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Poland

Market Commentary

Poland Daily

HEADLINES:

POL: Retail sales for November fell by 5.4% m/m and decreased by 5.3% y/y. Real retail sales fell by 5.3% y/y in November. In November retail sales of automobiles fell by 9.4% y/y while retail sales of fuels declined by as much as 19.9% y/y. Retail sales increased in furniture, consumer electronics and white goods (up 0.7% y/y) while retail sales of food were only marginally lower on an annual basis (down 0.6% y/y). Comparing to October this year retail sales through Internet rose by almost half in November, and its share in total retail sales increased to 11.4% in November from 7.3% in October.

POL: Construction output fell by 4.9% y/y and rose by 0.6% m/m in November.

POL: MPC member Rafal Sura said that the Council should keep interest rates unchanged until the end of their term. He added that monetary policy should be conducted in a way that supports economic growth. He also referred to Friday's intervention of the NBP in the FX market saying that the intervention was aimed at supporting exports.

THE DAY AHEAD...

POL: Money supply M3 (Nov)

DEU: GfK consumer confidence (Dec)

UK: GDP (Q3)

TODAY'S FOCUS:

Today economic calendar contains money supply for November from Poland, GfK index of consumer confidence for December from Germany and UK's Q3 GDP.

Date

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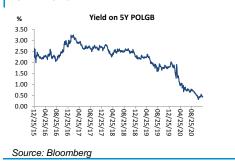




Figure 2: Yield on 5Y POLGB



Figure 3: Yield on 5Y POLGB – long term trend



DIARY (Today)

Country	GMT	Release	DB Expected	Actual	Consensus
DEU	7:00	GfK consumer confidence (Jan)		-7.3	-7.6
UK	7:00	GDP (Q3)		16.0% (-8.6%)	15.5% (-9.6%)
POL	13:00	Money supply M3 (Nov)	1.2% (16.9%)		1.0% (16.8%)

Source: Deutsche Bank Estimates and Bloomberg Finance LP



Foreign Exchange

Today in the morning the zloty was 0.6% firmer versus the USD and was 0.6% firmer versus the EUR compared to the previous NBP fixing. On Friday the NBP intervened on the zloty weakening the unit to 4.5120 PLN per EUR. Today the zloty should be moving in a range of 4.4800-4.5250 PLN per EUR.

The USD weakened by 0.3% versus the euro.

Fixed Income

The yields on Poland's government bonds were 2 and 5bps down respectively in 5-year and 10-year tenors.

Interest Rates

Today the O/N bid rate should be within a range of -0.05% - 0.00%. Swap rates were 2-4bps down in 5-year and 10-year sectors.

Equities

Yesterday the Dow Jones index closed 0.12% up and the S&P 500 index fell by 0.39%. Today in the morning the FTSE 100 index was 0.36% up, the CAC 40 index was 1.17% up and the DAX index was 1.30% up. The Nikkei index closed 1.04% up. Today in the morning the WIG index was 1.49% up and the WIG20 index was 1.78% up.





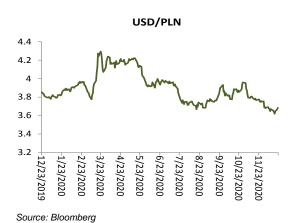


Source: Bloomberg



Medium term FX trends:







Appendix 1

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