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Press Review





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▶▶▶ Economy

Reuters

► Europe's fragile economy put to test as Ukraine, Iraq sour mood

Investors will gauge the strength of the euro zone's fragile economy this week as escalating conflicts in Ukraine and Iraq darken the mood globally.

Bloomberg

► European stocks gain with Asia as Bounds side: Won Climbs

European and emerging-market stocks advanced while bounds risk fell as tension eased in Ukraine and the U.S. showed signs of pushing militants in Iraq. The euro weakened.

▶▶▶ Currencies

The national business review

► Dollar little changed as yield advantage offsets risk aversion

The New Zealand dollar was little changed as the currency's relatively attractive yield helped underpin the currency in the face of heightened risk aversion among investors.

Fxstreet

► <u>USD/JPY stagnant above 102.00</u>

The USD/JPY has been confined to a narrow range on Monday, having spent most of the day just above of the 102.00 level in the absence of economic news and easing geopolitical concerns.

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Bloomberg

▶ What Are the Limits of U.S. Foreign Policy?

Richard Haass, president at Council on Foreign Relations, talks with Tom Keene about U.S. government's engagement in Iraq and the limits of U.S. influence around the world...

CNBC

China opportunities 'positive' for Agility: CEO

The opportunity for Agility to tap into the China story "will only increase" says Tarek Sultan, CEO of Agility - in particular due to China's investment in Africa.

>>> Politics

Euronews

► Erdogan wins Turkish presidential election, vows reconciliation

Victory in the presidential election for Recep Tayyip Erdogan has secured his place in history as Turkey's first directly elected head of state.

BCC news

► Foreign Office minister Mark Simmonds resigns

Foreign Office minister Mark Simmonds has resigned from the government, the second to depart in less than a week.

▶▶▶ Markets

The Sydney morning heald

► Australian market breaks six-day losing streak

Australian equities snapped a six-day losing streak on Monday as investors followed Friday's gains in the US on receding concerns of Russian aggression in Ukraine and clarity on US air strikes in Iraq.

Market Watch

Ample supply keeps oil prices steady

Crude oil futures traded in a narrow range on Monday as dealers continue to watch ongoing tensions in Iraq.

▶▶▶ Opinions

Mark DeCambre

▶ If the tiniest US banks have such bad prospects, why are their stocks doing so well this year?

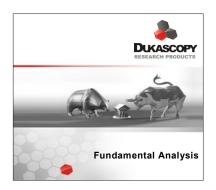
While global institutions like HSBC have found much to complain about regarding financial reform, US community banks were...

Jeffrey Frankel

► Italian growth: New recession or six-year decline?

he Italian economy is reported to have slipped back into recession...













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