Morning Letter



Market Summary

DOW	16987.54	-22.15	PEYTO ENERGY	34.43	22	POLARIS	1.99	+.01
TSE	14793.12	+3.24	WESTERN FOREST	2.20	02	CANADIAN \$	0.8953	+.0066
S&P	1964.98	-2.92	CATALYST	2.55	-	EURO	1.2591	+.0075
NASDAQ	4462.65	-12.97	CANFOR	25.42	+.02	COPPER	3.04	+.04
TSX VENTURE	870.27	-12.55	REDSTAR GOLD	0.05	-	CRUDE OIL	90.08	+.34
SILVER	17.25	+.43	LUMBER	353.00	+3.80	NATURAL GAS	3.91	13
GOLD	1207.40	+14.50	TIM HORTON'S	88.61	+.16	PRIME RATE	3.00%	

Market Commentary

Hewlett-Packard says to split in two

The company said it would split into two listed companies, separating its computer and printer businesses from its fastergrowing corporate hardware and services operations.

Chevron sells 30 pct in Canadian shale assets for \$1.5 bln

The company said it would sell a 30 percent stake in its Duvernay shale properties in Canada to Kuwait Foreign Petroleum Exploration Co for \$1.5 billion.

• Becton Dickinson to buy CareFusion for \$12 bln in cash, stock

Medical equipment supplier has agreed to buy CareFusion Corp, a maker of infusion pumps and other medical devices, for \$12.2 billion in cash and stock, marking the latest multibillion-dollar healthcare sector deal.

German industry orders plunge by largest amount since 2009

German industrial orders tumbled in August by their largest amount since the height of the global financial crisis in 2009, casting a shadow over Europe's largest economy at a time when Berlin faces pressure to loosen the fiscal reins and spend more.

Canada's **main stock index** started higher, dipped only to recover again as the US dollar finally eases and gold and crude move higher. Friday's rally was on a robust U.S. jobs report, it could continue as investors feel more confident about global growth prospects. **U.S. stock indexes** saw a higher open but eventually saw some profit taking from Fridays rally. The **dollar** held near-four year highs against a basket of currencies at the open but eventually sold off. **European markets** gained as weak German industrial orders fuelled speculation of an even more accommodative monetary policy from the European Central Bank. **Asian stocks** were mixed. **Gold** was little changed and earlier touched its lowest level in more than 15 months before rallying back when the US dollar began to ease, while **Brent** rose after a week of sharp falls.

ANALYSTS' RECOMMENDATIONS

• **IAMGOLD Corp** (IAG). Roth raises price target to \$5.50 from \$5.25; rating buy cites its agreement to sell its Niobec Mine to Magris Resources to provide added balance sheet strength, which may allow it either repay debt or to acquire a low cost producing gold mine.

• **Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corp** (TKMR). Leerink cuts to market perform from outperform on valuation and cites limited visibility on stock-moving catalysts near term.

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