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UK retail sales fall for second month in June

British retail sales fell again in June as household finances were squeezed by the rising cost of living but stores expected sales volumes to stabilise next month, a survey showed on Monday. The Confederation of British Industry's (CBI) monthly distributive trades index fell to -9 from -10 in May. A measure of expected sales in the month ahead remained flat at zero. The CBI said retail sales volumes were average for the time of year at +1% in June compared with -18% in May, and were expected to remain broadly in line with seasonal norms in July at -2%. Britain's inflation rate came in higher-than-expected at 8.7% in May and April. With price growth far above the Bank of England's 2% target, analysts expect the central bank to continue raising bank rate having already raised it 13 times in a row since December 2021.



Foreign Exchange Market

Currency	26-Jun	23-Jun	DoD % Δ	YTD% Δ
USD:JMD	154.91	155.07	-0.10%	I.88%
GBP:JMD	194.83	195.89	-0.54%	7.00%
CAD:JMD	118.77	119.32	-0.47%	9.48 %

Caribbean & Latam

 Most Currencies and stocks of resource-heavy Latin America rose on Monday, tracking higher commodity prices, shrugging off geopolitical tensions in Russia that kept broader emerging markets on edge.

USA & Canada

 Wall Street lost ground on Monday and crude prices advanced as investors digested the aborted Russian mutiny over the weekend and wrestled with lingering concerns over the path of Federal Reserve monetary policy..

Europe

 European shares fell on Monday, with defence stocks leading declines after an aborted mutiny in Russia over the weekend, while financial stocks dragged on mounting concerns of global interest rates staying higher for longer.

<u>Asia</u>

The Malaysian ringgit hovered at a seven-month low on Monday as global growth concerns weighed on Asian currencies, while the Russian rouble opened at a near 15-month low after a shortlived mutiny by heavily armed mercenaries over the weekend.

					Source: Keuter		
Local Equity Market							
Stock Index	Today's close	DoD Δ	DoD% Δ	YTD % Δ	ΥοΥ% Δ		
SE Combined Index	343,540.26	1,449.05	0.42%	-6.80 %	-13.12%		
JSE Index	329,373.77	1,421.14	0.43%	-7.45%	-13.71%		
All Jamaican Composite Index	364,418.69	2,765.06	0.76%	-9.59%	-16.60%		
SE Select Index	7,981.71	51.70	0.65%	-10.28%	- 19.58 %		
unior Market Index	3,955.91	13.44	0.34%	-0.77%	-7.66 %		
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	ADVANCERS		DECLINERS	
SCIJMD	14.51%	MTLJA	-16.18%	
LEARN	13.50%	EPLY	-15.07%	
CABROKERS	12.91%	AMG	-13.91%	

Today's combined market activity (excluding preference and deferred shares) resulted in trading of **96** stocks, of which **47** advanced, **32** declined and **17** traded firm.

International Markets

International Equity Markets					In	ternatio	nal Currenc	y Market	
Index	26-Jun	DoD % Δ	YTD% Δ	ΥοΥ% Δ	Currency	26-Jun	DoD % A	YTD% Δ	ΥοΥ% Δ
S&P 500	4,328.82	-0.45%	12.74%	10.99%	EUR: USD	1.0905	0.10%	1.87%	3.03%
Dow Jones	33,714.71	-0.04%	1.71%	7.24%	GBP: USD	1.27	-0.01%	5.21%	3.65%
FTSE All Share	4,046.84	-0.17%	-0.69 %	1.06%	GBF. USD	1.27	-0.01 /0	5.21/0	3.03%
Euro Stoxx 50	4,280.57	0.21%	12.84%	20.96%	USD: CAD	1.32	-0.20%	- 2.94 %	2.17%
Nikkei 225	32,698.81	-0.25%	13.57%	21.69%	USD: JPY	143.52	-0.13%	9.46%	5.95%
MSCI World Index	668.03	-0.26%	10.35%	8.70%					

Global Interest Rates					Commodities				
Rates	26-Jun	DoD Abps	YTD ∆bps	YoY ∆bps	Commodity	26-Jun	DoD % A	YTD% Δ	ΥοΥ% Δ
10 -Year US Treasury Bond	3.72%	-1.00	-15.00	52.00	Crude Oil	69.55	0.56%	-13.34%	-36.52%
	4.30%	-2.00	63.00	191.00	Gold	1,923.29	0.11%	5.44%	5.51%
10-Year UK Gilt					Silver	22.79	1.61%	-4.86 %	7.70%
GOJ 2025 Global Bond	6.74%	0.00	270.00	42.00	Aluminium	2,148.50	-1.20%	-9.65 %	-13.91%

Sources: Bloomberg, Reuters, Jamaica Stock Exchange, Bank of Jamaica, Jamaica Observer, Jamaica Gleaner, Nasdaq, Investing.com

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JN MUTUAL FUNDS

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JN Mutual Funds	NAV Price	12 Months Growth Rate	YTD Growth Rate	Yield (Estimated Yearly Income)
Global Diversified Income	J \$13.2689	-2.03%	2.48%	2.99%
Global Equity	J\$14.1839	-5.30%	-2.73%	0.00%
Global Fixed Income	J\$14.4325	7.54%	4.71%	6.69%
Global Money Market (US\$)	US\$11.6027	4.49%	1.82%	4.16%
Global Fixed Income (US\$)	US\$11.6513	3.44%	1.83%	5.02%
Local Money Market	J\$12.8282	10.06%	6.25%	7.68%

Local Money Market Fund To preserve capital whilst providing lamaican Dollar	Global Fixed Income Funds	Global Diversified Income Fund	Global Equity Fund
	To achieve an attractive total		
providing lamaican Dollar		To provide long-term	To provide long-term capita
	return through capital injection and	investment growth through	growth and risk
(J\$) money market returns	income growth. This is offered	exposure to a diversified	diversification.
	through two separate Funds:	range of asset classes.	
	(i) A Jamaican dollar (J\$) and		
	(ii) A US dollar (US\$) fund.		
To invest in local and global	To invest in regional, sovereign	To invest in fixed income,	To invest in the shares of
money market instruments	debt securities, local and	high dividend yielding stocks,	local and international
for safety and liquidity and	international corporate bonds.	REITs and structured products	companies which offer
yield			strong growth possibilities
			and consistent income
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