

# CYPRUS CENTRAL GOVERNMENT DEBT

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Review of operations for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter of 2021

## New issues:

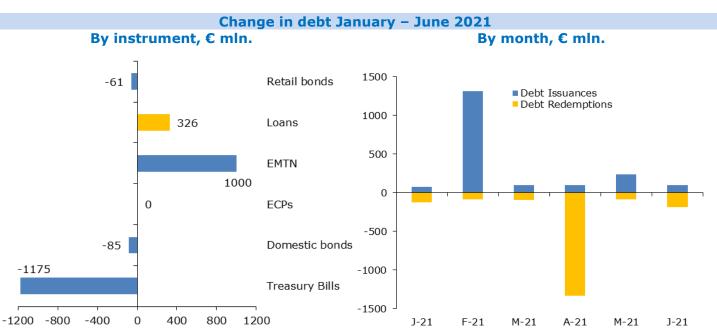
Following the signing of a Supplementary Loan Agreement in May of 2021 between the European Commission and the Republic of Cyprus under the SURE Program, an amount of €124 million was disbursed within the same month, in order to cater for the additional measures adopted to combat the pandemic.

The weighted average yield of the June Treasury Bills auction decreased to -0, 37% when compared to -0, 26% of the March auction. The bid-to-cover ratio in June 2021 was increased to 2, 7 compared to the March 2021 auction which was 1, 9. The total outstanding stock of Treasury Bills for the aforementioned quarter amounted to €300 million.

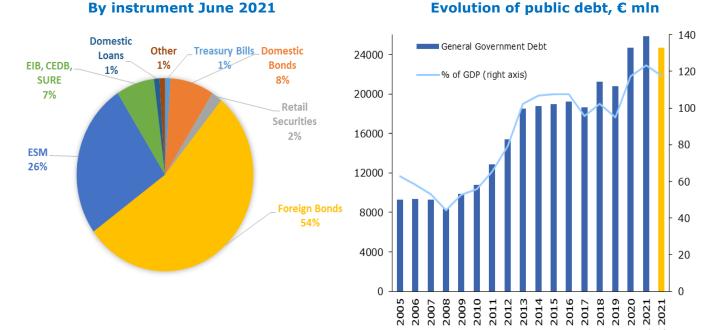
The issuance of 6-year retail bonds during the second quarter of 2021 amounted to €9 million.

## **Debt redemptions:**

In April 2021 a 52-week Treasury Bill was redeemed for the amount of €1,25 billion. Shorter term debt redemptions related to Treasury Bills (13-weeks) amounted to €250 million. In June 2021 a domestic bond of €54 million matured. Loan amortisations amounted to €23 million. Repayments of retail bond securities including early repayments, amounted to €32 million.



Size and structure of debt



#### **Debt Structure** 30-06-21 31-03-21 31-12-20 Outstanding Central Government Debt 1 € 24.646 mln. € 25.814 mln. €24,632 mln. Domestic market 13% 17% 18% Foreign market 87% 83% 82% Short term<sup>2</sup> 1% 6% 6% Medium and long term 99% 94% 94% 66% 68% 67% Securities 34% 32% 33% Loans Fixed interest rate 71% 73% 71% Floating interest rate<sup>3</sup> 29% 27% 29% 100% 100% 100% Local currency

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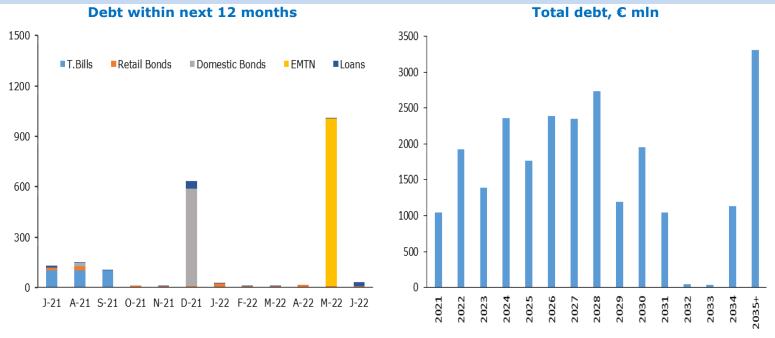
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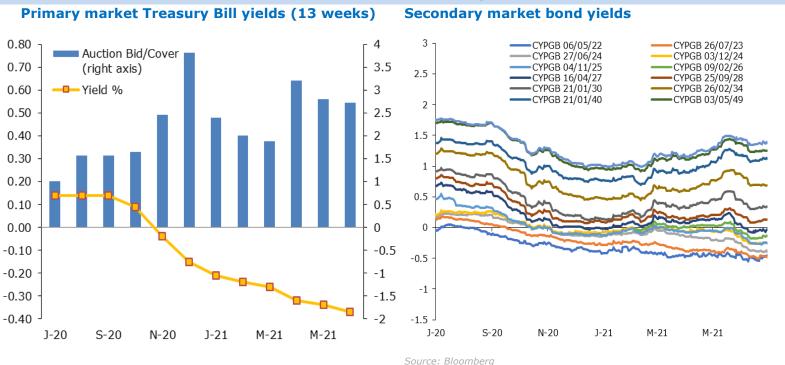
- By original maturity at issue.
- After swap transactions.

Foreign currencies

## **Repayments Schedule**



# Marketable debt borrowing cost



Abbreviations: TB: Treasury Bill; CEDB: Council of Europe Development Bank; DB: domestic-law bond; ECP: Euro Commercial Paper; EIB: European Investment Bank; EMTN: Euro Medium Term Note (fóreign-law bond); ESM: European Stability Mechanism; IMF: SURE: Support to mitigate Unemployment Risks in an Emergency; PDMO: Public Debt Management Office. All data as at 30/06/21 unless otherwise specified. Replication is permitted, provided that the source is stated. The information has been compiled and verified to the best of our knowledge. The possibility of a factual mistake cannot, however, be excluded



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