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The April inflation data came in cooler than expected, with both core and headline monthly CPI rising 0.2% (vs. 0.3% forecast), and headline year-over-year inflation easing to 2.3%, below the expected 2.4%. Core Y/Y inflation remained steady at 2.8%, matching March's reading. The CPI report reveals two key trends: goods hit by higher tariffs, like cars and apparel, haven't seen expected price rises—likely because retailers are absorbing costs or selling pre-tariff stock. Meanwhile, softer prices in services like travel suggest consumers are cutting back on discretionary spending. The report is unlikely to prompt immediate Fed action, as policymakers are expected to maintain a cautious, wait-and-see stance—particularly with uncertainty surrounding the inflation impact of recent tariffs.

### **German investor sentiment jumps in May**

German investor sentiment rebounded sharply in May, with the ZEW economic sentiment index rising to 25.2 from -14.0, well above the 11.9 forecast. However, the current conditions index slipped slightly to -82.0 from -81.2.

#### BOJ eyes hikes, cites trade uncertainty

The BoJ's April 30—May 1 Summary showed mixed views, with some members supporting further rate hikes amid economic gains, while others urged caution due to high uncertainty, especially around U.S. trade policy. A temporary pause was seen as likely, but members emphasized the need for flexible and data-driven policy.

### China ends Boeing ban after US trade deal

China has lifted its month-long ban on airline deliveries of Boeing aircraft, following progress in trade negotiations with the U.S. This move provides an immediate boost to Boeing, with about 50 jets expected to be delivered to China this year. Meanwhile, a White House Executive Order announced a reduction in the minimum tariff on Chinese imports from 120% to 54%, while maintaining a flat fee of USD 100.

### Dollar slips slightly from highs

The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 1.885, +3.28 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB353A) was 1.880, +3.39 bps. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 4.49, +4.0 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 33.31, moving in a range of 33.24 – 33.295 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 33.10 – 33.40 today. The dollar pared much of Monday's trade-driven gains, with the index falling below 101.00, pressured by weaker-than-expected US CPI data. The euro gained as the dollar weakened, nearing the 1.1200 mark, with minimal market response to recent ECB comments and German ZEW data. The Japanese yen strengthened against the dollar, pushing USD/JPY below 148.00, though it lost ground against other major currencies as improved risk appetite led to reduced demand for safe havens.

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



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**Currency Market** 

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| INCL                |            |  |   |   |   |   |  |
|---------------------|------------|--|---|---|---|---|--|
| Currency 1M History |            | % Cha (1D)   | % Cha (1W)  | % Cha (1M)  | 1M Range  |   |  |
| TWI THISTOI Y       | Last       | 70 City (1D)   | /6 City (144)   | 70 City (TWI)   | Min   | Max   |  |
|                     | 101.57     | 0.9%   | 1.9%  | -1.9%   | 98.32   | 104.20  |  |
| -                   | 1.1109     | -1.0%  | -1.90%  | 1.9%  | 1.0799  | 1.1508  |  |
| <del></del>         | 147.74     | 1.6%   | 2.9%  | -0.5%   | 140.42  | 149.73  |  |
| -                   | 0.8434     | 1.4%   | 2.6%  | -3.1%   | 0.8097  | 0.8835  |  |
|                     | 1.3196     | -0.3%  | -0.9%   | 2.8%  | 1.2820  | 1.3422  |  |
|                     | 1.3961     | 0.2%   | 1.1%  | -2.4%   | 1.3796  | 1.4382  |  |
|                     | 0.6393     | -0.1%  | -1.1%   | 4.4%  | 0.5984  | 0.6483  |  |
|                     | 0.5879     | -0.3%  | -1.5%   | 4.4%  | 0.5545  | 0.6009  |  |
| <u> </u>            | 104.60     | 0.3%   | 1.2%  | -2.2%   | 103.36  | 108.36  |  |
|                     | 33.31      | 0.6%   | 1.4%  | -3.9%   | 32.73   | 34.80   |  |
|                     | 1.3035     | 0.3%   | 1.0%  | -3.3%   | 1.2906  | 1.3502  |  |
|                     | 4.3266     | 0.4%   | 2.4%  | -3.6%   | 4.2251  | 4.4971  |  |
| <u> </u>            | 16,441     | 0.1%   | 0.6%  | -1.5%   | 16,342  | 16,851  |  |
|                     | 55.86      | 0.0%   | -0.1%   | -2.9%   | 55.63   | 57.77   |  |
| $\overline{}$       | 7.1813     | -0.79%   | -0.4%   | -2.2%   | 7.2075  | 7.3700  |  |
|                     | 7.7843     | 0.2%   | 0.6%  | 0.0%  | 7.7270  | 7.7862  |  |
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## **FX Swap Market and BoT's Reserves**

## Foreign Fund Flows (THB.mn)

| USTH FX Sp       | 1M History | Last    | %С      | hg(1D)     | Date  |                | Equity      | /     | В   | ond    |   | Total  |   |
|------------------|------------|---------|---------|------------|-------|----------------|-------------|-------|-----|--------|---|--------|---|
| 1-month          |            | 0.15    | 0.15    |            | 13/05 | 5/2025         | -2,466      |       | -6  | ,630   |   | -9,096 |   |
| 3-month          | <u></u>    | 0.70    | -0.05   |            | 09/05 | 5/2025         | -1,452      |       | -18 | ,097   | - | 19,548 |   |
| 6-month          | -          | 1.50    | -0.20   |            | 08/05 | 5/2025         | -3,009      |       | -7  | ,956   | - | 10,965 |   |
|                  |            |         |         |            | 07/05 | 5/2025         | 4,524       |       | 11  | ,252   |   | 15,776 |   |
| Reserves (\$mn)  | 3M History | Last    | \$mn    | Chg(1W)    | 06/05 | 5/2025         | 853         |       | 25  | ,883   | 2 | 26,737 |   |
| Total            |            | 256,068 | 289     |            | Last  | 5 days         | -1,549      | )     | 4   | ,453   |   | 2,903  |   |
| Golds            |            | 24,443  | -593    |            |       | Period-to-date | Ear         | ii4v, |     | ond    |   | otal   |   |
| SDR              |            | 5,619   | -14     |            |       | Period-to-date | Equ         | iity  |     | oriu   |   | Olai   |   |
| IMF Reserves     |            | 1,058   | -3      |            | MTD   | Month          | <b>⊎</b> -2 | 2,904 | •   | 6,031  | • | 3,127  |   |
| Foreign Ccy      |            | 224,949 | 898     |            | QTD   | Quarter        | ₩ -1        | 7,628 | •   | 62,471 | • | 44,843 |   |
| Net Fwd Position |            | 23,325  | -590    |            | YTD   | Year           | <b>4</b> -5 | 7,495 | •   | 75,041 | 4 | 17,546 |   |
| Money Market     |            | Last    | update: | 02/05/2025 |       |                |             |       |     |        |   |        | _ |

### **Money Market**

2M

3M

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12M

| THB   | 1M High   | Loot | 1M R | lange | TUDEIV | THBFIX 1M Hist |      | 1M Range |      | USD   | ISD<br>IBOR 1M Hist | Look |  |
|-------|-----------|------|------|-------|--------|----------------|------|----------|------|-------|---------------------|------|--|
| BIBOR | IIVI MISL | Lasi | Min  | Max   | ІПОГІЛ | IINI LIISI     | Last | Min      | Max  | LIBOR | TIVI HIST           | Last |  |
| ON    | -         | 1.75 | 1.75 | 2.00  | ON     | <b>✓</b>       | 1.72 | 1.14     | 1.72 | ON    | <u>-</u> -          | 0.08 |  |
| 1W    |           | 1.77 | 1.77 | 2.02  | 1W     |                | 1.61 | 0.22     | 1.61 | 1W    |                     | 0.00 |  |
| 1M    | <b>\</b>  | 1.80 | 1.80 | 2.04  | 1M     | $\overline{}$  | 1.59 | 0.88     | 1.72 | 1M    | مسسب                | 0.35 |  |

1.59 2.26 2.26 Last Updated: 29/06/2023

1.09

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2M

**3M** 

6M

12M

1.82

1.99

Last Updated: 09/03/2022

1M Range

Max

0.08

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0.35

0.00

0.75

1.04

1.49

Min

0.00

0.75

1.04

1.49

0.07

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0.34

0.56

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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

1.81

1.95

1.85

1.90

1.94

2.04

1.85

1.94

2.04

2.10

2.14

2.20

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| Fixed Income | 1M History | VTM (0/ \ | Pro Cha (1D) | Pro Cha (1M) | Pro Cha (1M) | 1M Range |        |  |
|--------------|------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------|--------|--|
| Fixed Income | 1M History | YTM (%)   | Bps Chg (1D) | Bps Chg (1W) | Bps Chg (1M) | Min      | Max    |  |
| UST10y       |            | 4.4900    | 4.00         | 16.00        | 24.00        | 4.01     | 4.49   |  |
| Gilt 10y     | -          | 4.6355    | 7.40         | 18.26        | 1.77         | 4.45     | 4.74   |  |
| Bund 10y     |            | 2.6800    | 5.00         | 22.00        | -10.00       | 2.46     | 2.88   |  |
| JGB 10y      |            | 1.4050    | 3.50         | 7.60         | -10.80       | 1.13     | 1.58   |  |
| TGB 1y       |            | 1.5686    | 0.35         | -2.36        | -13.58       | 1.56     | 1.78   |  |
| TGB 2y       |            | 1.5679    | 2.45         | 1.06         | 1.72         | 1.51     | 1.64   |  |
| TGB 5y       |            | 1.6581    | 4.97         | 4.58         | 3.97         | 1.57     | 1.70   |  |
| TGB 7y       | <u></u>    | 1.7977    | 4.03         | 1.94         | 3.46         | 1.73     | 1.84   |  |
| TGB 10y      | ~          | 1.8849    | 3.28         | -0.30        | -2.91        | 1.82     | 1.99   |  |
| AAA Spread   | <u> </u>   | 70.87     | -0.70        | 1.78         | -0.44        | 69.05    | 71.57  |  |
| AA Spread    | <u> </u>   | 66.39     | 0.06         | -0.36        | 1.64         | 62.06    | 67.30  |  |
| A Spread     |            | 108.25    | -0.34        | -0.01        | -2.22        | 107.78   | 110.98 |  |
| BBB Spread   |            | 337.10    | -0.08        | -0.04        | 0.94         | 335.63   | 337.31 |  |

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 Range |         |
|-------------|--------------|--------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------|---------|
| Commodity   | TIVI HISTORY | Lasi   | //Clig (1D) | %Chg (1W)    | %Chg (1M)   | Min      | Max     |
| Brent Crude |              | 66.63  | 2.6%        | 9.0%         | 2.7%        | 60.23    | 67.96   |
| London Gold | <u> </u>     | 3254.1 | 1.0%        | -3.6%        | 4.7%        | 3,002.7  | 3,454.7 |

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)     | 1 M F    | TWIRange |  |  |
|----------------------|------------------------|----------|-------------|--------------|------------------|----------|----------|--|--|
| Equity index         | dity index TWT instory |          | /₀Cilg (ID) | /a City (1 W | // /ocity (Tivi) | Min      | Max      |  |  |
|                      |                        |          | •           |              |                  | •        |          |  |  |
| S&P500 (US)          |                        | 5,886.6  | 0.7%        | 4.53%        | 8.9%             | 5,158.2  | 5,886.6  |  |  |
| STOXX (EU)           |                        | 565.84   | 0.4%        | 2.9%         | 10.4%            | 481.7    | 565.8    |  |  |
| FTSE All-Share(UK)   |                        | 4,671.4  | 0.06%       | 0.7%         | 9.1%             | 4,151.4  | 4,671.4  |  |  |
| DAX (DE)             | -                      | 23,638.6 | 0.3%        | 2.3%         | 15.0%            | 19,670.9 | 23,638.6 |  |  |
| CAC All-Tradable(FR) |                        | 5,850.8  | 0.3%        | 3.1%         | 10.8%            | 5,091.4  | 5,850.8  |  |  |
| TOPIX (JP)           |                        | 2,772.1  | 1.1%        | 2.8%         | 9.2%             | 2,288.7  | 2,772.1  |  |  |
| Shanghai (CH)        |                        | 3,537.1  | 0.2%        | 1.0%         | 4.7%             | 3,245.4  | 3,537.1  |  |  |
| Hang Seng (HK)       |                        | 23,108.3 | -1.9%       | 1.8%         | 14.0%            | 19,828.3 | 23,549.5 |  |  |
| ASX 200 (AU)         |                        | 8,269.0  | 0.43%       | 1.1%         | 8.1%             | 7,375.0  | 8,269.0  |  |  |
| SET (TH)             | <u></u>                | 1,214.4  | 0.28%       | 2.2%         | 13.0%            | 1,074.6  | 1,220.3  |  |  |
| SET50 (TH)           | \                      | 790.0    | 0.1%        | 2.7%         | 15.5%            | 683.7    | ,        |  |  |
| Straits Times (SG)   | <b>√</b>               | 3,881.1  | 0.1%        | 0.5%         | 8.5%             | 3,393.7  | 3,881.1  |  |  |
| FTSE Malay (MY)      |                        | 1,582.4  | 2.3%        | 3.0%         | 8.8%             | 1,400.6  | 1,582.4  |  |  |
| JSX Index (ID)       | <b>\</b>               | 6,832.8  | 0.1%        | 0.0%         | 14.5%            | 5,968.0  | 6,926.2  |  |  |

Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

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

5,822.9

1,094.3

6,566.8

1,293.4

9.3%

10.7%

PSE Index (PH)

Vn Index (VN)

2.3%

3.4%

6,566.8

1,293.4

1.7%

0.8%