

# Financial Markets Daily

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## Main drivers for the financial markets today...

- **Stock markets negative, government bond yields up, as dollar trades slightly up, with investors reacting to US producer prices. In China, there are concerns about local debt management and property sector problems**
- **Regarding economic figures, in the US producer prices stood at +0.3% m/m, above estimates, with the annual variation rising from 0.2% to 0.8%. While the Core also turned out above expectations at 2.4% y/y. University of Michigan consumer sentiment will be released later**
- **In other regions, UK preliminary 2Q23 GDP came in at 0.2% q/q, the biggest advance since early 2022, beating expectations. In Brazil, inflation in July was higher than anticipated at +0.12% m/m, with the annual variation at 3.99% (previous 3.16%), returning to levels above the target, but within the band of tolerance**
- **In Mexico, INEGI published industrial production for June, climbing 0.6% m/m (3.7% y/y). Gains centered in construction (2.2% m/m), with a uptick in manufacturing (0.2%) and mining stable (0.0%)**

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## The most relevant economic data...

|                      | Event/Period                         | Unit  | Banorte | Survey | Previous |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|---------|--------|----------|
| <b>UK</b>            |                                      |       |         |        |          |
| 2:00                 | Industrial production* - Jun         | % m/m | --      | 0.2    | -0.6     |
| 2:00                 | Gross domestic product* - 2Q23 (P)   | % q/q | --      | 0.0    | 0.1      |
| <b>Brazil</b>        |                                      |       |         |        |          |
| 8:00                 | Consumer prices - Jul                | % m/m | --      | 0.08   | -0.08    |
| 8:00                 | Consumer prices - Jul                | % y/y | --      | 3.95   | 3.16     |
| 8:00                 | Economic activity - Jun              | % y/y | --      | 1.8    | 2.2      |
| 8:00                 | Economic activity* - Jun             | % m/m | --      | 0.5    | -2.0     |
| <b>Mexico</b>        |                                      |       |         |        |          |
| 8:00                 | Industrial production - Jun          | % y/y | 2.9     | 2.9    | 3.9      |
| 8:00                 | Industrial production* - Jun         | % m/m | 0.1     | 0.1    | 1.0      |
| 8:00                 | Manufacturing output - Jun           | % y/y | 1.7     | 1.6    | 1.9      |
| <b>United States</b> |                                      |       |         |        |          |
| 8:30                 | Producer prices* - Jul               | % m/m | --      | 0.2    | 0.1      |
| 8:30                 | Ex. food & energy* - Jul             | % m/m | --      | 0.2    | 0.1      |
| 10:00                | U. of Michigan Confidence* - Aug (P) | index | 70.0    | 71.3   | 71.6     |

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. |
|------------------------|-----------|------------|
| <b>Equity indices</b>  |           |            |
| S&P 500 Futures        | 4,472.50  | -0.3%      |
| Euro Stoxx 50          | 4,334.43  | -1.1%      |
| Nikkei 225             | 32,473.65 | 0.0%       |
| Shanghai Composite     | 3,189.25  | -2.0%      |
| <b>Currencies</b>      |           |            |
| USD/MXN                | 17.03     | -0.6%      |
| EUR/USD                | 1.10      | 0.0%       |
| DX                     | 102.63    | 0.1%       |
| <b>Commodities</b>     |           |            |
| WTI                    | 83.32     | 0.6%       |
| Brent                  | 86.97     | 0.7%       |
| Gold                   | 1,915.52  | 0.2%       |
| Copper                 | 370.95    | -1.5%      |
| <b>Sovereign bonds</b> |           |            |
| 10-year Treasury       | 4.12      | 2pb        |

Source: Bloomberg

## Equities

- **Negative movements in equity markets as investors digest US inflation data and assess the Fed's monetary policy path, amid China-related concerns**
- **In Asia the markets closed mixed. Property developer Country Garden Holdings predicted a multi-billion dollar loss for 1H23. Meanwhile, in Europe stocks drop, the Eurostoxx sheds 1.1%. Shares from real estate, energy, and technology sectors lead losses**
- **In the US the futures of main indices point to a negative opening by falling 0.3% on average. There will be no corporate reports today**
- **In Mexico, the Mexbol Index may stand below the 53,800 pts**

## Sovereign fixed income, currencies and commodities

- **Mixed performance in sovereign bonds. European assets are under pressure, with GILTS posting a 12bps loss on the 10-year benchmark. Treasuries show a steepening bias resulting from 3bps gains on the short-end and 1bp losses on the long-end**
- **The dollar strengthens (DXY +0.1%) while G10 and EM currencies post mixed changes. In the former group GBP (+0.5%) and NOK (-0.5%) are at the ends and in the latter, trading is capped by HUF (+0.9%) and RUB (-1.4%). The MXN gained 0.7% to trade at 17.00 per dollar. We see stronger quotes as it is supported by attractive carry and solid fundamentals**
- **Crude-oil futures advanced 0.5% on a higher consumption outlook according to the IEA while inventories are below the 5-year average. In industrial metals, losses predominate**

## Previous closing levels

|                        | Last       | Daily chg. |
|------------------------|------------|------------|
| <i>Equity indices</i>  |            |            |
| Dow Jones              | 35,176.15  | 0.2%       |
| S&P 500                | 4,468.83   | 0.0%       |
| Nasdaq                 | 13,737.99  | 0.1%       |
| IPC                    | 53,889.03  | -0.6%      |
| Ibovespa               | 118,349.60 | 0.0%       |
| Euro Stoxx 50          | 4,384.04   | 1.5%       |
| FTSE 100               | 7,618.60   | 0.4%       |
| CAC 40                 | 7,433.62   | 1.5%       |
| DAX                    | 15,996.52  | 0.9%       |
| Nikkei 225             | 32,473.65  | 0.8%       |
| Hang Seng              | 19,248.26  | 0.0%       |
| Shanghai Composite     | 3,254.56   | 0.3%       |
| <i>Sovereign bonds</i> |            |            |
| 2-year Treasuries      | 4.84       | 3pb        |
| 10-year Treasuries     | 4.11       | 10pb       |
| 28-day Cetes           | 11.31      | 0pb        |
| 28-day TIE             | 11.49      | -1pb       |
| 2-year Mbono           | 10.15      | 7pb        |
| 10-year Mbono          | 9.02       | 2pb        |
| <i>Currencies</i>      |            |            |
| USD/MXN                | 17.13      | 0.4%       |
| EUR/USD                | 1.10       | 0.1%       |
| GBP/USD                | 1.27       | -0.3%      |
| DXY                    | 102.52     | 0.0%       |
| <i>Commodities</i>     |            |            |
| WTI                    | 82.82      | -1.9%      |
| Brent                  | 86.40      | -1.3%      |
| Mexican mix            | 79.56      | 0.4%       |
| Gold                   | 1,912.48   | -0.1%      |
| Copper                 | 376.50     | -0.5%      |

Source: Bloomberg

## Corporate Debt

- **S&P Global Ratings affirmed Banco Compartamos' global scale ratings at 'BB+' and its national scale ratings at 'mxA'. The outlook is Stable. The agency expects Compartamos to maintain its leadership role in the microfinance segment in Mexico**
- **Fitch Ratings affirmed the rating of issuance HIRCB 19 (HIR Casa's MBS) at 'AAA(mex)' with Stable outlook. The rating reflects the adequate performance of the securitized assets, the growth in its credit protection and the mitigated operating risk**
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| <b>HOLD</b> | <i>When the share expected performance is similar to the MEXBOL estimated performance.</i>   |
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