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PRESS NOTICE

AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK

Auction Details

Auction Date	Tuesday, 28 April 2020				
Issue and Settlement Date	Wednesday, 29 April 2020				
Bidding Convention	Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1)				
Accrued Interest payable with bid	£0.016734972678 per £100 nominal				
Auction Open	9.00am London Time				
Auction Close	10.00am London Time				
Post Auction Option Facility Open	12.30pm London Time				
Post Auction Option Facility Close	1.00pm London Time				

Details of Security

Title	01/2% Treasury Gilt 2029				
Amount (nominal) for auction	£3,000 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 3)				
Nominal outstanding after auction	£34,552.6 million				
Maturity Date	22 October 2029 at par				
Interest Payment Dates	22 April and 22 October				
ISIN Code	GB00BJMHB534				
SEDOL Code	B-JMH-B53				
Strippable	No (see Note 4)				
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 2)				
Next Interest Payment Date	22 October 2020 (Standard 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 earlier than <u>9.00 am on Tuesday</u>, <u>28 April 2020</u> and not later than <u>10.00 am on Tuesday</u>, <u>28 April 2020</u>.

Note 2: 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 3: 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 25% 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, as supplemented by the Prospectus.

Note 4: The Gilt may not be stripped and reconstituted until so specified in a notice issued by the DMO.

Documentation

Prospectus for auction of £3,000 million of 01/2% Treasury Gilt 2029 DMO: 21 April 2020	Available on the DMO's Gilt Market Publications webpage at: https://www.dmo.gov.uk/publications/
Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock DMO: 31 March 2020	https://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/16368/infmemadd310320.pdf
Formulae for Calculating Gilt Prices from Yields DMO: 16 March 2005	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/1955/yldeqns.pdf

Applications from Members of the Approved Group of Investors

For this auction applications may not be made by members of the Approved Group.

Remit 2020-21

Gilt sales of £156.1 billion (cash) are currently planned in 2020-21 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 Facilities for the most recent auctions, if any).

Gilt sales relative to remit plans 21 April 2020 (£ millions)						
	Co	nventional Gilt	Index-linked	Total		
	Short	Medium	Long	gilts		
Auction proceeds to-date	12,856	6,084	10,767	0	29,707	
PAOF proceeds to-date	1,515	849	1,756	0	4,121	
Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date	14,372	6,933	12,523	0	33,828	
Syndication sales to-date	0	0	0	0	0	
Gilt tender sales to date	0	3,361	0	0	3,361	
Total gilt sales to date	14,372	10,295	12,523	0	37,189	
Auction sales required to meet plans	36,628	27,267	13,777	12,600	90,272	
Number of auctions remaining	15	13	11	9	48	
Planned gilt sales at auctions	51,000	34,200	26,300	12,600	124,100	
Number of auctions scheduled	19	15	16	9	59	
Average auction sizes Q1 2020-21	3,400	2,850	2,192	1,400		
Planned syndication sales	0	0	16,000	8,000	24,000	
Syndication sales required to meet plan	0	0	16,000	8,000	24,000	
Remaining unallocated sales					4,639	
Total planned supplementary gilt sales					32,000	
Total planned gilt sales					156,100	