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Reserve Positions of Major Reserve City Banks Reserve Period Ended April 19, 1978

(In millions of dollars unless otherwise noted)

y Ag	46 banks	8 banks in New York City	38 banks out- side New York	5 banks in Chicago	33 other banks
Peserve excess or deficiency (-) $\underline{1}/$	107	8	100	1	98
Less: Borrowings from Reserve Banks	41		41	41	
Less: Net interbank Federal funds purchases or sales (-) 2/ Equals: Net basic reserve surplus or deficit (-):	20,233	6,343	13,890	6,425	7,465
y a. Net amount	-20,167	-6,336	-13,831	-6,464	-7,367
b. As per cent of average required reserves	124.4	103.8	136.9	386.6	87.4

- 1/ 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 \$3.8 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 April 19, 1978 (In millions of dollars)

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A. Interbank Federal funds transactions					
1. Gross transactions					
a. Purchases b. Sales	27,442 7,209	7,585 1,242	19,857 5,967	7,332 907	12,525 5,060
2. Total 2-way transactions 1/	5,547	673	4,874	907	3,967
3. Total net transactions					
a. Net purchases of net buying banks	21,895	6,912	14,983	6,425	8,558
b. Net sales of net selling banks	1,662	569	1,093		1,093
c. Net purchases or sales (-)	20,233	6,343	13,890	6,425	7,465
B. Related transactions with U.S. Government securities dealers					. ,
1. Loans to dealers <u>2/</u>	3,508	2,345	1,163	285	878
2. Borrowings from dealers 3/	2,049	1,496	553	61	492
3. Net loans	1,458	848	610	224	386
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- 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.