



### Press Release

## **The Open Market Operations Committee at the Central Bank of Jordan decides to cut the key interest rate by 25 basis points**

The Open Market Operations Committee at the Central Bank of Jordan held its eighth and final meeting for this year, where it decided to reduce the “Key Interest Rate” as well as the interest rate of all monetary policy instruments by 25 basis points as of Sunday, December 14, 2025.

The committee emphasized the soundness of monetary stability in the Kingdom, supported by the significant increase in the Central Bank's foreign currency reserves, which reached 24.6 billion dollars by the end of November 2025. This level covers the Kingdom's imports of goods and services for 8,8 months. The inflation rate also remained stable at a low level of 1.8% during the first eleven months of 2025.

Regarding the performance of the banking sector, total bank deposits increased by 7.3% on a yearly basis to reach 49.3 billion JDs at the end of October 2025, while credit facilities extended by banks grew by 3.9% to reach 36.1 billion JDs. Banks continued to maintain their sound financial positions and high liquidity levels, which reinforces the strength of the Jordanian banking sector and its ability to face shocks.

As for economic indicators, the national economy continued its positive performance during 2025. Tourism revenues increased by 6.5% during the first ten months, reaching 6.6 billion dollars. Remittances from Jordanian workers abroad also rose by 4.1% during the first three quarters, reaching 3.3 billion dollars. Total exports recorded significant growth of 8.8% during the same period, reaching 10.8 billion dollars.

Furthermore, the net foreign direct investment inflows also increased by 36.4% during the first half of 2025 compared to the same period in 2024, reaching 1.0 billion dollars. In terms of economic growth, the economy recorded a growth rate of 2.8% during the second quarter of 2025, following a growth rate of 2.7% in the first quarter.

The Central Bank of Jordan affirms its continued monitoring of economic, financial and monetary developments at the domestic, regional and global levels, while taking adequate measures that ensure maintaining the monetary stability, thereby creating a stable economic environment that supports sustainable economic growth.

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