

Press Release

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Federal Reserve announces results of auction of \$25 billion in 84-day credit held on August 11, 2008

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On August 11, 2008, the Federal Reserve conducted an auction of \$25 billion in 84-day credit through its Term Auction Facility. Following are the results of the auction:

Stop-out rate:	2.754 percent
Total propositions submitted:	\$54.800 billion
Total propositions accepted:	\$25.000 billion
Bid/cover ratio:	2.19
Number of bidders:	64

Bids at the stop-out rate were prorated at 80.00% and resulting awards were rounded to the nearest \$10,000 (except that all awards below \$10,000 are rounded up to \$10,000).

The awarded loans will settle on August 14, 2008, and will mature on November 6, 2008. 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. EDT on August 12, 2008. Participants have until noon EDT on August 12, 2008, to inform their local Reserve Bank of any error.

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