

Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) announces the following credit rating.

<Asset Securitization Products> MARC Finance Limited Series M849

<Affirmation>

Notes: A+

MARC Finance Limited Series M849 is a credit-linked product, for which JCR has affirmed a rating of A+, as detailed hereunder.

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Rating

<Affirmation>

Instrument Name:	Series M849
Issue Amount (bn):	Y1.0
Subordination Ratio:	-
Maturity Date:	December 22, 2022
Coupon Type:	Fixed
Rating:	A+

<Information on Outline of Issue>

Issue Date:	October 27, 2017
Coupon Payment Dates:	June 22 and December 22
Repayment Method:	Bullet Repayment
Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility:	NA

<Information on Structure and Stakeholders>

SPC:	MARC Finance Limited
Arranger:	BNP Paribas
Swap Counterparty:	BNP Paribas (London Branch)

<Information on Underlying Assets>

Outline of Underlying Assets:	JGBs, CDS Agreement and IRS Agreement
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Rating Assignment Date: December 19, 2017

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Outline of methodology for determination of the credit rating is shown as "Credit-Linked Products" (December 3, 2012) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/>). Rating methodologies for other ancillary points such as eligible deposit accounts and bankruptcy remoteness are also shown within the same page.

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