

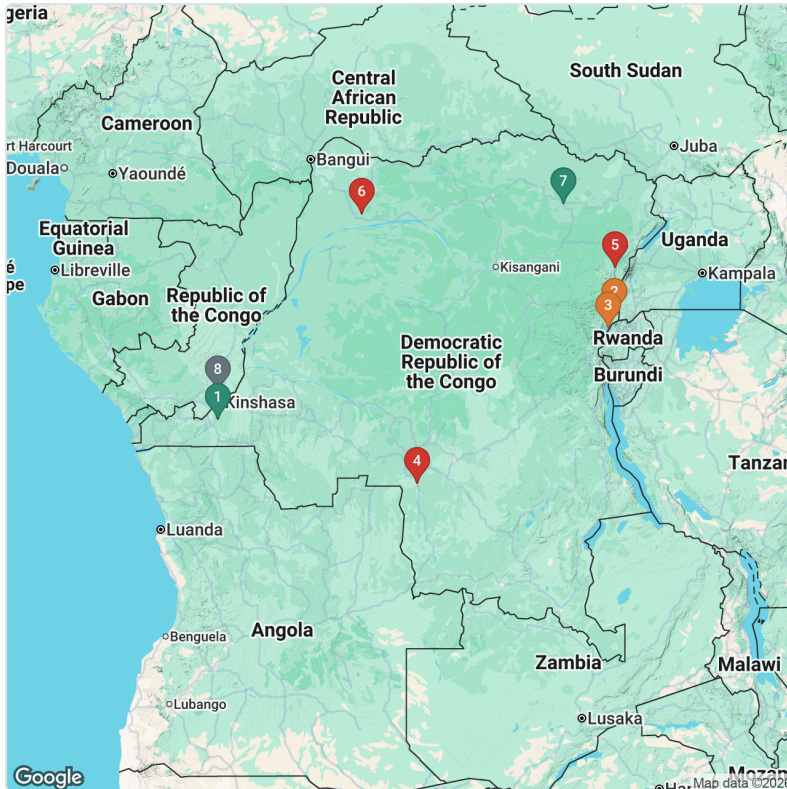


Copper **\$14,689/t** → | Cobalt **\$39,245/t** → | Tin **\$52,900/t** → | Gold **\$4,216.30/oz** → |
Brent **\$104.72/bbl** → | CDF per USD **2,265** →

Market data — end-of-day close · LME cash settlement · LME/Fastmarkets Cobalt · COMEX front-month · ICE Brent front-month · BCC indicative rate · as of 12 Oct 2026.
Prices pulled from source at collection, not model-generated.

SITUATION MAP — EVENTS (LAST 24H)

● SECURITY ● PUBLIC HEALTH ● MINING ● POLITICS ● ECONOMY ● GEOPOLITICS



- 1 **President meets AU peace facilitators on regional stability** — Kinshasa
- 2 **Schools intensify Ebola prevention; seven zones affected** — Rutshuru
- 3 **Goma-Gisenyi border restrictions tighten amid Ebola spread** — Goma
- 4 **Over 1,000 families homeless; emergency assistance delayed** — Luiza
- 5 **Checkpoint harassment and tax extortion reported** — Beni
- 6 **Severe winds displace families; school infrastructure damaged** — Mbinga
- 7 **Haut-Uele governor announces criminal trials next week** — Isiro
- 8 **ARSP deploys judicial police for market access enforcement** — Kinshasa

THREAT LEVEL **CRITICAL** **HIGH** **ELEVATED** **GUARDED** — also the coloured bar beside each item

VERIFICATION **CONFIRMED** corroborated by 2+ sources **REPORTED** single source

SECURITY & CONFLICT

Beni residents report tax harassment at western exit checkpoint

GUARDED

Informal taxation and checkpoint harassment impede commerce, increase transport costs, and reflect weak state capacity to regulate security forces and informal revenue collection.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Nkolo community alerts to security gaps and unresponded incidents

GUARDED

Extreme understaffing of law enforcement and unresponded security incidents reflect state capacity gaps in peripheral areas and create conditions for crime and disorder.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Mbuji-Mayi insecurity: theft and violence concern residents

GUARDED

Provincial Interior Minister Patrick Makanda clarified the role of neighbourhood chiefs in civilian protection and property security.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Kalehe residents protest proliferation of road tolls

GUARDED

Informal tolls and checkpoint proliferation reflect weak state capacity to regulate security forces and informal revenue extraction; they burden commerce and mobility.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Beni checkpoint harassment: tracasseries at Pasisi barrier

GUARDED

Checkpoint harassment and informal taxation reflect security force misconduct and weak state oversight; they impede civilian movement and economic activity.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Matadi civil society calls for police strengthening in Boko sector

GUARDED

Civil society advocacy for law enforcement capacity reflects security concerns in a port city; police strengthening is essential to urban stability.

REPORTED Radio Okapi



PUBLIC HEALTH

Schools in Rutshuru intensify Ebola prevention measures

ONGOING

ELEVATED

Schools in Kiwanja, Rutshuru territory, North Kivu, have strengthened hygiene protocols in response to Ebola spread across seven health zones in neighbouring Lubero territory. Measures include installation of handwashing stations at school entrances and student education on barrier gestures. School authorities report that handwashing is becoming routine practice among pupils, though some establishments lack adequate hygiene kits.

REPORTED Actualite.cd

Goma-Gisenyi border restrictions tighten amid Ebola spread

ELEVATED

New restrictions on circulation between Goma (DRC) and Gisenyi (Rwanda) have been imposed following the appearance of Ebola cases in North Kivu. The measures raise concerns about potential isolation of Goma and disruption of cross-border trade and movement.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Luiza disaster: over 1,000 families homeless two weeks after storm

ONGOING

ELEVATED

Emergency assistance has not yet reached affected populations.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Kindu strengthens Ebola prevention at borders

ONGOING

ELEVATED

Border-based disease surveillance and prevention are critical to containing Ebola spread across provincial boundaries.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Beni community dialogue on Ebola knowledge and prevention

ONGOING

ELEVATED

Community engagement and health literacy are essential to outbreak response; dialogue reflects efforts to build local understanding and compliance with prevention.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Violent winds cause displacement and damage in South Kivu

GUARDED

Severe winds in Mbinga Nord, South Kivu, left dozens of families without shelter and damaged school infrastructure, including roofs torn off by the storm.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

Mbuji-Mayi youth denounce early marriage despite awareness campaigns

GUARDED

Young people in Mbuji-Mayi, Kasai-Oriental, reported that early marriage remains prevalent despite ongoing awareness campaigns on the International Day of the Girl Child.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

UNICEF sensitizes Kinshasa girls on climate issues

GUARDED

Climate education and youth engagement on environmental issues reflect humanitarian and development priorities; UNICEF programming indicates focus on vulnerable populations.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

**POLITICS & GOVERNMENT****Kasangulu Manifesto advances citizen-led national dialogue**

GUARDED

The Bloc-RDC (Citizen Democratic Revolution) platform launched the Kasangulu Manifesto, a citizen-driven initiative proposing national refoundation through restoration of state authority, peace and cohesion, good governance, justice, and democratic participation. The manifesto is being promoted beyond formal forums into public spaces and community structures, with civil society and youth organizations invited to adopt it as a vehicle for inclusive national dialogue.

REPORTED AllAfrica

Kinshasa civic movement D52 launches to defend territorial integrity

GUARDED

Civic mobilization on territorial integrity reflects public concern about sovereignty and geopolitical pressures; grassroots political movements signal demand for national unity messaging.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

**POLITICS & DIPLOMACY****President meets AU peace facilitators on DRC regional stability**

ELEVATED

President Félix-Antoine Tshisekedi held two days of consultations with the African Union's panel of facilitators focused on achieving durable peace in the DRC and the region. The engagement reflects ongoing diplomatic efforts to address the security and political crisis in the eastern provinces.

REPORTED @Presidence_RDC

**LEGAL & REGULATORY****Haut-Uele governor announces criminal trials to begin next week**

GUARDED

Haut-Uele Governor Jean Bakomito announced in Isiro that hearings for alleged criminals will begin the following week and pledged to strengthen provincial justice capacity.

REPORTED Security Incidents — French/Francophone Keyword Sweep

**ECONOMY & MACRO****ARSP deploys judicial police to enforce subcontracting market access rules**

GUARDED

The ARSP (Authority for the Regulation of Public Procurement) deployed new judicial police officers in Kinshasa to enforce compliance with Congolese access to subcontracting markets and combat irregularities.

REPORTED Radio Okapi

**ENERGY****Beni oil workers' strike prompts provincial tax suspension**

ELEVATED

Labor action in the oil sector and government fiscal response reflect tensions in energy production and revenue management; tax suspension affects provincial finances.

REPORTED Radio Okapi



MINING & EXTRACTIVES

Artisanal fishing in Muanda threatened by oil platform expansion

ELEVATED

Conflict between extractive industries and artisanal livelihoods reflects resource management tensions; the issue affects coastal communities and food security.

REPORTED

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OTHER

Expo Béton 2026 concludes in Kinshasa

GUARDED

The 12th edition of Expo Béton, a construction and building materials exhibition, concluded in Kinshasa.

REPORTED

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Kinshasa-Brazzaville bridge-rail project receives tender submissions

GUARDED

Cross-border infrastructure projects affect regional connectivity, trade, and economic integration; tender phase indicates project advancement.

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WATCHLIST

- ▶ Monitor outcomes of AU facilitator engagement with DRC government and M23; track any announced peace initiatives, ceasefire agreements, or diplomatic breakthroughs in next 48–72 hours.
- ▶ Track duration and scope of Goma-Gisenyi border restrictions; assess impact on cross-border trade, humanitarian access, and civilian movement.
- ▶ Monitor delivery of emergency assistance to Luiza disaster-affected families and school reopening timelines; track government response to displacement.

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