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New From Sure Dividend

Our latest research is listed below:

- What should small businesses keep in mind as we approach tax season?
- Monthly Dividend Stock in Focus: Apple Hospitality REIT
- 2020 MLP List | all 115 Publicly Traded MLPs
- 2020 List of All REITs | 166 Publicly Traded REITs
- The Best Casino Stocks Now, Ranked in Order

Dividend News

- **Sponsored News:** New Report Reveals Top 7% Dividends (paid monthly) – FREE!
- **TJX Companies (TJX)** closes all of its stores in the U.S., Canada, Europe, and Australia for two weeks; draws down $1 billion from its revolving credit facilities and cancels shares repurchase program
- **Thomson Reuters (TRI)** announces the acquisition of Pondera Solutions
- **Duke Energy (DUK)** draws down $2 billion from credit facilities
- **Tenaris (TS)** to lay off 900 employees at U.S. facilities
- **Domino's (DPZ)** increases hiring pace as locations see higher demand
- **Boeing (BA)** rumored to be considering dividend cut and significant layoffs
- **Carnival Cruise Lines (CCL)** offers cruise ships as temporary hospitals
- **AT&T (T)** cancels accelerated share buyback program
- **Tiffany (TIF)** beats earnings expectations and meets revenue estimates as sales of $1.36 billion increase 3.0% year-on-year while adjusted earnings-per-share of $1.80
- **JPMorgan (JPM)** CEO Jamie Dimon could return to work as soon as mid-April after recent heart surgery
- **Altria (MO)** Chairman and CEO Howard Willard has contracted the coronavirus and will take a temporary leave

- **Facebook (FB)** expands its ad ban on coronavirus-related products
- **Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (TEVA)** to donate 6 million doses of malaria drug for coronavirus use
- **Occidental Petroleum (OXY)** to bring back former CEO Stephen Chazen as its new Chairman
- **Aflac (AFL)** to acquire Zurich North America's Corporate Life and Pensions business
- **Kohl's (KSS)** to close stores nationwide through al least April 1st; also suspends share repurchases
- **Walmart (WMT)** to pay out $365 million in special bonuses amid coronavirus shutdown
- **Cintas (CTAS)** beats sales and earnings expectations as revenue of $1.81 billion increases 7.7% year-on-year while adjusted earnings-per-share of $2.16 rises 17%

The Sure Analysis Research Database Weekly Update

The current top 10 stocks in the Sure Analysis Research Database with A ratings for Dividend Risk and Retirement Suitability are:

1. Nabors Industries Ltd. (NBR)
2. Patterson-UTI Energy, Inc. (PTEN)
3. Sysco Corp. (SYY)
4. Stanley Black & Decker, Inc. (SWK)
5. Parker-Hannifin Corp. (PH)
6. Old Republic International Corp. (ORI)
7. Lowe's Cos., Inc. (LOW)
8. Bank OZK (OZK)
9. Weyco Group, Inc. (WEYS)
10. AbbVie, Inc. (ABBV)

We added quarterly updates on the following 22 securities since last week's update:

1. Abercrombie & Fitch Co. (ANF)
2. ABM Industries, Inc. (ABM)
3. Algonquin Power & Utilities Corp. (AQN)
4. Best Buy Co., Inc. (BBY)
5. BNP Paribas SA (BNPQF)
6. Brown-Forman Corp. (BF.B)
7. Capitala Finance Corp. (CPTA)
8. Dollar General Corp. (DG)
9. FedEx Corp. (FDX)
10. Gap, Inc. (GPS)
11. General Dynamics Corp. (GD)

12. HP, Inc. (HPQ)
13. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. (JW.A)
14. Kontoor Brands, Inc. (KTB)
15. Macy's, Inc. (M)
16. Marvell Technology Group Ltd. (MRVL)
17. Newmont Corp. (NEM)
18. Nordstrom, Inc. (JWN)
19. Ping An Insurance (Group) Co. of China Ltd. (PNGAY)
20. Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. (TEVA)
21. The TJX Cos., Inc. (TJX)
22. Weyco Group, Inc. (WEYS)

We also added 2 new securities to our investment research database:

1. Trane Technologies Plc (TT)
2. ViacomCBS, Inc. (VIAC)

If there are any specific companies you'd like added to the Sure Analysis database, let us know here. Your feedback matters; we add companies based on how frequently they are requested.