Press Release

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Federal Reserve announces results of auction of \$150 billion in 84-day credit held on December 1, 2008

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On December 1, 2008, the Federal Reserve conducted an auction of \$150 billion in 84-day credit through its Term Auction Facility. Following are the results of the auction:

Stop-out rate:	0.420 percent
Total propositions submitted: Total propositions accepted: Bid/cover ratio:	\$66.471 billion \$66.471 billion 0.44
Number of bidders:	80

The awarded loans will settle on December 4, 2008, and will mature on February 26, 2009. The stop-out rate shown above will apply to all awarded loans.

Institutions that submitted winning bids will be contacted by their respective Reserve Banks by 11:30 a.m. EST on December 2, 2008. Participants have until 12:30 p.m. EST on December 2, 2008, to inform their local Reserve Bank of any error.

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