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## **Market Report**

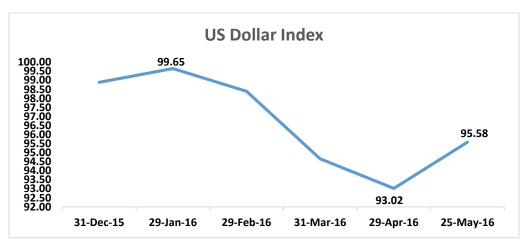
The bond market yields were kept in check as resistance were seen mainly on the 2026 & 2030 maturities around 13.00%. The liquid 10year maturity recorded an intra-day high of 13.00% before closing at 12.98% while the 15<sup>th</sup> May 2030 maturity was exchanged between 12.95%- 13.00%.

At this week's bill auction the yield for 3months moved up by 5bps to 8.71% while the 6months rose sharply by 27bps to 9.67%. CBSL refrained from taking 12months from the auction and accepted more than Rs 21bn from the 6months maturity.

The Colombo All Share Price Index recovered from a one week low posting a 0.20% gain to close at 6583.49points as gains in the Power, Motors and Telecoms sectors led shares higher. Rising stocks outnumbered declining ones by 87 to 82 and 53 ended unchanged.

## **Economic News**

- Sri Lanka is in the process of borrowing up to \$3.5 billion from foreign sources via syndicated loans, sovereign bonds, and sukuk, the country's finance minister said on Wednesday.
- Tea production in Sri Lanka for April saw a considerable decline to 26.47 million kilogrammes, compared to 31.62 M/kg year-on year, data from Ceylon Tea Brokers PLC showed. Production for the first 4 months of 2016 declined to 96.84 M/kg compared to 110.98 M/kg yoy.(dailymirror.lk)
- The dollar held steady at two-month highs against the other major currencies on Wednesday, as expectations for a June rate hike in the U.S. continued to lend broad support to the greenback.(Reuters)

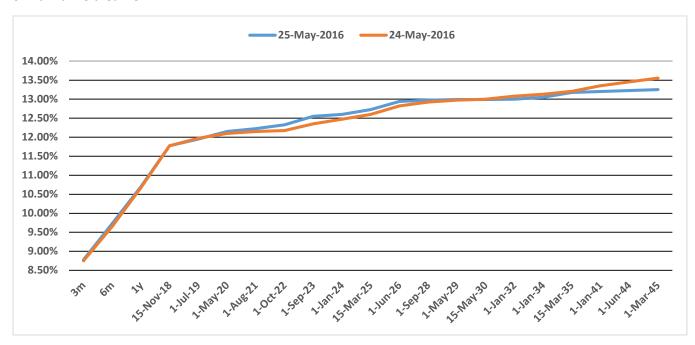


## **Market Calendar**

Treasury Bond Auction (CBSL)- 26<sup>th</sup> May 2016 (Total Rs 45bn)
(15<sup>th</sup> October 2018- 10bn, 15<sup>th</sup> October 2021- 15bn, 01<sup>st</sup> January 2024- 12bn, 01<sup>st</sup> June 2026- 8bn)

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## Sri Lanka Yield Curve

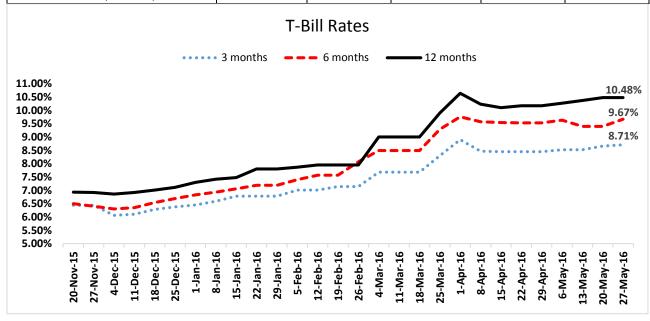


<u>Maturity</u>				25-May-	24-May-
	Offer %	Bid %	GAP	2016	2016
3m	8.70%	8.85%		8.78%	8.75%
6m	9.65%	9.80%	0.95%	9.73%	9.65%
<b>1</b> y	10.65%	10.75%	0.97%	10.70%	10.68%
15-Nov-18	11.75%	11.80%	1.08%	11.78%	11.78%
1-Jul-19	11.90%	12.00%	0.18%	11.95%	11.98%
1-May-20	12.10%	12.20%	0.20%	12.15%	12.10%
1-Aug-21	12.15%	12.30%	0.08%	12.23%	12.15%
1-Oct-22	12.25%	12.40%	0.10%	12.33%	12.18%
1-Sep-23	12.45%	12.65%	0.23%	12.55%	12.35%
1-Jan-24	12.50%	12.70%	0.05%	12.60%	12.48%
15-Mar-25	12.65%	12.80%	0.13%	12.73%	12.60%
1-Jun-26	12.90%	12.98%	0.22%	12.94%	12.83%
1-Sep-28	12.95%	13.00%	0.03%	12.98%	12.93%
1-May-29	12.98%	13.00%	0.02%	12.99%	12.98%
15-May-30	12.98%	13.00%	0.00%	12.99%	13.00%
1-Jan-32	12.95%	13.05%	0.01%	13.00%	13.08%
1-Jan-34	13.00%	13.10%	0.05%	13.05%	13.13%
15-Mar-35	13.15%	13.20%	0.13%	13.18%	13.21%
1-Jan-41	13.15%	13.25%	0.03%	13.20%	13.36%
1-Jun-44	13.15%	13.30%	0.03%	13.23%	13.46%
1-Mar-45	13.15%	13.35%	0.03%	13.25%	13.56%

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Market Liquidity	18-May-16	19-May-16	20-May-16	24-May-16	25-May-16
Standing Deposit Facility(Bn)	9.813	9.230	14.520	15.768	22.217
Standing Lending Facility(Bn)	(4.676)	(3.397)	(3.165)	(9.441)	(8.541)
Repo/Reverse Repo Auction (Bn)	-	-	-	-	-
Market Liquidity (Bn)	5.137	5.833	11.355	6.327	13.676
CBSL Holdings: (Bn)	220.911	219.693	219.515	226.043	225.197

Overnight Money Market	18-May-16	19-May-16	20-May-16	24-May-16	25-May-16
Repo					
W. A. Repo Rate:	8.01%	8.02%	7.99%	8.00%	7.99%
Gross Amount:( LKR Bn)	34.38	33.50	54.37	46.21	53.45
Call Money					
W. A.Money Rate:	8.15%	8.15%	8.15%	8.15%	8.15%
Gross Amount:( LKR Bn)	22.68	18.97	21.05	19.28	16.44



U.S. \$ Yield	18-May-16	19-May-16	20-May-16	24-May-16	25-May-16
U.S. 10 Year Yield	1.786%	1.873%	1.858%	1.842%	1.866%
Sri Lanka Int Sovereign Yield					
2025	7.392%	7.597%	7.535%	7.532%	7.537%

Spot Opening:	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50
Spot Closing:	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50	143.90/50
Spot Next	147.00/15				
Forex Volumes (24-May-2016)	USD (Mn)	Average	Colombo Stock Exchange		
Cash	6.00	145.6913		ASPI	S & P SL 20
том	2.00	145.7300	Index	6,583.49	3,446.48
Spot	14.00	145.7500	Daily Return %	0.20%	0.09%
Forwards	36.25				
Total	58.25				

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