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Research Update:

# Hwatai Bank Ltd. Ratings Affirmed At 'twBBB+/twA-2'; Outlook Stable

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# Rationale

Taiwan Ratings Corp. today affirmed its 'twBBB+' long-term and 'twA-2' short-term issuer credit ratings on **Hwatai Bank**. The outlook on the long-term rating is stable. The ratings on Hwatai Bank reflect the bank's adequate capitalization and funding and liquidity profile. The bank's small business scale and below-average asset quality with higher risk appetite, albeit stabilized in recent years, partly offset these strengths.

## Related Criteria & Research

#### **Related Criteria**

- General Criteria: Methodology For Linking Long-Term And Short-Term Ratings April 07, 2017
- General Criteria: Methodology For National And Regional Scale Credit Ratings June 25, 2018
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | General: Risk-Adjusted Capital Framework Methodology July
  20. 2017
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | Banks: Quantitative Metrics For Rating Banks Globally:
  Methodology And Assumptions July 17, 2013
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | Banks: Banks: Rating Methodology And Assumptions -November 09, 2011
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | Banks: Banking Industry Country Risk Assessment Methodology And Assumptions - November 09, 2011
- General Criteria: Principles Of Credit Ratings February 16, 2011

#### Related Research

Taiwan Ratings' Ratings Definitions – August 10, 2020
 (Unless otherwise stated, these articles are published on www.taiwanratings.com)

# **Ratings List**

#### Ratings Affirmed

Hwatai Bank Ltd.	
Issuer Credit Rating	twBBB+/Stable/twA-2

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