

# Monthly Economic Calendar

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			<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      AiG Perf of Mfg Jan prev 56.2 (9:30am)                      CoreLogic House Prices Jan prev -0.4% (10am)                      Trade Price Indices Q4 (11:30am)                      Import Prices exp 1.5% prev -1.6%                      Export Prices exp 3.0% prev -3.0%                      Building Approvals Dec exp -8.0% prev 11.7% (11:30am)</p> <p><b>CHINA</b>                      Caixin Mfg PMI Jan exp 51.5 prev 51.5 (12:45pm)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b>                      Markit Mfg PMI Jan final exp 59.6 prev 59.6 (8pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b>                      Nikkei Mfg PMI Jan final prev 54.4 (11:30am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b>                      ANZ Job Ads Feb prev -0.3% (8am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>                      Nat. House Prices Jan exp 0.1% prev 0.6% (6pm)                      Markit Mfg PMI Jan exp 56.5 prev 56.3 (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b>                      Markit Mfg PMI Jan final prev 55.5 (1:45am)                      Constr'n Spend. Dec exp 0.4% prev 0.8% (2am)                      ISM Mfg Jan exp 58.6 prev 59.3 (2am)</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      PPI Q4 prev 0.2% (11:30am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b>                      ANZ Cons Confidence Jan prev 121.8 (8am)                      Building Permits Dec prev 10.8% (8:45am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>                      Markit/CIPS Construction PMI Jan exp 52.0 prev 52.2 (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b>                      Non-farm Payrolls Jan exp 180k prev 148k (12:30am)                      Unemployment Rate Jan exp 4.1% prev 4.1% (12:30am)                      Factory Orders Dec exp 1.5% prev 1.3% (2am)                      Durable Goods Orders Dec final prev 2.9% (2am)                      UoM Consumer Sentiment Jan final exp 95.0 prev 94.4 (2am)</p>
<p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      AiG Perf Services Jan prev 52.0 (9:30am)                      MI Inflation Jan prev 0.1% (11am)                      ANZ Job Ads Jan prev -2.3% (11:30am)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b>                      Markit Services PMI Jan final prev 57.6 (8pm)                      Retail Sales Dec prev 1.5% (9pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b>                      Nikkei Services PMI Jan prev 51.1 (11:30am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>                      Markit Services PMI Jan prev 54.2 (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b>                      Markit Services PMI Jan final prev 53.3 (1:45am)</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      Trade Balance Dec exp \$300mn prev -\$628mn (11:30am)                      Retail Sales (11:30am)                      Values Dec exp -0.2% prev 1.2%                      Volumes Q4 exp 1.0% prev 0.1%</p> <p>RBA Cash Rate Decision exp 1.50% prev 1.50%</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b>                      Ger. Factory Orders Dec prev -0.4% (6pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b>                      Trade Balance Dec exp -\$52.2bn prev -\$50.5bn (12:30am)</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      AiG Perf. of Construction Jan prev 52.8 (9:30am)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b>                      German Industrial Production Dec prev 3.4% (6pm)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b>                      Unemployment Rate Q4 prev 4.6% (8:45am)</p> <p>Employment Chg Q4 prev 2.2% (8:45am)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b>                      Consumer Credit Dec exp \$19.7bn prev \$28.0bn (7pm)</p>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      NAB Business Confidence Q4 prev 7 (11:30am)</p> <p><b>CHINA</b>                      Trade Balance Jan prev \$54.7bn (~)                      Exports y/y prev 10.9%                      Imports y/y prev 4.5%</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b>                      RBNZ Official Cash Rate exp 1.75% prev 1.75% (7am)</p> <p>QV House Prices Jan y/y prev 6.6% (3am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>                      BoE Bank Rate exp 0.5% prev 0.5% (11pm)</p>	<p><b>9</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b>                      Housing Finance Dec (11:30am)                      No. of Home Loans exp -1.0% prev 2.1%                      Value of Investor exp 0.5% prev 1.5%</p> <p>RBA Statement on Monetary Policy (11:30am)</p> <p><b>CHINA</b>                      PPI Jan y/y prev 4.9% (12:30pm)                      CPI Jan y/y prev 1.8% (12:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>                      Industrial Prod'n Dec prev 0.4% (8:30pm)                      Trade Balance Dec prev -£2.8bn (8:30pm)</p>

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<p><b>12</b></p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> NAB Bus Confidence Jan prev 11 (11:30am) NAB Bus Conditions Jan prev 13 (11:30am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> CPI Jan y/y prev 3.0% (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> NFIB Small Business Optimism Jan prev 104.9 (10pm)</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> WBC-MI Consumer Confidence Feb prev 105.1 (10:30am)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> German CPI Jan y/y final prev 1.6% (6pm) Industrial Production Dec prev 1.0% (9pm) GDP Q4 2<sup>nd</sup> estimate prev 0.6% (9pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> CPI Jan y/y prev 2.1% (12:30am) Retail Sales Jan exp 0.3% prev 0.4% (12:30am)</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> Consumer Inflation Expectations Feb prev 3.7% (11am) Labour Force Jan (11:30am) Employment Change exp 10k prev 34.7k Unemployment Rate exp 5.4% prev 5.5% Participation Rate exp 65.6% prev 65.7%</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> Trade Balance Dec prev €22.5bn (9pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Industrial Production Dec final (3:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> NY Empire Mfg Feb prev 17.7 (12:30am) PPI Jan y/y prev 2.6% (12:30am) Philadelphia Fed Feb prev 22.2 (12:30am) Industrial Production Jan exp 0.3% prev 0.9% (1:15am) NAHB Housing Index Feb prev 72 (2am)</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> BusinessNZ Mfg PMI Jan prev 51.2 (8:30am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> Retail Sales Jan prev -1.5% (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Housing Starts Jan exp 2.8% prev -8.2% (12:30am) Building Permits Jan exp 0.0% prev -0.2% (12:30am) UoM Consumer Sentiment Feb (2am)</p>
<p><b>19</b></p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> Current Account Dec prev €32.5bn (8pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Trade Jan prev ¥358.7bn (10:50am)</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> RBA Board Meeting Minutes Feb (11:30am)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> EZ ZEW Expectations Feb prev 31.8 (9pm) Ger. ZEW Expectations Feb prev 20.4 (9pm) Consumer Confidence Feb prev 1.3 (2am)</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> WBC Leading Index Jan prev 0.27% (10:30am) Wage Price Index Q4 exp 0.5% prev 0.5% (11:30am) Construction Work Done Q4 exp -6.0% prev 15.7% (11:30am) Skilled Vacancies Jan prev 0.2% (11am)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> Markit Manufacturing PMI Feb (8pm) Markit Services PMI Feb (8pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Nikkei Manufacturing PMI Feb (11:30am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> ILO Unemploy. Rate Dec prev 4.3% (8:30pm) Employment Chg q/q Dec prev 102k (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Markit Mfg PMI Feb prev 55.5 (1:45am) Markit Services PMI Feb (1:45am) Existing Home Sales Jan prev -3.6% (2am) FOMC Minutes of Meeting Jan 31 (6am)</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> German IFO Business Climate Feb prev 117.6 (8pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> GDP Q4 2<sup>nd</sup> estimate prev 0.5% (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Leading Index Jan prev 0.6% (2am) Kansas City Fed Manufacturing Feb prev 16 (3am)</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p><b>CHINA</b> Property Prices Jan (Sat 24 Jan, 12:30pm)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> German GDP Q4 final (6pm) CPI Jan y/y final prev 1.4% (9pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> National CPI Jan y/y prev 1.0% (10:30am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> Retail Sales Volumes Q4 prev 0.2% (8:45am)</p>

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<p><b>26</b></p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Chicago Fed Nat Activity Jan prev 0.27 (12:30am) New Home Sales Jan prev -9.3% (2am) Dallas Fed Mfg Activity Feb prev 33.4 (2:30am)</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> M3 Money Supply Jan y/y prev 4.6% (8pm) Economic Confidence Feb prev 114.7 (9pm) Business Climate Indicator Feb prev 1.54 (9pm) Consumer Confidence Feb final (9pm) German CPI Feb (12am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> Trade Balance Jan prev NZ\$640m (8:45am)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Durable Goods Orders Jan final (12:30am) FHFA House Prices Dec prev 0.4% (1am) S&amp;P CoreLogic House Prices Dec prev 0.75% (1am) Richmond Fed Mfg Feb prev 14 (2am) CB Consumer Confidence Feb prev 125.4 (2am)</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> Private Sector Credit Jan prev 0.3% (11:30am)</p> <p><b>CHINA</b> Non-manufacturing PMI Feb prev 55.3 (12pm) Manufacturing PMI Feb jprev 51.3 (12pm)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> CPI Estimate Feb (9pm) German GfK Consumer Confidence Mar prev 11.0 (6pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Retail Sales Jan prev 0.9% (10:50am) Industrial Production Jan (10:50am) Housing Starts Jan (4pm)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> ANZ Bus Confidence Feb prev -37.8 (11am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> GfK Consumer Confidence Feb prev -9 (11:01am)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Chicago PMI Feb prev 65.7 (1:45am) Pending Home Sales Jan prev 0.5% (2am)</p>	<p><b>Mar 1</b></p> <p><b>AUSTRALIA</b> AiG Perf of Manufacturing Feb (9:30am) CoreLogic House Prices Feb (10am) Private Capex Q4 prev 1.0% (11:30am)</p> <p><b>CHINA</b> Caixin Manufacturing PMI Feb (12:45pm)</p> <p><b>EURO ZONE</b> Markit Manufacturing PMI Feb final (8pm) Unemployment Rate Jan (9pm)</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Capital Spending Q4 y/y prev 4.2% (10:50am) Nikkei Mfg PMI Feb final (12:30am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> ANZ Job Ads Feb (8am) Terms of Trade Q4 prev 0.7% (8:45am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> Markit Manufacturing PMI Feb (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> Personal Income Jan prev 0.4% (12:30am) Personal Spending Jan prev 0.4% (12:30am) PCE Inflation Jan (12:30am) Markit Mfg PMI Feb final (1:45am) Construction Spending Jan (2am) ISM Manufacturing Feb (2am)</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> Jobless Rate Jan prev 2.8% (10:30am)</p> <p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b> ANZ Consumer Confidence Feb (8am) Building Permits Jan (8:45am)</p> <p><b>UNITED KINGDOM</b> Markit/CIPS Construction PMI Feb (8:30pm)</p> <p><b>UNITED STATES</b> UoM Consumer Sentiment Feb final (2am)</p>

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