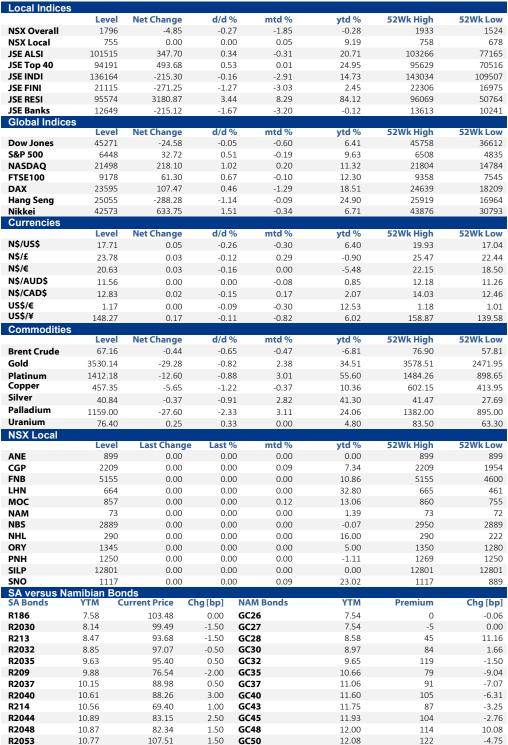
## **IJG** Daily Bulletin

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#### The Day Ahead Economic News

US ADP Employment Change (Aug)
US ISM Services Index (Aug)

US Initial Jobless Claims (30 Aug) US Trade Balance (Jul)

US S&P Global Services PMI (Aug F) UK Global Construction PMI (Aug)

#### NSX Market Wrap

N\$6.2m traded on the NSX yesterday with N\$3.2m worth of FirstRand and N\$2.9m worth of Shoprite Holdings exchanging hands. On the local bourse N\$99,148 worth of Letshego Holdings Namibia traded at market and N\$7,656 worth of Namibia Breweries traded at market. N\$42,725 worth of ETF/ETNs traded.

#### **JSE Market Wrap**

The FTSE/JSE Africa All Share Index rose 0.3% to 101,514.90 as 37 stocks gained and 88 fell. Valterra Platinum rose 8.8%, Harmony Gold Mining gained 8.6% and DRDGOLD climbed 7.0%. KAP fell 6.5%, Nedbank Group dropped 5.7% and Resilient REIT declined 4.3%.

#### **International Market Wrap**

Wall Street traders kept piling into bets the Federal Reserve will cut rates in September as weak labour data lifted bonds. Those wagers also propped up stocks, which halted a two-day rout amid a rally in big tech. Just 48 hours ahead of the all-important US payrolls report, a drop in job openings to the lowest in 10 months saw traders almost fully pricing in a Fed cut this month and projecting at least two reductions in 2025. Treasuries bounced after a slide that put the 30-year yield close to 5%. The dollar fell. While most S&P 500 shares actually slipped, Alphabet Inc. hit a record high as Google dodged a sale of Chrome. Apple Inc. plans to launch an Al-powered web search tool for Siri. In late hours, Salesforce Inc. forecast lackluster sales growth.

	2023	2024	2025
GDP (y/y)	4.4%	3.7%	3.0%*
Inflation (y/y)	5.3%	3.4%	3.6%*
PSCE (y/y)	1.9%	4.1%	3.5%*

#### \*forecast

IJG Indices and Interest Rates (%)							MPC Meeting Calendar for 2025			
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	BoN	SARB	FOMC		
IJG Money Market Index	301.017	0.059	0.020	0.059	5.126	12 Feb	30 Jan	29 Jan		
IJG All Bond Index	399.036	0.661	0.166	-0.077	6.050	16 Apr	20 Mar	19 Mar		
WIBAR Overnight	6.274	-0.138	-2.152	-1.861	-7.121	18 Jun	29 May	07 May		
WIBAR 3m	6.969	-0.007	-0.100	-0.100	0.91	13 Aug	31 Jul	18 Jun		
SA Repo Rate	7.00					15 Oct	18 Sep	30 Jul		
SA Prime Rate	10.50					03 Dec	20 Nov	17 Sep		
NAM Bank Rate	6.75							29 Oct		
NAM Prime Rate	10.50							10 Dec		

Source: Bloomberg, NSX, JSE, IJG Securities

#### **International News**

**US MBA Mortgage Applications** fell 1.2% w/w in the week of 29 August, as per the Mortgage Bankers Association.

 $\textbf{US JOLTS Job Openings} \ \text{fell } 176,000 \ \text{to} \ 7.18 \ \text{million in July, below market, as per the Bureau of Labour Statistics.}$ 

US Factory Orders fell 1.3% m/m in July, as per the Census Bureau.

US Durable Goods Orders fell 2.8% m/m in July, as per the Census Bureau.

**Eurozone HCOB Services PMI** fell 0.2 points to 50.5 in August, below market, as per the S&P Global.

**UK S&P Global Services PMI** rose 0.6 points to 54.2 in August, above market, as per the S&P Global.

**Germany HCOB Services PMI** fell 0.8 points to 49.3 in August, below market, as per the S&P Global.

#### **Local News**

Nandi-Ndaitwah warns on mining reliance, pushes for farming focus. President Netumbo Nandi-Ndaitwah has called on Namibia to prioritise agriculture and pursue a more diversified mining strategy in response to falling diamond prices. Speaking at the Etunda Green Scheme, Nandi-Ndaitwah described agriculture as the country's dependable "cow" for long-term sustainability, stressing that mineral dependence is risky because prices are set externally. "Diamonds were our main cow, but prices have gone down as artificial stones flood the market; we must now look to other cows that can keep feeding us in the long term, treating agriculture as our reliable source while managing mining carefully," she said. The President reaffirmed government's priorities, emphasising that agriculture is the base of development and the backbone of industrial growth. — New Era

Presidency pushes for local oil content. The Presidency has started nationwide consultations on a draft policy that could shape how ordinary citizens benefit from the country's new oil and gas industry. On Monday, the Presidency's Upstream Petroleum Unit held its first community meeting in Luderitz, where residents, local businesses and leaders gathered to discuss the draft National Upstream Local Content Policy. According to a press release shared by the Presidency on Tuesday afternoon, the consultations, which began on 1 September, which will run until 17 September 2025 across 14 regions of the country. — New Fra

Navachab to invest N\$4bn in underground expansion, creating 150 jobs. Navachab Gold Mine will embark on a N\$4 billion underground expansion over the next four years, creating more than 150 jobs during the execution period, according to Managing Director George Botshiwe. He said the project marks one of Namibia's largest single mining employment initiatives in recent history and will have far-reaching economic impacts through increased local procurement and community development. – Mining & Energy

### **SA Economic News**

South African business mood slips to year low as tariffs bite. South African business sentiment fell to the lowest level in a year, as firms began navigating a new era of US tariffs that kicked in last month. A quarterly business confidence index compiled by FirstRand Ltd.'s Rand Merchant Bank and Stellenbosch University's Bureau for Economic Research dropped 1 point to 39 in the three months through June, according to a report published on Wednesday. "Front-loading, cancellations and production holidays in the automotive sector" affected confidence in the period, the lender said. "Overall, it is safe to postulate that it was negative for sentiment." At current levels, sentiment is insufficient to boost investment in Africa's most industrialized economy and lift economic growth and employment rates, it said.

#### Company News

Aim-listed **Andrada Mining** has begun exploration drilling at the Lithium Ridge project, in Namibia, in partnership with Sociedad Química y Minera de Chile (SQM) through its subsidiary SQM Australia. The company says this milestone is part of the workplan of the first stage under its earn-in agreement with SQM. Under this first stage, SQM will fund up to US\$7 million in exploration to secure an initial 30% interest at project level. Under the three-stage earn-in agreement, Andrada may fund up to US\$40 million in exploration work at Lithium Ridge. — Mining Weekly

Global miner **Anglo American** says it has launched an accelerated bookbuild offering to sell about 52.2-million shares in Valterra Platinum to exit its remaining stake in the company, formerly known as Anglo American Platinum. The disposal is part of Anglo's restructuring after which it plans to focus on its core assets which include copper, premium iron ore and crop nutrients. The restructuring came as Anglo fought off two buyout offers from larger rival BHP in April and May last year. London-listed Anglo has been selling or spinning off noncore assets since bigger rival BHP's failed takeover attempt last year, to focus on copper and iron ore. – Business Day

**Discovery's** shares rose more than 6% on Wednesday morning after the group said it expected to report higher full-year earnings, with a strong contribution from the group's SA businesses. At 10.34am on the JSE, Discovery's share price was up 6.14% at R225.51, taking its year-to-date gains to just more than 16%. Headline earnings for the year to end-June are expected to increase by between 27% and 32%, with headline earnings per share (HEPS) expected to be between 1,418.6c and 1,474.4c, the group said on Wednesday. Normalised HEPS are expected to rise by the same margin to between 1,443.0c and 1,499.8c. – Business Day

Country Road drags down **Woolworth's** profit, as the retailer's Australian operations overshadowed strong trading in SA. Fashion retailer Woolworths has reported a slump in annual earnings, weighed down by its Australian operations that overshadowed strong trading in SA. The group reported a 23.9% decline in headline earnings per share (HEPS) to 268.1c for the 52 weeks to end-June compared with the comparable 52-week period. — Business Day

#### **SADC News**

**Angola**'s Cabinda oil refinery nears start to curb fuel imports. Angola's Cabinda refinery is expected to start output by the end of the year, helping reduce the nation's reliance on imported fuels, according to officials. The plant, the first to be built since independence in 1975, will initially process 30,000 barrels of crude a day and supply sufficient diesel, kerosene, fuel oil and naphtha to meet about 10% of national demand.

Exxon says **Mozambique**, PNG gas projects to start up after 2030. Exxon Mobil Corporation expects its liquefied natural gas projects in Mozambique and Papua New Guinea to start up after 2030 if they go ahead, Senior Vice President Jack Williams said Wednesday.

# **Equities**

## **Overall Index**

Ticker	Shares Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ANE		899	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	899	899
ANM		54174	1325	2.51	-0.14	-0.04	58398	43081
B2G		7518	244	3.35	4.97	65.45	7518	4303
CGP		2209	0	0.00	0.09	7.34	2209	1954
FNB		5155	0	0.00	0.00	10.86	5155	4600
FST	43,992	7251	-135	-1.83	-2.55	-4.54	8903	6290
IVD		12718	-71	-0.56	-2.61	1.71	14198	10285
KFS		2190	-2	-0.09	-2.75	11.62	2348	1711
LHN	14,932	664	0	0.00	0.00	32.80	665	461
MMT		3362	-48	-1.41	-5.83	11.10	3684	2739
MOC		857	0	0.00	0.12	13.06	860	755
NAM		73	0	0.00	0.00	1.39	73	72
NBK		21258	-1292	-5.73	-6.11	-24.54	30900	21258
NBS	265	2889	0	0.00	0.00	-0.07	2950	2889
NHL		290	0	0.00	0.00	16.00	290	222
OCE		5157	-10	-0.19	1.12	-23.58	7175	5077
OMM		1329	-22	-1.63	-4.39	6.24	1415	950
ORY		1345	0	0.00	0.00	5.00	1350	1280
PNH		1250	0	0.00	0.00	-1.11	1269	1250
SILP		12801	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	12801	12801
SLA		8600	-121	-1.39	-5.70	-1.01	9197	7133
SNB		23992	-315	-1.30	-3.59	8.19	25500	20231
SNM		41647	-1100	-2.57	-4.92	6.07	44600	34899
SNO		1117	0	0.00	0.09	23.02	1117	889
SRH	10,405	27373	149	0.55	4.11	-7.05	38854	25022
TRW		5558	-5	-0.09	-7.71	-46.36	11233	5558
TTO		30	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	55	5
VKN		2121	-24	-1.12	-0.89	18.03	2190	1652

Source: Bloomberg, NSX, IJG Securities

## **Local Companies: Dividends**

Ticker	Last Declared Dividend (c)	Dividend Type	T12M DY (%)*	Last Day to Trade	Payment Date
ANE	-	-	0.00	-	-
CGP	61.00	Interim	5.66	13 March 2025	4 April 2025
FNB	192.32	Interim	7.22	20 March 2025	11 April 2025
LHN	43.88	Final	13.69	06 June 2025	27 June 2025
MOC	49.27	Final	11.24	17 January 2025	07 February 2025
NAM	6.00	Final	8.22	29 November 2024	13 December 2024
NBS	157.00	Final	10.87	17 April 2025	14 May 2025
NHL	26.00	Final	12.07	20 October 2023	30 October 2023
ORY	52.50	Interim	7.81	20 March 2025	11 April 2025
PNH	5.00	Interim	0.80	16 April 2025	16 May 2025
SILP	402.00	Final	2.21	13 June 2024	05 July 2024
SNO	64.00	Final	12.00	05 September 2025	26 September 2025

<sup>\*</sup> Calculated as the sum of the <u>ordinary</u> dividend per share amounts that have gone ex-dividend over the past 12 months, divided by the last closing price.

## **Local Companies: Important Dates**

Ticker	Upcoming Event	Date	Additional Info		
FNB	Earnings Release	11 September 2025	HEPS and EPS for the period ended 30 June 2025 is expected to be materially higher than the prior year by between 10% to 15%.		
SILP	Annual General Meeting	16 September 2025	GM will be held at Pointbreak Wealth Management (PTY) Ltd Boardroom, c/o Lossen and Feld Street, Windhoek.		
CGP	Earnings Release	18 September 2025	HEPS and EPS for the period ended 30 June 2025 are expected to be materially higher by between 12% and 17% compared to the results reported for the prior financial year.		

## **Exchange Traded Funds**

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ENXPLD		19403	242	1.26	5.19	19.26	21734	15816
ENXGLD		60745	786	1.31	5.05	27.91	61728	43144
ENXPLT		24310	588	2.48	5.64	47.21	24670	15723
SXNNAM	1, 720	2488	20	0.81	1.34	3.97	2488	2273
NGNGLD		58153	778	1.36	3.38	27.97	59049	41298
NGNPLD		19482	278	1.45	4.28	19.59	21784	15939
NGNPLT		24157	571	2.42	5.84	47.38	24776.88	15558
SXNEMG		7157	54	0.76	0.38	13.01	7231	5967
SXNWDM		10713	65	0.61	-0.50	6.35	10863	9044
SXNNDQ		23676	155	0.66	0.01	4.16	24550	18823
SXN500		12053	47	0.39	-0.43	3.10	12320	10189

## **Exchange Traded Notes**

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ALETCN		2917	263	9.9	7.8	12.9	2917	1918
AMETCN		1382	17	1.2	-1.1	-3.2	1575	1048
APETCN		2010	74	3.8	1.7	-12.9	2352	1620
BHETCN		2581	-21	-0.8	-1.4	2.5	3005	2275
FAETCN		2630	23	0.9	-0.5	16.5	2864	1814
MSETCN		2448	8	0.3	-0.2	11.7	2787	1804
MWETCN		1871	12	0.6	-0.5	5.6	1910	1560
NFETCN		2372	25	1.1	0.6	27.3	2630	1311
TSETCN		2440	56	2.3	-0.2	-24.9	3550	1520
SRETCN		1522	3	0.2	-0.9	-0.1	1555	1355

## DevX & OTC

Ticker	Shares Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
BMN		3586	68	1.9	8.3	5.9	4175	2109
CER		10	-2	-16.7	0.0	-23.1	18	6
DYL		2093	-47	-2.2	-0.4	59.4	2149	926
FSY		718	25	3.6	11.5	-14.3	1059	552
EL8		355	-14	-3.8	0.6	14.9	481	225
KYX		1257	-25	-2.0	11.6	11.6	1492	1210
AGR		392	0	0.0	0.0	5.7	392	366
SBF		100	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	101	100

## **Fixed Income**

#### **Treasury Bills**

**Next Auction Date:** 04-September-2025

Tenor	Weighted Avg. Yield* (%)	Last Change (bps)	Highest Yield Allocated* (%)	Bid-to-Offer
91-Day	7.328	-1.00	7.350	1.33
182-Day	7.517	-1.60	7.530	1.61
273-Day	7.572	-3.05	7.578	2.49
365-Day	7.584	-2.01	7.588	3.65

Source: Bank of Namibia

#### **Government Bonds**

#### **Government Bond Auctions**

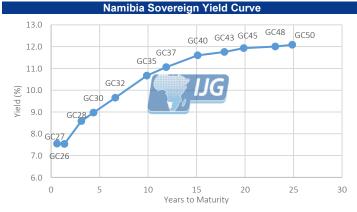
Next Auction Date: 17-September- 2025

#### **Commentary on Previous Auction:**

Demand was robust at the 3 September government bond auction, with the Bank of Namibia (BoN) receiving bids totalling N\$1.39 billion against the N\$480.0 million on offer, translating to an overall bid-to-offer ratio of 2.90x. All vanilla bonds were oversubscribed, posting a GC bid-to-offer ratio of 2.76x with the GC28, GC30, GC35 and GC40 attracting the majority of investor interest and were all oversubscribed by a total N\$414.5 million. Despite receiving ample demand, the BoN allocated none of the bids on the GI27 and GC32, and the GC43, GC45 and GC48 were under-allocated.

Bond	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
GC26	7.544	GT364/16Apr26	7.544	0	103.825	8.50	15-Oct-25
GC27	7.535	R186	7.580	-5	101.665	8.00	15-Jan-26
GC28	8.582	R2030	8.135	45	103.040	8.50	15-Oct-25
GC30	8.972	R2030	8.135	84	97.624	8.00	15-Jan-26
GC32	9.654	R213	8.465	119	100.307	9.00	15-Oct-25
GC35	10.665	R209	9.875	79	94.265	9.50	15-Jan-26
GC37	11.059	R2037	10.150	91	91.100	9.50	15-Jan-26
GC40	11.602	R214	10.555	105	91.044	9.80	15-Oct-25
GC43	11.755	R2044	10.885	87	88.341	10.00	15-Jan-26
GC45	11.927	R2044	10.885	104	85.637	9.85	15-Jan-26
GC48	12.000	R2048	10.865	114	88.286	10.00	15-Oct-25
GC50	12.085	R2048	10.865	122	87.003	10.25	15-Jan-26
GI27	4.450				123.679	4.00	15-Oct-25
GI29	4.929				138.858	4.50	15-Jan-26
GI31	5.135				101.289	5.20	15-Jan-26
GI33	5.265				130.880	4.50	15-Oct-25
GI36	5.800				119.698	4.80	15-Jan-26
GI41	6.150				95.987	5.65	15-Jan-26
Eurobond 2	6.377	10YUSBond	4.217	216	101.653	5.25	29-Oct-25
NAM04	8.990	R186	7.580	141	102.349	10.51	01-Feb-26

Source: Bloomberg, Bank of Namibia, IJG Securities





Source: IJG Securities, BoN, Bloomberg

<sup>\*</sup>Nominal yields from the most recent government treasury bill auction.

## **Corporate Bonds**

Fixed Coupon Bonds	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
BWFL26	7.680	R186	7.580	10	103.480	8.8	04-Dec-25
Floating Coupon Bonds	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
BWJ1e27	9.167	3 month JIBAR	7.017	215	100.370	9.17	19-Nov-25
BWJ2e27	7.017	3 month JIBAR	7.017	0	100.284	7.02	19-Nov-25
BWJh28L	7.817	3 month JIBAR	7.017	80	100.084	-1.18	21-Nov-25
DBN29	9.417	3 month JIBAR	7.017	240	100.077	9.73	31-Aug-25
NEDJ2028	9.767	3 month JIBAR	7.017	275	100.157	9.77	28-Nov-25
ORYJ25	9.517	3 month JIBAR	7.017	250	100.409	9.52	18-Nov-25
BWJL25	7.917	3 month JIBAR	7.017	90	100.085	8.18	02-Dec-25
SBNA26	8.387	3 month JIBAR	7.017	137	100.203	8.39	25-Nov-25
SBKN26	8.457	3 month JIBAR	7.017	144	101.256	8.71	13-Oct-25
SBNG27	8.707	3 month JIBAR	7.017	169	101.485	8.97	05-Oct-25
SBKN27	8.167	3 month JIBAR	7.017	115	99.911	8.48	07-Sept-25
BWJf26S	8.517	3 month JIBAR	7.017	150	100.023	8.52	02-Dec-25
LHNS01	9.967	3 month JIBAR	7.017	295	100.455	9.97	17-Nov-25
LHN28	8.917	3 month JIBAR	7.017	190	101.646	9.19	30-Sept-25
LBN28	8.917	3 month JIBAR	7.017	190	100.456	8.92	15-Nov-25
LBN29	9.217	3 month JIBAR	7.017	220	99.950	9.53	05-Sept-25
LBN30	9.017	3 month JIBAR	7.017	200	100.461	9.02	15-Nov-25
PNJ25	9.717	3 month JIBAR	7.017	270	102.171	10.02	16-Sept-25
PNJ26	10.267	3 month JIBAR	7.017	325	102.232	10.57	18-Sept-25
PNJ27	10.267	3 month JIBAR	7.017	325	102.289	10.57	16-Sept-25
PNJ29	9.717	3 month JIBAR	7.017	270	102.117	10.02	18-Sept-25
FNBJ27S	8.747	3 month JIBAR	7.017	173	101.792	9.05	23-Sept-25
FNBJ28S	7.797	3 month JIBAR	7.017	78	101.585	8.10	24-Sept-25
FNB34	8.967	3 month JIBAR	7.017	195	100.000	8.97	03-Dec-25
GDW26	9.217	3 month JIBAR	7.017	220	100.000	9.53	03-Sept-25
GDW28	9.517	3 month JIBAR	7.017	250	100.000	9.83	03-Sept-25



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