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THE WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

■ According to the press release issued after its Sept. 24 meeting, the Federal Open Market Committee voted to keep its federal funds rate target unchanged at 1.75 percent. There were two dissenting votes in favor of a reduction in the federal funds target rate. The release also noted the following:

The information that has become available since the last meeting of the Committee suggests that aggregate demand is growing at a moderate pace. Over time, the current accommodative stance of monetary policy, coupled with still robust underlying growth in productivity, should be sufficient to foster an improving business climate. However, considerable uncertainty persists about the extent and timing of the expected pickup in production and employment owing in part to the emergence of heightened geopolitical risks. Consequently, the Committee believes that, for the foreseeable future...the risks are weighted mainly toward conditions that may generate economic weakness.

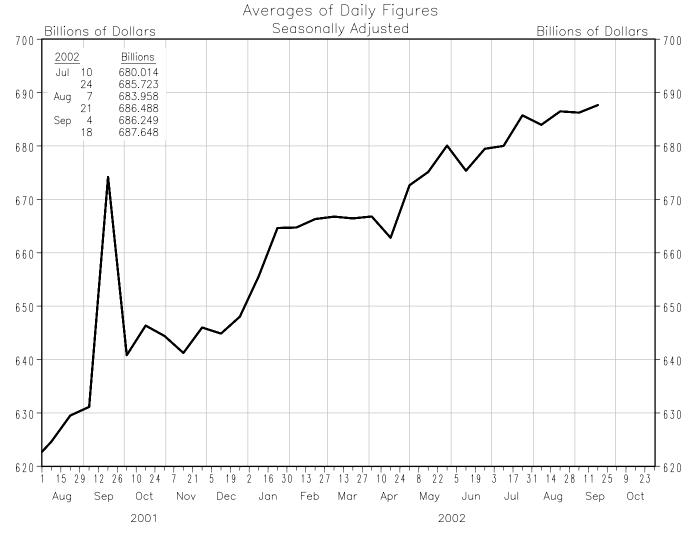
- After rising 8.6 percent in July, the value of new orders for manufactured durable goods fell 0.6 percent in August. New orders are up 4.4 percent from a year earlier.
- The Conference Board reported that its index of consumer confidence fell 1.2 percentage points in September, the fifth decline in the past six months.
- The index of leading economic indicators fell 0.2 percent in August, the fourth decline in the past five months.

All data are seasonally adjusted unless otherwise indicated.

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Adjusted Monetary Base



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									
T 11	Compounded annual rates of change, average of two maintenance periods ending:								
To the average of two maintenance periods ending:	9/19/01	12/12/01	2/20/02	3/20/02	4/17/02	5/15/02	6/12/02	7/24/02	
2/20/02	4.7								
3/20/02	4.3	12.7							
4/17/02	3.2	8.9	-0.7						
5/15/02	5.0	10.7	5.6	7.3					
6/12/02	5.3	10.3	6.1	7.4	13.3				
7/24/02	5.5	9.6	6.3	7.2	10.5	7.1			
8/21/02	5.4	9.0	6.0	6.7	9.1	6.4	5.9		
9/18/02	5.3	8.4	5.7	6.2	8.1	5.7	5.2	3.9	

Money Zero Maturity (MZM)

Averages of Daily Figures Seasonally Adjusted Billions of Dollars Billions of Dollars 6100 2002 Billions Aug 5943.1 12 19 5974.2 26 5979.0 Sep 5966.7 5900-5960.6 -5900 16 5990.8 5700 5700 5500-5500 5300 5300

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.

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2/18/02	16.2								
3/18/02	14.6	5.9							
4/15/02	11.6	2.9	-0.2						
5/13/02	11.4	4.3	3.1	1.6					
6/17/02	11.8	6.1	6.3	6.4	12.5				
7/15/02	11.6	6.6	7.0	7.2	11.7	12.4			
8/19/02	11.9	7.7	8.3	8.7	12.4	13.0	12.2		
9/16/02	11.3	7.4	7.8	8.1	10.9	11.1	9.9	9.8	

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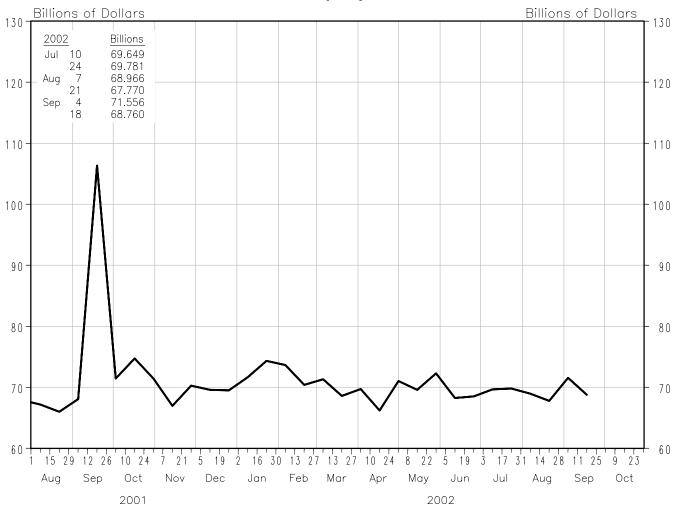
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Adjusted Reserves

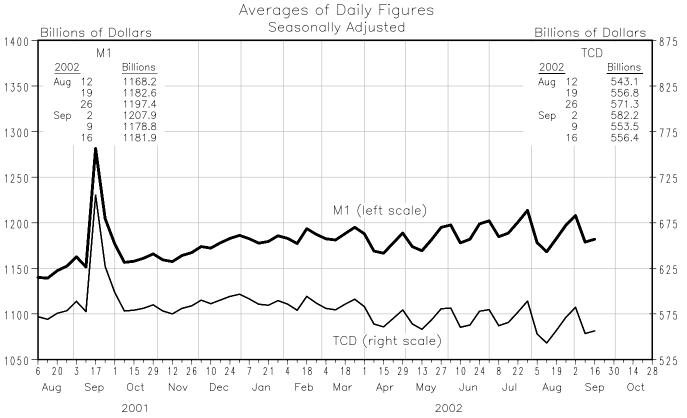
Seasonally Adjusted



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

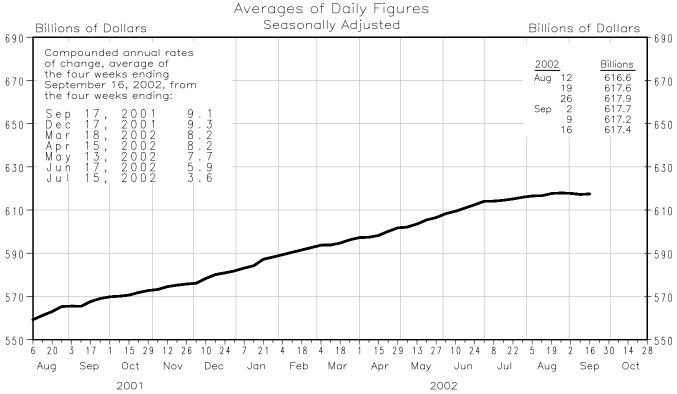
Adjusted Reserves										
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2/20/02	-36.4									
3/20/02	-35.6	0.2								
4/17/02	-35.1	-7.9	-31.4							
5/15/02	-28.0	1.3	-9.9	3.4						
6/12/02	-25.6	1.0	-7.7	2.0	24.3					
7/24/02	-23.2	-0.5	-7.4	-1.0	9.9	-4.3				
8/21/02	-23.2	-3.2	-9.9	-5.3	1.7	-9.9	-13.3			
9/18/02	-19.5	0.4	-4.4	0.6	7.8	-0.6	-0.6	4.2		

Money Stock(M1) and Total Checkable Deposits



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. Current data appear in the Federal Reserve Board's H.6 release.

Currency Component of M1

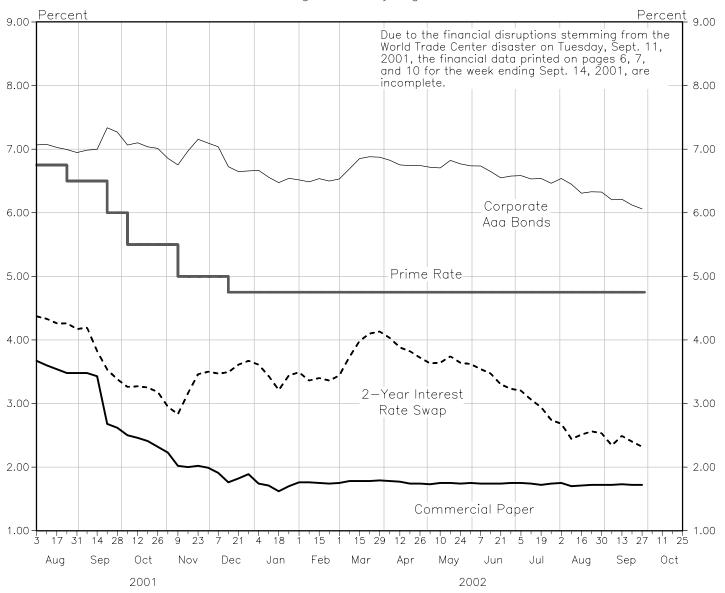


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Yields on Selected Securities

Averages of Daily Figures



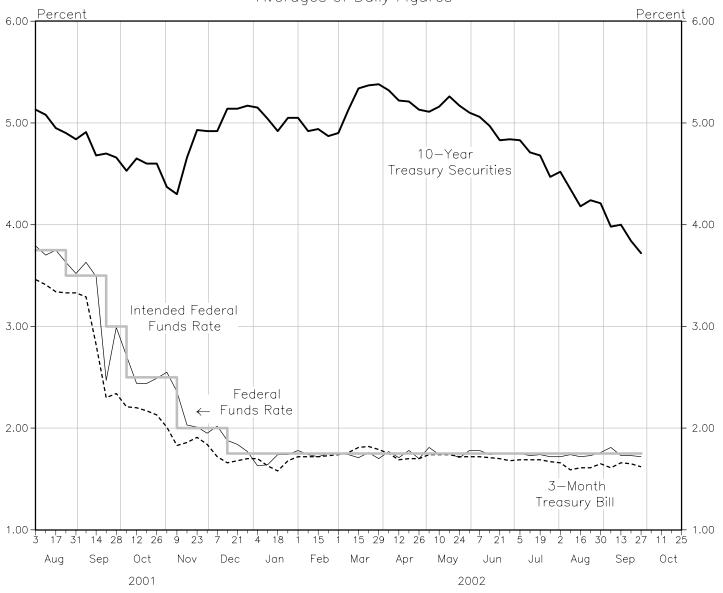
20	02	30—Day Commercial Paper	90—Day CDs	2—Year Interest Rate Swap	Corporate Aaa Bonds	Corporate Baa Bonds	Municipal Bonds **
Jul	5	1.75	1.81	3.20	6.59	7.99	5.10
	12	1.74	1.80	3.06	6.53	7.92	5.04
	19	1.72	1.79	2.94	6.54	7.94	5.00
	26	1.74	1.77	2.74	6.46	7.80	4.94
Aug	2	1.75	1.77	2.68	6.54	7.78	5.00
	9	1.70	1.70	2.44	6.45	7.69	4.99
	16	1.71	1.70	2.51	6.31	7.53	4.89
	23	1.72	1.73	2.56	6.33	7.55	4.97
	30	1.72	1.76	2.53	6.33	7.51	4.91
Sep	6	1.72	1.75	2.34	6.21	7.40	4.78
	13	1.73	1.77	2.49	6.21	7.43	4.77
	20	1.72	1.77	2.40	6.12	7.37	4.69
	27	1.72	1.75	2.32	6.06	7.34	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 September 27, 2002.

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

Selected Interest Rates

Averages of Daily Figures



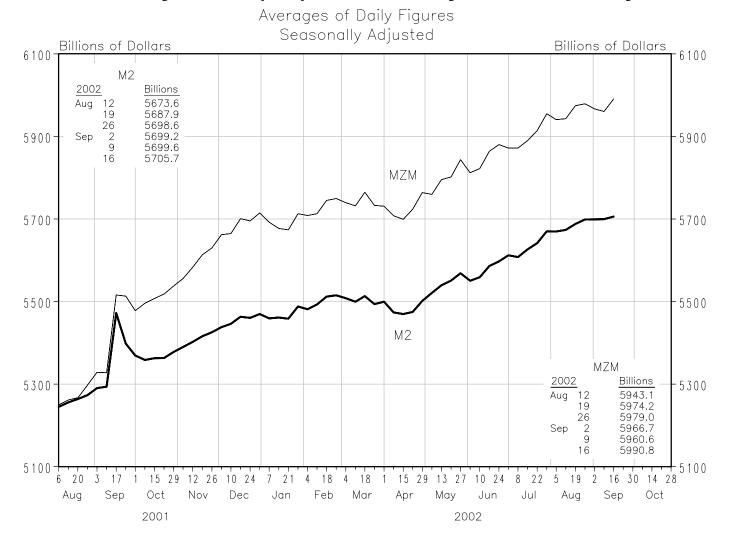
2002	Federal Funds **	3-Month Treasury Bill	2—Year Treasury Securities	5—Year Treasury Securities	10-Year Treasury Securities	Treasury Long—Term Average
Jul 5	1.75	1.69	2.84	4.05	4.83	5.63
12	1.73	1.69	2.67	3.92	4.71	5.54
19	1.74	1.69	2.57	3.85	4.68	5.55
26	1.72	1.67	2.32	3.56	4.47	5.45
Aug 2	1.72	1.66	2.24	3.53	4.52	5.48
9	1.74	1.59	2.04	3.29	4.35	5.34
16	1.72	1.61	2.14	3.25	4.18	5.16
23	1.73	1.61	2.18	3.32	4.24	5.19
30	1.76	1.65	2.19	3.29	4.21	5.15
Sep 6	1.81	1.61	2.02	3.03	3.98	4.96
13	1.73	1.66	2.12	3.08	4.00	4.98
20	1.73	1.65	2.01	2.93	3.84	4.87
27 *	1.72	1.62	1.95	2.78	3.72	4.81

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^{*} Averages of rates available

^{**} Seven—day averages for week ending two days earlier than date shown

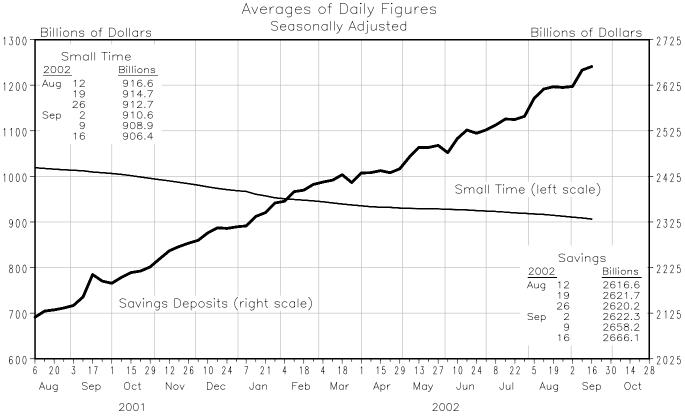
Money Stock(M2) and Money Zero Maturity



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.

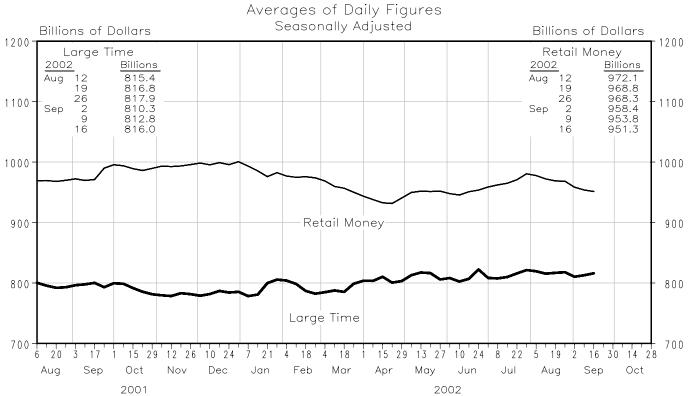
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Savings and Small Time Deposits



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Large Time Deposits and Retail Money Funds

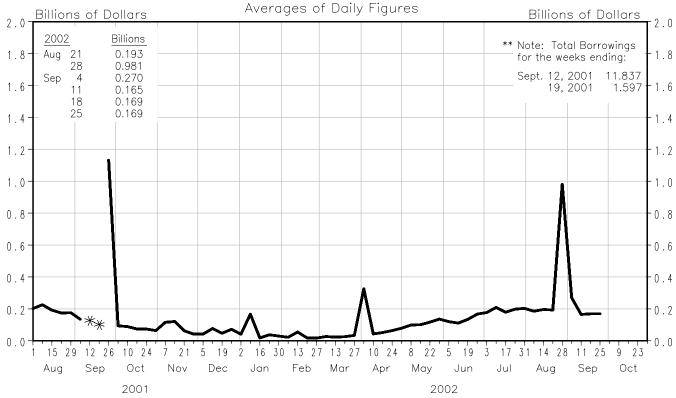


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Total Borrowings

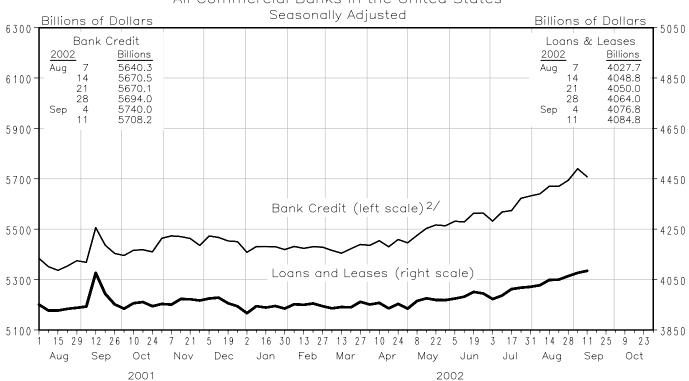
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Borrowings include seasonal, adjustment and extended credit.

Bank Loans and Credit

All Commercial Banks in the United States 1/

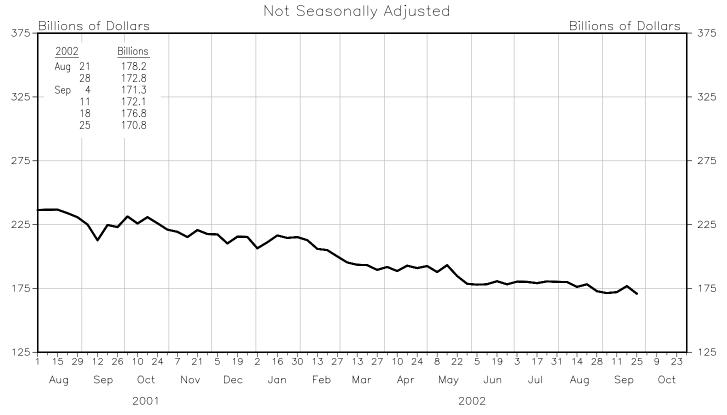


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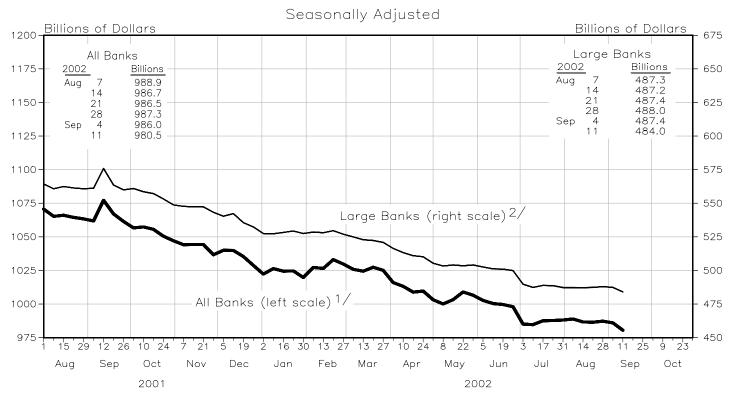
^{2/} Includes loans and leases and securities

Commercial Paper of Nonfinancial Companies



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Commercial and Industrial Loans

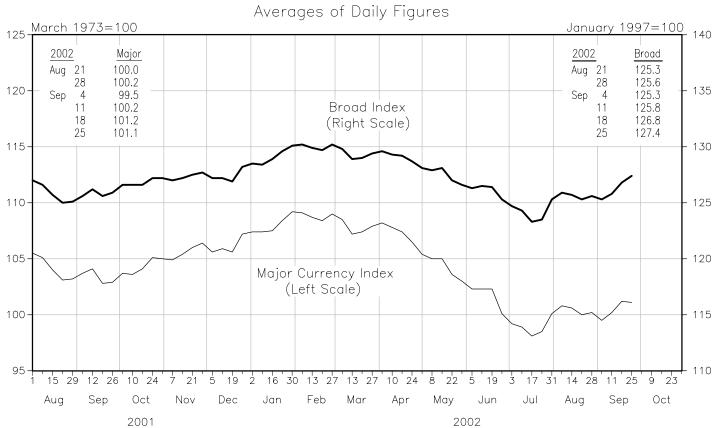


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^{2/} Weekly reporting, domestically chartered banks

Trade – Weighted Exchange Rate Indexes



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

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