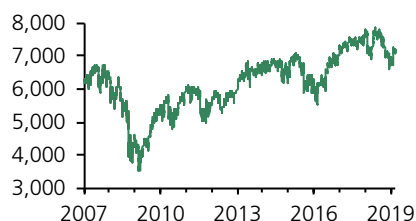


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FTSE-100 Index

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Daily closing price



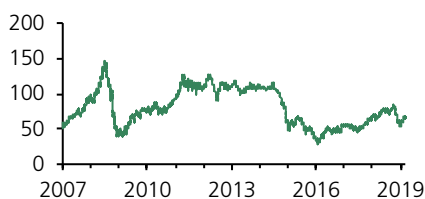
The FTSE-100 tracks the share-prices of the 100 largest companies listed on the London Stock Exchange. Despite turbulence following the EU Referendum result, the index closed at twelve successive record highs between December 2016 and January 2017 - the index's longest run of successive

all-time peaks since its inception in 1984. The index passed 7,800 for the first time in May 2018, reaching another record high on 22 May 2018. On 3 January 2019, the index closed at its lowest level in over two years.

Brent Crude Oil

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Daily closing price of Brent crude, near-month futures contract



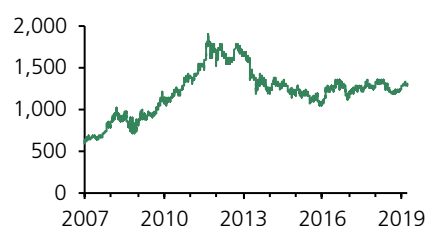
The price of Brent crude oil reached an all-time high above \$145/barrel in July 2008. In January 2016, the price fell below \$30/barrel for the first time since 2004. The price climbed in late 2016, after OPEC agreed to its first supply cut since 2008, closing at above \$85/barrel in early October

2018, though has fluctuated since and has now closed at between \$60-\$70/barrel since mid-November 2018.

Gold price

Gold (\$ per ounce)

Daily price



The nominal price of gold exceeded \$1,800/ounce for the first time in August 2011, but the metal's price has since moderated considerably. Since January 2017, the price has generally been between \$1,200 and \$1,300/ounce, reaching a high of \$1,354/ounce in January 2018.

Data from 17 April 2019

	FTSE-100	Oil (\$/bbl)	Gold (\$/oz)
17 Apr 2019	7471.32	71.92	1276.35
%change over:			
1-month	2%	7%	-2%
12-months	3%	1%	-5%

Note: Oil is Brent near-month futures price

Source: Financial Times

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