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Cleveland Fed President Hammack said uncertainty is weighing on business planning and it's too soon to adjust rates in May. However, a June move is possible if economic data offers more clarity.

US durable goods orders soar on aircraft bookings in March

Durable goods orders surged 9.2% in March, well above the 2.0% forecast, with defense-excluded orders up 10.4%. However, the gains were driven by a spike in aircraft orders. Excluding aircraft, core durable goods were flat, and business investment indicators rose just 0.1%, missing expectations.

Tokyo CPI inflation surges to 2-year high in April

Tokyo's headline CPI accelerated to 3.5% in April, up from 2.9% in March. Core CPI, which excludes fresh food, rose 3.4% year-over-year, surpassing the 3.2% median forecast. The uptick was driven by a combination of last year's school fee cuts and rising food and energy prices. Prices for non-fresh food items jumped 6.4%, with rice prices surging 93.8%, sparking public concern.

Beijing rejects trade talks, demands US remove tariffs first

China is refusing to engage in trade talks unless the U.S. first lifts all unilateral tariffs. Beijing insists that any negotiations must be preceded by clear signs of goodwill, including greater respect and serious consideration of its concerns. Meanwhile, China is expected to introduce new policy measures to cushion its economy from the effects of the tariffs, with potential stimulus announcements anticipated as early as this week.

Thai exports jumped in March on pre-tariff front-loading

Thailand's exports surged 17.8% year-on-year in March, beating the 13.5% forecast and reaching a record-high monthly value of US\$29.5 billion. The surge was mainly due to a front-loading of shipments ahead of expected tariffs. Export growth was led by industrial goods, especially electronics, while agricultural and agro-industrial exports declined. Imports also rebounded, rising 10.2% YoY. As a result, the trade surplus narrowed to US\$0.97 billion—below the US\$1.2 billion expected and down from US\$1.99 billion in February.

US dollar weakens, partly due to dovish comments from the Fed

The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 1.948, +4.52 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB353A) was 1.946, +4.78 bps. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 4.32, -8.0 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 33.53, moving in a range of 33.385 – 33.42 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 33.30 – 33.50 today. The dollar came under pressure amid broad risk-on sentiment, with the index weighed down by mixed economic data and dovish remarks from Fed officials, including Fed Hammack. The euro gained on dollar weakness, climbing close to the 1.1400 level, further supported by stronger-than-expected German IFO data. The Japanese yen firmed against the dollar, though its gains were limited as improved risk appetite reduced demand for safe-haven assets.

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



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Currency Market

Currency			0/ Char (4D)	0/ Ch a /4\A/\	0/ Ch a (4 M)	1M Range		
Currency	TWI HISTORY	Last	%Chg (1D)	% Chg (1W)	% Chg (1M)	Min	Max	
Dollar Index		99.61	0.4%	0.1%	-4.3%	98.32	104.43	
EUR/USD		1.1346	-0.4%	-0.13%	4.8%	1.0774	1.1508	
USD/JPY		142.69	0.6%	0.2%	-4.7%	140.42	150.91	
USD/CHF		0.8278	0.7%	1.0%	-6.3%	0.8097	0.8846	
GBP/USD		1.3280	-0.2%	0.1%	2.7%	1.2820	1.3394	
USD/CAD		1.3862	0.2%	-0.2%	-3.4%	1.3808	1.4382	
AUD/USD		0.6360	-0.6%	-0.1%	1.2%	0.5984	0.6419	
NZD/USD	$\overline{}$	0.5963	-0.4%	0.4%	4.0%	0.5545	0.6009	
ASEAN Dollar		106.33	0.0%	0.1%	-0.1%	104.01	108.78	
USD/THB		33.53	0.1%	0.4%	-1.2%	33.16	34.80	
USD/SGD		1.3137	0.2%	0.1%	-1.7%	1.3042	1.3502	
USD/MYR		4.3901	-0.3%	-0.4%	-0.9%	4.3774	4.4971	
USD/IDR		16,817	0.1%	0.2%	2.2%	16,352	16,851	
USD/PHP	-	56.64	-0.3%	-0.5%	-1.7%	56.79	57.93	
USD/CNY		7.2906	-0.09%	-0.1%	0.4%	7.2311	7.3700	
USD/HKD		7.7561	0.0%	-0.1%	-0.2%	7.7346	7.7862	

FX Swap Market and BoT's Reserves

Foreign Fund Flows (THB.mn)

USTH FX Sp	1M History	Last	%С	hg(1D)	Date		Equity	E	Bond		Total
1-month		0.15	0.15		24/04	/2025	-2,093	-3	,230		-5,323
3-month	•	0.70	-0.05		23/04	/2025	-2,850	13	,341		10,491
6-month	•	1.50	-0.20		22/04	/2025	123	2	,864		2,987
				`	21/04	/2025	-2,238	7	,599		5,362
Reserves (\$mn)	3M History	Last	\$mn	Chg(1W)	18/04	/2025	-1,336		-568		-1,904
Total		251,608	4693		Last	5 days	-8,394	2	0,006		11,613
Golds		24,416	1503			Period-to-date	Equity		Bond	-	otal
SDR		5,624	77			renou-to-uate	Equity		Jona		Otal
IMF Reserves		1,059	15		MTD	Month	-15,694	•	67,589	•	51,895
Foreign Ccy		220,509	3098		QTD	Quarter	-15,694	•	67,589	•	51,895
Net Fwd Position		24,030	-170		YTD	Year	J -55,561	4	80,159	•	24,598
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THB	1M Hist Last	1M Range	THBFIX	1M Hist	Last	1M Range		USD	4M High	Last	1M R	ange		
BIBOR	IIVI IIISL	Lasi	Min	Min Max	INDFIA	IIVI IIISL	Lası	Min	Max	LIBOR	1M Hist	Last	Min	Max
ON	^_	2.00	2.00	2.00	ON	~	1.72	1.14	1.72	ON	<u></u>	0.08	0.07	0.08
1W	~	2.02	2.02	2.02	1W	•	1.61	0.22	1.61	1W		0.00	0.00	0.00
1M		2.04	2.04	2.05	1M		1.59	0.88	1.72	1M	مسسب	0.35	0.12	0.35
2M	$\overline{}$	2.09	2.09	2.10						2M		0.00	0.00	0.00
3M	$\overline{}$	2.14	2.14	2.15	3M		1.81	1.09	1.82	3M	مسسب	0.75	0.34	0.75
6M	$\overline{}$	2.19	2.19	2.20	6M		1.95	1.31	1.99	6M	مسسم	1.04	0.56	1.04
12M		2.29	2.29	2.30	12M		2.26	1.59	2.26	12M	مسسي	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	1M History	VTM (9/)	Bps Chg (1D)	Bps Chg (1W)	Bps Chg (1M)	1M Range		
Fixed income	TWI HISTORY	T1W(%)	ърѕ Ciig (ти)	Bps Clig (TW)	Bps Clig (TWI)	Min	Max	
UST10y		4.3200	-8.00	-6.00	10.00	4.01	4.42	
Gilt 10y		4.5594	0.07	-7.85	7.59	4.45	4.77	
Bund 10y	$\overline{}$	2.4600	-2.00	-10.00	0.00	2.38	2.90	
JGB 10y		1.3400	1.70	-1.00	-7.20	1.18	1.58	
TGB 1y		1.6460	0.04	-1.45	-20.86	0.00	1.88	
TGB 2y	<u></u>	1.5598	3.42	4.67	-20.97	0.00	1.81	
TGB 5y	\\\\\	1.6157	1.55	0.58	-20.98	0.00	1.89	
TGB 7y	<u></u>	1.8169	2.29	3.48	-12.28	0.00	2.00	
TGB 10y		1.9476	4.52	6.57	-10.90	0.00	2.10	
AAA Spread		70.16	0.15	-0.83	-0.92	69.27	71.95	
AA Spread		66.43	0.00	-0.13	1.79	62.06	67.30	
A Spread		108.57	0.14	-1.05	3.48	104.82	110.98	
BBB Spread		336.99	-0.04	1.36	23.36	313.32	337.04	

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)	% Cha (1\M)	9/ Cha (1M)	1M Range		
Commodity	TIVI HISTORY	Lasi	/6City (1D)	% Chg (1W)	%Chg (1M)	Min	Max	
Brent Crude	~~~	66.55	0.7%	-2.1%	-9.8%	62.82	74.95	
London Gold		3331.1	-0.1%	0.8%	10.3%	3,002.7	3,454.7	

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

Equity Market

1M History	Lact	% Cha (1D)	% Cha (1W)	9/ Cha (1M)	1M Ra	1M Range		
TWI HISTOTY	Lasi	/scrig (1D)	/6 City (1 vv	/ /ocity (Tivi)	Min	Max		
	5,484.8	2.0%	3.83%	-4.0%	4,982.8	5,776.7		
	533.61	0.3%	3.1%	-4.6%	481.7	564.6		
	4,541.7	0.06%	1.5%	-2.9%	4,151.4	4,697.9		
	21,952.5	0.0%	3.0%	-5.0%	19,670.9	23,109.8		
	5,571.7	0.3%	2.3%	-7.2%	5,091.4	6,001.2		
	2,592.6	0.3%	1.3%	-7.9%	2,288.7	2,815.5		
	3,455.8	0.0%	0.6%	-2.1%	3,245.4	3,535.5		
	21,909.8	-0.7%	4.0%	-8.3%	19,828.3	24,771.1		
	7,968.2	0.6%	2.7%	0.3%	7,343.3	7,999.0		
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	1,146.9	-0.60%	-0.4%	-3.6%	1,074.6	1,190.4		
	732.5	-0.8%	-0.4%	-3.4%	683.7	759.4		
	3,831.9	0.0%	3.0%	-3.1%	3,393.7	3,981.6		
	1,506.5	0.4%	0.5%	-0.5%	1,400.6	1,535.7		
	6,613.5	-0.3%	2.7%	2.2%	5,968.0	6,665.0		
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Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

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

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-1.7%

-7.7%

PSE Index (PH)

Vn Index (VN)

0.4%

0.3%

6,158.5

1,223.4

-0.2%

1.0%