

- With U.S. markets closed for the Memorial Day holiday, European stocks advanced moderately at the start of the week as investors digested the results of the weekend's European Parliament election. They delivered a more fragmented parliament, but mainstream parties held their ground despite the gains by eurosceptics.
- Core euro area sovereign yields declined to their lowest levels since 2016. Italy's spread jumped as the European Commission was said to be considering a disciplinary procedure for Italy over failure to rein in debt. Portugal's spread was roughly unchanged after last Friday Fitch upgraded its rating outlook to 'positive' from 'stable'.
- Oil prices rebounded from last week's weakness (the barrel of Brent climbed back above \$70) as investors shifted their attention from demand-side concerns (e.g., the effect of the U.S.-China trade conflict on oil demand) to supplyside factors (e.g., tensions in the Middle East and data showing a lower drilling in the U.S.).

| Interest Rates (%) | 5/27 | 5/24 | Daily Change (basis points) | Weekly Change (basis points) | YTD (basis points) | YoY Change (basis points) |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| Eurozone | | | | | | |
| ECB - Official Interest Rate (Refi) | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Eonia | -0.37 | -0.37 | 0 | 0 | -1 | 0 |
| Swap Eonia (10Y) | 0.21 | 0.23 | -1 | -5 | -44 | -47 |
| 3 months (Euribor) | -0.31 | -0.31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 12 months (Euribor) | -0.15 | -0.15 | 0 | -1 | -3 | 4 |
| Germany - 2-Year Bond | -0.65 | -0.63 | -2 | 0 | -4 | 3 |
| Germany - 10-Year Bond | -0.14 | -0.12 | -3 | -6 | -39 | -49 |
| France - 10-Year Bond | 0.26 | 0.28 | -2 | -5 | -45 | -43 |
| Spain - 10-Year Bond | 0.81 | 0.83 | -1 | -7 | -60 | -71 |
| Portugal - 10-Year Bond | 0.96 | 0.98 | -1 | -10 | -76 | -111 |
| Italy - 10-Year Bond | 2.67 | 2.55 | 12 | -2 | -7 | 0 |
| Risk premium - Spain (10Y) | 96 | 94 | 2 | -1 | -22 | -22 |
| Risk premium - Portugal (10Y) | 111 | 109 | 1 | -4 | -37 | -62 |
| Risk premium - Italy (10Y) | 282 | 267 | 15 | 3 | 32 | 49 |
| US | 202 | 207 | 15 | 5 | 52 | |
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| Fed - Upper Bound | 2.50 | 2.50 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 75 |
| 3 months (Libor) | 2.52 | 2.52 | 0 | 0 | -29 | 20 |
| 12 months (Libor) | 2.62 | 2.62 | 0 | -3 | -39 | -11 |
| 2-Year Bond | 2.16 | 2.16 | 0 | -6 | -33 | -32 |
| 10-Year Bond | 2.32 | 2.32 | 0 | -10 | -36 | -61 |
| Stock Markets | 5/27 | 5/24 | Daily Change (%) | Weekly Change (%) | YTD (%) | YoY Change (%) |
| CaixaBank | 2.78 | 2.76 | 0.7 | 0.4 | -12.1 | -28.1 |
| Ibex 35 | 9216 | 9175 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 7.9 | -5.6 |
| PSI 20 | 5141 | 5097 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 8.7 | -6.7 |
| MIB | 20363 | 20376 | -0.1 | -0.9 | 11.1 | -7.2 |
| DAX | 12071 | 12011 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 14.3 | -6.2 |
| CAC 40 | 5336 | 5317 | 0.4 | -0.4 | 12.8 | -3.1 |
| Eurostoxx50 | 3364 | 3351 | 0.4 | -0.2 | 12.1 | -3.4 |
| FTSE 100 | 7278 | 7278 | 0.0 | -0.5 | 8.2 | -5.9 |
| S&P 500 | 2826 | 2826 | 0.0 | -0.5 | 12.7 | 3.8 |
| Nasdaq | 7637 | 7637 | 0.0 | -0.8 | 15.1 | 2.7 |
| Nikkei 225 | 21183 | 21117 | 0.3 | -0.6 | 5.8 | -5.8 |
| MSCI Emerging Index | 989 | 987 | 0.3 | -0.5 | 2.4 | -13.0 |
| MSCI Emerging Asia | 497 | 497 | 0.1 | -0.9 | 2.5 | -15.7 |
| MSCI Emerging Latin America | 2609 | 2582 | 1.0 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 1.7 |
| Shanghai | 2892 | 2853 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 16.0 | -7.7 |
| VIX Index | 15.85 | 15.85 | 0.0 | -2.8 | -37.6 | 19.9 |
| Currencies | 5/27 | 5/24 | Daily Change (%) | Weekly Change (%) | YTD (%) | YoY Change (%) |
| EUR/USD | 1.119 | 1.120 | -0.1 | 0.3 | -2.4 | -3.7 |
| EUR/GBP | 0.88 | 0.88 | 0.2 | 0.6 | -1.8 | 1.1 |
| EUR/CHF | 1.12 | 1.12 | 0.1 | -0.2 | -0.2 | -2.7 |
| USD/JPY | 109.51 | 109.31 | 0.2 | -0.5 | -0.2 | 0.1 |
| USD/CNY | 6.90 | 6.90 | 0.0 | -0.2 | 0.3 | 7.8 |
| USD/MXN | 19.06 | 19.05 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -3.0 | -2.7 |
| Commodities | 5/27 | 5/24 | Daily Change (%) | Weekly Change (%) | YTD (%) | YoY Change (%) |
| Global Commodities Index | 78.7 | 78.7 | 0.0 | -1.5 | 2.6 | -13.4 |
| Brent (US\$/barrel) | 70.1 | 68.7 | 2.1 | -2.6 | 30.3 | -6.9 |
| Gold (US\$/ounce) | 1289.0 | 1284.8 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.5 | -0.7 |
| Metal Index | 190.4 | 190.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 3.7 | -15.9 |
| Agricultural Index | 239.3 | 239.3 | 0.0 | 1.4 | -2.6 | -13.7 |

Main advanced stock markets





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Yield on 10-year public debt: U.S. and Germany



Exchange rate: EUR/USD

(Dollars per euro)





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Brent oil price



Emerging economies stock markets



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Risk Premium on 10-year debt: Italy, Spain and Portugal (basis points)



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Exchange rate: emerging economies index





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Implied volatility on US stock markets



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