

# Russia's declining rouble

The Russian rouble briefly weakened to the symbolic threshold of 100 to the dollar in recent trading, amid concerns of high military spending, labour shortages and a worsening trade balance

## HOW MUCH RUSSIAN ROUBLE IS WORTH

40 roubles per U.S. dollar



Note: Chart inverted to show falling line indicating weaker rouble

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