

MORNING REPORT

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KEY OVERSEAS MARKET

US markets closed higher on Monday, adding to recent strong gains, with megacap growth shares rising as US Treasury yields eased. The Dow Jones Industrial Average closed up 0.45%, while the S&P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were up 0.40% and 0.62% respectively.

Other key markets ended mixed. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (+0.11%), the Dax 30 (+0.15%), CAC 40 (+0.25%) and the STOXX (+0.34%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed mixed. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(+1.14%), HSI (-0.67%) and the Shanghai Composite (-0.024%).

The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 2.79%, while the 2 - year note was at 3.193%. Oil was up to \$88.76 per barrel, down 3.62%. The gold price was at US\$1794.30 per ounce, down 1.17%.

NZX & ASX

The S&P/ASX200 closed higher on Monday, + 31.80 to 7,064.00 points. The best performing stocks in this index were CHAMPION IRON LIMITED (+6.40%) and GPT GROUP (+5.348%). The index has gained 0.62% in last five days.

The S&P/NZX 50 closed higher at 11789.032 points up 0.50%. Most sectors ended mixed. The 3 worst sectors were Information Energy (-0.71%), Communications Services (-0.45%), Real Estate (-0.70%). The 3 best sectors were Consumer Materials (+1.67%), Industrials (+1.10%) and Utilities (+0.77%).

NZX Index				
Index	Last	Change		
S&P/NZX All Index	12,864.20	62.68	▲	0.49%
S&P/NZX 50 Index	11,789.03	58.51	▲	0.50%
S&P/NZX MidCap Index	33,874.94	15.50	▲	0.05%
S&P/NZX SmallCap Index	84,519.56	113.38	▲	0.13%
ASX Index				
Index	Last	Change		
ASX All Ordinaries	7,324.90	36.10	▲	0.50%
S&P/ASX 200	7,064.30	31.80	▲	0.45%
ASX Small Ordinaries	3,080.00	29.60	▲	0.97%
S&P/ASX MIDCAP 50	9,099.40	63.70	▲	0.70%
S&P/ASX 20	3,931.70	12.10	▲	0.31%
Foreign Markets Index				
	Last	Change		
S&P 500	4,297.14	16.99	▲	0.40%
Dow Jones Industrial Average	33,912.44	151.39	▲	0.45%
NASDAQ Composite	13,128.05	80.87	▲	0.62%
FTSE 100	7,509.15	8.26	▲	0.11%
ASX All Ordinaries	7,324.90	36.10	▲	0.50%
NIKKEI 225	28,871.78	324.80	▲	1.14%
HANG SENG INDEX	20,040.86	134.76	▼	0.67%
Currencies (per NZ\$ 1.00)				
	Last	Change		
AUD	0.9063	0.0003	▼	0.03%
USD	0.6364	0.0087	▼	1.35%
CNY	4.3108	0.0391	▼	0.90%
EUR	0.6264	0.0022	▼	0.35%
CAD	0.8217	0.0025	▼	0.30%
GBP	0.528	0.0039	▼	0.73%
JPY	84.8373	1.2448	▼	1.45%
US 10 Year Treasury Yield				
US 10YR	2.79%			
NZ Interest Rates				
	Last			
NZ OCR	2.50			
90-day Bank Bill	2.12			
5y Bank Bill	3.68			
10y Bank Bill	3.81			
Swap rate spread close (bps)	17.00			
Commodities Futures (Spot Price \$USD)				
	Last	Change		
Gold	1,794.30	21.20	▼	1.17%
Silver	20.21	0.49	▼	2.36%
Crude Oil	88.76	3.33	▼	3.62%

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