Bond Market Insight

Small portion of new borrowings

Government bond auction results

Yesterday's 3-year bond re-offering was quite successful as the MoF sold UAH80m of bonds at the routine 20% interest rate (21% YTM). The MoF received and accepted the sole small bid. The total outstanding of this bonds issue rose to UAH615m.

As the MoF does not need large volumes of budget proceeds from capital markets at the moment, any demand at interest rates within the current yield curve are deemed acceptable. The same situation occurred over the past days days: on Tuesday, the MoF had a chance to borrow more funds, while yesterday's demand was non-systemic and situational.

Following the lack of acceptable demand during recent weeks, primary auctions received potential demand and a portion of this demand was accepted this week. As the MoF still refuses to accept rates above the current yield curve, the primary market could become more active if real rates decline and banking sector liquidity stabilizes after last week's outflows.

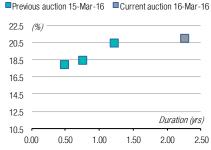
Table 1. Details of last government bond auction

ISIN	Coupon rate (%)	•	Maturity	Qty of bonds sold	Price (UAH)	Pro- ceeds ² (UAHm)	Volume ² (UAHm)	YTM ³ (%)	Out- standing (m)
UA4000192660	20.00	SA	23-Jan-19	80,000	1,026.53	82.12	80.00	21.06	615.00
Total				80,000		82.12	80.00		615.00

Note: Note: Note: [1] payment frequency abbreviations: Q - quarterly, SA - semi-annually; [2] proceeds and volumes for the USD-denominated bonds are calculated based on the previous day last price of USD/UAH exchange rate 1; [3] yields on coupon-bearing bonds are effective yields to maturity. Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine

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Term structure of yields



Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.

Auction results

Auction

	16-Mar-16 15-Mar-16					
Breakdown by yields (%)						
3-month						
6-month	18.00					
9-month	18.50					
1-year						
2-year	20.52					
3-year	21.06					
5-year						

Last Previous

Change

Breakdown by proceeds (UAHm) 3-month 6-month 36.82 9-month 35.14 1-year 10.29 2-year 3-year 82.12 5-year -0.16% Total 82.12 82.25

Notes: yields on coupon bearing bonds are effective yields to maturity; [1] only bonds that were placed via the auctions; [2] WA life – weighted average life or years to maturity.

Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.



Appendix: Auctions history and schedule for 2016

Chart 1. History of yields at government bond auctions: breakdown by tenor of bonds sold (last 3-year period)

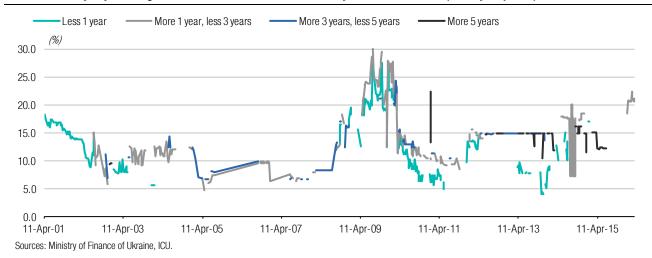


Chart 2. History of proceeds at government bond auctions: breakdown by tenor of bonds sold (last 3-year period)

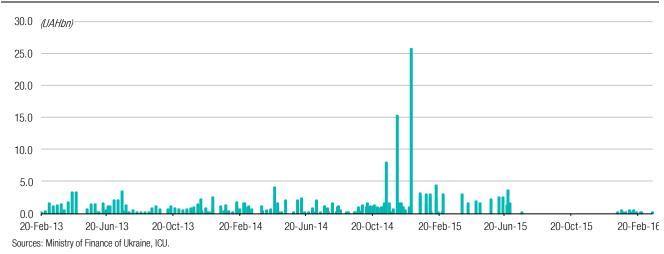
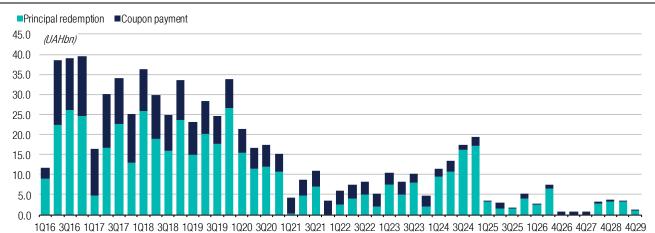


Chart 3. Schedule of redemptions of the local-currency government bonds*



Note: the chart depicts data on bonds, which were placed via the auctions, i.e. it does not contain data on recapitalisation bonds. Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.



Table 2. Schedule of government bond auctions in 2016

Action dates, tenors of bonds to be offered and volume (in hryvnia) of government's refinancing needs for the next 7-day period as of auction date

Month	Auction details	1st Tuesday	2nd Tuesday	3rd Tuesday	4th Tuesday	5th Tuesday
January	Auction date	5 January 2016	12 January 2016	19 January 2016	26 January 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
February	Auction date	2 February 2016	9 February 2016	16 February 2016	23 February 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
March	Auction date	1 March 2016	8 March 2016	15 March 2016	22 March 2016	29 March 2016
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	0.00	0.00	9,545,886,202.50	1,368,640,173.00	714,523,137.00
April	Auction date	5 April 2016	12 April 2016	19 April 2016	26 April 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,234,578,150.00	5,024,719,358.50	1,758,992,238.00	4,447,588,209.63	
May	Auction date	3 May 2016	10 May 2016	17 May 2016	24 May 2016	31 May 2016
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,027,057,389.15	5,016,490,636.00	1,234,451,896.25	3,042,558,254.81	3,472,129,508.89
June	Auction date	7 June 2016	14 June 2016	21 June 2016	28 June 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	3,374,654,460.00	1,222,837,939.15	5,432,621,453.25	2,231,967,890.00	
July	Auction date	5 July 2016	12 July 2016	19 July 2016	26 July 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	3,894,634,972.07	3,711,656,460.75	6,940,451,503.77	1,050,028,613.75	
August	Auction date	2 August 2016	9 August 2016	16 August 2016	23 August 2016	30 August 2016
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,706,404,556.66	8,240,442,751.97	1,169,987,129.25	2,579,181,572.50	1,083,750,000.00
	Auction date	6 September 2016	13 September 2016	20 September 2016	27 September 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	483,151,779.50	4,984,637,452.50	565,104,479.00	2,653,927,895.50	
October	Auction date	4 October 2016	11 October 2016	18 October 2016	25 October 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,234,578,150.00	939,031,858.50	3,553,215,472.00	9,076,650,553.63	
November	Auction date	1 November 2016	8 November 2016	15 November 2016	22 November 2016	29 November 2016
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,969,036,389.15	3,470,520,636.00	3,098,321,896.25	1,957,035,074.81	4,147,086,318.89
	Auction date	6 December 2016	13 December 2016	20 December 2016	27 December 2016	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	4,172,611,960.00	3,721,878,401.65	1,498,178,238.25	660,717,890.00	

Notes: 1) highlighted data in the rows of "Next 7 days refinancing needs" indicates critical volume of refinancing needs (i.e. above UAH0.5bn) for the government in the next 7-day period; 2) the volume of refinancing needs include principal redemptions and coupon payments.

Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.



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