



Wednesday, July 20, 2016

Good morning

Global equities are resuming their upward climb as better-than-expected earnings from info tech bellwethers Microsoft and SAP embolden risk appetite with futures on the S&P 500 up six points in the pre-market. Asian bourses traded mixed overnight, while European indices are adding between 0.3% and 1.4% at the mid-point of the session. The U.S. Dollar Index is flattish as the British pound (+0.4%) rallies on the back of a strong jobs report that showed the U.K. unemployment rate declined to 4.9% in May from 5% in April, the lowest since 2005. Price movements in core sovereign bonds markets are subdued with yields on U.S. 10-year Treasuries little changed at 1.57%. Focus of the session will remain on corporate earnings with Halliburton, Abbott Labs, and Morgan Stanley scheduled to release their latest financial results before the open.

Today, we would highlight the following:

IMF trims global economic outlook as Canada is seen as a standout. As expected, the IMF downgraded its global growth forecast to 3.1% (from 3.2%) for 2016 and 3.4% (from 3.5%) for 2017 to reflect potential impacts of the U.K.s decision to exit the EU. The institution believes the elevated uncertainty around negotiations between the U.K. and the EU could lead to tighter financial conditions, as well as dampen business and consumer confidence, which could in turn undermine consumption and investment. Meanwhile, the IMF slashed its 2017 forecast for U.K. growth to 1.3% from 2.2%, the largest downgrade amongst all advanced economies. Geopolitical turbulence, rising protectionism and terrorist attacks were also cited as factors that could dent world growth over the forecast horizon. While the outlook paints a dim picture, the IMF highlighted

several bright spots, including financial market resilience and upgraded forecasts for Brazil, Russia and Canada. In particular, the IMF expects Canadian growth to accelerate to 2.1% in 2017 – up from a previous forecast of 1.9% and a downwardly revised 1.4% prediction for 2016 – amid a brightened outlook for the global oil market. That rebound, if it comes to pass, would push Canada to being the second-fastest growing G7 economy in 2017 (behind the U.S.) from the bottom half of the pack.

Fund managers anticipate the rise of "helicopter money" stimulus. The latest Bank of America Merrill Lynch survey of fund managers found that ~40% of investors expect the introduction of so-called helicopter fiscal stimulus, defined as an increase in the government's budget deficit financed by the central bank, by at least one country over the next 12 months, up from ~25% in June. After former Federal Reserve Chair Ben Bernanke's recent meeting with Japanese Prime Minster Shinzo Abe, some pundits speculate that Japan will become the first nation to attempt this radical new chapter in stimulus. However, a Société Générale strategist opined that "no portfolio manager I met on my Asian trip believed Bank of Japan Governor Kuroda would trigger a full-blown 'helicopter money' strategy, although some see scope for a light sprinkling". Expectations remain muted for now: Twothirds of economists expect the BoJ to ease monetary policy at the end of July, though only 7% expect a shift towards helicopter money.

All values in CAD dollars unless otherwise noted. Priced as of 6:38 a.m. on July 20, 2016 (unless otherwise stated).

Markets today

Equities

S&P futures are up 5 points. Today is Asia's turn to take a breather with equity indices in the region mixed overnight while European markets are green across the board. Earnings are dominating the tape and on balance have been better-than-expected.

Fixed income

After reaching all-time lows earlier this month, Government of Canada bond yields have increased modestly over the past week, with both the 5-year and 10-year GoC yields ~9 bps higher. This follows the BoC's decision to hold the overnight rate and a less dovish than expected Monetary Policy Report last Wednesday.

| Market Pulse | | 20/40 0:00 454 |
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| Updated as of | 7/2 | 20/16 6:38 AM |
| Equity Futures | Last | % Chg |
| Dow | 18,418 | -0.3% |
| S&P 500 | 2,154 | -0.2% |
| Nasdaq | 4,589 | -0.4% |
| Overseas | Last | % Chg |
| FTSE 100 (UK) | 6,635 | -0.9% |
| DAX (Germany) | 9,993 | 0.1% |
| Euro Stoxx 50 | 2,940 | 0.3% |
| Hang Seng | 21,659 | -0.1% |
| Nikkei 225 | 16,498 | -1.3% |
| Shanghai | 3,054 | 0.6% |
| Commodities | Last | % Chg |
| WTI Crude | \$45.47 | 1.8% |
| Gold (\$/oz) | \$1,335 | 0.2% |
| Silver (\$/oz) | \$20 | 1.4% |
| Copper (\$/ton) | \$4,968 | 0.9% |
| Natural Gas(\$/Mmbtu) | \$2.71 | -0.7% |
| Currencies | Last | % Chg |
| CADUSD | \$0.78 | 1.1% |
| EURUSD | \$1.11 | 1.0% |
| USDJPY | ¥105.83 | -0.3% |
| Fixed Income | Yield | Chg (bps) |
| 10-yr Treasury | 1.54% | 1.7 |
| 10-Yr Canadian | 1.07% | -2.7 |
| Germany 10 Yr Yield | -0.02% | 0.1 |
| Spain 10 Yr Yield | 1.19% | -3.7 |
| France 10 Yr Yield | 0.21% | 0.1 |

| Advancers and Decliners Updated as of S&P/TSX Top Movers | | 7/2 | 0/16 6:38 AM |
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| Advancers | | Last | % Chg |
| OPEN TEXT CORP | \$ | 80.19 | 3.19% |
| NIKO RESOURCES LTD | \$ | 0.19 | 2.70% |
| RUSSEL METALS INC | \$ | 24.22 | 2.54% |
| TASEKO MINES LTD | \$ | 0.81 | 2.53% |
| DOREL INDUSTRIES-CL B | \$ | 36.65 | 2.40% |
| Decliners | | Last | % Chg |
| LIGHTSTREAM RESOURCES LTD | \$ | 0.16 | -8.57% |
| CALFRAC WELL SERVICES LTD | \$ | 3.36 | -6.93% |
| TECK RESOURCES LTD-CLS B | \$ | 17.47 | -6.02% |
| ALACER GOLD CORP | \$ | 3.20 | -5.88% |
| PENGROWTH ENERGY CORP | \$ | 2.08 | -5.02% |
| S&P 500 Top Movers | | | |
| Advancers | La | ist (USD) | % Chg |
| F5 NETWORKS INC | \$ | 120.60 | 4.13% |
| COMERICA INC | \$ | 44.79 | 2.42% |
| MCDONALD'S CORP | \$ | 126.50 | 2.18% |
| EMC CORP/MA | \$ | 28.11 | 2.07% |
| HCP INC | \$ | 38.13 | 2.03% |
| Decliners | La | ıst (USD) | % Chg |
| NETFLIX INC | \$ | 85.84 | -13.13% |
| NRG ENERGY INC | \$ | 14.64 | -5.73% |
| CLIFFS NATURAL RESOURCES INC | \$ | 7.03 | -5.64% |
| FREEPORT-MCMORAN INC | \$ | 12.45 | -5.25% |
| ENSCO PLC-CL A | \$ | 9.82 | -5.03% |
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Strategy and economics

Key developments

Prior Session Highlights & Analysis

Source: RBC Wealth Management, Bloomberg

Event

| Kev U.S. Econ | Key U.S. Economic Data Releases | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Event | Period | Survey | Actual -1.3% | Prior 7.2% | Commentary | | | | | | | |
| Event MBA Mortgage | July 15 | - | -1.3% | 7.2% | Mortgage applications for the purchases of new | | | | | | | |
| Applications | | | | | homes fell 2.0% last week while refinances, which | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | are 64.2% of all mortgage applications, fell 0.9% | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | after growing by 11.2% the week prior. | | | | | | | |

| Key Canadian Economic Data Releases Event Period Survey Actual Prior Commentary | | | | | | | | |
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| Event | Period | Survey | Actual | Prior | Commentary | | | |
| | | | | | No Economic Releases – Wholesale Trade Sales 7/21 | | | |

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| Housing Starts MoM | June | 0.20% | 4.80% | -0.30% |
| Building Permits | June | 1.20% | 1.50% | 0.70% |
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U.S. residential construction ends the second quarter on a high note, as both housing starts and building permits came in stronger than expected. However, new housing activity has stalled the past year, after contributing approximately 31 bps to GDP growth in 2015.

Our Thoughts
A Quiet Week for Economic Data

Across the pond, the U.K. labor market showed strength ahead of the Brexit vote, as the unemployment rate dropped to 4.9% in May, the lowest level since 2005. While there is no clear outcome to hiring trends post Brexit, a BOE report showed that they do not expect to see an immediate negative impact on hiring or investment plans in the U.K.

RBC Capital Markets – North American Morning Comment

US: Data calendar bare, but earnings supportive

- An article by Fed-watcher Hilsenrath in the WSJ released overnight suggests that **next week's FOMC may prove** a "stage-setter" for a possible move in September if data and financial markets remain supportive, but the **impact proved somewhat limited with odds for a 25bp hike still hovering at just over 20%** and Treasury yields up just 2bp or so across most of the curve.
- Earnings remain a relatively positive story so far our U.S. strategist noting that, with earnings for ~20% of the S&P500 market cap currently released, earnings per share are tracking for a 1.2% gain versus expectations of a 3.3% decline. North American equity futures are up about 1/3%, with the S&P500 closing yesterday some 8.2% above its post-Brexit closing low of 2000 on June 27th.
- The USD is also now at its strongest level on a trade-weighted, DXY basis since March 9th @ 97.1. Overnight, the greenback gained against most majors, though the best performer was the U.K. pound, which appreciated some 0.5% on a very strong employment report (see below). The domestic calendar is completely bare, leaving earnings, political developments and events abroad to be drivers for any moves today (Turkey poised to make a "major" announcement today).

Technical corner

Bob Dickey: Headline Risk.

The major market indexes are at new all-time highs, or close, and yet the financial press continues to express caution and fear in the majority of the articles and opinions that are expressed. This sentiment reading has been one of the better indicators for the market direction, and although the opinions do not seem as negative as they were several months ago, they have not yet improved to a level from which we would be worrying about a top. Instead, the current mood suggests to us that there is more upside potential ahead, and that pullbacks will likely be minor over the next few months. Meanwhile, the Dow Industrials have strung together a good series of up days, and we believe what was once resistance around the 18,000 level is now support for any dip. The actual support zone is really 17,800–18,000, in our opinion, as support and resistance levels are not exact levels, but are instead zones of previous activity that tend to cause the market to pause and hold after a move.



Chart courtesy StockCharts.com and RBC Wealth Management

Market snapshot

Calendar of events

| Date | Time | | Event | | Survey | Actual | Prior | Revised |
|------------|-------|----|-----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|----------|---------|
| 07/18/2016 | 10:00 | US | NAHB Housing Market Index | Jul | 60 | | 60 | |
| 07/18/2016 | 16:00 | US | Total Net TIC Flows | May | | | \$80.4b | |
| 07/18/2016 | 16:00 | US | Net Long-term TIC Flows | May | | | -\$79.6b | |
| 07/19/2016 | 8:30 | US | Housing Starts | Jun | 1165k | | 1164k | |
| 07/19/2016 | 8:30 | US | Housing Starts MoM | Jun | 0.10% | | -0.30% | |
| 07/19/2016 | 8:30 | US | Building Permits | Jun | 1150k | | 1138k | 1136k |
| 07/19/2016 | 8:30 | US | Building Permits MoM | Jun | 1.20% | | 0.70% | 0.50% |
| 07/20/2016 | 7:00 | US | MBA Mortgage Applications | 15-Jul | | | 7.20% | |
| 07/21/2016 | 8:30 | US | Chicago Fed Nat Activity Index | Jun | -0.2 | | -0.51 | |
| 07/21/2016 | 8:30 | US | Initial Jobless Claims | 16-Jul | 265k | | 254k | |
| 07/21/2016 | 8:30 | US | Continuing Claims | 09-Jul | 2140k | | 2149k | |
| 07/21/2016 | 8:30 | US | Philadelphia Fed Business Outlook | Jul | 4.5 | | 4.7 | |
| 07/21/2016 | 9:00 | US | FHFA House Price Index MoM | May | 0.40% | | 0.20% | |
| 07/21/2016 | 9:45 | US | Bloomberg Economic Expectations | Jul | | | 41 | |
| 07/21/2016 | 9:45 | US | Bloomberg Consumer Comfort | 17-Jul | | | 44.7 | |
| 07/21/2016 | 10:00 | US | Existing Home Sales | Jun | 5.48m | | 5.53m | |
| 07/21/2016 | 10:00 | US | Existing Home Sales MoM | Jun | -0.90% | | 1.80% | |
| 07/21/2016 | 10:00 | US | Leading Index | Jun | 0.20% | | -0.20% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 9:45 | US | Markit US Manufacturing PMI | Jul P | 51.5 | | 51.3 | |
| 07/25/2016 | 10:30 | US | Dallas Fed Manf. Activity | Jul | | | -18.3 | |
| 07/18/2016 | 8:30 | CA | Int'l Securities Transactions | May | | | 15.52b | |
| 07/18/2016 | 10:00 | CA | Bloomberg Nanos Confidence | 15-Jul | | | 56.9 | |
| 07/21/2016 | 8:30 | CA | Wholesale Trade Sales MoM | May | 0.30% | | 0.10% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | Retail Sales MoM | May | 0.00% | | 0.90% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | Retail Sales Ex Auto MoM | May | 0.30% | | 1.30% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | CPI NSA MoM | Jun | 0.10% | | 0.40% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | CPI YoY | Jun | 1.40% | | 1.50% | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | Consumer Price Index | Jun | 128.9 | | 128.8 | |
| 07/22/2016 | 8:30 | CA | CPI Core MoM | Jun | -0.10% | | 0.30% | |
| | | | CPI Core YoY | Jun | 2.00% | | 2.10% | |
| | | | CPI SA MoM | Jun | 0.40% | | 0.20% | |
| | | | CPI Core SA MoM | Jun | 0.20% | | 0.20% | |
| | | | Bloomberg Nanos Confidence | 22-Jul | | | | |

Market snapshot

Number crunching

| Equity Indices | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|
| S&P/TSX Composite Index | 14,524.61 | -7.79 | -0.1% | 3.3% | 11.6% | 0.7% | -11.1% | 7.4% | 9.3% |
| S&P/TSX Composite Index TR | 46,409.81 | -23.90 | -0.1% | 3.4% | 13.5% | 3.9% | -8.3% | 10.6% | 13.0% |
| S&P/TSX 60 Index | 846.03 | -0.50 | -0.1% | 3.5% | 10.7% | -0.2% | -10.6% | 9.1% | 9.6% |
| S&P/TSX Equity Index | 14,959.68 | -12.28 | -0.1% | 3.3% | 11.5% | 0.5% | -11.3% | 7.4% | 10.1% |
| S&P/TSX Income Trust Index | 204.42 | 1.51 | 0.7% | 2.1% | 15.6% | 7.0% | -5.2% | 7.1% | -7.7% |
| S&P/TSX Venture Composite Index | 768.62 | 4.88 | 0.6% | 5.2% | 46.2% | 24.6% | -24.4% | -25.4% | -23.1% |
| S&P/TSX Small Cap Index | 640.97 | -5.00 | -0.8% | 4.1% | 31.5% | 17.1% | -15.8% | -5.2% | 4.6% |
| Dow Jones Industrial Average | 18,559.01 | 25.96 | 0.1% | 3.5% | 6.5% | 2.5% | -2.2% | 7.5% | 25.5% |
| S&P 100 Index | 958.42 | -0.29 | 0.0% | 3.3% | 5.2% | 1.4% | 0.3% | 10.3% | 26.4% |
| S&P 500 Index | 2,163.78 | -3.11 | -0.1% | 3.1% | 5.9% | 1.7% | -0.7% | 11.4% | 28.5% |
| S&P 400 Midcap Index | 1,542.18 | -2.89 | -0.2% | 3.1% | 10.3% | 2.3% | -3.7% | 8.2% | 30.2% |
| S&P 600 Smallcap Index | 736.75 | -4.56 | -0.6% | 4.0% | 9.7% | 2.3% | -3.4% | 4.4% | 39.7% |
| NASDAQ Composite Index | 5,036.37 | -19.41 | -0.4% | 4.0% | 0.6% | -3.5% | 5.7% | 13.4% | 37.2% |
| Euro Stoxx 50 | 2,851.05 | -13.82 | -0.5% | 1.3% | -8.0% | -18.9% | 3.2% | 2.9% | 12.2% |
| FTSE 100 | 6,697.37 | 1.95 | 0.0% | 3.0% | 7.3% | -1.1% | -4.9% | -2.7% | 13.9% |
| CAC 40 | 4,330.13 | -27.61 | -0.6% | 2.2% | -6.6% | -15.5% | 8.5% | -0.5% | 16.1% |
| DAX Index | 9,981.24 | -81.89 | -0.8% | 3.1% | -7.1% | -14.5% | 9.6% | 2.7% | 23.5% |
| S&P/ASX 200 | 5,451.25 | -7.22 | -0.1% | 4.2% | 2.9% | -4.1% | -2.1% | 1.1% | 13.2% |
| Nikkei 225 | 16,723.31 | 225.46 | 1.4% | 7.4% | -12.1% | -19.0% | 9.1% | 7.1% | 56.7% |
| Shanghai Stock Exchange Composite | 3,036.60 | -6.97 | -0.2% | 3.7% | -14.2% | -23.9% | 9.4% | 52.9% | -7.0% |
| Hang Seng Index | 21,673.20 | -129.98 | -0.6% | 4.2% | -1.1% | -14.7% | -7.2% | 1.3% | -0.3% |
| MSCI World | 1,703.93 | 3.36 | 0.2% | 3.1% | 2.5% | -4.3% | -2.7% | 2.9% | 24.1% |
| MSCI World TR | 6,626.80 | 13.23 | 0.2% | 3.1% | 4.2% | -1.7% | -0.3% | 5.5% | 27.4% |
| MSCI EAFE | 1,652.81 | 2.67 | 0.2% | 2.8% | -3.7% | -12.5% | -3.3% | -7.3% | 19.4% |
| MSCI Emerging Market | 870.13 | 2.29 | 0.3% | 4.3% | 9.6% | -7.6% | -17.0% | -4.6% | -5.0% |

| Equity Indices (in CAD\$)* | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|--------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|
| DJIA in Cdn\$ | 24,174.97 | 183.93 | 0.8% | 4.3% | 0.3% | 2.9% | 16.4% | 17.6% | 35.9% |
| S&P 100 Index | 1,248.44 | 7.39 | 0.6% | 4.1% | -1.0% | 1.9% | 19.5% | 20.6% | 36.9% |
| S&P 500 Index | 2,818.54 | 13.50 | 0.5% | 3.9% | -0.4% | 2.0% | 18.2% | 21.8% | 39.1% |
| S&P 400 Midcap Index | 2,008.84 | 8.75 | 0.4% | 3.9% | 3.8% | 2.5% | 14.6% | 18.3% | 41.0% |
| S&P 600 Smallcap Index | 965.63 | 6.00 | 0.6% | 5.5% | 3.9% | 2.7% | 15.1% | 15.1% | 51.3% |
| NASDAQ in Cdn\$ | 6,560.38 | 15.67 | 0.2% | 4.8% | -5.3% | -3.1% | 25.9% | 24.0% | 48.6% |
| Euro Stoxx 50 | 4,092.14 | -15.17 | -0.4% | 1.3% | -12.2% | -17.2% | 10.3% | -0.9% | 26.0% |
| FTSE 100 | 11,433.75 | -58.27 | -0.5% | 2.2% | -10.2% | -16.6% | 7.0% | 0.1% | 24.8% |
| CAC 40 Index | 6,215.08 | -32.53 | -0.5% | 2.2% | -10.8% | -13.8% | 16.0% | -4.2% | 30.3% |
| DAX Index | 14,326.17 | 16.27 | 0.1% | 3.1% | -11.3% | -12.8% | 17.7% | -1.2% | 38.6% |
| S&P/ASX 200 | 5,327.51 | -29.44 | -0.5% | 5.7% | -0.3% | -2.2% | 4.0% | 0.2% | 4.0% |
| Nikkei 225 | 2.05 | 0.04 | 2.1% | 5.3% | -6.3% | -4.9% | 29.3% | -3.9% | 41.6% |
| Shanghai Stock Exchange Composite | 590.62 | 2.43 | 0.4% | 3.3% | -21.7% | -29.3% | 24.6% | 6.7% | 3.7% |
| Hang Seng Index | 3,640.01 | 0.41 | 0.0% | 5.1% | -7.0% | -14.5% | 10.6% | 9.4% | 8.0% |
| MSCI World | 2,219.54 | 13.80 | 0.6% | 3.9% | -3.5% | -4.1% | 15.8% | 13.3% | 34.4% |
| MSCI World TR | 8,632.07 | 53.68 | 0.6% | 4.0% | -1.9% | -1.5% | 18.7% | 16.2% | 37.9% |
| MSCI EAFE | 2,152.95 | 13.39 | 0.6% | 3.6% | -9.4% | -12.3% | 15.1% | 1.5% | 29.4% |
| MSCI Emerging Market | 1,133.43 | 7.05 | 0.6% | 5.1% | 3.1% | -7.4% | -1.1% | 4.1% | 2.9% |

| S&P/TSX Sector Performance | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD(%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|--------|------------|---------|--------|-------------|--------|-------|--------|
| S&P/TSX Financials | 2,294.14 | 0.96 | 0.0% | 2.8% | 5.8% | 0.7% | -5.5% | 9.8% | 18.4% |
| S&P/TSX Energy | 2,364.44 | -9.27 | -0.4% | 1.0% | 18.4% | -1.5% | -25.7% | -7.8% | 9.1% |
| S&P/TSX Materials | 2,423.50 | -20.29 | -0.8% | 5.2% | 58.7% | 31.7% | -22.8% | -4.5% | -29.1% |
| S&P/TSX Industrials | 2,332.23 | 5.78 | 0.2% | 5.9% | 10.5% | 2.7% | -12.5% | 20.0% | 34.1% |
| S&P/TSX Consumer Discretionary | 1,888.12 | 7.97 | 0.4% | 5.1% | 4.0% | -8.0% | -3.5% | 26.4% | 38.6% |
| S&P/TSX Telecom Services | 1,451.68 | -0.63 | 0.0% | 2.3% | 15.0% | 9.3% | -1.0% | 10.5% | 7.6% |
| S&P/TSX Information Technology | 215.24 | 2.52 | 1.2% | 3.4% | -2.8% | 4.4% | 14.8% | 34.0% | 36.0% |
| S&P/TSX Consumer Staples | 4,469.03 | 36.84 | 0.8% | 4.6% | 6.9% | 8.7% | 11.0% | 46.9% | 21.3% |
| S&P/TSX Utilities | 2,119.12 | 10.23 | 0.5% | 2.1% | 17.1% | 9.7% | -7.8% | 11.3% | -8.7% |
| S&P/TSX Healthcare | 518.28 | 1.70 | 0.3% | 10.1% | -69.6% | -85.3% | -15.8% | 30.2% | 72.6% |

| S&P 500 Sector Performance | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|----------------------------|-------------|--------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|--------|--------|-------|
| Financials | 318.42 | 0.25 | 0.1% | 3.3% | -1.0% | -6.9% | -3.5% | 13.1% | 32.5% |
| Health Care | 854.83 | -1.41 | -0.2% | 3.1% | 2.6% | -3.9% | 5.2% | 23.3% | 38.0% |
| Technology | 746.60 | -0.88 | -0.1% | 4.7% | 3.5% | 2.6% | 4.3% | 18.2% | 24.9% |
| Industrials | 510.25 | 0.28 | 0.1% | 4.7% | 10.1% | 7.7% | -4.7% | 7.5% | 35.9% |
| Consumer Discretionary | 644.18 | -1.18 | -0.2% | 3.8% | 3.7% | 2.6% | 8.4% | 8.0% | 40.3% |
| Energy | 516.63 | -2.70 | -0.5% | 0.8% | 15.2% | -2.9% | -23.6% | -10.0% | 20.7% |
| Consumer Staples | 569.76 | -0.94 | -0.2% | 0.8% | 9.9% | 10.8% | 3.8% | 12.9% | 21.4% |
| Telecom | 182.32 | -0.67 | -0.4% | -0.2% | 21.6% | 18.1% | -1.7% | -1.9% | 5.9% |
| Materials | 305.74 | -2.12 | -0.7% | 5.2% | 11.7% | 2.3% | -10.4% | 4.7% | 21.9% |
| Utilities | 264.29 | -0.39 | -0.1% | -0.9% | 20.1% | 20.1% | -8.4% | 24.3% | 7.1% |

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Market snapshot

Number crunching

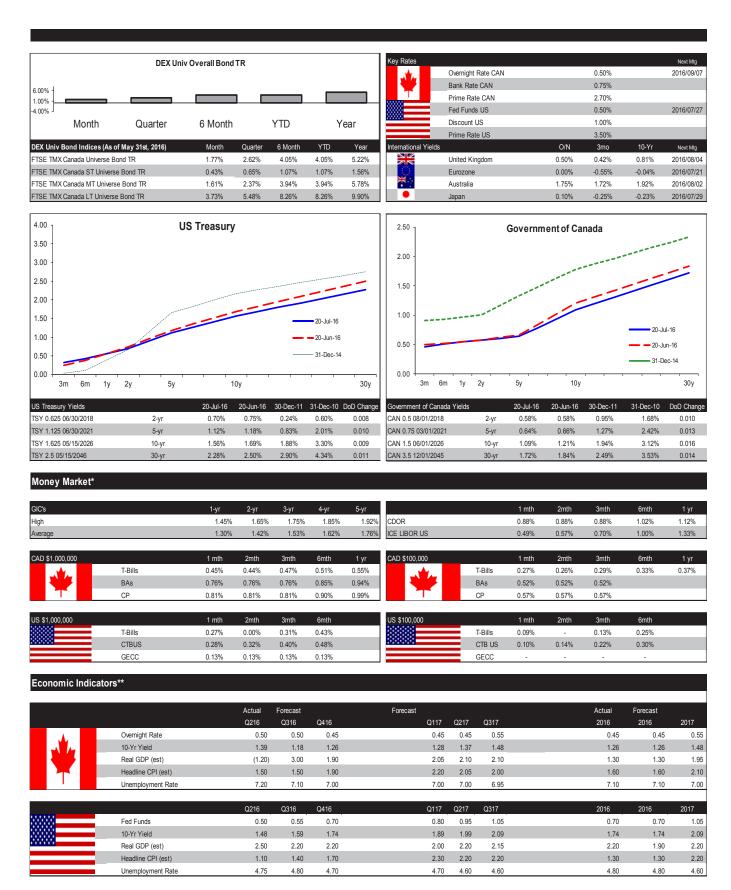
| Commodities (USD\$) | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|-------------------------------|-------------|--------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Crude Oil (WTI per barrel) | \$44.60 | -0.64 | -1.4% | -7.7% | 6.5% | -19.6% | -30.5% | -45.9% | 1.9% |
| Crude Oil (Brent per barrel) | \$46.72 | -0.24 | -0.5% | -6.0% | 9.9% | -24.2% | -35.0% | -48.3% | 3.0% |
| Natural Gas (per million btu) | \$2.72 | 0.00 | 0.0% | -6.9% | 7.9% | -13.1% | -19.1% | -31.7% | 8.4% |
| 3-2-1 Crack Spread | \$13.29 | 0.40 | 3.1% | -8.6% | -6.9% | -50.0% | 4.9% | -39.5% | -20.6% |
| Gold (per ounce) | \$1,332.28 | 3.43 | 0.3% | 0.8% | 25.5% | 17.4% | -10.4% | -1.7% | -27.3% |
| Silver (per ounce) | \$19.92 | -0.13 | -0.6% | 6.5% | 43.8% | 33.9% | -11.7% | -19.3% | -35.5% |
| Platinum (per ounce) | \$1,092.53 | -4.17 | -0.4% | 6.6% | 22.3% | 9.9% | -26.1% | -11.8% | -10.3% |
| Palladium (per ounce) | \$657.00 | 11.85 | 1.8% | 9.6% | 16.7% | 6.7% | -29.4% | 11.3% | 3.2% |
| Copper (per pound) | \$2.23 | 0.01 | 0.4% | 1.7% | 4.6% | -9.8% | -26.1% | -13.7% | -6.3% |
| Zinc (per pound) | \$1.00 | 0.01 | 0.6% | 5.3% | 39.0% | 7.6% | -26.5% | 5.6% | 1.3% |
| Nickel (per pound) | \$4.76 | 0.12 | 2.6% | 11.7% | 19.6% | -8.3% | -41.8% | 9.0% | -17.9% |

| Currencies (in CAD\$) | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|--------|-------|-------|
| U.S. Dollar | 1.303 | 0.0081 | 0.6% | 0.8% | -5.9% | 0.2% | 19.1% | 9.4% | 8.3% |
| Euro | 1.435 | 0.0016 | 0.1% | 0.0% | -4.5% | 2.0% | 6.9% | -3.7% | 12.3% |
| British Pound | 1.707 | -0.0087 | -0.5% | -0.8% | -16.3% | -15.6% | 12.7% | 2.9% | 9.6% |
| Japanese Yen (in JPY¥) | 81.458 | -0.5520 | -0.7% | 2.0% | -6.2% | -14.8% | -15.7% | 4.0% | 10.7% |

| Currencies (in USD\$) | Index Level | Change | Change (%) | MTD (%) | YTD (%) | 52-Week (%) | 2015 | 2014 | 2013 |
|------------------------|-------------|---------|------------|---------|---------|-------------|--------|--------|-------|
| Canadian Dollar | 0.768 | -0.0048 | -0.6% | -0.8% | 6.2% | -0.2% | -16.0% | -8.6% | -7.7% |
| Euro | 1.102 | -0.0055 | -0.5% | -0.8% | 1.5% | 1.8% | -10.2% | -12.0% | 3.6% |
| British Pound | 1.311 | -0.0149 | -1.1% | -1.5% | -11.1% | -15.8% | -5.4% | -5.9% | 1.2% |
| Japanese Yen (in JPY¥) | 106.100 | -0.0600 | -0.1% | 2.8% | -11.7% | -14.6% | 0.4% | 13.8% | 19.9% |

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