

MENTENOVA DAILY

12 August 2026

Prices as at previous trading day, 11 August 2026

FTSE / JSE INDICES

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
JSE Precious Metals and Mining	17:00	133 358.00	-549.80	-0.41%	20.79%	-5.95%
JSE Resource 20	17:00	124 695.80	4.50	0.00%	16.86%	0.85%
JSE Top 40	17:00	108 085.60	-1507.40	-1.38%	4.68%	0.10%
JSE All Share	17:00	115 942.70	-1575.70	-1.34%	3.99%	0.10%
JSE Capped All Share	17:00	128 688.10	-1748.80	-1.34%	3.99%	2.28%
JSE Industrial 25	17:00	128 395.10	-3780.70	-2.86%	-1.75%	-7.32%
JSE ALPI	17:00	46 250.11	-315.95	-0.68%	-1.15%	5.70%
JSE Financial 15	17:00	26 539.82	-371.61	-1.38%	0.19%	6.70%

CURRENCIES

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
EUR / ZAR	23:00	18.70	0.01	0.03%	-2.01%	-3.84%
AUD / ZAR	23:00	11.44	0.02	0.14%	-1.48%	3.56%
GBP / ZAR	23:00	21.89	0.01	0.04%	-1.90%	-1.91%
JPY / ZAR	23:00	0.10	0.00	0.10%	-3.05%	-3.69%
USD / ZAR	23:00	16.20	0.00	0.03%	-1.97%	-2.15%

CURRENCY CROSS RATES

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
EUR / USD	23:00	1.15	0.00	-0.01%	0.13%	-1.74%
GBP / USD	23:00	1.35	0.00	0.00%	0.18%	0.24%
JPY / USD	23:00	0.01	0.00	0.00%	-1.18%	-1.61%

INTEREST RATES

Name	Rate
Repo rate	7.00%
Prime rate	10.50%
R186	7.24%
Fed Funds Rate (USA)	3.75%
BoE Rate (UK)	3.75%

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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INTERNATIONAL INDICES - LOCAL CURRENCIES

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
Hang-Seng	10:30	25 652.82	-284.67	-1.10%	-0.89%	0.09%
Nikkei	08:30	66 970.22	0.00	0.00%	4.05%	33.04%
Nasdaq	20:00	26 445.45	-159.91	-0.60%	4.22%	13.78%
Shanghai	09:30	3 934.09	-32.50	-0.82%	2.66%	-0.88%
CDAX	16:00	2 228.51	7.18	0.32%	2.61%	7.45%
FTSE 100	15:00	10 844.19	-18.31	-0.17%	-0.22%	9.19%
SP 500	20:00	7 728.20	-24.91	-0.32%	3.18%	12.89%
DJ Ind	20:00	53 791.85	-184.13	-0.34%	2.49%	11.92%
CAC40	19:00	8 714.94	-11.09	-0.13%	2.41%	6.94%

COMMODITIES

Name	Time	Price	Move	% Move	% MTD	% YTD
Platinum \$	23:00	1 743.00	-14.20	-0.81%	5.74%	-15.41%
Silver \$	23:00	64.68	-1.06	-1.61%	12.30%	-9.74%
Palladium \$	23:00	1 368.25	-16.68	-1.20%	6.61%	-15.54%
Gold \$	23:00	4 370.11	-20.84	-0.47%	8.01%	1.17%
Brent Crude	23:00	88.91	1.19	1.36%	-1.34%	46.11%

INFLATION - Up to June 2026

Name	% Move Y/Y
Core CPI	4.4%
Headline CPI	5.0%

MARKET REPORT

Unemployment rate jumps to four-year high of 33.6%

The rate rose to 33.6% in the three months through June from 32.7% in the prior quarter, according to data released by Statistics South Africa in Pretoria on Tuesday. The median estimate of four economists in a Bloomberg survey was 32.6%. "South Africa has made meaningful progress in implementing key reforms, fostering a more supportive environment for investment and economic growth," Investec economist Lara Hodes wrote in a note to clients. "Further reform efforts are needed to see a significant, sustainable lift in growth and accordingly job creation."

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