

FEDERAL RESERVE

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U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES Calendar week ending March 31, 1973

| | Mar. 26 | Mar. 27 | Mar. 28 | Mar. 29 | Mar. 30 | Weekly average | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|
| | | | | | | This week | Last week | Year ago* |
| Yields (per cent per annum) | | | | | | | | |
| Auction Average: | } | | | | } | | | |
| 3-month bills | { | | | 6.251 | | 6.251 | 6.334 | 3.849 |
| 6-month bills | | | | 6.632 | | 6.632 | 6.759 | 4.354 |
| Market Yield: | l I | | | i · | | | | |
| 3-month bills | 6.23 | 6.26 | 6.28 | 6.29 | 6.40 | 6.29 | 6.31 | 3.83 |
| 6-month bills | 6.64 | 6.62 | 6.64 | 6.66 | 6.77 | 6.67 | 6.70 | 4.36 |
| l-year bills | 6.64 | 6.58 | 6.67 | 6.67 | 6.74 | 6.66 | 6.69 | 4.71 |
| Other issues, due in | 0.04 | 0.50 | 1 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.74 | 0.00 | 0.05 | 7.71 |
| 9-12 months 1/ | 6.97 | 6.95 | 6.97 | 6.99 | 7.07 | 6.99 | 7.02 | 4.89 |
| Issues, due in 3-5 | (0,), | (0.55 | 1 0.57 | (0.) | \ | (0,)) | 7.02 | 7.07 |
| years 2/ | 6.82 | 6.80 | 6.75 | 6.73 | 6.86 | 6.79 | 6.91 | 5.92 |
| Bonds, due or callable | 1 | | | | | | | |
| in 10 years or more $3/$ | 6.21 | 6.19 | 6.16 | 6.16 | 6.19 | 6.18 | 6.24 | 5.69 |
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| Prices | | | | | | | | ļ |
| Bonds, due or callable | | | | | | | | |
| in 10 years or more $4/$ | 63.53 | 63.69 | 63.95 | 63.95 | 63.69 | 63.76 | 63.27 | 68.14 |
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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 April 1, 1972.
- 1/ Currently includes the 4-1/8 per cent bond of Feb. 15, 1974, and the 7-3/4 per cent note of Feb. 15, 1974.
- 2/ Currently includes the following notes:

6-1/2 per cent of 5/15/76

5-3/4 per cent of 5/15/76

7-1/2 per cent of 8/15/76

6-1/4 per cent of 11/15/76

8 per cent of 2/15/77

7-3/4 per cent of 8/15/77

6-1/2 per cent of 8/15/76

6-1/4 per cent of 2/15/78

3/ Currently includes the following bonds due or callable in 10 years or more:

6-3/8 per cent of 1984

3-1/4 per cent of 1985

6-1/8 per cent of 1986

3-1/2 per cent of 1990

4-1/4 per cent of 1987-92

3-1/2 per cent of 1987-92

3-1/2 per cent of 1988-93

3-1/2 per cent of 1998

 $\frac{4}{}$ Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.