



Title: Public holidays and non-trading days in December 2024 and January 2025

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Market participants are advised that the South African Reserve Bank (SARB) will be closed for trading and settlement on the following official public holidays:

- Monday, 16 December 2024
- Wednesday, 25 December 2024
- Thursday, 26 December 2024
- Wednesday, 1 January 2025

The SARB's open market and foreign exchange transactions have been scheduled to mature and settle on official business days during December 2024 and January 2025. No settlement will take place via the South African Multiple Option Settlement (SAMOS) system on the dates specified above.

The SARB's foreign exchange desk will close at 12:00 midday on 24 and 31 December 2024. However, domestic money market operations will be conducted as usual, with the position closing at 16:55 on both days.

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