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- Wall Street Gets Big Win as Powell Floats Scrapping Capital Plan Fed chair says 'broad and material changes' are likely Banks have waged a fierce lobbying campaign for months https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XUM4DWLU68
- Powell Reiterates Fed Needs More Confidence on Inflation to Cut Says likely appropriate to cut rates 'at some point this year' Powell expects broad, material changes to Fed capital proposal https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XTIYDWRGG0
- Fed's Kashkari Sees Two Rate Cuts in 2024, Potentially Just One Minneapolis Fed chief says he wants to see more disinflation Kashkari said cuts will be guided by incoming inflation data https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9Y3MUDWRGG0
- Trump Dares Biden to Debate After Jilting Republican Rivals (1)
 Former president is likely GOP nominee after Haley ends bid
 Trump skipped five Republican primary debates with opponents
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- Nikki Haley Ends 2024 Bid, Setting Up Trump-Biden Rematch https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9N3HVT1UM0W
- Biden Appeals to Haley Voters as Anti-Trump Candidate Exits Race Haley's vote share shows fault lines within GOP, memo says Trump leads Biden in swing state polls months before election https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XMJVDWX2PS
- Fed May Cut Interest Rates Four Times This Year: Principal Asset https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9WIMJT0G1KW
- NYCB Raises Over \$1 Billion in Equity Led by Mnuchin's Firm (4)
 Struggling lender names Joseph Otting chief executive officer
 Ex-Treasury secretary says lender now has sufficient capital
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- US Urges Allies to Squeeze China Further on Chip Technology (2)
 Washington wants to control key chemical, more machinery parts
 US pushes Seoul, Berlin to jointly contain China's tech rise
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- Germany Hit With New Round of Air and Rail Transport Stoppages
 Disruption from latest walkouts set to last into the weekend



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- UK Is 'On Track' for 4% Hit to Economy From Brexit, OBR Says
 OBR says UK 'on track' for 4% hit to potential productivity
 Brexit supporters have faulted BOE and OBR for pessimism
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- Hunt Draws Election Battle Lines With Cuts to Spending and Taxes Slow growth leaves little leeway for giveaways in the future Chancellor hints at plan to abolish NIC payroll tax entirely https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XRARDWX2PS
- End of UK's Non-Dom Tax Break Unsettles Wealthiest Residents (1)
 Chancellor's overhaul will tax UK residents' overseas income
 Adviser to rich says Tories 'willing to throw them under bus'
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- UK Financial Services Stocks Gain as British ISA Announced (1) https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XID6DWX2PS
- UK House Prices Rise for a Fifth Month, Halifax Says (1)
 0.4% gain in February leaves home values 1.7% higher on year
 But Halifax warns of possible slowdown later in the year
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- Australia to Tie Company Gender Targets to Government Contracts
 Relevant firms with at least 500 workers will be tracked
 Changes to parental leave pay to begin from next year
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- New Zealand Sells NZ\$300 Million 4.5% 2027 Bonds; Yield 4.5426% https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9YF2RGFA9Z4
- JGB Two-Year Yields Rise to Highest Since 2011, Treasuries Fall https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9YGJWT0AFB4
- BOJ Bets Swing Toward March Rate Hike as Wages Beat Estimates
 Higher pay the last piece in puzzle needed for policy shift
 Some BOJ officials favor early rate move, people familiar say
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- Yen Gains With Bank Stocks as Wages, BOJ Remarks Boost Hike Bets Wage increases accelerate, labor unions demand higher pay Bonds fall as policymakers see economy making progress https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9YSU3T1UM0W
- Japan's Top Union Group Rengo Demands Highest Hike in 30 Years https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9YFX4T1UM0W
- BOJ Is Said to Gain Confidence in Wage Growth Before Rate Call https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9WL89T1UM0W



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- China's Roaring Bond Market Withstands 1 Trillion Yuan Drag Any drop in bonds will offer buying opportunity, Pictet says China will sell \$139 billion of ultra-long notes in 2024 https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9X2AVT0AFB4
- China Export Growth Jumps as Nation Looks to Bolster Demand (3)
 Overseas shipments rise 7.1% in Jan.-Feb., official data show
 US-China tensions over trade still sour mood for investors
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- China National Team Seen Slowing Stock Purchases, Jefferies Says
 Funds seen less likely to buy when Shanghai gauge above 3,000
 PBOC hasn't vowed 'unlimited support' for the national team
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 President meets with political group during key conference
 Xi wants joint advance of peaceful reunification with Taiwan
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- China's Bond Fever Cools as Traders Weigh Data, Easing Prospects
 Benchmark yield snaps three-day decline to rise to 2.3%
 Yield rebound comes after better-than-expected export data
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- RBI's Das Sees Growth Near 8%, Above Government's Forecast (1)
 Central Bank remains focused on taking inflation to 4% target
 Das defends action on Paytm Bank, says supportive of fintechs
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- Global Bond Inclusion Inflows Help Rupee Buck EM Currency Losses
 Foreigners plowed nearly \$5 billion into rupee bonds this year
 Currency was broadly steady in first two months of the year
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- Sri Lanka President Hopes to Complete Debt Restructuring Soon https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9WSCLT0AFB4



- NY Politicians Renew Push to Solve Sovereign Debt Crises (1)
 State lawmakers amend bill to streamline debt restructuring
 Wall Street is still concerned about the implications of bill
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- Argentines Put \$2.3 Billion Into Banks, Signaling Faith in Milei Dollar deposits jump nearly 17% since president took office Greenbacks held in accounts act as barometer of political risk https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9VXQHDWLU68
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- Colombia Rally Fizzles as Fiscal Worries Leave Bonds in Limbo Andean country lags peers as fiscal goal disappoints traders Relief rally stalls as Barclays, BofA, UBS cut recommendation https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9TRZEDWLU68
- Pemex Approves Emissions Plan, Opening Door to ESG Investors (1)
 Company's board said to have approved plan to cut emissions
 Plan paves way for more investment for indebted oil producer
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- Peru's Boluarte Appoints Lawyer Adrianzen as New Prime Minister Gustavo Adrianzen was previously Peru's ambassador to the OAS Political instability continues to rock Peru amid recession https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XMLZDWX2PS
- Poland Keeps Rates Steady Despite Lower Inflation Prospects (1)
 Central bank keeps rate steady for fifth month at 5.75%

 New report shows lower CPI, higher GDP forecasts in 2024
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- Orban's Feud With Central Bank Chief Triggers Investor Alarm Forint sank to the weakest in a year as dispute escalated Issue exposes distrust, policy clash between once close allies https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9TRVZDWX2PS
- Turkey Dusts Off Lira Playbook as Banks Pressed Before Elections
 Central bank imposes measures, phones lenders to shore up lira
 Repeated rate hikes have failed to stop the currency's decline
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- Egypt Unlocks \$8 Billion IMF Loan to Ease Crisis With FX Float Agreement also follows \$35 billion investment by Abu Dhabi Central bank allows currency float, tanking pound 38% https://blinks.bloomberg.com/news/stories/S9XVS4DWLU68
- Ghana Bondholders Demand Sweetener for \$13 Billion Debt Deal (1)
 Eurobond holders want interest payments linked to GDP growth
 Country is restructuring debt as part of an IMF bailout deal
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