



# FEDERAL RESERVE

## statistical release

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### Reserve Positions of Major Reserve City Banks Reserve Period Ended December 4, 1974

(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>	311	200	111	37	73
Less: Borrowings from Reserve Banks	218	82	136	--	136
Less: Net interbank Federal funds purchases or sales (-) <u>2/</u>	15,322	5,518	9,864	3,643	6,221
Equals: Net basic reserve surplus or deficit (-):					
a. Net amount	-15,289	-5,400	-9,889	-3,606	-6,284
b. As per cent of average re- quired reserves	91.1	77.8	100.4	197.7	78.3

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.

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Federal Funds transactions of Major Reserve City Banks  
for the Week ended December 4, 1974  
(In millions of dollars)

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<b>A. <u>Interbank Federal funds transactions</u></b>					
1. <u>Gross transactions</u>					
a. Purchases	21,459	6,445	15,014	4,559	10,455
b. Sales	6,077	927	5,150	916	4,234
2. <u>Total 2-way transactions 1/</u>	5,297	927	4,370	916	3,453
3. <u>Total net transactions</u>					
a. Net purchases of net buying banks	16,162	5,518	10,644	3,643	7,001
b. Net sales of net selling banks	780	--	780	--	780
c. Net purchases or sales (-)	15,383	5,518	9,865	3,643	6,222
<b>B. <u>Related transactions with U.S. Government securities dealers</u></b>					
1. Loans to dealers 2/	3,217	1,588	1,629	346	1,283
2. Borrowings from dealers 3/	956	619	337	--	337
3. Net loans	2,261	969	1,292	346	946

1/ 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.

2/ 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.

3/ 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.

Note:—Averages of daily figures.