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**SOUTH AFRICAN RESERVE BANK**

## Money and banking

### Monetary aggregates

R millions

|                              | 2025      |           |           |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|                              | March     | April     | May       | June      |
| M0.....                      | 501 771   | 494 191   | 507 346   | 505 749   |
| M1A .....                    | 1 303 522 | 1 305 760 | 1 294 838 | 1 319 397 |
| M1.....                      | 2 877 354 | 2 759 185 | 2 749 394 | 2 893 682 |
| M2.....                      | 4 482 763 | 4 492 281 | 4 504 050 | 4 501 811 |
| M3.....                      | 5 498 318 | 5 510 902 | 5 524 279 | 5 527 489 |
| M3 Seasonally adjusted ..... | 5 482 458 | 5 499 161 | 5 523 749 | 5 567 271 |

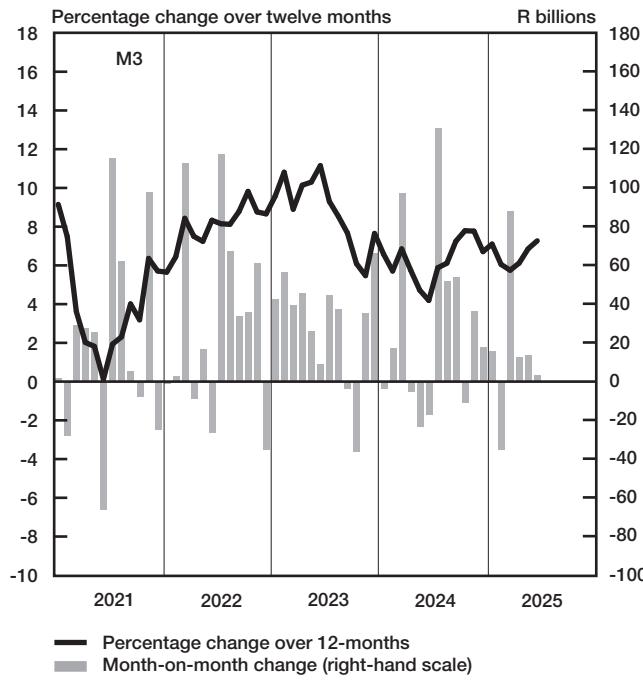
Percentage change over 12 months

|           |       |       |       |       |
|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| M0.....   | 24.82 | 23.24 | 26.73 | 32.70 |
| M1A ..... | 3.00  | 5.93  | 4.42  | 4.16  |
| M1.....   | 9.91  | 5.88  | 6.20  | 6.50  |
| M2.....   | 4.71  | 5.79  | 7.19  | 7.53  |
| M3 .....  | 5.76  | 6.12  | 6.86  | 7.27  |

Counterparts of change in M3 — R millions

|                                       |         |         |         |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Net foreign assets.....               | -37 570 | 24 336  | -28 829 | 3 065   |
| Net claims on government sector:..... | 65 924  | 49 266  | -15 875 | -84 625 |
| Gross claims.....                     | 41 878  | 48 667  | 3 457   | 9 908   |
| Government deposits <sup>1</sup> ..   | 24 046  | 598     | -19 332 | -94 533 |
| Claims on the private sector.....     | 88 215  | -14 169 | 28 781  | 66 267  |
| Net other assets .....                | -28 939 | -46 849 | 29 301  | 18 503  |
| Change in M3.....                     | 87 630  | 12 584  | 13 377  | 3 210   |

### Money supply



### Credit aggregates

R millions

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Claims on the domestic private sector – seasonally adjusted..... |  |
| Claims on the domestic private sector.....                       |  |
| Investments .....  |  |
| Bills discounted .....   |  |
| Total loans and advances.....                                    |  |
| Instalment sale credit.....                                      |  |
| Leasing finance.....   |  |
| Mortgage advances.....   |  |
| Other loans and advances .....                                   |  |
| Of which: To households.....                                     |  |
| Net claims on the government sector .....                        |  |
| Total domestic credit extension .....                            |  |

Percentage change over 12 months

|   |      |
|---|------|
| Claims on the domestic private sector ..... | 3.47 |
| Total loans and advances.....               | 4.28 |
| Total domestic credit extension .....       | 6.40 |

| 2025      |           |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| March     | April     | May       | June      |
| 4 881 957 | 4 881 618 | 4 930 322 | 4 973 878 |
| 4 894 885 | 4 880 716 | 4 909 496 | 4 975 763 |
| 331 929   | 338 634   | 340 413   | 344 614   |
| 6 874     | 7 410     | 7 160     | 8 187     |
| 4 556 081 | 4 534 672 | 4 561 924 | 4 622 962 |
| 612 014   | 613 668   | 619 411   | 624 183   |
| 16 262    | 16 270    | 16 333    | 16 550    |
| 1 899 384 | 1 901 579 | 1 905 704 | 1 916 673 |
| 2 028 421 | 2 003 156 | 2 020 475 | 2 065 556 |
| 2 212 833 | 2 215 088 | 2 221 161 | 2 225 681 |
| 865 010   | 914 275   | 898 400   | 813 776   |
| 5 759 894 | 5 794 991 | 5 807 897 | 5 789 539 |
|           |           |           |           |
|           |           |           |           |
|           |           |           |           |
|           |           |           |           |
|           |           |           |           |

|   |      |
|---|------|
| Claims on the domestic private sector ..... | 4.57 |
| Total loans and advances.....               | 5.24 |
| Total domestic credit extension .....       | 6.40 |

|                                       |      |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Total loans and advances.....         | 5.44 |
| Total domestic credit extension ..... | 6.53 |

## Money and banking (continued)

### Banks and mutual banks (R millions)

|   | 2025      |           |           |           |
|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|   | March     | April     | May       | June      |
| Deposits by residents .....                                 | 5 858 495 | 5 892 410 | 5 933 400 | 6 022 658 |
| Deposits by non-residents .....                             | 326 728   | 322 529   | 322 226   | 311 713   |
| Total deposit liabilities .....                             | 6 185 223 | 6 214 940 | 6 255 626 | 6 334 371 |
| Loans received under repurchase agreements .....            | 255 985   | 265 842   | 248 902   | 265 188   |
| Total liabilities to the public .....                       | 7 117 407 | 7 184 541 | 7 200 259 | 7 314 849 |
| Total equity .....  | 617 748   | 615 005   | 622 511   | 626 812   |
| Cash reserve balances with the SA Reserve Bank .....        | 165 113   | 165 774   | 167 308   | 169 143   |
| Treasury bills discounted .....                             | 412 437   | 409 352   | 410 623   | 409 875   |
| Land Bank bills and promissory notes discounted .....       | 114       | 115       | 116       | 121       |
| Other bills discounted including bankers' acceptances ..... | 14 713    | 16 993    | 16 243    | 16 412    |
| Advances to the domestic private sector .....               | 4 532 595 | 4 511 120 | 4 538 206 | 4 598 949 |
| Total deposits loans and advances .....                     | 5 679 754 | 5 681 821 | 5 674 647 | 5 765 720 |
| Short-term government stock .....                           | 338 369   | 345 103   | 341 638   | 331 334   |
| Long-term government stock .....                            | 660 417   | 706 274   | 717 235   | 737 592   |
| Total investments and bills discounted .....                | 1 943 768 | 2 017 160 | 2 032 160 | 2 044 643 |
| Total assets .....  | 8 240 124 | 8 305 920 | 8 334 865 | 8 451 157 |
| <b>Banks (R millions)</b>                                   |           |           |           |           |
| Required liquid assets .....                                | 362 471   | 364 383   | 368 043   | ...       |
| Actual liquid asset holdings .....                          | 1 243 687 | 1 255 020 | ...       | ...       |
| Credit card purchases processed during the period .....     | 53 595    | 52 829    | 54 720    | 51 595    |
| <b>Land Bank (R millions)</b>                               |           |           |           |           |
| Cash credit advances .....                                  | 9 314     | 9 313     | 9 323     | 9 429     |
| Total loans and advances .....                              | 15 421    | 15 420    | 15 436    | 15 616    |

### International economic data

#### Changes in gold and other foreign reserves (R millions)

|  | 2025      |           |           |           |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|  | March     | April     | May       | June      |
| Gross reserves of the SA Reserve Bank .....  | 15 327    | 15 938    | -36 365   | -2 159    |
| Foreign liabilities of the SA Reserve Bank .....   | ...       | ...       | ...       | ...       |
| Net reserves of the SA Reserve Bank <sup>1</sup> .....   | -8 638    | -19 506   | 1 882     | -3 209    |
| <b>Gross reserves of the SA Reserve Bank and open position in foreign currency (US\$m)</b>                     |           |           |           |           |
| Gross reserves of the SA Reserve Bank <sup>19</sup> .....  | 67 450    | 67 585    | 68 116    | 68 415    |
| International liquidity position of the SA Reserve Bank <sup>14</sup> .....                                    | 63 167    | 64 318    | 64 804    | 65 216    |
| <b>Net average daily turnover on the SA Foreign exchange market (US\$m)</b>                                    |           |           |           |           |
| Total spot transactions <sup>15</sup> .....  | 2 688     | 2 959     | 2 456     | 2 651     |
| Total forward transactions <sup>15</sup> .....   | 857       | 955       | 797       | 934       |
| Total swap transactions <sup>15</sup> .....  | 8 241     | 8 762     | 7 732     | 7 687     |
| Transactions in third currencies <sup>18</sup> .....   | 5 072     | 5 301     | 4 735     | 5 231     |
| Total transactions .....   | 16 858    | 17 977    | 15 720    | 16 503    |
| <b>Exchange rates (averages)</b>   |           |           |           |           |
| Nominal effective exchange rate against the most important currencies<br>(Index: 2015=100) <sup>16</sup> ..... | 79.4448   | 75.7799   | 78.3672   | 78.6832   |
| Real effective exchange rate against the most important currencies<br>(Index: 2015=100) <sup>2 16</sup> .....  | 108.7863  | 104.8326  | 107.7314  | ...       |
| SA rand per US dollar .....  | 18.2826   | 18.9080   | 18.1013   | 17.8356   |
| SA rand per British pound .....  | 23.5881   | 24.8153   | 24.1966   | 24.1754   |
| SA rand per euro .....   | 19.7418   | 21.1738   | 20.4205   | 20.5347   |
| SA rand per Japanese yen .....   | 0.1227    | 0.1309    | 0.1251    | 0.1235    |
| <b>Average daily fixing price of gold per fine ounce</b>   |           |           |           |           |
| In rand .....  | 54 496.06 | 60 620.23 | 59 414.19 | 59 747.10 |
| In US dollar .....   | 2 983.39  | 3 208.55  | 3 283.69  | 3 351.85  |

## Capital market

### Share market

|   |
|---|
| Value of shares traded (R millions) <sup>23</sup> ..... |
| Number of shares traded (millions) <sup>23</sup> .....  |
| All-share price index (2015=100) <sup>3</sup> .....     |
| All-share dividend yield <sup>3</sup> (%) .....         |

### Non-resident transactions<sup>3</sup> (R millions)

|   |
|---|
| Net purchases of shares .....                 |
| Net purchases of bonds <sup>24</sup> .....    |
| Total net purchases of shares and bonds ..... |

### Fixed-interest securities market

|   |
|---|
| Net issues of marketable debt securities (R millions) <sup>25</sup> ..... |
| Nominal value of bonds traded (R millions) <sup>26</sup> .....            |
| Consideration of bonds traded (R millions) <sup>26</sup> .....            |
| Number of transactions (actual number) <sup>26</sup> .....                |
| Yield on long-term government bonds <sup>5</sup> (%) .....                |

### Equity derivative market – futures<sup>3</sup>

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|--|
| Number of deals (actual number) .....            |
| Number of contracts (actual number) .....        |
| Underlying value (R millions) .....              |
| Open interest (actual number) <sup>6</sup> ..... |

| 2025      |           |           |            |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| March     | April     | May       | June       |
| 608 283   | 637 119   | 503 054   | 632 612    |
| 7 276     | 8 252     | 6 124     | 7 111      |
| 159       | 154       | 163       | 167        |
| 2.0       | 2.1       | 2.0       | 2.1        |
| -22 214   | -17 232   | - 13 296  | - 26 608   |
| 3 832     | 1 217     | - 6 005   | 27 546     |
| -18 382   | -16 015   | - 19 301  | 937        |
| 49 340    | 51 744    | 36 787    | ...        |
| 3 950 905 | 4 603 319 | 4 471 973 | 4 394 572  |
| 3 673 048 | 4 147 306 | 4 145 809 | 4 624 371  |
| 37 275    | 40 928    | 36 780    | 40 883     |
| 11.0      | 11.4      | 11.1      | 10.6       |
| 366 041   | 345 583   | 199 046   | 299 032    |
| 8 107 656 | 7 701 421 | 5 047 267 | 16 139 362 |
| 772 269   | 563 624   | 292 253   | 750 354    |
| 4 731 581 | 4 897 694 | 5 457 422 | 5 207 125  |

## National government finance

### Statement of national revenue, expenditure and borrowing

|   |
|---|
| Cash flow revenue <sup>21</sup> .....   |
| Cash flow expenditure <sup>22</sup> .....   |
| Cash flow balance <sup>8</sup> .....  |
| <i>Plus:</i> Cost/profit on revaluation of foreign debt at redemption <sup>17</sup> ..... |
| Accrual adjustment .....  |
| State-owned companies debt relief .....   |
| GFCRA settlement (net) .....  |
| Net borrowing requirement .....   |

| 2025    |         |         |         |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| March   | April   | May     | June    |
| 197 720 | 105 228 | 138 332 | 219 091 |
| 199 551 | 184 797 | 141 241 | 163 758 |
| -1 831  | -79 568 | -2 908  | 55 333  |
| -27     | -1 178  | ...     | ...     |
| -6 331  | 18 130  | 552     | 6 704   |
| -40 000 | ...     | ...     | ...     |
| ...     | ...     | ...     | ...     |
| -48 189 | -62 616 | -2 356  | 62 037  |
| 5 598   | 4 606   | 2 359   | 5 298   |
| 26 904  | 35 468  | 34 581  | 33 530  |
| 3 568   | -8 539  | ...     | ...     |
| -379    | -4 222  | -9 512  | -4 374  |
| 12 499  | 35 304  | -25 072 | -96 490 |
| 48 189  | 62 616  | 2 356   | 62 037  |

### Economic indicators (seasonally adjusted)

#### Sales

|   |
|---|
| Value of manufacturing sales (constant prices 2019=100) <sup>10</sup> ..... |
| Wholesale trade (constant prices 2019=100) <sup>10</sup> .....              |
| Retail trade (constant prices 2019=100) <sup>10</sup> .....                 |
| New passenger vehicles (2019=100) <sup>11</sup> .....                       |
| New commercial vehicles (2019=100) <sup>11</sup> .....                      |
| Total new vehicle sales (2019=100) <sup>11</sup> .....                      |

| 2025  |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| March | April | May   | June  |
| 86.9  | 87.3  | 91.0  | ...   |
| 89.5  | 90.9  | 89.0  | ...   |
| 103.2 | 104.3 | 104.4 | ...   |
| 109.9 | 114.5 | 115.7 | 113.8 |
| 89.4  | 93.2  | 92.7  | 95.8  |
| 102.9 | 107.3 | 107.9 | 107.7 |
| 80.3  | 86.9  | 86.7  | ...   |
| 91.5  | 90.5  | 94.4  | ...   |
| 89.2  | 90.7  | 92.5  | ...   |
| 113.4 | 112.7 | 111.3 | ...   |
| 94.5  | 95.2  | ...   | ...   |
| 107.0 | 107.3 | ...   | ...   |

#### Volume of production<sup>10</sup>

|                                |
|--------------------------------|
| Gold mining (2019=100) .....   |
| Other mining (2019=100) .....  |
| Manufacturing (2019=100) ..... |

#### Composite business cycle indicators

|                                       |
|---------------------------------------|
| Leading indicator (2019=100) .....    |
| Coincident indicator (2019=100) ..... |
| Lagging indicator (2019=100) .....    |

- 1 Increase (-)/decrease (+).  
 2 Preliminary figures.  
 3 Source: JSE Limited.  
 4 Net cash receipts after repayment of redemptions Internal funds excluded.  
 5 Monthly average.  
 6 Actual number as at the last business day of the particular month.  
 7 Seasonally adjusted at an annual rate.  
 8 Deficit (-)/surplus (+).  
 9 Excluding discount.  
 10 Source: Statistics South Africa.  
 11 Source: naamsa | The Automotive Business Council.  
 12 Valuation adjustments transaction measures the relevant flow after allowing for price changes due to exchange rates and gold.  
 13 Measures the relevant transaction flow after allowing for valuation adjustments due to exchange and gold price changes.  
 14 Up to the end of February 2004, referred to as the "Net open position in foreign currency of the Reserve Bank".  
 15 Transactions against the Rand.  
 16 The weighted-average exchange rate of the rand is calculated against twenty currencies. The weights of the five major currencies are in brackets: Euro (30.68) Chinese yuan (24.53) US dollar (10.56) Japanese yen (4.95) and Indian rupee (4.85).  
 17 Cost (+)/profit (-).  
 18 Transactions in third currencies refers to transactions between any two currencies other than the South African rand.  
 19 The gold reserves are valued at market price taken at 14:30 on each valuation date.  
 20 From May 2004 including RSA Government Retail Savings Bond Including short term loans from the CPD.  
 21 Including extraordinary receipts.  
 22 Including extraordinary payments.  
 23 Sources: JSE, ZAR X (included until August 2021), Cape Town Stock Exchange, A2X Markets and Equity Express Securities Exchange.  
 24 Excluding free-of-value trades.  
 25 Change in the nominal or face value of outstanding balances of debt securities listed on the JSE and Cape Town Stock Exchange as well as unlisted debt securities issued by banks.  
 26 Source: Strate Limited. Including debt securities traded on the JSE and Cape Town Stock Exchange.

