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Financial Markets Daily

Main drivers for the financial markets today...

- Stock markets mixed, government bond yields and USD down. Investors
 are reacting to Japan's ruling coalition failing to win a majority in the
 upper house election. This could affect the Asian country's trade
 negotiations with the US. S&P500 futures up less focused on tariffs and
 optimistic about corporate reports and the economy
- No relevant data releases today either in the US or Mexico
- Market attention this week on July PMI indicators in various regions, including the Eurozone, UK, and US. The latter country has shown stronger figures in the latest release despite tariff uncertainty. At least in part, this explains the divergence in monetary policy stances. In this backdrop, the ECB will announce its decision. We agree with consensus that the central bank will leave its interest rates unchanged, with the deposit rate at 2.00%
- In the same front, decisions also in Hungary, Turkey, and Russia. The Chair
 of the Fed, Jerome Powell, will give a speech on a regulatory conference.
 Nevertheless, it is highly likely that he will avoid commenting on the policy
 stance due to the institution's silence period
- In events, the European Union-China Summit will be held in Beijing.
 Meanwhile, the US House of Representatives will begin its summer recess at the end of the week
- The rest of US data includes new and existing home sales, along with durable goods orders (Jun). In other regions we highlight monetary aggregates (Jun) and consumer confidence (Jul) in the Eurozone; the IFO survey (Jul) in Germany; and inflation (1H-Jul) in Brazil
- In Mexico we estimate inflation in 1H-July at 0.36% 2w/2w on the back of higher food prices. We will also know retail sales, the monthly GDP-proxy IGAE (May), and the banking sector survey. We will be attentive to the possible release of Pemex's new business plan

The most relevant economic data...

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No relevant economic data will be released today

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A glimpse to the main financial assets

	Last	Daily chg.
Equity indices		
S&P 500 Futures	6,347.25	0.2%
Euro Stoxx 50	5,335.76	-0.4%
Nikkei 225	39,819.11	0.0%
Shanghai Composite	3,559.79	0.7%
Currencies		
USD/MXN	18.64	-0.6%
EUR/USD	1.17	0.3%
DXY	98.04	-0.4%
Commodities		
WTI	67.45	0.2%
Brent	69.06	-0.3%
Gold	3,387.30	1.1%
Copper	555.30	-0.4%
Sovereign bonds		
10-year Treasury	4.37	-5pb

Source: Bloomberg

Equities

- Mixed movements in main stock indices, as investors prepare for a very active corporate earnings week, with the results of 110 companies, including Alphabet and Tesla that will release their figures on Wednesday 23
- In the US, futures anticipate a positive opening with the S&P500 up 0.2%, continuing with the optimism of the last week that led it to reach a new all-time high. Europe trades with losses. Stellantis NV fell after reporting a loss in 1Q25, affected by its restructuring expenses, the slowdown in sales and tariffs. Asia closed mixed, with a 0.7% rise in the Hang Seng and a 0.2% adjustment in the Nikkei
- In Mexico, the season will also intensify with the figures of 21 companies that are part of the Mexbol. At market's close, Gap will present its results

Sovereign fixed income, currencies and commodities

- Risk aversion is driving gains in the sovereign debt market as the deadline to reach a trade deal with the US approaches. The US Treasury curve flattens with gains of 1bp to 5bps. In Europe, 10-year rates register an adjustment of -7bps. Last week, Mbonos averaged losses of 2bps
- USD is weakening against all G10 currencies, with the JPY (+0.9%) being the strongest, following Japan's election in which the ruling coalition lost its majority. In EM the bias is also positive, led by European currencies. The MXN is the strongest in the group, appreciating 0.5% to 18.65 per dollar
- Crude-oil futures are down slightly as investors monitor trade negotiations and the EU's restrictions on Russia. Metals exhibit a positive bias

Previous closing levels

	Last	Daily chg.
Equity indices		
Dow Jones	44,342.19	-0.3%
S&P 500	6,296.79	0.0%
Nasdaq	20,895.66	0.0%
IPC	56,273.45	-0.8%
Ibovespa	133,381.58	-1.6%
Euro Stoxx 50	5,359.23	-0.3%
FTSE 100	8,992.12	0.2%
CAC 40	7,822.67	0.0%
DAX	24,289.51	-0.3%
Nikkei 225	39,819.11	-0.2%
Hang Seng	24,825.66	1.3%
Shanghai Composite	3,534.48	0.5%
Sovereign bonds		
2-year Treasuries	3.87	-4pb
10-year Treasuries	4.42	-4pb
28-day Cetes	7.99	-1pb
28-day TIIE	8.23	0pb
2-year Mbono	8.18	0pb
10-year Mbono	9.50	1pb
Currencies		
USD/MXN	18.75	-0.1%
EUR/USD	1.16	0.3%
GBP/USD	1.34	0.0%
DXY	98.48	-0.3%
Commodities		
WTI	67.34	-0.3%
Brent	69.28	-0.3%
Mexican mix	63.67	-0.1%
Gold	3,349.94	0.3%
Copper	560.45	1.7%

Source: Bloomberg

Corporate Debt

- Moody's Local MX affirmed Sofoplus's ratings at 'A+.mx' with a Stable outlook and its short-term rating at 'ML A-1.mx'. The ratings reflect the company's solid capitalization, underpinned by strong and improving profitability
- Fitch Ratings affirmed the ratings of TIP de México's issuances, TIPMXCB 23
 / 23-2, at 'AAA(mex)' with a Stable outlook. As of May 2025, default indicators remain below base-case expectations

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