Commodities and Indices Market View

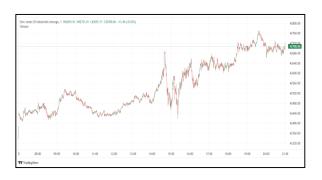
Monday, January 6, 2025



Technicals



S&P	RSI (20:80)	Sto Fast
500	47.98%	D 21.29% K 25.76%



Dow	RSI (20:80)	Sto Fast		
Jones	41.66%	D 17.01% K 19.12%		

US Stock Market

DJIA	S&P 500	NASDAQ
42,732.13	5,942.47	19,621.68
+0.80%	+1.26%	+1.77%

U.S. stocks rebounded on Friday as investors neared the end of a holiday-shortened week that also rang in a new year, which brought with it expectations of additional Federal Reserve rate cuts and looser regulatory policies from the incoming administration. A broad rally sent all three major U.S. stock indexes to a higher close, with megacap growth companies, such as Tesla (TSLA.O), and Nvidia (NVDA.O), providing much of the muscle to the upside and putting the techheavy Nasdag out front. The Dow Jones Industrial Average (.DJI), rose 339.86 points, or 0.80%, to 42,732.13, the S&P 500 (.SPX), gained 73.92 points, or 1.26%, to 5,942.47 and the Nasdaq Composite (.IXIC), gained 340.88 points, or 1.77%, to 19,621.68. All 11 major sectors in the S&P 500 closed higher, with consumer discretionary stocks (.SPLRCD), enjoying the largest percentage gain after Thursday's rout. Microsoft shares (MSFT.O), gained 1.1% after the company said it would invest \$80 billion on Al-enabled data centers in fiscal 2025. A run of fairly robust economic data has called into question the need for additional interest rate cuts from the Fed in the near term due to the possibility of re-igniting inflationary pressures.

	Major Economic Releases for Today						
Period	Event	GMT	Forecast	Previous			
DEC	EUR Consumer Price Index (MoM)	1:00	0.20%	-0.20%			
DEC	EUR Consumer Price Index (YoY	1:00	2.40%	2.20%			
DEC	EUR Harmonized Index of Consumer Prices (YoY)	1:00	2.50%	2.40%			
DEC	CHF Consumer Price Index (YoY)	19:30	-	0.70%			
DEC	EUR Core Harmonized Index of Consumer Prices (YoY)	22:00	2.7%	2.7%			



Dow Jones Industrial Average

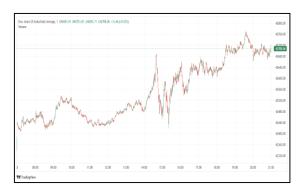
At the close in NYSE, the Dow Jones Industrial Average added 0.80%. The best performers of the session on the Dow Jones Industrial Average were NVIDIA Corporation (NASDAQ:NVDA), which rose 4.43% or 6.12 points to trade at 144.43 at the close. Meanwhile, Amazon.com Inc (NASDAQ:AMZN) added 1.79% or 3.94 points to end at 224.16 and Unitedhealth Group (NYSE:UNH) was up 1.68% or 8.49 points to 513.00 in late trade. The worst performers of the session were Boeing Co (NYSE:BA), which fell 1.15% or 1.97 points to trade at 169.90 at the close. Procter & Gamble Company (NYSE:PG) declined 0.51% or 0.85 points to end at 165.13 and Nike Inc (NYSE:NKE) was down 0.49% or 0.36 points to 73.31.

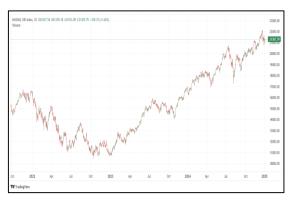
NASDAQ 100

At the close in NYSE, the NASDAQ Composite index gained 1.75%. The top performers on the NASDAQ Composite were Focus Universal Inc (NASDAQ:FCUV) which rose 177.57% to 0.96, shares in N2OFF Inc (NASDAQ:NITO) rose to 52-week highs; gaining 146.73% or 1.57 to 2.64 and Cerence Inc (NASDAQ:CRNC) which gained 143.76% to close at 19.33. The worst performers were Ptl Inc (NASDAQ:PTLE) which was down 39.38% to HWH International 7.39 late trade, (NASDAQ:HWH) which lost 28.80% to settle at 0.46 and NXU Inc (NASDAQ:NXU) which was down 23.98% to 0.71 at the close.

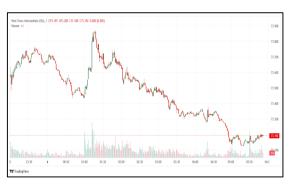
OIL

Oil prices slid on Monday amid a strong U.S. dollar, concerns over sanctions and ahead of key economic data by the U.S. Federal Reserve and U.S. payrolls later in the week. Brent crude futures slid 21 cents, or 0.3%, to \$76.3 a barrel by 0445 GMT after settling on Friday at its highest since Oct. 14. U.S. West Texas Intermediate crude was down 19 cents, or 0.3%, at \$73.77 a barrel after closing on Friday at its highest since Oct. 11. Oil posted five-session gains previously with hopes of rising demand following colder weather in the Northern Hemisphere and more fiscal stimulus by China to revitalise its faltering economy.









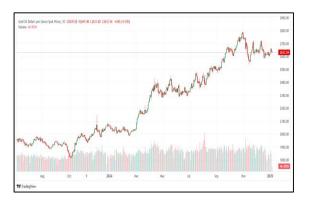


Precious and Base Metals

Gold prices were little changed on Monday, while investors awaited a slew of U.S. economic data including the December nonfarm payrolls report for further guidance on the Federal Reserve's stance on interest rates. Spot gold held its ground at \$2,635.39 per ounce by 0510 GMT. U.S. gold futures dropped 0.2% to \$2,646.80. President-elect Donald Trump is set to return to office on Jan. 20 and his proposed tariffs and protectionist policies are expected to fuel inflation. This could prompt the Fed to go slow on rate cuts, limiting gold's upside. After three rate cuts in 2024, the Fed has projected only two reductions for 2025 due to persistent inflation. Spot silver was down 0.2% at \$29.57 per ounce, platinum dipped 0.7% to \$931.30 and palladium fell 0.4% to \$918.22.

Traditional Agricultures

Soybeans collapsed on Friday, as contracts are closed with losses of 15 ½ to 21 ¼ cents at the final bell. March soybeans closed the week with a 2 cent gain. CmdtyView's national front month Cash Bean price was down 20 1/4 cents at \$9.36 1/2. Soymeal futures were down \$7.10 to \$11.30/ton across the board. Soy Oil futures were 20 to 34 points on the session. The wheat market posted double digit losses across most contracts in the three exchanges on Friday. Chicago SRW futures closed with contracts down 11 1/4 to 16 1/2 cents on the day. March fell 17 ¼ cents this week. KC HRW contracts closed with 12 ½ to 13 1/2 cent losses on the session. March KC wheat was down 15 ½ cents on the week. The corn market felt pressure on Friday after a lack luster export sales performance. Futures ended the session with contracts down 4 ¼ to 9 cents, as corn fell with much of the rest of the commodities.











Future Settlement Price Monday, January 6th , 2025						
Instrument	Last	Net Change	High	Low	Volume	
S & P 500	5,991.50	2	5,996.00	5,980.75	37,007.00	
NASDAQ 100	21,540.50	24	21,551.75	21,478.25	24,578.00	
Dow Jones	43,001.00	-20	43,046.00	42,951.00	3,293.00	
Gold	2,645.40	-9.3	2,661.00	2,643.00	22,300.00	
Silver	29.97	-0.1	30.21	29.88	5,754.00	
Copper	4.07	0.0475	4.08	4.01	42,814.00	
Crude Oil	73.70	-0.26	74.39	73.60	19,238.00	
Platinum	948.30	25.9	949.50	924.40	25,962.00	
Palladium	922.50	10.4	928.50	908.50	2,364.00	
Natural Gas	3.07	0.118	3.09	3.05	6,483.00	
Wheat	531-6	-2	534-0	530-2	3,864.00	
Soy Beans	1000-0	6	1004-6	993-2	18,583.00	
Corn	453-4	-4	454-4	451-4	8,993.00	

Daily Swings (The Pivot Levels)								
	Trading Range							
Instrument	S3	S2	S1	Pivot	R1	R2	R3	
Dow Jones	41,346.06	41,760.43	42,076.35	42,806.64	42,806.64	43,221.01	43,536.93	
S & P 500	5,714.79	5,772.16	5,820.35	5,925.91	5,925.91	5,983.28	6,031.47	
NASDAQ 100	20,335.79	20,568.15	20,771.89	21,207.98	21,207.98	21,440.33	21,644.07	
Gold	2,650.27	2,651.06	2,652.43	2,654.59	2,654.59	2,655.38	2,656.75	
Silver	30.04	30.06	30.09	30.15	30.15	30.17	30.20	
Copper	4.07	4.07	4.07	4.08	4.08	4.08	4.09	
Crude Oil	73.81	73.89	74.01	74.21	74.21	74.29	74.41	
Platinum	943.00	943.90	945.30	947.60	947.60	948.50	949.90	
Palladium	917.16	918.33	920.66	924.16	924.16	925.33	927.66	
Natural Gas	3.50	3.51	3.53	3.65	3.56	3.57	3.59	
Wheat	502.66	515.08	522.16	541.66	541.66	554.08	561.16	
Cotton	66.19	66.91	67.28	68.37	68.37	69.09	69.46	
Corn	436.25	442.75	446.75	457.25	457.25	463.75	467.75	

Source: - News & Quotes (Reuters, Investing, Bloomberg, FXStreet, Barchart)

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