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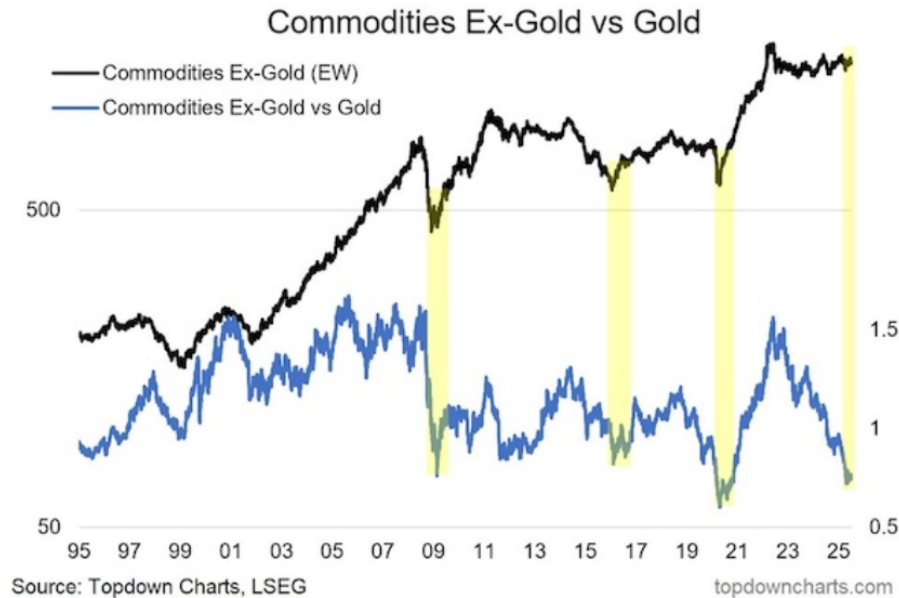
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This chart courtesy graddhy.com shows gold currently hugging its parabolic line. Several times in the past when gold touched this red line the result was a rapid increase in the price.



This 30 year chart courtesy sources listed shows the price of gold at the top and commodities without gold, at the bottom. The point is that commodities, by themselves are still bottoming, still waiting to turn bullish.



Featured is the daily gold chart. Price is carving out a bullish ARAT pattern. A rise above the blue arrow sets up a target at 3,900.00. The SIs are positive and the MAs are in positive alignment and rising. The number of ounces backing GLD is unchanged at 30.4 million, and the GDI is unchanged at 75%.



Featured is the weekly gold chart. The green arrows point to bottoms in the 7-8 week gold cycle, the brown arrows point to tops. Next week will be #3 in the current cycle.



Featured is GDX the miners ETF. Price is rising inside the blue channel. The SIs are at support and the A/D line is bullish. A rise above the blue arrow will mark the start of a new rally.

=== >>> MODEL PORTFOLIO

Each report will show the trades that were completed since the last report.

Since I do most of my trading on the TSX, I will show the stock symbol for the US equivalent in brackets. Note: when trading a pink sheet listed stock, you should always buy or sell using a specific price - never a 'market' order.

To benefit from this feature, pull up a chart for any of the symbols that I buy or sell. Determine if you want to do likewise or wait for another opportunity. If you're not sure of the fundamentals, - click on the website link provided.

Always make sure the index or ETF that represents the sector is in harmony with your trade. I apologize for the short time I stay in some stocks, but this is all based on chart patterns. If the chart pattern changes from positive to negative - I usually run. Here are some of my trading habits:

- **I eliminate all emotion.** Stocks are simply investments that I use to improve the bottom line. I pick a stock or commodity because I think the chart pattern looks positive. Once I decide that we are operating in a bull market, I don't bother with sell stops - I patiently wait for the stock or ETF to come back into positive territory.
- **When I do sell below my cost, I look at the loss as an opportunity to get into a winner.**
- I use the 20 day and 30 day exponential moving averages at Stockcharts.com to help me decide when to buy and when to sell. Then I draw a channel, just as I do in the reports I issue. As long as the stock stays in the channel, I'll keep it as part of the portfolio, unless I decide to take profits.

- You've heard people say: 'Buy Low – Sell High'. Here is a variation on that advice: **BUY HIGH – SELL HIGHER!** It has been my experience that buying stocks that have just broken out to a new 5 year high have been the best performers in my portfolio. When a stock or commodity has reached this stage, there is 'blue sky' ahead.
- Next I look at the supporting indicators – especially the Accumulation/Distribution line. When a stock or commodity becomes overbought (such as trading near the top of the channel, or making a 'double or triple' top), I usually sell all or part of my holding into the rally. . Over time I try to replace these stocks during pullbacks.
- Finally I make sure that the sector in which the stock or commodity operates, is moving in the same direction as the stock of commodity that I am about to buy.

Here are some kernels of wisdom from a very successful trader, Jesse Stine:

- Emotional intelligence is of utmost importance.
- Discipline is key
- Drawdowns are lessons.
- Patience is very important
- Ignore the news media
- Have faith in your system
- Trade with confidence
- Never get attached to a stock
- Be a contrarian
- Be a lone wolf.

According to an article titled: The Strange Behavior of Gold Investors, by Dimitri Speck (link is here): <https://www.gold-eagle.com/article/strange-behavior-gold-investors-monday-thursday>

Monday is a day when investors usually sell gold early.

1 transaction since the last report. I took profits in APM.to at 3.58. The last 159 closed transactions resulted in 149 winners and 10 losers, producing a percentage of +93%. The reason why our portfolio is large is due to the desire to be of help to as many investors as possible. Our position in 'penny stocks' is always very conservative.

17 positions are 'under water'.

My portfolio consists of 74% precious metals, 21% in various other categories and 5% cash.

Here is my portfolio:

AAG.v (AAGFF) aftermathsilver.com Exploring for silver in Chili and Peru

ALS.to (ATUSF) altiusminerals.com Base metals royalty incl. Uranium, Potash along with gold and silver

ARIS.to (ARMN) aris-mining.com Producing gold at 5 mine sites.

AYA.to ayasilver.com producing at several projects in Morocco

BOGO.v (No US listing). borealismining.com Gold in NV. Sprott is in, also McEwen.

CEF.to (CEF) Centrafund.com A Sprott gold and silver trust.

CBR.v (CBGZF) cabralgold.com Gold in Brazil.

CNQ.to (CNQ) cnrl.com Large Canadian oil and gas producer

COPR.to (CPPMF) coppernicometals.com Exploring for gold and copper in PERU

CTV.v (CTVFF) REEs in NV and KY. Vanadium and Fluorspar. Management is very experienced in the mining business.

DAN.v (DRRSF) Arianne-inc.com Phosphate deposit in QC. The project is fully permitted and shovel ready. Phosphate is used in LED batteries

DV.v (DOLLF) dollyvardensilver.com The company has discovered silver in B.C.

DML.to (DNN) denisonmines.com Producing Uranium at 3 active mines in US & CAN.

ELD.to (EGO) eldoradogold.com Producing gold Canada, Turkey and Greece

ELEF.to (SILEF) producing silver in Bolivia silverref.com

EQX.to (EQX) These shares came my way when EQX.to merged with CXB.to. The combined company is building gold mines in Canada, in NV and Nicaragua

FDR.V (FDMIF) fdmetals.com Gold in Surinam

FRU.to (FRHLF) freeholdroyalties.com Oil and gas royalties

FTCO fortitudegold.com Producing gold at a profit in NV. Pays a dividend

FVL.to (FGOVF) freegoldventures.com Gold at two sites in Alaska

GHRT.v (GHRTF) greenheartgold.com Gold in Guyana and Suriname.

GOT.v (GOTRF) goliathresources.com Pecous metals and moly in BC

GPAC.v (FSXLF) greatpacificgoldcorp.com Gold and copper in Australia and Papua NG

GTWO.to (GUYGF) g2goldfields.com. Discovering gold in Guyana. Management is experienced.

GWM.v (GAYMF) galwaymetalsinc.com Gold in New Brunswick and silver in QC

HGY.to Global X Gold Yield ETF (A Horizon ETF)

HSLV.to highlandersilver.com Silver in Peru

JAG.to (JAGGF) jaguarmining.com Producing gold in Brazil

K.to KGC kinross.com Producing gold at 6 active mines in safe areas

LIO.v (LOMLF) liononemetals.com Gold in Fiji

LN.to (LONCF) loncor.com Gold explorer in DRC

MAE.v maritimeresourcescorp.com Gold in Newfoundland and Labrador

MAU.v (MAUTF) gold in Cote d'Ivoire montagegold.com

MGM.v Maple Gold Mines. Gold in the Abitibi region of Quebec.

MNT.to Gold trust at Royal Canadian Mint

NEXG.v (NXGCF) nexgold.com The company is working on final permits to operate a gold mine in Northern Ontario.

NFG.v (NFGC) newfoundlandgold.ca Discovering gold in Newfoundland. Eric Sprott is a shareholder.

NGD.to (NGD) newgold.com Producing gold in ON, BC and a minor asset in Mexico

NUAG.to NEWP newpacificmetals.com Silver in Bolivia

NXE.to (NXE) nexgenenergy.ca Uranium in Sask.

OR.to (OR) osisko.gr.com Gold royalties

PSLV.to (PSLV) Sprott's silver trust.

QIM.ca (QIMGF) quimbayagold.com Gold in Colombia

QQD.to A Horizon ETF that shorts the NASDAQ with leverage

RUP.to (RUPRF) rupertresources.com Producing gold in Finland

SGD.v (SNWGF) snowlinegold.com Gold in the Yukon

SLVU.to A silver ETF with leverage. Similar to SLV (which does not use leverage).

TFPM.to (TFPM) tripleflagpm.com Royalty and streaming precious metals company. 236 assets, as of July 2025 record revenue.

USA.to (USAS) Americas-gold.com gold producer in Nevada

VET.to (VET) vermillionenergy.com Producing oil and gas at 8 diff. sites on 3 continents.

VOXR.to VOXR voxroyalty.com 60 active royalties spanning 6 jurisdictions.

WEAT a Wheat fund that trades on the NYSE

WGO.v (WHGOF) whitegoldcorp.ca Gold and Copper in the Yukon.

Please do your own due diligence. I am NOT responsible for your trading decisions.

This chart courtesy sources listed show the tariffs levied by Pres. Trump are beginning to pay off. As an aside, a lot of planned tariffs have not even been put in place as yet.

This chart compares silver to gold. Since May silver has outproduced gold. The breakout at the blue arrow is very bullish for both metals, but especially silver. The SIs are positive and the 50DMA is racing towards the 200DMA.

This chart courtesy Jesse Colombo shows silver breaking out from a bullish flag pattern. We reported this breakout at 37.00 in our reports.

This chart is also courtesy Jesse Colombo. It is a long term silver chart and it shows several target zones on the way up.

This chart courtesy Jesse Colombo features a large cup with handle formation that will be activated when silver tops 50.00. It will create a lot of excitement.

This chart is also courtesy Jesse Colombo. It shows silver priced in Euros. The breakout is similar to the breakout for silver in US dollars.



Featured is SIL the silver producers ETF. Price is rising inside the blue channel. The SIs are positive and the MAs are in positive alignment and rising.



Featured is URNM a Uranium ETF. Price has broken out from a large triangle, while advancing for the past 7 days without a pause. The SIs are positive, along with the MAs but volume is suggesting that a test of the latest breakout is likely.



This chart is also courtesy Jesse Colombo. It features copper breaking out on the upside.



Featured is the Platinum chart. Price has been on a tear since June. Friday's downside reversal (brown arrow) and the fact that the SIs have turned down suggest that a pullback is overdue.



Featured is the US dollar index. Price is in clear downtrend. This is bullish for gold and silver.



Featured is the US coal index. Coal has rallied since April and has now risen above the breakout point at the blue arrow. The lateral resistance at 525 was easily overcome and the target at the green arrow should not take long to become a reality. The brown arrow points to a coming bull cross. The SIs are suggesting that a pullback is now due.



Featured is the S&P 500 index. Price is carving out a rising wedge pattern. These often resolve to the downside. A close below the brown arrow will produce several downside targets, at the green arrows. The blue arrow points to a recent bull cross. No doubt bullish investors are encouraged by the positive tariff results, which has been keeping the rally alive.

=== >>> For commodities not covered in this report we refer to previous reports, as our analysis shows little has changed, or we ran out of time. Back issues of this report are available at peterdegraaf.com

=== >>> The following items will be featured upon request - subject to our schedule: We can produce those the day before we prepare the report and thus save ourselves some time the day we work on the report.

Oil producers and Oil
 Gas producers and Natgas
 Copper
 Uranium
 Grains
 Palladium
 Platinum
 Coal Index
 US Dollar Index.
 Base Metal Index

Gold in Canadian Dollars

Gold in Euros

If you are one of our supporters (explained at the top of this report), don't hesitate to ask, and we'll add the chart of your choice to our next report.

=== >>> Explanation of terminology used: SIs = Supporting Indicators; MAs = Moving Averages; GDI = Gold Direction Indicator (consisting of 10 components that can rise up to a potential 100%, or drop to 0); ARAT = Advancing Right Angled Triangle. ATH All-time High.

DISCLAIMER: Please do your own due diligence. Investing involves taking risks. I am NOT responsible for your trading decisions.

Happy trading! Peter Degraaf
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=== >>> Food for Thought is next.

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The Strait and Narrow

Enter at the narrow gate, for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who are going through it, because small is the gate and narrow is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.

— Matthew 7:13-14

We live in a time when the majority report is virtually always ungodly, unchristian, immoral, and defeatist. We hear it all the time. It blares at us from our radios, our television, our newspapers, and magazines. The majority report is ever before us, which is: Forget about what God has said. Forget about Him altogether.

This is the “popular” way. Sometimes we have agreed with the majority and said, “Yes, God’s way is too hard.” Nevertheless, His way is the “strait and narrow” road that leads unto life. It is the wide gate, the broad way that the Bible says leads to destruction.

Every one of us has to decide whether we are going to go with the popular view, the majority view, or we are going to follow the minority report, which is a report of faith.

Are you able to face the real difficult things of life, to stand for Christ when it is unpopular to do so? God has a special blessing for those who stand firm for Christ and the truth, even in the face of great unpopularity.

Courtesy: crm.tv

== >>> Peter and Carol find watching Pastor-Teacher David Jeremiah a great way to build spiritual growth. We watch his program on Sunday evening. For times and stations visit his website at davidjeremiah.org, or you can watch programs from his archives.

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