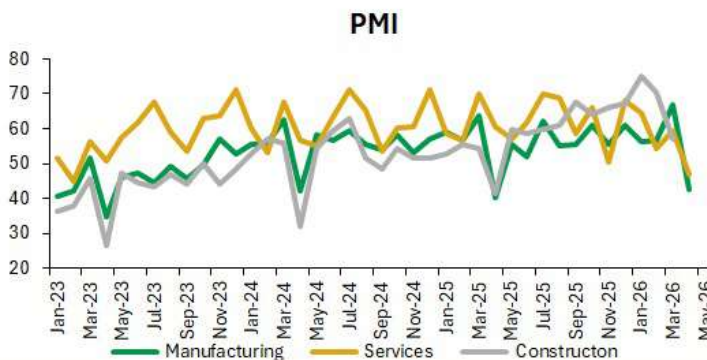
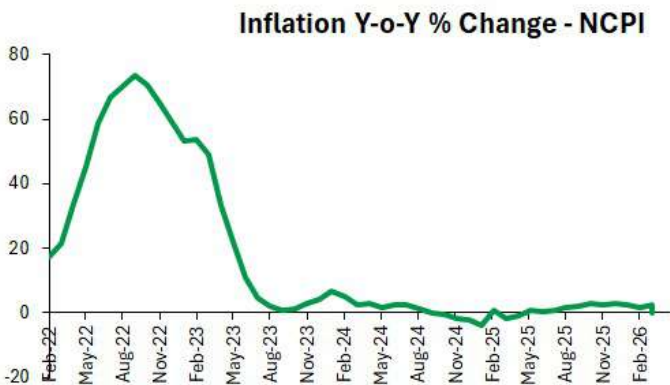
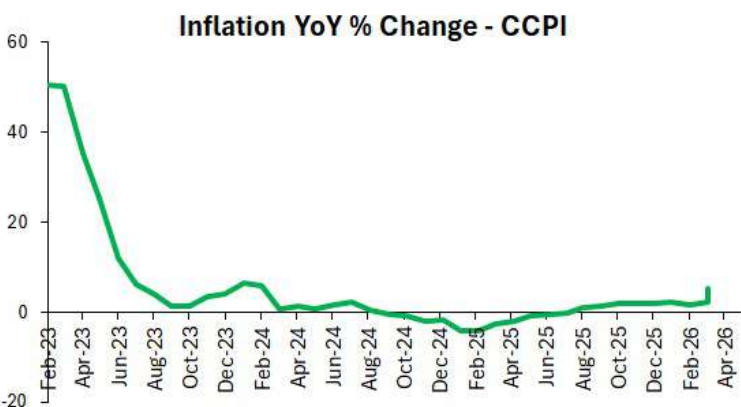


Weekly Economic Highlights - Real Sector

Week Ended May 15, 2026

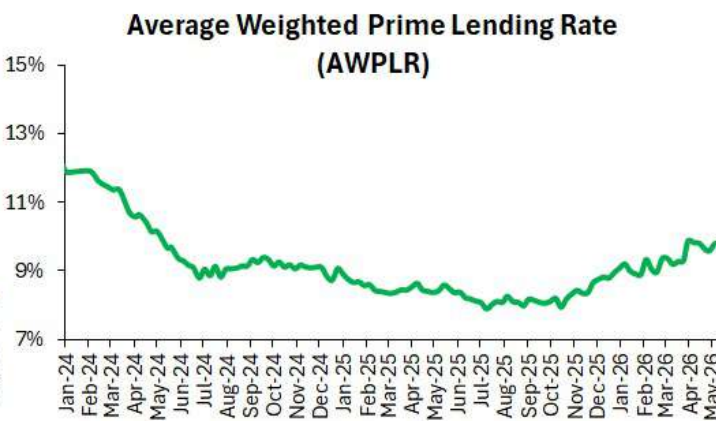
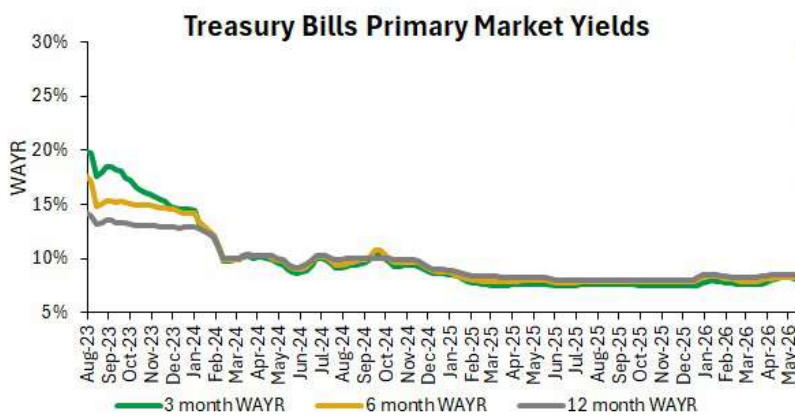
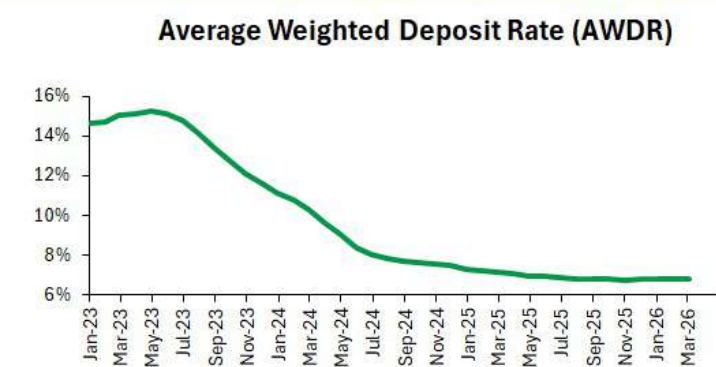
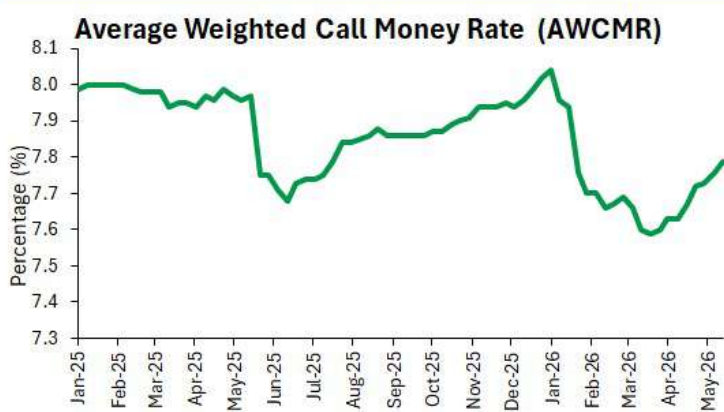
In April 2026, both Manufacturing and Services PMIs recorded contractions, indicating weakened overall economic activity.



Weekly Economic Highlights - Monetary Sector

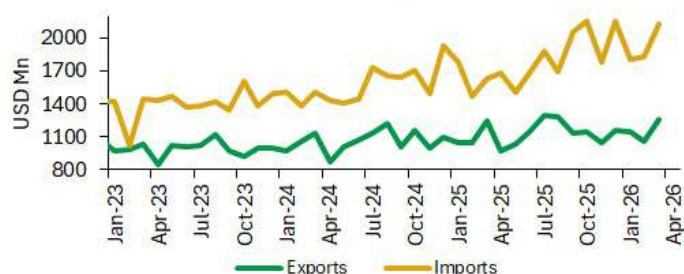
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Weekly AWPR declined by 8 basis points to 9.71%, while AWCMR increased marginally from 7.76% to 7.79% by 15 May 2026.

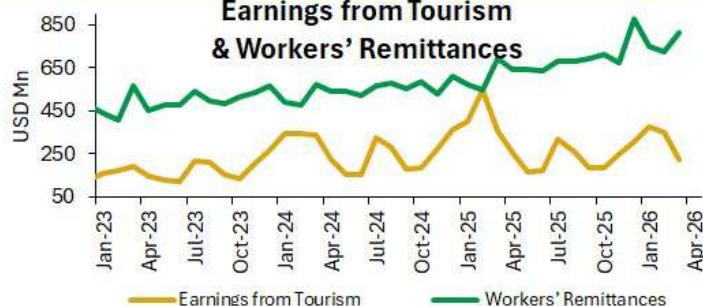


Sri Lanka rupee depreciated 4.5% year-to-date, while April 2026 tourism earnings declined to US dollars 157.1 million significantly.

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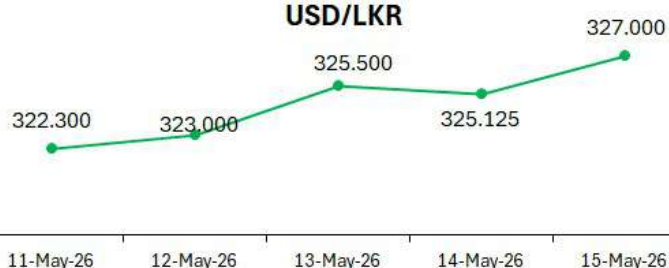


Earnings from Tourism & Workers' Remittances

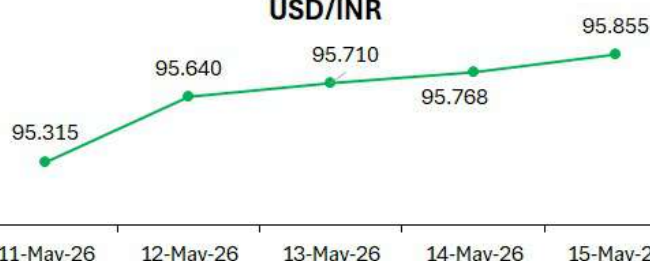


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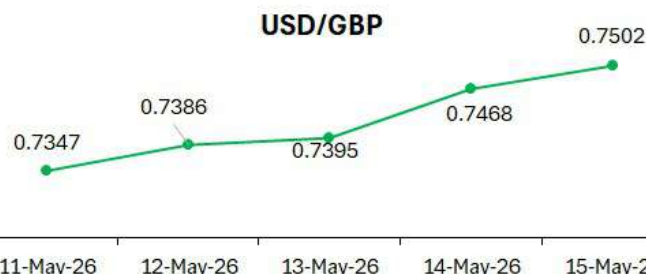
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Commodity Price Movement

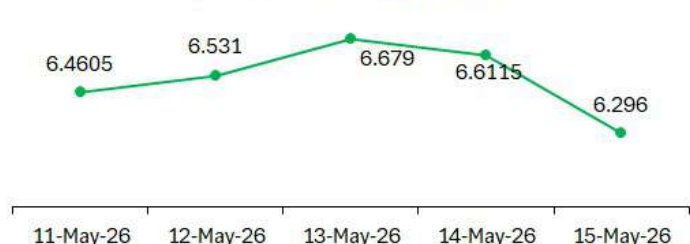
Movement of Crude Oil Prices



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Movement of Copper Prices



Movement of Cotton Prices

