

Stock Game

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What companies did we buy?

- ▶ In the game, we bought shares of such companies:
- ▶ Priceline. Com Inc., 15 shares
- ▶ NVR, Inc., 15 shares
- ▶ Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, 10 shares
- ▶ Advance Auto Parts, Inc., 10 shares
- ▶ Coca-Cola Bottling Co., 9 shares

What was our strategy?

- ▶ In general, our strategy was to sell shares after some time we bought it at higher price. We bought shares on October, 1 and October, 6, and sold them on December, 15. Our strategy can be called bull strategy as we expected prices to rise, and then to sell shares at higher prices.

Why did we earn money?

- ▶ We earned money for shares of three companies: Priceline. Com Inc. (\$958.20), NVR, Inc. (\$1,964.10), and Regeneron Pharmaceuticals (\$799.40). It happened because the shares of those companies had higher prices when we sold them in comparison with prices when they were bought.

Why did we lose?

- ▶ We lost money from shares of two companies: Advance Auto Parts, Inc. (-\$420.45) and Coca-Cola Bottling Co. (-\$130.50). It happened because the shares of those companies had lower prices when we sold them in comparison with prices when they were bought.

What would we do differently?

- ▶ In general, we earned more money than we lost. However, we should do something differently to avoid similar losses in the future. For example, in the future we should choose shares more carefully. We should analyze predictions of experts on the price of each share before buying it.