H M TREASURY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

LATEST UK INDICATORS (1st December 2017) % change on a year earlier unless otherwise stated		
Activity		
GDP (QoQ)	17Q3	0.4
Service sector output (MoM)	Sep	0.4
Industrial production (MoM)	Sep	0.7
Manufacturing output (MoM)	Sep	0.7
GfK Consumer Confidence	Oct	-10
Retail sales volumes (3MoY)	Oct	1.1
Goods exports (volumes) (MoM)	Sep	5.3
Goods imports (volumes) (MoM)	Sep	0.2
Current account balance, £bn	17Q2	-23.2
Business Investment (QoQ)	17Q3	0.2
Labour market & earnings		
Unemployment, mn	3m to Sep	1.4
Unemployment rate, %	3m to Sep	4.3
Claimant count, mn	Oct	0.81
Claimant count, %	Oct	2.3
LFS total in employment, mn	3m to Sep	32.1
LFS employment rate, %	3m to Sep	75.0
Workforce jobs, mn	17Q2	34.9
Average earnings growth, %1	3m to Sep	2.2
Inflation & prices		
CPI (YoY)	Oct	3.0
RPI (YoY)	Oct	4.0
Producer output prices (nsa) (YoY)	Oct	2.8
Producer input prices (nsa) (YoY)	Oct	4.6
Halifax house prices2 (3MoY)	Oct	4.6
Nationwide house prices (MoY)	Oct	2.5
Public finances		
Public sector current budget deficit, £bn3	Oct	4.6
Public sector net borrowing, £bn3	Oct	8.0
Public sector net debt, % of GDP3,4	Oct	87.2
Monetary		
M4 deposits (ex.intermediate OFCs) (YoY)	Sep	4.8
Exchange rate index (2005=100)	Latest5	78.4
£/\$	Latest5	1.34
£/€	Latest5	1.13
Bank Rate, %	Latest5	0.5
Long-term interest rates, %	Oct	1.38

³ Excluding public sector banks

⁴ Amount outstanding as a %of GDP, at market prices

⁵ 22 December