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Joe Biden vowed to stay in the presidential race

President Biden assured members of Congress that he is fully committed to remaining in the presidential election race. He emphasized having had thorough discussions with Democratic party leaders and elected officials. Additionally, Biden acknowledged he is attentive to people's concerns and stated his confidence in being the most qualified candidate to defeat Trump.

Japan posts current account surplus of \$17.7 billion in May

Japan's current account surplus extended its growth streak to 15 consecutive months in May, driven by a record primary income surplus that outweighed a trade deficit. This reflects a continuing evolution in the country's earnings sources. In May, the current account surplus reached 2.85 trillion yen (\$17.74 billion), surpassing economists' median forecast of 2.45 trillion yen and exceeding the previous month's surplus of 2.05 trillion yen. Returns from overseas securities investments, including higher interest payments due to elevated long-term rates and dividends, were bolstered by a weaker yen. The trade balance shifted to a deficit of 1.1 trillion yen for the second consecutive month, with exports totaling 8.13 trillion yen (up 12.1% from a year ago) and imports rising 9.3% compared to May of the previous year. Japan's current account surplus, once seen as a symbol of export strength and a pillar of confidence in the yen as a safe-haven currency, continues to reflect changing economic dynamics.

China's central bank adopts new tool for liquidity and interest rates.

China's central bank announced on Monday its plan to initiate short-term bond repurchase agreements, known as reverse repos, aimed at enhancing the efficiency of open market operations and ensuring ample liquidity in the banking system. This move is seen by market participants and analysts as laying the groundwork for a new interest rate framework, where the seven-day reverse repo rate will play a pivotal role, providing flexibility for the bank to manage cash conditions and interest rates amidst high demand for bonds. These temporary repos and reverse repos will involve overnight loans and will be implemented based on prevailing market conditions. The interest rates for these transactions will be set at 20 basis points below and 50 basis points above the rate for seven-day reverse repurchase operations, specifically 1.6% and 2.3% respectively.

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The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 2.67, -1.19 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB346A) was 2.67, +0.00 bps. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 4.28, +0.00 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 36.43 moving in a range of 36.395 - 36.47 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 36.35-36.55 today. The dollar was ultimately flat on Monday with a lack of Fed speakers and tier 1 data seeing the DXY trade either side of 105.00. Euro marginally softened with the single currency contained as participants reflected on the French hung parliament. British Pounds saw two-way price action and eventually returned to flat territory against the dollar around a 1.2800 focal point. Japanese yen was choppy which saw USD/JPY trade on both sides of the 161.00 level

Sources: ttb analytics, Bloomberg, CNBC, Trading economics, Investing, CEIC



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Currency Market

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Currency	1M History	Last	%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W	/) %Chg (1M	, 1M Ra	ange
Currency	TWITISTOTY	Lasi	%City (1D)	//Clig (TW	// /a Cing (Tivi	Min	Max
Dollar Index	~	104.92	-0.1%	-1.0%	-0.3%	104.07	106.03
EUR/USD		1.0828	0.1%	1.0%	0.6%	1.0690	1.0902
USD/JPY		160.56	-0.1%	-0.7%	2.3%	155.43	161.63
USD/CHF		0.8946	-0.5%	-1.1%	-0.3%	0.8841	0.9043
GBP/USD		1.2816	0.3%	1.5%	0.8%	1.2629	1.2803
USD/CAD	~	1.3636	0.2%	-0.9%	-1.0%	1.3608	1.3777
AUD/USD		0.6746	0.2%	1.7%	2.5%	0.6583	0.6731
NZD/USD		0.6144	0.4%	1.5%	0.7%	0.6050	0.6205
ASEAN Dollar	~	107.17	-0.3%	-0.4%	0.5%	106.67	107.67
USD/THB		36.43	-0.4%	-1.1%	-1.2%	36.38	36.93
USD/SGD	\sim	1.3481	-0.1%	-0.8%	-0.4%	1.3446	1.3586
USD/MYR		4.7051	0.0%	-0.3%	-0.3%	4.6916	4.7210
USD/IDR	$\overline{}$	16,186	-0.3%	-0.7%	-0.1%	16,149	16,383
USD/PHP	\	58.80	0.0%	-0.4%	-0.6%	58.75	59.15
USD/CNY		7.2760	-0.01%	-0.2%	0.2%	7.2395	7.2894
USD/HKD		7.8069	0.00%	-0.1%	-0.1%	7.7975	7.8156

FX Swap Market and BoT's Reserves

Foreign Fund Flows (THB.mn)

USTH FX Sp	1M History	Last	%Chg(1D)	Date	Equity	Bond	Total
1-month		0.15	0.15	08/07/2024	384	-92	291
3-month	-	0.70	-0.05	05/07/2024	1,688	1,612	3,300
6-month		1.50	-0.20	04/07/2024	-1,369	-911	-2,280
			,	03/07/2024	1,319	-3,588	-2,269
Reserves (\$mn)	3M History	Last	\$mn Chg(1W)	02/07/2024	-2,821	-2,917	-5,738
Total		224,329	-405	Last 5 days	-800	-5,896	-6,696
Golds		17,548	40	Period-to	o-date Equity	Bond	Total
SDR		5,437	0	Periou-io	D-date Equity	Bolla	Total
IMF Reserves		1,116	0	MTD Month	-462	-10,081	-10,543
Foreign Ccy		200,228	-446	QTD Quarter	-462	-10,081	-10,543
Net Fwd Position	Maria Maria	28,315	90	YTD Year	-117,493	-56,067	-173,560
Money Market		Last	update: 28/06/2024				

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THB	1M Hist	Lact	1M R	ange	THBFIX	1M Hist	Last	1M Ra	ange	USD	4M High	Last	1M F	Range
BIBOR 1M Hist Last	Min	Max	IUDLIY	IIVI FIISL	Lasi	Min	Max	LIBOR	1M Hist	Last	Min	Max		
ON	_~~	2.50	0.00	2.50	ON		1.72	1.14	1.72	ON		0.08	0.07	0.08
1W	~	2.52	0.00	2.53	1W		1.61	0.22	1.61	1W		0.00	0.00	0.00
1M	<u></u>	2.55	0.00	2.55	1M		1.59	0.88	1.72	1M	مسسب	0.35	0.12	0.35
2M	<u></u>	2.60	0.00	2.61						2M		0.00	0.00	0.00
3M	~	2.65	0.00	2.65	3M	~	1.81	1.09	1.82	3M	مسسب	0.75	0.34	0.75
6M	$\overline{}$	2.71	0.00	2.73	6M	~	1.95	1.31	1.99	6M	مسس	1.04	0.56	1.04
12M		2.81	0.00	2.84	12M	~	2.26	1.59	2.26	12M	مسسم	1.49	1.00	1.49
							Las	t Updated:	29/06/2023			Las	t Updated:	09/03/2022

Note: D=d=day; M=mth=month; Y=year; %chg = percentage change; chg = change; USTH FX Sp = USD/THB FX Swap point; \$mn=million US dollar; THB.mn= Thai baht million; Hist=history; THB implied = Thai baht rate that are calculated by FX forward rate; ASEAN Index = value average ASEAN FX Jan2008=100

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Fixed income Market	
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Fixed Income	1M History	YTM (%)	Bps Chg (1D	Bps Chg (1W)) Bps Chg (1M)	1M Ra	1M Range		
Fixed income	TWI HISTORY	T 1 W (%)	Bps Clig (1D	bps Clig (Tw	bps chig (TMI)	Min	Max		
UST10y		4.2800	0.00	-20.00	0.00	4.20	4.48		
Gilt 10y		4.1771	3.94	2.37	4.13	4.02	4.29		
Bund 10y		2.5700	-2.00	-3.00	-8.00	2.37	2.66		
JGB 10y	→	1.0720	-1.40	-1.10	8.60	0.95	1.10		
TGB 1y		2.3720	-0.15	0.88	2.44	2 22	2.37		
,			3		3.41	2.32			
TGB 2y	~~	2.3539	-0.20	0.15	-2.95	2.35	2.38		
TGB 5y	✓	2.4473	-1.83	-3.73	-8.03	2.45	2.53		
TGB 7y	~	2.5543	-2.30	-3.23	-9.61	2.56	2.67		
TGB 10y	~ ~	2.6698	-1.19	-2.23	-12.27	2.68	2.80		
AAA Spread	-	54.72	-3.08	-6.76	-15.76	54.72	73.91		
AA Spread	\\	77.69	1.92	1.44	-4.91	67.14	82.62		
A Spread		105.39	-2.35	-5.92	-17.54	105.39	124.36		
BBB Spread		0.00	-235.86	-236.13	-237.56	0.00	239.72		

Note: UST = US Treasury; Gilt = UK Government Bond; JGB = Japanese Government bond; Bund = German Government Bond; TGB = Thai government Bond; tenors of the bonds are put after their name; bps=basis point; Corporate spreads are Thai and reported in basis points over government bond for the tenors 3-5 years.

Commodity Market

Commodity	1M History	Last	%Chg (1D)	9/ Cha (1)//)	9/ Cha (1M)	1M Ra	ange
Commodity	TIVI HISTOTY	Lasi	//City (1D)	%Chg (1W)	%Chg (1M)	Min	Max
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Brent Crude		83.88	-4.06%	-3.1%	5.7%	77.27	87.43
London Gold		2371.7	0.27%	1.8%	3.2%	2,297.7	2,371.7

Note: Unit of Brent crude oil price is \$/barrel; unit of gold price is \$/ounce

Equity Market

Equity Index	1M History	Last	%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W)	%Chg (1M)	IIWI Kaliye		
Equity index	TWI HISTOTY	Lasi	/6 Cilg (1D)	/a City (1 vv)	/o City (TW)	Min	Max	
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S&P500 (US)		5,572.9	0.1%	1.2%	4.0%	5,347.0	5,572.9	
STOXX (EU)		510.1	-0.2%	1.4%	-1.4%	499.0	523.1	
FTSE All-Share(UK)		4,076.1	0.2%	-0.3%	2.9%	3,933.2	4,088.1	
DAX (DE)		18,472.1	0.0%	1.7%	-0.1%	18,002.0	18,652.7	
CAC All-Tradable(FR)		5,647.6	-0.6%	1.3%	-3.6%	5,528.3	5,972.1	
TOPIX (JP)		2,867.6	-0.6%	0.4%	3.1%	2,700.0	2,898.5	
Shanghai (CH)		3,063.6	-0.9%	-2.5%	-4.2%	3,063.6	3,240.6	
Hang Seng (HK)		17,524.1	-1.5%	-1.4%	-5.2%	17,524.1	18,476.8	
ASX 200 (AU)		7,763.2	-0.8%	0.6%	-1.2%	7,700.3	7,860.0	
SET (TH)		1,322.5	0.8%	2.6%	0.3%	1,288.6	1,338.3	
SET50 (TH)		819.6	0.7%	2.4%	1.0%	800.1	822.9	
Straits Times (SG)		3,404.5	-0.2%	1.1%	2.2%	3,297.6	3,439.9	
FTSE Malay (MY)		1,611.0	-0.4%	0.8%	-0.2%	1,584.9	1,617.9	
JSX Index (ID)		7,251.0	0.0%	1.8%	4.0%	6,726.9	7,253.4	
PSE Index (PH)		6.529.4	0.6%	2.7%	0.3%	6.158.5	6.529.4	

Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

Note: A = actual, P = previous; C = consensus

1,245.3

1,301.5

-0.6%

Vn Index (VN)

1.1%

1,283.6

0.0%