MORNING BRIEF

NEWS HEADLINES

- OMCs reduce fuel prices at the pump: Oil Marketing Companies in Ghana have begun reducing fuel prices at the pumps, with GOIL and Star Oil among the first to implement the expected reductions. The price cuts were originally scheduled to commence on April 1, 2023, but were delayed until April 3. Petrol has declined by a little over 2%, while diesel has experienced a decrease of almost 5%. The Chamber of Bulk Oil Distribution Companies is projecting further reductions in fuel prices if the cedi remains stable against the dollar and the price of crude oil stabilizes on the international market. The Institute for Energy Security (IES) previously predicted that fuel prices would fall between 2% and 9% for the third consecutive time from April 1, 2023, with Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) expected to see its biggest decline in recent times. This decrease in fuel prices is a welcome development for consumers, who have been grappling with high prices at the pump for some time. (Norvanreports)
- Key step to IMF deal achieved: Parliament last Friday passed the outstanding revenue tax bills which were tabled before it as part of government's measures to generate more revenue, which remained crucial to completing four of the five agreed Prior Actions in the International Monetary Fund (IMF) Staff Level Agreement. The three bills income tax (amendment) bill, Excise Duty & Excise Tax Stamp (Amendment) Bills as well as the growth and sustainability Levy Bill are expected to collectively raise approximately GH¢3.961 billion. This will add to 3 other prior actions which are a part of conditions to be met in the staff level agreement with the IMF. (Business and Financial Times)

EQUITIES MARKET



GSE

2,745.33 (37.54 points) **12.33%** (YTD)



1,806.67 (0.00 points) **-11.98%** (YTD)



MARKET CAPITALIZATION

GH¢ 67,846.89 million 5.18% (YTD)



Volume: 1,232,288

1592.87%

Value: 1,626,309.34 | 24.21%



TICKER	PRICE (GH¢)	CHANGE						
BOPP	11.67	9.99%						
MTNGH	1.25	2.46%						
UNIL	4.00	1.01%						

GAINER

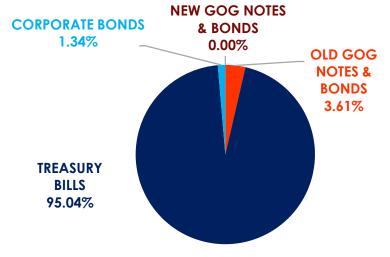


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TICKER	PRICE (GH¢)	CHANGE
FML	1.29	-9.79%
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DECLINER



FIXED INCOME MARKET



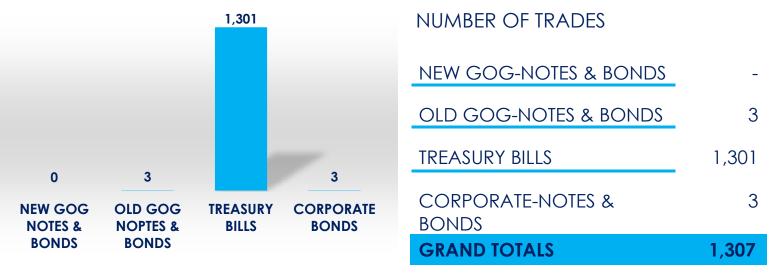
VOLUMES TRADED

NEW GOG-NOTE & BONDS OLD GOG-NOTE & BOND 10,783,201

TREA SURY BILLS 283,554,054

CORPORATE-NOTES 4,003,696 BONDS

GRAND TOTALS 298,340,951



TREASURIES YIELD CURVE



91-Day 182-Day 364-Day 2-Year 3-Year 5-Year 20-Year



	CURRENCY MARKET					
	FOREX	BoG MID RAT	E(GH¢)	Y-t-D CHANGE		
<u>¢</u>	US DOLLAR	11.0137	7	-22.13%		
1 A	BRITISH POUND	13.6218		-24.30%		
€	EURO	11.9657	7	-23.57%		
¥	CHINESE YUAN	1.6027		-22.65%		
R	SA RAND	0.6210		-18.77%		
1	CFA FRANCS	54.8198	}	30.83%		
	CFA FRANCS	55 <u>.942</u> 1		28.21%		
	KEY MACROECONOMIC		UPCOMING EVENTS			



MONETARY POLICY RATE MARCH, 2023: **29.50%**



CONSUMER INFLATION FEBRUARY, 2023: **52.8%**



GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

Q3 2022: **2.9%**