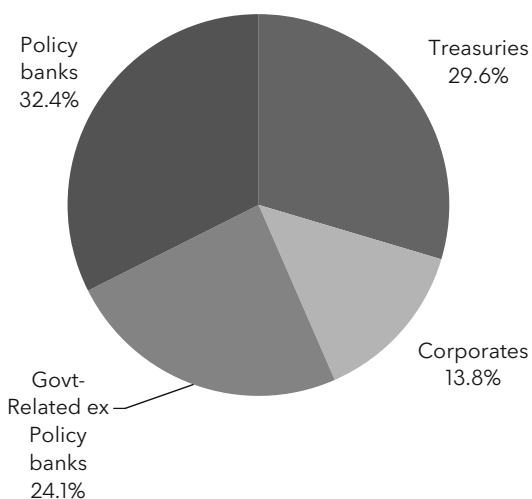


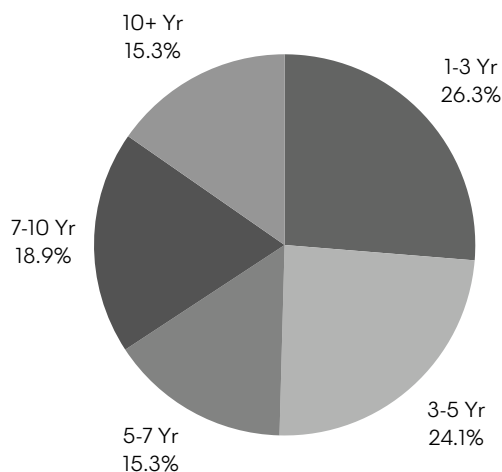
China Aggregate Index

The Bloomberg Barclays China Aggregate Index tracks the performance of the CNY-denominated fixed income market. The China Aggregate Index was launched in March 2004, with an inception date of January 1, 2004. It contains fixed-rate Treasury, government-related (including policy banks), and corporate securities that are listed on the China Interbank market.

Sector Composition (MV%) as of February 21, 2017



Maturity Composition (MV%) as of February 21, 2017



Rules for Inclusion

Eligible Currencies	Principal and interest must be denominated in CNY.	
Amount Outstanding	Par value of at least CNY 5Billion for Treasuries & Government-related, and CNY 1.5Billion for Corporates.	
Quality	Bonds should not be in default to be included in the index.	
Maturity	At least one year until final maturity.	
Coupon	Fixed rate.	
Exchange	Debt issued in China Interbank.	
Security Types	Included <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fixed rate 	Excluded <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Floating-rate • Zero Coupon • Convertibles • Inflation-linked • Derivatives • Structured products • Securitized

Rules for Inclusion

- Warrants
- Private placements
- Retail Bond
- Bonds issued on Shanghai and Shenzhen exchanges
- Special bonds issued by Ministry of Finance

Rebalancing Rules

Frequency	For each index, Bloomberg maintains two universes of securities: the Returns (Backward) and the Projected (Forward) Universes. The composition of the Returns Universe is rebalanced at each month-end and represents the fixed set of bonds on which index returns are calculated. The Projected Universe is a forward-looking projection that changes daily to reflect issues dropping out of and entering the index but is not used for return calculations. On the last business day of the month (the rebalancing date), the composition of the latest Projected Universe becomes the Returns Universe for the following month.
Index Changes	During the month, indicative changes to securities (credit rating change, sector reclassification, amount outstanding changes, corporate actions, ticker changes, etc.) are reflected daily in both the Projected and Returns Universe of the index. These changes may cause bonds to enter or fall out of the Projected Universe of the index on a daily basis, but will affect the composition of the Returns Universe at month-end only, when the index is next rebalanced.
Reinvestment of Cash Flows	Intra-month cash flows from interest and principal payments contribute to monthly index returns but are not reinvested at a short-term reinvestment rate between rebalance dates. At each rebalancing, cash is effectively reinvested into the returns universe for the following month so that index results over two or more months reflect monthly compounding.
New Issues	Qualifying securities issued/announced, but not necessarily settled, on or before the month-end rebalancing date, qualify for inclusion in the following month's index if required security reference information and pricing are readily available.

Pricing and Related Issues

Sources & Frequency	All index-eligible bonds are priced on a daily basis by Bloomberg's evaluated pricing service, BVAL.
Pricing Quotes	Bonds are quoted as percentage of par.
Timing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4pm (Shanghai time) for all securities. • If the last business day of the month is a public holiday, prices from the previous business day are used.
Bid or Offer Side	Bonds in the index are priced on the bid side.
Settlement Assumptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T+1 calendar day settlement basis. • At month-end, settlement is assumed to be the first calendar day of the following month, even if the last business day is not the last day of the month, to allow for one full month of accrued interest to be calculated.
Verification	Daily price moves for each security are analyzed by the index pricing team. Index users may also challenge price levels, which are then reviewed and updated as needed using input from various sources.
Currency Hedging	Returns hedged to various non-CNY currencies are published for the China Aggregate Index. Bloomberg Barclays' FX hedging methodology takes rolling one-month forward contracts that are reset at the end of each month and hedges each non-reporting currency denominated bond in the index into the reporting currency terms. No adjustment is made to the hedge during the month to account for price movements of constituent securities in the returns universe of the index.

Pricing and Related Issues

Calendar

The China Aggregate Index follows the China bond market holiday schedule.

Monthly Returns in CNY Unhedged, 2004-2017 (%)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2004	-0.68	-0.14	0.11	-3.32	0.67	0.40	0.71	-0.21	1.23	-0.04	0.15	0.83	-0.37
2005	0.98	0.57	1.45	0.88	0.54	1.65	1.09	1.23	0.70	0.34	-0.65	0.55	9.75
2006	1.42	0.21	0.12	-0.06	0.27	-0.51	0.01	0.43	0.91	0.37	0.04	0.03	3.27
2007	0.20	0.24	-0.34	-0.06	-0.82	-1.01	0.27	0.35	-0.05	0.04	-0.27	0.67	-0.79
2008	0.49	0.54	0.49	0.42	0.31	0.24	0.21	0.58	1.27	1.96	1.29	1.15	9.29
2009	0.06	0.41	0.38	0.17	0.45	0.04	-0.47	0.26	0.17	0.04	0.22	0.14	1.90
2010	0.35	0.57	0.71	0.55	0.66	0.25	0.51	0.37	0.17	-0.35	-1.22	0.13	2.71
2011	0.12	0.16	0.30	0.33	0.31	-0.15	-0.13	0.07	0.42	0.83	0.98	0.99	4.30
2012	0.63	0.15	0.30	0.27	1.09	0.49	0.53	0.03	-0.08	0.04	0.31	0.20	4.03
2013	0.36	0.25	0.44	0.84	0.43	-0.32	-0.35	-1.10	-0.02	-0.71	-1.04	-0.32	-1.54
2014	0.88	1.50	-0.11	0.99	1.80	0.66	-0.51	0.75	1.32	1.95	1.75	-0.69	10.72
2015	1.18	0.99	-1.26	1.34	0.53	0.43	0.91	0.67	0.59	1.25	0.15	1.73	8.80
2016	0.25	0.33	0.69	-0.71	0.38	0.93	0.90	0.63	0.44	0.57	-0.82	-2.07	1.48
2017	0.07	-0.43	0.06	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.30

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Sub-Index type

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CHINAAGG	China Aggregate	I32441US	China Treasury and Policy Banks Index 1-10 Year
CHINATPB	China Treasury + Policy Bank	I08279US	China Aggregate 1-3 Year
I32562US	China Treasury + Policy Bank 1-3 Year	I08280US	China Aggregate 3-5 Year
I32563US	China Treasury + Policy Bank 3-5 Year	I08281US	China Aggregate 5-7 Year
I32564US	China Treasury + Policy Bank 1-5 Year	I08282US	China Aggregate 7-10 Year
I32565US	China Treasury + Policy Bank 5-10 Year	CHINAT	China Treasury
I32566US	China Treasury + Policy Bank 10+ Year		

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