

2024-09-11

Weekly Market Report

11 September 2024

USD/ZAR Exchange rate:

| | Last week This week | | % Change in last week | |
|--------------|---------------------|---------|-----------------------|--|
| usd/zar | 17.97 | 17.90 | 0.35 | |
| dollar index | 101.63 | 101.35 | 0.28 | |
| gold | 2495.71 | 2519.43 | 0.95 | |
| Oil brent | 73.97 | 69.92 | 5.48 | |

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The rand is trading at R17.90 against the US dollar 7 cents stronger in the last week. The rand continues to trade against broader market movements following global risk sentiment. Locally manufacturing data released yesterday showed a gain of 1.7% year on year growth for July against a decline of 5.5% for June. Better than expected data as well as no load shedding will start to put pressure on the SARB to start cutting rates sooner than later. All eyes will now move to the releasee of the US CPI figures for August due to be released today. Forecast is a gain of 2.6% against 2.9% for July. The inflation numbers will determine the size of the expected rate cut by the Fed in next week.

Simple Moving averages 50-day R18.05 100-day R18.24 200-day R18.53





Soya bean meal:

Soya bean meal for Sep 2024 is currently trading at 310.6 dollars per short ton sharply down by 9.6 dollars which is 2.85% lower than last week, with forward contracts trading mostly flat. Soya beans are down by 1.45% on the nearby, with forward contracts up by 0.5% on average. Oil is sharply down following crude prices lower by 3.18% on the nearby, with forward contracts trading sharply lower similarly. Higher export demand has pushed prices up over the last 2 weeks; however, this will be pinned against the impending harvest of a very large US crop. Crop conditions for the US bean crop show that 65% is rated good/excellent against 52% last year, with 25% dropping leaves. The market will be keeping a close eye on weather in South America as the extreme dry weather currently doesn't bode well for planting. It is however to soon to start panicking. Tomorrow is also the release of the WASDE report which will also provide some fresh impetus to the market.

Dec 24 is trading at 319.5

Moving averages 50-day 319.6 100-day 337.9 200-day 348.0



| | Sep-24 | Dec-24 * beans Nov 24 | Mar-25 | Sep 2024 % change in the last week | Dec 2024 % change in the last week | Mar 2025 % change in the last week |
|------------|--------|-----------------------|--------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| soya beans | 981,6 | 1001,4 | 1034,4 | 1,45% | 0,60% | 0,40% |
| soya meal | 310,6 | 319,5 | 324,4 | 2,85% | 0,09% | 0,40% |
| soya oil | 40,85 | 39,76 | 40,18 | 3,18% | 2,69% | 2,29% |
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Argentine soya bean meal premiums:

| <u>Arg Premiums</u> | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---------|--------|-------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
| | Sellers | Buyers | change sellers | change buyers | | | |
| Sep 24 | +24 | +22 | 2 | - | | | |
| Oct 24 | +24 | +21 | 4 | 1 | | | |
| Nov 24 | +26 | +21 | 2 | 1 | | | |
| Dec 24 | +26 | +21 | - | - | | | |

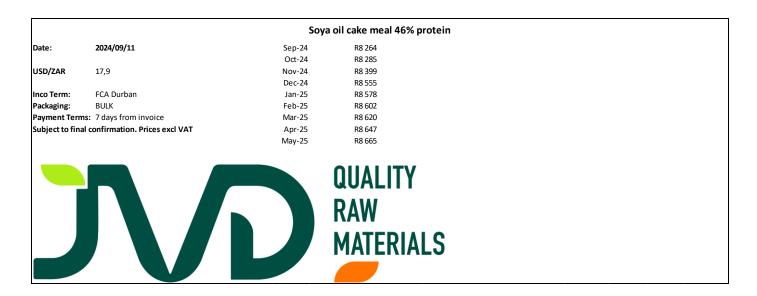
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Freight:

| <u>Freight</u> | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|--------|--|--|--|--|
| | Last week | This week | change | | | | |
| Aug 24 | 48 | 48 | | | | | |
| shipment | 40 | | _ | | | | |
| Sep 24 | 48 | 48 | | | | | |
| shipment | 40 | 40 | _ | | | | |
| Oct 24 | 48 | 48 | | | | | |
| shipment | 40 | 40 | _ | | | | |
| Noc 24 | 48 | 48 | | | | | |
| shipment | 40 | | - | | | | |

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Local meal Price:



Note: Prices above are merely for research purposes

| | last week | this week | change in last week |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|
| Sep-24 | R8 530 | R8 264 | -R266 |
| Oct-24 | R8 551 | R8 285 | -R267 |
| Nov-24 | R8 540 | R8 399 | -R141 |
| Dec-24 | R8 631 | R8 555 | -R77 |
| Jan-25 | R8 655 | R8 578 | -R77 |
| Feb-25 | R8 662 | R8 602 | -R60 |
| Mar-25 | R8 685 | R8 620 | -R65 |
| Apr-25 | R8 712 | R8 647 | -R66 |
| May-25 | R8 750 | R8 665 | -R85 |
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Local market:

| | Sep-24 | Dec-24 | Mar-25 | Sep 2024 change in the last week | Dec 2024 change in the last week | Mar 2025 change in the last week |
|--------------|--------|--------|--------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| White maize | R5 587 | R5 530 | R5 169 | R159 | R144 | R146 |
| Yellow Maize | R4 169 | R4 247 | R4 200 | R186 | R173 | R160 |
| Wheat | R6 194 | R6 061 | R6 209 | R29 | R79 | R74 |
| Sunflower | R9 025 | R9 281 | R9 130 | R80 | R13 | R41 |
| Soya | R8 613 | R8 741 | R8 600 | R182 | R147 | R198 |
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Sep 2024 Yellow maize:

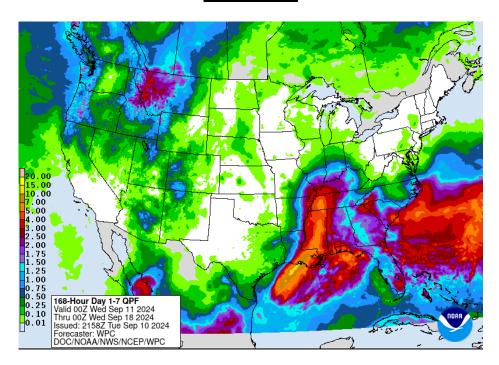
Moving averages

50-day

100-day



Weather:



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Southern Plains:

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Northern Plains:

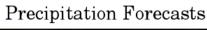
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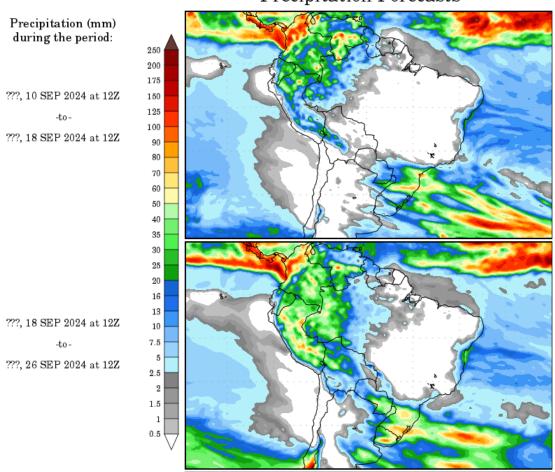
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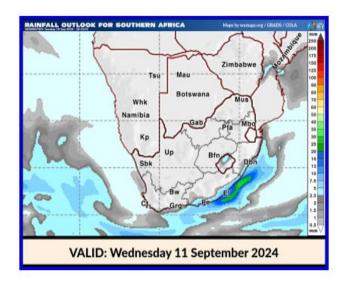
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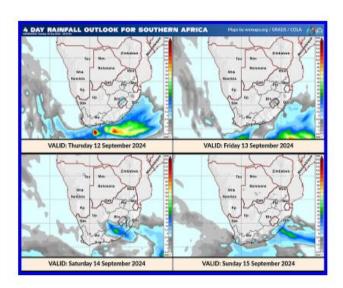
Brazil:

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Argentina:

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South Africa:

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Important Publication dates:

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|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--|--|
| WASDE (World agriculural supply and demand estimates) | 12-Sep | 11-Oct | 08-Nov | 10-Dec | | |
| CEC (Crop estimatre committee) | 26-Sep | 29-Oct | 27-Nov | 19-Dec | | |
| SAGIS (South African Grain Information Service) Monthly Whole Grain Data | 26-Sep | 25-Oct | 26-Nov | 23-Dec | | |
| SAGIS (South African Grain Information Service) Monthly Product Data | | 04-Oct | 01-Nov | 06-Dec | | |