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# **Weekly Statistical Bulletin on Selected Commodity Prices, Exchange Rates, and African Stock Markets<sup>1</sup>**

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## Summary

Prices of crude oil, natural gas, and most agricultural commodities increased in the week ended 1 May 2026 compared to the previous week, while prices for most reviewed metals declined. When compared to the corresponding period of last year, prices increased for crude oil, metals, most agricultural commodities and fertilizers. In contrast, natural gas saw price decline while phosphoric rock fertilizers remained constant.

In terms of exchange rate movements, all the five major global currencies reviewed — the Euro (EUR), the British Pound (GBP), the Japanese Yen (JPY), the Chinese Yuan (CNY), Russian Ruble (RUB — appreciated against the United States Dollar (USD) compared to the previous week. Relative to the same period of last year, the EUR, the GBP, the CNY, and the RUB appreciated against the USD, while the JPY depreciated. Most African currencies depreciated against the USD compared with the previous week but appreciated relative to the corresponding period of the previous year. Regarding equity market performance, half of the reviewed African stock markets recorded gains on a weekly basis, while most posted gains compared with the same period last year. Reviewed Global stock markets declined relative to the previous week but recorded year-on-year gains.

## Energy

**During the week under review, international crude oil prices rose compared to the previous week as well as the corresponding period of last year, while natural gas prices rose on a week-on-week basis but declined year-on-year.** Week-on-week, the prices of Brent crude oil, WTI crude oil and natural gas increased by 9.12%, 7.99%, and 3.62%, respectively. In comparison to the corresponding period of last year, the prices of Brent and WTI were higher by 74.66%, and 75.43%, respectively, while price of natural gas was lower by 30.93%. Thus, as of 1 May 2026, prices reached USD 108.17 and USD 101.94 per barrel for Brent and WTI, respectively; and USD 2.78 per million Btu for natural gas.

## Metals

**International prices of most reviewed metals declined in the week ended 1 May 2026, compared to their levels in the preceding week. However, prices remained higher relative to the corresponding period of 2025 for all reviewed metals.** Compared to the previous week, prices fell for copper by 2.35%, gold by 2.02%, platinum by 1.33%, silver by 0.49%, and manganese ore by 0.15%, whereas prices increased for nickel by 1.84% and cobalt by 0.01%. In comparison to their levels on 1 May 2025, prices of all reviewed metals increased, as follows: silver (133.57%), platinum (106.75%), cobalt (67.93%), gold (43.32%), copper (41.17%), nickel (26.97%), and manganese ore (25.81%).

## Agricultural Commodities

**During the week under review, international prices of most selected agricultural commodities increased compared with the previous week and the corresponding period of last year.** Week-on-week, prices increased for cotton by 6.09%, sugar by 5.95%, cocoa by 5.14%, wheat HRW by 3.70%, corn CBT by 2.91%, rubber TSR20 by 2.69%, and rice by 0.69%. In contrast, prices of some commodities declined including coffee arabica (2.52%) and palm oil (0.45%). Compared to their levels in the corresponding period of last year, prices increased for most reviewed commodities as follows: rubber TSR20 (28.70%), palm oil (23.25%), cotton (19.93%), wheat HRW (15.75%), and corn CBT by (0.86%). In contrast, prices declined for some commodities including cocoa (60.76%), coffee arabica (23.68%), rice (15.07%), and sugar (11.12%).

## Fertilizers

**In the week ended 1 May 2026, price of DAP increased by 2.80%, while price of TSP declined by 2.68% compared to the previous week.** When compared to the corresponding period of last year, prices increased by 30.04% for TSP and 13.51% for DAP. The price of phosphoric rock remained unchanged at USD 152.50 per metric ton compared to its levels in both the previous week and the corresponding period of last year.

## Exchange Rates

**Major Global Currencies:** During the week under review, all the five reviewed major global currencies – the Euro (EUR), the British Pound (GBP), the Japanese Yen (JPY), the Chinese Yuan (CNY), and the Russian Ruble (RUB)– appreciated against the USD relative to the previous week. The week-on-week rates of appreciation against the USD were 1.51% for the JPY, 0.58% for the GBP, 0.34% for the RUB, 0.16% for the EUR, and 0.05% for the CNY. In comparison to the corresponding period of 2025, four of the five reviewed currencies appreciated against the USD as follows: the RUB by 8.49%, the CNY by 6.19%, the EUR by 3.82%, and the GBP by 2.34%. The JPY depreciated by 7.94%.

**Currencies of African Countries:** Most of the reviewed African currencies depreciated against the USD during the week under review, while most appreciated relative to the same period of the previous year. Of the 37 African currencies reviewed, 21 depreciated against the USD, while 15 appreciated. The exchange rate of the Sudanese Pound (SDG), against the USD, remained unchanged during the week. The Egyptian Pound (EGP) experienced the largest week-on-week depreciation at 1.81%, while Botswana's Paula (BWP) recorded the highest appreciation at 1.12%. When compared to the corresponding period of last year, 20 of the currencies recorded varying degrees of appreciation against the USD, ranging between 0.01% for the Mozambique Metical (MZM) and 32.72% for the Zambian Kwacha (ZMK). However, 17 African currencies depreciated against the USD, with 2 of them depreciating by more than 15.0%.

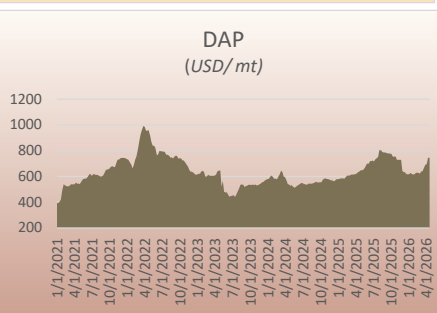
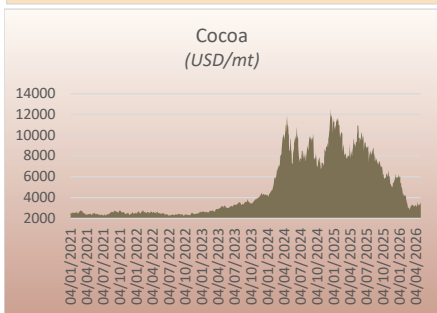
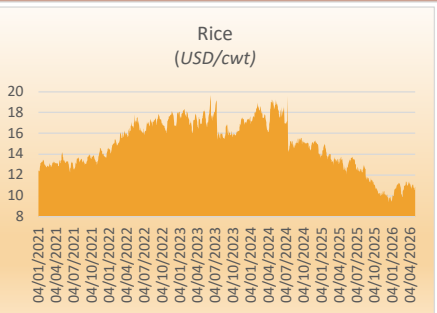
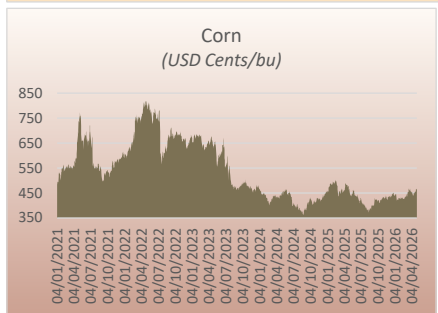
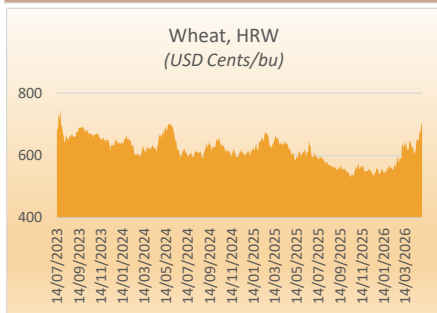
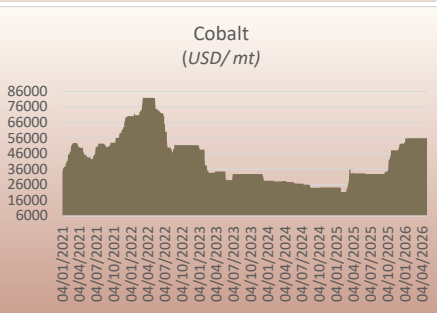
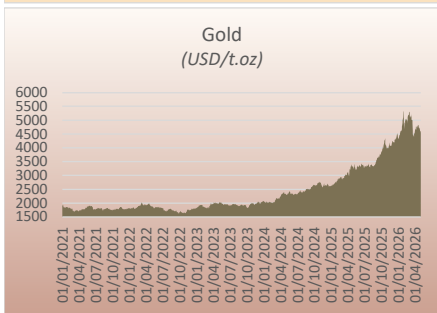
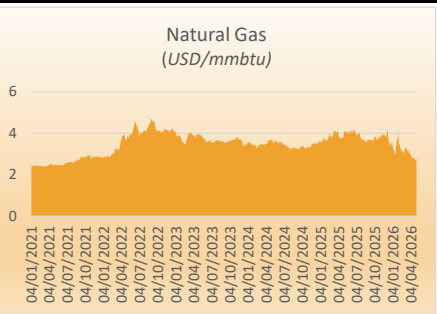
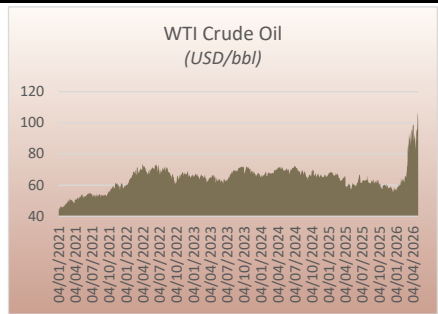
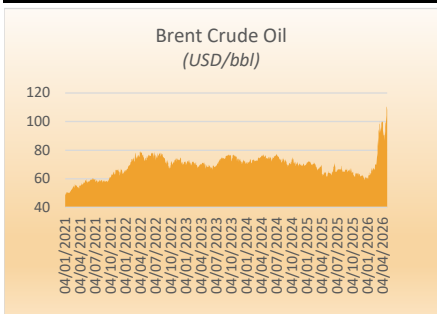
## Stock Markets

**During the week under review, half of the African stock markets reviewed recorded gains compared with the previous week, while most posted gains relative to the corresponding period last year.** Of the 12 African stock market indices reviewed, 6 recorded week-on-week gains, while 6 declined. Nigeria's NSE All Share Index recorded the largest weekly increase at 7.33%, while Morocco's Casa All Share Index experienced the largest decline at 1.23%. Compared to the corresponding period of last year, 11 of the 12 African stock markets reviewed recorded gains, while the Mauritius all Share Index declined by 4.03%.

**Most of the global stock markets reviewed recorded declines compared with the previous week, but all posted gains relative to the corresponding period last year.** The largest weekly decline was experienced by Brazil's IBOVESPA (1.80%). Compared with the corresponding period of last year, all reviewed markets showed strong gains, with Japan's NIKKEI leading at 63.26%.

Weekly Highlights on Price of Selected Commodities — Week Ended 01 May 2026

Commodity	Units	Prices				% change		
		Value at end of (01/05/2026)	Value at end of (24/04/2026)	Value at end of (2/01/2026)	Value at end of (01/05/2025)	Week on Week	Year to Date	Year on Year
<b>Energy</b>								
Brent Crude Oil	USD/bbl.	108.17	99.13	60.24	61.93	9.12	79.57	74.66
WTI Crude Oil	USD/bbl.	101.94	94.40	56.98	58.11	7.99	78.90	75.43
Natural Gas	USD/mmBtu.	2.78	2.68	3.34	4.03	3.62	-16.74	-30.93
<b>Metals</b>								
Gold	USD/t.oz	4 614.21	4 709.50	4 332.29	3 219.54	-2.02	6.51	43.32
Silver	USD/t.oz	75.36	75.73	72.82	32.27	-0.49	3.49	133.57
Platinum	USD/t.oz	1 990.34	2 017.27	2 142.88	962.69	-1.33	-7.12	106.75
Copper	USD/mt	12 996.50	13 309.50	12 469.50	9 206.00	-2.35	4.23	41.17
Nickel	USD/mt	19 365.00	19 015.00	16 820.00	15 252.00	1.84	15.13	26.97
Manganese Ore	USD/mt	6.58	6.59	6.08	5.23	-0.15	8.22	25.81
Cobalt	USD/mt	55 863.00	55 858.00	52 910.00	33 266.00	0.01	5.58	67.93
<b>Agriculture</b>								
Wheat, HRW	USD Cents/bu.	694.50	669.75	542.00	600.00	3.70	28.14	15.75
Corn, CBT	USD Cents/bu.	468.25	455.00	437.50	464.25	2.91	7.03	0.86
Cocoa	USD/mt	3 521.00	3 349.00	5 871.00	8 973.00	5.14	-40.03	-60.76
Coffee, Arabica	USD/lb	3.02	3.10	3.57	3.96	-2.52	-15.48	-23.68
Rice	USD/cwt	10.88	10.80	9.41	12.81	0.69	15.63	-15.07
Sugar	USD Cents/lb	14.95	14.11	14.34	16.82	5.95	4.25	-11.12
Palm Oil	USD/mt	1 133.99	1 139.07	975.33	920.06	-0.45	16.27	23.25
Rubber, TSR20	USD/kg	2.18	2.12	1.82	1.69	2.69	19.70	28.70
Cotton	USD Cents/lb	84.19	79.36	66.72	70.20	6.09	26.18	19.93
<b>Fertilizers</b>								
DAP	USD/mt	735.00	715.00	616.00	647.50	2.80	19.32	13.51
TSP	USD/mt	725.00	745.00	520.00	557.50	-2.68	39.42	30.04
Phosphoric Rock	USD/mt	152.50	152.50	152.50	152.50	0.00	0.00	0.00



Sources: AFDB Statistics Department and Bloomberg

Notes: bbl = barrel; mmbtu = million British thermal units; t.oz = troy oz; cwt= Hunderweight; bu= Bushel; MT = Metric Ton; lb= Pound

**Daily Highlights on Price of Selected Commodities — Week Ended 23 January 2026**

	Brent Crude Oil	WTI Crude Oil	Natural Gas	Gold	Silver	Platinum	Copper	Nickel	Wheat, HRW	Corn, CBT	Cocoa	Coffee, Arabica	Rice	Sugar	Cotton	Palm Oil	Rubber, TSR20	Manganese Ore	Cobalt
	USD/bbl	USD/bbl	USD/mmbtu	USD/oz	USD/oz	USD/oz	USD/mt	USD/mt	USD/bu	USD/bu	USD/mt	USD/lb	USD/cwt	USD/lb	USD/lb	USD/mt	USD/kg	USD/mt	USD/mt
1-Jan-26	...	...	...	4 319.4	71.7	2 060.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2-Jan-26	60.2	57.0	3.3	4 332.3	72.8	2 142.9	12 469.5	16 820.0	542.0	437.5	5 871.0	3.6	9.4	14.3	66.7	975.3	1.8	...	52 910.0
5-Jan-26	61.0	57.8	3.2	4 443.6	76.5	2 275.7	12 991.5	17 003.0	546.5	444.5	6 077.0	3.6	9.9	14.4	67.3	970.0	1.8	6.1	54 370.0
6-Jan-26	60.0	56.7	3.2	4 489.5	81.2	2 450.0	13 238.0	18 524.0	546.0	444.0	5 954.0	3.7	10.1	14.4	67.7	970.6	1.8	6.1	55 830.0
7-Jan-26	59.3	55.8	3.2	4 452.0	78.1	2 289.7	12 899.5	17 895.0	556.0	446.8	5 915.0	3.8	10.1	14.6	67.6	975.6	1.9	6.1	55 834.0
8-Jan-26	61.0	57.5	3.1	4 463.5	76.2	2 246.0	12 720.5	17 155.0	556.5	446.0	6 077.0	3.7	9.9	14.6	67.3	981.2	1.8	6.1	55 841.0
9-Jan-26	62.2	58.6	3.0	4 509.5	79.9	2 279.2	12 998.0	17 703.0	556.5	445.8	5 345.0	3.6	10.0	14.6	67.3	969.6	1.8	6.1	55 840.0
12-Jan-26	62.5	58.9	3.1	4 616.4	85.9	2 366.8	13 209.5	17 888.0	551.5	421.5	5 443.0	3.6	10.0	14.5	67.9	979.5	1.9	6.2	55 822.0
13-Jan-26	63.8	60.2	3.2	4 590.4	87.1	2 347.3	13 164.0	17 681.0	544.8	419.8	5 224.0	3.6	10.3	14.6	67.9	977.1	1.9	6.2	55 826.0
14-Jan-26	64.8	61.2	3.0	4 614.5	90.6	2 371.8	13 188.5	18 694.0	546.3	422.0	5 090.0	3.6	10.3	14.4	67.9	975.8	1.9	6.2	55 824.0
15-Jan-26	62.3	58.7	3.0	4 616.6	91.9	2 399.0	13 106.0	18 569.0	541.8	420.3	4 966.0	3.6	10.6	14.2	67.7	973.7	1.8	6.2	55 836.0
16-Jan-26	62.6	58.9	3.0	4 596.1	90.1	2 340.8	12 803.0	17 578.0	551.0	424.8	5 076.0	3.6	10.6	14.5	67.7	992.1	1.8	6.2	55 832.0
19-Jan-26	62.3	...	...	4 676.3	94.6	2 380.3	12 965.5	18 133.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	994.5	1.8	6.2	55 819.0
20-Jan-26	63.3	59.7	3.4	4 759.2	94.5	2 440.0	12 753.5	17 614.0	547.0	423.8	4 648.0	3.5	10.7	14.4	67.4	1 002.6	1.8	6.2	55 824.0
21-Jan-26	63.7	60.1	3.6	4 826.5	93.3	2 504.4	12 810.0	17 996.0	543.3	421.8	4 448.0	3.5	10.8	14.3	67.4	1 016.1	1.8	6.2	55 825.0
22-Jan-26	62.6	59.0	3.6	4 904.6	96.3	2 585.3	12 755.5	17 996.0	548.3	424.0	4 469.0	3.5	10.7	14.5	67.0	1 025.2	1.8	6.2	55 837.0
23-Jan-26	64.0	60.4	3.7	4 987.5	103.2	2 778.6	13 115.0	18 756.0	563.0	430.5	4 201.0	3.5	10.7	14.3	67.0	1 030.5	1.9	6.2	55 838.0
26-Jan-26	63.9	60.2	3.8	5 101.0	117.2	2 875.5	13 199.0	18 522.0	553.5	428.3	4 348.0	3.6	10.9	14.3	66.3	1 052.4	1.9	6.2	55 826.0
27-Jan-26	65.2	61.6	3.8	5 081.4	106.6	2 526.5	13 006.5	18 169.0	555.0	426.5	4 433.0	3.7	11.0	14.4	67.0	1 058.0	1.9	6.2	55 831.0
28-Jan-26	65.9	62.3	3.8	5 298.0	114.2	2 637.7	13 086.5	18 270.0	565.3	430.0	4 150.0	3.5	11.0	14.3	67.1	1 070.8	1.9	6.2	55 832.0
29-Jan-26	67.8	64.2	3.9	5 335.1	114.7	2 605.9	13 618.0	18 369.0	570.5	430.8	4 177.0	3.5	11.1	14.3	67.0	1 073.9	1.9	6.2	55 844.0
30-Jan-26	67.6	63.9	4.2	4 894.2	85.2	2 195.3	13 157.5	17 954.0	567.5	428.3	4 165.0	3.3	11.0	13.9	66.6	1 054.0	1.9	6.2	55 845.0
2-Feb-26	64.6	61.0	3.4	4 674.3	79.3	2 121.6	12 891.5	16 827.0	559.5	425.8	4 210.0	3.3	11.1	13.8	66.1	...	1.9	6.2	55 846.0
3-Feb-26	65.7	62.2	3.4	4 929.2	83.8	2 212.9	13 478.0	17 447.0	560.5	428.5	4 300.0	3.2	11.1	14.2	65.8	1 052.7	1.9	6.2	55 834.0
4-Feb-26	67.7	64.0	3.5	4 898.3	84.9	2 193.2	13 044.5	17 379.0	556.8	429.5	4 086.0	3.1	11.1	14.0	65.7	1 053.0	1.9	6.2	55 840.0
5-Feb-26	66.1	62.4	3.5	4 869.4	76.7	2 069.0	12 903.0	17 071.0	564.0	435.0	4 209.0	3.1	11.3	13.8	65.3	1 044.1	1.9	6.2	55 855.5
6-Feb-26	66.6	62.9	3.4	4 964.4	77.8	2 102.8	12 994.0	17 090.0	557.3	430.3	4 197.0	3.0	11.2	13.7	64.8	1 033.9	1.9	6.2	55 858.0
9-Feb-26	67.5	63.8	3.3	5 046.3	82.6	2 117.0	13 176.5	17 349.0	555.0	428.8	4 102.0	3.0	11.2	13.9	65.5	1 041.7	1.9	6.2	55 854.5
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12-Feb-26	66.1	62.3	3.3	4 941.2	75.6	2 021.8	12 875.5	17 428.0	578.5	431.3	3 632.0	3.0	11.2	13.5	66.0	1 019.3	1.9	6.3	55 870.0
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17-Feb-26	66.0	62.0	3.1	4 865.3	72.7	1 996.3	12 619.5	16 861.0	563.8	426.3	3 384.0	2.8	10.8	13.5	65.4	...	...	...	55 854.5
18-Feb-26	68.7	64.5	3.1	4 999.2	78.2	2 098.5	12 911.5	17 275.0	574.3	427.0	3 226.0	2.9	10.3	13.7	65.5	...	...	...	55 860.0
19-Feb-26	70.0	65.9	3.1	4 985.0	77.6	2 061.6	12 809.0	17 287.0	588.5	425.8	2 968.0	2.9	10.2	13.7	65.7	1 048.0	1.9	...	55 871.5
20-Feb-26	70.0	65.9	3.2	5 107.5	84.6	2 158.8	12 964.0	17 350.0	597.0	427.5	3 080.0	2.9	10.2	13.8	67.2	1 041.0	1.9	...	55 872.0
23-Feb-26	69.9	65.8	3.1	5 208.0	86.9	2 136.8	12 868.5	17 283.0	585.0	427.5	3 004.0	2.8	10.0	14.0	66.8	1 041.3	1.9	...	55 866.5
24-Feb-26	69.7	65.4	3.0	5 163.8	88.0	2 178.7	13 166.5	17 909.0	580.8	427.8	2 997.0	2.9	9.9	14.0	67.2	1 031.4	2.0	6.3	55 851.0
25-Feb-26	69.8	65.2	3.1	5 207.0	91.0	2 327.3	13 322.5	18 085.0	577.3	430.5	2 957.0	2.9	9.9	14.0	67.8	1 032.2	2.1	6.3	55 856.5
26-Feb-26	69.9	64.9	3.0	5 167.3	86.7	2 228.2	13 304.5	17 694.0	576.0	433.3	2 974.0	2.9	9.9	13.9	67.1	1 016.8	2.0	6.3	55 872.5
27-Feb-26	71.6	66.6	3.1	5 278.9	93.8	2 369.0	13 343.5	17 844.0	593.5	438.8	2 798.0	2.8	10.4	13.9	67.3	1 024.5	2.0	6.3	55 873.5
2-Mar-26	74.8	69.8	3.2	5 306.8	88.0	2 304.7	13 108.0	17 160.0	588.3	433.3	2 931.0	2.9	10.6	13.9	66.4	1 033.6	2.0	6.3	55 846.0
3-Mar-26	76.3	71.9	3.2	5 079.5	82.2	2 073.5	12 955.0	17 120.0	591.5	434.3	2 925.0	2.9	10.6	13.9	66.0	1 033.7	2.0	6.2	55 846.0
4-Mar-26	75.9	71.8	3.1	5 141.3	83.6	2 153.4	13 057.5	17 491.0	585.8	431.8	2 968.0	2.9	10.4	13.8	66.1	1 032.6	2.0	6.3	55 846.0
5-Mar-26	77.9	75.5	3.2	5 063.1	81.5	2 121.3	12 902.0	17 218.0	605.5	441.5	2 963.0	2.9	10.8	13.8	66.0	1 038.5	1.9	6.3	55 857.0
6-Mar-26	82.9	82.2	3.4	5 171.7	84.5	2 151.7	12 862.0	17 469.0	635.5	447.0	3 138.0	3.0	10.9	14.2	66.2	1 075.1	2.0	6.3	55 862.5
9-Mar-26	89.0	86.7	3.3	5 096.1	84.4	2 161.5	12 954.0	17 469.0	633.0	437.5	3 197.0	3.0	11.0	14.7	66.6	1 124.1	2.0	6.3	55 846.0
10-Mar-26	82.6	79.4	3.2	5 227.8	89.1	2 230.0	13 140.0	17 488.0	623.0	436.3	3 356.0	3.0	10.9	14.5	67.2	1 099.4	2.0	6.3	55 845.0
11-Mar-26	86.7	83.5	3.3	5 170.0	85.3	2 180.6	13 042.0	17 693.0	627.3	444.3	3 337.0	2.9	11.0	14.4	67.1	1 118.5	2.0	6.3	55 845.0
12-Mar-26	92.9	90.5	3.4	5 105.4	84.8	2 145.9	12 999.5	17 742.0	627.3	448.3	3 223.0	3.0	11.0	14.6	67.2	1 127.1	2.0	6.3	55 856.0
13-Mar-26	94.7	92.5	3.3	5 019.5	80.6	2 028.3	12 780.5	17 266.0	643.8	452.5	3 205.0	2.9	11.0	14.6	67.9	1 148.4	2.0	6.3	55 861.5
16-Mar-26	91.8	88.5	3.1	4 991.4	80.2	2 103.8	12 855.5	17 465.0	630.5	454.0	3 328.0	3.0	11.4	14.4	70.1	1 177.0	2.0	6.3	55 845.0
17-Mar-26	95.0	91.6	3.1	5 002.5	79.6	2 131.9	12 775.0	17 195.0	621.3	454.0	3 349.0	3.0	11.3	14.6	70.8	1 159.3	2.0	6.3	55 845.0
18-Mar-26	98.2	92.4	3.2	4 890.5	77.0	2 067.5	12 395.5	17 151.0	640.5	463.3	3 260.0	3.0	11.4	14.9	70.6	1 149.2	1.9	6.3	55 845.0
19-Mar-26	98.5	93.0	3.2	4 616.2	71.3	1 953.0	12 146.5	16 984.0	642.3	469.8	3 331.0	3.1	11.3	15.5	69.6	1 163.2	1.9	6.3	55 840.0
20-Mar-26	100.3	94.7	3.2	4 492.4	67.9	1 928.6	11 929.5	17 019.0	621.3	465.5	3 255.0	3.1	11.1	15.8	69.3	...	1.9	6.4	55 845.5
23-Mar-26	91.7	85.4	3.0	4 426.4	69.6	1 877.4	12 167.0	17 082.0	618.3	459.5	3 180.0	3.1	10.9	15.7	69.3	...	1.9	6.4	55 846.0
24-Mar-26	95.6	89.8	3.0	4 388.7	69.3	1													

**Weekly Highlights on Selected Exchange Rates (currency per USD) — Week Ended 01 May 2026**

Region/Country	Currency Name	Currency Code	Rates				% change		
			Value at end of (01/05/2026)	Value at end of (24/04/2026)	Value at end of (2/01/2026)	Value at end of (01/05/2025)	Week on Week	Year to Date	Year on Year
<b>Africa</b>									
Algeria	<i>Algerian Dinar</i>	<b>DZD</b>	132.50	132.45	129.44	132.43	-0.04	-2.37	-0.05
Angola	<i>New Kwanza</i>	<b>AOA</b>	933.66	931.15	925.66	921.59	-0.27	-0.86	-1.31
Botswana	<i>Pula</i>	<b>BWP</b>	13.89	14.04	13.99	13.67	1.12	0.73	-1.58
Burundi	<i>Burundi Franc</i>	<b>BIF</b>	2 973.21	2 970.90	2 961.32	2 971.33	-0.08	-0.40	-0.06
Cabo Verde	<i>Escudo</i>	<b>CVE</b>	94.40	94.49	94.48	97.87	0.10	0.09	3.55
Comoros	<i>Comoros Franc</i>	<b>KMF</b>	419.12	419.79	419.38	435.73	0.16	0.06	3.81
Congo, Dem. Rep. of	<i>Congolese Franc</i>	<b>CDF</b>	2 324.00	2 286.19	2 231.14	2 881.72	-1.65	-4.16	19.35
Djibouti	<i>Djibouti Franc</i>	<b>DJF</b>	177.64	177.63	177.99	177.92	-0.01	0.20	0.16
Egypt	<i>Egyptian Pound</i>	<b>EGP</b>	53.57	52.62	47.69	50.99	-1.81	-12.32	-5.05
Ethiopia	<i>Birr</i>	<b>ETB</b>	156.86	156.37	154.97	131.50	-0.31	-1.22	-19.29
Gambia, The	<i>Gambian Dalasi</i>	<b>GMD</b>	73.38	72.93	72.77	71.21	-0.62	-0.83	-3.04
Ghana	<i>New Cedi</i>	<b>GHS</b>	11.19	11.09	10.50	14.24	-0.90	-6.57	21.43
Guinea	<i>Guinea Franc</i>	<b>GNF</b>	8 774.95	8 764.00	8 711.84	8 659.34	-0.12	-0.72	-1.34
Kenya	<i>Kenyan Shilling</i>	<b>KES</b>	129.19	129.31	129.01	129.38	0.09	-0.14	0.15
Liberia	<i>Liberian Dollar</i>	<b>LRD</b>	183.10	181.00	177.19	199.00	-1.16	-3.33	7.99
Libya	<i>Libyan Dinar</i>	<b>LYD</b>	6.34	6.34	5.42	5.46	-0.05	-17.16	-16.23
Madagascar	<i>Ariary</i>	<b>MGA</b>	4 153.91	4 148.17	4 537.50	4 498.12	-0.14	8.45	7.65
Malawi	<i>Kwacha</i>	<b>MWK</b>	1 729.00	1 730.50	1 734.01	1 737.45	0.09	0.29	0.49
Mauritania	<i>Ouguiya</i>	<b>MRU</b>	39.95	39.95	39.70	39.64	-0.01	-0.63	-0.77
Mauritius	<i>Mauritius Rupee</i>	<b>MUR</b>	47.02	46.75	46.24	45.20	-0.58	-1.68	-4.02
Morocco	<i>Dirham</i>	<b>MAD</b>	9.22	9.25	9.13	9.26	0.34	-1.02	0.39
Mozambique	<i>New Metical</i>	<b>MZN</b>	63.58	63.78	63.92	63.58	0.32	0.54	0.01
Nigeria	<i>Naira</i>	<b>NGN</b>	1 375.40	1 357.67	1 430.56	1 605.82	-1.31	3.86	14.35
Rwanda	<i>Rwandan Franc</i>	<b>RWF</b>	1 462.00	1 461.72	1 453.46	1 416.77	-0.02	-0.59	-3.19
São Tomé & Príncipe	<i>Dobra</i>	<b>STN</b>	21.05	21.10	21.07	21.89	0.25	0.12	3.84
Seychelles	<i>Seychelles Rupee</i>	<b>SCR</b>	14.44	14.21	14.94	14.27	-1.65	3.31	-1.22
Sierra Leone	<i>Leone</i>	<b>SLL</b>	24 131.54	24 153.71	23 165.45	22 786.88	0.09	-4.17	-5.90
Somalia	<i>Somali Shilling</i>	<b>SOS</b>	571.50	571.57	570.94	572.00	0.01	-0.10	0.09
South Africa	<i>Rand</i>	<b>ZAR</b>	16.62	16.53	16.49	18.59	-0.58	-0.79	10.61
South Sudan	<i>South Sudanese Pound</i>	<b>SSP</b>	4 704.37	4 680.75	4 627.97	4 559.94	-0.50	-1.65	-3.17
Sudan	<i>Sudanese Pound</i>	<b>SDG</b>	600.17	600.17	600.07	598.80	0.00	-0.02	-0.23
Tanzania	<i>Tanzanian Shilling</i>	<b>TZS</b>	2 598.10	2 612.27	2 454.55	2 684.52	0.54	-5.85	3.22
Tunisia	<i>Tunisian Dinar</i>	<b>TND</b>	2.87	2.89	2.88	2.99	0.58	0.30	3.94
Uganda	<i>Uganda Shilling</i>	<b>UGX</b>	3 745.23	3 713.43	3 620.00	3 665.00	-0.86	-3.46	-2.19
Zambia	<i>Zambian Kwacha</i>	<b>ZMK</b>	18 800.00	18 890.00	22 092.00	27 943.00	0.48	14.90	32.72
Zimbabwe	<i>Zimbabwe Gold</i>	<b>ZIG</b>	25.08	25.22	25.64	26.82	0.56	2.19	6.47
CFA zone Countries*	<i>CFA Franc</i>	<b>XOF</b>	558.82	559.73	559.18	580.97	0.16	0.06	3.81
<b>Selected Major Global Currencies</b>									
Europe	<i>Euro</i>	<b>EUR</b>	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.89	0.16	0.07	3.82
United Kingdom	<i>British Pound</i>	<b>GBP</b>	0.74	0.74	0.74	0.75	0.58	1.01	2.34
Japan	<i>Japanese Yen</i>	<b>JPY</b>	156.94	159.35	156.77	145.39	1.51	-0.11	-7.94
China	<i>Chinese Yuan</i>	<b>CNY</b>	6.83	6.83	6.97	7.28	0.05	1.99	6.19
Russia	<i>Russian Ruble</i>	<b>RUB</b>	75.03	75.28	80.35	81.99	0.34	6.63	8.49

Sources: AfDB Statistics Department and Bloomberg

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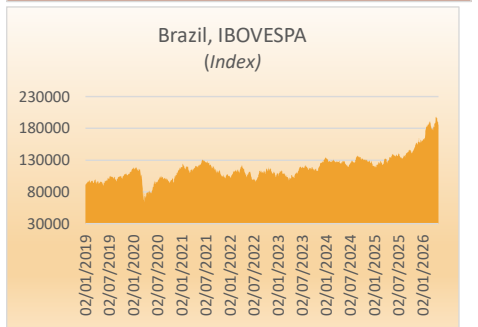
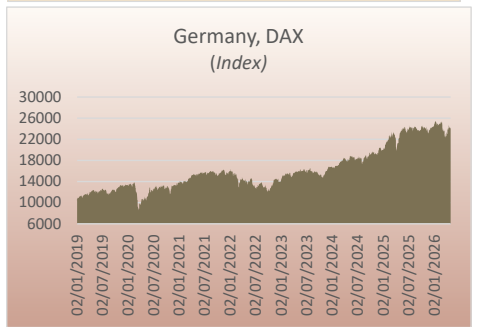
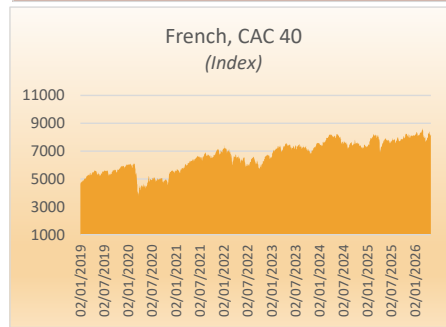
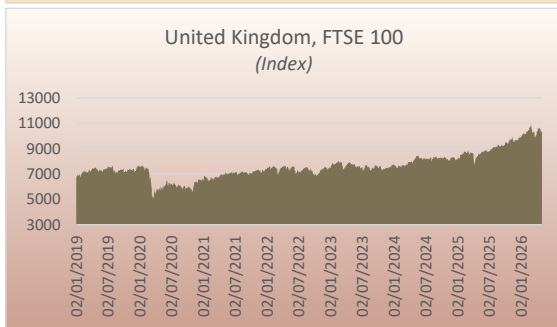
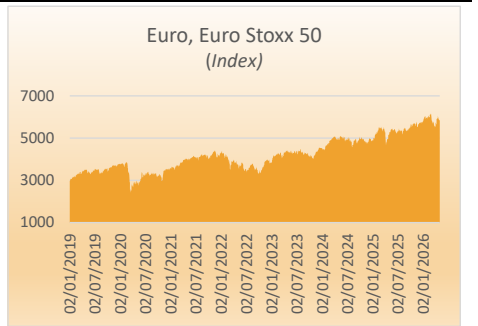
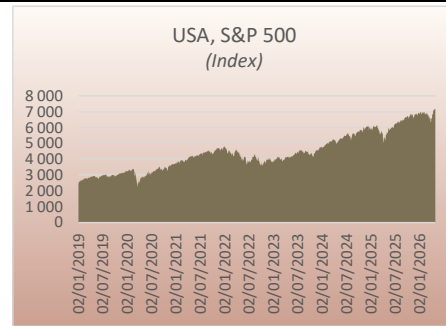
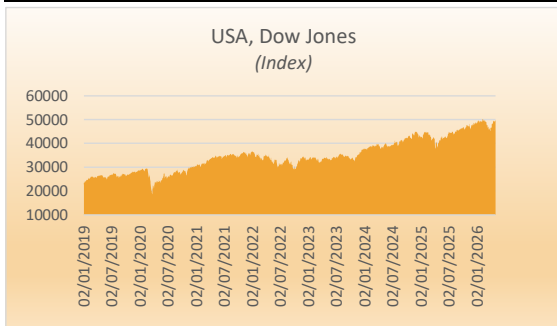
Market	Index	Prices				% change		
		Value at end of (01/05/2026)	Value at end of (24/04/2026)	Value at end of (2/01/2026)	Value at end of (01/05/2025)	Week on Week	Year to Date	Year on Year
<b>Africa</b>								
Côte d'Ivoire	BRVM Composite Index	403.93	402.59	344.48	287.07	0.33	17.26	40.71
Egypt	CASE 30 Index	51 760.97	52 375.39	40 898.15	32 126.22	-1.17	26.56	61.12
Ghana	GGSECI Index	15 080.51	14 823.13	8 770.53	6 094.06	1.74	71.95	147.46
Kenya	NSE20 Stock Index	3 547.53	3 589.13	3 140.93	2 135.51	-1.16	12.95	66.12
Mauritius	Mauritius AllShares	2 270.01	2 272.00	2 376.69	2 365.36	-0.09	-4.49	-4.03
Morocco	Casa All Share Index	18 583.53	18 815.18	19 208.36	17 390.38	-1.23	-3.25	6.86
Namibia	FTSE NSX Overall Index	2 276.78	2 295.09	2 154.64	1 725.70	-0.80	5.67	31.93
Nigeria	NSE All Share Index	242 277.80	225 724.30	156 492.40	105 800.90	7.33	54.82	128.99
South Africa	JALSH Index	115 180.50	116 566.00	116 092.00	91 583.39	-1.19	-0.79	25.77
Tunisia	TUNINDEX	16 057.76	15 804.26	13 341.96	11 273.57	1.60	20.36	42.44
Uganda	USE All Share	512.24	507.28	387.45	350.28	0.98	32.21	46.24
Zambia	LUSEIDX Index	26 716.95	26 649.53	25 912.00	16 649.26	0.25	3.11	60.47



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**Weekly Highlights on Selected Global Stock Markets — Week Ended 01 May 2026**

Market	Index	Prices				% change		
		Value at end of (01/05/2026)	Value at end of (24/04/2026)	Value at end of (2/01/2026)	Value at end of (01/05/2025)	Week on Week	Year to Date	Year on Year
<b>Selected Global Markets</b>								
USA	<i>Dow Jones</i>	49 499.27	49 230.71	48 382.39	40 752.96	0.55	2.31	21.46
	<i>S&amp;P 500</i>	7 230.12	7 165.08	6 858.47	5 604.14	0.91	5.42	29.01
Euro	<i>Euro Stoxx 50</i>	5 881.51	5 883.48	5 850.38	5 160.22	-0.03	0.53	13.98
	<i>FTSE 100</i>	10 363.93	10 379.08	9 951.14	8 496.80	-0.15	4.15	21.97
French	<i>CAC 40</i>	8 114.84	8 157.82	8 195.21	7 593.87	-0.53	-0.98	6.86
Germany	<i>DAX</i>	24 292.38	24 128.98	24 539.34	22 496.98	0.68	-1.01	7.98
Japan	<i>NIKKEI</i>	59 513.12	59 716.18	51 832.80	36 452.30	-0.34	14.82	63.26
China	<i>CSI300</i>	4 807.31	4 769.37	4 717.75	3 770.57	0.80	1.90	27.50
Brazil	<i>IBOVESPA</i>	187 317.64	190 745.02	160 538.69	135 066.97	-1.80	16.68	38.69



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