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S&P 500 gain for an eighth straight day, builds on longest win streak

 Global markets. The S&P 500 rose for an eighth consecutive day on Wednesday, extending its longest win streak in two years.

The broad market index added 0.1% to finish at 4,382.78 and match an eight-day string of gains it notched in November 2021. The Nasdaq Composite inched up 0.08% to end at 13,650.41. The Dow Jones Industrial Average lost 40.33 points, or 0.12%, to close at 34,112.27 and snap its best win streak since July.

With Wednesday's gains, the S&P is up 4.5% for November, while the Nasdaq has jumped 6.2%. The Dow is up 3.2% for the month.

These gains come as earnings season winds down. About 88% of companies in the broad-based index have posted results, with more than 88% beating earnings estimates. Slowing demand, however, has translated to only 62% topping revenue expectations, with some companies offering cautious outlooks. The season continues after the bell with results from Walt Disney, Affirm Holdings and MGM Resorts.

In stocks and economic news. NAB, Orica and Xero release earnings results.

Amcor, Cooper Energy, Myer, Nine Entertainment, Seven West Media and Star Entertainment all host annual general meetings.

Shares in Westpac trade ex-dividend.

China will release October CPI and PPI at 12.30pm (AEDT) and Japan will publish its September current account.

 In other markets. Longer-dated yields fell and the 10-year Treasury yield was down on the day after a \$US40 billion auction analysts viewed as acceptable given the increased size.

The Australian dollar slipped 0.5 per cent to US64¢ as markets were still pondering the effect of the Reserve Bank's rate increase and a softening of its tightening bias.

 Futures. Futures were up 0.3 per cent, or 23 points, to 7025 at 7.50am AEDT.

| World Indices | Close | Prior | % ∆ |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Local Markets | | | |
| All Ordinaries | 7,198.4 | 7,192.3 | 0.1% |
| ASX 200 | 6,995.4 | 6,997.4 | 0.0% |
| ASX Emerging Companies | 1,910.5 | 1,897.8 | 0.7% |
| US Markets | | | |
| Dow Jones | 34,112.3 | 34,095.9 | 0.0% |
| S&P500 | 4,382.8 | 4,366.0 | 0.4% |
| Nasdaq | 15,313.2 | 15,154.9 | 1.0% |
| Russell 2000 | 1,733.2 | 1,760.7 | -1.6% |
| Asian & European Markets | | | |
| Shanghai Composite | 3,052.4 | 3,058.4 | -0.2% |
| Nikkei | 32,166.4 | 32,596.0 | -1.3% |
| Hang Seng | 17,568.5 | 17,966.0 | -2.2% |
| FTSE 100 | 7,401.7 | 7,428.5 | -0.4% |
| DAX 30 | 15,229.6 | 15,136.0 | 0.6% |
| CAC 40 | 7,034.2 | 7,013.7 | 0.3% |
| S&P500 Sectors | Close | Prior | % ∆ |
| Information Technology | 3,125.6 | 3,072.5 | 1.7% |
| Communication Services | 228.8 | 227.3 | 0.7% |
| Consumer Discretionary | 1,283.0 | 1,271.2 | 0.9% |
| Economic Releases | Time | F'cast | Prior |
| CH - Inflation Rate YoY | 12:30 | -0.10% | 0.0% |
| US - Fed Chair Powell Speech | 6:00 | | |
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| Key BW Names | Close | Prior | %∆ |
| Lotus Resources | 0.250 | 0.260 | -3.8% |
| Elementos | 0.115 | 0.115 | 0.0% |
| Frontier Energy | 0.305 | 0.300 | 1.7% |
| Commodities | Close | Prior | % ∆ |
| Oil - West Texas Crude | 75.55 | 80.82 | -6.5% |
| Gold | 1,950 | 1,977 | -1.4% |
| Gold (Aus) | 3,046 | 3,048 | -0.1% |
| Silver | 22.54 | 23.01 | -2.0% |
| Uranium (Spot) | 74.00 | 75.00 | -1.3% |
| Tin (Futures) | 24,559 | 24,356 | 0.8% |
| Copper | 3.67 | 3.74 | -1.9% |
| Other Markets | Close | Prior | %Δ |
| | | | |
| SPI200 Futures | 7,020.0 | 6,985.8 | 0.5% |
| DXY Index | 105.5 | 105.3 | 0.2% |
| AUD/USD | 0.6401 | 0.6487 | -1.3% |
| 2-Year Treasury Yield (%) | 4.936 | 4.941 | 0 bp |
| 10-Year Treasury Yield (%) | 4.495 | 4.651 | -16 bp |
| US 2-10-Year Spread VIX Index | -0.197 14.44 | -0.197 14.90 | 0 bp -3.1% |
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