

## Global Capital Markets Overview

June-17

### Major Fixed Income Indices

(USD)	This M	Last M	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	YTD	FYTD*
JPM EMBI Global Diversified	-0.14	0.88	2.24				6.19	2.24
JPM GBI-EM Broad Diversified	0.87	1.66	3.40				9.59	3.40
Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate	-0.09	1.55	2.60				4.41	2.60
Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate	-0.10	0.77	1.45				2.27	1.45

### Major Equity Indices

(USD, Net)	This M	Last M	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	YTD	FYTD*
MSCI AC World	0.45	2.21	4.27				11.48	4.27
MSCI World	0.38	2.12	4.03				10.66	4.03
MSCI North America	0.72	1.20	2.82				8.86	2.82
MSCI Pacific	1.39	1.63	3.92				11.11	3.92
MSCI Europe	-1.09	4.85	7.37				15.36	7.37
MSCI Kokusai	0.32	2.03	3.92				10.73	3.92
MSCI Emerging	1.01	2.96	6.27				18.43	6.27
MSCI EM Latin America	0.66	-2.37	-1.74				10.12	-1.74
MSCI EM Asia	1.75	4.53	8.64				23.18	8.64
MSCI EM EMEA	-2.28	0.18	2.12				4.92	2.12
MSCI EM Europe	-0.45	-1.52	2.38				3.80	2.38

### REIT&Commodities

(USD)	This M	Last M	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	YTD	FYTD*
TSE REIT INDEX	-2.77	1.13	-3.85				-7.06	-3.85
FTSE EPRA/NAREIT US	2.41	-0.92	1.33				1.54	1.33
CRB	-2.70	-0.99	-5.76				-8.87	-5.76
S&P GSCI	-1.92	-1.54	-5.46				-10.24	-5.46
WTI Crude Oil	-4.70	-2.07	-8.94				-14.38	-8.94
NY Golds	-1.93	0.01	-0.30				7.43	-0.30

### Currency Returns (against the USD) Thomson Reuters Spot Rate (London 4pm)

	This M	Last M	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	YTD	FYTD*
JPY	-1.43	0.70	-0.88				4.02	-0.88
EUR	1.62	3.18	7.27				8.65	7.27
CHF	0.99	2.83	4.67				6.27	4.67
GBP	1.06	-0.47	3.80				5.58	3.80
AUD	3.50	-0.77	0.81				6.58	0.81
BRL	-2.44	-1.55	-5.56				-1.59	-5.56

\*Fiscal year to date  
Source: Datastream, Bloomberg

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### ■ Interest Rates

During June, all four major central banks had policy meetings and, as widely expected, FOMC raised FF target range by 25 bps and the remaining three, namely ECB, BOE and BOJ kept their current monetary policy measures unchanged. However, underlying arguments and voting behavior varied substantially. BOE maintained their key rates by a 5 to 3 vote (3 MPC members voted for an increase) and ECB discussed dropping of QE Easing Bias, while BOJ failed to evaluate or adjust their policy measures. Other central banks including the ones of Poland, Hungary, Czech, Israel, Turkey, Australia, New Zealand, India, Indonesia, Philippines, Chile and Peru maintained their policy rates unchanged. Central Bank of Mexico followed FOMC and raised their key rate from 6.75% to 7.00%, while Central Banks of Russia and Columbia lowered their policy rates from 9.25% to 9.00% and 6.25% to 5.75% respectively. Cash and futures money rates in major currencies were mixed during the month; JPY mostly unchanged, GBP higher across the curve and USD/EUR higher in the very long end.

### ■ Currencies

Towards the FOMC meeting held on June 13th and 14th, broadly expected rate hike together with the stabilization of US political scandal and the expected close vote in UK general election kept USD firm. After FOMC, heightened expectation of UK rate hike, voting result of French National Assembly in favor of President Macron and positive remarks made by ECB President Draghi led European currencies most notably EUR higher against USD and in particular against JPY. USD remained to be weaker towards the month end against major currencies except BRL and JPY. JPY lost 1.4% against USD and 3.0% against EUR for the month.

### ■ Bond Markets

In the first half, the yield fluctuated in the US due to the downward unemployment rate, FOMC announcement of tapering by the end of 2017 as well as committee's optimistic view on against the weak data. Around the end of month, the yield was up along with European yields. In Europe, yields were relatively low but the indication by Draghi brought the cautions against tightening by ECB and pushed the yields up. US Treasury 10Yr was up by 11bps to 2.32% and German Bund 10Yr was also up by 16bps to 0.47%. European peripherals e.g., Italy was down to 2.16%, Spain and Greece were also down to 1.54% and 5.42%, respectively. On the US spread sectors, Corporates were robust but Securitized were flat compared to Treasuries.

### ■ Equity Markets

In the middle of June, Fed decided to raise the target range for federal funds by 25bps, but the decision was along with the market expectations. So that global stock markets hovered at around the highest level in June. In terms of monthly return in USD, developed markets gained slightly 0.4% and emerging markets gained 1.1%. Japanese stock market rose by 2.8% supported by the depreciation of JPY to the level of 112 against USD to the end of the month. As for sector return in developed markets, the best performer was financial sector which rose by 4.8% due to the expectation of improving earnings from rising interest rate and the worst performer was telecommunications sector which dropped by 3.0%.

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