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# **Press Review**





15:30 GMT, Wednesday, April 30, 2014

# **▶▶▶** Economy

#### Reuters

► Euro zone inflation edges up, swift ECB action seen less likely

Euro zone inflation rose in April, reducing chances the European Central Bank will act soon to ward off deflation, but the pace of price rises was below forecast and still within the ECB's "danger zone" of under 1 percent.

## Investing.com

▶ U.S. ADP non-farm payrolls rise by 220,000 in April

U.S. non-farm private employment rose more-than-expected in April, easing concern over the strength of the U.S. labor market, industry data showed on Wednesday.

# **▶▶▶** Currencies

## BloombergBusinessweek

▶ Pound Advances in April as Economy Strengthens, Policy Diverges

The pound was set for a monthly advance against the dollar as data showed U.K. consumer confidence rose to the highest in almost seven years in April...

### Nasdaq

Forex - Euro off lows after euro zone inflation report

The euro came off session lows against the dollar and the yen on Wednesday, but gains were held in check after data showed that the annual rate of inflation in the euro zone rose ...

# **▶▶▶ Top Videos**

#### CNN

► Netanyahu: Abbas doing damage control

Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu says Israel won't participate in peace talks that include Hamas.

#### ABC

► World News Now: Tuesday, April 29, 2014

In this morning's headlines: round-two of extreme weather; Calif. home mimics 'Up' movie.

# **>>> Politics**

#### The Wall Street Journal

▶ Ukraine, Sanctions Expected to Dominate Merkel's Obama Meeting

The Ukraine crisis—and the role of further potential sanctions on Russia—will top the agenda for both Chancellor Angela Merkel and President Barack Obama...

## **Spiegel Online International**

▶ Iraqi Election Fear: 'No One Is Safe Anymore'

Iraq's former interim prime minister, Ayad Allawi, is hoping to oust the current government in this week's elections.

# **▶▶▶** Markets

#### **CNBC**

► Europe shares mixed on inflation data; Alstom surges

The pan-European FTSEurofirst 300 Index was fairly flat on Wednesday afternoon.

#### **Action Forex**

► WTI Crude Oil Below 200-Day Average, Weighed Down By Excess Supply Worries

Both the major crude oil contracts are lower today with Brent just about holding above its 50-day moving average support of \$108.15...

# ▶▶▶ Blogs

#### **Matt Levine**

Largest Leveraged Buyout Ever Is Finally Bankrupt

Every microgeneration is molded by its own financial bubble. Right now, for instance, there's a vigorous debate about a tech bubble in which WhatsApp...

# **Adam Taylor**

▶ 13 times that economic sanctions really worked

Sanctions seem to be the main, if not only, Western weapon for dealing with Russian aggression in Ukraine.















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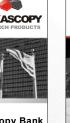
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