

U.S. stock indexes show an upward trend today. Affected by good corporate reporting figures and stats, Dow Jones Industrial Average hit the new maximum record.

As at 8:30 p.m. (MSK), S&P500 gained about 0.65%, and Dow Jones grew by 0.50%. NASDAQ technology index rose 0.85%.

Key indicators as of Friday evening (May 7th, 2021):

- S&P 500: +0.65%
- NASDAQ: +0.85%
- Dow Jones: +0.50%
- 10-Yr UST yield: 1.579 (+1.15%)
- IMOEX: +0.67%, RTSI: +1.73%
- Gold: \$1,829(+3.2%)
- Copper: \$10,425 (-0.15%)
- Brent: \$68.3 (+0.3%)
- USD/RUB: 74.8 (-0.65%)

Number of jobs increased by 266 thousand in April in the U.S. At the same time, the country's unemployment rate rose from 6% to 6.1% in April. Experts expected jobs to increase by 978 thousand and unemployment rate to decline to 5.8% on the average. Though data is generally negative, the market ignores this fact and continues to grow.

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