vww.eurobank.gr/research EurobankGlobalMarkets Research@eurobank.gr.

# DAILY OVERVIEW OF GLOBAL MARKETS & THE SEE REGION

**Tuesday, June 28, 2016** 

### **KEY UPCOMING DATA & EVENTS THIS WEEK**

#### **GLOBAL**

#### US

- June 28
  - o GDP (3<sup>rd</sup> est, Q1 2016)
  - CB Consumer confidence (Jun)
- June 29
  - Personal income/spending (May)
  - Core PCE deflator (May)
  - Pending home sales (May)
- June 30
  - Jobless claims (weekly)
- o Chicago PMI (May)
- July 1: ISM manuf (Jun)

#### **EUROZONE**

- June 28/29:EU Summit
- June 30: HICP (flash, Jun)
- July 1: PMI manuf (f, Jun)

#### **GREECE**

- June 29: Economic Sentiment (Jun)
- June 30
  - o PPI (May)
  - o Retail trade (Apr)
- July 1: PMI (Jul)

#### SEE

#### **ROMANIA**

- June 27: RON 500mn 2.5% 2019 T-bonds auction
- June 28: CB Deputy Governor speaks
- July 1
  - o ILO U/E rate (May)
  - International reserves (Jun)

#### SERBIA

- June 30
  - Trade balance (May)
  - Retail sales (May)
  - o IP (May)
- July 1: Sovereign credit rating review by S&P

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research

#### HIGHLIGHTS

#### **WORLD ECONOMIC & MARKET DEVELOPMENTS**

**GLOBAL MARKETS:** Major Asian equity indices bounced back snapping a two-session declining streak, while most European bourses opened significantly higher endeavoring a recovery from the hefty sell-off in the prior two sessions and shrugging off S&P's and Fitch's downgrade of the UK's sovereign credit rating to AA (and negative outlook) from AAA and AA+, respectively. In FX markets, the British pound trimmed earlier losses, with the GBP/USD hovering around levels of 1.3329/30 in European trade at the time of writing from a 31-year low of 1.3121 hit in yesterday's session. On the calendar today, the EU parliament votes on a resolution on the UK referendum while, later in the day, EU leaders in Brussels start a two-day summit to discuss the Brexit fallout. On the US macro front, the third estimate of Q1 GDP takes centre stage, while ECB President Mario Draghi is due to make an introductory speech at ECB Forum on Central Banking "The future of the international monetary and financial architecture" in Sintra, Portugal.

**GREECE:** According to press reports, EU officials urge the Greek government to swiftly proceed with the completion of the milestones attached to the second programme review, as foreseen in the updated Memorandum of Understanding. The target is to have the review completed by end of October 2016 and the next loan tranche disbursed during the first fortnight of November.

#### **SOUTH EASTERN EUROPE**

**ROMANIA:** The finance ministry sold on Monday a planned amount of RON 500mn of 3-year treasury bonds, at an average accepted yield of 1.90%.

**CESEE MARKETS:** Emerging market assets recovered some ground earlier on Tuesday, following a sharp sell-off in the previous two sessions.

#### DISCLAIMER

This document has been issued by Eurobank Ergasias S.A. (Eurobank) and may not be reproduced in any manner. The information provided has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable but has not been verified by Eurobank and the opinions expressed are exclusively of their author. This information does not constitute an investment advice or any other advice or an offer to buy or sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy or sell or an offer or a solicitation to execute transactions on the financial instruments mentioned. The investments discussed may be unsuitable for investors, depending on their specific investment objectives, their needs, their investment experience and financial position. No representation or warranty (express or implied) is made as to the accuracy, completeness, timeliness or fairness of the information or opinions, all of which are subject to change without notice. No responsibility or liability, whatsoever or howsoever arising, is accepted in relation to the contents thereof by Eurobank or any of its directors, officers and employees.

June 28, 2016







Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research

# Latest world economic & market developments

#### **GLOBAL MARKETS**

Wall Street closed in the red overnight amid lingering Brexit concerns and weaker than expected US economic data releases. The US Markit Services PMI remained unchanged at 51.3 in June, falling short of market expectations for a rise to 52.0, while the Dallas Fed manufacturing activity index improved less than expected in June to -18.3 from -20.8 in the prior month. Elsewhere, major Asian equity indices bounced back snapping a two-session declining streak, while most European bourses opened significantly higher endeavoring a recovery from the hefty sell-off in the prior two sessions and shrugging off S&P's and Fitch's downgrade of the UK's sovereign credit rating to AA (and negative outlook) from AAA and AA+, respectively. Performance in EMU sovereign debt spreads was mixed, with the 10-yr Spanish/ Bund spread dropping by ca. 22 bps to 146 bps over the last two sessions following Sunday's repeat general elections where Rajoy's party won more seats compared to December's elections. In FX markets, the British pound trimmed earlier losses, with the GBP/USD hovering around levels of 1.3329/30 in European trade at the time of writing from a 31-year low of 1.3121 hit in yesterday's session. Moreover, the EUR/USD gained some ground hovering around levels of 1.1075/76 in early European trade after marking a three-month low of 1.0912 late last week in the aftermath of the UK's decision to leave the EU. On the calendar today, the EU parliament votes on a resolution on the UK referendum while, later in the day, EU leaders in Brussels start a two-day summit to discuss the Brexit fallout. On the US macro front, the third estimate of Q1 GDP takes centre stage, while ECB President Mario Draghi is due to make an introductory speech at ECB Forum on Central Banking "The future of the international monetary and financial architecture" in Sintra, Portugal.

okosma@eurobank.gr

#### GREECE

According to press reports, EU officials urge the Greek government to swiftly proceed with the completion of the milestones attached to the second programme review as foreseen in the updated Memorandum of Understanding. The target is to have the review completed by end of October 2016 and the next loan tranche disbursed during the first fortnight of November. Officials also reportedly stated that Brexit is not expected to have a particularly grave effect on the Greek economy and hence a relaxation of agreed targets should not be expected. Meanwhile, SETE (Greek Tourism Confederation) released a statement claiming that as a result of the UK's decision to exit the EU, GBP's weakness vs. the EUR and a potential decrease in the UK's GDP may affect both the volume of arrivals of British tourists to Greece and their per capita spending thus hurting Greek tourism for which Britain constitutes the second largest market. Furthermore, SETE claims that "Sun & Sea", Greece's most popular tourism product, may be particularly affected as a significant share of reservations for this product takes place last minute and as a result the anticipated arrivals for the peak season of July and August may now be fewer than anticipated.

andimitriadou@eurobank.gr

DAILY OVERVIEW
OF GLOBAL MARKETS & THE SEE REGION



June 28, 2016

BULGARIA: Indicators	2014	2015e	2016f
Real GDP growth %	1.6	2.9	3.0
CPI (pa, yoy %)	-1.4	-0.1	1.0
Budget Balance/GDP*	-3.7	-3.3	-2.0
Current Account/GDP	0.9	1.5	1.0
EUR/BGN (eop)	1.9558		
	2015	current	2016f
Policy Rate (eop)	N/A	N/A	N/A

<sup>\*</sup> on a cach hacic

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research, National Authorities

CYPRUS: Indicators	2014	2015e	2016f
Real GDP growth %	-2.5	1.5	1.8
HICP (pa, yoy %)	-0.3	-1.5	0.5
Budget Balance/GDP*	-0.2	-0.9	-0.1
Current Account/GDP	-5.1	-5.5	-4.5

<sup>\*</sup> ESA 2010

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research, National Authorities

ROMANIA: Indicators	2014	2015e	2016f
Real GDP growth %	2.9	3.8	4.1
CPI (pa, yoy %)	1.1	-0.4	-0.1
Budget Balance/GDP *	-1.9	-1.9	-2.8
Current Account/GDP	-0.4	-1.0	-2.0
EUR/RON (eop)	4.48	4.52	4.35
	2015	current	2016f
Policy Rate (eop)	1.75	1.75	2.00

<sup>\*</sup> on a cash basis

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research, National Authorities

SERBIA: Indicators	2014	2015e	2016f
Real GDP growth %	-1.8	0.7	1.8
CPI (pa, yoy %)	2.1	1.5	2.8
Budget Balance/GDP	-6.7	-3.7	-4.0
Current Account/GDP	-6.0	-4.7	-4.6
EUR/RSD (eop)	121.38	121.52	125.00
	2015	current	2016f
Policy Rate (eop)	4.25	4.25	4.00

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Research, National Authorities



#### **Credit Ratings**

L-T ccy	Moody's	S&P	Fitch	
SERBIA	B1	BB-	B+	
ROMANIA	Ваа3	BBB-	BBB-	
BULGARIA	Baa2	BB+	BBB-	
CYPRUS	B1	BB-	B+	

Source: IMF, EC, Reuters, Bloomberg, National Authorities, Eurobank Research

### Latest world economic & market developments in the CESEE region

#### **ROMANIA**

The finance ministry sold on Monday a planned amount of RON 500mn of 3-year treasury bonds. The average accepted yield came in at 1.90% 9bps above that achieved at a prior auction of same maturity paper held in late May, reflecting deteriorating global risk sentiment after the UK referendum. That said, the auction was well received with a bid to cover ratio of 2.03. The issue expires on April 29, 2019 and bears an annual coupon of 2.5%.

#### **CESEE MARKETS**

Emerging market assets recovered some ground earlier on Tuesday, following a sharp sell-off in the previous two sessions. Hopes about policy response and scaled back expectations over further Fed rate hikes in the coming months provided support to risky assets that had come under significant pressure after the UK referendum.

Along these lines, the MSCI Emerging Markets Index rose earlier today, snapping a 2-session losing streak that resulted to cumulative losses of nearly 5%. In the CESEE region, stock markets staged a relief rally having borne the brunt of the Brexit vote over the last couple of sessions as these economies are more closely (directly or indirectly) related to the EU, in terms of financial, economic and political linkages. Many CESEE countries enjoy close links with the UK via remittances while for several growth is dependent on European Structural and Investment Funds which may be reduced as a result of lower contributions to the EU budget. That said, the region enjoys strong fundamentals compared to other EM peers, with fiscal and external positions having largely improved over recent years.

In this context, the Hungarian BUX led the winners' pack rising by more than 2.0% in European trade, while gains in excess of 1.5% were recorded by major indices in Turkey, Poland and Romania. In the FX markets, the Polish zloty led the recovery, with the EUR/PLN hovering around levels of 4.4280 at the time of writing, ca 0.8% lower compared to Monday's settlement, sliding further below a 4 ½ year peak of 4.5385 hit on Friday shortly after the announcement of initial UK referendum results. In the sovereign debt markets, local currency bonds also firmed, with the yields of the Turkish 2- and 10-year benchmark paper sliding by approximately 20bps each to 8.60% and 9.17% respectively, outperforming other peers.

Looking into this week's CESEE calendar, CPI in Poland for June and the MPC meeting in Romania take centre stage on Thursday. PMI data for June due for release on Friday in several countries in the region, also lure market attention as a first indication of the impact of the UK referendum outcome on business sentiment. S&P's credit rating reviews for Poland and Serbia, also on Friday, also feature high on this week's agenda.

gphoka@eurobank.gr

15309.21

310.07

2.4%

-3.7%

-19.6%

-15.29

GBP/USD

USD/JPY

1.3212

101.56

3.4%

0.6%

# DAILY OVERVIEW OF GLOBAL MARKETS & THE SEE REGION



-2.0%

-1.6%

27.2%

4.5%

June 28, 2016

Nikkei 225

STOXX 600

118

Ė

2

#### **GLOBAL MARKETS** FOREX Stock markets Government Bonds Commodities Last ΔD ΔΥΤΟ Last ΔD ΔΥΤΟ (yields) Last ΔDbps ΔYTD bps Last ΔD ΔYTD S&P 500 FUR/USD 1.1002 UST - 10vr GOLD 1327 2004.91 -1.6% -1.99 -1.0% 1.3% 1.47 -9 -80 0.8% 25.0%

Bund-10yr

JGB - 10yr

-0.11

-0.19

1.50

Ę

Sep-15

Dec-15

Mar-16

-74

BRENT CRUDE

LMEX

47

2302

10.3%

18.2%

#### **CESEE MARKETS SERBIA ROMANIA BULGARIA** Money Market **Money Market Money Market BELIBOR** Last ΔDbps ∆YTD bps ROBOR Last ∆Dbps ΔYTD bps SOFIBOR Last ΔDbps ΔYTD bps T/N 298 0 O/N 0.55 LEONIA -0.400 -41 -5 -2 2 3.09 0 -10 1-month 0.68 1-month -0.15 0 -31 1-week -1 -1 3.27 3 -24 3-month 0.84 -18 3-month -0.03 -29 1-month -1 1 3-month 3.53 5 -30 6-month 1.06 -28 6-month 0.11 -42 3.74 12-month 1.22 12-month 0.45 0 -52 6-month 6 -29 -30 RS Local Bonds **RO Local Bonds** BG Local Bonds ΔDbps ΔDbps Last ∆YTD bps Last ΔDbps ∆YTD bps Last ∆YTD bps (yields) 3Y RSD 3.53 0 -14 3Y RON 1.88 3Y BGN 0.42 2 -19 5Y RSD 5.26 0 13 5Y RON 2.76 -5 -4 5Y BGN 1.19 4 -9 7Y RSD 5.77 0 -193 10Y RON 3.61 10Y BGN 2.45 0 -21 **RS Eurobonds RO** Eurobonds **BG** Eurobonds ΔDbps ΔYTD bps ΔYTD bos ΔDbps ΔYTD bps Last Last ΔDbps Last USD Nov-17 2.82 EUR Oct-25 2.47 EUR Jul-17 0.20 -19 13 6.26 0 -39 EUR Sep-24 USD Nov-24 -16 USD Jan-24 3.39 2.26 15 -16 CDS CDS CDS Last ΔDbps ΔYTD bps Last ΔDbps ∆YTD bps Last ΔDbps ΔYTD bps 5-vear 250 0 -25 5-vear 139 16 6 5-vear 162 10 -9 10-year 291 0 48 10-year 180 10-year 211 11 STOCKS STOCKS STOCKS ΔD Last Last ΔYTD ΔD ΔYTD Last ΔD ΔYTD BELEX15 600.0 BET 6282.0 0.25% SOFIX 454.0 1.50% **FOREX FOREX FOREX** ΔD ΔYTD ΔD ΔYTD Last ΔD ΔΥΤΟ Last Last EUR/RSD 123.75 EUR/RON 4.5194 USD/BGN 1.7772 1.30% **BET Index** SOFIX Index **BELEX15 Index** 8000 600 700 7500 550 650 7000 500 600 6500 450 550 6000 400 500 Sep-15 · Jun-15 Aug-15 Apr-16 Apr-16 Mar-16 Dec-15 Feb-16 Aug-15 Feb-16 Jun-15 Dec-15 를 헎 ö EUR/RON USD/BGN EUR/RSD 4.60 126 1.90 4.55 1.80 124 4.50 122 1.70 4.45 4.40 120 1.60

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Economic Analysis and Financial Markets Research Data updated as of 17:30 EEST of previous session

Mar-16

Dec-15

4.35

Sep-15

Dec-15

Āaŗ

DAILY OVERVIEW OF GLOBAL MARKETS & THE SEE REGION



June 28, 2016

#### Contributors

Paraskevi Petropoulou

G10 Markets Analyst, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3718991

ppetropoulou@eurobank.gr

Anna Dimitriadou (Special Contributor)

Economic Analyst, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3718793

andimitriadou@eurobank.gr

Galatia Phoka

Research Economist, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3718922

gphoka@eurobank.gr

Stylianos G. Gogos (Special Contributor)

Economic Analyst, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3371226

sgogos@eurobank.gr

Ioannis Gkionis (Special Contributor)

Research Economist, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3337305

IGKIONIS@eurobank.gr

Olga Kosma (Special Contributor)

Research Economist, Eurobank Ergasias

+30 210 3371227

okosma@eurobank.gr

#### **Regional Contributors**

Vessela Boteva

Expert, trading desk, Eurobank Bulgaria

+359 (2) 8166 491

vboteva@postbank.bg

Zoran Korac

FX dealer, Eurobank ad Beograd

+381 11 206 5821

zoran.korac@eurobank.rs

Bogdan Radulescu, CFA

Senior Trader, Bancpost +40 21 3656291

bogdan.radulescu@bancpost.ro

### **Eurobank Economic Analysis and Financial Markets Research**

Dr. Platon Monokroussos: Group Chief Economist pmonokrousos@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 37 18 903

Dr. Tassos Anastasatos: Deputy Chief Economist tanastasatos@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 33 71 178

#### Research Team

Anna Dimitriadou: Economic Analyst andimitriadou@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 3718 793

> Ioannis Gkionis: Research Economist igkionis@eurobank.gr + 30 210 33 71 225

Stylianos Gogos: Economic Analyst sqoqos@eurobank.gr + 30 210 33 71 226

Olga Kosma: Research Economist okosma@eurobank.gr + 30 210 33 71 227 Arkadia Konstantopoulou: Research Assistant arkonstantopoulou@eurobank.gr + 30 210 33 71 224

Paraskevi Petropoulou: G10 Markets Analyst ppetropoulou@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 37 18 991

Galatia Phoka: Research Economist gphoka@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 37 18 922

Theodoros Stamatiou: Senior Economist tstamatiou@eurobank.gr, + 30 210 3371228

Eurobank Ergasias S.A, 8 Othonos Str, 105 57 Athens, tel: +30 210 33 37 000, fax: +30 210 33 37 190, email: EurobankGlobalMarketsResearch@eurobank.gr

#### Eurobank Economic Analysis and Financial Markets Research

More research editions available at http://www.eurobank.gr/research

- Daily Overview of Global markets & the SEE Region: Daily overview of key macro & market developments in Greece, regional economies & global markets
- Greece Macro Monitor: Periodic publication on the latest economic & market developments in Greece
- Regional Economics & Market Strategy Monthly: Monthly edition on economic & market developments in the region
- Global Economy & Markets Monthly: Monthly review of the international economy and financial markets

Subscribe electronically at http://www.eurobank.gr/research Follow us on twitter: http://twitter.com/Eurobank

