

Kindly see commentary below on the Foreign Exchange (FX) market with data for the week-ended April 17, 2026. Table 1 compares weekly turnover for trades between banks (FMDQ Dealing Member (Banks)/Authorised Dealers) and their clients for the weeks-ended April 10 and 17, 2026.

- In the FX Spot and Derivatives markets, the total turnover for the week-ended April 17, 2026, was \$2,164.30 million, representing an increase of 15.42% (\$286.76 million) from the \$1,859.54 million reported for the week-ended April 10, 2026. The week-on-week (WoW) increase in total turnover was solely driven by the 19.50% (\$348.79 million) increase in FX Spot transactions, which recorded a total value of \$2,137.15 million compared to \$1,788.36 million in the week-ended April 10, 2026, offsetting the 87.15% (\$62.03 million) decrease in FX Derivatives transactions. [\(See Table 1\)](#)
- The WoW decrease in FX Derivatives turnover was solely driven by the 87.15% (\$62.03) million decrease in FX Forwards turnover

Table 1: Weekly FX Turnover Analysis

	Week-ended April 17, 2026			Week-ended April 10, 2026			WoW % Change	WoW Change (\$'mm)
	Weekly	Daily Average	% Share	Weekly	Daily Average	% Share		
	(\$'million)			(\$'million)				
FX Spot	2,137.15	427.43	99.57	1,788.36	447.09	96.17	19.50	348.79
FX Forwards	9.15	1.83	0.43	71.18	17.80	3.83	(87.15)	(62.03)
Exchange-Traded FX Futures	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	N/A	N/A
FX Derivatives	9.15	1.83	0.43	71.18	17.80	3.83	(87.15)	(62.03)
Total	2,146.30	429.26	100.00	1,859.54	464.89	100.00	15.42	286.76