

Daily Fixed Income Report (02 November 2023)

HEI FIXED INCOME MARKET COMMENTARY

- On Thursday, the US dollar weakened against the Namibian dollar by 0.7%, closing at N\$18.36, while the Euro decreased by 0.36% at N\$19.52. Furthermore, the British pound traded lower against the Namibian dollar by 0.49% trading at N\$22.41(Figure 3)
- The yield of the GC2026 bond decreased by 17.74bps from 8.63% to 8.46%. The GC2048 bond experienced a decline in yield by 10.30 bps from 12.92% to 12.82%
- The Namibian bond yield curve continues to decline as illustrated in Figure 1
- In Figure 2, the Modified duration of bonds slightly declined
- Based on the analysis depicted in Figure 4, total bond returns increased on average by 1.08%
- Table 1 displayed no changes in fixed-term deposit rates

Table 1: Fixed Term Deposits

| Term | 1-Nov-23 | 2-Nov-23 |
|-----------|----------|----------|
| 1 Month | 7.58 | 7.58 |
| 2 Months | 7.57 | 7.57 |
| 3 Months | 7.66 | 7.66 |
| 4 Months | 7.74 | 7.74 |
| 5 Months | 7.79 | 7.79 |
| 6 Months | 8.13 | 8.13 |
| 7 Months | 8.16 | 8.16 |
| 8 Months | 8.21 | 8.21 |
| 9 Months | 8.28 | 8.28 |
| 10 Months | 8.36 | 8.36 |
| 11 Months | 8.41 | 8.41 |
| 12 Months | 8.46 | 8.46 |

Source: BoN & HEI Research

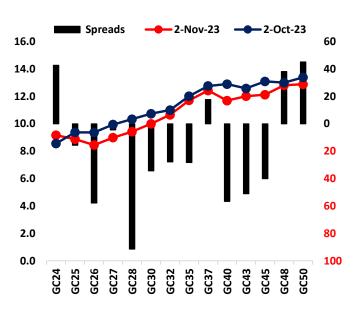
Table 2. Namibia Government Bonds

| Bonds | Coupon | Maturity | YTM (%) | YTM (%) | YTM (%) | DTDΔ | Prices |
|-------|--------|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| | | | 2-Oct-23 | 1-Nov-23 | 2-Nov-23 | (bps) | 2-Nov-23 |
| GC24 | 10.5 | Tuesday, October 15, 2024 | 8.57 | 9.12 | 9.17 | 4.98 | 101.18 |
| GC25 | 8.5 | Tuesday, April 15, 2025 | 9.37 | 9.02 | 8.88 | -13.80 | 99.49 |
| GC26 | 8.5 | Wednesday, April 15, 2026 | 9.37 | 8.63 | 8.46 | -17.74 | 100.09 |
| GC27 | 8 | Friday, January 15, 2027 | 9.95 | 9.17 | 8.99 | -17.72 | 97.28 |
| GC28 | 8.5 | Sunday, October 15, 2028 | 10.34 | 9.63 | 9.43 | -19.87 | 96.38 |
| GC30 | 8 | Tuesday, January 15, 2030 | 10.74 | 10.21 | 10.00 | -20.87 | 90.89 |
| GC32 | 9 | Thursday, April 15, 2032 | 11.01 | 10.86 | 10.66 | -19.90 | 90.91 |
| GC35 | 9.5 | Sunday, July 15, 2035 | 12.03 | 11.89 | 11.71 | -18.00 | 86.07 |
| GC37 | 9.5 | Wednesday, July 15, 2037 | 12.76 | 12.66 | 12.43 | -22.88 | 80.90 |
| GC40 | 9.8 | Monday, October 15, 2040 | 12.90 | 11.90 | 11.70 | -20.38 | 86.12 |
| GC43 | 10 | Wednesday, July 15, 2043 | 12.58 | 12.15 | 12.02 | -13.30 | 84.85 |
| GC45 | 9.85 | Saturday, July 15, 2045 | 13.10 | 12.31 | 12.13 | -18.03 | 82.63 |
| GC48 | 10 | Thursday, October 15, 2048 | 13.00 | 12.92 | 12.82 | -10.30 | 79.47 |
| GC50 | 10.25 | Friday, July 15, 2050 | 13.39 | 13.07 | 12.89 | -17.98 | 80.2285 |

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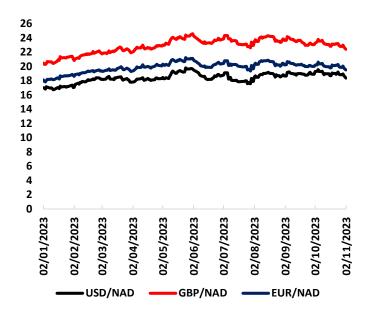
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Figure 1. Namibia Bond Yield: 02-October-2023 vs. 01-November-2023



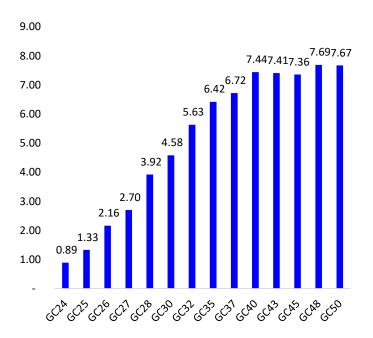
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Figure 3: Historic FX Trends till 02-November-2023



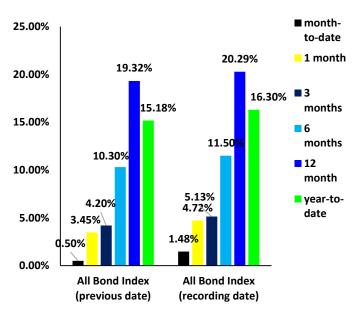
Source: Investing.com & HEI Research

Figure 2. Modified duration as of 02-November-2023



Source: BoN & HEI Research

Figure 4: Total Bond Returns (%) as of 02-November-2023



Source: HEI Research

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