



# **MARKET REVIEW**

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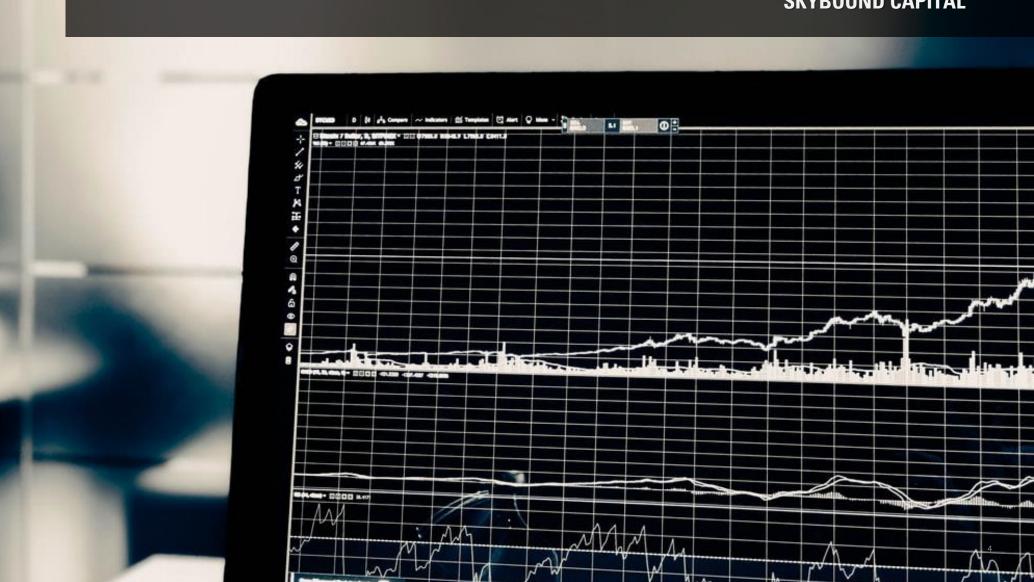


MANY OF LIFE'S FAILURES ARE PEOPLE WHO DID NOT REALIZE HOW CLOSE THEY WERE TO SUCCESS WHEN THEY GAVE UP.

**THOMAS EDISON** 

# **GLOBAL MARKET REVIEW**

**SKYBOUND CAPITAL** 



## MONTHLY REVIEW | GLOBAL OVERVIEW

INTERNATIONAL INDICATORS							
	CLOSE	AUG 2025	JUL 2025	YTD	12 MONTHS	2024	
MSCI World	4,177.72	2.49%	1.23%	12.67%	14.11%	17.00%	
MSCI Emerging Market	1,258.44	1.22%	1.67%	17.01%	14.41%	5.05%	
JP Morgan EMBI	972.16	1.53%	1.18%	8.36%	7.96%	5.73%	
Bloomberg Global Aggregate	496.85	1.45%	-1.49%	7.21%	3.47%	-1.69%	

ASIA							
	CLOSE	AUG 2025	JUL 2025	YTD	12 MONTHS	2024	
Nikkei 225	42,718.47	4.01%	1.44%	7.08%	10.53%	19.22%	
S&P/ASX 200	8,973.08	2.63%	2.35%	9.98%	10.89%	7.49%	
Hang Seng	25,077.62	1.23%	2.91%	25.01%	39.40%	17.67%	
CSI 300	4,496.76	10.33%	3.54%	14.28%	35.39%	14.68%	

UNITED STATES						
S&P 500	6,460.26	1.91%	2.17%	9.84%	14.37%	23.31%
Dow Jones	45,544.88	3.20%	0.08%	7.05%	9.58%	12.88%
Nasdaq Composite	21,455.55	1.58%	3.70%	11.11%	21.12%	28.64%
Russell 2000	2,366.42	7.00%	1.68%	6.11%	6.71%	10.02%

SOUTH AFRICA							
All Share	101,835.60	3.37%	2.17%	21.10%	21.59%	9.37%	
Africa Resource 20	88,257.95	11.63%	5.15%	70.03%	57.34%	-9.78%	
Africa Industrial 25	140,242.30	1.15%	1.13%	18.16%	22.68%	14.43%	
Africa Finance 15	21,773.55	1.00%	1.44%	5.65%	4.02%	15.31%	

EUROPE						
Stoxx Euro 50	5,351.73	0.60%	0.31%	9.31%	7.94%	8.28%
FTSE 100	9,187.34	0.60%	4.24%	12.41%	9.68%	5.69%
DAX 30	23,902.21	-0.68%	0.65%	20.06%	26.42%	18.85%
CAC 40	7,703.90	-0.88%	1.38%	4.38%	0.96%	-2.15%

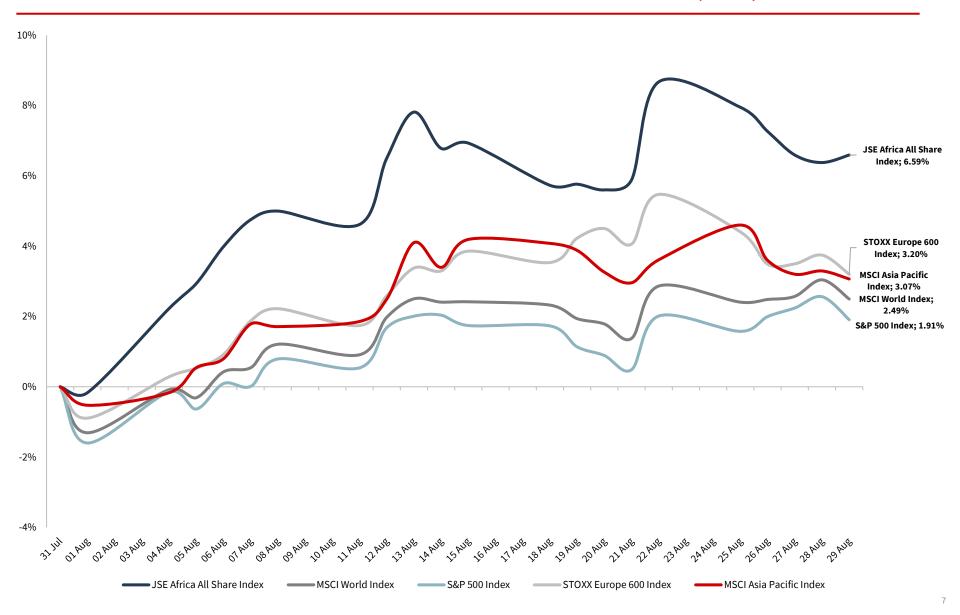
CURRENCIES						
GBP/USD	1.35	2.25%	-3.82%	7.89%	2.87%	-1.69%
EUR/USD	1.17	2.37%	-3.16%	12.88%	5.77%	-6.21%
AUD/USD	0.65	1.79%	-2.37%	5.69%	-3.33%	-9.16%
USD/JPY	147.06	-2.45%	4.67%	-6.45%	0.61%	11.46%

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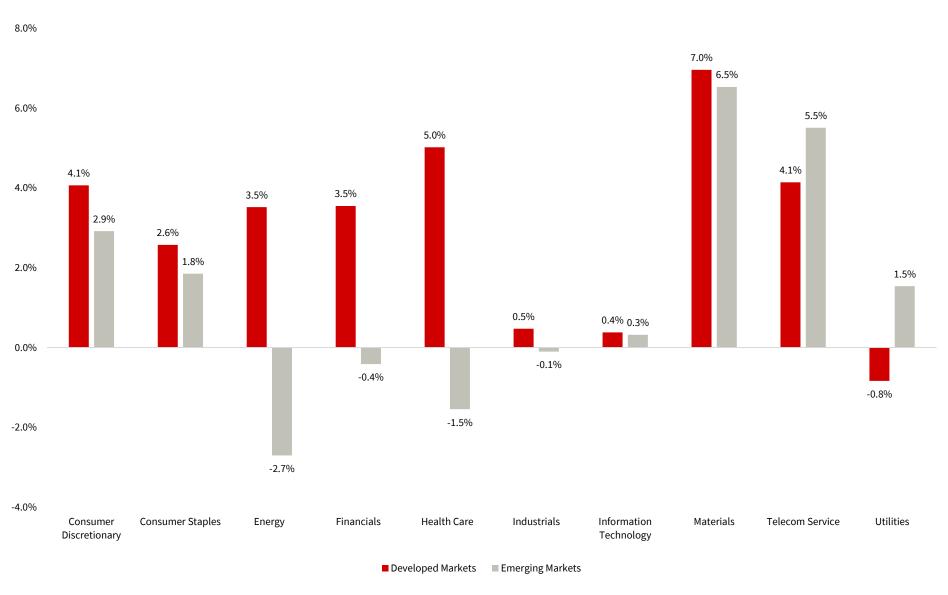
10 YEAR BOND YIELDS								
	CURRENT MONTH YIELD %	PREVIOUS MONTH YIELD (%)	PREVIOUS YEAR YIELD (%)					
United States	4.23	4.37	3.90					
United Kingdom	4.72	4.57	4.02					
Germany	2.72	2.70	2.30					
Japan	1.60	1.56	0.90					
Australia	4.27	4.26	3.97					
South Africa	9.61	9.72	10.61					

GLOBAL INTEREST RATES					
	RATE				
United States Fed Funds Rate	4.25% - 4.50%				
European Central Bank Main Refinancing Rate	2.15%				
Bank of England Rate	4.00%				
Bank of Japan Rate	0.50%				
Reserve Bank of Australia Rate	3.85%				
South Africa Reserve Bank Rate	7.00%				

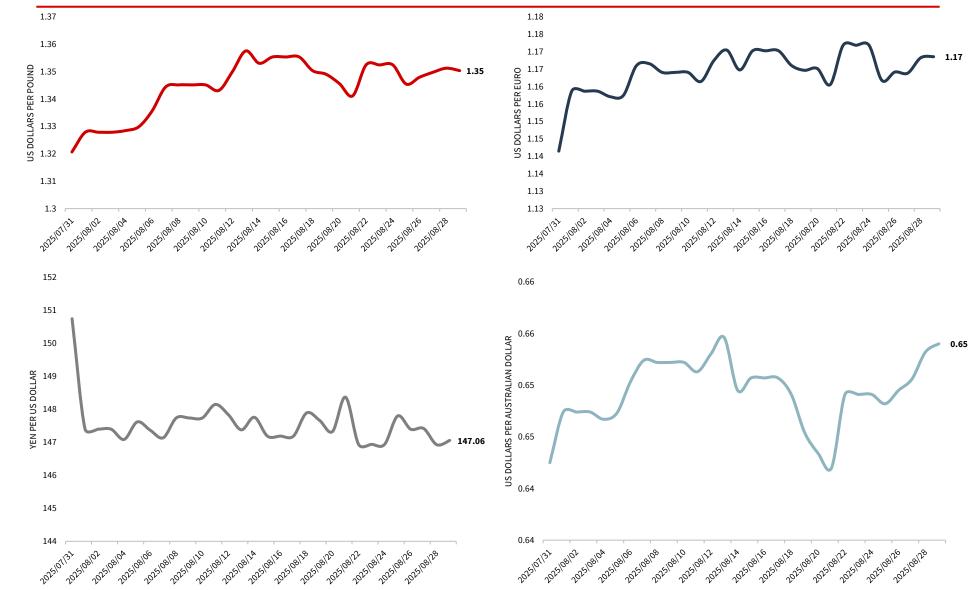
### 1 MONTH NORMALISED % PERFORMANCE (USD)



### **SECTOR PERFORMANCE (USD)**



### MONTHLY REVIEW | PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS (USD VS GLOBAL CURRENCIES)



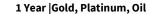
#### **COMMODITIES**

#### Commodities ended the month of August higher, with Oil and Silver leading the gains.

 The Bloomberg Commodity Index reached 102.8 at the end of August, the index tracks 23 commodities.

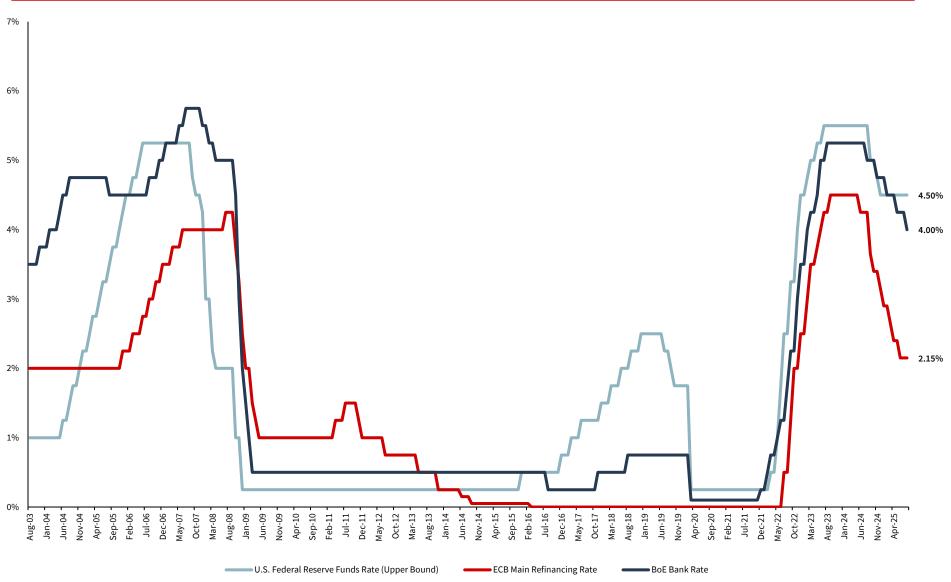
USD	CLOSE	AUG 2025	JUL 2025	YTD	12 MONTHS	2024
Gold	3,447.95	4.80%	-0.40%	31.38%	37.73%	27.22%
Platinum	1,370.90	6.10%	-4.96%	51.06%	47.44%	-8.50%
Silver	1,103.91	-7.93%	8.33%	20.96%	13.85%	-17.05%
Palladium	459.05	3.78%	-14.07%	10.77%	5.83%	3.07%
Copper	39.72	8.19%	1.67%	37.43%	37.60%	21.46%
Aluminium	2,617.55	2.09%	-1.31%	3.20%	7.55%	7.87%
Oil Spot	67.48	-4.69%	8.51%	-6.37%	-8.00%	0.16%
Coal	111.50	-3.17%	4.78%	-10.98%	-23.73%	-14.45%
Natural Gas	3.00	-6.37%	-10.91%	-17.19%	-6.93%	2.39%
Sugar	16.37	0.12%	5.62%	-15.01%	-15.53%	-6.41%
Coffee	396.85	34.16%	-3.57%	24.11%	59.89%	69.81%
Wheat	534.25	-1.52%	-3.13%	-10.74%	-13.48%	-15.60%
Corn	420.25	1.57%	-2.76%	-5.30%	-4.22%	-9.90%







#### **INTEREST RATES**



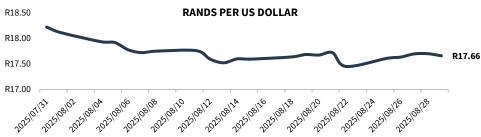
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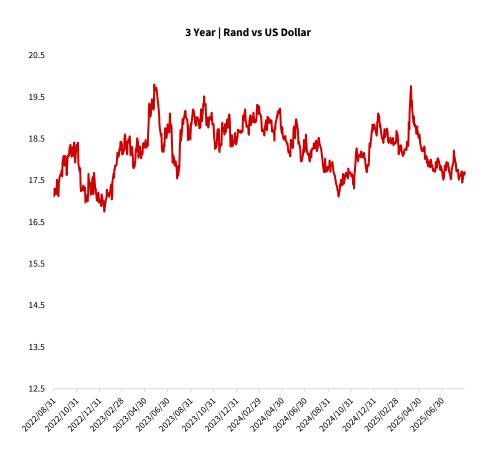
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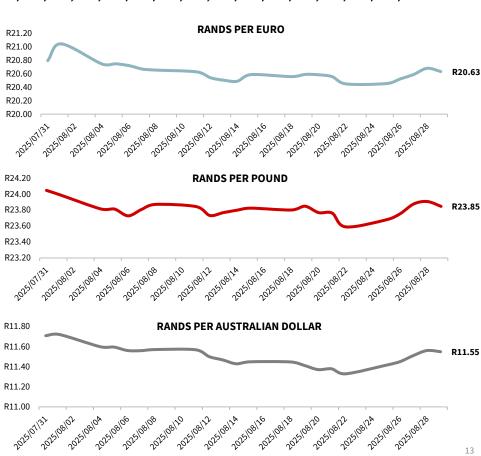


#### **SOUTH AFRICAN RAND**

	CLOSING PRICE	AUG 2025	JUL 2025	YTD	2024
US Dollar / ZAR	R17.66	3.08%	-2.86%	6.30%	-2.62%
Euro/ ZAR	R20.63	0.77%	0.39%	-5.80%	3.36%
Pound / ZAR	R23.85	0.83%	1.08%	-1.22%	-1.16%
AU Dollar / ZAR	R11.55	1.36%	-0.48%	0.92%	6.51%



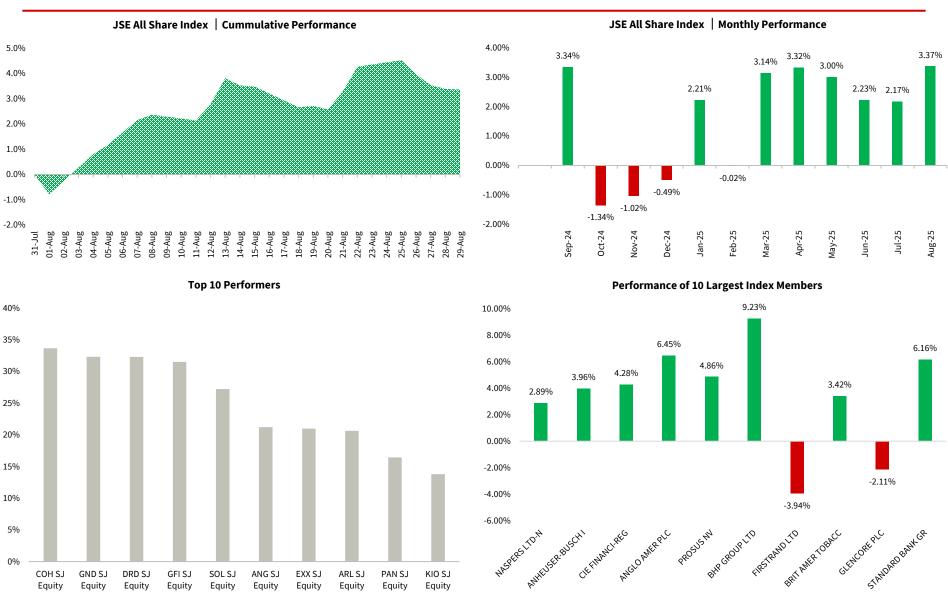




### 5-YEAR JSE PERFORMANCE (ZAR)

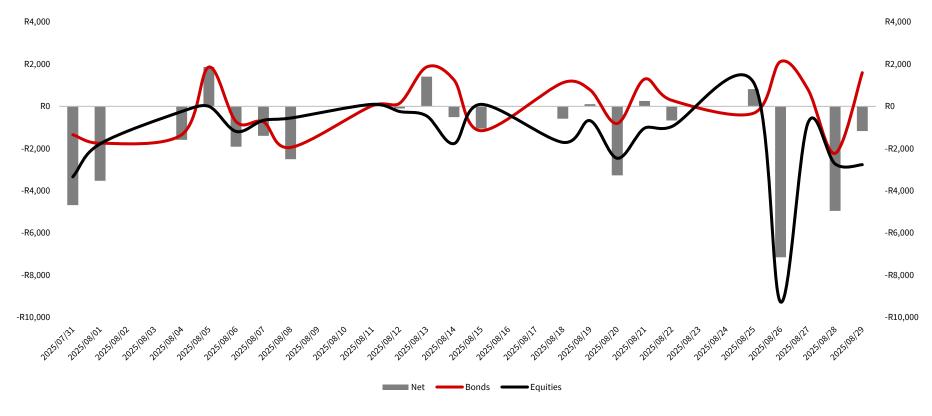


#### **JSE ALL SHARE INDEX**

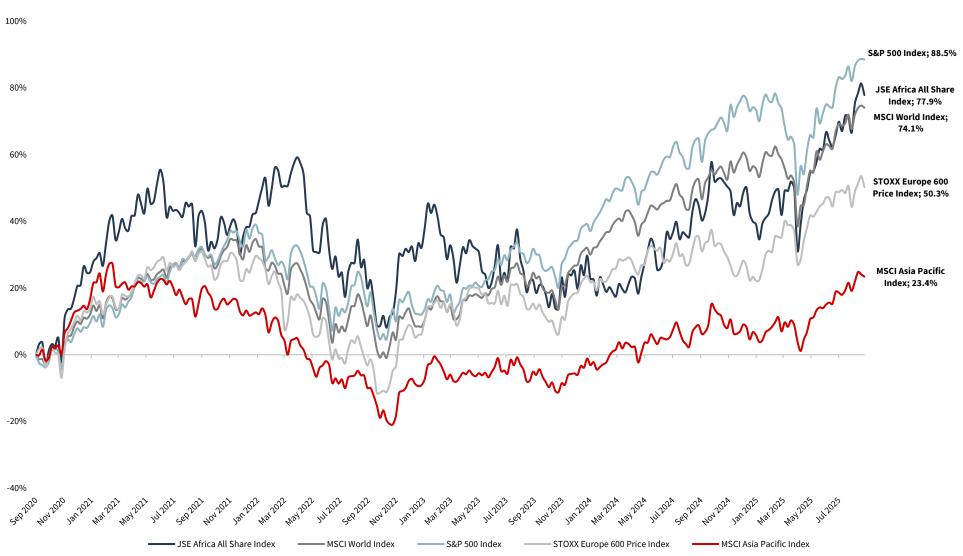


### INTERNATIONAL FLOWS (MILLIONS ZAR)

	LAST PRICE	1-MONTH	YEAR-TO-DATE	1 YEAR
SA Equity Sales to Foreigners	-2,764.60	-31,297.49	-163,500.65	-219,285.83
SA Bond Sales to Foreigners	1,594.53	802.23	-110,376.07	-140,385.07
Net	-1,170.07	-30,495.25	-273,876.72	-359,670.90



### 5-YEAR JSE vs LEADING GLOBAL INDICATORS (USD)

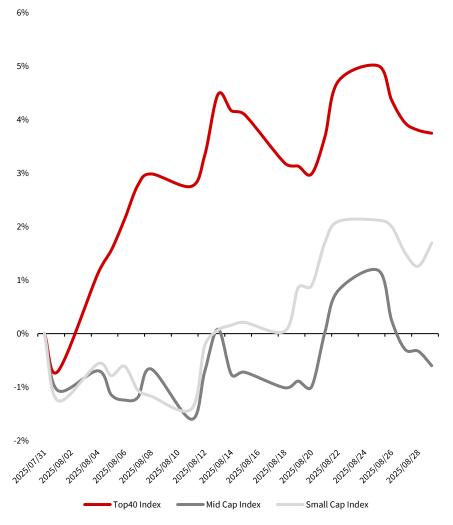


### **LOCAL INDICATORS**

	CLOSE	AUG 2025	JUL 2025	YTD	12 MONTHS	2024
Top40 Index	94,184.64	3.75%	2.28%	24.94%	23.46%	6.93%
Mid Cap Index	99,311.85	-0.60%	3.00%	11.05%	13.19%	11.21%
Small Cap Index	96,858.03	1.69%	2.59%	3.72%	13.11%	28.82%

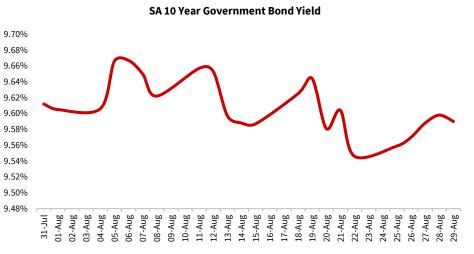
10 Year						
Government	103.58	-0.05%	-0.11%	-0.35%	-1.13%	-0.71%
Bond						
JSE Listed Property	2,725.12	2.80%	4.75%	13.38%	18.10%	28.96%
All Bond Index	1,216.15	0.70%	2.73%	10.30%	15.08%	17.25%

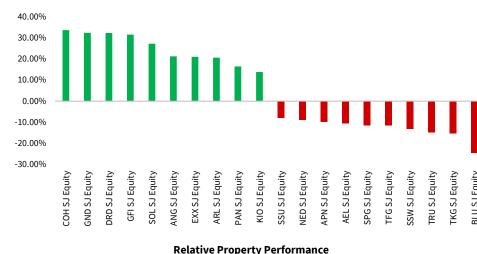
	AUG 2025   Forward P/E	JUL 2025  Forward P/E	AUG 2025  Dividend Yield
Top40 Index	10.61	10.09	0.03
Mid Cap Index	10.09	10.11	0.04
Resources	8.94	7.82	0.03
Industrials	12.88	12.62	0.02
Financials	9.60	9.47	0.06



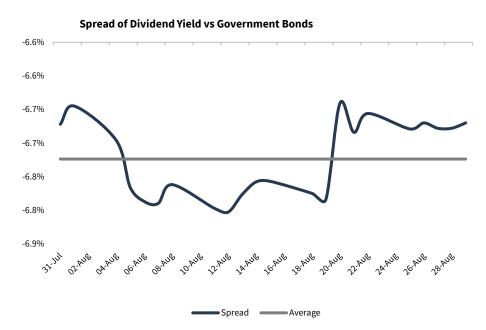
**Market Cap Performancers** 

### MONTHLY REVIEW | SOUTH AFRICAN FIXED INCOME & PROPERTY





**Top & Bottom Performers** 





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