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LAST WEEK:

In October **flash inflation** amounted to 0.2% m/m and 2.5% y/y versus 0.0% m/m and 2.6% in September. In October food prices rose by 0.3% m/m and increased by 6.1% y/y, energy prices rose by 0.2% m/m and fell by 1.7% y/y and fuel prices were down 0.9% m/m and fell by 4.7% y/y. In October inflation has been stabilising due to decline in fuel prices.

In the period of January-September 2019 State **budget gap** was –PLN1.789bn (6.3% of plan for 2019). In the period of January-September 2019 budget revenues were PLN296.0bn (76.3% of plan for 2019), of which VAT revenues were equal to 72.4% of annual plan, CIT revenues 87,5% of plan and PIT revenues were 74.5% of annual plan. In the period of January-September 2019 budget expenditures amounted to PLN297.8bn (71,5% of annual plan). In this period debt servicing costs were PLN21.8bn (74.7% of plan), subsidy to state pension fund FUS was PLN34.9bn (70.6% of annual plan) and subsidies to local governments were PLN50.1bn (81.2% of annual plan).

THIS WEEK:

In October manufacturing PMI index fell to 45.6pts from 47.8pts in September and was at the lowest level since mid-2009. PMI index has been below threshold of 50pts for twelfth month in a row, signalling further deterioration of business conditions in manufacturing. The decline of PMI in October was the strongest in more than three and half a year. The decline in PMI in October was a result of declines in new orders, output and employment sub-indices. In the opinion of entrepreneurs a decline in new orders stemmed mainly from competition from China and weaker demand in Europe. Growth in producer prices was the least in three years due to a fall in prices of metals. Forecasts of output over 12-monmth horizon were the weakest since the introduction of this indicator in 2012.

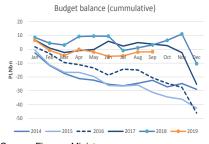
On Wednesday the MPC ends its two-day long monetary policy meeting. We expect the MPC to keep interest rates unchanged and to maintain its guidance for no change in interest rates in the near future.

Figure 1: Inflation



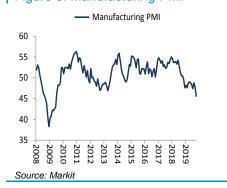
Source: GUS

Figure 2: Budget balance



Source: Finance Ministry

Figure 3: Manufacturing PMI



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DIARY (this week)

Date	GMT	Release/Event	DB Expected	Actual	Consensus
Nov-04	8:00	PMI manufacturing (Oct)	47.5	45.6	48.1
Nov-06		MPC decision	1.50%		1.50%

Source: Deutsche Bank Estimates, Reuters and Bloomberg Finance LP

FX and interest rate forecasts

						WIBOR	WIBOR	EURIBOR	LIBOR	CPI	Yield on 10Y
	EUR/PLN	USD/PLN	CHF/PLN	GBP/PLN	EUR/USD	ЗМ	6M	ЗМ	USD 3M	(Poland)	POLGB
(end of period)											
Nov-19	4.280	3.811	3.856	4.905	1.123	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.85	2.8	2.08
Dec-19	4.300	3.805	3.874	4.833	1.130	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.9	2.10
Jan-20	4.300	3.800	3.871	4.829	1.132	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	3.3	2.10
Feb-20	4.300	3.794	3.868	4.825	1.133	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	3.1	2.10
Mar-20	4.300	3.789	3.865	4.821	1.135	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.9	2.10
Apr-20	4.300	3.783	3.862	4.817	1.137	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.5	2.10
May-20	4.300	3.777	3.859	4.813	1.138	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.4	2.15
Jun-20	4.300	3.772	3.857	4.809	1.140	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.2	2.20
Jul-20	4.300	3.766	3.854	4.805	1.142	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.1	2.20
Aug-20	4.300	3.761	3.851	4.801	1.143	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.1	2.20
Sep-20	4.300	3.755	3.848	4.798	1.145	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.4	2.20
Oct-20	4.300	3.750	3.845	4.794	1.147	1.72	1.79	-0.40	1.80	2.5	2.20

Note: Due to Regulation (EU) 2016/1011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2016 on indices used as benchmarks in financial instruments and financial contracts or to measure the performance of investment funds and amending Directives 2008/48/EC and 2014/17/EU and Regulation (EU) No 596/2014 the way of calculation of WIBOR rates and their values may be subject to change.

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Appendix 1

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