



# Daily Resources Overview

5 September 2018

International Markets : International Markets - Commodities

Category: Commodities

Indices	Current	+/-	%	Previous	UpdateTime	WkClose	MthClose
<b>COMEX</b>							
Gold - Aug 18	1196.9	-9.8	-0.81	1206.7	04/09/18 15:58:59	1206.7	1206.7
Silver - Sep 18	14.19	-0.367	-2.52	14.557	04/09/18 15:58:59	14.557	14.557
Copper - Sep 18	2.6	-0.071	-2.66	2.671	04/09/18 15:58:44	2.671	2.671
<b>NYMEX</b>							
Platinum - Oct 18	778	-9.1	-1.16	787.1	04/09/18 15:59:00	787.1	787.1
Palladium - Sep 18	968.8	-1.1	-0.11	969.9	04/09/18 15:59:00	969.9	969.9
<b>LONDON METAL</b>							
Gold (AM Fix)	1201.7	-5.15	-0.43	1206.85	04/09/18 01:00:00	1206.85	1206.85
Gold (PM Fix)	1200.05	-2.4	-0.2	1202.45	04/09/18 01:00:00	1202.45	1202.45
<b>ENERGY</b>							
WTI - May 18	69.37	-0.43	-0.62	69.8	04/09/18 15:59:00	69.8	69.8
Brent Crude Oil	77.772	-0.208	-0.27	77.98	04/09/18 16:58:55	77.71	77.71
<b>CBT</b>							
Wheat - Sep 18	530.75	-14.75	-2.7	545.5	04/09/18 13:30:40	543.75	543.75
Soybean - Nov 18	844.25	0.75	0.09	843.5	04/09/18 13:30:36	840.25	840.25
Corn - Dec 18	367.5	2.5	0.68	365	04/09/18 13:30:22	363.75	363.75
<b>OTHER</b>							
Iron Ore (China Port)	67	0	0	67	05/09/18 06:34:30	67	67
Coal (ICE-GC Newcastle)	110.15	-1.8	-1.61	111.95	05/09/18 06:34:29	110.15	110.15
<b>LME Indicative</b>							
Copper - Cash	5796	-149	-2.51	5945	04/09/18 18:50:00	5968	5968
Copper - 3Mth	5815	-152	-2.55	5967	04/09/18 19:00:00	5975	5975
Lead - Cash	2065	-39	-1.85	2104	04/09/18 18:50:00	2057.5	2057.5
Lead - 3Mth	2076.5	-43.5	-2.05	2120	04/09/18 18:59:59	2078	2078
Zinc - Cash	2424.5	-45	-1.82	2469.5	04/09/18 18:50:00	2461.75	2461.75
Zinc - 3Mth	2415.5	-47.5	-1.93	2463	04/09/18 18:59:53	2457	2457
Aluminum - Cash	2030.25	-35.5	-1.72	2065.75	04/09/18 18:50:00	2101.5	2101.5
Aluminum 3Mth	2062	-35	-1.67	2097	04/09/18 18:59:48	2125	2125
Nickel - Cash	12380	-317.5	-2.5	12697.5	04/09/18 18:50:00	12708	12708
Nickel - 3Mth	12470	-320	-2.5	12790	04/09/18 18:59:25	12800	12800
Tin - Cash	18896	1	0.01	18895	04/09/18 18:50:00	19052.5	19052.5
Tin - 3Mth	18825	-15	-0.08	18840	04/09/18 18:56:52	18990	18990

International Markets : International Markets - World Indices

Category: World Indices

Indices	Current	+/-	%	Previous	UpdateTime	WkClose	MthClose
Dow Jones	25952.48	-12.34	-0.05	25964.82	04/09/18 16:58:00	25964.82	25964.82
S & P 500	2896.72	-4.8	-0.17	2901.52	04/09/18 15:58:00	2901.52	2901.52
NASDAQ	8091.2458	-18.2912	-0.23	8109.537	04/09/18 17:00:00	8109.537	8109.537
FTSE 100	7457.86	-46.74	-0.62	7504.6	04/09/18 16:35:30	7432.42	7432.42
DAX 30	12210.21	-136.2	-1.1	12346.41	04/09/18 18:55:00	12364.06	12364.06
CAC 40	5342.7	-71.1	-1.31	5413.8	04/09/18 18:55:00	5406.85	5406.85
Milan MIB30	20601	205.21	1.01	20395.79	04/09/18 21:55:14	20269.47	20269.47
Nikkei	22696.9	-10.48	-0.05	22707.38	05/09/18 04:17:17	22865.15	22865.15
Hang Seng	27973.34	260.8	0.94	27712.54	05/09/18 00:55:00	27888.55	27888.55
Hang Seng China Enterprises	10890.63	77.06	0.71	10813.57	04/09/18 16:08:24	10875.58	10875.58
Straits Times	3210.51	3.31	0.1	3207.2	04/09/18 17:10:00	3213.48	3213.48
Shanghai Composite	2750.5804	29.846	1.1	2720.7344	05/09/18 00:55:00	2725.2499	2725.2499

## PRECIOUS METALS COMMENTARY

Gold and silver prices are lower in early-afternoon U.S. trading Tuesday, but up from daily lows that saw silver hit a 2.5-year low. A stronger U.S. dollar on the foreign exchange market today trumped ongoing world trade tensions and shaky secondary currency markets. December gold futures were last down \$7.40 an ounce at \$1,199.30. December Comex silver was last down \$0.387 at \$14.17 an ounce.

World stock markets were mostly lower today, amid ongoing world trade worries after President Trump during the weekend threatened to exclude Canada from the just-concluded U.S.-Mexico trade deal. Presently, the spectre of reduced demand for precious metals due to inhibited world economic growth from the trade spats is outweighing any safe-haven demand for the metals from the trade situation.

The calendar has turned to September and investors are likely in a more serious mood, after a summertime of fun and family vacations. The months of September and October many times find the marketplace focusing on matters of worry. The next couple of months could well find the marketplace closely examining the secondary currency markets and the beating they have taken against the U.S. dollar this year. If the secondary currency markets continue to depreciate against the dollar, such could create some safe-haven demand for gold and silver due to fears of a currency market contagion.

The key outside markets today find the U.S. dollar index higher as the greenback continues its assault on the world's secondary currencies. Meantime, Nymex crude oil prices are slightly up but well off overnight highs that saw prices hit a 3.5-month high, on worries about a hurricane in the Gulf of Mexico shutting in some U.S. crude oil production for a period of time.

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