MORNING REPORT

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US markets closed lower in choppy trading on Tuesday as Treasury yields climbed, with investors weighing the likely path of interest rates in a resilient US economy with persistent inflation. The Dow Jones Industrial Average closed up 0.17%, while the S&P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were up 1.20% and up 1.79% respectively.

Other key markets ended lower. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (-1.82%), the Dax 30 (-1.44%), CAC 40 (-1.40%) and the STOXX (-1.35%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed mixed. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(-1.94%), HSI (-2.12%) and the Shanghai Composite (-1.65%).

The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 4.669%, while the 2 - year note was at 4.985%. Oil was up to \$85.31 per barrel, down 0.12%. The gold price was at US\$2400.70 per ounce, up 0.74%.

NZX & ASX

The S&P/ASX200 closed sharply lower on Tuesday, -1.81% to 7,612.50 points. The worst performing stocks in this index were BOSS ENERGY LTD (-6.61%) and STRIKE ENERGY LIMITED (-6.52%). The index has lost 2.71% in last five days.

The S&P/NZX 50 closed higher at 11804.836 points down 0.94%. Most sectors ended mixed. The 3 worst sectors were Materials (-2.70%), Consumer Staples (-2.75%), Consumer Discretionary (-1.69%). The 3 best sectors were Utilities (+0.15%), SmallCap (+0.01%) and Energy (-0.01%).

	NZX Index				
Index	Last		Change		
S&P/NZX All Index	12,817.96	117.50		0.91%	
S&P/NZX 50 Index	11,804.84	-29.00	•	0.94%	
S&P/NZX MidCap Index	31,069.71	512.30	•	1.62%	
S&P/NZX SmallCap Index	77,991.62	10.91		0.01%	
	ASX Index				
Index	Last	•			
ASX All Ordinaries	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			0.61%	
S&P/ASX 20	4,229.60	14.50	_	0.34%	
Foreign Markets Index Last Change					
S&P 500	5,051.41	10.41		0.21%	
Dow Jones Industrial Average	37,798.97			0.17%	
NASDAQ Composite	15,865.25				
FTSE 100	7,820.36	145.17			
ASX All Ordinaries	7,700.40	9.10	_		
NIKKEI 225	38,471.20	761.60			
HANG SENG INDEX	16,248.97	351.49	_		
	encies (per NZ\$			212270	
	Last		Change		
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 10 Year Treasury Yield					
US 10YR	3.68%				
	NZ Interest Rate	25			
NZ OCR	5.50				
90-day Bank Bill	5.64				
5y Bank Bill	4.27				
10y Bank Bill	4.60				
Swap rate spread close (bps)	-34.00				
Commodities Futures (Spot Price \$USD)					
Last Change					
Gold	2,400.70	17.70		0.74%	
Silver	28.24	0.48	_	1.66%	
	85.31	0.10		0.12%	

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