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August 11, 2014

KEY UPCOMING DATA & EVENTS THIS WEEK GLOBAL

US

- August 13
 - Retail sales (Jul)
 - Fed's Dudley & Rosengren speak
- August 14: Initial jobless claims (Aug 8)
- August 15
 - Empire manufacturing (Aug)
 - o IP (Jul)
 - UoM consumer sentiment (Aug)

EUROZONE

- August 12: DE: ZEW Survey (Aug)
- August 14
 - o GDP (Q2)
 - o HICP (Jul, f)

SEE SERBIA

- August 12
 - o HICP (Jul)
 - 2-Year floating RSD Tbonds auction

ROMANIA

- August 11
 - o CPI(Jul)
 - o Trade balance (Jun)
 - 。 IP (Jun)
 - \circ T-Bonds auction
- August 13: CAD (Jun)
- August 14: GDP (Q2, A)

BULGARIA

- August 11
 - Trade balance (Jun)
 - o T-Bonds auction
- August 11-15: Unemployment rate (Jul)
- August 12: CPI (Jul)
- August 14
 - o GDP (Q2, P)
 - o CAD (Jun)

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg,

Eurobank Global Markets Research

HIGHLIGHTS

WORLD ECONOMIC & MARKET DEVELOPMENTS

GLOBAL MARKETS: Wall Street closed in the black on Friday and **Asian and European stock markets** moved broadly higher earlier today, as somewhat easing geopolitical tensions helped global bourses reverse part of their recent losses. In the **FX markets**, the Swiss franc and Japanese yen gave back some of their recent gains in European trade on Monday, as improving risk sentiment weighed down on their safe haven allure.

GREECE

Greece's industrial production fell for the fourth consecutive month in June, recording a 6.7%YoY drop after a downwardly revised 0.9%YoY drop in the prior month. In other news, the PDMA said on Friday that it plans to **auction on August 12 €1bn of 3-month T-bills** to refinance maturing debt.

SOUTH EASTERN EUROPE

SERBIA: According to local media reports, Prime Minister Vucic said on Friday that Serbia does not intend to impose any sanctions on Russia.

ROMANIA: July's CPI came in at 1.0%YoY, vindicating market expectations for a bounce from a record low of 0.7%YoY a month earlier, while June's industrial production growth slowed marginally to 11.50%YoY from a multi-year high of 13.3%YoY in May.

BULGARIA: Industrial output, retail trade and construction registered positive growth readings in June.

CESEE MARKETS: Tracking gains in major global bourses, the majority of **emerging stock markets** staged a relief rally in European trade on Monday amid somewhat easing geopolitical tensions in Ukraine and the Middle East. **In the FX markets**, regional currencies were mixed, ahead of key macroeconomic data releases in the coming days.

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Credit Ratings									
L-T ccy	Moody's	S&P	Fitch						
SERBIA	B1	BB-	B+						
ROMANIA	Baa3	BBB-	BBB-						
BULGARIA	Baa2	BBB-	BBB-						
CYPRUS	Caa3	В	B-						

Source: Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Global Markets Research

Latest world economic & market developments

GLOBAL MARKETS

Wall Street closed in the black on Friday and Asian and European stock markets moved broadly higher earlier today, as somewhat easing geopolitical tensions helped global bourses reverse part of their recent losses. In a positive tone, Russia reportedly finished military exercises near Ukraine's border, while Israel and the Palestinians agreed a new 72-hour ceasefire in Gaza starting at 2100 GMT on Sunday. Nonetheless, sentiment remains fragile with investors likely to closely scrutinize upcoming geopolitical developments. In the FX markets, the Swiss franc and Japanese yen gave back some of their recent gains in European trade on Monday, as improving risk sentiment weighed down on their safe haven allure. Against this backdrop, the EUR/JPY hovered around levels of 136.59/65 earlier today, having bounced from Friday's 9-month trough near 135.70, while the USD/JPY traded at 102.07/10 after hitting a 2-½-week low of 101.50 in the prior session. Elsewhere, the EUR/USD hovered around levels of 1.3388/91 in morning trade on Monday, remaining within distance from a 9-month trough of 1.3333 hit mid last week. Somewhat easing geopolitical tensions capped recent gains in US government bonds, with the yield of the 10-year Treasury having pulled back to levels of 2.420% earlier today, from a recent 14-month trough of 2.349%.

GREECE

Greece's industrial production fell for the fourth consecutive month in June, recording a 6.7%YoY drop and marking its fastest pace of decline in nearly a year. The data comes on the heels of a downwardly revised 0.9%YoY drop (from +1.8%YoY initially announced) in the prior month. In other news, the PDMA said on Friday that it plans to auction on August 12 €1bn of 3-month T-bills to refinance maturing debt.

Latest developments in the CESEE region

CESEE MARKETS

Tracking gains in major global bourses, the majority of emerging stock markets staged a relief rally in European trade on Monday amid somewhat easing geopolitical tensions in Ukraine and the Middle East. Indicatively, the MSCI index of emerging equities stood 1.4% firmer from Friday's 1-1/2-month trough, while, in the CESEE region, Poland's WIG outperformed its peers bouncing from its lowest level since early March hit a session earlier. News about Turkish Prime Minister Tayyip Erdogan's victory in Sunday's first round of Presidential elections was initially perceived as positive for the country's short-term political stability. However, the main BIST 100 index reversed initial gains to stand ca 1% lower on the day at the time of writing amid uncertainty surrounding his replacement. Fitch reportedly warned that political risk could weigh on the country's sovereign credit ratings if it affects government effectiveness and policy predictability. In the FX markets, regional currencies were mixed, ahead of key macroeconomic data releases in the coming days. The lira broadly underperformed its regional peers at the time of writing, with the USD/TRY advancing by ca 0.2% to 2.1510 after hitting a 1-week low of 2.1320 earlier in the session. The Romanian leu was little changed trading near 4.4395/EUR in European trade after July's CPI came in at 1.0%YoY, vindicating market expectations for a bounce from a record low of 0.7%YoY a month earlier, while June's industrial production growth slowed marginally to 11.50%YoY from a multi-year high of 13.3%YoY in May.

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SERBIA: Indicators	2012	2013e	2014f
Real GDP growth %	-1.5	2.5	-0.4
CPI (pa, yoy %)	7.8	7.8	2.5
Budget Balance/GDP	<i>-7.5</i>	-5.8	-8.0
Current Account/GDP	-10.9	-5.0	-4.2
EUR/RSD (eop)	112.37	114.57	117.00
	2013	current	2014f
Policy Rate (eon)	9.50	8.50	8.00

Source: EC Economic Forecasts, Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Global Markets Research, local authorities

SERBIA

(Belgrade, 8/8/2014, 17:00 CET): Latest Political & Macro Developments: Prime Minister Vucic said in an interview to local media on Friday that Serbia does not intend to impose sanctions to Russia. He added any such measures would be extremely harmful for the domestic economy, as Serbia has strong ties and a custom free agreement with Russia. Serbia, as an EU candidate country, has come under pressure from EU officials to align its foreign policies with Brussels. Market Developments: The EUR/RSD was little changed on Friday, hovering around levels of 116.95/117.15 on Friday's close.

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ROMANIA

(Bucharest, 11/8/2014, 9:05 EET): Market Developments: The EUR/RON remained range-
bound within 4.4400/480 on Friday. Meanwhile, short-term RON rates continued to ease,
with the 1W implied rate from swaps closing at 1.00%, down from 2.00% in the beginning
of August. However, longer 1-6M rates remained elevated around 2.00%. In other news, the
MoF holds on Monday a primary market auction for EUR 250mn 5Y (Jan 2019) EUR
denominated bonds, intended to absorb some of the EUR freed by July's MPC reduction in
foreign currency minimum reserve requirements. Given the sell-off in Eurobonds over the
past week, the average accepted yield is anticipated to come in at around 2.15-25%.

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ROMANIA: Indicators	2012	2013e	2014f
Real GDP growth %	0.6	3.5	3.0
CPI (pa, yoy %)	3.3	4.0	1.7
Budget Balance/GDP	-3.0	-2.3	-2.2
Current Account/GDP	-4.4	-1.1	-1.0
EUR/RON (eop)	4.44	4.46	4.40
	2013	current	2014f
Policy Rate (eop)	4.00	3.25	3.00

Source: EC Economic Forecasts, Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Global Markets Research, local authorities

BULGARIA

(Sofia, 11/8/2014, 09:50 EET): Latest Political & Macro Developments: According to
р	oreliminary NSI data, industrial production growth slowed down to 0.6%YoY in June from
4	1.9%YoY in the prior month. Following three consecutive months of broad-based
ir	mprovement in all sectors, output in utilities decreased by 4.1%YoY and in mining by
1	.4%YoY. On the other hand, turnover in retail trade grew by 2.4%YoY in June, with the
р	bace of increase accelerating from a 1.3%YoY rise in May. Construction production rose for
t	he second month running, marking a 5.6%YoY increase after a 6.2%YoY advance in May.
٨	Market Developments: The domestic stock market closed in the black on Friday, with the
n	nain SOFIX index ending the session with gains of 0.45% after reversing earlier losses.
Т	rade volumes were subdued in view of the summer holidays

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BULGARIA: Indicators	2012	2013e	2014f
Real GDP growth %	0.6	0.9	1.8
CPI (pa, yoy %)	3.0	0.9	-0.9
Budget Balance/GDP	-0.8	-1.5	-3.0
Current Account/GDP	-0.9	1.9	1.0
EUR/BGN (eop)	1	1.95583	
	current	2013	2014f
Policy Rate (eop)	N/A	N/A	N/A

Source: EC Economic Forecasts, Reuters, Bloomberg, Eurobank Global Markets Research, local authorities

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GLOBAL MARKETS

Stock markets FOREX						Government Bonds				Commodities					
	Last	ΔD	ΔYTD		Last	ΔD	ΔYTD	(yields)	Last	ΔDbps	ΔYTD bps		Last	ΔD	ΔYTD
S&P 500	1931.59	1.2%	4.5%	EUR/USD	1.3395	-0.1%	-2.5%	UST - 10yr	2.42	0	-61	GOLD	1307	-0.3%	8.4%
Nikkei 225	15130.52	2.4%	-7.1%	GBP/USD	1.6789	0.1%	1.4%	Bund-10yr	1.06	1	-87	BRENT CRUDE	179	0.0%	6.8%
STOXX 600	327.05	0.7%	-0.4%	USD/JPY	102.04	0.0%	3.2%	JGB - 10yr	0.52	1	-22	LMEX	3252	-0.4%	2.9%

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BELIBOR	Last	ΔDbps	ΔYTD bps	ROBOR	Last	ΔDbps	ΔYTD bps	SOFIBOR	Last	ΔDbps	ΔYTD bps
T/N	6.69	1	-132	O/N	1.18	0	-56	LEONIA	0.03	0	-4
1-week	6.91	1	-137	1-month	1.73	0	-15	1-month	0.24	0	-8
l-month	7.25	1	-137	3-month	2.09	0	-35	3-month	0.49	0	-16
3-month	7.71	2	-117	6-month	2.49	0	-50	6-month	0.43	0	-24
-month	8.00	2	-115	12-month	2.64	0	-51	12-month	1.73	0	-46
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BY RSD	9.40	0	-56	3Y RON	2.59	3	-136	3Y BGN	1.36	0	27
SYRSD	10.27	-2	-255	5Y RON	3.39	1	-126	5Y BGN	2.02	-6	18
7Y RSD	11.29	0	-251	10Y RON	4.45	0	-85	10Y BGN	3.20	0	-29
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5-year	300	15	-109	5-year	147	-6	-36	5-year	137	-4	19
10-year	348	15	-98	10-year	192	-6	-40	10-year	180	-4	6
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BELEX15	603.5	0.24%	8.16%	BET	6955.5	0.58%	7.11%	SOFIX	542.6	0.00%	10.38%
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TUNEA	Last	ΔD	ΔΥΤΟ	POREX	Last	ΔD	ΔΥΤΟ	POREX	Last	ΔD	ΔΥΤΟ
EUR/RSD	115.4	0.03%	-2.16%	EUR/RON	4.4389	0.13%	0.77%	USD/BGN	1.4601	-0.11%	-2.53%
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