

# **CMBI Credit Commentary**

# Fixed Income Daily Market Update 固定收益部市场日报

- Markets were stable with two-way flows this morning. TMT benchmarks TENCNT/BABA and high-beta TMTs WB/LENOVO were unchanged. IG developers were weak post last week's rebound, VNKRLEs down 0.5 to 2.5pts, LNGFOR/FLTNHD/FUTLAN were unchanged to down 1.5pts.
- **HPDLF:** Repurchased and cancelled USD13mn of HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23. HPDLFs were unchanged this morning. See below.
- **STCITY/STDCTY:** Upsized tender cap of STCITY 6 07/15/25 to USD100mn. STCITYs/STDCTY were unchanged this morning. See below.

# ✤ Trading desk comments 交易台市场观点

Last Friday, Asia ex JP IG continued to be traded in a constructive tone. On the new issue front, LUSOIB priced USD280mn 10NC5.5 T2 at par to yield 7.5%. On the secondary side, IG benchmark spreads were 1-5bps tighter. Chinese SOEs CNOOC '32/HAOHUA '30 tightened 1-3bps. Chinese TMTs TENCNT/BABA 29-31s tightened 3-5bps. We saw good buying interests in the front end of financial papers. Chinese leasing names BCLMHK 24/25 and BOCAVI 25/28 tightened 1-2bps. AMC space was better bid, HRINTHs were unchanged to 0.1pt higher (2-10bps tighter). CCAMCL/ORIEAS 24-30s tightened 3-9bps. Chinese/KR/SG bank T2s **BCHINA** '30/CINDBK '29/KEBHNB '28/OCBCSP '30 tightened 1-4bps. In JP credit, SUMIBK 26-33s were under better buying and closed 2-6bps tighter. SMBCAC 28/33 were traded in two-way flows and closed 1-4bps tighter. HK IGs AIA/HKLSP 33s tightened another 3bps. In HK Corp space, NWDEVL Perps declined 0.8-1.3pts. Chinese/HK properties were mixed amid light flows. SHUION 24-25s gained 0.8-1pt. HPDLF 23-24s were up 0.3-0.4pt. After close, HPDLF announced to buyback USD13mn out of USD237.5mn of HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23. See below for comments. GEMDAL '24 was up 2.5pts to close 17pts higher WoW. GRNCH '25/YUEXIU '31 were 1.5-1.7pts higher. FUTLAN/FTLNHD 24-26s were up 0.5-1.3pts to close 15pts higher WoW. AGILE 25s were up another 2.2-3pts. Media reported it had cured the missed Oct coupon on its USD314mn AGILE 5.5 04/21/25 within the 30-day grace period. AGILEs closed 8-12pts higher WoW across the curve. On the other hand, CHJMAO '29 lowered 1.2pts. DALWAN '24 was down 1.1pts while rest of DALWANs were stable in cash prices. ROADKG 24-25s declined 0.6-1pt. In industrials, HILOHO '24/ANTOIL '25/CHIOIL '26 were up 0.6-1.4pts. Macau gaming names were quiet. SANLTD 28-29s were up 0.3-0.5pt. STCITY upsized the tender offer to repurchase USD100mn from USD75mn of its USD500mn STCITY 6 07/15/25. See below for comments. In Indian space, AZUPOE '24 was up 0.9pt. Indonesian space was quiet.

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In the LGFV/Perp space, sentiment continued to be firm with light flows. CPDEV 25/26/Perp were up 0.3-0.8pt to close 4-5pts higher WoW. The higher-yielding LGFVs continued to be better bid. In Chongqing names, CQLGST 24s gained 0.8-2pts and closed at high-90s. CQNANA 26s were up 0.2-0.3pt. Shandong names QDJZWD 24s/SHDOIS 24s/SHGUOH 25s were up 0.1pt. In SOE perps, CHSCOI 4 Perp/HUANEN 3.08 Perp were 0.1pt higher. FRESHK 25-26s lowered 0.2-0.4pt.

# Last Trading Day's Top Movers

Top Performers	Price	Change	Top Underperformers Pri		Change
AGILE 6.05 10/13/25	19.0	3.0	NWDEVL 5 1/4 PERP	68.5	-1.3
GEMDAL 4.95 08/12/24	50.8	2.5	CHJMAO 4 1/4 07/23/29	69.5	-1.2
AGILE 5 3/4 01/02/25	23.8	2.2	DALWAN 7 1/4 01/29/24	52.2	-1.1
CQLGST 5.3 08/20/24	97.7	2.0	ROADKG 5.9 03/05/25	63.9	-1.0
GRNCH 5.65 07/13/25	83.4	1.7	TAISEM 4 1/2 04/22/52	88.5	-0.9

# ✤ Marco News Recap 宏观新闻回顾

**Macro** – S&P (+0.06%), Dow (+0.33%) and Nasdaq (-0.11%) were mixed on last Friday. US Markit service PMI in Nov was 50.8, rose from 50.6 in Oct and was higher than the expectation of 50.4. US Markit manufacturing PMI in Nov was 49.4, down from 50.0 in Oct and was lower than the expectation of 49.8. The UST yield moved higher on last Friday, 2/5/10/30 yield reached 4.92%/4.49%/4.47%/4.60%, respectively.

## ✤ Desk analyst comments 分析员市场观点

## > HPDLF: Repurchased and cancelled USD13mn of HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23

Hopson had repurchased and cancelled USD13mn of HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23, representing 5.5% of the aggregate principal amount. After the cancellation, USD224.5mn will be due in a month and it also has USD300mn on May'24. We view the recent round of high-profile discussions and potential support policies positively. However, we are concerned on the implementation and timetable of these supportive policies. As we discussed in <u>our</u> daily on 24 Nov, we believe the major beneficiaries will be SOEs while smaller developers such as Hopson and Yanlord who remains current on its debts, could also benefit from the potential support policies, including financing from banks regarding the unsecured short-term loan discussion. As per our discussions with Hopson, it plans to repay HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23 with internal resources, including cash proceeds from contract sales. We like Hopson and consider Hopson a survivor of the sector. HPDLFs were unchanged this morning.

	o/s amt (USDmn)	Ask px	YTM (ask, %)
HPDLF 6.8 12/28/23	224.5	98.46	25.0
HPDLF 7 05/18/24	300	87.85	37.2
Total outstanding bonds	524.5		
Source: Bloomberg			

# STCITY/STDCTY: Upsized tender cap of STCITY 6 07/15/25 to USD100mn

Studio City upsized the tender offer cap to USD100mn from USD75mn. Recalled that the early tender price is USD97.5 and the early deadline was 22 Nov. Upon the early deadline, valid tender had been received with respect to USD317.5mn aggregate principal. Studio City will accept USD100mn for the purchases and bonds will be accepted subject to a proration factor of c30.3%. We expect that Studio City will continue to explore

opportunities to buy back or tender offer for its bonds to further reduce debts gradually, riding on <u>the growth</u> <u>momentum of GGR</u>. STCITYs/STDCTY rose 1-4pts post the tender offer and were unchanged this morning.

	o/s amt (USDmn)	Amt to accept for purchase (USDmn)	Ask px	YTM (ask, %)
STCITY 6 07/15/25	500	100	97.13	7.9
STDCTY 7 02/15/27	350	-	95.42	8.7
STCITY 6.5 01/15/28	500	-	88.36	10.0
STCITY 5 01/15/29	1,100	-	78.38	10.6
Total outstanding bonds	2,450			
Source: Bloomberg, Compan	y filing.			

Offshore Asia New Issues (Priced)

Issuer/Guarantor	Size (USD mn)	Tenor	Coupon	Priced	Issue Rating (M/S/F)
Luso International Banking	280	10.5NC5.5	7.5%	7.5%	-/-/-

### Offshore Asia New Issues (Pipeline)

Issuer/Guarantor	Currency	Size (USD mn)	Tenor	Pricing	Issue Rating (M/S/F)
SND International (BVI) Co., Ltd.	USD	-	Зуr	6.35%	-/-/BBB+

### News and market color

- Regarding onshore primary issuances, there were 91 credit bonds issued last Friday with an amount of RMB87bn. As for Month-to-date, 1,379 credit bonds were issued with a total amount of RMB1,470bn raised, representing a 20.5% yoy increase
- [AGILE] Media reported that Agile cured missed October coupon on USD314mn 5.5% due-2025 bonds within grace period
- [CHJMAO] China Jinmao plans to make RMB1.88bn capital contribution to Xinmao Real Estate for development of Suzhou residential land parcel
- [CIFIHG] CIFI Group received a warning from CSRC due to violations against measures for the administration of issuance and trading of corporate bonds
- **[COGARD]** Media reported that Country Garden is in talks with holders of three offshore loans totaled cUSD3.7bn to defer interest payment by three months
- **[CSCHCN]** China South City announced a profit warning that it expects to get HKD600mn loss in 1H24, down from HKD242mn net profit in 1H23
- **[FRESHK]** Far East Horizon plans to distribute a special dividend to its shareholders
- **[HKIQCL]** Qingdao City Construction Investment issued RMB1.5bn three-year corporate bonds at 3.24% coupon rate to repay debts
- [NIO] NIO aims to cut 30% of wokrforce by 2027 and use robots instead

- [SHIMAO] Media reported that Shimao revised restructuring proposal for its cUSD12bn offshore debt calls for a haircut of more than 50%, less than the 70%-80% it had been seeking in a previous plan
- **[VNKRLE]** Moody's downgraded China Vanke's issuer ratings two notch to Baa3 from Baa1 and placed negative outlook
- [XINAOG] ENN Energy raised tender offer cap of USD750mn XINAOG 2.625 09/17/30 to USD200mn from USD150mn

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