

Morning Report 16 March 2021

US share markets The Dow Jones Industrial Average rose 0.53% to end at 32,953.46 points, while the S&P 500 gained 0.65% to 3,968.94. The Nasdaq Composite climbed 1.05 % to 13,459.71. The Airline's sector surged by 4.1%, while key Travel-related stocks rose by 3-5%.

Global oil prices fell by up to 0.5% on Monday. Brent crude fell by US34 cents or 0.5% to US\$68.88 a barrel. And the US Nymex price lost US22 cents or 0.3% to US\$65.39 a barrel.

Australian share markets On Monday, the S&P/ASX200 benchmark index closed higher by 6.2 points to 6,773. All Ordinaries closed higher by 4.5 points, at 7,019.1. The materials sector was down by 0.61%, following the drop in Iron ore price. The Australian dollar was buying 77.51 US cents, up from 77.22 US cents

Base metals On Monday, the London Metal Exchange rose 2.1%, led by aluminum and zinc. While Tin went against the trend, plunging by 7.2%.

European share market ended flat on Monday, by leading declines in Finacial and Mining stocks. The pan-European STOXX 600 index was flat but the German Dax index lost 0.3% and the UK FTSE index fell by 0.2%. In London trade shares in Rio Tinto fell by 2.6% while shares in BHP lost 2.1%.

Major currencies ended mixed against the US dollar in European and US trade. Euro held between near US\$1.1910 and US\$1.1965 and ended near US\$1.1925 at the US close. The Aussie dollar held between US77.05 cents and US77.75 cents and ended US trade near US77.55 cents.

Global Indices	Latest Prices		
Global fildices	Level	chg	% chg
US Dow Jones	32953.46	+174.82	0.5
US S&P500	3968.94	+25.6	0.7
US Nasdaq	13459.71	+139.843	1.1
UK FTSE	6749.70	-11.77	-0.2
German Dax	14461.42	-40.97	
Toronto Composite	18954.75	+103.43	
ASX24 Futures (night)	6804	+26	0.4
ASX200 (yesterday)	6773.00		
Shanghai (yesterday)	3419.95	-33.1321	-1.0
Japan Nikkei (y'day)	29766.97	49.14	0.2
US Volatility (Vix)	20.05		-3.1

Commodities			
Oil Brent (\$US/b)	68.88	-0.34	-0.5%
Oil Nymex (\$US/b)	65.39	0.22	-0.3%
Spot Gold (\$US/oz)	1730.78		
Gold futures (\$US/oz)	1729.2	9.40	0.5%
Spot Iron Ore (\$US/t)	163.65	-2.05	-1.2%
Iron Ore futures (\$US/t)	166.29		
Thermal coal (\$US/t)	90.50	0.50	0.6%
Coking coal (CNY/t)	1528		
Aluminium (\$US/t)	2192.75	46.00	2.1%
Copper (\$US/t)	9164.25	60.75	0.7%
Nickel (\$US/t)	1938.50	2.25	0.1%
Zinc (\$US/t)	2838.75	56.50	2.0%
Tin (\$US/t)	26212.00	-2038.00	-7.2%



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Forex			
	Current	Aust 4pm	
AUD/USD	0.7757	0.7748	
EUR/USD	1.1932	1.1943	
USD/JPY	109.10	109.16	
GBP/USD	1.3898	1.3924	
AUD TWI 4pm	64.5		

Fixed Interest			
US 10 year (%)	1.6055	-0.03	
US 2 year (%)	0.153	0.0	
Aust 10 year (%)	1.745	-0.05	
Aust 3 year (%)	0.11	0.01	

TOP GAINERS & TOP LOSERS

Top Gainers			
Name	Last Price	%Change	Vol.
ARB	35.96	+1.45	+4.20%
CHC	12.07	+0.45	+3.78%
SKC	3.26	+0.11	+3.49%
IEL	25.00	+0.89	+3.69%
PBH	14.58	+0.41	+2.89%

Top Gainers			
Name	Last Price	%Change	Vol.
VEA	1.712	-0.038	-2.14%
SLR	1.590	-0.030	-1.85%
ABC	3.210	-0.050	-1.53%
SFR	5.820	-0.060	-1.02%
NST	9.200	-0.150	-1.60%

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