

Finnish central government borrowing

June 2021



AA+ AA+

Credit ratings

The government has solicited credit ratings from two credit rating agencies: S&P Global Ratings and Fitch Ratings.

For long-term debt, they are

AA+ and AA+

(stable, stable)





Finnish economy



Growth will accelerate towards the end of 2021

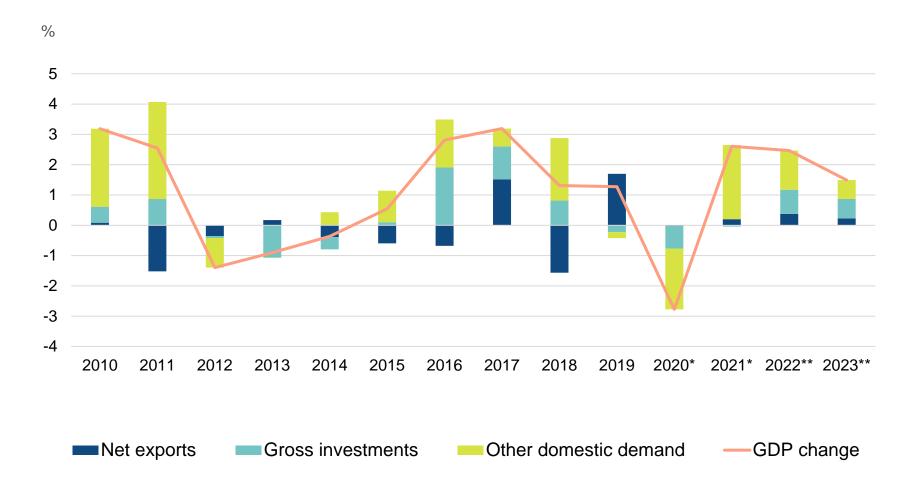
- Growth will be substantially above average towards the end of the year as the pandemic is losing force
- The global stimulus measures will support Finland's foreign trade
- Signs of recovery in machinery and equipment investments
- General government deficit will persist in the coming years

	2020	2021	2022	2023
GDP change %	-2.8	2.6	2.5	1.5
Inflation, %	0.3	1.4	1.5	1.7
Current account, %/GDP	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.5
Private investment change, %	-4.6	-1.0	4.8	4.2
Exports change %	-6.6	4.6	4.7	3.7
Unemployment rate, %	7.8	7.8	7.2	6.9
Public deficit, %/GDP	-5.4	-4.7	-2.9	-2.2
Public debt, %/GDP	69.2	71.6	72.4	73.9

Source: Ministry of Finance, Spring 2021



Exports recovering but contribution to growth remains moderate





A moderate rise in consumer prices is expected

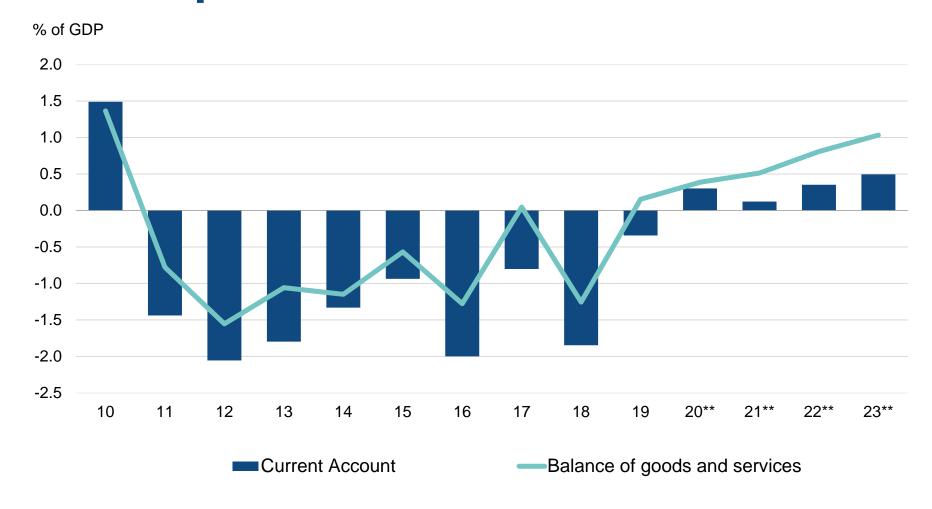
change from previous year, %



Source: Macrobond



Current account in surplus at the end of the outlook period

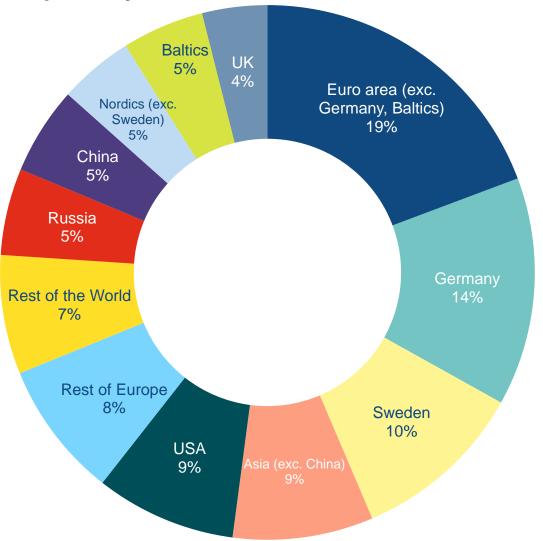




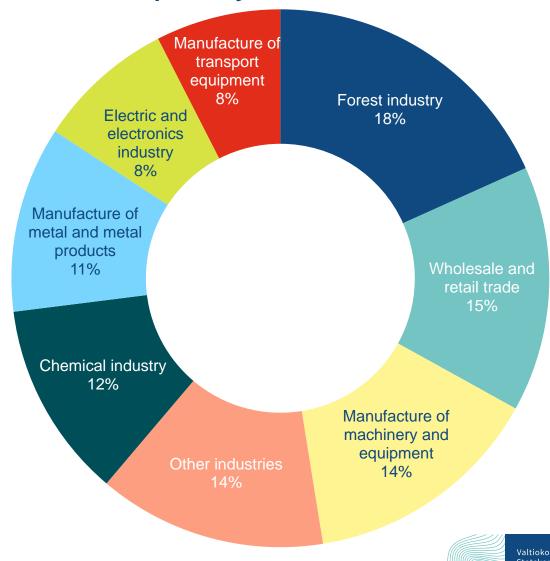
State Treasury

Exports of goods well diversified

Exports by countries of destination in 2020

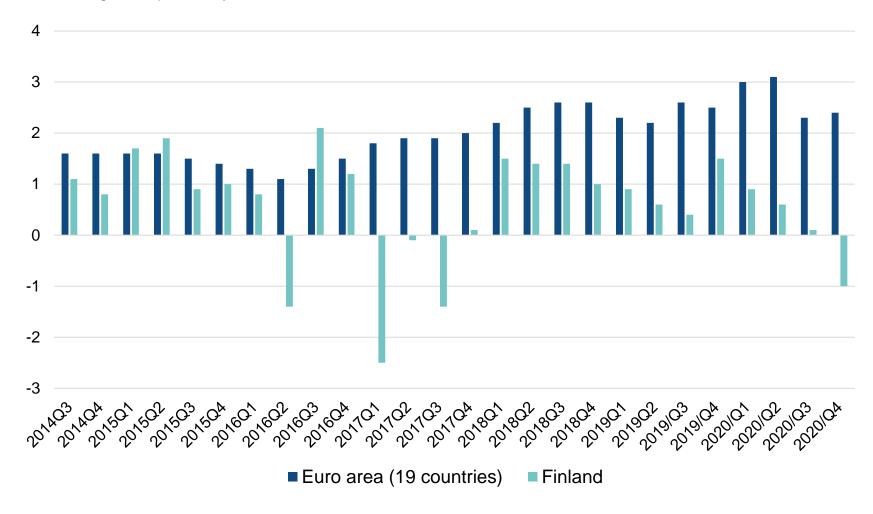


Exports by industries 2020



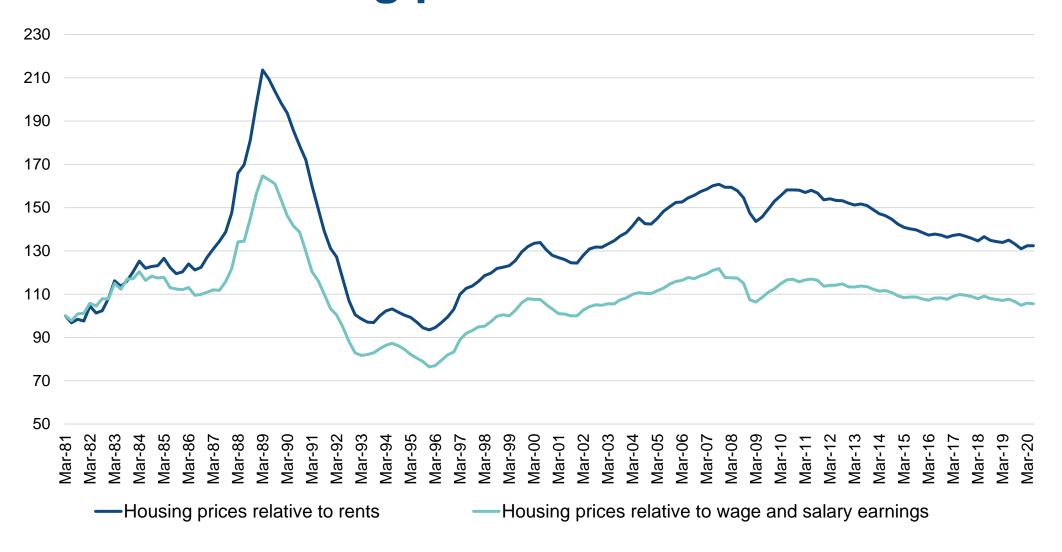
Labour costs competitiveness improved

Hourly labour cost % change from previous year





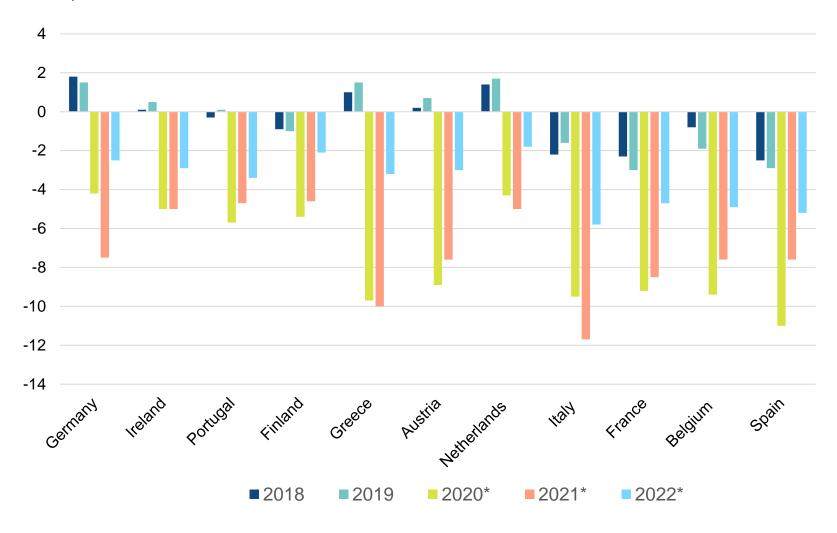
Relative housing prices in Finland





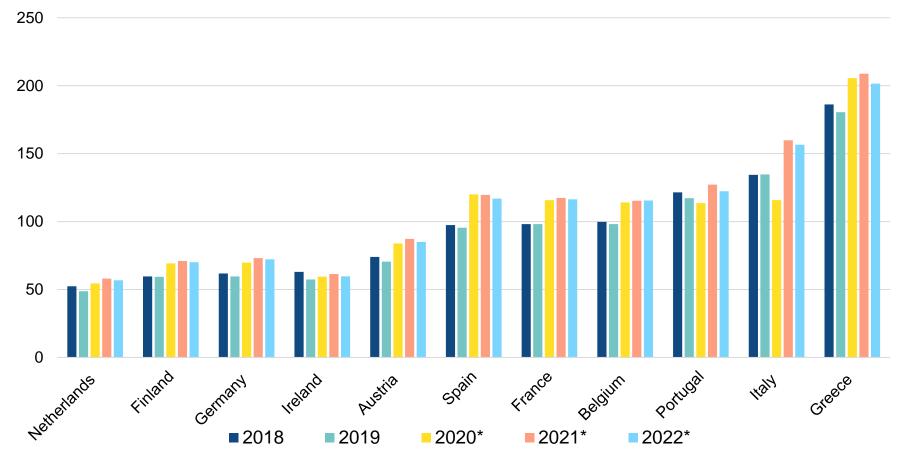
EMU general government financial balance

in ratio to GDP, %



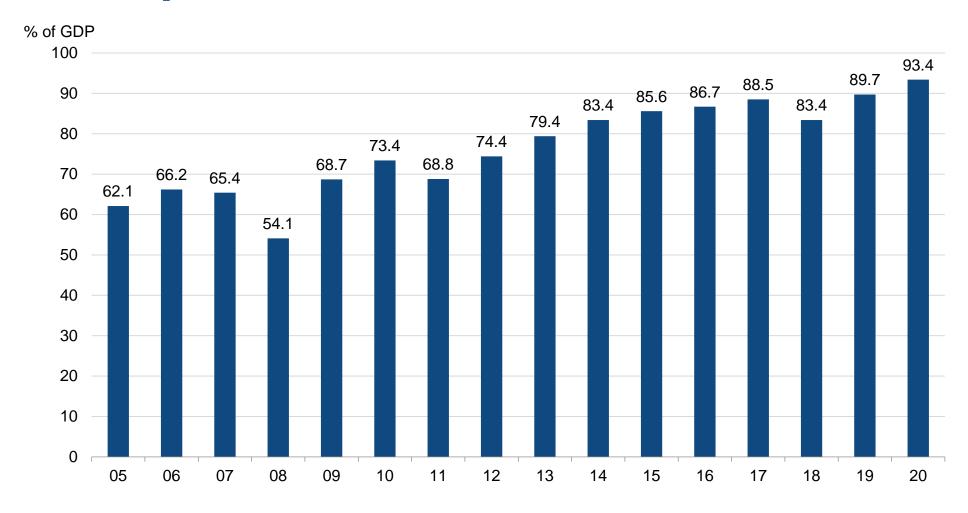
The public debt-to-GDP ratio in Finland is one of the lowest in the euro area

EMU general government gross debt, % of GDP





Earnings-related pension assets including public sector pension assets

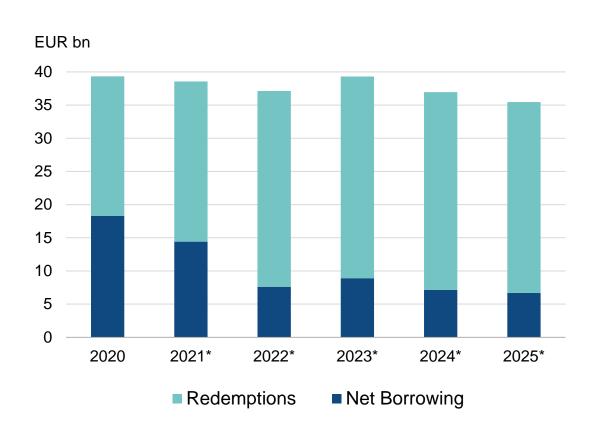


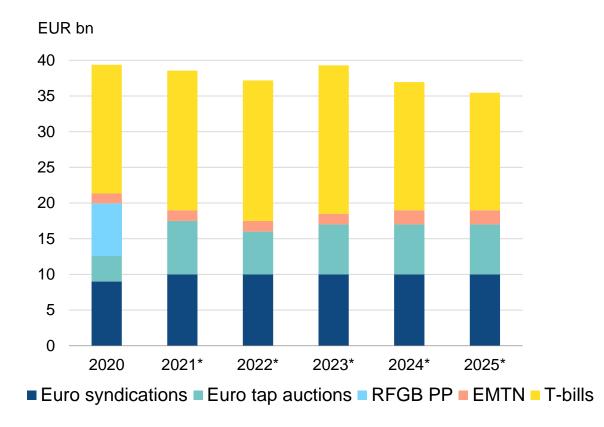


2 Funding



Central government gross borrowing estimate and projected funding instrument allocation





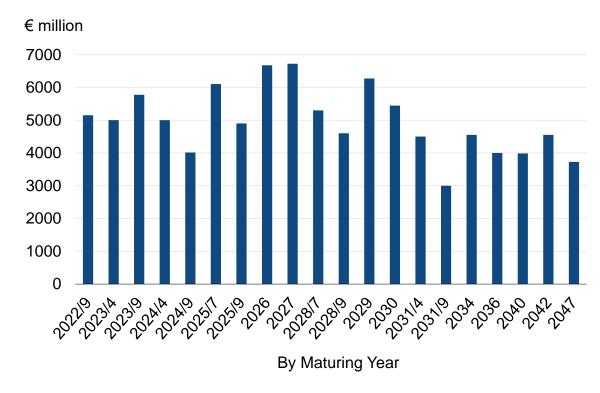


Funding strategy

"Maintaining a globally diversified investor base by geography and investor type"

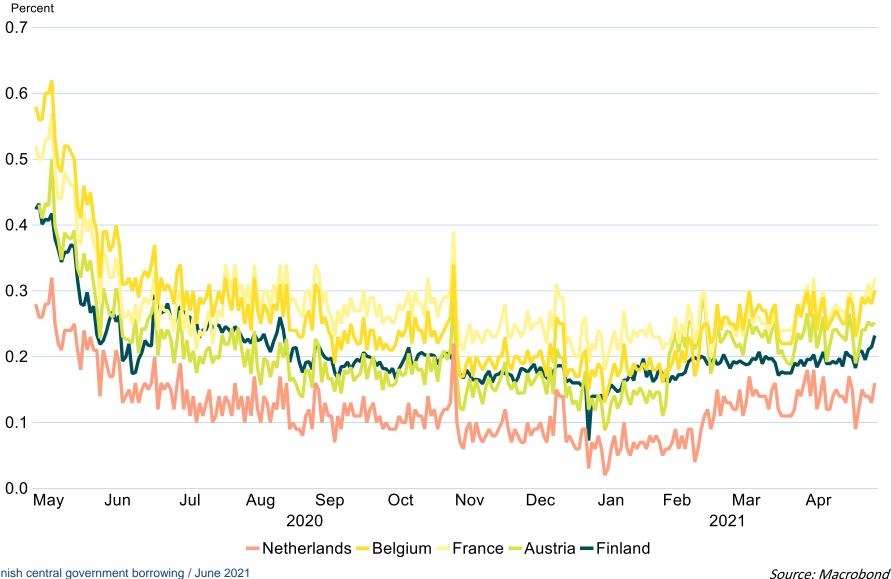
- Euro benchmark bond curve to 30 years
- Three syndicated euro benchmark bonds per year complemented by tap auctions
- Liquidity in focus Primary Dealers and
 3 inter-dealer platforms (MTS, BrokerTec, BGC
 E-Speed)
- EMTN issuance complements euro benchmark bonds

Benchmark bonds outstanding

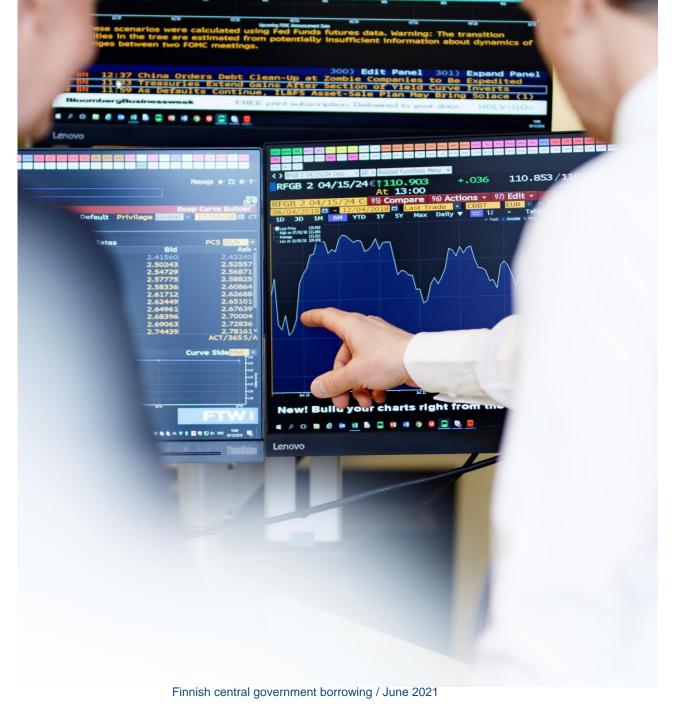




10-year government bond yield spreads to Germany







Primary Dealers 2021

BofA Securities

Barclays

BNP Paribas

Citi

Crédit Agricole

Danske Bank

Deutsche Bank

Goldman Sachs

HSBC

J.P. Morgan

NatWest Markets

Nomura

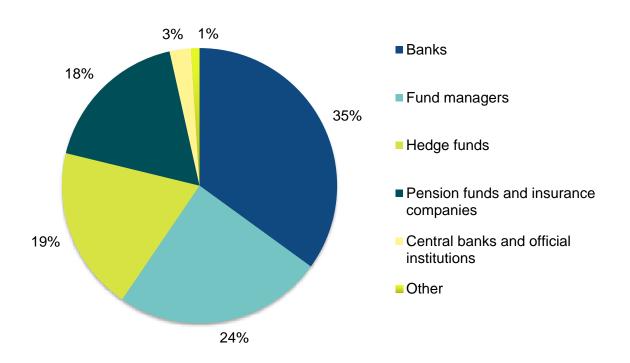
Nordea

Société Générale

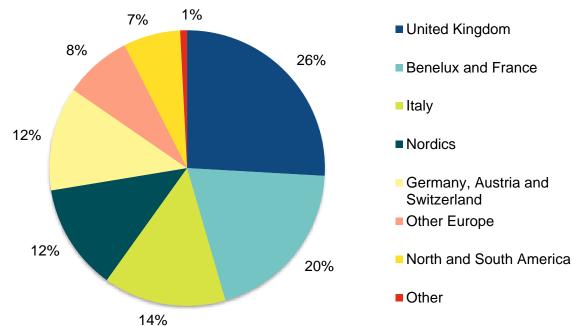
Investor base for RFGB 0.125% EUR 3bn April 2052

- Launched in February 2021
- Allocated to over 130 investors

Distribution of the bond by investor type



Distribution of the bond by region

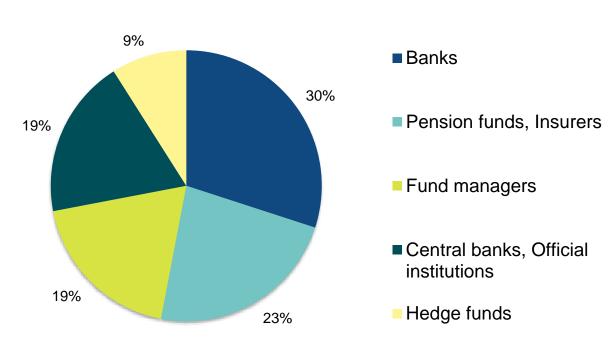




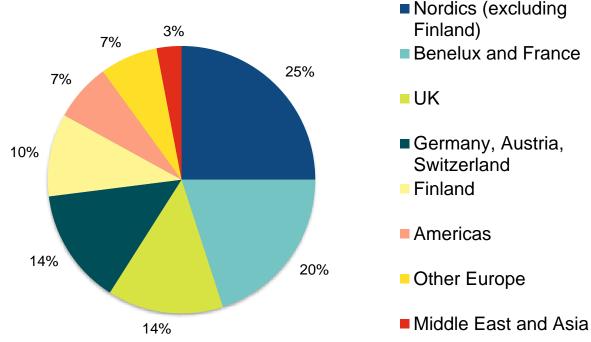
Investor base for RFGB 0.125% EUR 3bn due September 2031

- Launched in May 2021
- Allocated to over 110 investors

Distribution of the bond by investor type



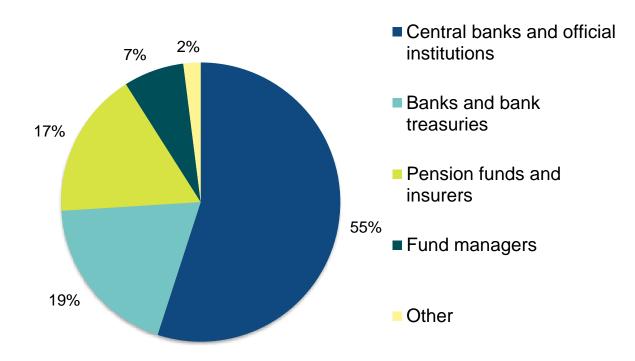
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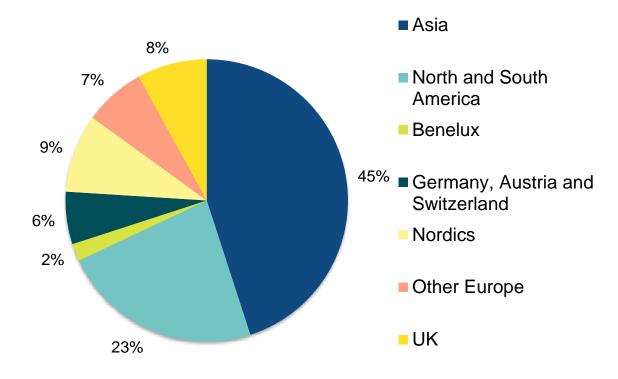




Investor base for FINL 0.875% USD 1.5 bn due 2030

- Launched in May 2020
- Allocated to 87 investors







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