

# Central Bank Dates for May 2025

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## Central Bank Watch

Central Bank	Official Rate (%)	Quantitative Tightening	Last Decision (bps)	Next Decision (bps)
Canada	2.75	no	Apr. 16: <b>unch</b>	June 4: <b>-25</b>
U.S.	4.25 to 4.50	yes	Mar. 19: <b>unch</b>	May 7: <b>unch</b>
ECB	2.25	yes	Apr. 17: <b>-25</b>	June 5: <b>-25</b>
U.K.	4.50	yes	Mar. 20: <b>unch</b>	May 8: <b>-25</b>
Japan	0.50	no	Mar. 19: <b>unch</b>	May 1: <b>unch</b>
Australia	4.10	yes	Apr. 1: <b>unch</b>	May 20: <b>-25</b>
New Zealand	3.50	yes	Apr. 9: <b>-25</b>	May 28: <b>-25</b>

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