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US consumer inflation expectations for the year ahead extended the decline for a third consecutive month to 5.4% in September of 2022, the lowest in a year, from 5.7% in August. Median home price growth expectations declined by 0.1 percentage point to 2.0, its lowest reading since June 2020 and cost of medical care is also seen slowing (-0.1 percentage point to 9.2%). On the other hand, consumers expect prices to rise faster for gas (+0.4 percentage point to 0.5%), food (+1 percentage point to 6.9%), college education (+0.6 percentage point to 9.0%) and rent (+0.1 percentage point to 9.7%). Meanwhile, three-year-ahead inflation expectations rose slightly to 2.9% from 2.8% in August. On the labor front, expectations for earnings growth fell by 0.1 percentage point to 2.9% and unemployment expectations also fell by 0.9 percentage point to 39.1%. Also, household spending is seen rising 6%, well below 7.8% in August, and the biggest drop since the series' inception in June 2013

UK labor market exodus drives jobless rate down to 3.5%

Britain reported a record jump in the number of people leaving the labor market in the three months to August, adding to the Bank of England's inflation headaches. The number of people neither in work nor looking for it rose by 252,000 from the three months to May, the biggest increase since records began in 1971, official data showed. The leap pushed the unemployment rate down to its lowest since 1974 at 3.5%, below a median forecast of 3.6% in a Reuters poll of economists but offering little comfort for the BoE. It is worried that Britain's shrinking labor market will fuel inflation pressures that are also likely to fanned by Prime Minister Liz Truss's unfunded tax cuts.

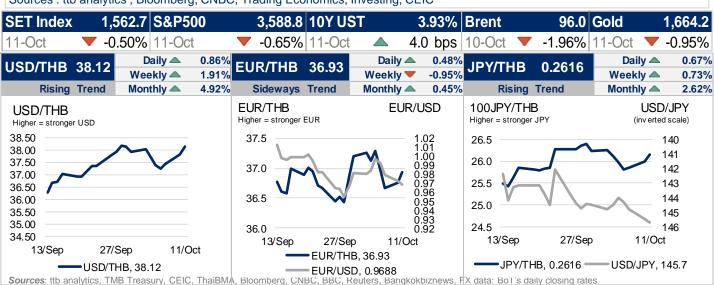
Japan logs record-low August current account surplus as import prices surge

Japan's current account surplus shrank to its smallest amount on record for the month of August, Ministry of Finance data showed on Tuesday, with surging prices of energy imports outstripping price rises in exports and draining national wealth. The surplus stood at 58.9 billion yen (\$404.45 million), smaller than economists' median forecast of 121.8 billion yen in a Reuters poll. On a seasonally adjusted basis, the account was in a deficit for a second month, at 530.5 billion yen. Continual trade surplus in the past and growing overseas investment means Japan has never recorded a current account deficit on an annual basis. But a worsening trade balance has left the surplus shrinking for four consecutive fiscal years.

Japanese ven slides past 146 level, more intervention awaited

The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 3.20, +6.45 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB31DA) was 3.03, +7.0 bps. LB31DA could be between 2.95-3.20. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 3.93, +4.00 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 38.12 Moving in a range of 38.095-38.18 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 38.20-38.50 today. The Japanese ven hit a new 24-year low to the dollar on Wednesday, ramping up expectations of more currency market intervention by Tokyo to support the beleaguered currency against increased pressure from the dollar. The yen sank 0.3% to 146.32 against the dollar, its weakest level since the Asian financial crisis in the late-1990's. It also surpassed levels which had pushed the Japanese government into intervening in currency markets last month.

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Currency Market

Currency Market											
Currency	1M History	Last	%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W)	%Chg (1M)	1M Ra	1M Range				
Currency	TWI FIISTOTY	Lasi	//City (1D)	/6 City (1 VV)	/6 City (TWI)	Min	Max				
Dollar Index		113.33	0.4%	1.7%	4.3%	108.19	114.64				
EUR/USD		0.9688	-0.4%	-1.6%	-4.0%	0.9549	1.0131				
USD/JPY	~~~	145.70	0.2%	0.8%	2.1%	142.04	145.70				
USD/CHF		1.0010	0.6%	1.0%	4.4%	0.9520	1.0010				
GBP/USD	~~~	1.1044	-0.3%	-2.6%	-5.0%	1.0586	1.1695				
USD/CAD		1.3830	0.6%	1.6%	6.2%	1.2990	1.3830				
AUD/USD	~~~	0.6270	-1.1%	-3.5%	-8.4%	0.6270	0.6877				
NZD/USD		0.5554	-0.9%	-2.8%	-9.2%	0.5554	0.6137				
ASEAN Dollar		112.77	0.5%	0.7%	3.7%	108.57	112.77				
USD/THB		38.12	0.9%	1.0%	4.6%	36.29	38.16				
USD/SGD		1.4393	0.3%	0.8%	2.9%	1.3956	1.4457				
USD/MYR		4.6715	0.4%	0.6%	3.8%	4.4914	4.6715				
USD/IDR		15,333	0.4%	0.5%	3.5%	14,798	15,333				
USD/PHP	~~····································	59.05	0.0%	0.4%	3.9%	56.84	59.06				
USD/CNY		7.1731	0.8%	1.2%	3.5%	6.9172	7.2199				
USD/HKD	~~~	7.8565	0.0%	0.3%	0.1%	7.8352	7.8581				

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USTH FX Sp	1M History	Last	%0	chg(1D)
1-month	>~~~	0.15	0.15	
3-month	~~~	0.70	-0.05	
6-month	~~~	1.50	-0.20	
Reserves (\$mn)	3M History	Last	\$mn	Chg(1W)
Total		199,445	-3323	
Golds		13.035	130	Ì
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SDR		5,223		
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Foreign Fund Flows (THB.mn)											
Date		Equ	ity	Во	nd	•	Total				
11/10	/2022	-36	64	-4,0	063	-4	4,427				
10/10	/2022	-3,48	38	-2,1	82	-{	5,670				
07/10	/2022	-3,08	37	-1,6	551	-4	4,738				
06/10	/2022	37	77	5	573		951				
05/10	/2022	22	26	3,4	177	;	3,703				
Last	5 days	-6,3	35	-3,8	846	-1	10,181				
ı	Period-to-	date	Equity	Е	Bond	т	otal				
MTD	Month	4	-5,054	•	-2,053	•	-7,108				
QTD	Quarter	4	-5,054	•	-2,053	•	-7,108				
YTD \	Year	4	145,181	•	104,997	•	250,179				

Mon	ey Marke	et												
ТНВ	1M Hist	Lact	1M R	ange	THBFIX	1M Hist	Last	1M R	ange	USD	1M Hist	Last	1M I	Range
BIBOR	IIVI FIISL	Lasi	Min	Max	INDEIX	IINI LIIST	Lası	Min	Max	LIBOR	IIVI FIISL	Lasi	Min	Max
ON		1.00	0.75	1.00	ON		0.00	0.67	3.11	ON		0.00	#NUM!	0.00
1W		1.04	0.78	1.04	1W		1.40	0.26	1.76	1W		0.00	0.00	0.00
1M		1.07	0.82	1.07	1M		1.35	0.55	1.71	1M		0.00	#NUM!	0.00
2M		1.15	0.89	1.15						2M		0.00	0.00	0.00
3M		1.24	0.96	1.24	3M	~~~	1.08	0.73	1.08	3M		0.00	#NUM!	0.00
6M		1.40	1.14	1.40	6M		1.20	0.71	1.20	6M		0.00	#NUM!	0.00
12M		1.74	1.44	1.74	12M		1.85	1.37	1.85	12M		0.00	#NUM!	0.00
							Las	t Updated:	10/10/2022			Las	t Updated:	00/01/1900

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)	Pro Cha (1M)	Pro Cha (1M)	1M Ra	inge
Fixed income	TWI HISTOTY	1 1 IVI (70)	bps clig (1D)	Bps Chg (1W)	Bps Chg (1M)	Min	Max
UST10y		3.9300	4.00	26.00	60.00	3.27	3.97
Gilt 10y		4.2826	6.92	18.05	120.94	2.97	4.43
Bund 10y		2.3000	15.00	49.00	61.00	1.59	2.33
JGB 10y		0.2560	0.60	-1.10	-0.70	0.25	0.29
TGB 1y		1.3576	0.74	5.37	23.42	1.12	1.36
TGB 2y	\sim	1.8841	1.93	5.40	24.67	1.63	1.93
TGB 5y		2.7010	8.02	15.46	52.07	2.16	2.77
TGB 7y		2.9758	7.46	14.96	50.03	2.45	3.05
TGB 10y		3.2034	6.45	7.23	41.84	2.77	3.30
AAA Spread	~~~	73.64	-0.31	-1.60	-2.03	73.64	78.60
AA Spread	~~~~	99.43	-0.53	0.68	-0.54	94.33	100.11
A Spread		122.43	-0.19	-0.50	-1.13	120.56	123.74
BBB Spread	٨	241.27	-0.29	-0.54	-1.80	240.58	262.09

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	Loct	9/ Cha (1D)	9/ Cha /1\\\	9/ Cha /4 M)	1M Ra	ange
Commodity	IIWI MISTOLY	Last	%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W)	%Chg (1M)	Min	Max
Brent Crude	~~~	96.02	-1.9%	8.1%	3.4%	82.86	97.92
London Gold	~~~	1664.2	-0.9%	-2.6%	-3.6%	1,618.2	1,727.1

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)	1M Range		
Equity illuex	TWITHSTOTY	Lasi	/a Cilig (TD)	76 City (1W	78 City (TWI)	Min	Max	
S&P500 (US)	V	3,588.8	-0.7%	-5.3%	-12.7%	2,467.4	4,110.4	
STOXX (EU)	~~~~	375.8	2.2%	-1.7%	-6.8%	328.0	403.4	
FTSE All-Share(UK)		6,893.8	-5.4%	-8.6%	6.7%	5,577.3	7,607.7	
DAX (DE)		12,272.9	0.0%	0.5%	-6.2%	11,975.6	13,402.3	
CAC All-Tradable(F	R)	4,395.9	-0.2%	-3.5%	-8.4%	4,281.5	4,797.6	
TOPIX (JP)		1,871.2	-1.9%	1.3%	-2.3%	1,835.9	1,986.6	
Shanghai (CH)		3,122.8	0.2%	-3.7%	-6.5%	3,116.9	3,420.3	
Hang Seng (HK)		16,832.4	-2.2%	-1.4%	-10.7%	16,832.4	19,362.3	
ASX 200 (AU)	~~~	6,645.0	-0.3%	-0.8%	-3.6%	6,456.9	7,009.7	
SET (TH)	~~~	1,562.7	-0.5%	-1.0%	-6.2%	1,558.1	1,665.7	
SET50 (TH)		937.2	-0.4%	-1.0%	-6.4%	937.2	1,001.7	
Straits Times (SG)		3,105.0	-0.1%	-1.1%	-5.2%	3,105.0	3,290.1	
FTSE Malay (MY)	~~~	1,386.8	-1.4%	-0.8%	-7.2%	1,386.8	1,498.0	
JSX Index (ID)	•	6,939.1	-0.8%	-1.9%	-4.3%	6,939.1	7,318.0	
PSE Index (PH)		5,847.4	0.3%	-2.3%	-11.5%	5,741.1	6,715.8	

Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

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

1,006.2

1,249.6

Vn Index (VN)

-6.7%

-19.5%

1,006.2

-3.5%