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Secret History of Money

Answer each question in complete sentences.

1. Describe the process of making money.
2. How much of a bill must remain for the money to be considered valuable?
3. About how long does a \$1 bill last in circulation? \$20? \$50?
4. How is the durability of money tested?
5. What do Federal Reserve Banks do?
6. Aside from protecting the president, what is the job of the Secret Service?
7. What was the relationship between gold and the dollar?

8. How is the dollar valued?

9. Where are coins made? And how are they made?

10. About how often does the U.S. government revamp its currency?

11. About how much of U.S. currency is circulating outside the U.S.?

12. Describe some of the new security features of U.S. currency.