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# **PRESS NOTICE**

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

#### **Auction Details**

Auction Date	Tuesday, 17 November 2020				
Issue and Settlement Date	Wednesday, 18 November 2020				
Bidding Convention	Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1)				
Accrued Interest payable with bid	£0.046359890110 per £100 nominal				
Auction Open	10:30am London Time				
Auction Close	11:30am London Time				
Post Auction Option Facility Open	2:00pm London Time				
Post Auction Option Facility Close	2:30pm London Time				

## **Details of Security**

Title	05/8% Treasury Gilt 2050				
Amount (nominal) for auction	£2,000 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 3)				
Nominal outstanding after auction	£23,382.9 million				
Maturity Date	22 October 2050 at par				
Interest Payment Dates	22 April and 22 October				
ISIN Code	GB00BMBL1F74				
SEDOL Code	B-MBL-1F7				
Strippable	No (see Note 4)				
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 2)				
Next Interest Payment Date	22 April 2021 (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 10.30 am on Tuesday, 17 November 2020 and not later than 11.30 am on Tuesday, 17 November 2020.

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 £2,000 million of 05% Treasury Gilt 2050  DMO: 10 November 2020	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: 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.

### **Gilt sales in 2020-21**

The progress of gilt sales in 2020-21 is summarised in the table below.

Gilt sales in the financial year to 10 November 2020 (£ millions)							
	Co	Conventional Gilts			Total		
	Short	Medium	Long	gilts			
Auction proceeds to-date	123,877	81,377	65,815	18,138	289,208		
PAOF proceeds to-date	12,749	12,173	10,607	2,829	38,358		
Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date	136,626	93,550	76,422	20,967	327,566		
Syndication sales to-date	0	20,057	21,525	0	41,583		
Gilt tender sales to date	0	3,361	0	0	3,361		
Total gilt sales to date	136,626	116,969	97,948	20,967	372,509		
Planned gilt sales April-November 2020					385,000		