IJG Daily Bulletin

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The Day Ahead Economic News

US Initial Jobless Claims (18 Oct)
US Existing Homes Sales (Sep)
Eurozone Consumer Confidence (Oct P)

NSX Market Wrap

N\$18.9m traded on the NSX yesterday with N\$6.7m worth of Vukile Property Fund and N\$1.2m worth of Shoprite Holdings exchanging hands. On the local bourse N\$5.4m worth of FirstRand Namibia traded at market and N\$521,355 worth of SBN Holdings traded up 3c. N\$6.4m worth of ETF/ETNs traded.

JSE Market Wrap

The FTSE/JSE Africa All Share Index fell 0.1% to 108,837.10 as 86 stocks gained, 36 fell, and 2 were unchanged. Reinet Investments rose 8.1%, Sasol gained 4.5% and Sappi climbed 4.0%. Montauk Renewables Inc fell 6.5%, DRDGOLD dropped 5.9% and Harmony Gold Mining declined 5.3%.

International Market Wrap

Volatility resurfaced on Wall Street in a session that saw stocks falling alongside gold cryptocurrencies. News reports saying the Trump administration is weighing restrictions on software exports to China added to recent anxiety around trade. Following a torrid rally, calls for a breather have emerged. The Nasdaq 100 lost 1% after a tepid outlook from Texas Instruments and a 10% slump in Netflix. In late hours, Tesla slid as earnings missed estimates despite a sales surge. Traders also kept an eye on geopolitics, with Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent saying the US will ratchet up Russia sanctions. Asian stocks declined and gold stumbled, as a week that began with record highs succumbed to worries about corporate earnings and trade tensions.

	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 Ra		MPC Meeting Calendar for 2025						
	Level	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	BoN	SARB	FOMC
IJG Money Market Index	303.900	0.059	0.019	0.428	6.133	12 Feb	30 Jan	29 Jan
IJG All Bond Index	415.568	-2.022	-0.484	1.405	10.443	16 Apr	20 Mar	19 Mar
WIBAR Overnight	6.293	0.019	0.303	0.303	-6.839	18 Jun	29 May	07 May
WIBAR 3m	6.924	-0.045	-0.646	-0.646	0.26	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	6.50							29 Oct
NAM Prime Rate	10.125							10 Dec

Source: Bloomberg, NSX, JSE, IJG Securities

International News

South Africa CPI rose 0.2% m/m and 3.4% y/y in September, as per the Statistics South Africa

US MBA Mortgage Applications fell 0.3% w/w in the week 17 October, as per the Mortgage Bankers Association.

 ${\bf UK}~{\bf CPI}$ rose 3.8% y/y in September, below market, as per the UK Office for National Statistics.

UK Retail Price Index fell 1.6 points to 406.1 in September, below market, as per the UK Office for National Statistics.

Local News

BP confirms gas condensate discovery at Volans-1X well in Namibia. BP has confirmed the preliminary results of the Volans-1X exploration well in Namibia's Orange Basin, according to a statement by operator Rhino Resources. The well, located in Petroleum Exploration Licence 85 (PEL85), is operated by Rhino Resources, which holds a 42.5% working interest. Co-venturers include Azule Energy (42.5%), NAMCOR (10%), and Korres Investments (5%). BP holds a 50% interest in Azule Energy. BP said the Volans-1X well was drilled using the Northern Ocean's Deepsea Mira semi-submersible rig and reached a total depth of 4,497.5 metres true vertical depth subsea (TVDSS). – Mining & Energy

Most Namibians struggle to access emergency funds — World Bank. About 30% of Namibian adults rely on family or friends for financial help in an emergency, but three-quarters of them say the money would be very difficult to obtain, according to Leora Klapper, Lead Economist at the World Bank. Klapper said only one in three Namibian adults can access additional funds within 30 days, forcing many to depend on relatives, friends or the sale of assets to cover unexpected expenses. Speaking at a recent industry event, she noted that financial pressure in Namibia extends beyond emergencies and often affects household and business responsibilities. — The Brief

NICG partners with NSX to update National Governance Code. The Namibian Institute of Corporate Governance (NICG) has partnered with the Namibian Securities Exchange (NSX) to update the National Governance Code, in a move aimed at strengthening corporate accountability and ethical leadership across sectors. Announcing the partnership at the NICG Governance Conference on Wednesday, NICG Chairperson Desmond Nikanor said the collaboration will modernise Namibia's governance framework to align with international best practices and current business realities. — The Brief

Namibia's financial system remains stable despite slower growth. Namibia's financial system remained resilient in 2025 despite weaker economic growth and external headwinds, according to the October 2025 Financial Stability Report released by the Bank of Namibia (BoN) and the Namibia Financial Institutions Supervisory Authority (NAMFISA). The Macroprudential Oversight Committee (MOC) said that while global growth and market conditions improved slightly, elevated risks such as rising sovereign debt, policy uncertainty, and trade tensions continue to weigh on global financial stability. — The Brief

Farmers stand firm against Uranium One's Omaheke mining plans. The battle between farmers and mining interests in the Stampriet area has re-emerged, as a group of landowners continues to resist attempts by the Russian-owned Uranium One to drill for uranium beneath one of the country's most important aquifers. Uranium One, through its Namibian subsidiary Headspring Investments, has for years sought to conduct in-situ recovery (ISR) mining near Leonardville in the Omaheke Region. The company says the method - pumping a leaching solution through uranium-bearing sandstone to dissolve and extract the mineral - is environmentally safe and used successfully in countries such as Kazakhstan and the United States. — Namibian Sun

SA Economic News

South African annual inflation accelerated in September, moving further away from the central bank's preferred 3% target and reducing the likelihood of an interest-rate cut when officials meet next month. Consumer prices rose 3.4%, compared with 3.3% in August, Pretoria-based Statistics South Africa said in a statement on its website on Wednesday.

Company News

BHP reassures market with upbeat iron ore outlook. Attractive price dynamics and a first-quarter uptick in copper production helped restore faith in Australian mining giant BHP's trajectory for the 2026 financial year. After posting its worst profit since 2020 in the year to end-June, the base metals heavyweight reassured investors with a rosy commodity price outlook and a strong operational performance in the three months to end-September. BHP CEO Mike Henry expressed optimism about global iron ore demand as the firm forecast 5% growth in China's GDP this year, despite some deceleration in growth in the second half of 2025. — Business Day

Famous Brands profit up 6% as restaurant network tops 3 000. The largest JSE-listed quick-service restaurant group in South Africa, Famous Brands, has reported a 5.8% increase in operating profit to R393 million for the six months ended 31 August 2025. Revenue increased 5.6% to R4.2 billion. Headline earnings per share (Heps) climbed 8% to 236 cents. The group, which owns leading quick-service and casual-dining brands such as Steers, Debonairs Pizza, Wimpy, and Mugg & Bean, also reached a key milestone of 3 008 restaurants across its network. — Moneyweb

Nedbank appoints former Sasol CEO to green board. Nedbank, which has positioned itself as the "green bank", having ploughed billions of rand into financing climate change projects, has roped in former Sasol CEO Fleetwood Grobler as a non-executive director with effect from November. Grobler, who stepped down as Sasol group CEO in April last year, will also take a seat on Nedbank's sustainability and climate resilience committee. — Business Dav

Gold, platinum community upliftment highlighted by **Sibanye-Stillwater**. Gold and platinum mining company Sibanye-Stillwater on Wednesday highlighted its expansive array of community development projects that are contributing to a future where near-mine communities are thriving and self-sustaining. In online gold and platinum booklets, the Johannesburg- and New York-listed mining company outlined a multiplicity of wide-ranging shared value initiatives in education, agriculture, skills development, health, wellness, social infrastructure, refurbishment and even supplying schools with essential educational tools such as WiFi. – Mining Weekly

South32 storms back with manganese rebound. South32's \$50m tropical cyclone recovery plan has paid dividends in recent months, fuelling a 33% jump in first-quarter manganese output. Shares in South32 surged in early trading as news of the revival buoyed sentiment in the world's largest manganese producer, and they managed a gain of about 3% on the day despite giving back some of the advance. The group's Australian manganese operations were put on hold early this year after severe storms made it difficult to repair key infrastructure, which had been damaged by Tropical Cyclone Megan a year before. – Business Day

SADC News

Angola's first major copper mine starts production. Angola's first major copper mine, Tetelo, will soon begin production, Mines Minister Diamantino Azevedo said on Wednesday, part of the oil-rich African country's efforts to diversify into clean energy minerals. The US\$250-million mine, owned by China's Shining Star Icarus, is expected to produce 25,000 metric tons of copper concentrate annually in the first two years of operation. The initial phase will be an open-pit operation, followed by underground mining from the second half of 2026.

South African Minister of Agriculture John Steenhuisen has welcomed **Zimbabwe's** decision to lift the ban on the importation of maize and other grains, calling it an important step toward economic stability and food security in the region. In a statement on Wednesday, Steenhuisen said the policy change reflects a return to sound economic principles essential for the prosperity and stability of the Southern African region.

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	559	65674	-27	-0.04	1.58	21.17	68770	43081
B2G		8998	-792	-8.09	5.08	98.02	10296	4303
CGP		2302	0	0.00	5.46	13.76	2303	1966
FNB	100,000	5401	0	0.00	3.85	16.15	5401	4647
FST	10,149	8340	120	1.46	7.39	9.79	8340	6290
IVD	7,905	13272	207	1.58	3.59	6.14	14198	10285
KFS	8,280	2446	16	0.66	7.28	24.67	2490	1711
LHN		549	0	0.00	-16.18	9.80	665	499
MMT		3439	39	1.15	4.88	13.65	3684	2754
MOC		858	0	0.00	0.23	13.19	860	755
NAM		73	0	0.00	0.00	1.39	73	72
NBK		23834	473	2.02	11.63	-15.40	30815	20819
NBS		2904	0	0.00	0.14	0.45	2905	2888
NHL		290	0	0.00	0.00	16.00	290	222
OCE		5053	-67	-1.31	2.08	-25.12	7175	4920
OMM		1404	43	3.16	5.17	12.23	1415	950
ORY	25,940	1331	1	0.08	0.08	3.90	1350	1280
PNH		1250	0	0.00	0.00	-1.11	1268	1249
SILP		12801	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	12801	12801
SLA	11,173	9316	106	1.15	11.45	7.23	9329	7133
SNB	4,147	25719	233	0.91	8.80	15.98	25719	20231
SNM	367	39813	205	0.52	5.36	1.40	44600	35340
SNO	45,022	1158	3	0.26	0.61	27.53	1158	900
SRH	4,217	29194	247	0.85	6.54	-0.87	38854	25022
TRW		5490	41	0.75	0.37	-47.01	11233	5436
TTO		30	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	55	5
VKN	300,000	2215	26	1.19	6.80	23.26	2317	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	171.00	Final	5.86	03 October 2025	24 October 2025
FNB	372.00	Final	8.82	29 September 2025	17 October 2025
LHN	43.88	Final	16.56	06 June 2025	27 June 2025
MOC	49.27	Final	11.20	17 January 2025	07 February 2025
NAM	6.00	Final	8.22	29 November 2024	13 December 2024
NBS	157.00	Final	8.72	17 April 2025	14 May 2025
NHL	26.00	Final	8.20	20 October 2023	30 October 2023
ORY	52.50	Interim	8.34	20 March 2025	11 April 2025
PNH	5.00	Interim	0.00	16 April 2025	16 May 2025
SILP	402.00	Final	2.21	13 June 2024	05 July 2024
SNO	64.00	Final	11.57	05 September 2025	26 September 2025

^{*} 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
CGP	AGM	05 November 2025 (16:30)	The boardroom on the sixth floor of Capricorn Group Building, Kasino Street, Windhoek. Also, accessible remotely over the Lumi platform.
ORY	AGM	24 November 2025 (14:00)	Maerua Rooftop, Maerua Mall Office Tower, corner of Jan Jonker and Robert Mugabe Avenue, Windhoek, Namibia.
NHL	AGM	27 November 2025 (12:00)	Nictus Building, 140 Mandume Ndemufayo Avenue, Windhoek, Namibia

Exchange Traded Funds

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ENXPLD		23380	49	0.21	12.96	43.70	26188	15820
ENXGLD		67715	-1616	-2.33	5.28	42.59	72161	45172
ENXPLT	9,891	25904	314	1.23	-1.47	56.86	28434	15931
SXNNAM		2457	-13	-0.53	-0.73	2.67	2490	2296
NGNGLD	7,628	64777	-1551	-2.34	5.29	42.55	69022	43208
NGNPLD		23482	46	0.20	13.04	44.15	26337	15986
NGNPLT	5,822	25643	312	1.23	-1.45	56.45	28244	15844
SXNEMG		7605	-13	-0.17	2.83	20.09	7618	6082
SXNWDM		10994	-19	-0.17	1.89	9.14	11013	9066
SXNNDQ		24685	-254	-1.02	2.11	8.60	24939	19312
SXN500		12400	-90	-0.72	1.53	6.06	12490	10239

Exchange Traded Notes

Ticker	Volume Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
ALETCN		3188	7	0.2	5.9	23.4	3211	1918
AMETCN		1308	-22	-1.7	0.0	-8.4	1575	1048
APETCN		2182	-16	-0.7	3.1	-5.4	2352	1620
BHETCN		2508	-23	-0.9	-1.1	-0.4	3005	2275
FAETCN		2574	-3	-0.1	0.7	14.0	2864	1827
MSETCN		2497	33	1.3	2.2	13.9	2787	1804
MWETCN		1920	-10	-0.5	1.6	8.4	1930	1560
NFETCN		2148	-230	-9.7	-4.8	15.2	2630	1452
TSETCN		3088	-66	-2.1	-0.1	-5.0	3550	1548
SRETCN		1580	-10	-0.6	2.4	3.7	1590	1355

DevX & OTC

Ticker	Shares Traded	Current Price (c)	Net Change	d/d %	mtd %	ytd %	52Wk High	52Wk Low
BMN		3697	-136	-3.5	-16.9	9.2	4529	2109
CER		14	2	16.7	-6.7	7.7	18	6
DYL		2046	-61	-2.9	-8.3	55.8	2772	926
FSY		478	-26	-5.2	-29.9	-43.0	1002	478
EL8		430	-41	-8.7	-15.0	39.2	547	225
КҮХ		1961	-127	-6.1	18.6	18.6	2388	1210
AGR		406	0	0.0	1.5	9.4	406	371
SBF		100	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	101	100
BAN		1050	0	0.0	9.5	9.5	1050	900
BANC		296	0	0.0	2.0	2.0	296	296

Fixed Income

Treasury Bills

Next Auction Date: 23 October 2025

Tenor	Weighted Avg. Yield* (%)	Last Change (bps)	Highest Yield Allocated* (%)	Bid-to-Offer
91-Day	7.276	-3.74	7.300	1.80
182-Day	7.329	-2.12	7.350	1.15
273-Day	7.338	-0.35	7.388	1.22
365-Day	7.237	-6.77	7.267	2.41

Source: Bank of Namibia

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Government Bonds

Government Bond Auctions

Next Auction Date:

Commentary on Previous Auction:

Demand was relatively muted at the 22 October GC26 switch auction compared to previous events, with the central bank receiving bids totalling N\$286.3 million on the GC26 source bond and switching N\$180.0 million (62.9%) into destination bonds. As a result, the outstanding balance on the GC26 declined to N\$2.29 billion. Demand was concentrated on the shorter-dated maturities, with the GC40, GC48 and GC50 received no bids. The BoN furthermore limited allocations to the shorter end of the curve, opting to not allocate any of the bids received GC43 and GC45. The GC30 and GC35 attracted the bulk of interest, with combined bids amounting to N\$173.4 million (60.6% of total bids).

Bond	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
GC26	7.326	GT364/16Apr26	7.326	0	100.712	8.50	15-Apr-26
GC27	7.295	R186	7.390	-10	102.950	8.00	15-Jan-26
GC28	8.292	R2030	7.700	59	100.700	8.50	15-Apr-26
GC30	8.753	R2030	7.700	105	99.514	8.00	15-Jan-26
GC32	9.249	R213	8.000	125	98.977	9.00	15-Apr-26
GC35	10.314	R209	9.210	110	97.600	9.50	15-Jan-26
GC37	10.624	R2037	9.455	117	95.087	9.50	15-Jan-26
GC40	11.003	R214	9.860	114	91.446	9.80	15-Apr-26
GC43	11.203	R2044	10.055	115	93.471	10.00	15-Jan-26
GC45	11.287	R2044	10.055	123	91.341	9.85	15-Jan-26
GC48	11.362	R2048	10.025	134	89.148	10.00	15-Apr-26
GC50	11.383	R2048	10.025	136	93.415	10.25	15-Jan-26
GI27	4.529				121.850	4.00	15-Apr-26
GI29	4.897				139.989	4.50	15-Jan-26
GI31	5.176				101.840	5.20	15-Jan-26
GI33	5.402				127.747	4.50	15-Apr-26
GI36	5.851				120.203	4.80	15-Jan-26
GI41	6.147				96.855	5.65	15-Jan-26
Eurobond 2	5.119	10YUSBond	3.949	117	102.552	5.25	29-Oct-25
NAM04	8.800	R186	7.390	141	103.693	10.51	01-Feb-26

Source: Bloomberg, Bank of Namibia, IJG Securities





Source: IJG Securities, BoN, Bloomberg

^{*}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	7.490	R186	7.390	10	104.731	8.8	04-Dec-25
Floating Coupon Bonds	YTM	Benchmark	Benchmark YTM	Spread (bps)	All-In-Price	Coupon Rate	Next Coupon
BWJ1e27	9.125	3 month JIBAR	6.975	215	99.305	9.17	19-Nov-25
BWJ2e27	6.975	3 month JIBAR	6.975	0	99.468	7.02	19-Nov-25
BWJh28L	7.775	3 month JIBAR	6.975	80	100.084	-50.18	21-Nov-25
DBN29	9.375	3 month JIBAR	6.975	240	101.333	9.42	30-Nov-25
NEDJ2028	9.725	3 month JIBAR	6.975	275	101.462	9.77	28-Nov-25
ORYJ25	9.475	3 month JIBAR	6.975	250	101.686	9.52	18-Nov-25
BWJL25	7.875	3 month JIBAR	6.975	90	101.144	8.18	02-Dec-25
SBNA26	8.345	3 month JIBAR	6.975	137	101.326	8.39	25-Nov-25
SBKN26	8.415	3 month JIBAR	6.975	144	100.204	8.42	13-Jan-26
SBNG27	8.665	3 month JIBAR	6.975	169	100.403	8.69	05-Jan-26
SBKN27	8.125	3 month JIBAR	6.975	115	101.002	8.17	07-Dec-25
BWJf26S	8.475	3 month JIBAR	6.975	150	101.160	8.52	02-Dec-25
LHNS01	9.925	3 month JIBAR	6.975	295	101.793	9.97	17-Nov-25
LHN28	8.875	3 month JIBAR	6.975	190	100.532	8.90	31-Dec-25
LBN28	8.875	3 month JIBAR	6.975	190	101.654	8.92	15-Nov-25
LBN29	9.175	3 month JIBAR	6.975	220	101.179	9.22	05-Dec-25
LBN30	8.975	3 month JIBAR	6.975	200	101.673	9.02	15-Nov-25
PNJ26	10.225	3 month JIBAR	6.975	325	100.927	10.18	18-Dec-25
PNJ27	10.225	3 month JIBAR	6.975	325	100.993	10.23	16-Dec-25
PNJ29	9.675	3 month JIBAR	6.975	270	100.878	9.63	18-Dec-25
PNJ30	9.365	3 month JIBAR	6.975	239	100.911	9.37	16-Dec-25
FNBJ27S	8.705	3 month JIBAR	6.975	173	100.690	8.74	23-Dec-25
FNBJ28S	7.755	3 month JIBAR	6.975	78	100.595	7.79	24-Dec-25
FNB34	8.925	3 month JIBAR	6.975	195	101.196	8.97	03-Dec-25
GDW26	9.175	3 month JIBAR	6.975	220	101.247	9.53	03-Sept-25
GDW28	9.475	3 month JIBAR	6.975	250	101.288	9.83	03-Sept-25



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