

FIXED INCOME MONEY MARKET AND DERIVATIVES ASSOCIATION OF INDIA

Self-Regulatory Organisation (SRO) in Financial Markets Regulated by RBI



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All Members / Stakeholders,

Background:

The Reserve Bank of India, Notification No. [FMRD.DIRD.07/14.03.046/2025-26](#) dated December 08, 2025 (Master Direction – Reserve Bank of India (Rupee Interest Rate Derivatives) Directions, 2025), provide as under:

Quote:

Para 2.1 (vii):

‘Foreign Currency Settled Interest Rate Derivative (FCS-IRD)’ means a Rupee interest rate derivative contract whose settlement currency is a currency other than the Indian Rupee (INR).

Para 5.3 (iii)

A bank having an Authorised Dealer Category-I (AD Cat-I) license under FEMA, 1999, and an SPD authorized under section 10(1) of FEMA, 1999, may offer FCS-IRD contracts to non-residents. These market-makers may also undertake transactions in FCS-IRD among themselves.

Para 5.6 (v)

Settlement basis and other market conventions for IRD transactions may be specified by FIMMDA, where possible, in consultation with market participants.

Unquote:

Current Proposal:

It is observed that under the permitted category of FCS-IRD products, market players are actively trading Foreign Currency Settled-Overnight Indexed Swap (FCS_OIS).

FIMMDA had constituted a Sub-Group comprising of Market Participants to propose Settlement Basis and other standard market conventions applicable for **Foreign Currency Settled-Overnight Indexed Swap (FCS_OIS)** as per RBI directions cited above. The Sub-Group has submitted their recommendations on standard market conventions applicable in respect of FCS-OIS.

The proposed standard market conventions applicable in respect of FCS-OIS are placed at **Annexure**

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Market Consultation:

FIMMDA invites comments from all members, market participants, and other interested stakeholders on the proposed **Standard Market Conventions for FCS-OIS**. Comments, suggestions or observations, if any, may be sent by e-mail to fimmda@fimmda.org latest by **July 29, 2026**.

The proposed Standard Market Conventions for FCS-OIS can also be accessed on FIMMDA website.

Members / Stakeholders are advised to note the contents as above.

Sd/-

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Chief Executive Officer

Foreign Currency Settled Overnight Indexed Swaps (FCS-OIS)
Standard Market Conventions

These Standard Market Conventions shall apply to **Foreign Currency Settled Overnight Indexed Swaps (FCS-OIS)**.

Foreign Currency Settled Overnight Indexed Swaps (FCS-OIS are Rupee Interest Rate Derivative contracts, whose settlement currency is a currency other than the Indian Rupee (INR), as defined under the Reserve Bank of India (Rupee Interest Rate Derivatives) Directions, 2025, as amended from time to time.

Standard Terms for FCS-OIS:

Parameter	Standard Market Convention
Product	Foreign Currency Settled Overnight Indexed Swap (FCS-OIS)
Settlement Frequency (Tenor <= 1y)	Annual
Settlement Frequency (Tenor > 1y)	Semi-annual
Effective Date	T + 1
FX Settlement Fixing Lag	2 Business Day(s)
FX Fixing Calendar	Mumbai
Fixed Leg Day Count Convention	Actual/365 (Fixed)
Floating Leg Day Count Convention	Actual/365 (Fixed)
Business Day Convention	Modified Following
Adjustment	Accrual Period and Payment Dates
Payment Calendar	New York and Mumbai (unless otherwise agreed)
Payment Delay	Not Applicable
Floating Rate Index	FBIL MIBOR OIS Compound
Floating Rate Reset Frequency	Daily
Floating Rate Fixing Calendar	Mumbai
Floating Rate Compounding	Yes
Reset Fixing Lag	0 Business Day
Rate Cutoff	1 Business Day
Trading Hours	Transactions may be undertaken beyond the prescribed onshore market hours, subject to applicable RBI directions.
Documentation	Standard ISDA Document
Valuation	As per Banks internal policy Compliant with Regulatory Guidelines

Reporting	All Trades to be reported to CCIL Trade Repository as per extant RBI Guidelines
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The above conventions represent the **standard market conventions** recommended by FIMMDA.
Note: Counterparties may mutually agree to customise the commercial terms of an FCS-OIS transaction, provided such customisation is consistent with the applicable regulatory framework and documented under the relevant bilateral agreement / deal confirmations. A standard term sheet (sample) is appended.

Standardized Document / Term Sheet for FCS – OIS (5 year) (Sample)

FIXED AMOUNT			
Fixed Amount Payer:	Party A		
Notional Amount:	INR 100 cr		
Payment Frequency:	Semi-Annually		
Effective Date:	T+1	Effective Date Adjustment:	None
Termination Date:	5yrs	Termination Date Adjustment:	Modified Following
		Termination Date Business Calendar:	Mumbai, New York (or as specified as per settlement currency)
Fixed Rate:	6.74500000%		
Fixed Rate Day Count Fraction:	ACT/365.FIXED		
Calculation Period End Dates/Payment Dates Adjustment:	Modified Following		
Calendar	Mumbai, New York (or as specified as per settlement currency)		

FLOATING AMOUNT			
Floating Amount Payer:	Party B		
Notional Amount:	INR 100 crs		
Payment Frequency:	Semi-Annually		
Effective Date:	T+1	Effective Date Adjustment:	None
Termination Date:	5y	Termination Date Adjustment:	Modified Following

		Termination Date Business Calendar	Mumbai, New York (or as specified as per settlement currency)
Reset Frequency:	Daily		
Floating Rate Index:	INR-FBIL-MIBOR-OIS-COMPOUND		
Spread:	None		
Floating Rate Day Count Fraction:	ACT/365.FIXED		
Calculation Period End Dates/Payment Dates Adjustment:	Modified Following		
Calendar	Mumbai, New York (or as specified as per settlement currency)		
Fixing Dates:	0 Mumbai Business Day prior to each Business Date		

NON-DELIVERABLE SETTLEMENT:	
Settlement Rate:	FBIL Reference Rate
Reference Currency:	INR
Settlement Currency:	USD (or any other FCY)

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