

Precious Metals Decline by 4.7%, Raw Materials Fall 3.5%; Energy Jumps 4.4%

In July of 2013, energy prices jumped by 4.4%, while the non-energy commodities eased by 1.4%. Food prices are off by 2.5%, beverages increased by 1.1% while raw materials declined by 3.5%. Metals were flat with 0.9% growth, while precious metals continued their declines easing 4.7%.

Up ↑

Crude; Cocoa, Coffee and Tea

Soybean meal; Bananas US; Beef and Chicken meat; Shrimp

Iron ore

Down ↓

Coal and Natural gas

Coconut oil, Copra; Groundnuts, Groundnut oil; Palm oil, Palmkernel oil; Soybean oil and Soybeans

Barley, Maize, Rice and Wheat; Bananas EU and Oranges

Fishmeal and Sheep meat

Logs, Plywood and Sawnwood; Cotton and Rubber

DAP, Rock phosphate and TSP

Aluminium, Copper, Lead, Nickel and Tin

Gold, Silver and Platinum

Steady ↔

Natural gas US and Europe; Tea Colombo; World Sugar;

Woodpulp; Potassium Chloride and Urea; Zinc



	Monthly averages			Quarterly averages				Annual averages		
	2013			2012		2013		2010	2011	2012
	May	Jun	Jul	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec

Energy

Coal, Australia \$/mt	87.7	82.8	77.3	↓	95.5	89.4	86.9	92.9	86.1	99.0	121.4	96.4
Coal, Colombia \$/mt	73.4	65.6	66.3	↑	82.2	82.7	79.3	79.3	71.3	78.0	111.5	84.0
Coal, South Africa \$/mt	81.8	77.3	72.6	↓	93.5	87.4	85.8	84.7	80.4	91.6	116.3	92.9
Crude oil, avg, spot \$/bbl	99.4	99.7	105.3	↑	102.8	102.8	101.9	105.1	99.3	79.0	104.0	105.0
Crude oil, Brent \$/bbl	103.0	103.1	107.7	↑	108.9	110.0	110.5	112.9	103.0	79.6	110.9	112.0
Crude oil, Dubai \$/bbl	100.3	100.3	103.4	↑	106.2	106.2	107.2	108.0	100.8	78.1	106.0	108.9
Crude oil, West Texas	94.8	95.8	104.7	↑	93.4	92.2	88.1	94.3	94.2	79.4	95.1	94.2
Intermediate \$/bbl												
Natural gas Index 2005=100	120.6	117.2	114.7	↓	106.3	108.0	112.1	114.5	120.9	91.1	107.3	108.2
Natural gas, Europe \$/mmbtu	12.3	11.9	11.6	↔	11.5	11.1	11.7	11.8	12.4	8.3	10.5	11.5
Natural gas, US \$/mmbtu	4.0	3.8	3.6	↔	2.3	2.9	3.4	3.5	4.0	4.4	4.0	2.8
Natural gas LNG, Japan \$/mmbtu	16.2	16.4	17.0	↑	17.1	17.6	15.2	16.2	16.3	10.8	14.7	16.6

Beverages

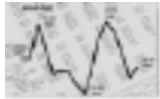
Cocoa ¢/kg	234.3	228.4	230.9	↑	228.2	249.4	245.1	220.9	230.7	313.3	298.0	239.2
Coffee, Arabica ¢/kg	324.5	304.8	305.1	↑	400.4	400.0	357.1	335.5	319.9	432.0	597.6	411.1
Coffee, robusta ¢/kg	218.6	200.1	209.9	↑	231.0	234.1	219.5	227.8	214.3	173.6	240.8	226.7
Tea, auctions (3), average ¢/kg	295.4	283.5	284.3	↑	292.2	308.4	303.6	294.6	289.3	288.5	292.1	289.8
Tea, Colombo auctions ¢/kg	329.2	317.3	317.3	↔	304.7	308.1	319.5	338.4	328.5	329.0	326.4	306.3
Tea, Kolkata auctions ¢/kg	318.4	302.5	307.1	↑	289.9	313.4	291.4	258.1	303.9	280.5	277.9	275.0
Tea, Mombasa auctions ¢/kg	238.8	230.8	228.4	↓	282.0	303.5	300.0	287.3	235.4	256.0	271.9	288.1

Fats and Oils

Coconut oil \$/mt	828.0	895.0	861.0	↓	1187.0	1012.7	843.7	836.7	838.7	1123.6	1730.1	1110.8
Copra \$/mt	556.0	601.0	569.0	↓	793.3	671.7	564.7	553.3	560.0	749.6	1157.3	740.6
Groundnuts \$/mt	1400.0	1400.0	1388.0	↓	2616.7	1858.3	1423.0	1360.3	1400.0	1283.9	2086.2	2174.5
Groundnut oil \$/mt	1867.0	1813.0	1758.0	↓	2548.3	2476.3	2298.0	2002.0	1859.7	1403.9	1988.2	2435.7
Palm oil \$/mt	849.0	860.0	833.0	↓	1088.3	993.0	809.3	852.7	850.3	900.8	1125.4	999.3
Palmkernel oil \$/mt	827.0	854.0	836.0	↓	1242.3	1019.7	813.0	824.3	836.3	1184.2	1648.3	1110.3
Soybean meal \$/mt	543.0	558.0	563.0	↑	487.7	630.3	586.7	531.0	528.3	378.4	398.0	524.1
Soybean oil \$/mt	1073.0	1041.0	995.0	↓	1236.0	1258.0	1157.7	1160.3	1069.7	1004.6	1299.3	1226.3
Soybeans \$/mt	497.0	524.0	509.0	↓	571.7	672.0	604.3	566.3	505.3	449.8	540.7	591.4

Grains

Barley \$/mt	229.8	229.9	214.0	↓	237.8	258.4	249.3	239.5	229.7	158.4	207.2	240.3
Maize \$/mt	295.5	298.4	279.5	↓	270.2	328.6	317.2	305.0	291.3	185.9	291.7	298.4
Rice, Thailand, 5% \$/mt	543.5	524.3	509.0	↓	582.8	568.3	558.4	562.1	541.6	488.9	543.0	563.0
Rice, Thailand, 25% \$/mt	508.8	483.8	457.5	↓	..	547.9	530.8	537.9	509.4	441.5	506.0	..
Rice, Thailand, A1 \$/mt	510.8	492.0	464.8	↓	545.4	513.3	521.2	532.5	511.1	383.7	458.6	525.1



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Rice, Vietnam, 5% \$/mt	386.8	385.9	387.7	↑ 428.7	433.6	438.6	401.5	387.8	429.2	513.6	434.4
Sorghum \$/mt	273.6	236.8	220.0	↓ 259.4	273.4	285.4	292.0	259.9	165.4	268.7	271.9
Wheat, Canada \$/mt	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	312.4	439.6	..
Wheat, US, HRW \$/mt	319.7	313.4	304.6	↓ 269.0	349.5	355.7	321.4	313.8	223.6	316.3	313.2
Wheat, US SRW \$/mt	279.3	268.2	260.9	↓ 251.8	333.4	337.3	297.6	275.2	229.7	285.9	295.4
Other Food											
Bananas, EU \$/mt	1054.0	1060.0	998.2	↓ 1171.2	982.3	1102.8	1095.7	1072.4	1002.2	1124.7	1099.7
Bananas, US \$/mt	909.4	909.8	923.2	↑ 979.2	959.9	944.5	929.6	907.2	868.3	968.0	984.0
Fishmeal \$/mt	1816.0	1800.0	1726.0	↓ 1481.3	1676.7	1775.7	1868.7	1821.0	1687.5	1537.4	1558.3
Meat, beef ¢/kg	419.8	386.5	390.2	↑ 413.0	400.1	419.1	427.1	410.8	335.1	404.2	414.2
Meat, chicken ¢/kg	229.5	232.7	234.6	↑ 207.1	209.7	213.2	221.0	229.4	189.2	192.6	207.9
Meat, sheep ¢/kg	542.7	550.2	539.1	↓ 618.3	587.5	586.2	553.2	545.5	531.4	663.1	609.1
Oranges \$/mt	1057.0	1148.5	1132.1	↓ 843.8	995.5	861.9	825.9	1062.0	1033.2	891.1	868.0
Shrimp, Mexico ¢/kg	1146.4	1377.9	1441.8	↑ 977.4	970.0	1023.9	1126.2	1223.6	1004.5	1193.1	1006.5
Sugar, EU domestic ¢/kg	42.4	43.1	42.8	↓ 41.9	40.9	42.4	43.1	42.7	44.2	45.5	42.0
Sugar, US domestic ¢/kg	43.0	42.3	42.4	↔ 66.6	61.5	50.5	46.4	43.4	79.2	83.9	63.6
Sugar, World ¢/kg	38.9	37.7	37.1	↔ 47.1	46.8	43.3	40.9	38.6	46.9	57.3	47.5
Timber											
Logs, Cameroon \$/cum	454.2	462.0	458.3	↓ 452.6	436.2	453.2	456.2	457.4	428.6	484.8	451.4
Logs, Malaysia \$/cum	294.8	306.0	298.8	↓ 361.0	355.1	352.7	322.5	301.8	278.2	390.5	360.5
Plywood ¢/sheets	540.7	561.3	548.0	↓ 609.9	607.1	611.5	591.6	553.5	569.1	607.5	610.3
Sawnwood, Cameroon \$/cum	732.5	742.6	727.7	↓ 760.7	755.2	765.9	740.7	736.2	812.7	825.8	759.3
Sawnwood, Malaysia \$/cum	833.2	844.6	827.7	↓ 883.8	864.3	874.4	845.2	837.4	848.3	939.4	876.3
Woodpulp \$/mt	817.0	832.0	832.0	↔ 786.8	735.2	748.2	784.0	818.7	866.8	899.6	762.8
Other Raw Materials											
Cotton A Index ¢/kg	204.3	205.2	204.2	↓ 198.9	185.6	180.9	198.2	204.3	228.3	332.9	196.7
Rubber, RSS3 ¢/kg	303.8	281.0	256.3	↓ 359.1	297.0	309.6	315.6	290.5	365.4	482.3	337.7
Rubber, TSR20 ¢/kg	251.3	232.6	224.3	↓ 330.1	275.0	288.3	296.3	244.6	338.1	451.9	315.6
Fertilizers											
DAP \$/mt	485.1	476.1	460.0	↓ 545.2	565.0	532.3	491.6	489.8	500.7	618.9	539.8
Phosphate rock \$/mt	165.0	165.0	157.0	↓ 179.4	183.3	185.0	173.0	166.3	123.0	184.9	185.9
Potassium chloride \$/mt	393.0	392.5	392.5	↔ 461.3	464.8	430.1	390.8	392.3	331.9	435.3	459.0
TSP \$/mt	423.0	420.0	408.0	↓ 470.4	485.0	452.2	435.0	426.0	381.9	538.3	462.0
Urea, E. Europe, bulk \$/mt	344.4	321.4	321.5	↔ 470.0	381.3	383.0	396.6	342.4	288.6	421.0	405.4
Metals and Minerals											
Aluminum \$/mt	1832.0	1814.5	1769.6	↓ 1982.5	1928.6	2003.3	2000.3	1836.1	2173.1	2401.4	2023.3
Copper \$/mt	7249.4	7000.2	6906.6	↓ 7889.4	7729.2	7913.2	7918.0	7161.3	7534.8	8828.2	7962.3
Iron ore \$/dmt	124.4	114.8	127.2	↑ 139.6	111.6	120.9	148.5	125.5	145.9	167.8	128.5
Lead ¢/kg	203.3	210.0	204.8	↓ 197.9	198.7	220.1	229.0	205.3	214.8	240.1	206.5
Nickel \$/mt	14948.0	14280.0	13750.0	↓ 17186.0	16384.0	16984.0	17296.0	14967.0	21809.0	22910.0	17548.0
Tin ¢/kg	2077.6	2026.7	1956.4	↓ 2062.6	1936.3	2160.9	2401.8	2090.2	2040.6	2605.4	2112.6
Zinc ¢/kg	183.2	183.9	183.8	↔ 193.2	189.2	195.2	202.9	184.2	216.1	219.4	195.0
Precious Metals											
Gold \$/toz	1414.0	1343.4	1285.5	↓ 1612.3	1656.5	1717.7	1630.8	1415.1	1224.7	1569.2	1669.5
Platinum \$/toz	1475.2	1430.2	1401.5	↓ 1500.1	1500.9	1598.1	1632.1	1466.2	1609.8	1719.5	1550.8
Silver ¢/toz	2303.8	2110.9	1971.0	↓ 2941.0	2994.7	3261.2	3006.0	2316.7	2015.3	3522.4	3113.7

\$ = US dollar; ¢ = US cent; bbl = barrel; cum = cubic meter; dmtu = Dry Metric Ton Unit; kg = kilogram; mmbtu = million British thermal units; mt = metric ton; toz = troy oz; n.a. = not available; n.q. = no quotation