

# A risky 'risk-on' turn: markets might be too early in fading recession risks

Last week, macro data came in on the softer side: <u>US</u> consumer confidence fell to the lowest level since Feb 2021, <u>US Q2 real GDP</u> was weaker than expected and <u>China manuf. data</u> sharply decelerated. At the same time EU and <u>US core inflation</u> has continued to accelerate. Our economists have <u>downgraded their European outlook</u> to account for a mild recession in 2H due to weak data and renewed political uncertainty.

Despite that, performance across assets has been risk-on, especially post the Fed meeting which opened to the possibility of a <u>slower hiking pace from here</u>: most assets, including pro-cyclical expressions, have performed well since the FOMC while the Dollar has weakened (<u>Exhibit 1</u>). The VIX has also continued to reset towards the low 20s.

We think risky assets have been supported by the comeback of a friendly <u>'real regime'</u> with real rates resetting materially lower - US 10-year real rates are almost back to zero - and breakevens moving higher (<u>Exhibit 2</u>). This environment tends to be the best for risky assets performance and has favored some long-duration equities - the beta of equities to US 10-year yields has turned positive,

especially for growth indices (Exhibit 3).

But looking at the re-pricing of cyclical assets in the US and EU, we think the market might have been too complacent too soon in fading recession risks on expectations of a more accommodative monetary policy stance. US cyclical equities have retraced almost 50% vs. defensives since their trough in early July (Exhibit 4). The S&P 500 has also outperformed more materially vs. bonds. European growth pricing seems slightly more conservative in equities and in credit, but even there our equities strategists do not think a recession is fully priced in.

We think markets will be vulnerable to hawkish surprises - if inflation continues to struggle to re-set - and growth surprises - if the slowdown in activity results in a more prolonged/deeper downturn. Our strategists think that from here sharp moves higher in US yields will likely have to rely on an improvement in growth sentiment. Against concerns of a continuation of the slowdown, they have downgraded their EUR/USD forecasts, and revised their Bund forecasts lower to 1.5% at year-end. We continue to like collars (sell calls to buy puts) to protect equity exposure.

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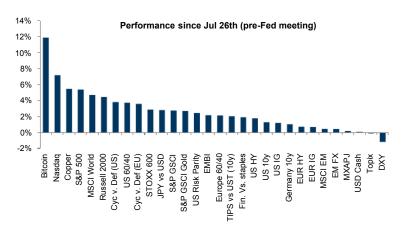
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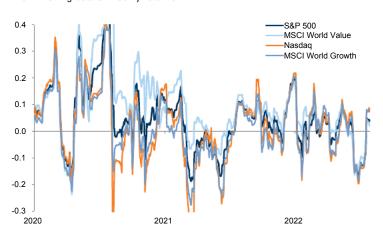
### Exhibit 1: Cross-asset performance has been risk-on post the Fed meeting



Source: Datastream, Haver Analytics, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

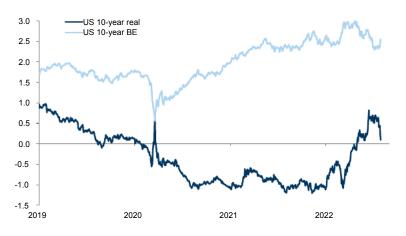
# Exhibit 3: The beta of equities to US 10-year rates has turned positive, especially for long-duration pockets

1-month rolling beta of weekly returns



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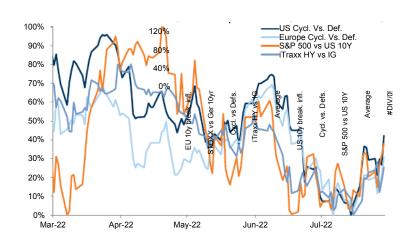
Exhibit 2: US 10-year real rates are almost back to zero, while breakeavens have increased



Source: Bloomberg, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 4: US cyclicals have retraced almost 50% vs. defensives

% retracement around the July trough vs. the YTD peak



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# **Cross-asset: Forecasts**

Exhibit 5: GOAL asset allocation recommendations and GS cross-asset forecasts

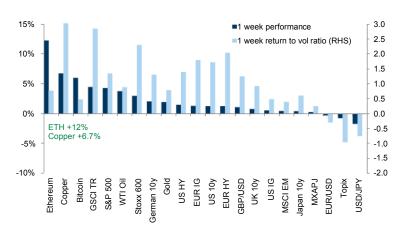
	Allocation Weighting		Current		Forecasts		Forecast	Upside/Dowr	ıside (%)	
	3m	12m	Level	3m	6m	12 m	3m	6m	12 m	
Equities	N	OW			Index level			<b>Total Return</b>		
S&P 500 (\$)	UW	UW	4130	4000	4300	4500	-2.7	4.9	10.6	
Stoxx Europe 600 (€)	UW	OW	438	390	390	460	-10.1	-9.2	8.5	
MSCI Asia-Pacific Ex-Japan (\$)	OW	OW	522	530	550	585	2.5	6.3	14.0	
Topix (¥)	OW	OW	1940	1900	2020	2100	-1.4	5.4	10.8	
10 Year Government Bonds	N	UW			Yield (%)			<b>Total Return</b>		
US	OW	OW	2.64	3.27	3.27	3.15	-4.7	-4.1	-1.8	
Germany	UW	UW	0.83	1.33	1.52	1.60	-3.7	-5.2	-5.5	
Japan	UW	UW	0.18	0.25	0.25	0.32	-0.2	-0.2	-0.7	
UK	-	-	1.86	2.62	2.65	2.44	-5.3	-5.1	-2.4	
Corporate Bonds	UW	N			Spread			<b>Total Return</b>		
Bloomberg Barclays US IG	OW	N	146	163	170	140	-5.0	-4.6	0.3	
Bloomberg Barclays US HY	UW	N	488	569	597	465	-4.2	-3.9	4.2	
iBoxx EUR IG	OW	N	202	218	219	175	-2.7	-3.3	-0.8	
BAML EUR HY	UW	N	577	623	626	491	-2.4	-2.3	3.6	
JP Morgan EMBI Div.	UW	N	533	507	481	430	-1.5	2.0	10.0	
Commodities	ow	ow			Spot price			Spot Return		
WTI (\$/bbl)	-	-	101	137	125	125	35.1	23.3	23.3	
Brent (\$/bbl)	-	-	110	140	130	130	27.2	18.1	18.1	
Copper (\$/mt)	-	-	7,931	6,700	7,600	9,000	-15.5	-4.2	13.5	
Gold (\$/troy oz)	-	-	1,764	2,100	2,300	2,500	19.0	30.4	41.7	
FX	-	-			Spot rate			Spot Return		
EUR/USD	-	-	1.02	0.99	1.02	1.15	-2.9	0.0	12.8	
USD/JPY	-	-	133.7	125.0	125.0	123.0	-6.5	-6.5	-8.0	
GBP/USD	-	-	1.22	1.19	1.21	1.25	-2.2	-0.6	2.7	
USD/BRL	-	-	5.20	5.50	5.30	5.00	5.8	2.0	-3.8	
USD/RUB	-	-	63.6	80.0	90.0	100.0	25.7	41.5	57.2	
USD/INR	-	-	79.3	80.0	81.0	81.0	0.9	2.2	2.2	
USD/CNY	-	-	6.74	6.75	6.60	6.50	0.2	-2.0	-3.5	
Cash	ow	ow			Spot rate		Total Return			
US 3-month Tbill	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.59	1.43	2.97	
Germany 3-month Bubills	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.01	0.07	0.38	

Source: Bloomberg, Datastream, Bloomberg-Barclays, ICE-BAML, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Weekly and YTD performance, absolute and risk-adjusted

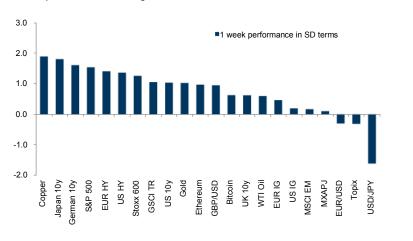
## Exhibit 6: Local currency total returns and return to vol ratios over the past week

Weekly returns, return to vol ratios based on weekly volatility



### Exhibit 7: Local currency total returns in standard deviation terms

1-week performance in rolling 12m standard deviation terms

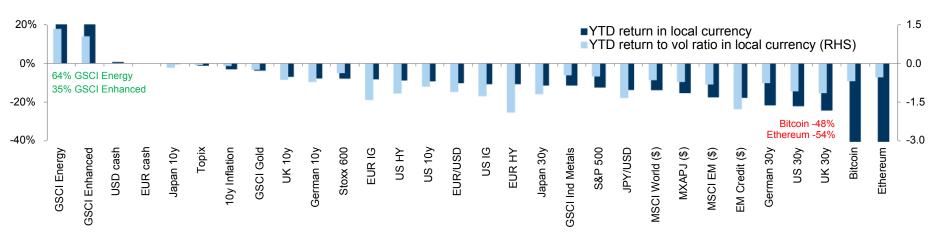


Source: Datastream, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

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### **Exhibit 8: Local currency returns and return to vol ratios**

YTD returns

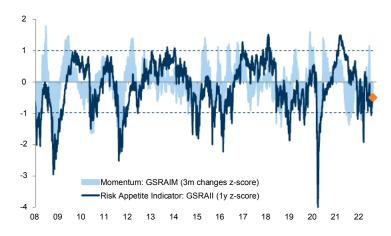


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# Cross-asset: Risk appetite indicator

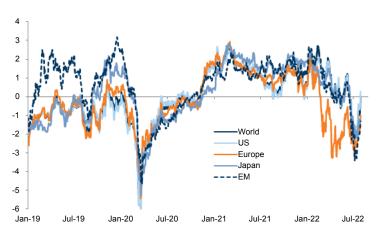
## Exhibit 9: Risk appetite indicator level and momentum factors

See July 2016 GOAL for construction details



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

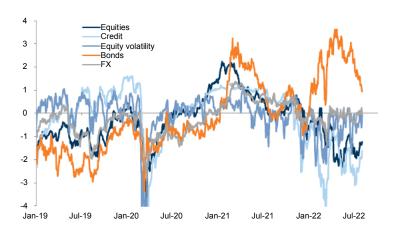
# Exhibit 11: Cyclicals vs. defensives 1-year rolling z-score across regions See July 2016 GOAL for construction details



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 10: Risk appetite indicators for different asset classes

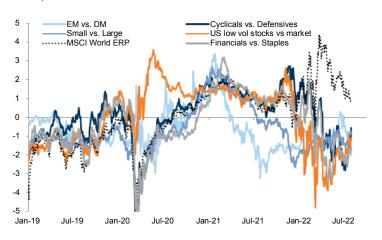
See July 2016 GOAL for construction details



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 12: Sub-components of equity risk appetite indicator

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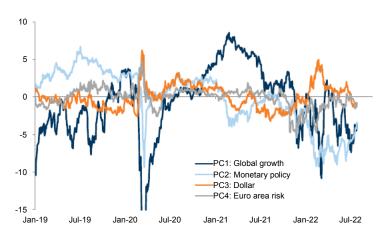


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# Cross-asset: Risk Appetite principal component analysis

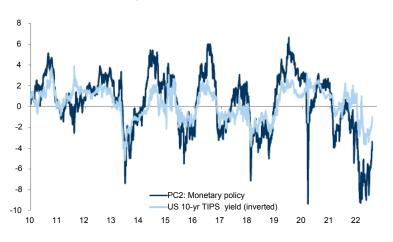
## **Exhibit 13: GS RAI principal component**

See April 2019 GOAL for construction details



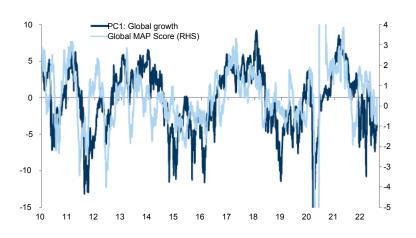
Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 15: PC2: Monetary policy factor vs. US 10-year TIPS yield



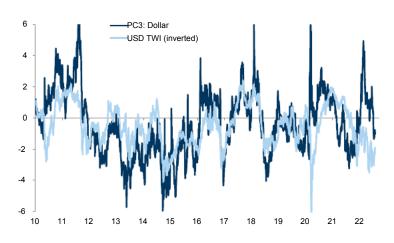
Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

Exhibit 14: PC1: Global growth factor vs. Global MAP Score



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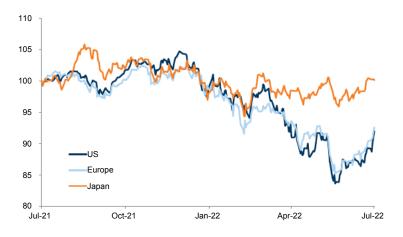
### Exhibit 16: PC3: Dollar factor vs. USD TWI



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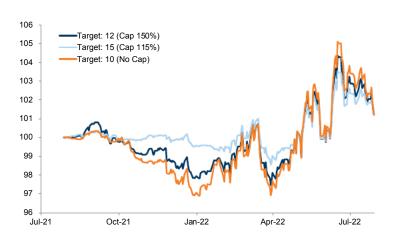
# Cross-asset: Balanced portfolios and dynamic allocation strategies performance

Exhibit 17: 60/40 equity/bond portfolio performance across regions last 12m Relative total return performance indexed to 100 12m ago (data since 2010)



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

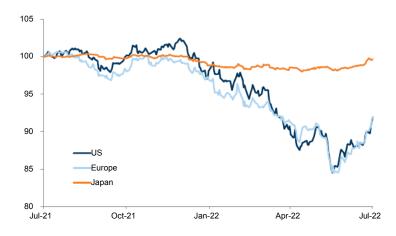
Exhibit 19: 60/40 portfolio with volatility target strategies overlay vs. US 60/40 portfolio 60% S&P 500, 40% US 10y bond; based on 1m realised S&P 500 volatility



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 18: Risk parity portfolio performance across regions last 12m

Weighted inversely by 3m realised volatility of equity and 10y bonds



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Exhibit 20: 60/40 portfolio with volatility target strategies and momentum overlay vs. US 60/40

60% S&P 500, 40% US 10y bond; Strategy methodology see: GOAL: The Balanced Bear - Part 2



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Equity vs. credit monitor

### Exhibit 21: USD cash credit vs. US equity

Cash credit excess returns (beta-adjusted) vs. S&P 500 total returns



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 24: EUR synthetic credit vs. European equity

Synthetic credit excess returns (beta-adjusted) vs. MSCI Europe total returns



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 22: USD synthetic credit vs. US equity

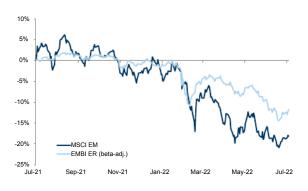
Synthetic credit excess returns (beta-adjusted) vs. S&P 500 total returns



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 25: EM cash credit vs. EM equity

Cash credit excess returns (beta-adjusted) vs. MSCI EM total returns



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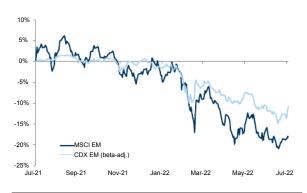
Cash credit excess returns (beta-adjusted) vs. MSCI Europe total returns



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 26: EM synthetic credit vs. EM equity

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Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Valuation and risk premia

### **Exhibit 27: Cross-asset valuation table**

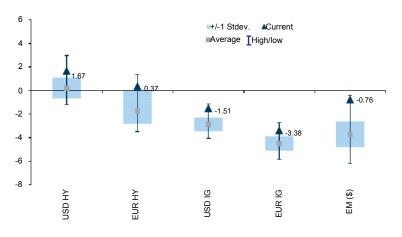
A higher percentile means more expensive relative to 10y history

			Equity				Governme	ent bonds	5			Credit			F.	X
	S&P 500	Stoxx 600	MXAPJ	Topix	MSCI EM	US 10y	German 10y	Japan 10y	UK 10y	US IG	US HY	EUR IG	EUR HY	EM (\$)	EUR/USD	USD/JPY
Valuation metric		12m fo	rward P/	E ratio			Yie	ld				Spread			Actual - GS	fair value
Current:	17.4x	12.3x	12.2x	12.4x	11.0x	2.6%	0.8%	0.1%	1.9%	158bp	477bp	202bp	577bp	554bp	-0.21 €/\$	35.6 \$/¥
Expensiveness (last 10y percentile):	66%	11%	33%	14%	33%	21%	28%	42%	27%	24%	33%	4%	8%	2%	5%	2%
3M change:	-0.2x	-0.9x	-0.4x	-0.1x	-0.5x	-0.2%	-0.1%	-0.1%	0.0%	-3bp	84bp	35bp	123bp	115bp	-0.04 €/\$	2.6 \$/¥
Average:	17.2x	14.4x	13.1x	13.9x	11.8x	2.1%	0.4%	0.2%	1.4%	145bp	452bp	133bp	411bp	352bp	-0.09 €/\$	12.0 \$/¥
95th:	22.1x	17.4x	16.2x	17.3x	14.8x	3.0%	1.7%	0.8%	2.7%	192bp	693bp	194bp	634bp	474bp	0.12 €/\$	25.6 \$/¥
5th:	13.2x	11.6x	11.3x	11.8x	10.0x	0.7%	-0.5%	-0.1%	0.3%	102bp	324bp	96bp	279bp	270bp	-0.21 €/\$	-8.4 \$/¥
Note: GSDEER is our fair	value ma	cro model	for exchai	nge rates	US IG sp	read is from	iBoxx FM	(\$) is JPM	FMBI		·			•		

Source: Datastream, I/B/E/S, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 28: Credit spread minus equity risk premium estimates across markets

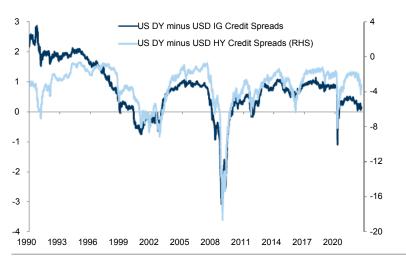
Equity risk premia based on 1-stage DDM using local 10-year yields and LT GDP consensus estimates. Using past 10 years of data.



Source: Datastream, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 29: Equity vs. credit relative valuation

US Dividend Yield minus Credit spreads



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

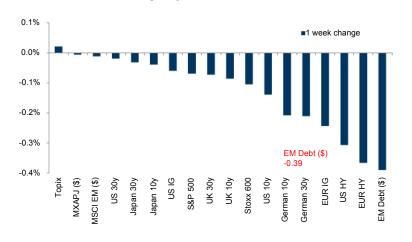
## **Cross-asset: Yields**

Exhibit 30: Current yields across assets and their percentile to the past 10 years

			Equity				Governme	ent bonds				Credit		
	S&P 500	Stoxx 600	MXAPJ (\$)	Topix	MSCI EM (\$)	US 10y	German 10y	Japan 10y	UK 10y	US IG	EUR IG	US HY	EUR HY	EM Debt (\$)
Valuation metric		Divid	lend Yield (	(NTM)			Yie	eld			Yie	eld		
Current:	1.6%	3.6%	3.2%	2.6%	3.4%	2.6%	0.8%	0.1%	1.9%	4.1%	2.5%	7.7%	6.3%	8.0%
Percentile (-10y):	15%	40%	63%	88%	98%	80%	73%	58%	75%	96%	98%	90%	96%	99%
Average:	2.0%	3.6%	3.1%	2.2%	3.0%	2.1%	0.4%	0.2%	1.4%	2.6%	1.1%	6.5%	4.4%	5.6%
95th:	2.4%	4.1%	3.5%	2.8%	3.3%	3.0%	1.7%	0.8%	2.7%	4.0%	2.3%	8.3%	6.3%	6.9%
5th:	1.4%	3.0%	2.4%	1.9%	2.4%	0.7%	-0.5%	-0.1%	0.3%	1.3%	0.2%	4.8%	3.0%	4.6%
3m real. ret. vol:	28.6%	20.1%	16.8%	20.3%	20.1%	11.0%	12.8%	1.7%	11.3%	9.0%	7.0%	9.5%	6.9%	9.2%
Percentile (-10y):	96%	83%	50%	89%	88%	97%	100%	48%	98%	96%	98%	97%	96%	92%
Yield/vol ratio	0.06	0.18	0.19	0.13	0.17	0.24	0.06	0.07	0.16	0.46	0.36	0.81	0.92	0.87

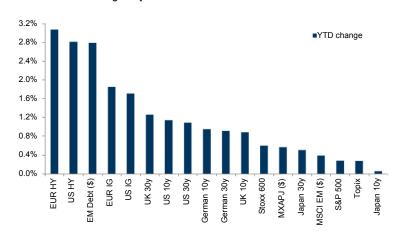
Source: Datastream, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

Exhibit 31: Past week change in yields across assets



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Exhibit 32: YTD change in yields across assets

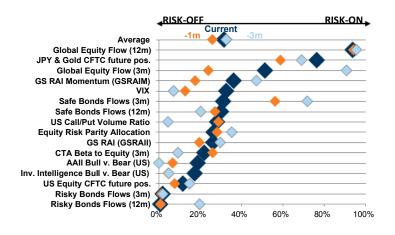


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# **Cross-asset: Sentiment and Positioning**

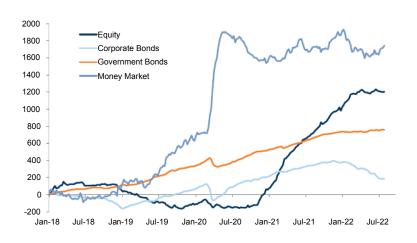
#### **Exhibit 33: Percentile of sentiment indicators**

Data since 2007



Source: Datastream, Haver Analytics, EPFR, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

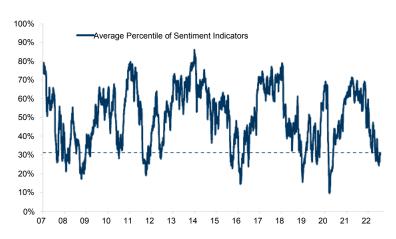
#### Exhibit 35: Cumulative fund flows across assets



Source: Datastream, Haver Analytics, EPFR, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 34: Average percentile of sentiment indicators**

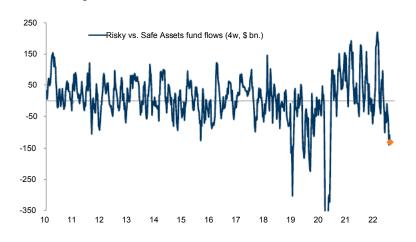
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### Exhibit 36: Risky vs. safe assets fund flows

4 weeks rolling flows, USD bn

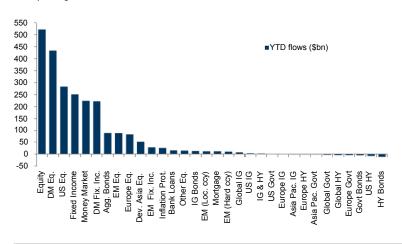


Source: Datastream, Haver Analytics, EPFR, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

## Cross-asset: Global Funds Flows

### Exhibit 37: YTD cross-asset global fund flows

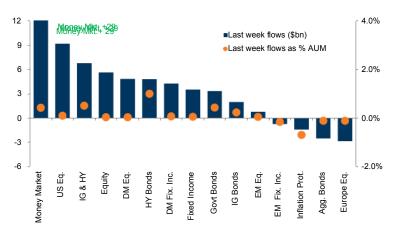
All reporting funds. \$ Bn



Source: EPFR, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 39: 1-week cross-asset global fund flows

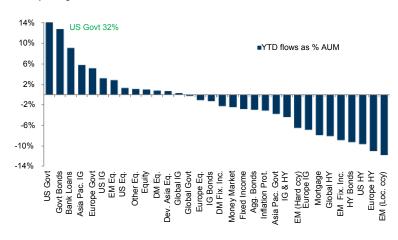
All reporting funds



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### Exhibit 38: YTD cross-asset global fund flows

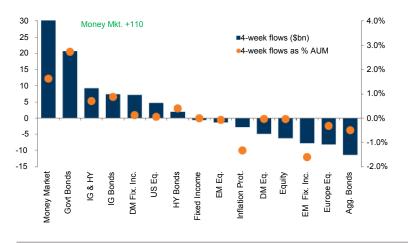
All reporting funds. % of AUM



Source: EPFR, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 40: 4-week cross-asset global fund flows

All reporting funds

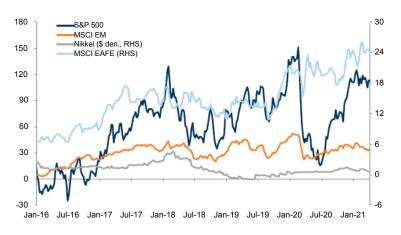


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# Cross-asset: CFTC positioning

### **Exhibit 41: Equity net long positioning**

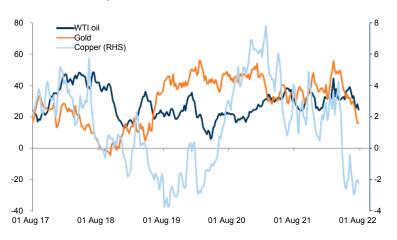
Leveraged funds and asset managers net future positions (\$ bn)



Source: Bloomberg, CFTC, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 43: Commodity net long positioning**

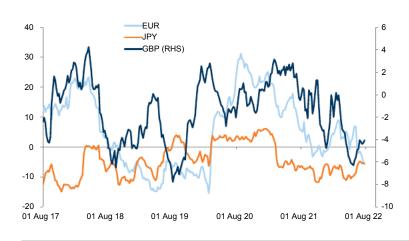
Net non-commercial positions (\$ bn)



 $Source: Bloomberg, CFTC, Goldman\ Sachs\ Global\ Investment\ Research$ 

### **Exhibit 42: Currency net long positioning**

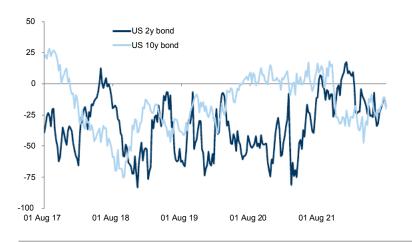
Net non-commercial positions (\$ bn)



Source: Bloomberg, CFTC, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 44: US Treasury net long positioning**

Net non-commercial positions (\$ bn)

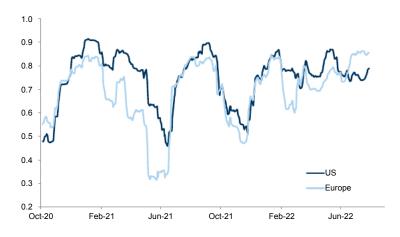


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# Cross-asset: Correlations: Equity vol/CDS, commodity prices/credit & FX, equity/bond, equity/FX

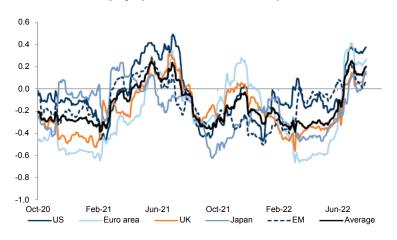
## Exhibit 45: 3m rolling equity vol/CDS correlation of weekly level changes

CDX HY for the US, iTraxx Xover for Europe; ATM implied vol for S&P 500 and Euro Stoxx 50



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 47: 3m rolling equity/bond correlation of weekly returns



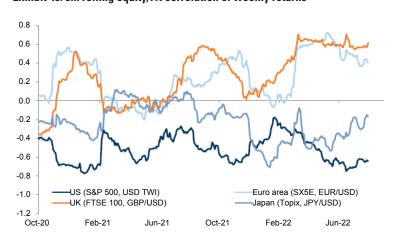
Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

Exhibit 46: 3m rolling commodity price correlations of weekly % changes with different assets



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 48: 3m rolling equity/FX correlation of weekly returns



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Correlation matrix

### **Exhibit 49: Cross-asset correlation matrix**

Upper half of matrix: current 1-year correlation (black shading = more/less than 0.50/-0.50); lower half of matrix: percentile since 2001 (dark grey shading indicates above 75th percentile, orange shading indicates below 25th percentile); correlations are calculated on weekly, local currency returns.

		S&P 500	STOXX 600	MXAPJ	TOPIX	MSCI EM	US 10 yr	Germany 10 yr	Japan 10 yr	UK 10 yr	EUR/USD	USD/JPY	AUD/USD	iBoxx US IG	iBoxx EUR IG	BAML US HY	BAML EUR HY	EM Credit (\$)	WTI Crude Oil	Copper	Gold	VIX	
										rrent 1				_									
S&P 500			0.66	0.46	0.50	0.43	0.03	0.18	-0.01	0.18	0.42	-0.18	0.53	0.37	0.41	0.74	0.52	0.63	0.12	0.16	0.04	-0.68	
STOXX 600		0.06		0.55	0.49	0.53	-0.06	-0.02	-0.13	-0.03	0.40	-0.02	0.40	0.26	0.31	0.57	0.64	0.70	-0.25	0.14	-0.02	-0.57	
MXAPJ		0.14	0.23		0.68	0.99	0.00	-0.06	-0.09	-0.09	0.49	-0.13	0.69	0.20	0.21	0.46	0.43	0.50	0.13	0.46	0.28	-0.42	
TOPIX		0.30	0.14	0.68		0.67	-0.14	-0.13	-0.22	-0.12	0.42	0.16	0.52	0.19	0.14	0.42	0.44	0.46	0.12	0.33	0.02	-0.41	
MSCI EM	2001	0.09	0.14	0.88	0.71		0.03	-0.04	-0.07	-0.08	0.48	-0.15	0.65	0.24	0.23	0.47	0.44	0.53	0.11	0.49	0.29	-0.40	c
US 10 yr		0.95	0.93	0.87	0.92	0.89		0.84	0.71	0.80	-0.06	-0.58	-0.06	0.84	0.69	0.31	0.21	0.15	-0.10	0.15	0.04	0.18	Current
Germany 10 yr	ince	1.00	0.90	0.74	0.81	0.80	0.91		0.67	0.89	-0.27	-0.58	-0.09	0.70	0.87	0.31	0.28	0.06	0.04	0.10	0.03	0.10	ent
Japan 10 yr	percentile since	0.78	0.60	0.56	0.69	0.57	0.97	0.91		0.68	-0.24	-0.42	-0.03	0.61	0.56	0.35	0.18	0.03	-0.13	0.15	0.13	0.21	1у
UK 10 yr	enti	1.00	0.96	0.74	0.88	0.79	0.66	0.74	0.91		-0.17	-0.53	-0.12	0.71	0.74	0.26	0.18	0.07	-0.06	0.05	-0.02	0.07	Ö
EUR/USD	ē	0.85	0.92	0.80	0.92	0.73	0.18	0.22	0.07	0.24		-0.23	0.51	0.18	-0.13	0.40	0.23	0.49	-0.07	0.23	0.22	-0.33	correlation
USD/JPY	s p	0.08	0.06	0.28	0.35	0.25	0.33	0.15	0.22	0.22	0.74		-0.17	-0.51	-0.53	-0.41	-0.27	-0.23	-0.11	-0.18	-0.27	-0.11	On On
AUD/USD	ion	0.69	0.63	0.62	0.78	0.59	0.53	0.52	0.54	0.47	0.39	0.55		0.15	0.14	0.57	0.38	0.26	0.39	0.49	0.44	-0.46	OT V
iBoxx US IG	elat	0.95	0.95	0.76	0.90	0.81	0.50	0.60	0.86	0.66	0.46	0.25	0.53		0.73	0.62	0.47	0.44	-0.15	0.21	-0.09	-0.03	weekly
iBoxx EUR IG	Örr	0.95	0.84	0.55	0.60	0.67	0.77	0.72	0.94	0.74	0.26	0.03	0.51	0.59		0.60	0.65	0.37	0.03	0.19	0.04	-0.09	
BAML US HY	nt c	0.85	0.53	0.21	0.48	0.22	0.84	0.90	0.94	0.89	0.82	0.02	0.76	0.92	0.87		0.76	0.63	0.04	0.30	0.15	-0.36	rett
BAML EUR HY	Current correlation's	0.61	0.69	0.16	0.38	0.21	0.92	0.97	0.88	0.92	0.72	0.10	0.58	0.90	0.88	0.38		0.65	-0.11	0.29	0.03	-0.25	returns
EM Credit (\$)	σ	0.92	1.00	0.63	0.89	0.65	0.50	0.41	0.34	0.36	0.90	0.33	0.27	0.45	0.49	0.61	0.73		-0.22	0.23	-0.01	-0.38	0,
WTI Crude Oil		0.36	0.08	0.20	0.35	0.14	0.54	0.81	0.31	0.65	0.08	0.25	0.77	0.28	0.53	0.23	0.12	0.03		0.41	0.41	-0.05	
Copper		0.15	0.16	0.51	0.67	0.54	0.97	0.96	0.92	0.92	0.35	0.14	0.57	0.94	0.88	0.57	0.64	0.72	0.75		0.45	-0.08	
Gold		0.52	0.54	0.58	0.61	0.55	0.27	0.29	0.50	0.20	0.09	0.65	0.49	0.11	0.37	0.50	0.41	0.04	0.89	0.80		-0.09	
VIX		0.87	0.87	0.70	0.76	0.84	0.28	0.15	0.74	0.14	0.13	0.74	0.27	0.26	0.31	0.69	0.80	0.23	0.69	0.95	0.32		
		Current correlation's percentile since 2001																					

Source: Datastream, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Implied and realised vol, call and put skew

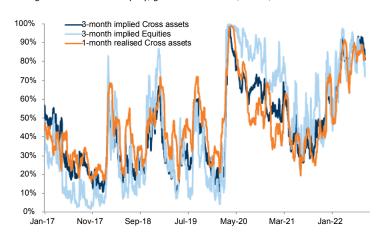
Exhibit 50: Cross-asset volatility, current and historical percentiles, implied 3m and realised 1m

	Equities							Ra	tes			Credit		Co	mmodit	ties	Currencies		
	S&P 500	EURO STOXX 50	Nikkei 225	FTSE 100	MSCI EM	MSCI EAFE	USD 2-year	USD 10-year	EUR 2-year	EUR 10-year	CDX IG	CDX HY	iTraxx Europe	WTI	Gold	Copper	EUR/ USD	JPY/ USD	GBP/ USD
Implied (3-m	onth A	TM, %)																	
Current:	20.1	21.4	18.4	17.0	21.1	18.5	9.0	6.9	9.4	7.3	51.0	51.6	61.5	44.7	15.5	30.2	10.2	10.8	10.1
Percentile:	86%	79%	43%	77%	66%	81%	98%	96%	99%	99%	67%	76%	81%	85%	61%	98%	89%	79%	77%
1M change:	-4.3	-2.9	-2.3	-2.5	-1.9	-2.8	-1.1	-0.5	-1.1	-0.8	-16.8	-14.3	-6.0	-3.7	-0.5	1.1	1.2	-1.9	-0.7
Average:	15.5	18.3	19.6	14.9	20.0	15.6	3.2	4.6	1.8	3.4	49.7	45.2	53.2	33.6	14.7	21.2	7.7	8.6	8.6
95th:	24.9	26.0	26.7	22.6	26.6	22.5	5.7	6.6	4.3	5.2	69.7	65.5	69.9	53.8	20.4	28.8	11.1	12.7	12.6
5th:	10.0	12.3	13.8	10.3	15.2	10.4	1.2	3.5	0.9	2.2	38.5	30.7	38.7	17.1	9.7	15.2	5.1	5.6	5.8
Realised (%)																			
1-month:	19.5	21.0	17.7	16.6	14.0	18.9	9.2	7.6	10.1	8.2	43.3	44.9	58.5	59.6	16.0	35.7	10.4	9.8	9.6
Percentile:	82%	75%	50%	75%	59%	88%	98%	96%	99%	99%	72%	86%	87%	91%	72%	98%	87%	74%	76%
Average:	14.3	17.8	19.6	14.3	14.3	12.7	2.9	4.4	1.3	3.1	39.0	33.2	42.4	36.9	14.3	19.5	7.5	8.1	8.4

Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 51: 10y percentile for cross-asset average volatility

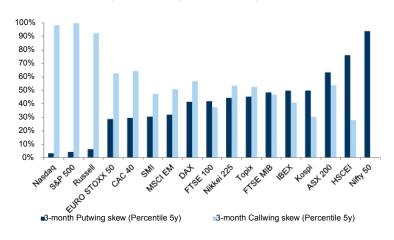
Using 16 assets across equity, government bonds, credit, commodities and FX



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### Exhibit 52: Putwing and Callwing normalised skew 5y percentile

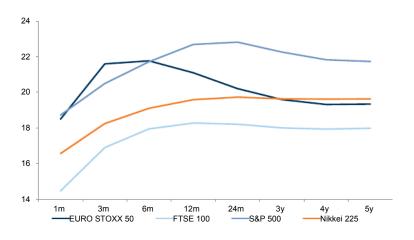
Normalised skew = (impl. vol 25 delta put/call minus implied vol 50 delta call)/50 delta call



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

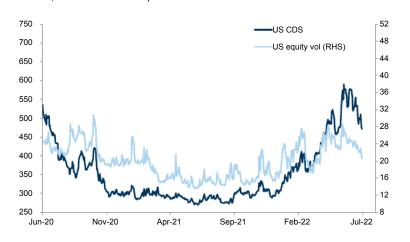
# Cross-asset: Volatility, skew, CDS with equity vol, rate vol

### Exhibit 53: ATM implied volatility term structure for equity indices



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

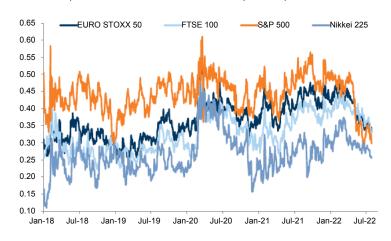
Exhibit 55: CDS and equity vol levels in the US CDX HY, 3m ATM S&P 500 implied vol



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

Exhibit 54: Normalised implied volatility skew across regions

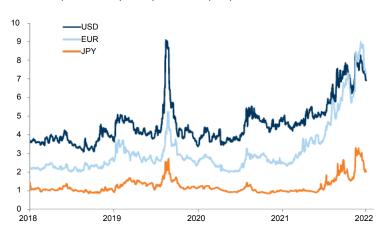
3m 25 delta put vol minus 25 delta call vol scaled by ATM implied vol



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 56: 3m ATM implied rate volatility across regions

3-month implied volatility of 10-year rates (bp/day)

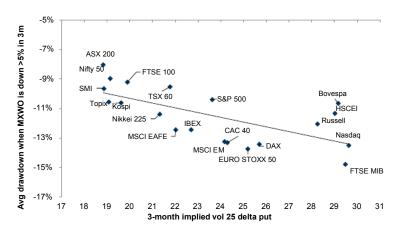


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## Cross-asset: Alternatives and option strategies

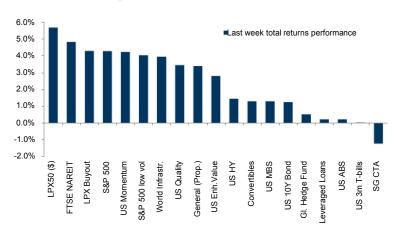
# Exhibit 57: Implied volatility (3-month 25 delta put) vs. average drawdown during MXWO corrections

3m put 25 delta put option implied vol vs. average performance during a 5% MXWO drawdown



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

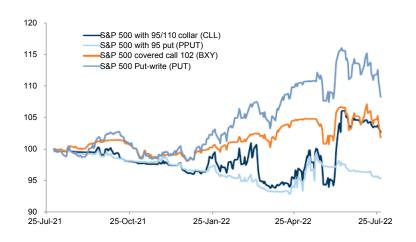
### Exhibit 59: Last week performance of alternative assets or strategies



Source: Bloomberg, Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

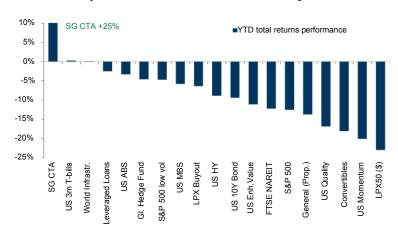
### Exhibit 58: Systematic option strategies vs. S&P 500 performance

CBOE Strategies vs. S&P 500 performance



Source: Bloomberg, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 60: YTD performance of alternative assets or strategies



Source: Bloomberg, Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Cross-asset: Liquidity indicators

## Exhibit 61: 1-year cross-currency basis

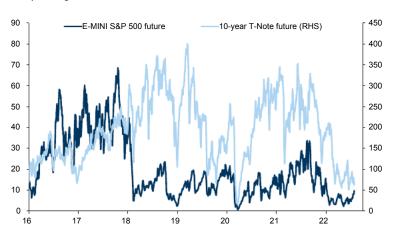
Basis points



Source: Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 63: Top-of-book depth

5-day average, \$ mln

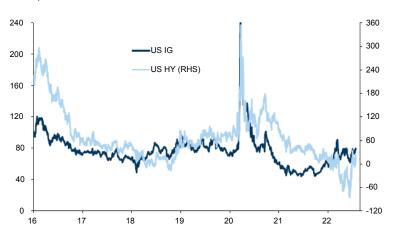


E-MINI S&P 500 = 5d avg. # of contracts \* S&P 500 price \* \$50. 10-year T-note = 5d avg. # of contracts \* \$100,000

Source: Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Bloomberg, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

## Exhibit 62: Cash credit versus CDS spread

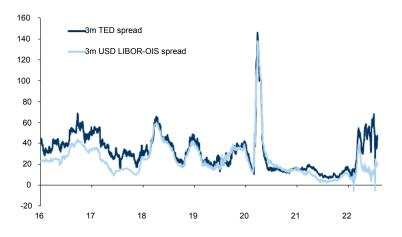
Basis points



Source: Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Haver Analytics, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 64: Interbank spread**

Basis points



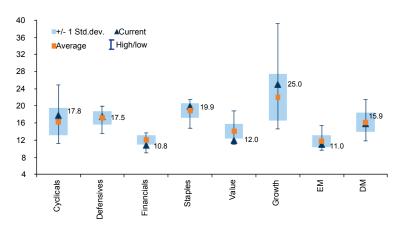
TED spread = 3m USD LIBOR rate - 3m T-bill rate

Source: Bloomberg, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Equity: Valuation and styles

### **Exhibit 65: Valuation ranges of MSCI World styles indices**

12-month forward P/Es relative to the last 10 years



Source: Datastream, I/B/E/S, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 67: Global market implied ERPs (%)

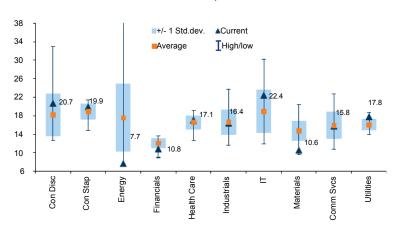
Implied ERPs are calculated by each regional strategy team. While specific assumptions differ between regions, all are calculated using similar frameworks



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 66: MSCI World sector valuations**

12-month forward P/Es relative to the last 10 years



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### **Exhibit 68: MSCI World style index performance**

Performance indexed to 100 12m ago

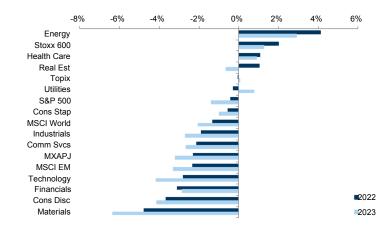


Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# **Equity: Earnings**

### Exhibit 69: 1-month revision to I/B/E/S consensus earnings

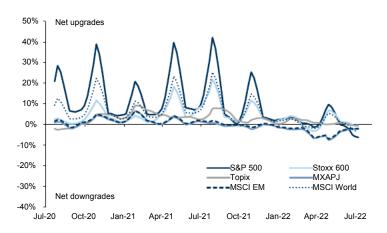
MSCI World sectors, other global equity index aggregates. TOPIX: FY 2021/2022



Source: Datastream, I/B/E/S, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Exhibit 71: Earnings sentiment: Analyst upgrades minus downgrades (scaled by total analysts) across markets

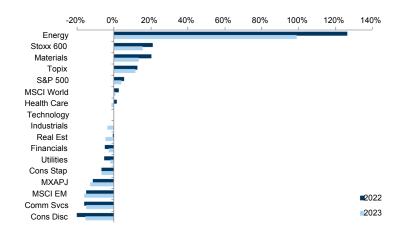
1-month moving average of net monthly upgrades



Source: Datastream, I/B/E/S, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

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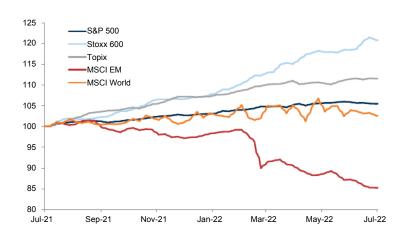
MSCI World sectors, other global equity index aggregates. TOPIX: FY 2021/2022



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## Exhibit 72: 2021 consensus earnings expectations over the past 12 months

Earnings indexed to 100 12 months ago. TOPIX: FY 2023

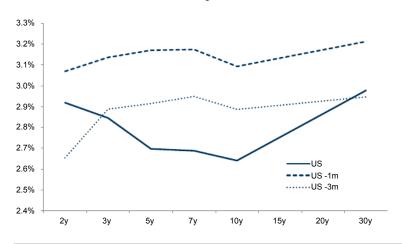


Source: Datastream, I/B/E/S, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Government bonds: Yield curves

### Exhibit 73: US yield curve dynamics

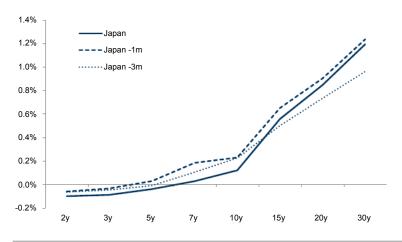
Current relative to 1 month and 3 months ago



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 75: Japan yield curve dynamics**

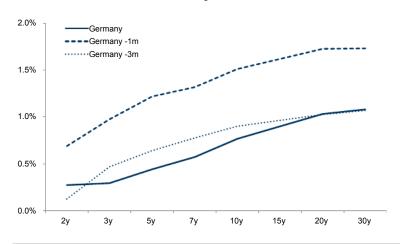
Current relative to 1 month and 3 months ago



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 74: German yield curve dynamics**

Current relative to 1 month and 3 months ago



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 76: Yield curve term slope across regions



Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Government bonds: Real yields, inflation, breakevens, 10y IR differentials

### Exhibit 77: 10y real yields across regions

Nominal bond yield minus CPI inflation swap (RPI for the UK)



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 79: US breakeven inflation**

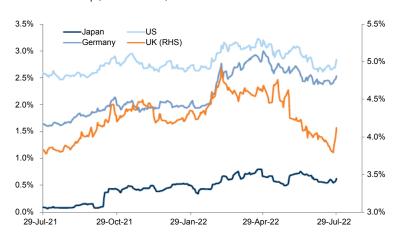
Nominal yield minus TIPS yield



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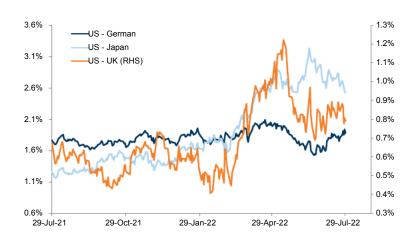
### Exhibit 78: 10y inflation swaps across regions

CPI inflation swap (RPI for the UK)



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### **Exhibit 80: 10y nominal bond yield differentials**



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# Credit: Spreads - history and forecasts

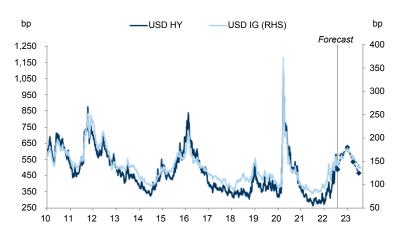
### **Exhibit 81: Credit spread forecasts**

Yieldbook Citi US IG, iBoxx EUR IG, BAML US HY and EUR HY

Ot	Updated through Jul 31, 2022										
Sector	Current	2022Q4	2023Q1	2023Q2							
USD Spreads		•									
IG	146	175	159	140							
IG Fin	152	170	155	135							
IG Non-Fin	141	180	165	145							
High Yield	488	625	535	465							
EUR Spreads											
IG	204	229	195	175							
IG Fin	236	260	225	200							
IG Non-Fin	185	205	180	165							
High Yield	591	655	560	491							

Source: Bloomberg-Barclays, ICE-BAML, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

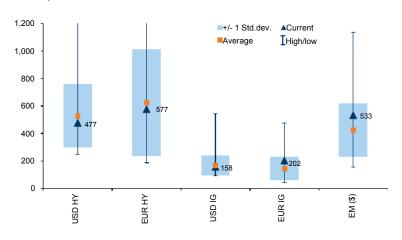
### Exhibit 83: Our USD spread forecast for IG vs. HY



Source: Bloomberg-Barclays, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 82: Current credit spreads relative to their historical ranges

Credit spreads (US HY and IG since 1985, EUR IG since 1997, EUR HY and EM since 1998)



Source: Haver Analytics, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

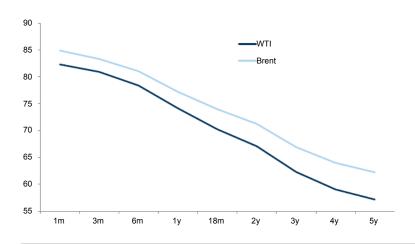
### Exhibit 84: Our EUR spread forecast for IG vs. HY



Source: ICE-BAML, iBoxx, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

# Commodities: Curve shapes and roll yields

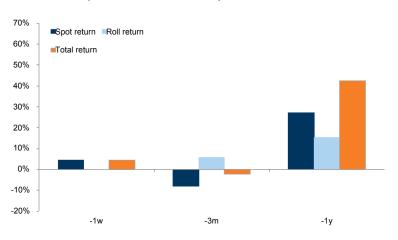
### **Exhibit 85: WTI and Brent oil forward curves**



Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 87: GSCI® Enhanced spot, roll and total returns

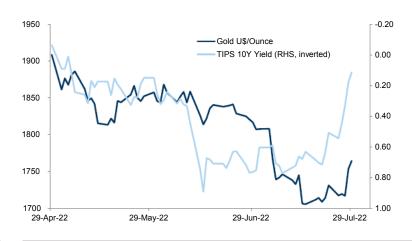
Returns over the past 1 week, 3 months and 1 year



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 86: Gold price and US real yields

US 10-year TIPs yield, Gold U\$/ounce



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

### Exhibit 88: Recent performance of GSCI® Enhanced sectors

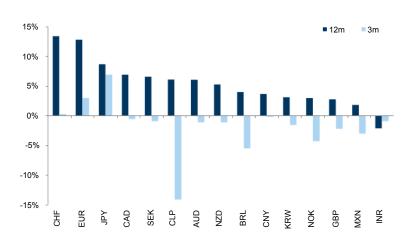
Weight signifies contribution to the GSCI® Enhanced index

	Current Weight	Re	turns	(%)
	(%)	-1w	-1m	-1y
S&P GSCI Enhanced	100.0	4.5	-1.4	43.0
Energy	65.6	4.3	-2.7	72.2
Industrial Metals	8.8	4.5	2.4	-6.8
Precious Metals	3.8	2.7	-1.6	-5.3
Agriculture	16.1	7.6	0.2	18.5
Livestock	5.7	0.0	3.8	3.7

Source: Goldman Sachs, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

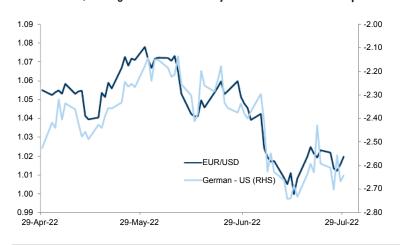
# FX: Forecasts and forwards, recent performance and positioning

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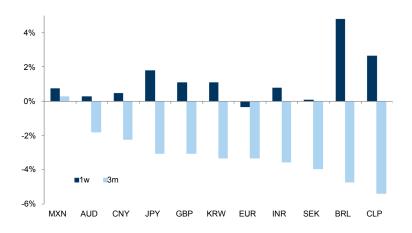
Exhibit 91: EUR/USD against German - US 2y interest rate differentials past 3m



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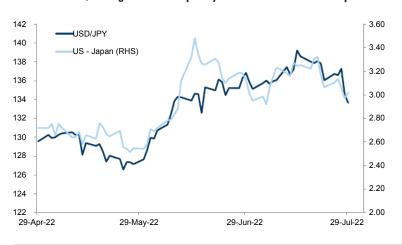
**Exhibit 90: Recent performance of dollar crosses** 

Percentage change over past 1 week, 3 months



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

Exhibit 92: USD/JPY against US - Japan 2y interest rate differentials past 3m



Source: Datastream, Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

## Disclosure Appendix

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