# TREASURY NEWS

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# TREASURY MAY QUARTERLY FINANCING

The Treasury will auction \$13,000 million of 5-year notes and \$9,000 million of 9-3/4-year 5% notes to refund \$21,390 million of publicly held securities maturing May 15, 2001, and to raise about \$610 million of new cash.

In addition to the public holdings, Federal Reserve Banks hold \$5,632 million of the maturing securities for their own accounts, which may be refunded by issuing additional amounts of the new securities.

Up to \$1,000 million in noncompetitive bids from Foreign and International Monetary Authority (FIMA) accounts bidding through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York will be included within the offering amount of each auction. These noncompetitive bids will have a limit of \$200 million per account and will be accepted in the order of smallest to largest, up to the aggregate award limit of \$1,000 million.

TreasuryDirect customers requested that we reinvest their maturing holdings of approximately \$177 million into the 5-year note and \$14 million into the 9-3/4-year note.

All of the auctions being announced today will be conducted in the single-price auction format. All competitive and noncompetitive awards will be at the highest yield of accepted competitive tenders. The allocation percentage applied to bids awarded at the highest yield will be rounded up to the next hundredth of a whole percentage point, e.g., 17.13%.

All of the securities being offered today are eligible for the STRIPS program.

This offering of Treasury securities is governed by the terms and conditions set forth in the Uniform Offering Circular for the Sale and Issue of Marketable Book-Entry Treasury Bills, Notes, and Bonds (31 CFR Part 356, as amended).

Details about the notes are given in the attached offering highlights.

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Attachment

May 2, 2001

Offering Amount\$13,000 million	\$9,000 million
Description of Offering:	
Term and type of security5-year notes	9-3/4-year notes (reopening)
Series E-2006	B-2011
CUSIP number 912827 6X 5	912827 6T 4
Auction date May 8, 2001	May 9, 2001
Issue date	May 15, 2001
Dated date	February 15, 2001
Maturity date	February 15, 2011
Interest rate Determined based on the highest	5%
accepted competitive bid	
Amount currently outstanding Not applicable	\$11,976 million
Yield Determined at auction	Determined at auction
Interest payment dates November 15 and May 15	August 15 and February 15
Minimum bid amount and multiples\$1,000	\$1,000
Accrued interest payable by investor None	\$12.29282 per \$1,000 (from
	February 15, 2001 to May 15, 2001)
Premium or discount Determined at auction	Determined at auction
STRIPS Information:	
Minimum amount required	\$1,000
Corpus CUSIP number	912820 GC 5
Due date(s) and CUSIP number(s)	
for additional TINT(s)	Not applicable

### The following rules apply to all securities mentioned above:

### Submission of Bids:

Noncompetitive bids: Accepted in full up to \$5,000,000 at the highest accepted yield.

Foreign and International Monetary Authority (FIMA) bids: Noncompetitive bids submitted through the Federal Reserve Banks as agents for FIMA accounts. Accepted in order of size from smallest to largest with no more than \$200 million awarded per account. The total noncompetitive amount awarded to Federal Reserve Banks as agents for FIMA accounts will not exceed \$1,000 million. A single bid that would cause the limit to be exceeded will be partially accepted in the amount that brings the aggregate award total to the \$1,000 million limit. However, if there are two or more bids of equal amounts that would cause the limit to be exceeded, each will be prorated to avoid exceeding the limit.

## Competitive bids:

- (1) Must be expressed as a yield with three decimals, e.g., 7.123%.
- (2) Net long position for each bidder must be reported when the sum of the total bid amount, at all yields, and the net long position is \$2 billion or greater.
- (3) Net long position must be determined as of one half-hour prior to the closing time for receipt of competitive tenders.

Maximum Recognized Bid at a Single Yield: 35% of public offering

Maximum Award: ......35% of public offering

### Receipt of Tenders:

Noncompetitive tenders ........Prior to 12:00 noon eastern daylight saving time on auction day Competitive tenders .........Prior to 1:00 p.m. eastern daylight saving time on auction day