

Weekly Market Review

September 9, 2016

Chart of the Week



Weekly Highlights

- **DOL JOLTS report shows increased job openings in July.** According to the Department of Labor, job openings totaled 5.871 million for July, an increase from June's number, which was revised upward. The increase in job openings augurs well for the labor market. The hiring, quit, separation, and layoff rates remained unchanged.
- **FED Beige Book calls economic growth and outlook modest.** The report highlights upward pressure on wages, but characterizes inflation pressures as benign. The assessment of consumer spending is neutral, and auto sales have fallen. The energy sector remains weak, while housing and manufacturing have improved slightly.
- Initial jobless claims remain near historic lows. Initial jobless claims for the week ended September 3rd fell by 4,000 to 259,000, indicating continued improvement in the labor market. Continuing claims of 2.14 million for the week ended August 27th fell by 7,000, furthering the trend of slowly tightening labor conditions.

Talking Points

- Among equities, International and particularly Emerging Markets – led the charge into positive territory, while U.S. equities had marginally negative returns.
- Treasury yields increased toward the end of the week, with longer maturities suffering greater losses than the short end of the curve.
- The US Dollar strengthened against a basket of major trade partners' currencies. The dollar index is currently in the middle of its trailing 12-month range.
- Commodities are up, Crude oil soared on Thursday, hitting a 2week high, although it had a slight pullback on Friday.
- In other economic news: The Energy Information
 Administration (EIA) announced that crude oil inventories dropped by a sharp 14.5 million barrels in the week ended September 2nd. By contrast, natural gas inventories rose by 36 billion cubic feet in the same week.

Market Dashboard

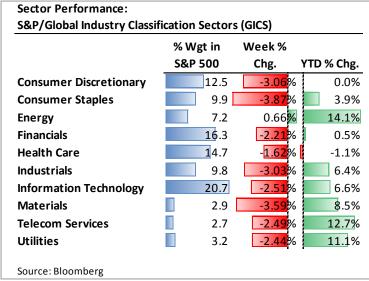
	Last Price	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
S&P 500	2,127.81	-52.17	-2.39%	4.1%
Dow Industrials	18,085.45	-406.51	-2.20%	3.8%
Nasdaq	5,125.91	-123.99	-2.36%	2.4%
Russell 2000	1,219.21	-32.62	-2.61%	7.3%
Euro Stoxx Index	345.52	-4.92	-1.40%	-5.5%
Shanghai Composite	3,078.86	11.50	0.38%	-13.0%
Russell Global	1,766.97	16.07	0.92%	6.5%

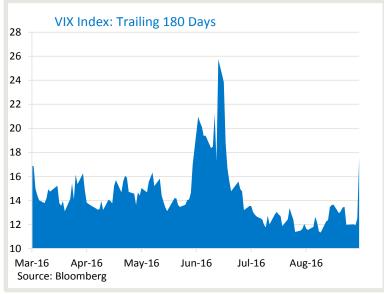
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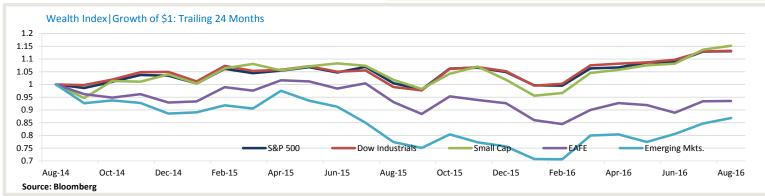
	Last Price	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Russell Global EM	2,931.25	83.17	2.92%	15.5%
10-Year US Treas.	1.67	8 bps	NM	NM
DJ UBS Comm. ldx.	84.02	1.04	1.25%	7.0%
Gold	\$1,328.02	\$3.64	0.27%	25.2%
Crude Oil	\$45.65	\$1.20	2.70%	6.5%
Dollar Index	95.31	-0.49	-0.51%	-3.3%
VIX Index	17.50	5.52	46.08%	-3.9%

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		One Week	(YTD	
	Value		Growth	Value		Growth
•	-1.97%	-2.23%	-2.47%	5.09%	3.36%	1.78%
	-2.51%	-2.85%	-3.24%	9.43%	6.39%	3.37%
	-2.53%	-2.61%	-2.68%	10.97%	7.34%	3.74%
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The Economy and Markets

A Macro View - Real Estate is in the House

In November 2014, S&P Dow Jones Indices and MSCI Inc. issued a press release announcing the creation of an 11th sector under the Global Classification Standard (GICS) structure. That sector, Real Estate, was implemented last week—marking the first time the GICS structure has been updated since it was created in 1999. Although the impact of this decision will play out over time, it now is clear that Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) have found their own home.

Formerly housed under Financials, the Real Estate sector will include equity REITs (REITs that own physical property), as well as real estate management and development companies. Mortgage REITs (REITs that comprise mortgage-backed securities) will remain within the Financials sector. The most immediate impact of this decision is its effect on various benchmarks widely used by investors. For example, the S&P 500 will include the Real Estate sector in its asset allocation beginning September 16. This will result in a 3.23% weight for Real Estate within the S&P 500 moving forward—which is greater than both Telecommunication Services and Materials. The market weight for Financials, on the other hand, will dip from 15.75% to 12.52%, and will rank below Healthcare as the second-largest sector within the index. The impact on many smaller cap indices—in which REITs make up a greater percentage of publicly-traded companies—is likely to be even more profound.

Asset managers undoubtedly will be forced to rehash how they both view the Real Estate sector and implement REITs in their portfolios. Historically, many asset managers and investors alike have underweighted REITs, since they were not deliberately carved out within their benchmarks. That is, a benchmark-aware investor could avoid REITs altogether by investing in enough financial stocks to remain sector-neutral. As asset managers who once underweighted real estate in portfolios begin to change their tune, demand for REITS could increase significantly, and potentially be a boon for the sector as a whole.

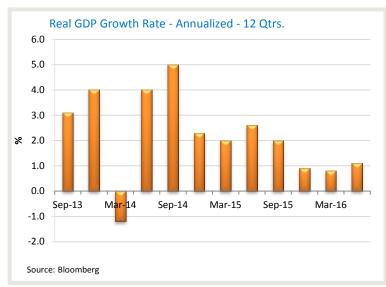
Whereas the increase in demand seems a foregone conclusion, investors should remain wary. Adding the Real Estate sector to the major indices also makes REITs far more visible than when they were hidden within Financials. Analysts and stock pickers often neglected REITs because they failed to understand that traditional accounting metrics do not accurately reflect REIT valuations. Ratios such as price-to-earnings (P/E) or earnings per share (EPS) do not apply nearly as well as either price-to-funds from operations (FFO) or the capitalization rate for REITS. This increased visibility is likely to result in increased scrutiny as analysts and portfolio managers are forced to become more familiar with REITs. As Wall Street shifts its focus to the new Real Estate sector, the market for REIT shares could become more efficient—materially changing the risk/return dynamics. For a market area that has outperformed the broader equity market dramatically over the early part of the 21st century, it's anyone's guess as to what this could mean moving forward.

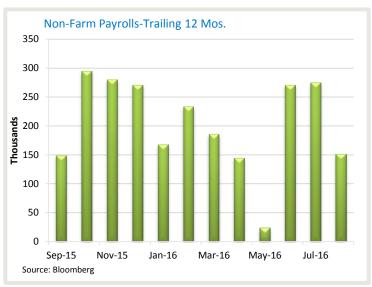
At the end of the day, we can draw one conclusion for certain: Real estate deserves a seat at the table within in a well-diversified portfolio. The asset class has grown tremendously over the past quarter of a century—breaching the \$1 Trillion mark in total equity market capitalization in recent months. S&P and MSCI have responded by offering real estate its own home for the first time.

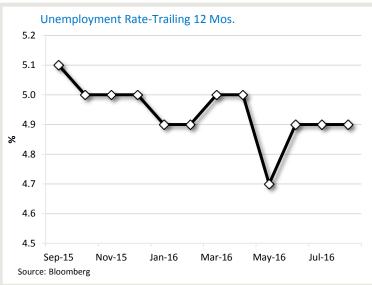
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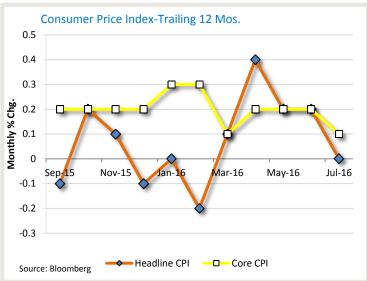
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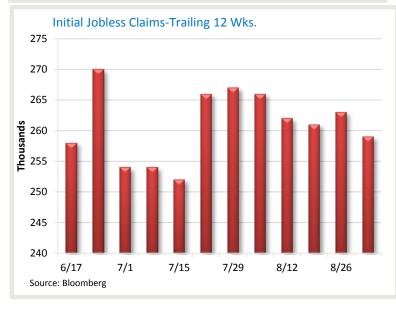
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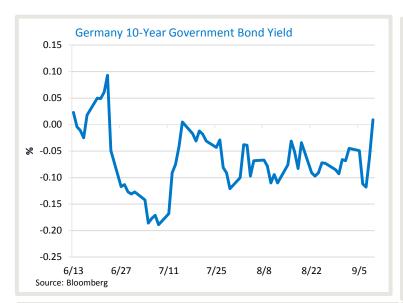
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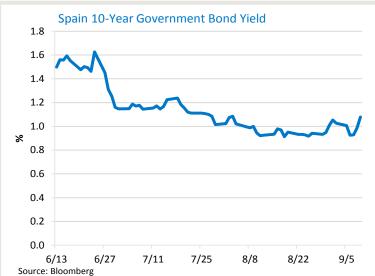
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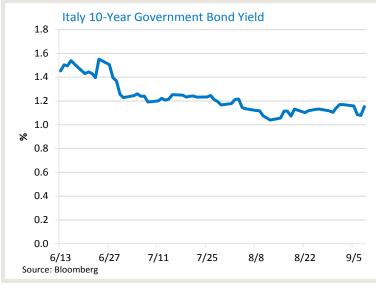
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Germany 10-Yr. Govt.	0.01	-5 bps	NM	NM
Greece 10-Yr. Govt.	8.21	-10 bps	NM	NM
Italy 10-Yr. Govt.	1.25	-7 bps	NM	NM
Spain 10-Yr. Govt.	1.08	-5 bps	NM	NM
Belgium 10-Yr. Govt.	0.23	-5 bps	NM	NM

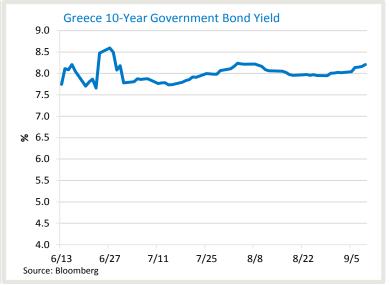
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France 10-Yr. Govt.	0.30	-5 bps	NM	NM
Ireland 10-Yr. Govt.	0.46	0 bps	NM	NM
Portugal 10-Yr. Govt.	3.15	-10 bps	NM	NM
Netherlands 10-Yr. Govt.	0.11	-5 bps	NM	NM
U.K. 10-Yr. Govt.	0.86	-13 bps	NM	NM

Source: Bloomberg Basis points (bps)









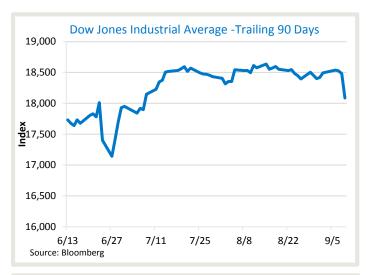
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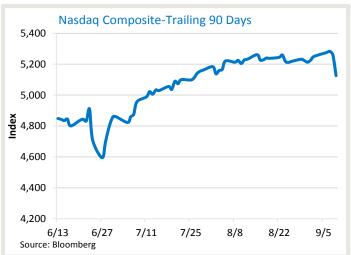
WORLD MARKET PERFORMANCE

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S&P/TSX (Canada)	14,539.88	-255.82	-1.73%	11.76%
Mexico IPC	46,459.17	-1328.82	-2.78%	8.10%
Brazil Bovespa	57,999.73	-1616.67	-2.71%	33.79%
Euro Stoxx 600	345.52	-4.92	-1.40%	-5.55%
FTSE 100	6,776.95	-117.65	-1.71%	8.56%
IBEX 35 (Spain)	9,025.50	116.60	1.31%	-5.43%

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Swiss Market Index	8,264.13	-30.17	-0.36%	-6.28%
CAC 40 Index (France)	4,491.40	-50.77	-1.12%	-3.14%
DAX Index (Germany)	10,573.44	-110.38	-1.03%	-1.58%
Irish Overall Index	6,182.62	-116.69	-1.85%	-8.97%
Nikkei 225	16,965.76	40.08	0.24%	-10.86%
Hang Seng Index	24,099.70	833.00	3.58%	9.97%
Shanghai Composite	3,078.86	11.50	0.38%	-13.01%
Kospi Index (S. Korea)	2,037.87	-0.44	-0.02%	3.90%
Taiwan Taiex Index	9,164.88	177.33	1.97%	9.92%
Tel Aviv 25 Index	1,458.46	13.38	0.93%	-4.60%
MICEX Index (Russia)	2,028.25	24.48	1.22%	15.15%

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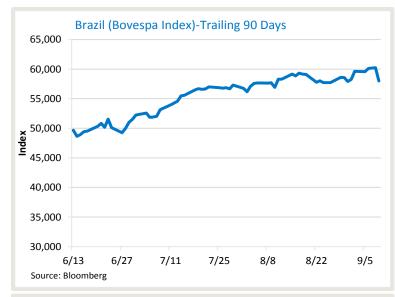
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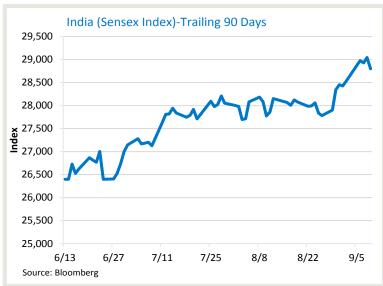
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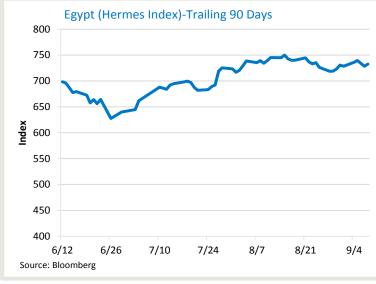
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46,459.17	-1328.82	-2.8%	8.1%	
57,999.73	-1616.67	-2.7%	33.8%	
2,028.25	24.48	1.2%	15.2%	
879.83	4.12	0.5%	-8.0%	
77,053.54	169.22	0.2%	7.4%	
732.61	4.12	0.6%	16.2%	
3,208.25	20.38	0.6%	-20.6%	
6,176.53	154.72	2.6%	-10.6%	
1,145.49	1.79	0.2%	-2.1%	
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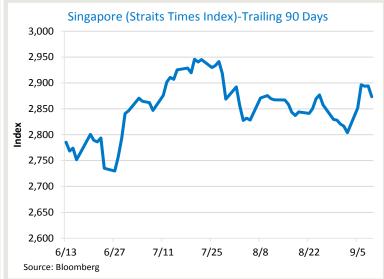
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Hang Seng Index	24,099.70	833.00	3.6%	10.0%
India (Sensex 30)	28,797.25	265.14	0.9%	10.3%
Malaysia (KLCI Index)	1,686.44	14.65	0.9%	-0.4%
Singapore (Straits Times Index)	2,873.33	69.41	2.5%	-0.3%
Thailand (SET Index)	1,445.28	-76.20	-5.0%	12.2%
Indonesia (Jakarta)	5,281.92	-71.54	-1.3%	15.0%
Pakistan (Karachi KSE 100)	40,340.23	875.58	2.2%	22.9%
Vietnam (Ho Chi Minh)	666.88	-2.31	-0.3%	15.2%
Sri Lanka (Colombo)	6,494.86	-44.23	-0.7%	-5.8%
Cambodia (Laos)	1,000.08	2.29	0.2%	-14.8%

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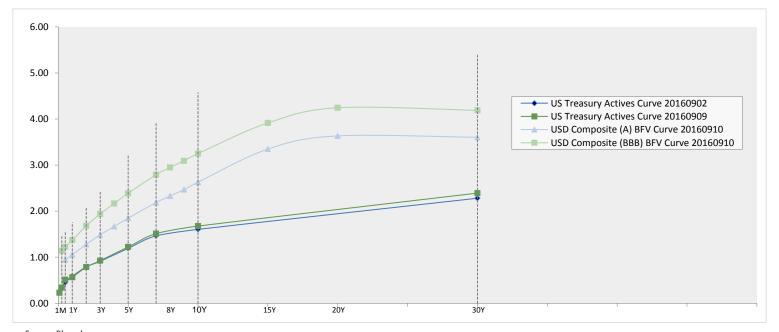
Interest Rates

SELECTED INTEREST RATES

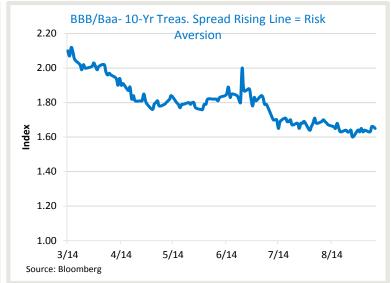
	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
2-Yr. U.S. Treasury	0.78%	0 bps	NM	NM
5-Yr. U.S. Treasury	1.22%	3 bps	NM	NM
10-Yr. U.S. Treasury	1.67%	8 bps	NM	NM
30-Yr. U.S. Treasury	2.39%	12 bps	NM	NM
German 10-Yr. Govt.	0.01%	-5 bps	NM	NM
France 10-Yr.	0.30%	-5 bps	NM	NM
Italy 10-Yr.	1.25%	-7 bps	NM	NM
Fed 5-Yr Fwd BE Inf.	1.51%	1 bps	NM	NM

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Prime Rate	3.50%	0.00	NM	NM
Fed Funds Rate	0.50%	0.00	NM	NM
Discount Rate	1.00%	0.00	NM	NM
LIBOR (3 Mo.)	0.85%	1 bps	NM	NM
Bond Buyer 40 Muni	2.72%	1 bps	NM	NM
Bond Buyer 40 G.O.	2.83%	NA	NM	NM
Bond Buyer 40 Rev.	3.05%	NA	NM	NM

Source: Bloomberg







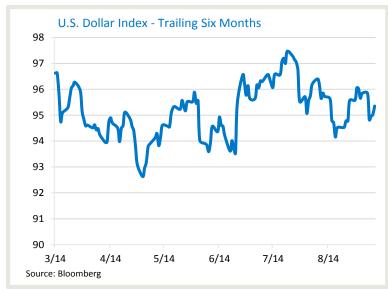
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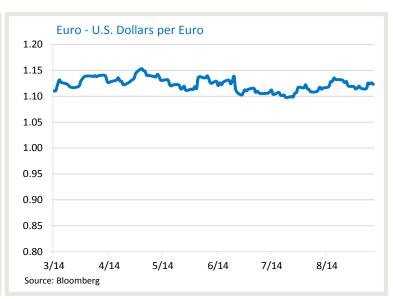
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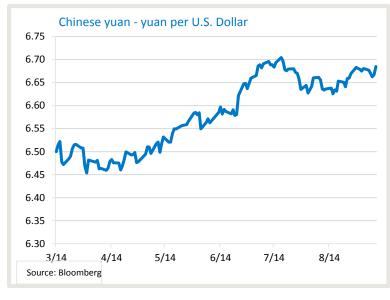
	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Dollar Index	95.31	-0.490	-0.51%	-3.32%
Euro	1.12	0.008	0.68%	3.41%
Japanese Yen	102.70	-1.240	1.21%	17.08%
British Pound	1.33	-0.002	-0.15%	-9.92%
Canadian Dollar	1.30	0.004	-0.31%	6.18%

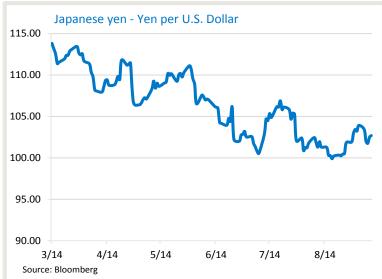
	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Chinese Yuan	6.69	0.005	-0.07%	-2.86%
Swiss Franc	0.98	-0.006	0.57%	2.75%
New Zealand Dollar	0.73	0.004	0.51%	7.20%
Brazilian Real	3.27	0.017	-0.51%	20.99%
Mexican Peso	18.89	0.320	-1.69%	-8.95%

Source: Bloomberg









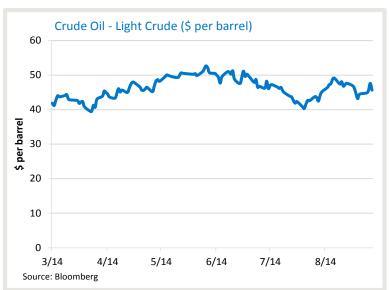
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Commodities

SELECTED COMMODITY MARKET PERFORMANCE

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Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %						
84.02	1.04	1.25%	6.96%						
\$45.68	\$1.20	2.70%	6.46%						
\$2.79	\$0.00	0.00%	9.71%						
\$2.18	-\$0.03	-1.31%	9.32%						
143.24	2.20	1.56%	9.21%						
\$1,328.07	\$3.64	0.27%	25.23%						
\$19.04	-\$0.39	-2.00%	37.63%						
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	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Platinum Spot	\$1,062.95	-\$0.04	0.00%	19.32%
Corn	341.00	17.25	5.33%	-10.97%
Wheat	403.50	8.75	2.22%	-20.49%
Soybeans	980.25	36.50	3.87%	11.05%
Sugar	20.69	0.51	2.53%	37.02%
Orange Juice	197.45	4.60	2.39%	36.27%
Aluminum	1,590.50	-3.50	-0.22%	5.54%
Copper	4,664.00	37.00	0.80%	-0.87%









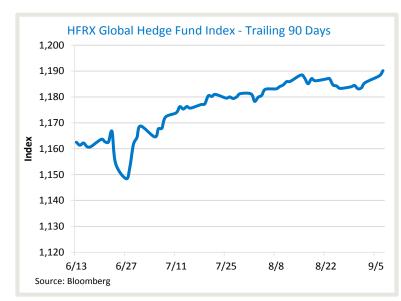
Alternative Investments

SELECTED ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT INDEX PERFORMANCE

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index	1189.96	4.43	0.37%	1.35%
HFRX Equity Market Neutral	999.21	-2.12	-0.21%	-3.93%
HFRX Equity Hedge Index	1141.81	6.62	0.58%	-1.08%
HFRX Event-Driven Index	1516.50	3.32	0.22%	7.68%
HFRX Absolute Return Index	1031.00	1.02	0.10%	0.55%

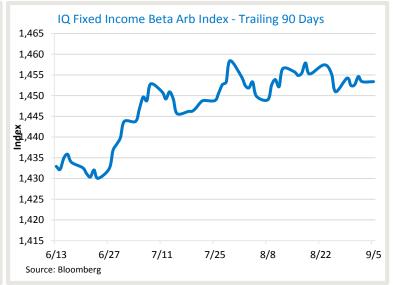
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HFRX Distressed Index	1015.29	-1.69	-0.17%	13.28%
HFRX Merger Arbitrage Index	1789.32	2.82	0.16%	2.97%
HFRX Convertible Arbitrage Index	735.65	0.28	0.04%	4.77%
HFRX Macro CTA Index	1161.35	6.31	0.55%	-0.71%
IQ Fixed Income Beta Arb Index	1447.14	-6.23	-0.43%	4.32%

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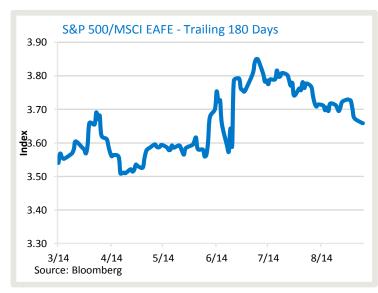


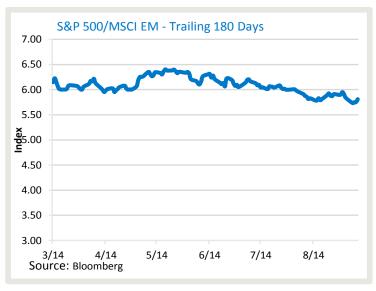




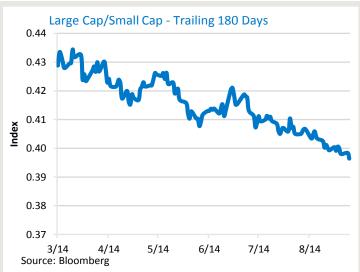


Portfolio Construction



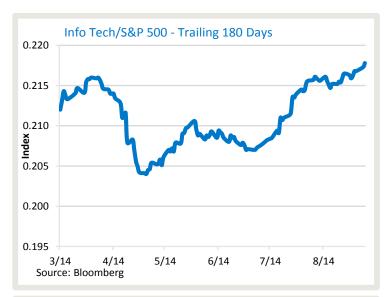


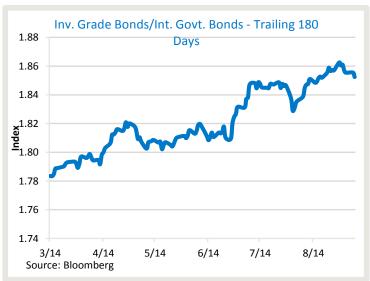


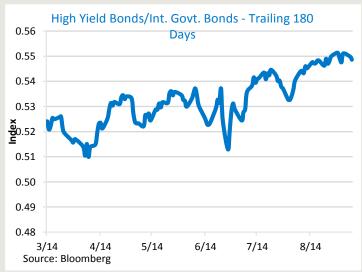


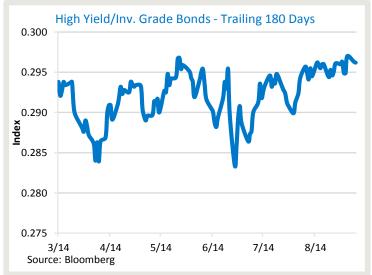


Portfolio Construction (continued)









WEEKLY ASSET CLASS PERFORMANCE (Prior 12 weeks ending Thursday) 6/23 6/30 7/7 7/14 7/21 7/28 8/4 8/11 8/18 8/25 9/1 9/8 Large Cap -0.70% 1.50% -0.59% 0.07% 2.98% 0.07/% 1.01% -0.04% 0.04% 0.46% 0.10% 0.12% (R200) **Domestic** Equity **Small Cap** 2.09% -1.73% -0.19% 4.56% 0.14% 1.12% 0.29% 1.27% 0.63% 0.26% -0.02% 1.50% (R2000) **Equity** 4.66% **MSCI EAFE** 7.53% -1.58% 4.51% 0.16% 0.06% 0:32% 2.69% -0.02% -0.349 -0.45% 2.27% Int'l. **Equity** MSCI Em. 4.46% -0.16% -0.85<mark>%</mark> 4.71% 0.61% 0.50% 0.06% 3.60% 0.97% -2.00% -0.78% 4.06% Mkts. BarCap Agg. 0.53% 1.20% 0.41% 0.36% -0.14% 0.19% .15% 0.17% 0.33% -0.19% -0.05% -0.21% (AGG) **Fixed Income High Yield** 2.06% 0.17% -0.28% 1.63% 0.17% -0.66% ·**d**.06% 1.22% 0.63% -0.30% -0.25% 0.25% (JNK) **Bloomberg Commodities** Commodity 1.27% 0.56% -3.72% 1.85% -2.49<mark>%</mark> -1.8<mark>3</mark>% 0.61% 0.08% 3.29% -1.95% 3.47% 3.71% Index **Hedge Funds Alternatives** 0.51% -0.20% 0.31% 0.72% 0.33% -0.01% 0.05% 0.45% 0.10% -0.24% -0.06% 0.54% (HFRX Global) 60/40* 1.93% -0.63 -0.15% 2.21% 0.06% 0.20% 0.07% 1.02% 0.24% -0.41 -0.13% 0.77% **Asset Allocation** 48/32/20 1.65% -0.54 -0.06% 1.92% 0.11% 0.16% -0.05% 0.90% 0.21% -0.38 -0.11% 0.72% (w/Alts.)**

 $Source: Bloomberg; *60/40\ portfolio = 30\%\ Large\ Cap/10\%\ Small\ Cap/15\%\ EAFE/5\%\ Emerging\ Markets/35\%\ BarCap\ Agg./5\%\ High\ Yield.$

^{**48/32/20} portfolio = 24% Large Cap/8% Small Cap/12% EAFE/4% Emerging Markets/28% BarCap Agg./4% High Yield/20% HFRX Global Index.

RELATIVE STRENGTH MATRIX (BASED ON 30-DAY RSI)

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	Large Cap	Large Cap	Large Cap	Mid Cap	Mid Cap	Mid Cap	Small Cap	Small Cap	Small Cap	Int'l.	Emerging				
	Core	Growth	Value	Core	Growth	Value	Core	Growth	Value	Developed	Markets	REITs	Comm.	Int. Bond	High Yield
Large Cap Core	1.00	1.05	0.97	0.99	1.03	0.98	0.92	0.94	0.91	0.96	0.88	1.05	1.11	1.14	1.01
Large Cap Growth	0.95	1.00	0.92	0.94	0.98	0.93	0.87	0.89	0.87	0.91	0.83	1.00	1.06	1.08	0.96
Large Cap Value	1.03	1.09	1.00	1.03	1.07	1.01	0.95	0.97	0.94	0.99	0.91	1.09	1.15	1.18	1.04
Mid Cap Core	1.01	1.06	0.98	1.00	1.04	0.98	0.93	0.94	0.92	0.96	0.88	1.06	1.12	1.15	1.01
Mid Cap Growth	0.97	1.02	0.94	0.96	1.00	0.94	0.89	0.91	0.88	0.92	0.85	1.02	1.08	1.10	0.97
Mid Cap Value	1.02	1.08	0.99	1.02	1.06	1.00	0.94	0.96	0.94	0.98	0.90	1.08	1.14	1.17	1.03
Small Cap Core	1.09	1.14	1.05	1.08	1.12	1.06	1.00	1.02	0.99	1.04	0.95	1.14	1.21	1.24	1.09
Small Cap Growth	1.07	1.12	1.03	1.06	1.10	1.04	0.98	1.00	0.97	1.02	0.94	1.12	1.18	1.22	1.07
Small Cap Value	1.09	1.15	1.06	1.09	1.13	1.07	1.01	1.03	1.00	1.04	0.96	1.15	1.22	1.25	1.10
Int'l. Developed	1.05	1.10	1.01	1.04	1.08	1.02	0.96	0.98	0.96	1.00	0.92	1.10	1.16	1.20	1.05
Emerging Markets	1.14	1.20	1.10	1.13	1.18	1.11	1.05	1.07	1.04	1.09	1.00	1.20	1.27	1.30	1.15
REITs	0.95	1.00	0.92	0.94	0.98	0.93	0.87	0.89	0.87	0.91	0.83	1.00	1.06	1.08	0.96
Commodities	0.90	0.95	0.87	0.89	0.93	0.88	0.83	0.84	0.82	0.86	0.79	0.95	1.00	1.03	0.90
Int. Bond	0.88	0.92	0.85	0.87	0.91	0.86	0.81	0.82	0.80	0.84	0.77	0.92	0.97	1.00	0.88
High Yield	0.99	1.05	0.96	0.99	1.03	0.97	0.92	0.93	0.91	0.95	0.87	1.05	1.11	1.13	1.00

Source: Bloomberg

The Relative Strength Matrix provides an indication of how the various asset classes have performed relative to one another over the past 30 days. A number greater than 1.0 indicates that the asset class in the far left column has outperformed the corresponding asset class in the top row over the past 30 days. A number below 1.0 means the asset class on the left has underperformed the asset class at the top. The green shading indicates outperformance, and the red shading indicates underperformance.

Index Overview & Key Definitions

Fed, The Fed or FED refers to the Federal Reserve System, the central bank of the United States. The Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) is the monetary policymaking body of the Federal Reserve System. Fed Funds Rate, the interest rate at which a depository institution lends funds maintained at the Federal Reserve to another depository institution overnight. The European Central Bank (ECB) is the central bank for Europe's single currency, the euro. The ECB's main task is to maintain the euro's purchasing power and thus price stability in the euro area. The euro area comprises the 19 European Union countries that have introduced the euro since 1999. The Gross Domestic Product (GDP) rate is a measurement of the output of goods and services produced by labor and property located in the United States. Basis Point(s) is a unit that is equal to 1/100th of 1%, and is used to denote the change in a financial instrument. The basis point is commonly used for calculating changes in interest rates, equity indexes and the yield of a fixed-income security. A separately managed account (SMA) is an individual managed investment account offered typically by a brokerage firm through one of their brokers or financial consultants and managed by independent investment management firms (often called money managers for short) and have varying fee structures. The Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures the change in the cost of a fixed basket of products and services. The Producer Price Index (PPI) program measures the average change over time in the selling prices received by domestic producers for their output. The prices included in the PPI are from the first commercial transaction for many products and some services. Core CPI is an additional CPI Index, excludes energy and food item price changes, and measures the "core" or "underlying" rate of inflation. The PCE (Personal Consumption Expenditure) Index of Prices is a US—wide indicator of the average increase in prices for all domestic personal consumption. Using a variety of data in

The Dow Jones Industrial Average (DOW or DJIA) is an unmanaged index of 30 common stocks comprised of 30 actively traded blue chip stocks, primarily industrials and assumes reinvestment of dividends. The S&P 500 Index is an unmanaged index comprised of 500 widely held securities considered to be representative of the stock market in general. The S&P/Case-Shiller Home Price Indices measure the residential housing market, tracking changes in the value of the residential real estate market in 20 metropolitan regions across the United States. The Nasdag Composite Index is a stock market index of the common stocks and similar securities listed on the NASDAQ stock market. The US Dollar Index is a measure of the value of the United States dollar relative to a basket of foreign currencies. It is a weighted geometric mean of the dollar's value relative to other select currencies (Euro, Japanese yen, Pound sterling, Canadian dollar, Swedish krona (SEK) & Swiss franc). 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The Barclays Capital US Aggregate Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index of investment-grade, fixed-rate debt issues, including government, corporate, asset-backed, and mortgage-backed securities, with maturities of at least one year. The Barclays Capital US Corporate High Yield Index covers the USD-denominated, non-investment grade, fixed-rate, taxable corporate bond market. Securities are classified as high-yield if the middle rating of Moody's, Fitch and S&P is Ba1/BB+/BB+ or below. The index may include emerging market debt. The Barclays Capital Municipal Bond Index is an unmanaged index comprised of investment-grade, fixed-rate municipal securities representative of the tax-exempt bond market in general. The Barclays Capital US Treasury Total Return Index is an unmanaged index of public obligations of the US Treasury with a remaining maturity of one year or more. 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Hedge Fund Research, Inc. employs the HFRX Methodology (UCITS compliant), a proprietary and highly quantitative process by which hedge funds are selected as constituents for the HFRX Indices. The University of Michigan Consumer Sentiment Index (MCSI) is a survey of consumer confidence conducted by the University of Michigan using telephone surveys to gather information on consumer expectations regarding the overall economy. The CBOE Volatility Index (VIX) is an up-to-the-minute market estimate of expected volatility that is calculated by using real-time S&P 500 Index option bid/ask quotes. The Index uses nearby and second nearby options with at least 8 days left to expiration and then weights them to yield a constant, 30-day measure of the expected volatility of the S&P 500 Index. The MSCI EAFE Index is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed markets outside of the U.S. & Canada. The MSCI EAFE Growth Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of growth stocks of Europe, Australasia and the Far East. The MSCI EAFE Value Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of value stocks of Europe, Australasia and the Far East. The MSCI EM (Emerging Markets) Latin America Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of emerging markets in Latin America. The MSCI World ex-U.S. Index captures large and mid-cap representation across 22 of 23 Developed Markets (DM) countries - excluding the US. With 1,002 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country. The MSCI Japan Index is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid-cap segments of the Japanese market. With 320 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in Japan. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance in the global emerging markets. The MSCI Europe Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of stocks of developed European countries. The MSCI Pacific Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of the developed markets in the Pacific region. The Barclays Intermediate US Government/Credit Bond Index is a market capitalization-weighted index of investment-grade, fixed-rate debt issues, including Treasuries, government-related and U.S. corporate securities, with maturities of at least one year and less than 10 years. 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