

LEVERAGED FINANCE MONTHLY

FEBRUARY 2025

This report reviews the latest trends in the loan environment, covering the relationship between loan volume, leverage multiples and relevant macroeconomic indicators and benchmarks impacting the credit markets. It also includes a statistical update, providing a snapshot of activity across the leveraged finance space.

| | FEBRUARY '25 | JANUARY '25 | DECEMBER '24 | NOVEMBER '24 | OCTOBER '24 | FEBRUARY '24 |
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| es — | | | | | | |
| 10-Year Treasury | 4.24% | 4.58% | 4.58% | 4.18% | 4.28% | 4.25% |
| 10-Year vs. 2-Year Spread (basis points) | 25 | 36 | 33 | 5 | 15 | (39) |
| Secured Overnight Financing Rate (30 Day Average) | 4.35% | 4.32% | 4.53% | 4.67% | 4.85% | 5.32% |
| DJIA | 43,841 | 44,545 | 42,544 | 44,911 | 41,763 | 38,996 |
| S&P 500 | 5,955 | 6,041 | 5,882 | 6,032 | 5,705 | 5,096 |
| NASDAQ | 18,847 | 19,627 | 19,311 | 19,218 | 18,095 | 16,092 |
| iShares HY Corporate Bond Fund (ARCX: HYG) | 80 | 80 | 79 | 80 | 79 | 77 |
| iShares Barclays Aggregate Bond Index (ARCX: AGG) | 99 | 97 | 97 | 99 | 98 | 97 |
| nodities | | | | | | |
| Crude Oil (\$ / bbl) | \$69.76 | \$72.53 | \$71.72 | \$68.00 | \$69.26 | \$78.26 |
| Natural Gas (\$ / MMCF) | \$3.90 | \$3.04 | \$3.10 | \$3.36 | \$2.97 | \$1.86 |
| Gold (\$ / oz.) | \$2,849 | \$2,835 | \$2,641 | \$2,681 | \$2,749 | \$2,055 |
| ncies | | | | | | |
| GBP in USD | \$1.26 | \$1.24 | \$1.25 | \$1.27 | \$1.29 | \$1.26 |
| EUR in USD | \$1.04 | \$1.04 | \$1.04 | \$1.06 | \$1.09 | \$1.08 |
| USD in JYP | ¥150.30 | ¥154.92 | ¥157.22 | ¥150.50 | ¥152.41 | ¥149.84 |
| USD in CNY | ¥7.28 | ¥7.25 | ¥7.30 | ¥7.24 | ¥7.12 | ¥7.19 |
| Issue Loan Pricing | | | | | | |
| Total Spread (basis points) | 398 | 393 | 398 | 400 | 415 | 444 |
| YTM | 8.41% | 8.37% | 8.55% | 8.73% | 9.09% | 9.93% |

(1) "Large Corporate" defined as syndicated loans in companies with >\$50 million of pro forma adjusted EBITDA

Sources: LevFin Insights, U.S. Census Bureau, St. Louis Fed, U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Freddie Mac



LEVERAGED FINANCE GROWTH & ECONOMIC TRENDS

Stock Market Indices



Sovereign Debt Yields



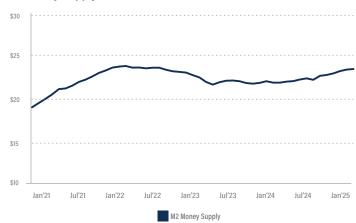
Consumer Confidence Index and % Change in DPI



Commodities Prices



M2 Money Supply (\$ in trillions)



Default Rates of Leveraged Loans (1)



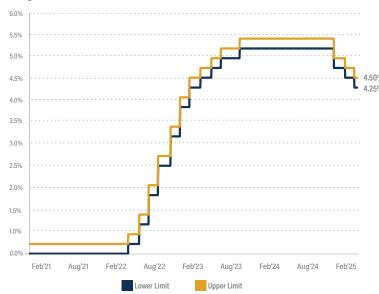
(1) Default rates based on issuances of institutional debt only

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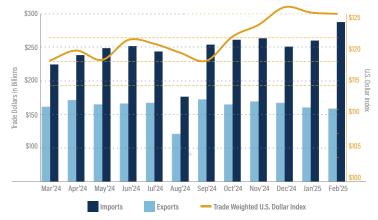


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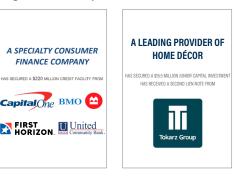
Target Fed Funds Rate



U.S. Trade Deficit & Dollar Index



Selected TM Capital Leveraged Finance Experience



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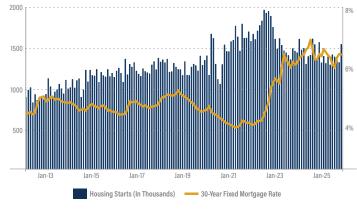
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Average Debt Multiples - Large Corporate (% of Cap Structure)



Housing Starts & Mortgage Rates



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