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Russia failed to halt the collapse of the ruble on Tuesday, leaving President Vladimir Putin facing a full-blown currency crisis that could weaken his iron grip on power.

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Asian countries, China and India in particular, are poised to become the biggest trading partners of the six Arab oil states of the Gulf Co-operation Council (GCC) countries, said a report released on Tuesday...

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All eyes are on the Federal Reserve monetary policy announcement in the hours ahead.

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The Australian dollar has experienced a bad last month moving from resistance around 0.88 down to multi year lows right on 0.8200 in the last couple of days.

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Richard Yetsenga, head of global markets research at Australia & New Zealand Banking Group Ltd., talks about crude oil prices, Federal Reserve policy and their impact on financial markets.

CNBC

▶ [Will Greece president vote lead to snap polls?](#)

Andrew Naylor, Executive Director at Cicero Group, discusses the possibility of Greece seeing a snap election, as the country's parliament holds the first round of ballot for a new president.

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▶ [Swiss add names to list to prevent bypassing of Russian sanctions](#)

Switzerland has added 13 people and five organisations to a list designed to stop the country being used as a conduit to circumvent Western sanctions against Russia.

DW

▶ [US plans more sanctions as Russian ruble sinks deeper](#)

US President Barack Obama is planning to sign a bill allowing tighter sanctions against Moscow as the Russian ruble continues to slide on financial markets. But there is room for maneuver, the White House said.

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The Economic Times

▶ [Gold holds below \\$1,200, Fed in focus](#)

Gold steadied at just below \$1,200 an ounce on Wednesday ahead of the outcome of the U.S. Federal Reserve's last policy meeting of the year, when it may signal how soon it will raise interest rates.

The Hindu Business Line

▶ [Investors take cover amid Russian crisis, oil slide](#)

An uneasy calm settled on Asian markets on Wednesday as a brewing financial crisis in Russia and the rout in oil prices sent investors scurrying for the cover of top-rated bonds.

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Brian Pinto

▶ [What I learnt about growth policy at the World Bank](#)

Since the Global Crisis, concerns have grown that advanced economies are suffering from secular stagnation.

Paul Krugman

▶ [The Limits of Purely Monetary Policies](#)

Last night I had an austere repast — OK, steak and a lot of red wine — with some civilized financial-industry economists (they do exist), and heard what is apparently the joke du jour: “Money isn’t everything — good health is 2 percent.”



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