

^{*}Inflation is Q4/Q4 growth rates of GDP Deflator.

^{*}Excess Money is 2-year moving average of Q4/Q4 growth rates of actual M2 less Reference Value.

*Reference Value is the sum of Potential GDP Growth, Inflation of 1.5%, and Trend Velocity of 0%.

*Potential GDP based on Congressional Budget Office estimates for each year, published in The Budget and Economic Outlook: Fiscal Years 2002-2011.

*Inflation Rate of 1.5% in the GDP Deflator assumed to be consistent with reasonable price stability.