



FEDERAL RESERVE

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The seasonally adjusted money supply declined sharply in early December after increasing in November. In the two weeks ending December 10, money supply averaged \$198.7 billion, compared to \$199.7 billion in November and an average of \$199.1 billion in the June-October period. Total time and savings deposits thus far in December have averaged about \$500 million higher than in the month of November

MONEY SUPPLY AND TIME DEPOSITS
(Averages of daily figures, in billions of dollars)
Seasonally adjusted

Period	Money Supply			Time deposits adjusted (All commercial banks)
	Total	Currency component	Demand deposit component	
1968--November	193.6	43.2	150.5	202.1
December	194.8	43.4	151.4	204.9
1969--January	195.8	43.5	152.3	203.2
February	196.3	43.8	152.5	202.4
March	196.8	44.1	152.7	202.3
April	198.1	44.2	154.0	202.3
May	198.3	44.5	153.8	201.7
June	199.0	44.8	154.2	200.8
July	199.3	45.0	154.4	197.7
August	199.0	45.3	153.8	194.5
September	199.0	45.2	153.7	194.1
October	199.1	45.6	153.6	193.5
November p	199.7	45.8	r 153.8	193.4
Week ending:				
1969--Nov 5	198.7	45.7	153.0	193.3
12	199.7	45.8	153.9	193.1
19	r 200.1	45.9	r 154.2	r 193.4
26 p	200.0	45.9	154.0	193.6
Dec 3 p	199.2	45.9	153.4	193.9
10 p	198.2	45.8	152.4	193.9
Average of last 4 weeks	199.4	45.9	153.5	193.7

p - Preliminary
r - Revised

DEMAND DEPOSITS, CURRENCY, AND RELATED ITEMS

(Averages of daily figures, in billions of dollars. Not seasonally adjusted)

Period	Money Supply			Related deposits (All commercial banks)	
	Total	Currency component	Demand deposit component	Time adjusted	U.S. Gov't demand
1968--November	195.3	43.6	151.7	201.3	4.5
December	201.0	44.3	156.7	203.1	5.0
1969--January	201.7	43.5	158.2	202.8	4.9
February	194.8	43.4	151.4	202.4	6.9
March	195.0	43.7	151.3	202.9	4.8
April	199.2	43.8	155.3	202.7	5.4
May	194.4	44.2	150.3	202.2	9.2
June	197.0	44.7	152.3	201.0	6.0
July	197.8	45.2	152.7	197.7	5.6
August	195.9	45.4	150.5	195.5	4.3
September	197.6	45.2	152.4	194.3	5.3
October	199.3	45.6	153.7	193.7	4.2
November p	201.4	46.3	155.1	r 192.7	5.1
<u>Week ending</u>					
1969--Nov 5	201.4	45.9	155.5	193.3	5.5
12	201.1	46.4	154.7	192.8	4.9
19	r 201.9	46.3	r 155.6	r 192.6	4.3
26 p	200.6	46.3	154.3	192.4	5.4
Dec 3 p	202.2	46.7	155.5	192.3	6.0
10 p	202.8	47.0	155.8	192.3	4.4

p - Preliminary

NOTE Money supply consists of (1) demand deposits at all commercial banks, other than those due to domestic commercial banks and the U S Government, less cash items in process of collection and Federal Reserve float, (2) foreign demand balances at Federal Reserve Banks, and (3) currency outside the Treasury, the Federal Reserve and the vaults of all commercial banks. Time deposits adjusted are time deposits at all commercial banks other than those due to domestic commercial banks and the U S Government