

Thai Government Bond Development

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- Developing Bond Market Infrastructure
- Deepening Domestic Bond Market
- Proactive Debt Management

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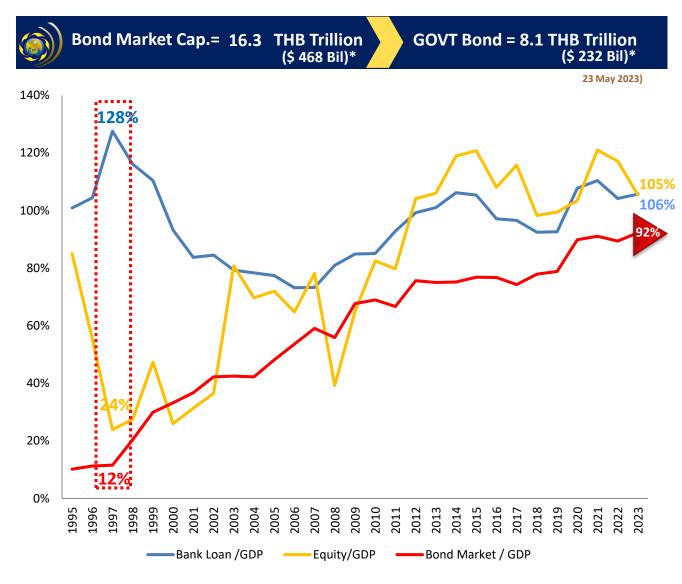
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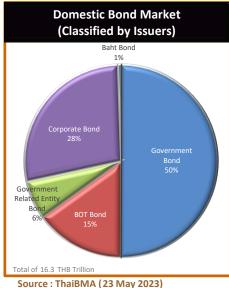
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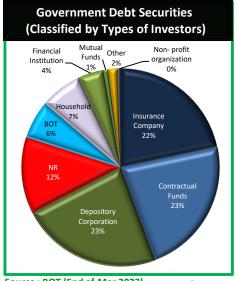
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Thai Bond Market

- ✓ Well-developed market to support larger fundraising
- Variety group of investors → Develop new products for market
 - Variety of Govt. funding instruments to absorbs all investors' demand.







Source: BOT (End of Mar 2023)

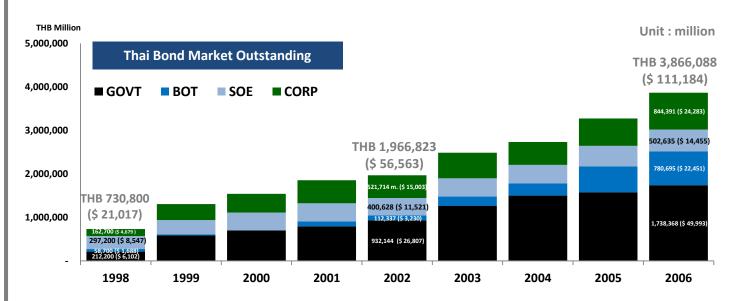
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PHASE I: Balancing Capital Market

Objective: Develop Domestic Bond Market as Government's Source of Funding

- Introduced Savings Bond to Capture Retail Investor's Demand (Main Funding Source for Economic Recovery Package)
- Bond has became the Main Funding Tool for Government
- Government dominated the Bond Market (44% of Bond Mkt Cap. In 2002)
- Rapid Growth in Domestic Bond Market Capitalization (~50% of GDP in 2006)



Wide range of Investor base: Banks, Mutual Funds, Long Term Investors and Retail Investor



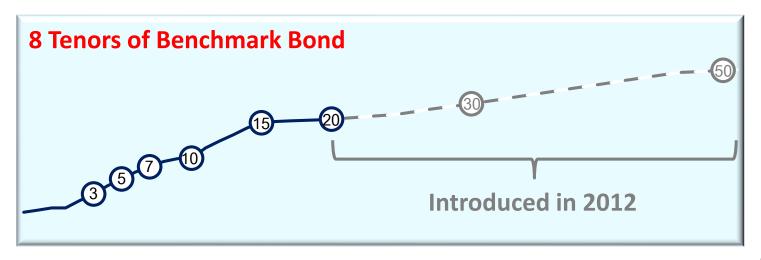
Objective: Promote Thai Bond Market as an Investment Channel

Government Yield Curve: Benchmark Bond Issuance (Tenor: 3Y 5Y 10Y 15Y 20Y)

Predictable Bond Auction Schedule and Larger Size Benchmark Bond

Promote Liquidity in Secondary Market: Less Auction Frequency

PDMO Market Dialogue: Communication with the Market Participants



Objective: Strengthen Thai Bond Market as a Sustainable Source of Fund

Demand Side

Broadening Investor Base: Super Long Bond, Inflation-Linked Bond, Amortized Bond

Enhancing Market Liquidity: Enlarge both Benchmark Bond Issuance and Auction Size

Put Thai Bond into International Perspective: Inclusion of Benchmark Bond into International Bond Index

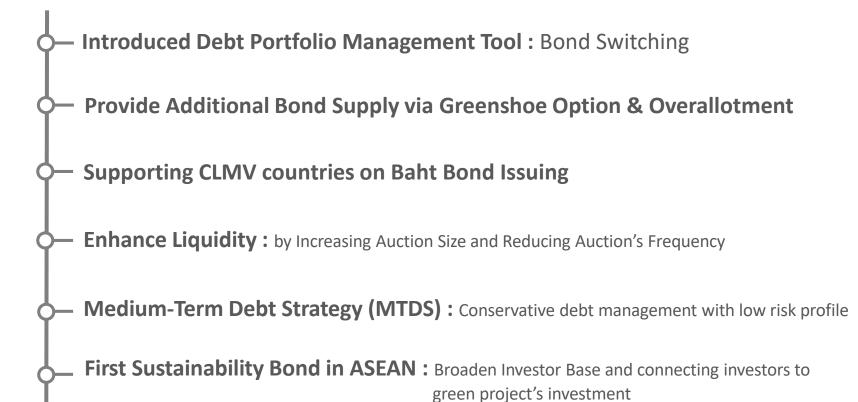
Market Infrastructure and Debt Management Tools

Upgrade MoF Primary Dealer System: Duties and Privileges

Set Up PDDF: Reduce Refinancing Risk for Super Size Benchmark Bond

Regional Hub for Fund Raising: Relaxing Baht Bond Requirement

Objective: Thai Bond Market as Regional Hub, Connecting Digital economy



E-Savings Bond via PDMO Wallet: Promote financial inclusion and broaden investor base



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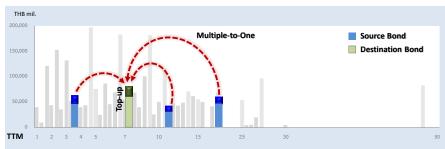
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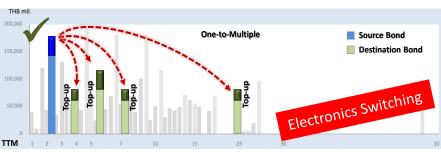


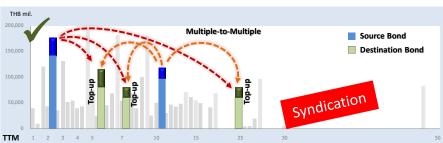
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Bond Switching Models







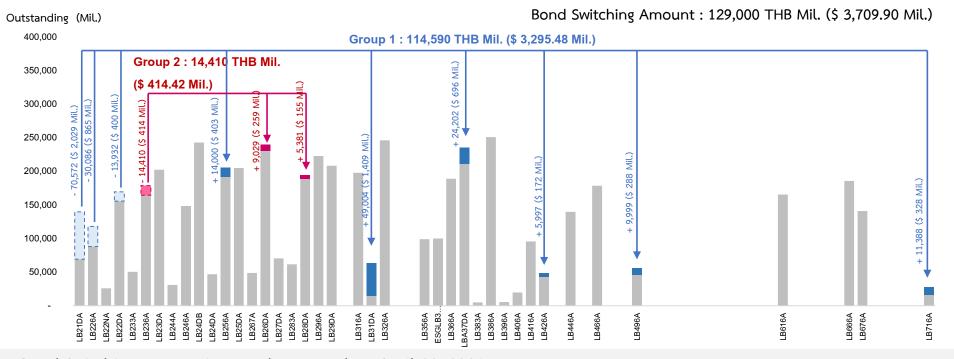


√ = Bond Switching Models In FY2023

Syndication (Multiple to Multiple model) Reduce price speculation in the market Great number of investor participation High flexibility to manage source and destination bond Improve debt management efficiency E-Switching (One to Multiple model) More often to conduct debt switching Offer investors opportunities to adjust investment portfolio



Bond Switching Transaction in FY2021 No.2



Bond Switching Transaction result proceed on April 23, 2021

- 1. Reduce bunching debt in 1 3 year forward
- 3. Increase benchmark bond liquidity 5 50 years

- 2. Reduce debt risk and extend ATM (129,000 THB mil. to 15Y11M)
- 4. Reduce Average Cost from 3.06% to 2.39% annually

Group 1

Source Bond				
Symbol	TTM (Yr.)	Outstanding (Mil.)		
LB21DA	0.65	70,572 (\$ 2,029)		
LB226A	1.15	30,086 (\$ 865)		
LB22DA	1.65	13,932 (\$ 400)		

Destination Bond			
Symbol	TTM (Yr.)	Outstanding (Mil.)	
LB256A	4.10	14,000 (\$ 400)	
LB31DA*	10.60	49,004 (\$ 1,409)	
LBA37DA	16.60	24,202 (\$ 696)	
LB426A	21.10	5,997 (\$ 172)	
LB496A	28.10	9,999 (\$ 288)	
LB716A	50.10	11,388 (\$ 328)	

Group 2

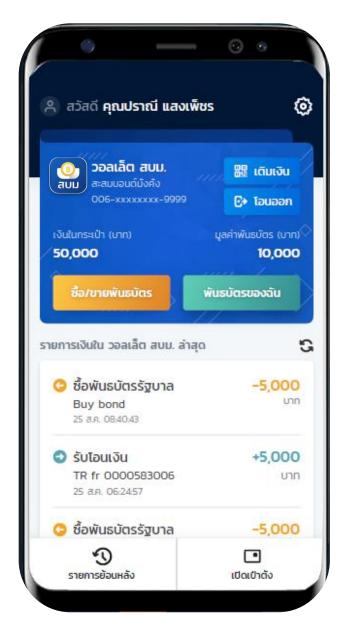
Source Bond			
TTM (Yr.)	Outstanding (THB Mil.)		
2.10	14,410 (\$ 414)		
	TTM (Yr.)		

Destination Bond		
Symbol	TTM (Yr.)	Outstanding (THB Mil.)
LB26DA	5.60	9,029 (\$ 260)
LB28DA	7.60	5,381 (\$ 154)

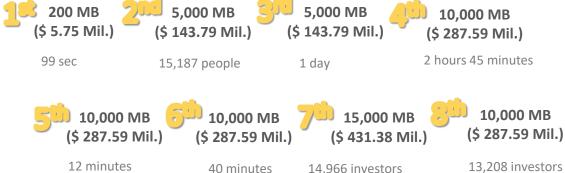
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E-Wallet Savings Bond



- Buy Savings Bond via **Digital Wallet**
- Minimize par value from 1000 to 1 Baht
- **Real time** deliver-versus-payment
- Get interest via **Digital Wallet**
- Promote Young Investor & Working Age
- **Enhance Financial Inclusion**



!!! Sold out nationwide !!!

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Digital Savings Bond and Savings Bond Comparison

Total Outstanding size 630,350.07 THB million (\$ 18,129 Mil.)

(8.28% of total government bond outstanding size)

Total retail investor 171,404 individuals





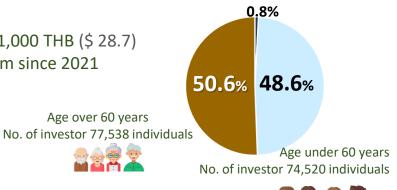
- ✓ No amount limit to invest
- ✓ Minimum investment from 1,000 THB (\$ 28.7)
- ✓ Start using DLT Bond Platform since 2021



Counter / Internet and Mobile Banking

Outstanding size: 565,150.07 THB million (\$ 16,253.91 Mil.)

No. of Retail investor: 153,325 individuals

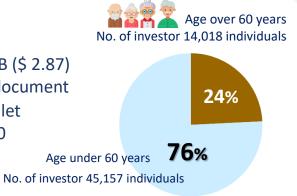


Non-profit organization (NPO) No. of investor 1,267 NPOs





- ✓ E-kyc and online registration
- ✓ Self-direct investment via Mobile
- ✓ Minimum investment from 100 THB (\$ 2.87)
- ✓ Fully digitalized both process and document
- ✓ Easily trading on 2nd Market on wallet
- ✓ Start using PDMO wallet since 2020



E-Savings Bond via PDMO wallet

Outstanding size: 65,200 THB million (\$1,875.94 Mil.)

No. of Retail investor: 59,175 individuals





วิสัยทัศน์ (VISION)

บริหารหนี้สาธารณะเชิงรุก (PROACTIVE) เพื่อส่งเสริมการพัฒนาประเทศอย่างมั่นคง และยั่งยืน

พันธกิจ (MISSION)

บริหารหนี้สาธารณะตามกฎหมายว่าด้วยการบริหารหนี้สาธารณะ อย่างมีประสิทธิภาพและประสิทธิผล ด้วยเทคโนโลยีดิจิทัล และการใช้ประโยชน์จากข้อมูลเพื่อเสริมสร้างความยั่งยืนทางการคลัง และการพัฒนาเศรษฐกิจ

ค่านิยม (VALUE)

โปร่งใส วินัยดี มีเครดิต ขับเคลื่อนเศรษฐกิจและสังคม

ยุทธศาสตร์ (STRATEGIES)

- 1. บริหารหนี้สาธารณะให้มีต้นทุนที่เหมาะสม ภายใต้กรอบความเสี่ยงที่กำหนด
- 2. พัฒนาตลาดตราสารหนี้ไทยให้เป็นศูนย์กลาง (HUB) ตลาดตราสารหนี้ในภูมิภาคเอเชีย
- 3. บริหารจัดการและติดตามประเมินผลโครงการเงินกู้ ให้เป็นไปอย่างมีประสิทธิภาพ
- 4. พัฒนาบุคลากร ระบบบริหารจัดการ ระบบข้อมูล และเทคโนโลยี เพื่อส่งเสริมองค์กรสู่ความเป็นเลิศ
- 5. พัฒนาศูนย์ข้อมูลที่ปรึกษาให้เป็นศูนย์กลางข้อมูลที่ปรึกษา รวมทั้งส่งเสริมการพัฒนาคุณภาพของที่ปรึกษา





