

MORNING REPORT

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KEY OVERSEAS MARKET

The US Market closed higher on Thursday following gains in Tesla and Micron Technology, while US inflation and jobless data fueled expectations that the Federal Reserve will cut interest rates this month.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average up 1.36%, while the S&P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were up 0.81% and 0.72% respectively.

Other key markets ended mixed. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (+0.78%), the Dax 30 (+0.30%), CAC 40 (+0.80%) and the STOXX (+0.47%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed higher. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(+1.22%), HSI (-0.43%) and the Shanghai Composite (+1.65%).

The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 4.026%, while the 2 - year note was at 3.544%. Oil was up to \$62.28 per barrel, down 2.18%. The gold price was at US\$3673.22 per ounce, down 0.24%.

NZX & ASX

The S&P/ASX200 closed lower on Thursday, down 0.29% to 8,805.00 points. The best performing stocks in this index were NINE ENTERTAINMENT CO. HOLDINGS LIMITED. (-35.88%) and BOSS ENERGY LTD (-12.15%). The index is virtually unchanged in last five days.

The S&P/NZX 50 closed at 13229.15 points down 0.35%. Most sectors ended lower. The 3 worst sectors were Industrials (-1.01%), Real Estate (-0.57%), Health Care (-0.42%). The 3 best sectors were Utilities (+1.33%), Financials (+1.78%) and Materials (+1.47%).

NZX Index				
Index	Last	Change		
S&P/NZX All Index	13,452.36	-62.94	▼	-0.47%
S&P/NZX 50 Index	12,605.07	138.07	▲	1.11%
S&P/NZX MidCap Index	34,784.56	-82.00	▼	-0.24%
S&P/NZX SmallCap Index	77,944.24	-463.90	▼	-0.59%
ASX Index				
Index	Last	Change		
ASX All Ordinaries	9,071.40	-23.80	▼	-0.26%
S&P/ASX 200	8,805.00	-25.40	▼	-0.29%
ASX Small Ordinaries	3,627.40	7.30	▲	0.20%
S&P/ASX MIDCAP 50	11,479.10	-41.90	▼	-0.36%
S&P/ASX 20	4,850.90	-24.60	▼	-0.50%
Foreign Markets Index				
	Last	Change		
S&P 500 derived	6,585.11	53.06	▲	0.81%
Dow Jones	46,107.79	616.87	▲	1.36%
Nasdaq	22,043.08	157.01	▲	0.72%
FTSE 100 derived	9,297.58	72.19	▲	0.78%
ASX All Ordinaries	9,071.40	-23.80	▼	-0.26%
Nikkei 225 derived	44,372.50	534.83	▲	1.22%
Hang Seng derived	26,086.32	-113.94	▼	-0.43%
Currencies (per NZ\$ 1.00)				
	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	4.33%			
NZ Interest Rates				
	Last			
NZ OCR	3.00			
90-day Bank Bill	3.10			
5y Bank Bill	2.86			
10y Bank Bill	2.96			
Swap rate spread close (bps)	3.56			
Commodities Futures (Spot Price \$USD)				
	Last	Change		
Gold	3,673.22	-8.78	▼	-0.24%
Silver	42.20	0.60	▲	1.43%
Crude Oil	62.28	-1.39	▼	-2.18%

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