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Reserve Positions of Major Reserve City Banks Reserve Period Ended August 17, 1977

(In millions of dollars unless otherwise noted)

	46 banks	8 banks in	38 banks out-	5 banks	33 other				
		New York City	side New York	in Chicago	banks				
, Reserve excess or deficiency (-) $1/$	24	- 57	81	19	62				
Less: Borrowings from Reserve Banks	416	225	191		191				
Less: Net interbank Federal funds purchases or sales (-) <u>2</u> / -• Equals: Net basic reserve surplus or deficit (-):	17,454	5,252	12,202	6,403	5,799				
a. Net amount	-17,847	-5,534	-12,313	-6,384	-5,928				
b. As per cent of average re- quired reserves	117.4	95.1	131.2	415.2	75.5				

<u>1</u>/ Reserves held after all adjustments applicable to the reporting period including allowable carry-over and deficiencies, less the sum of required reserves. Adjusted to include \$21.8 million waivers of penalties for reserve deficiencies in accordance with Board policy change effective November 19, 1975.

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 August 17, 1977 (In millions of dollars)

	46 banks	8 banks in New York City	38 banks out- side New York	5 banks in Chicago	33 other banks
A. Interbank Federal funds					
transactions		 			•
1. Gross transactions		1			•
a. Purchases	24,449	6,498	17,951	7,599	10,352
b. Sales	6,994	1,246	5,749	1,196	4,553
2. Total 2-way transactions 1/	5,536	1,246	4,291	1,196	3,095
3. Total net transactions		ļ			
a. Net purchases of net					-
buying banks	18,912	5,252	13,660	6,403	7,257
 b. Net sales of net selling banks 	1,458		1,458		1,458
c. Net purchases or sales	17,454	5,252	12,202	6,403	5,799
(-)			12,202	0,405	5,755
B. <u>Related transactions with</u> U.S. Government securities					· ·
dealers		1			-
1. Loans to dealers <u>2/</u>	4,465	2,408	2,057	343	1,714
2. Borrowings from dealers $3/$	2,231	1,093	1,138	172	967
3. Net loans	2,234	1,315	919	172	747
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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 appurchases 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.

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