

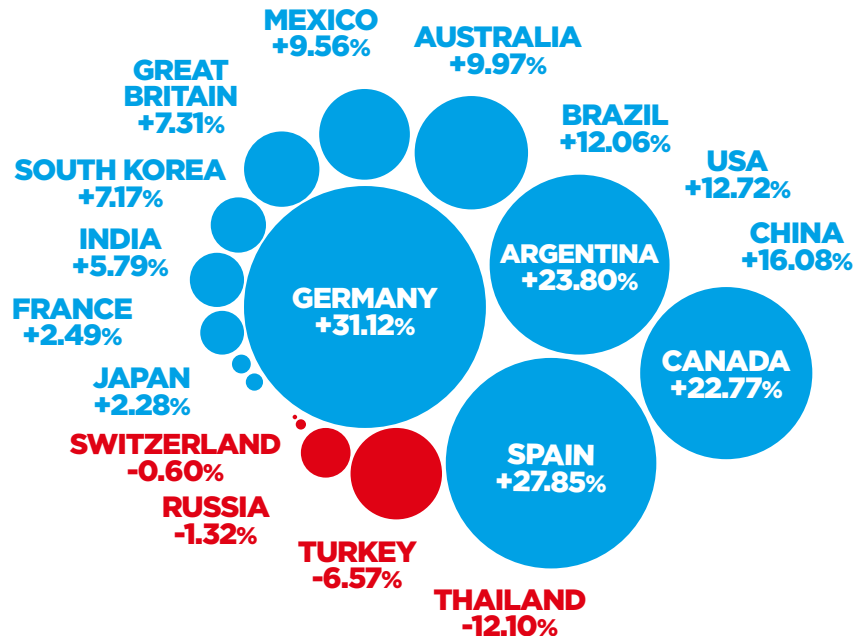
Dear Reader, we trust you are already well informed about most of the items you encounter here, but, browsing the headlines below, you might stumble across something new that interests you. If you do, this letter has served its purpose. Have fun browsing!

## Biggest Winners and Losers in June 2025

<b>Stocks S. Korea</b> (Index in local currency) <b>+15.35%</b>	<b>Stocks Argentina</b> (Index in local currency) <b>-12.47%</b>
<b>Oil</b> (Raw materials, in USD) <b>+15.03%</b>	<b>Currency Turkey</b> (TRY/EUR) <b>-5.33%</b>
<b>Stocks Turkey</b> (Index in local currency) <b>+10.30%</b>	<b>Stocks Thailand</b> (Index in local currency) <b>-5.02%</b>
<b>Silver</b> (Index in local currency) <b>+9.43%</b>	<b>Currency Russia</b> (RUB/EUR) <b>-4.57%</b>

## Fluctuations of Stock Exchange Indices during 1 year period

30.06.2024 - 30.06.2025 (in local currencies)

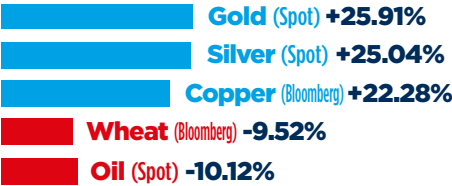


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Price fluctuations of Commodities and Currencies 2024-2025

Year to Date  
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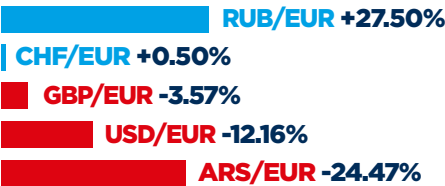
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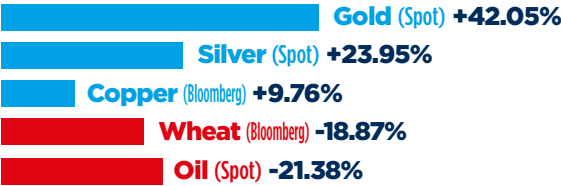


Currencies



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Raw materials indices (in USD)



Currencies



Selection of global news events

June 1, 2025	National-conservative Nawrocki wins the run-off presidential election in Poland
	Ukraine war: Second round of negotiations between Russia and Ukraine in Istanbul ends without results, as expected
June 3, 2025	The centre-left candidate Lee Jae-myung wins the presidential election in Seoul, Korea
June 4, 2025	Netherlands: Wilders party leaves government in asylum dispute
June 6, 2025	German Chancellor Merz visits President Trump in Washington
June 10, 2025	USA: Secretary of Health and Human Services Kennedy Jr. dismisses the entire CDC advisory board
	Graz/Austria: A rampage occurs at the Dreierschützengasse secondary school, killing at least eleven people
June 11, 2025	Argentina: Ex-President Kirchner sentenced to prison
June 12, 2025	Plane crashes over the western Indian city of Ahmedabad, 241 victims and one survivor

## Selection of global news events

June 13, 2025	Israeli attack on Iran, many military personnel and researchers targeted and killed
June 16, 2025	Israel-Iran war: rocket attacks on Tel Aviv and Haifa
June 18, 2025	Iran fires hypersonic missiles at Israel, against which there are few defenses
June 24, 2025	Donald Trump announces ceasefire between Israel and Iran
25 June 2025	France: After extreme heat, two people are killed in severe storms with gusts of wind of up to 120 kilometers per hour
1 July 2025	USA lifts sanctions against Syria
	Denmark takes over the EU Council Presidency in the second half of 2025
	Frankfurt am Main: The Anti-Money Laundering Authority begins its work
July 2, 2025	Thailand's Prime Minister suspended by the Constitutional Court
July 3, 2025	Germany: No electricity tax cut for citizens
July 4, 2025	Trump's 'Big Beautiful Bill' is passed in Congress
	Rome/Italy: 45 people are injured, some seriously, in a petrol station explosion in eastern Rome. Apparently a truck had previously crashed into a pipeline.
July 6, 2025	17th summit of the BRICS association of states in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
July 8, 2025 Texas:	Many dead due to flood disaster
	Elon Musk announces the founding of his own party: "America Party"

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## Upcoming significant events

September 8, 2025 Parliamentary elections in Norway  
September 14, 2025 Local elections in NRW  
October 2025 Parliamentary elections in the Czech Republic  
November 2025 G20 summit in South Africa

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## Potential risks to keep an eye on:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dangers of war, danger of a world war (e.g. takeover of Taiwan by China)</li><li>• Energy blackouts or brownouts</li><li>• Cash ban, special taxes,</li><li>• Disruptive technologies, e.g. in the field of quantum computers, cyber attacks</li><li>• Liability of the German state for the debts of eurozone countries, Target balances, European transfer union</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• (Hyper)inflation, interest rate hikes</li><li>• State bankruptcies, state collapses, mass unemployment, bad loans from banks, wave of bankruptcies at 'zombie companies', financial crisis, bursting of asset bubbles</li><li>• Pandemics, lockdowns, disruption of global supply chains, energy crisis</li><li>• Migration waves</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Natural disasters (earthquakes....), man-made environmental disasters, environmental pollution (e.g. plastic particles in the sea), water shortages Migration of peoples (migration), famine disasters</li><li>• Black swans (e.g. pandemics, "monster waves/cavengers", volcanic eruptions, earthquakes, wars/weapons of mass destruction, civil wars/insurrections/unrest)</li></ul> |
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*“Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.”*  
**Thomas Jefferson (1743-1826)**

### **A brief history of the gold standard**

<https://alasdairmacleod.substack.com/p/a-brief-history-of-the-gold-standard-adc?>

### **Trump's Trade Trilemma**

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### **The Optimal Supply of Money: A Simple Argument**

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### **Martin Armstrong Interview: Central Banks Trapped, Confiscation in EU, China New Financial Capital**

<https://www.armstrongeconomics.com/armstrong-in-the-media/interview-central-banks-trapped-confiscation-un-eu-china-new-financial-capital/?>

### **Gold/Silver Ratio Signaling Rapid Reversal & Recession Coming**

<https://www.lewrockwell.com/2025/05/mark-thorntory/gold-silver-ratio-signaling-rapid-reversal-recession-coming/>

### **Iran: No Enrichment Means No Deal**

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### **‘Tyranny in Disguise’: Will Democracy Survive in Europe?**

<https://www.gatestoneinstitute.org/21652/democracy-tyranny-europe>

### **Will Russia Inevitably Reconcile With The EU & Ukraine Like Putin Predicts?**

[https://www.lewrockwell.com/2025/05/no\\_author/will-russia-inevitably-reconcile-with-the-eu-ukraine-like-putin-predicts/](https://www.lewrockwell.com/2025/05/no_author/will-russia-inevitably-reconcile-with-the-eu-ukraine-like-putin-predicts/)

### **Interest Rates Rise Again as Treasury Auction Comes Up Short**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/interest-rates-rise-again-treasury-auction-comes-short?>

### **The Spanish Blackout and the Costs of Renewable Energy**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/spanish-blackout-and-costs-renewable-energy?>

### **Revisiting Halford Mackinder's ‘Round World’**

[https://www.realclearhistory.com/articles/2019/10/24/revisiting\\_mackinders\\_round\\_world\\_459.html](https://www.realclearhistory.com/articles/2019/10/24/revisiting_mackinders_round_world_459.html)

### **30 Trillion Dollars Debt in 30 Years**

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### **Relearning the Lessons We Never Learned from World War I**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/relearning-lessons-we-never-learned-world-war-i?>

### **Bitcoin**

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### **From Leninism to Social Democracy: A Guide to Socialist Models**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/leninism-social-democracy-guide-socialist-models?>

### **Video: The Theory of Banking**

[https://www.lewrockwell.com/2025/05/no\\_author/the-theory-of-banking/](https://www.lewrockwell.com/2025/05/no_author/the-theory-of-banking/)

### **MMT's Barely-Hidden Totalitarian Bias**

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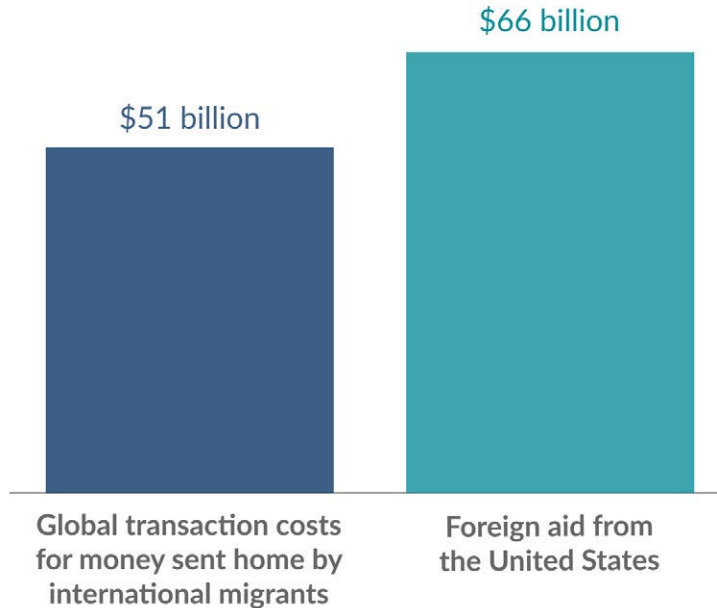
### **Mercantilism in America: The Trouble with Self-Sufficiency**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/mercantilism-america-trouble-self-sufficiency?>

### **Gaza ,Worse Than a Crime, a Mistake‘**

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## MIGRANTS ALMOUST PAID MORE IN INTERNATIONAL FEES TO SEND MONEY HOME THAN US AID IN 2023



**Note:** Foreign aid here means net official development assistance.

**Data source:** OECD (2024), World Bank (2025)

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### There Is Only One Way To Eradicate Mexico's Drug Cartels

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### Rethinking US-China Relations After the Tariffs Shipwreck

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### Playing with Fire: Money, Banking, and the Federal Reserve

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### Moody's US Downgrade AAA to AA1

<https://www.armstrongeconomics.com/armstrongeconomics101/economics/moodys-downgrade-aaa-to-aa1/?>

### MI5's Fake Terror Plots

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### **Petrodollar Conspiracy**

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### **Why America Doesn't Need „Allies“**

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### **For a New Liberty: The Libertarian Manifesto**

<https://mises.org/online-book/new-liberty-libertarian-manifesto/chapter-9-inflation-and-business-cycle/collapse-keynesian-paradigm>

### **Homeschooling Is Our Best Defense Against the State**

<https://mises.org/mises-wire/homeschooling-our-best-defense-against-state?>

### **«Rogue» Devices Found Hidden In Chinese Solar Panels Could «Destroy The Grid»**

<https://www.zerohedge.com/geopolitical/rogue-devices-found-hidden-chinese-solar-panels-could-destroy-grid?>

### **Rules and Sanctions: Boundary between Freedom and Despotism**

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### **The Dollar Has Lost 99% of Its Value**

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### **The Fed Admits It Doesn't Know Anything**

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### **Tariffs Won't Ever Be “Optimal”**

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### **DOGE, Deficits, and the Coming Financial Earthquake**

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### **The Classical Liberals Were Radical Opponents of War and Militarism**

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### **To Make Flying Safe, Make Air Traffic Control a Profit-Seeking Business**

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### **Michael von der Schulenburg, Hajo Funke, Harald Kujat – Peace For Ukraine**

<https://braveneweuropa.com/michael-von-der-schulenburg-hajo-funke-harald-kujat-peace-for-ukraine>

### **India and Pakistan: Between Lies, War, and Dysfunction**

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### **The Tragedy of War**

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### **Wealth Generation and the Market Economy**

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### **The Trump Administration's Biggest Wins and Biggest Fails So Far**

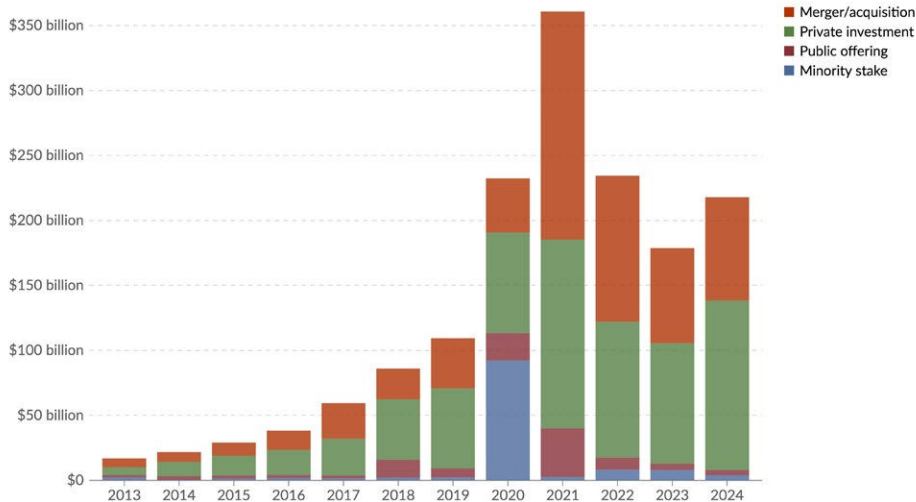
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## ANNUAL GLOBAL CORPORATE INVESTMENT IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE BY TYPE

### Annual global corporate investment in artificial intelligence, by type

This data is expressed in US dollars, adjusted for inflation.

Our World  
in Data



Data source: Quid via AI Index Report (2025); U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (2025)

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Note: Data is expressed in constant 2021 US\$. Inflation adjustment is based on the US Consumer Price Index (CPI).

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### Reflections on the Vietnam War

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### Why Elon Musk Is Right: The Case Against Subsidizing Amtrak

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### The Political Business Cycle 50 Years Later

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### Third-Party Mediation Between Russia & Ukraine Is Approaching Its Limits

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### Nationalist Wins Polish Presidency After Nod From Trump

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### Regime Uncertainty and the Trump New Deal

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### Memorial Day: It's Not About the Dead Soldiers but About Glorifying War

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### The Economics of Obamacare—Next Round

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### Martin Armstrong Interview in Alberta About Separation

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### Interview With James Patrick: The Great Taking

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### Is Trump's Axis of the Plutocrats Marginalizing Israel?

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### Tucker Carlson Interview with Senator Ron Johnson: What's Really in the 'Big Beautiful Bill' and Uncovering the Truth About 9-11

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### The Problem Is the Weaponization of the Dollar, Not the US National Debt

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### ECB's Kazimir Found Guilty of Bribery and Plans to Cling to Job

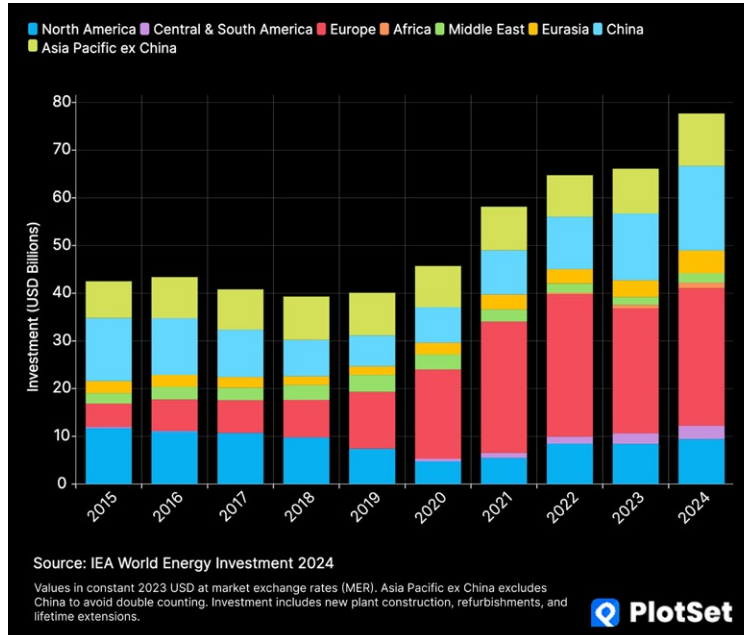
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*“Progressive income and inheritance taxes, (were) once considered gross violations of the rule of law.”*

**Roger McKinney**



## GLOBAL NUCLEAR INVESTMENT DOUBLES



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### Watch: Macron's Wife Smacks Him In The Face In Front Of Press

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### China's Debt-Trap Diplomacy

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### Traders Are 'Selling America'

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### Apartment Metrics Worsen as the "Fed-ministration" Readies More Easy Money

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### On the Gross Fiscal Negligence of the Washington GOP

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### A Storm in the West: The Liberal Intellectual Paradigm Is Broken, Alastair Crooke

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*"Political language is designed to make lies sound truthful and murder respectable, and to give an appearance of solidity to pure wind."* **George Orwell**

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### **The Left Was Going To Ride the Race Grift All the Way To Permanent One-Party Rule**

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### **Trump Criticizes Neocons?**

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### **Trump & Bitcoin a Disaster in the Making**

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### **What Is the Rationale Behind Current US Tariff Policy?**

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### **Is Culture Degeneration Biological or Ideological?**

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### **Elon Musk leaving Trump administration, capping turbulent tenure**

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### **What Is the Optimal Growth Rate for the Money Supply?**

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### **The US-China Nuclear Fusion Space Race**

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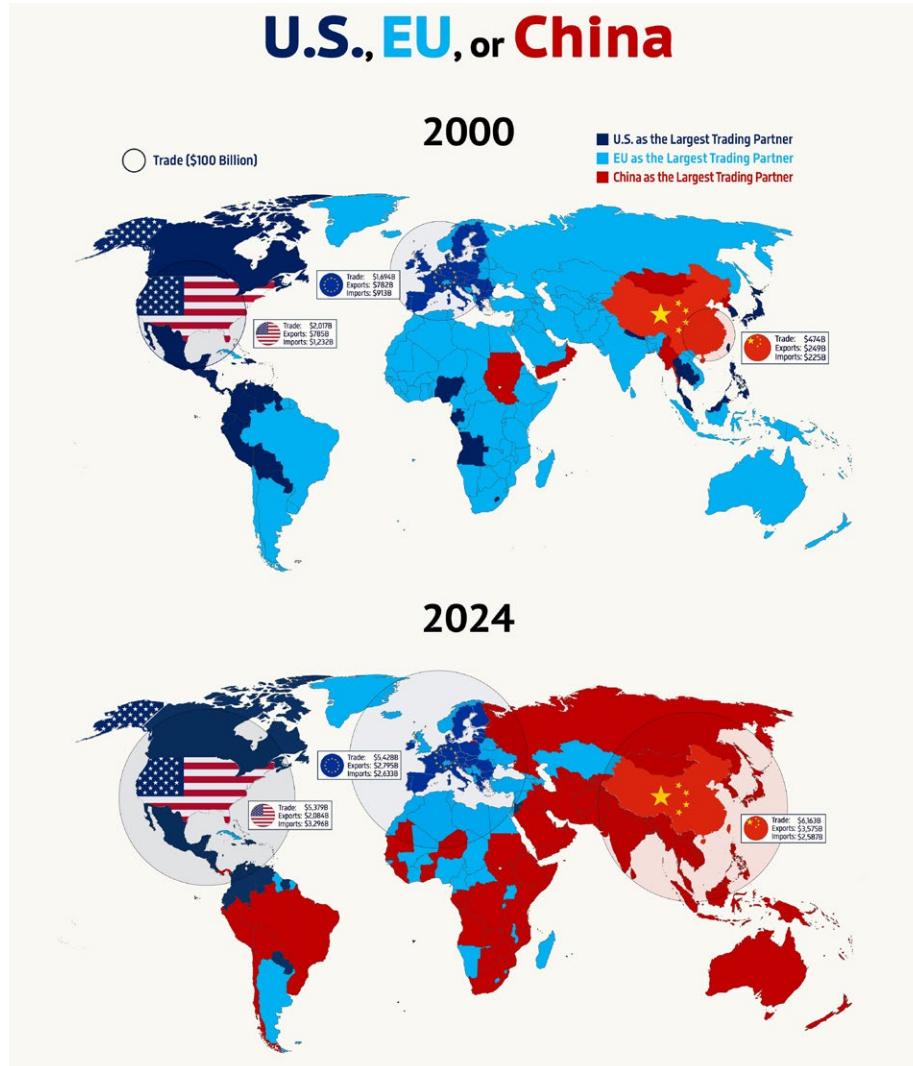
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## GLOBAL TRADE DOMINANCE - USA, EUROPE, OR CHINA



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## World indices 1 year period and current year

Stock Indices	Price June 30, 2025	Price ending 2024	Price June 30, 2024	Change in %	
Each in country currency				YTD	1 Year
Germany	23,909.61	19,909.14	18,235.45	20.09	31.12
Spain	13,991.90	11,595.00	10,943.70	20.67	27.85
Argentina	1,994,824.50	2,533,634.75	1,611,295.13	(21.27)	23.80
Canada	26,857.11	24,727.94	21,875.79	8.61	22.77
China	3,444.43	3,351.76	2,967.40	2.76	16.08
USA	44,094.77	42,544.22	39,118.86	3.64	12.72
Brazil	138.86	120.28	123.91	15.44	12.06
Australia	8,542.30	8,159.10	7,767.50	4.70	9.97
Mexico	57,450.88	49,513.27	52,440.02	16.03	9.56
Great Britain	8,760.96	8,173.02	8,164.12	7.19	7.31
South Korea	3,096.81	2,395.42	2,889.55	29.28	7.17
India	83,606.46	78,139.01	79,032.73	7.00	5.79
France	7,665.91	7,380.74	7,479.40	3.86	2.49
Japan	40,487.39	39,894.54	39,583.08	1.49	2.28
Switzerland	11,921.46	11,600.90	11,993.83	2.76	(0.60)
Russia	1,142.24	893.22	1,157.49	27.88	(1.32)
Turkey	9,948.51	9,830.56	10,647.91	1.20	(6.57)
Thailand	708.60	906.23	806.10	(21.81)	(12.10)

Raw Materials Indices	Price June 30, 2025	Price ending 2024	Price June 30, 2024	Change in %	
Prices in USD				YTD	1 Year
Commodity Index	102.0209	98.7611	100.9915	3.30	1.02
Agriculture Subindex	54.6429	57.0091	56.9885	(4.15)	(4.12)

Raw materials	Price June 30, 2025	Price ending 2024	Price June 30, 2024	Change in %	
Prices in USD				YTD	1 Year
Gold (Spot)	3,303.69	2,623.81	2,325.71	25.91	42.05
Silver (Spot)	36.11	28.87	29.13	25.04	23.95
Copper	416.58	340.67	379.52	22.28	9.76
Wheat	3.85	4.25	4.74	(9.52)	(18.87)

Oil (Crude, WTI, Spot)	64.32	71.56	81.81	(10.12)	(21.38)
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Currencies	Price June 30, 2025	Price ending 2024	Price June 30, 2024	Change in %	
Value of foreign currency in Euros				YTD	1 Year
Thailand THB/EUR	0.02620	0.02810	0.02539	(6.76)	3.18
Switzerland CHF/EUR	1.06970	1.06440	1.03780	0.50	3.07
Japan JPY/EUR	0.58900	0.61430	0.58000	(4.12)	1.55
Russia RUB/EUR	0.01085	0.00851	0.01088	27.50	(0.28)
Great Britain GBP/EUR	1.16520	1.20830	1.17960	(3.57)	(1.22)
Brazil BRL/EUR	0.15620	0.15610	0.16680	0.06	(6.35)
South Korea KRW/EUR	0.00063	0.00065	0.00067	(3.91)	(6.95)
China CNY/EUR	0.11840	0.13230	0.12840	(10.51)	(7.79)
Canada CAD/EUR	0.62340	0.67140	0.68200	(7.15)	(8.59)
USA USD/EUR	0.84840	0.96580	0.93310	(12.16)	(9.08)
Australia AUD/EUR	0.55830	0.59750	0.62210	(6.56)	(10.26)
India INR/EUR	0.00990	0.01128	0.01120	(12.23)	(11.61)
Turkey TRY/EUR	0.02130	0.02730	0.02840	(21.98)	(25.00)
Argentina ARS/EUR	0.00071	0.00094	0.00102	(24.47)	(30.39)



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