



FTSE Russell March 2026 Index Review

Treatment for Eid Al-Fitr Holiday

13 February 2026

The purpose of this notification is to advise that the Eid Al-Fitr (Eid) holiday in March 2026, is currently scheduled to coincide with the FTSE Russell March 2026 index review.

The table below lists the markets in the FTSE Global Equity Index Series (GEIS) which are classified under the FTSE Equity Country Classification scheme and that are currently scheduled to observe the Eid holiday for the noted days. The actual Eid holiday schedule will be confirmed by the markets by early March 2026.

Market	Classification	Indicative Market Closure Dates for Eid (inclusive)	Index Review Effective Date (Open)
Egypt	Emerging	Thursday 19 and Friday 20	Monday 23 March 2026
Indonesia*	Emerging	Wednesday 18 to Tuesday 24	Index Changes Postponed
Kuwait	Emerging	Thursday 19 and Friday 20	Monday 23 March 2026
Qatar	Emerging	Thursday 19 and Friday 20	Monday 23 March 2026
Saudi Arabia	Emerging	Tuesday 17 to Monday 23	Wednesday 25 March 2026
Turkey	Emerging	Thursday 19 and Friday 20	Monday 23 March 2026
UAE	Emerging	Thursday 19 and Friday 20	Monday 23 March 2026

*Index changes for Indonesia are postponed until further notice ([notification](#))

The Saudi Arabian equity market is currently scheduled to close for the Eid holiday from Tuesday 17 March 2026. This market closure occurs prior to the publication of index review changes for Saudi Arabia within certain FTSE Russell equity indices with the required minimum of T+2 advanced notification. Consequently, the March 2026 index review changes for Saudi Arabia will be implemented effective from the open on Wednesday 25 March 2026, based on prices as of the close on Tuesday 24 March 2026.

For all other markets, the March 2026 index review changes will be implemented as scheduled, effective from the open on Monday 23 March 2026, based on prices as of the close on Friday 20 March 2026.

For further details on the implementation plan, please refer to the FAQ which can be accessed using the following link: [Treatment of the Eid Al-Fitr holiday FAQ 2026](#)

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