

U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES AND HIGH-GRADE  
CORPORATE BOND YIELDS  
(Yields in per cent per annum)

Period	U. S. Government security yields					Price of long-term Treasury bonds 3/	Yields on high-grade corporate bonds
	3-month bills	Rate on new issues	9 - 12 month taxable issue 1/	3 - 5 year taxable issues 2/	Bonds 12 years and over taxable 3/		
	Market yield						
1952 - April 1	1.46		1.63	1.96	2.69	97.16	2.94
2	1.47		1.57	1.95	2.69	97.25	2.94
3	1.50	1.598	1.58	1.95	2.68	97.29	2.94
4	1.50		1.58	1.96	2.68	97.30	2.93
5	Closed						2.93
7	1.54		1.59	1.97	2.69	97.27	2.92
8	1.54		1.59	1.96	2.69	97.28	2.93
9	1.60		1.59	1.95	2.69	97.28	2.92
10	1.59	1.629	1.60	1.94	2.67	97.44	2.92
11	Closed						
12	Closed						2.92
14	1.60		1.60	1.92	2.66	97.59	2.92
15	1.60		1.59	1.90	2.63	98.04	2.91
16	1.58		1.58	1.90	2.63	98.11	2.91
17	1.56	1.650	1.59	1.89	2.62	98.21	2.91
18	1.56		1.60	1.88	2.62	98.27	2.90
19	Closed						2.91
21	1.54		1.60	1.89	2.62	98.23	2.90
22	1.55		1.60	1.91	2.61	98.23	2.90
23	1.61		1.61	1.92	2.60	98.49	2.91
24	1.62	1.616	1.63	1.92	2.60	98.56	2.91
25	1.62		1.64	1.92	2.59	98.66	2.91
26	Closed						2.91
28 <sup>p</sup>	1.64		1.64	1.91	2.58	98.79	2.90
29	1.64		1.63	1.91	2.59	98.70	2.91
30	1.66		1.63	1.92	2.59	98.70	2.91
Weekly average:							
April 5	1.49	1.598	1.60	1.95	2.68	97.22	2.94
12	1.57	1.629	1.59	1.96	2.69	97.32	2.92
19	1.53	1.650	1.59	1.90	2.63	98.04	2.91
26	1.59	1.616	1.62	1.91	2.60	98.44	2.91
Monthly average	1.57	1.623	1.60	1.93	2.64	97.95	2.92

1/ Beginning April 1, series comprised February 15, 1953, certificates of indebtedness only.

2/ Beginning April 1, series is based on 1 3/4 per cent notes of December 15, 1955, and 2 1/2 per cent taxable bonds of March 15, 1956-58.

3/ Beginning April 1, this series replaces series based on bonds callable in 15 years and over.