Bond Market Insight

Government bond auction results: Unscheduled auction supported by domestic QE



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After refinancing only 20% of yesterday's debt repayments on Tuesday, the MoF held an additional auction yesterday, as expected, offering only a 5-year bond with same-day settlement. One bid for UAH746.86m at 14.30% provided the state budget with UAH769.00m in proceeds.

Out of the UAH1.50bn in scheduled repayments this week, the MoF raised a total of UAH1.11bn in proceeds from this week's two auctions to cover UAH0.98bn in principal repayments and a small portion of interest repayments.

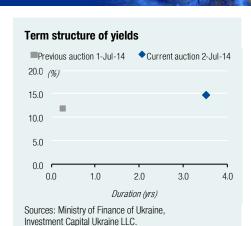
The sole bidder yesterday most likely received NBU support under domestic QE as the NBU purchased UAH0.79bn of government bonds last Friday.

Table 1. Details of last government bond auction

ISIN	Coupon rate (%)	•	Maturity	Qty of bonds sold	Price (UAH)	Pro- ceeds ² (UAHm)	Volume² (UAHm)	YTM³ (%)	Out- standing (m)
UA400018042	.6 14.30	SA	10-Apr-19	746,856	1,029.65	769.00	746.86	14.85	821.59
Total				746,856		769.00	746.86		821.59

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 LLC.

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Auction results

Auction	Last 2-Jul-14	Previous 1-Jul-14	Change
Breakdown by yi	elds (%)		
3-month		12.00	
6-month			
9-month			
1-year			
2-year			
3-year			
5-year	14.85		

Effective yield and duration at the auction							
Yield-to-maturity (%)	14.85	12.41	245bp				
Duration (years)	3.52	0.251,	294.83%				

Local currency govern	ment bonds	outstandi	ng (eop)
Volume ¹ (UAHbn)	106.50	105.75	0.71%
WA life2 (years)	3.54	3.54	0.17%

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.

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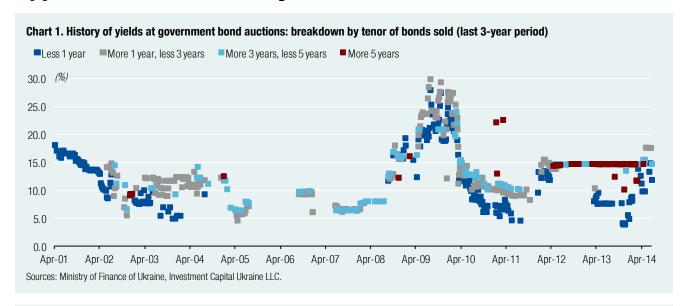
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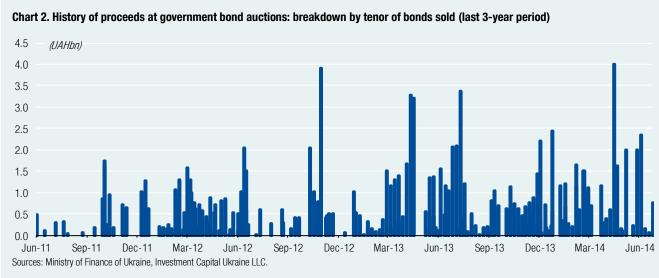
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Appendix: Auctions history and schedule for 2014





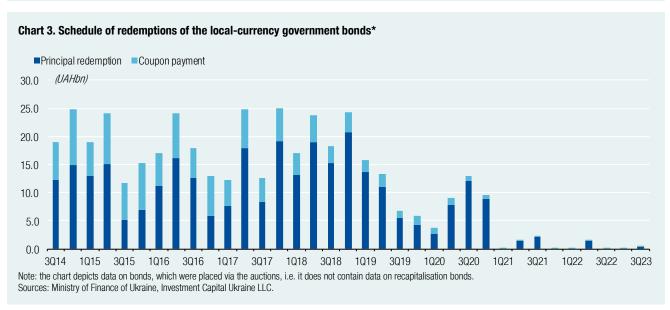




Table 2. Schedule of government bond auctions in 2014

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	7-Jan-14	14-Jan-14	21-Jan-14	28-Jan-14	
	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	4-Feb-14	11-Feb-14	18-Feb-14	25-Feb-14	
	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	4-Mar-14	11-Mar-14	18-Mar-14	25-Mar-14	
	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	
April	Auction date	1-Apr-14	8-Apr-14	15-Apr-14	22-Apr-14	29-Apr-14
	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	0.00	0.00	0.00
May	Auction date	6-May-14	13-May-14	20-May-14	27-May-14	
	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	
June	Auction date	3-Jun-14	10-Jun-14	17-Jun-14	24-Jun-14	
	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	
July	Auction date	1-Jul-14	8-Jul-14	15-Jul-14	22-Jul-14	29-Jul-14
	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	1,496,093,818.00	1,139,953,915.04	522,726,987.68	4,169,054,944.00	2,138,780,058.13
August	Auction date	5-Aug-14	12-Aug-14	19-Aug-14	26-Aug-14	
	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	481,800,832.44	542,522,441.66	1,735,826,598.50	1,116,958,514.43	
September	Auction date	2-Sep-14	9-Sep-14	16-Sep-14	23-Sep-14	30-Sep-14
	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	313,825,000.00	2,467,687,870.75	787,663,426.88	2,119,393,755.00	1,230,580,000.00
October	Auction date	7-0ct-14	14-0ct-14	21-0ct-14	28-0ct-14	
	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	2,293,208,150.00	812,169,358.50	1,224,446,825.11	2,013,608,706.98	
November	Auction date	4-Nov-14	11-Nov-14	18-Nov-14	25-Nov-14	
	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	1,638,941,368.90	2,152,816,298.50	2,209,215,772.14	1,951,531,096.87	
December	Auction date	2-Dec-14	9-Dec-14	16-Dec-14	23-Dec-14	30-Dec-14
	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	1,091,335,351.68	3,488,227,685.00	2,507,823,894.85	1,800,246,360.09	514,467,890.00

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.

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