

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 taxable issues 1/ | 3 - 5 year taxable issues 2/ | Long-term bonds | | Old series 3/ | New series 4/ |
| | Market yields | Rate on new issues | | | 3/ series | 4/ New series | | |
| 1955 - Nov. 1 | 2.10 | | 2.13 | 2.58 | 2.79 | 2.94 | 96.16 | 103.25 |
| 2 | 2.06 | | 2.11 | 2.56 | 2.79 | 2.94 | 96.21 | 103.23 |
| 3 | 2.01 | 2.179 | 2.09 | 2.56 | 2.78 | 2.94 | 96.29 | 103.20 |
| 4 | 1.96 | | 2.09 | 2.55 | 2.78 | 2.94 | 96.27 | 103.16 |
| 5 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 2.00 | | 2.12 | 2.58 | 2.81 | 2.96 | 95.92 | 102.86 |
| 8 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 2.08 | | 2.14 | 2.62 | 2.84 | 2.96 | 95.58 | 102.58 |
| 10 | 2.12 | 2.034 | 2.16 | 2.64 | 2.84 | 2.96 | 95.53 | 102.59 |
| 11 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 12 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 2.20 | | 2.18 | 2.68 | 2.85 | 2.96 | 95.48 | 102.59 |
| 15 | 2.30 | | 2.24 | 2.72 | 2.86 | 2.96 | 95.38 | 102.58 |
| 16 | 2.34 | | 2.28 | 2.74 | 2.85 | 2.96 | 95.41 | 102.59 |
| 17 | 2.27 | 2.248 | 2.30 | 2.72 | 2.84 | 2.96 | 95.49 | 102.75 |
| 18 | 2.35 | | 2.38 | 2.81 | 2.88 | 2.97 | 95.08 | 102.55 |
| 19 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 21 | 2.40 | | 2.42 | 2.84 | 2.90 | 2.98 | 94.84 | 102.41 |
| 22 | 2.38 | | 2.43 | 2.79 | 2.88 | 2.96 | 95.02 | 102.53 |
| 23 | 2.44 | | 2.44 | 2.74 | 2.87 | 2.96 | 95.15 | 102.59 |
| 24 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 25 | 2.42 | 2.440 | 2.44 | 2.78 | 2.88 | 2.96 | 95.05 | 102.61 |
| 26 | Closed | | | | | | | |
| 28 | 2.42 | | 2.44 | 2.80 | 2.88 | 2.96 | 95.01 | 102.61 |
| 29 | 2.42 | | 2.48 | 2.82 | 2.89 | 2.96 | 94.91 | 102.59 |
| 30 | 2.44 | | 2.44 | 2.80 | 2.88 | 2.96 | 94.97 | 102.66 |
| Weekly average | | | | | | | | |
| Nov. 5 | 2.06 | 2.179 | 2.11 | 2.57 | 2.79 | 2.94 | 96.20 | 103.21 |
| 12 | 2.07 | 2.034 | 2.14 | 2.61 | 2.83 | 2.96 | 95.68 | 102.68 |
| 19 | 2.29 | 2.248 | 2.28 | 2.73 | 2.86 | 2.96 | 95.37 | 102.61 |
| 26 | 2.41 | 2.440 | 2.43 | 2.79 | 2.88 | 2.96 | 95.02 | 102.54 |
| Monthly average | 2.25 | 2.225 | 2.28 | 2.70 | 2.85 | 2.96 | 95.46 | 102.73 |

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/ Beginning October 1, series includes fully taxable marketable bonds due or callable in 10 - 20 years; these are the 2-1/2 per cent issues of 3/66-71, 6/67-72, 9/67-72 and 12/67-72.
 4/ 3-1/4 per cent bond of 1978-83.