

# Central Bank Dates for March 2024

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## Central Bank Watch

Central Bank	Official Rate (%)	Quantitative Tightening	Last Decision (bps)	Next Decision (bps)
Canada	5.00	yes	Jan. 24: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 6: <b>unch</b>
U.S.	5.25 to 5.50	yes	Jan. 31: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 20: <b>unch</b>
ECB	4.50	yes	Jan. 25: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 7: <b>unch</b>
U.K.	5.25	yes	Feb. 1: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 21: <b>unch</b>
Japan	-0.10	no	Jan. 23: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 19: <b>unch</b>
Australia	4.35	yes	Feb. 6: <b>unch</b>	Mar. 19: <b>unch</b>
New Zealand	5.50	yes	Feb. 28: <b>unch</b>	Apr. 10: <b>unch</b>

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## Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Fed Monetary Policy Report expected
4	5	6 BoC Fed Chair Powell testifies to the House Financial Services Committee Fed Beige Book	7 Fed Chair Powell testifies to the Senate Banking Committee ECB	8
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