# KASE WEEKLY

February 10 – 14, 2025

### **KASE NEWS**

- The 40th meeting of the General Assembly of FEAS members was held at KASE.
- A new internal KASE document, "Regulations on trading modes and operations on the stock market," <u>has been put</u> <u>into effect</u>.
- "Green" bonds <u>KZ2P00010986</u> (TGSVb1) of TechnoGroupService LLP included in KASE official list.
- Bonds <u>KZ2C00011732</u> (CCBNb36) of Bank CenterCredit JSC, <u>KZ2C00003143</u> (ATFBb10), <u>KZ2C00003119</u> (ATFBb13) and <u>KZ2C00003127</u> (ATFBb14) of First Heartland Jusan Bank JSC, <u>KZ2C00003077</u> (HSBKb19) of Halyk Bank of Kazakhstan JSC and international bonds <u>XS2106835262</u> (BRKZe10) of Development Bank of Kazakhstan JSC have been excluded from KASE official list due to the expiration of the circulation period.
- Trading in bonds <u>KZ2P00012941</u> (MFMOb13) and <u>KZ2P00013303</u> (MFMOb16) of MFO "Mogo Kazakhstan" LLP, <u>KZ2C00012086</u> (KFUSb82) of Kazakhstan Sustainability Fund JSC has opened on KASE.
- Trading in international bonds <u>XS1831081408</u> (IFC\_e1) of the International Finance Corporation has resumed on KASE.
- Teniz Capital Investment Banking JSC <u>has refused</u> the status of market maker on KASE for common shares of three names.
- Bonds <u>KZ2P00013303</u> (MFMOb16) of MFO "Mogo Kazakhstan" LLP have been transferred to the trading mode in "clean" prices.

## PLACEMENT RESULTS

- The Ministry of Finance of Kazakhstan placed 20.1 million MEUKAM <u>KZKD00001160</u> (MUM096\_0012) and 21.0 million MEUKAM <u>KZKD00001269</u> (MUM120\_0020) on KASE.
- Home Credit Bank JSC <u>raised</u> 10.0 billion tenge on KASE by placing bonds KZ2C00011047 (HCBNb12).
- Home Credit Bank JSC<u>raised</u> 6.4 billion tenge through subscription on KASE by placing bonds KZ2C00011401 (HCBNb15).
- Kazakhstan Sustainability Fund JSC <u>raised</u> 7.5 billion tenge on KASE by placing bonds KZ2C00012383 (KFUSb90).

## **ISSUER NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Halyk Bank of Kazakhstan JSC provided information on transactions with its own securities under the GDR buyback program <u>US46627J3023</u>, <u>US46627J2033 (HSBKd)</u>.
- A subsidiary of KazTransOil JSC <u>shipped</u> the first batch of Kazakh ammonium phosphate from the port of Batumi for export.
- Batumi Sea Port LLC and KazAzot JSC <u>signed</u> an agreement to increase the volume of ammonium nitrate transshipment.
- Kaspi Bank JSC <u>refused</u> the ratings of the S&P Global Ratings agency.
- Transtelecom JSC <u>paid</u> dividends on ordinary shares for 2023.
- Private company BI Development Ltd. <u>provided</u> preliminary consolidated operating and financial results for 2024.

#### EQUITIES MARKET

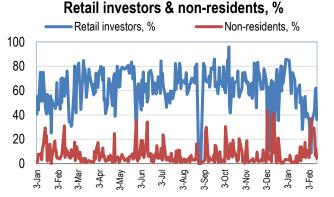
#### MONEY MARKET

## FX MARKET

14.02.2025	T	Trends (%)		
KASE Index	5 558,94			
First class of liquidity	Price	Δ70	Δ1Μ	
Intel Corporation	23,05	18,4	20,4	
Freedom Holding Corp.	160,00	7,8	25,3	
The Coca-Cola Company	69,55	7,7	9,9	
NVIDIA Corp.	136,01	5,4	- 0,6	
Apple Inc.	242,96	5,2	3,4	
AO Kaspi.kz	54 219,99	4,9	2,1	
Ford Motor Company	9,70	3,6	- 2,1	
АО "Банк ЦентрКредит"	2 645,00	2,6	2,9	
Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.	112,80	2,6	- 11,7	
Citigroup Inc.	83,30	1,8	13,3	
АО "Казахтелеком"	42 799,90	0,0	- 3,8	
AO "KEGOC"	1 487,00	-	- 1,7	
АО "Народный Банк Казахстана"	257,49	- 0,4	- 4,6	
AO "KM GOLD"	69,60	- 0,6	- 0,6	
АО "Кселл"	3 429,68	- 0,6	0,3	
АО "Национальная атомная компания "Ка	19 551,00	- 1,5	- 3,0	
АО "КазТрансОйл"	816,96	- 2,1	- 1,8	
АО "Национальная компания "КазМунайГа	13 306,00	- 2,9	- 16,7	
Occidental Petroleum Corp.	13 306,00	- 2,9	- 16,7	
AO "ForteBank"	7,61	- 3,4	- 4,4	
АО "Эйр Астана"	707,98	- 3,7	- 11,7	
Tesla, Inc.	356,06	- 4,0	- 13,4	
AO "БАСТ" Note: Index stocks are highlighted in green	4 444,00	- 26,7	- 38,3	

#### KASE Index shares





The local stock market demonstrated positive dynamics. Last week, KASE Index grew by less than 0.1% and closed at 5,559 points.

The largest growth was demonstrated by Kaspi.kz shares, which added 5% to their value over the week. The value of the fintech company's securities immediately increased by \$7.13, to \$102.62 per share on Wednesday on NASDAQ. Thus, the company's capitalization increased by \$1.4 billion, to \$19.5 billion. Earlier, Vyacheslav Kim confirmed that he submitted an application to the Agency for Regulation and Development of the Financial Market to purchase 97.5% of Jusan Bank shares, which previously belonged to Galymzhan Yessenov.

At the same time, shares of other financial companies included in KASE Index demonstrated mixed dynamics: shares of Bank CenterCredit added 2.6% to their market value, while shares of Halyk Bank lost 0.3%. Also, as part of the program for the redemption of global depositary receipts, Halyk Bank bought back 50 thousand of its own securities from February 3 to 7, for a total of 971 thousand US dollars. GDRs were purchased at a price of \$19.16 to \$19.34.

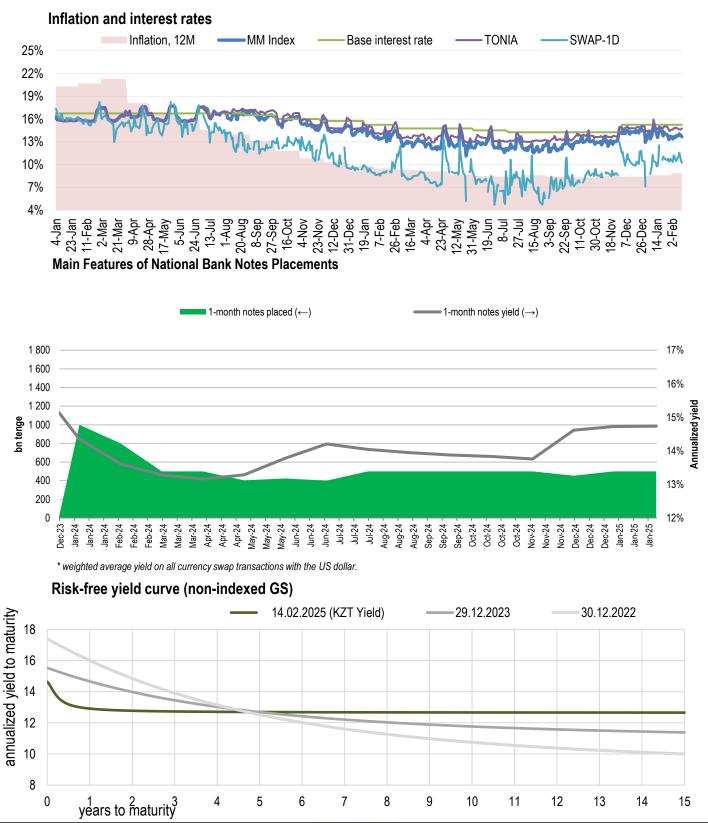
Shares in KASE Index's telecom sector showed mixed dynamics, with Kazakhtelecom shares rising to 42,800 tenge per share and Kcell shares down less than 1% to 3,430 tenge over the week.

Brent and WTI prices fell more than 2% on Wednesday after Trump said Vladimir Putin and Volodymyr Zelensky had expressed a desire for peace in separate phone calls with him, sending KazMunaiGas shares down 2.4%.

Similar dynamics were demonstrated by KazTransOil shares, which fell by 2.1% to 817 tenge per share. KazTransOil also announced an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders on March 17, 2025.



On the money market, the interest rate of the one-day repo TONIA decreased, and, by the end of the week, amounted to 14.75 % per annum. The yield of one-day currency swap operations in US dollars decreased to 10.26% per annum over the week.



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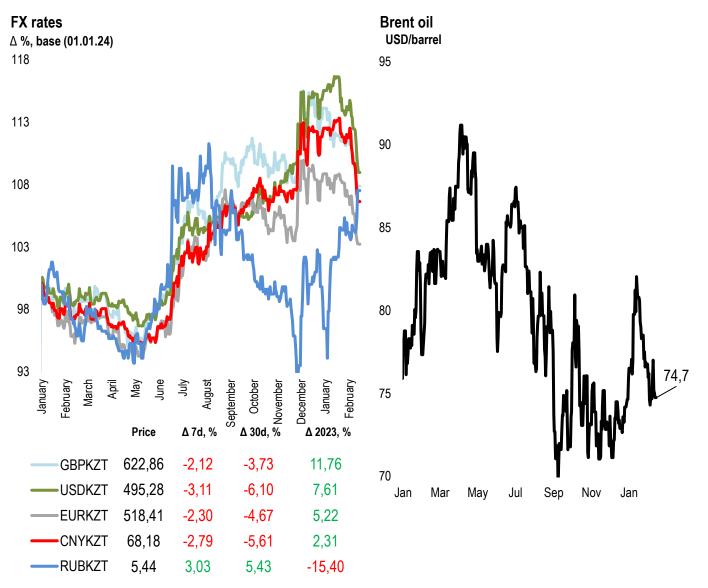
In January, the tenge strengthened by 1.3 % to 518.2 tenge per US dollar. The average daily trading volume on Kazakhstan Stock Exchange decreased from 254 to 227 mln US dollars over the month. The total trading volume amounted to 4.5 bn US dollars.

Currency sales from the National Fund in January amounted to 850 mln US dollars, which made it possible to allocate transfers to the republican budget, as well as finance the infrastructure project for the construction of the Taldykorgan-Usharal main gas pipeline. The share of sales from the National Fund amounted to 19 % of the total trading volume, or about 43 mln US dollars per day.

According to preliminary forecasts of the Government's applications for the allocation of transfers to the republican budget in February, the National Bank expects to sell currency from the National Fund in the amount of 550 to 650 mln US dollars.

In January, the National Bank did not purchase US dollars for the investment portfolio of pension assets. The purchase of currency in the ENPF is not planned for February.

In January, the National Bank decided to implement a mirroring mechanism, which implies the sale of US dollars on the domestic currency market, received as a result of the sale of gold previously purchased from domestic gold mining enterprises. As part of this decision, 244 bn tenge were sterilized in January. In February, the sale of currency equivalent to about 250 bn tenge is expected for these purposes.



Note: The chart and the table are based on the official market rates of the NBK. NBK rates may differ from KASE rates.



EQUITIES MARKET		one Ark			FX	FX MARKET			GLOBAL MARKETS		
Global indices						Commodities ma	rket		Februa	ry 14, 2025	
Name	Value —		Trend % Futures		Nerree	Duia a	Trend %				
		7D	1M	1Y	7D	Name	Price	7D	1M	1Y	
🕋 S&P 500	6 114,63	1,5	2,8	22,3	1,4	Oil (Brent)	74,74	0,1	-8,9	-9,8	
e Dow Jones	44 546,08	0,5	3,1	15,9	0,5	Oil (WTI)	70,74	-0,4	-11.6	-9,3	
RTS	1 111,00	15,6	27,5	-1,0		Natural gas	3,73	12,6	-8,8	135,6	
MICEX	3 185,00	7,4	12,0	-2,2		•					
Ang Seng	22 620,33	7,0	17,3	42,5	6,8	Copper	466,45	1,6	6,3	24,1	
🥮 SS ČSI 300	3 939,01	1,2	3,8	17,1	1,6	Iron	820,00	-0,9	6,1	-16,5	
Euro Stoxx 50	5 493,40	3,2	9,2	16,7	3,3	Gold	2 882,53	0,8	7,0	43,8	
FTSEuroFirst	6 027,00	2,1	7,4	16,2	2,2	Silver	32,86	1,3	4,2	43,2	
🏶 FTSE 100	8 732,46	0,4	5,2	15,4	0,3	Wheat	600,00	3,0	9,7	5,8	
💿 KASE	5 558,94	0,0	-3,7	23,0							

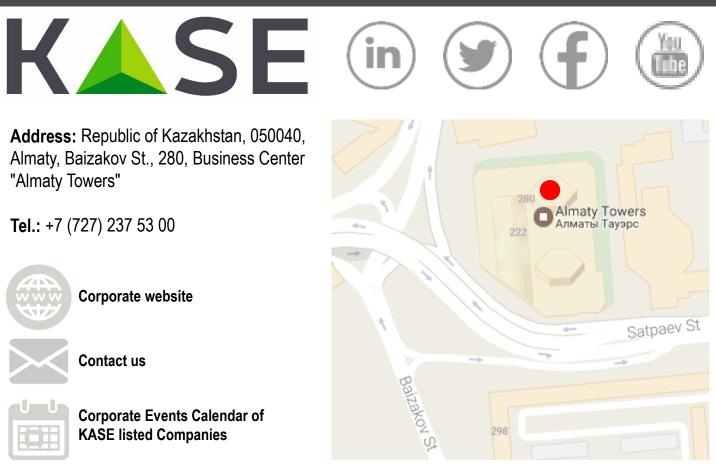
Calenda	alendar of economic events Currency Forecast		Forecast	Previous
17.02	<u>GDP (q/q) (Q4)</u>	JPY	0,3%	0,4%
18.02	Speech by US President Trump	USD		
19.02	Consumer Price Index (CPI) (YoY) (Jan)	GBP	2,8%	2,5%
19.02	FOMC minutes	USD		
05.02	Manufacturing Purchasing Managers Index (PMI) (Feb)	USD	51,2	51,2
06.02	Services Purchasing Managers Index (PMI) (Feb)	USD	53,2	52,9
	B – billions M – millions K – thousands			

Kazakhstan statistics	Value	As of	Previous month
Annual inflation	8,9%	01.02.25	8,6%
Gross international reserves of NBK, USD bn	47,2	01.02.25	45,8
Reserve money, KZT bn	14 012,2	01.02.25	14 606,5
Money supply, KZT bn	44 684,1	01.02.25	45 660,0
Kazakhstan credit ratings	Rating	Date	Previous
S&P Global	BBB-/A-3 stable	01.03.24	BBB-/A-3 negative
Moody's	Baa1/stable	09.09.24	Baa2/positive

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