

Yield Curve Spread: -0.22%

8/12/2019 Yield Curve Score: 112.46%

Recession Predictor Recession Odds: 60.48%

Many analysts use the *spread* in the yield curve (the difference between the *3-month T-Bill* and *10-year T-Note* to gauge the likelihood of recession. This chart shows an indicator tracking the yield spread as a percentage of the 3 Month T-Bill. Since 1970, a rise above 100% on this indicator has always been followed by recession and a subsequent decline in equity prices.

The yield curve spread continues to narrow and as can be seen in the graphic below, the *Yield Curve Score* (which measures the percentage difference between the Bill and the Note yields) continues to rise. The odds of recession, while still remote, continue to grow.



Source: Yahoo Finance