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caprice

- Asked if he had a message for America's president, Mr Merz replied simply that "Germany is back on track." Fittingly, many investors spooked by Mr Trump's **caprices** abandoned us Treasuries for the calmer waters of Germany's bond market. [389]

fallow

- A separate scheme provides cut-rate electric-vehicle (EV) **tariffs** if customers agree to let the firm charge cars during **fallow** periods rather than when the grid is overloaded. [756]

duress

- Usually Treasuries do well in a stockmarket rout, but investors such as hedge funds were said to be cashing out of them under **duress**. [015]

redress

- That could help the country develop faster and more accurate offensive missiles, and ideally **redress** Ukraine's biggest remaining weakness: its desperate shortage of air-defence missile systems that can knock out incoming Russian missiles. [075]

covenant

- Legal **covenants** often prevent it from being diverted for other purposes. [127]

bastion

snarky

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berating

- This pushing often devolves into angry public **berating** of **underperformers**. [1064]

tome

- With that system now under attack by its erstwhile leading sponsor, people are pulling Hirschman’s **tome** from the top shelf and dusting it off. [1100]

autarky

- At times Mr Trump’s rhetoric has verged on calling for a form of **autarky**—witness his demands that foreign producers who wish to sell in America build plants there and hire American workers. [1107]

augur

- This realisation is yet to sink in, and it does not **augur** well for encouraging a torrent of inward investment. [1110]

unbridle

- But it is fantasy to think trade partners will voluntarily join a “Mar-a-Lago accord” or “new Bretton Woods agreement” in which they adjust their currencies higher and also agree to **bankroll unbridled** American deficits through purchases of **ultra-long-maturity** Treasuries at low interest rates. [1114]