

**Announcement on the Conduct of
Fixed-Rate Purchase Operations for Consecutive Days**

The Bank of Japan will conduct fixed-rate purchase operations for consecutive days as follows.

Outright purchases of JGBs <fixed-rate method>

Bonds to be purchased	Schedule of the purchases	Purchase size per auction	Fixed-rate applied in the auctions
10-year JGBs #364, #365, and #366	Apr. 21, 22, 25, and 26	Unlimited	0.25% (Note)

Note: The Bank will purchase the bonds with the highest yield between #364, #365, and #366 at this rate. The fixed yield spread will be notified when each of the corresponding outright purchases is conducted.

With regard to the outright purchases of JGBs (competitive auction method), the Bank may increase the amounts of purchases on April 26 and make additions to the schedule during the period indicated above as needed, taking account of market conditions.