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Key events in developed markets and EMEA this week

This week, the main focus in the US will be the jobs report which is expected to indicate that hiring is slowing more meaningfully as economic uncertainty increases. In Turkey, all eyes will be on the release of December annual inflation which we expect to come in at 65.1%



US: Jobs report expected to indicate that hiring is slowing more meaningfully

After the dovish shift from the Federal Reserve at the December FOMC meeting, markets continue to price six 25bp rate cuts for 2024, in line with our long-held view. There are several key data releases that will give the markets food for thought as to what the risks are to this assessment. The ISM reports will give us an update on how businesses are seeing the situation and we expect them to indicate an ongoing soft trend in growth rather than clear evidence of a downturn. The jobs report will be the focus though and that is expected to indicate that hiring is slowing more meaningfully now as economic uncertainty increases. The unemployment rate is likely to tick slightly higher to 3.8% from 3.7%. Markets are on the verge of pricing the first rate cut for March, but we think the Fed is more likely to wait until May.

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✓ Turkey: Annual inflation expected to increase to 65.1%

In December, we expect annual inflation to increase to 65.1% (with a 3.2% month-on-month reading) from 62.0% a month ago, in line with the forecast presented in the latest inflation report of the Central Bank, while core inflation will remain elevated at around 72%. Inertia in services inflation, along with administered price and wage adjustments will likely remain as the major drivers of the inflation outlook in the near term.

Key events in developed markets this week

Country	Time Data/event	ING	Survey	Prev.
	Wednesday 3 January			
US	1500 Dec ISM Manufacturing PMI	47.5	47.2	46.7
	1500 Dec ISM Manufacturing Prices Paid	49		49.9
	1500 Nov JOLTS job openings (000s)	8760	8850	8733
	Thursday 4 January			
US	1315 Dec ADP National Employment	125	115	103
	1445 Dec S&P Global Composite Final PMI	-		
	1445 Dec S&P Global Services PMI Final	-		
	1330 Initial Jobless Claims (000s)	220	220	218
	1330 Continuing Jobless Claims (000s)	1890	-	1875
Germany	0855 Dec S&P Global Services PMI	-		
	0855 Dec S&P Global Composite Final PMI	-		
	1300 Dec CPI Prelim (MoM%/YoY%)	-/-	/	-0.4/3.2
France	0745 Dec CPI Prelim (YoY%)	-		
	0745 Dec CPI (EU Norm) Prelim (MoM%)	-		
	0850 Dec S&P Global Composite PMI	-		
Italy	0845 Dec Composite PMI	-		48.1
_	0900 Dec CPI Prelim (MoM%/YoY%)	-/-	/	/
Spain	0815 Dec Services PMI	-		51
Eurozone	0900 Dec S&P Global Services Final PMI	-		
	0900 Dec S&P Global Comosite Final PMI	-		
	Friday 5 January			
US	1330 Nov Non-Farm Payrolls	160	170	199
	1330 Nov Private Payrolls	110	130	150
	1330 Nov Unemployment Rate	3.8	3.8	3.7
	1500 Oct Factory Orders (MoM%)	2.4	2.2	-3.6
	1500 Nov ISM N-Manufacturing PMI	52.2	52.5	52.7
Germany	0700 Oct Retail Sales (MoM%/YoY%)	-/-	0.4/-2	-0.8/-4.3
Canada	1330 Nov Unemployment Rate	5.8	5.8	5.7
Eurozone	1000 Nov CPI Flash (YoY%)	3	2.7	2.9
	1000 Nov Core CPI Flash (YoY%)	3.5	3.9	4.2
Source: Refinitiv ING				

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Key events in EMEA this week

Country	Time Data/event	ING	Survey Prev.
	Tuesday 2 January		
Czech Rep	1300 Dec Budget Balance	-	-269.1
	Wednesday 3 January		
Turkey	0700 Dec CPI (MoM%/YoY%)	3.2/65.1	/ 3.28/61.98
Russia	- Nov GDP (YoY%) Monthly	-	3.6 5
	Thursday 4 January		
South Africa	0715 Dec Std Bank Whole Econ PMI	-	50
	Friday 5 January		
Czech Rep	0700 Q2 Revised GDP (YoY%)	-	-0.4
	0700 Q2 Revised GDP (QoQ%)	-	0.1
Poland	0900 Dec flash CPI (YoY%)	6.7	6.6
Source: Refinitiv,	ING		

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