

NEWS UPDATE

12 June 2025

MARKET SUMMARY

- 1 bps = 0.01%
- Increase in Yield = Decrease in the bond price/ value

US	Yield	Daily	Yield	Weekly	Yield	Monthly	Yield	YTD	Yield
Treasury	11 June 25	Change	10 June 25	Change	4 June 25	Change	9 May 25	Change	31 Dec 24
		bps		bps		bps		bps	
3 YEAR	3.89	-6	3.95	5	3.84	4	3.85	-38	4.27
5 YEAR	4.02	-6	4.08	9	3.93	2	4.00	-36	4.38
7 YEAR	4.21	-6	4.27	7	4.14	3	4.18	-27	4.48
10 YEAR	4.41	-6	4.47	4	4.37	4	4.37	-17	4.58

MGS	Yield	Daily	Yield	Weekly	Yield	Monthly	Yield	YTD	Yield
	11 June 25	Change	10 June 25	Change	4 June 25	Change	9 May 25	Change	31 Dec 24
		bps		bps		bps		bps	
3 YEAR	3.16	0	3.16	0	3.16	0	3.16	-32	3.48
5 YEAR	3.27	3	3.24	6	3.21	1	3.26	-35	3.62
7 YEAR	3.46	3	3.43	6	3.40	5	3.41	-31	3.77
10 YEAR	3.56	3	3.53	3	3.53	3	3.53	-26	3.82

GII	Yield 11 June 25	Daily Change bps	Yield 10 June 25	Weekly Change bps	Yield 4 June 25	Monthly Change bps	Yield 9 May 25	YTD Change bps	Yield 31 Dec 24
3 YEAR	3.19	2	3.17	2	3.17	1	3.18	-14	3.33
5 YEAR	3.33	3	3.30	4	3.29	-2	3.35	-29	3.62
7 YEAR	3.44	4	3.40	4	3.40	0	3.44	-30	3.74
10 YEAR	3.56	3	3.53	3	3.53	-1	3.57	-27	3.83

AAA	Yield	Daily	Yield	Weekly	Yield	Monthly	Yield	YTD	Yield
	11 June 25	Change	10 June 25	Change	4 June 25	Change	9 May 25	Change	31 Dec 24
		bps		bps		bps		bps	
3 YEAR	3.59	0	3.59	0	3.59	-5	3.64	-24	3.83
5 YEAR	3.64	1	3.63	1	3.63	-6	3.70	-31	3.95
7 YEAR	3.69	1	3.68	1	3.68	-6	3.75	-30	3.99
10 YEAR	3.75	0	3.75	0	3.75	-8	3.83	-29	4.04

Source: US Treasury, BNM & BIX Malaysia

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Today's headlines of interest and summaries as extracted from the international and local media.

RAM Ratings raises outlook on Cypark Ref's sukuk rating to stable, affirms AA3 rating

RAM Ratings has revised the outlook on the AA3 rating of Cypark Ref Sdn Bhd's (Cypark Ref or the Issuer) RM550.0 mil SRI Sukuk Murabahah Programme (2019/2041) (the Sukuk) to stable from negative while concurrently affirming the rating. The outlook revision follows the completion of two floating solar photovoltaic (PV) plants in Danau Tok Uban, Kelantan (the DTU plants) in January 2025.

Along with the ground-mounted Sik plant, operational since January 2022, Cypark Ref will receive steady cashflow from the three 30 MWac solar PV projects (the Projects or the Plants) to service its Sukuk. The RM46.0 mil irrevocable and unconditional bank guarantees (BGs) further anchors the Issuer's liquidity profile and debt coverage.

Cypark Ref's liquidity position remains strong, thanks to the support of its shareholders – Cypark Renewable Energy Sdn Bhd (CRE, the engineering, procurement, construction and commissioning contractor), Cypark Resources Berhad (CRB, its ultimate holding company and sponsor) and Jakel Capital Sdn Bhd (largest shareholder of CRB). CRB remains committed to providing ready financial support to Cypark Ref for an upcoming June 2025 sukuk payment, backed by the BG facility. – RAM Ratings

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Kenanga IB to raise up to RM500 mil via additional Tier 1 bonds

Kenanga Investment Bank Bhd (KL:KENANGA) is setting up an Additional Tier 1 Capital Securities (AT1CS) programme with a nominal value of up to RM500 million.

In a bourse filing, Kenanga said the funds raised from the AT1CS programme will be used for the company's capital expenditure, working capital needs, refinancing or settling existing financing or debt, and other general corporate purposes.

Kenanga said the AT1CS programme offers the company flexibility to issue AT1CS periodically. "Each issuance under the programme shall have a perpetual tenure and may be subject to the company call option, exercisable (in whole or in part) on the relevant call date," it noted.

"Any such exercise of the call option shall be subject to the prior written approval of Bank Negara Malaysia and the satisfaction of all applicable conditions set out in the terms and conditions of the AT1CS," it added.

Kenanga also confirmed that AT1CS issued under this programme will qualify as Additional Tier 1 Capital for the company, in line with the Capital Adequacy Framework set by the central bank. – The Edge Malaysia

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US Treasury secretary predicts budget deficit to approach 7% this year

US Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent blamed Democrats for what he predicted will be another unusually large budget deficit this year.

"What we are seeing here is a blowout in the spending," Bessent said while answering questions at a House Ways and Means Committee hearing on Wednesday. "The last fiscal year is something we have never seen before. We have never seen a deficit to gross domestic product (GDP) this large" outside of wars, a pandemic or a recession, he said.

The deficit for the current tax year will come in between 6.5% and 6.7%, Bessent said. That would mark a third straight year in excess of 6% relative to GDP. The Treasury's 2024 fiscal-year figures showed a 6.4% deficit, after 6.2% in 2023. Fiscal years run through September.

"I find it very difficult to be lectured to by people who created the largest deficit in history," Bessent said in a hearing that reprised partisan disputes over tax policy. Democratic Representative Mike Thompson argued that the record showed previous Republican presidents' tax reductions had added to the US debt load. "Every expert will tell you that the proposed Trump tax cuts will also add to our debt," he said. — The Edge Malaysia

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