





- Asian stocks rose broadly on Tuesday, with sentiment boosted by better-than-expected U.S. housing data and easing concerns over global conflicts from Ukraine to Gaza and Iraq. Encouraging corporate earnings from the region and expectations for a continuation of ultra-loose monetary policy also helped underpin investors' risk appetite.
- > U.S. stocks turned in another strong performance during trading on Tuesday, extending the upward trend seen over the past several sessions. The gains on the day once again lifted the tech-heavy Nasdaq to a new fourteen-year closing high.
- European stocks continued to rally Tuesday amid easing concerns about Ukraine and hopes the Bank of England will hold off on a widely-anticipated rate hike.
- > After failing to sustain an early upward move, U.S. treasuries showed a notable downturn before ending Tuesday's trading modestly lower.



Data as of	August 19, 2014		
US Indexes	Last	% Chg	%YTD Chg
Dow Jones Industrial Average	16,919.59	0.48	2.07
Nasdaq Composite	4,527.51	0.43	8.40
S&P 500	1,981.60	0.50	7.21
S&P 500 Volatility (Vix)	12.21	-0.89	-11.01
MSCI US	1,895.69	0.49	7.20
Europe Indexes	Last	% Chg	%YTD Chg
Euro Stoxx 50	3,091.11	0.57	-0.58
FTSE 100 (UK)	6,779.31	0.56	0.45
DAX (Germany)	9,334.28	0.96	-2.28
CAC-40 (France)	4,254.45	0.56	-0.97
FTSE MIB Index (Italy)	19,644.37	0.02	3.57
lbex35 (Spain)	10,386.50	0.32	4.74
MSCI Europe ex UK	162.35	0.37	1.33
Asia Indexes	Last	% Chg	%YTD Chg
S&P/ASX (Australia)	5,623.78	0.66	4.99
NZX 50 Index (New Zealand)	5,114.21	0.85	8.46
Hang Seng (Hong Kong)	25,122.95	0.67	7.79
Jakarta Composite Index (Jakarta)	5,165.17	0.16	20.85
KLCI (Malaysia)	1,872.16	0.56	0.28
KOSPI (Korea)	2,071.14	0.88	3.09
PSEi (Philippines)	7,082.75	0.79	20.25
BSE Sensex 30 (India)	26,420.67	0.11	24.80
SET (Thailand)	1,542.85	0.03	18.80
Shanghai SE Composite (Shanghai)	2,245.33	0.26	6.11
Straits Tmes Index (Singapore)	3,316.43	0.11	4.70
Topix (Japan)	1,280.29	0.71	-1.45
Nikkei 225 (Tokyo)	15,449.79	0.83	-4.94
Taiw an Taiex Index (Taiw an)	9,243.78	1.12	7.34
MSCI Asia ex Japan	603.19	0.68	9.38

Others	Last	% Chg	%YTD Chg
Bovespa (Brazil)	58,449.29	1.54	13.48
Mexican Bolsa (Mexico)	44,962.88	0.24	5.23
Government Bonds -			
10 Yr Benchmark (Yield/bid)	Last	Net Chg	NetYTD Chg
US Generic Govt 10-year	2.40	0.01	-0.63
UK Govt 10-year Note Generic	2.40	-0.03	-0.62
German Govt Bonds 10-year	1.00	-0.01	-0.93
Japan Govt Bonds 10-year	0.50	0.00	-0.24
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Citigroup World Govt Bond	671.04	0.05	5.25
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Citigroup World Govt Bond	671.04	0.05	5.25
JP Morgan Asian Credit +	184.81	0.04	7.29
JP Morgan EMBI Eurobonds +	582.35	0.17	9.87
Citigroup US HY Market	861.81	0.11	5.24
JP Morgan Asian HY Corp +	232.76	0.01	7.50

Interest rate	Last	Net Chg	Net YTD Chg
LIBOR USD 3-month #	Holiday	Holiday	-0.01
Commodities +	Last	% Chg	%YTD Chg
Oil (Light Crude)	94.48	-2.00	-4.00
Gold	1,296.50	-0.02	7.64
		% Chg	%YTD Chg
Currencies	Last	(USD)	(USD)
Euro *	1.33	0.31	-3.23
Yen	102.66	0.19	1.97
Pound *	1.66	0.47	0.73
AUD *	0.93	-0.19	4.28

Source : Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited. All data extracted from Bloomberg are in local currency terms except those denoted by "+", which are in USD terms. % Chg and net change refers to the change compared to previous trading day. YTD stands for year to date. # Libor rates come from British Bankers Association. * US dollars per national currency unit. NA represents not available.





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