

Market Comment

# All that glitters is gold ahead of G-20 summit

- Investors sought shelter in safe haven assets with gold prices surging above six-year high level and the yen strengthening due to ongoing geopolitical uncertainties, as well as investor caution ahead of today's Fed Chairman speech and the Trump-Xi meeting on the sidelines of G-20 summit this Saturday.
- Tensions between the U.S. and Iran continue to intensify** after Iran said that U.S. sanctions against its top leaders to access financial instruments abroad imply a permanent closure of the path of diplomacy. Furthermore, the U.S. stated that the pressure will go on and they would look to impose even more sanctions (see).
- On the trade front, **low expectations from the Trump-Xi meeting**, media report US Congress want Trump to maintain the hard approach against Huawei at the meeting. This could be an obstacle for a meaningful breakthrough in US-China trade impasse this weekend. That said, hopes remain alive that the two leaders could thaw heightened bilateral tensions.
- Weaker activity data in the US** that pave the way for the Fed to start easing the monetary policy cycle. **The US consumer confidence declined more than expected in June** (121.5, consensus 131, previous month 134.1) along with new home sales (626K, consensus 684K, previous month 673K).
- The uncertain backdrop meant that treasury yields trended further down** with safe-haven bonds well in demand. The 10Y US Treasury breaching the 2% level on the down side. Peripheral risk premia showed minor changes. Italy risk premium trimmed its early widening (due to supply factors) after Italy's economy minister confirmed the government would reduce its fiscal deficit target this year from 2.4% to 2.1% of GDP.
- The US dollar trimmed early depreciation ending broadly flat, as investors increased demand for safe-haven assets. EM FX currencies were mixed but showing minor changes, as lower US yields provided support.
- Despite the geopolitical risk, oil prices remained steady underpinned by concerns about demand, amid Saudi Arabia pledged to offset any supply shortage. However, risk-off mood boosted gold and gold demand.
- Equity markets declined across the board, especially in Asia due to low expectations of a significant progress in trade talks between U.S. and China.
- This afternoon, **all eyes will be on the Fed Chairman speech** about the economic outlook and its monetary policy that will take place after European markets close.

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## DEBT MARKETS (10Y, %, CHANGES IN BP)

Developed Markets	level	Daily	Week	Month	YTD
US (2-yr)	1,71	-2,7	-15,9	-46	-78
<b>US</b>	1,98	-3,1	-7,6	-34	-70
GER (2-yr)	-0,74	0,3	2,3	-11	-13
<b>Germany</b>	-0,33	-2,4	-1,1	-21	-57
France	0,00	-2,7	-1,3	-29	-71
Spain	0,38	-2,8	-1,3	-45	-114
Italy	2,16	0,6	4,5	-39	-73
Portugal	0,48	-4,3	-4,9	-49	-138
Greece	2,48	4,8	-3,7	-89	-192
Japan (2-yr)	-0,23	0,0	-3,2	-8	-9
<b>Japan</b>	-0,16	-0,1	-3,1	-9	-16
Emerging Markets	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
Brazil	7,61	-5,4	-33,1	-124	-163
Chile	3,09	0,0	-7,3	-61	-116
Colombia	6,22	-0,1	-8,9	-54	-53
Mexico	7,64	-3,3	-5,1	-35	-100
Peru	4,14	-2,7	-11,8	-55	-123
Poland	2,31	-4,0	-2,5	-52	-51
Russia	7,50	1,5	-11,9	-54	-128
Turkey	15,78	19,0	-113,0	-300	-2
India	6,88	3,1	7,4	-34	-49
Indonesia	7,42	-5,4	-24,6	-50	-60

## COUNTRY RISK (BP, CHANGES IN BP)

Developed Markets	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>10-yr sovereign spread vs Germany</b>					
France	33	-0,3	-0,2	-7	-8
Italy	249	3,0	5,6	-18	-16
Portugal	81	-1,9	-3,8	-28	-75
Spain	71	-0,4	-0,2	-23	-51
<b>2-yr sovereign spread vs Germany</b>					
France	7	-1,1	-1,4	1	-8
Italy	103	0,3	3,0	-8	-5
Portugal	31	-2,9	-5,2	8	5
Spain	32	-1,1	-0,7	3	-5
Emerging Markets	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>5-yr sovereign CDS *</b>					
Brazil	150	1,1	-14	-30	-57
Chile	40	1,5	-2	-9	-23
Colombia	94	2,5	-12	-20	-64
Argentina	983	41,9	-41	-165	177
Mexico	114	2,9	-10	-7	-41
Peru	56	1,3	-4	-14	-39
Poland	65	0,0	0	-2	-3
Russia	113	0,9	-10	-16	-41
Turkey	428	-12,9	-52	-92	68
China	44	0,0	-7	-10	-24
India	79	-3,3	-5	-3	-35
Indonesia	92	-0,5	-10	-18	-46

## RISK INDICATORS

Volatility indicators (change in pp)	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
VIX	16	0,5	1	0	-10
VSTOXX	14	0,0	1	-3	-10
EMEFT volatility Index	19	0,5	0	-2	-6
Dollar/euro volatility	6	0,2	1	1	-1
EMFX volatility index	8	0,0	0	0	-2
Credit spread (BAA) (change in bps)	237	3,1	-3	6	-9
US bonds volatility index	74	-0,9	-3	13	7
Inflation expectations (% change in pp)	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
US Inflation expectations (5Y5Y)	2,04	-	6	-11	-9
EZ Inflation expectations (5Y5Y)	1,21	-	-2	-10	-39
Banking 5y CDS (bps) *	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
US	50	1,0	-9	-10	-32
EZ	64	-0,2	-10	-23	-40
UK	56	-0,4	-6	-21	-39
Large Spanish	45	-1,3	-7	-16	-42
Medium Spanish	95	1,0	12	13	-18
Corporate 5y CDS (bps) *	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
US Non-financial	160	1,0	-9	-10	-32
EZ Non-financial	74	-0,2	-10	-23	-40
UK Non-financial	100	-0,2	-5	-8	-19

## INTERBANK MARKETS (% CHANGES IN BP)

	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
EONIA Index	-0,36	0	1	1	0
Euribor 3m	-0,35	0	-2	-3	-4
<b>Euribor 12m</b>	-0,21	0	-3	-6	-9
Eonia Swap 3m	-0,40	0	-1	-3	-4
<b>Eonia Swap 12m</b>	-0,48	0	0	-9	-13
Libor 3m	2,33	-2	-9	-19	-46
Libor 12m	2,18	-2	-11	-47	-83

## STOCK MARKETS (%)

Main indices	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>S&amp;P500</b>	2.935	-0,4	0,6	3,9	17
Dow Jones	26.679	-0,2	0,8	4,3	14
Nikkei	21.194	-0,4	1,1	0,4	6
FTSE 100	7.422	0,1	-0,3	2,0	10
<b>EuroStoxx 50</b>	3.444	-0,3	-0,2	2,8	15
IBEX	9.160	-0,4	-0,9	-0,2	7
DAX	12.228	-0,4	-0,8	1,8	16
CAC	5.515	-0,1	0,1	3,7	17
MIB	21.128	-0,7	0,0	3,7	15
ASE Athens	847	-0,3	-0,8	15,7	38
<b>MSCI Latam *</b>	95.249	0,2	3,7	7,1	10
Ibovespa (Brazil)	101.267	-0,8	1,9	8,2	15
Mexbol (Mexico)	43.848	0,2	1,6	2,9	5
Merval (Argentina)	39.927	-0,5	-1,9	13,8	32
<b>MSCI EM Europe *</b>	5.978	0,6	1,6	6,6	13
Poland	2.303	-1,2	-0,9	5,3	1
Micex 10 (Russia)	4.760	-0,6	-0,8	3,7	14
Ise 100 (Turkey)	95.421	0,3	1,3	10,9	5
<b>MSCI EM Asia *</b>	852	-0,1	3,3	4,6	9
Shanghai Com (China)	2.982	-0,9	3,2	4,5	20
Jakarta (Indonesia)	6.320	0,1	2,1	4,8	2
Banking sector	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>US banks</b>	132,7	-0,6	-1,7	0,2	15
JPM	108,7	0,0	-1,8	-0,9	11
Citi	67,0	-0,5	-1,4	4,1	29
BoA	27,7	-1,1	-3,3	-1,8	12
MS	42,7	-0,9	-1,5	-0,7	8
GS	196,3	-0,6	0,7	1,7	18
<b>EZ banks</b>	67,4	-0,8	-2,0	-3,9	-2
BNP	40,5	-0,7	-2,5	-7,8	2
Crédit Agricole	10,2	-1,1	-2,8	0,3	8
Deutsche Bank	6,3	-0,2	-1,1	-1,7	-10
ING	9,7	-0,6	-3,4	-0,3	3
Intesa	1,9	-0,3	-0,3	-2,6	-4
SG	21,4	-0,6	-0,7	-13,1	-23
Unicredito	10,3	-1,7	-2,1	-0,9	4
<b>UK banks</b>	74,1	-0,2	-1,7	-1,8	0
HSBC	647,8	0,3	-1,5	-1,8	2
RBS	216,1	0,4	0,5	-0,3	0
Barclays	146,9	-1,1	-3,1	-1,6	-2
Lloyds	56,7	-0,5	-2,4	-3,1	9
<b>Large Spanish banks</b>	60,1	-0,2	-0,4	-1,8	3
Santander	4,0	0,4	-0,3	-0,5	1
<b>BBVA</b>	4,9	-0,8	-0,5	-2,9	5
<b>Medium Spanish banks</b>	47,4	-0,6	-3,4	-10,8	-18
Caixabank	2,4	-0,3	-3,7	-11,8	-23
Sabadell	0,9	-0,3	-4,1	-12,1	-11
Bankinter	5,9	-1,2	-2,7	-10,6	-16
Bankia	2,0	0,1	-4,5	-10,6	-21

## CURRENCIES (% RED FOR CURRENCY DEPRECIATION)

Developed	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>EURUSD</b>	1,139	-0,1	1,7	1,6	-1
GBPUSD	1,27	-0,2	1,3	0,0	0
USDJPY	106,92	0,4	1,4	2,2	3
DXY	96,02	0,0	-1,7	-1,6	0
Emerging	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
USDARS (Argentina)	42,31	0,3	2,8	6,0	-11
USDBRL (Brazil)	3,83	-0,2	0,8	5,0	1
USDCPL (Chile)	677,56	0,5	2,8	2,5	2
USDCOP (Colombia)	3182	0,7	2,3	5,3	2
USDMXN (Mexico)	19,22	-0,1	-0,5	-0,9	2
USDPEN (Peru)	3,30	0,2	1,1	1,5	2
LACI	54,59	0,0	0,7	2,7	1
USDPLN (Poland)	3,74	-0,2	1,8	2,5	0
USDRUB (Russia)	62,82	-0,4	2,0	2,6	10
USDTRY (Turkey)	5,78	0,5	0,8	5,2	-8
USDCNY (China)	6,88	0,0	0,3	0,3	0
USDINR (India)	69,35	0,0	0,5	0,3	1
USDIDR (Indonesia)	14125	0,2	1,4	1,9	2
ADXY	105,34	0,0	0,6	1,1	0

## COMMODITIES (%)

	level	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	YTD
<b>Brent</b>	65,5	1,0	5,4	-5	22
WTx	58	0,7	8,1	-1	28
Copper	274	1,3	1,3	1	4
Gold	1430	0,7	6,2	11	12
S&P Spot commodity *	423	0,4	3,0	-1	13
S&P Metals Spot *	546	-0,4	4,6	-5	19
S&P Metals *	318	0,7	0,4	0	0
S&P Agricultural *	306	1,1	-0,3	9	8

Source: Bloomberg, Datastream and Haver

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