

Global Macro Watch

Known Unknowns Mon 15 – Fri 19 May

US Retail Sales

We forecast a 0.7% m/m rise in headline retail sales and a more modest 0.2% in sales ex autos in April, driven by the sharp pickup in auto sales, but other spending categories look soft in the BAC aggregated credit & debit card data. So far, the BAC card data point to a relatively benign consumption slowdown and few signs of bank stress weighing on spending.

Japan GDP and CPI

We expect 1Q '23 GDP to increase by 0.3% q/q sa. This recovery will likely be driven by domestic consumption growth along with post-COVID economic reopening. We expect BoJ-style core CPI (ex fresh food and energy) to come at 4.2% y/y in March. In addition to a further rise of prices for non-perishable food, services items also likely jumped in April.

UK Labor Data

Next week, for the UK, we will be looking at the March labor market report. We expect the unemployment rate to remain at 3.8%, with a slight slowdown in wage growth (5.8% y/y in average weekly earnings, from 5.9% in February).

The week ahead in Emerging Markets

There are monetary policy meetings in Mexico, Egypt and The Philippines. CPI in China and Poland. Monthly economic activity in Brazil and China.

In other data

US: Fed speakers, retail sales, industrial production, NAHB housing market index, building permits, initial jobless claims, existing home sales, empire manufacturing.

Eurozone: ECB speakers, CPI, GDP, industrial production, ZEW, Eurogroup and ECOFIN.

UK: BoE speakers, labor market report, consumer confidence.

Japan: CPI, GDP, trade balance.

Australia: RBA minutes, wage price index and labor market report.

New Zealand: Budget, trade balance.

Canada: Housing Starts, CPI, and Retail Sales.

Switzerland: sight deposits.

Scandies: In Sweden CPIF, inflation expectations and Riksbank speakers.

For details see <u>US Economic Weekly</u>, Asia Economic Weekly, Europe Economic Weekly

The Global Economic Calendar has become a part of the Known Unknowns.

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Abbreviations:

SNB - Swiss National Bank

PCE – personal consumption expenditures

ECB – European Central Bank

BoE - Bank of England

RBA - Reserve Bank of Australia

RBNZ - Reserve Bank of New Zealand

BoJ - Bank of Japan

BoC – Bank of Canada

QT – Quantitative Tightening

 $PMI-purchasing \, managers' \, index$

CPI – consumer price index

WEF - World Economic Forum

CB – Central Bank

Known Unknowns

Exhibit 1: Global weekly calendar

There are no G10 central bank meetings this week. Note dates are according to London time

	Speak CBs	ers (n	one) E	conomic	Data		Meeting	gs / Strik	es / Vote	s
Date	LDN	NY	HK	Country	Event	Period	BofAe	Cons.	Prev.	Details
	07:00	02:00	14:00	SW	CPIF y/y	Apr	8.0%	8.0%	8.0%	
	07:00	02:00	14:00	SW	CPIF ex energy y/y	Apr	8.5%	8.7%	8.9%	
	09:00	04:00	16:00	SZ	Total Sight Deposits CHF	May 12			525.6b	
	10:00	05:00	17:00	EC	EU Commission Economic Forecasts					
	10:00	05:00	17:00	EC	Industrial Production SA m/m	Mar	-0.4%	-2.4%	1.5%	
	12:00	07:00	19:00	SW	Riksbank's Bunge speech					On "The condition of the Swedish economy"
	13:10	08:10	20:10	EC	ECB's Nagel speech					Gives monetary policy speech in Frankfurt
Mon May 15	13:15	08:15	20:15	CA	Housing Starts	Apr			213.9k	
	13:30	08:30	20:30	US	Empire Manufacturing	May	-5.0	-4.0	10.8	
	13:45	08:45	20:45	US	Fed's Bostic speech					At the annual financial markets conference in Florida
	14:00	09:00	21:00	EC	Eurogroup					Eurogroup meetings in Brussels
	14:15	09:15	21:15	US	Fed's Kashkari speech					At the ACEC's Minnesota Transportation Conference
	17:00	12:00	00:00	UK	BoE's Huw Pill speech					About the Monetary Policy Report
	22:00	17:00	05:00	US	Fed's Cook speech					At the commencement address at UC Berkeley
	02:30	21:30	09:30	AU	RBA Minutes Prospera small Inflation Expectations	May				Minutes for the May meeting
	07:00	02:00	14:00	sw	Survey	May				
										We expect the unemployment rate to remain at 3.8%,
	07:00	02:00	14:00	UK	ILO Unemployment Rate 3Mths	Mar	3.8%	3.8%	3.8%	with a slight slowdown in wage growth
	07:00 07:00	02:00 02:00	14:00 14:00	UK UK	Employment Change 3M/3M Average Weekly Earnings 3M y/y	Mar Apr	160k 5.8%	158k 5.8%	169k 5.9%	
	07:00	02:00	14:00	UK	Average Weekly Earnings ex Bonus 3M y/y	Apr	6.8%	6.8%	6.6%	
	09:15	04:15	16:15	EC	ECB's Makhlouf speech					Gives keynote address in Dublin
	10:00	05:00	17:00	EC	GDB SA o/o (B)	1Q	0.1%	0.1%	0.10%	Past revisions to Ireland's data suggests that slight upside revision to the Euro area aggregate is possible
	10:00	05:00	17:00	EC	GDP SA q/q (P) ZEW Survey Expectations	May	0.170	-5.5	4.1	upside revision to the Edito area aggregate is possible
	10:00	05:00	17:00	GE	ZEW Survey Current Situation	May		-37.5	-32.5	
	13:15	08:15	20:15	US	Fed's Mester speech					Discusses the economic and policy outlook in Dublin
Tue May 16	13:30	08:30	20:30	CA	CPI y/y	Anr	4.1%		4.3%	Expect renewed upside pressures from transportation given the increase in gasoline price in April
	13:30	08:30	20:30	CA	CPI NSA m/m	Apr Apr	0.4%		0.5%	given the increase in gasonne price in April
	13:30	08:30	20:30	US	Retail Sales m/m	Apr	0.7%	0.7%	-0.6%	This is driven by the sharp pickup in auto sales in April
	12.20	00.20	20:30	US	Datail Calas Ev. Auto m/m	A	0.2%	0.4%	-0.8%	However, the BAC card data suggest that other spending categories looks soft, hence the moderation
	13:30 13:30	08:30 08:30	20:30	US	Retail Sales Ex Auto m/m Core Control m/m	Apr Apr	0.2%	0.4%	-0.8%	here
	14:15	09:15	21:15	US	Industrial Production m/m	Apr	0.2%	0.0%	0.40%	
	15:00	10:00	22:00	US	NAHB Housing Market Index	May	46	45	45	
	14:05	09:05	21:05	EC	ECOFIN					ECOFIN meetings in Brussels
	15:00 15:00	10:00 10:00	22:00 22:00	EC US	ECB's Lagarde speech Fed's Barr speech					For conferral of State Prize to Angela Merkel In Cologne Testifies before the House Financial Services Committee
	17:15	12:15	00:15	US	Fed's Williams speech					Discusses economic outlook and monetary policy
	20:15	15:15	03:15	US	Fed's Logan speech					Panel at the Atlanta Fed's Financial Markets Conference
	00:00	19:00	07:00	US	Fed's Bostic and Goolsbee speech					Discussion about the economic outlook in Florida
	00:50	19:50	07:50	JN	GDP Annualized SA q/q (P)	1Q	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	Recovery will likely be driven by domestic consumption growth along with post-COVID economic reopening
	02:30	21:30	09:30	AU	Wage Price Index q/q	1Q	0.9%	0.2 /0	0.8%	growth along with post-covid economic reopening
	08:15	03:15	15:15	EC	ECB's De Cos speaks	7				On "navigating the wave of inflation"
	10:00	05:00	17:00	EC	CPI y/y (F)	Apr	7.0%	7.0%	6.9%	
Wed May 17	10:00	05:00	17:00 17:00	EC	CPI Core y/y (F)	Apr	5.6%	5.6%	5.60%	"Beyond GDP indicators" at Beyond Growth Conference
17	10:00	05:00 05:30	17:00	EC SW	ECB's Elderson speaks Riksbank's Floden speaks					At a research seminar
	13:30	08:30	20:30	US	Housing Starts	Apr	1400k	1396k	1420k	We still think the housing sector is searching for a pottom after the affordability shock depressed activity
	12:20	00.30	20:30	US	Puilding Downite	A	14254	14201	14126	Part of our reluctance to declare "all clear" on housing is the signal from permits
	13:30 16:15	08:30 11:15	23:15	EC	Building Permits ECB's Guindos speech	Apr	1425k	1428k	1413k	On "Banking navigating the wave of inflation"
-	00:50	19:50	07:50	JN	Exports y/y	Apr	3.0%	3.0%	4.30%	By goods, IT exports will likely continue to slow while auto exports will likely underpin overall exports
	02:30	21:30	09:30	AU	Employment Change	Apr		25.0k	53.0k	
Th., 14 10	02:30	21:30	09:30	AU NZ	Unemployment Rate	Apr		3.50%	3.50%	
Thu May 18	03:00 08:45	22:00 03:45	10:00 15:45	UK	Budget BoE's Huw Pill speech					Opening remarks at the CCBS Macro Finance workshop
	09:00	04:00	16:00	EC	ECB Publishes Economic Bulletin					Spenning Territories are the ecostination injuries workshop
	10:15	05:15	17:15	UK	BoE's Bailey speech					Testifies on QT to Treasury Select Committee
	13:30	08:30	20:30	US	Philadelphia Fed Business Outlook	May	-20.0	-21.1	-31.3	



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	Speakers (none) Economic Data CBs							Meetings / Strikes / Votes					
				US	Initial Jobless Claims	May 13	275k		264k	Going forward, we expect the layoffs in the technology and finance sectors to keep showing up in the data			
	14:05	09:05	21:05	US	Fed's Jefferson speech					On the economic outlook at the NAIC, Washington			
	14:30	09:30	21:30	US	Fed's Barr speech					Testifies before Senate Banking Committee			
	15:00	10:00	22:00	US	Fed's Logan speech					Speaks at Texas Bankers Association Convention			
	15:00	10:00	22:00	US	Existing Home Sales	Apr	4.20m	4.28m	4.44m				
	23:45	18:45	06:45	NZ	Trade Balance NZD	Apr			-1273m				
	00:01	19:01	07:01	UK	GfK Consumer Confidence	May	-28.0		-30				
	00:30	19:30	07:30	JN	Natl CPI Ex Fresh Food y/y	Apr	3.4%	3.4%	3.1%	in addition to further rise of non-perishable food, services items will also likely jump in April			
	00:30	19:30	07:30	JN	Natl CPI Ex Fresh Food and Energy y/y	Apr	4.2%	4.2%	3.8%				
	07:00	02:00	14:00	GE	PPI y/y	Apr		4.80%	7.50%				
	07:00	02:00	14:00	GE	PPI m/m	Apr		-0.50%	-2.60%				
Fri May 19	10:45	05:45	17:45	UK	BoE's Haskel speech					"New directions in the measurement of productivity"			
	13:30	08:30	20:30	CA	Retail Sales m/m	Mar			-0.20%				
	13:45	08:45	20:45	US	Fed's Williams speech					Speaks at Monetary Policy Conference, Washington			
	14:00	09:00	21:00	US	Fed's Bowman speech					Takes Part in Discussion at Bankers Convention			
	14:55	09:55	21:55	EC	ECB's Schnabel speech					On financial stability and monetary policy in London			
	16:00	11:00	23:00	US	Fed Chair Powell, Former Chair Bernanke					At monetary policy panel in Washington			
	20:00	15:00	03:00	EC	ECB's Lagarde, De Cos speak					Speaking on Brazil Central Bank Panel			

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg. Forecasts as of May 12. Consensus forecasts are Bloomberg forecasts.



Known Unknowns (EM)

Exhibit 2: The week ahead in Emerging Markets
There are monetary policy meetings in Mexico, Egypt and The Philippines. CPI in China and Poland. Monthly economic activity in Brazil and China.

	Speakers	(none)		Economic data					
	CBs			Meetings		•			
Date	London	NY	Hong Kong	Country	Event	Expectations			
14-19 May	-		-	China	Aggregate Financing CNY				
	-		-	China	New Yuan Loans CNY				
	-		-	China	Exports YoY				
15 May	9:00	4:00	16:00	Poland	CPI (yoy)				
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Poland	Current account (EURmn)				
	16:00	11:00	23:00	Indonesia	Exports (Apr, yoy)				
	17:00	12:00	0:00	India	Wholesale Prices (Apr, yoy)				
	22:00	17:00	5:00	India	Exports (Apr, yoy)				
16 May	9:00	4:00	16:00	Poland	GDP (yoy)				
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Poland	Core CPI (yoy)	NV			
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Brazil	SA	We expect services volume to decline 0.3% momsa in March (vs 1.1% momsa i February). In yoy terms, the volume should have grown by 4.4% (from 5.4%). Services numbers should be mild through 2023, after a very strong 2022, with short-term support from fiscal stimulus.			
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Brazil	IBGE Services Volume YoY NSA				
	15:00	10:00	22:00	China	Industrial Production (Apr, yoy)	Fixed asset investment (FAI) growth likely rose to 7.2% yoy in Apr from 4.8% in Mar, helped by base effect. This implies year-to-date FAI growth of 5.8% (vs. 5.1% in Jan-Mar). Both manufacturing and infrastructure FAI growth likely stayed robust, helped by the strong credit support in recent months. Real estate FAI may see smaller yoy contraction against a low base.			
	15:00	10:00	22:00	China	Retail Sales (Apr, yoy)				
	15:00	10:00	22:00	China	Fixed Assets Ex Rural YTD (Apr, yoy)				
17 M ay	2:30	21:30	9:30	China	CPIYoY	Industrial production (IP, real) growth likely rose to 11.8% yoy in Apr from 3.9% in Mar, mainly due to a low year-ago base caused by the Shanghai lockdowns. That said, sequential momentum didn't seem to improve, as the production sub-index of the NBS manufacturing PMI fell to 50.2 in Apr (vs. 54.6 in Mar). High-frequency indicators were mixed - coal consumption at major powerplant picked up, while the cement shipment ratio and rebar consumption appeared weaker than seasonality would suggest.			
	12:00	7:00	19:00	South Africa	Retail sales volume (yoy)				
	12:00	7:00	19:00	Brazil	FGV Inflation IGP-10 MoM	We forecast IGP-10 to decline 1.50% mom in May (vs -0.58% mom in April). In this print, industrial and agricultural prices should be the main deflationary influences. The cut in diesel prices by Petrobras should impact the print. Yoy, th IGP-10 should decelerate to -3.46% (vs -1.90% yoy).			
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Brazil	Retail Sales Broad MoM	A better, but still negative, print will come from Broad Retail Sales, as it should decline 0.2% in the month (vs +1.7% momsa), due to an increase in vehicle sale in the respective month. In yoy terms, it should go up 2.4% (vs -0.2% yoy before).			
	13:00	8:00	20:00	Brazil	Retail Sales MoM	We expect Core Retail Sales to decline 1.4% momsa in March (vs -0.1% momsa in February). In yoy terms, we expect it to shrink by 0.8% (vs +1.0% yoy).			
18 May	13:30	8:30	20:30	Chile	GDP QoQ				
•	20:00	15:00	3:00	Philippines	BSP Overnight Borrowing Rate				
	20:00	15:00	3:00	Mexico	Overnight Rate	We expect Banxico to keep the overnight rate unchanged at 11.25% on May 18 Core inflation was slightly lower than expected and services inflation stopped increasing in April; this is likely to be sufficient for Banxico to move to a "hawkish hold". We believe Banxico will be on hold for the rest of the year at 11.25%, but ready to hike in the following months if inflation expectations or inflation determinants deteriorate. We expect inflation to remain stickier than what Banxico expects, so we do not foresee cuts in 2023.			
	-	-	-	Egypt	CBE rates decision	The slight deceleration in headline inflation provides the Central Bank of Egypt (CBE) with some room to keep rates on hold for now			
19 M ay	13:00	8:00	20:00	Brazil	Economic Activity MoM	For March's IBC-BR economic activity, we forecast that activity grew 0.4% momsa, after the significant jump of 3.3% momsa in February. This increase should be mainly driven by the better performance of the industrial sector in the month. In yoy prints, we expect economic activity to have increased 3.4% yoy (from +2.8% yoy previously).			

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg



Sunday May 14 - 19

NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous Comments
	New Zealand	Performance Services Index	Apr			54 18:30
	Kazakhstan	GDP (yoy)	Q1P		n.a.	3.30% 0:00
	Guatemala	Guatemala Remittances YoY	Apr			11.60%
	Ecuador	Trade Balance	Mar			242.6m
	Dominican	GDP YTD YoY	1Q P			4.90%
	Republic					
-	New Zealand	REINZ House Sales YoY	Apr			-15%
	China	Aggregate Financing CNY	Apr	1150	1945	5380
	China	New Yuan Loans CNY	Apr	700	1350	3890
	China	Exports YoY	Apr	10.0%	8.5%	14.8%

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

Monday May 15

NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous Comments
2:00	Sweden	CPI (mom)	Apr	0.6		0.6%
2:00	Sweden	CPI (yoy)	Apr	10.6		10.6%
2:00	Sweden	CPIF (mom)	Apr	0.5		0.4%
2:00	Sweden	CPIF (yoy)	Apr	8.0		8.0%
2:00	Sweden	CPIF Excl. Energy (mom)	Apr	0.5		0.6%
2:00	Sweden	CPIF Excl. Energy (yoy)	Apr	8.5		8.9%
4:00	Poland	CPI (yoy)	Apr F	14.7%	n.a.	14.70%
5:00	Euro area	Industrial Production (sa, mom)	Mar	-0.4		1.5%
5:00	Euro area	Industrial Production (wda, yoy)	Mar	n.a.		2.0%
8:00	Poland	Current account (EURmn)	Mar	n.a.	3050mn	2586mn
8:30	US	Empire Manufacturing	May	-5.0	-4.0	10.8
9:30	Thailand	GDP (1Q, yoy)			2.30%	1.40%
11:00	Indonesia	Exports (Apr, yoy)			-17.90%	-11.30%
11:00	Peru	Lima Unemployment Rate	Apr			7.50%
11:00	Peru	Economic Activity YoY	Mar			-0.60%
11:30	Israel	CPI (yoy)	Apr		n.a.	5.00%
12:00	India	Wholesale Prices (Apr, yoy)			-0.30%	1.30%
12:00	Colombia	Economic Activity NSA YoY	Mar			3.00%
12:00	Colombia	GDP NSA YoY	1Q		3.00%	2.90%
12:00	Colombia	GDP QoQ	1Q			0.70%
16:00	US	Net Long-term TIC Flows	Mar	_	_	\$71.0bn
17:00	India	Exports (Apr, yoy)				-13.90%
20:30	Australia	Westpac Consumer Conf SA MoM	May			9.4%
20:30	Australia	Westpac Consumer Conf Index	May			85.8
21:30	Australia	RBA Minutes of May Policy Meeting				-
23:00	New Zealand	Non Resident Bond Holdings	Apr			60.3%
_	Georgia	Trade balance (USDmn)	Apr		n.a.	-688.4mn
-	Romania	Current account (EURmn)	Mar	n.a.	n.a.	-2614mn
	Colombia	Central Bank's Economists Survey				
	Panama	CPI MoM	Apr			0.20%
	India	Trade Balance (Apr)			-	-

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Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg



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NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous	Comments
2:00	UK	Claimant Count Rate	Apr	n.a.		3.9%	
2:00	UK	Jobless Claims Change	Apr	6.0		28k	
2:00	UK	Average Weekly Earnings 3M (yoy)	Mar	5.8		5.9%	
2:00	UK	Weekly Earnings ex Bonus 3M (yoy)	Mar	6.8		6.6%	
2:00	UK	ILO Unemployment Rate 3Mths	Mar	3.8		3.8%	
2:00	UK	Employment Change 3M/3M	Mar	160k		169k	
2:00	Romania	GDP (yoy)	Q1A	n.a.	n.a.	4.50%	
2:30	Hungary	GDP (yoy)	Q1P	0.0	n.a.	0.40%	
	Netherlands	GDP (qoq, P)	1Q	n.a.		0.6%	
3:30	Netherlands	GDP Constant Price (nsa, yoy, P)	1Q	n.a.		3.2%	
	Italy	CPI FOI Index Ex Tobacco	Apr	n.a.		118.0	
	Poland	GDP (yoy)	Q1P	0.0%	-0.80%	2.00%	
5:00	Germany	ZEW Survey Expectations	May	n.a.		4.1	
5:00	Germany	ZEW Survey Current Situation	May	n.a.		-32.5	
5:00	Euro area	ZEW Survey Expectations	May	n.a.		6.4	
	Euro area	GDP (sa, qoq, P)	1Q	0.1		0.1%	
5:00	Euro area	GDP (sa, yoy, P)	10	1.3		1.3%	
5:00	Euro area	Trade Balance (sa)	Mar	n.a.		-0.1bn	
	Euro area	Employment (gog, P)	1Q	n.a.		0.3%	
5:00	Euro area	Employment (yoy, P)	1Q 1Q			1.5%	
	Italy	CPI EU Harmonized (yoy, F)		n.a.		8.8%	
6:00	Israel	3 3 7	Apr Q1 A	n.a. 		5.30%	
	Poland	GDP (yoy)			n.a.		
8:00		Core CPI (yoy)	Apr	0.1	12.20%	12.30%	W
8:00	Brazil	IBGE Services Volume MoM SA	Mar	-0.30%		1.10%	We expect services volume to decline 0.3% momsa in March (vs 1.1% momsa in February). In yoy terms, the volume should have grown by 4.4% (from 5.4%). Services numbers should be mild through 2023, after a very strong 2022, with short-term support from fiscal stimulus.
8:00	Brazil	IBGE Services Volume YoY NSA	Mar	4.40%		5.40%	
		Advance Retail Sales	Apr	0.7%	0.7%	-0.6%	
8:30		Retail Sales Less Autos	Apr	0.2%	0.4%	-0.4%	
8:30		Retail Sales Less Autos and Gas	Apr	0.2%	0.2%	-0.3%	
8:30	US	Core Control	Apr	0.2%	0.3%	-0.3%	
	Canada	CPI NSA MoM	Apr	0.40%		0.50%	We look for CPI to increase 0.4% mom following an increase of 0.5% previously. Year over year, inflation should decelerate to 4.1%, partly due to base effects. We expect renewed upside pressures stemming from transportation given the increase in gasoline prices in April.
8:30	Canada	CPI YoY	Apr	4.10%		4.30%	
8:30	Canada	Consumer Price Index	Apr	155.9		155.3	
9:15	US	Industrial Production	Apr	0.2%	0.0%	0.4%	
	US	Manufacturing Production	Apr	0.1%	0.2%	-0.5%	
	US	Capacity Utilization	Apr	79.9%	79.7%	79.8%	
10:00	China	Industrial Production (Apr, yoy)		11.80%	10.80%	3.90%	Fixed asset investment (FAI) growth likely rose to 7.2% yoy in Apr from 4.8% in Mar, helped by base effect. This implies a year-to-date FAI growth of 5.8% (vs. 5.1% in Jan-Mar). Both manufacturing and infrastructure FAI growth likely stayed robust, helped by the strong credit support in recent months. Real estate FAI may see smaller you contraction against a low base.
10:00	China	Retail Sales (Apr, yoy)		25.50%	22.00%	10.60%	
	China	Fixed Assets Ex Rural YTD (Apr, yoy)		5.80%	5.70%	5.10%	
10:00		Business Inventories	Mar	_	0.0%	0.2%	
10:00		NAHB Housing Market Index	May	46	45	45	
	Mexico	International Reserves Weekly	12-May			\$203510m	
	Colombia	Imports CIF Total	Mar			\$5058.1m	
	Colombia	Trade Balance	Mar			-\$554.9m	
	Australia	Westpac Leading Index MoM	Apr			0.0%	
	China	CPI YoY		0.2%	0.3%	0.0%	Industrial production (IP, real) growth likely rose to 11.8% yoy in Api
∠1:3U	CHILID	G 1101	Apr	U.2%	0.5%	U./ %	from 3.9% in Mar, mainly due to a low year-ago base caused by the Shanghai lockdowns. That said, sequential momentum didn't seem to improve, as the production sub-index of the NBS manufacturing PMI fell to 50.2 in Apr (vs. 54.6 in Mar). High-frequency indicators were mixed - coal consumption at major powerplants picked up

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							while the cement shipment ratio and rebar consumption appeared weaker than seasonality would suggest.
21:30	Australia	Wage Price Index QoQ	1Q			0.8%	
21:30	Australia	Wage Price Index YoY	1Q			3.3%	
22:00	Philippines	GDP YoY	1Q		6.1%		We expect retail sales to surge by 25.5% yoy in Apr (vs. 10.6% in Mar) on a low year-ago base and the gradual sequential recovery.
0:00	Kazakhstan	Industrial production (yoy)	Apr		n.a.	5.20%	
0:00	Egypt	Trade balance (USDmn)	Mar		n.a.	-2106mn	

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

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TYP	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous	Comments
1:30	France	ILO Unemployment Rate	1Q	n.a.		7.2%	
1:30	France	ILO Mainland Unemployment Rate	1Q	7.0		7.0%	
5:00	Euro area	CPI (yoy, F)	Apr	7.0		6.9%	
5:00	Euro area	CPI (mom, F)	Apr	0.7		0.7%	
5:00	Euro area	CPI Core (yoy, F)	Apr	5.6		5.6%	
7:00	US	MBA Mortgage Applications	May 12	_	_	6.3%	
7:00	South Africa	Retail sales volume (yoy)	Mar		n.a.	-0.50%	
7:00	Brazil	FGV Inflation IGP-10 MoM	May	-1.50%		-0.58%	We forecast IGP-10 to decline 1.50% mom in May (vs -0.58% mom in April). In this print, industrial and agricultural prices should be the main deflationary influences. The cut in diesel prices by Petrobras should impact the print. Yoy, the IGP-10 should decelerate to -3.46% (vs -1.90% yoy).
8:00	Brazil	Retail Sales Broad MoM	Mar	-0.20%		1.70%	A better, but still negative, print will come from Broad Retail Sales, as it should decline 0.2% in the month (vs +1.7% momsa), due to an increase in vehicle sales in the respective month. In yoy terms, it should go up 2.4% (vs -0.2% yoy before).
8:00	Brazil	Retail Sales Broad YoY	Mar	2.40%		-0.20%	<u> </u>
8:00	Brazil	Retail Sales YoY	Mar	-0.80%		1.00%	
8:00	Brazil	Retail Sales MoM	Mar	-1.40%		-0.10%	We expect Core Retail Sales to decline 1.4% momsa in March (vs -0.1% momsa in February). In yoy terms, we expect it to shrink by 0.8% (vs +1.0% yoy).
8:30	Singapore	Non-oil Domestic Exports (Apr, yoy)				-8.30%	
8:30	US	Housing Starts	Apr	1400k	1396k	1420k	
8:30	US	Building Permits	Apr	1425k	1428k	1430k	
8:50	Japan	GDP SA (1Q P, qoq)		0.30%	0.20%	0.00%	In the preliminary release, we expect 1Q '23 GDP to increase by 0.3% QoQ SA (1.1% annualized). The continued growth recovery will likely be driven by domestic consumption growth along with post-COVID economic reopening. Meanwhile, exports will likely decline on the quarter because of weaker external demand, dragging overall growth in 1Q.
	Japan	GDP Annualized SA QoQ		1.10%	0.80%	0.10%	
	Japan	Industrial Production (Mar F, mom)				0.80%	
	Argentina	Capacity Utilization	Mar			65.00%	
	New Zealand	PPI Output QoQ	1Q			0.0	
	New Zealand	PPI Input QoQ	1Q			0.5%	
	Australia	Part Time Employment Change	Apr			-19.2k	
	Australia	Employment Change	Apr			53.0k	
	Australia	Unemployment Rate	Apr			3.5%	
	Australia	Full Time Employment Change	Apr			72.2k	
21:30	Australia	Participation Rate	Apr			1	
-	Serbia	Current account (EURmn)	Mar		n.a.	123.9mn	
	Argentina	UTDT Leading Indicator	Apr			0.12%	

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

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NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous	s Comments
6:00	UK	CBI Trends Total Orders	May	n.a.		-20.0	
6:00	UK	CBI Trends Selling Prices	May	n.a.		23.0	
8:30	US	Initial Jobless Claims	May 13	275k	_	264k	
8:30	US	Philly Fed Business Outlook	May	-20.0	-21.1	-31.3	
8:30	Chile	Current Account Balance	1Q			-\$4993m	
8:30	Chile	GDP YoY	1Q			-2.30%	
8:30	Chile	GDP QoQ	1Q			0.10%	
8:50	Japan	Exports (Apr, yoy)		3.00%		4.30%	We expect YoY growth in nominal merchandise exports to slow further to +3.0% YoY in April, from +4.3% YoY in March. Continued solid exports to the US and Euro zone will likely be offset by weak exports to Asia (including China). By goods, IT exports will likely continue to slow while auto exports will likely underpin overall exports.
10:00	US	Leading Indicators	Apr	-	-0.5%	-1.2%	
10:00	US	Existing Home Sales	Apr	4.20M	4.28M	4.44M	
15:00	Philippines	BSP Overnight Borrowing Rate		6.5%	6.38%	6.25%	
15:00	Philippines	BSP Standing Overnight Deposit Facility Rate			5.88%	5.75%	
15:00	Mexico	Overnight Rate	18-May	11.25%	11.25%	11.25%	We expect Banxico to keep the overnight rate unchanged at 11.25% on May 18. Core inflation was slightly lower-than-expected and services inflation stopped increasing in April, this is likely to be sufficient for Banxico to move to a "hawkish hold". We believe Banxico will be on hold for the rest of the year at 11.25%, but ready to hike in the following months if inflation expectations or inflation determinants deteriorate. We expect inflation to remain stickier than what Banxico expects, so we do not foresee cuts in 2023.
15:00	Argentina	Exports Total	Apr			\$5723m	
	Argentina	Trade Balance	Apr			-\$1059m	
15:00	Argentina	Imports Total	Apr			\$6782m	
18:45	New Zealand	Imports NZD	Apr			7.78b	
18:45	New Zealand	Exports NZD	Apr			6.51b	
18:45	New Zealand	Trade Balance NZD	Apr			-1273m	
18:45	New Zealand	Trade Balance 12 Mth YTD NZD	Apr			-16398m	
19:01	UK	GfK Consumer Confidence	May	-28.0		-30.0	
-	Egypt	CBE rates decision	-	18.25%	n.a.	18.25%	The slight deceleration in headline inflation provides the Central Bank of Egypt (CBE) with some room to keep rates on hold for now

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

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NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous Comments
8:00	Mexico	Retail Sales MoM	Mar	-0.25%		-0.30% We expect monthly retail sales to fall by 0.3% mom sa in March
8:00	Mexico	Retail Sales YoY	Mar	0.78%		3.40% We expect retail sales to increase 0.8% yoy in March.
8:00	Brazil	Economic Activity YoY	Mar	3.40%		2.76%
8:00	Brazil	Economic Activity MoM	Mar	0.40%		3.32% For March's IBC-BR economic activity, we forecast that activity grew 0.4% momsa, after the significant jump of 3.3% momsa in February This increase should be mainly driven by the better performance of the industrial sector in the month. In yoy prints, we expect economic activity to have increased 3.4% yoy (from +2.8% yoy previously).
8:30	Japan	Natl CPI Ex Fresh Food (Apr, yoy)		3.40%		3.10% In the April nationwide CPI, we expect Japan-style core CPI (ex fresh food) to jump further to +3.4% yoy, from +3.1% yoy in March. But more importantly, we expect BoJ-style core CPI (ex fresh food and energy) to +4.2% yoy, from +3.8% yoy in March, exceeding +4% for the first time since 1981 barring consumption tax hike. As foreshadowed by the leading Tokyo CPI, in addition to further rise of non-perishable food, services items will also likely jump in April, which marks the start of the new fiscal year.

NYT	Country	Data/Event	For	BofAe	Cons.†	Previous Comments
12:00	Malaysia	Exports (Apr, yoy)				-1.40%
	Panama	Economic Activity Index NSA YoY	Dec			

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

Quarterly Risk Calendar – May

Exhibit 5: May calendar

There are 6 central bank meetings this month

	Political/Meeting		(none) Economic Data	Central Banks
Week #	Date	Country	Event	Details
	1-May	US	Economic Data	PMI manufacturing, ISM manufacturing
	2-May	AU	Central Banks	RBA rates meeting
	2-May		Economic Data	PMIs for Sweden, Eurozone (F), Norway and UK (F)
	2-May	EC	Economic Data	CPI
	2-3 May	US	Central Banks	Fed rates meeting
	2-May	NZ	Economic Data	Unemployment Rate
	3-May	EC	Economic Data	Unemployment Rate
Week #19	3-May	US	Economic Data	ADP Employment Change, PMIs (F), ISMs
	4-May		Economic Data	Trade Balance for Australia, US and Germany
	4-May		Economic Data	PMIs for Sweden, Eurozone (F) and UK (F)
	4-May	NO	Central Banks	Norgesbank rates meeting
	4-May	EC	Central Banks	ECB rates meeting
	5-May	SZ	Economic Data	CPI CPI
	5-May	UK	Economic Data	PMI construction
	5-May		Economic Data	Labor Market Report in US and Canada
	10-May		Economic Data	CPI for Norway, Germany (F) and CPI
	11-May	JN	Economic Data	current account balance
	11-May	ÚK	Economic Data	GDP, trade balance
Week #20	11-May	UK	Central Banks	BoE rates meeting
	12-May	GE	Economic Data	current account balance
	12-May	NO	Economic Data	GDP
	12-May	SW	Economic Data	CPIF
	16-May	UK	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	16-May	EC	Economic Data	GDP (P), trade balance, employment (P)
	16-May	CA	Economic Data	СЫ
	17-May	JN	Economic Data	GDP (P)
Week #21	17-May	EC	Economic Data	CPI (F)
	18-May	JN	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	18-May	AU	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	19-May	JN	Economic Data	CPI
	23-May		Economic Data	PMIs for Eurozone (P), UK (P) and US (P)
	23-May	EC	Economic Data	current account
	24-May	NZ	Central Banks	RBNZ rates meeting
Week #22	24-May	UK	Economic Data	CPI
	25-May	GE	Economic Data	GDP (F)
	25-May	SW	Economic Data	Unemployment Rate
	25-May	US	Economic Data	GDP (S)
İ	30-May	SW	Economic Data	GDP
	30-May	SZ	Economic Data	GDP
Week #23	31-May	AU	Economic Data	CPI
	31-May	GE	Economic Data	CPI (P)
	31-May	CA	Economic Data	GDP

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg



Quarterly Risk Calendar – June

Exhibit 6: June calendar

There are 8 central bank meetings this month

	Political/Meeting		(none) Economic Data	Central Banks
Week #	Date	Country	Event	Details
	1-Jun		Economic Data	PMIs for Sweden, EC (F), Norway, US (F) and UK (F)
	1-Jun	EC ⁻	Economic Data	CPI, unemployment rate
Week #24	1-Jun	US	Economic Data	ISM Manufacturing
	2-Jun	US	Economic Data	Labor market report
	2-Jun	NO	Economic Data	Unemployment rate
	5-Jun	GE	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	5-Jun	SZ	Economic Data	CPI
	5-Jun	52	Economic Data	PMIs for Sweden, EC (F), UK (F), US (F)
	5-Jun	US	Economic Data	ISMs
	6-Jun	AU	Central Banks	RBA rates meeting
	7-Jun	AU	Economic Data	GDP
	7-Jun	US	Economic Data	Trade Balance
Week #25	7-Jun	CA	Central Banks	BoC rates meeting
	8-Jun	JN	Economic Data	GDP (F), current account balance
	8-Jun	AU	Economic Data	Trade balance
	8-Jun	EC	Economic Data	GDP (F)
	9-Jun	SW	Economic Data	GDP
	9-Jun	NO	Economic Data	CPI
	9-Jun	CA	Economic Data	Labor market report
	13-Jun	GE	Economic Data	Current account balance
	13-Jun	UK	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	13-Jun	NO	Economic Data	GDP
	13-Jun	GE	Economic Data	CPI (F)
	13-Jun	US	Economic Data	<u>CPI</u>
	13-14 Jun	US	Central Banks	Fed rates meeting
	14-Jun	UK	Economic Data	GDP
Week #26	14-Jun	SW	Economic Data	CPIF
	14-Jun	NZ	Economic Data	GDP
	15-Jun	JN	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	15-Jun	AU	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	15-Jun	EC	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	15-Jun	EC	Central Banks	ECB rates meeting
	16-Jun	JN	Central Banks	BoJ rates meeting
	16-Jun	EC	Economic Data	CPI
	20-Jun	EC	Economic Data	Current account balance
	21-Jun	UK	Economic Data	CPI
	21-Jun	SW	Economic Data	Unemployment rate
	22-Jun	SZ	Central Banks	SNB rates meeting
Week #27	22-Jun	NO	Central Banks	Norgesbank rates meeting
	22-Jun	UK	Central Banks	BoE rates meeting
	22-Jun	US	Economic Data	Current account balance
	23-Jun	JN	Economic Data	CPI
	23-Jun	,	Economic Data	PMIs for EC, UK and US
	27-Jun	CA	Economic Data	CPI
<u> </u>	28-Jun	AU	Economic Data	CPI
Veek #28	29-Jun	SW	Central Banks	Riksbank rates meeting
74CCR #20	29-Jun	GE	Economic Data	CPI CPI
	29-Jun 29-Jun	US	Economic Data Economic Data	GDP



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Exhibit 6: June calendar

There are 8 central bank meetings this month

Political/Meeting		(none) Econom	ic Data	Central Banks
30-Jun	UK	Economic Data		GDP
30-Jun	NO	Economic Data		Unemployment Rate
30-Jun	EC	Economic Data		CPI
30-Jun	CA	Economic Data		GDP

Source: BofA Global Research, Bloomberg

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Quarterly Risk Calendar - July

Exhibit 4: July calendar

There are 6 central bank meetings this month

			(none) Economic Data	Central Banks
Week #	Date	Country	Event	Details
	3-Jul	SZ	Economic Data	CPI
	3-Jul		Economic Data	PMIs for Sweden, EC (F), NO, UK (F)
	3-Jul	US	Economic Data	ISM manufacturing
	4-Jul	AU	Central Banks	RBA rates meeting
	4-Jul	GE	Economic Data	Trade Balance
Week #29	5-Jul		Economic Data	PMIs for SW, EC (F), UK (F)
Week #29	6-Jul	AU	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	6-Jul	US	Economic Data	Trade Balance, ADP Employment Change, PMIs (F), ISMs
	6-Jul	UK	Economic Data	PMI construction
	7-Jul	SW	Economic Data	GDP
	7-Jul	US	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	7-Jul	CA	Economic Data	
	10-Jul	JN	Economic Data	Current Account Balance
	10-Jul	NO	Economic Data	CPI
	11-Jul	UK	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	11-Jul	GE	Economic Data	CPI
	12-Jul	NZ	Central Banks	RBNZ rates meeting
Week #30	12-Jul	US	Economic Data	CPI
	12-Jul	NZ	Central Banks	BoC rates meeting
	13-Jul	GE	Economic Data	Current Account Balance
	13-Jul	UK	Economic Data	GDP
	14-Jul	SW	Economic Data	CPIF
	14-Jul	EC	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	18-Jul		Economic Data	CPI for CA, NZ
	19-Jul		Economic Data	CPI for UK, EC (F)
	20-Jul	JN	Economic Data	Trade Balance
Week #31	20-Jul	AU	Economic Data	Labor Market Report
	20-Jul	EC	Economic Data	Current Account Balance
	21-Jul	JN	Economic Data	CPI
	23-Jul	NZ	Economic Data	Trade Balance
	24-Jul		Economic Data	PMIs for EC, UK and US
	26-Jul	AU	Economic Data	CPI
	26-Jul	US	Central Banks	Fed rates meeting
	27-Jul	NO	Economic Data	Unemployment Rate
Week #32	27-Jul	EC	Central Banks	ECB rates meeting
Week #32	27-Jul	US	Economic Data	GDP (A)
	28-Jul	US	Central Banks	BoJ rates meeting
	28-Jul	SW	Economic Data	GDP
	28-Jul	GE	Economic Data	CPI
	28-Jul	CA	Economic Data	GDP
Week #33	31-Jul	GE	Economic Data	GDP (P)
WEEK #33	31-Jul	EC	Economic Data	GDP (A), CPI (P)

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Political/Meeting (none) Economic Data Central Banks



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