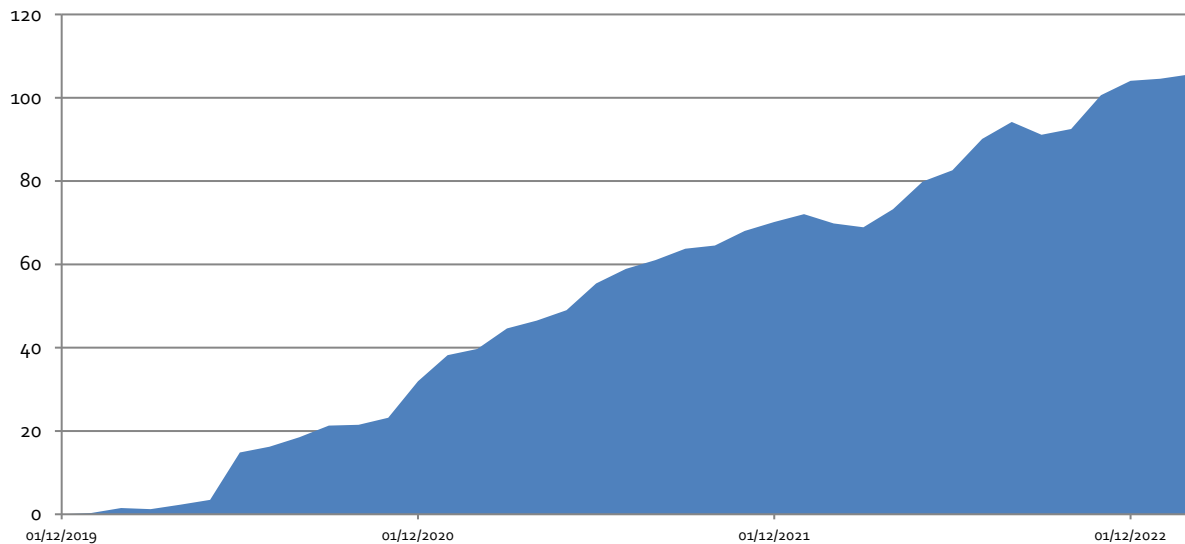




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## RIO STOCK TRADING USD

RIO Stock Trading USD posted a 0.51% gain in January 2023, following on from an 18.90% net gain filed in 2022. Looking back, this investment ended last year with an epic gain in comparison to the US Stock and Bond markets, which tanked at year-end.



The performance this month looks positive given that we have already banked gains from two precession stock trades placed in Boeing and Lockheed Martin, both of whom have won substantial contracts this month.

This month Boeing announced one of the largest orders in its history. Air India is gearing up its expansion plans and the order was for 220 firm jets: 190 Boeing 737 Max single-aisle planes, 20 of 787 Dreamliner's widebodies and 10 of 777X, the newest version of its widebody now undergoing the certification process. It's the third-biggest sale of all time for the aircraft manufacturer.

Lockheed Martin announced last Friday that they had been awarded a \$1 billion U.S. Navy contract to install hypersonic missile strike capabilities onto the Navy's surface ships. The company also commented that the total contract could be worth more than \$2 billion if all options are exercised.

Lockheed Martin said it expects to integrate the Conventional Prompt Strike (CPS) weapon systems onto ZUMWALT-class guided missile destroyers. CPS is a hypersonic boost-glide weapon system that enables long-range missile flight at speeds greater than Mach 5, giving high survivability against enemy defences.

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