

News Headlines

- President Donald Trump signed the Republican tax bill on Friday; law slashes corporate tax rate to 21 percent from 35 percent.
- The Senate confirmed Democrat Robert Jackson and Republican Hester Peirce as SEC commissioners on Thursday.
- Trump plans to nominate Jerome Powell to be chairman of the Federal Reserve in the new year after the Senate failed to vote on his confirmation before ending its 2017 session.

Economic News

- U.S. retail sales in the holiday period rose at their best pace since 2011. Sales, excluding automobiles, rose 4.9% from Nov. 1 through Christmas Eve, compared with a 3.7% gain in the same period last year. E-commerce rose 18.1%.
- Apple suppliers fall on report of weak iPhone X demand.
- Single-family housing starts surged 5.3% in November to a 10-year high.

Key Commodity Prices

	Close	1 yr Ago
Dom Crude Oil (bbl)-NYMEX	58.47	56.13
Natural Gas (MMBtu)	2.49	3.43
Gold (oz)	1,279	1,151
Platinum (oz)	930	905
Copper (lb)	3.21	2.47
Coffee (lb)	1.42	1.56
Cotton (lb)	0.77	0.70
Corn (bu)	3.22	3.29
Soybeans (bu)	9.15	9.69

Equity Style Returns

	V	B	G
L	0.7	0.4	0.0
M	0.9	0.8	0.8
S	0.6	0.8	1.0

1 Week

	V	B	G
L	13.9	22.0	30.7
M	13.2	18.5	25.4
S	8.4	15.1	22.6

YTD

Fixed Income Returns

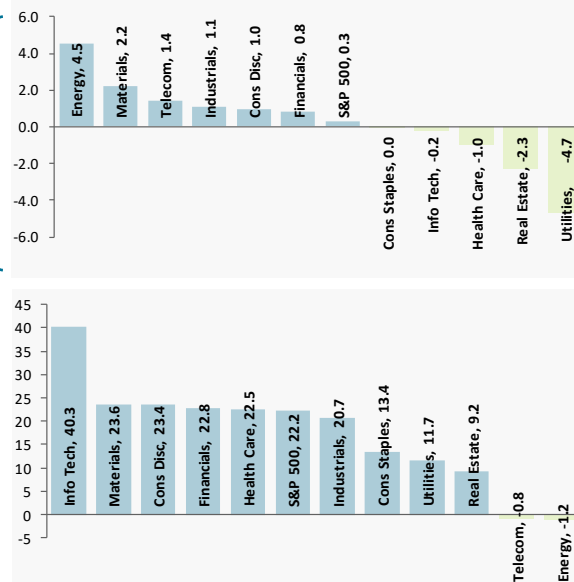
	Short	Int	Long
Gov	-0.2	-0.6	-1.0
Cor	-0.1	-0.6	-1.6
HY	0.0	0.0	0.0

1 Week

	Short	Int	Long
Gov	0.5	1.5	2.1
Cor	2.4	5.0	10.4
HY	6.2	6.8	14.7

YTD

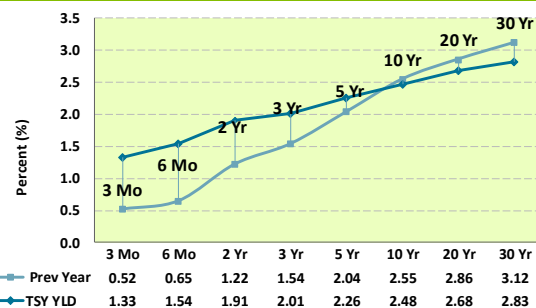
S&P 500 Sector Returns



Key Currency Exchange Rates

US\$ to buy Canadian Dollar	0.786
US\$ to buy Euro	1.186
US\$ to buy U.K. Pound	1.336
Yen to buy US\$	113.285

Treasury Yield Curve



Major Market Returns

INDEX					
US Equities	Closing	1 WK	YTD	1 Year	5 Year
Dow Jones	24,754	0.42	28.28	27.28	16.25
S&P 500	2,683	0.30	22.23	21.08	15.81
NASDAQ	6,960	0.35	30.68	29.17	19.59
Foreign & REIT		1 WK	YTD	1 Year	5 Year
MSCI EAFE NR		1.25	23.87	24.63	7.67
MSCI EM NR		2.07	35.03	38.63	4.26
FTSE Nareit - ALL REITS		-2.18	7.77	9.68	9.66
Bonds		1 WK	YTD	1 Year	5 Year
BBgBarc Agg Bond		-0.60	3.01	3.75	2.01
Citi Treasury 3 Mo T-Bill		0.09	0.74	0.77	0.23
BBgBarc US High Yield		0.00	7.28	7.61	5.75
BBgBarc US TIPS		-0.51	2.12	3.01	-0.11
ML Global Broad Mrkt		-0.45	6.06	6.98	0.70

Consumer Money Rates

Interest Rate	Last	Wk Ago	1 Yr Ago
Federal-funds rate target	125-150	125-150	025-050
Prime rate*	4.50	4.50	3.75
Libor, 3-month	1.69	1.61	1.00
Money market, annual yield	0.34	0.34	0.26
Five-year CD, annual yield	1.50	1.49	1.19
30-year mortgage, fixed	3.97	3.88	4.27
15-year mortgage, fixed	3.39	3.30	3.47
Jumbo mortgages, \$417,000-plus	4.35	4.26	4.69
Five-year adj mortgage (ARM)	4.00	3.70	3.86
New-car loan, 48-month	3.33	3.32	3.02

* Base rate posted by 70% of the nation's largest banks



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