

## FEDERAL RESERVE

## statistical release

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U. S. GOVERNMENT SECURITY YIELDS AND PRICES Calendar week ending May 25, 1974

|  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { May } \\ 20 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { May } \\ 2 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { May } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { May } \\ 23 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { May } \\ 24 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | Weekly Average |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  | This week | Last week | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Year } \\ & \text { *ago } \end{aligned}$ |
| Yields (per cent per annum) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Auction Average: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month bills |  |  |  | 8.197 |  | 8.197 | 8.023 | 6.452 |
| 6-month bills |  |  |  | 8.440 |  | 8.440 | 8.031 | 6.748 |
| Market Yields: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month bills | 7.94 | 8.21 | 8.14 | 7.54 | 7.68 | 7.90 | 8.00 | 6.56 |
| 6 -month bills | 8.26 | 8.42 | 8.38 | 8.12 | 8.21 | 8.28 | 8.12 | 6.78 |
| l-year bills | 8.23 | 8.17 | 8.07 | 7.77 | 7.73 | 7.99 | 8.11 | 6.78 |
| Other issues, due in 9-12 months 1/ | 8.65 | 8.48 | 8.37 | 8.29 | 8.18 | 8.39 | 8.79 | 6.98 |
| Issues, due in 3-5 years 2/ | 8.27 | 8.17 | 8.09 | 7.98 | 7.95 | 8.09 | 8.20 | 6.82 |
| Bonds, due or callable in 10 years or more 3/ | 7.11 | 7.11 | 7.10 | 7.06 | 7.03 | 7.08 | 7.02 | 6.31 |
| Prices |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Bonds, due or callable in 10 years or more 4/ | 56.49 | 56.49 | 56.56 | 56.85 | 57.07 | 56.69 | 57.12 | 62.69 |

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 May 26, 1973.

1/ Currently includes the $5-7 / 8$ per cent note of May 15,1975 and the 6 per cent note of May 15, 1975.

2/ Currently includes the following notes:

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\begin{array}{ll}
7-3 / 4 \text { per cent of } 8 / 15 / 77 & 8-3 / 4 \text { per cent of } 8 / 15 / 78 \\
6-1 / 4 \text { per cent of } 2 / 15 / 78 & 6
\end{array} \text { per cent of } 11 / 15 / 78
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3/ Currently includes the following bonds due or callable in 10 years or more:
6-3/8 per cent of $1984 \quad 6-3 / 4$ per cent of 1993
3-1/4 per cent of $1985 \quad 7-1 / 2$ 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 $1990 \quad 3$ 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
$8-1 / 2$ per cent of 1994-99
4/ Prices derived from average market yields on the basis of an assumed 3 per cent, 20-year bond.

