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World Stockmarket Forecasts

Stockmarket	One-Year Forecast	Fundamental Indicators	Technical Indicators	Monetary Indicators	Economic Indicators	Historical 3 mths	Performance 6 mths	e (in US\$) 12 mths	Share Index
Australia	53%	Bearish	Neutral	Neutral	Bullish	-7.0%	+9.3%	+77.3%	4,532.50
Austria		Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-14.0%	-3.6%	+46.5%	2,392.69
Relaium	40% 43%	Bearish	Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	-9.4%	+1.1%	+33.9%	2,392.52
Belgium Canada	1 5%	Bearish	Neutral	Neutral	Bullish	+0.2%	+4.1%	+48.0%	11,223.12
Denmark	50%	Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	-1.7%	+3.5%	+43.2%	350.75
Finland	51%	Neutral	Neutral	Neutral	Bullish	-1.3%	+4.3%	+35.7%	6,515.36
France	48%	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-11.0%	-2.6%	+29.6%	2,557.24
Germany	49%	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-8.9%	-5.3%	+33.2%	5,434.34
Ireland	43%	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-10.5%	-4.6%	+32.9%	2,890.11
Italy	43%	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-14.7%	-7.2%	+22.7%	21,335.08
Japan		Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	Neutral	+3.3%	+5.4%	+26.6%	10,057.09
Netherlands	49%	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-5.6%	+3.2%	+34.7%	315.04
New Zealand_		Neutral	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	-7.3%	+3.4%	+42.3%	1,413.91
Norway		Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	-0.1%	+18.1%	+82.7%	318.79
Spain	51%	Bullish	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-20.1%	-12.4%	+24.2%	1,049.38
Sweden		Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	-4.9%	+4.0%	+73.4%	297.20
Switzerland		Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	Bullish	-5.7%	+3.2%	+28.1%	6,264.33
Un. Kingdom _	57%	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-7.4%	-0.1%	+30.7%	5,060.92
USA		Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	Neutral	-0.3%	+5.5%	+29.1%	1,066.19
Argentina	57%	Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	-0.4%	+22.5%	+76.3%	7,691.44
	62%	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bearish	-11.1%	+7.8%	+96.9%	62,762.70
Czech Rep	50%	Bullish	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	-13.1%	-9.9%	+60.7%	1,094.30
Chile		Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	+4.6%	+10.9%	+60.6%	17,191.53
China	42%	Bearish	Bullish	Bearish	Bearish	+8.9%	+13.8%	+92.4%	239.84
Greece	33%	Neutral	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	-36.0%	-24.9%	+12.3%	1,878.91
Egypt	80%	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	+6.4%	+8.0%	+82.7%	6,979.20
Hong Kong	57%	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	-10.2%	-3.7%	+47.8%	19,665.08
Hungary	41%	Neutral	Bearish	Bearish	Bullish	-78.3%	-74.9%	-52.3%	4,745.24
India	44%	Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	Bearish	-1.9%	+6.9%	+75.5%	15,790.93
Indonesia		Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	+6.0%	+14.0%	+128.9%	2,518.98
Israel	68%	Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	+13.0%	+21.6%	+94.0%	1,071.40
Korea Malaysia	38%	Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	Bearish	-0.5%	+4.0%	+58.8%	1,567.12
Malaysia	53%	Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Neutral	-2.2%	+7.1%	+47.3%	1,247.90
Mexico	52%	Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	+4.6%	+7.0%	+70.7%	30,630.73
Philippines	55%	Neutral	Neutral	Neutral	Bullish	-0.4%	+5.6%	+56.5%	2,855.64
Poland		Bearish	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	-7.4%	+2.5%	+75.8%	37,502.90
Portugal		Neutral	Bearish	Neutral	Bullish	-18.9%	-5.8%	+26.9%	2,537.45
Russia		Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bullish	-0.7%	+28.8%	+181.6%	2,066.81
Singapore		Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Neutral	-1.1%	+6.6%	+63.2%	2,683.56
Sth Africa		Bearish	Neutral	Bearish	Bullish	-3.0%	+7.1%	+65.0%	25,793.06
Taiwan		Bearish	Neutral	Neutral	Bearish	-2.0%	+7.3%	+78.3%	7,222.38
Thailand		Bearish	Bullish	Bullish	Bearish	-0.5%	+10.0%	+69.9%	691.41
Turkey		Bearish	Bullish	Neutral	Neutral	+6.5%	+10.1%	+113.4%	51,454.89
Venezuela	73%	Bullish	Neutral	Bullish	Bullish	-43.1%	-37.5%	-18.6%	57,713.18

One Year Forecasts predict the probability that a stock-market will rise over the next year. Investors should seek to invest in markets with forecasts of 60-100%, while avoiding markets with forecasts of 0-40%. Bullish = Favourable. Bearish = Unfavourable.

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World Stockmarket Outlook

World stockmarkets have dipped sharply over the last month with investors fearing further stockmarket declines ahead. A return to the March 2009 lows - when the *crowd* was expecting a "Depression worse than the Great Depression" - would appear unlikely and ignores recent positive economic news.

On 29 January, the **Bureau of Economic Analysis** released its "advanced estimate" of Gross Domestic Product in the United States for the December 2009 quarter. Note that this is just an *estimate* and will be progressively revised as more economic data becomes available. The "second estimate" for the December 2009 quarter, for example, will be released on 26 February.

The "advanced estimate" is that the US economy grew at an annual rate of +5.7% in the December quarter (so about +1.4% over the three months). That takes the change in GDP for 2009 to about +0.1%.

That figure is, of course, subject to revision as more data is released - so the final, actual statistic may be slightly higher or lower.

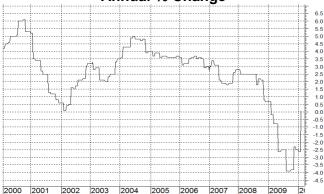
But stockmarket investment isn't about arguing over the last 0.1% of GDP growth, so whether the final figure is eventually revised slightly lower or higher isn't significant. What is important is the *trend* - and, of course, the fact that the US economy (and other economies) are <u>not</u> spiralling into a Depression!

On a quarterly basis the US economy *contracted* sharply in the March 2009 quarter, down -6.4% (on an annual basis - which looks so much more scary than saying it contracted by -1.6%). It was down only -0.7% (annualised) in the June quarter and grew +2.2% (annualised) in the September quarter. Then it jumped +5.7% (annualised) in the December quarter.

If you look at those figures for a while, we think you will be able to spot a trend!

Alternatively, our chart below shows the <u>yearly</u> (i.e. four quarterly) change in GDP over recent periods. Down in the bottom right corner you might be able to spot an economic recovery:

United States GDP Annual % Change



The Economist magazine publishes a "Poll of Forecasters". This currently shows that economic forecasters are predicting the US economy will have contracted by -2.5% over 2009. Forecasters may well upgrade that estimate given the data discussed above -

but what we are interested in is *trends* (i.e. are things getting better or worse), not actual *levels*. Those same forecasters predict growth of +3.0% for 2010 (upgraded from a 2010 estimate of +2.8% a month earlier).

This certainly doesn't look much like a Depression to us! The US economy has probably already moved back into positive territory (i.e. it is *growing*), forecasters expect good growth for 2010 and are in the process of upgrading those growth estimates.

This newsletter believes that investors often focus too much upon the US economy and ignore what is happening in the rest of the world. US statistics, however, are usually available sooner (and more reliable), so the US economic statistics can still be a good proxy for *global* economic trends.

The poll published by *The Economist* indicates similar trends in other economies: The UK is expected to have contracted -4.7% in 2009 but to grow +1.4% in 2010, for Japan the figures are -5.3% (2009) and +1.5% (2010), Europe -3.9% (2009) and +1.4% (2010), while Australia is predicted to have grown +0.9% in 2009 but to grow at the faster rate of +2.9% during 2010.

None of those predictions remotely suggest a Depression.

Yes, the world still has some major problems - but hasn't that always been the situation?

Yes, that is a relatively slow recovery for 2010 but at least economies aren't contracting in a second recession or collapsing into a depression. Slow economic growth can still lead to strong stockmarket returns. Weak companies that survived the sharp economic downturn may now fail when economic conditions do not recover sharply. In a recession or depression, "failure" will probably mean being placed in receivership by creditors. In the current environment "failure" will likely mean a more orderly downsizing, liquidation or the sale of a business to competitors. By whatever method this happens, this liquidation and consolidation can remove excess competition from markets - ultimately improving the total profitability of entire industries!

As previously discussed, slow growth can also result in financial asset inflation. Very strong economic growth often coincides with steady or falling share prices, as money flows from financial markets to the real economy as companies borrow (i.e. pushing up interest rates) or raise additional equity capital (i.e. diluting earnings per share and increasing the supply of shares on the market) to raise cash which is invested in real assets (i.e. new offices, factories and manufacturing plant).

Summary and Recommendation

World stockmarkets fell sharply over recent weeks, raising investor fears of further declines to new lows. That view, however, is not consistent with statistics showing an economic recovery and expectations for slow economic growth. Slow economic growth may not sound very exciting - but at least this is <u>not</u> another Depression! Stockmarket fears do not appear justified.

Therefore we continue to advise remaining invested in the recommended funds.

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Recommended International Investment Funds

Fund Reports

Fidelity European Values plc has announced it will pay an interim dividend in March (instead of a final dividend in May) for the financial year that ended on 31 December 2009. Company law allows directors to pay "interim" dividends without shareholder approval, but "final" dividends must be approved by shareholders at an AGM. Calling the one income distribution per year an "interim" dividend rather than a "final" dividend allows the company to pay earlier and simplifies the AGM.

The amount of the dividend and dates will be announced shortly.

Share Buy-Backs

Fidelity European Values plc has repurchased a further 308,907 shares on-market in five transactions. That returns £3.55 million to investors.

JPMorgan European Fledgling Investment Trust plc repurchased 542,547 shares on-market for £3.64 million over the last four weeks in five separate transactions.

Invesco English & International Trust plc received quarterly redemption requests for 753,229 shares (3.43% of the capital). These were redeemed at 234.69 pence (£1.77 million).

Aberdeen Asian Smaller Companies Investment Trust plc made four on-market purchases of its own shares over the last month. In total it bought back 75,000 shares for £279,550.

Currer Advice	* *	EPIC Code	Initial Re Date		Price	Prem/ Disc to Net Assets	Recent P Bid-Offer or Last Sale	rice NZ Cents	Gain or Loss %
	Europe								
HOLD	Fidelity European Values plc	FEV	13/05/03	463.5p	1291.1	-12%	1000.00p	2282.1	+77
BUY	JFM Fleming Euro Fledgeling IT plc	JFF	15/01/02	226.5p	765.8	-20%	636.00p	1451.4	+90
	United Kingdom								
BUY	Aberforth Smaller Cos Trt plc	ASL	15/07/03	375.5p	1042.0	-15%	511.50p	1167.3	+12
HOLD	Invesco English & Int'l Trust	ΙΕΙ	10/01/06	273.5p	700.6	-8%	213.00p	486.1	-31
	Asian Regional								
BUY	Aberdeen Asian Sm Co WARRANTS	SAASW	09/09/03	75.3p	209.1		278.00p	634.4	+203
BUY	Gartmore China Opportunities	*	09/07/07	548.9p	1410.4		589.12p	1344.4	-5
HOLD	Gartmore Pacific Growth Fund	*	29/10/85	41.4p	105.4		356.73p	814.1	+673
HOLD	HSBC Asian Fund	*	10/11/98	34.4p	106.3		77.92p	177.8	+67
BUY	Henderson Asia Pac Capital	*	08/08/00	342.2p	1122.6		538.60p	1229.1	+9
BUY	Scot Oriental Smaller Coy	SST	11/11/03	121.9p	330.5	-13%	384.00p	876.3	+165
	Japan								
BUY	Baillie Gifford Shin Nippon plc	BGS	11/01/94	156.0p	440.3	-17%	118.75p	271.0	-38
BUY	Fidelity Japan Values plc	FJV	10/01/06	126.0p	322.7	-15%	49.25p	112.4	-65
HOLD	Invesco Perp Japan Small Coys	*	13/07/99	61.3p	182.3		49.14p	112.1	-38
	Korea								
HOLD	Baring Korea Trust	*	12/04/94	81.1p	209.4		189.40-200.40p	444.8	+112
	International								
HOLD	Aberdeen Emerging Markets	*	13/08/91	61.7p	184.0		390.24p	890.6	+384
BUY	Herald Investment Trust	HRI	12/10/04	310.8p	820.1	-23%	328.00p	748.5	-9
HOLD	Private Equity Investor plc	PEQ	11/12/01	122.5p	420.2	-44%	113.00p	257.9	-39
* United	d Kingdom based Unit Trust								

The average Gains/Losses of all current investments from initial recommendation is +92.2%. This is equal to an average annual rate of +9.5%, based upon the length of time each position has been held. The average annual rate of gain of ALL recommendations (both the 17 current and 46 closed out) is +10.8%.

Other Shares and Warrants

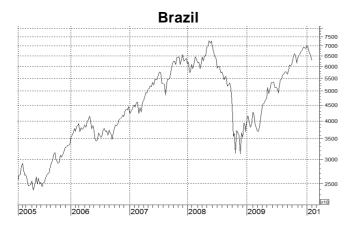
Alternative investments to those recommended above include **Aberdeen Asian Smaller Companies** shares at 382½ pence (trading at a 14% discount to net asset value) and **Fidelity Japanese Values** subscription shares (i.e. warrants) at 10¼ pence.

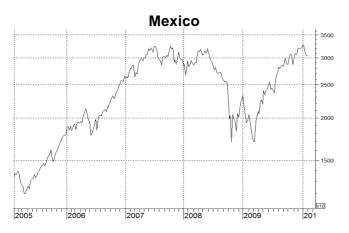
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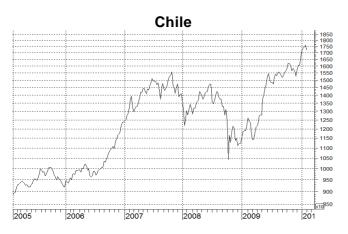
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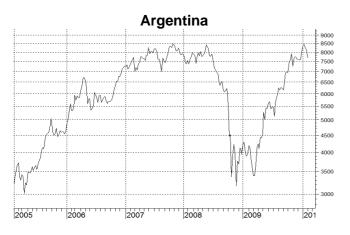
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Neptune Latin America	Medium	-3%	0.90		36	-2
ScotWid.LatinAmerica	Medium	+2%	0.96	29	35	4
Threadneedle Latin America	Medium	-0%	0.96	18	34	1
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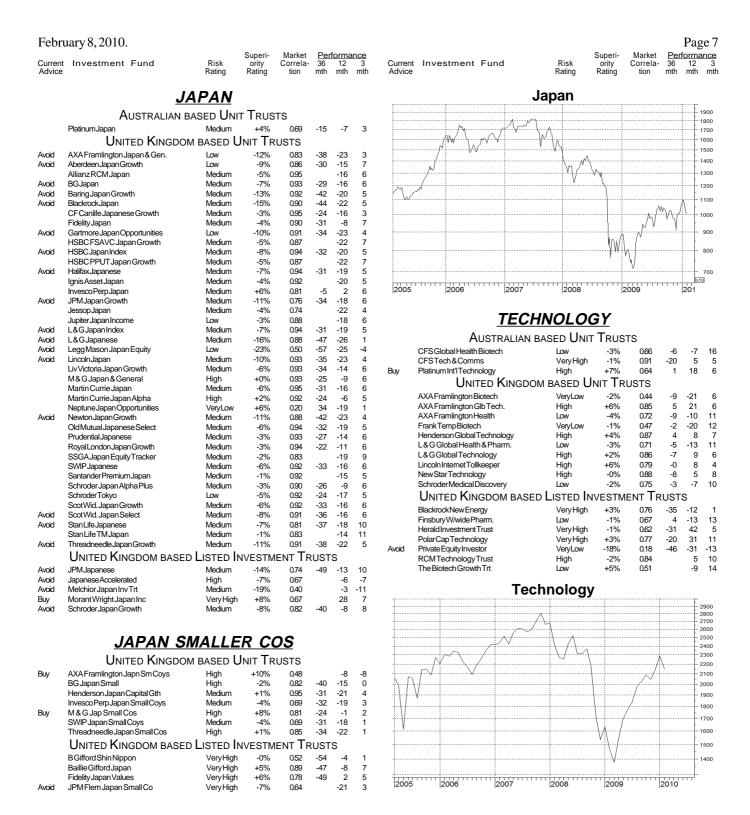
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New Zealand based Unit Trusts											
	AMP Asian Shares	Medium	-2%	0.84	-5	28	-0				
	Tower Spotlight Asia	Medium	-1%	0.92	3	22	3				
	United Kingdom	BASED U	NIT TRU	ISTS							
Avoid	Aberdeen Asia Pacific	Very High	-8%	0.73		19	4				
	Allianz Dres Tot Ret Asian Eq	Medium	-2%	0.97	-6	11	2				
	BG Developing Asia Pacific	Medium	-5%	0.93	-5	4	4				
	BG Pacific	High	+3%	0.97	1	38	5				
	Baring East	Medium Medium	-1%	0.97	-1 28	15 21	2 4				
	CF Canlife Far East F&C Pacific Growth	Medium	+6% -2%	0.95 0.97	-3	10	-0				
	FidelitySouthEastAsian	Medium	+6%	0.97	-3 24	22	-0 1				
	First State Asia Pac Leaders	Low	+1%	0.97	18	5	0				
	First State Asia Pacific	Low	+2%	0.97	16	10	2				
	Gartmore Pacific	Medium	+0%	0.97	5	22	2				
	HSBC Asia Growth	Medium	-2%	0.98	-2	12	3				
	HSBC Pacific Index	Medium	-4%	0.96	-5	20	3				
	HalifaxFarEastern	Medium	-5%	0.98	-10	23	2				
	Henderson Asia Pacific Capital	High	+4%	0.97	5	28	2				
	Ignis Asset Pacific Growth	Medium	-0%	0.94		15	3				
	Invesco Perp Asian	Medium	+2%	0.99	8	23	1				
	Invesco Perp Pacific	Medium	-1%	0.96	6	14	3				
	InvestecAsia	Medium	+4%	0.98	13	22	2				
	JPM Asia	High	+3%	0.98	7	21	3				
	Jessop Pacific Opps.	Medium Medium	-1%	0.91		22	3				
	Jupiter Asian	Low	-0% +4%	0.97		17 27	5 7				
	L&G Asian Income L&G Pacific Growth	Medium	+4% -3%	0.96 0.99	-3	21	1				
	L&GPacificGlowth	Medium	-3%	0.98	-3 -3	21	3				
	Legg Mason Asia Pacific	Medium	-3%	0.98	-6	15	2				
	LivVictoria Pacific	Medium	+2%	0.99	11	23	3				
	Lloyd George Asia Pacific	Medium	-5%	0.98	-15	9	-2				
	Lloyd George Eastern Opps	High	+2%	0.94	6	32	7				
	M & G Asian	Medium	+2%	0.95		24	3				
	Marlborough Far East Growth	Medium	+1%	0.93	10	10	-1				
	Martin Currie Asian Pacific	Medium	-5%	0.98	-6	3	0				
	Melchior Asian Opportunities	Very High	+0%	0.92		25	-0				
	Neptune Asia Pacific Opp	Medium	-2%	0.97		10	2				
	New Star Asia Portfolio	Medium	-1%	0.94	-1	22	2				
	Newton Oriental	Medium	+1%	0.93	5	17	1				
	Old Mutual Asian Select	Medium	+2%	0.93	18	16	0				
	Prudential Pacific Markets	Medium	-1% +1%	0.98	-1	27	2 1				
	Royal London Far East Gth SJP Far East	Medium Medium	+1% -6%	0.98 0.93	9 -3	19 9	4				
	SSGA Asia Pacific Eq Tracker	Low	+3%	0.95	-3	25	6				
	SWIP Asian Pacific	Medium	-2%	0.94	-2	21	-0				
	Santander Premium PacBasin	Medium	-1%	0.97	_	9	1				
	Schroder Pacific Growth	Medium	-2%	0.98	-4	17	2				
	ScotWid.Pacific	Medium	-0%	0.98	0	17	2				
Avoid	Sing & Fried Pacific Growth	Low	-7%	0.96	-13	2	3				
	Smith & Williamson Far Eastern	Medium	-0%	0.97		15	3				
	Stan Life Asian Pacific	Medium	+1%	0.96	4	21	3				
	Stan Life TM Pacific Basin	Medium	+2%	0.96		27	4				
	Threadneedle Asia Growth	Medium	+3%	0.98	7	19	1				
	UBSAsian Equity	Medium	+1%	0.96		26	2				
	United Kingdom based I	LISTED IN	VESTME	NT I F	RUST	S					
	Aberdeen Asian Income	Low	-5%	0.79	-3	8	1				
	Aberdeen Asian Small Co	Low	-4%	0.77	-1	25	11				
	Aberdeen New Dawn	High	+1%	0.87	-2	28	10				
	Edinburgh Dragon Trust	Medium	+2%	0.90	7	17	5				
_	Fidelity Asian Values	High	+6%	0.96	16	34	3				
Buy	Henderson TR Pacific	Very High	+7%	0.94	-4	31	2				
	Invesco Asia	High	+4%	0.96	6	22	2				
	JPM Asian	High	+1%	0.95	-6	12	2				
	Pacific Assets Pacific Horizons	High Von High	+2%	0.94	-10	22	5				
	Pacific Horizons Schroder Asia Pacific	VeryHigh High	+3% +1%	0.92	-15 1	32 26	4 3				
	Schroder Asia Pacific Schroder Oriental Inc.	High High	+1% -1%	0.97 0.90	1 -12	35	2				
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