

Global Markets Research

Fixed Income : Auction Calendar

**Re-opening of 3-year MGS 5/27 draws weak BTC of 1.606x**

Post the tender announcement, WI opened at 3.38/34%. About RM100m of the WI was traded between 3.42% and 3.41%, and it was quoted at 3.43/42% before the auction cut-off. This auction itself saw weak interest, with bids totaling RM7.23b tendered, resulting in a BTC ratio of 1.606x, the lowest in auctions thus far this year. The auction itself cleared at an average yield of 3.426%, with a rather long tail of 1.4bps (the previous reopening of the MGS 5/27 in June saw it clearing at 3.545%, a tail of 0.8bps and a BTC of 1.682x). The total offering of RM4.5bn for this reopening sale was in line with our projections and brings the total issue size outstanding to RM31.5bn. Summary of the tender results:

Bid to Cover: 1.606x  
 High: 3.440%  
 Average: 3.426%  
 Low: 3.414%  
 Cut-off: 40.00%

***This 3Y MGS reopening saw tepid demand, with a weak BTC of 1.606x. Valuations look slightly attractive from a relative value angle, but a bit rich on a term premium perspective***

The weak BTC was reflective of the lukewarm demand for the bond, with interest seen from banks mostly. The historical mean spread between the generic Islamic and conventional 3Y benchmarks over the last year has been around -0.5bps, so at the current -1.8bps, the MGS appears slightly attractive from a relative perspective. From a term premium perspective, the 3Y sector of the MGS curve looks to be slightly on the rich side, with the current MGS 3s5s spread at 15.9bps which compares to an average of 13.8bps over the last 12 months. Up next is the reopening of 10Y benchmark GII 11/34, with a projected issuance size of RM4.5bn.

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	29/5/2024	5,000	5,000		79,500	1.965	3.843	3.852	3.860	81.4%
17	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Jun	Q2	6/6/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	84,500	3.475	4.123	4.133	4.137	15.3%
18	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Jun	Q2	13/6/2024	4,500	5,000		89,500	1.682	3.487	3.545	3.553	88.6%
19	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Jun	Q2	21/6/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	94,500	2.504	4.220	4.241	4.249	36.0%
20	5-yr Reopening of MGS 8/29	5	Jul	Q3	1/7/2024	4,500	5,000		99,500	2.187	3.663	3.672	3.679	63.5%
21	10-yr Reopening of MGII 11/34	10	Jul	Q3	12/7/2024	4,500	5,000		104,500	2.422	3.813	3.819	3.827	52.4%
22	15-yr Reopening of MGS 4/39	15	Jul	Q3	19/7/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	109,500	3.101	3.959	3.972	3.975	34.3%
23	7-yr Reopening of MGII 10/31	7	Aug	Q3	7/8/2024	4,500	5,000		114,500	2.331	3.710	3.726	3.735	66.7%
24	30-yr Reopening of MGS 3/53	30	Aug	Q3	14/8/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	119,500	1.952	4.150	4.172	4.188	53.3%
25	5-yr Reopening of MGII 7/29	5	Aug	Q3	21/8/2024	4,500	4,000		123,500	3.683	3.476	3.488	3.494	74.4%
26	10-yr Reopening of MGS 7/34	10	Aug	Q3	28/8/2024	5,000	5,500		129,000	1.996	3.750	3.760	3.769	42.9%
27	20-yr Reopening of MGII 8/43	20	Sep	Q3	9/9/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	134,000	1.922	4.071	4.084	4.091	42.9%
28	7-yr Reopening of MGS 4/31	7	Sep	Q3	20/9/2024	4,500	5,500		139,500	1.729	3.674	3.687	3.695	87.0%
29	30-yr Reopening of MGII 3/54	30	Sep	Q3	27/9/2024	5,000	3,000	2,000	144,500	1.860	4.185	4.198	4.208	59.0%
30	3-yr Reopening of MGS 5/27	3	Oct	Q4	7/10/2024	4,500	4,500		149,000	1.606	3.414	3.426	3.440	40.0%
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		x						
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		x						
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	123,000	26,000	-	PROJECTED TOTAL ISSUANCE = RM180b				

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