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| | | Decision | Rate | | | Decision | Rate |
|----------|-----------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------------------------|----------|------|
| JANUARY | | | | JULY | | | |
| 8 | Bank of England | -50 b.p. | 1.50 | 2 | European Central Bank | | |
| 15 | European Central Bank | -50 b.p. | 2.00 | 2 | Bank of Sweden | | |
| 16 | Bank of Mexico | -50 b.p. | 7.75 | 7 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 20 | Bank of Canada | -50 b.p. | 1.00 | 9 | Bank of England | | |
| 21 | Bank of Brazil | -100 b.p. | 12.75 | 14 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 21 | Bank of Japan | s.q. | 0.10 | 17 | Bank of Mexico | | |
| 28 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | -100 b.p. | 3.50 | 21 | Bank of Canada | | |
| 28 | Federal Reserve | s.q. | 0.25 | 22 | Bank of Brazil | | |
| FEBRUARY | | | | 30 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | |
| 3 | Reserve Bank of Australia | -100 b.p. | 3.25 | AUGUST | | | |
| 4 | Bank of Norway | -50 b.p. | 2.50 | 4 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 5 | Bank of England | -50 b.p. | 1.00 | 6 | Bank of England | | |
| 5 | European Central Bank | s.q. | 2.00 | 6 | European Central Bank | | |
| 11 | Bank of Sweden | -100 b.p. | 1.00 | 10 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 18 | Bank of Japan | s.q. | 0.10 | 11 | Federal Reserve | | |
| 20 | Bank of Mexico | -25 b.p. | 7.50 | 12 | Bank of Norway | | |
| MARCH | | | | 21 | Bank of Mexico | | |
| 2 | Reserve Bank of Australia | s.q. | 3.25 | SEPTEMBER | | | |
| 3 | Bank of Canada | -50 b.p. | 0.50 | 1 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 5 | Bank of England | -50 b.p. | 0.50 | 2 | Bank of Brazil | | |
| 5 | European Central Bank | -50 b.p. | 1.50 | 3 | European Central Bank | | |
| 11 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | -50 b.p. | 3.00 | 10 | Bank of England | | |
| 11 | Bank of Brazil | -100 b.p. | 11.25 | 10 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | |
| 12 | Swiss National Bank | -25 b.p. | 0.25 | 10 | Bank of Canada | | |
| 17 | Bank of Japan | s.q. | 0.10 | 16 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 18 | Federal Reserve | s.q. | 0.25 | 17 | Swiss National Bank | | |
| 20 | Bank of Mexico | -75 b.p. | 6.75 | 18 | Bank of Mexico | | |
| 25 | Bank of Norway | -50 b.p. | 2.00 | 22 | Federal Reserve | | |
| APRIL | | | | 23 | Bank of Norway | | |
| 2 | European Central Bank | | | * | Bank of Sweden | | |
| 6 | Bank of Japan | | | OCTOBER | | | |
| 7 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | | 6 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 9 | Bank of England | | | 8 | Bank of England | | |
| 17 | Bank of Mexico | | | 8 | European Central Bank | | |
| 21 | Bank of Sweden | | | 13 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 21 | Bank of Canada | | | 16 | Bank of Mexico | | |
| 29 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | | 20 | Bank of Canada | | |
| 29 | Bank of Brazil | | | 21 | Bank of Brazil | | |
| 29 | Bank of Japan | | | 28 | Bank of Norway | | |
| 29 | Federal Reserve | | | 29 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | |
| MAY | | | | 29 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 5 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | | * | Bank of Sweden | | |
| 6 | Bank of Norway | | | NOVEMBER | | | |
| 7 | Bank of England | | | 3 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 7 | European Central Bank | | | 4 | Federal Reserve | | |
| 15 | Bank of Mexico | | | 5 | Bank of England | | |
| 21 | Bank of Japan | | | 5 | European Central Bank | | |
| JUNE | | | | 19 | Bank of Japan | | |
| 2 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | | 27 | Bank of Mexico | | |
| 4 | Bank of England | | | DECEMBER | | | |
| 4 | European Central Bank | | | 1 | Reserve Bank of Australia | | |
| 4 | Bank of Canada | | | 3 | European Central Bank | | |
| 10 | Bank of Brazil | | | 8 | Bank of Canada | | |
| 11 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | | 9 | Bank of Brazil | | |
| 15 | Bank of Japan | | | 10 | Bank of England | | |
| 17 | Bank of Norway | | | 10 | Reserve Bank of New Zealand | | |
| 18 | Swiss National Bank | | | 10 | Swiss National Bank | | |
| 19 | Bank of Mexico | | | 15 | Federal Reserve | | |
| 24 | Federal Reserve | | | 16 | Bank of Norway | | |
| | | | | 17 | Bank of Japan | | |
| | | | | * | Bank of Sweden | | |

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|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| BANK OF CANADA | | | SWISS NATIONAL BANK | | |
| 20 January | -50 b.p. | 1.00 | 12 March | -25 b.p. | 0.25 |
| 3 March | -50 b.p. | 0.50 | 18 June | | |
| 21 April | | | 17 September | | |
| 4 June | | | 10 December | | |
| 21 July | | | BANK OF NORWAY | | |
| 10 September | | | 4 February | -50 b.p. | 2.50 |
| 20 October | | | 25 March | -50 b.p. | 2.00 |
| 8 December | | | 6 May | | |
| FEDERAL RESERVE | | | 17 June | | |
| 28 January | s.q. | 0.25 | 12 August | | |
| 18 March | s.q. | 0.25 | 23 September | | |
| 29 April | | | 28 October | | |
| 24 June | | | 16 December | | |
| 11 August | | | BANK OF SWEDEN | | |
| 22 September | | | 11 February | -100 b.p. | 1.00 |
| 4 November | | | 21 April | | |
| 15 December | | | 2 July | | |
| EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANK | | | * September | | |
| 15 January | -50 b.p. | 2.00 | * October | | |
| 5 February | s.q. | 2.00 | * December | | |
| 5 March | -50 b.p. | 1.50 | RESERVE BANK OF AUSTRALIA | | |
| 2 April | | | 3 February | -100 b.p. | 3.25 |
| 7 May | | | 2 March | s.q. | 3.25 |
| 4 June | | | 7 March | | |
| 2 July | | | 5 May | | |
| 6 August | | | 2 June | | |
| 3 September | | | 7 July | | |
| 8 October | | | 4 August | | |
| 5 November | | | 1 September | | |
| 3 December | | | 6 October | | |
| BANK OF ENGLAND | | | 3 November | | |
| 8 January | -50 b.p. | 1.50 | 1 December | | |
| 5 February | -50 b.p. | 1.00 | RESERVE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND | | |
| 5 March | -50 b.p. | 0.50 | 28 January | -100 b.p. | 3.50 |
| 9 April | | | 11 March | -50 b.p. | 3.00 |
| 7 May | | | 29 April | | |
| 4 June | | | 11 June | | |
| 9 July | | | 30 July | | |
| 6 August | | | 10 September | | |
| 10 September | | | 29 October | | |
| 8 October | | | 10 December | | |
| 5 November | | | BANK OF BRAZIL | | |
| 10 December | | | 21 January | -100 b.p. | 12.75 |
| BANK OF JAPAN | | | 11 March | -100 b.p. | 11.25 |
| 21 January | s.q. | 0.10 | 29 April | | |
| 18 February | s.q. | 0.10 | 10 June | | |
| 17 March | s.q. | 0.10 | 22 July | | |
| 6 April | | | 2 September | | |
| 29 April | | | 21 October | | |
| 21 May | | | 9 December | | |
| 15 June | | | BANK OF MEXICO | | |
| 14 July | | | 16 January | -50 b.p. | 7.75 |
| 10 August | | | 20 February | -25 b.p. | 7.50 |
| 16 September | | | 20 March | -75 b.p. | 6.75 |
| 13 October | | | 17 April | | |
| 29 October | | | 15 May | | |
| 19 November | | | 19 June | | |
| 17 December | | | 17 July | | |
| | | | 21 August | | |
| | | | 18 September | | |
| | | | 16 October | | |
| | | | 27 November | | |

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