

US Financial Data

THE WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

- *At the conclusion of its two-day meeting on Jan. 30, the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) decided to keep its federal funds rate target unchanged at 1.75 percent. In the press release, the FOMC said:*

Signs that weakness in demand is abating and economic activity is beginning to firm have become more prevalent. With the forces restraining the economy starting to diminish, and with the long-term prospects for productivity growth remaining favorable and monetary policy accommodative, the outlook for economic recovery has become more promising. The degree of any strength in business capital and household spending, however, is still uncertain. Hence, the Committee continues to believe that...the risks are weighted mainly toward conditions that may generate economic weakness in the foreseeable future.

- *After falling at a 1.3 percent annual rate during the third quarter of 2001, real GDP rose at a 0.2 percent rate in the fourth quarter. Another large decline in private inventory investment occurred in the fourth quarter, as the change in private inventories (CPII) subtracted 2.23 percentage points from real GDP growth. Accordingly, real final sales (GDP less CPII) rose at 2.5 percent rate.*
- *The employment cost index (ECI) for private-industry workers, a measure of labor compensation costs, rose 1 percent for the three-month period ending in December 2001. The ECI rose 4.1 percent in 2001, a modest slowing from the 4.4 percent gain seen in 2000.*

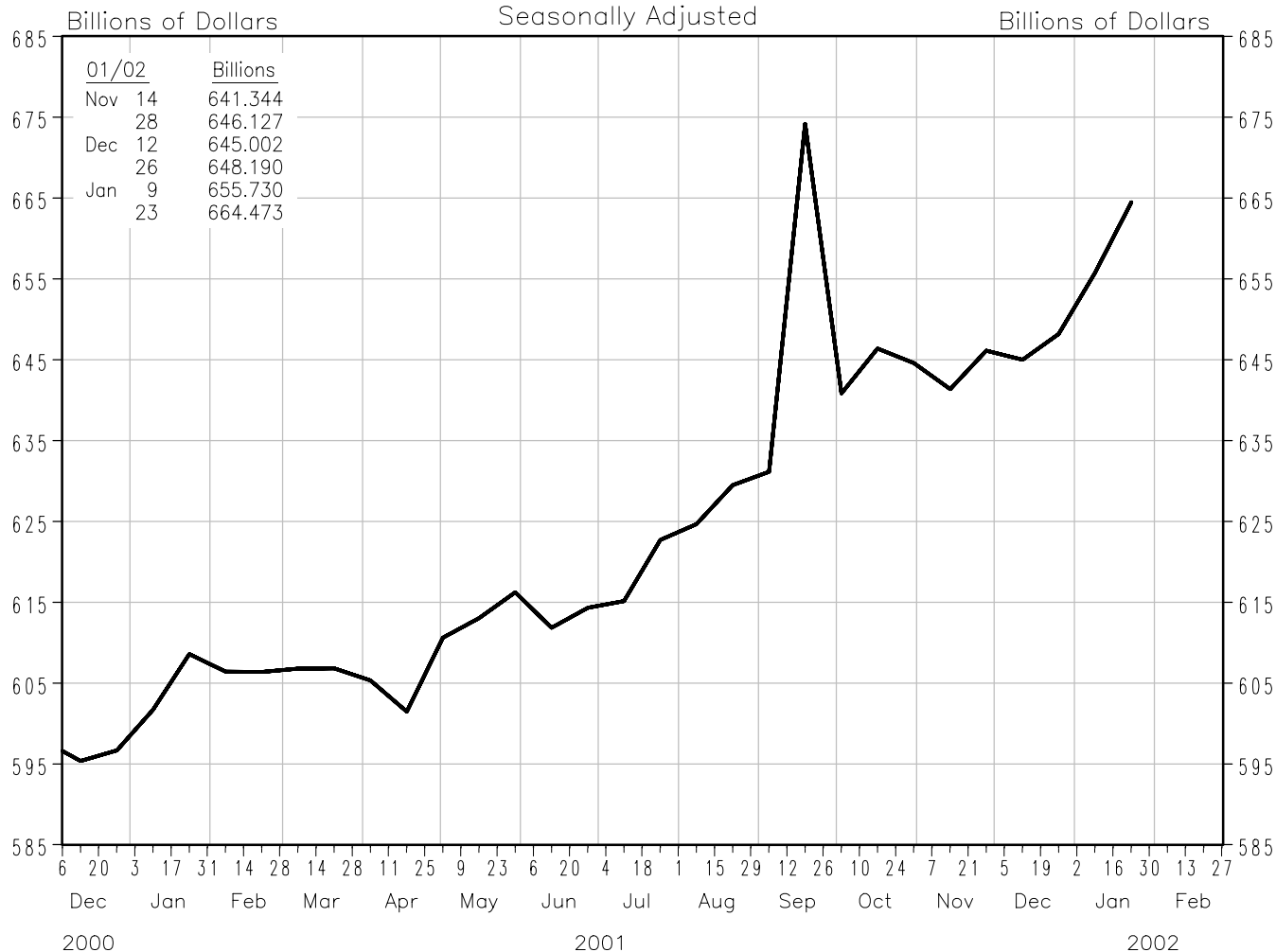
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Adjusted Monetary Base

Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



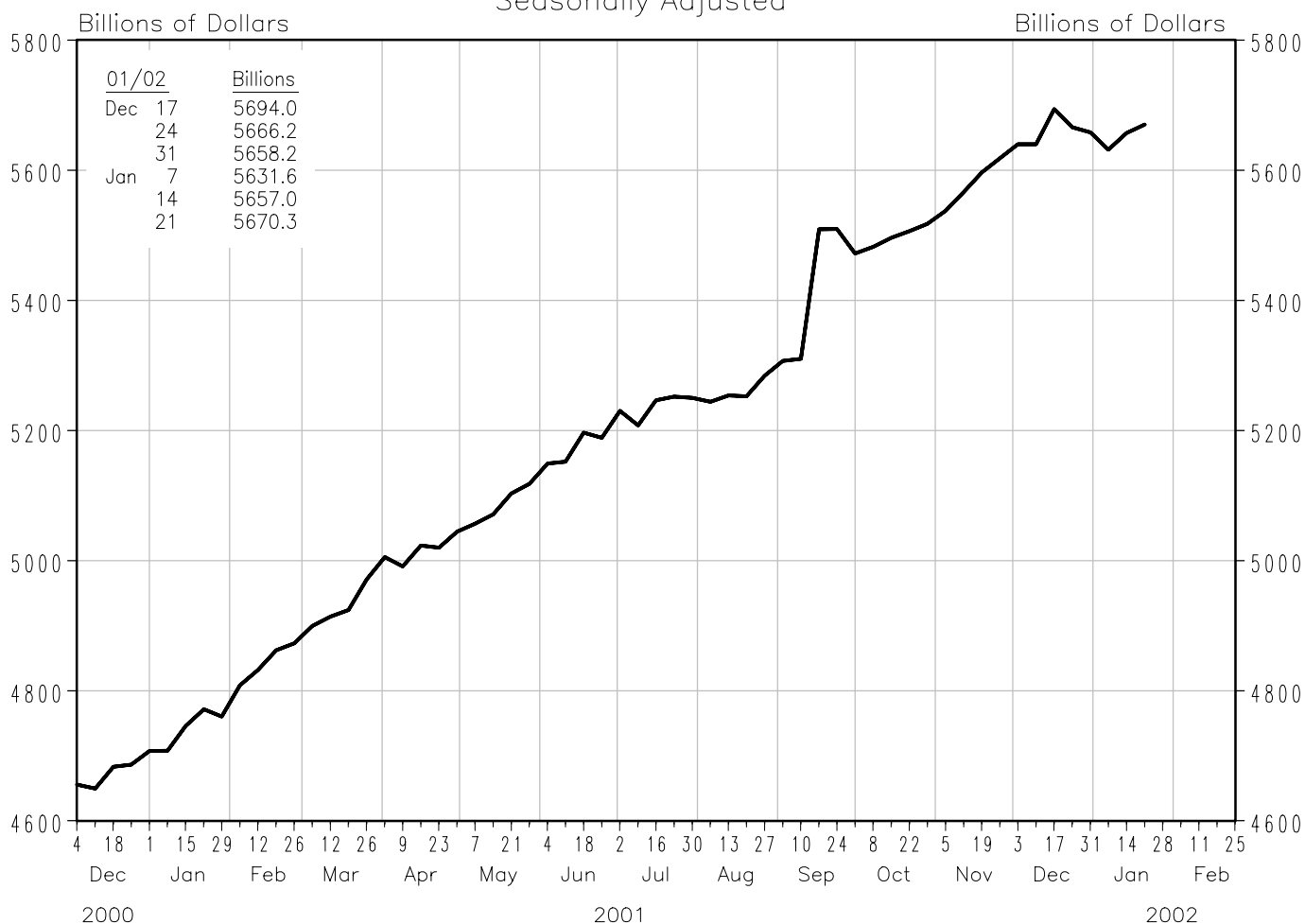
The adjusted monetary base is the sum of Federal Reserve deposits and vault cash held by domestic depository institutions, currency held by the public, and an adjustment for the effect of changes in reserve requirement ratios. The monetary base series includes Federal Reserve deposits used to satisfy clearing balance contracts. Data are computed by this bank. A detailed description of the adjusted monetary base is available from this bank. Recent data are preliminary.

Adjusted Monetary Base

To the average of two maintenance periods ending:		Compounded annual rates of change, average of two maintenance periods ending:							
		1/24/01	4/18/01	6/27/01	7/25/01	8/22/01	9/19/01	10/17/01	11/28/01
6/27/01		3.1							
7/25/01		4.6	9.9						
8/22/01		6.4	11.8	15.8					
9/19/01		12.3	20.4	31.2	41.2				
10/17/01		8.8	13.8	17.1	18.5	18.4			
11/28/01		7.6	11.1	12.2	12.0	10.2	-6.9		
12/26/01		7.4	10.5	11.2	10.9	9.3	-3.4	2.4	
1/23/02		9.1	12.4	13.7	13.8	12.9	3.3	9.9	17.7

Money Zero Maturity (MZM)

Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



MZM is M2 (seasonally adjusted) minus total small denomination time deposits (seasonally adjusted), plus institutional money funds (seasonally adjusted), which are included in the non-M2 component of M3.

Money Zero Maturity (MZM)

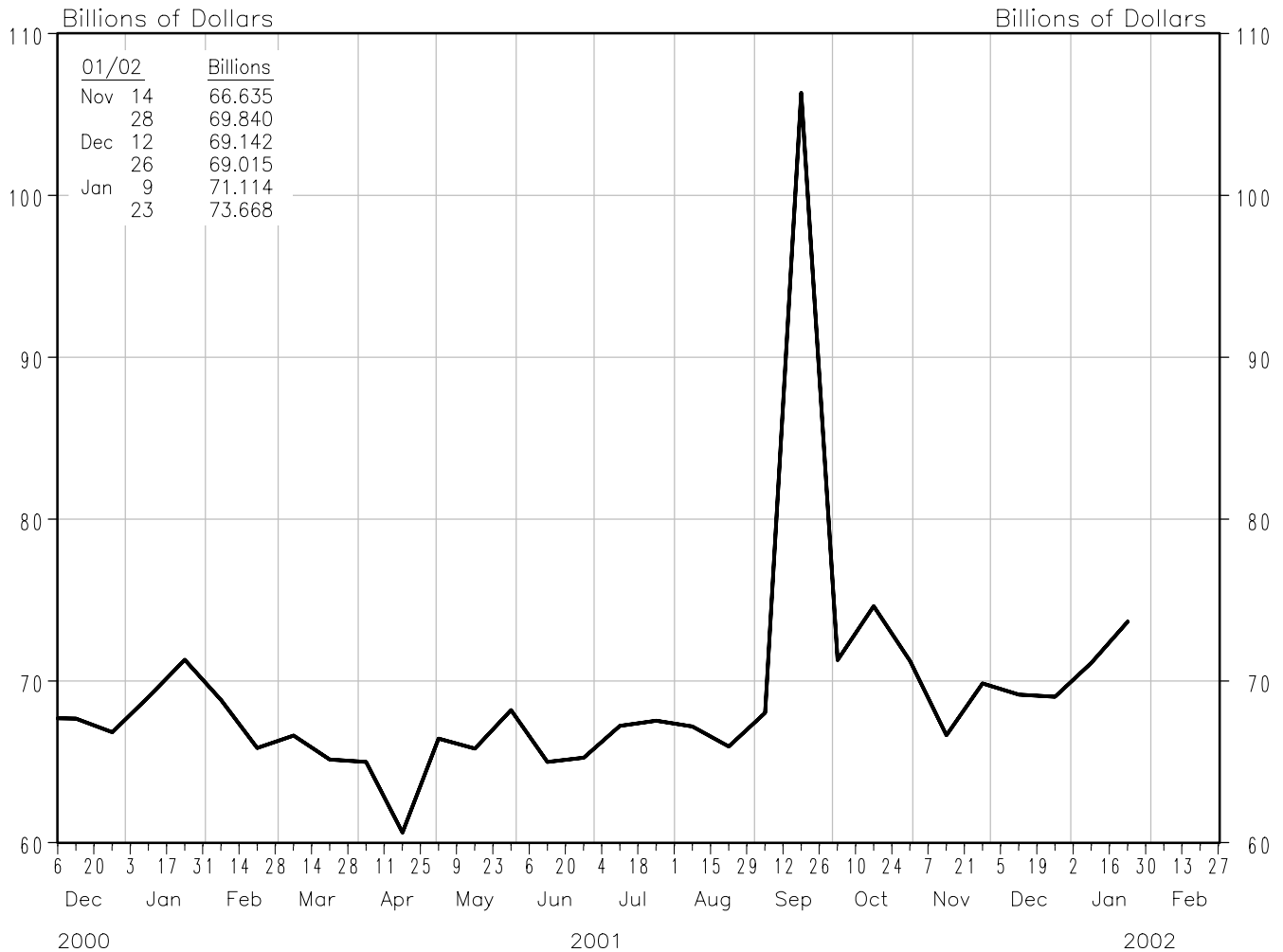
Compounded annual rates of change, average of four weeks ending:

To the average
of four weeks
ending:

	1/22/01	4/23/01	6/18/01	7/23/01	8/20/01	9/24/01	10/22/01	11/19/01
6/18/01	23.5							
7/23/01	22.3	19.1						
8/20/01	19.7	15.4	11.3					
9/24/01	21.9	19.9	19.7	20.9				
10/22/01	21.9	20.1	20.0	21.0	29.4			
11/19/01	21.4	19.6	19.4	19.9	25.3	18.8		
12/24/01	21.4	19.9	19.8	20.3	24.2	19.9	19.3	
1/21/02	19.5	17.5	16.8	16.7	19.2	14.5	12.6	10.8

Adjusted Reserves

Seasonally Adjusted



Adjusted reserves is the difference between the adjusted monetary base and the currency component of M1.

Adjusted Reserves

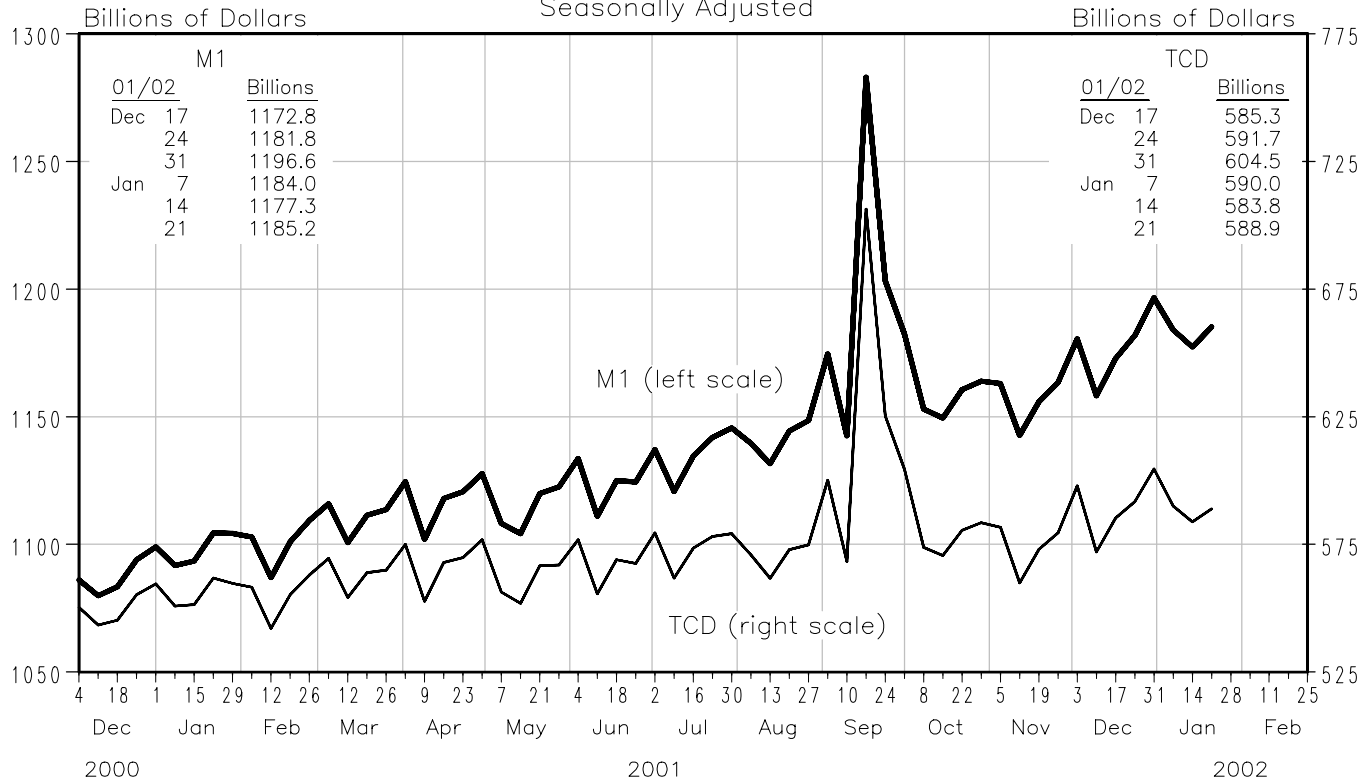
To the average of
two maintenance
periods ending:

Compounded annual rates of change, average of two maintenance periods ending:

	1/24/01	4/18/01	6/27/01	7/25/01	8/22/01	9/19/01	10/17/01	11/28/01
6/27/01	-16.1							
7/25/01	-7.7	29.8						
8/22/01	-8.7	18.2	15.3					
9/19/01	39.4	117.0	253.9	433.2				
10/17/01	5.5	34.9	44.6	41.1	81.5			
11/28/01	-3.2	14.4	11.7	3.7	9.7	-72.0		
12/26/01	-1.7	14.7	12.5	6.1	11.3	-57.9	-24.7	
1/23/02	3.2	20.3	20.1	15.4	22.0	-41.5	-2.8	46.8

Money Stock(M1) and Total Checkable Deposits

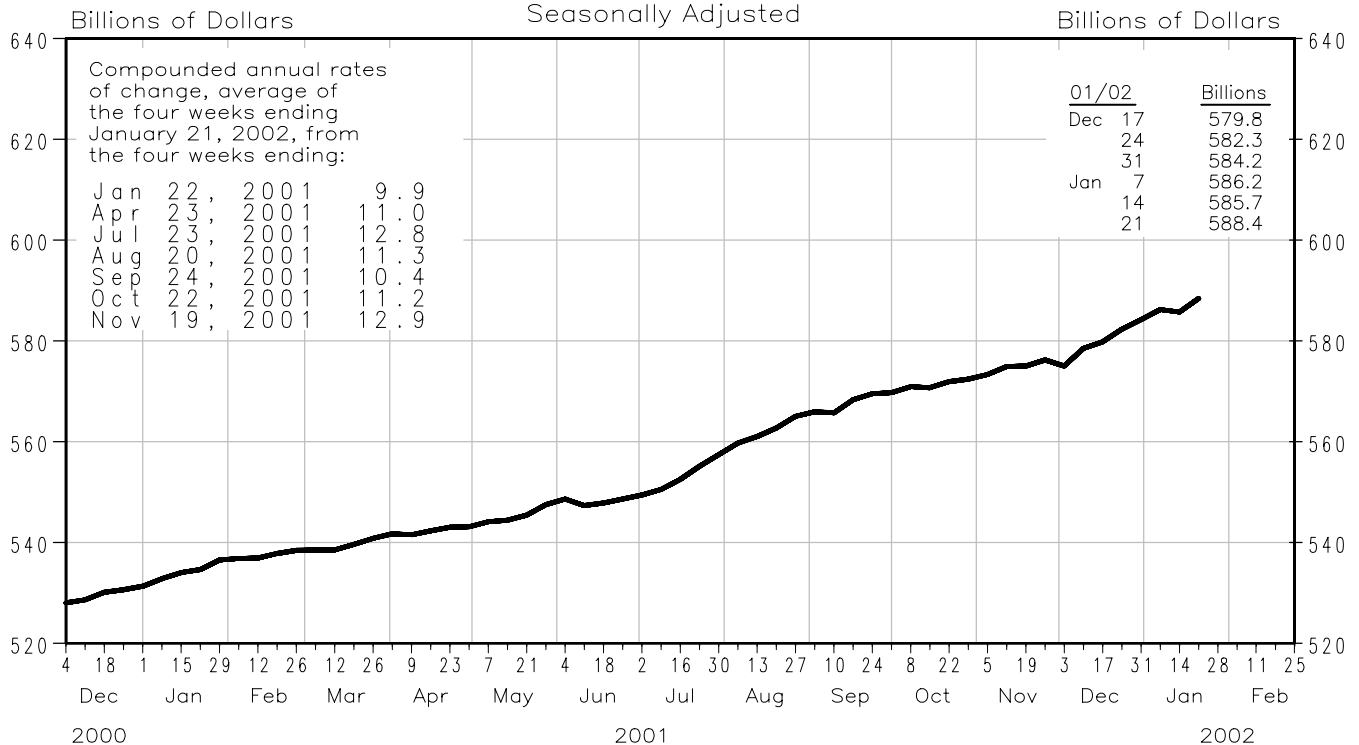
Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



M1 is the sum of currency held by the nonbank public, total checkable deposits and travelers checks.
Total checkable deposits is the sum of demand deposits and other checkable deposits at depository institutions.
institutions. Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.6 release.

Currency Component of M1

Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted

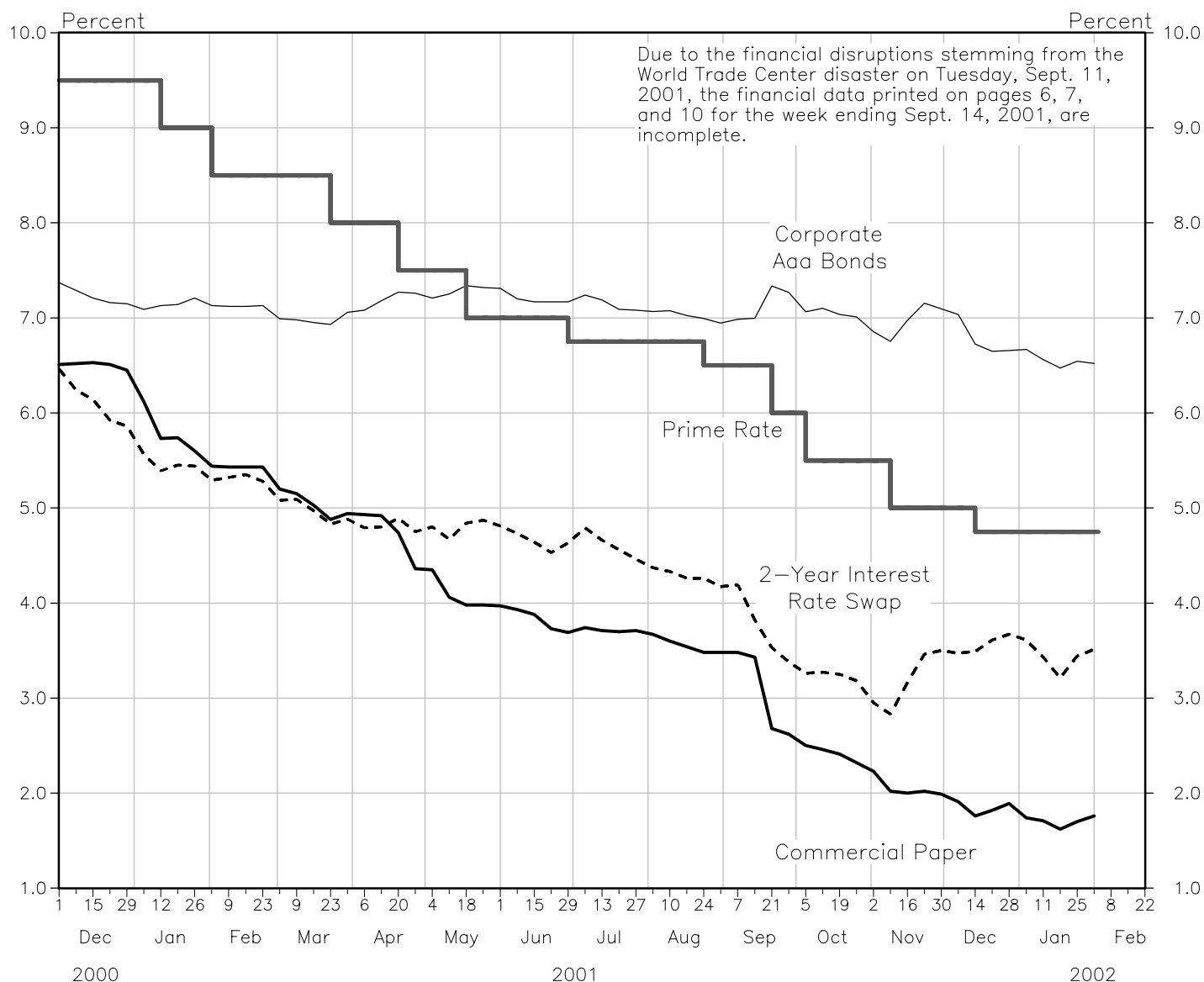


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Yields on Selected Securities

Averages of Daily Figures



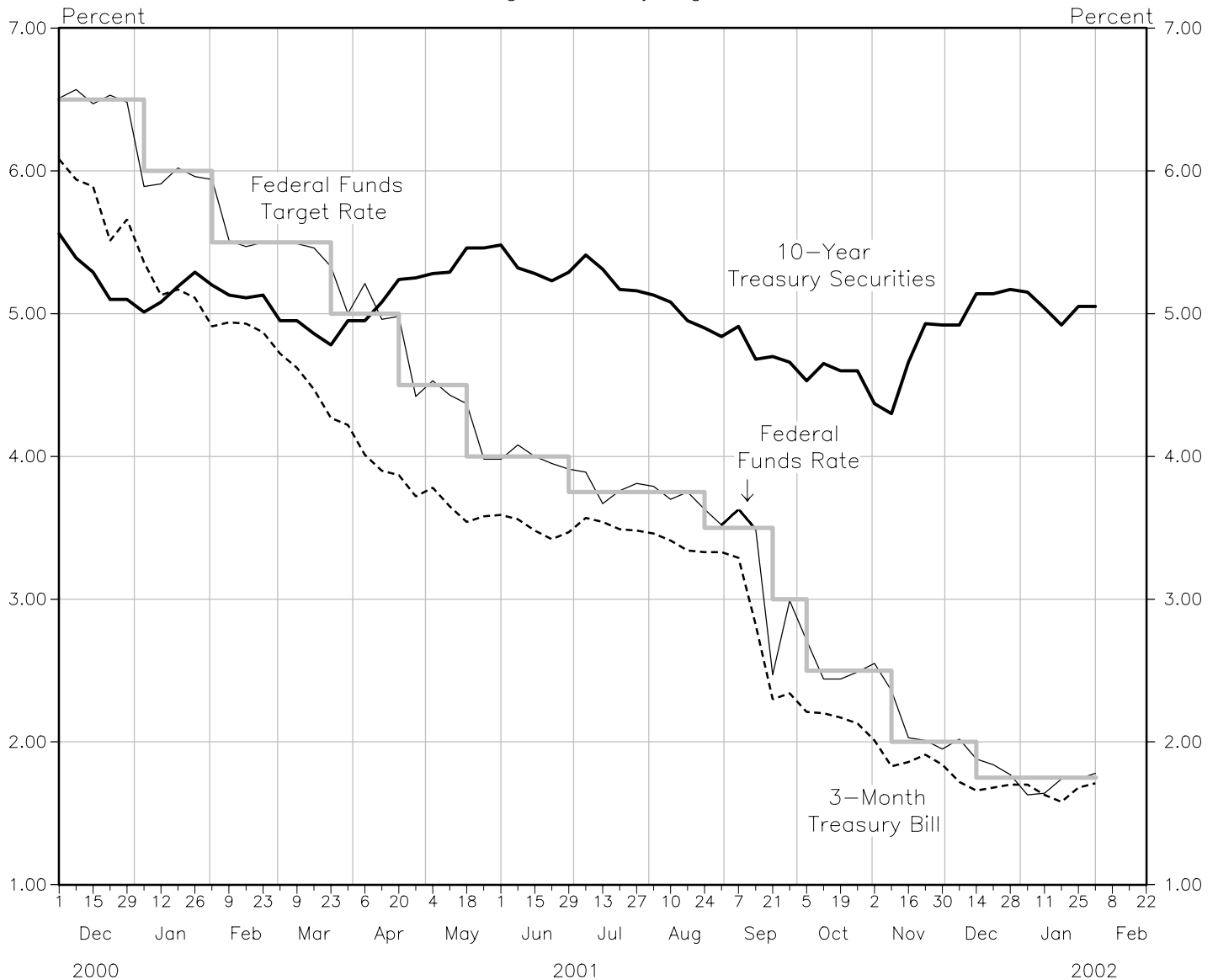
2001/2002	30-Day Commercial Paper	90-Day CDs	2-Year Interest Rate Swap	Corporate Aaa Bonds	Corporate Baa Bonds	Municipal Bonds **
Nov 9	2.02	1.96	2.83	6.75	7.62	4.91
16	2.00	1.99	3.16	6.97	7.81	5.02
23	2.02	2.06	3.46	7.16	7.96	5.14
30	1.99	2.07	3.50	7.10	7.95	5.15
Dec 7	1.91	1.88	3.47	7.04	7.99	5.21
14	1.76	1.79	3.49	6.73	8.13	5.26
21	1.82	1.82	3.61	6.65	8.07	5.26
28	1.89	1.84	3.67	6.66	8.02	5.26
Jan 4	1.74	1.80	3.61	6.67	7.97	5.26
11	1.71	1.75	3.43	6.56	7.85	5.16
18	1.62	1.65	3.21	6.47	7.78	5.08
25	1.70	1.76	3.44	6.54	7.89	5.17
Feb 1	1.76	1.80	3.51	6.52	7.88	N.A.

Current data are from the Federal Reserve Board's H.15 release, and are averages of rates available for the week ending on February 1, 2002.

** Bond Buyer's Average Index of 20 municipal bonds, Thursday data

Selected Interest Rates

Averages of Daily Figures



2001/2002	Federal Funds **	3-Month Treasury Bill	2-Year Treasury Securities	5-Year Treasury Securities	10-Year Treasury Securities	30-Year Treasury Securities
Nov 9	2.36	1.83	2.40	3.58	4.30	4.85
16	2.03	1.86	2.83	3.97	4.66	5.12
23	2.01	1.91	3.05	4.25	4.93	5.32
30	1.95	1.84	3.03	4.25	4.92	5.33
Dec 7	2.02	1.72	3.02	4.23	4.92	5.38
14	1.88	1.66	3.08	4.41	5.14	5.54
21	1.84	1.68	3.15	4.45	5.14	5.49
28	1.77	1.70	3.21	4.49	5.17	5.51
Jan 4	1.63	1.70	3.17	4.47	5.15	5.54
11	1.64	1.63	2.98	4.31	5.04	5.46
18	1.74	1.58	2.86	4.19	4.92	5.37
25	1.74	1.68	3.09	4.37	5.05	5.45
Feb 1 *	1.78	1.71	3.10	4.40	5.05	5.43

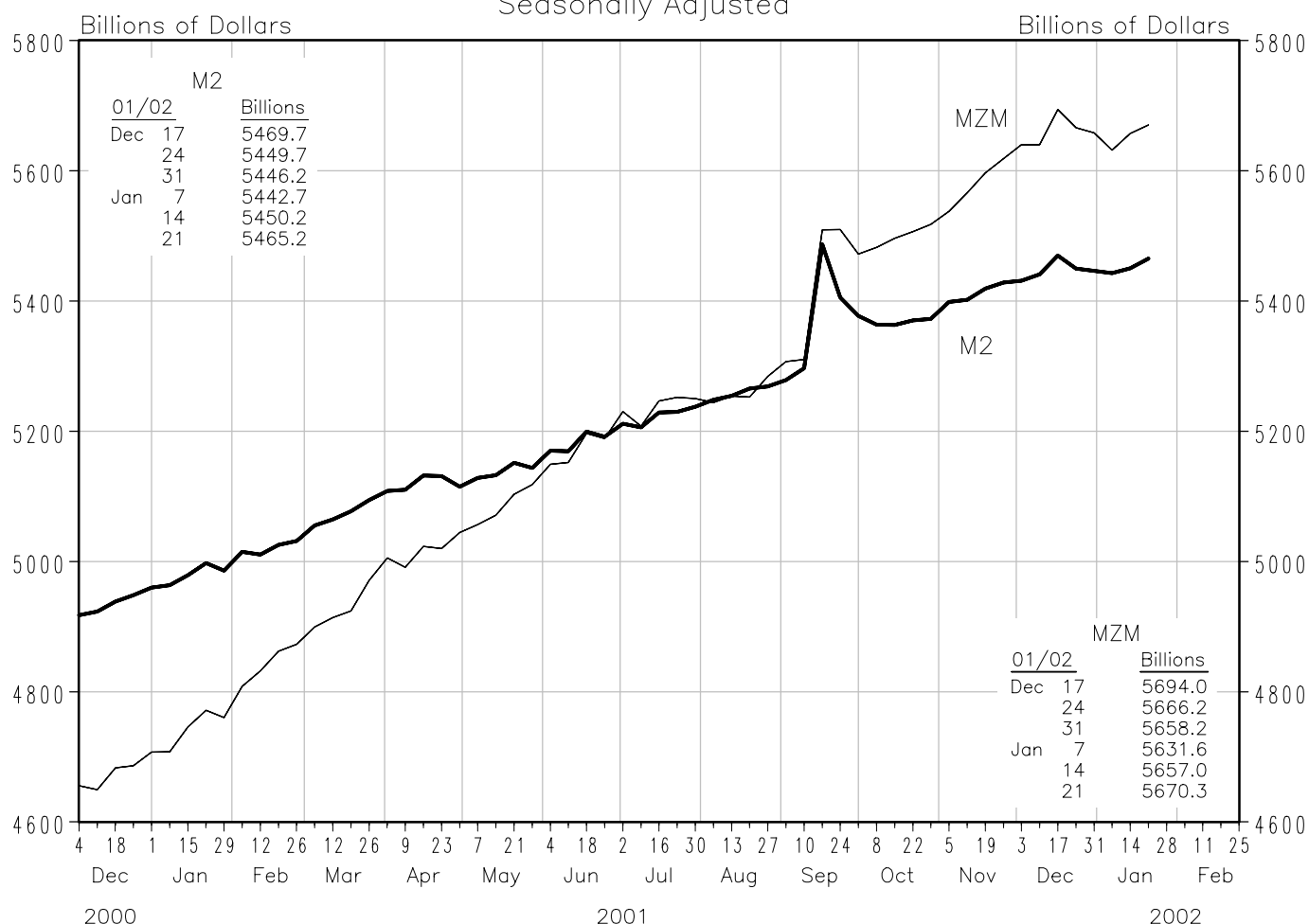
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* Averages of rates available

** Seven-day averages for week ending two days earlier than date shown

Money Stock(M2) and Money Zero Maturity

Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



M2 is the sum of M1, savings (including money market deposit accounts), small time deposits and retail money funds. Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.6 release.

Money Stock (M2)

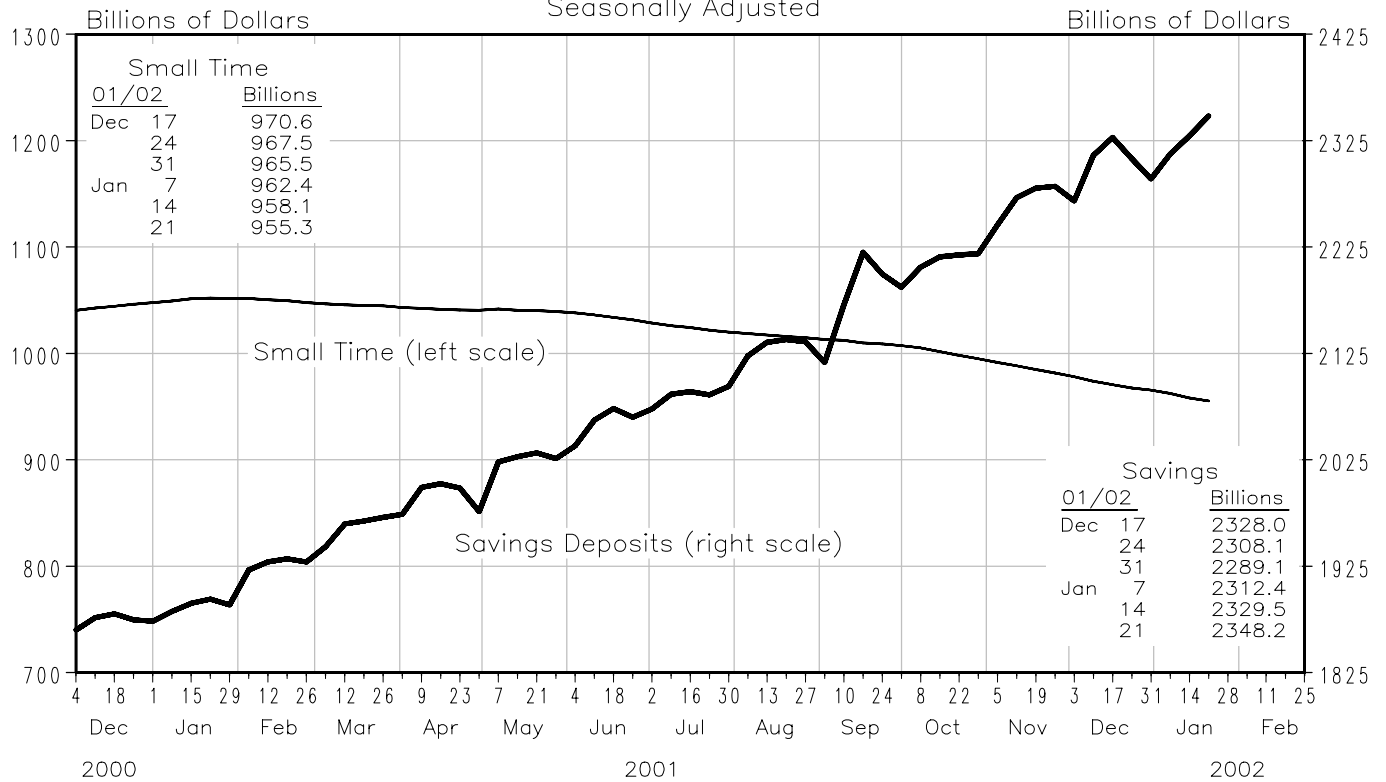
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9/24/01	11.9	11.8	14.8	17.5				
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11/19/01	10.4	9.6	10.7	10.9	11.7	3.8		
12/24/01	10.3	9.6	10.6	10.7	11.2	6.2	8.8	
1/21/02	9.6	8.7	9.3	9.1	9.2	4.9	6.3	5.8

Savings and Small Time Deposits

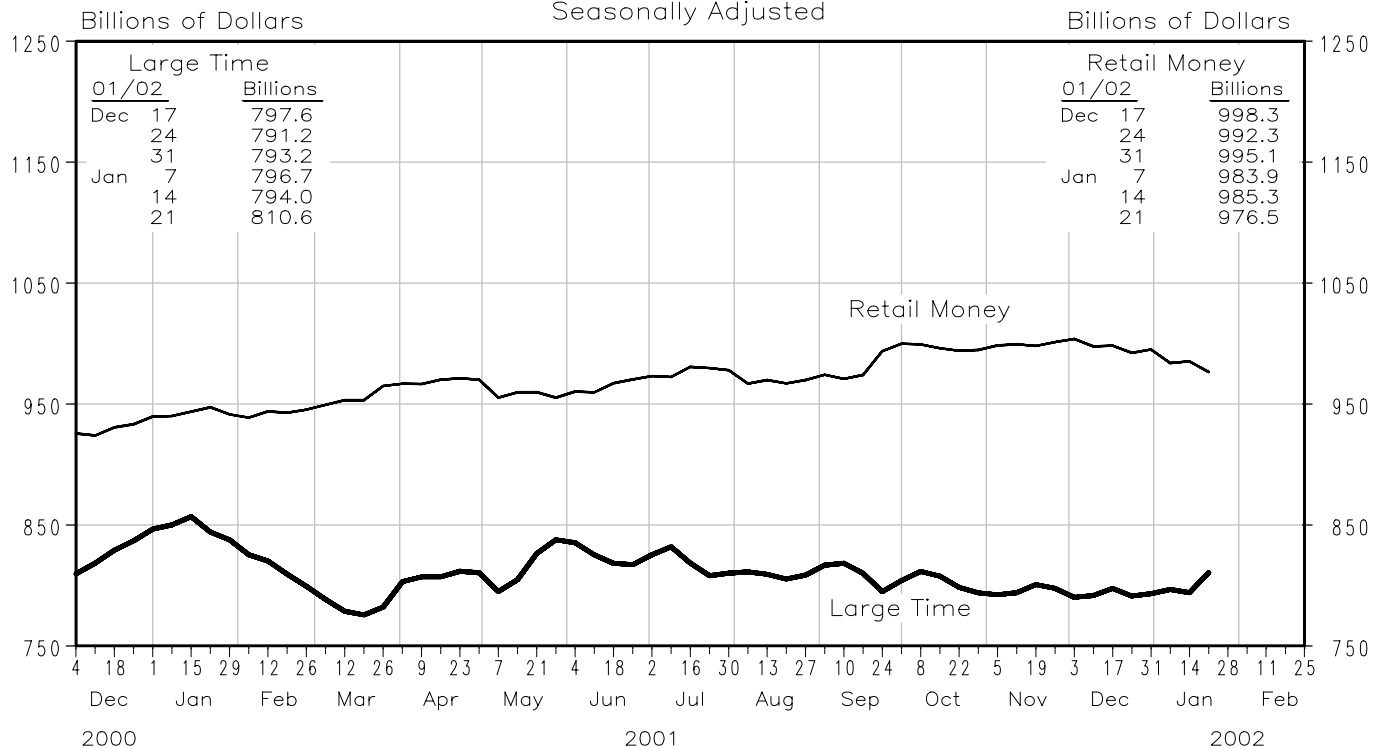
Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



Savings deposits and small time deposits are at all depository institutions.

Large Time Deposits and Retail Money Funds

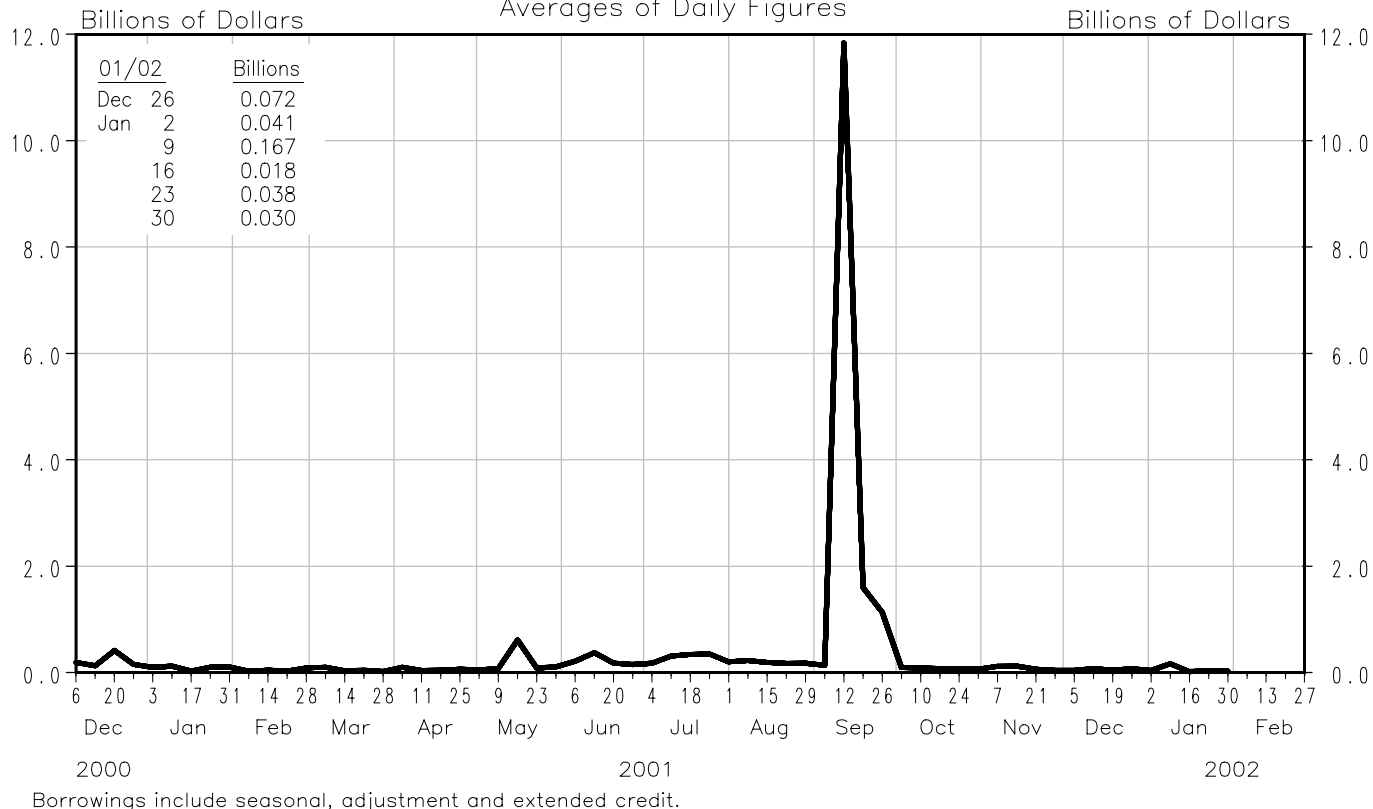
Averages of Daily Figures
Seasonally Adjusted



Large time deposits and retail money funds are at all depository institutions. Large time deposits are those issued in denominations of \$100,000 or more. Retail money funds were originally called general purpose and broker/dealer money market funds.

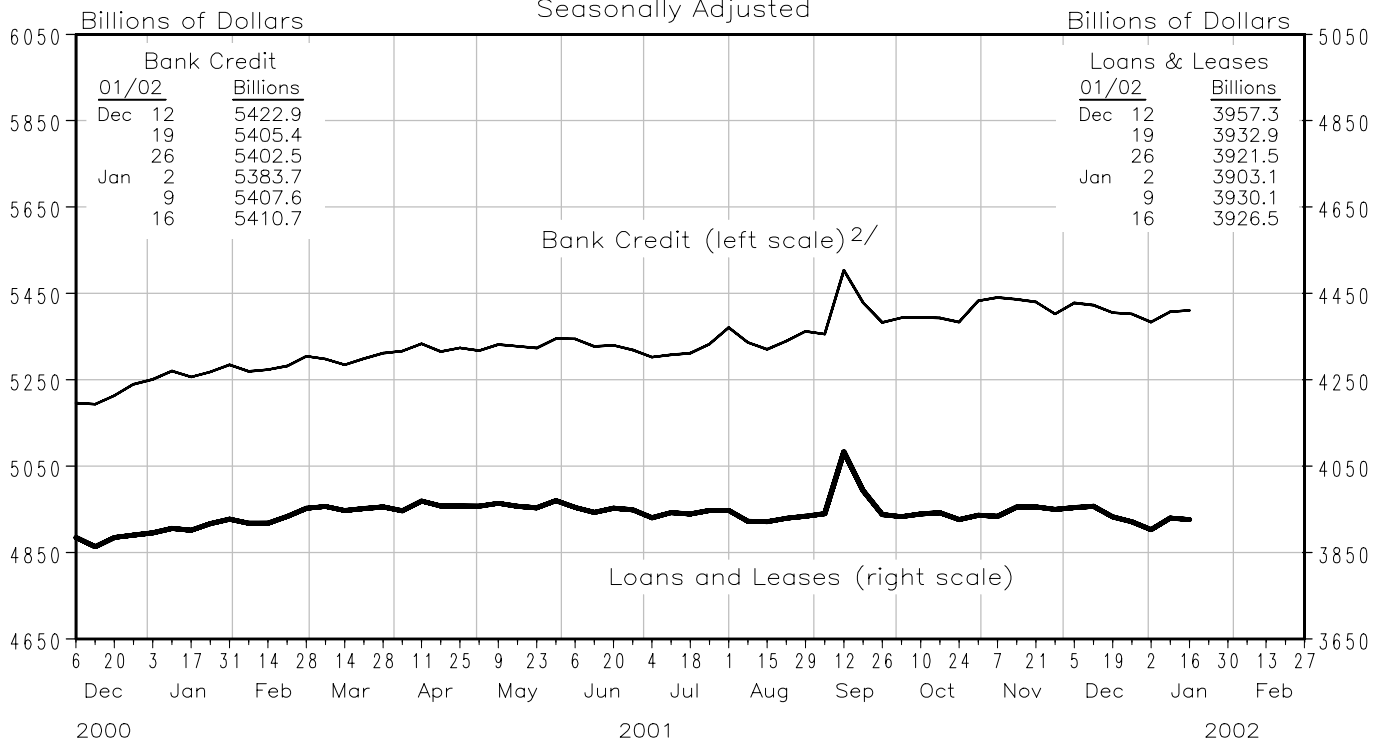
Total Borrowings

From Federal Reserve Banks
Averages of Daily Figures



Bank Loans and Credit

All Commercial Banks in the United States ^{1/}
Seasonally Adjusted



Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.8 release.

^{1/} Includes foreign-related institutions

^{2/} Includes loans and leases and securities

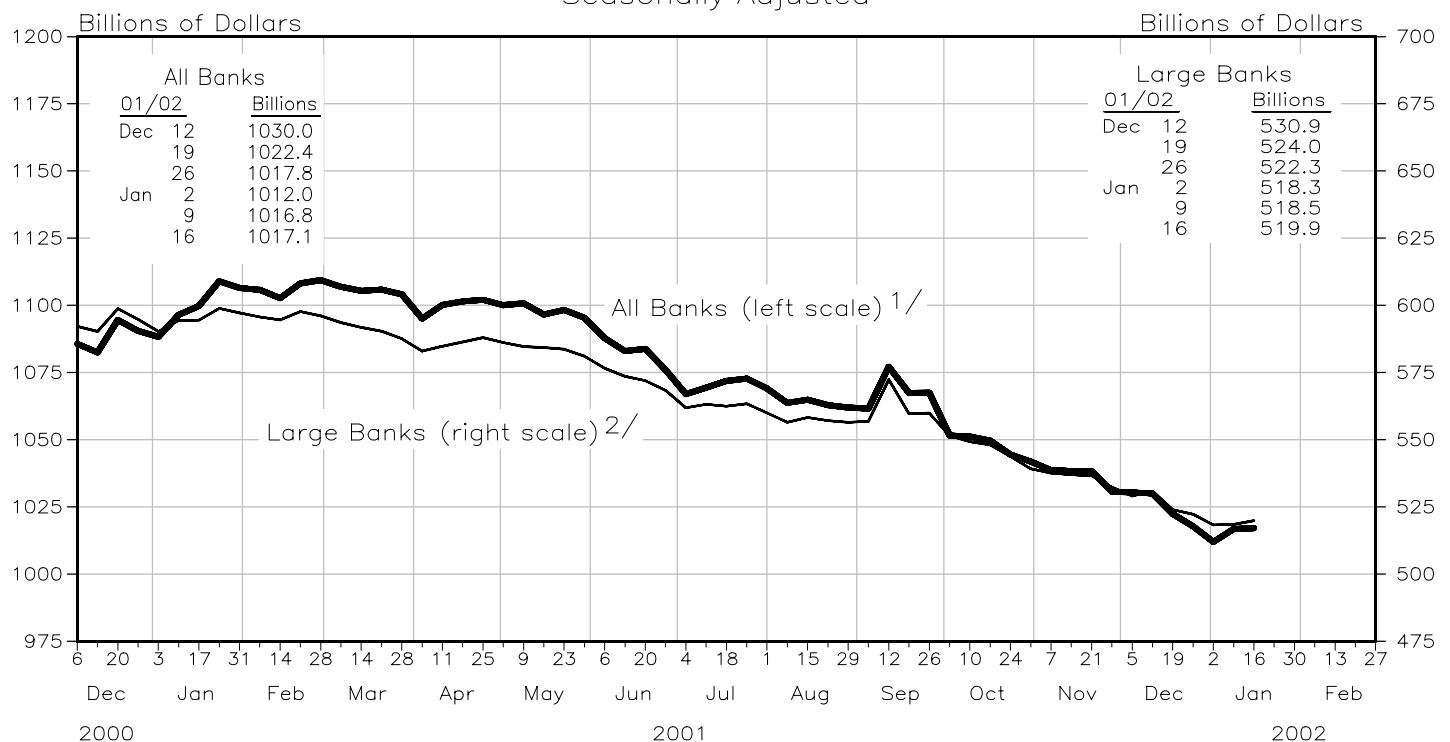
Commercial Paper of Nonfinancial Companies

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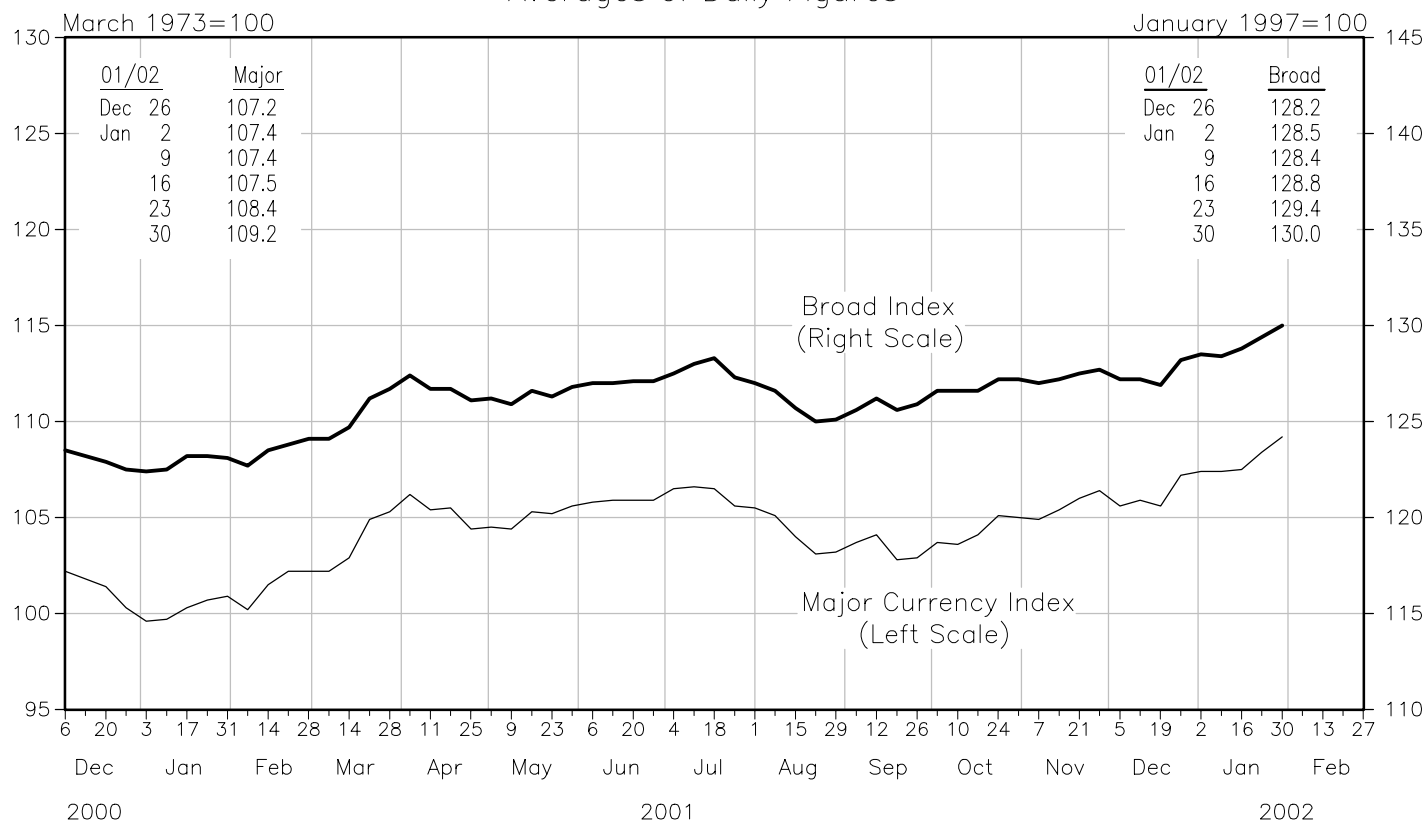
Commercial and Industrial Loans

Seasonally Adjusted



Trade – Weighted Exchange Rate Indexes

Averages of Daily Figures



The major currency index (MCI) is comprised of 7 currencies. The broad index is comprised of the major currency index plus 19 additional currencies. See the October 1998 issue of the *Federal Reserve Bulletin* for further details.

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