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Markets close below important technical levels suggesting that global market pressure could spread in the absence of additional stimulus measures

Risky assets reversed their positive trend following the release of better-than-expected initial and ongoing jobless claims and relief in credit markets following the outcome of the auction of Irish paper with a maturity of less than one year (EUR200mn maturing in February 2011 and EUR400mn in April 2011), with solid bid-to-cover ratios (10.1x and 4.1x, respectively) and yields below the previous auction's (1.98% and 2.35%) despite S&P's recent downgrade. US Treasury yields, which had begun to rise in response to lower risk aversion, ended strong benefitting from a flight to safety triggered by downbeat sentiment. Following 2 days of futile attacks at key support levels (1,050pts in the S&P 500 and 10,000pts in the Dow Jones Industrial Average), US markets ended slightly more than 0.7% down (DJIA at 9,985.81pts and the S&P 500 at 1,047.22pts) presaging greater volatility in risky assets ahead.

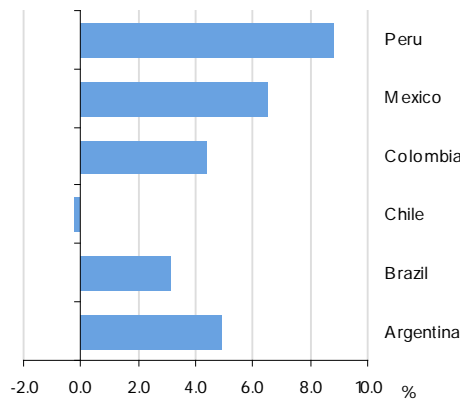
Markets will be attentive to remarks from Fed Reserve Chief Ben Bernanke during the central bank's symposium in Wyoming, where the economic environment will be discussed and many expect the details of a new quantitative loosening package to be outlined (although we think the likelihood of this happening is very low). GDP growth data and the University of Michigan Confidence index could keep markets under pressure.

APPENDIX

Macro Calendar

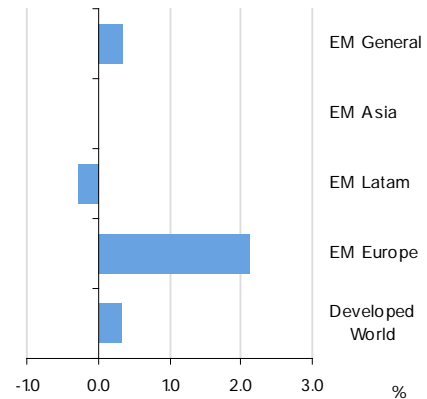


Daily change on LatAm CDS 5 years



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

Daily change on MSCI Index



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Brazilian real

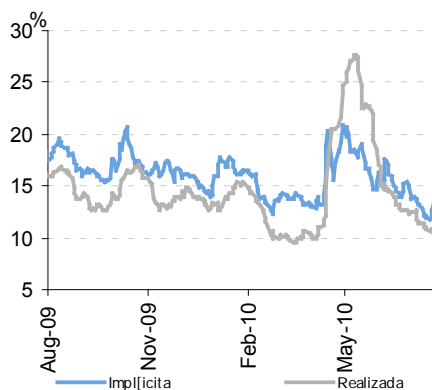
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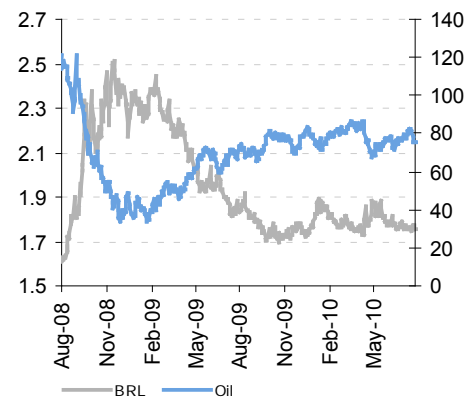
The real closed near the intraday high, but largely unchanged with respect to its previous close. This performance came on the clash of two opposing factors. On one hand, flow expectations continue to be validated by the possibility of Petrobrás issuance taking place next month. Moreover, slightly better-than-expected US jobs numbers also boosted this positive sentiment. On the other hand, the higher risk premium in foreign markets has held the currency in check. In this light, we expect to see the real trade in a range of 1.75 to 1.78. Fed Chairman Ben Bernanke's statements, the US GDP and the Michigan Consumer Sentiment Index will each play a part in exactly where the real trades within this range.

Implied vs. Historic Volatility



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

BRL vs. WTI



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

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Chilean peso

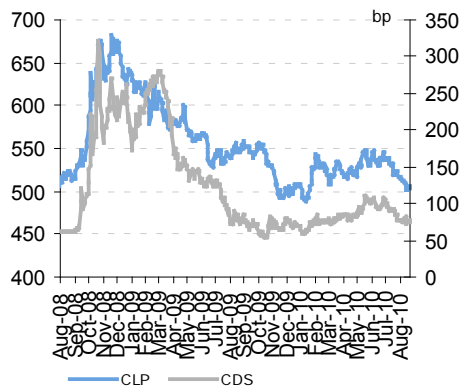
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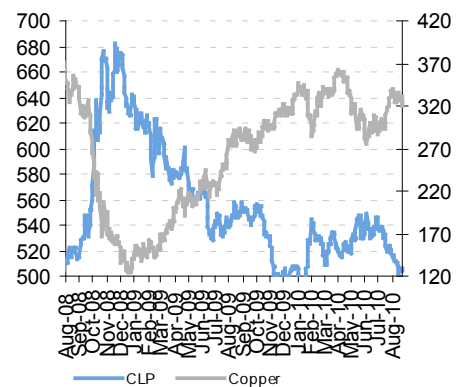
The peso appreciated yesterday by 0.5%, riding favorable US economic numbers and surging copper prices that moved ahead by 3%. Despite this situation, the Chilean forex market heard the bell before waning sentiments and losses on US markets materialized. This could result in the pricing in of a higher risk premium today and a negative bias for the peso. Locally, the market will remain alert to the Banco Central de Chile minutes. On the international front, US GDP numbers are also eagerly awaited.

CLP vs. 5y CDS



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

CLP vs. Copper



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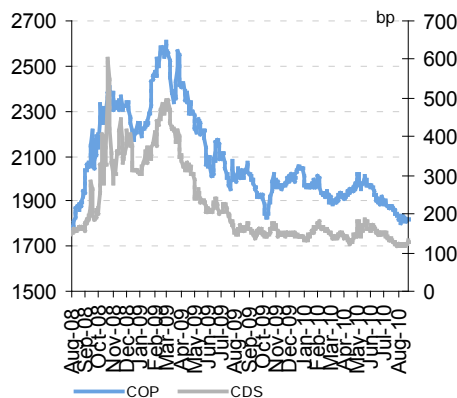
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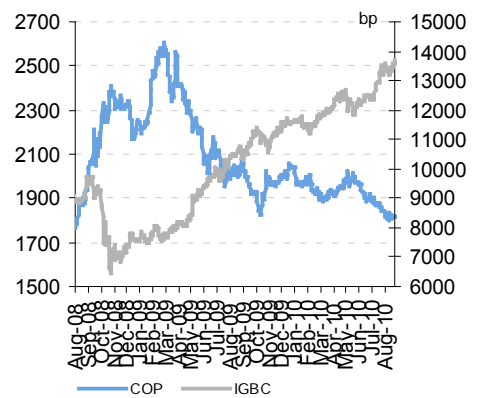
The Colombian foreign exchange market's early close meant the peso did not fully price in a higher risk premium scenario towards the end of the session. Thus, the currency closed at 1,816.30 after hitting a 1,806 low and a 1,818 high. Bearing in mind the lag, the currency could open negatively. Breaking the 1,820 resistance, however, will take greater risk aversion --which US economic data could contribute to-- or skepticism about the fiscal situation of European periphery economies.

COP vs. 5y CDS



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

COP vs. IGBC



Source: Bloomberg and BBVA Research

Appendix 1

Summary of the LatAm Market

	Close	Change %				Close %	Change bp		
		1D	1W	YTD			1D	1W	YTD
Currencies									
Argentinian peso	3.94	-0.04	-0.16	-3.83					
Brazilian real	1.76	0.09	-0.36	-1.00					
Chilean peso	503.95	0.49	0.66	0.69					
Colombian peso	1,816.30	0.09	0.08	11.13					
Mexican peso	13.07	-0.66	-2.87	0.17					
Peruvian nuevo sol	2.80	0.07	0.14	3.20					
5 year CDS									
Argentina	937.15	4.96	14.13	2.50					
Brazil	128.94	3.12	7.55	5.24					
Chile	76.62	-0.19	3.93	12.15					
Colombia	133.86	4.38	11.49	-6.36					
Mexico	134.31	6.49	13.77	0.40					
Peru	114.93	8.82	12.62	-6.96					
Equity indexes									
Argentina Merval	2,321.44	-0.42	-4.44	0.03					
Brazil IBOV	63,867.48	-1.44	-4.51	-6.88					
Chile IPSA	4,455.10	0.04	-1.49	24.39					
Colombia IGBC	13,696.42	0.80	1.92	18.05					
Mexico IPyC	31,217.99	-0.75	-2.91	-2.81					
Peru ISBVL	22,555.87	0.60	1.17	0.54					
VIX Index	27.37	26.70	26.44	21.68					
Commodities									
CRB Industrial	500.12	0.00	-0.38	3.44					
COMEX Copper	330.55	2.94	-0.36	-0.66					
WTI	73.36	1.16	-1.44	-7.56					
Gold	1,237.60	-0.20	0.44	12.82					
Sugar	19.27	-3.79	-1.08	-11.81					
Soy	1,014.50	1.55	0.22	0.02					
Volatilities %									
	1M	3M	6M	1Y					
Argentinian peso	3.79	7.30	10.79	15.82					
Brazilian real	11.99	13.39	14.58	16.17					
Chilean peso	11.07	11.98	12.49	13.10					
Colombian peso	11.63	12.75	13.36	14.11					
Mexican peso	13.06	12.95	13.19	13.34					
NDF currency/US\$									
Argentinian peso	3.97	4.03	4.14	4.40					
Brazilian real	1.77	1.80	1.84	1.91					
Chilean peso	504.28	505.65	508.02	514.20					
Colombian peso	1,816.80	1,820.55	1,827.03	1,857.10					
Peruvian nuevo sol	2.79	2.79	2.79	2.80					
Foward points									
Argentinian peso	0.03	0.08	0.19	0.45					
Brazilian real	0.01	0.03	0.07	0.15					
Chilean peso	0.33	1.70	4.07	10.25					
Colombian peso	0.50	4.25	10.73	40.80					
Peruvian nuevo sol	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	0.01					
Brazil									
Selic O/N	10.66	0	0	201					
DI Jan-11 Future	10.69	1	-4	27					
LTN Jan-11	10.86	13	-1	37					
NTN-F Jan-13	11.37	5	-17	-54					
NTN-F Jan-17	11.19	2	-35	-126					
NTN-B Aug-14	6.10	-5	-10	-124					
Chile									
TPM	2.00	2	10	151					
TAB 90d UF	0.23	1	13	-658					
Swap CLPxCAM 2Y	4.09	0	-5	104					
Swap CLPxCAM 5Y	4.86	6	5	-37					
Swap CLPxCAM 10Y	5.36	0	-4	-71					
Swap UFXCAM 2Y	0.57	3	4	-68					
Swap UFXCAM 5Y	1.44	1	-5	-74					
Swap UFXCAM 10Y	2.05	-3	-13	-53					
Swap basis 2Y	77.00	1	1	10					
Swap basis 5Y	64.00	1	1	9					
Swap basis 10Y	99.00	0	3	13					
BCP Jan-2012	4.83	-5	-17	78					
BCP Aug-2014	5.69	0	-12	54					
BCU 5Y	2.36	3	14	-46					
BCU 10Y	2.69	5	10	-51					
Colombia									
Reference rate	3.00	0	0	-50					
DTF 90d	3.45	-13	-13	-66					
TES Aug-2012	4.65	-2	-10	-466					
TES May-2014	6.08	0	-6	608					
TES Jul-2020	7.17	3	2	-132					
UVR Mar-2013	2.52	-4	-7	-239					
Peru									
Reference rate	2.50	0	0	-400					
Sovereign bond Aug-2011	2.62	-20	-131	-413					
Sovereign bond Aug-2017	5.11	-4	-4	-171					
Sovereign bond Aug-2037	6.22	-4	-4	69					
Global bonds									
BRL 2040	2.94	20	32	-142					
CLP 2013	1.45	15	8	-48					
COP 2033	5.54	30	3	-143					
PE 2033	5.03	4	12	-141					

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Calendar of Economic Indicators

			Survey	Prior	Actual
Thursday, August 26					
Brazil	Nominal Budget Balance	JUL	--	-13.6B	-14.3B
	Primary Budget Balance	JUL	5.0B	2.1B	2.5B
	Net Debt % GDP	JUL	41.70%	41.40%	41.70%
Brazil	FGV Construction Costs (MoM)	AUG	0.66%	0.62%	0.22%
	Unemployment Rate	JUL	7.00%	7.00%	6.90%
Friday, August 27					
Chile	Central Bank Meeting Minutes	27-Aug			
Argentina	Shop Center Sales (YoY)	JUL		23.80%	
Peru	GDP YoY	2Q	10.10%	6.00%	

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