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Bloomberg

A Foreign Threat to U.S. Treasuries That Dwarfs Fed's Debt Hoard These days, it seems like everyone in the bond market is obsessed over what will happen when the Federal Reserve starts whittling down its mammoth, crisis-era investments in U.S. government bonds.

Reuters

Asian stocks struggle, dollar shines as geopolitical risks grow
Asian stocks slipped on Monday as increased geopolitical risks prompted investors to favor safe-haven bets such as government debt while the dollar drew support from Federal Reserve policy tightening expectations.

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Investing

► EUR/USD Weekly Support Into French Election

Starting with the higher time frame, weekly chart, we can see that EUR/USD has depreciated sharply over the last couple of years, with exaggerated moves following Brexit and the Trump election.

FXStreet

► GBP/USD probing tops near 1.2390

The Sterling has started the week on a string footing, now pushing GBP/USD to the area of daily highs near 1.2390.

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How Geopolitics May Impact Markets

Geoffrey Yu, head of U.K. investment office at UBS Wealth Management, discusses his assessment of the markets, where he sees the most volatility and the Fed reducing its balance sheet.

CNBC

Assessing the Xi-Trump meeting

Sophia Yan reports on the reactions to the first meeting between U.S. President Donald Trump and Chinese President Xi Jinping.

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Deutsche Welle

<u>Pulse of Europe' rallies converge across Germany and EU for an united Europe</u>

Thousands of pro-Europe demonstrators have taken to the streets for the 9th time in cities across Germany and Europe. A minute's silence was also held for the victims of the Stockholm and St. Petersburg attacks.

CNN

▶ US envoy Nikki Haley says Syria regime change is inevitable

The US ambassador to the United Nations has told CNN that removing Syrian President from power is a priority, cementing an extraordinary Uturn in the Trump administration's stance on the embattled leader.

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Market Watch

Oil prices edge up as geopolitics dominate

Crude-oil futures started the week slightly higher in Asia, coming as Friday's price jump following the U.S. airstrike in Syria moderated some ahead of the weekend.

The Economic Times

► Gold rate today: Market scenario for the day

Gold inched down on Monday on a stronger dollar, moving away from a 5-month high hit in the previous session, although geopolitical tensions continued to buoy safe-haven demand for the precious metal.

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The Guardian

America owes China \$1tn. That's a problem for Beijing, and Trump knows it

The leaders shared steak in Florida, but the stakes in trade talks are much higher for China, which would struggle to find a better export market.

SPIEGEL Staff

The World at a Crossroads in Syria

On the day after 50 children, women and men died in Syria, likely from the nerve agent sarin, U.S. President Donald Trump sounded a bit like he had realized for the first time what it means to be president.













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