

#### Canada

- The S&P/TSX Composite increased by 1.65% for the week, led by a 5.19% surge in the Materials sector.
- According to Statistics Canada, the Canadian economy added 90,000 jobs in April, while the
  unemployment rate remained at 6.1%. The increase was primarily in part-time employment,
  with over 50,000 part-time positions added to the labour force.

#### **United States**

- The S&P 500 Composite rose by 1.85% for the week.
- According to the Labour Department, filings for unemployment benefits reached their highest level since late August 2023, indicating potential changes in an otherwise robust labour market. Jobless claims totaled a seasonally adjusted 231,000 for the week ending on May 4, up by 22,000 from the previous period.

Source: Morningstar

# **MARKET INDICATORS & TRENDS**

May 10, 2024	Index	MTD	YTD	2023	2022
S&P/TSX	22,308.93	2.74%	6.44%	8.12%	-8.66%
Dow Jones	39,512.84	4.49%	4.84%	13.70%	-8.78%
S&P 500	5,222.68	3.71%	9.49%	24.23%	-19.44%
NASDAQ	16,340.87	4.36%	8.86%	43.42%	-33.10%
MSCI EAFE	2,346.16	2.88%	4.92%	15.03%	-16.79%
MSCI World	3,419.92	3.47%	7.91%	21.77%	-19.46%
	Index	MTD	YTD	2023	2022
CAD	\$0.7314	0.77%	-3.14%	2.34%	-6.75%
Euro	\$1.0771	0.98%	-2.43%	3.12%	-5.85%
Gold	\$2,375.00	3.13%	14.63%	13.45%	-0.13%
Oil – WTI	\$78.26	-4.48%	9.23%	-10.73%	6.71%
Gas	\$2.25	13.11%	-10.42%	-43.82%	19.97%
	Index	MTD	YTD	2023	2022
FTSE/TMX Canada Universe	1,096.90	1.04%	-2.19%	6.70%	-11.41%
FTSE/TMX Short Term	771.90	0.35%	0.27%	5.03%	-3.93%
FTSE/TMX Mid Term	1,204.00	0.92%	-2.17%	6.14%	-10.06%
FTSE/TMX Long Term	1,660.10	2.22%	-5.86%	9.51%	-21.23%

## **UP AND DOWN**

Canada		
Overnight	5.00%	
Bank of Canada	5.25%	
Prime Rate	7.20%	

United States			
Fed Fund Rates	5.50%		
Discount Rate	5.50%		
Prime Rate	8.50%		

Next Bank of Canada meeting: June 5, 2024 Next US Federal Reserve meeting: June 11, 2024

## S&P/TX SECTOR PERFORMANCE

(As at May 10, 2024)

Sector	MTD	YTD
Financials	3.63%	4.46%
Energy	0.67%	22.26%
Materials	5.62%	17.81%
Industrials	4.07%	8.24%
Consumer Discretionary	-0.29%	2.10%
Telecom Services	3.45%	-8.24%
Info Tech	-3.36%	-3.59%
Consumer Staples	2.81%	7.63%
Utilities	7.20%	1.03%
Health Care	-7.46%	5.10%

### SAVING ACCOUNTS

Interest Rates as of May 13, 2024)

	Description	Rate
Equitable Bank	EQB1000	4.65% (A)
Equitable Bank	EQB1001	4.80% (F)
ADS ISA Account (Scotia)	DYN5000	4.75% (A)
ADS ISA Account (Scotia)	DYN5004	5.00% (F)
Home Trust HISA	HOM100	4.65% (A)
Home Trust HISA	HOM101	4.90% (F)
Renaissance HISA	ATL5000	4.55% (A)
Renaissance HISA	ATL5001	4.80% (F)

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