

B&S 100-5610
June 3, 1955U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES
(Yields in per cent per annum)

Period	U.S. Government security yields						Price of long-term bonds	
	3-month	bills	9 - 12	3 - 5	Long-term bonds		Old	New
	Market yield	Rate on new issues	month taxable issues 1/	year taxable issues 2/	3/	Old 4/ New series	series 3/	series 4/
1955 - May 2	1.61		1.77	2.43	2.77	2.92	96.25	103.47
3	1.59		1.77	2.42	2.77	2.92	96.23	103.52
4	1.54		1.73	2.40	2.77	2.92	96.28	103.59
5	1.49	1.627	1.74	2.40	2.77	2.92	96.30	103.62
6	1.51		1.73	2.41	2.77	2.92	96.29	103.58
7	Closed							
9	1.44		1.70	2.40	2.76	2.91	96.43	103.67
10	1.39		1.70	2.39	2.75	2.91	96.52	103.69
11	1.42		1.70	2.39	2.75	2.92	96.52	103.64
12	1.44	1.440	1.73	2.37	2.75	2.92	96.64	103.62
13	1.43		1.73	2.38	2.74	2.92	96.69	103.62
14	Closed							
16	1.41		1.70	2.36	2.73	2.91	96.86	103.70
17	1.39		1.70	2.36	2.73	2.91	96.94	103.77
18	1.41		1.70	2.38	2.74	2.91	96.70	103.67
19	1.44	1.427	1.70	2.41	2.75	2.92	96.50	103.55
20	1.42		1.70	2.40	2.75	2.92	96.48	103.59
21	Closed							
23	1.43		1.70	2.41	2.76	2.92	96.47	103.61
24	1.44		1.70	2.41	2.75	2.91	96.58	103.70
25	1.47		1.70	2.41	2.75	2.91	96.58	103.70
26	1.43	1.471	1.70	2.40	2.75	2.91	96.61	103.72
27	1.41		1.70	2.40	2.75	2.91	96.58	103.78
28	Closed							
30	Closed							
31	1.39		1.74	2.39	2.75	2.90	96.68	103.97
Weekly average:								
May 7	1.55	1.627	1.75	2.41	2.77	2.92	96.27	103.56
14	1.42	1.440	1.71	2.39	2.75	2.92	96.56	103.65
21	1.41	1.427	1.70	2.38	2.74	2.91	96.70	103.66
28	1.44	1.471	1.70	2.41	2.75	2.91	96.56	103.70
Monthly average	1.45	1.491	1.72	2.40	2.75	2.91	96.53	103.66

1/1-5/8 per cent note of 3/15/56.

2/2-3/8 per cent bond of 6-15-58; 2-1/2 per cent bond of 12-15-58, and 1-7/8 per cent note of 2/15/59.

3/Includes fully taxable marketable 2-1/2 per cent bonds due or first callable after 12 years.

4/3-1/4 per cent bond of 1978-83 and 3 per cent bond of 2/15/95.