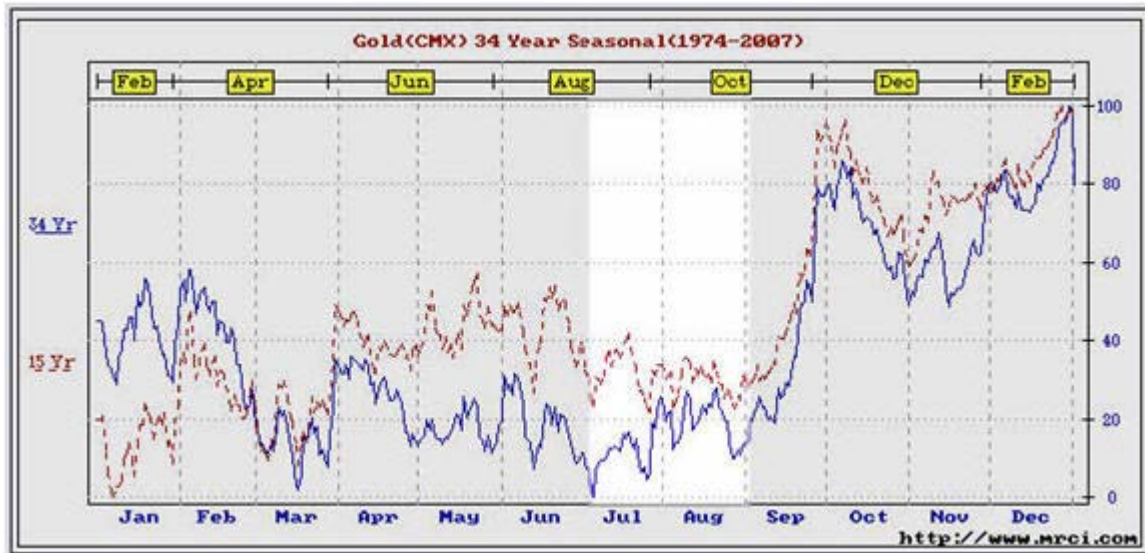
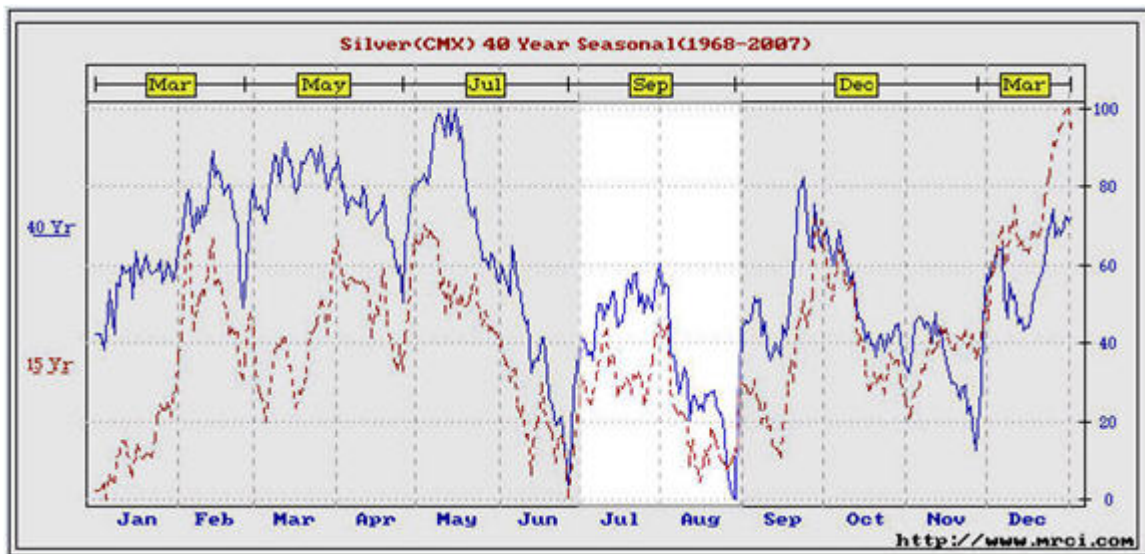


Gold Seasonality Chart



Silver Seasonality Chart



Silver is entering a very strong period.

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In summary, precious metal stocks have been bludgeoned to death this year, reaching major statistical oversold extremes on both an absolute and relative basis. Significant improvement in the gold to oil ratio signals a strong relative performance of precious metals stocks to both gold and oil stocks ahead, with silver also beginning to show better value relative to gold. Using deductive reasoning, with precious metal stocks offering better value than gold, and with silver offering better value to gold, silver stocks may prove to be the top performing area within the commodity complex in 2009 as they pose the greatest relative value.

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