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Daily Fixed Income Report (18 July 2023)

HEI FIXED INCOME MARKET COMMENTARY

- Yesterday, the US dollar is trading 0.2% higher against the Namibian dollar at N\$17.8990, while the euro is trading 0.2% higher at N\$20.0925. Additionally, the British pound has gained 0.2% against the Namibian dollar to trade at N\$23.3049 (Figure 3)
- The yield of the GC2026 bond declined from 9.33% to 9.26%. Additionally, the GC2048 bond's yield experienced a decrease from 13.45% to 13.40% (Table 2)
- Figure 2 displayed a significant increase in the daily bond spreads.
- Based on the analysis depicted in Figure 4, total bond returns are exhibiting an upward trajectory
- Table 1 indicated no change in fixed-term deposits

Table 1: Fixed Term Deposits

Term	17-Jul-23	18-Jul-23
1 Month	8.75	8.75
2 Months	8.90	8.90
3 Months	8.95	8.95
4 Months	9.01	9.01
5 Months	9.09	9.09
6 Months	9.34	9.34
7 Months	9.45	9.45
8 Months	9.51	9.51
9 Months	9.58	9.58
10 Months	9.68	9.68
11 Months	9.75	9.75
12 Months	9.79	9.79

Source: BoN & HEI Research

Bonds	Coupon	Maturity	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	DTD∆	Prices
			3-Jul-23	17-Jul-23	18-Jul-23	(bps)	18-Jul-23
GC23	8.85	15-Oct-23	8.63	8.52	8.54	2.49	100.03
GC24	10.5	15-Oct-24	8.43	8.22	8.15	-6.40	102.70
GC25	8.5	15-Apr-25	9.23	9.15	9.08	-6.40	99.06
GC26	8.5	15-Apr-26	9.43	9.33	9.26	-6.40	98.17
GC27	8	15-Jan-27	9.82	9.61	9.55	-6.40	95.49
GC28	8.5	15-Oct-28	10.43	10.32	10.27	-4.80	92.92
GC30	8	15-Jan-30	10.97	10.62	10.57	-4.80	88.13
GC32	9	15-Apr-32	10.92	10.83	10.78	-4.26	90.03
GC35	9.5	15-Jul-35	11.78	11.73	11.69	-3.95	86.06
GC37	9.5	15-Jul-37	12.65	12.51	12.47	-3.89	80.54
GC40	9.8	15-Oct-40	12.94	12.87	12.82	-4.60	79.15
GC43	10	15-Jul-43	12.89	12.86	12.81	-5.01	79.92
GC45	9.85	15-Jul-45	13.07	13.14	13.09	-4.94	76.76
GC48	10	15-Oct-48	13.49	13.45	13.40	-4.71	76.07
GC50	10.25	15-Jul-50	13.88	13.60	13.57	-3.50	76.26

Table 2. Namibia Government Bonds

Source: BoN & HEI Research

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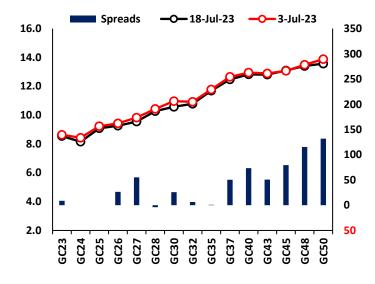
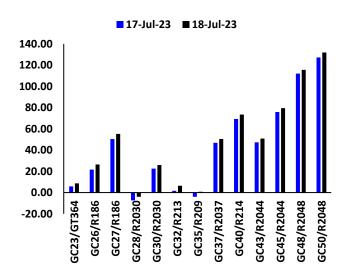


Figure 1. Namibia Bond Yield: 03-July-2023 vs. 18-July-2023

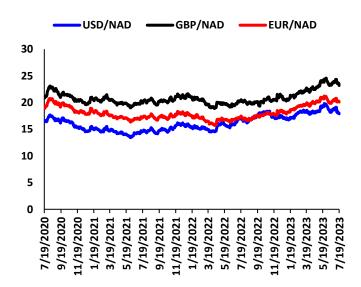
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Figure 2. Namibia vs. South Africa Bond Spreads: 17-July 2023 vs. 18-July-2023



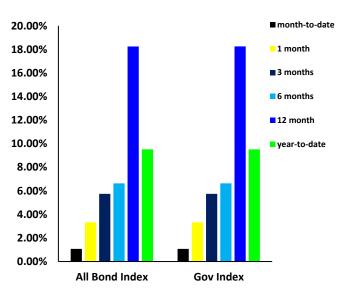
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Figure 3: Historic FX Trends till 19th July 2023



Source: Bloomberg & HEI Research

Figure 4: Total Bond Returns as at 18th July 2023 (%)



Source: Bloomberg & HEI Database

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