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WBP Online

▶ Vice Chairman Stanley Fisher's Remarks on US Economy

I believe it is a remarkable, and perhaps underappreciated, achievement that the economy has returned to near-full employment in a relatively short time after the Great Recession...

China Daily

Show of European unity: Merkel, Hollande, Renzi meet to discuss gameplan

The leaders of Germany, France and Italy will meet on Monday to discuss how to keep the European project together in the second set of talks between the premiers of the euro zone's three largest economies...

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Marc to Market

► Fischer Joins Dudley; Waiting for Yellen

Last week, some market participants were giving more credence to what seemed like dovish FOMC minutes than to NY Fed President Dudley's remarks that accused investors of complacency over the outlook for rates.

Economic Calendar

► EUR/USD Under Pressure and Retracing Last Week's Gains

The U.S. dollar is firmer in this morning's trading, as speculation regarding a rate hike in the U.S.

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CNBC

► Trump campaign reboot

Kellyanne Conway, Trump campaign manager, discusses Donald Trump's leadership skills and weighs in on Trump's position on immigration and securing U.S. borders and jobs.

Bloomberg

► A Failure of Abenomics Reflected in AUD/JPY Trade

In today's "Single Best Chart," Bloomberg's Tom Keene displays the trade of the Australian dollar and Japanese yen going back to 2007. He speaks with Robert Sinche, global strategist at Amherst Pierpont.

▶▶▶ Politics

Business Insider

The EU's most powerful official says: 'Borders are the worst invention ever' The European Union's most powerful official says increasing border control is not how Europe should deal with the continuing challenge of the refugee crisis.

The Japan Times

► Akie Abe prays at Pearl Harbor, fueling speculation Japan's prime minister will follow suit

Known for making free-thinking comments and actions that are politically awkward for her husband, Akie Abe has done it again.

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Investing

Oil sharply lower on output freeze doubts, stronger dollar

Oil was sharply lower Monday on doubts about a supply freeze accord and as the dollar strengthened.

Reuters

World stocks edge lower as investors await Fed hike signal

World stocks edged lower and the dollar strengthened on Monday on expectations the Federal Reserve will give a signal this week that it is gearing up to raise U.S. interest rates.

▶▶▶ Opinions

John J Hardy

▶ Fed's Fischer boosts the buck as we await Yellen

Influential Fed vice chairman Stanley Fischer was out speaking over the weekend and very clearly expressing that he sees both inflation and especially employment in the Fed's target range, while also waxing optimistic on the potential trajectory of the US economy from here.

Cristian Spurrier

Want proof that Britain can thrive after Brexit? Look at South Korea In the furore over how Britain should look post-Brexit, it's surprising that we haven't heard more about South Korea.













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