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### CANADIAN ANALYSTS' CALLS

Calian Group Ltd. (TSX:CGY). Canaccord Genuity analyst Doug Taylor upped his target price on Calian stock to \$70 per share from \$54, while keeping a "Buy" rating, citing two recent acquisitions in as many weeks.

"In our view, these transactions validate Calian's ability to source accretive and potentially synergistic transactions in this M&A environment. We have worked these two small acquisitions and recent large contract wins into our model and have increased our target multiple (to 14x from 11x), reflecting

improving sentiment towards Calian's combination of growth, stability and yield," he said.

**Kinaxis Inc. (TSX:KXS).** CIBC raised its target price on the stock to C\$230 per share from C\$205.



#### U.S. ANALYSTS' CALLS

**Tesla Inc. (NASDAQ:TSLA).** Citi Research analyst Itay Michaeli maintained his "Sell" rating on the stock, yet raised his target price to \$450 per share from \$246, contending that Tesla seems to have had strong execution during the recent downturn, namely in China, and that its balance sheet is improving, but he still sees reason for caution on the name.

"What hasn't changed, in our view, is the lack of evidence to support the recent narrative in the stock-namely that Tesla is already experiencing seemingly 'unlimited' demand that's decoupled from autos, that traditional & emerging competitors stand little chance, that FSD/AV [fully self-driving technology] is industry leading and that Tesla should be valued vs. large Tech names," the analyst wrote.

**Dollar Tree Inc. (NASDAQ:DLTR).** B of A Securities upgraded shares of the discount retailer to "Buy" with a US\$115 per share target price.



#### STOCKS THAT MAY MOVE

**Savaria Corporation (TSX:SIS)** announced that it expects its Q2 revenue to fall 10% to \$84.5 million, better than the \$80.6 million analyst consensus forecast, along with a 2% rise in Adjusted EBITDA to \$14.5 million.

**Freegold Ventures Limited (TSX:FVL)** said Eric Sprott owns and controls 38,916,278 common shares of FVL, representing approximately 16.12% of the outstanding stock on a non-diluted basis.

The Valens Company Inc. (TSX:VLNS) reported that

its second-quarter 2020 revenue surged 100% year over year to \$17.6 million, while Adjusted EBITDA for the quarter increased to \$2.7 million from \$2.0 million during the same period last year.

#### **MARKETS**

**S&P/TSX and U.S. equity futures** are pointing to a sharply lower open Thursday on weaker oil prices and worst-than-expected U.S. weekly jobless claims.

#### **CURRENCIES**

The Canadian dollar is down 0.20 at 0.7383 (U.S.).

### **COMMODITIES**

West Texas Intermediate crude oil fell 1.1% at \$40.75 after OPEC and its allies said they will reduce their production cuts to 7.7 million barrels per day through December from the current 9.7 million barrels.

Gold slipped \$4.10 to \$1,809.70 an ounce.

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