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IAM AT1 Capital (Hybrids) Redemption Options - AN3PH & CBAPG

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Following APRA's confirmation last year that the current AU \$44 billion bank hybrid market will be phased out over the next 7 years, IAM has been fielding incoming queries regarding where best to reallocate funds. As the phase-out period of these hybrid instruments draws nearer to the 2032 deadline, we expect the market to shrink at roughly 10% per annum. Over the next month, there are two upcoming hybrid redemptions which will require investors to begin making alternative reinvestment decisions; on the 20th of March, AU \$931 million of AN3PH falls due, and on the 15th of April, AU \$1.365 billion of CBAPG redeems.

IAM believe that for investors seeking to retain beneficial ownership of their fixed-income portfolios (unlike alternatives such as fixed-income funds and ETFs), the Tier 2 (subordinate bonds) market provides a logical reinvestment solution. The Australian Tier 2 market is currently three times the outstanding volume of the AT1 (hybrid) market, so from a liquidity standpoint, investors are already better off. Whilst Term deposits have also been touted as a potential option, looking across the bank capital stack, IAM sees the best relative value in the Tier 2 market, where yields are ~1.25% higher than term deposit rates, and liquidity is available within two business days.

Please see below a list of eligible Tier 2/Subordinate bond reinvestment options for the upcoming redemptions:

issuer	CCY	Sector	Rank	Cpn Type	Cpn Formula	ISIN	S&P, Moodys, Fitch Rating	Call Date	Maturity	Duration	Yield	Margin (bps)	Running Yield	Face Value	Clean Price	Clean Consideration	Accrued Interest	Gross Consideration
AUST & NZ BANKING GROUP	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	6.124%	AU3CB0311561	A- , A3 , A-	25-Jul-34	25-Jul-39	7.249	5.631%	143.7	5.914%	50,000	103.545	51,772.50	389.00	52,161.50
COMMONWEALTH BANK AUST	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	6.704%	AU3CB0297653	A- , A2 , A-	15-Mar-33	15-Mar-38	6.394	5.486%	138.1	6.218%	50,000	107.811	53,905.50	-28.00	53,877.50
HSBC HOLDINGS PLC	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	5.722%	AU3C80319473	BBB, NR, NR	11-Mar-30	11-Mar-35	4.415	5.595%	173.1	5.691%	50,000	100.545	50,272.50	8.00	50,280.50
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	6.342%	AU3CB0310175	A- , A3 , A-	06-Jun-34	06-Jun-39	7.073	5.597%	141.1	6.022%	50,000	105.308	52,654.00	836.50	53,490.50
BANCO SANTANDER SA	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	5.800%	AU3CB0319184	BBB+, Baa2, BBB+	06-Mar-30	06-Mar-35	4.394	5.660%	179.6	5.765%	50,000	100.599	50,299.50	47.50	50,347.00
WESTPAC BANKING CORP	AUD	Financial	Subordinated	FIXED	7.199%	AU3CB0304376	A- , A3 , NR	15-Nov-33	15-Nov-38	6.583	5.513%	136.5	6.457%	50,000	111.496	55,748.00	1,163.50	56,911.50





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