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Headline: The Return of the Bond Vigilantes or the Start of the 'Roaring 20s'?

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Tweet: .@EtraAlex argues that changes in term premia are dominated by changes in expected short-term rates and oil prices and that news about Treasury borrowing has minimal impact.

Summary: If bond supply was driving changes in term premium (TP)—that is driving changes in long-term yields over and above changes in the expected path of short-term rates—we might expect changes in the residual term to be explained by proxies of bond supply. But an event study which uses intraday price action around QRAs as a proxy for unexpected supply shocks, does not suggest that announcements about Treasury borrowing are having a meaningful impact on our TP proxy. The chart shows the cumulative residual from our TP proxy since October 2022 around QRA announcements and outside them.

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