

# **Investor.Coffee (01.05.24): Strong U.S. Dollar Impact on Metal Prices, while Japanese Stocks Rise**

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Canadian stock index futures fell as a strong U.S. dollar impacted metal prices and investors anticipated the country's employment report. Wall Street futures also declined slightly ahead of the U.S. non-farm payrolls report, affecting expectations for the Federal Reserve's monetary policy. European stocks saw a decline, potentially marking their first weekly loss in eight weeks, while Chinese stocks dropped due to economic and deflationary concerns. In contrast, Japanese stocks rose, helped by a weaker yen.