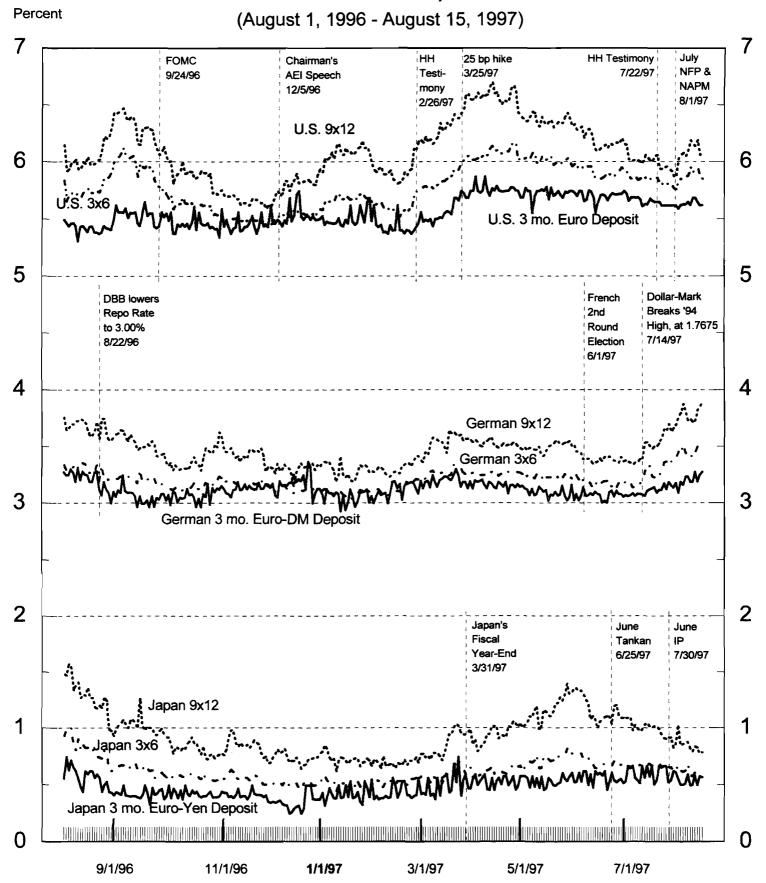
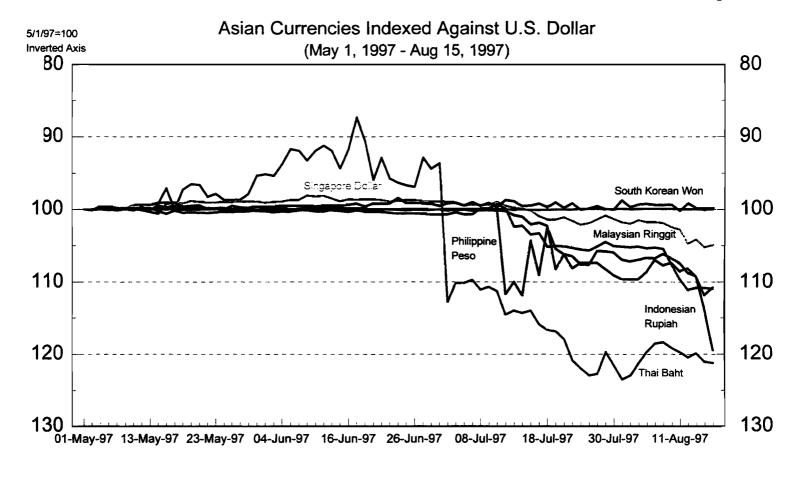
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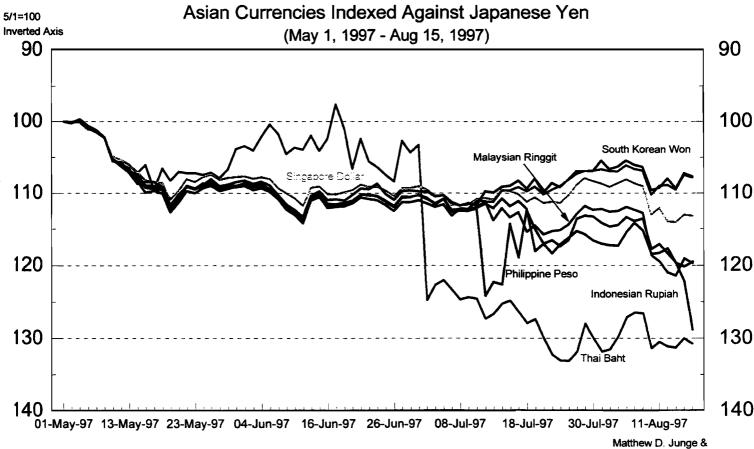
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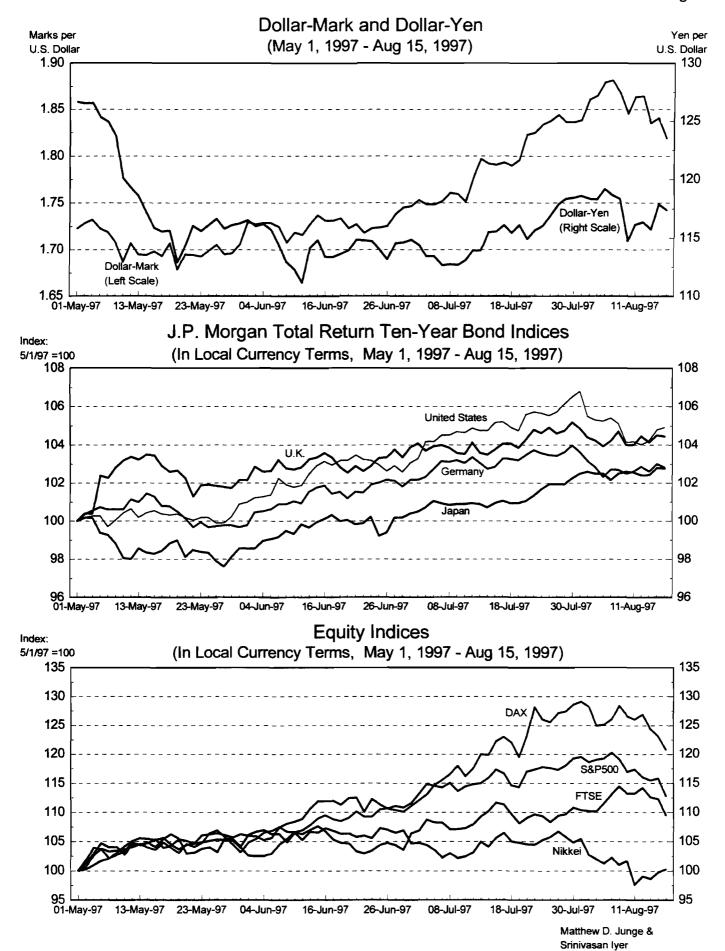


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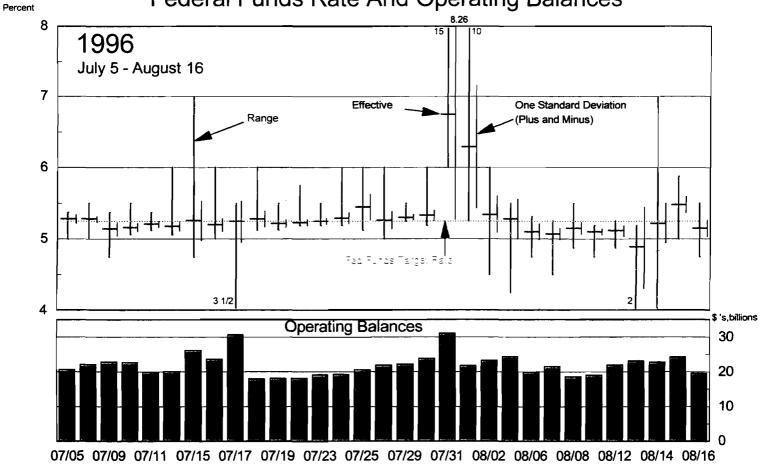
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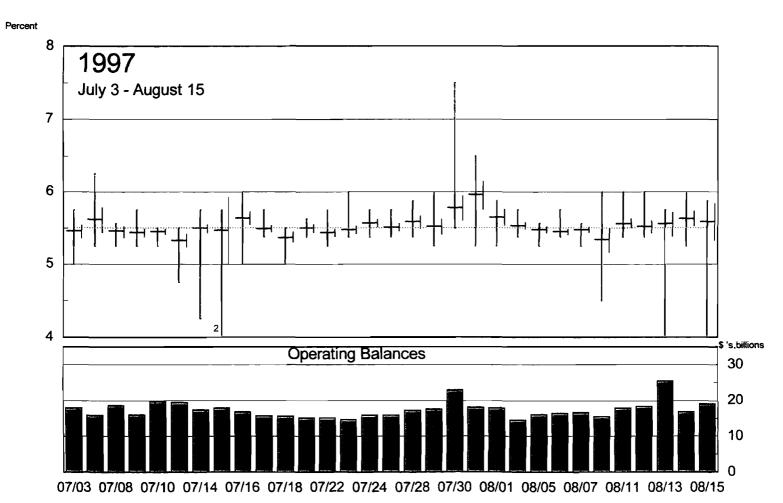
Growth needs to be moderate, or slowed, to avoid a pick up in inflation.

As a result of investment, productivity, competition, etc., growth can be strong, and even accelerate, without causing inflation to rise.

	<u>Pessimist</u>	<u>Optimist</u>	<u>Optimist</u>	<u>Pessimist</u>
Current view of economy:	INFLATION is about to break out! It's hiding in the lags.	Inflation is probably coming; but how soon is hard to tell.	It's a new era: product-ivity growth is taming inflation.	DEFLATION is here! There's no pricing power. Global capacity glut looms ahead.
View of Fed:	Behind the curve; providing too much liquidity.	Doing a good job; maybe they can pull this off for a few more quarters.	Doing a great job! Greenspan is a genius! Maybe they can pull this off forever.	Way too tight; only making the deflation worse.
Response to low inflation and strong activity: (e.g., 8/13 PPI and Retail Sales)	Sells stocks short; sells bonds short at low yields.	Buys stocks and bonds on dips; sells them on rallies.	Buys loads of stocks and some bonds whenever possible.	Sells stocks short; buys Treasuries.

# Federal Funds Rate And Operating Balances

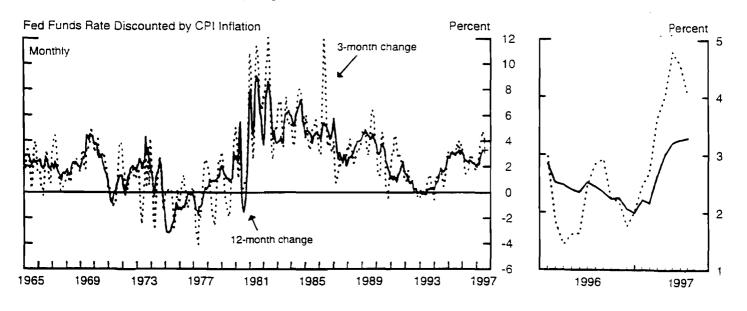


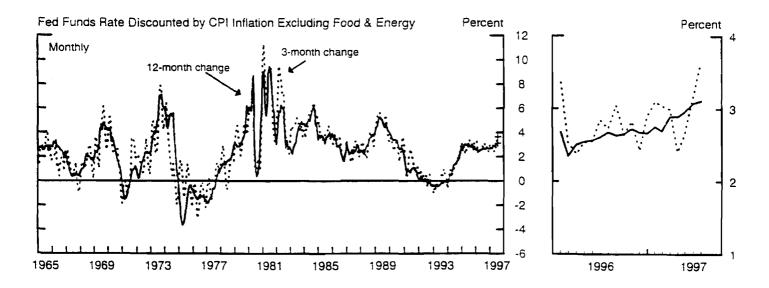


## **APPENDIX 2**

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Chart 10
Real Federal Funds Rate
(Using the Actual CPI-Measured Inflation Rate)



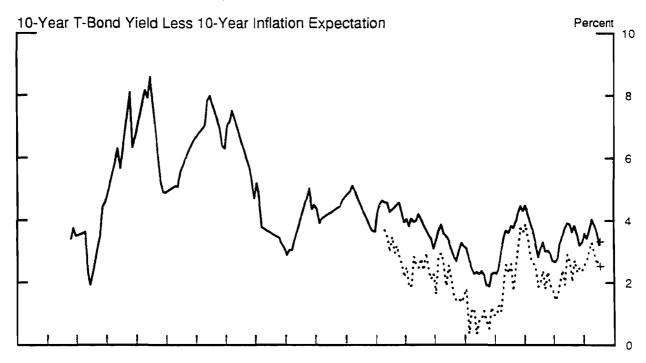


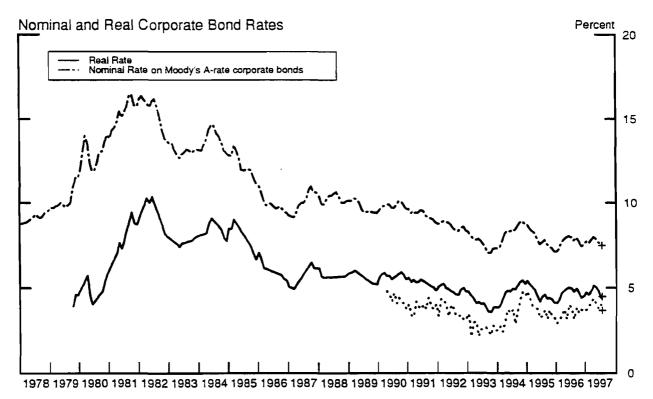
### Period Averages of Monthly Real Fed Funds Rate

	Real rate using:					
	C	СРІ		CPI exc. food & energy		
	3-month change	12-month change	3-month change	12-month change		
Entire Sample	2.49	2.37	2.53	2.44		
1979-97	3.50	3.27	3.26	3.06		
1987-97	2.35	2.29	2.21	2.11		
July 1997	4.04	3.30	3.64	3.11		

Chart 5

Long-Term Real Interest Rates\*

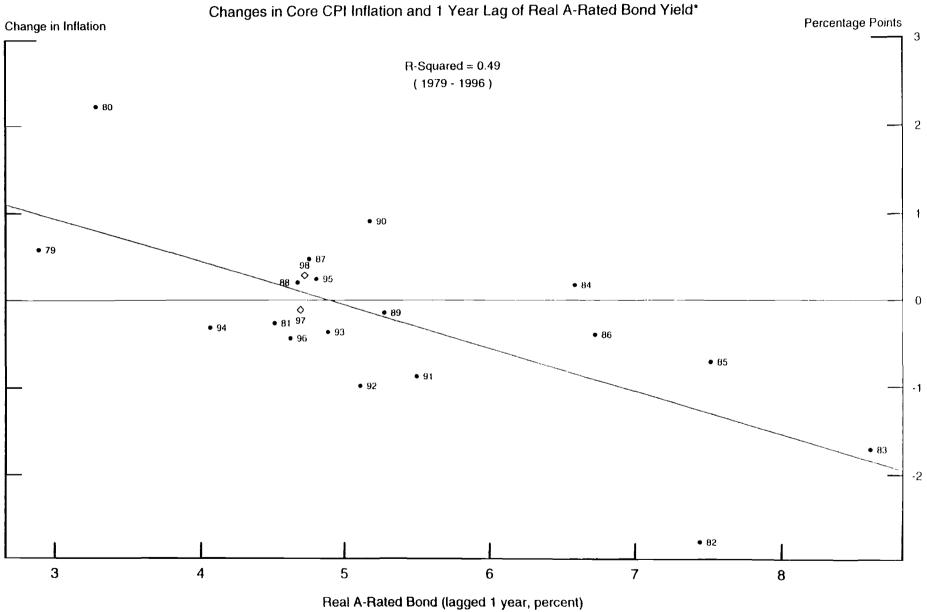




<sup>\*</sup> For real rates, the solid line measures 10-year inflation expectations by the Blue Chip survey until April 1991 and the Philadelphia Federal Reserve Bank survey thereafter. Dotted line uses Michigan 5 to 10 year inflation expectation.

+ Denotes most recent weekly value.

Chart 13



<sup>\*</sup>Annual average nominal A-rated bond yield deflated by Hoey/Philadelphia Fed survey measure of long-run inflation expectations. Points for 1997 and 1998 are based on the Greenbook forecast.