

# **Investment Ideas**

January 10, 2025

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BONDS

#### **DOLLAR DENOMINATED**

#### **PESO DENOMINATED**

Issuer	Coupon	Maturity/Call Date	ΥТМ
Sultanate of Oman (OMAN)	5.625%	17-Jan-28	5.625%
Bank Negara Indonesia (BBNIIJ)	5.280%	5-Apr-29	5.385%
SM Investments Corp (SMPM)	5.375%	24-Jun-29	5.437%
Pertamina (PERTIJ)	3.100%	21-Oct-29	5.339%
Republic of the Philippines (ROP)	4.375%	05-Mar-30	5.146%

Bond	Coupon	Maturity/Call Date	YTM
RTB 5-13	2.625%	12-Aug-25	5.850%
RTB 5-15	4.875%	04-Mar-27	5.950%
RTB 5-17	6.125%	22-Aug-28	6.000%
RTB 5-18	6.250%	28-Feb-29	6.030%
FXTN 20-17	8.000%	19-Jul-31	6.100%

Gross of 20% withholding tax

NOTES: Rates are indicative as of the previous banking day, January 9, 2024. Volume subject to availability for bonds. Rates are exclusive of fees and charges (gross).

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#### **BDO Unibank Inc. (BDO)**

9.3% of PSEi

The bank stands to benefit from freed-up funds due to the reserve requirement ratio cut, helping the lender cater to the expected higher loan demand. This, along with potentially higher-for-longer environment, should position BDO for another year of resilient earnings.

## **NEUTRAL** 14.6% of PSEi

#### **SM Investments Corporation (SM)**

The holiday season is expected to boost the conglomerate's retail segment performance. While this is yet to be seen, the recent sentiment outlook suggests limited uplift as the market awaits for more noticeable improvement.

### Nickel Asia Corporation (NIKL)



The market expects the company to be a frontrunner for index deletion this year due to its market capitalization. Additionally, the nickel industry is still expected to face headwinds for 2025, potentially delaying a much-needed reprieve for the company.

Source: Metrobank Trust Banking Group

Index weights as of 3 January 2024

#### SPOTLIGHT

#### SM Prime Holdings, Inc. Fixed Rate Bonds | Limited Participation

AmountTermIssue DateCoupon FrequencyP20 billion3Y (Series Y) | 6Y (Series Z) | 10Y (Series AA)25 February 2025Semi-annual

Indicative Rate and Pricing as of 8 January 2025

Series	Benchmark	Indicative Spread	Indicative Rate
Υ	3Y BVAL	20-50bps	6.2327 - 6.5327%
Z	Interpolated 6Y BVAL	25-55bps	6.3310 - 6.6310%
AA	10Y BVAL	30-80bps	6.4349 - 6.9349%
Series	Optional Redemption		
Υ	Year 2* with call option price of 100		
Z	Year 3** with call option price of 101 Year 5* with call option of 100		
* Nevt payment date	Year 7** with call option price of 101 Year 9* with call option price of 100		

<sup>\*</sup> Next payment date
\*\* Next three payment dates

**SM Prime Holdings, Inc.** is a leading integrated Philippine real estate company with business units focused on malls, residential, commercial, hotels, and convention centers.

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