

## **Bi-Weekly News Update**

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## FINANCING AND DEBT

♦ On September 17, GMTN Notes due on 22 May 2029 were offered in a competitive multi-price auction via Primary dealers. Notes were sold in nominal value of EUR 50 million and the total demand reached EUR 222.1 million. The weighted average yield rate was 2.585%. (Sept 17, Treasury)

## **MACROECONOMICS**

- ♦ The latest data of the Central Statistical Bureau (CSB) show that compared to July 2025, in August 2025 the average level of consumer prices reduced by 0.2 %. Over the year, the average level of consumer prices rose by 4.1 %. (Sept 8, CSB)
- ♦ CSB provisional data show that in July 2025 Latvia had foreign trade turnover of EUR 3.53 billion, and at current prices it was 3.2 % higher than a year ago. Value of exported goods increased by 0.1 % and of imported goods by 5.7 %. The exported goods were valued at EUR 1.51 billion and imported goods at EUR 2.02 billion. (Sept 9, CSB)
- ♦ CSB estimate shows the unemployment rate registered with the State Employment Agency (SEA) was 4.9 %. It reduced by 0.1 percentage points month-on-month and by 0.4 percentage points year-on-year. The actual unemployment rate in Latvia was 6.4 % in August 2025. It reduced by 0.1 percentage points month-on-month and by 0.3 percentage points year-on-year. (Sept 17, CSB)

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