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Daily Fixed Income Report (12 May 2023)

HEI Fixed Income Market Commentary

- On Friday, the South African rand weakened against the US dollar. In the US, the Michigan consumer sentiment index dropped to a six-month low in May.
- The data presented in Table 2 indicates that there was a slight increase in the yield of short-dated government bonds, specifically the GC2026, rising from 9.63% to 9.65%. Conversely, the yield of the GC2048 bond showed a marginal decrease, moving from 14.00% to 13.95%.
- Table 1 exhibited a slight decline in fixed-term deposit rates

Table 1. Fixed Term Deposits

Term	11-May-23	12-May-23	
1 Month	7.57	7.57	
2 Months	7.65	7.65	
3 Months	7.74	7.74	
4 Months	7.85	7.84	
5 Months	7.91	7.90	
6 Months	8.26	8.25	
7 Months	8.35	8.35	
8 Months	8.46	8.46	
9 Months	8.54	8.53	
10 Months	8.58	8.56	
11 Months	8.67	8.66	
12 Months	8.73	8.73	

Source: BoN & HEI Research

Bonds	Coupon	Maturity	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	DTD∆	Prices
			2-May-23	11-May-23	12-May-23	(bps)	12-May-23
GC23	8.85	15-Oct-23	8.58	8.82	8.83	1.52	99.98
GC24	10.5	15-Oct-24	8.15	8.57	8.60	2.10	102.49
GC25	8.5	15-Apr-25	8.83	9.43	9.41	-1.80	98.41
GC26	8.5	15-Apr-26	9.07	9.63	9.65	2.10	97.11
GC27	8	15-Jan-27	9.55	10.08	10.10	2.00	93.66
GC28	8.5	15-Oct-28	10.46	10.59	10.63	3.91	91.37
GC30	8	15-Jan-30	10.86	11.14	11.15	1.10	85.39
GC32	9	15-Apr-32	11.51	11.54	11.54	0.30	86.05
GC35	9.5	15-Jul-35	12.43	12.47	12.45	-1.84	81.73
GC37	9.5	15-Jul-37	13.24	13.42	13.40	-1.50	75.49
GC40	9.8	15-Oct-40	13.26	13.45	13.40	-4.34	75.90
GC43	10	15-Jul-43	13.28	13.44	13.38	-5.63	76.55
GC45	9.85	15-Jul-45	13.73	13.81	13.75	-5.63	73.09
GC48	10	15-Oct-48	13.84	14.00	13.95	-5.45	73.07
GC50	10.25	15-Jul-50	13.97	14.12	14.12	0.78	73.20

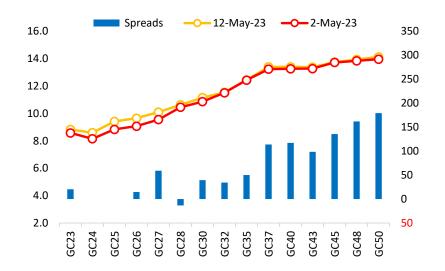
Table 2. Namibia Government Bonds

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Figure 1. Namibia Bond Yield: 2-May-2023 vs. 12-May-2023



250.00 200.00 150.00 100.00 50.00 0.00 GC28/R2030 GC26/R186 GC27/R186 GC30/R2030 GC32/R213 GC50/R2048 GC23/GT364 GC45/R2044 GC48/R2048 GC35/R209 GC37/R2037 GC40/R214 GC43/R2044 -50.00

■ 11-May-23 ■ 12-May-23

Figure 2. Namibia vs. South Africa Bond Spreads: 11- May-2023 vs. 12-May-2023

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