



# FEDERAL RESERVE

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### Reserve Positions of Major Reserve City Banks Reserve Period Ended October 25, 1972

(In millions of dollars unless otherwise noted)

	46 banks	8 banks in New York City	38 banks out- side New York	5 banks in Chicago	33 other banks
Reserve excess or deficiency (-) <u>1/</u>	- 5	- 7	2	10	- 9
Less: Borrowings from Reserve Banks	339	177	162	47	114
Less: Net interbank Federal funds purchases or sales (-) <u>2/</u>	6,415	2,716	3,699	1,239	2,460
Equals: Net basic reserve surplus or deficit (-):					
a. Net amount	-6,759	-2,900	-3,858	-1,276	-2,583
b. As per cent of average re- quired reserves	48.9	54.5	45.4	93.0	36.3

1/ Reserves held after all adjustments applicable to the reporting period including allowable carry-over and deficiencies, less the sum of required reserves.

2/ For details see Federal Funds Transactions of Major Reserve City Banks.

Note: -- Averages of daily figures.

**Federal Funds transactions of Major Reserve City Banks**  
**for the Week Ended October 25, 1972**  
(In millions of dollars)

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<b>A. <u>Interbank Federal funds transactions</u></b>					
<b>1. <u>Gross transactions</u></b>					
a. Purchases	12,014	3,502	8,512	2,043	5,469
b. Sales	5,600	786	4,813	804	4,009
<b>2. <u>Total 2-way transactions</u> <sup>1/</sup></b>	4,101	786	3,315	784	2,532
<b>3. <u>Total net transactions</u></b>					
a. Net purchases of net buying banks	7,913	2,716	5,197	1,259	3,937
b. Net sales of net selling banks	1,498	--	1,498	21	1,477
c. Net purchases or sales (-)	6,415	2,716	3,699	1,239	2,460
<b>B. <u>Related transactions with U. S. Government securities dealers</u></b>					
1. Loans to dealers <sup>2/</sup>	1,890	1,292	598	181	417
2. Borrowings from dealers <sup>3/</sup>	278	36	242	--	242
3. Net loans	1,613	1,257	356	181	175

<sup>1/</sup> Derived from averages for individual banks for entire week. Figure for each bank indicates extent to which its weekly average purchases and sales are offsetting; that is, it is the lesser of the two amounts. Gross purchases less 2-way transactions equals net purchases of net buying banks. Similarly, gross sales less 2-way transactions equals net sales of net selling banks.

<sup>2/</sup> Federal funds loaned, net funds supplied to each dealer by clearing banks, repurchase agreements (purchases of securities from dealers subject to resale) or other lending arrangements.

<sup>3/</sup> Federal funds borrowed, net funds acquired from each dealer by clearing banks, reverse repurchase agreements (sales of securities to dealers subject to repurchase), resale agreements, and borrowings secured by Gov't. or other issues.

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