

Global Markets Research

Fixed Income : Auction Calendar

Re-opening of 15-year GII 9/39 draws strong BTC of 3.024x

Post the tender announcement, WI opened at 4.05/00%. The WI saw a total of RM100m trading at 4.025% and 4.02%, and was quoted at 4.025/020% before the auction cut-off. This auction itself saw strong interest, with bids totaling RM9.07b tendered, resulting in a BTC ratio of 3.024x. The auction itself cleared at an average yield of 4.021%, with a short tail of 0.6bps (the previous reopening of the GII 9/39 at the end of Feb saw it clearing at 3.990%, a tail of 0.8bps and a BTC of 2.973x). The total offering of RM5.0b for this reopening sale (inclusive of the RM2.0b privately placed) was in line with our projection, and brings the total issue size outstanding to RM32.8b. Summary of the tender results:

Bid to Cover: 3.024x
 High: 4.027%
 Average: 4.021%
 Low: 4.005%
 Cut-off: 83.81%

This 15Y GII reopening saw solid demand, with a strong BTC of 3.024x. Valuations look attractive from a relative value angle, and slightly cheap from a term premium perspective.

The very short tail of 0.6bps and solid BTC was reflective of the strong demand for the bond, with interest seen from a wide variety of participants, including investment companies, asset managers, lifers and banks. The historical mean spread between the generic Islamic and conventional 15Y benchmarks over the last year has been around -1.5bps, so at the current 0.9bps, valuations look attractive from a relative perspective. From a term premium perspective, the 15Y sector of the GII curve looks to be slightly on the cheap side, with the current GII 10s15s spread at 13.6bps which compares to an average of 12.9ps over the last 12 months. Up next is the reopening of 7Y benchmark MGS 4/31, with 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	16/4/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	59,500	2.159	4.016	4.054	4.069	82.2%
13	3-yr Reopening of MGII 9/26	3	Apr	Q2	25/4/2024	5,000	5,000		64,500	1.746	3.547	3.574	3.599	40.0%
14	20-yr New Issue of MGS (Mat on 05/44)	20	May	Q2	14/5/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	69,500	3.085	4.160	4.180	4.188	98.4%
15	15-yr Reopening of MGII 9/39	15	May	Q2	21/5/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	74,500	3.024	4.005	4.021	4.027	83.8%
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 GII 9/27	3	Dec	Q4		4,500								
Gross MGS/GII supply in 2024						178,000	60,500	14,000	-	PROJECTED TOTAL ISSUANCE = RM180b				

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