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### US economy expands at quickest pace in 2 years

### US economy outperforms expectations with 4.3% GDP growth

The Q3 advance GDP report surprised to the upside, with growth accelerating to 4.3% from 3.8% in Q2, driven by stronger consumer spending, exports, and government outlays, partly offset by weaker investment. Imports fell, further lifting headline growth, while consumer spending rose 3.5%, up from 2.5% previously. On inflation, headline PCE rose to 2.8% and core PCE to 2.9%, both accelerating and in line with forecasts.

### US consumer confidence drops for fifth straight month

US Consumer Confidence fell in December to 89.1 from 92.9, undershooting expectations, as the Present Situation index dropped sharply to 116.8 while Expectations held steady at 70.7. Consumers grew more pessimistic about current business conditions and the labour market, with fewer viewing jobs as plentiful and more seeing them as hard to get, while income prospects softened slightly despite a modest improvement in views on future business conditions.

### US Industrial Production sees modest growth, outperforms forecasts

October and November Industrial Production showed modest gains, with November rising 0.2% (vs. 0.1% forecast) following October's -0.1%. Manufacturing output was flat after a -0.4% drop in October, and capacity utilization edged up to 76% from 75.9%. While mining and utilities swung month to month, both sectors posted net gains.

### October minutes show BOJ debated continuing rate hikes

According to BOJ October minutes, Bank of Japan policymakers debated whether to raise interest rates to neutral levels, with some arguing it could support long-term growth. A few board members noted that recent yen declines might push up import costs and overshoot inflation. The report also showed many members saw conditions favorable for a hike but wanted more clarity on whether companies would continue raising wages next year amid uncertainty over higher US tariffs.

#### Thailand considers measures on massive gold trading amid baht surge

Thailand's finance ministry plans to study a tax on online gold trading and measures to limit trading volumes amid a baht surge. The revenue department would consider a specific business tax for online gold platforms, while the central bank would oversee large transactions and set maximum volumes for major traders.

#### **Dollar softens ahead of Christmas break**

The 10-year government bond yield (interpolated) on the previous trading day was 1.692, -0.60 bps. The benchmark government bond yield (LB353A) was 1.659, -1.58 bps. Meantime, the latest closed US 10-year bond yields was 4.18, +1.0 bps. USDTHB on the previous trading day closed around 31.14, moving in a range of 31.09 – 31.11 this morning. USDTHB could be closed between 31.00 – 31.20 today. The dollar softened on Tuesday ahead of the Christmas break as a heavy US data slate set the tone, while G10 currencies broadly strengthened, led by the Antipodeans amid continued firmness in metals prices. The Japanese yen remained in sharp focus following renewed jawboning from Finance Minister Katayama.

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



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**Currency Market** 

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$\overline{}$	98.24	-0.1%	-0.1%	-2.0%	98.29	100.39
	1.1756	0.1%	0.2%	2.1%	1.1492	1.1750
	156.54	0.0%	1.0%	-0.6%	154.67	157.55
	0.7913	0.0%	-0.7%	-1.8%	0.7915	0.8098
	1.3475	0.4%	0.5%	3.0%	1.3061	1.3427
$\overline{}$	1.3759	0.3%	-0.3%	-2.3%	1.3716	1.4140
	0.6657	0.3%	0.5%	3.1%	0.6445	0.6665
	0.5802	0.5%	0.4%	3.7%	0.5597	0.5815
	104.89	-0.1%	-0.3%	-1.7%	104.01	106.75
	31.14	-0.5%	-1.0%	-4.1%	31.29	32.50
	1.2875	0.0%	-0.2%	-1.6%	1.2878	1.3086
	4.0656	-0.2%	-0.4%	-2.0%	4.0742	4.1637
	16,703	0.1%	0.5%	0.5%	16,531	16,685
~	58.94	0.2%	0.0%	-0.5%	58.72	59.41
$\overline{}$	7.0270	0.2%	-0.2%	-1.3%	7.0132	7.1206
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### **FX Swap Market and BoT's Reserves**

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### Foreign Fund Flows (THB.mn)

-0.2%

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USTH FX Sp	1M History	Last	%Chg(1D)	Date	Equity	Bond	Total
1-month	/	0.15	0.15	23/12/2025	1,857	293	2,149
3-month	<u></u>	0.70	-0.05	22/12/2025	757	-672	85
6-month	•	1.50	-0.20	19/12/2025	84	-1,220	-1,136
				18/12/2025	1,600	677	2,277
Reserves (\$mn)	3M History	Last	\$mn Chg(1W)	17/12/2025	-1,167	-2,933	-4,100
Total		277,504	1747	Last 5 days	3,132	-3,856	-724
Golds SDR		32,451 5.710	793 17	Period-to-date	e Equity	Bond	Total
IMF Reserves		1,135	3	MTD Month	<b>7,280</b>	<b>4,270</b>	<b>4</b> 3,010
Foreign Ccy		238,208	933	QTD Quarter	<b>-9,596</b>	<b>65,392</b>	<b>№</b> 55,796
Net Fwd Position		23,570	-195	YTD Year	<b>-105,833</b>	<b>113,460</b>	<b>7,627</b>

-0.1%

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#### Money Market

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ON		1.25	1.25	1.50	ON		1.72	1.14	1.72	ON		0.08	0.07	0.08
1W	<b>,</b>	1.27	1.27	1.52	1W		1.61	0.22	1.61	1W		0.00	0.00	0.00
1M		1.30	1.30	1.55	1M		1.59	0.88	1.72	1M	مسسب	0.35	0.12	0.35
2M		1.34	1.34	1.59						2M		0.00	0.00	0.00
3M	-	1.39	1.39	1.64	3M		1.81	1.09	1.82	3M	مسس	0.75	0.34	0.75
6M	_	1.44	1.44	1.67	6M	•	1.95	1.31	1.99	6M	مسسم	1.04	0.56	1.04
12M	$\overline{}$	1.52	1.52	1.76	12M	-	2.26	1.59	2.26	12M		1.49	1.00	1.49

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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

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Fixed Income	1M History	YTM (%)	Pno Cha (1D)	Bps Chg (1W)	Pro Cha (1M)	1M Range	
Fixed income	TIVI HISTOTY	1 I WI (70)	Bps Chg (1D)	bps Clig (TW)	Bps Chg (1M)	Min	Max
UST10y		4.1800	1.00	-1.00	7.00	3.99	4.19
Gilt 10y		4.6241	2.18	6.73	14.68	4.46	4.66
Bund 10y		2.8700	-3.00	2.00	23.00	2.63	2.90
JGB 10y		2.0390	-3.40	8.30	37.90	1.65	2.07
TGB 1y		1.1427	-0.82	-2.98	-12.57	1.15	1.27
TGB 2y		1.1713	-0.89	-3.12	-16.95	1.18	1.34
TGB 5y		1.3142	-1.04	-1.39	-10.76	1.31	1.44
TGB 7y		1.4930	-1.51	-3.20	-10.48	1.51	1.61
TGB 10y		1.6922	-0.60	0.36	-1.98	1.66	1.74
AAA Spread		76.30	-0.42	-0.25	-0.82	74.48	77.74
AA Spread		58.21	-0.01	-0.77	-0.56	57.53	58.98
A Spread		104.34	-0.04	0.89	1.79	102.55	104.38
BBB Spread		360.26	-0.03	-0.11	4.36	345.12	361.45

**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)		%Chg (1W	`	%Chg (1M)		1M Ra	nge
Commodity	TWITISTOTY	Lasi	%Chg (1D)		/8 Cilg (1 <b>VV</b> )		70 City (TW)		Min	Max
Brent Crude	~~	62.38	0.5%		4.5%		-0.2%		58.92	63.75
London Gold		4481.9	1.7%		3.9%		8.5%		4,034.3	4,481.9

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

### **Equity Market**

Equity Indox	Equity Index 1M History		%Chg (1D)	%Chg (1W	%Chg (1M)	1M R	1M Range		
Equity index	TWI HISTOTY	Last	/«Clig (1D)	76 Clig (TW	/ City (TW)	Min	Max		
S&P500 (US)		6,909.8	0.5%	2.8%	2.1%	6,538.8	6,909.8		
STOXX (EU)	•	607.67	0.0%	1.1%	3.2%	581.9	608.6		
FTSE All-Share(UK)	·	5,326.7	0.2%	1.1%	3.0%	5,128.2	5,329.5		
DAX (DE)		24,340.1	0.2%	1.6%	3.7%	23,091.9	24,340.1		
CAC All-Tradable(FR)		6,006.0	-0.2%	0.3%	1.1%	5,891.7	6,032.4		
TOPIX (JP)		3,423.3	0.5%	1.6%	4.0%	3,245.6	3,431.5		
Shanghai (CH)		4,110.0	0.1%	1.3%	1.3%	4,010.1	4,121.7		
Hang Seng (HK)		25,774.1	-0.1%	1.2%	-0.5%	25,220.0	26,095.1		
ASX 200 (AU)		8,795.7	1.1%	2.5%	3.0%	8,416.5	8,795.7		
SET (TH)		1,271.1	0.1%	1.1%	1.3%	1,250.1	1,281.8		
SET50 (TH)		842.1	0.3%	1.4%	2.8%	819.0	842.1		
Straits Times (SG)		4,639.0	0.6%	1.4%	3.4%	4,469.1	4,639.0		
FTSE Malay (MY)		1,676.6	0.3%	2.1%	4.0%	1,604.5	1,676.6		
JSX Index (ID)		8,584.8	-0.7%	-1.1%	0.7%	8,414.4	8,710.7		
PSE Index (PH)		6,041.9	0.0%	-0.6%	0.3%	5,813.7	6,079.0		
Vn Index (VN)		1,772.2	1.2%	5.9%	6.7%	1,646.0	1,772.2		

Sources: ttb analytics, CEIC

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