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# PRESS NOTICE

#### **AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK**

#### **Auction Details**

Auction Date	Tuesday, 24 August 2021				
Issue and Settlement Date	Wednesday, 25 August 2021				
Bidding Convention	Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1)				
Accrued Interest payable with bid	£0.179584759503 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	0%% Treasury Gilt 2026					
Amount (nominal) for auction	£3,000 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 3)					
Nominal outstanding after auction	£19,567.6 million					
Maturity Date	22 October 2026 at par					
Interest Payment Dates	22 April and 22 October					
ISIN Code	GB00BNNGP668					
SEDOL Code	B-NNG-P66					
Strippable	No (see Note 4)					
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 2)					
Next Interest Payment Date	22 October 2021 - £0.239011 per £100 nominal (Long 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 earlier than <u>9.00 am on Tuesday, 24 August 2021</u> and not later than <u>10.00 am on Tuesday, 24 August 2021</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 0%% Treasury Gilt 2026  DMO: 17 August 2021	Available on the DMO's Gilt Market Publications webpage at: <a href="https://www.dmo.gov.uk/publications/">https://www.dmo.gov.uk/publications/</a>
Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock  DMO: 8 March 2021	https://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/17335/infmemadd080321.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.

## **Gilt sales in 2021-22**

The progress of gilt sales in 2021-22 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 in the financial year to 17 August 2021 (£ millions)							
	Co	onventional Gil	Index-linked	Total			
	Short	Medium	Long	Gilts			
Auction proceeds to date	24,629	19,926	20,358	7,221	72,134		
PAOF proceeds to date	4,065	4,305	2,068	1,238	11,676		
Auction and PAOF proceeds to date	28,695	24,231	22,426	8,458	83,810		
Syndication sales to date	0	0	12,928	6,085	19,012		
Gilt tender sales to date	0	0	0	0	0		
Total gilt sales to date	28,695	24,231	35,354	14,543	102,822		
Auction sales required to meet plans	43,305	29,269	34,274	10,942	117,790		
Number of auctions remaining	12	12	15	10	49		
Planned gilt sales at auctions	72,000	53,500	56,700	19,400	201,600		
Number of auctions scheduled	20	20	27	16	83		
Planned syndication sales	0	0	17,500	10,000	27,500		
Unallocated sales (including future green gilt sales)					23,500		
Total planned gilt sales					252,600		
Required gilt sales remaining					149,778		