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Press Review

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Reuters

▶ [China surprises with interest rate cut to spur growth](#)

China cut interest rates unexpectedly on Friday, stepping up efforts to support the world's second-biggest economy as it heads towards its slowest expansion in nearly a quarter of a century.

BBC News

▶ [Public borrowing at £7.7bn in October](#)

Government borrowing fell to £7.7bn in October, official figures show, down £0.2bn from a year earlier.

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Investing.com

▶ [EUR/USD drops, near 27-month lows on Draghi remarks](#)

The euro dropped against the U.S. dollar on Friday, re-approaching 27-month lows hit earlier in the month as comments by European Central Bank President Mario Draghi weighed on the single currency.

FX Street

▶ [USD/JPY hovering over 118.00](#)

After bottoming out around 117.40 overnight, USD/JPY managed to pick up pace and recover to the current vicinity of 118.00 the figure.

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Bloomberg

▶ [China Interest-Rate Cut Is Good for Europe: DZ Bank CEO](#)

China's first benchmark interest-rate cut since July 2012 is good for Europe and Germany, according to Wolfgang Kirsch, chief executive officer of Germany's DZ Bank AG.

CNBC

▶ [Draghi 'jawboning' rather than putting money to work](#)

Wilbur Ross, WL Ross & Company chairman & CEO, shares his thoughts on EBC policy and Europe's economy. Also Ross discusses the sale of his stake in the Bank of Ireland.

▶▶▶ Politics

DW.DE

▶ [Opinion: Revolution of dignity in Ukraine](#)

The Ukrainians defeated an autocratic regime. They chose democracy and want a constitutional state. But DW's Bernd Johann warns that this new departure could be blocked by homegrown oligarchs and by Moscow.

RTT News

▶ [Lower House Of Japan's Parliament Dissolved](#)

The Speaker of Japan's lower house of parliament, Bunmei Ibuki, on Friday announced the dissolution of the House of Representatives, paving the way for a general election in December.

▶▶▶ Markets

Bloomberg

▶ [European Stocks Jump as Draghi Repeats Inflation Pledge](#)

Stocks in Europe climbed to an eight-week high as European Central Bank President Mario Draghi reiterated his commitment to raising inflation as fast as possible, and China cut interest rates.

Market Watch

▶ [Oil prices jump after China's interest rate cut](#)

Crude-oil futures made sizeable gains on Friday after the People's Bank of China announced a surprising swath of interest-rate cuts, indicating the country is taking its economic slowdown seriously.

▶▶▶ Opinions

Dan Steinbock

▶ [Japan's Third Lost Decade Begins](#)

Japan's recession is not paving the way for sustained growth. It is prolonging new debt and liquidity and thus deteriorating fiscal discipline.

Gwynn Guilford

▶ [China's surprise rate cut shows how freaked out the government is by the slowdown](#)

Earlier today, the People's Bank of China slashed the benchmark lending rate by 40 basis points, to 5.6%, and pushed down the 12-month deposit rate 25 basis points, to 2.75%.



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