## PUBLIC DEBT NEWS

TREASURY

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## TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security	74-Day Bill
CUSIP Number	912795J51
High Rate <sup>1</sup>	0.800%
Allotted at High	28.17%
Price	99.835556
Investment Rate <sup>2</sup>	0.812%
Median Rate <sup>3</sup>	0.600%
Low Rate <sup>4</sup>	0.100%
Issue Date	October 20, 2008
Maturity Date	January 02, 2009

	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$76,653,790,000	\$29,990,000,000
Noncompetitive	\$10,105,000	\$10,105,000
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$0	\$0
Subtotal <sup>5</sup>	\$76,663,895,000	\$30,000,105,0006
SOMA	\$0	\$0
Total	\$76,663,895,000	\$30,000,105,000
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer <sup>7</sup>	\$57,870,000,000	\$20,649,445,000
Direct Bidder <sup>8</sup>	\$610,000,000	\$260,000,000
Indirect Bidder <sup>9</sup>	\$18,173,790,000	\$9,080,555,000
<b>Total Competitive</b>	\$76,653,790,000	\$29,990,000,000

All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

 $<sup>^{2}\,\</sup>mathrm{Equivalent}$  coupon-issue yield.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$76,663,895,000/\$30,000,105,000 = 2.56

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$0.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.