

U. 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 month	3 - 5 year	Long-term bonds		Old series	New series	
	market yields	Rate on new issues	taxable issues 1/	taxable issues 2/	3/ Old series	4/ New series	3/	4/	
1955 - August	1	1.83		2.08	2.74	2.95	3.02	93.84	101.53
	2	1.86		2.12	2.76	2.96	3.04	93.81	101.36
	3	1.90		2.12	2.76	2.95	3.04	93.98	101.14
	4	1.91	1.850	2.15	2.75	2.92	3.04	94.27	101.28
	5	1.89		2.15	2.72	2.90	3.02	94.61	101.69
	6	Closed							
	8	1.88		2.15	2.73	2.90	3.02	94.53	101.48
	9	1.88		2.15	2.72	2.91	3.02	94.52	101.59
	10	1.89		2.12	2.70	2.90	3.02	94.62	101.72
	11	1.87	1.889	2.09	2.68	2.88	3.01	94.86	101.80
	12	1.84		2.09	2.69	2.88	3.01	94.91	101.81
	13	Closed							
	15	1.86		2.09	2.70	2.88	3.01	94.86	101.75
	16	1.86		2.06	2.68	2.87	3.00	95.06	101.97
	17	1.88		2.06	2.67	2.88	3.00	94.89	101.84
	18	1.82	1.888	2.06	2.70	2.90	3.02	94.61	101.45
	19	1.80		2.06	2.70	2.92	3.04	94.44	101.28
	20	Closed							
	22	1.84		2.06	2.70	2.91	3.02	94.52	101.42
	23	1.86		2.12	2.71	2.90	3.02	94.59	101.56
	24	1.92		2.12	2.71	2.90	3.02	94.70	101.75
	25	1.93	1.875	2.12	2.72	2.90	3.02	94.62	101.62
	26	1.95		2.14	2.76	2.92	3.02	94.41	101.47
	27	Closed							
	29	2.04		2.17	2.80	2.92	3.02	94.34	101.45
	30	2.07		2.22	2.80	2.92	3.02	94.39	100.59
	31	2.09		2.23	2.80	2.92	3.02	94.45	101.61
Weekly average:									
August	6	1.88	1.850	2.12	2.75	2.94	3.03	94.10	101.40
	13	1.87	1.889	2.12	2.70	2.89	3.02	94.69	101.68
	20	1.84	1.888	2.07	2.69	2.89	3.01	94.77	101.66
	27	1.90	1.875	2.11	2.72	2.91	3.02	94.57	101.56
Monthly average		1.90	1.876	2.12	2.73	2.91	3.02	94.51	101.57

1/ 2 per cent note of 8/15/56.

2/ 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 of 9/67-72 and 12/67-72.

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