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Daily Fixed Income Report (03 November 2023)

HEI FIXED INCOME MARKET COMMENTARY

- On Friday, the US dollar weakened against the Namibian dollar by 0.7%, closing at N\$18.23, while the Euro increased by 0.26% at N\$19.57. Furthermore, the British pound traded higher against the Namibian dollar by 0.71% trading at N\$22.57(Figure 3)
- The yield of the GC2026 bond increased by 26.24 bps from 8.46% to 8.72%. The GC2048 bond experienced a decline in yield by 4.60 bps from 12.82% to 12.77%
- The Namibian bond yield curve continues to decline as illustrated in Figure 1
- In Figure 2, the Modified duration of bonds remained unchanged
- Based on the analysis depicted in Figure 4, total bond returns increased on average by 0.30%
- Table 1 displayed no changes in fixed-term deposit rates

Table 1: Fixed Term Deposits

Term	2-Nov-23	3-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

Bonds	Coupon	Maturity	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	YTM (%)	DTD∆	Prices
			1-Nov-23	2-Nov-23	3-Nov-23	(bps)	3-Nov-23
GC24	10.5	Tuesday, October 15, 2024	9.12	9.17	9.13	-3.82	101.21
GC25	8.5	Tuesday, April 15, 2025	9.02	8.88	8.94	6.40	99.40
GC26	8.5	Wednesday, April 15, 2026	8.63	8.46	8.72	26.24	99.52
GC27	8	Friday, January 15, 2027	9.17	8.99	8.93	-6.28	97.45
GC28	8.5	Sunday, October 15, 2028	9.63	9.43	9.39	-4.25	96.54
GC30	8	Tuesday, January 15, 2030	10.21	10.00	9.96	-4.25	91.08
GC32	9	Thursday, April 15, 2032	10.86	10.66	10.57	-8.20	91.33
GC35	9.5	Sunday, July 15, 2035	11.89	11.71	11.63	-7.80	86.51
GC37	9.5	Wednesday, July 15, 2037	12.66	12.43	12.00	-42.92	83.33
GC40	9.8	Monday, October 15, 2040	11.90	11.70	12.00	29.99	84.21
GC43	10	Wednesday, July 15, 2043	12.15	12.02	12.08	6.20	84.45
GC45	9.85	Saturday, July 15, 2045	12.31	12.13	12.08	-4.70	82.94
GC48	10	Thursday, October 15, 2048	12.92	12.82	12.77	-4.60	79.75
GC50	10.25	Friday, July 15, 2050	13.07	12.89	12.84	-4.60	80.5122

Table 2. Namibia Government Bonds

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Figure 1. Namibia Bond Yield: 01-November-2023 vs. 03-November-2023

-Nov-23

1-Nov-23

60

40

20

0

20

40

60

80

100

3C50

GC45 GC48

3C43

Spreads

14.0

12.0

10.0

8.0

6.0

4.0

2.0

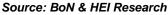
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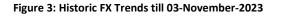


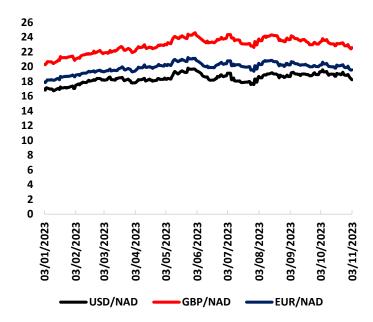
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Source: Investing.com & HEI Research

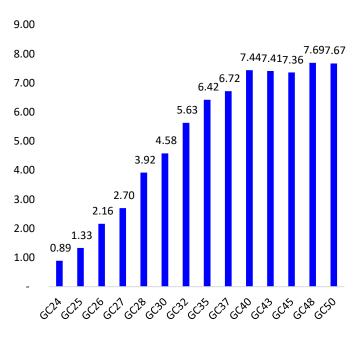
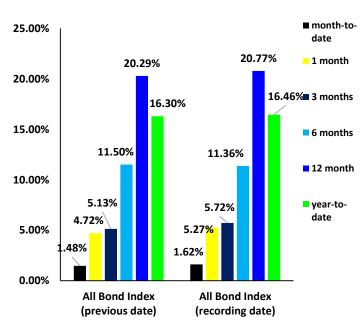


Figure 2. Modified duration as of 03-November-2023

Source: BoN & HEI Research

Figure 4: Total Bond Returns (%) as of 03-November-2023



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