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## MONETARY AGGREGATES AND MONEY MARKET CONDITIONS

## Prepared for the Federal Open Market Committee

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## Recent developments

(1) $M_{1}$ expanded at an 8.1 per cent annual rate in December, after remaining unchanged in November. For the December-January period growth is estimated at about a $7-1 / 4$ per cent annual rate-somewhat above the Committee's operating range. Savings deposits at commercial banks have continued to expand at a very rapid pace in December and early January, but inflows of $M_{2}$-type time deposits have slowed considerably. Consequently, for the two-month period $M_{2}$ is expected to grow at around an 11 per cent annual rate, near the mid-point of the Comittee's range. Deposit flows at nonbank thrift institutions accelerated somewhat in December from their November pace. Nonborrowed reserves appear to be rising at about a 10 per cent annual rate over the December-January period, reflecting strong bank demands for excess reserves in recent statement weeks as well as the pick-up in growth of demand deposits.

Growth in Monetary Aggregates over December-January period
(SAAR in per cent)

|  | Ranges | Latest Estimates |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $M_{1}$ | $2 \frac{1}{2}$ to $6 \frac{1}{2}$ | 7.2 |
| $M_{2}$ | 9 to 13 | 11.1 |
|  |  | Avg. for statement |
| Memorandum: |  | week ending |
| Federal funds rate |  |  |
| (Per cent per annum) |  | Dec. 22 |
|  |  | 29 |

(2) Throughout most of the intermeeting period, incoming data suggested that growth in $M_{1}$ and $M_{2}$ over the December-January period would be within their respective two-month ranges, and the Desk continued to seek a Federal funds rate of around 4-5/8 per cent. While data available in the past few days suggested that $M_{1}$ growth for the period may be somewhat above its range, $M_{2}$ growth remained near the mid-point of its range, and the Desk--with the FOMC meeting only a few days away--decided to continue aiming for a funds rate of around 4-5/8 per cent.
(3) Interest rates were generally stable in the last half of December, but in early January there were substantial upward rate pressures, especially on intermediate-term Treasury coupon issues. The continued stability of the funds rate at a time when many market participants had expected this rate to decline further appears to have contributed somewhat to the backup in market rates. Rate increases were intensified by press reports regarding possible fiscal stimulus and Federal deficits, by indications that the pace of economic activity has picked up in recent months, and by more rapid $M_{1}$ growth than anticipated. On balance, since the last FOMC meeting, rates in short-term markets have advanced 10 to 30 basis points; yields on intermediate Treasury issues have increased as much as 60 basis points; and interest rates on long-term corporate and Treasury bonds have risen 10 to 25 basis points.
(4) Short-term business credit demands increased modestly in December as a rise in commercial paper issuance was nearly offset by a
decline in business loans at commercial banks. Activity in the capital markets was light over much of the intermeeting period reflecting the normal holiday lull. Most recently, however, the volume of corporate and municipal issues brought to market has increased sharply and the forward calendar has built up substantially, apparently reflecting the decision of borrowers to take advantage of the relatively low yields prevailing in bond markets. The Treasury has raised $\$ 3.8$ billion of new money since the December meeting, and is expected to borrow much more heavily in the four weeks following the January meeting.
(5) The table on the following page shows (in terms of percentage annual rates of change) related monetary and financial flows over various time periods.

|  |  | 4- |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Calendar <br> Year | Calendar Year | $\begin{gathered} \text { Past } \\ \text { Six } \\ \text { Months } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Past <br> Three Months | Past Month |
|  | 1975 | 1976 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Dec. }{ }^{1} 76 \\ \text { over } \\ \text { June } \quad 76 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Dec. }{ }^{\prime} 76 \\ & \text { over } \\ & \text { Sept. } 76 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Dec. }{ }^{1} 76 \\ \text { over } \\ \text { Nov. } 76 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| Nonborrowed reserves | -0.2 | 1.7 | 4.7 | 8.3 | 7.0 |
| Total reserves | $-1.9$ | 1.5 | 4.2 | 8.2 | 6.3 |
| Monetary Base | 5.3 | 7.0 | 7.0 | 8.4 | 7.8 |
| Concepts of Money |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\mathrm{M}_{1}$ (currency plus demand deposits ) I/ | 4.1 | 5.8 | 5.7 | 7.3 | 8.1 |
| ```M at commercial banks other than large CD's)``` | 8.5 | 11.3 | 11.7 | 12.9 | 12.3 |
| $M_{3}$ ( $M_{2}$ plus deposits at thrift institutions) | 11.3 | 13.1 | 13.6 | 13.7 | 12.7 |
| $M_{4}\left(M_{2}\right.$ plus CD's $)$ | 6.4 | 7.5 | 8.9 | 12.6 | 14.2 |
| $M_{5}\left(M_{3}\right.$ plus CD's) | 9.7 | 10.6 | 11.7 | 13.5 | 13.6 |
| Bank Credit |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total member bank deposits (bank credit proxy adj.) | 3.9 | 4.8 | 6.5 | 12.0 | 10.8 |
| Loans and investments of commercial banks 2/ | 4.4 | 6.3 | 7.5 | 7.9 | 1.9 |
| Short-term Market Paper |  |  |  |  |  |
| (Monthly average change in billions) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Large CD's | -. 6 | -1.6 | -1.1 | . 5 | 1.7 |
| Nonbank commercial paper | -. 2 | . 2 | -. 1 | . 2 | . 7 |
| 1/ Other than interbank and U | .S. Gover | ment. |  |  |  |
| $2 / \mathrm{Based}$ on month-end figures | . Includ | s loans s | d to affi | ates and | anches. |
| NOTE: All items are based on | averages | f daily f | gures, exc | $t$ for data | on total |
| loans and investments of comme tions--which are derived from | rcial ban either en | s, commer -of-month | al paper, or last We | and thrift esday-of-n | $\begin{aligned} & \text { institu- } \\ & \text { nth } \end{aligned}$ |
| figures. Growth rates for res adjusted to remove the effect reserve requirements are chang | erve meas of discon ed. | ures in th inuities | and subs rom breaks | uent tabl n the ser | are <br> s when |

## Prospective Developments

(6) Three alternative sets of longer-run ranges for the monetary aggregates applicable to the one year QIV '76-QIV '77 period are shown below. Alternative $B$ continues the same ranges currently in place except for the bank credit proxy for which the range is higher than the present $5-8$ per cent. The relationship of the proposed ranges to shorter-run specifications and longer-run interest rate and monetary developments is discussed in ensuing paragraphs. (End-point levels for $M_{1}$ and $M_{2}$ implied by current and proposed longer-run ranges are compared in appendix $I$ ).

Alt. A Alt. B Alt. C

|  | Alt. A | Alt. B | Alt. C |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $M_{1}$ | $5 \frac{1}{2}-7 \frac{1}{2}$ |  | $4 \frac{1}{2}-6 \frac{1}{2}$ |
| $M_{2}$ | $8 \frac{1}{2}-11$ | $7 \frac{1}{2}-10$ | $3 \frac{1}{2}-5 \frac{1}{2}$ |
| $M_{3}$ | $10-12 \frac{1}{2}$ | $9-11 \frac{1}{2}$ | $7 \frac{1}{2}-9$ |
| Bank credit proxy | $8-11$ | $7 \frac{1}{2}-10 \frac{1}{2}$ | $6 \frac{1}{2}-9 \frac{1}{2}$ |

(7) Shorter-run specifications for monetary aggregates
and the Federal funds rate consistent with the longer-run ranges are summarized below. More detailed short-run and longer-run data are shown in the tables on PP. 5 a and 5 b . ${ }^{1 /}$
Alt. A
Alt. B
Alt. C

Ranges for January-February

| $\mathrm{M}_{1}$ | $4-8$ | $3 \frac{1}{2}-7 \frac{1}{2}$ | $3-7$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{M}_{2}$ | $8-12$ | $7 \frac{1}{2}-11 \frac{1}{2}$ | $7-11$ |
| Federal funds rate <br> (Intermeeting period) | $3 \frac{3}{4}-4 \frac{1}{2}$ | $4 \frac{1}{2}-5$ | $4 \frac{3}{4}-5 \frac{1}{2}$ |

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Alternative Levels and Growth Rates for Key Monetary Aggregates

| 1976 | December |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1977 | January <br> February |
| 1976 | QIII |
|  | QIV |
| 1977 | QI |
|  | QII |
|  | QIII |
|  | QIV |

Growth Rates Monthly:

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1977 January
    February
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Quarterly Average:
1976 QIV
1977 QI
QII
QIII
QIV

| Semi-annual |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| QIV $176-$ QII |  |
| QII | 77 |

Annual
QIII $176-Q I V{ }^{177}$
QIII 176-QIII 177
QIV '76-QIV '77

| $\mathrm{M}_{1}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{M}_{2}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{M}_{3}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alt. A | Alt. B | Alt. C | Alt. A | Alt. B | Alt. C | Alt. A | Alt. B | Alt. C |
| 311.9 | 311.9 | 311.9 | 739.5 | 739.5 | 739.5 | 1236.3 | 1236.3 | 1236.3 |
| 313.5 | 313.5 | 313.5 | 745.5 | 745.5 | 745.5 | 1248.3 | 1248.3 | 1248.3 |
| 315.0 | 314.8 | 314.6 | 751.7 | 751.2 | 750.7 | 1260.5 | 1259.9 | 1259.3 |
| 305.9 | 305.9 | 305.9 | 710.9 | 710.9 | 710.9 | 1182.5 | 1182.5 | 1182.5 |
| 310.5 | 310.5 | 310.5 | 732.4 | 732.4 | 732.4 | 1223.8 | 1223.8 | 1223.8 |
| 315.2 | 315.0 | 314.8 | 752.1 | 751.5 | 750.9 | 1261.0 | 1260.2 | 1259.5 |
| 320.7 | 320.0 | 319.1 | 772.8 | 769.7 | 767.1 | 1299.6 | 1295.1 | 1290.6 |
| 325.7 | 323.9 | 322.1 | 790.8 | 784.9 | 778.6 | 1332.9 | 1323.9 | 1313.1 |
| 330.8 | 327.6 | 324.4 | 808.2 | 798.3 | 788.4 | 1363.9 | 1348.7 | 1331.1 |


| 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 11.6 | 11.6 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 5.7 | 5.0 | 4.2 | 10.0 | 9.2 | 8.4 | 11.7 | 11.2 |
|  |  |  | 10.6 |  |  |  |  |


| 6.0 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 12.1 | 12.1 | 12.1 | 14.0 | 14.0 | 14.0 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6.1 | 5.8 | 5.5 | 10.8 | 10.4 | 10.1 | 12.2 | 11.9 | 11.7 |
| 7.0 | 6.3 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 9.7 | 8.6 | 12.2 | 11.1 | 9.9 |
| 6.2 | 4.9 | 3.8 | 9.3 | 7.9 | 6.0 | 10.2 | 8.9 | 7.0 |
| 6.3 | 4.6 | 2.9 | 8.8 | 6.8 | 5.0 | 9.3 | 7.5 | 5.5 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6.6 | 6.1 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 10.2 | 9.5 | 12.4 | 11.7 | 10.9 |
| 6.3 | 4.8 | 3.3 | 9.2 | 7.4 | 5.6 | 9.9 | 8.3 | 6.3 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6.5 | 5.7 | 4.8 | 10.9 | 9.8 | 8.7 | 12.3 | 11.2 | 10.1 |
| 6.5 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 11.2 | 10.4 | 9.5 | 12.7 | 12.0 | 11.0 |
| 6.5 | 5.5 | 4.5 | 10.3 | 9.0 | 7.6 | 11.4 | 10.2 | 8.8 |

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Alternative Levels and Growth Rates for Key Monetary Aggregates (cont'd)

|  |  | $\mathrm{M}_{4}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{M}_{5}$ |  |  | Credit Proxy |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Alt, A | A1t. B | Alt. C | A1t. A | Alt. B | Alt. C | A1t. A | A1t. B | Alt. C |
| 1976 | December | 803.4 | 803.4 | 803.4 | 1300.1 | 1300.1 | 1300.1 | 539.2 | 539.2 | 539.2 |
| 1977 | January | 809.6 | 809.6 | 809.6 | 1312.4 | 1312.4 | 1312.4 | 542.3 | 542.3 | 542.3 |
|  | February | 815.2 | 814.7 | 814.3 | 1324.0 | 1323.4 | 1322.9 | 545.2 | 544.8 | 544.5 |
| 1976 | QIII | 776.3 | 776.3 | 776.3 | 1247.9 | 1247.9 | 1247.9 | 523.2 | 523.2 | 523.2 |
|  | QIV | 795.1 | 795.1 | 795.1 | 1286.4 | 1286.4 | 1286.4 | 534.1 | 534.1 | 534.1 |
| 1977 | QI | 815.4 | 815.1 | 814.7 | 1324.2 | 1323.8 | 1323.2 | 545.5 | 545.4 | 545.1 |
|  | QII | 834.5 | 832.7 | 830.8 | 1361.4 | 1358.2 | 1354.3 | 558.6 | 557.8 | 556.7 |
|  | QIII | 852.7 | 849.2 | 845.0 | 1394.8 | 1388.2 | 1379.5 | 573.4 | 571.7 | 569.5 |
|  | QIV | 871.1 | 864.9 | 858.0 | 1426.8 | 1415.4 | 1400.7 | 584.6 | 581.5 | 577.6 |

Growth Rates
Monthly:

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1977 January
    February
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| 9.3 | 9.3 | 9.3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 8.3 | 7.6 | 7.0 |


| 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 10.6 | 10.1 | 9.6 |


| 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.9 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6.4 | 5.5 | 4.9 |

Quarterly Averages:

| 1976 QIV | 9.7 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 12.3 | 12.3 | 12.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1977 QI | 10.2 | 10.1 | 9.9 | 11.8 | 11.6 | 11.4 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.2 |
| QII | 9.4 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 11.2 | 10.4 | 9.4 | 9.6 | 9.1 | 8.5 |
| QIII | 8.7 | 7.9 | 6.8 | 9.8 | 8.8 | 7.4 | 10.6 | 10.0 | 9.2 |
| QIV | 8.6 | 7.4 | 6.2 | 9.2 | 7.8 | 6.1 | 7.8 | 6.9 | 5.7 |
| Semi-annual |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| QIV '76-QII '77 | 9.9 | 9.5 | 9.0 | 11.7 | 11.2 | 10.6 | 9.2 | 8.9 | 8.5 |
| QII '77-QIV '77 | 8.8 | 7.7 | 6.5 | 9.6 | 8.4 | 6.9 | 9.3 | 8.5 | 7.5 |
| Annual |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| QIII '76-QIV '77 | 9.8 | 9.1 | 8.4 | 11.5 | 10.7 | 9.8 | 9.4 | 8.9 | 8.3 |
| QIII '76-QIII '77 | 9.8 | 9.4 | 8.8 | 11.8 | 11.2 | 10.5 | 9.6 | 9.3 | 8.8 |
| QIV '76-QIV '77 | 9.6 | 8.8 | 7.9 | 10.9 | 10.0 | 8.9 | 9.5 | 8.9 | 8.1 |

(8) Under alternative B, with a Federal funds rate centered within a $4 \frac{1}{4}-5$ per cent range, we would expect $M_{1}$ to grow in a $3 \frac{1}{2}-7 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent annual rate range over the January-February period. This represents a slightly higher 2-month range than has been presented in recent blue books, and reflects the pick-up in $M_{1}$ growth that has occurred during the past few weeks as well as the stronger demand for money expected to be. associated with the projected acceleration in growth of nominal GNP in the first quarter.
(9) Growth in $M_{2}$ over the January-February period may be in a $7 \frac{1}{2}-11 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent annual rate range under alternative $B$. The time and savings deposit component of $M_{2}$ is expected to grow less than in the fourth quarter, largely because banks have become less aggressive irr seeking out time deposit funds. Offering rates reportedly have been cut, and longer-term certificates are apparently not being offered by some banks.
(10) Interest rates might show little further change between now and the next Committee meeting if the funds rate remains around 4-5/8 per cent, although some further rate increase would not be surprising in view of market conditions. Demands by corporations and state and local governments on bond markets are expected to be quite heavy, as a large number of new issues have been accelerated to take advantage of current relatively low yield levels. Treasury cash needs in the first quarter are large--probably about $\$ 24$ billion. The Treasury may raise about $\$ 4-5$ billion of new cash in connection with the mid-Februaryrefunding, to be announced on Jamuary 26. Perhaps the chief fackor that
could cause market rates to rise somewhat over the next few weeks, however, would be the effect on market expectations of any further evidence of a strengthening in the economy, monetary aggregates, and fiscal stimulus.
(11) To maintain growth in monetary aggregates over the QIV '76-QIV ' 77 period within the longer-run ranges proposed under alternative $B$, the staff expects that the Federal funds rate would have to begin rising by early spring, and would reach a 1977 peak of around $6 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent in the fourth quarter of the year. The rise in short-term rates more generally that would be associated with such an increase in the funds rate would tend to curb the growth in time and savings deposits at banks and thrift institutions. As a result growth in $M_{2}$ and $M_{3}$ is expected to slow progressively as the year goes on. At the same time banks would probably begin to offer CD's more aggressively to accommodate credit demands generated by the projected substantial expansion in GNP. Bank credft expansion in 1977 is likely to be considerably more rapid than in 1976 , when banks permitted outstanding $C D$ 's to drop sharply.
(12) Growth in $M_{1}$ also is expected to be slower in the second half of the year than in the first half, partly reflecting the cumulative impact on money demand of a gradual tightening in money market conditions. In addition, growth in the first half is likely to be raised relative to the second half as a result of the particular fiscal stimuk being proposed. We have assumed that $\$ 10$ billion of tax rebates and one-time social security payments would be made during the spring, which would enlarge growth in $M_{1}$, as well as $M_{2}$ and $M_{3}$, in that period. Tax refunds in late winter and early spring are expected to be larger than last year and could also have a transitory impact on $M_{1}$.
(13)

## Alternative A encompasses a reduction in the Federal

 funds rate to the mid-point of a $3 \frac{3}{4}-4 \frac{3}{2}$ per cent range over the next few weeks. Under this assumption, $M_{1}$ and $M_{2}$ over the January-February period would be expected to grow at annual rates of $4-8$ and $8-12$ per cent respectively. Interest rates would be expected to decline over the next few weeks, but reductions may be limited, particularly in long-term markets. Expectations that interest rates would soon rise might develop as the market observes faster growth in the aggregates and as the pace of economic expansion picks up.(14) Over the longer-run, under alternative $A$, we would not expect a very substantial rise in interest rates to develop, however, since the higher longer-run growth in the monetary aggregates embodied in that alternative would be more accomodative of money and credit demands. The funds rate would probably have to rise under this alternative, given the projected strength of the economy, but perhaps to no more than an average level of around $5 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent by the fourth quarter of the year.
(15) Alternative $C$ involves a tightening of the Federal funds rate over the mext few weeks to the mid-point of a $4 \frac{3}{4}-5 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent range. Over the January-February period $M_{1}$ growth may be in a 3-7 per cent range-a step toward attaining the lower longer-ran ranges for the monetary aggregates propesed for this alternative. The staff would expect that further pressures would have to be applied to the money market as the year progresses if growth in $\mathrm{M}_{1}$ over the QIV '76-QIV '77 perind is to be constrained to around the mid-point of the $3 \frac{1}{2}-5 \frac{1}{2}$ per
cent alternative $C$ range. The funds rate might reach about $7 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent by the fourth quarter.
(16) An increase in the funds rate over the next few weeks by about $\frac{1}{2}$ percentage point would probably cause the 3 -month bill rate to rise into a $5-5 \frac{3}{4}$ per cent range. And rate increases in the intermediateterm Treasury coupon market could be substantial, since dealer coupon positions remain fairly sizable and because of the large amount of cash that may be raised in this area in connection with the forthcoming Treasury refunding. Corporate and municipal bond yields would also be likely to rise, but postponements of issues recently scheduled to take advantage of lower rates could moderate the increase.

Proposed directive
(17) Presented below are four alternative formulations for the operational paragraph of the directive. The first three are couched in terms of desired growth in monetary aggregates over the months ahead and are intended to correspond to the similarly lettered policy alternatives discussed in the preceding section. The fourth alternative is proposed in the event that the Committee again wishes to formulate its instructions in terms of money market conditions and to maintain the conditions now prevailing.

## Alternative "Monetary Aggregates" Proposals

## Alternative A

To implement this policy, while taking account of developments in domestic and international financial markets, the Comaittee seeks to maintain-prevaiłing ACHIEVE bank reserve and money market conditions CONSISTENT WITH SUBSTANTIAL GROWTH IN MONETARY AGGREGATES over the period immediately ahead $\mathbf{y}^{-p r o v i d e d-t h a t-m o n e t a r y-a g g y e g a t e s-a p p e a r ~}$ to-be-gyowing-at-about-the-zates-eurfentyy-expeeted.

## Alternative $B$

To implement this policy, while taking account of developments in domestic and international financial markets, the Committee seeks to maintain-prevaiłing ACHIEVE bank reserve and money market conditions CONSISTENT WITH MODERATE GROWTH IN MONETARY AGGREGATES over the period immediatety ahead;-provided-that-menetary-aggregates-appear to-be-gzewing-at-about-the-zates-eumfently-expeeted.

## Alternative C

To implement this policy, while taking account of developments in domestic and international financial markets, the Committee seeks to maintain-preqaixing ACHIEVE bank reserve and money market conditions CONSISTENT WITH MODEST GROWTH IN MONETARY AGGREGATES over the
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To implement this policy, while taking account of developments in domestic and international financial markets, the Coumittee seeks to maintain prevailing bank reserve and money market conditions over the period immediately ahead, provided that monetary aggregates appear to be growing at about the rates currently expected.

## Comparison of Levels of $M_{1}$ and $M_{2}$ Under Current and Proposed Longer-run Ranges

(\$ billion)
$M_{1}$
Level Based on Growth From QIII '76 at a $5 \frac{1}{4}$ Per Cent Rate
322.8
327.2

Levels based on longer-run growth from QIV ' 76 at rates assumed in: Alt. A Alt. B Alt. C $325.7 \quad 323.9$ 322.1 QIV '77
330.8
327.6
324.4

## $M_{2}$

Growth From QIII at an $8 \frac{3}{4}$
Per Cent Rate
QIII '77
773.1
790.8
784.9
778.6

QIV ${ }^{177}$
790.0
808.2
798.3
788.4

NOTE: The last three columns assume that growth around the mid-points of the proposed ranges is achieved and are the same numbers as shown in the table on p . 5 a .

The above tabulation indicates that the proposed alternative B
implies levels of $M_{1}$ in the latter half of 1977 little different from those implicit in the current longer-run range based on the third quarter of 1976. Because of the more rapid growth in $M_{1}$ now expected in the first half of 1977 , the third quarter 1977 level under altermative $B$ is slightly higher (. 3 of a per cent), but the fourth quarter level is virtually the same.

For $M_{2}$, however, the proposed alternative $B$ implies substantially higher levels in the latter half of 1977 than are implied by the mid-point

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of the current growth range based on QIII '76. By the third quarter, $M_{2}$ would be about $1 \frac{3}{2}$ per cent, and by the fourth quarter about 1 per cent, higher under proposed alternative B. The levels of alternative $C$ are considerably closer to the previously implied mid-point levels.

## Appendix II

## Expansion in Reserves Over the Period From QIV ${ }^{1} 76$ to QII '77 Consistent With Proposed Alternatives (Seas. adj. annual rates)

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\underline{\text { Alt. A } \quad \text { Alt. B } \quad \text { Alt. C }}
$$

Nonborrowed Reserves
7.8
6.5
4.1

Total Reserves
7.8
7.5
7.1

Monetary Base
8.3
8.2
8.1

## Appendix III

## Projected Federal Funds Rate

|  | Alt. A | Alt. B | Alt. C |
| :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| QI | $4 \frac{1}{2}$ | $4 \frac{3}{4}$ | $5 \frac{3}{4}$ |
| QII | $4 \frac{3}{4}$ | $5 \frac{3}{2}$ | $6 \frac{3}{4}$ |
| QIII | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| QIV | $5 \frac{1}{4}$ | $6 \frac{3}{2}$ | $7 \frac{1}{4}$ |

## Appendix IV

Growth Rate in Money Supply (Per cent change in an annual rate)


## MONETARY AGGREGATES

NARROW MONEY SUPPLY M $M_{1}$


20
BROADER MONEY SUPPLY $M_{2}$


$61 / 2 \%$ growth
for Dec. - Jan
7320

5/771-
-
-
-315
-
-
315

## mONETARY AGGREGATES

ADJUSTED CREDIT PROXY
billions of dollars



Total and nonborrowed reserve series have been adjusted to remove discontinuities associated with changes in reserve requirement ratios.

## MONEY MARKET CONDITIONS AND INTEREST RATES



MONETARY AGGREGATES
ACTUAL AND CURRENT PROJECTIONS, SEASONALIY ADJUSTED


BANK RESERVES
ACTUAL AND CURRENT PROJECTIONS, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

| Period | BANK RESERVES |  |  | REQUIRED RESERVES |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total Reserves | Nonborrowed Reserves | Monetary Base | Total Required | Private Demand | Total Time Deposits | Gov't. and Interbank |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1976-\text {-OCT. } \\ \text { NOV. } \\ \text { DEC. } \\ 1977-\text { JAN. } \end{array}$ | 33,971 34,355 34,536 $134,887)$ | 33,877 34,283 34,483 134,8531 | 116,375 117,361 118,128 1119,1501 | 33,751 34,097 34,235 $(34,624)$ | 20,131 20,336 20,242 $(20,563)$ | 11,696 11,749 11,924 112,1621 | 1,925 2,013 2,069 $1,899)$ |
| PERCENT ANNUAL GROWTH |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| quarterly |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-2ND QTR. | 3.9 | 3.0 | 8.8 | 4.0 | 6.0 | -1.0 |  |
| 3RO OTR. | 0.2 | 1.0 | 5.4 | 0.4 | 4.0 | -6.4 |  |
| $4 T H$ OTR. | 8.2 |  | 8.4 |  |  | 9.3 |  |
| QUARTERLY-AV |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-2ND OTR. | 0.7 | 0.4 | 8.5 | 1.1 | 4.2 | -4.4 |  |
| 3RD QTR. |  | 3.0 | 6.0 | 2.7 | 3.6 | -0.8 |  |
| 4TH OTR. | 4.4 |  |  |  |  | -0.9 |  |
| MONTHLY |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-0.0.7. | 4.5 | 3.3 | 7.1 | 3.8 | -1.3 | 4.4 |  |
| NOV. | 13.6 | 14.4 | 10.2 | 12.3 | 12.2 | 5.4 |  |
| DEC. | 6.3 | 7.0 | 7.8 | 4.9 | -5.5 | 17.9 |  |
| 1977--JAN. | ( 12.2) | 112.91 | 110.41 | ( 13.6) | (19.0) | ( 24.0) |  |
| DEC.-JAN. | ( 9.3) | 110.01 | 19.11 | (9.3) | 16.71 | ( 21.1) |  |
| WEEKLY LEVELS-SMILLIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-DEC. 1 | 34,763 | 34,676 | 118.069 | 34,379 | 20,333 | 11,806 | 2,240 |
| - 8 | 34,084 | 34,058 | 117.350 | 33.959 | 19,872 | 11,859 | 2,228 |
| 15 | 34.756 | 34,687 | 110,397 | 34,289 | 20,365 | 11,906 | 1,998 |
| 22 | 34,383 | 34,346 | 117,964 | 34,312 | 20,387 | 11.935 | 1,991 |
| 29 | 34,757 | 34,675 | 118,552 | 34,310 | 20,267 | 11,993 | 2,050 |
| $\text { 1977-JAN. } \begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 12 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,995 \\ & 34,736 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,963 \\ & 34,717 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 119,001 \\ & 118,966 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34,403 \\ & 34,277 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20,395 \\ & 20,494 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11,996 \\ & 12,124 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,012 \\ & 1,660 \end{aligned}$ |

NOTE: RESERVE SERIES HAVE DEEN ADJUSTED TO REMOVE DISCONTIMUITIES ASSOGIATED WITH CHANGES IN RESERVE REQUIREMENT RATIO. DATA SHOWN IN PARENTHESES ARE CURRENT PROJECTIONS.

| Period | Treasury Bills <br> Net Change 2/ | Treasury CouponsNet Purchases 3/ |  |  |  |  | Federal Agencies Net Purchases 4/ |  |  |  |  | Net Change Outright Holdings Total 5/ | Net RP's 6/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Within <br> 1-year | $1-5$ | 5-10 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Over } \\ 10 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Total | Within <br> 1-year | $1-5$ | $5-10$ | Over 10 | Total |  |  |
| 1972 | -490 | 87 | 789 | 539 | 167 | 1,582 | 46 | 592 | 253 | 168 | 1,059 | 1,631 | -1,358 |
| 1973 | 7,232 | 207 | 579 | 500 | 129 | 1,415 | 120 | 400 | 244 | 101 | 864 | 9,273 | -46 |
| 1974 | 1,280 | 320 | 797 | 434 | 196 | 1,747 | 439 | 1,665 | 659 | 318 | 3,082 | 6,303 | -154 |
| 1975 | -468 | 337 | 3,284 | 1,510 | 1,070 | 6,202 | 191 | 824 | 460 | 138 | 1,613 | 7,267 | 1,272 |
| 1976 | 863 | 472 | 3,025 | 1,048 | 642 | 5,187 | 105 | 469 | 203 | 114 | 891 | 6,227 | 3,607 |
| 1975--Qtr. IV | 1,294 | 74 | 385 | 234 | 315 | 1,006 | 58 | 141 | 71 | 14 | 284 | 2,626 | -1,403 |
| 1976--Qtr. I | -363 | 115 | 554 | 226 | 156 | 1,052 | 102 | 288 | 108 | 38 | 535 | 1,022 | 1, 256 |
| Qtr. II | 2,067 | 109 | 796 | 245 | 134 | 1,284 | 3 | 140 | 57 | 40 | 240 | 3,371 | 1,654 |
| Qtr. III | 45 | 171 | 881 | 345 | 160 | 1,557 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1,398 | 392 |
| Qtr. IV | -886 | 77 | 794 | 232 | 192 | 1,294 | -- | 41 | 37 | 36 | 115 | 436 | 304 |
| 1976--July | -2,000 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -2,040 | -2,334 |
| Aug, | 1,100 | 42 | 301 | 72 | 65 | 480 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1,484 | 2,093 |
| Sept. | 954 | 129 | 580 | 272 | 95 | 1,077 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1,954 | 633 |
| Oct. | 418 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 409 | -1,742 |
| Nov. | -733 | 18 | 113 | 62 | 73 | 266 | -- | 41 | 37 | 36 | 115 | -377 | -3,930 |
| Dec. | -570 | 59 | 681 | 170 | 119 | 1,029 | -- | -- | -- | --- | -- | 403 | 5,976 |
| 1976--Nov. $\begin{array}{r}3 \\ 10 \\ 17 \\ 24\end{array}$ | -200 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -199 | 3,597 |
|  | -535 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -535 | -4,105 |
|  | 92 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | - | -- | -- | -- | 91 | -588 |
|  | 54 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 41 | 37 | 36 | 115 | 171 | 3,462 |
| Dec. $\begin{array}{r}1 \\ 8 \\ 15 \\ 22 \\ 29\end{array}$ | -518 | 18 | 113 | 62 | 73 | 266 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -292 | -6,290 |
|  | -1,025 | -_ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -1,033 | 3,102 |
|  | -234 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -267 | 3,384 |
|  | 757 | 44 | 242 | 122 | 84 | 492 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 1,249 | 2,882 |
|  | 42 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 43 | 3,254 |
| 1977--Jan. $\begin{array}{r}5 \\ 12 \\ 19\end{array}$ | -71 | 1.5 | 439 | 48 | 35 | 537 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 465 | -6,349 |
|  | -45 | -- | - | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -45 | -1,231 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

1/ Change from end-of-period to end-of-period.
$\overline{2 /}$ Outright transactions in market and with foreign accounts, and redemptions ( - ) in bill auctions.
 shifts, rollovers of maturing coupon issues, and direct Treasury borrowings from the System.
4/ Outright transactions in market and with foreign accounts only. Excludes redemptions and maturity shifts.
 and redemptions ( - ) of Agency and Treasury coupon issues.
6/ Includes changes in both RP's ( + ) and matched sale-purchase transactions ( - ).
Note: On January 12, the System's outright holdings of securities totalled $\$ 100.1$ billion, including $\$ 38.4$ billion of Treasury bills, $\$ 54.7$ billion of Treasury notes and bonds, and $\$ 6.8$ billion of Agency issues. In addition, the System had a net RP position of $\$ 1.9$ bilifion.

 agreements maturing in 16 days or more, are indicators of dealer holdings available for sale over the near-term. Underwriting syndicate positions consist of issues still in syndicate, exciuding crading positions. The basic reserve deficit is excess reserves less borrowing at Federal Reserve less net Federal funds purchases. Weekly data are daily averages for statement weeks, except for corporate and municipal issues in syndicate which are Friday figures.

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|  | Short-term |  |  |  |  |  | Long-term |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Federal } \\ \text { Funds } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Treasury Bills |  | 90-119 Day Comercial <br> Paper | CD ${ }^{\prime}$ s Nav Issue-NYC |  | Aag Utility |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Municipal } \\ \text { Bond } \\ \text { Buyer } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | U.S. Govt. 20- <br> Yr. Constant Maturity | FNMAAuctionYield | GNMA <br> Guaranteed <br> Securities <br> $(12)$ |
|  |  | 90-Day | 1-Year |  | 60-Day | 90-Day | New Issue | Recently Offered |  |  |  |  |
|  | (I) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |  |
| 1975--High | 7.70 | 6.68 | 7.31 | 8.43 | 7.88 | 7.75 | 9.80 | 9.71 | 7.67 | 8.63 | 9.95 | 9.10 |
| Low | 5.13 | 5.02 | 5.46 | 5.38 | 5.25 | 5.38 | 8.89 | 9.06 | 6.27 | 7.63 | 8.78 | 7.93 |
| 1976--High | 5.58 | 5.53 | 6.32 | 5.90 | 5.63 | 5.75 | 8.95 | 8.94 | 7.13 | 8.17 | 9.20 | 8.45 |
| Low | 4.63 | 4.27 | 4.62 | 4.63 | 4.40 | 4.50 | 7.93 | 7.85 | 5.83 | 7.26 | 8.39 | 7.57 |
| 1975--Dec. | 5.20 | 5.44 | 6.16 | 5.88 | 5.65 | 5.83 | 9.36 | 9.21 | 7.31 | 8.23 | 9.31 | 8.56 |
| 1976--Jan. | 4.87 | 4.87 | 5.44 | 5.15 | 4.91 | 5.03 | 8.70 | 8.79 | 7.07 | 8.01 | 9.10 | 8.37 |
| Peb. | 4.77 | 4.88 | 5.53 | 5.13 | 4.84 | 5.06 | 8.63 | 8.63 | 6.94 | 8.03 | 9.06 | 8.29 |
| Mar. | 4.84 | 5.00 | 5.82 | 5.25 | 5.05 | 5.20 | 8.62 | 8.61 | 6.92 | 7.97 | 9.05 | 8.30 |
| Apr. | 4.82 | 4.86 | 5.54 | 5.08 | 4.81 | 4.94 | 8.48 | 8.52 | 6.60 | 7.86 | 8.89 | 8.10 |
| May | 5.29 | 5.20 | 5.98 | 5.44 | 5.25 | 5.38 | 8.82 | 8.77 | 6.87 | 8.13 | 9.09 | 8.33 |
| June | 5.48 | 5.41 | 6.12 | 5.83 | 5.55 | 5.68 | 8.72 | 8.73 | 6.87 | 8.03 | 9.13 | 8.35 |
| July | 5.31 | 5.23 | 5.82 | 5.54 | 5.30 | 5.42 | 8.63 | 8.63 | 6.79 | 8.00 | 9.05 | 8.37 |
| Aug. | 5.29 | 5.14 | 5.64 | 5.35 | 5.23 | 5.31 | 8.52 | 8.50 | 6.61 | 7.91 | 8.99 | 8.30 |
| Sept. | 5.25 | 5.08 | 5.50 | 5.33 | 5.11 | 5.24 | 8.29 | 8.33 | 6.51 | 7.78 | 8.88 | 8.10 |
| Oct. | 5.03 | 4.92 | 5.19 | 5.10 | 4.90 | 5.04 | 8.25 | 8.24 | 6.30 | 7.70 | 8.75 | 7.98 |
| Nov. | 4,95 | 4.75 | 5.00 | 4.98 | 4.84 | 4.94 | 8.17 | 8.18 | 6.29 | 7.64 | 8.66 | 7.93 |
| Dec. | 4.65 | 4.35 | 4.64 | 4.66 | 4.48 | 4.50 | 7.94 | 7.93 | 5.94 | 7.31 | 8.45 | 7.59 |
| 1976--Nov. 3 | 5.06 | 4.87 | 5.16 | 5.00 | 4.85 | 5.03 | -- | 8.23 | 6.34 | 7.70 | 8.67 | 8.02 |
| 10 | 4.98 | 4.87 | 5.16 | 5.08 | 4.95 | 5.06 | 8.31 | 8.28 | 6.39 | 7.76 | -- | 8.02 |
| 17 | 5.02 | 4.87 | 5.12 | 5.13 | 4.95 | 5.05 | 8.24 | 8.18 | 6.26 | 7.66 | 8.68 | 8.02 |
| 24 | 4.90 | 4.67 | 4.89 | 4.90 | 4.63 | 4.63 | 8.05 | 8.04 | 6.16 | 7.51 | -- | 7.84 |
| Dec. 1 | 4.78 | 4.46 | 4.68 | 4.75 | 4.54 | 4.50 | 7.95 | 7.97 | 6.03 | 7.39 | 8.63 | 7.75 |
| 8 | 4.67 | 4.40 | 4.65 | 4.68 | 4.54 | 4.50 | 7.93 | 7.94 | 5.96 | 7.32 | -- | 7.62 |
| 15 | 4.68 | 4.37 | 4.66 | 4.65 | 4.40 | 4.50 | 7.95 | 7.97 | 5.95 | 7.34 | 8.51 | 7.60 |
| 22 | 4.63 | 4.27 | 4.62 | 4.68 | 4.46 | 4.50 | -- | 7.92 | 5.93 | 7.28 | -- | 7.57 |
| 29 | 4.66 | 4.33 | 4.62 | 4.63 | 4.48 | 4.50 | -- | 7.84 | 5.83 | 7.23 r | 8.39 | 7.57 |
| 1977--Jan. 5 | 4.47 | 4.41 | 4.67 | 4.63 | 4.48 | 4.50 | 7.90 | 7.95 | 5.78 | 7.26 | -- | 7.56 |
| 12 | 4.55 | 4.58 | 4.89 | 4.68 | 4.65 | 4.70 | 8.05p | 8.02p | 5.89 | 7.51p | 8.46 | 7.92 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & 26 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 7.5 |  |  |
| Dally-Jan. 6 | 4.59 | 4.50 | 4.75 | 4.63 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 7.28 | -- | -- |
| 13 | 4.59p | 4.52 | 4.87 | 4.75 | -- | - | - | -- | -- | $7.51(1 / 12)$ | -- | -- |

[^2]MONEY AND CREDIT AGGREGATE MEASURES san. 14: 1977


MOTES: ADJUSTED CREDIT PROXY INCLUDES MAINLY TOTAL MEMBER BANK DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO RESERVE REQUIREMENTS, LOANS SOLD TO BANK-
1 BASED OM DATA ADJUSTED FOR CHANGES IN RESERVE REOUIREMENTS

- PRELIMINARY

MONEY AND CREDIT AGGREGATE MEASURES
geasonally adjusted, billions of dollars

| Pariod | BANK RESERVES ! |  |  | BANK CREDITMEASURES |  | MONEY STOCK MEASURES |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total | Non. borrowed | $\begin{gathered} \text { Monetary } \\ \text { Base } \end{gathered}$ | Adj Credit proxy | Total Loans and Investments | $M_{1}$ | $M_{2}$ | $M_{3}$ | M 4 | $M_{5}$ | $M_{6}$ | M 7 |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| ANNUALLY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1974 | 34.693 | 33.966 | 104,892 | 495.3 | 695.2 | 283.1 | 612.4 | 981.6 | 702.2 | 1071.4 | 1181.8 | 1222.2 |
| 1975 | 34,034 | 33,904 | 110,425 | 514.4 | 725.5 | 294.8 | 664.3 | 1092.9 | 747.2 | 1175.8 | 1308.7 | 1351.4 |
|  | 34,536 | 34,483 | 118,128 | 539.2 | 771.3 | 311.9 | 739.5 | 1236.3 | 803.4 | 1300.1 | 1440.3 | 1490.8 |
| MONTHLY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1975--DEC. | 34,034 | 33,904 | 110,425 | 514.4 | 725.5 | 294.8 | 664.3 | 1092.9 | 747.2 | 1175.8 | 1308.7 | 1351.4 |
| 1976--JAN. | 33,745 | 33.667 | 110,671 | 514.1 | 727.6 | 295.1 | 670.0 | 1203.5 | 749.2 | 1182.7 | 1316.8 | 1359.9 |
| FEB. | 33,551 | 33,470 | 111,037 | 515.6 | 731.2 | 296.6 | 677.9 | 1116.7 | 753.3 | 1192.1 | 1326.9 | 1370.1 |
| MAR. | 33,502 | 33,448 | 111.691 | 516.0 | 735.4 | 298.1 | 682.6 | 1126.5 | 755.7 | 1199.7 | 1335.7 | 1379.3 |
| APR. | .33,523 | 33,478 | 112,831 | 517.3 | 738.7 | 301.8 | 690.8 | 1140.0 | 762.2 | 1211.5 | 1348.6 | 1393.0 |
| may | 33,629 | 33,515 | 113,487 | 515.3 | 742.0 | 303.5 | 695.7 | 1150.0 | 763.9 | 1218.2 | 1356.3 | 1402.1 |
| JUNE | 33,826 | 33,699 | 114,143 | 522.3 | 743.3 | 303.2 | 698.5 | 1157.4 | 769.1 | 1228.0 | 1367.4 | 1414.6 |
| JULY | 33,881 | 33,748 | 114,644 | 523.6 | 747.6 | 304.9 | 705.4 | 1169.9 | 774.9 | 1239.4 | 1381.1 | 1429.1 |
| AUG. | 34,010 | 33,909 | 115,255 | 522.5 | 752.7 | 306.4 | 710.8 | 1182.3 | 775.1 | 1246.7 | 1388.3 | 1436.5 |
| SEPT. | 33,845 | 33,784 | 115,686 | 523.5 | 756.4 | 306.3 | 716.4 | 1195.3 | 778.8 | 1257.7 | 1398.0 | 1446.3 |
| OCT. | 33,971 | 33,877 | 116,375 | 528.6 | 764.1 | 309.8 | 725.8 | 1211.7 | 787.9 | 1273.7 | 1413.8 | 1462.5 |
| NOV. | 34,355 | 34.283 | 117.361 | 534.4 | 770.1 | 309.8 | 732.0 | 1223.4 | 794.0 | 1285.5 | 1425.7 | 1475.2 |
| DEC. $P$ | 34,536 | 34,483 | 110.128 | 539.2 | 771.3 | 311.9 | 739.5 | 1236.3 | 803.4 | 1300.1 | 1440.3 | 1490.8 |
| WEEKLY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-NOV. 10 |  | 33,853 | 116,697 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976 17 | 34,705 | 34,651 | 117,657 | 535.0 |  | 310.8 | 732.5 |  | 794.5 |  |  |  |
| 24 | 34,087 | 34,043 | 117,209 | \$34.4 |  | 307.6 | 731.0 |  | 793.4 |  |  |  |
| DEC. 1 | 34,763 | 34.676 | 118,009 | 537.1 |  | 310.2 | 735.0 |  | 797.8 |  |  |  |
| $\stackrel{8}{15}$ | 34,084 | 34,058 | 117,358 | 538.2 |  | 311.3 | 737.6 |  | 800.7 |  |  |  |
| 15 | 34,756 | 34.087 | 118,397 | 539.1 |  | 311.1 | 739.0 |  | 802.4 |  |  |  |
| 22 P | 34,383 34,757 | 34,346 34,675 | 117,964 118,552 | 540.8 530.2 |  | 312.3 312.3 | 740.5 740.2 |  | 804.2 805.1 |  |  |  |
| 1977-JAN. 5P | 34,995 | 34,963 | 119,001 | 543.3 |  | 314.3 | 744.3 |  | 809.6 |  |  |  |

NOTES: AOJUSTED CREDIT PROXY INCLUDES MAINLY TOTAL MEMBER BANK DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO RESERVE REQUIREMENTS, LOANS SOLD TO BANKRELATED INSTI TUTIONS, ANO EURODOLLAR BORROWINGS OF U.S. BANKS. WEEKLY DATA ARE DAILY AVERAGES FOR STATEMENT WEEKS. MONTMLY OATA ARE DAILY AVERAGES. WEEKLY DATA ARE NOT AVAILABLE FOR M3, MS, MG, MT, TOTAL LOANS AND INVESTMENTS ANO THRIFT INSTITUTION DEPOSITS.
1/ gASED ON DATA ADJUSTED fOR CMANGES in reserve requirements.

COMPONENTS OF MONEY STOCK AND RELATED MEASURES


V GROMTH RAIES ARE BASED ON ESTIMATED MONTHLY AVERAGE LEVELS DERIVED BY AVERAGIMG END OF CURRENT MONTH AND END OF
PREVIOUS MON
P- PRELIMINARY.

COMPONENTS OF MONEY STOCK AND RELATED MEASURES

| Period | Currency | Demand Deposits | Time and savings Deposits |  |  |  |  | Mutual Savings Bank \& S\&L Shares $1 /$ | Credit Union Shares 1 | Savings Bonds 1 | ShortTerm U.S. Gov't Sec $1 /$ | Com. mercial Paper 1 | NonDeposit Funds | Total Gov't Demand Deposits$\qquad$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Total | Other Than CD's |  |  | CD's |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Total | Savings | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| ANNUALLY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1974 | 67.8 | 215.3 | 419.1 | 329.3 | 136.2 | 193.1 | 89.8 | 341.6 | 27.7 | 63.3 | 47.1 | 40.4 | 8.4 | 5.6 |
| 1975 | 73.7 | 221.0 | 452.4 | 369.6 | 160.5 | 209.0 | 82.9 | 395.5 | 33.3 | 67.3 | 65.7 | 42.7 | 8.4 | 7.6 |
|  |  | 231.2 | 491.5 | 427.6 | 201.4 | 226.2 | 63.8 | 457.9 | 39.1 | 71.8 | 68.4 | 50.5 | 9.2 | 10.1 |
| MONTHE $Y$ : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1975-DEC. | 73.7 | 221.0 | 452.4 | 369.6 | 160.5 | 209.0 | 82.9 | 395.5 | 33.3 | 67.3 | 65.7 | 42.7 | 8.4 | 7.6 |
| 1976-JAN. | 74.2 | 220.9 | 454.1 | 374.9 | 164.1 | 210.8 | 79.2 | 399.9 | 33.8 | 67.6 | 66.5 | 43.1 | 7.9 | 8.0 |
| FEB. | 75.0 | 221.6 | 456.7 | 381.3 | 170.2 | 211.2 | 75.4 | 404.8 | 34.1 | 68.0 | 66.8 | 43.3 | 8.0 | 10.9 |
| MAR. | 75.7 | 222.4 | 457.6 | 384.4 | 173.5 | 210.9 | 73.2 | 409.6 | 34.7 | 68.3 | 67.8 | 43.0 | 8.2 | 10.9 |
| $\triangle P R$. | 76.7 | 225.2 | 460.4 | 388.9 | 276.7 | 212.3 | 72.5 | 414.4 | 35.1 | 68.6 | 68.5 | 44.4 |  |  |
| MAY | 77.3 | 226.2 | 460.4 | 392.2 | 179.4 | 212.9 | 68.2 | 419.0 | 35.5 | 69.0 | 69.1 | 45.8 | 7.6 | 1.4 |
| JUNE | 77.6 | 225.6 | 465.9 | 395.3 | 179.4 | 215.9 | 70.6 | 423.1 | 36.1 | 69.4 | 70.0 | 47.2 | 8.4 | 9.6 |
| JULY | 78.1 | 226.8 | 470.0 | 400.4 | 181.1 | 219.3 | 69.6 | 428.2 | 36.4 | 69.7 | 72.0 | 48.0 | 8.8 | 9.0 |
| AUG. | 78.6 | 227.8 | 468.7 | 404.4 | 184.4 | 220.0 | 64.4 | 434.9 | 37.0 | 70.3 | 71.4 | 48.2 | 8.9 | 13.8 |
| SEPT. | 79.1 | 227.2 | 472.5 | 410.1 | 187.9 | 222.2 | 62.4 | 441.7 | 37.6 | 70.8 | 69.6 | 48.3 | 8.2 | 13.1 |
| OCT. | 79.8 | 230.0 | 478.0 | 416.0 | 192.6 | 223.5 | 62.0 | 448.0 | 38.2 | 71.1 | 69.0 | 46.7 | 9.0 | 13.4 |
| NOV. | 80.3 | 229.5 | 484.2 | 422.2 | 196.8 | 225.4 | 62.1 | 453.0 | 38.7 | 71.5 | 68.8 | 49.5 | 9.1 | 13.5 |
| DEC. P | 80.7 | 231.2 | 491.5 | 427.6 | 201.4 | 226.2 | 63.8 | 457.9 | 39.1 | 71.8 | 68.4 | 50.5 | 9.2 | 10.1 |
| WEEKLY: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1976-NOV. 10 |  |  | 482.1 | 420.6 | 196.0 | 224.6 | 61.5 |  |  |  |  |  | 8.7 | 15.4 |
| 17 | 80.2 | 230.7 | 483.7 | 421.6 | 196.7 | 225.0 | 62.0 |  |  |  |  |  | 8.6 | 14.2 |
| 24 | 80.3 | 227.3 | 485.8 | 423.4 | 197.6 | 225.8 | 62.4 |  |  |  |  |  | 9.4 | 12.2 |
| OEC. 1 | 80.3 | 229.9 | 487.6 | 424.9 | 198.3 | 226.6 | 62.8 |  |  |  |  |  | 9.4 | 11.8 |
| 8 | 80.6 | 230.7 | 489.5 | 426.4 | 199.9 | 226.4 | 63.1 |  |  |  |  |  | 8.9 | 8.5 |
| 15 | 80.8 | 230.4 | 491.3 | 427.9 | 201.0 | 226.9 | 63.4 |  |  |  |  |  | 8.9 | 8.7 |
| 22 298 | 80.7 80.8 | 231.5 232.5 | 492.0 492.8 | 428.2 427.9 | 202.1 202.2 | 226.1 225.7 | 63.7 |  |  |  |  |  | 9.9 | 11.2 |
| 29P | 80.8 | 231.5 | 492.8 | 427.9 | 202.2 | 225.7 | 64.9 |  |  |  |  |  | 9.0 | 10.7 |
| 1977-JAN. 5P | 80.9 | 233.3 | 495.3 | 430.1 | 202.9 | 227.2 | 65.3 |  |  |  |  |  | 8.9 | 10.2 |

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[^1]:    1/ Appendix II includes estimates of 6 -month growth rates in nonborrowed reserves--and related measures--believed consistent with the alternative longer-run growth rates in the monetary aggregates.

[^2]:    NOTE: Weekly data for columns 1 to 4 are statement week averages of daily data. Columa 5 and 6 are 1 -day Wednesday quotes (prior to 1976 , figures shown are for $60-89$ day and $90-119$ day ranges, respectively). For columns 7 and 10 , the weekiy date is the mid-point of the calendar week over which data are averaged. Columns 8 and 9 are 1 -day quotes for Friday and Thursday, respectively, following the end of the statement week. Column il gives FNMA auction data for Monday preceding the end of the statement week. Column 12 is a l-day quote for Monday preceding the end of the statement week. The FNMA auction yield is the avarage yield in bi-weekly auction for short-term forward commitments for Government underwritten mortgages. GNMA yields are average net ylelds to investors on mortgage-backed securities for immediate delivery, assuming prepayment in 12 years on pools of $30-y e a r$ fHA/VA mortgages carrying the coupon rate 50 basis points below the current FHA/VA ceiling.

[^3]:    1/ ESTIMATEO MONTHLY AVERAGE LEVELS DERIVED BY AVERAGING END OF CURRENT MONTH AND END OF PREVIOUS MINTH REPORTED DATA.

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