## Table 1.1. U.S. International Transactions [Millions of dollars] Release Date: June 23, 2021 - Next Release Date: September 21, 2021

|      |   | Seasonally adjusted |
|------|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Line |   | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2021                |
|      |   | Q1                  | Q2                  | Q3                  | Q4                  | Q1                  |
|      | Current account   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 1    | Exports of goods and services and income receipts (credits)   | 892,575             | 707,716             | 806,445             | 851,907             | 888,746             |
| 2    | Exports of goods and services   | 597,400             | 454,987             | 523,259             | 558,795             | 584,450             |
| 3    | Goods   | 398,143             | 289,779             | 356,826             | 384,050             | 408,579             |
| 4    | Services  | 199,257             | 165,208             | 166,433             | 174,745             | 175,871             |
| 5    | Primary income receipts   | 253,442             | 212,111             | 240,265             | 252,040             | 261,650             |
| 6    | Investment income   | 251,710             | 210,530             | 238,676             | 250,444             | 260,033             |
| 7    | Compensation of employees   | 1,732               | 1,581               | 1,588               | 1,596               | 1,617               |
| 8    | Secondary income (current transfer) receipts 1  | 41,733              | 40,618              | 42,921              | 41,072              | 42,645              |
| 9    | Imports of goods and services and income payments (debits)  | 1,007,363           | 861,582             | 978,807             | 1,026,986           | 1,084,485           |
| 10   | Imports of goods and services   | 731,649             | 613,536             | 710,359             | 755,582             | 797,209             |
| 11   | Goods   | 598,403             | 513,050             | 602,196             | 637,175             | 677,037             |
| 12   | Services  | 133,246             | 100,485             | 108,163             | 118,406             | 120,172             |
| 13   | Primary income payments   | 201,978             | 177,587             | 192,008             | 197,824             | 211,366             |
| 14   | Investment income   | 197,939             | 174,266             | 188,552             | 194,211             | 207,526             |
| 15   | Compensation of employees   | 4,039               | 3,321               | 3,456               | 3,613               | 3,840               |
| 16   | Secondary income (current transfer) payments 1  | 73,736              | 70,459              | 76,440              | 73,580              | 75,910              |
|      | Capital account   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 17   | Capital transfer receipts and other credits   | 10                  | 4                   | 348                 | 9                   | 25                  |
| 18   | Capital transfer payments and other debits  | 2,877               | 951                 | 898                 | 1,133               | 2,764               |
|      | Financial account   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 19   | Net U.S. acquisition of financial assets excluding financial derivatives (net increase in assets / financial outflow (+)) | 805,505             | -253,779            | 29,307              | 228,289             | 382,022             |
| 20   | Direct investment assets  | 28,801              | 63,839              | 122,349             | 96,702              | 64,039              |
| 21   | Portfolio investment assets   | 55,209              | -10,340             | 121,217             | 53,940              | 304,691             |
| 22   | Other investment assets   | 721,740             | -312,239            | -216,078            | 75,209              | 15,391              |
| 23   | Reserve assets  | -245                | 4,960               | 1,820               | 2,438               | -2,100              |
| 24   | Net U.S. incurrence of liabilities excluding financial derivatives (net increase in liabilities / financial inflow (+))   | 934,491             | -181,226            | 201,141             | 502,122             | 554,904             |
| 25   | Direct investment liabilities   | 44,716              | -46,832             | 111,589             | 101,824             | 64,540              |
| 26   | Portfolio investment liabilities  | -27,944             | 272,485             | 114,935             | 350,675             | 326,494             |
| 27   | Other investment liabilities  | 917,719             | -406,879            | -25,383             | 49,623              | 163,869             |
| 28   | Financial derivatives other than reserves, net transactions ${\bf 2}$   | -25,136             | -11,702             | 28,425              | 2,633               | -2,344              |
|      | Statistical discrepancy   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 29   | Statistical discrepancy <sup>3</sup>  | -36,467             | 70,556              | 29,504              | -94,997             | 23,253              |
| 29a  | Of which: Seasonal adjustment discrepancy   | 11,022              | -13,522             | -24,377             | 26,877              | 9,195               |
|      | Balances  |                     | ,                   |                     | ,<br>               | ,                   |
| 30   | Balance on current account (line 1 less line 9) 4   | -114,788            | -153,866            | -172,362            | -175,079            | -195,739            |

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| Line |   | Seasonally adjusted |
|------|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|      |   | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2021                |
|      |   | Q1                  | Q2                  | Q3                  | Q4                  | Q1                  |
| 31   | Balance on goods and services (line 2 less line 10)   | -134,248            | -158,549            | -187,101            | -196,787            | -212,759            |
| 32   | Balance on goods (line 3 less line 11)  | -200,260            | -223,271            | -245,370            | -253,125            | -268,457            |
| 33   | Balance on services (line 4 less line 12)   | 66,011              | 64,723              | 58,270              | 56,339              | 55,699              |
| 34   | Balance on primary income (line 5 less line 13)   | 51,464              | 34,524              | 48,257              | 54,216              | 50,284              |
| 35   | Balance on secondary income (line 8 less line 16)   | -32,004             | -29,841             | -33,519             | -32,508             | -33,264             |
| 36   | Balance on capital account (line 17 less line 18) <sup>4</sup>  | -2,867              | -946                | -550                | -1,124              | -2,740              |
| 37   | Net lending (+) or net borrowing (-) from current- and capital-account transactions (line 30 plus line 36) <sup>5</sup>         | -117,655            | -154,812            | -172,912            | -176,203            | -198,479            |
| 38   | Net lending (+) or net borrowing (-) from<br>financial-account transactions (line 19 less<br>line 24 plus line 28) <sup>5</sup> | -154,122            | -84,255             | -143,408            | -271,199            | -175,226            |

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Quarterly estimates are not annualized and are expressed at quarterly rates.

- 1. Secondary income (current transfer) receipts and payments include U.S. government and private transfers, such as U.S. government grants and pensions, fines and penalties, withholding taxes, personal transfers (remittances), insurance-related transfers, and other current transfers.
- 2. Transactions for financial derivatives are only available as a net value equal to transactions for assets less transactions for liabilities. A positive value represents net U.S. cash payments arising from derivatives contracts, and a negative value represents net U.S. cash receipts.
- 3. The statistical discrepancy, which can be calculated as line 38 less line 37, is the difference between total debits and total credits recorded in the current, capital, and financial accounts. In the current and capital accounts, credits and debits are labeled in the table. In the financial account, an acquisition of an asset or a repayment of a liability is a debit, and an incurrence of a liability or a disposal of an asset is a credit.
- 4. Current- and capital-account statistics in the international transactions accounts differ slightly from statistics in the national income and product accounts (NIPAs) because of adjustments made to convert the international transactions statistics to national economic accounting concepts. A reconciliation between annual statistics in the two sets of accounts appears in NIPA table 4.3B.
- 5. Net lending means that U.S. residents are net suppliers of funds to foreign residents, and net borrowing means the opposite. Net lending or net borrowing can be computed from current- and capital-account transactions or from financial-account transactions. The two amounts differ by the statistical discrepancy.

# Table 1.2. U.S. International Transactions, Expanded Detail [Millions of dollars] Release Date: June 23, 2021 - Next Release Date: September 21, 2021

|      |   | Seasonally adjusted |
|------|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Line |   | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2021                |
|      |   | Q1                  | Q2                  | Q3                  | Q4                  | Q1                  |
|      | Current account   |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 1    | Exports of goods and services and income receipts (credits) | 892,575             | 707,716             | 806,445             | 851,907             | 888,746             |
| 2    | Exports of goods and services                               | 597,400             | 454,987             | 523,259             | 558,795             | 584,450             |
| 3    | Goods   | 398,143             | 289,779             | 356,826             | 384,050             | 408,579             |
| 4    | General merchandise   | 393,208             | 284,404             | 349,705             | 376,467             | 398,443             |
| 5    | Foods, feeds, and beverages                                 | 33,351              | 32,321              | 34,741              | 38,922              | 40,667              |
| 6    | Industrial supplies and materials                           | 129,625             | 92,551              | 108,713             | 119,483             | 134,752             |
| 7    | Capital goods except automotive                             | 131,461             | 99,585              | 112,003             | 117,444             | 122,323             |
| 8    | Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines                     | 37,779              | 15,328              | 36,438              | 38,372              | 37,395              |
| 9    | Consumer goods except food and automotive                   | 46,844              | 33,526              | 44,822              | 48,781              | 48,256              |
| 10   | Other general merchandise                                   | 14,149              | 11,092              | 12,987              | 13,464              | 15,051              |
| 11   | Net exports of goods under merchanting                      | 227                 | 230                 | 252                 | 276                 | 302                 |
| 12   | Nonmonetary gold  | 4,708               | 5,145               | 6,869               | 7,307               | 9,833               |
| 13   | Services  | 199,257             | 165,208             | 166,433             | 174,745             | 175,871             |
| 14   | Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others   | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                |
| 15   | Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.                      | 4,184               | 3,440               | 2,833               | 2,820               | 2,982               |
| 16   | Transport   | 20,211              | 11,002              | 12,191              | 13,301              | 13,925              |
| 17   | Travel (for all purposes including education) 1             | 36,405              | 13,914              | 10,527              | 11,967              | 13,426              |
| 18   | Construction  | 624                 | 624                 | 596                 | 505                 | 498                 |
| 19   | Insurance services  | 5,028               | 4,769               | 5,353               | 5,281               | 5,351               |
| 20   | Financial services  | 35,289              | 35,106              | 36,004              | 37,944              | 38,154              |
| 21   | Charges for the use of intellectual property n.i.e.         | 27,718              | 26,960              | 28,757              | 30,343              | 28,183              |
| 22   | Telecommunications, computer, and information services      | 13,956              | 13,719              | 13,501              | 15,505              | 14,493              |
| 23   | Other business services                                     | 45,449              | 46,460              | 45,402              | 45,869              | 47,199              |
| 24   | Personal, cultural, and recreational services               | 4,807               | 4,119               | 5,740               | 5,777               | 6,018               |
| 25   | Government goods and services n.i.e.                        | 5,586               | 5,095               | 5,528               | 5,433               | 5,641               |
| 26   | Primary income receipts                                     | 253,442             | 212,111             | 240,265             | 252,040             | 261,650             |
| 27   | Investment income   | 251,710             | 210,530             | 238,676             | 250,444             | 260,033             |
| 28   | Direct investment income                                    | 117,295             | 104,885             | 132,107             | 141,436             | 150,171             |
| 29   | Portfolio investment income                                 | 109,245             | 88,773              | 91,205              | 94,038              | 95,832              |
| 30   | Other investment income                                     | 25,022              | 16,807              | 15,321              | 14,974              | 13,965              |
| 31   | Reserve asset income  | 149                 | 65                  | 44                  | -3                  | 65                  |
| 32   | Compensation of employees                                   | 1,732               | 1,581               | 1,588               | 1,596               | 1,617               |
| 33   | Secondary income (current transfer) receipts 2              | 41,733              | 40,618              | 42,921              | 41,072              | 42,645              |
| 34   | Imports of goods and services and income payments (debits)  | 1,007,363           | 861,582             | 978,807             | 1,026,986           | 1,084,485           |
| 35   | Imports of goods and services                               | 731,649             | 613,536             | 710,359             | 755,582             | 797,209             |

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|      |  | Seasonally adjusted |
|------|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Line |  | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2020                | 2021                |
|      |  | Q1                  | Q2                  | Q3                  | Q4                  | Q1                  |
| 36   | Goods  | 598,403             | 513,050             | 602,196             | 637,175             | 677,037             |
| 37   | General merchandise  | 592,212             | 480,008             | 587,803             | 629,137             | 670,160             |
| 38   | Foods, feeds, and beverages  | 38,661              | 36,951              | 39,734              | 40,104              | 41,284              |
| 39   | Industrial supplies and materials  | 121,320             | 90,706              | 103,738             | 114,295             | 136,107             |
| 40   | Capital goods except automotive  | 162,411             | 147,162             | 165,285             | 173,646             | 183,776             |
| 41   | Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines  | 88,324              | 41,249              | 85,142              | 96,590              | 90,642              |
| 42   | Consumer goods except food and automotive  | 153,043             | 142,617             | 167,608             | 177,787             | 190,923             |
| 43   | Other general merchandise  | 28,453              | 21,323              | 26,297              | 26,716              | 27,428              |
| 44   | Nonmonetary gold   | 6,191               | 33,042              | 14,393              | 8,038               | 6,877               |
| 45   | Services   | 133,246             | 100,485             | 108,163             | 118,406             | 120,172             |
| 46   | Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others  | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                |
| 47   | Maintenance and repair services n.i.e.   | 1,626               | 1,393               | 1,508               | 1,562               | 1,810               |
| 48   | Transport  | 23,521              | 13,934              | 16,227              | 18,728              | 20,073              |
| 49   | Travel (for all purposes including education) 1  | 22,179              | 2,383               | 3,687               | 7,559               | 7,943               |
| 50   | Construction   | 330                 | 261                 | 227                 | 312                 | 292                 |
| 51   | Insurance services   | 13,453              | 13,383              | 14,381              | 14,399              | 14,481              |
| 52   | Financial services   | 10,736              | 10,447              | 10,204              | 10,869              | 10,636              |
| 53   | Charges for the use of intellectual property n.i.e.  | 10,856              | 9,004               | 11,165              | 11,959              | 12,464              |
| 54   | Telecommunications, computer, and information services   | 9,798               | 9,377               | 9,263               | 10,156              | 9,898               |
| 55   | Other business services  | 29,126              | 28,607              | 29,342              | 30,598              | 30,539              |
| 56   | Personal, cultural, and recreational services  | 5,544               | 5,547               | 6,027               | 6,067               | 5,781               |
| 57   | Government goods and services n.i.e.   | 6,076               | 6,147               | 6,132               | 6,197               | 6,255               |
| 58   | Primary income payments  | 201,978             | 177,587             | 192,008             | 197,824             | 211,366             |
| 59   | Investment income  | 197,939             | 174,266             | 188,552             | 194,211             | 207,526             |
| 60   | Direct investment income   | 41,607              | 34,101              | 50,147              | 53,342              | 63,078              |
| 61   | Portfolio investment income  | 127,877             | 118,651             | 119,840             | 122,822             | 127,711             |
| 62   | Other investment income  | 28,455              | 21,514              | 18,566              | 18,048              | 16,736              |
| 63   | Compensation of employees  | 4,039               | 3,321               | 3,456               | 3,613               | 3,840               |
| 64   | Secondary income (current transfer) payments <sup>2</sup>  | 73,736              | 70,459              | 76,440              | 73,580              | 75,910              |
|      | Capital account  |                     |                     |                     |                     |                     |
| 65   | Capital transfer receipts and other credits  | 10                  | 4                   | 348                 | 9                   | 25                  |
| 66   | Capital transfer payments and other debits   | 2,877               | 951                 | 898                 | 1,133               | 2,764               |
| 67   | Financial account  Net U.S. acquisition of financial assets excluding financial derivatives (net increase in assets / financial outflow (+)) | 805,505             | -253,779            | 29,307              | 228,289             | 382,022             |
| 68   | Direct investment assets   | 28,801              | 63,839              | 122,349             | 96,702              | 64,039              |
| 69   | Equity   | 46,491              | 117,719             | 79,749              | 86,913              | 75,056              |

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|      |   | Seasonally adjusted 2020 | Seasonally adjusted 2020 | Seasonally adjusted | Seasonally adjusted | Seasonally adjusted 2021 |
|------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Line |   |                          |                          | 2020                | 2020                |                          |
|      |   | Q1                       | Q2                       | Q3                  | Q4                  | Q1                       |
| 70   | Debt instruments  | -17,690                  | -53,879                  | 42,600              | 9,789               | -11,017                  |
| 71   | Portfolio investment assets   | 55,209                   | -10,340                  | 121,217             | 53,940              | 304,691                  |
| 72   | Equity and investment fund shares   | 267,488                  | -71,865                  | 88,690              | -42,526             | 86,335                   |
| 73   | Debt securities   | -212,279                 | 61,525                   | 32,527              | 96,466              | 218,356                  |
| 74   | Short term  | -123,210                 | 20,509                   | 19,457              | 29,440              | 38,762                   |
| 75   | Long term   | -89,069                  | 41,017                   | 13,069              | 67,026              | 179,594                  |
| 76   | Other investment assets   | 721,740                  | -312,239                 | -216,078            | 75,209              | 15,391                   |
| 77   | Other equity  | 1,298                    | 10                       | 215                 | 324                 | 1,169                    |
| 78   | Currency and deposits   | 542,959                  | -313,148                 | -130,385            | -6,533              | -10,750                  |
| 79   | Loans   | 182,276                  | 6,145                    | -84,148             | 77,929              | 21,087                   |
| 80   | Insurance technical reserves  | n.a.                     | n.a.                     | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                     |
| 81   | Trade credit and advances   | -4,793                   | -5,245                   | -1,761              | 3,489               | 3,884                    |
| 82   | Reserve assets  | -245                     | 4,960                    | 1,820               | 2,438               | -2,100                   |
| 83   | Monetary gold   | 0                        | 0                        | 0                   | 0                   | 0                        |
| 84   | Special drawing rights  | 49                       | 20                       | 5                   | 7                   | 8                        |
| 85   | Reserve position in the International<br>Monetary Fund  | -327                     | 4,902                    | 1,785               | 2,454               | -2,157                   |
| 86   | Other reserve assets  | 33                       | 38                       | 29                  | -23                 | 50                       |
| 87   | Currency and deposits   | -16                      | -17                      | -22                 | -18                 | -4                       |
| 88   | Securities  | 49                       | 56                       | 52                  | -5                  | 54                       |
| 89   | Financial derivatives   | 0                        | 0                        | 0                   | 0                   | 0                        |
| 90   | Other claims  | 0                        | 0                        | 0                   | 0                   | 0                        |
| 91   | Net U.S. incurrence of liabilities excluding financial derivatives (net increase in liabilities / financial inflow (+)) | 934,491                  | -181,226                 | 201,141             | 502,122             | 554,904                  |
| 92   | Direct investment liabilities   | 44,716                   | -46,832                  | 111,589             | 101,824             | 64,540                   |
| 93   | Equity  | 43,350                   | 29,210                   | 42,809              | 82,922              | 68,036                   |
| 94   | Debt instruments  | 1,366                    | -76,041                  | 68,780              | 18,902              | -3,496                   |
| 95   | Portfolio investment liabilities  | -27,944                  | 272,485                  | 114,935             | 350,675             | 326,494                  |
| 96   | Equity and investment fund shares   | 262,517                  | 21,647                   | 117,901             | 246,335             | 99,610                   |
| 97   | Debt securities   | -290,461                 | 250,838                  | -2,966              | 104,340             | 226,885                  |
| 98   | Short term  | -17,933                  | 327,889                  | -38,910             | 1,406               | -44,419                  |
| 99   | Long term   | -272,528                 | -77,050                  | 35,944              | 102,935             | 271,304                  |
| 100  | Other investment liabilities  | 917,719                  | -406,879                 | -25,383             | 49,623              | 163,869                  |
| 101  | Other equity  | n.a.                     | n.a.                     | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                     |
| 102  | Currency and deposits   | 508,379                  | -243,087                 | -4,052              | 62,355              | 93,927                   |
| 103  | Loans   | 405,880                  | -165,191                 | -22,984             | -18,784             | 65,042                   |
| 104  | Insurance technical reserves  | n.a.                     | n.a.                     | n.a.                | n.a.                | n.a.                     |
| 105  | Trade credit and advances   | 3,460                    | 1,399                    | 1,653               | 6,052               | 4,900                    |

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### Table 1.2. U.S. International Transactions, Expanded Detail

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|      |   | Seasonally adjusted  2020  Q1 | Seasonally adjusted 2020 Q2 | Seasonally adjusted 2020 | Seasonally adjusted  2020  Q4 | Seasonally adjusted 2021 |
|------|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Line |   |                               |                             |                          |                               |                          |
|      |   |                               |                             | Q3                       |                               | Q1                       |
| 106  | Special drawing rights allocations  | 0                             | 0                           | 0                        | 0                             | 0                        |
| 107  | Financial derivatives other than reserves, net transactions <sup>3</sup>  | -25,136                       | -11,702                     | 28,425                   | 2,633                         | -2,344                   |
|      | Statistical discrepancy   |                               |                             |                          |                               |                          |
| 108  | Statistical discrepancy <sup>4</sup>  | -36,467                       | 70,556                      | 29,504                   | -94,997                       | 23,253                   |
| 108a | Of which: Seasonal adjustment discrepancy   | 11,022                        | -13,522                     | -24,377                  | 26,877                        | 9,195                    |
|      | Balances  |                               |                             |                          |                               |                          |
| 109  | Balance on current account (line 1 less line 34) 5  | -114,788                      | -153,866                    | -172,362                 | -175,079                      | -195,739                 |
| 110  | Balance on goods and services (line 2 less line 35)   | -134,248                      | -158,549                    | -187,101                 | -196,787                      | -212,759                 |
| 111  | Balance on goods (line 3 less line 36)  | -200,260                      | -223,271                    | -245,370                 | -253,125                      | -268,457                 |
| 112  | Balance on services (line 13 less line 45)  | 66,011                        | 64,723                      | 58,270                   | 56,339                        | 55,699                   |
| 113  | Balance on primary income (line 26 less line 58)  | 51,464                        | 34,524                      | 48,257                   | 54,216                        | 50,284                   |
| 114  | Balance on secondary income (line 33 less line 64)  | -32,004                       | -29,841                     | -33,519                  | -32,508                       | -33,264                  |
| 115  | Balance on capital account (line 65 less line 66) 5   | -2,867                        | -946                        | -550                     | -1,124                        | -2,740                   |
| 116  | Net lending (+) or net borrowing (-) from current- and capital-account transactions (line 109 plus line 115) $^6$ | -117,655                      | -154,812                    | -172,912                 | -176,203                      | -198,479                 |
| 117  | Net lending (+) or net borrowing (-) from financial-account transactions (line 67 less line 91 plus line 107) 6   | -154,122                      | -84,255                     | -143,408                 | -271,199                      | -175,226                 |

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- 2. Secondary income (current transfer) receipts and payments include U.S. government and private transfers, such as U.S. government grants and pensions, fines and penalties, withholding taxes, personal transfers (remittances), insurance-related transfers, and other current transfers.
- 3. Transactions for financial derivatives are only available as a net value equal to transactions for assets less transactions for liabilities. A positive value represents net U.S. cash payments arising from derivatives contracts, and a negative value represents net U.S. cash receipts.
- 4. The statistical discrepancy, which can be calculated as line 117 less line 116, is the difference between total debits and total credits recorded in the current, capital, and financial accounts. In the current and capital accounts, credits and debits are labeled in the table. In the financial account, an acquisition of an asset or a repayment of a liability is a debit, and an incurrence of a liability or a disposal of an asset is a credit.

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### Table 1.2. U.S. International Transactions, Expanded Detail

[Millions of dollars]

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5. Current- and capital-account statistics in the international transactions accounts differ slightly from statistics in the national income and product accounts (NIPAs) because of adjustments made to convert the international transactions statistics to national economic accounting concepts. A reconciliation between annual statistics in the two sets of accounts appears in NIPA table 4.3B.

6. Net lending means that U.S. residents are net suppliers of funds to foreign residents, and net borrowing means the opposite. Net lending or net borrowing can be computed from current- and capital-account transactions or from financial-account transactions. The two amounts differ by the statistical discrepancy.