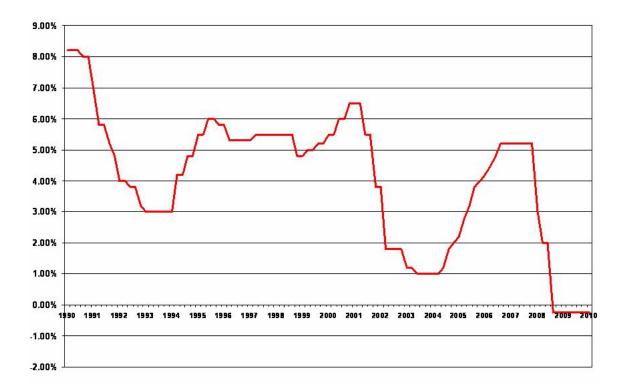
Federal Reserve's Monetary Policy (1990-Now)



Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) intended federal funds rate, (change and level, 1990 to present)

| Change (basis points) | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Date | Increase | Decrease | Level (percent) | | | | | | |
| 2008 | | | | | | | | | |
| December 16 | | 75-100 | 0-0.25 | | | | | | |
| October 29 | | 50 | 1.00 | | | | | | |
| October 8 | | 50 | 1.50 | | | | | | |
| April 30 | | 25 | 2.00 | | | | | | |
| March 18 | | 75 | 2.25 | | | | | | |
| January 30 | | 50 | 3.00 | | | | | | |
| January 22 | | 75 | 3.50 | | | | | | |
| 2007 | | | | | | | | | |
| December 11 | | 25 | 4.25 | | | | | | |
| October 31 | | 25 | 4.50 | | | | | | |
| September 18 | ••• | 50 | 4.75 | | | | | | |
| 2006 | | | | | | | | | |
| June 29 | 25 | | 5.25 | | | | | | |

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| 2002 | | | | 1 | 995 | | |
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| November 6 | ••• | 50 | 1.25 | D | December 19 | | 25 |
| | | | | Jı | uly 6 | | 25 |
| 2001 | | | | F | ebruary 1 | 50 | |
| December 11 | | 25 | 1.75 | | | | |
| November 6 | | 50 | 2.00 | 1: | 994 | | |
| October 2 | ••• | 50 | 2.50 | | Vovember 15 | 75 | |
| September 17 | ••• | 50 | 3.00 | A | August 16 | 50 | |
| August 21 | ••• | 25 | 3.50 | N | 1ay 17 | 50 | |
| June 27 | ••• | 25 | 3.75 | A | pril 18 | 25 | |
| May 15 | | 50 | 4.00 | N | March 22 | 25 | |
| April 18 | | 50 | 4.50 | F | ebruary 4 | 25 | |
| March 20 | | 50 | 5.00 | | | | |
| January 31 | | 50 | 5.50 | | 992 | | |
| January 3 | ••• | 50 | 6.00 | | eptember 4 | ••• | 25 |
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| 2000 | | | | A | pril 9 | ••• | 25 |
| May 16 | 50 | | 6.50 | 1: | 991 | | |
| March 21 | 25 | | 6.00 | | December 20 | | 50 |
| February 2 | 25 | | 5.75 | | December 6 | ••• | 25 |
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| November 16 | 25 | | 5.50 | | October 31 | ••• | 25 |
| August 24 | 25 | ••• | 5.25 | | eptember 13 | ••• | 25 |
| June 30 | 25 | ••• | 5.23 | | _ | ••• | 25 25 |
| June 30 | 23 | ••• | 3.00 | | August 6 | ••• | 25 25 |
| 1998 | | | | | April 30 March 8 | ••• | |
| November 17 | | 25 | 4.75 | | | ••• | 25 50 |
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| September 29 | | 25 | 5.25 | J | anuary 9 | ••• | 25 |
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| 1997 | | | | | December 18 | | 25 |
| March 25 | 25 | | 5.50 | | December 7 | | 25 |
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| 1996 | | | | | October 29 | | 25 |
| January 31 | ••• | 25 | 5.25 | | uly 13 | | 25 |
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A basis point is 1/100 percentage point.

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Source: http://www.federalreserve.gov/fomc/fundsrate.htm

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- Boston (A), Philadelphia (C), Richmond (E)
- Cleveland (D), Chicago (G)
- Atlanta (F), St. Louis (H), Dallas (K)
- Minneapolis (I), Kansas City (J), San Francisco (L)