

## Marlette's MFT 2018-2 prices tight of guidance

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All three tranches of Marlette's MFT 2018-2 consumer loan securitization priced tight of guidance, according to a source familiar with the matter and Finsight.

The deal received strong investor interest, with 3x-5x oversubscription levels across the tranches, the source said.

The deal's USD 216.125m AA (KBRA) rated A notes priced yesterday (8 March) at EDSF+ 55bps to yield 3.079%, while its USD 45.592m A rated B notes priced at S+ 85bps to yield 3.644%. Its USD 48.375m BBB- rated C notes priced at S+ 155bps to yield 4.415%. All notes were guided 5bps-10bps wider of their pricing levels, as reported (see story, 07 May).

Compared to the lender's two previous deals, the MFT 2018-2 deal contained three tranches, instead of four. "The equity holders in this deal preferred a thicker equity tranche," the source said. The deal is set to close next week.

The online lender is looking to introduce new funding structures this year, including pass-through securities, in order to diversify its investor base, as reported (see story, 13 March).

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