

# The Daily Roll

Market Recap November 15, 2013



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#### Today's Commentary

Thursday saw stocks rise with the S&P closing at a new all-time high of 1,790.62 (+0.48%) and the TSX closing at 13,431.38 (+0.45%). The USD also depreciated versus most other major currencies. These moves come after Yellen's confirmation address and before light Friday data. Today Canadian manufacturing sales came in at +0.6% m/m versus expectations of 0.5%, while in the US the Empire State Survey saw the first negative reading since May, -2.21 versus expectations of 5.00, indicating the manufacturing sector in New York has recently weakened. The US import price index also fell by -0.7%, which was more than expected (-0.5%). Capacity utilisation (78.1% vs. exp. 78.3%) and industrial production (-0.1% m/m vs. exp. 0.2%) numbers also came in slightly lower than expected. Stock futures are pointing to a positive open today for major North American stock indices.

Moody's Investors Service concluded a review of eight U.S. banks. Moody's cut its ratings on four of the biggest U.S. banks based on its updated views on the US government's ability to support these banks in a crisis. Morgan Stanley (MS), Goldman Sachs Group Inc. (GS), JPMorgan Chase & Co. (JPM) and Bank of New York Mellon Corp. had their senior holding company ratings lowered one level yesterday. Bank of New York was cut to A1 from Aa3, and Goldman Sachs was lowered to Baa1 from A3, JPMorgan was cut to A3 from A2, and Morgan Stanley was downgraded to Baa2 from Baa1. Moody's review focused on two opposing effects of the FDIC's SPE framework that influence risks for bondholders at the bank holding company level. The first effect is the reduced likelihood and predictability of systemic support. This approach imposes losses on US bank holding company creditors to recapitalize and preserve operations in a stress scenario. The second, opposing effect is the possible reduction in the severity of losses for bank holding company creditors in the event of default ('loss given

Janet Yellen, the Candidate for the next Federal Reserve Chairman, indicated during yesterday's confirmation hearing that she will press on with the unprecedented bond buying program to simulate the economy until she sees robust recovery. "I don't see evidence at this point, in major sectors of asset prices misalignment," she said in the hearing for her appointment. "Although there is limited evidence of reaching for yield, we don't see a broad buildup in leverage, where the development of risk that I think at this stage poses a risk to financial stability." Yellen signalled her determination to continually apply bond buying to strengthen the economy in order to drive down the current 7.3% unemployment. There are high expectations for support of bond prices in the short run

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### Today's Major Economic Releases

United States	Period	Survey	<u>Actual</u>	Prior
Industrial Production	31-Oct	0.2K	0.6K	0.4K

Canada Period Survey **Actual Prior** Manufacturing Sales (MoM) 31-Oct 0.5% 0.6% -0.2%

# **Equities**

Commodities



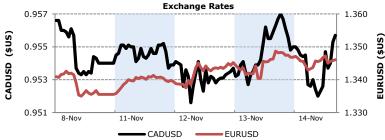
#### Crude Oil and Gold \$95.60 \$1,317 Crude price (*\$US/bbl*) \$95.10 \$1,308 \$94.60 \$1,299 \$94.10 \$1,290 **Gold price** \$93.60 \$1,281 \$93.10 \$1,272 \$1,263 \$92.60 8-Nov 12-Nov 13-Nov

WTI Crude

	<u>14-Nov</u>	<u>day ∆</u>	<u>%∆</u>	<u>5-day</u>	<u>1-mnth</u>
Oil (\$US/BbI)	\$93.76	-0.12	-0.13%	-0.47%	-8.34%
Gold (\$US/oz)	\$1,287	5.38	+0.42%	-1.56%	+0.38%

Gold

# Foreign Exchange



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	2.60	<b>~~~</b>				~~	2.70
	2.50	8-Nov	11-Nov	12-Nov	13-Nov	14-Nov	2.60
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	Spot	14-Nov	day ∆	-5 days	<u>-1 mnth</u>	-1 year	
	USDCAD	\$1.046	+0.001	1.046	1.033	0.996	
_	EURUSD	\$1.346	-0.003	1.342	1.353	1.281	
%)	USDJPY	¥100.01	+0.760	98.090	98.77	81.41	
ns (				Historical levels			
		14-Nov	day ∆	<u>-1 mnth</u>	-3 mnths	-1 year	
	Canada	2.55%	-0.027%	2.65%	2.71%	1.70%	
Uni	ited States	2.69%	-0.010%	2.73% 2.83% 1.59%		1.59%	

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12-months

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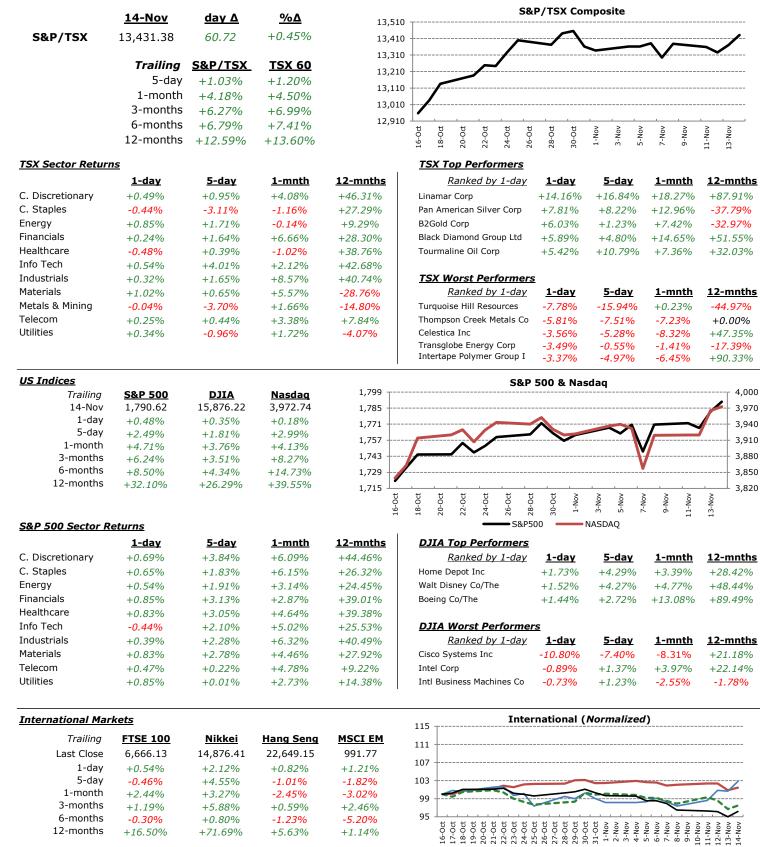
+71.69%

+5.63%

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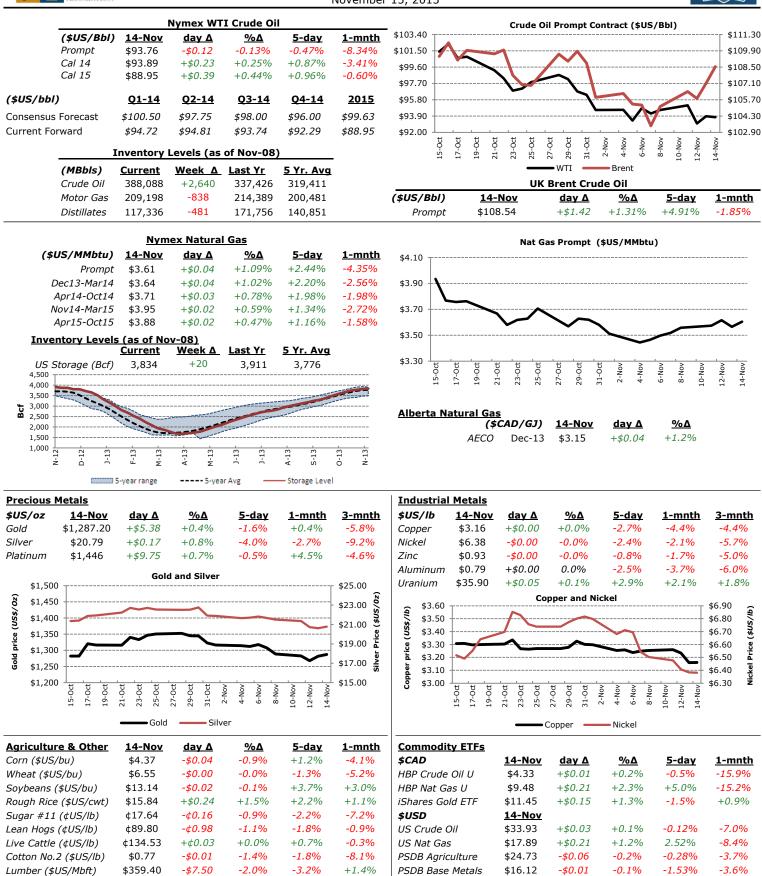
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# The Rates, FX, & Economics Roll

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#### Interest Rates Canadian yield curve Historical Levels Canadian Yield Curve 4.0% 14-Nov day ∆ -1 mnth -3 mnths 3-mnth 0.92% 0.92% 0.99% 0.98% 3.0% 0.95% 0.95% 1.03% 1.01% 6-mnth 2.0% 12-mnth 1.01% +0.00% 1.01% 1.13% 1.06% 2-year 1.11% -0.00% 1.23% 1.21% 1.07% 1.0% -0.03% 1 78% 1 94% 1 96% 1.30% 5-year 10-year 2.55% -0.03% 2.65% 2.71% 1.70% 0.0% 3.03% -0.03% 3.11% 3.13% 2.26% 20-year 0.0 Y 5.0 Y 10.0 Y 15.0 Y 20.0 Y 25.0 Y 30.0 Y 30-year 3.11% -0.03% 3.18% 3.18% 2.30% - 1-month ago Current 1-year ago US yield curve Historical Levels day ∆ <u>-1 mnth</u> -3 mnths -1 year **US Yield Curve** 14-Nov 4.0% 3-mnth 0.07% 0.10% 0.04% 0.10% 0.09% 6-mnth 0.13% 0.07% 0.14% 3.0% +0.03% 12-mnth 0.12% 0.15% 0.11% 0.17% 2.0% 0.29% -0.01% 0.35% 0.34% 0.25% 2-year 5-year 1.33% -0.03% 1.43% 1.56% 0.62% 1.0% 10-year 2.69% -0.01%2.73% 2.83% 1.59% 30-year 3.79% -0.03% 3.79% 3.85% 2.73% 0.0% 0.0 Y 5.0 Y 10.0 Y 15.0 Y 20.0 Y 25.0 Y 30.0 Y Current Prior **Next Meeting** Survey 1-month ago Current 1-year ago Cdn Overnight 1.00% 1.00% 4-Dec-13 1.00% US Fed Funds 0.25% 0.25% 18-Dec-13 0.25% Can vs US Sovereign Curves 4.0% Cdn Overnight Rate & US Fed Funds Target 2.0% 3.0% 2.0% 1.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0-10 5.0 Y 10.0 Y 15.0 Y 20.0 Y 25.0 Y 30.0 Y 0.0 - US Canada Foreign Exchange (USDCAD implies 1-USD to CAD) Historical Levels Historical Levels Spot 14-Nov -1 mnth -3 mnths -1 vear Spot 14-Nov -1 mnth day A day A -3 mnths -1 year USDCAD 0.996 CADJPY 95.63 \$1.046 +0.0011.033 1.034 ¥95.57 +0.66294.89 81.72 **EURUSD** \$1.346 -0.003 1.353 1.326 1.281 CADAUD \$1.026 +0.004 1.014 1.060 0.964 ¥100.01 +0.76098.77 **GBPCAD** +0.0021.585 USDJPY 98.14 81.41 £1.681 1.647 1.603 GRPUSD +0.001**EURJPY** +0.760130.08 104.32 \$1.607 1.595 1.550 1.591 ¥134.61 133.67 **AUDUSD** \$0.932 -0.004 0.955 0.912 1.041 **EURAUD** \$1.44 +0.0041.42 1.45 1.23 **Economic Releases** United States **Period Actual Prior** Survey Citigroup Economic Surprise Index Thu, Nov 14 Continuina Claims 2-Nov 2870K 2874K 2868K 80 9-Nov Thu, Nov 14 Intial Jobless Claims 330K 339K 336K 60 Thu, Nov 14 Trade Balance 30-Sep -39B -41.8B -38.8B 40 31-Oct 0.2K Fri, Nov 15 Industrial Production 0.6K 0.4K 20 0 -20 -40 -60 -80 Canada Period Survey **Actual Prior** 100 Fri, Nov 15 Manufacturing Sales (MoM) 31-Oct 0.5% 0.6% -0.2% 19-Sep Sep 3-Oct 10-0ct ò 24-Oct 31-Oct 14-Nov 12--26-Canada **Economics** Q3-13 2013E Canada Q4-12 Q1-13 Q2-13 Real GDP (YoY%) 6.00% Real GDP 0.93% 2.18% 1.75% NA 1.65% 0.93% 0.90% 0.77% 1.17% 1.00% 4.00% Unemployment 7.10% 7.20% 7.10% 6.90% 7.10% 2.00% US 1.70% Real GDP 0.10% 1.10% 2 50% 2.80% 0.00% 1.50% CPI 1.90% 1.70% 1.43% 1.57% Unemployment 7.80% 7.60% 7.60% 7.20% 7.50% -2.00% China Q1-12 Q2-12 Q3-12 01-13 Q2-13 Q3-13 Q4-11 04-12

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7.60%

7.70%

7.50%

7.80%

7.90%

Real GDP

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