Key transaction facts

Issuer The State of the Netherlands

Ratings Aaa / AAA / AAA

Allocated size € 5,697,926,000

Total book € 13,009,626,000

Bid-to-cover 2.28

Issuance yield 0.707%

Issuance price 100.43

Maturity 15 July 2027

Coupon 0.75 %

Settlement 9 February 2017

Law Dutch law, CACs

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Listing Euronext AMS

The new 10-year DSL: the DSTA issued € 5,697,926,000 billion in the DSL 0.75 % 15 July 2027

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Transaction review: DSL 0.75 % 15 July 2027

Overview

- Today the DSTA launched its new 10-year benchmark bond via a Dutch Direct Auction (DDA).
- The book opened at 10.00 CET with an initial spread guidance of +33 to +36 basis points over the German Bund maturing on 15 February 2027.
- Bids came in steadily from the start. After about 15 minutes, the book was already in excess of € 5 billion. Less than an hour after opening the order book reached a volume in excess of € 9 billion. Half an hour later the spread guidance was narrowed to +33 to +34 basis points.
- The order book was closed at 12:00 CET with a total bid volume of € 13 billion. An amount of € 5.7 billion was allocated at a uniform cut-off spread of +33 basis points over the reference bond. Of the allocated amount 58% was allocated towards 'real money' accounts.
- The geographical distribution of the allocation was balanced, a large part of the issuance was allocated to the United Kingdom, The Netherlands, Switzerland and the United States.
- The DSL 0.75 % 15 July 2027 will be reopened several times in order to reach an outstanding amount of at least € 15 billion before the end of 2017. Liquidity will be guaranteed through a repo facility available to Primary Dealers.

