

MACRO ECONOMIC METER

19th March, 2024

TODAY's ECONOMIC EVENTS (19th March, 2024)

| Time | Country | Event | Forecast | Previous |
|-------|---------------|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| 8:00 | Japan | BoJ Monetary Policy Statement | | |
| 8:00 | Japan | BoJ Interest Rate Decision | 0.00% | -0.10% |
| 10:00 | Japan | Capacity Utilization (MoM) (Jan) | | -0.10% |
| 10:00 | Japan | Industrial Production (MoM) (Jan) | -7.50% | 1.40% |
| 12:00 | Japan | BoJ Press Conference | | |
| 15:30 | Europe | Wages in Europeo zone (YoY) (Q4) | | 5.30% |
| 15:30 | Europe | Labor Cost Index (YoY) (Q4) | | 5.30% |
| 18:00 | United States | Building Permits (MoM) (Feb) | | -0.30% |
| 18:00 | United States | Building Permits (Feb) | | 1.489M |
| 18:00 | United States | Housing Starts (MoM) (Feb) | | -14.80% |
| 18:00 | United States | Housing Starts (Feb) | 1.420M | 1.331M |
| 18:25 | United States | Redbook (YoY) | | 3.00% |
| 22:00 | United States | Atlanta Fed GDPNow (Q1) | 2.30% | 2.30% |

TOMORROW's ECONOMIC EVENTS (20th March, 2024)

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| All Day | | Japan - Vernal Equinox | | |
| 6:45 | China | China Loan Prime Rate 5Y (Mar) | | 3.95% |
| 6:45 | China | PBoC Loan Prime Rate | | 3.45% |
| 14:15 | Europe | ECB President Lagarde Speaks | | - |
| 15:30 | Europe | Construction Output (MoM) (Jan) | 6 | 0.80% |
| 16:30 | United States | MBA Purchase Index | | 147.7 |
| 17:00 | India | M3 Money Supply | | 10.90% |
| 20:00 | United States | EIA Refinery Crude Runs (WoW) | | 0.390M |
| 20:00 | United States | Crude Oil Imports | | -0.241M |
| 20:00 | United States | Cushing Crude Oil Inventories | | -0.220M |
| 20:00 | United States | Distillate Fuel Production | | 0.217M |
| 20:00 | United States | EIA Weekly Distillates Stocks | | 0.888M |
| 20:00 | United States | Gasoline Production | | 0.285M |
| 20:00 | United States | Heating Oil Stockpiles | | 0.867M |
| 20:00 | United States | EIA Weekly Refinery Utilization Rates (WoW) | | 1.90% |
| 23:30 | United States | Interest Rate Projection - 1st Yr (Q1) | | 4.60% |
| 23:30 | United States | Interest Rate Projection - 2nd Yr (Q1) | | 3.60% |
| 23:30 | United States | Interest Rate Projection - Current (Q1) | | 5.40% |
| 23:30 | United States | Interest Rate Projection - Longer (Q1) | | 2.50% |
| 23:30 | United States | FOMC Economic Projections | | |
| 23:30 | United States | FOMC Statement | | |
| 23:30 | United States | Fed Interest Rate Decision | 5.50% | 5.50% |



Source: SMC Research and various websites Note

Countries Covered: United States, Europe, China, Japan and India. Categories Covered: Economic Activity, Inflation, Central Banks and Employment. (IST) 24:00 hrs format.

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