## **FEDERAL RESERVE** statistical release

## OF GOVERNORS OF THE SECOND SEC

## H.3 (502) AGGREGATE RESERVES OF DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS AND THE MONETARY BASE

Table 1

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Not seasonally adjusted
Millions of dollars unless otherwise noted

Date		Reserve balances required		Reserve balances maintained <sup>4</sup>			
	Reserve balance requirements <sup>1</sup>	Top of penalty- free band <sup>2</sup>	Bottom of penalty- free band <sup>3</sup>	Total	Balances maintained to satisfy reserve balance requirements <sup>5</sup>	Balances maintained that exceed the top of the penalty- free band <sup>6</sup>	
Month <sup>7</sup> 2016-Oct. Nov. Dec.	105,688	116,270	95,108	2,095,127	116,011	1,979,116	
	107,345	118,091	96,599	2,140,315	117,875	2,022,440	
	105,944	116,551	95,338	2,031,007	116,285	1,914,722	
2017-Jan.	110,483	121,546	99,424	2,092,776	121,169	1,971,607	
Feb.	108,252	119,092	97,415	2,237,980	118,775	2,119,205	
Mar.	108,174	119,005	97,345	2,326,253	118,757	2,207,497	
Apr.	113,224	124,561	101,890	2,281,420	124,219	2,157,202	
May	115,464	127,023	103,906	2,225,769	126,547	2,099,222	
June	118,187	130,018	106,357	2,206,547	129,695	2,076,852	
July	120,636	132,712	108,561	2,233,323	132,296	2,101,027	
Aug.	120,091	132,113	108,071	2,344,015	131,641	2,212,375	
Sept.	122,109	134,332	109,887	2,295,735	133,950	2,161,785	
Oct.	116,873	128,574	105,176	2,245,701	128,204	2,117,497	
Two weeks ending <sup>8</sup> 2017-Sept. 13 Sept. 27	114,052 130,996	125,471 144,108	102,637 117,885	2,362,531 2,252,755	125,136 143,647	2,237,395 2,109,108	
Oct. 11	115,545	127,113	103,980	2,206,857	126,887	2,079,970	
Oct. 25	115,556	127,125	103,990	2,262,563	126,717	2,135,846	
Nov. 8	122,382	134,632	110,134	2,277,572	134,090	2,143,482	

<sup>1.</sup> Equals required reserves (table 2, column 2) less vault cash used to satisfy required reserves (table 2, column 4).

<sup>2.</sup> Equals the sum of each institution's top of the penalty-free band. For each institution, the top of the penalty-free band is equal to the institution's reserve balance requirement plus an amount that is the greater of 10 percent of the institution's reserve balance requirement or \$50,000.

<sup>3.</sup> Equals the sum of each institution's bottom of the penalty-free band. For each institution, the bottom of the penalty-free band is equal to the institution's reserve balance requirement less an amount that is the greater of 10 percent of the institution's reserve balance requirement or \$50,000.

<sup>4.</sup> Effective February 18, 2014, omits balances held by designated financial market utilities. These balances are reported in the H.4.1 statistical release.

<sup>5.</sup> Equals the sum of balances maintained up to the top of each institution's penalty-free band.

<sup>6.</sup> Equals the sum of balances maintained that exceed the top of each institution's penalty-free band.

<sup>7.</sup> Prorated averages of biweekly averages.

<sup>8.</sup> Averages of daily figures.

**Table 2**Not seasonally adjusted Millions of dollars

Date	Res	Reserves		Vault cash <sup>2</sup>			Monetary base		
	Total <sup>1</sup>	Required	Total	Used to satisfy required reserves <sup>3</sup>	Surplus <sup>4</sup>	Total⁵	Total balances maintained <sup>6</sup>	Currency in circulation	
Month <sup>7</sup>	•					•			
2016-Oct. Nov. Dec.	2,156,060 2,201,670 2,095,286	166,622 168,699 170,224	71,123 71,126 74,750	60,933 61,355 64,280	10,190 9,772 10,470	3,572,132 3,629,770 3,531,565	2,095,127 2,140,315 2,031,007	1,477,005 1,489,455 1,500,558	
2017-Jan. Feb. Mar.	2,158,542 2,302,936 2,387,779	176,249 173,208 169,699	75,792 76,276 72,018	65,766 64,956 61,525	10,027 11,319 10,492	3,595,455 3,746,408 3,856,287	2,092,776 2,237,980 2,326,253	1,502,679 1,508,429 1,530,034	
Apr. May June	2,344,812 2,288,936 2,269,683	176,616 178,630 181,324	74,051 72,953 72,880	63,392 63,167 63,137	10,659 9,786 9,743	3,821,697 3,774,412 3,762,780	2,281,420 2,225,769 2,206,547	1,540,277 1,548,643 1,556,234	
July Aug. Sept.	2,296,929 2,407,173 2,357,875	184,242 183,249 184,248	73,581 74,404 73,044	63,606 63,158 62,140	9,974 11,246 10,905	3,795,430 3,910,022 3,874,484	2,233,323 2,344,015 2,295,735	1,562,107 1,566,007 1,578,749	
Oct.	2,310,902	182,074	76,482	65,200	11,282	3,829,898	2,245,701	1,584,197	
Two weeks ending 2017-Sept. 13 Sept. 27	s 2,422,417 2,316,412	173,938 194,653	72,564 72,776	59,886 63,657	12,678 9,119	3,939,815 3,832,050	2,362,531 2,252,755	1,577,284 1,579,295	
Oct. 11 Oct. 25	2,271,684 2,328,554	180,372 181,547	76,381 77,424	64,827 65,991	11,554 11,433	3,789,409 3,846,518	2,206,857 2,262,563	1,582,553 1,583,955	
Nov. 8	2,341,612	186,422	74,471	64,040	10,431	3,865,347	2,277,572	1,587,775	

<sup>1.</sup> Equals total reserve balances maintained (table 1, column 4) plus vault cash used to satisfy required reserves.

<sup>2.</sup> Vault cash eligible to satisfy reserve requirements. It includes only vault cash held by institutions not exempt from reserve requirements. Dates refer to the maintenance periods for which the vault cash can be used to satisfy reserve requirements.

<sup>3.</sup> All vault cash held during the lagged computation period by "bound" institutions (that is, those whose required reserves exceed their vault cash) plus the amount of vault cash applied during the maintenance period by "nonbound" institutions (that is, those whose vault cash exceeds their required reserves) to satisfy current reserve requirements.

<sup>4.</sup> Total vault cash eligible to satisfy reserve requirements, held by institutions not exempt from reserve requirements, minus the amount used to satisfy reserve requirements.

<sup>5.</sup> Equals total balances maintained plus currency in circulation.

<sup>6.</sup> Effective February 18, 2014, omits balances held by designated financial market utilities. These balances are reported in the H.4.1 statistical release.

<sup>7.</sup> Prorated averages of biweekly averages.

<sup>8.</sup> Averages of daily figures.

Table 3 Not seasonally adjusted Millions of dollars

Date	Borrowings from the Federal Reserve						
	Total	Primary	Secondary	Seasonal	Other credit extensions	Nonborrowed reserves <sup>1</sup>	
Month <sup>2</sup>							
016-Oct.	125	5	0	119	0	2,155,936	
Nov.	39	8	0	30	0	2,201,631	
Dec.	39	13	0	25	0	2,095,247	
017-Jan.	16	11	0	5	0	2,158,526	
Feb.	21	17	0	4	0	2,302,916	
Mar.	12	7	0	5	0	2,387,767	
Apr.	45	21	0	24	0	2,344,767	
May	56	11	0	44	0	2,288,880	
June	95	15	0	80	0	2,269,588	
July	166	12	0	154	0	2,296,763	
Aug.	220	7	0	213	0	2,406,953	
Sept.	224	10	0	214	0	2,357,651	
Oct.	151	4	0	146	0	2,310,751	
wo weeks ending <sup>3</sup>							
017-Sept. 13	213	3	0	210	0	2,422,205	
Sept. 27	243	19	0	224	0	2,316,170	
Oct. 11	186	3	0	182	0	2,271,498	
Oct. 25	155	6	0	148	0	2,328,400	
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Nov. 8	79	5	0	75	0	2,341,533	

Equals total reserves (table 2, column 1) less total borrowings from the Federal Reserve.
 Prorated averages of biweekly averages.
 Averages of daily figures.