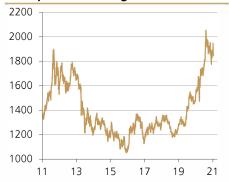
# Degussa Market Report

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#### USD per ounce of gold

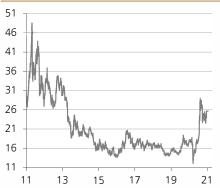


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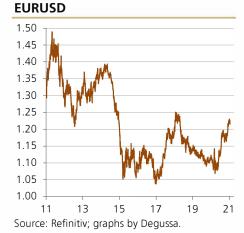
This is a short summary of our fortnightly **Degussa Marktreport**.

#### USD per ounce of silver



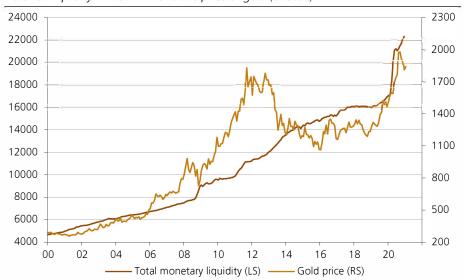
# IT IS HIGH TIME TO BUY PHYSICAL GOLD AND SILVER

Central banks around the world can be expected to keep expanding the quantity of money: It is widely considered to be" good policy" to print up ever greater amounts of new money as a reaction to the economic collapse caused by the politically dictated lockdown. The rising money supply is very likely to push up prices – be it consumer prices or asset prices or a combination of both.



### 1 Monetary liquidity up, gold price up

Total US liquidity<sup>(1)</sup> in USD bn and the price of gold (USD/oz)



Source: Refinitiv; graph Degussa. Central bank deposits plus M2.

#### Actual Change against (in percent): (spot) 2 W 3 M 12 M 15.8 1.840.4 -0.4 Silver 25.2 -0.7 8.6 39.8 Platinum 1.062.4 -0.2 19.6 11.1 Palladium 2.300.8 -2.9 -0.2 1.0 II. In euro 1.520.0 0.5 -5.5 6.1 Gold 28.1 Silver 20.8 0.3 5.0 Platinum 877.7 0.8 15.6 1.7 Palladium 1.900.0 -2.0 -3.5 III. Gold price in other currencie 11.4 191.980.0 -0.1-3.4CNY 11.901.9 -0.6 -7.0 7.9 12.0 GBP 1.348.5 -1.0 -7.6 INR 134.411.2 1.9 -3.1 18.2

2.9

38.1

-4.0

With the artificially suppressed US interest rates, global financial markets have lost their most important 'compass'. Trying to assess the fundamental value of, say, stocks, bonds, derivatives, and real estate is like fishing in murky waters, or engaging in blind guesswork. In such a scenario, chaotic consequences can be expected for financial markets and real economies.

It is against this backdrop that the relative attractiveness of holding gold and silver increases from an investor's viewpoint. The purchasing power of gold and silver cannot be debased by central banks running the printing presses. Moreover, gold and silver – in contrast to bank deposits and short-term debt – do not carry a credit default risk. It is high time to buy physical gold and silver. Prices are still attractive for those seeking to build up gold and silver positions.

140.395.7 Source: Refinitiv; calculations by Degussa

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# PRECIOUS METALS PRICES

## In US-Dollar pro Feinunze

				Platin		Palladium	
1841.3	26.4		1070.9		2336.8		
1848.8	25.	4	109	7.0	236	7.3	
1869.8	25.	8	108	7.8	238	0.3	
1856.7	25.	1	103	7.9	235	8.5	
1880.7	24.	8	963	3.1	234	6.5	
1850.0	22.7		908.1		2185.6		
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2448	47		1272		2710		
33	79		19		16		
Oben	Unten	Oben	Unten	Oben	Unten	Oben	
2684	23	55	950	1472	2280	2910	
46	-13	109	-11	37	-2	25	
1268	15.	8	88	0	10	19	
1382	16.	1	86	2	15	11	
1753	20.	2	87	8	21	80	
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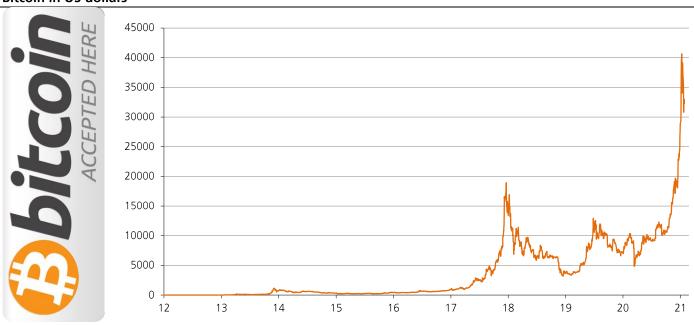
	Go	old	Silber		Platin		Palladium	
I. Aktuell	1519.3		21.8		883.6		1928.2	
II. Gleitende Durchschnitte								
10 Tage	1524.9		20.9		904.8		1952.5	
20 Tage	1535.5		21.2		893.3		1954.8	
50 Tage	1531.3		20.7		855.8		1945.3	
100 Tage	1574.4		20.8		805.0		1963.9	
200 Tage	1586.6		19.4		777.2		1871.4	
III. Schätzung 2021	<b>2044</b> 35		39		1062		2263	
(1)			81		20		17	
Bandbreiten	Tief	Hoch	Tief	Hoch	Tief	Hoch	Tief	Hoch
	1470	2260	19	47	800	1240	1920	2450
(1)	-3	49	-13	114	-9	40	0	27
IV. Jahresdurchschnitte					1			
2018	1072		13.3		743		863	
2019	1235		14.4		770		1350	
2020	1535		17.6		769		1911	

Quelle: Thomson Financial; Berechnungen und Einschätzungen Degussa. Beachte: Die Zahlen sind gerundet.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Geschätze Preisveränderung bei aktuellem Preis in Prozent.

# BITCOIN, PERFORMANCE OF VARIOUS ASSET CLASSES

#### **Bitcoin in US dollars**

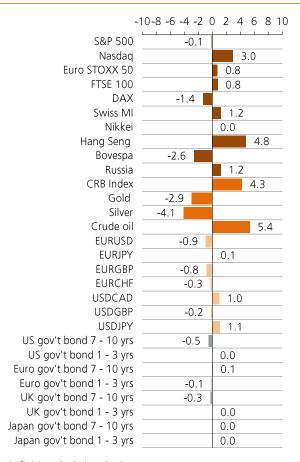


Source: Refinitiv; graph by Degussa.

#### Performance of stocks, commodities, FX and bonds

(a) In national currencies

(b) In euro



Nasdag 3.9 Euro STOXX 50 0.8 FTSE 100 1.6 DAX -1.3 Swiss MI 1.5 0.0 Nikkei Hang Seng 7.1 Bovespa -6.3 Russia -1.1 5.2 **CRB Index** Gold -2.0 -3.2 Silver Crude oil 6.3 -0.9 **EURUSD EURJPY** 0.1 **EURGBP** -0.9 **EURCHF** -0.3 **USDCAD** 1.0 **USDGBP** -0.2 **USDJPY** 1.1 US gov't bond 7 - 10 yrs 0.4 US gov't bond 1 - 3 yrs 1.0 Euro gov't bond 7 - 10 yrs 0.1 Euro gov't bond 1 - 3 yrs -0.1 UK gov't bond 7 - 10 yrs 0.6 UK gov't bond 1 - 3 yrs 0.9 Japan gov't bond 7 - 10 yrs -1.1 Japan gov't bond 1 - 3 yrs -1.1

S&P 500

-10 -8 -6 -4 -2 0 2 4 6 8 10

0.8

Source: Refinitiv; calculations by Degussa.



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