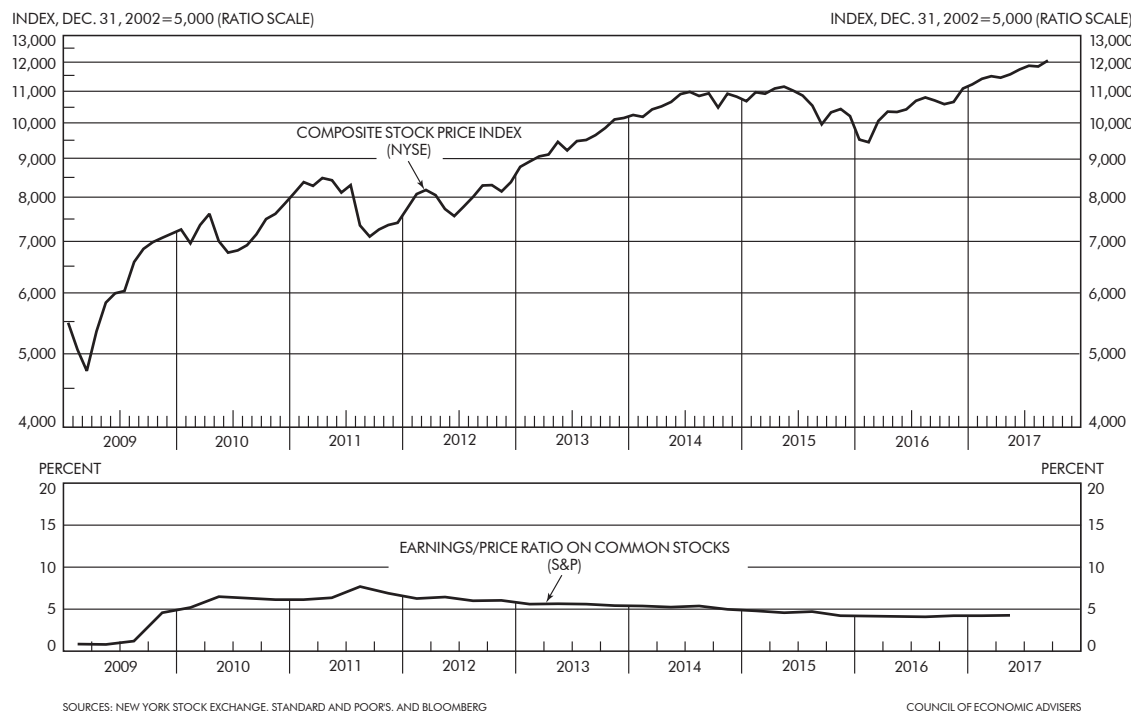


Common Stock Prices and Yields

Stock prices rose in September.



Period	Common stock prices ¹							Common stock yields (percent) ⁶	
	New York Stock Exchange indexes (December 31, 2002=5,000) ²				Dow Jones industrial average ³	Standard & Poor's composite index (1941-43=10) ⁴	Nasdaq composite index (Feb. 5, 1971=100) ⁵	Dividend/price ratio	Earnings/price ratio
	Composite	Financial	Energy	Health Care					
2007	9,648.82	9,321.33	13,339.92	7,191.91	13,169.98	1,476.66	2,577.12	1.86	5.29
2008	8,036.88	6,278.38	13,258.42	6,171.19	11,252.61	1,220.89	2,162.46	2.37	3.54
2009	6,091.02	3,987.04	10,020.30	5,456.63	8,876.15	946.73	1,841.03	2.40	1.86
2010	7,230.42	4,744.05	10,943.85	6,230.62	10,662.80	1,139.31	2,347.70	1.98	6.04
2011	7,871.41	4,641.01	12,880.35	6,847.80	11,966.36	1,268.89	2,680.42	2.05	6.77
2012	8,011.65	4,616.63	12,512.31	7,503.05	12,967.08	1,379.56	2,965.77	2.24	6.20
2013	9,426.77	5,805.54	13,490.83	9,250.02	14,999.67	1,642.51	3,537.69	2.14	5.57
2014	10,653.17	6,448.33	14,598.07	11,195.85	16,773.99	1,930.67	4,374.31	2.04	5.25
2015	10,676.70	6,559.24	11,332.43	12,718.18	17,590.61	2,061.20	4,943.49	2.10	4.59
2016	10,380.08	6,124.93	10,204.95	12,182.85	17,908.08	2,092.39	4,982.49	2.19	4.17
2016: Sept	10,694.40	6,278.06	10,495.14	12,580.67	18,267.40	2,157.69	5,254.15	2.14	4.11
Oct	10,575.98	6,237.51	10,810.45	12,171.12	18,184.55	2,143.02	5,255.99	2.16	.....
Nov	10,653.35	6,531.62	10,712.59	11,785.15	18,697.33	2,164.99	5,260.57	2.15	.....
Dec	11,085.65	6,982.17	11,515.42	11,815.03	19,712.42	2,246.63	5,413.12	2.08	4.22
2017: Jan	11,220.74	7,072.53	11,477.93	12,032.39	19,908.15	2,275.12	5,561.42	2.08	.....
Feb	11,417.21	7,252.24	11,064.04	12,447.07	20,424.14	2,329.91	5,764.70	2.04	.....
Mar	11,509.82	7,286.42	10,752.93	12,805.79	20,823.06	2,366.82	5,864.96	2.02	4.24
Apr	11,460.72	7,171.30	10,730.91	12,741.57	20,684.69	2,359.31	5,912.17	2.03	.....
May	11,570.13	7,213.99	10,521.12	13,152.23	20,936.81	2,395.35	6,124.88	2.02	.....
June	11,737.05	7,351.11	10,150.98	13,642.37	21,317.80	2,433.99	6,224.29	2.01	4.29
July	11,873.22	7,572.96	10,181.75	13,731.48	21,581.25	2,454.10	6,294.67	.....	.....
Aug	11,846.65	7,572.45	10,061.50	13,514.12	21,914.08	2,456.22	6,311.40	.....	.....
Sept	12,057.14	7,611.03	10,535.38	13,920.43	22,173.41	2,492.84	6,428.08	.....	.....
Week ended:									
2017: Sept 9	11,866.92	7,420.46	10,210.27	13,793.97	21,785.88	2,462.48	6,381.74	.....	.....
16	12,053.07	7,581.70	10,418.28	14,065.23	22,161.25	2,495.76	6,444.86	.....	.....
23	12,135.22	7,688.67	10,655.27	13,960.03	22,364.71	2,504.32	6,444.32	.....	.....
30	12,163.12	7,726.00	10,888.10	13,880.86	22,341.48	2,505.99	6,430.69	.....	.....
Oct 7	12,305.77	7,838.18	10,892.07	14,121.61	22,681.99	2,540.57	6,551.72	.....	.....

¹ Annual data are averages of monthly figures. Monthly and weekly data are averages of daily closing prices.

² Includes all the stocks (in 2016, over 3,200) listed on the NYSE.

³ Includes 30 stocks.

⁴ Includes 500 stocks.

⁵ Includes over 3,100 stocks in 2016.

⁶ Standard & Poor's series. Dividend/price ratios based on Wednesday closing prices. Earnings/price ratios based on prices at end of quarter.

Sources: New York Stock Exchange, Dow Jones & Company, Inc., Standard & Poor's, Nasdaq Stock Market, and Bloomberg.