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Q. Reference: Page 60, Lines 2-5

"The important point to note is that bonds issued by the Government of Canada are many times more liquid than either bonds issued by the major provinces or corporate bonds. Even here the Bank of Canada has taken serious efforts to create liquidity in the major "benchmark" bonds by buying "off the run" relatively illiquid bonds and issuing more liquid benchmark bonds."

Please explain what impact a lack of liquidity in the major benchmark bonds would have on the price of those bonds.

A. A lack of liquidity, all else constant, would increase their yields.