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This Week:	ECB Speakers:	Mersche (Tuesday), Trichet (Thursday)		
	Fed Speakers:	Poole (Friday)		
	GER: 07.00	CPI (September)	+0.1% (+1.9%)	+0.3% (+4.7%)
	GER: 07.00	PPI (September)	+0.3% (+4.6%)	+0.4% (+2.5%)
Mon 10th:	FRA:	BTF Auction		
	US:	Bond Market Holiday (Columbus Day)		
	GER: 07.00	Trade Balance (August)	€14.1bn	€13.3bn
	FRA: 07.45	Industrial Production (August)	-0.9% (-0.7%)	+1.0%(+2.2%)
	UK: 09.30	OPDM House Price Index (August)	(+4.0%)	
	UK: 09.30	PPI Input (September)	+0.2% (+12.9%)	+0.4%(+10.9%)
		- Output	+0.3% (+3.0%)	+0.3%(+3.0%)
Tues 11th:	EU:	Ecofin Meeting		
	ITL:	BOT Auction		
	JAP:	BoJ Meeting Begins (2-Day)		
	UK: 00.01	BRC Retail Sales Survey (September)	(-1.0%)	
	JAP: 06.00	Machinery Orders (August)	-4.3%	+2.2%
	UK: 09.30	Trade Balance (August)	-£5.1bn	-£4.9bn
		- Non EU Trade Balance	-£2.5bn	-£2.4bn
	US: 19.15	Minutes of FOMC Meeting (20 September)		
Wed 12th:	US:	Auction: 5 Year Treasury Note		
	JAP: 06.00	BoJ Monthly Report (October)		
	UK: 09.30	Claimant Count (September)	+1,600	+2,800
		- Unemployment Rate (August)	4.7%	4.7%
	UK: 09.30	Average Earnings (3 months to August)	(+4.2%)	(+4.2%)
Thurs 13th:	JAP/ UK:	Auctions: 5 Year JGB's, 4.25%, 2032 Gilt		
	FRA: 07.45	CPI (September)	+0.4%(+1.8%)	+0.3%(+2.0%)
	ITL: 09.00	Industrial Production (August)	+0.5%	+0.5%
	EU-12: 09.00	ECB Monthly Bulletin (October)		
	EU-12: 10.00	Q2 GDP (2nd Estimate)	+0.3% (+1.1%)	+0.3% (1.1%)
	UK: 11.00	BCC Economic Survey (Q3)	19	
	IRL: 11.00	CPI (September)	+0.4%(+2.3%)	+0.6%(+2.8%)
	IRL: 11.00	Retail Sales (August)	+0.3%(+4.9%)	+0.5% (+3.0%)
	UK: 11.30	Chancellor Brown Testifies Before House of Commons		
	US: 13.30	International Trade Balance (August)	-\$57.94bn	-\$59.0bn
	US: 13.30	Import Prices (September)	+1.3%	+1.0%
	US: 13.30	Initial Jobless Claims (w/e 15th October)	390,000	
Fri 14th:	ITL:	Auction: BTP's and CCTs		
	JAP: 05.30	Industrial Production (August, final)	+1.2%(+1.6%)	+1.2% (+1.0%)
	ITL: 10.00	CPI (September)	+0.2% (+2.0%)	+0.0% (+2.0%)
	IRL: 11.00	External Trade Balance (August)	€2,503mn	€2,600mn
	US: 13.30	CPI/Core CPI (September)	+0.5%/+0.1%	+0.9%/+0.2%
	US: 13.30	Retail Sales (September)	-2.1%	+0.3%
		- Sales Ex Autos	+1.0%	+0.5%
	US: 14.45	Industrial Production (September)	+0.1%	-0.4%
		- Capacity Utilisation	79.8%	79.6%
	US: 14.45	Michigan Prelim (October)	76.9	79.0
	US: 15.00	Business Inventories (August)	-0.5%	+0.4%

◆ Month-on-month changes (year-on-year shown in brackets)

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