# **IJG Daily Bulletin**

Friday, 09 August 2024



Local Indices	S							The Day Ahead		
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low	Economic News		
ISX Overall	1760	4.22	0.24	-3.76	7.77	1833	102	Germany CPI (Jul)		
ISX Local	680	-0.11	-0.02	0.00	1.30	693	44	Germany Current	Account Balar	nce (Jun)
SE ALSI	80739	374.45	0.47	-2.45	5.00	82881	69128	,		
SE Top 40	73728	371.00	0.51	-2.56	4.59	75826	63312			
SE INDI	109352	1373.30	1.27	-0.52	5.43	112022	92852			
ISE FINI	19379	37.19	0.19	-2.33	8.42	19851	15313			
ISE RESI	58544	-403.60	-0.68	-6.18	1.76	66214	48725			
ISE Banks	12218	0.05	0.00	-2.64	11.60	12566	9370			
Global Indice										
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low			
Dow Jones	39446	683.04	1.76	-3.42	4.66	41376	32327			
5&P 500	5319	119.81	2.30	-3.68	11.52	5670	4104			
NASDAQ	16660	464.21	2.87	-5.34	10.98	18671	12544			
FTSE100	8145	-21.91	-0.27	-2.67	5.32	8474	7216			
DAX	17680	65.25	0.37	-4.47	5.54	18893	14630			
Hang Seng	17122	229.71	1.36	-1.29	0.43	19706	14794			
Nikkei	34610	-221.37	-0.64	-11.49	3.42	42427	30488			
Currencies	L av al	Nat Chan an		metal 0/		52) M/b   15 mb	52) M/la L aver	NSX Market Wra		
N¢/116¢	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low	N\$4m traded on	,	,
N\$/US\$	18.35	-0.01	0.07	-0.79	0.08	19.64	17.87	bourse N\$4.0m w	orth of FirstRa	ind Namib
N\$/£	23.40	-0.01	0.04	0.03	-0.46	24.59	22.38	down 4c. No ETF/I	ETN trades we	ere record
N\$/€	20.04	-0.02	0.10	-1.57	0.72	21.07	19.10	,		
N\$/AUD\$	12.10	-0.01	0.07	-1.59	3.03	12.75	11.76			
N\$/CAD\$	13.36	-0.01	0.08	-1.35	3.36	14.38	13.06			
US\$/€	1.09	0.00	0.01	0.87	-1.08	1.11	1.04			
US\$/¥	146.97	-0.26	0.18	2.05	-4.03	161.95	140.25			
Commodities	S							<b>JSE Market Wra</b>	р	
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low	The FTSE/JSE Afri	ca All Share I	ndex rose
Brent Crude	79.15	-0.01	-0.01	-2.09	4.74	88.44	73.31	80,739.31 as 68 s	tocks gained.	51 fell. an
Gold	2421.20	-6.34	-0.26	-1.08	17.36	2483.73	1810.51	unchanged. MTN	•	-
Platinum	936.53	-0.20	-0.02	-4.31	-5.58	1095.69	843.10	4.9% and Fairves		-
Copper	402.50	6.60	1.67	-3.63	2.11	513.10	361.70			
Silver	27.53	-0.02	-0.06	-5.09	15.69	32.52	20.69	6.0%, Bytes Techr		dropped
Palladium	916.00	7.60	0.84	-0.99	-18.57	1275.00	813.50	Gold Fields decline	ed 3.6%.	
Uranium	81.50	0.00	0.00	-1.06	-10.93	107.00	56.88			
NSX Local								International Ma	rket Wrap	
	Level	Last Change	Last %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low	Stocks staged a so		nd bonds
ANE	899	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	899	899	after the latest U		
CGP	1946	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.81	2000	1502	ease concern abou		
FNB	4645	-4.00	-0.09	-0.11	-5.22	5200	4645			
LHN	457	0.00	0.00	0.00	16.88	466	387	in the world's larg		-
MOC	763	0.00	0.00	-0.13	0.26	850	708	the S&P 500 advar		
NAM	72	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.86	72	69	biggest rally since		
NBS	2950	0.00	0.00	0.00	-6.32	3800	2949	US initial jobless c	laims tumblec	l the most
NHL	222	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	222	220	a year. As econo	mic angst su	bsided, T
ORY	1202	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.17	1250	1129	dropped across th	e curve — wi	th the sell
PNH	1270	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.28	1270	1194	shorter maturities		
	12801	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.09	12801	12790	weak US\$25 billio		
		0.00					600			, 0
SNO	881	0.00	0.00	1.03	4.26	890	699			
SNO SA versus Na	<sup>881</sup> amibian Bor	0.00 nds	0.00					debt. Stocks rose		
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### Market Wrap

m traded on the NSX yesterday. On the local rse N\$4.0m worth of FirstRand Namibia traded n 4c. No ETF/ETN trades were recorded.

#### Market Wrap

FTSE/JSE Africa All Share Index rose 0.5% to 39.31 as 68 stocks gained, 51 fell, and 3 were anged. MTN Group rose 10.5%, Quilter gained and Fairvest climbed 4.2%. Cashbuild fell , Bytes Technology Group dropped 4.9% and Fields declined 3.6%.

#### national Market Wrap

ks staged a solid rebound, and bonds retreated the latest US labour-market reading helped concern about a more pronounced slowdown e world's largest economy. All major groups in S&P 500 advanced, with the gauge notching its est rally since November 2022 as data showed nitial jobless claims tumbled the most in nearly ear. As economic angst subsided, Treasuries pped across the curve — with the selloff led by ter maturities. Bonds held their losses after a k US\$25 billion sale of 30-year government t. Stocks rose from Japan to South Korea and ralia. While Hong Kong equities maintained gains, those in mainland China lost nentum as perceptions grew that a better--expected inflation print mainly resulted from onal factors like weather.

	2021	2022	2023
GDP (y/y)	3.5%	4.6%	3.0%*
Inflation (y/y)	4.5%	6.9%	4.5%*
PSCE (y/y)	1.0%	3.9%	3.5%*

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								*forecast	
IJG Indices and Interest R	JG Indices and Interest Rates (%) MPC Meeting Calendar for 2024								
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	BoN	SARB	FOMC	
IJG Money Market Index	277.407	0.062	0.022	0.179	5.088	14 Feb	25 Jan	31 Jan	
IJG All Bond Index	359.151	4.450	1.255	0.104	8.938	17 Apr	27 Mar	20 Mar	
WIBAR Overnight	7.572	0.078	1.041	0.826	2.629	19 Jun	30 May	01 May	
WIBAR 3m	7.931	0.025	0.316	-0.314	-0.31	14 Aug	18 Jul	12 Jun	
SA Repo Rate	8.25					23 Oct	19 Sep	31 Jul	
SA Prime Rate	11.75					04 Dec	21 Nov	18 Sep	
NAM Bank Rate	7.75							07 Nov	
NAM Prime Rate	11.50							18 Dec	

Source: Bloomberg, NSX, JSE, Numerco, IJG Securities

#### International News

**South Africa Manufacturing Production** fell 0.5% m/m and 5.2% y/y in June, as per Statistics South Africa.

**US Initial Jobless Claims** fell to 233,000 in the week of 3 August, as per the Department of Labour

 ${\sf US}$  Continuing Claims rose by 6,000 to 1.88 million in the week of 27 July, as per the Department of Labour.

US Wholesale Inventories rose 0.2% m/m in June, as per the Census Bureau.

China PPI fell 0.8% y/y in July, as per the National Bureau of Statistics.

China CPI rose 0.5% y/y in July, as per the National Bureau of Statistics.

#### Local News

Annual inflation in Namibia slowed down in July for the second consecutive month. The annual inflation rate stood at 4.55% y/y in July, slightly lower than 4.64% y/y in June. Goods inflation stood at 5.3% y/y in July, lower than the 5.8% y/y in June. At the same time, services inflation accelerated and stood at 3.4% y/y in June, compared to 2.9% y/y in May and June.

Namibia not backing down on critical minerals value-addition policy stance. Namibia's Ministry of Mines and Energy says its not backing down on its value-addition stance in the critical minerals sector, dismissing concerns that such a policy could deter foreign investment. In July, the Cabinet approved a maximum export quantity of 1,000kg for mineral analyses per annum per exporter or producer and a maximum of 20,000 tonnes was set for plant design parameters on lithium ore, cobalt, manganese, graphite, and rare earth elements. This follows the ban on the export of unprocessed critical metals in June 2023. Minister of Mines and Energy, Tom Alweendo, said the country is positioning itself as a key player in the supply chain. – Mining and Energy

**Bank of Namibia forecasts 3.1% GDP slowdown.** The Bank of Namibia has forecast a slowdown in the country's economic growth from 4.2% in 2023 to 3.1% in 2024, attributed to weakening global demand for minerals and the ongoing impact of drought. In addition to a decrease in demand, high base effects from the mining sector are anticipated to further dampen growth in the industry for 2024. The central bank noted that due to the interconnectedness of Namibia's domestic economy with the global economy, the ongoing global trend of tight monetary conditions may continue to suppress purchasing power and consumer spending. – The Brief

**Namdeb survival strategy revealed**. Namdeb says it can unlock upwards of N\$40 billion in Namibia over the next 20 years owing to increased accretion activities along its mining licence. Land accretion in mining can refer to the reclamation of land from water bodies or low-lying areas. The plan would involve moving back 40 billion cubic metres of water, while removing 2.2 billion tonnes of sand in a move aimed at giving Namibia's oldest mine a renewed lease on life. Namdeb CEO Riaan Burger shared the mine's proposed survival strategy as the resource it mines continues to diminish on land. – Market Watch

**NDTC foresees improved 2024.** Namibia Diamond Trading Company (NDTC) CEO Brent Eiseb says the marketing firm is poised to have a better-than-expected 2024, building on the previous N\$100 million it paid over to the government. He made the remarks during the announcement of a sports sponsorship to the Futsal League and the Harders Cup during the mining expo. "In 2023, NDTC sold 77% of our total offering to NDTC sightholders who - in turn - processed 88% of the total sales in Namibia. The impact that this has had on the downstream industry has created sustainability and additional jobs," Eiseb said. – Market Watch

#### SA Economic News

**Derelict South African municipalities owe Eskom US\$4.5 billion.** South African municipalities owe Eskom Holdings a total of 82.3 billion rand (US\$4.5 billion) in arrears, which the embattled state power utility is struggling to collect. Eskom supplies electricity to the municipalities, which in turn sell it on to households and businesses — and both have seen a rapid rise in outstanding debts. The overdue amount owed to the utility has quadrupled over the past five years, frustrating efforts to stabilize the utility's finances just as it's making progress in improving its operations and averting blackouts that have dogged the country for years.

Company News

Chris Schutte to retire as CEO of **Astral**. Chris Schutte will retire from his position as CEO and executive director of poultry producer Astral Foods with effect from the company's next AGM at the end of January 2025. Astral said in a statement on Thursday that Schutte had requested retirement. In terms of Astral's human resources policy, the retirement age of executive directors is 65, and Schutte's mandatory retirement would occur in 2025. The board considered and accepted this personal request, Astral said. A formal replacement process has started, and a further announcement will be made once this has been completed. - Business Day

**MTN** gets greenlight to sell Guinea-Bissau business to Telecel Group Mobile. MTN has finalised a deal to exit its business in Guinea-Bissau after receiving the necessary approvals from authorities. Africa's largest mobile operator has been in talks to exit three of its smaller operations in West Africa — MTN Guinea-Bissau, MTN Guinea-Conakry and MTN Liberia — for more than a year. The Guinea-Bissau unit will be sold to Telecel Group Mobile "in line with the group's strategic priority to accelerate portfolio transformation". The operator said it had taken steps "to ensure a seamless transfer of ownership, which the group believes is in the best interests of MTN Guinea-Bissau, its stakeholders and the sector in Guinea-Bissau at large". The value of this transaction has not been disclosed. – Business Day

Naira devaluation weighs on **MTN's** interim financial numbers. The continued devaluation of Nigeria's currency continues to weigh heavily on MTN and the group expects to report a headline loss per share at the halfway stage of the financial year, the group said. The group said in a trading statement that it expected headline earnings per share (HEPS) — which strip out the effects of one-off financial movements — for the six months ended June to be as much as 150% lower and it would report a headline loss per share of between 217c and 271c compared with HEPS of 542c a year ago. – Business Day

Basil Sgourdos to retire as CFO of **Naspers** and **Prosus**. Basil Sgourdos will retire from his position as group CFO and financial director of both Naspers and Prosus at the end of November. Sgourdos had a broad and varied career at Naspers and Prosus, after joining the company in 1994, initially as the finance manager of the SA operations division in MultiChoice and later taking on other global leadership positions within the group, Prosus said in a statement on Thursday.– Business Day

**Orion** granted additional prospecting rights for its Okiep Copper Project. Orion Minerals has been granted two additional high-priority prospecting rights for its Okiep Copper Project after a three-year administrative process. "Orion's recent purchase of surface rights over some of the area covering these prospecting rights finally resolved the impasse for surface access and environmental approvals," CEO Errol Smart said in a statement on Thursday. – Business Day

Sappi's third quarter lifted by strong pulp market. Pulp and paper producer Sappi has delivered a strong third-quarter operating performance despite the period being traditionally the weakest for its business. Sales for the three months to end-June were up 3% to US\$1.37bn, while profit for the period rose 28% to US\$51m. Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) excluding special items of US\$151m was 42% ahead of a year ago. – Business Day

#### SADC News

**Angola** mulls Eurobond sale awaits better conditions. Angola is considering issuing Eurobonds but is waiting for more favourable market conditions, especially lower interest rates, before proceeding, State Secretary for Finance and Treasury Ottoniel dos Santos says. "At this moment, international markets are once again open to countries with characteristics similar to Angola, and Angola could issue Eurobonds at any time," he told reporters Thursday in Luanda, the capital.

Source: Bloomberg, Reuters, The Namibian, Namibian Sun, Republikein, New Era, The Brief, Business Day, Moneyweb, News24, Mining Weekly

# **Equities**

## **Overall Index**

Ticker	Shares Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ANE		899	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	899	899
ANM		51891	311	0.60	-5.94	9.59	64496	39830
B2G		5022	-151	-2.92	-6.78	-14.56	6444	4524
CGP		1946	0	0.00	0.00	14.81	2000	1502
FNB	85,463	4645	-4	-0.09	-0.11	-5.22	5200	4645
FST		7975	81	1.03	-2.39	8.49	8173	5913
IVD		13450	33	0.25	-5.41	7.09	14294	9963
KFS		1630	20	1.24	-3.55	6.19	1801	1285
LHN		457	0	0.00	0.00	16.88	466	387
MMT		2640	32	1.23	-1.57	20.60	2682	1872
MOC		763	0	0.00	-0.13	0.26	850	708
NAM		72	0	0.00	0.00	2.86	72	69
NBK		27972	-44	-0.16	0.60	29.36	28023	19544
NBS		2950	0	0.00	0.00	-6.32	3800	2949
NHL		222	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	222	220
OCE		7039	164	2.39	0.76	-0.40	7649	6500
OMM		1193	8	0.68	-3.17	-8.65	1333	1000
ORY		1202	0	0.00	0.00	0.17	1250	1129
PNH		1270	0	0.00	0.00	6.28	1270	1194
SILP		12801	0	0.00	0.00	0.09	12801	12790
SLA		7923	4	0.05	-2.84	8.83	8369	6259
SNB		21667	-123	-0.56	-2.30	4.12	22192	16666
SNM		32670	370	1.15	1.16	14.00	33698	26801
SNO		881	0	0.00	1.03	4.26	890	699
SRH		28988	38	0.13	-4.81	5.39	30506	22717
TRW		8985	-55	-0.61	-0.70	20.85	9699	6682
ττο		34	0	0.00	-12.82	-32.00	100	5
VKN		1680	21	1.27	2.00	18.98	1696	1200

Source: Bloomberg, NSX, IJG Securities

# **Local Companies: Dividends**

Ticker	Last Declared Dividend (c)	Dividend Type	T12M DY (%)*	Last Day to Trade	Payment Date
ANE	-	-	0.00	-	-
CGP	48.00	Interim	5.59	14 March 2024	05 April 2024
FNB	173.52	Interim	11.66	15 March 2024	19 April 2024
LHN	36.38	Final	15.46	24 May 2024	14 June 2024
MOC	33.82	Interim	9.53	13 June 2024	05 July 2024
NAM	6.00	Final	8.33	01 December 2023	14 December 2023
NBS	150.00	Interim	5.10	05 April 2024	17 May 2024
NHL	26.00	Final	10.83	20 October 2023	30 October 2023
ORY	51.50	Interim	8.57	20 March 2024	12 April 2024
PNH	10.00	Interim	1.57	19 April 2024	17 May 2024
SILP	402.00	Final	3.14	13 June 2024	05 July 2024
SNO	58.00	Final	11.30	10 May 2024	31 May 2024

\* Calculated as the sum of the ordinary dividend per share amounts that have gone ex-dividend over the past 12 months, divided by the last closing price.

# Local Companies: Important Dates

Ticker	Upcoming Event	Date	Additional Info
LHN	Annual General Meeting	09 Aug 2024	1st floor of Letshego Bank Namibia Limited, 18 Schwerinsburg Street, Windhoek. Accessible to shareholders through electronic communication via Microsoft Teams.
SNO	1H24 Results Release	15 Aug 2024	Earnings- and headline earnings per share for the period ended 30 June 2024 are expected to be between 35% and 40% higher than what was reported for the comparative period a year ago.
SILP	Annual General Meeting	20 Aug 2024	Ashburton Investment Managers (Pty) Ltd Boardroom, @Parkside, 130 Independence Avenue, c/o Fidel Castro, Windhoek.
FNB	FY24 Results Release	12 Sep 2024	
FNB	Annual General Meeting	17 Oct 2024	

# **Exchange Traded Funds**

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ENXPLD		16338	389	2.44	1.41	-18.31	23964	15222
ENXGLD		42984	213	0.50	0.51	15.61	44467	34057
ENXPLT		16467	87	0.53	-3.95	-8.47	18909	15406
SXNNAM		2245	20	0.90	0.94	7.67	2245	1763
NGNGLD		41232	302	0.74	0.81	15.86	42552	32582
NGNPLD		16311	361	2.26	0.33	-18.36	23862	15384
NGNPLT		16370	65	0.40	-4.10	-8.33	18758	15293
SXNEMG		6063	25	0.41	-2.71	3.93	6402	5233
SXNWDM		9012	-73	-0.80	-3.51	7.62	9503	7344
SXNNDQ		19167	-68	-0.35	-4.42	7.69	21275	15149
SXN500		10198	-17	-0.17	-3.25	10.05	10867	8120

# **Exchange Traded Notes**

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ALETCN		2177	3	0.1	-4.8	14.4	2544	1669
AMETCN		1060	-13	-1.2	-10.8	6.2	1312	793
APETCN		1886	-5	-0.3	-4.2	8.3	2094	1496
BHETCN		2348	-1	0.0	-1.3	18.8	2521	1875
FAETCN		1880	-1	-0.1	7.2	38.1	2023	1074
MSETCN		2048	-19	-0.9	-2.0	6.3	2361	1571
MWETCN		1593	-7	-0.4	-3.7	7.0	1691	1298
NFETCN		1283	-6	-0.5	0.4	25.8	1414	750
TSETCN		1504	-2	-0.1	-13.5	-23.2	2221	1098
SRETCN		1369	-9	-0.7	-5.1	6.0	1473	1104

## DevX & OTC

Ticker	Shares Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
BMN		2874	-65	-2.2	-18.2	-15.7	5769	2056
CER		12	-1	-7.7	-7.7	-25.0	19	11
DYL		1118	-75	-6.3	-27.5	-19.0	2169	1019
FSY		581	-20	-3.3	-18.5	-44.7	1565	495
EL8		343	-30	-8.0	-16.3	-39.2	831	313
OSN	5,000	2300	-133	-5.5	-4.7	17.3	2527	1204
AGR		366	0	0	-0.27	15.8	367	307

# **Fixed Income**

### **Treasury Bills**

# Next Auction Date: 15-Aug-24

Tenor	Weighted Avg. Yield* (%)	Last Change (bps)	Highest Yield Allocated* (%)	Bid-to-Offer
91-Day	8.402	-4.95	8.430	1.44
182-Day	8.552	-5.17	8.580	1.59
273-Day	8.560	-6.53	8.572	1.69
365-Day	8.435	-13.73	8.467	3.86

Source: Bank of Namibia

\*Nominal yields from the most recent government treasury bill auction.

### **Government Bonds**

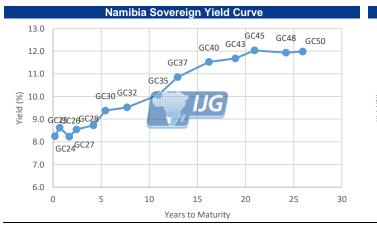
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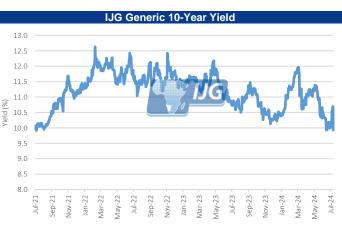
#### **Commentary on Previous Auction:**

The BoN hosted a particularly competitive auction on Wednesday, 07 August, with 184 bids worth a total N\$1.03bn chasing the N\$395.0m on offer. The GC's logged a bid-to-offer of 2.67x, while the GI's logged another robust 3.40x. All bonds bar the GC32 were oversubscribed, with the GC28 and GC37 receiving bids above N\$145.0m each. The central bank under-allocated on the GC32, but over-allocated on the GC27, GC28 and marginally on the GC48. The central bank ended up raising N\$375.5m this morning.

Bond	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
GC24	8.249	GT364/18Oct24	8.249	0	103.657	10.50	15-Oct-24
GC25	8.620	GT363/17Apr25	8.620	0	102.571	8.50	15-Oct-24
GC26	8.225	R186	8.325	-10	103.076	8.50	15-Oct-24
GC27	8.545	R186	8.325	22	99.337	8.00	15-Jan-25
GC28	8.726	R2030	9.375	-65	101.873	8.50	15-Oct-24
GC30	9.375	R2030	9.375	0	94.759	8.00	15-Jan-25
GC32	9.518	R213	9.815	-30	100.025	9.00	15-Oct-24
GC35	10.067	R209	10.995	-93	96.898	9.50	15-Jan-25
GC37	10.850	R2037	11.265	-42	91.338	9.50	15-Jan-25
GC40	11.524	R214	11.380	14	90.524	9.80	15-Oct-24
GC43	11.679	R2044	11.590	9	87.935	10.00	15-Jan-25
GC45	12.033	R2044	11.590	44	84.055	9.85	15-Jan-25
GC48	11.932	R2048	11.490	44	87.899	10.00	15-Oct-24
GC50	11.984	R2048	11.490	49	86.893	10.25	15-Jan-25
GI25	3.750				152.727	3.80	15-Jan-25
GI27	4.569				117.996	4.00	15-Oct-24
GI29	4.820				133.528	4.50	15-Jan-25
GI33	5.419				123.755	4.50	15-Oct-24
GI36	5.780				114.509	4.80	15-Jan-25
Eurobond 2	6.316	10YUSBond	3.988	233	100.265	5.25	29-Oct-24
NAM04	9.735	R186	8.325	141	101.719	10.51	01-Feb-25

Source: Bloomberg, Bank of Namibia, IJG Securities





Source: IJG Securities, BoN, Bloomberg

## **Corporate Bonds**

Fixed Coupon Bonds	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
NEDX2030	8.710	GC25	8.620	9	105.259	10.21	31-Aug-24
BWFL26	8.425	R186	8.325	10	102.318	8.8	04-Dec-24
Floating Coupon Bonds	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
BWJ1e27	10.400	3 month JIBAR	8.250	215	99.688	10.49	19-Aug-24
BWJ2e27	8.250	3 month JIBAR	8.250	0	99.752	8.34	19-Aug-24
DBN29	10.650	3 month JIBAR	8.250	240	102.023	10.74	31-Aug-24
NEDJ2028	11.000	3 month JIBAR	8.250	275	102.180	11.09	28-Aug-24
ORYJ25	10.750	3 month JIBAR	8.250	250	99.706	10.84	18-Aug-24
BWJi24	9.750	3 month JIBAR	8.250	150	101.052	9.85	30-Sep-24
BWJL25	9.150	3 month JIBAR	8.250	90	99.377	9.50	02-Sep-24
SBNA26	9.620	3 month JIBAR	8.250	137	101.991	9.71	25-Aug-24
SBKN26	9.690	3 month JIBAR	8.250	144	100.699	9.77	13-Oct-24
SBNG25	9.640	3 month JIBAR	8.250	139	100.907	9.73	05-Oct-24
SBNG27	9.940	3 month JIBAR	8.250	169	100.934	10.03	05-Oct-24
SBKN27	9.400	3 month JIBAR	8.250	115	101.607	9.49	07-Sep-24
BWJf26S	9.750	3 month JIBAR	8.250	150	99.337	9.84	02-Sep-24
LHNS01	11.200	3 month JIBAR	8.250	295	99.725	11.29	17-Aug-24
LHN02	11.050	3 month JIBAR	8.250	280	101.217	11.15	29-Sep-24
PNJ25	10.950	3 month JIBAR	8.250	270	101.597	11.05	16-Sep-24
PNJ26	11.500	3 month JIBAR	8.250	325	101.611	11.60	18-Sep-24
PNJ27	11.500	3 month JIBAR	8.250	325	101.674	11.60	16-Sep-24
PNJ29	10.950	3 month JIBAR	8.250	270	101.536	11.05	18-Sep-24
FNBJ25S	9.700	3 month JIBAR	8.250	145	101.233	9.80	23-Sep-24
FNBJ27S	9.980	3 month JIBAR	8.250	173	101.267	10.08	23-Sep-24
GDW26	10.450	3 month JIBAR	8.250	220	99.261	10.54	03-Sep-24
GDW28	10.750	3 month JIBAR	8.250	250	99.240	10.84	03-Sep-24





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