



Indian corporate bond issuance is unlikely to rebound in Sept after debt fundraising nearly halved month-on-month in Aug

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INDIAN CORPORATE BOND ISSUANCE SLUMPS IN AUG

Rising yields and weak demand for shorter end bonds weighed on fundraising

Indian Corporate Bond Issuance via Private Placement (\$ Billion)



KEY HIGHLIGHTS

Issuance fell **45%** MoM in rupee terms in Aug



Yields spiked across the curve, mainly at the shorter end, reducing the incentive to lock in borrowing



Sept likely to remain selective; if sovereign yield stays high, risk premium will flow into corporate bonds & NBFC funding costs



Source: Prime Database/ Reuters