October 2011 Commodities Update

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Commodity	Current (EOD 09/29)	2 Wks Ago	8 Wks Ago	6 Mos Ago	1 Yr Ago
Copper	3.25	3.92	4.11	4.25	3.68
Silver	30.13	40.78	38.21	37.73	22.04
Crude Oil	81.21	87.96	86.88	107.94	81.58
Natural Gas	3.76	3.81	3.94	4.36	3.80

Copper - Copper dropped drastically over the last week over fears of slowing global demand, ending the month down over 20%.

Silver - Pricing during the month of October has dropped over 27%, mirroring copper behavior.

Refrigerant - Costs remain relatively, although R-410A pricing continued to erode. However, it is decreasing a much slower rate than before and is also heading into the off-season.