	4,528	982	517	883	701	2,671
Loans - total Comm'l,ind'l,and agr'l loans Open market paper Loans to brokers & dealers in secs. Other loans for purchasing	11,332 6,948 419 438	814 453 116 12	2,918 87	555 305 39 27	883 436 34 13	340 169 20 3	400 227 8 5	1,398 962 39 32	440 271 23 4	265 147 3 1	451 293 30 3	354 252 3 4	1,148 515 17 9
or carrying securities Real estate loans Loans to banks Other loans	408 1,244 25 1,850	14 76 1 142	196 191 23 544	32 48 104	16 182 202	12 53 83	8 31 1 120	57 146 ,	10 59 73	6 16 92	9 33 83	12 22 61	36 397 184
Treasury bills Treasury cert. of indebtedness Treasury notes U. S. bonds Obligations guaranteed by U.S.Gov't Other securities	1,113 606 2,364 9,681	53 40 42 485 55 135	422 283 1,536 4,184 1,547	12 15 25	26 43 208 884 160 279	l ₁ 12 77 340 102 66	142 17 149 187 60 110	379 122 222 1,488 306 613	51 12 43 261 62 113	13 9 14 150 27 39	28 13 40 150 79 122	34 13 42 156 38 64	49 27 66 921 154 306
Reserve with F. R. Banks Cash in vault Balances with domestic banks Other assets - net	9,884 502 3,323 1,172	460 118 175 71	101	24 196	567 57 343 37	292 28 239 46	207 18 256 47	1,560 72 601 74	254 14 212 22	101 9 106 14	248 15 326 19	191 15 311 3 2	602 31 333 316
LIABILITIES							,						
Demand deposits-adjusted Time deposits U. S. Government deposits Interbank deposits: Domestic banks Foreign banks	24,725 5,118 2,191 8,971 632	1,542 217 47 345 20	1,237 3,599	180 42 433	1,910 698 74 531	744 199 52 402	577 189 61 447 2	3,564 941 377 - 1,473	656 184 52 484	356 106 21 192 1	684 134 37 520	643 130 52 326	1,539 1,081 139 414 21
Borrowings Other liabilities CAPITAL ACCOUNTS Debits to demand deposit accounts	5 804 3,937	1 24 252	263 1,666		25 . 398	16 103	18 99	29 435	7 101	6 65	112	5 93	364 395
except interbank and U. S. Gov't accounts, during current week	9,212	572	3,956	403	670	291	266	1,425	282	172	279	1 250	646