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French government debt news

Creation of the 4% April 25, 2013 OAT

Agency France Trésor issued a new 10-year bond, the 4% April 25, 2013 OAT. This OAT was auctioned for the first time on Thursday March 6, 2003 (settlement on March 11). It is eligible to stripping operations.

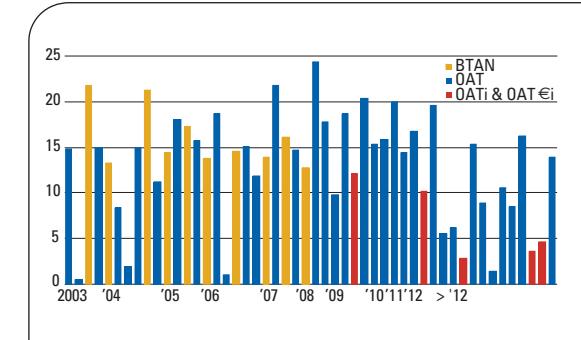
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➤ French government long- and medium-term negotiable debt on March 31, 2003

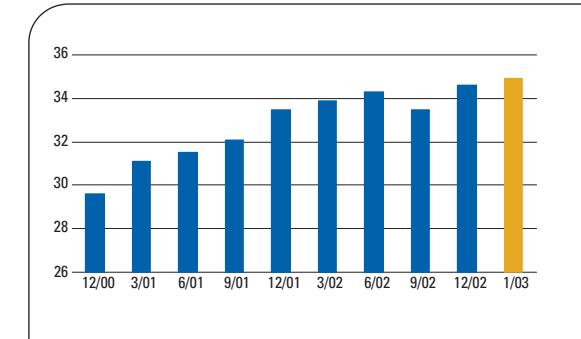
nominal value of each line, EUR billion



Source : Agency France Trésor

➤ Non-resident holdings of French government negotiable debt securities

as a % of negotiable debt outstanding



Source : balance of payment



➤ Auction indicative calendar

		BTF				BTAN	OAT
April	auction date	7	14	22	28	—	17
	settlement date	10	17	24	30	—	8
May	auction date	5	12	19	26	—	15
	settlement date	7	15	22	28	—	6

Source: Agency France Trésor

➤ OAT and BTAN auctions - March 2003

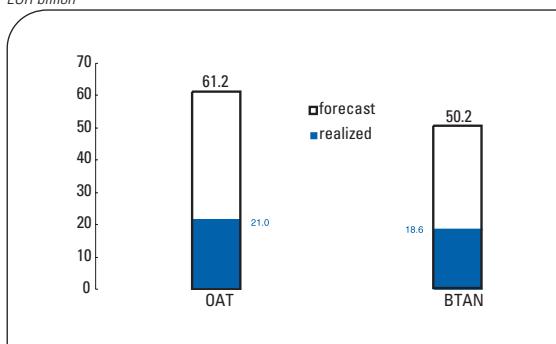
EUR million

	OAT 10 years	BTAN 2 years	BTAN 5 years
	4/25/2013	1/12/2005	1/12/2008
	4.00%	3.50%	3.50%
Auction date	3/6/2003		3/20/2003
Settlement date	3/11/2003		3/25/2003
Amount announced	5,300-5,800		4,800-5,300
Bid amount	8,000	7,745	7,360
Amount served	5,300	2,970	2,145
of which: NCTs before auction	—	—	—
NCTs after auction	804	87	613
Total issued amount	6,104	3,057	2,758
Bid-to-cover ratio	1.51	2.61	3.43
Weighted average price	100.42%	101.52%	100.00%
Yield to maturity	3.95%	2.62%	3.50%
Indexation coefficient	—	—	—

Source: Agency France Trésor

➤ Long- and medium-term financing over the year on March 31, 2003

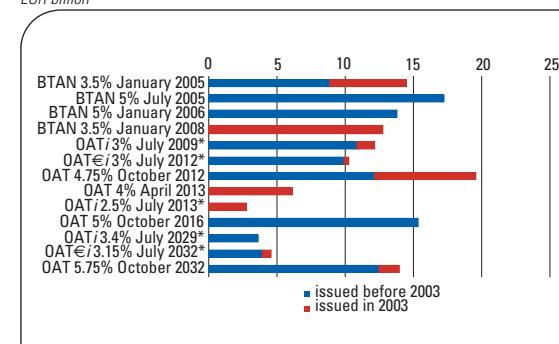
EUR billion



Source : Agency France Trésor

➤ OATs and BTANs issues and cumulative total on March 31, 2003

EUR billion



➤ BTF auctions - March 2003

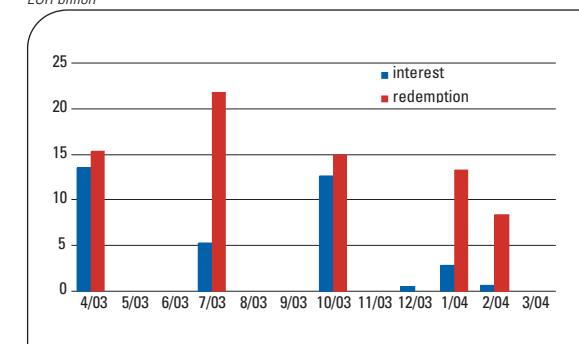
EUR million

	BTF 1 month	BTF 3 month	BTF 6 month	BTF 1 year
Auction date	3/3/2003			3/3/2003
Settlement date	3/6/2003			3/6/2003
Maturity	6/5/2003			3/4/2004
Total issued amount	2,660			2,461
Weighted average rate	2.368%			2.226%
Auction date	3/10/2003	3/10/2003		
Settlement date	3/13/2003	3/13/2003		
Maturity	6/5/2003	9/4/2003		
Total issued amount	2,309	2,303		
Weighted average rate	2.419%	2.312%		
Auction date	3/17/2003	3/17/2003		
Settlement date	3/20/2003	3/20/2003		
Maturity	6/19/2003	3/4/2004		
Total issued amount	2,315	2,002		
Weighted average rate	2.418%	2.299%		
Auction date	3/24/2003	3/24/2003		
Settlement date	3/27/2003	3/27/2003		
Maturity	6/19/2003	9/4/2003		
Total issued amount	2,302	2,308		
Weighted average rate	2.398%	2.351%		
Auction date	3/31/2003	3/31/2003		
Settlement date	4/3/2003	4/3/2003		
Maturity	7/3/2003	1/8/2004		
Total issued amount	2,504	1,313		
Weighted average rate	2.371%	2.261%		

Source: Agency France Trésor

➤ OATs and BTANs: indicative repayment schedule on March 31, 2003

EUR billion

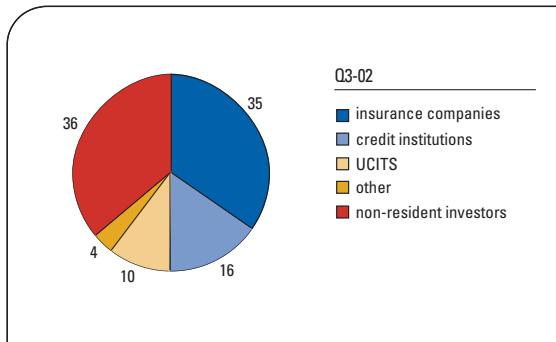


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secondary market

➤ OAT ownership by type of holder

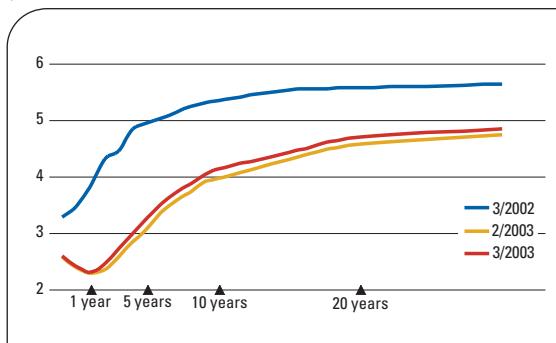
structure in %



Source : Banque de France

➤ French government yield curve

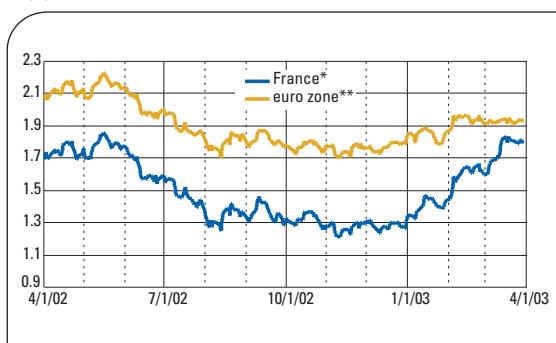
quote at end of the month, in %



Source : Bloomberg

➤ Breakeven inflation in France and in euro zone

daily quotes in %



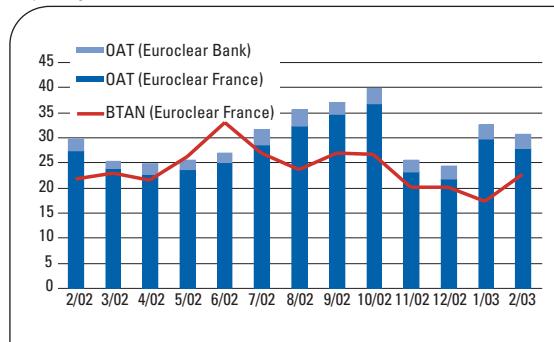
* difference between the yield of the OAT 4% April 2009 and the yield of the OAT 3% July 2009

** difference between the yield of the OAT 5% April 2012 and the yield of the OAT 3% July 2012

Source : Bloomberg

➤ Turnover on the 5 most liquid OATs and the 4 most liquid BTANs

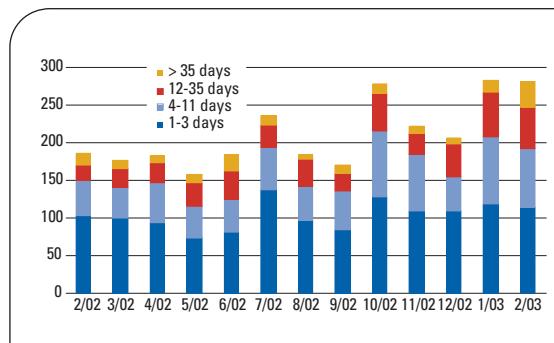
daily average (EUR billion)



Source : Euroclear

➤ Primary dealers, monthly fixed-rate repo transactions

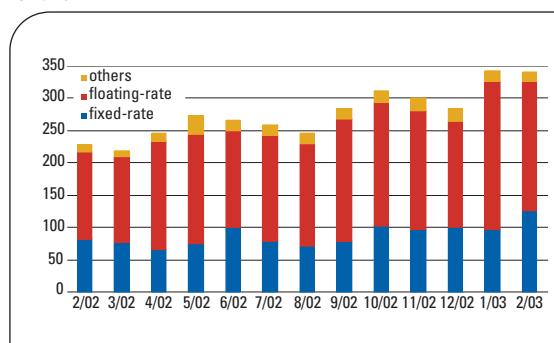
EUR billion



Source : primary dealers

➤ Primary dealers, repo outstanding at end of month

EUR billion



Source : primary dealers

➤ Negotiable government debt and swaps

EUR billion

	end 2000	end 2001	end 2002	Feb. 2003	March. 2003
Negotiable government debt outstanding	616	653	717	738	750
OAT	419	443	478	492	498
BTAN	154	158	151	153	159
BTF	43	52	88	93	93
Swaps outstanding	///	37	61	61	61

Average maturity of the negotiable debt

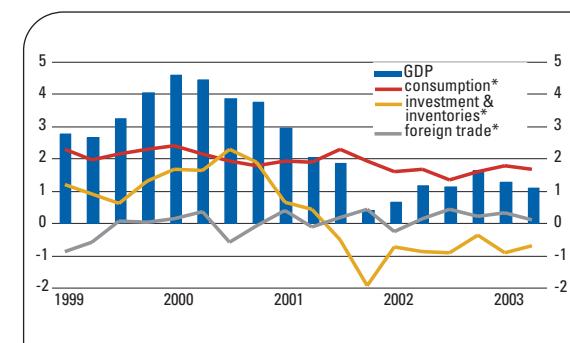
before swaps	6 years	6 years	5 years	5 years
	64 days	47 days	343 days	346 days
after swaps	///	5 years	5 years	5 years
	///	358 days	266 days	269 days

Source: Agency France Trésor

focus

Growth in France and components

year on year, as a %



* contribution to GDP growth

Source: Insee, conjoncture in France - March 2003

Iraq: markets in search of a trend

Bond yields eased noticeably during the period preceding the start of the war in Iraq, a move triggered by heightened uncertainties and the related flight to refuge and out of stock markets. US 10-year yield fell from its early January level of 4.18% to 3.56% a few days before the onset of the war. Over the same period, the French 10-year yield fell from 4.40% to 3.88% while the German 10-year yield came down from 4.34% to 3.80%. Hence, the OAT-Bund spread has widened, refuge moves being traditionally more favourable to the German bond market whatever the fundamentals of the two economies might be. At the same time, the looming war fostered expectations of further rate cuts both sides of the Atlantic, European curves steepening noticeably and expectations being met by the ECB easing in March.

Since military operations have started, markets have experienced increased volatility and failed to adopt a trend. Bond markets rallies and subsequent corrections of varying magnitude have alternated in accordance with news from the frontline and as the varying reports on the pace of the Anglo-American advance was changing the estimated length of the war. Currently at 3.92%, 4.17% and 4.24%, US, French and German 10-year yield lead us to believe the risk premium still stands at around 40bp in the United-States and 30bp in Europe. This would put post-war rates at levels similar to those of October 2002. Beyond the alleviation of the war risk premium, bond markets are expected to stay under conflicting influences:

- Further deterioration of the economic activity both sides of the Atlantic, non-threatening inflationary pressures and expectations of more monetary easing (at least in Europe) point to enduring low bond yields;

– However, the strong rise in public deficits and the resulting increase in gross debt issuance for 2003 could exert upward pressure on yields. This is of particular relevance since corporate issuers are also expected to draw heavily on the market. Remember that a full implementation of the Bush fiscal package would bring US public deficit to 4% of GDP while the European Commission now expects 2003 French and German deficits to reach 3.7% and 3.4% of GDP respectively.

We expect the downward factors to rule in the short term, the supply effect starting to impact the market later, we think in the last quarter of 2003. The rise in yields would then be all the more important if the economic outlook brightens up at the same time, fostering expectations of monetary tightening. At the current juncture, our main scenario for interest rates foresees:

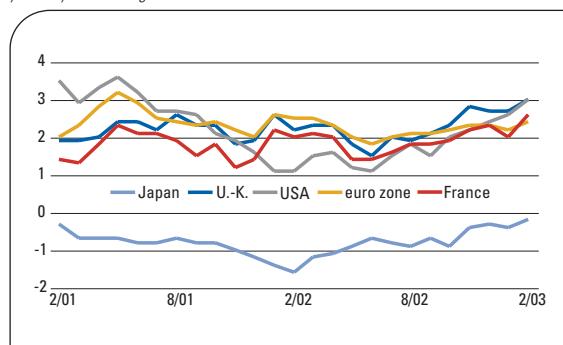
- Gradual increase in yields once the conflict is over, US 10-year increasing towards 4.75%, German 10-year to 4.80% and French 10-year to 4.80% by the year-end with European curves flattening;
- Narrowing Bund/T-Note spreads –the US recovery likely to lead the European one– and OAT/Bund as we still expect higher public deficits in Germany than in France.

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➤ Consumer prices index

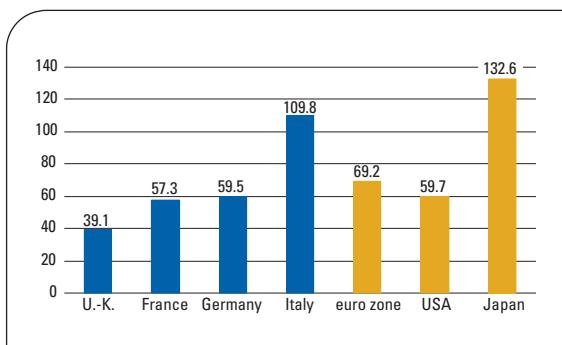
year on year % change



Source : statistical institut

➤ General government debt in 2001

as a % of GDP



Source : Eurostat, OECD

➤ Timetable for the release of French economic indicators

April 2003

- 1 Household confidence survey: March survey
- 3 Balance of payments: Q4-2002
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Harmonized index of consumer prices (Eurostat):

Index for March: April 16

Index for April: May 16

➤ Macro-economic forecast

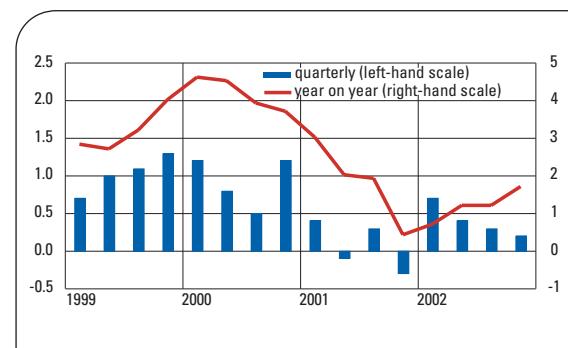
real growth rate as a %

	2002	2003	2004
French GDP	1.2	1.3	2.5
Euro zone GDP	0.8	1.1	2.2
Household consumption	1.8	1.7	2.2
Investment	-0.6	0.5	2.7
of which: business investment	-1.3	-0.2	3.5
Exports	1.5	2.6	5.7
Imports	1.2	3.4	6.4
Consumer prices (year-on-year)	2.3	1.4	1.6

source: ministry of the Economy, Finance and Industry

➤ Gross domestic product at 1995 prices

variation in %



Source : Insee, quarterly national accounts

➤ Government budget monthly position

EUR billion

	end-of-January level				
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2003
General budget balance	-31.63	-49.99	-5.51	-4.34	-7.45
- revenue	234.41	227.47	15.62	16.26	14.65
- expenditure	266.03	277.46	21.13	20.60	22.10
Balance of special Treasury accounts	-0.42	0.69	-2.18	-1.71	-2.06
General budget outturn	-32.05	-49.30	-7.69	-6.05	-9.51

Source: ministry of the Economy, Finance and Industry

For more information: http://www.minefi.gouv.fr/minefi/chiffres/budget_etat/

➤ Recent economic indicators

Industrial output*, year-on-year	1.4%	1/2003
Household consumption*, year-on-year	2.1%	2/2003
Unemployment rate (ILO)	9.2%	2/2003
Consumer prices, year-on-year		
all items	2.6%	2/2003
all items excluding tobacco	2.4%	2/2003
Trade balance, fob-fob, sa	0.6 EUR bn	1/2003
"	1.4 EUR bn	12/2002
Current account balance, sa	0.5 EUR bn	1/2003
"	3.8 EUR bn	12/2002
10-year interest rate (TEC10)	4.13%	3/31/2003
3-month interest rate (Euribor)	2.522%	3/31/2003
EUR / USD	1.0895	3/31/2003
EUR / JPY	129.18	3/31/2003

* manufactured goods

source: Insee; ministry of the Economy, Finance and Industry; Banque de France

➤ Euro exchange rate

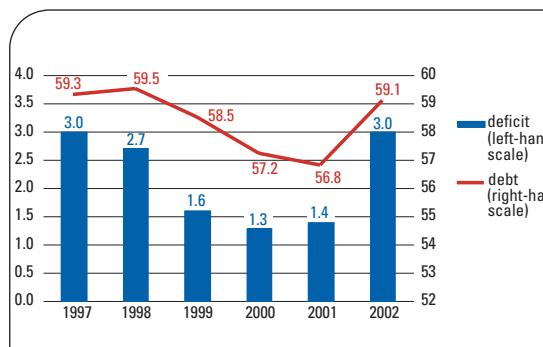
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Source : European central bank

➤ Public finance : general government deficit and debt

as a % of GDP



Source : Insee

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French government negotiable debt outstanding

OAT au 31 mars 2003 / OAT at March 31, 2003

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FR000057063 2	OAT 5,25% 25 avril 2008	24 403 932 367	203 450 000								Échéance / Maturity 2029	20 095 068 257	
FR000057066 5	OAT 8,50% 25 octobre 2008	17 784 161 127	3 193 500 000						FR000018869 0	OAT 4,75% 25 octobre 2012	19 398 229 173	245 950 000	
	Échéance / Maturity 2009	61 807 596 114							FR000018880 7	OAT 4,75% 25 octobre 2012 nov. 2002	39 161 371		
FR000057067 3 V	OAT TEC10 25 janvier 2009	9 853 044 498							FR000018887 2	OAT 4,75% 25 octobre 2012 déc. 2002	33 037 552		
FR000057143 2	OAT 4% 25 avril 2009	18 640 258 371		69 380 000					FR000018891 4	OAT 4,75% 25 octobre 2012 jan. 2003	32 901 618		
FR000057142 4 I	OAT 3% 25 juillet 2009 <i>(valeur nominale/face value)</i>	12 898 330 984 (1)									Total général	498 004 261 694 EUR	
		(12 155 049 695)									encours démembrés / stripped bonds	41 326 000 000 EUR	

(1) valeur nominale x coefficient d'indexation au 31/03/2003 (1,06115) / face value x indexation coefficient at 31/03/2003 (1,06115)

(2) valeur nominale x coefficient d'indexation au 31/03/2003 (1,02312) / face value x indexation coefficient at 31/03/2003 (1,02312)

(3) valeur nominale x coefficient d'indexation au 31/03/2003 (1,00706) / face value x indexation coefficient at 31/03/2003 (1,00706)

(4) y compris intérêts capitalisés au 31/12/2002 / including coupons capitalized at 31/12/2002; non offerte à la souscription / not open to the subscription

(5) valeur actualisée au 28/03/2003 / actualized value at 28/03/2003; non offerte à la souscription / not open to the subscription

(6) valeur nominale x coefficient d'indexation au 31/03/2003 (1,05666) / face value x indexation coefficient at 31/03/2003 (1,05666)

(7) valeur nominale x coefficient d'indexation au 31/03/2003 (1,00316) / face value x indexation coefficient at 31/03/2003 (1,00316)

OAT : OAT indexée sur l'indice français des prix à la consommation (hors tabac) / OAT indexed on the French consumer prices index (excluding tobacco).

OAT_e : OAT indexée sur l'indice des prix à la consommation harmonisé de la zone euro (hors tabac) / OAT indexed on the eurozone harmonized index of consumer prices (excluding tobacco).

TEC10 : taux de l'échéance constante à 10 ans / yield of 10-year constant maturity Treasury.

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Durée de vie moyenne des obligations :

8 ans et 19 jours

Average maturity of OATs: 8 years and 19 days

BTAN au 31 mars 2003 / Treasury notes at March 31, 2003

CODE ISIN	Libellé de l'emprunt / Bond	Euros
	Échéance / Maturity 2003	21 742 156 256
FR0100059601	BTAN 4,50% 12 juillet 2003	21 742 156 256
	Échéance / Maturity 2004	34 537 000 000
FR0103536092	BTAN 4% 12 janvier 2004	13 324 000 000
FR0100802273	BTAN 3,50% 12 juillet 2004	21 213 000 000
	Échéance / Maturity 2005	31 694 000 000
FR0104756962	BTAN 3,5% 12 janvier 2005	14 469 000 000
FR0101659813	BTAN 5% 12 juillet 2005	17 225 000 000
	Échéance / Maturity 2006	28 409 000 000
FR0102626779	BTAN 5% 12 janvier 2006	13 791 000 000
FR0103230423	BTAN 4,50% 12 juillet 2006	14 618 000 000
	Échéance / Maturity 2007	29 990 000 000
FR0103840098	BTAN 3,75% 12 janvier 2007	13 914 000 000
FR0104446556	BTAN 4,75% 12 juillet 2007	16 076 000 000
	Échéance / Maturity 2008	12 717 000 000
FR0105427795	BTAN 3,5% 12 janvier 2008	12 717 000 000
Total général		159 089 156 256 EUR

Durée de vie moyenne des BTAN : 2 ans et 137 jours

Average maturity of BTANs: 2 years and 137 days

Durée de vie moyenne totale de la dette

au 31/03/2003 : 5 ans et 324 jours

Average maturity of debt at 31/03/2003:

5 years and 324 days

Total général 750 254 417 950 EUR

1 euro = 6,55957 FRF

BTF au 31 mars 2003 / Treasury bills at March 31, 2003

	Échéance / Maturity	Euros
BTF	3/4/2003	4 549 000 000
BTF	10/4/2003	4 569 000 000
BTF	24/4/2003	4 171 000 000
BTF	30/4/2003	4 221 000 000
BTF	7/5/2003	4 593 000 000
BTF	15/5/2003	5 964 000 000
BTF	22/5/2003	4 653 000 000
BTF	5/6/2003	4 969 000 000
BTF	12/6/2003	4 854 000 000
BTF	19/6/2003	4 617 000 000
BTF	26/6/2003	5 137 000 000
BTF	10/7/2003	4 140 000 000
BTF	24/7/2003	4 260 000 000
BTF	7/8/2003	4 207 000 000
BTF	21/8/2003	2 762 000 000
BTF	4/9/2003	4 611 000 000
BTF	30/10/2003	2 707 000 000
BTF	27/11/2003	4 969 000 000
BTF	8/1/2004	3 831 000 000
BTF	5/2/2004	4 914 000 000
BTF	4/3/2004	4 463 000 000
Total général		93 161 000 000 EUR

Durée de vie moyenne des BTF : 117 jours

Average maturity of BTFs: 117 days

Réserve de titres de la Caisse de la dette publique

au 31 mars 2003

Securities held in reserve by Caisse de la dette publique
at March 31, 2003

OATi 2,5% 25 juillet 2013 1 000 000 000 (valeur nominale / face value)

Source : Agence France Trésor



2023 Indicative calendar

2003 indicative calendar



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Auction dates (A) and settlement dates (S)

	BT						BTAN						OAT	
	A	S	A	S	A	S	A	S	A	S	A	S	A	S
January	6	□ > ■ 9	13	□ > ■ 16	20	□ > ■ 23	27	□ > ■ 30			23	○ > ■ 28	9	△ > ♦ 14
February	3	□ > ■ 6	10	□ > ■ 13	17	□ > ■ 20	24	□ > ■ 27			20	○ > ■ 25	6	△ > ♦ 11
March	3	□ > ■ 6	10	□ > ■ 13	17	□ > ■ 20	24	□ > ■ 27	31	□ > ■ 3/4	20	○ > ■ 25	6	△ > ♦ 11
April	7	□ > ■ 10	14	□ > ■ 17	22	□ > ■ 24	28	□ > ■ 30			17	○ > ■ 23	3	△ > ♦ 8
May	5	□ > ■ 7	12	□ > ■ 15	19	□ > ■ 22	26	□ > ■ 28			15	○ > ■ 20	30/4	△ > ♦ 6
June	2	□ > ■ 5	10	□ > ■ 12	16	□ > ■ 19	23	□ > ■ 26	30	□ > ■ 3/7	19	○ > ■ 24	5	△ > ♦ 10
July	7	□ > ■ 10	15	□ > ■ 17	21	□ > ■ 24	28	□ > ■ 31			17	○ > ■ 22	3	△ > ♦ 8
August	4	□ > ■ 7	11	□ > ■ 14	18	□ > ■ 21	25	□ > ■ 28			no auction			no auction
September	1	□ > ■ 4	8	□ > ■ 11	15	□ > ■ 18	22	□ > ■ 25	29	□ > ■ 2/10	18	○ > ■ 23	4	△ > ♦ 9
October	6	□ > ■ 9	13	□ > ■ 16	20	□ > ■ 23	27	□ > ■ 30			16	○ > ■ 21	2	△ > ♦ 7
November	3	□ > ■ 6	10	□ > ■ 13	17	□ > ■ 20	24	□ > ■ 27			20	○ > ■ 25	6	△ > ♦ 10
December	1	□ > ■ 4	8	□ > ■ 11	15	□ > ■ 18	22	□ > ■ 24	29	□ > ■ 31	no auction			no auction

anticipated or delayed auctions (bank holidays etc.)

Auction	Settlement
BTF	
<input type="checkbox"/> Each Monday ⁽¹⁾	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Following Thursday ⁽¹⁾
BTAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 rd Thursday of the month ⁽¹⁾	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Following Tuesday ⁽¹⁾
OAT	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 st Thursday of the month ^{(1) (2)}	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Following Tuesday ⁽¹⁾

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2003 indicative auction calendar

BTF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BTF 13 or 12 weeks (one week out of two) • BTF half yearly or yearly (one week out of two)
each Monday	
BTAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One 2-year and/or one 5-year line • opening of two new 5-year lines
3rd Thursday of the month *	
OAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One or more fixed-rate (10-, 15- or 30-year) line plus possibly one variable rate line • opening of two new 10-year lines
1st Thursday of the month *	
OAT linkers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tapping of existing lines (OAT_i or OAT_e) • possible opening of new lines
1st or 3rd Thursday of the month *	

* except in August and December

The Agency France Trésor reserves the right to cancel an auction listed on the calendar if exceptional market conditions warrant it, or to hold an extra auction according to its borrowing needs and market trends.

Furthermore, the State reserves the right to create new, long- or medium-term lines during the year, or to issue further tranches of previous issues in accordance with market conditions. The State also reserves the right to use banking syndicate issue procedures.

The exact nature of the State issues will be communicated to the market in the days preceding each auction with information on the volume of the issues.

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BANQUE LEHMAN BROTHERS S.A.	LBBTF1	LBBTAN2	LBOAT1	LBOAT2	-	LBWE
BARCLAYS CAPITAL FRANCE S.A.	BARCAPPL	BARCAPPL	BARCAP0AT1/2	BARCAPIND	BARCAPSTRIPS1-2	BZWPL
BNP PARIBAS	BNPPBTF	BNPPBTAN	BNPPOAT01-02	BNPPOAT02	BNPPSTRIP01-02-03	BNPPREPO
CDC IXIS CAPITAL MARKETS	CDCBILLS	CDCBTAN	CDCOAT1/2	CDCOAT3	CDCSTRIP1-2	CDCBILLS
CREDIT AGRICOLE INDOSUEZ	CAIEUCT01	CAIBTAN01	CAI0AT01/02/CAIVAR01	CAIVAR01	CAISTRIP01	CAIREPO
CREDIT LYONNAIS	CLBTF	CLBTAN	CLOAT01-04	CLOAT03	CLSTRIP01	CLREPO
DEUTSCHE BANK FRANCE S.A.	DBBTF	DBBTAN1	DB0AT1-2/DBILB	DBILB	0/FRSTRIP-DEBP	DBPPL
DRESDNER KLEINWORT BENSON	DRBBTF	DRBBTAN	DRBOAT1-2/DRBTEC10	DRBTEC10	DRBSTRIP1-2	DRBREP001
GOLDMAN SACHS PARIS INC. & Cie	GSPK	GSPC	GSPD-F	GSPG	GSPH-J	GSPRREPO
HSBC CCF	HSBCCFBTF	HSBCCFBTAN	HSBCCCFOAT/CCFVAR	HSBCCCVAR	HSBCCCFSTRIP	HSBCCCFREPO
J.P. MORGAN & Cie S.A.	MGPK	JPMFR01	JPMFR01-02	MGTEC	JPMSTRIPFR	MMQU
MERRILL LYNCH FINANCE S.A.	MLFRONT	MLFBTAN	MLFOAT1-2/MLFTEC	MLFOAT1	MLFSTRIP	MLFRONT
MORGAN STANLEY S.A.	MSFRD	MSFRB/D	MSFRB-C	MSFRC	MSFRE	MSFRR
NATEXIS BANQUES POPULAIRES	NBPGVT01	NBPGVT02	NBPGVT02-04	NBPVAR	-	NBPREPO
SALOMON BROTHERS INTERNATIONAL LTD	-	-	-	-	-	-
SOCIETE GENERALE	SGREP001	SGOAT01	SGOAT01-02	SGOATVAR01	SGSTRIP01	SGREP001
CIC	CICBTF	CICBTAN	CICOAT1/2/CICTEC	CICOAT1	CICSTRIP	CICREPO
COMMERZBANK	-	CBGOVFR-COBA	CBGOVFR-COBA	-	-	-
UNICREDIT BANCA MOBILIARE	CRIT111-120	CRIT111-120	CRIT111-120	CRIT111-120	-	CRIT111-120
UBS FRANCE SA	WDREURO050-54	WDREURO1-15	WDREURO1-15	WDREURO1-15	WDREUROSTRIP1	-

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