

Structured Finance Rating

Asset-Backed Securities (Preliminary Report)

New Update

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Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu

Type of Asset-Backed Securities	PTCs - Pay Through Certificates
Originator (Parent)	Tarfin Tarım A.Ş.
Servicer(s)	Tarfin Tarım A.Ş. & Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş. & QNB Finans Yatırım Menkul Değerler A.Ş.
Special Purpose Vehicle	Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu
Transaction Administrator	Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş.
Issuer	Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu
Registration	Merkezi Kayıt Kuruluşu A.Ş.
Transferor	Tarfin Tarım A.Ş.
Purchasing Programme	Tarfin Tarım A.Ş.; (5% of the Issue Amount)
Overcollateralization	Tarfin Tarım A.Ş.; (10.0 % of the Issue Amount)
Specific Applicable Law	The CMB Communiqué Serial: III, No: 58.1 named "Asset-Backed and Mortgage-Backed Securities"
Insurance Agencies for Investors and Obligors	None
Issue Nom. Size/Aggregate Issuance	Up to TRY46 mn (Aggregated) (in 3 separate tranches)
Interest Rate	20.5%
Payment Frequency-Principal	At maturity
Payment Frequency-Interest	At maturity
Tenor /Final Maturity	5.88 to 7.86 Months
Estimated Issue Date	24.2.2021
Weighted Average Life	209.65 Days

RATINGS

ABSs to be issued by "Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu"		Long Term	Short Term
International Local Currency		BB+	B
National Note		AA- (Trk)	A-1+ (Trk)
Sovereign *	Foreign Currency	BB+	-
	Local Currency	BB+	-
	Outlook	Negative	-
	LC	Negative	-

* Assigned by JCR on April 10, 2020

Overview

"Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu" (hereinafter referred as Asset Finance Fund, the Fund or SPV) was established for an infinite term by Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş. (Pasha Bank) to issue asset-backed securities.

Approved asset amount of the Fund is up to TRY46mn and its originator is Tarfin Tarım A.Ş., realizing the forward sales of the agricultural products to agriculturist through its widespread sales points in Turkey. The obligors are arising from sales of forward agricultural inputs to diversified farmers' portfolio distributed across different geographical regions in Turkey and agricultural products.

Planned to be issued in 3 separate maturity tranches by a pay-through mechanism and without any seniority there among, ABSs (asset-backed securities) will be sold on the nominal values to local qualified investors or investors domiciled abroad by invitation without any public offering. The essential elements to inspire investor confidence are the similar financial profile of obligors of assets (agricultural receivables) in the receivable pool, low portfolio risk and expected losses of these assets, expected-to-increase liquidity facility to be attained through high ending cash balances of loan repayments by obligors to cover disbursements to ABS investors, and hence increased capacity to repay obligations arising from this ABS issue. JCR Eurasia realised a detailed report for the VDMK issues with the amount of TRY 14 million on June 26, 2020 and TRY 40 million on October 8, 2020, based on other credit pools formed from other loan receivables of the same nature with the same legal entities of the same parties.

JCR Eurasia maintains its opinion that space created for "Pasha Yatırım Bankası A.Ş. Tarfin Varlık Finansmanı Fonu" and its technical equipment, as well as the internal control system procedures, the constitution of a system for the safeguarding of accounting, records, and documentation and the possession of a statistical data base will function efficiently - also regarding the prior similar issues.

Strengths

- Numerous strict asset eligibility requirements strengthening appropriateness level of assets in the receivable pool,
- Replacement instrument to be given for delinquencies in the pool by the originator,
- Current local regulations in Turkey affording for asset isolation and remoteness of bankruptcy,
- An immune and liquid portfolio structure guaranteed by matching terms and few conditionalities for receivables,
- Homogeneous and multitudinous profile of obligors in the receivable pool lowering concentration risk to minimum,
- Regulatory requirement of 5% risk retention mechanism and 10.0% collateral of total pool serving as additional supports component for the ABS investors.

Constraints

- Absence of established insurance mechanism,
- Recourse facility only limited to the assets of the Fund and not to cover any other obligors,
- Excess spread level pressurized by exposure of the structure to interest rate mismatch in terms of fixed vs. floating rates to a certain extent,
- Detailed risk assessments of the originator and transaction administrator outside the scope of analyses,
- Growing uncertainties followed by Covid-19 pandemic to exert temporary adversities on debt servicing capacity.