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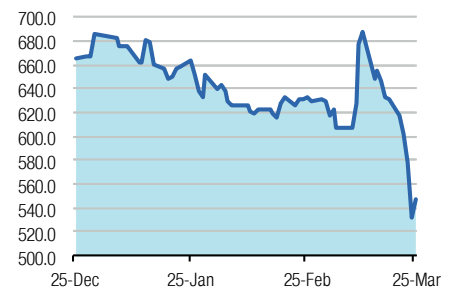
Primary auction announcement

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MONDAY, 28 MARCH 2016

UX Index (3 months to 28 Mar 2016)



Key market indicators (as of 25 Mar 2016)

	Last	Daily chg (%)	YTD chg (%)
FX & MONEY RATES			
USD/UAH	25.9500	-0.95	+8.00
USD/UAH (1Y NDF)	29.8000	-1.49	+16.88
EUR/USD	1.1167	-0.06	+2.81
USD/RUB	68.1750	-0.56	-5.99
KievPRIME O/N (%)	19.38	+0bp	+32bp
KievPRIME 1M (%)	22.25	+0bp	+0bp
SOVEREIGN EUROBONDS: yields and spreads			
Ukraine 15, Eurobond (%)	N/A	+0bp	+0bp
Ukraine 17, Eurobond (%)	29.14	+26bp	+0bp
Ukraine 22, Eurobond (%)	12.32	-1bp	+0bp
Ukraine 23, Eurobond (%)	11.85	+0bp	+0bp
Ukraine 5Y CDS	N/A		
EQUITIES			
Stock market indices			
UX (Ukraine)	547.07	+2.81	-20.24
MSCI World	391.77	+0.07	-1.90
MSCI EM	812.32	-0.16	+2.29
RTS (Russia)	862.22	+1.77	+13.89
WIG-20 (Poland)	N/A		
S&P 500 (USA)	2,035.94	-0.04	-0.39

Notes: Chg – percentage change, if not otherwise indicated; [1] – total traded volume for stocks listed in green- or red-shaded box means gain or loss, respectively, of the index or security.

Sources: Bloomberg, UX, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Bonds: News & Comments

Liquidity stable

At the end of last week, liquidity reversed mildly, up UAH0.28bn to UAH97.62bn as banks' correspondent accounts with the NBU rose UAH0.46bn to UAH36.12bn and total CDs outstanding declined UAH0.18bn to UAH61.50bn on Friday. This reallocation and slight increase most likely was supported by a strengthening of the local currency and NBU injections via FX purchases. However, liquidity should continue to decline through the end of the month as Wednesday is the last day of month-end tax payments.

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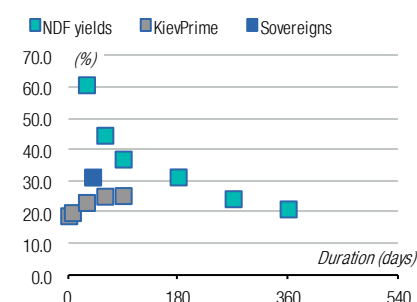
Primary auction announcement

The MoF announced a new primary auction for tomorrow, following the schedule. The usual set of bonds with maturities from three months to 1.5-years will be offered, with only small changes in maturity dates for the 3-month and 12-month issues. Other bonds will be the same as offered during recent weeks. Because of month-end tax payments, and the fact that the MoF is unwilling to increase interest rates, auction results this week should be similar to last week's. Although demand should be mostly concentrated on longer term bonds, as other bonds could see some bids which will be rejected due to higher-than-expected interest rates, the MoF most likely will receive no more than UAH100m in proceeds.

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Yield curve of the local bond market

(as of market close on 25 Mar 2016)



Sources: Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Bond market indicators (as of 25 Mar 2016)

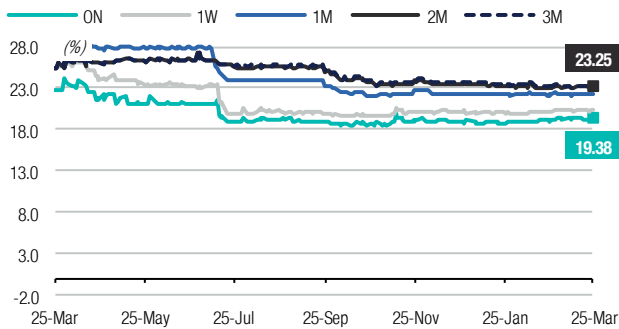
	Last	Daily	Weekly	MoM	YTD
	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)
MONEY MARKET KIEV PRIME RATES (%)					
0/n	19.38	+0bp	+13bp	+38bp	+32bp
1wk	20.31	+0bp	+0bp	+25bp	+31bp
1m	22.25	+0bp	+0bp	+12bp	+0bp
2m	23.13	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp	-37bp
3m	23.25	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp	-50bp
LIQUIDITY WIDE MEASUREMENT (UAHm)					
CB acc's ¹	36,121	+1.29	-9.75	+5.04	-6.08
CDs ²	61,502	-0.29	+6.18	-19.26	-29.14
Sovgns ³	8,733	+0.00	+15.84	+101.2	+84.50
Total	106,356	+0.26	+0.83	-7.43	-18.18
HOLDERS OF UAH SOVEREIGN BONDS (UAHm)					
C.bank	387,298	+0.00	+0.00	-0.33	+1.97
Banks	107,567	+0.59	-0.71	-8.31	+31.87
Resid's ⁴	11,174	+0.14	-5.52	-5.45	-46.78
Non-res ⁵	23,592	+0.83	-1.53	-3.38	+5.76
Total	529,631	+0.16	-0.34	-2.31	+4.94
NDF IMPLIED YIELDS (%)					
3m	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
6m	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
9m	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
1yr	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
LOCAL CURRENCY UAH SOVEREIGN BOND YIELDS (%)					
Mar '13	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Jan '14	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Aug '15 ⁶	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EUROBONDS USD SOVEREIGN BOND YIELDS (%)					
CDS 5yr	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Jun '16	67.67	+114bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp
Jul '17	29.14	+26bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp
Sep '20	14.02	+4bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp
Sep '21	14.22	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp
Sep '22	12.32	-1bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp
Feb '23	11.85	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp	+0bp

Notes: [1] banks' account balance at NBU; [2] certificates of deposits issued by NBU; [3] UAH sovereign bonds due next 30 days; [4] residents; [5] non-residents; [6] VAT bond.

Sources: Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

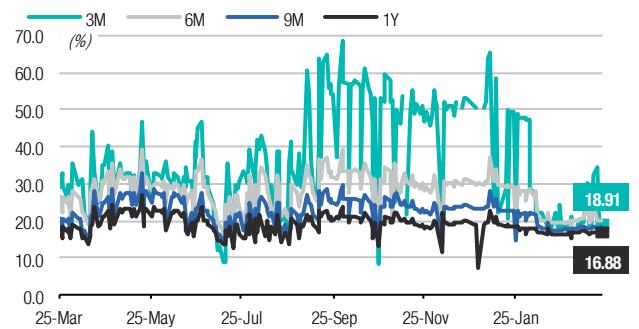
Chart page: Local bond market & Eurobond markets

Chart 1. Kiev Prime rates (%), last 12-month period



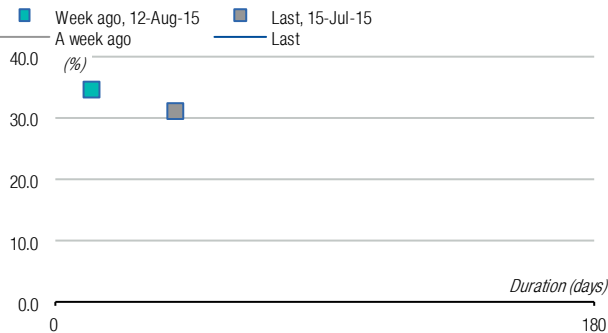
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Chart 2. UAH NDF implied yields (%), last 12-month period



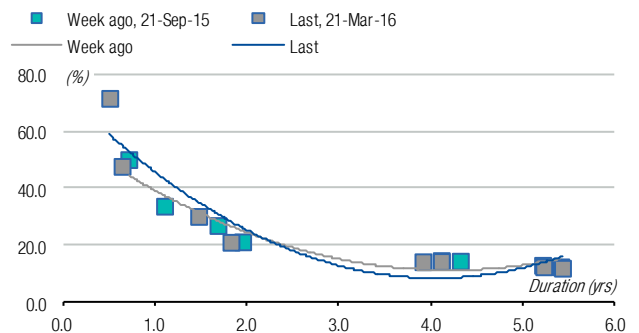
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Chart 3. UAH sovereign yield curve (%) as of 25 Mar 2016



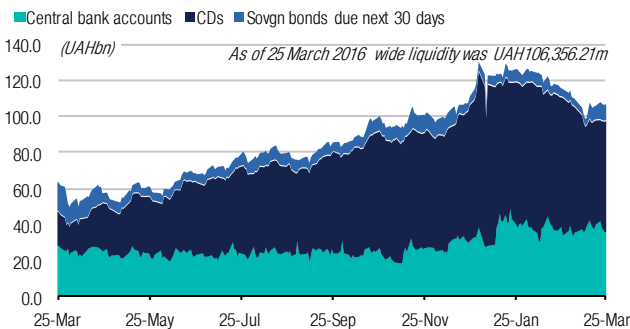
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Chart 4. USD sovereign yield curve (%) as of 25 Mar 2016



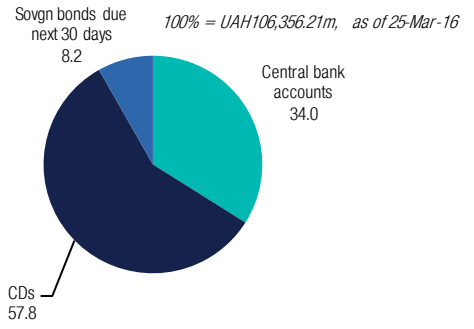
Sources: Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Chart 5. Banking sector liquidity (UAHbn), last 12-month period



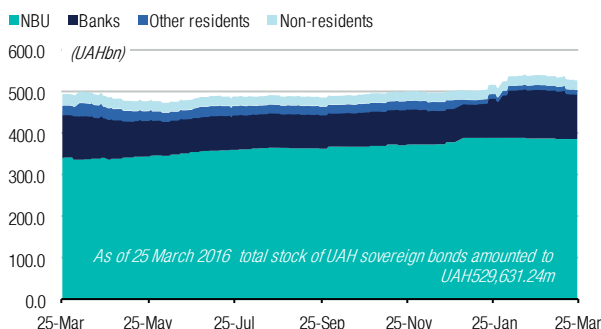
Sources: National Bank of Ukraine, Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.

Chart 6. Breakdown of liquidity pool (%) as of 25 Mar 2016



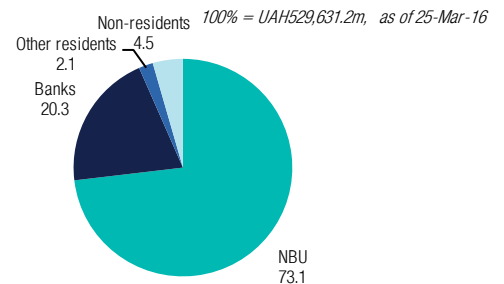
Sources: National Bank of Ukraine, Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.

Chart 7. Holders of sovereign bonds (UAHbn), last 12 months



Sources: National Bank of Ukraine, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Chart 8. Domestic sovereign debt (%) as of 25 Mar 2016



Sources: National Bank of Ukraine, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Table 1. Ukrainian stocks (closing prices as of 25-Mar-2016)

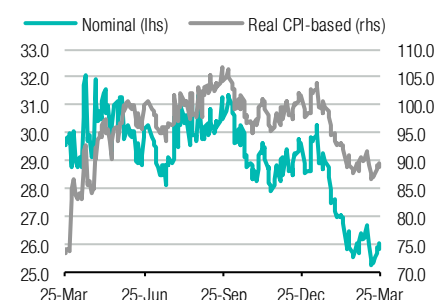
Company	Bloomberg Ticker	Listing	Share price performance (% change)				Valuation (US\$)			Free float (FF) & Liquidity					P/E			EV/EBITDA			EV/Sales			Ratios			
			Last price	Daily	MoM	YTD	YoY	Last price	Market cap (m)	EV (m)	FF (%)	FF mkt cap (US\$m)	Last day turnover (US\$ 000)	3M avg. turnover (US\$ 000)	FF share traded (%)	FF turnover (days)	2014	2015E	2016E	2014	2015E	2016E	2014	2015E	2016E	P/B (x)	Debt/Assets (%)
ENERGY																											
Centrenergo	CEEN UK	Kiev, UX	4.72 UAH	+0.0	+5.1	+3.5	-39.5	0.18	66.7	56.0	21.7	14.5	17.4	8.9	0.10	982	24.7	Neg.	4.8	0.2	Neg.	1.6	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.7	4.2
Donbasenergo	DOEN UK	Kiev, UX	13.62 UAH	+0.0	-4.2	-13.6	-39.7	0.52	12.3	21.8	14.2	1.8	4.8	1.1	0.08	1,228	3.2	Neg.	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	0.1	0.1	N/A	0.3	13.6
Zakhidenergo	ZAEN UK	Kiev, PFTS	63.00 UAH	+0.0	-25.0	-25.0	-61.8	2.41	30.8	60.6	5.0	1.5	0.0	0.5	0.05	1,918	Neg.	N/A	N/A	0.1	N/A	N/A	0.1	N/A	N/A	0.4	11.6
METALLURGY																											
Alchevsky Meta...	ALMK UK	Kiev, UX	0.01 UAH	+0.0	-45.6	-37.1	-42.6	0.00	6.9	1,577.1	3.9	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.15	665	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	0.5	Neg.	N/A	2.8	5.5	N/A	N/A	145.5
Avdiyivsky Cok...	AVDK UK	Kiev, UX	1.01 UAH	+0.0	-10.5	-8.3	-24.6	0.04	7.5	6.7	4.0	0.3	1.0	0.6	0.09	1,087	Neg.	N/A	N/A	Neg.	N/A	N/A	0.0	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0
Azovstal	AZST UK	Kiev, UX	0.20 UAH	+0.0	-33.1	-50.0	-73.1	0.01	32.2	-21.0	4.1	1.3	1.8	0.9	0.13	788	0.9	0.7	N/A	Neg.	N/A	N/A	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	0.0	0.0
Yasynivsky Cok...	YASK UK	Kiev, UX	0.20 UAH	+0.0	-12.3	-13.0	-46.9	0.01	2.1	2.7	9.0	0.2	0.2	1.5	0.57	175	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	Neg.	N/A	N/A	0.0	0.0	N/A	0.0	0.0
Yenakievo Steel	ENMZ UK	Kiev, UX	6.90 UAH	+0.0	-27.7	-50.7	-61.7	0.26	2.8	-10.4	9.4	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.15	687	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	0.1	0.0
FINANCIAL SERVICES																											
Raiffeisen Ban...	BAVL UK	Kiev, UX	0.06 UAH	+0.0	-7.8	-13.8	-31.2	0.00	152.6	N/A	3.8	5.8	2.5	3.2	0.10	997	N/A	Neg.	6.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.5	N/A
Ukrsotsbank	USCB UK	Kiev, UX	0.07 UAH	+0.0	-27.7	-34.2	-40.1	0.00	192.4	N/A	4.5	8.6	2.5	1.3	0.01	8,674	Neg.	Neg.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.3	38.2

Notes: mln - millions; FF - free float; n/a - not available; neg. - negative; a company name (the left column of the table) is shortened to fit the column and hence in some cases is not displayed in full; *** - P/E is above 10,000x. Sources: Bloomberg, ICU.

FX: News & Comments

ICU's UAH trade-weighted indices

(Last 12-month history to 28 Mar 2016)



Source: Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

FX market indicators (as of 25 Mar 2016)

	Last	Daily	Weekly	MoM	YTD
	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)	chg (%)
USD/UAH MARKET (HRYVNIA per US DOLLAR)					
Spot mkt	25.9500	-0.95	-2.44	-4.24	+8.00
NBU avg	26.0703	-0.69	-0.66	-4.32	+9.58
Ttl vlm ¹	283.31	+11.86	+13.83	+13.18	-22.01
\$ volume ²	195.95	+18.97	+37.95	+11.03	-21.95
NDF 3M	27.2500	-0.55	-5.02	-5.02	+0.00
NDF 6M	28.6000	-0.52	-3.76	-3.54	+3.89
NDF 1Y	29.8000	-1.49	-2.77	-4.33	+16.88
TRADE-WEIGHTED INDICES (TWIs, points)					
UAH nom'l	26.045	+0.82	+2.91	+1.28	-8.92
UAH real CPI	89.586	+0.82	+2.91	+1.28	-8.56
UAH real PPI	118.624	+0.82	+2.91	+1.28	-8.92
USD nom'l	96.273	+0.14	+1.25	-1.04	-2.39
FX RATES OF KEY CURRENCIES THAT SHAPE UAH's TWIs					
USD/RUB	68.1750	-0.56	-0.10	-9.49	-5.99
EUR/USD	1.1167	-0.06	-0.91	+1.35	+2.81
USD/CNY	6.5160	+0.02	+0.69	-0.27	+0.34
USD/PLN	3.8170	-0.05	+0.89	-3.45	-2.70
USD/TRY	2.8758	+0.11	+0.29	-1.77	-1.42
USD/BYR	20,161.00	+0.00	-0.44	-6.93	+8.24
USD/KZT	343.0600	-1.22	-0.92	-1.99	+0.72
OTHER MAJOR CURRENCIES					
USD/JPY	113.0800	+0.16	+1.37	+0.07	-5.94
GBP/USD	1.4132	-0.15	-2.38	+1.22	-4.10
USD/CHF	0.9776	+0.19	+0.84	-1.29	-2.44
AUD/USD	0.7507	-0.28	-1.33	+3.75	+3.03
USD/CAD	1.3270	+0.17	+2.05	-1.92	-4.11
USD/BRL	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
USD/KRW	1,169.17	+0.25	+0.58	-5.62	-0.50
COMMODITIES					
Gold(\$/oz)	1,216.47	-0.03	-3.09	-1.34	+14.61
WTI crude ³	N/A	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0	-100.0
Brent crd ³	39.54	+0.00	-2.47	+14.71	+10.60
Urals crd ³	N/A	+0.00	+0.00	+0.00	+0.00
TR/J CRB ⁴	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Readers may follow the ICU trade-weighted indices of the local-currency, the hryvnia (UAH), on the ICU [website](#) and Bloomberg (type: ALLX UTWI <GO>).

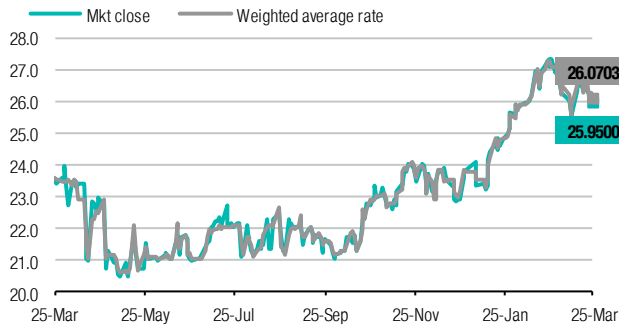
Section on FX market is continued on next page.

Notes: [1] trading volume in all foreign currencies (US\$m); [2] trading volume in the pair USD/UAH (US\$m); [3] crude oil price (USD per barrel); [4] the Thomson Reuters/Jefferies CRB Index. A green-/red-shaded box means gain or loss, respectively, of the investment into the asset. Currencies are gaining when their exchange rates strengthen versus USD.

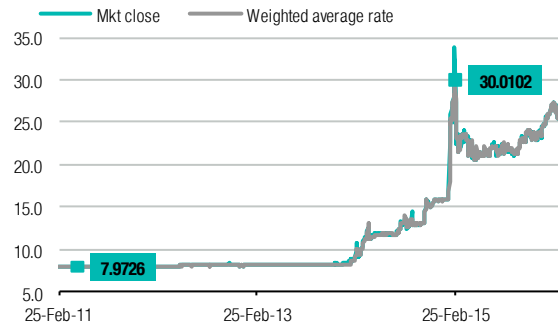
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Chart page #1: Foreign-exchange market

Chart 9. Spot market rates USD/UAH: last 12-month and 5-year periods (UAH per USD, left and right respectively)

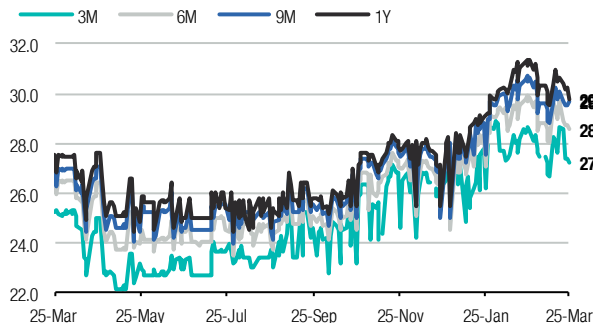


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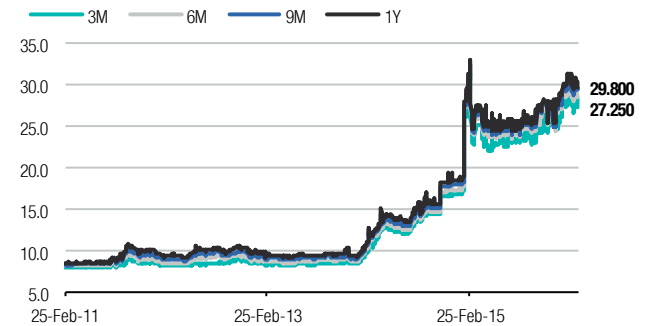


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Chart 10. NDF market rates USD/UAH: last 12-month and 5-year periods (UAH per USD, left and right respectively)

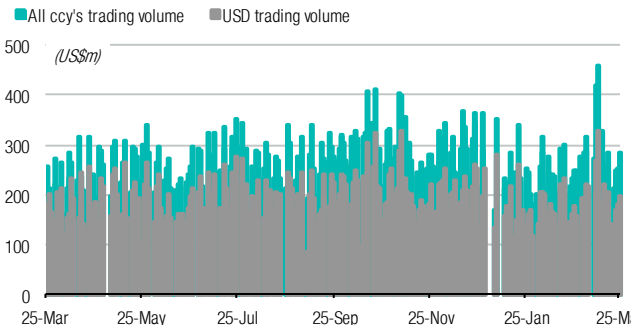


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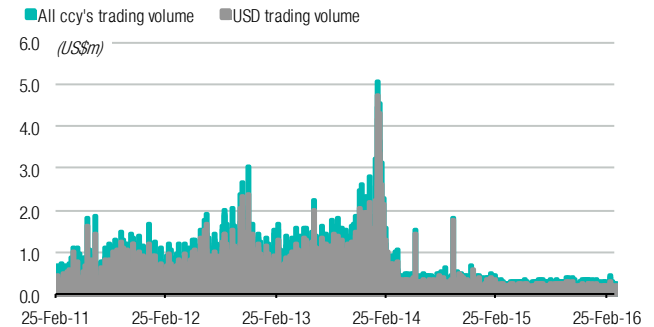


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Chart 11. Trading volume: last 12-month and 5-year periods (US\$m, left and right respectively)

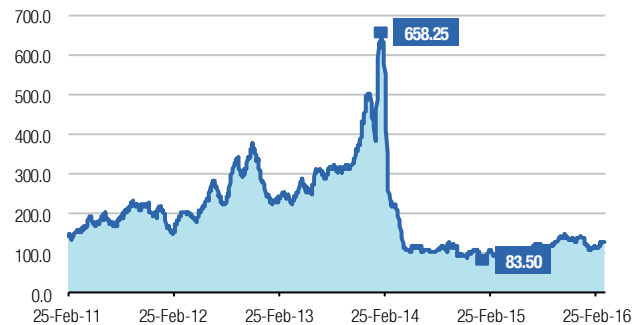


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Chart 12. 30D MA* ratio of FX market turnover to merchandise trade: last 12m and 5yr periods (% , left and right respectively)

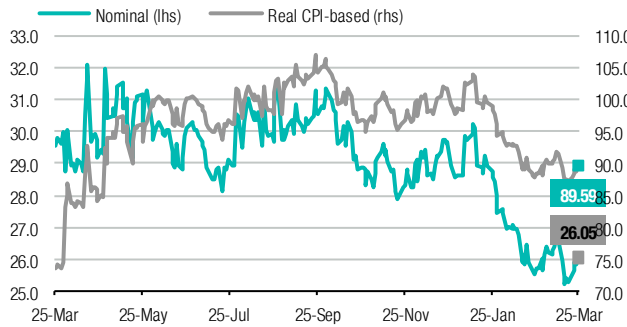


Note: * 30-day moving average; The boxes of the right chart show high and low values. Sources: NBU, State Statistics Service of Ukraine, Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Chart page #2: ICU's UAH trade-weighted indices

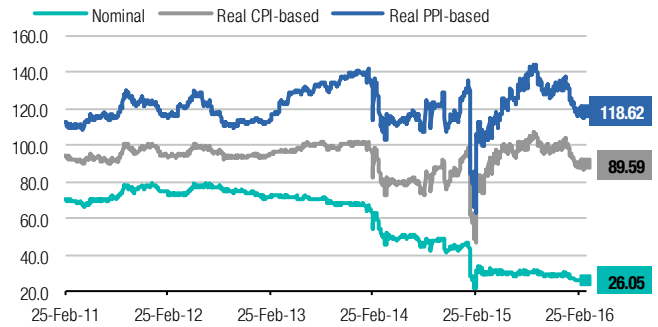
The following charts depict ICU's Ukrainian hryvnia trade-weighted indices which were calculated in accordance with methodology (for more details visit <http://www.icu.ua/en/research/currency-indices>).

Chart 13. Nominal and CPI-based real TWIs of UAH, history of last 12-month period



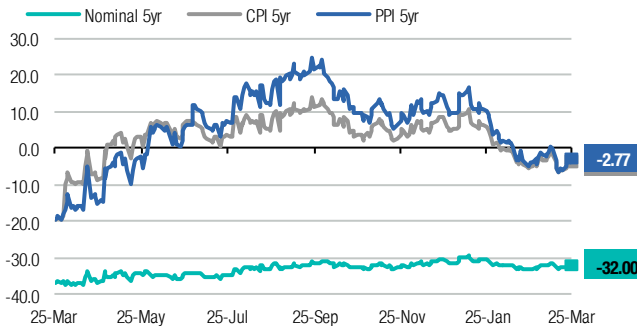
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Source: Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Chart 14. Nominal, CPI- and PPI-based TWIs of UAH, history of last 5-year period

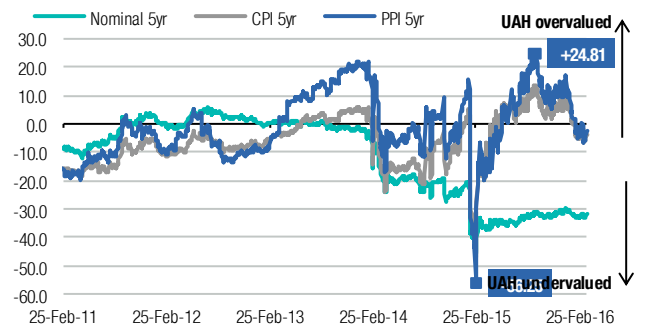


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Chart 15. Deviation of UAH trade-weighted indices from their 5-year moving averages: last 12-month and 5-year periods (% , left and right respectively)

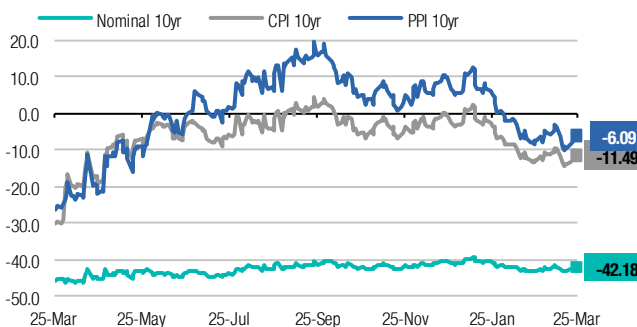


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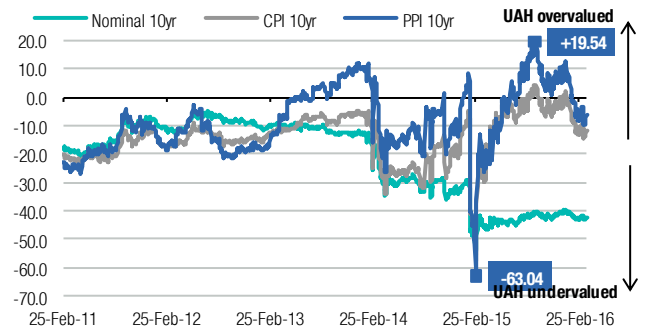


Note: the boxes indicate the high and low values of CPI-based TWI.
Source: Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.

Chart 16. Deviation of UAH trade-weighted indices from their 10-year moving averages: last 12-month and 5-year periods (% , left and right respectively)



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Source: Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.



Note: the boxes indicate the high and low values of CPI-based TWI.
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EQUITY RATING DEFINITIONS

Buy: Forecasted 12-month total return greater than 20%

Hold: Forecasted 12-month total return 0% to 20%

Sell: Forecasted 12-month total return less than 0%

Note: total return is share price appreciation to a target price in relative terms plus forecasted dividend yield.

DEBT RATING DEFINITIONS

Buy: Forecasted 12-month total return significantly greater than that of relevant benchmark

Hold: Forecasted 12-month total return is in line with or modestly deviates from relevant benchmark

Sell: Forecasted 12-month total return significantly less than that of relevant benchmark



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