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## Research Update:

# Taiwan Shin Kong Commercial Bank Ratings Affirmed At 'twA+/twA-1'; Outlook Negative

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# **Rating Action**

Taiwan Ratings Corp. today affirmed its 'twA+' long-term and 'twA-1' short-term issuer credit ratings on **Taiwan Shin Kong Commercial Bank Co. Ltd.** The outlook on the long-term rating is negative.

The ratings reflect the bank's strong capitalization relative to its risk profile and satisfactory asset quality. Counterbalancing factors include the bank's relatively small scale, lower earnings margin than regional peers, and potential influence from **Shin Kong Financial Holding Co. Ltd.** group given the bank's core group status.

### Related Criteria & Research

### **Related Criteria**

- Criteria | Financial Institutions | General: Risk-Adjusted Capital Framework Methodology
  April 30, 2024
- General Criteria: National And Regional Scale Credit Ratings Methodology June 08, 2023
- General Criteria: Hybrid Capital: Methodology And Assumptions March 02, 2022
- General Criteria: Group Rating Methodology July 01, 2019
- General Criteria: Methodology For Linking Long-Term And Short-Term Ratings April 07, 2017
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | Banks: Banking Industry Country Risk Assessment
  Methodology And Assumptions December 09, 2021
- Criteria | Financial Institutions | General: Financial Institutions Rating Methodology December 09, 2021
- General Criteria: Environmental, Social, And Governance Principles In Credit Ratings -October 10, 2021
- General Criteria: Principles Of Credit Ratings February 16, 2011

### **Related Research**

- Shin Kong Life and Shin Kong FHC Ratings Affirmed...., May 29, 2024
- Taiwan Ratings' Ratings Definitions November 11, 2021

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# **Ratings List**

### **Ratings Affirmed**

Taiwan Shin Kong Commercial Bank	
Issuer Credit Rating	twA+/Negative/twA-1
Unsecured Subordinated Debenture Issue Credit Rating	twA-

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