## FEDERAL RESERVE

## statistical release

## U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES

Calendar week ending September 14, 1968

|  |  | Sept. 10 | Sept. 11 | $\mathrm{Sept}_{12}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sept. } \\ 13 \end{gathered}$ | Weekly averages |  |  |
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|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Sept. } \\ 9 \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  | This week | Last week | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Year } \\ & \text { ago* } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| Yields (per cent per annum) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auction average: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 -month bills |  |  |  | 5.246 |  | 5.246 | 5.194 | 4.360 |
| 6-month bills |  |  |  | 5.277 |  | 5.277 | 5.250 | 4.951 |
| Market yield: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 -month bills | 5.24 | 5.30 | 5.30 | 5.30 | 5.24 | 5.28 | 5.21 | 4.37 |
| 6 -month bills | 5.27 | 5.31 | 5.33 | 5.35 | 5.30 | 5.31 | 5.22 | 4.93 |
| l-year bills | 5.21 | 5.26 | 5.25 | 5.26 | 5.22 | 5.24 | 5.16 | 5.06 |
| Other issues, due in 9-12 months $1 /$ | 5.44 | 5.47 | 5.47 | 5.47 | 5.43 | 5.46 | 5.39 | 5.16 |
| Issues, due in 3-5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| years 2/ | 5.35 | 5.38 | 5.36 | 5.36 | 5.33 | 5.36 | 5.30 | 5.39 |
| Bonds, due or callable in 10 years or more 3/ | 5.11 | 5.13 | 5.12 | 5.12 | 5.11 | 5.12 | 5.07 | 4.96 |
| Price |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bonds, due or callable in 10 years or more 4/ | 73.75 | 73.55 | 73.66 | 73.66 | 73.75 | 73.67 | 74.22 | 75.30 |

Note: Yields are averages of those computed by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York on the basis of closing bid prices. Yields on Treasury bills are computed on a bank discount basis.

* As of September 16, 1967.

1/ Currently includes the 6 per cent note of August 15, 1969.
2/ Currently includes the following notes and bonds:
3-7/8 per cent bond of $11 / 15 / 71 \quad 4-3 / 4$ per cent note of 5/15/72
5-3/8 per cent note of $11 / 15 / 714$ per cent bond of $8 / 15 / 72$
4 per cent bond of $2 / 15 / 724$ per cent bond of $8 / 15 / 73$
$4-3 / 4$ per cent bond of $2 / 15 / 72$
3/ Currently includes the following bonds due or callable in 10 years or more:
4 per cent of $1980 \quad 4$ per cent of 1988-93
$3-1 / 2$ per cent of $1980 \quad 4-1 / 8$ per cent of 1989-94
3-1/4 per cent of 1985 per cent of 1995
3-1/2 per cent of 1990 3-1/2 per cent of 1998
4-1/4 per cent of 1987-92
4/ Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.

