

#### The week that was

- Ongoing evidence of hot inflationary pressures, as well as a mounting, aggressive response from central banks globally remained the key catalysts for markets. Calls for a sharp global slowdown, and a US recession grew.
- The Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) delivered a hawkish surprise with a 50bps rate hike, taking the cash rate to 0.85%. This signalled the RBA's intent to front-load hikes to get ahead of inflation and expectations.
- US consumer price growth was rapid in May. The CPI accelerated to 8.6% year-on-year, gaining 1.0% month-on-month, suggesting inflation has not yet peaked. Price gains were broad based.
- Bond yields jumped higher. The US 10-year yield gained 22bps, to 3.16%. US 2-year yields were up 41bps, to 3.06%, with the yield curve flattening as a result. Australian 10-year yields rose 19bps, to 3.67%. TCorp's 10-year yield lifted 19bps, to 4.10%.
- Equities slid the US S&P500 slumped 5.1%, the European Stoxx600 lost 3.9% and the ASX200 fell 4.2%. The Shanghai Composite rose 2.8%, on expectations for more supportive policy. The Australian dollar fell 2.1%, to US\$0.706 as risk appetite waned.

## **Economic calendar**

Tuesday 14/06	AU: CBA Household Spending, May, NAB Business Survey, May
14/00	US: NFIB Business Survey, May, PPI,
	May
Wednesday	AU: Westpac Consumer Survey, Jun
15/06	CH: Industrial production, May, Retail
	sales, May, Fixed asset investment,
	May, Jobless rate, May
	US: Retail sales, May
Thursday	AU: Employment, May
16/06	EU: ECB President Lagarde speech
	CH: New home prices, May
	UK: Bank of England rate decision
	US: FOMC rate decision, Business
	inventories, May, NAHB housing index,
	Jun, Building permits, May, Housing
	starts, May
Friday 17/06	JP: Bank of Japan rate decision
	US: Industrial production, May

#### The week ahead

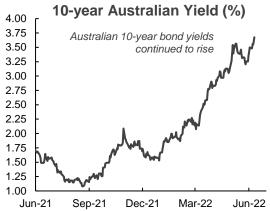
 The US Federal Reserve rate decision will be the centrepiece for markets and analysts which have grown increasingly hawkish on the Fed, with 50bps hikes at the next 2 meetings widely expected. The Bank of England decision due the same day should also reinforce the increasingly tight global policy landscape, with a hike of at least 25bps expected.

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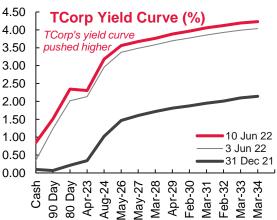
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### Financial markets charts









# Financial markets data: Week ending 10 June 2022

Interest Rates	Close (%)	1 Week (bps)		YTD (bps)	
RBA Cash Rate	0.85	50		75	<b>A</b>
90-day BBSW	1.51	27	<b>A</b>	144	
3-year Australian Bond Yield	3.12	17	<b>A</b>	221	
10-year Australian Bond Yield	3.67	19	<b>A</b>	200	<b>A</b>
20-year Australian Bond Yield	3.97	18	<b>A</b>	170	
10-year Australian Break-Even Inflation	2.45	1	<b>A</b>	17	<b>A</b>
10-year Australian Real Yield	1.23	18	<b>A</b>	183	
Fed Funds Rate (lower bound)	0.75	0	_	75	
2-year US Treasury Yield	3.06	41	<b>A</b>	233	<b>A</b>
10-year US Treasury Yield	3.16	22	<b>A</b>	165	<b>A</b>
30-year US Treasury Yield	3.19	11		129	
10-year German Bund Yield	1.52	24	<b>A</b>	169	
NSW TCorp Bonds	Close (%)	1 Week (bps)		YTD (bps)	
4.00% 20 April 2023	2.31	17		196	<b>A</b>
1.00% 8 February 2024	3.03	28		220	
5.00% 20 August 2024	3.18	23	_	216	_
1.25% 20 March 2025	3.32	17	<u> </u>	210	<u> </u>
4.00% 20 May 2026	3.56	19		210	_
3.00% 20 May 2027	3.67	19	<b>A</b>	207	<b>A</b>
3.00% 20 March 2028	3.76	18	<b>A</b>	205	<b>A</b>
3.00% 20 April 2029	3.88	19	<b>A</b>	207	<b>A</b>
3.00% 20 February 2030	3.96	19	<b>A</b>	209	<b>A</b>
2.00% 20 March 2031	4.06	20	<b>A</b>	210	<b>A</b>
1.50% 20 February 2032	4.12	19	<b>A</b>	211	<b>A</b>
2.00% 8 March 2033	4.19	20		210	
3.50% 20 March 2034	4.23	20		209	
2.75% 20 November 2025 CIB	-0.04	8	<b>A</b>	99	<b>A</b>
2.50% 20 November 2035 CIB	1.80	18		177	
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10-year NSW TCorp Bond Yield	4.10	19	<b>_</b>	212	
10-year TCV (Victoria) Spread	0.03	0	<b>V</b>	-1	<b>*</b>
10-year QTC (Queensland) Spread	-0.02	U	•	-3	•
Equities	Close	1 Week		YTD	
S&P/ASX 200 (Australia)	6,932	-4.2%	▼	-6.9%	<b>V</b>
S&P 500 (US)	3,901	-5.1%	$\blacksquare$	-18.2%	<b>V</b>
FTSE 100 (UK)	7,318	-2.9%	▼	-0.9%	▼
DJ Stoxx 600 (Europe)	423	-3.9%	▼	-13.3%	<b>V</b>
Nikkei 225 (Japan)	27,824	0.2%	<b>A</b>	-3.4%	▼
Shanghai Composite (China)	3,285	2.8%		-9.8%	•
Currencies	Close	1 Week		YTD	
AUD/USD	0.706	-2.1%	<b>V</b>	-2.8%	▼
EUR/USD	1.052	-1.9%	▼	-7.5%	▼
USD/JPY	134.41	2.7%	<b>A</b>	16.8%	
GBP/USD	1.23	-1.4%	▼	-9.0%	▼
US\$ Index	104.15	2.0%		8.9%	
Commodities	Close	1 Week		YTD	
Brent Oil (US\$/bbl)	122.01	1.9%	<b>A</b>	56.9%	<b>A</b>
Iron Ore (US\$/t)	139.70	-2.1%	•	15.4%	<u> </u>
Coking Coal (US\$/t)	3,013.50	4.6%		46.7%	
Gold (US\$/oz)	1,871.60	1.1%		2.3%	
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