## WEEKLY MARKETS DIGEST

**Ghana & Global Markets** 



July 1st, 2019

MACROECONOMIC INDICATORS	
Ghana projected GDP Growth Rate 2019	7.8%
Ghana GDP Growth rate for Quarter 1 2019	6.7%
Ghana Credit ratings (Fitch, S&P and Moody's) (Stable outlook)	B, B, B3
Central Bank Policy Rate	16.00%
Daily Interbank Interest Rate	15.2%
Inflation for May 2019	9.4%
Inflation Target for 2019	9.8%

GHANA GOVERNMENT FOREIGN ISSUED BOND						
EUROBONDS						
DESCRIPTION	CURRENCY	COUPON %	MATURITY			
6-Yr	USD	9.25	9/15/2022			
7-Yr	USD	7.875	3/26/2027			
10-Yr	USD	7.88	5/16/2029			
15-Yr	USD	10.75	10/14/2030			
30-Yr	USD	8.627	5/16/2049			
31-yr	USD	8.95	3/26/2051			

### **MARKET NEWS**

# Oil Production Output Falls, OPEC to extend Output cut

Crude Production in June dropped to 30 barrels a day as U.S. Sanctions further curtailed Iranian shipment and Saudi Arabia secures an agreement with Russia to extend output for as much as nine months. Since Russia and Saudi's agreement, other nations have voiced their support for an extension into next year as they grapple with surging U.S shale output and weakening growth in demand.

#### **US-China Trade Truce Likely to Ease Rate Cut Bets**

Investors are likely to ease bets on the Federal Reserve's path of interest-rate cut as a truce in the U.S.-China trade war ease concerns over the outlook for global growth.

# **Ghana's Cocoa Output Drops to 3-Year Low**

Ghana's main-crop cocoa harvest fell 6% to a 3-year low after bad weather and crop disease hampered the crop. The country harvested 776,418 tons of the main crop at the recent harvest which ended May 30 and its likely to miss its September 50,000 tons estimate. Because of the reduced supply, processors have turned to sourcing beans from top producer lyory Coast.

**GLOBAL CURRENCIES** 

	ENERGY							
INDEX	UNITS	CURRENT CLOSING	PREV CLOSING	WEEKLY CHANGE	%CHANGE	TIME (EDT)		
WTI Crude Oil (Nymex)	USD/bbl	58.47	57.43	1.04	1.81%	6/28/2019		
Brent Crude (ICE)	USD/bbl	64.74	65.2	-0.46	-0.71%	6/28/2019		
RBOB Gasoline (Nymex)	USD/gal	189.66	185.61	4.05	2.18%	6/28/2019		
Natural Gas (Nymex)	USD/MME	2.31	2.19	0.12	5.48%	6/28/2019		
Heating Oil (Nymex)	USD/gal	193.94	191.58	2.36	1.23%	6/28/2019		
		N	IETALS					
INDEX	UNITS	CURRENT CLOSING	PREV CLOSING	WEEKLY CHANGE	%CHANGE	TIME (EDT)		
Gold (Comex)	USD/t oz.	1,413.70	1,400.10	13.60	0.97%	6/28/2019		
Gold Spot	USD/t oz.	1,409.55	1,399.63	9.92	0.71%	6/28/2019		
Silver (Comex)	USD/t oz.	15.34	15.37	-0.03	-0.20%	6/28/2019		
Copper (Comex)	USD/lb	271.35	270.4	0.95	0.35%	6/28/2019		
Platinum Spot	USD/t oz	834.75	809.88	24.87	3.07%	6/28/2019		
		AGR	ICULTURE					
Grains								
INDEX	UNITS	CURRENT CLOSING	PREV CLOSING	WEEKLY CHANGE	%CHANGE	TIME (EDT)		
Corn (CBOT)	USd/bu.	431.5	453.5	-22.00	-4.85%	6/28/2019		
Wheat (CBOT)	USd/bu.	527.25	530.75	-3.50	-0.66%	6/28/2019		
Oats (CBOT)	USd/bu.	276.5	276.5	0.00	0.00%	6/28/2019		
Rough Rice (CBOT)	USD/cwt	11.58	11.64	-0.06	-0.52%	6/28/2019		
Soybean (CBOT)	USd/bu.	923	927.5	-4.50	-0.49%	6/28/2019		
Soybean Meal (CBOT)	USD/T.	322.9	324.2	-1.30	-0.40%	6/28/2019		
Soybean Oil (CBOT)	USd/lb.	28.83	29.07	-0.24	-0.83%	6/28/2019		
Canola (ICE)	CAD/MT	455.9	467.3	-11.40	-2.44%	6/28/2019		
SOFT								
INDEX	UNITS	CURRENT CLOSING	PREV CLOSING	WEEKLY CHANGE	%CHANGE	TIME (EDT)		
Cocoa (ICE)	USD/MT	2,425.00	2,502.00	-77.00	-3.08%	6/28/2019		
Coffee 'C' (ICE)	USd/lb.	109.45	100.65	8.80	8.74%	6/28/2019		
Sugar #11 (ICE)	USd/lb.	12.62	12.48	0.14	1.12%	6/28/2019		
Orange Juice (ICE)	USd/lb.	104.05	103.3	0.75	0.73%	6/28/2019		
Cotton #2 (ICE)	USd/lb.	66.08	65.56	0.52	0.79%	6/28/2019		
Lumber (CME)	USD/1000	375.1	403.2	-28.10	-6.97%	6/28/2019		
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CURRENCY	CURRENT CLC		PREV CLOSING	WEEKLY CHANGE	NET CHANGE	TIME (EDT)
EUR-USD		1.1369	1.1208		1.44%	6/28/2019
USD-JPY		107.32	108.56		-1.14%	6/28/2019
GBP-USD		1.2737	1.2589		1.18%	6/28/2019
AUD-USD		0.6927	0.6872 1.3414		0.80%	6/28/2019
USD-CAD		1.3222			-1.43%	6/28/2019
USD-CHF		0.9765		-0.0225	-2.25%	6/28/2019
EUR-JPY		121.99		0.3000	0.25%	6/28/2019
EUR-GBP		0.8922		0.0018	0.20%	6/28/2019
USD-HKD		7.8136		-0.0143	-0.18%	6/28/2019
EUR-CHF		1.1102		-0.0094	-0.84%	6/28/2019
USD-KRW		1,163.75	1,185.17	-21.4200	-1.81%	6/28/2019
AFRICAN C	URRENCIE	S				
USD-ZAR		14.0869		-0.2477	-1.73%	6/28/2019
USD-GHS		5.4675		0.0075	0.14%	6/28/2019
USD-NGN		360.2500		0.0000	0.00%	6/28/2019
USD-KES		102.3000		0.4200	0.41%	6/28/2019
		GI	OBAL BONI	D YIELDS		
NAME	COUPON %		RENT WK YIELD %	PREV WK YIELD %	CHANGE %	TIME (EDT)
US 3-MONTH	0.00		2.09	2.11	-0.01	6/28/2019
US 2-YR	1.63	1.76		1.77		6/28/2019
US 5-YR	1.75	1.77		1.79		6/28/2019
US 10-YR	2.38	2.01		2.06		6/28/2019
US 30-YR	2.88	2.53		2.58		6/28/2019
UK GILT 2-YR	1.50			0.60		6/28/2019
UK GILT 5-YR	1.00	0.63		0.63		6/28/2019
UK Gilt 10-YR	1.63	0.83		0.84		6/28/2019
UK Gilt 10-1K	1.50	1.47		1.45		6/28/2019
OK GITE 30°TK	1.50		1.47	1.40	0.01	0/ 20/ 2013
	GHAN/	A LOC	CAL BONE	COUPON	RATES	

CURRENCY

USD

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**COUPON %** 

6.25

19.70

19.75

21.00

16.25

17.50

19.75

**MATURITY** 

11/1/2020

5/23/2022

4/15/2024 1/27/2025

4/7/2025

5/29/2028

3/15/2032

Source: Bloomberg

USD/gal.

1.53

1.58

-0.05

-3.16%

Ethanol (CBOT)

6/28/2019

BOND

3-Yr

3-Yr

5-Yr

6-yr

7-YR

10-Yr

15-Yr