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Fixed Income : Auction Calendar

New Issuance of 7.5-year GII 10/31 draws solid BTC of 3.333x

Post the tender announcement, WI opened at 3.82/78%. RM10m of the WI was traded at 3.80%, and it was quoted at 3.80/77% before the auction cut-off. This auction itself saw strong interest, with bids totaling RM15.0b tendered, resulting in a BTC ratio of 3.333x. The auction cleared at an average yield of 3.804%, with a tail of 1.1bps. The total offering of RM4.5b for this new issuance was a departure from the recent issue sizes for 2024 thus far of RM5.0bn a clip, and slightly less than our projection of RM5.0bn. Summary of the tender results are as follows:

Bid to Cover: 3.333x
 High: 3.815%
 Average: 3.804%
 Low: 3.780%
 Cut-off: 41.3%

This 7.5Y GII new issuance saw strong demand, with a solid BTC of 3.333x. Valuations look rich though, both from a term premium perspective and versus MGS

The strong BTC was reflective of solid demand for the paper, with interest seen mainly from development financial institutions and Islamic fund houses. The historical mean spread between the generic Islamic and conventional 7Y benchmarks over the last year has been around 3.5bps, so at the current -2.7bps, valuations look rather stretched from a relative perspective. From a term premium perspective, the 7Y sector of the GII curve also looks on the rich side, with the current generic GII 5s7s spread at 14.5bps which compares to an average of 16.7bps over the last 12 months. The auctioned bond will become the new 7yr GII benchmark. Up next is the new issuance of a 15-year MGS, with a planned maturity of Apr 2039 and a projected issuance size of RM5.0b.

MGS/GII issuance pipeline in 2024														
No	Stock	Tenure (yrs)	Tender Month	Quarter	Tender Date	Projected Issuance Size (RM mil)	Actual Auction Issuance (RM mil)	Actual Private Placement	Total Issuance YTD	BTC (times)	Low	Average	High	Cut-off
1	10-yr Reopening of MGII 8/33	10	Jan	Q1	5/1/2024	5,000	5,000		5,000	2.445	3.880	3.908	3.920	83.3%
2	30-yr Reopening of MGS 3/53	30	Jan	Q1	12/1/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	10,000	2.990	4.223	4.243	4.250	84.8%
3	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/28	5	Jan	Q1	19/1/2024	4,500	5,000		15,000	4.402	3.610	3.620	3.624	51.3%
4	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	Feb	Q1	5/2/2024	4,500	5,000		20,000	2.155	3.760	3.779	3.790	6.9%
5	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Feb	Q1	14/2/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	25,000	3.037	4.144	4.163	4.171	60.0%
6	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Feb	Q1	21/2/2024	4,500	5,000		30,000	1.703	3.470	3.488	3.499	85.0%
7	15-yr Reopening of MGII 9/39	15	Mar	Q1	29/2/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	35,000	2.973	3.972	3.990	3.998	52.3%
8	10-yr Reopening of MGS 11/33	10	Mar	Q1	14/3/2024	4,500	5,000		40,000	2.046	3.830	3.854	3.865	27.1%
9	30-yr New Issue of MGII (Mat on 3/54)	30	Mar	Q1	21/3/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	45,000	3.187	4.254	4.280	4.286	90.0%
10	5-yr Reopening of MGS 8/29	5	Apr	Q2	29/3/2024	5,000	5,000		50,000	1.797	3.665	3.681	3.690	11.4%
11	7.5-yr New Issue of MGII (Mat on 10/31)	7	Apr	Q2	5/4/2024	5,000	4,500		54,500	3.333	3.780	3.804	3.815	41.3%
12	15-yr New Issue of MGS (Mat on 4/39)	15	Apr	Q2		5,000								
13	3-yr Reopening of MGII 9/26	3	Apr	Q2		5,000								
14	20-yr New Issue of MGS (Mat on 05/44)	20	May	Q2		5,500								
15	15-yr Reopening of MGII 9/39	15	May	Q2		5,000								
16	7-yr Reopening of MGS (4/31)	7	May	Q2		5,000								
17	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Jun	Q2		5,000								
18	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Jun	Q2		4,500								
19	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Jun	Q2		5,000								
20	5-yr Reopening of MGS 8/29	5	Jul	Q3		4,500								
21	10-yr Reopening of MGII 11/34	10	Jul	Q3		4,500								
22	15-yr Reopening of MGS 4/39	15	Jul	Q3		5,000								
23	7-yr Reopening of MGII 10/31	7	Aug	Q3		5,000								
24	30-yr Reopening of MGS 3/53	30	Aug	Q3		5,000								
25	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/29	5	Aug	Q3		4,500								
26	10-yr Reopening of MGS 7/34	10	Aug	Q3		5,000								
27	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Sep	Q3		4,500								
28	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	Sep	Q3		4,500								
29	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Sep	Q3		5,000								
30	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Oct	Q4		4,500								
31	10-yr Reopening of MGII 11/34	10	Oct	Q4		4,500								
32	20-yr Reopening of MGS 5/44	20	Oct	Q4		5,000								
33	7-yr Reopening of MGII 10/31	7	Oct	Q4		5,000								
34	15-yr Reopening of MGS 4/39	15	Nov	Q4		5,000								
35	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/29	5	Nov	Q4		4,500								
36	10-yr Reopening of MGS 7/34	10	Nov	Q4		5,000								
37	3-yr Reopening of MGII 9/27	3	Dec	Q4		4,500								
Gross MGS/GII supply in 2024						178,500	46,500	8,000	-	PROJECTED TOTAL ISSUANCE = RM180b				

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