MORNING REPORT

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The US market closed higher on Tuesday, also marking quarterly and monthly gains, even as investors braced for a US government shutdown, which would delay key economic reports and muddy the Federal Reserve's interest rate policy outlook.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average up 0.18%, while the S&P 500 and Nasdaq Composite were up 0.39% and 0.31% respectively.

Other key markets ended mixed. European stocks closed as follows: the FTSE100 (+0.54%), the Dax 30 (+0.57%), CAC 40 (+0.19%) and the STOXX (+0.42%). In Asia, the Hang Seng and Shanghai indices closed higher. The key Asian indices ended yesterday as follows: Nikkei 225(-0.25%), HSI (+0.87%) and the Shanghai Composite (+0.52%).

The yield on the US 10 - year note was at 4.158%, while the 2 - year note was at 3.617%. Oil was up to \$62.52 per barrel, down 1.47%. The gold price was at US\$3881.12 per ounce, up 0.67%.

NZX & ASX

The S&P/ASX200 closed higher on Monday, down 0.16% to 8,848.80 points. The worst performing stocks in this index were IPERIONX LIMITED. (-5.28%) and BEACH ENERGY LIMITED (-3.38%). The index is virtually unchanged in last five days.

The S&P/NZX 50 closed at 13292.36 points up 1.22%. Most sectors ended higher. The 3 worst sectors were Communication Services (+0.04%), Materials (-0.50%), Utilities (-0.88%). The 3 best sectors were Financials (+1.33%), Real Estate (+0.50%) and Primary (+0.45%).

	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		Chang	
ASX All Ordinaries	9,135.90	-12.60		-0.14%
S&P/ASX 200	8,848.80	-14.00		
ASX Small Ordinaries	3,713.10	5.00		0.13%
S&P/ASX MIDCAP 50	11,779.00	25.40		0.22%
S&P/ASX 20	4,854.50	-13.60	_	-0.28%
		eign Markets Index Last Change		
S&P 500 derived	6,687.06	25.85	Chang	0.39%
Dow Jones	46,397.83	81.76		
Nasdag	22,660.01	68.86	_	
FTSE 100 derived	9,350.43	50.59	_	
ASX All Ordinaries	9,135.90	-12.60	_	-0.14%
Nikkei 225 derived	44,932.63	-111.12	_	-0.25%
Hang Seng derived	26,855.56	232.68		0.23%
	urrencies (per NZ			0.0770
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 Rat	es		
NZ OCR	3.00			
90-day Bank Bill	2.96			
5y Bank Bill	2.66			
10y Bank Bill	2.75			
Swap rate spread close (bps)	3.40			
Commodities Futures (Spot Price \$USD)				
Last Change				
Gold	3,881.12	25.92		0.67%
Silver	46.76	-0.26	_	-0.55%

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