

## MARKET NOTICE

**Number:** 067/2026

**Relates to:**

- Equity Market
- Equity Derivatives Market
- Commodity Derivatives Market
- Currency Derivatives Market
- Interest Rate Derivatives Market
- Bond Market
- Bond ETP Market

**Date:** 19 February 2026

**Subject:** CHANGES TO INITIAL MARGIN REQUIREMENTS FOR DERIVATIVE MARKETS

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**Designation:** JSE Clear - Chief Risk Officer

Dear Client,

Please be informed that new initial margin parameters for the Equity Derivative and Currency Derivative markets to be implemented on **Monday, 23 February 2026**, can be found in these directories:

- EDM – <https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial Margin Parameter Data/Official Initial Margin Parameters/EDM>
- FXD – <https://www.jse.co.za/downloadable-files?RequestNode=/Initial Margin Parameter Data/Official Initial Margin Parameters/IRC/FX>

*The settlement margin requirement (SMR) on physically delivered contracts will be updated. The SMR per contract will be computed as the initial margin requirement divided by contract size.*

All margins will be published whether they are changed or not with the date of implementation in the file name.

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For any queries regarding the location of the files containing these parameters, please contact the Client Service Centre (CSC) on +27 11 520 7777 or [CustomerSupport@jse.co.za](mailto:CustomerSupport@jse.co.za)

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