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***PRICE MOVEMENTS:***

| **Ticker** | **Closing Price 9/14/21** | **Δ from 9/07/21** |
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| MSFT | $299.79 | -0.13% |
| MDLA | $33.82 | 0.21% |
| FTNT | $300.58 | -4.29% |
| IXN | $59.74 | -1.34% |
| INTC | $54.52 | 1.62% |

***INDIVIDUAL HOLDINGS:***

**Intel**

* + On Monday, DigiTimesAsia reported that Intel plans to lower prices for high volume sales of their datacenter server chips in order to become more competitive against AMD - who has recently been gaining market share with the acquisition of Xilinx - and further solidify their market-leading position. [Link](http://www.digitimes.com/news/a20210913PD205.html)

***INDUSTRY NEWS:***

**Global Semiconductor Sales Rise**

* + On Friday, September 3rd, the Semiconductor Industry Association announced that global semiconductor industry sales were $45.4 billion in the month of July, which represented an increase of 29.0% from July 2020, which only saw total sales of $35.2 billion. [Link](http://www.semiconductors.org/global-semiconductor-sales-in-july-up-29-0-year-to-year-2-1-month-to-month/)