



23 May 2017

PRESS NOTICE

AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK

Auction Details

Auction Date	Thursday, 1 June 2017
Issue and Settlement Date	Friday, 2 June 2017
Bidding Convention	Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1)
Accrued Interest payable with bid	£0.272790 per £100 nominal
Auction Close	10:30am London Time

Details of Security

Title	1¼% Treasury Gilt 2027
Amount (nominal) for auction	£2,500 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 4)
Nominal outstanding after auction	£7,925.7 million
Maturity Date	22 July 2027 at par
Interest Dates	22 January – 22 July
ISIN Code	GB00BDRHNP05
SEDOL Code	B-DRH-NP0
Strippable	No (see Note 2)
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 3)
Next Interest Date	22 July 2017 - £0.445442 per £100 nominal (Short First Coupon)

Note 1: Bids may be made on either a competitive or a non-competitive basis. Details of the bidding procedures are set out in the prospectus and in the Information Memorandum. Gilt-edged Market Makers may bid by means of the Bloomberg Bond Auction System to the DMO not later than 10.30 am on Thursday, 1 June 2017.

Note 2. The Gilt may not be stripped and reconstituted until so specified in a notice issued by the DMO.

Note 3: Holders may elect to have United Kingdom income tax deducted from interest payments, should they so wish, on application to the Registrar, Computershare Investor Services PLC.

Note 4: Subject to the provisions of the Information Memorandum, this auction will be eligible for the Post Auction Option Facility of an additional amount of the Gilt equivalent to 15% of the nominal amount of the Gilt allocated at the auction. Details of the Post Auction Option Facility procedures are set out in the Information Memorandum.

Documentation

Prospectus DMO : 23 May 2017	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docName=/gilts/public/prospectus/prosp230517.pdf
Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock DMO : January 2017	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docName=/publications/operationalrules/infmemadd200117.pdf
Formulae for Calculating Gilt Prices from Yields DMO : 16 March 2005	www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docname=/giltsmarket/formulae/yldeqns.pdf

Applications from Members of the Approved Group of Investors

Application forms from Approved Group members must be sent to Computershare Investor Services PLC, who is acting on behalf of the DMO, at the following address: British Government Stocks (Gilts), Computershare Investor Services PLC, The Pavilions, Bridgwater Road, Bristol, BS99 6ZW to arrive not later than 10.00 am on Thursday, 1 June 2017. They may also be lodged by hand at the DMO, Eastcheap Court, 11 Philpot Lane, London, EC3M 8UD not later than 10.00 am on Thursday, 1 June 2017.

The amount payable on application in the case of a non-competitive bid made by a member of the Approved Group is £105 per £100 nominal of the Gilt.

Remit 2017-18

Gilt sales of £114.2 billion (cash) are planned in 2017-18 and progress against the remit is summarised in the table below (which may not include the amount of gilts issued under the Post Auction Option Facility for the most recent auction, if any).

Gilt sales relative to remit plans 23 May 2017 (£ millions)					
	Conventional Gilts			Index-linked gilts	Total
	Short	Medium	Long		
Auction proceeds to-date	5,595	2,529	3,995	2,664	14,783
PAOF proceeds to-date	632	372	593	100	1,697
Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date	6,226	2,901	4,588	2,764	16,480
Syndication sales to-date	0	0	5,077	0	5,077
Gilt tender sales to date	0	0	0	0	0
Total gilt sales to date	6,226	2,901	9,665	2,764	21,557
Auction sales required to meet plans	20,974	19,099	18,512	11,636	70,220
Number of auctions remaining	8	8	8	9	33
Current average auction sizes	2,622	2,387	2,314	1,293	
Planned gilt sales at auctions	27,200	22,000	23,100	14,400	86,700
Number of auctions scheduled	10	9	10	11	40
Minimum syndication sales plan	-	-	9,500	12,000	21,500
Syndication sales required to meet minimum plan	-	-	4,423	12,000	16,423
Remaining unallocated sales					6,000
Balance of total supplementary gilt sales					22,423
Total planned supplementary gilt sales					27,500
Total planned gilt sales					114,200