

# Capital Markets Snapshot

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# Week ending June 13, 2025

Last week, markets navigated a complex mix of geopolitical tension, economic data, and policy expectations. Equities experienced a late-week selloff triggered by Israeli airstrikes on Iranian nuclear facilities and subsequent counterstrikes. Oil prices surged to a four-month high, which raised concerns about inflationary pressures. However, inflation data came in cooler than expected, with CPI and PPI both undershooting forecasts, helping to anchor expectations for potential Fed rate cuts later this year. Treasury yields declined over the week, supported by strong demand in long-term bond auctions. Meanwhile, U.S. and China trade talks progressed, with a tentative framework reached, and consumer sentiment rebounded sharply, suggesting improved confidence. Market breadth also expanded, indicating broader participation in the recent equity rally despite near-term technical volatility.

Interest Rates (%)

### **Fixed Income Markets Overview**

- Treasury yields declined last week, with the 10-year yield falling about 10 basis points to 4.41%, and the 30-year yield dropping 7 bps to 4.9%, reflecting strong demand in longterm bond auctions and easing inflation concerns.
- Inflation data came in cooler than expected, with both CPI and PPI undershooting forecasts. This reinforced expectations that the Federal Reserve may have room to cut rates later in the year. Fed rate cut expectations increased modestly, with futures markets now pricing in nearly two 25-basis-point cuts by year-end, up from 1.77 cuts the previous week.
- Investor demand for Treasuries remained strong, as evidenced by a well-received 30-year bond auction, which helped ease concerns about government debt issuance and supported bond prices.

Asset Class	Name	1W	YTD	3Y(Ann.)	5Y(Ann.)
Short	1-3 Year Govt/Credit	0.2%	2.3%	3.8%	1.5%
Core Plus	Intermediate Govt/Credit	0.5%	3.1%	3.7%	0.5%
	International Aggregate	0.8%	6.1%	2.8%	-1.4%
	US Aggregate	0.7%	2.7%	2.8%	-0.9%
	US Treasury	0.6%	2.6%	1.8%	-1.8%
	US TIPS	0.5%	3.3%	1.5%	1.5%
	US Corporate	0.7%	2.7%	4.3%	0.1%
	US Corporate High Yield	0.1%	3.2%	8.9%	5.5%
Other	Emerging Markets Aggregate	0.5%	3.7%	6.9%	1.6%
Muni	US Municipals	0.2%	-0.8%	2.6%	0.5%
	US Municipals High Yield	0.3%	-0.8%	4.3%	3.2%

Source: Bloomberg as of June 13, 2025

	U.S. Treasury Yield Curve
5.80%	
5.30%	
4.80%	
4.30%	
3.80%	1M 2M 3M 6M 1Y 2Y 3Y 5Y 7Y 10Y20Y30Y
	Current — Last Month-End — Last Year-End — 1-Year Ago

Date	6/13/2025	5/30/2025	12/31/2024	6/13/2024	
Federal Funds Rate	4.23%	4.33%	4.40%	5.47%	
3 Month Treasury	4.45%	4.36%	4.37%	5.51%	
6 Month Treasury	4.30%	4.36%	4.24%	5.36%	
2 Year Treasury	3.96%	3.89%	4.25%	4.68%	
5 Year Treasury	4.02%	3.96%	4.38%	4.24%	
10 Year Treasury	4.41%	4.41%	4.58%	4.24%	
30 Year Treasury	4.90%	4.92%	4.78%	4.40%	
US Aggregate	4.71%	4.71%	4.91%	4.88%	
US Corporate	5.20%	5.21%	5.33%	5.33%	
US Corporate High Yield	7.42%	7.46%	7.49%	7.84%	
US Municipal	4.02%	4.04%	3.74%	3.68%	
US Municipal High Yield	5.84%	5.85%	5.52%	5.41%	

### Spreads Over 10-Year US Treasuries Date 6/13/2025 5/30/2025 12/31/2024 6/13/2024 30 Year Treasury 0.49% 0.51% 0.20% 0.16% **US** Aggregate 0.30% 0.30% 0.33% 0.64% **US** Corporate 0.79% 0.80% 0.75% 1.09% US Corporate High Yield 3.01% 3.05% 2 91% 3 60% US Municipal -0.39% -0.37% -0.84% -0.56% US Municipal High Yield 1 43% 1.44% 0.94% 1 17%

# **Equity Markets Overview**

- All three major US equity indices fell last week following Friday's selloff. The S&P 500 and Nasdaq held up better with respective losses of 0.36% and 0.61% while the Dow Jones fell 1.3%. On a YTD basis, S&P 500 leads the pack with a 2.2% gain.
- Most sectors posted losses, but a few managed to climb higher, particularly the Energy sector following the escalation between Israel and Iran. Biggest losers include Financials falling 2.61%, Industrials 1.6%, and Consumer Staples 1.14%. Energy and Healthcare were the biggest bright spots with respective gains of 5.73% and 1.25%.
- Large caps held up better than its smaller peers. US large caps fell 0.4% while mid- and small caps fells 1.4% and 1.3%, respectively. From a style lens, value held up better than growth across all size segments.
- International stocks managed to post small gains and their YTD outperformance relative to US equities. 2025 continues to demonstrate the importance of diversification within as well as across asset classes.

Asset Class	Name	1W	YTD	3Y(Ann.)	5Y(Ann.)
All-Cap	S&P 1500	-0.4%	1.7%	17.9%	15.9%
Large-Cap	S&P 500	-0.4%	2.2%	18.6%	16.2%
	S&P 500 Growth	-0.4%	3.8%	22.4%	17.0%
	S&P 500 Value	-0.3%	0.6%	13.8%	14.3%
Mid-Cap	S&P Midcap 400	-1.4%	-3.0%	11.2%	13.0%
	S&P Midcap 400 Growth	-2.2%	-3.1%	12.1%	11.1%
	S&P Midcap 400 Value	-0.5%	-2.9%	10.3%	14.8%
Small-Cap	S&P Smallcap 600	-1.3%	-7.4%	6.3%	11.5%
	S&P Smallcap 600 Growth	-1.9%	-4.5%	8.3%	10.7%
	S&P Smallcap 600 Value	-0.7%	-10.3%	4.3%	12.1%
Int'l.	MSCI ACWI ex-USA	0.2%	15.6%	12.6%	9.9%
	MSCI EM	0.7%	12.0%	8.3%	6.4%

Source: Bloomberg as of June 13, 2025

## **Alternative Markets Overview**

- Gold prices continued their upward trajectory last week, reaching a new all-time high of approximately \$3,450 per ounce during trading hours Friday. This marks a sharp rise from its \$3,310 close the previous week and a significant gain from \$2,624 to start the year.
- U.S. crude oil prices jumped over 7% on Friday to a four-month high of around \$73 per barrel, driven by concerns over supply disruptions following Israeli strikes on Iranian nuclear sites. For the week, oil gained 13%, amplifying inflationary pressures across global markets.

Name	1W	YTD	3Y (Ann.)	5Y (Ann.)
S&P GSCI	4.9%	6.5%	-2.6%	19.6%
Gold	3.2%	30.7%	23.5%	14.7%
FTSE All Equity NAREIT	-0.2%	1.9%	4.9%	6.3%
Bitcoin	0.8%	12.6%	65.6%	62.1%
Ethereum	1.6%	-24.3%	26.8%	60.6%

Source: Bloomberg as of June 13, 2025



It is a lighter week for earnings reports as Q1 earnings season draws closer to its end. Earnings releases worth monitoring this week include Lennar and Darden Restaurants.

Upcoming Week It is another busy week of economic releases. Key releases include the Federal Reserve Rate Decision, Retail Sales, Industrial Production and Capacity Utilization, and Jobless Claims.

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Bloomberg Galaxy Ethereum Index is designed to measure the performance of a single Ethereum traded in USD.

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