QUOTES OF THE DAY

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Window **12:00 AM - 5:41 PM ET**
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#	SCORE	SPEAKER	QUOTE / TIME ET / VENUE	CONTEXT	AFFECTS	VERIF.	SRC
1	**17** 5/4/4/4	**Donald Trump** President of the United States POLITICS/GEOPOLITICS	**"We have the concept of a very good deal with Canada... We are now very close to having a deal."** 3:52 PM (clip posted) · Remarks to reporters after landing in Iowa (official White House rapid-response clip on X)	Tariff relief and pipeline capacity: separate clips say Keystone is part of the talks, Canada will 'pay for all of it' (posted 3:54 PM) and 'our farmers will have to pay no tariffs' (posted 3:55 PM). No terms announced.	**CAD (USDCAD), autos (GM, F, STLA), steel, CNQ/SU/TRP, ZC/ZS, dairy**	PRIMARY	1,2,3,4,5
2	**16** 3/3/5/5	**Arsenio Dominguez** Secretary-General, International Maritime Organization ECONOMY/MARKETS/FED	**"It's not safe to go through. That's probably the best answer that I can give you right now."** 11:10 AM (clip posted) · Interview, Bloomberg This Weekend (Bloomberg TV)	Transit counts vs. barrels: an average 135 vessels a day before the conflict, around 12 a day Oct 22-28, 2 on Oct 29, plus shuttle tankers with AIS off that are hard to track.	**CL/BZ, HO, tankers (FRO, STNG), XLE, shipping insurers**	PRIMARY	6,7,8
3	**16** 4/4/4/4	**Mark Carney** Prime Minister of Canada POLITICS/GEOPOLITICS	**"This builds on our recent constructive discussions on the outlines of a mutually beneficial trade deal that would create jobs for our workers, boost affordability for families, and fully respect Canada's languages, culture, and sovereignty."** 11:22 AM · X post	Trade-war de-escalation: says teams will work in the coming weeks toward a deal. His office says the call with Trump was Saturday.	**CAD (USDCAD), TSX, autos, steel, CNQ/SU/TRP, CN/CP rail**	PRIMARY	9,10,11
4	**15** 5/3/4/3	**Volodymyr Zelensky** President of Ukraine POLITICS/GEOPOLITICS	**"It is important that the trilateral meeting of the Ukrainian, American, and Russian technical teams does take place and the teams work constructively."** 2:56 PM · X post (after call with Finnish President Alexander Stubb)	Ceasefire-path pricing: after a call with Stubb, says 'we are all expecting de-escalatory steps from Russia' and asks for 'clear signals from Putin that he is ready to end the war.'	**EUR, European defense (RHM.DE, BA.L), ZW/ZC, European gas (TTF)**	PRIMARY	12,13
5	**13** 5/2/3/3	**Volodymyr Zelensky** President of Ukraine POLITICS/GEOPOLITICS	**"Russia is destroying infrastructure and killing our people right now, and it is betting on ballistic missiles this winter. Accordingly, decisions on air defense must also be implemented now."** 4:41 AM · X post	Energy-infrastructure risk: overnight strikes on power in four regions, hundreds of thousands of families without power, 1,940 drones and 44 missiles in a week, asks for Patriot deliveries.	**European power and gas (TTF), RTX/LMT (Patriot), RHM.DE**	PRIMARY	14
6	**13** 4/3/3/3	**John Healey** Chancellor of the Exchequer, UK ECONOMY/MARKETS/FED	**"The overall bill must come down. There's nothing progressive in a bigger and bigger benefits bill. That's an economic duty, but it's also a moral duty."** 4:19 AM · Recorded interview, Sunday with Laura Kuenssberg (BBC One)	Fiscal credibility and gilt supply: four days after his first Budget, says the overall bill will come down, with no timetable for savings. The 3% defence path is due at next year's Spending Review.	**Gilts (UK 10y), GBP, UK defence (BA.L, BAB.L)**	PRIMARY	15,16

Score axes P/N/R/M = Speaker power / Novelty / Reach / Market relevance, 1-5 each. Ties: market, then power, then novelty, then earlier time.

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IRGC Navy spokesperson: Persian statement, no official English. Translations differ (JPost 'engulfed in flames following a powerful explosion' vs Xinhua 'suffered a massive explosion and is burning'). Not ranked. Separately JPost reports UKMTO said a tanker was hit by an unknown projectile Sunday.
Iran Foreign Ministry: No official English text of the statement located. Coverage is paraphrase.
Volodymyr Zelensky: Only translations available, interview date likely outside window.
Mehrdad Akhlaghi: Translation via state broadcaster, not the minister's own English. Repeat of Oct 31 doctrine.
Donald Trump: Recording date and full wording not confirmed.

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