

Financial Markets Daily

Main drivers for the financial markets today...

- Stock markets mixed, USD and government bond yields down with optimism on Big Tech following the positive earnings report from Microsoft, providing tailwinds to American indices, as the market awaits for Apple and Amazon's numbers later today
- In economic data, the US personal income and spending report for June was released. Real personal consumption increased +0.1% m/m, in line with the consensus estimate, after a -0.3% contraction the previous month. The PCE price deflator was 2.6% y/y, while the core PCE 2.8% y/y. Meanwhile, jobless claims for the week ending July 26 stood at 218k
- On the monetary policy front, decisions will be announced in South Africa and Colombia
- On the eve of the implementation of reciprocal tariffs tomorrow, agreements have only been signed with a few countries, the last of which is South Korea, which will pay a 15% tariff. Among those facing the highest rates are Brazil and India, with 50% and 25%, in that order. With China, the trade truce expires on August 12, and there is strong speculation that it could be extended for another 90 days
- President Sheinbaum's morning press conference will be delayed to 10:00a.m. (Mexico City time) due to a call with President Trump, during which they will discuss the 30% tariffs set to take effect tomorrow

The most relevant economic data...

	Event/Period	Unit	Banorte	Survey	Previous
United States					
8:30	Personal income* - Jun	% m/m	--	0.2	-0.4
8:30	Personal spending* - Jun	% m/m	--	0.4	-0.1
8:30	Real personal spending* - Jun	% m/m	--	0.1	-0.3
8:30	PCE Deflator* - Jun	% m/m	--	0.3	0.1
8:30	Core* - Jun	% m/m	--	0.3	0.2
8:30	PCE Deflator - Jun	% y/y	--	2.5	2.3
8:30	Core - Jun	% y/y	--	2.7	2.7
8:30	Initial jobless claims* - Jul 26	thousands	--	224	217
South African					
9:00	Monetary policy decision (S. African Reserve Bz	%	--	7.00	7.25
Mexico					
11:00	Banking credit - Jun	% y/y	7.1	--	7.3
Colombia					
14:00	Monetary policy decision (BanRep)	%	--	9.00	9.25
China					
21:45	Manufacturing PMI (Caixin)* - Jul	index	--	50.2	50.4

Source: Bloomberg and Banorte. (P) preliminary data; (R) revised data; (F) final data; * Seasonally adjusted, ** Seasonally adjusted annualized rate.

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A glimpse to the main financial assets

	Last	Daily chg.
Equity indices		
S&P 500 Futures	6,457.50	1.0%
Euro Stoxx 50	5,363.74	-0.5%
Nikkei 225	41,069.82	1.0%
Shanghai Composite	3,573.21	-1.2%
Currencies		
USD/MXN	18.81	-0.4%
EUR/USD	1.14	0.3%
DX	99.86	0.0%
Commodities		
WTI	69.67	-0.5%
Brent	72.85	-0.5%
Gold	3,308.84	1.0%
Copper	437.20	-21.7%
Sovereign bonds		
10-year Treasury	4.33	-4pb

Source: Bloomberg

Equities

- US futures are trading above their theoretical value, rising an average of 0.8%, aiming for historic highs. This is driven by the results of Meta and Microsoft, as well as their high projections and investments in AI, giving positive sentiment to technology companies
- In Europe, the Eurostoxx fell 0.5%, with the consumer sector being the most affected. And in Asia, Nikkei rose 1.0% and Hang Seng fell 1.6%
- In corporates, of the 50 S&P 500 companies reporting results today, 29 have already reported better-than-expected results. Reports from the 'Magnificent' companies Amazon and Apple are expected this afternoon. In Mexico, Asur announced an agreement to acquire concessions from URW, which operates key terminals in New York, Los Angeles, and Chicago. We also anticipate volatility in Gmexico following the announcement of the 50% tariff on copper, but we note that the impact is limited since only 10% of the company's copper is exported to the US

Sovereign fixed income, currencies and commodities

- Treasuries gain up to 2bps, with investors digesting yesterday's Fed decision. In Europe, 10-year bonds average 1bp gains. Mbonos appreciated 2bps yesterday
- USD trades negative in indices, with most G10 currencies positive, standing out NOK (+0.5%) on the upside. JPY (-0.3%) separates from the group, with losses after yesterday's BoJ decision. EM mixed, with Europeans trading positive and Asians mostly losing. MXN gains 0.3% trading at 18.82 per dollar
- The main oil benchmarks down after Trump's tariff threats to Russian energy buyers. In metals, industrials losing with copper down 1.2% while gold appreciates 1.0%

Corporate Debt

- CIE announced that Live Nation completed the early acquisition of an additional 24% stake in OCESA. Following the transaction, CIE will retain a 25% equity interest in the company. The deal will provide CIE with proceeds exceeding MXN 12.0 billion, which may be allocated toward the repayment of bank and market debt, as well as to working capital requirements and investment needs
- Fitch Ratings affirmed the rating of the HIRCB 23 issuance (HIR Casa's MBS) at 'AAA(mex)vra' with Stable outlook. The affirmation reflects the portfolio's steady performance and the continued improvement in credit enhancement metrics, consistent with expectations

Previous closing levels

	Last	Daily chg.
Equity indices		
Dow Jones	44,461.28	-0.4%
S&P 500	6,362.90	-0.1%
Nasdaq	21,129.67	0.1%
IPC	57,395.85	-0.7%
Ibovespa	133,989.74	1.0%
Euro Stoxx 50	5,393.18	0.3%
FTSE 100	9,136.94	0.0%
CAC 40	7,861.96	0.1%
DAX	24,262.22	0.2%
Nikkei 225	40,654.70	0.0%
Hang Seng	25,176.93	-1.4%
Shanghai Composite	3,615.72	0.2%
Sovereign bonds		
2-year Treasuries	3.94	7pb
10-year Treasuries	4.37	5pb
28-day Cetes	7.86	38pb
28-day TIIE	8.23	0pb
2-year Mbono	8.12	0pb
10-year Mbono	9.43	-1pb
Currencies		
USD/MXN	18.88	0.6%
EUR/USD	1.14	-1.2%
GBP/USD	1.32	-0.9%
DXY	99.82	0.9%
Commodities		
WTI	70.00	1.1%
Brent	73.24	1.0%
Mexican mix	67.17	1.5%
Gold	3,275.18	-1.5%
Copper	558.60	-0.7%

Source: Bloomberg

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