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The dollar held onto its post-payrolls gains early on Monday in a sluggish start to the week with the Lunar New Year holidays and the Super Bowl game all but guaranteeing a tepid session in Asia.

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The Japanese yen weakened against the other major currencies in the Asian session on Monday amid rising risk appetite, as Asian stocks rose paring most of its initial losses.

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China's foreign-exchange reserves shrank to the smallest since 2012, indicating that the central bank sold dollars as the yuan's retreat to a five-year low exacerbated depreciation pressure.

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▶ [Thousands of refugees left in limbo on Syria-Turkey border](#)

Turkey has come under pressure from European Union officials to let in tens of thousands of Syrian refugees.

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South Korea's presidential office announced Monday that the country was on high alert to detect further provocations from rival North Korea, which fired...

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The mayor of the Greek island of Kos on Sunday called on the government to abandon its plans to build a migrant registration centre as demanded by the...

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▶ [Crude oil rises in holiday-constrained trade](#)

Crude oil futures rose on Monday in thin trade as many Asian markets were on holiday for Lunar New Year, with few trading cues expected until Federal Reserve Chair Janet Yellen gives testimony to lawmakers later in the week.

Market Watch

▶ [Japan, Australia stocks start the day down on Fed uncertainty](#)

Japanese and Australian stock markets were lower Monday after a U.S. jobs report added to uncertainty about the U.S. Federal Reserve's pace of interest-rate increases.

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Marc Chandler

▶ [Easing Of U.S. Recession Fears Will Likely Lend USD Support](#)

With many equity markets having fallen 20% from their peaks—meeting a common definition of a bear market—investors, analysts, and journalists understandably seek a narrative that gives it meaning

Johan Berntorp

▶ [Two oil scenarios - which one will play out?](#)

Speculations of a more solid low in oil are running high, however there is yet little evidence to suggest that a low is in, even though the most recent run-up in price obviously is a positive for oil bulls.



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