

Commodity prices fall with the West Texas Intermediate falling 10.71%, U.S. Job Openings rise to 11.26 million, and Wall Street snaps losing streak.

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The U.S. & European stock markets broke their four-day losing streak and rose from their worst level in more than a year, as energy prices fell. The benchmark West Texas Intermediate fell more than 10.71%; investors and traders expect the European Union leaders who meet this Thursday to take decisive actions to prevent the E.U. from tail spinning into a protracted economic recession due to the Ukraine invasion. As the Eurozone depends heavily on Russian oil and gas imports, all eyes are on the actions the E.U. will take to shift away from the Russian imports and is has a dependence of 40% on Gas and 25% on Oil. European markets rose, with the Dax Index rising the most with 1,016.42 points.

In the U.S. the department of labor reported that Job openings rose to 11.26 million in January, some 3.19% more than the 10.9 million consensus estimate. Additionally, job seekers were reported at 5.618 million, some 5.642 million less than the job openings.

Looking for Opportunities: let's look at some of the most prominent tech stocks and their performance year to date, which may signal good buying opportunities, as many of them have continued to beat expectations on both revenues and earnings. Some see challenges and other opportunities; the key is profiting from them.

- Alphabet (GOOG) has a return of -7.54%.
- Apple (AAPL) has a return of -8.37%.
- Microsoft (MSFT) has a return of -14.43%.
- Amazon (AMZN) has a return of -16.26%.
- Tesla (TSLA) has a return of -19.09%.
- Netflix (NFLX) has a return of -40.53%.
- Meta (FB) has a return of -41.30%.

Where some see challenges, others see opportunities; the key is how to profit from them.

Puerto Rico COVID-19 Daily Update:

- New Cases: 62, down 12.67%.
- Positivity Rate: 4.13%, down 5.05%.
- Puerto Rico Vaccination Rate: 85.8%.
- Total Hospitalizations: 51, down 13.55%.
- Deaths: 4, down 20%.
- Source: Puerto Rico Department of Health

Eurozone Summary for March 9:

- Stoxx 600 closed at 432.37, up 17.36 points or 4.16%.
- FTSE 100 closed at 7,190.72, up 226.61 or 3.25%.
- Dax Index closed at 13,847.93, up 1,016.42 points or 7.92%.

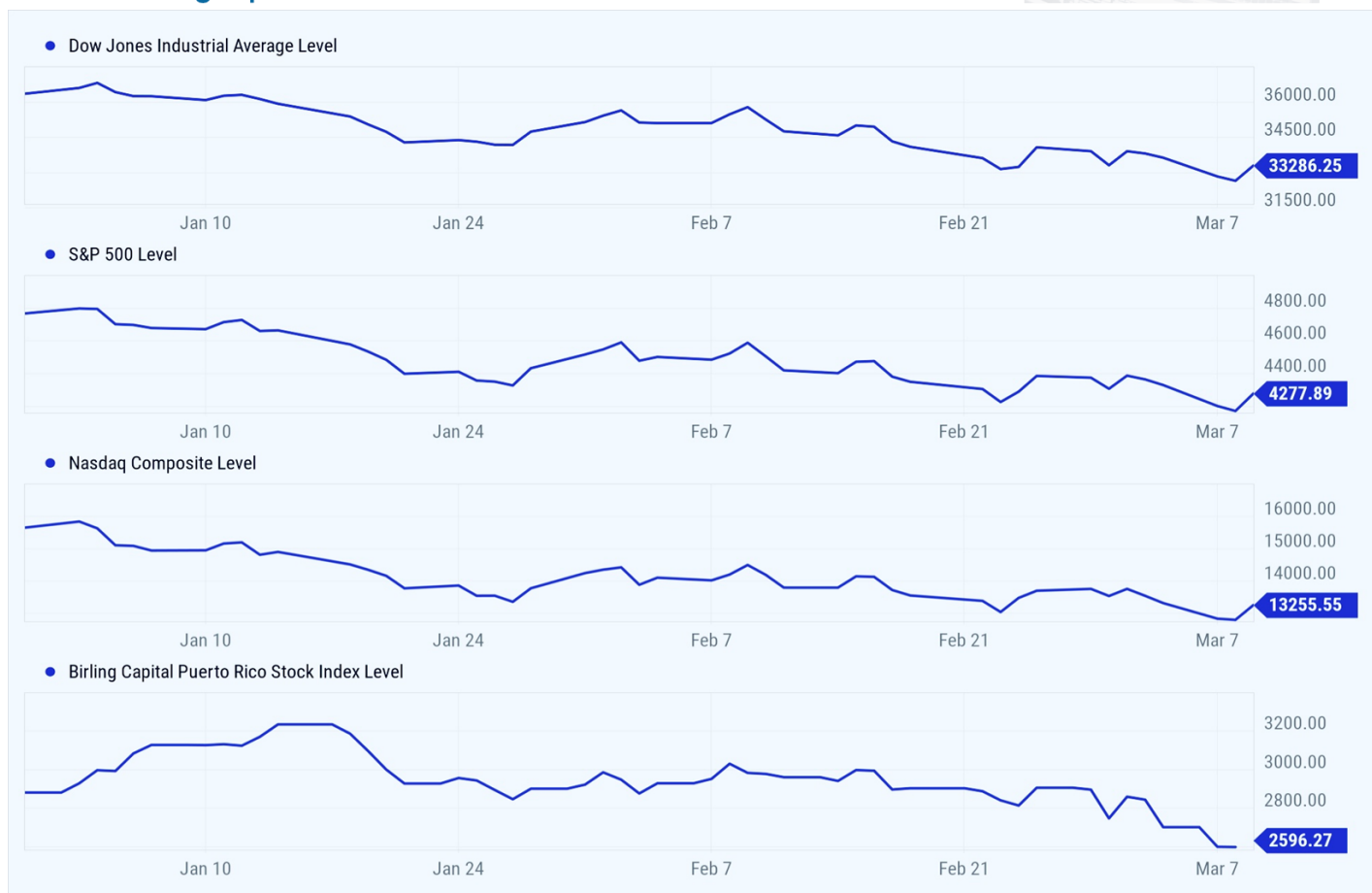
Wall Street summary for March 9:

- Dow Jones Industrial Average closed at 33,286.25, up 653.61 points or 2.00%.
- Standard & Poor's 500 closed at 4,277.18, up 107.19 or 2.57%.
- Nasdaq Composite Index closed at 13,255.55, up 459.99 points, or 3.59%.
- Birling Capital Puerto Rico Stock Index closed at 2,596.27, down 1.24 or 0.05%.
- The U.S. Treasury 10-year note closed at 1.94%.
- The U.S. Treasury 2-year note closed at 1.68%.



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Notable Technology Companies Year to date Returns 2022

- Apple Inc Price % Change
- Amazon.com Inc Price % Change
- Alphabet Inc Price % Change
- Tesla Inc Price % Change
- Microsoft Corp Price % Change
- Meta Platforms Inc Price % Change
- Netflix Inc Price % Change



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