

Monthly Rebalancing Announced for the S&P/NZX New ZEALAND Fixed Interest Index Series

WELLINGTON, April 28, 2021: S&P Dow Jones Indices announced today the May 2021 rebalancing results for the S&P/NZX New Zealand Fixed Interest Index Series.

The S&P/NZX New Zealand Fixed Interest Index Series is a broad benchmark index family designed to measure the performance of the New Zealand bond market, while meeting certain investability criteria.

In July 2015, pursuant to an agreement between S&P Dow Jones Indices and NZX Limited, the existing suite of NZX Indices was co-branded and S&P Dow Jones Indices assumed responsibility for calculating, maintaining and licensing the indices. NZX continues to distribute and license the real-time and delayed index values via its data feed product. The S&P/NZX index series, covering equity and fixed interest, are transparent, easy to replicate, and serve as the basis for index products and trading tools.

S&P/NZX New Zealand Fixed Interest Index Series

The additions and deletions to the index series resulting from each month-end rebalancing are shown in Exhibit 3. Final changes resulting from the rebalance are published one (1) business day prior to the last business day of each month.

Changes become effective after the close on the last business day of each month.

Highlights

Exhibit 1: Pro-Forma Modified Duration Changes			
Index	Current Modified Duration	New Month Modified Duration	Change
S&P/NZX NZ Government Bond Index	5.48	5.48	0.00
S&P/NZX NZ Inflation-Indexed Government Bond Index	10.16	10.16	0.00
S&P/NZX A-Grade Corporate Bond Index	3.73	3.83	0.10
S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	3.71	3.81	0.10
S&P/NZX Local Authority Bond Index	4.61	4.63	0.02
S&P/NZX Kauri Bond Index	2.95	2.99	0.04
S&P/NZX Composite Kauri Bond Index	4.85	4.87	0.02
S&P/NZX Composite A-Grade Bond Index	4.90	4.93	0.03
S&P/NZX Composite Investment Grade Bond Index	4.84	4.88	0.04

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC.

Exhibit 2: Changes in Yield-to-Maturity

Index	Current Yield-to-Maturity	New Yield-to-Maturity	Change
S&P/NZX NZ Government Bond Index	0.96	0.96	0.00
S&P/NZX NZ Inflation-Indexed Government Bond Index	1.47	1.47	0.00
S&P/NZX A-Grade Corporate Bond Index	1.09	1.11	0.02
S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	1.15	1.18	0.03
S&P/NZX Local Authority Bond Index	1.16	1.17	0.01
S&P/NZX Kauri Bond Index	0.82	0.83	0.01
S&P/NZX Composite Kauri Bond Index	0.93	0.93	0.00
S&P/NZX Composite A-Grade Bond Index	1.00	1.01	0.01
S&P/NZX Composite Investment Grade Bond Index	1.03	1.04	0.01

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC.

Exhibit 3: Index Constituent Changes

Index Code	Index Name	Issuer	Description	Change Type	Par Amount (NZD)
SPBNCAT	S&P/NZX A-Grade Corporate Bond Index	TRANSPOWER NEW ZEALAND LTD	TRPWR 1.520 04/08/26	ADD	150,000,000
SPBNCAT	S&P/NZX A-Grade Corporate Bond Index	DUNEDIN CITY TREASURY LTD	DDINC 1.930 04/18/28 MTN	ADD	110,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	VECTOR LTD	VCT 3.450 05/27/25	ADD	250,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	DUNEDIN CITY TREASURY LTD	DDINC 1.930 04/18/28 MTN	ADD	110,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	TRANSPOWER NEW ZEALAND LTD	TRPWR 1.520 04/08/26	ADD	150,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	VECTOR LTD	VCT 1.575 10/06/26	ADD	170,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	MERCURY NZ LTD	MCY 2.160 09/29/26	ADD	200,000,000
SPBNKAT	S&P/NZX Kauri Bond Index	INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK	IADB 3.500 05/15/21 MTN	ADD	300,000,000
SPBNCAT	S&P/NZX A-Grade Corporate Bond Index	WESTPAC NEW ZEALAND LTD	WBC 3.795 04/28/21 MTN	DROP	700,000,000
SPBNCIT	S&P/NZX Investment Grade Corporate Bond Index	WESTPAC NEW ZEALAND LTD	WBC 3.795 04/28/21 MTN	DROP	700,000,000
SPBNKAT	S&P/NZX Kauri Bond Index	ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK	ADB 2.875 04/28/21 MTN	DROP	600,000,000

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC.

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