

FEDERAL RESERVE

statistical release

OPEN MARKET MONEY RATES AND BOND PRICES

Averages of Daily Figures 1/	Weekly			Monthly		
	July 7	July 14	July 21	July 28	June	July
Federal Funds (Effective Rate)*	10.21	9.52	10.22	10,58	8.49	10.40
Commercial paper (prime, 4 to 6 mos.)	8.75	8.90	9.15	9.60	7.99	9.18
Finance Paper placed directly (3 to 6 mos.)	7.84	8.08	8.13	8.13	7.45	8.09
Bankers' Acceptances (prime, 90 days)	8.94	9.00	9.05	9.50	7.98	9.19
Prime Loan (Large-Business Prime Rate)	8.00	8.25	8.50	8.50		
Stock Exchange call loansgoing rate	8.00	8.15	8.45	8.75	7.83	8.41
Discount rate (Federal Reserve Bank of New York) .	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.00		
Yields on U.S. Government Securities Auction average:						
3-month bills	7.987	7.991	7.967	8.114	7.188	8.015
6-month bills	8.011	8.019	8.023	8.272	7.234	8.081
Market yield:**						
3-month bills	7.94	7.78	8.03	8.17	7.19	8.01
6-month bills	7.95	7.86	8.17	8.35	7.23	8.12
1-year bills	7.71	7.65	7.97	8.34	7.05	7.97
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Other taxable issues, 9 to 12 months	7.96	8.09	8.40	8.73	7.27	8.37
Taxable issues, 3 to 5 years	7.15	7.29	7.48	7.76	6.76	7.49
BondsLong-Term taxable $\underline{2}/$	6.44	6.43	6.50	6.64	6.32	6.53
Price of Long-Term Treasury bonds $\underline{3}/\ldots$	61.64	61.72	61.16	60.03	62.61	60.87
Average yields on corporate bonds (Moody's)	7.74	7.78	7.80	7.83	7.69	7.80
Aaa	7.41	7.44	7.45	7.48	7.37	7.45
Baa	8.16	8.22	8.25	8.27	8.13	8.24
State and Local Government Aaa (Moody's)	5.10	5.25	5.20	5.30	5.05	8.24 5.21
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^{1/} Average of daily figures except state and local Governments, which are based on Thursday figures.

2/ Includes all bonds maturing or callable in 10 years or more.

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^{3/} Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.

^{* 7-}day average for statement week ended on preceding Wednesday. **Bills quoted on bank discount basis.