# KASE WEEKLY

October 21 – 24, 2024

#### **KASE NEWS**

- Official list of KASE now includes international bonds XS2917067204 (BRKZe16) and XS2917067386 (BRKZe17) of Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC, US459058LA95 (IBRDe5) and US459058LF82 (IBRDe6) of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, bonds KZ2P00011968 (MFMCb2) of MFO MyCar Finance LLP, KZ2P00012370 (MFSLb7) of Safe-Lombard LLP, KZ2P00011950 (MFCFb1) of Microfinance Organization Asian Credit Fund LLP, KZ2C00012441 (INCApp5) of Intergas Central Asia JSC, KZ2P00012412 (FSSLpp1) of Finsoft solution LLP and two issues of akimat bonds.
- Due to expiry of the circulation period, bonds <u>XS2541297557</u> (ASDBe12) of the Asian Development Bank and KZ2P00010036 (MFRFb8) of R-Finance Microfinance Organization LLP have been removed from the official list of KASE.
- Trading in bonds <u>KZ2C00011906</u> (MFOKb21) and <u>KZ2C00011914</u> (MFOKb22) of MFO OnlineKazFinance JSC and ETF US4642874329 (TLT\_KZ) iShares 20+ Year Treasury Bond ETF have been opened on KASE.
- Bonds <u>KZ2P00012313</u> (MFSLb4) and <u>KZ2P00012339</u> (MFSLb5) of Safe-Lombard LLP and KZ2C00011914 (MFOKb22) MFO OnlineKazFinance JSC were transferred to the trading mode in "clean" prices.
- First Heartland Jusan Invest JSC was assigned the status of market maker on KASE for ETF <u>US4642874329</u> (TLT\_KZ) iShares 20+ Year Treasury Bond ETF.

#### **RESULTS OF PLACEMENTS**

 The Ministry of Finance of Kazakhstan placed 3,980.5 million MEKKAM <u>KZK100000365</u> (MKM012\_0159) on KASE.

### **ISSUER NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC <u>placed</u> two issues of Eurobonds in KZT and USD.
- Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC announced admission of Eurobonds <u>XS2917067204</u> to trading on the Vienna Stock Exchange (BRKZe16) and <u>XS2917067386</u> (BRKZe17).
- Halyk Bank of Kazakhstan JSC provided information about transactions with its own securities under the GDR buyback program <u>US46627J3023</u>, <u>US46627J2033</u> (HSBKd).
- From December 1, tariff of KazTransOil JSC for pumping oil to the domestic market of Kazakhstan will change.
- AK Altynalmas JSC <u>paid</u> dividends on preferred shares for the third quarter of 2024.
- MFO Arnur Credit LLP <u>announced</u> signing of a loan agreement with the Asian Development Bank.
- Announcement: Air Astana JSC will<u>publish</u> its results for the third quarter and nine months of 2024 on November 5.

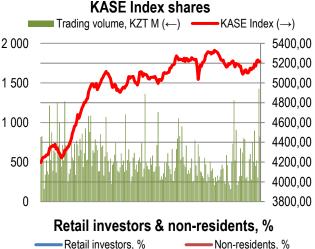
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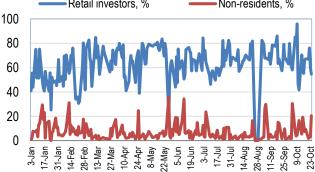


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Freedom Holding Corp.	104,98		4,2		10,2
AO Kaspi.kz	56 250,00		3,2	-	1,0
Tesla, Inc.	240,04		3,0		1,8
AO "ForteBank"	5,25		2,9		2,5
Starbucks Corporation	98,00		2,3		3,3
NVIDIA Corp.	140,99		2,3		21,5
АО "Банк ЦентрКредит"	1 950,10		2,1		1,6
АО "Кселл"	3 306,00		1,7		3,2
PayPal Holdings Inc.	81,50		1,6		4,0
АО "Народный Банк Казахстана"	213,58		1,5		2,4
Microsoft Corporation	423,00		0,8	-	3,0
АО "Национальная компания "КазМунай	13 749,00		0,5	-	1,6
АО "Казахтелеком"	38 555,00		0,4		0,7
Ford Motor Company	11,14		-		1,5
Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.	156,52	-	0,0		0,6
АО "НАК "Казатомпром"	19 161,00	-	0,1		7,6
АО "КазТрансОйл"	817,99	-	0,1	-	0,2
АО "Казахстанская фондовая биржа"	54 448,00	-	0,5	-	1,9
АО "Эйр Астана"	776,10	-	0,6	-	7,2
Pfizer Inc.	28,81	-	1,6	-	1,9
Apple Inc.	229,50	-	2,1		0,7
Intel Corporation	22,11	-	2,8		0,6
AO "KEGOC"	1 449,00	-	4,9	-	2,8

Note: Index stocks are highlighted in green





After a long decline, KASE Index demonstrated positive dynamics last week, rising by 0.4% to 5,169 points. Most of the shares on the Representative List demonstrated an upward trend.

Particular attention was drawn to Kazatomprom shares, which rose by 4%. Their growth reflects positive sentiment in the global uranium industry. In the KASE Global sector, the uranium ETF The Global X Uranium rose by 9%, following the increase in the uranium prices and activity of uranium mining companies. Moreover, Kazatomprom signed a large contract with Taiqonyr Qyshqyl Zauyty LLP for annual supply of up to 800 thousand tons of sulfuric acid. This will ensure uninterrupted supplies of an important chemical reagent for uranium mining.

Halyk Bank reported transactions with its own securities as part of the GDR buyback program. In the period from October 7 to 11, the company bought back 91 thousand GDRs, for a total of \$1.6 million. GDR prices ranged from \$16.9 to \$17.6. Halyk Bank shares inched up by 0.4%.

Shares of other financial companies in the KASE index demonstrated mixed dynamics: Kaspi.kz shares grew by 4.4%, while Bank CenterCredit shares fell by 0.4%.

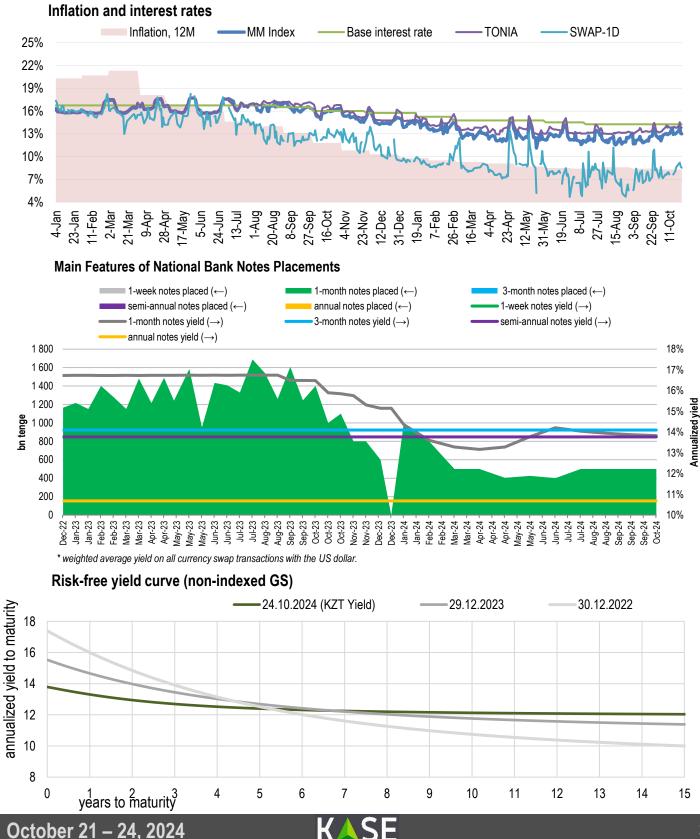
KEGOC shareholders approved the procedure for distribution of profit for the first half of 2024. 22.7 billion KZT were allocated for dividends, which is 82.4 KZT per share. KEGOC shares added 1% over the week, reaching 1,524 KZT. Amid falling oil prices, KazMunayGas shares fell 1.8%, closing at 13,681 KZT per share. Along with that, KazTransOil shares rose 0.5% to 819 KZT.

The telecom sector boasted positive dynamics: Kcell shares added 0.3% to 3,250 KZT, while Kazakhtelecom shares rose 1.1% to 38,407 KZT.

American Airlines Group Inc. was the leader of the KASE Global sector last week, adding 9%. M&T Bank shares were also among the leaders, adding 7% after financial report for the third quarter of 2024 was released. ProShares Bitcoin Strategy ETF shares came in third in terms of dynamics, up by 6%. Shares of Uber Inc. and AMD Corp. stood out among the outsiders of the week which fell in price by 7% and 6%, respectively.



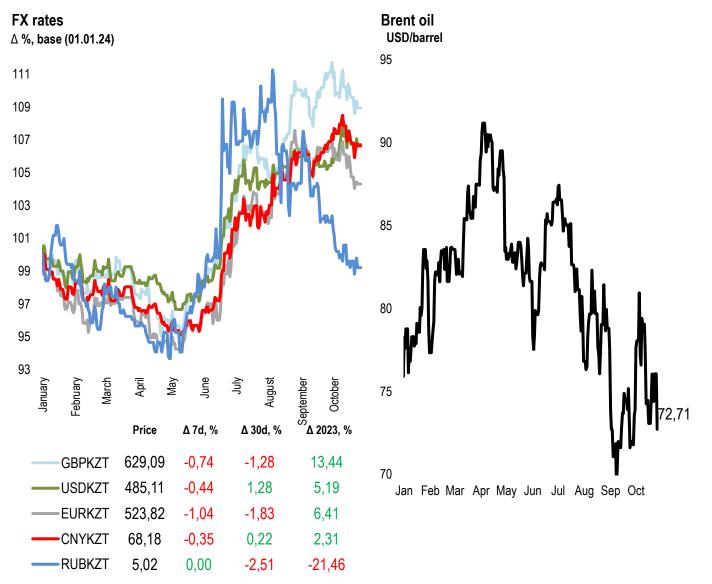
According to the latest trades on the repo market, the TONIA indicator was 13.81 %, and the TWINA indicator was 14,03%.



In September, the tenge rate strengthened by 0.1 % to 481.11 tenge per US dollar. The average daily trading volume on Kazakhstan Stock Exchange increased from 210 to 222 million US dollars over the month. The total trading volume amounted to 4.7 billion US dollars.

Sales of currency from the National Fund to ensure transfers to the republican budget in September amounted to 945 million US dollars. The share of sales from the National Fund amounted to 20 % of the total trading volume and no more than 45 million US dollars per day. In order to increase the foreign currency share of the UAPF pension assets to 40 %, the National Bank continued to purchase foreign currency in exchange trading in September, the total amount of which amounted to 500 million US dollars or about 11 % of the total market volume.

In September, the volume of sales from the gold and foreign exchange reserves of the National Bank within the framework of this operation amounted to 241.5 million US dollars, in October 2024, the sale of currency from gold and foreign exchange reserves is expected to be from 240 to 260 million US dollars. According to preliminary forecast applications of the Government for the allocation of transfers to the republican budget in October 2024, the National Bank expects to sell currency from the National Fund in the amount of 1.3 to 1.4 billion US dollars. The purchase of currency to maintain the foreign exchange share of the pension assets of the UAPF in October 2024 is expected to be from 850 to 950 million US dollars.



Note: The chart and the table are based on the official market rates of the NBK. NBK rates may differ from KASE rates.



	QUITIES IARKET		IONE IARK			FX	FX MARKET		GLOBAL MARKET		•
Globa	al indices						Commodities marke	et		Octob	er 24, 2024
Name	Value -	Trend % Fut		Futures	Namo	Price	Trend %				
	Name	value -	7D	1M	1Y	7D	Name	FIICE	7D	1M	1Y
	S&P 500	5 809,86	-0,9	1,3	36,8	-0,6	Oil (Brent)	74,38	1,8	-1,1	-17,5
	Dow Jones	42 374,36	-2,1	0,4	27,9	-2,1	Oil (WTI)	70,19	1,4	-1,9	-17,8
	RTS	885,22	-1,5	-9,1	-19,7		Natural gas	2,52	11,7	-1,1	-16,2
	MICEX	2 718,42	-1,2	-5,3	-16,7		<b>U</b>		· · · ·		
	Hang Seng	20 489,62	-1,5	7,8	20,6	2,3	Copper	435,15	-0,8	-1,8	21,2
	SS CSI 300	3 928,83	0,1	17,2	12,7	3,5	Iron	754,50	-2,0	10,1	-19,4
	Euro Stoxx 50	4 935,45	-1,0	-0,1	21,4	-0,3	Gold	2 733,68	0,4	3,0	38,2
••••	FTSEuroFirst	5 577,50	-1,0	-0,1	19,1	-0,6	Silver	33,80	1,7	5,2	46,9
*	FTSE 100 KASE	8 269,38 5 213,96	-1,1 0,9	-0,2 0,3	11,9 28,6	-1,5	Wheat	581,50	1,5	0,6	2,3

Calenda	r of economic events	Currency	Forecast	Previous
29.10	Job Openings and labor Turnover Survey JOLTS (September)	USD	9.920M	8.040M
30.10	<u>Germany's GDP (quarter on quarter) (Q3)</u>	EUR	-0.1%	-0.1%
30.10	ADP Non-Farm Employment Change (October)	USD	101K	143K
30.10	GDP (quarter on quarter) (Q3)	USD	3.0%	3.0%
30.10	Germany's Consumer Price Index (CPI) (month on month) (October)	EUR	0.2%	0.0%
31.10	Purchasing Managers' Index in production sector (PMI) (October)	CNY	50.0	49.8
31.10	Interest rate decision	JPY	0.25%	0.25%

Note: the calendar contains the most significant economic events of the current week according to KASE analysts opinion

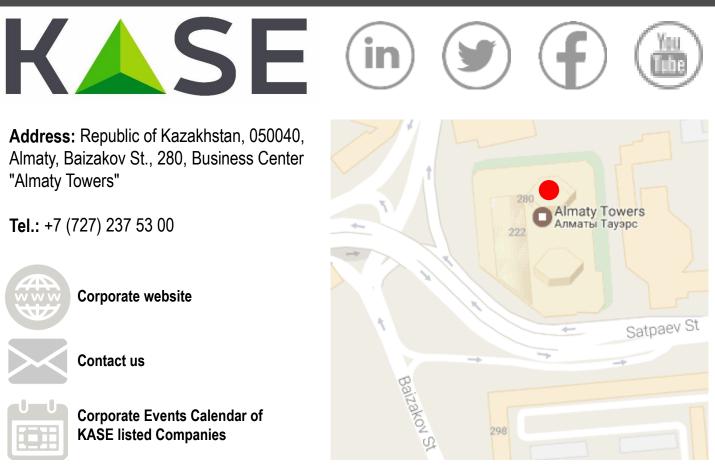
B – billions M – millions K – thousands

Kazakhstan statistics	Value	As of	Previous month
Annual inflation	8,3%	01.10.24	8,4%
Gross international reserves of NBK, USD bn	44,6	01.10.24	42,7
Reserve money, KZT bn	13 741,7	01.10.24	13 324,4
Money supply, KZT bn	40 719,7	01.10.24	40 251,8
Kazakhstan credit ratings	Rating	Date	Previous
S&P Global	BBB-/A-3 stable	02.03.24	BBB-/A-3 negative
Moody's	Baa1/stable	09.09.24	Baa2/positive
<b>Fitch</b> Ratings	BBB/stable	17.05.24	BBB/stable

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