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US consumer confidence rose in November after three straight monthly declines, with Americans planning big-ticket purchases like motor vehicles and houses over the next six months even as they continued to fret over higher prices and interest rates. The Conference Board said its consumer confidence index increased to 102.0 this month from a downwardly revised 99.1 in October. Economists polled by Reuters had forecast the index dipping to 101.0. The improvement in confidence was concentrated mostly among households aged 55 and up. Consumers in the 35-54 age group were less optimistic about their prospects. The survey's present situation index, based on consumers' assessment of current business and labor market conditions, edged down to 138.2 from 138.6 in October. Its expectations index, based on consumers' short-term outlook for income, business and labor market conditions, rose to 77.8 from 72.7.

#### US annual home price growth at 6.1% in September

US annual home price growth accelerated again in September, underscoring the rebound of the housing market as it entered the final quarter of the year. Home prices rose 6.1% on a year-over-year basis in September, up from an upwardly revised 5.8% increase in the prior month, the Federal Housing Finance Agency (FHFA) said. On a quarterly basis, annual house prices increased 5.5% between the third quarter of last year and the comparative period this year. Home prices rose 2.1% in the third quarter compared to the second quarter of this year, reflecting the reacceleration since June that has taken place following a period of softness in the market. The report also showed prices rose moderately on a month-over-month basis, in line with recent trends. Prices were up 0.6% in September, compared with an upwardly revised 0.7% month-over-month increase in August.

#### Japan's price trend gauge hits record, heightens case for BOJ exit

A key measure of Japan's trend inflation accelerated to 2.2% in October, marking a fresh record high in a sign of broadening price pressure that heightens the case for the central bank to dial back its massive monetary stimulus. The data adds to recent growing signs that prospects of sustained wage increases are prodding firms to hike prices for their services, a trend the central bank sees as a prerequisite for ending ultra-low interest rates. The 2.2% year-on-year increase in the weighted median inflation rate, which is closely watched as an indicator on whether price rises are broadening, followed a 2.0% gain in September. It was the fastest rise since comparable data became available in 2001, Bank of Japan (BOJ) data showed.

#### US dollar skids to 3-1/2-month low, headed for biggest monthly drop in a year

The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 3.03, -8.38 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB31DA) was 3.10, -6.00 bps. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 4.34, -5.00 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 34.94. Moving in a range of 34.57-34.69 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 34.50-34.75 today. The US dollar sank to its lowest in more than three months on Tuesday as investors continued to take the view that growth in the world's largest economy is starting to slow down, with the market starting to price in a rate cut by the first half of the year. US rate futures were pricing in a 33% chance of a rate cut in March, rising to a roughly 65% probability in May, according to the CME's FedWatch tool. Those odds were at 21% and roughly 50% late on Monday. The dollar extended losses after Fed Governor Christopher Waller, a hawkish policymaker, flagged a possible rate cut in the months ahead. If the decline in inflation continues "for several more months ... three months, four months, five months ... we could start lowering the policy rate just because inflation is lower," he said.

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



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7.3234

7.8267

7.1389

7.7803

**Currency Market** 

USD/CNY

USD/HKD

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1M Range % Chg (1W) %Chg (1D) %Chg (1M) Currency 1M History Last Min Max 0.0% Dollar Index 103.30 -0.1% -3.0% 103.30 106.72 **EUR/USD** 1.0949 0.5% 0.0% 3.7% 1.0542 1.0949 USD/JPY 148.90 -0.4% 0.8% -0.4% 147.78 151.73 USD/CHF 0.8814 -0.3% -0.3% -2.4% 0.9098 0.8814 GBP/USD 1.2616 0.7% 0.8% 4.1% 1.2616 1.2082 USD/CAD 1.3637 -0.5% -0.7% -1.6% 1.3637 1.3885 AUD/USD 0.6581 0.4% 0.2% 3.6% 0.6280 0.6581 NZD/USD 0.6081 0.5% 0.6081 0.4% 4.4% 0.5782 **ASEAN Dollar** 107.58 0.0% -0.2% -2.0% 107.45 110.33 -0.6% USD/THB 35.22 0.3% -2.3% 35.09 36.34 USD/SGD 1.3373 -0.3% 0.0% -2.2% 1.3369 1.3726 USD/MYR 4.6755 -0.2% 0.6% -1.7% 4.7881 4.6493 USD/IDR 15,495 -0.2% 0.7% -2.3% 15,386 15,888 **USD/PHP** 55.41 -0.1% 0.0% -2.7% 55.41 57.01

0.0%

-0.2%

0.0%

-0.3%

7.1395

7.7803

#### **FX Swap Market and BoT's Reserves**

USTH FX Sp	1M History	Last	<b>%</b> C	hg(1D)
1-month		0.40	0.70	
3-month		1.30	0.90	
6-month	~	2.35	1.10	
Reserves (\$mn)	3M History	Last	\$mn	Chg(1W)
Total	Inc.	216,768	4012	
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Golds		15,546	340	
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Golds		15,546	340	
Golds SDR		15,546 5,466	340 67	
Golds SDR IMF Reserves		15,546 5,466 1,187	340 67 12	

## Foreign Fund Flows (THR mn)

-2.4%

-0.4%

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Date	Equity	Bond	Total								
28/11/2023	773	611	1,384								
27/11/2023	613	-1,555	-941								
24/11/2023	-1,153	-5,870	-7,023								
23/11/2023	-1,715	-1,696	-3,411								
22/11/2023	-1,410	9,925	8,514								
Last 5 days	-2,893	1,415	-1,478								
Period-to	o-date Equity	Bond	Total								
MTD Month	<b>-12,3</b> 4	47 🏚 9,346	<b>-3,001</b>								
QTD Quarter	<b>-28,0</b> 8	33 🖣 25,904	4 🌵 -2,179								
TD Year	<b>-185,</b> 2	254 🏚 15,223	3 🌵 -170,031								

Money Market														
ТНВ	1M Hic+	Lact	1M R	ange	THBFIX	1M Hist	Last	1M R	ange	USD	1M Hist	Last	1M R	ange
BIBOR	IIVI FIISL	Hist Last Min Max	Max	IUDLIY	IIVI FIISL	Lasi	Min	Max	LIBOR	IIVI IIISL	Lasi	Min	Max	
ON	_	2.50	2.00	2.50	ON		1.90	0.43	2.00	ON	$\overline{}$	0.08	0.07	0.08
1W		2.52	2.03	2.53	1W		1.64	0.22	1.64	1W		0.00	0.00	0.08
1M	<del></del>	2.55	2.05	2.55	1M	$\overline{}$	1.55	0.69	1.72	1M		0.19	0.09	0.19
2M	•••	2.60	2.12	2.60						2M		0.00	0.00	0.16
3M		2.65	2.19	2.65	3M		2.02	1.07	2.02	3M	-	0.50	0.12	0.50
6M	$\overline{}$	2.72	2.29	2.72	6M		2.27	1.31	2.27	6M		0.83	0.16	0.83
12M		2.84	2.43	2.84	12M		2.71	1.59	2.71	12M	-	1.34	0.24	1.34
							Las	t Updated:	29/6/2023			Las	t Updated:	9/3/2022

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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# www.ttbbank.com/analytics Fixed Income Market

Fixed Income	1M History	YTM (%)	Bps Chg (1D)	Pro Cha (1M)	Pro Cha (1M)	1M Range		
I ixed ilicollie	TWI HISTOTY		ърs Cng (ти)	Bps Chg (1W)	Bps Chg (1M)	Min	Max	
UST10y	-	4.6300	5.00	-18.00	57.00	3.72	4.91	
Gilt 10y		4.3173	-4.93	-24.05	-22.82	4.12	4.61	
Bund 10y		2.7000	6.00	-25.00	6.00	2.40	2.95	
JGB 10y		0.8790	-0.30	10.00	47.90	0.40	0.88	
TGB 1y		2.3819	-0.11	0.25	-5.36	2.38	2.45	
TGB 2y		2.4782	-1.81	1.25	-8.16	2.46	2.58	
TGB 5y	•	2.6377	-4.46	2.54	-24.66	2.61	2.93	
TGB 7y	•	2.8457	-4.16	3.81	-23.46	2.81	3.13	
TGB 10y		3.0342	-8.38	3.63	-21.72	3.00	3.35	
AAA Spread		67.33	-1.39	1.77	-6.60	65.16	73.93	
AA Spread		75.33	7.34	5.68	-6.27	67.08	85.27	
A Spread		109.62	-0.36	-6.86	-15.09	109.62	124.71	
BBB Spread		234.89	0.33	0.35	-2.89	234.24	239.99	

**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	% Cha (1D)	9/ Cha (1\M)	% Cha (1M)	1M Ra	1M Range	
Commodity	TIVI HISTOTY	Lasi	%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W)	% Chg (1M)	Min	Max	
Brent Crude		79.87	-0.8%	-3.0%	-11.7%	77.42	90.48	
London Gold		1946.6	-0.7%	6.8%	0.5%	1,822.8	1,996.2	

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)	I IVI IX	TWI Kange		
Equity index	TWITISTOTY	Lasi	//City (1D)	/6 City (1 <b>VV</b> )	//City (TW)	Min	Max		
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S&P500 (US)		4,514.0	0.5%	3.5%	3.8%	4,117.4	4,538.2		
STOXX (EU)		439.7	0.4%	4.2%	0.9%	421.2	442.0		
FTSE All-Share(UK)		4,077.5	0.2%	1.0%	2.4%	3,933.2	4,088.1		
DAX (DE)		15,614.4	2.5%	3.6%	-2.5%	14,716.5	16,406.0		
CAC All-Tradable(FI	R)	5,337.4	2.3%	2.6%	-2.5%	5,059.7	5,576.1		
TOPIX (JP)		2,264.2	-1.9%	-2.2%	-1.8%	2,239.1	2,406.0		
Shanghai (CH)		3,127.6	-3.0%	-4.0%	-8.1%	3,127.6	3,450.0		
Hang Seng (HK)		17,295.9	-2.9%	0.6%	-9.5%	17,195.8	19,639.1		
ASX 200 (AU)	<u></u>	6,900.7	-1.8%	-0.4%	-3.3%	6,900.7	7,455.9		
SET (TH)		1,423.0	-1.9%	-1.7%	-5.7%	1,423.0	1,565.9		
SET50 (TH)		858.0	-0.7%	-3.1%	-7.4%	858.0	960.5		
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Straits Times (SG)		3,076.7	-2.8%	-2.5%	-2.3%	3,076.7	3,374.0		
FTSE Malay (MY)		1,441.0	0.1%	1.8%	4.0%	1,376.7	1,462.0		
JSX Index (ID)		6,849.2	-0.7%	-0.6%	1.8%	6,639.7	6,998.4		

Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

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

6,048.0

1,087.9

6,661.1

1,243.3

-3.6%

-3.6%

PSE Index (PH)

Vn Index (VN)

-0.6%

-0.5%

6,280.9

1,108.0

0.4%

-2.9%