

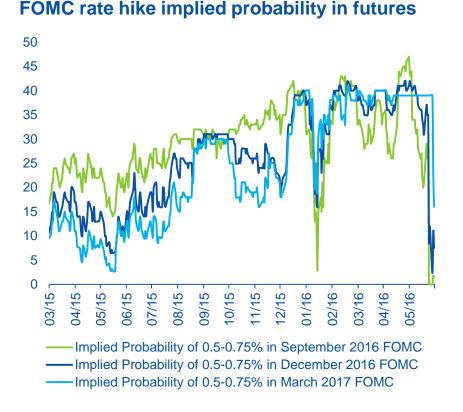
Turkey Monthly Economic Monitor

June July 1st 2016 RESEARCH

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Global Developments

Financial volatility triggered again as safe-haven assets attract fresh flows by the increasing concerns on Brexit. Markets expect Fed to stay on hold this year



World Manufacturing PMI by regions

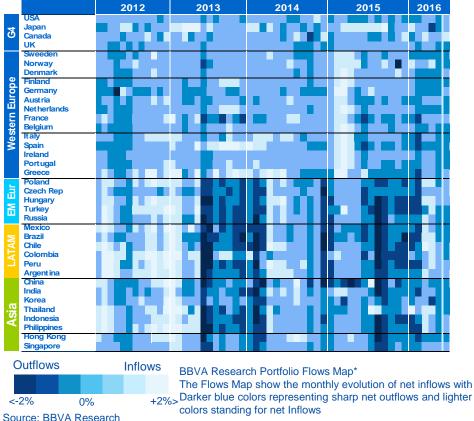


Global Developments

Increasing global financial tension dragged down capital flows to EMs in June

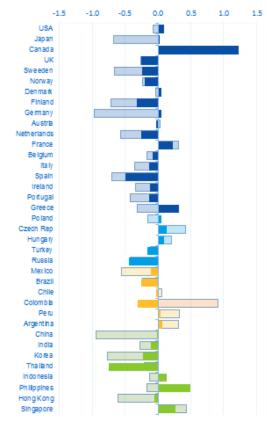
BBVA High Frequency Portfolio Flows Map

(% monthly change in net liabilities measured as net flows to total assets under management)



Flows June vs. May 2016 (up to 22nd of June)

(% guarterly change in flows, shades are previous values)

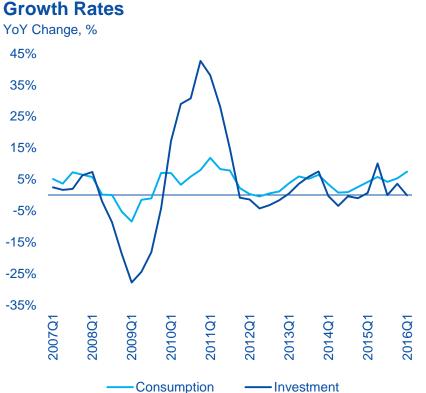




Economic Activity: GDP

GDP growth moderated to 4.8% YoY in 1Q from 5.7% of 4Q15. Strong consumption is behind the robust data while private investments and net exports contracted.





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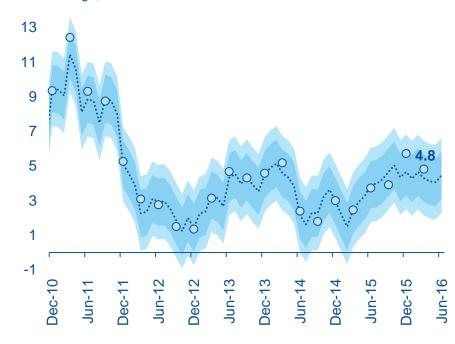
Risks are balanced around our 3.9% above consensus 2016 growth estimate as the recent initiative on Russian sanctions is likely to erase the negative burden on growth together with the pushing factors of minimum wage hike and refugee impact

2015 2016 Nov Apr May Oct Dec Jan Feb Mar Mean Industrial Production 6.0 5.4 4.4 Non-metal Mineral 4.4 4.4 5.0 **Electricity Production** 13.9 Auto Sales -10.3 -18.7 -27.6 **Tourist Arrivals** 4.5 -3.9 -4.5 -8.0 Number of Employed 4.3 Number of Unemployed 0.6 Auto Imports 17.8 5.7 0.2 29.6 Auto Exports 9.3 **Financial Conditions** 85.3 75.1 82.2 80.4 79.1 84.8 Credit Growth-13Week 21.2 7.9 10.2 6.2 9.6 9.4 12.1 11.3 PMI Manuf acturing 517 49.2 48.9 49.4 Real Sector Confidence 104.1 103.6 105.9 105.7 107.6 105.2 GDP YoY 5.7% 4.8% Contraction Slow-down Growth Boom

Activity Indicators

3 MA, YoY Change, %

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Monthly GDP Growth & Estimate YoY Change, %



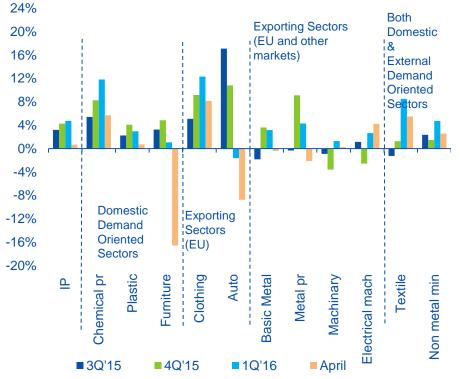
Industrial production significantly moderated in April. Tourist arrivals kept falling with the beginning of the high season

Sectors in Industrial Production (IP)

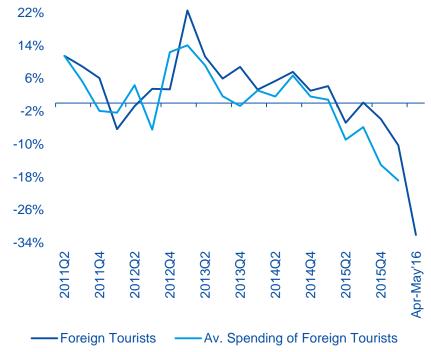
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Calendar Adjusted, YoY

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Tourism Sector, YoY

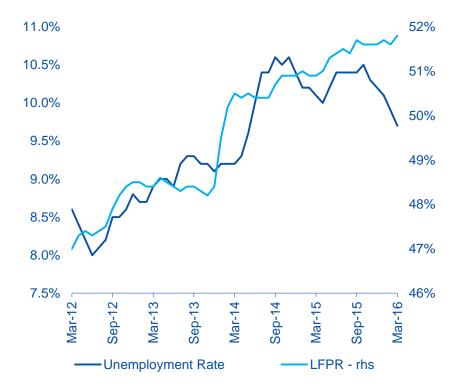




Fall in unemployment rate continued in its 5th consecutive month and participation in labor force increased

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Employment Growth in Sectors. YoY



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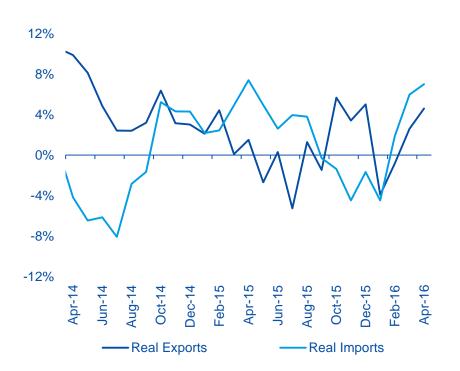


Economic Activity: Trade

By the beginning of 2Q, exports remained weak and the risks are on the downside as Brexit would weigh more on EU growth in the near future

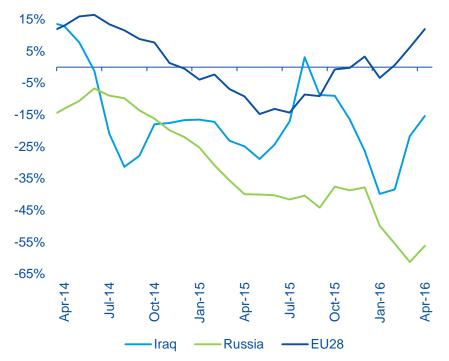
Foreign Trade Figures

3MA, YoY Change



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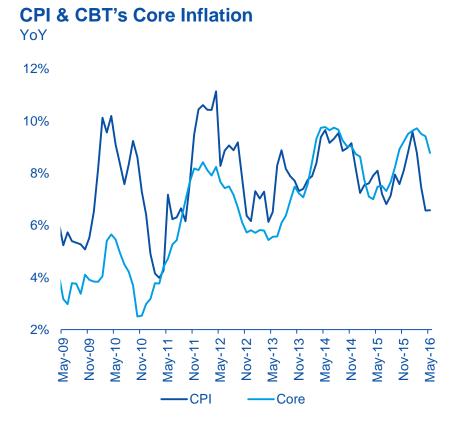
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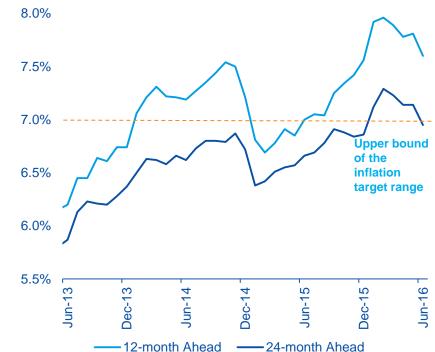


Inflation

Headline inflation remained constant at 6.6% in May. Food inflation contributed positively, while some core items had a reducing impact



Inflation Expectations

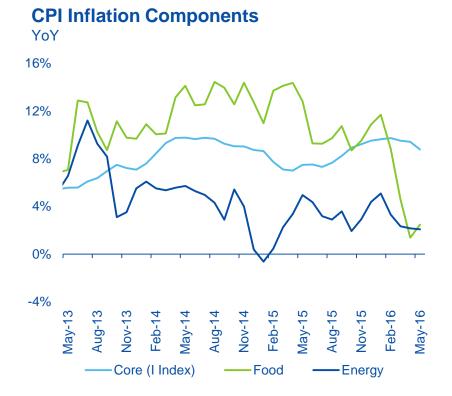




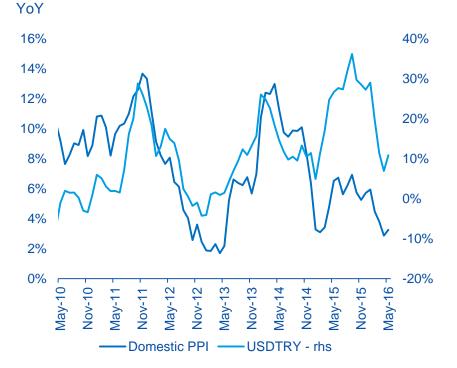
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Little margin for currency appreciation, cost push impacts of minimum wage hike and narrowing output gap are likely to restrain the improvement in core inflation. Food inflation will have a correction in June as well



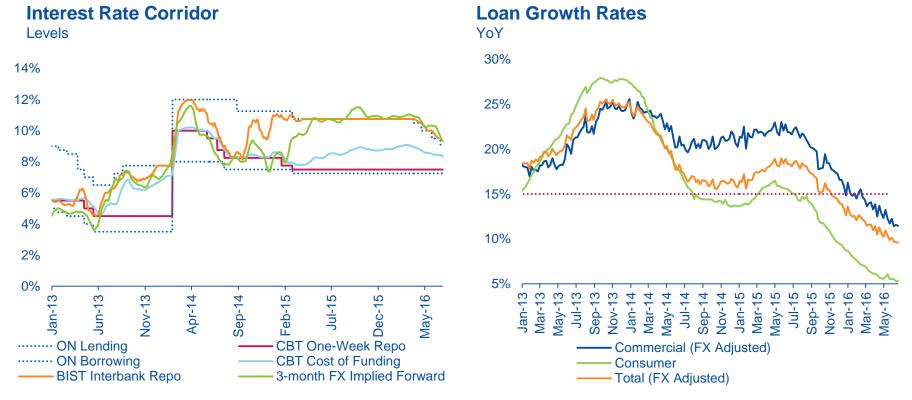
Domestic PPI & USD/TL





Monetary Policy

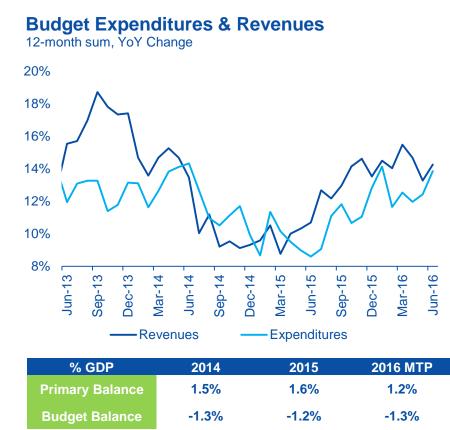
The CBT reduced the upper bound of the corridor further to 9.0% in June (175bps since March). The marked fall in inflation was once again the main argument behind the easing while the recent decrease in the core inflation was also added this time



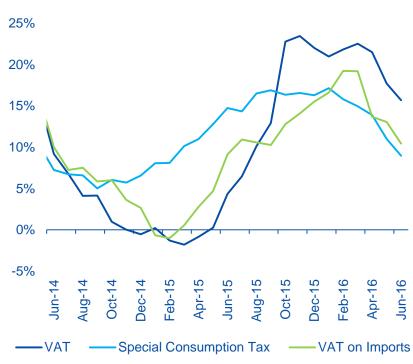
Fiscal Policy

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Revenue growth remains solid being supported by one-off revenues, while subdued interest expenditures helped the overall expenditures to stay moderate year-to-date



Tax Revenues



12-month sum, YoY Change

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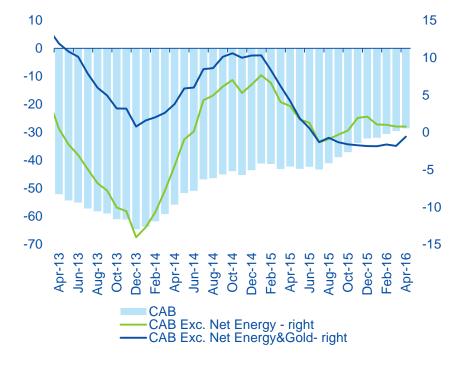
External Balance: CAB & Financing

CA deficit further narrowed to USD 28.6bn in April from USD 29.5bn (4.2% of GDP) in March. The adjustment may come to an end as of May due to uncertainties on tourism revenues in the high season and the recent pick-up in oil prices

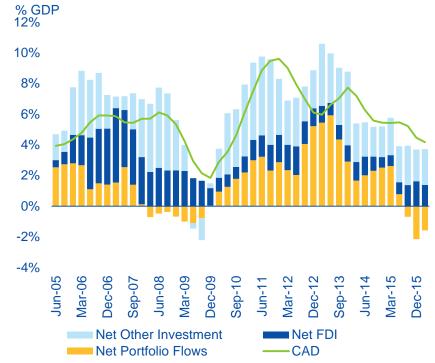
Current Account Balance

12-month sum, bn USD

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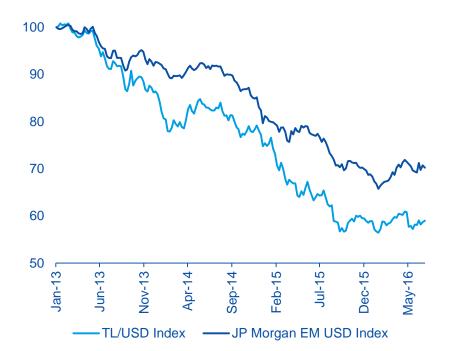
Current Account Net Financing



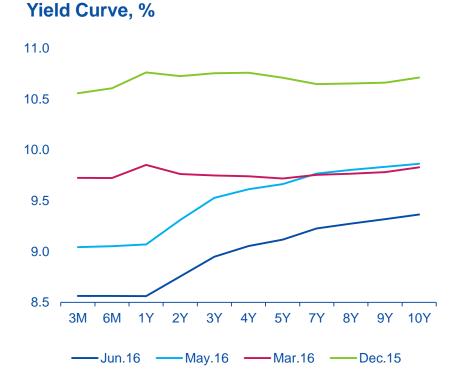
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Exchange & Interest Rates

The initial impact on Turkish financial assets due to Brexit concerns has short-lived so far. Yield curve shifted downwards and continued to be positively sloped on further rate cut expectations from the CBRT









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