

COMPANY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Results of Annual General Meeting (AGM)



- Engen announced the results of its 2023 AGM where all resolutions were passed by 94.96% or more votes in favour except for the following resolution: To confirm the re-election of S Ndzinge and A Siwawa as Directors. 84.61% voted for, while 15.39% voted against.
- P13.05 (YTD: +14.47%) PE: 78.3 PB: 2.7 D/Y: 19.05% Mkt Cap: P2,084.4mn



Renewal of Cautionary

- Primetime advised unitholders to exercise caution when trading Primetime units as engagements concerning potential acquisition transaction are still ongoing.
- P1.75 (YTD: +9.38%) . PE: 7.1 D/Y: 8.15% Mkt Cap: P442.0mn PB: 0.5

REGIONAL

SOUTH AFRICA

- Sep23 CPI y/y 5.4% v 5.4% (e) v 4.8% (Aug23)
- Aug23 Retail Sales m/m 0.2% v -0.1% (e) v 0.4% (Jul23)
- During the week Eskom implemented a 3-day suspension of loadshedding until Monday evening due to good generation fleet performance.

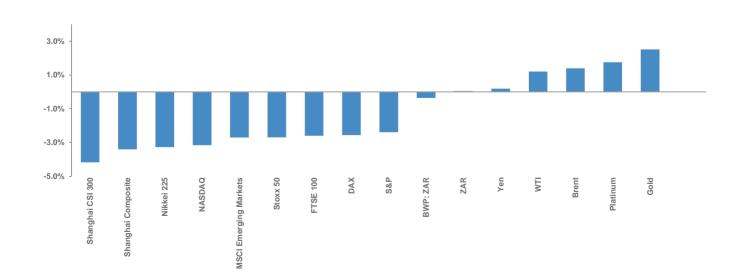
ZAR PERFORMANCE

- The ZAR weakened against the USD on investor pessimism, as the on-going escalation of the conflict between Israel and Hamas fueled a rush towards safe-haven assets.
- ZAR 19.01 (WTD: +0.04%) v 19.00 (13 Oct 23)

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INTERNATIONAL



INTERNATIONAL SNAPSHOT- 20 OCT 23 WEEKLY PERFORMANCE

	 Aug23 Final Industrial Production m/m -0.7% v -1.8% (Jul23) Sep23 National CPI y/y 3.0% v 3.0% (e) v 3.2% (Aug23) Sep23 Trade Balance ¥62.4bn v -¥451.5bn (e) v -¥937.8bn (Aug23) Japanese stocks ended the week in the red as tension in the Middle East intensified and US long-end yields rose after Powell signaled the Fed may hold interest rates steady at the next policy meeting. Nikkei 225: 31,259 (WTD: -3.27%), Yen: 149.86 (WTD: +0.19%)
	 Eurozone Sep23 Final CPI y/y 4.3% v 4.3% (e) v 5.2% (Aug23) France Oct23 Business Confidence 98 v 99 (e) v 100 (Sep23) Germany Sep23 Final PPI y/y -14.7% v -14.1% (e) v -12.6% (Aug23) UK Sep23 CPI y/y 6.7% v 6.6% (e) v 6.7% (Aug23) European markets ended the week in the red amid tensions in the Middle East and the prospect of the Fed holding rates higher-for-longer. DAX: 14,798 (WTD: -2.56%), Stoxx50: 4,025 (WTD: -2.69%), FTSE100: 7,402 (WTD: -2.60%)
*1	 3Q23 GDP q/q 1.3% v 0.9% (e) v 0.5% (2Q23) Sep23 Industrial Production y/y 4.5% v 4.4% (e) v 4.5% (Aug23) The People's Bank of China (PBOC) maintained the one-year loan prime rate and the five-year loan prime rate at 3.45% and 4.20% respectively. Chinese markets closed in the red for the week on rising debt woes for major property developers, whilst the escalating Israeli and Hamas war negatively weighed on investor risk appetite. SHSZ300: 3,511 (WTD: -4.17%), SHCOMP: 2,983 (WTD: -3.40%)
	 14 Oct 23 Initial Jobless Claims 198k v 210k (e) v 211k (7 Oct 23) Sep23 Industrial Production m/m 0.3% v 0.0% (e) v 0.0% (Aug23) Sep23 Retail Sales Advance m/m 0.7% v 0.3% (e) v 0.8% (Aug23) US equities ended the week in the red following growing investor fears of a broader regional conflict in the Middle East as well as surging US bond yields. NASDAQ: 12,984 (WTD: -3.16%), S&P 500: 4,224 (WTD: -2.39%)

COMMODITIES



- △US Crude Inventories -4,491k bbl. (13 Oct 23) v -413k bbl. (e) v 10,176k bbl. (06 Oct 23)
- ∆US Oil Rigs +2; 624 (20 Oct 23) v 622 (13 Oct 23)
- △North American Oil Rigs +7; 822 (20 Oct 23) v 815 (13 Oct 23)
- Oil prices were up for the week as growing concerns of potential supply disruptions amid growing geopolitical risks in the middle East heightened.
- WTI: \$88.75 (WTD: +1.21%)
- Brent Crude: \$92.16 (WTD: +1.40%)



- Precious metals closed the week in the green as the growing Middle East conflict drove investors to safe-haven assets.
 - Gold: \$1,981 (WTD: +2.51%)
- Platinum: \$900 (WTD: +1.75%)

Oil prices increase amid fears of potential supply disruptions, as the Middle East war escalates.



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