

## S&P Africa Sovereign Bond Index Family Consultation on Eligibility Criteria - Results

**NEW YORK, APRIL 21, 2026:** S&P Dow Jones Indices (“S&P DJI”) conducted a consultation with market participants on a potential change to the eligibility criteria of the S&P Africa Sovereign Bond Index family. To improve liquidity S&P DJI is changing the bond type eligibility to exclude sovereign infrastructure and development bonds from the index family, as detailed below.

Change	Current	Methodology
		Updated
Bond Type Exclusions: S&P South Africa Sovereign Bond Index	--	Sovereign Infrastructure and Development Finance Bonds are excluded from the S&P Africa Sovereign Bond Index.

### IMPACTED INDICES

Index Name	Index Code
S&P South Africa Sovereign Bond 1+ Year Index	SPFIZAA
S&P South Africa Sovereign Bond 1+ Year Index (USD)	SPFIZAD
S&P South Africa Sovereign Bond Index USD	SPFIZAU
S&P South Africa Sovereign Bond Index	SPFIZA
S&P Africa Sovereign Bond Index USD	SPFIAFR
S&P Africa Sovereign Bond Index	SPFIAFD
S&P Africa Sovereign Bond ex Tanzania (15% Capped) Bond Index USD	SPFIAXC
S&P Africa Sovereign Bond ex Tanzania Bond Index USD	SPFIAXT

### IMPLEMENTATION TIMING

S&P DJI is implementing the change in conjunction with the April 2026 month-end rebalancing, which takes effect prior to the market open on **May 1, 2026**. The change will first be visible to clients in preliminary membership files beginning on **April 27, 2026**.

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