

## WEEKLY ECONOMIC CALENDAR AHEAD

Here is what you need to know about the important news between **August 15<sup>th</sup> 2022 and August 19<sup>th</sup> 2022**, where we take a look at the economic data, market news and headlines likely to have the biggest impact on the market prices this week and beyond, as well as the US Dollar, and other key correlated assets.

### U.S. dollar index

Softer inflation reports last week, are expected to continue to weight on the Dollar Index for this week also since the light calendar, can have low affect on the greenback indicator. FOMC meeting minutes on Wednesday the major release for this week.

### Gold

The precious metal closed last week above the \$1800 level and returned again below early this week. The focus is shifted mainly on FOMC meeting minutes on Wednesday, since the safe heaven instrument is trying to break the resistance of the \$1800 level and continue upwards or return again to lower levels.

### Oil

Price of the “liquid gold”, closed the day lower on Friday, after 4 consecutive positive days. This week is starting with China’s week economic data triggering concerns about demand for oil.

### Stocks

Investors are focusing this week on the FOMC meeting minutes in order to overcome the anxiety from last week’s softer than expected inflation data. The focus will be for any indications of easing interest rates rises.

## **Economic calendar most important releases (times are in GMT)**

### **Tuesday, August 16, 2022**

01:30	AUD	Monetary Policy Meeting Minutes
12:30	CAD	CPI m/m

### **Wednesday, August 17, 2022**

01:30	AUD	Wage Price Index q/q
02:00	NZD	Official Cash Rate
02:00	NZD	RBNZ Monetary Policy Statement

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02:00	NZD	RBNZ Rate Statement
06:00	GBP	CPI y/y
12:30	USD	Core Retail Sales m/m
12:30	USD	Retail Sales m/m
18:00	USD	FOMC Meeting Minutes

**Thursday, August 18, 2022**

01:30	AUD	Employment Change
01:30	AUD	Unemployment Rate

**Thanks for reading! Have a great week!**

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