# statistical release <br> U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES <br> Calendar week ending February 28, 1970 

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Feb } \\ 23 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Feb} . \\ 24 \end{gathered}$ | Feb. 25 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Feb } \\ 26 \end{gathered}$ | Feb.$27$ | Weekly averages |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  | This week | Last week | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Year } \\ \text { ago } \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Yields (per cent per annum) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auction average: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month bills |  |  |  | 6.812 |  | 6.812 | 6.777 | 6.080 |
| 6 -month bills |  |  |  | 6.975 |  | 6.975 | 6.917 | 6.258 |
| Market yield: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month bills | c | 6.85 | 6.89 | 6.88 | 6.85 | 6.87 | 6.80 | 6.10 |
| 6 -month bills | I | 7.05 | 7.01 | 6.93 | 6.80 | 6.95 | 7.02 | 6.30 |
| 1-year bills | 0 | 6.94 | 6.93 | 6.74 | 6.73 | 6.84 | 6.90 | 6.26 |
| Other issues, due in 9-12 months 1/ | $\begin{aligned} & S \\ & E \end{aligned}$ | 7.32 | 7.19 | 7.01 | 6.94 | 7.12 | 7.39 | 6.26 |
| Issues, due in 3-5 years 2/ | j | 7.66 | 7.49 | 7.35 | 7.30 | 7.45 | 7.66 | 6.29 |
| Bonds, due or callable in 10 years or more $3 /$ |  | 6.29 | 6.26 | 6.22 | 6.22 | 6.25 | 6.30 | 5.93 |
| Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bonds, due or callabie in 10 years or more $4 /$ |  | 62.85 | 63.11 | 163.44 | 63.44 | 63.21 | 62.77 | 65.96 |

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 March 1, 1969.

1/ Currently includes the 5-3/8 per cent note of February 15, 1971, and the 7-3/4
per cent note of February 15, 1971.
2. Currently includes the following notes and bonds:

7-3/4 per cent note of 5/15/73 4-1/4 per cent bond of 5/15/74
4 per cent bond of $8 / 15 / 73 \quad 5-5 / 8$ per cent note of $8 / 15 / 74$
8-1/8 per cent note of $8 / 15 / 73 \quad 3-7 / 8$ per cent bond of $11 / 15 / 74$
4-1/8 per cent bond of $11 / 15 / 73 \quad 5-3 / 4$ per cent note of $11 / 15 / 74$
$4-1 / 8$ per cent bond of 2/15/74 $5-3 / 4$ per cent note of $2 / 15 / 75$
3/ Currently includes the following bonds due or callable in 10 years or more: $3 \sim 1 / 2$ per cent oí 19804 per cent of 1988-93
3-1/4 per cent of 1985 4-1/8 per cent of 1989-94
$3-1 / 2$ per cent of 19903 per cent of 1995
4-1/4 per cent of 1987-92
$3-1 / 2$ per cent of 1998
4, ${ }^{\prime}$ Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.

