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CFIF GoC Bond Liquidity Update

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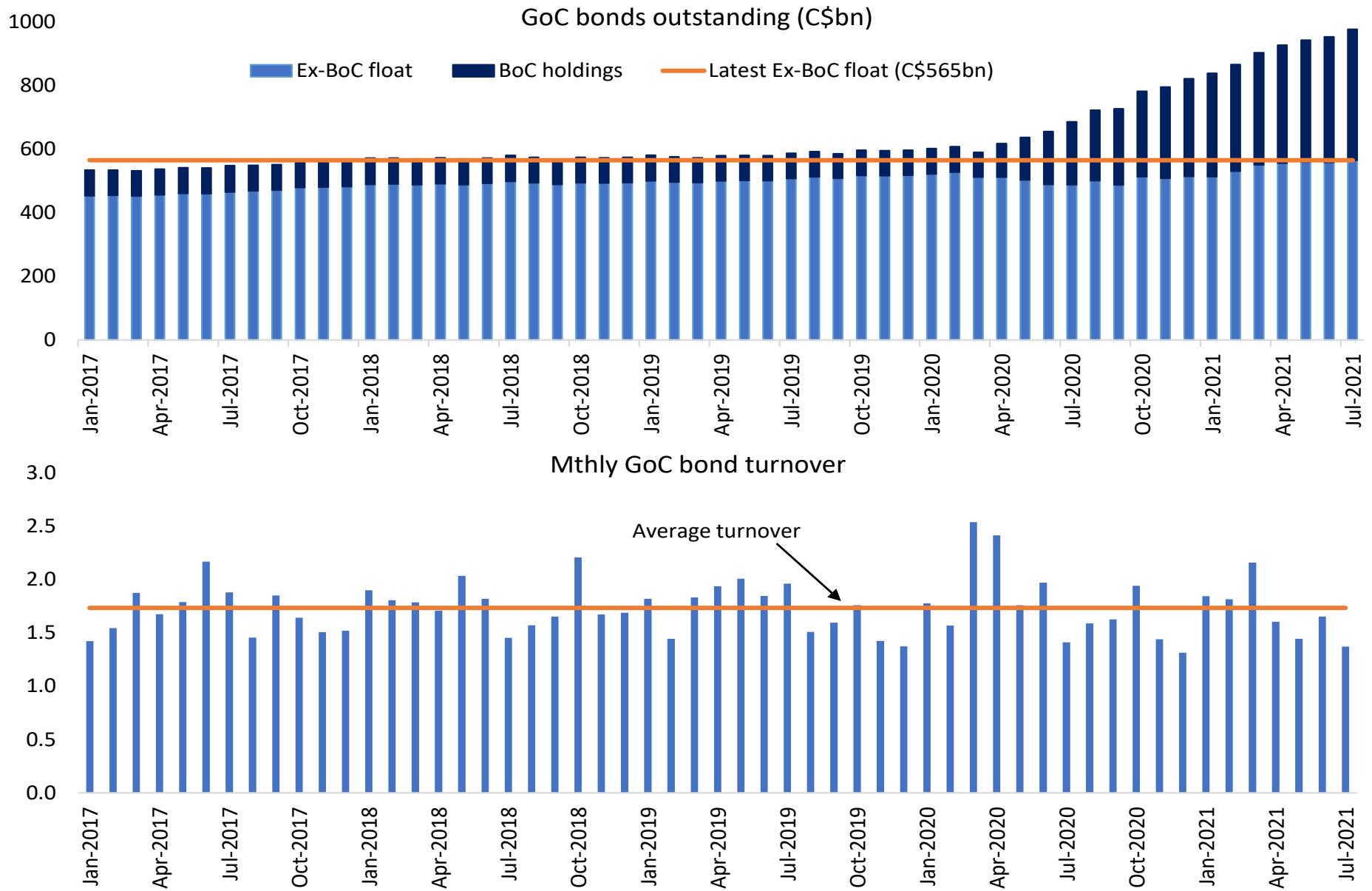
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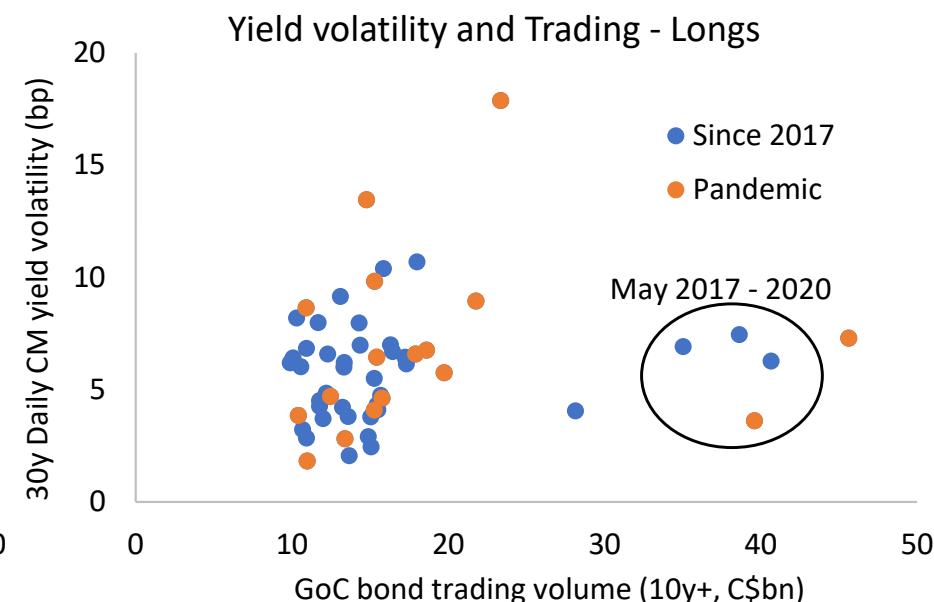
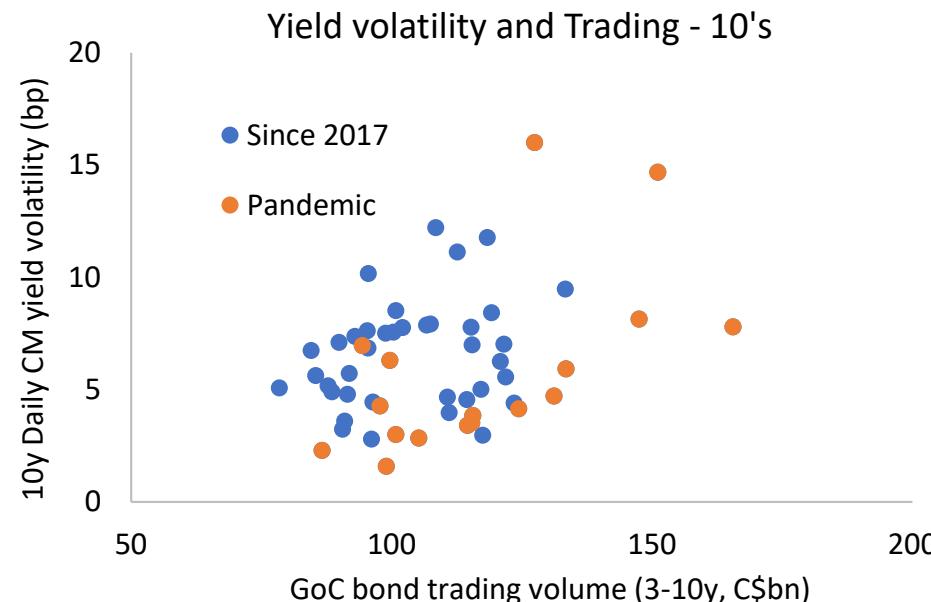
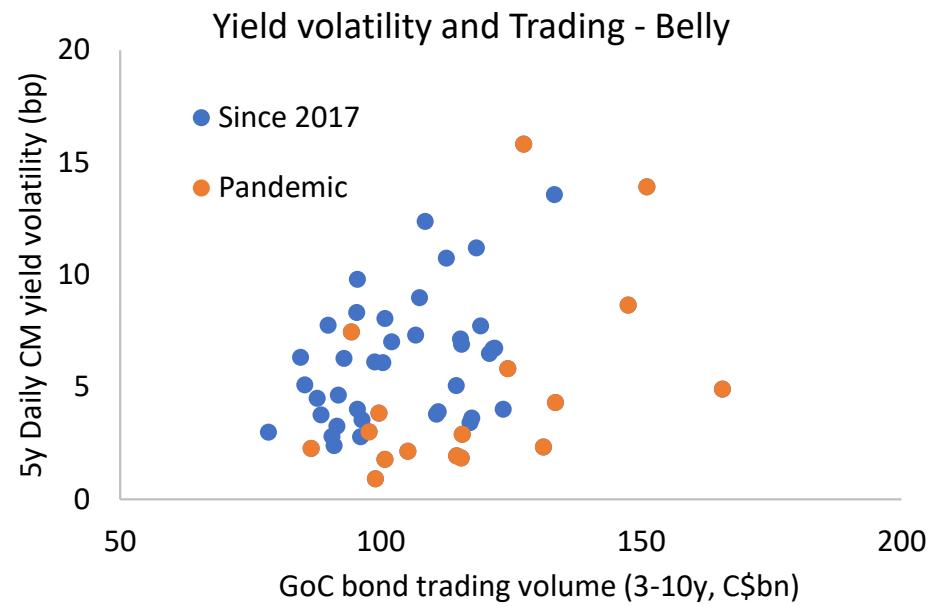
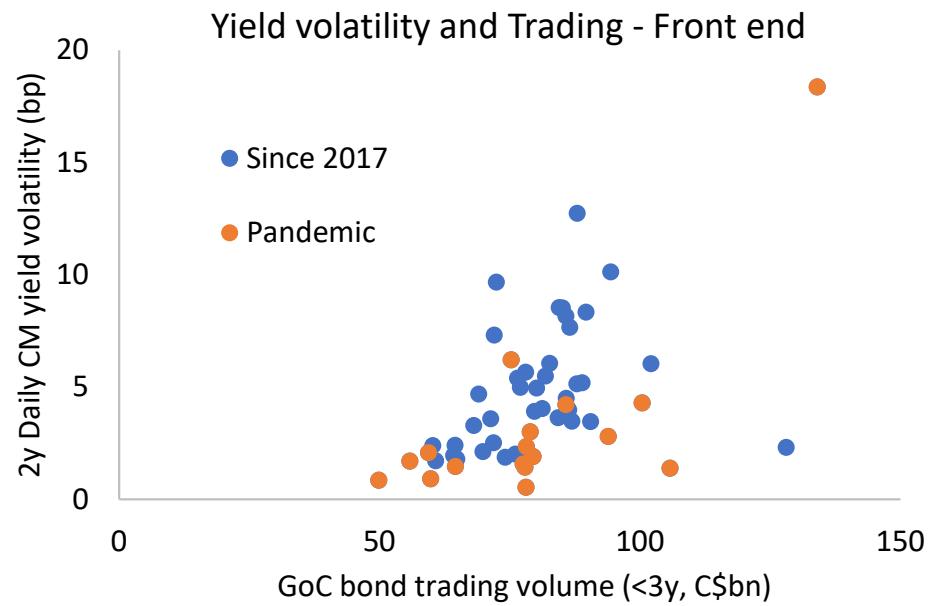
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Move higher in GoC bond float much less than gross issuance; Turnover data close to pre-pandemic



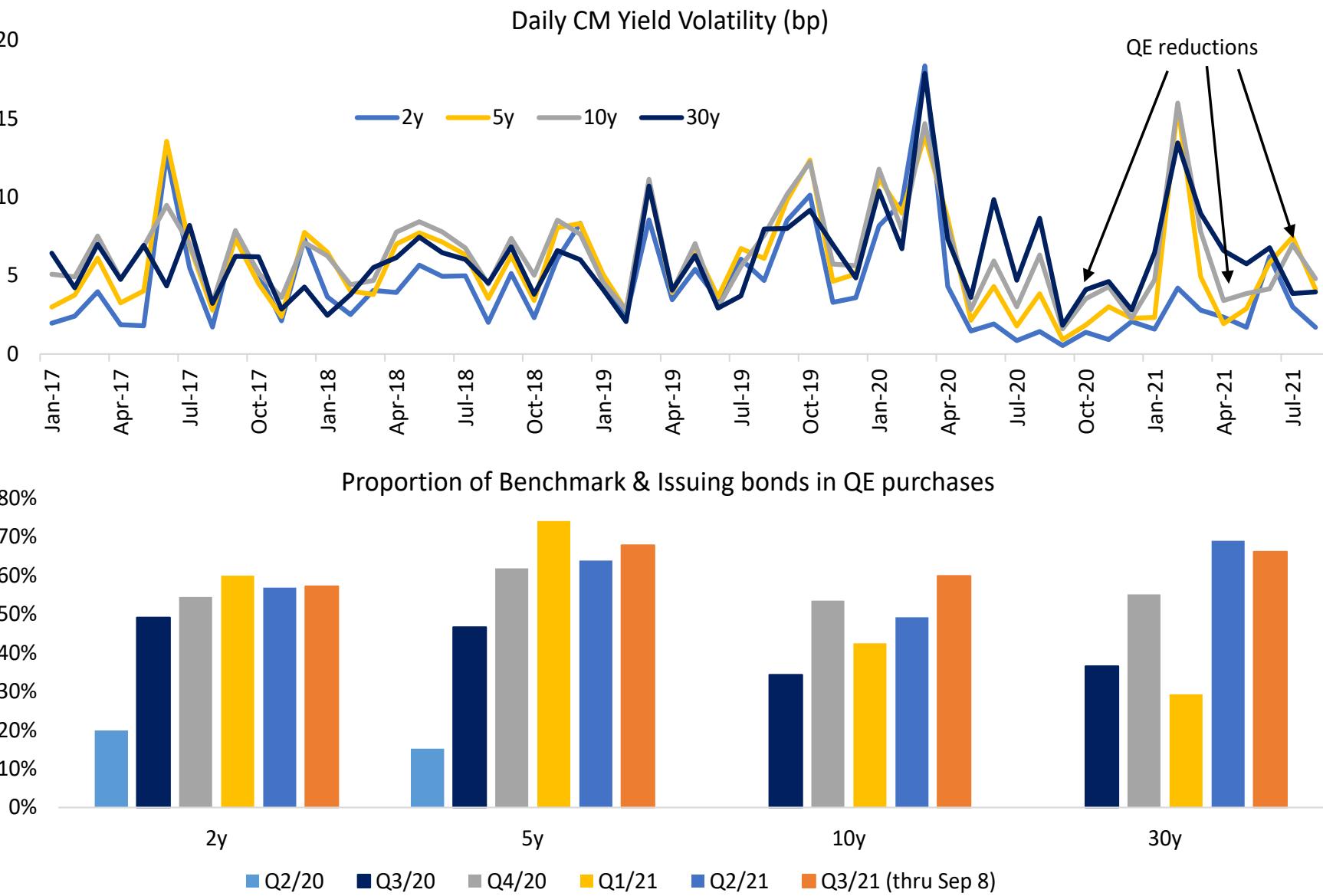
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Yield volatility has fallen after early pandemic increase; Correlated with lower trading volumes



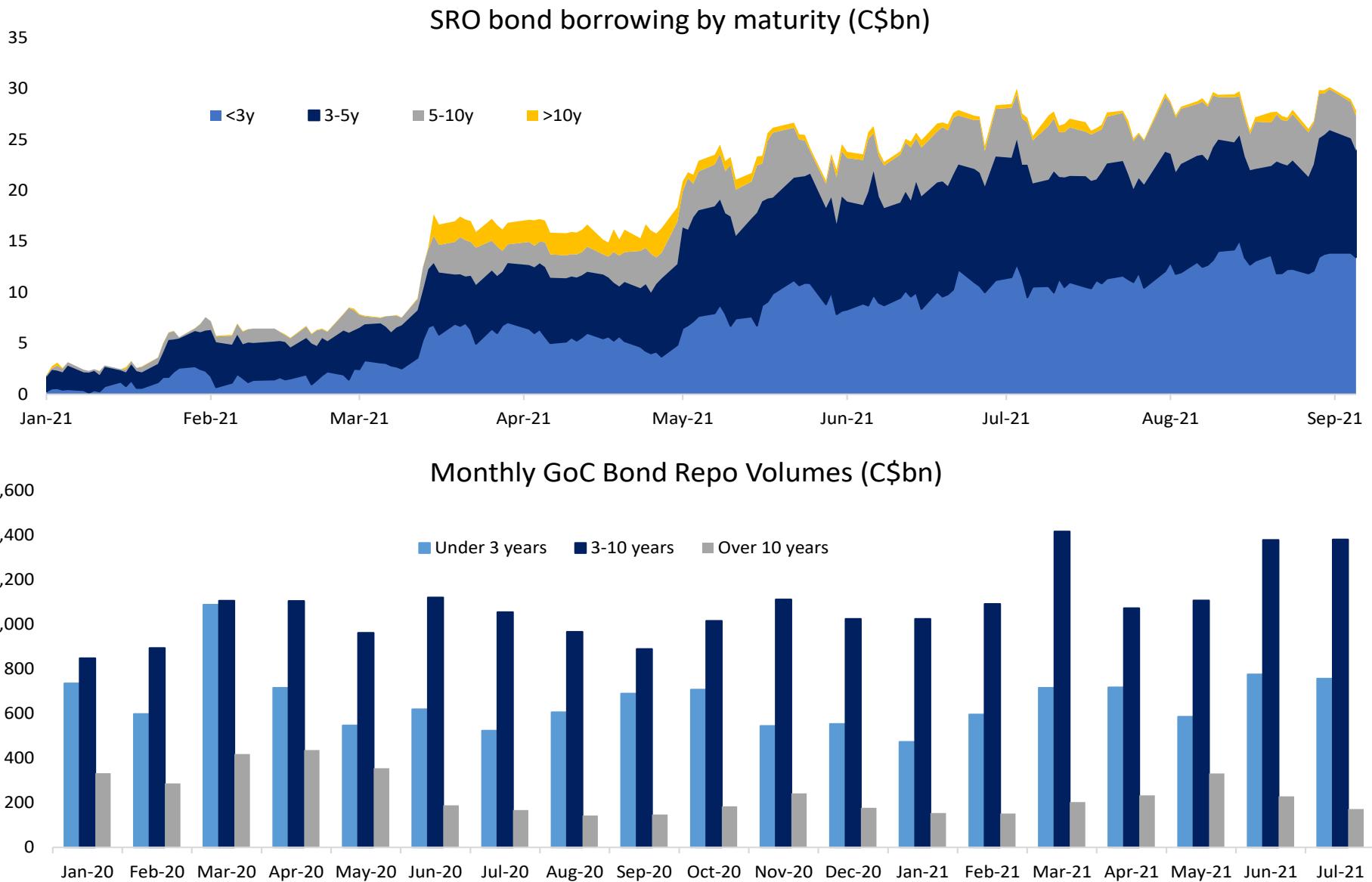
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Telegraphed tapers had limited volatility impact; QE purchases shifting to benchmarks, issuing bonds



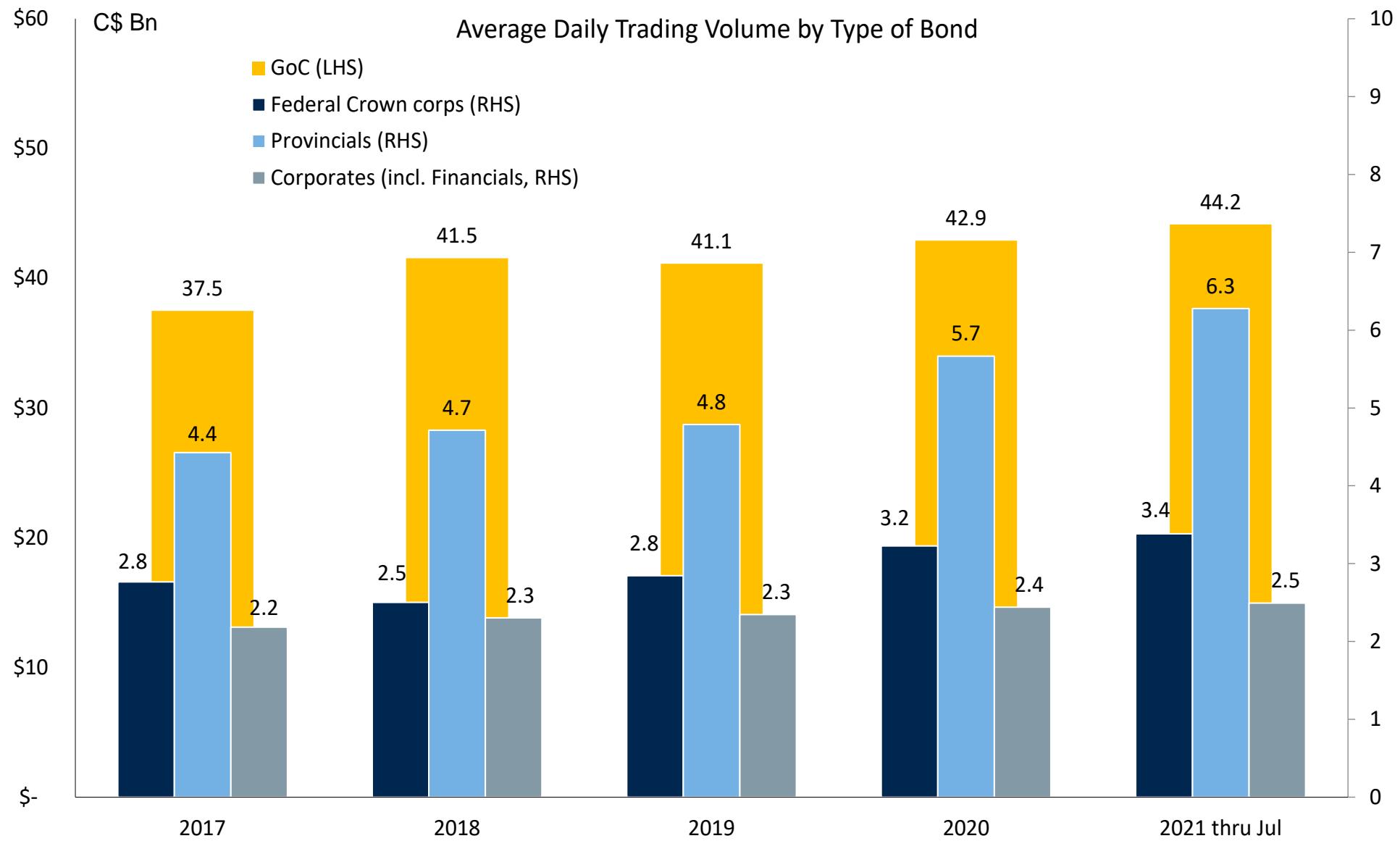
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SROs supporting market liquidity at the front-end and belly as repo activity expands



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Rise in daily trading volumes most pronounced in provincials during the pandemic



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