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Market Commentary

- The SGD swap curve slightly fell last Friday (with the exception of the 1-year which traded slightly higher), with most of the tenors trading 0-1bps lower.
- The Bloomberg Barclays Asia USD IG Bond Index average OAS widened 1bps to 169bps, and the Bloomberg Barclays Asia USD HY Bond Index average OAS widened 9bps to 678bps. The HY-IG Index Spread widened 8bps to 510bps.
- Flows in SGD corporates were heavy, with flows in AREIT 3%-PERPs, HSBC 5%-PERPs, UOBSP 4%-PERPs, UBS 4.85%-PERPs, CS 5.625%-PERPs, FPLSP 4.98%-PERPs, OLAMSP 4%'26s, STANLN 5.375%-PERPs and UBS 5.875%-PERPs.
- 10Y UST Yields fell 1bps to 0.67%, despite stronger-thanexpected August CPI.

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Credit Summary:

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Credit Headlines

Mapletree Industrial Trust ("MINT") | Issuer Profile: Neutral (3)

- MINT has entered into a sale and purchase agreement to acquire a data centre and office located in the State of Virginia in the US. The property is fully leased on a triple net basis with a balance lease term of over 5 years to a multinational company with strong credit standing. Additional details will be released upon finalization of the transaction.
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- MINT's assets under management will increase from SGD6.6bn to SGD6.9bn as a result, with exposure to Data Centres up to 41.0% of portfolio AUM from 38.5% as at 30 June 2020.(Company, OCBC).

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- MQG's key assumptions include a recovery in Australia (33% of FY2020 income) from 2H2020 with peak unemployment of 9%, GDP contraction of 9% y/y and a 15% fall in house prices to mid-2020, while unemployment will rise to 14% and GDP will contract by 9% y/y by mid-2020 in the US (25% of FY2020 income). Based on these assumptions, MQG is adequately provisioned according to management. Under its downside scenario however, MQG would need to raise around AUD400mn in additional provisions. MQG's baseline scenario assumes a recovery within 18 months while the downside scenario incorporates a half year delay to the recovery and a recovery period around 18months longer resulting in a more severe economic impact.
- Per MQG's FY2020 results, the 88.4% y/y rise in total credit and other impairment charges were somewhat evenly spread amongst MQG's divisions with weaker current and expected macroeconomic assumptions raising provisions against its performing loan portfolios in most divisions, higher central provisions as an overlay for expected credit losses on the performing portfolio due to a higher weighting to the Expected Credit Losses ("ECL") downside scenario as well as certain specific stresses.
- Per management, MQG's CET1 ratio has improved to 13.2% as at 30 June 2020 against 12.2% as at 31 March 2020 and continues to maintain a cautious approach to capital, funding and liquidity. We will continue to hold MQG at Neutral (3) issuer profile as its business composition and diversity which underpins our view as well as management's considered and selective strategy should position the group for medium term opportunities. (Company, OCBC)

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Key Market Movements

	14-Sep	1W chg (bps)	1M chg (bps)		14-Sep	1W chg	1M chg
iTraxx Asiax IG	60	1	-5	Brent Crude Spot (\$/bbl)	39.81	-5.24%	-11.14%
iTraxx SovX APAC	32	0	-4	Gold Spot (\$/oz)	1,942.76	0.47%	-0.12%
iTraxx Japan	61	1	2	CRB	146.41	-2.19%	-1.87%
iTraxx Australia	63	2	-6	GSCI	341.05	-2.79%	-3.16%
CDX NA IG	70	3	2	VIX	26.87	-20.03%	21.86%
CDX NA HY	106	0	2	CT10 (%)	0.669%	-4.90	-4.04
iTraxx Eur Main	56	3	1				
iTraxx Eur XO	328	5	-17	AUD/USD	0.728	0.10%	1.58%
iTraxx Eur Snr Fin	66	6	1	EUR/USD	1.184	0.19%	-0.03%
iTraxx Eur Sub Fin	136	10	2	USD/SGD	1.367	-0.08%	0.26%
iTraxx Sovx WE	13	0	-1	AUD/SGD	0.996	-0.18%	-1.30%
USD Swap Spread 10Y	1	1	1	ASX 200	5,889	-0.94%	-3.87%
USD Swap Spread 30Y	-37	1	3	DJIA	27,666	-2.22%	-0.95%
US Libor-OIS Spread	17	0	-2	SPX	3,341	-3.30%	-0.95%
Euro Libor-OIS Spread	-2	-1	0	MSCI Asiax	715	-0.37%	0.23%
				HSI	24,503	-0.78%	-2.70%
China 5Y CDS	37	2	-3	STI	2,490	-0.78%	-3.53%
Malaysia 5Y CDS	46	1	-5	KLCI	1,505	-0.73%	-3.82%
Indonesia 5Y CDS	93	4	-12	JCI	5,017	-4.26%	-4.40%
Thailand 5Y CDS	38	1	-2	EU Stoxx 50	3,316	1.69%	0.33%
Australia 5Y CDS	15	0	0			Source: B	loomberg



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New Issues

Trafigura Group has mandated banks for its proposed USD bond offering.

Date	Issuer	Size	Tenor	Pricing
10-Sep-20	Guangzhou Metro Investment Finance BVI Ltd (Guarantor: Guangzhou Metro Investment Finance HK Ltd)	USD500mn USD330mn	5-year 10-year	T+122.5bps T+160bps
10-Sep-20	Xinyuan Real Estate Co Ltd	USD300mn	3NP2	14.5%
10-Sep-20	Filinvest Development Cayman Islands (Guarantor: Filinvest Development Corp.)	USD200mn	5-year	4.25%
10-Sep-20	ENN Energy Holdings Ltd	USD750mn	10-year	T+200bps
10-Sep-20	Contemporary Ruiding Development Limited (Guarantor : Contemporary Amperex Technology Co., Limited) HSBC Institutional Trust Services	USD1bn USD500mn	5-year 10-year	T+165bps T+200bps
10-Sep-20	(Singapore) Ltd. (in its capacity as trustee of Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust)	SGD300mn	PerpNC5	3.0%
9-Sep-20	The Republic of Korea	USD625mn	10-year	T+50bps
9-Sep-20	AIA Group Ltd	USD1.75b	20-year	T+175bps
9-Sep-20	Yi Bright International Limited (Guarantor: Linyi City Construction Investment Group Co)	USD300mn	3-year	3.0%
9-Sep-20	Transurban Finance Co Pty Ltd	USD900mn	10.5-year	T+175bps
9-Sep-20	Bank of China Ltd of Qatar Financial Centre	USD100mn	3.5-year	3m-US LIBOR+78bps
8-Sep-20	United Overseas Bank Ltd	USD600mn	10.5NC5.5	T+152bps
8-Sep-20	BOC Aviation Ltd	USD750mn	10-year	T+197.5bps
8-Sep-20	Housing & Development Board	SGD800mn	5-year	0.69%

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