

Jamaica Money Market Brokers Ltd. | Trading Department

Week ending June 3, 2022

# JA\$ FIXED INCOME

- The JA\$ Fixed income market traded with moderate levels of liquidity conditions during the week.
- The BOJ auctioned its weekly 30-day CD offering \$17.5 Billion to the market. The issue was over-subscribed with the weighted average being 7.62% which was an 8 bps decrease over last week's auction.
- The market is expected to trade with moderate levels of liquidity next week.

See closing repo rates below:

| Tenor     | Current Rate % |
|-----------|----------------|
| Overnight | 5.50 - 6.00    |
| 30 days   | 6.25 - 6.50    |
| 90 days   | 6.65 – 6.85    |
| 180 days  | 6.90 - 7.10    |
| 365 days  | 7.15 – 7.25    |

# **US\$ FIXED INCOME**

The US\$ Fixed income market continues to trade with fair liquidity conditions over the week. Demand for long term funding remains relatively strong while the supply of short-term funds is readily available from brokers. Liquidity is expected to remain stable in the near term.

| Tenor     | Current Rate % |
|-----------|----------------|
| Overnight | 2.00 -2.75     |
| 30 days   | 3.50-3.75      |
| 90 days   | 4.25-4.50      |
| 180 days  | 4.75-5.00      |
| 365 days  | 5.25-5.50      |

#### JA\$ Treasury-Bill Weighted Average Yields

| Instrument     | 90 Day Treasury Bill | 180 Day Treasury Bill | 270 Day Treasury Bill |
|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Last Auction   | May 11, 2022         | May 11, 2022          | May 11, 2022          |
| Current Yield  | 8.12%                | 8.25%                 | 8.50%                 |
| Previous Yield | 7.96%                | 8.46%                 | 4.47%                 |
| Net Change     | 0.17%                | -0.21%                | 4.03%                 |

(Source: Bank of Jamaica)

## **GLOBAL BOND MARKET**

- GOJ global bonds traded with fair activity over the week despite prices closing marginally lower.
- Bahamas has mandated Goldman Sachs and Oppenheimer to arrange a series of investor calls starting June 2. An issuance, partially guaranteed by the Inter-American Development Bank (Aaa/AAA) may follow, subject to market conditions.
- S&P Global Rating and Moody's Investors Service have assigned preliminary 'AAA' and Aaa long-term rating respectively to the Bahamas' series A notes. Both ratings are enhanced by a guarantee provided by the Inter-American Development Bank
- S&P upgraded Trinidad Petroleum Holdings Ltd to 'BB'.
   Heritage Petroleum was also rated at 'BB'

(Source: Bloomberg)

## **FX MARKET**

- The foreign exchange market traded with low to moderate demand over the week amidst moderate supply.
- There was no intervention from the Bank of Jamaica (BOJ)
- At the end of trading, Friday June 03, 2022, the Jamaican dollar was valued at \$154.58 against the US\$ which represents an approximately \$0.31 appreciation in the value of the JA\$ for the week.

|     | Weighted Avg. Sell Rates |           |           |          |          |          |                       |  |  |
|-----|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------------------|--|--|
|     | 27-May-22                | 30-May-22 | 31-May-22 | 1-Jun-22 | 2-Jun-22 | 3-Jun-22 | Weekly<br>Change (\$) |  |  |
| USD | 154.8947                 | 154.6535  | 154.7429  | 154.8936 | 154.7114 |          |                       |  |  |
| CAD | 122.2204                 | 123.9198  | 122.6246  | 124.4193 | 125.0262 | 122.0856 | 0.1348                |  |  |
| GBP | 196.5858                 | 196.9502  | 194.5187  | 196.195  | 195.186  | 192.6963 | 3.8895                |  |  |
| EUR | 166.2070                 | 168.309   | 167.6978  | 167.9908 | 167.6705 | 166.6548 | (0.4478)              |  |  |

(Source: Bank of Jamaica)



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# **REGIONAL EQUITY MARKETS**

#### **JAMAICA**

Weekly market activity resulted from trading in 117 stocks of which 65 advanced, 43 declined and 9 traded firm.

The Market volume amounted 121,457,396 units valued at over J\$751,042,825.31. The market volume leaders are Jamaican Teas Limited with 17,467,104 units (13.81%), followed by JMMB Group Limited 7.50% Preference with 13,383,445 units (10.58%) and TransJamaica Highway Limited with 10,795,303 units (8.54%).

The US\$ market volume (excluding blocks) amounted to 5,000,349 units valued at over US\$209,877.19.

# The following reflect the movement of the JSE Indices:

- The JSE Index advanced by 1,741.17 points (0.45 %) to close at 389,557.86.
- The Junior Market Index advanced by143.09 points (3.47 %)to close at 4,263.14.
- The JSE Combined Index advanced by 2,900.72 points (0.73 %) to close at 402,566.90.
- The JSE All Jamaican Composite Index declined by 211.36 points (0.05 %) to close at 443,604.86.
- The JSE Select Index declined by 97.37 points (0.96 %) to close at 10,035.26.
- The JSE USD Equities Index advanced by 5.33 points (2.54 %) to close at 215.10.
- The JSE Cross Listed Index advanced by 1.89 points (3.01 %) to close at 64.77.
- The JSE Financial Index declined by 0.79 points (0.85 %) to close at 91.98.
- The JSE Manufacturing & Distribution Index advanced by 2.58 points (2.39 %) to close at 110.48.

(Source: Jamaica Stock Exchange)

#### **TRINIDAD**

The Market activity resulted from trading 27 securities of which 13 advanced, 8 declined and 6 traded firm.

The Market volume amounted to 1,083,495 shares crossing the floor of the Exchange valued at TT\$12.764 million.

The volume leaders Massy Holdings Limited with 755,435 shares (69.72%), followed Trinidad and Tobago NGL Limited with 79,202 shares (7.31%) and National Enterprises Limited with 66,490 shares (6.14%).

#### The following reflect the movement of the TTSE Indices: -

- The COMPOSITE Index declined by 1.03 points (0.07%) to close at 1,414.99.
- The ALL T&T Index advanced by 12.76 points (0.62%) to close at 2.074.93.
- The CROSS-LISTED Index declined by 2.22 points (2.19%) to close at 99.23.
- The SME Index advanced by 0.77 points (1.96%) to close at 40.14. (Source: Trinidad and Tobago Stock Exchange)

#### **BARBADOS**

This week, the Regular Market traded a total volume of 58,574 shares. The top three securities traded were Eppley Caribbean Property Fund SCC - Value Fund with 43,608 (74.45%), Goddard Enterprises Limited with 9,556 (16.31%) and Insurance Corporation of Barbados Limited with 4,162 shares (7.11%).

#### The BSE Indices ending June 3, 2022

| INDICES    | TODAY'S TRADING | LAST TRADING | CHANGES | % Change |
|------------|-----------------|--------------|---------|----------|
|            | 3-Jun-22        | 27-May-22    |         |          |
| Local      | 2,520.18        | 2,507.36     | 12.82   | 0.511%   |
| Cross-list | 1,140.86        | 1,140.86     | 0.00    | -        |
| Composite  | 616.68          | 613.63       | 3.05    | 0.497%   |

(Source: Barbados Stock Exchange)



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## **REGIONAL EQUITY MARKETS**

- Victoria Mutual Investments Limited (VMIL) has advised that the Company has agreed to make a private equity investment in Home Choice Enterprise Limited, which will see the wealth-building arm of the VM Group acquiring a sizeable stake in the manufacturing and distribution company. The equity injection will allow Home Choice Enterprise to expand its business to meet the growing demand for its products, which include pepper shrimp, sauces, spices, juices, and condiments in the local and export market. For further information, visit <a href="https://www.jamstockex.com">www.jamstockex.com</a>.
- CBNY has advised that further to the communique of February 28, 2022, the Directors understand that the majority shareholder is in the process of pursuing the finalization of a decision in respect of the sale of its 72% shareholding in Ciboney Group Limited.
- JMMB Group Ltd (JMMBGL) has declared an interim dividend of twenty-five cents per ordinary stock unit payable on July 11, 2022 to shareholders on record as at June 10, 2022. The ex-dividend date is June 9, 2022.
- ICREATE has advised that the Board of Directors of the Company on Thursday, May 19, 2022, agreed to the tabling of a
  resolution for a Rights Issue at the upcoming Annual General Meeting (AGM) or Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) of the
  Company on a date to be announced. ICREATE further advised that the company has signed with Victoria Mutual Wealth
  Management Limited (VM Wealth) as Lead Arranger, Broker and Listing Agent for the transaction. The purpose of the Rights
  Issue is for an acquisition target in the advertising industry.

#### Top Advancers and Decliners for the week:

| Symbol             | Close Price (\$) | Change (\$) | %      | Symbol           | Close Price (\$) | Change (\$) | %       |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------|--------|------------------|------------------|-------------|---------|
| JMMBGL 7.25% PREF. | 1.92             | 0.38        | 24.68% | EPLY 7.50% PREF. | 7.23             | (1.28)      | -15.04% |
| FOSRICH            | 29.55            | 5.48        | 22.77% | KLE              | 2.06             | (0.34)      | -14.17% |
| CHL                | 12.00            | 2.00        | 20.00% | SCIUSD           | 0.11             | (0.02)      | -12.35% |

(Source: Jamaica Stock Exchange)

### Non-GOJ Global Bond Indicative Prices

| Bond   | Coupon  | Size (US\$M) | Bloomberg<br>Composite Rating | Buyback<br>Price | Sale Price | Indicative<br>Offer Yield |
|--|---------|--------------|-------------------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| Banco De Credito Del Peru 4.25% 04/01/2023             | 4.250%  | 716.301      | BBB                           | 97.41            | 100.47     | 3.65%                     |
| Bancolombia SA 5.125% 09/11/2022                       | 5.125%  | 2.945        | NR                            | 98.12            | 100.98     | 1.33%                     |
| Chicago Board of Education US\$ Bond 6.319% 11/01/2029 | 6.319%  | 257.125      | BB                            | 97.72            | 103.72     | 5.70%                     |
| Credito Real SAB De CV 9.50% 02/07/2026                | 9.500%  | 400.000      | NR                            | 2.31             | 11.44      | 108.13%                   |
| Digicel Group 0.5 Ltd 10.0% 04/01/2024                 | 10.000% | 1,058.585    | CCC-                          | 91.97            | 100.09     | 10.15%                    |
| Digicel Group 0.5 Ltd 8.00% 04/01/2025                 | 8.000%  | 431.579      | cc                            | 70.43            | 78.57      | 17.88%                    |
| Digicel Group Ltd 7.125% 04/01/2022                    | 7.125%  | 21.004       | NR                            | 0.62             | 3.73       | 191.02%                   |
| Digicel Group Two Ltd 8.25% 09/30/2022                 | 8.250%  | 27.166       | NR                            | 2.12             | 7.98       | 3675.20%                  |
| Digicel Group Two Ltd 9.125% 04/01/2024                | 9.125%  | 7.817        | NR                            | 0.51             | 5.51       | 285.03%                   |
| Genworth Holdings Inc 6.50% 06/15/2034                 | 6.500%  | 300.000      | B+                            | 81.95            | 90.33      | 7.75%                     |
| Govt. of Aruba 4.625% 09/14/2023                       | 4.625%  | 169.000      | BB+                           | 98.79            | 101.30     | 2.90%                     |
| Govt. of Bahamas 5.75% 01/16/2024                      | 5.750%  | 300.000      | B+                            | 85.20            | 91.60      | 11.62%                    |
| Govt. of Bahamas 6.00% 11/21/2028                      | 6.000%  | 750.000      | B+                            | 72.76            | 79.35      | 11.18%                    |
| Govt. of Bahamas 6.95% 11/20/2029                      | 6.950%  | 300.000      | B+                            | 73.36            | 79.34      | 11.09%                    |
| Govt. of Bahamas 8.95% 10/15/2032                      | 8.950%  | 825.000      | B+                            | 75.42            | 81.16      | 12.20%                    |
| Govt. of Barbados 6.50% 10/01/2029                     | 6.500%  | 530.595      | NR                            | 92.98            | 98.89      | #VALUE!                   |
| Govt. of Bermuda 4.138% 01/03/2023                     | 4.138%  | 353.905      | А                             | 98.45            | 101.77     | 1.03%                     |
| Govt. of Bermuda 4.854% 02/06/2024                     | 4.854%  | 402.203      | A                             | 99.62            | 103.05     | 2.96%                     |
| Govt. of Costa Rica 4.375% 04/30/2025                  | 4.375%  | 500.000      | В                             | 95.11            | 100.96     | 4.02%                     |
| Govt. of Dominican Republic 5.875% 04/18/2024          | 5.875%  | 49.998       | BB-                           | 99.87            | 104.15     | 3.52%                     |
| Govt. of Dominican Republic 4.875% 09/23/2032          | 4.875%  | 3,066.000    | BB-                           | 83.88            | 89.16      | 6.32%                     |
| Govt. of Dominican Republic 5.875% 01/30/2060          | 5.875%  | 3,200.000    | BB-                           | 75.31            | 80.59      | 7.41%                     |
| Govt. of Panama 9.375% 04/01/2029                      | 9.375%  | 951.425      | BBB-                          | 123.48           | 128.86     | 4.42%                     |
| Govt. of Trinidad 4.375% 01/16/2024                    | 4.375%  | 550.000      | BB+                           | 96.96            | 101.95     | 3.12%                     |
| Govt. of Trinidad 4.5% 06/26/2030                      | 4.500%  | 500.000      | BB+                           | 86.81            | 92.40      | 5.69%                     |
| Govt. of Venezuela 9.250% 05/07/2028                   | 9.250%  | 2,000.000    | NR                            | 5.15             | 13.94      | 66.18%                    |
| Govt. of Venezuela 9.25% 09/15/2027                    | 9.250%  | 4,000.000    | NR                            | 5.73             | 14.22      | 72.16%                    |
| National Gas Company 6.05% 01/15/2036                  | 6.050%  | 400.000      | BB+                           | 92.22            | 97.80      | 6.29%                     |
| Petrobras Global Finance 4.75% 01/14/2025 Euro Denom   | 4.750%  | 310.660      | BB-                           | 102.12           | 106.63     | 2.10%                     |
| Petroleos De Venezuela SA 12.75% 02/17/2022            | 12.750% | 3,000.000    | NR                            | 3.53             | 9.87       | 129.23%                   |
| Petroleos De Venezuela SA 5.375% 04/12/2027            | 5.375%  | 3,000.000    | NR                            | 3.68             | 9.57       | 76.80%                    |
| Petroleos De Venezuela SA 9.75% 05/17/2035             | 9.750%  | 3,000.000    | NR                            | 3.26             | 8.62       | 83.27%                    |
| Sagicor Financial Co. 5.30% 05/13/2028                 | 5.300%  | 550.000      | BB                            | 93.52            | 98.79      | 5.54%                     |
| Scotiabank Peru S.A.A 4.50% 12/13/2027                 | 4.500%  | 400.000      | BBB                           | 95.92            | 101.52     | 1.53%                     |
| Telecom Services TT 8.875% 10/18/2029                  | 8.875%  | 300.000      | В                             | 95.52            | 100.29     | 8.81%                     |
| Trinidad Generation Unlimited 5.25% 11/04/2027         | 5,250%  | 600,000      | BB                            | 93.17            | 98,55      | 5,65%                     |
| Trinidad Petroleum Holdings Ltd. 9.75% 06/15/2026      | 9.750%  | 33,076       | NR                            | 102.78           | 106.82     | 17.25%                    |
| Trinidad Petroleum Holdings Ltd. 9.00% 08/12/2029      | 9.000%  | 500.000      | BB-                           | 102.75           | 106.71     | 7.34%                     |
| Unicomer 7.875% 04/01/2024                             | 7.875%  | 350,000      | BB-                           | 93.83            | 99.17      | 8.37%                     |

## **GOJ Global Bond Indicative Prices**

| BOND        | CURRENCY | SIZE (M) | COUPON | BID    | OFFER  | Offer Yield |
|-------------|----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|
| GOJ 2025    | USD      | 381.176  | 7.625% | 102.90 | 108.90 | 3.165%      |
| GOJ 2025    | USD      | 85.225   | 9.250% | 109.00 | 114.50 | 4.55%       |
| GOJ 2028    | USD      | 1421.447 | 6.750% | 103.80 | 109.05 | 4.65%       |
| GOJ 2036    | USD      | 250.000  | 8.500% | 118.50 | 126.00 | 5.74%       |
| GOJ 2039    | USD      | 1243.238 | 8.000% | 116.25 | 122.75 | 5.78%       |
| GOJ 2045    | USD      | 1815.000 | 7.875% | 112.00 | 118.50 | 6.34%       |
| AIRJAM 2027 | USD      | 65.476   | 8.125% | 100.00 | 107.00 | 5.06%       |
| NROCC 2024  | USD      | 294.180  | 9.375% | 108.00 | 113.70 | 2.07%       |