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Global Summary (Weekly Compilation of Decision Economics Worldwide)

Economic Indicators—Schedule and Forecasts (Local Times)

March 14 – March 18, 2011

14	15	16	17	18
14 United States: 3-and 6-Month Bills (13:00) \$62.0 Billion	15 ISSC/Goldman Sachs Chain Sales (7:45) (3/12) Empire State Manufacturing Survey (8:30) Total Prices Jan 11.9 35.8 Feb 15.4 45.8 Mar (f) 17.2 49.0 Mar (c) 16.0 Import Prices (Non-Fuel, Y/Y) (8:30) Nov 3.0% Jan 3.4% Dec 3.0% Feb (f) 3.4% Redbook Chain Sales (8:55) (3/12) Redbook Chain Sales (8:55) (3/12) Monthly TIC flows (9:00) (Jan) NAHB Housing Market Index (10:00) Jan 16 Mar (f) 16 Feb 16 Mar (c) 17 4-Week Bill (13:00) \$40.0 Billion (f) FOMC Meeting & Statement (14:15) (No basic changes; more upbeat on economy, rest the same; no dissents)	16 Housing Starts (8:30) (Units, Millions, SAAR) Starts Permits Dec 0.520 0.627 Jan 0.596 0.562 Feb (f) 0.556 0.551 Feb (c) 0.575 0.570 Producer Price Index (8:30) Total Ex-F&E Dec 0.9% 0.2% Jan 0.8% 0.5% Feb (f) 0.8% 0.3% Feb (c) 0.7% 0.2% Current Account Balance (8:30) (\$ Billions) 10:Q2 -\$123.2 10:Q4 (c)-\$110.3 10:Q3 -\$127.2 10:Q4 (c)-\$110.0	17 Initial Claims (8:30) $2/26$ 371 $3/12$ (f) 390 $3/5$ 397 $3/12$ (c) 390 Consumer Price Index (8:30) Total Ex-F&E Dec $0.4%$ $0.1%$ Jan $0.4%$ $0.2%$ Feb (f) $0.4%$ $0.2%$ Feb (c) $0.4%$ $0.1%$ Industrial Production & Capacity Utilization (9:15) Prod. Util. Dec $1.2%$ $76.2%$ Jan $-0.1%$ $76.1%$ Feb (f) $0.8%$ $76.6%$ Feb (f) $0.8%$ $76.6%$ Feb (c) $0.6%$ $76.5%$ Leading Indicators (10:00) Oct $0.2%$ Oct $0.2%$ Jan $0.1%$ Nov $1.1%$ Feb (f) $1.0%$ Dec $0.8%$ Feb (c) $1.0%$ Philadelphia Fed Survey (10:00) Total Prices Jan 19.3 54.3 Feb Jan 19.3 54.3 <	18
Eurozone: Industrial Production (SA) (11:00) M/M Y/Y Dec -0.1% 8.0% Jan (f) unch 5.9% Jan (c) 0.4% 6.4% Eurozone Finance Ministers meet	Employment (Q4) (11:00) EU Finance Ministers meet	New Car Registrations (Feb) (8:00) Harmonized Index of Consumer Prices, Final (11:00) M/M Y/Y Dec 0.6% 2.2% Jan -0.7% 2.3% Feb (flash) 2.4% Feb (f) 0.4% 2.4% Feb (c) 0.4% 2.4% Labor Costs (Q4) (11:00)	Construction Output (Jan) (11:00) ECB Meeting (no policy decision scheduled)	Trade Balance (Euro billion) (NSA) (11:00) Nov -1.5 2.7 Dec -0.5 3.2 Jan (f) -5.0 -9.7
	ZEW Financial Experts Survey (Mar) (11:00)			Producer Prices (NSA) (8:00) M/M Y/Y Dec 0.7% 5.3% Jan 1.2% 5.7% Feb (f) 1.1% 6.9% Feb (c) 0.6% 6.4%



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Japan: BOJ Monetary Policy Meeting Industrial Production (Revised) (SA) (M/M) (13:30) Sep -1.6% Dec 3.3% Oct -2.0% Jan (p) 2.4% Nov 1.0% Jan (f) 2.4% BOJ Shirakawa Press Conference (15:30)	BOJ Monthly Report (14:00) (March)		Tertiary Industry Activity (SA) (M/M) (8:50) Aug -0.1% Nov 0.5% Sep -0.9% Dec -0.8% Oct 0.3% Jan (f) 1.1%	BOJ Monetary Policy Meeting Minutes (8:50) (February 14-15)
France:	Consumer Prices (NSA) (7:30) M/M Y/Y Dec 0.5% 1.8% Jan -0.2% 1.8% Feb (f) 0.8% 2.0% Feb (c) 0.6% 1.7%			Wages, Final (Q4) (8:45)
United Kingdom: BoE Governor King speaks in Tokyo (1:35)	Department for Communities & Local Government House Prices (Jan) (9:30)	BoE Governor King speaks in Beijing (7:00) Claimant Count Unemployment, (Change Thousands) (SA) (9:30) Dec -3.4 Feb (f) 5.0 Jan 2.4 Feb (c) 1.5 ILO Unemployment Rate (3 months ending, %) (9:30) Nov 7.9 Jan (f) 7.9 Dec 7.9 Jan (c) 7.9 Average Weekly Earnings (Y/Y) (3-Month Moving Average) (9:30) Nov 2.1 Jan (f) 1.7 Dec 1.8 Jan (c) 2.1	BoE Inflation Attitudes Survey (Q1) (9:30)	Nationwide Consumer Confidence (Feb) (00:01) BoE Trends in Lending (Feb) (9:30)
Canada: Capacity Utilization (8:30) (NSA) QII'10 76.9% QIV'10 (f) 79.5% QIII'10 78.1% QIV'10 (c) 79.0%	Productivity and Costs (8:30) (Q/Q) (SA) Prod. Comp. ULC QI 10 0.5% 0.2% -0.3% QII 10 -0.6% -0.2% 0.4% QIII 10 0.1% 0.7% 0.6% QIV'10 (f) 0.3% 0.8% 0.5% QIV'10 (c) 0.2%	Survey of Manufacturing (8:30) (M/M) (SA) Ships. Inv. New Ord. Oct 2.0% 0.4% 4.4% Nov -0.6% 1.1% 0.6% Dec 0.4% unch -1.9% Jan (f) 1.9% 0.8% 3.4% Jan (c) 0.9%	Wholesale Trade (8:30) (M/M) (SA) Sales Inv. Oct 0.2% -0.4% Nov 1.0% 0.2% Dec 0.8% -0.5% Jan (f) 0.9% 0.5%	Consumer Prices (7:00) (Y/Y) Total BOC Core Nov 2.0% 1.4% Dec 2.4% 1.5% Jan 2.3% 1.4% Feb (f) 2.2% 1.2% Feb (c) 2.3% 1.1%

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