

## MORNING REPORT

As at 9.00 a.m. 23/02/2024

Web: www.equity.co.nz / E-mail: Info@equity.co.nz / Tel: +64 (9)304 0145 / Address: Level 8, 115 Queen Street, Auckland, NZ

## **Top News**

## **KEY OVERSEAS MARKET**

## NZX & ASX

| Top News  |  | NZX Index  |                     |             |             |  |  |
|---|--|--|---------------------|-------------|-------------|--|--|
| KEY OVERSEAS MARKET   | Index  | Last   |                     | Chang       |             |  |  |
| US markets hit record highs on Thursday after artificial  | S&P/NZX All Index  | 12,711.75  | 105.17              |             | 0.83%       |  |  |
| <ul> <li>intelligence darling Nvidia forecast bumper revenue, stocking investor, stocking investor confidence that also boosted other growth stocks. The Dow Jones Industrial Average closed up 1.18%, while the S&amp;P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were up 2.12% and up 2.99% respectively.</li> <li>Other key markets ended mixed. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (+0.29%), the Dax 30 (+1.47%), CAC 40 (+1.27%) and the STOXX (+1.68%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed mixed. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(+2.19%), HSI (+1.45%) and the Shanghai Composite (+1.27%).</li> </ul> | S&P/NZX 50 Index   | 11,690.25  | -29.00              |             | 0.86%       |  |  |
|   | S&P/NZX MidCap Index   | 31,186.98  | 156.61              |             | 0.50%       |  |  |
|   | S&P/NZX SmallCap Index   | 80,657.00  | 75.77               |             | 0.09%       |  |  |
|   | Index  | ASX Index  |                     | Change      |             |  |  |
|   | Index<br>ASX All Ordinaries  | Last<br>7,700.40   | 9.10                |             | 0.12%       |  |  |
|   | S&P/ASX 200  | 7,481.70   | 12.10               | -           | 0.16%       |  |  |
|   | ASX Small Ordinaries   | 3,016.00   | 4.00                |             | 0.13%       |  |  |
|   | S&P/ASX MIDCAP 50  | 9,524.30   | 57.60               |             | 0.61%       |  |  |
|   | S&P/ASX 20   | 4,229.60   | 14.50               | -           | 0.34%       |  |  |
| The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 4.329%, while the 2<br>- year note was at 4.712%. Oil was up to \$78.55 per barrel,<br>up 0.82%. The gold price was at US\$2032.90 per ounce,<br>down 0.07%.  |  | oreign Markets In  |                     | •           | 0.34%       |  |  |
|   |  | Last   | -                   |             |             |  |  |
|   | S&P 500  | 5,087.59   | 105.79              |             | 2.12%       |  |  |
|   | Dow Jones Industrial Average   | 39,066.95  | 454.71              |             | 1.18%       |  |  |
|   | NASDAQ Composite   | 16,046.46  | 465.56              |             | 2.99%       |  |  |
| NZX & ASX   | FTSE 100   | 7,684.49   | 21.98               |             | 0.29%       |  |  |
| The S&P/ASX200 closed lower on Thursday, -0.16% to<br>7,611.20 points. The best performing stocks in this index<br>were INSIGNIA FINANCIAL LTD (+13.72%) and BEGA CHEESE<br>LIMITED (+12.96%). The index is virtually unchanged in last<br>five days.   | ASX All Ordinaries   | 7,700.40   | 9.10                | -           | 0.12%       |  |  |
|   | NIKKEI 225   | 39,098.68  | 836.48              |             | 2.19%       |  |  |
|   | HANG SENG INDEX  | 16,742.95  | 239.85              |             | 1.45%       |  |  |
|   | Currencies (per NZ\$ 1.00)   |  |                     |             |             |  |  |
| The S&P/NZX 50 closed higher at 11690.246 points up<br>0.86%. Most sectors ended higher. The 3 worst sectors were<br>Financials (-1.16%), Materials (-0.81%), Real Estate (-0.62%).<br>The 3 best sectors were Consumer Staples (+2.81%),<br>Information Technology (+2.58%) and Primary Sector<br>(+1.87%).  |  | Last   |                     | Chang       | je          |  |  |
|   | AUD  | 0.9167   | 0.0034              |             | 0.37%       |  |  |
|   | USD  | 0.6469   | 0.0024              | -           | 0.37%       |  |  |
|   | CNY  | 4.366  | 0.0336              | -           | 0.76%       |  |  |
|   | EUR  | 0.5966   | 0.0003              | -           | 0.05%       |  |  |
|   | CAD  | 0.8657   | 0.0019              |             | 0.22%       |  |  |
|   | GBP  | 0.524  | 0.0010              |             | 0.19%       |  |  |
|   | JPY  | 84.4496  | 0.2957              |             | 0.35%       |  |  |
|   | US   | US 10 Year Treasury Yield                                    |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | US 10YR  | 3.68%  |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   |  | NZ Interest Rates  |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   |  |  |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | NZ OCR   | 5.50   |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   |  | 5.50   |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | NZ OCR<br>90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill   |  |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill   | 5.64   |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill<br>10y Bank Bill  | 5.64<br>4.27   |                     |             |             |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill<br>10y Bank Bill<br>Swap rate spread close (bps)            | 5.64<br>4.27<br>4.60   | Price SUSI          | D)          |             |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill<br>10y Bank Bill<br>Swap rate spread close (bps)            | 5.64<br>4.27<br>4.60<br>-34.00                               | Price \$USE         | o)<br>Chang | je          |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill<br>10y Bank Bill<br>Swap rate spread close (bps)            | 5.64<br>4.27<br>4.60<br>-34.00<br>ties Futures (Spot         | Price \$USE<br>1.10 |             | te<br>0.05% |  |  |
|   | 90-day Bank Bill<br>5y Bank Bill<br>10y Bank Bill<br>Swap rate spread close (bps)<br>Commodi | 5.64<br>4.27<br>4.60<br>-34.00<br>ties Futures (Spot<br>Last |                     | Chang       |             |  |  |

information before using it in any decision-making process. Acknowledgements: Equity Investment Advisers (EIA) sincerely expresses its gratitude to the following sources for the contribution of valuable information in the production of EIA morning reports: Yahoo New Zealand, ANZ securities, ASX, Nikkei Indexes, NZX, NYSE, and NASDAQ.

Struggling to achieve good income yield? Click here for possible assitance.

Need help with precious metals? Click E-mail: Info@equity.co.nz

here www.equity.co.nz Tel: +64 (9)304 0145 / NZ: 0800 474 669