

**MENTENOVA DAILY**  
**15 May 2026**

Prices as at previous trading day, 14 May 2026

**FTSE / JSE INDICES**

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
JSE Precious Metals and Mining	17:00	146 698.70	-2285.30	-1.53%	7.12%	3.46%
JSE Resource 20	17:00	135 362.50	-1983.50	-1.44%	6.62%	9.47%
JSE Top 40	17:00	109 680.90	-100.60	-0.09%	2.29%	1.58%
JSE All Share	17:00	117 362.40	-17.80	-0.02%	1.89%	1.32%
JSE Capped All Share	17:00	129 873.20	-19.60	-0.02%	2.01%	3.22%
JSE Industrial 25	17:00	128 719.80	-97.30	-0.08%	-0.21%	-7.09%
JSE ALPI	17:00	44 089.39	469.47	1.08%	0.63%	0.76%
JSE Financial 15	17:00	25 136.34	419.58	1.70%	-0.67%	1.06%

**CURRENCIES**

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
EUR / ZAR	23:00	19.24	0.02	0.12%	-1.63%	-1.11%
AUD / ZAR	23:00	11.90	-0.01	-0.05%	-0.86%	7.70%
GBP / ZAR	23:00	22.09	-0.09	-0.41%	-2.59%	-1.00%
JPY / ZAR	23:00	0.10	0.00	0.10%	-2.25%	-1.51%
USD / ZAR	23:00	16.48	0.08	0.47%	-1.13%	-0.47%

**CURRENCY CROSS RATES**

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
EUR / USD	23:00	1.17	0.00	-0.36%	-0.53%	-0.66%
GBP / USD	23:00	1.34	-0.01	-0.89%	-1.48%	-0.53%
JPY / USD	23:00	0.01	0.00	-0.33%	-1.13%	-1.05%

**INTEREST RATES**

Name	Rate
Repo rate	6.75%
Prime rate	10.25%
R186	7.24%
Fed Funds Rate (USA)	3.75%
BoE Rate (UK)	3.75%

**INTERNATIONAL INDICES - LOCAL CURRENCIES**

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
Hang-Seng	10:30	26 389.04	0.60	0.00%	2.38%	2.96%
Nikkei	08:30	62 654.05	-618.06	-0.98%	5.68%	24.46%
Nasdaq	20:00	26 635.22	232.88	0.88%	7.00%	14.60%
Shanghai	09:30	4 177.92	-64.65	-1.52%	1.60%	5.27%
CDAX	16:00	2 100.47	29.96	1.45%	1.23%	1.28%
FTSE 100	15:00	10 372.93	47.58	0.46%	-0.06%	4.45%
SP 500	20:00	7 501.24	56.99	0.77%	4.05%	9.58%
DJ Ind	20:00	50 063.46	370.26	0.75%	0.83%	4.16%
CAC40	19:00	8 082.27	74.30	0.93%	-0.40%	-0.82%

**COMMODITIES**

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
Platinum \$	23:00	2 062.53	-79.05	-3.69%	3.76%	0.10%
Silver \$	23:00	83.53	-4.03	-4.60%	13.26%	16.55%
Palladium \$	23:00	1 450.72	-51.88	-3.45%	-5.37%	-10.45%
Gold \$	23:00	4 651.98	-36.78	-0.78%	0.74%	7.70%
Brent Crude	23:00	105.72	0.09	0.09%	-7.27%	73.74%

**INFLATION - Up to March 2026**

Name	% Move Y/Y
Core CPI	3.5%
Headline CPI	3.1%

**MARKET REPORT**
**Trump leaves China after talks dominated by trade, oil and Taiwan**

U.S. President Donald Trump departed Beijing Friday after two days of talks with Chinese President Xi Jinping that ran the gamut from Iran and Taiwan to trade, oil and Boeing.

The summit, marked by pomp, flag-waving youths and a state dinner, also included statements from either side. Xi said the U.S. and China agreed to "strategic stability" as a framework for the next three years, according to state media. Trump said China has agreed to buy U.S. oil, and will purchase 200 airplanes from Boeing, in an interview with Fox News.

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**HEADLINE CPI: The CPI calculates the cost to purchase a fixed basket of goods as a way of determining how much inflation is occurring in the broad economy. The CPI uses a base year and indexes current year prices based on the base year's values.**

**CORE CPI: The headline figure is not adjusted for seasonality or for the often volatile elements of food and energy prices, which are removed in the Core CPI.**

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