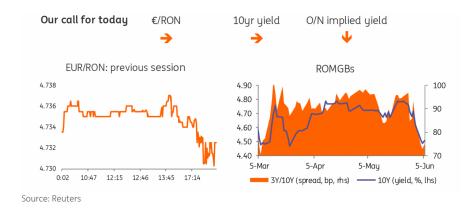
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EUR/RON

The EUR/RON failed to close below 4.7300 yesterday on another day of heavy turnover. We see a 4.7250-4.7400 range for today with a downside bias as risk-on sentiment prevails after recent signals from Fed speakers.

Government bonds

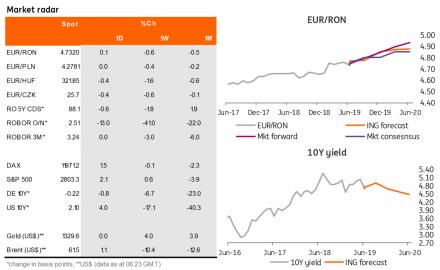
The bull flattening in the ROMGB curve continued yesterday with long-end yields dropping by another 4-5 basis points.

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Money market

Implied cash rates inched around 60 basis points higher to 2.85%. The forward yield curve flattened as 1y implied yields dropped around 10 basis points to 3.80%.

EUR/RON forecasts (eop)					
	2Q19	3Q19	4Q19	1Q20	2Q20
ING forecast	4.77	4.78	4.85	4.87	4.88
FX Forward	4.75	4.80	4.85	4.90	4.93



Source: Reuters. ING estimates

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