MORNING REPORT

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US markets closed lower on Wednesday with the Nasdaq's 1% loss leading declines after stronger-than-expected services sector data fueled concerns that still sticky inflation would mean that interest rates stay higher for longer. The Dow Jones Industrial Average closed down 0.57%, while the S&P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were down 0.70% and down 1.06% respectively.

Other key markets ended mixed. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (-0.16%), the Dax 30 (-0.19%), CAC 40 (-0.84%) and the STOXX (-0.72%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed lower. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(+0.62%), HSI (-0.04%) and the Shanghai Composite (+0.21%).

The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 4.296%, while the 2 - year note was at 5.029%. Oil was up to \$87.59 per barrel, up 1.04%. The gold price was at US\$1941.80 per ounce, down 0.55%.

NZX & ASX

The S&P/ASX200 closed higher on Wednesday, -0.09% to 7,257.10 points. The worst performing stocks in this index were ORORA LIMITED (-18.18%) and CROMWELL PROPERTY GROUP (-5.38%). The index has lost 0.56% in last five days.

The S&P/NZX 50 closed lower at 11427.660 points down 0.22%. Most sectors ended mixed. The 3 best sectors were Materials (+3.92%), Financials (+1.64%), Consumer Staples (+0.61%). The 3 worst sectors were Communications Services (-0.97%), Information Technology (-0.72%) and Health Care (-0.65%).

	NZX Index				
Index	Last		Change		
S&P/NZX All Index	12,437.47	27.49	•	0.22%	
S&P/NZX 50 Index	11,427.66	25.76	•	0.22%	
S&P/NZX MidCap Index	30,287.86	74.97		0.25%	
S&P/NZX SmallCap Index	79,669.01	16.89		0.02%	
ASX Index					
ASX All Ordinaries	Last	42.90	Chang		
S&P/ASX 200	7,505.60	42.90	_	0.57%	
ASX Small Ordinaries	7,314.30			0.09%	
	2,848.20	8.80	_		
S&P/ASX MIDCAP 50	9,290.80	38.50			
S&P/ASX 20	4,078.50 reign Markets II	30.20	_	0.74%	
	Last	Tuck	Change		
S&P 500	4,465.48	31.35	_	0.70%	
Dow Jones Industrial Average	34,443.19	198.78	_	0.57%	
NASDAQ Composite	13,872.47	148.48	_	1.06%	
FTSE 100	7,426.14	11.79	_	0.16%	
ASX All Ordinaries	7,505.60	42.90	_	0.57%	
NIKKEI 225	33,241.02	204.26		0.62%	
HANG SENG INDEX	18,449.98	6.93	_	0.04%	
Currencies (per NZ\$ 1.00)					
	Last	0.0004	Chang		
AUD	0.9201	0.0024	_	0.26%	
USD	0.5872	0.0012	•	0.20%	
CNY	4.2964	0.0001		0.00%	
EUR	0.5475	0.0011			
CAD	0.8008	0.0016		0.20%	
GBP	0.4696	0.0015		0.32%	
JPY US 1	86.7018 LO Year Treasury	0.1635		0.19%	
US 10YR	2.05%	Tielu			
NZ Interest Rates					
	Last				
NZ OCR	4.75				
90-day Bank Bill	5.13				
5y Bank Bill	4.22				
10y Bank Bill	4.18				
Swap rate spread close (bps)	-70.00				
Commodities Futures (Spot Price \$USD)					
Gold	Last	10.90	Chang		
Silver	1,941.80 23.50	10.80	_	0.55% 1.58%	
Crude Oil	23.50 87.59	0.38	<u> </u>	1.58%	
Crude Oil	67.39	0.90		1.04/0	

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