

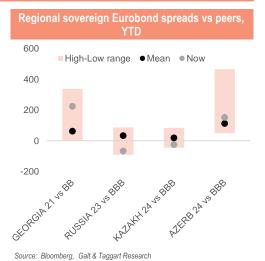
Regional Fixed Income Market Watch

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Highlights

- COVID-19 pandemic has pushed the world economy into a recession and IMF forecasts global growth in 2020 to fall to -3%. IMF forecasts negative growth in 8 out of the 9 regional economies as pandemic and oil price drop deepened economic problems in 2020 (Georgia -4%, Armenia -1.5%, Azerbaijan -2.2%, Belarus -6%, Kazakhstan -2.5%, Ukraine -7.7%, Russia -5.5%, Turkey -5.0%, Uzbekistan +1.8%).
- Central banks of advanced economies cut policy rates to historic lows. To date, central
 banks have announced plans to expand their provision of liquidity by at least US\$ 6tn. By
 these measures regulators help to contain upward pressures on the cost of credit to ensure
 households and firms continue to have access to credit at an affordable price.
- As of April 2020, monetary policy rate is at 5.25% in Armenia (-25bps), at 6.0% in Russia (unchanged from previous meeting), at 7.25% in Azerbaijan (unchanged), at 8.75% in Belarus (-25bps), at 9.0% in Georgia (unchanged), at 9.5% in Kazakhstan (-250bps), at 8.75% in Turkey (-100bps) and at 10.0% in Ukraine (-100bps).
- Global investors sold more than US\$ 100bn of EM assets since the start of the virus outbreak, resulting in fall in EM asset prices. Foreign investors sold more than US\$ 72bn in EM equities and US\$ 25bn in debt according to the Institute of International Finance.
- Foreign exchange rates suffered in most emerging markets. Year to date GEL depreciated by 11%, RUB lost 23%, BYN lost 18%, TRY and UAH depreciated by 17% and KZT by 13% against USD.
- Amid massive capital outflows EM bond yields grew as prices decreased. UKRAINE 21 (9.9% YTM; 97.3 price) was the worst performer among the selected sovereign Eurobonds, rising 594bps in yield YTD. GEORGIA 21 (5.8% YTM; 101.0 price) rose 335bps in yield. BELARUS 23 (7.7% YTM; 98.0 price) was up 315bps, TURKEY 21 (5.5% YTM; 100.1 price) increased 246bps, ARMENIA 25 (5.7% YTM; 106.0 price) widened by 228bps, AZERB 24 (4.4% YTM; 101.2 price) increased 150bps, UZBEK 24 (4.5% YTM; 101.0 price) was up 136bps in yield. KAZAKH 24 (2.6% YTM; 105.4 price) increased only 38bps, while RUSSIA 23 (2.2% YTM; 108.8 price) performed more strongly than other regional bonds, with yield decreasing 11bps YTD.
- Among Georgian corporate placements, SILKNET 24 (14.5% YTM; 89.5 price) was the worst performer, with its yield jumping by 684bps YTD, followed by GOGC 21 (10.3% YTM; 96.7 price) which widened by 717bps and GRAIL 22 (7.9% YTM; 99.7 price) which was up by 431bps. GCAP and Georgian banks performed relatively better, with GEOCAP 24 (8.5% YTM; 92.2 price) up 199bps in yield, TBC 24 (7.7% YTM; 93.0 price) up by 288bps and BOG 23 (5.7% YTM; 100.9 price) up 140bps in yield.



YTD change in sovereign Eurobond yields, bps

Change in price, %



Source: Bloomberg

Source: Fitch. Moody's, S&P

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Country ratings										
	Fitch	Moody's	S&P							
Georgia	BB	Ba2	BB							
Russia	BBB	Baa3	BBB							
Kazakhstan	BBB	Baa3	BBB-							
Azerbaijan	BB+	Ba2	BB+							
Armenia	BB-	Ba3	n/a							
Uzbekistan	BB-	B1	BB-							
Turkey	BB-	B1	BB-							
Belarus	В	B3	В							
Ukraine	В	Caa1	В							

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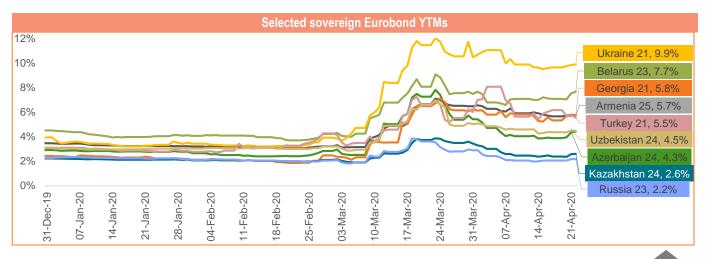
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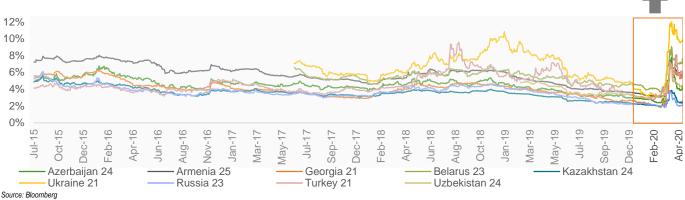
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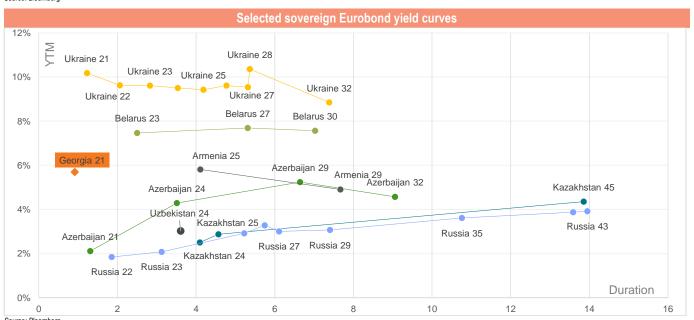
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Sovereign Eurobond yields



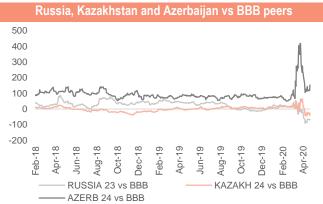


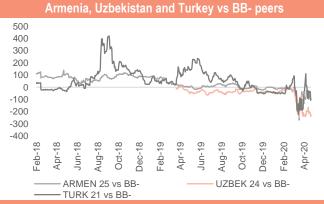


Source: Bloomberg Note: data as of 22 April 2020



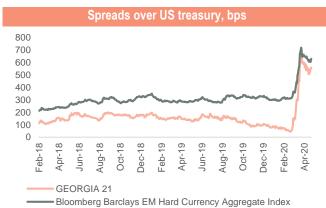


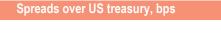


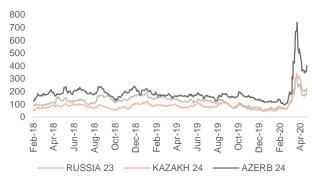








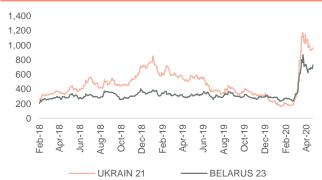






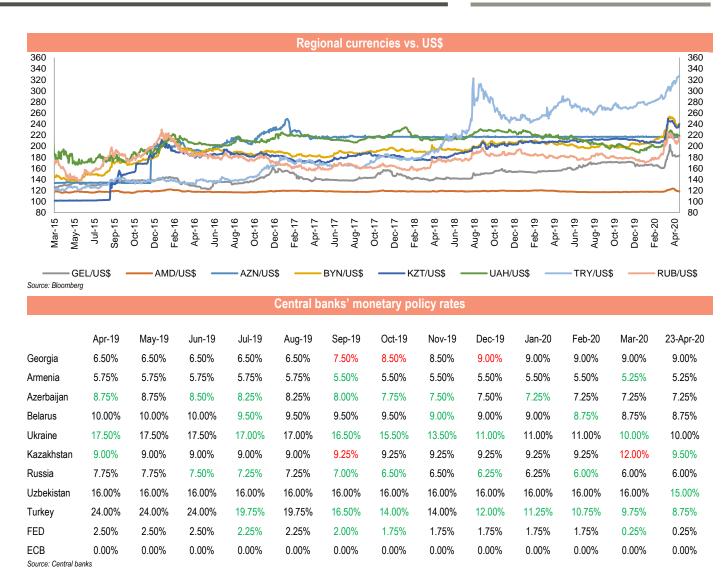






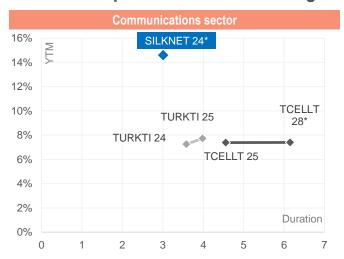
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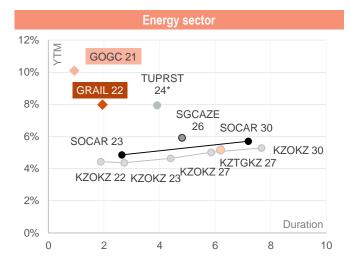


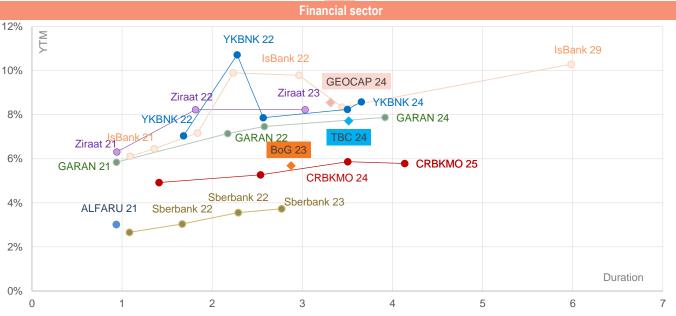




Selected corporate Eurobonds in regional countries



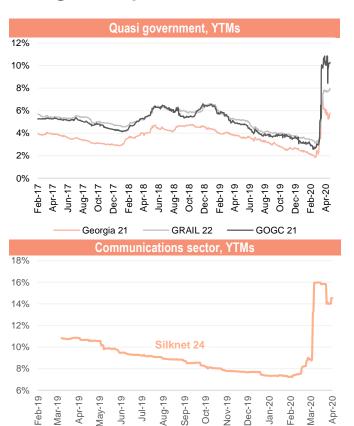




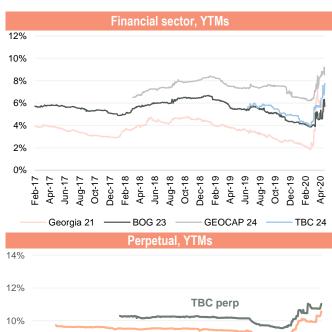
Source: Bloomberg, as of 22 April 2020 Note: GEOCAP is an investment holding company * The notes are callable



Georgian corporate Eurobond YTMs



Source: Bloomberg



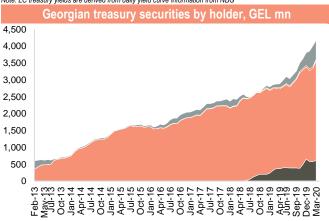


Georgian local treasury bonds

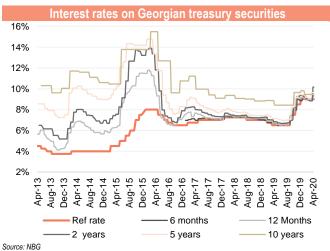


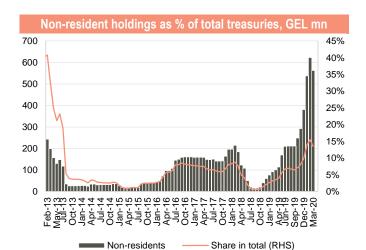
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Note: LC treasury yields are derived from daily yield curve information from NBG









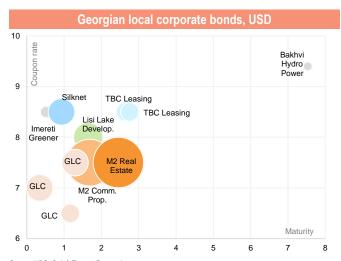




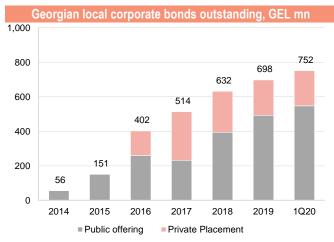
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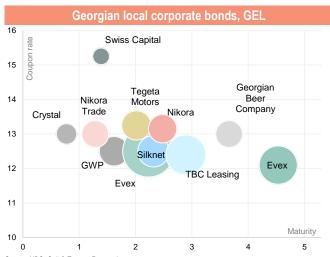
Georgian local corporate bonds



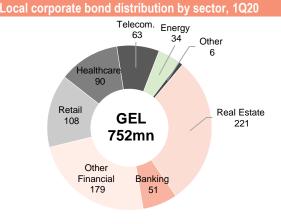
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Note: the size of the bubble corresponds to the size of issuance, with max. at GEL 90mn
All GEL denominated bonds are floating, coupons are derived from adding spreads to a current 9.0% ref. rate



Source: NBG, Galt & Taggart Research



Appendix

Issuer	Ticker	ISIN	Currency	Coupon	Sector	Maturity	Duration	Amount, US\$ mn	Mid price	YTM Mid (Mod	Ratings ody's/Fitch/S&P)
Sovereign Eurobonds											
Georgia	GEORG	XS0617134092	USD	6.9%	Government	Apr-21	0.92	500	101.1	5.7	BB/Ba2/BB
Azerbaijan	AZERBJ	XS1678621522	USD	2.8%	Government	Sep-20	0.34	174	100.2	2.3	BB+/Ba2/-
Azerbaijan	AZERBJ	XS1678622090	USD	2.8%	Government	Sep-21	1.31	174	100.9	2.1	BB+/Ba2/-
Azerbaijan	AZERBJ	XS1044540547	USD	4.8%	Government	Mar-24	3.51	1,250	101.6	4.3	BB+/Ba2/-
Azerbaijan	AZERBJ	XS1678623064	USD	5.1%	Government	Sep-29	6.65	311	99.2	5.2	BB+/Ba2/-
Azerbaijan	AZERBJ	XS1678623734	USD	3.5%	Government	Sep-32	9.06	1,077	90.0	4.6	BB+/Ba2/-
Armenia	ARMEN	XS0974642273	USD	6.0%	Government	Sep-20	0.41	700	99.4	7.4	BB-/Ba3/-
Armenia	ARMEN	XS1207654853	USD	7.2%	Government	Mar-25	4.11	500	105.6	5.8	BB-/Ba3/-
Armenia	ARMEN	XS2010043904	USD	4.0%	Government	Sep-29	7.67	500	92.9	4.9	BB-/Ba3/-
Belarus	BELRUS	XS1634369067	USD	6.9%	Government	Feb-23	2.50	800	98.5	7.5	B/B3/B
Belarus	BELRUS	XS1634369224	USD	7.6%	Government	Jun-27	5.31	600	99.6	7.7	B/B3/B
Belarus	BELRUS	XS1760804184	USD	6.2%	Government	Feb-30	7.03	600	90.6	7.6	B/B3/B
Kazakhstan	KAZAKS	XS1120709669	USD	3.9%	Government	Oct-24	4.10	1,500	105.7	2.5	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Kazakhstan	KAZAKS	XS1263054519	USD	5.1%	Government	Jul-25	4.57	2,500	110.9	2.9	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Kazakhstan	KAZAKS	XS1263139856	USD	6.5%	Government	Jul-45	13.86	1,500	132.7	4.4	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Kazakhstan	KAZAKS	XS1120709826	USD	4.9%	Government	Oct-44	14.87	1,000	113.7	4.0	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0504954347	USD	5.0%	Government	Apr-20	0.01	3,500	100.0	-0.5	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0767472458	USD	4.5%	Government	Apr-22	1.86	2,000	105.0	1.8	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0971721450	USD	4.9%	Government	Sep-23	3.13	3,000	109.1	2.1	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	RU000A0JWHA4	USD	4.8%	Government	May-26	5.22	3,000	110.2	2.9	BBB/-/-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0088543193	USD	12.8%	Government	Jun-28	5.74	2,500	167.3	3.3	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	RU000A0JXTS9	USD	4.3%	Government	Jun-27	6.11	2,405	108.0	3.0	BBB/-/-
Russia	RUSSIA	RU000A0ZYYN4	USD	4.4%	Government	Mar-29	7.40	3,000	110.1	3.1	BBB/-/-
Russia	RUSSIA	RU000A1006S9	USD	5.1%	Government	Mar-35	10.76	4,000	117.0	3.6	BBB/-/-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0767473852	USD	5.6%	Government	Apr-42	13.59	3,000	125.6	3.9	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	XS0971721963	USD	5.9%	Government	Sep-43	13.95	1,500	129.7	3.9	BBB/Baa3/BBB-
Russia	RUSSIA	RU000A0JXU14	USD	5.3%	Government	Jun-47	15.47	7,000	123.1	3.9	BBB/-/-
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303918939	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-20	0.33	1,780	97.5	15.2	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303920083	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-21	1.23	1,409	97.0	10.2	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303921214	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-22	2.06	1,384	96.1	9.6	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303921487	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-23	2.83	1,355	94.8	9.6	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303925041	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-24	3.54	1,339	93.9	9.5	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303925470	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-25	4.19	1,329	93.1	9.4	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303926528	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-26	4.77	1,318	91.3	9.6	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1303927179	USD	7.8%	Government	Sep-27	5.32	1,307	90.7	9.5	B/Caa1/B
Ukraine	UKRAIN	XS1902171757	USD	9.8%	Government	Nov-28	5.37	1,600	96.6	10.4	B/-/B



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								US\$ mn		(Mo	ody's/Fitch/S&P)
Corporate Eurobonds											
SILKNET JSC	SILNET	XS1843443430	USD	11.0%	Communications	Apr-24	3.01	200	89.5	14.6	B+/B1/-
TURK TELEKOMUNIKASYON AS	TURKTI	XS1028951264	USD	4.9%	Communications	Jun-24	3.59	500	91.6	7.3	BB-/-/BB-
TURK TELEKOMUNIKASYON AS	TURKTI	XS1955059420	USD	6.9%	Communications	Feb-25	3.98	500	96.6	7.7	BB-/-/BB-
TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMET	TCELLT	XS1298711729	USD	5.8%	Communications	Oct-25	4.56	500	92.8	7.4	BB-/B1/BB-
TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMET	TCELLT	XS1803215869	USD	5.8%	Communications	Apr-28	6.15	500	90.5	7.4	BB-/-/BB-
SOUTHERN GAS CORRIDOR	SGCAZE	XS1319820897	USD	6.9%	Energy	Mar-26	4.81	2000	104.7	5.9	BB+/Ba2/-
STATE OIL CO OF THE AZER	SOIAZ	XS0903465127	USD	4.8%	Energy	Mar-23	2.64	1000	99.7	4.9	BB+/Ba2/BB-
STATE OIL CO OF THE AZER	SOIAZ	XS1196496688	USD	7.0%	Energy	Mar-30	7.19	750	109.4	5.7	BB+/-/BB-
GEORGIAN OIL & GAS CORP	GEOROG	XS1319820384	USD	6.8%	Energy	Apr-21	0.93	250	96.9	10.1	BB/-/BB-/-
KAZMUNAYGAS NATIONAL CO	KZOKZ	XS1595713279	USD	3.9%	Energy	Apr-22	1.88	500	99.0	4.4	BBB-/Baa3/BB
KAZMUNAYGAS NATIONAL CO	KZOKZ	XS0925015074	USD	4.4%	Energy	Apr-23	2.73	1000	100.1	4.4	BBB-/Baa3/BB
KAZMUNAYGAS NATIONAL CO	KZOKZ	XS1807299174	USD	4.8%	Energy	Apr-25	4.40	500	100.5	4.6	BBB-/Baa3/-
KAZMUNAYGAS NATIONAL CO	KZOKZ	XS1595713782	USD	4.8%	Energy	Apr-27	5.86	1000	98.4	5.0	BBB-/Baa3/BB
KAZMUNAYGAS NATIONAL CO	KZOKZ	XS1807300105	USD	5.4%	Energy	Apr-30	7.66	1250	100.7	5.3	BBB-/Baa3/-
KAZTRANSGAS JSC	KZTGKZ	XS1682544157	USD	4.4%	Energy	Sep-27	6.20	750	95.2	5.2	BBB-/Baa3/-
TUPRAS-TURKIYE PETROL RA	TUPRST	XS1686704948	USD	4.5%	Energy	Oct-24	3.91	700	87.3	7.9	BB-/B1/-
GEORGIAN RAILWAY JSC	GRAIL	XS0800346362	USD	7.8%	Industrial	Jul-22	1.95	500	99.5	8.0	BB-/-/B+
INTERNATIONAL BANK OF AZ	IBAZAZ	XS1678463784	USD	3.5%	Financial	Sep-24	3.87	1000	85.2	7.6	B-/-/-
BANK OF GEORGIA JSC	GEBGG	XS1405775880	USD	6.0%	Financial	Jul-23	2.88	350	100.9	5.7	BB-/Ba2/-
TBC BANK JSC	TBCBGE	XS1843434363	USD	5.8%	Financial	Jun-24	3.52	300	93.1	7.7	BB-/Ba2/-
AKBANK TAS	AKBNK	USM0375YAK49	USD	5.0%	Financial	Oct-22	2.28	500	94.8	7.3	B+/B2/-
AKBANK TAS	AKBNK	XS1210422074	USD	5.1%	Financial	Mar-25	4.18	500	87.5	8.3	B+/B2/-
TC ZIRAAT BANKASI AS	TCZIRA	XS1223394914	USD	4.8%	Financial	Apr-21	0.94	500	98.5	6.3	B+/B2/-
TC ZIRAAT BANKASI AS	TCZIRA	XS1605397394	USD	5.1%	Financial	May-22	1.81	600	94.3	8.2	B+/B2/-
TC ZIRAAT BANKASI AS	TCZIRA	XS1691349010	USD	5.1%	Financial	Sep-23	3.03	500	90.9	8.2	B+/B2/-
TURKIYE GARANTI BANKASI	GARAN	USM8931TAA71	USD	6.3%	Financial	Apr-21	0.94	500	100.4	5.8	B+/B2/-
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TURKIYE IS BANKASI A.S	ISCTR	XS1508390090	USD	5.5%	Financial	Apr-22	1.84	600	97.0	7.2	B+/B3/-
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TURKIYE IS BANKASI A.S	ISCTR	XS1003016018	USD	7.9%	Financial	Dec-23	2.96	400	94.2	9.8	B/Caa3/-
TURKIYE IS BANKASI A.S	ISCTR	XS1578203462	USD	6.1%	Financial	Apr-24	3.44	1250	92.6	8.3	B+/B3/-
TURKIYE IS BANKASI A.S	ISCTR	XS2041003901	USD	8.1%	Financial	Dec-29	5.98	50	86.9	10.3	B+/-/-



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