

## FEDERAL RESERVE

## statistical release

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U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES Calendar week ending April 13, 1974

|   | T         |           |            |            |            | Weekly Average |                      |              |
|---|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------|
|   | Apr.<br>8 | Apr.<br>9 | Apr.<br>10 | Apr.<br>11 | Apr.<br>12 | This<br>week   | Last<br><b>wee</b> k | Year<br>ago* |
| Yields (per cent per annum)   |           |           |            |            |            |                |                      | · · · · ·    |
| Auction Average:  |           |           |            |            |            |                |                      |              |
| 3-month bills   |           |           |            | 8.648      |            | 8.648          | 8.358                | 6.187        |
| 6-month bills   | 1         |           |            | 8.393      | L          | 8.393          | 8.211                | 6.268        |
|   | 1         |           |            |            | 0          |                |                      |              |
| Market Yields:  | 1         |           |            |            | S          |                |                      |              |
| 3-month bills   | 8.56      | 8.62      | 8.52       | 8.24       | Е          | 8.49           | 8.51                 | 6.20         |
| 6-month bills   | 8.38      | 8.37      | 8.32       | 8.27       | D          | 8.34           | 8.31                 | 6.40         |
| l-year bills  | 8.10      | 8.10      | 8.03       | 7.96       |            | 8.05           | 7.95                 | 6.41         |
| Other issues, due in  |           |           |            |            |            |                |                      |              |
| 9-12 months 1/  | 8.59      | 8.62      | 8.49       | 8.50       |            | 8.55           | 8.48                 | 6.77         |
| Issues, due in 3-5  | 1         |           |            |            |            |                |                      | ł            |
| years 2/  | 8.04      | 8.02      | 7.94       | 7.91       |            | 7.98           | 7.91                 | 6.67         |
| Bonds, due or callable  |           |           |            |            |            |                |                      |              |
| in 10 years or more 3/  | 7.06      | 7.05      | 7.03       | 7.02       |            | 7.04           | 7.02                 | 6.09         |
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| Prices  |           |           |            |            |            | Į              |                      |              |
| Bonds, due or callable  |           | i         |            |            |            | 1              |                      | 1            |
| in 10 years or more 4/  | 56.85     | 56.93     | 57.07      | 57.14      |            | 57.00          | 57.16                | 64.56        |
|   | 1         |           |            | 1          | <u> </u>   | <u> </u>       |                      |              |
| 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 14, 1973.

 $\frac{1}{1}$  Currently includes the 5-3/4 per cent note of February 15, 1975, and the 5-7/8 per cent note of February 15, 1975.

| <u>2</u> / Currently includes the | following notes:                                     |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| 6-7/8 per cent of                 | 5/15/77 6-1/4 per cent of 2/15/78                    |
| 7-3/4 per cent of                 | 8/15/77 6 per cent of 11/15/78                       |
|                                   | following bonds due or callable in 10 years or more: |
| 6-3/8 per cent of                 | 1984 6-3/4 per cent of 1993                          |
| 3-1/4 per cent of                 | 1985 7-1/2 per cent of 1988-93                       |
| 6-1/8 per cent of                 | 1986 4-1/8 per cent of 1989-94                       |
| 3-1/2 per cent of                 | 1990 3 per cent of 1995                              |
| 4-1/4 per cent of                 | 1987-92 7 per cent of 1993-98                        |
| 4 per cent of                     | 1988-93 3-1/2 per cent of 1998                       |

4/ Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.

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