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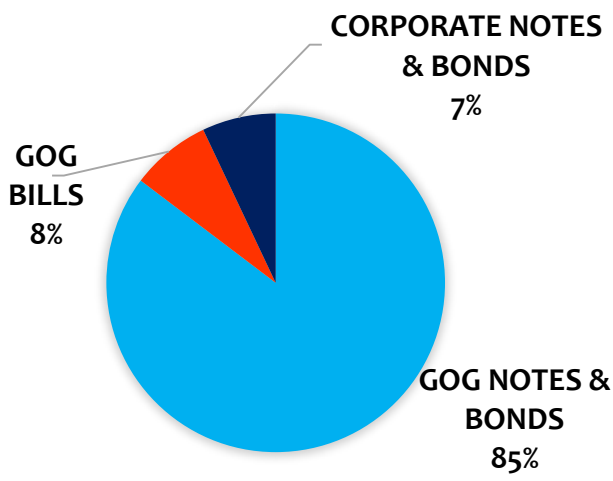
Fitch Solutions expects USD3 billion IMF funds to be approved in Q4 2022: The anticipated USD3 billion financial support from the IMF is expected to be approved in the fourth quarter of 2022 (Q4 2022). The funds, the agency however notes, will come in tranches. At least, USD1 billion dollars is expected to be released by the Fund by the end of the first quarter of 2023. The country’s current account deficit has resulted in an overall balance of payments deficit of USD934 million in the first quarter of 2022, as against a deficit of USD430 million in quarter one of 2021, this according to Fitch Solutions. (Norvanreports)

Afreximbank’s USD750 million loan finally hits BoG’s account: The USD750 million African Export-Import Bank (Afreximbank) Loan has finally hit the Bank of Ghana’s (BoG) account yesterday, August 26, 2022. The swift advice came in tranches. Government is primarily looking forward to use this money to finance some infrastructure projects. However, the Central Bank will take the dollars and give the cedi equivalent to government. This will go a long to boost the Central Bank’s reserves, a move that could help slow down the rate of depreciation of the cedi against the dollar. (Myjoyonline)

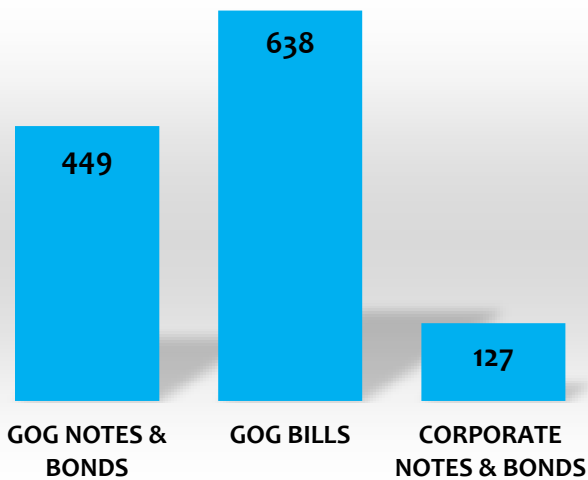
EQUITIES MARKET

 GSE <small>GHANA STOCK EXCHANGE</small>	GSE-CI: 2,485.63 (0.00 points) -10.89% (YTD)	 FINANCE	GSE-FSI: 2,034.82 (0.00 points) -5.44% (YTD)
	MARKET CAPITALIZATION GH¢63,867.40 million ↓ -0.97% (YTD)		Volume: 56,267 ↓ -89.34% Value: GH¢13,407.65 ↓ -95.77%
	GAINERS		DECLINER

FIXED INCOME MARKET



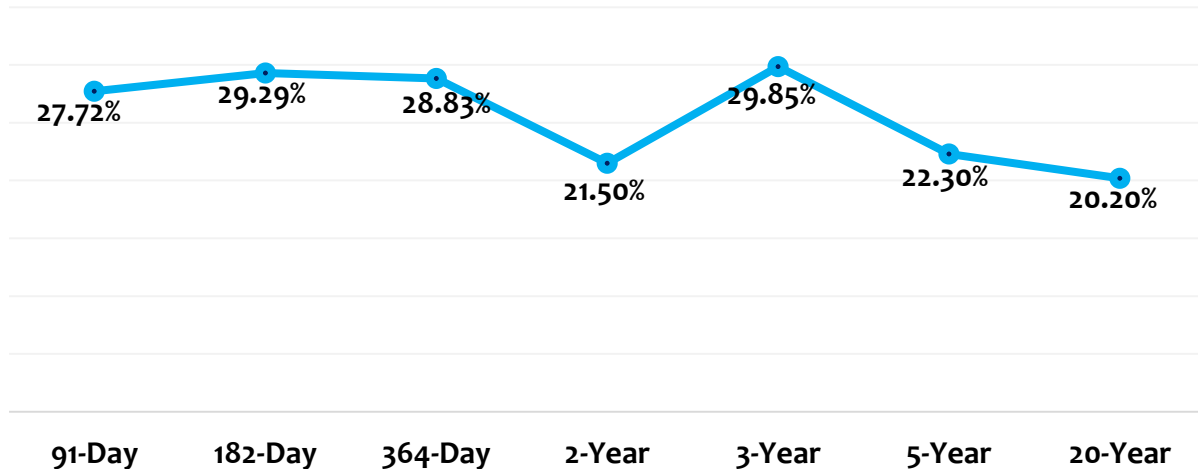
VOLUMES TRADED	
GOG-NOTES & BONDS	452,946,434
GOG-BILLS	40,571,323
CORPORATE-NOTES & BONDS	37,356,540
GRAND TOTALS	530,874,297



NUMBER OF TRADES

GOG-NOTES & BONDS	449
GOG-BILLS	638
CORPORATE-NOTES & BONDS	127
GRAND TOTALS	1,214

TREASURIES YIELD CURVE




CURRENCY MARKET


US DOLLAR

 **8.2250**
-26.98% YtD


EURO

 **8.2021**
-16.75% YtD

SA RAND

 **0.4902**
-23.35% YtD

BRITISH POUND

 **9.7183**
-16.37% YtD

CHINESE YUAN

 **1.2006**
-21.31% YtD

CFA FRANCS

 **79.9743**
20.12% YtD

KEY MACROECONOMIC DATA



MONETARY POLICY RATE: 22%




INFLATION

INFLATION: 31.7%



GDP GROWTH: 3.3%

UPCOMING EVENTS

 **MTNGH interim dividend payment of GH¢0.04**
Ex-Dividend date: 17th August, 2022
Qualifying date: 19th August, 2022
Dividend payment date: 22nd September, 2022