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TREASURY TO AUCTION \$8,000 MILLION OF 10-YEAR INFLATION-INDEXED NOTES

The Treasury will auction \$8,000 million of 10-year inflation-indexed notes to raise cash.

Amounts bid by Federal Reserve Banks for their own accounts and as agents for foreign and international monetary authorities will be added to the offering.

The auction 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 notes being offered today are eligible for the STRIPS program.

Tenders will be received at Federal Reserve Banks and Branches and at the Bureau of the Public Debt, Washington, D. C. 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 security are given in the attached offering highlights.

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Attachment

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December 30, 1998

Offering Amount\$8,000 million	STRIPS Information:		
Description of Offering:	Due dates and CUSIP	numbers	
Term and type of security10-year inflation-	for TINTS:		
indexed notes		912833	
SeriesA-2009	July 15, 1999	WS 5	
CUSIP number	January 15, 2000	WT 3	
Auction dateJanuary 6, 1999	July 15, 2000	WU 0	
Issue dateJanuary 15, 1999	January 15, 2001	WV 8	
Dated dateJanuary 15, 1999	July 15, 2001	WW 6	
Maturity dateJanuary 15, 2009	January 15, 2002	WX 4	
Interest rateDetermined based on the	July 15, 2002	WY 2	
highest accepted bid	January 15, 2003	WZ 9	
	July 15, 2003	XA 3	
Real yieldDetermined at auction	January 15, 2004	XB 1	
Interest payment datesJuly 15 and January 15	July 15, 2004	XC 9	
Minimum bid amount	January 15, 2005	XD 7	
and Multiples\$1,000	July 15, 2005	XE 5	
Accrued interestNone	January 15, 2006	XF 2	
Premium or discountDetermined at auction	July 15, 2006	XG 0	
	January 15, 2007	ХН 8	
STRIPS Information:	July 15, 2007	XJ 4	
Minimum amount requiredDetermined at auction	January 15, 2008	XK 1	
Corpus CUSIP number912820 DN 4	July 15, 2008	XL 9	
	January 15, 2009	XM 7	
Submission of Bids: Noncompetitive bids: Accepted in full up to \$5,000,000 accepted yield.	0 at the highest		

Competitive bids:

(1) Must be expressed as a real yield with three decimals, e.g., 3.123%.

- (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	<u>Yield</u>	35% of	public offering
Maximum Award	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	35% of	public offering

Receipt of Tenders:

Noncompetitive tenders: Prior to 12:00 noon Eastern Standard time on auction day. Competitive tenders: Prior to 1:00 p.m. Eastern Standard time on auction day.

Payment Terms: By charge to a funds account at a Federal Reserve Bank on issue date, or payment of full par amount with tender. TreasuryDirect customers can use the Pay Direct feature which authorizes a charge to their account of record at their financial institution on issue date.

Indexing Information:

CPI Base Reference Period	1982-1984
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