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Bank of England Euro Bills: Result of Auction on 10 February 2004

The Euro Bills on offer have been allotted in full. Details of the result are as follows:

	3-month	6-month
	Bank of England	Bank of England
	Euro Bills due	Euro Bills due
	13 May 2004	12 August 2004
Amount of Bills on offer	€600.0 mn	€300.0 mn
Amount applied for	€2,690.0 mn	€1,940.0 mn
Amount allotted to bidders	€599.7 mn	€299.7 mn
Lowest yield accepted	1.970 %	1.960 %
Highest yield accepted	1.985 %	1.975 %
Average yield on Bills allotted		
to bidders	1.980 %	1.966 %
Pro-rata per cent at highest		
yield accepted	71.111 %	5.714 %

At each maturity, bids which have been accepted and which were made at yields below the highest accepted yield have been allotted in full at the yields bid. Bids made at the highest accepted yield have been allotted on the basis of the relevant pro rata percentage indicated above applied to the nominal amount of Bills bid for (subject to the rounding adjustment set out on page 4 of the Bank of England Euro Bill Information Memorandum of 6 January 2004).

As announced in the auction notice dated 3 February 2004 an additional €50 mn of 6 month Bank of England Euro Bills have been allotted directly to the Bank of England. These Bills may be made available through sale and repurchase transactions to the market makers listed in the Bank of England Euro Bill Information Memorandum in order to facilitate settlement.

The next auction of Bank of England Euro Bills is due to be held on Tuesday, 9 March 2004. Details of the amounts and maturities of Bills to be offered at that auction will be announced at 2.30 p.m. London time on Tuesday, 2 March 2004.

Key Resources

Auction Notice - 3 February 2004

http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20100114080129/http://www.bankofengland.co.uk/publications/news/2004/auctnt040203.pdf

Information Memorandum 6 January 2004

http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20100114080129/http://www.bankofengland.co.uk/publications/news/2004/inmem0401.pdf