

Locally

ZAR10.5 billion: The amount South African Airways will receive to fund its business rescue process.

90 000: The estimated amount of mortgage advances applied for in August 2020 in comparison to 20 000 mortgage advances applications in April 2020. A significant driver of increase is due to the decrease in the repo rate.

3%: The inflation rate as at September 2020. The inflation rate was below the target in May 2020 and June 2020 at 2.1% and 2.2%, respectively, and has dipped slightly from 3.1% in August 2020.

10%: The Sasol share price has dropped by 10% on Tuesday 27 October 2020. The share price dropped following the storms heading towards the US Gulf Coast Lake Charles operations.

In the global space

USD2.5 billion: The agreed-upon sales prices between General Motors Co and Goldman Sachs Group for the sale of General Motors Co's credit card business. Goldman Sachs Group are looking to enhance its presence in consumer business banking.

USD36 billion: The approximated amount that the European Union targets for social bonds in the current year.

6%: The estimated growth of the German economy in the third quarter.

2.2 million: Netflix have acquired 2.2 million new customers in the quarter ended 30 September 2020. Netflix had a forecast of 3.4 million new customers. This is their lowest subscribe gain in four years. Despite this, Netflix still managed to generate USD6.44 billion of revenue for the third quarter, exceeding the expected budgeted revenue of USD6.39 billion.

In the world of Crypto

50 000: 200 digital yuan (USD 29.57 equivalent) was given away to 50 000 randomly selected consumers by China as part of the Central Bank Digital Currency pilot.

26 million: PayPal officially confirmed it is entering the cryptocurrency market. 26 million merchants accept payments in PayPal - and these can payments now be made in Crypto.

In the world of COVID-19

14 964: The number of increased COVID-19 cases as at 28 October in Germany. Angela Merkel will hold talks with regional leaders to agree a partial lockdown in Germany which would see restaurants and bars closed but schools kept open.

USD375 million: The U.S Government has awarded an initial USD375 million contract to drugmaker Eli Lilly and Co LLY.N to secure 300 000 doses of its potential experimental COVID-19 antibody treatment.



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