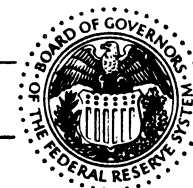


FEDERAL RESERVE statistical release



FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 10, 1981

The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System is advised that the Federal Reserve Bank of New York has certified for customs purposes the following noon buying rate in New York City for cable transfers payable in foreign currencies:

COUNTRY	MONETARY UNIT	(RATE U.S. CENTS)				
		APR. 6	APR. 7	APR. 8	APR. 9	APR. 10
AUSTRALIA	DOLLAR	115.4000	115.5800	115.6500	115.5500	115.4300
AUSTRIA	SCHILLING	6.57895	6.66667	6.67000	6.58545	6.57030
BELGIUM	FRANC	2.83527	2.78784	2.86041	2.84657	2.83527
CANADA	DOLLAR	84.1751	84.4167	84.4737	84.3668	84.2673
DENMARK	KRONE	14.7384	14.9701	14.9142	14.8236	14.7820
FINLAND	MARKKA	24.1633	24.2601	24.4200	24.3161	24.2542
FRANCE	FRANC	19.6618	20.0120	19.8373	19.7668	19.6618
GERMANY	D. MARK	46.3714	47.1921	46.8823	46.6418	46.4468
INDIA	RUPEE	11.9760	12.0050	12.1510	12.1070	12.1070
IRELAND	POUND	169.3000	171.1000	171.4000	170.1000	169.7500
ITALY	LIRA	0.09333	0.09470	0.09416	0.09372	0.09328
JAPAN	YEN	0.46729	0.46926	0.46849	0.46707	0.46475
MALAYSIA	DOLLAR	43.3651	43.4028	43.3463	43.3840	43.3463
MEXICO	PESO	4.2008	4.2017	4.2052	4.2052	4.1999
NETHERLANDS	GUILDER	41.8761	42.5985	42.3191	42.1053	41.9287
NEW ZEALAND	DOLLAR	90.2200	90.8000	90.8000	90.6500	90.5500
NORWAY	KRONE	18.3823	18.4400	18.3790	18.3553	18.3050
PORTUGAL	ESCUDO	1.7227	1.7241	1.7391	1.7316	1.7286
SOUTH AFRICA	RAND	122.8500	123.8000	124.1000	123.8500	123.7000
SPAIN	PESETA	1.1446	1.1482	1.1601	1.1494	1.1468
SRI LANKA	RUPEE	5.5494	5.5494	5.5494	5.5494	5.3192
SWEDEN	KRONA	21.3584	21.6638	21.5054	21.4592	21.4408
SWITZERLAND	FRANC	50.7872	51.5730	51.4668	51.1771	50.9944
UNITED KINGDOM	POUND	217.5000	220.3000	219.6000	219.0000	218.5000