

Chart of the Week



Weekly Highlights

- Domestic stocks posted meaningful losses on the week.** Major market indexes, a week after posting new record highs, tumbled based on the recent trend of disappointing economic data. The primary driver this week was the first estimate of real gross domestic product (GDP), which came in at 0.2%, far below expectations and previous quarters' results. In addition, the Federal Reserve (Fed) met this week and acknowledged the economic slowdown, but many analysts believe that won't significantly alter the timing of the beginning of interest rate normalization, which could occur at any time.
- World markets were also sharply lower this week.** Most European markets plummeted as the euro surged and bonds sank. China markets posted gains again, but many analysts believe the rally has been overdone.
- U.S. Treasury yields surged this week.** The yield on U.S. Treasuries were sharply higher as investors looked for higher yields in European bonds, whose prices have slumped this week.
- Commodity indices jumped.** Commodities rallied, largely due to a surge in the energy complex as well as strong gains in industrial metals.

Talking Points

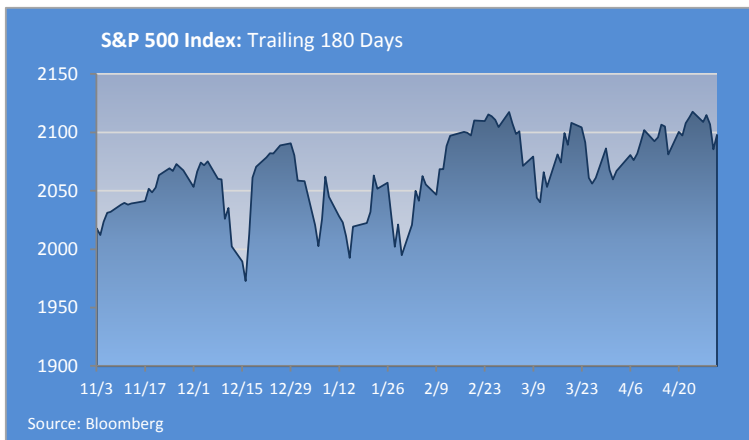
- Among equities,** large caps outperformed small caps, and value stocks outperformed growth-oriented issues. Domestic stocks outperformed international equities. Developed markets outperformed emerging market stocks.
- Treasury prices declined slightly during the week.** The yield on the 10-year T-note was sharply higher.
- Commodity indices rallied,** with energy and industrial metals driving gains.
- The dollar index dropped** this week against a basket of six major currencies.
- Among economic data released this week,** the first estimate of first quarter gross domestic product (GDP) came in far below expectations; pending home sales were slightly better than anticipated; a measure of consumer sentiment edged lower in April; and initial jobless claims were lower in the latest week.

MARKET DASHBOARD

	Last Price	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
S&P 500	2,108.29	-19.85	-0.94%	1.9%
Dow Industrials	18,024.06	-108.33	-0.60%	0.8%
Nasdaq	5,005.39	-116.11	-2.28%	5.1%
Russell 2000	1,228.10	-43.88	-3.46%	1.6%
Euro Stoxx Index	394.66	-13.71	-3.36%	15.2%
Shanghai Composite	4,441.66	27.15	0.61%	37.3%
Russell Global	1,816.73	-17.40	-0.95%	5.0%

Source: Bloomberg; Index % change is based on price.

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Russell Global EM	3,262.92	-30.73	-0.93%	9.5%
10-Year US Treas.	2.12	18 bps	NM	NM
DJ UBS Comm. Idx.	103.40	1.41	1.39%	-1.3%
Gold	\$1,178.26	-\$6.40	-0.54%	-1.0%
Crude Oil	\$59.23	\$1.67	2.92%	5.7%
Dollar Index	95.17	-1.77	-1.82%	5.4%
VIX Index	12.70	1.30	10.58%	-29.2%



	One Week			YTD		
	Value	Growth		Value	Growth	
L	-0.13%	-0.80%	-1.43%	-0.59%	1.90%	4.36%
	-1.35%	-1.64%	-1.91%	1.25%	3.17%	4.97%
S	-2.61%	-3.46%	-4.26%	-0.66%	1.57%	3.79%

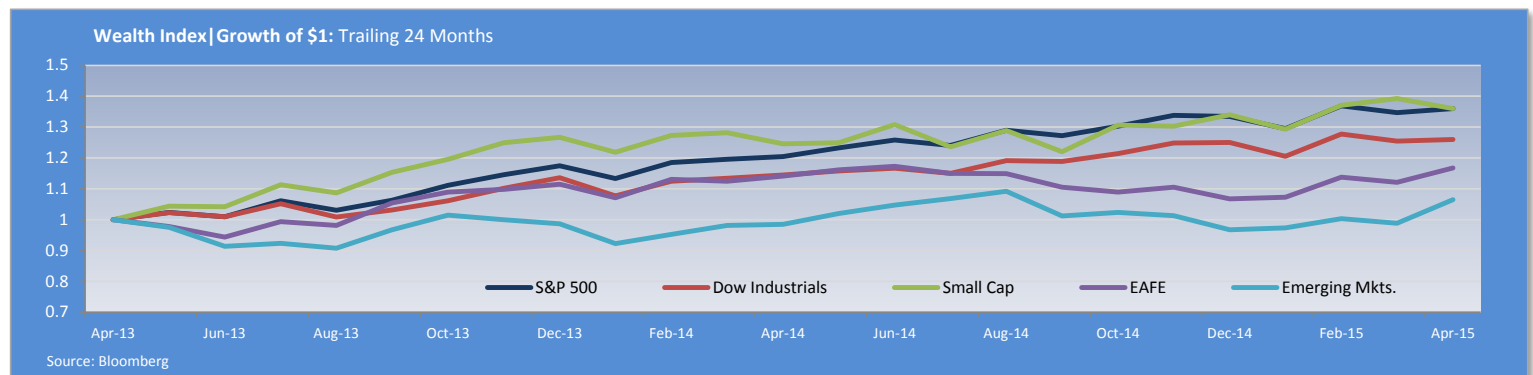
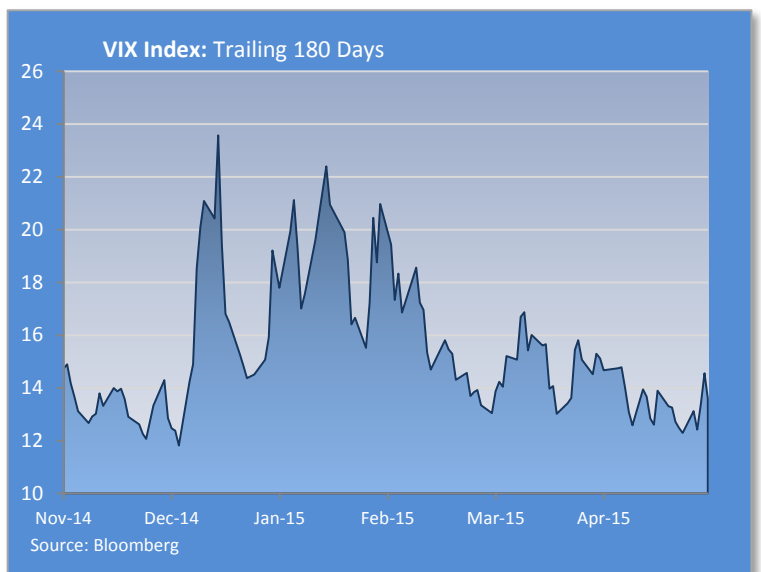
Source: Bloomberg

Sector Performance:

S&P/Global Industry Classification Sectors (GICS)

	% Wgt in S&P 500	Week % Chg.	YTD % Chg.
Consumer Discretionary	12.5	-2.23%	5.1%
Consumer Staples	9.5	-1.05%	0.1%
Energy	8.4	0.51%	2.5%
Financials	16.2	0.18%	-1.8%
Health Care	14.7	-2.47%	5.9%
Industrials	10.3	-0.45%	0.8%
Information Technology	20.0	-0.83%	3.2%
Materials	3.3	1.60%	4.9%
Telecom Services	2.3	0.84%	4.6%
Utilities	3.0	-2.13%	-6.5%

Source: Bloomberg



THE ECONOMY AND MARKETS

A Macro View – April Monthly Recap

Domestic equity markets, on balance, generated positive returns in April, although performance varied by asset class. Whereas economic data has been generally supportive of higher prices in recent prior months, data released in April showed signs of an economic soft patch. The government's first estimate of first quarter real gross domestic product (GDP) came in at an anemic 0.2%, far below expectations and a meaningful decline from the 2.2% and 5.0% growth of the fourth and third quarters of 2014, respectively. Investors also continue to closely watch the next moves of the Federal Reserve (Fed), which is carefully monitoring the economic data to determine the appropriate time to begin to raise interest rates. The Fed took no action at its meeting this week, and acknowledged the economy's recent struggles. However, the Fed believes the slowdown in growth is likely to be temporary, and that the economy should begin to accelerate soon. The consensus among analysts continues to be that the Fed will begin to normalize rates beginning sometime this fall.

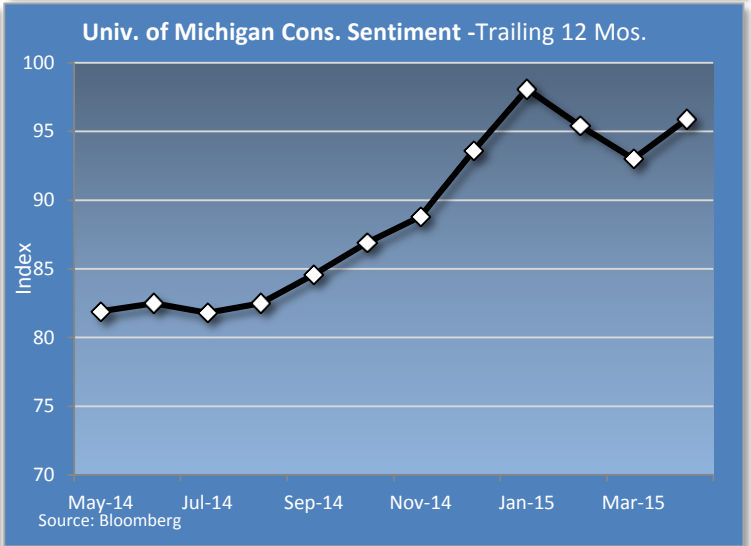
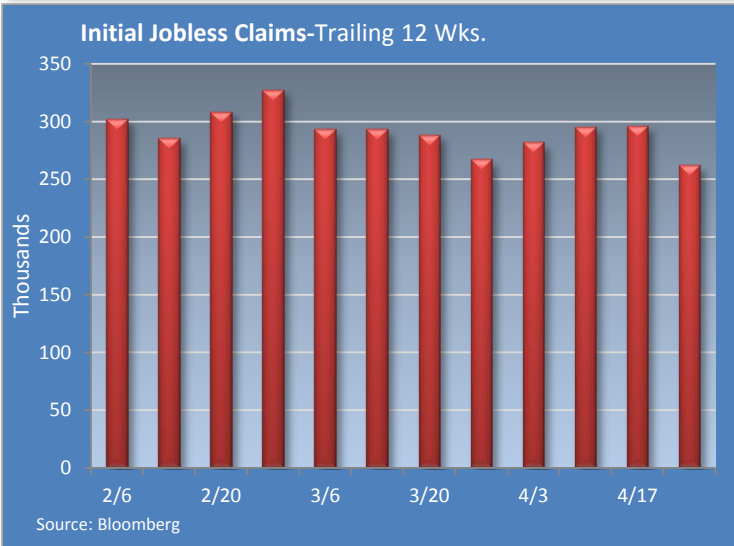
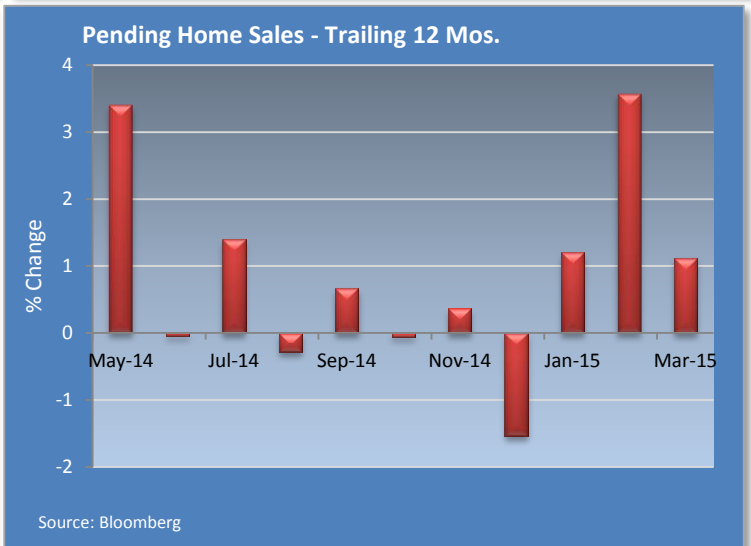
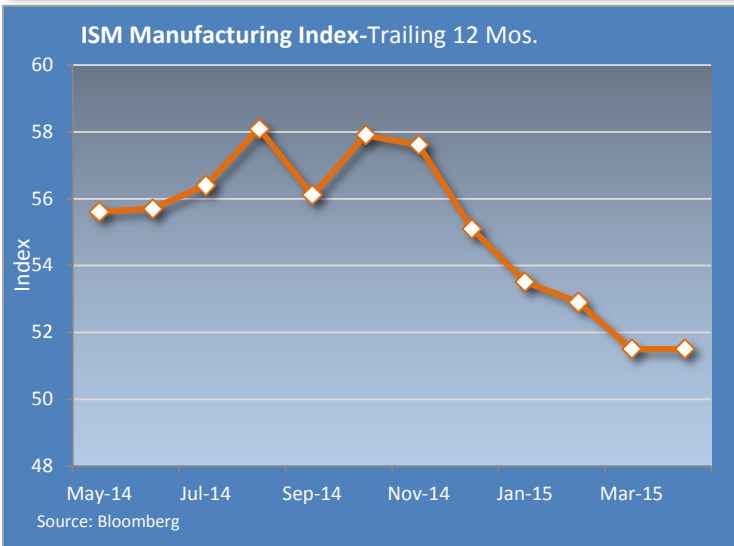
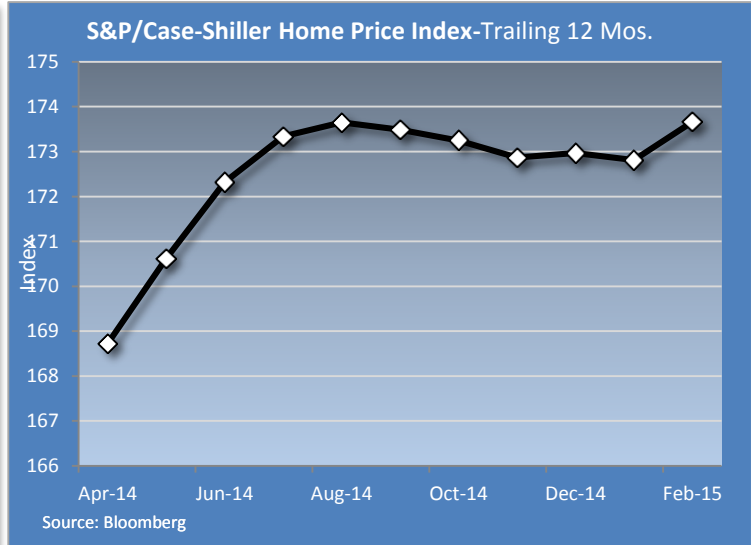
Against this backdrop, stocks delivered modest gains in April. The S&P 500 gained +1.0% for the month, and is now up +1.9% year-to-date. The Dow Jones Industrials (DJIA) advanced +0.5% for the month. The tech-heavy Nasdaq Composite Index advanced +0.9% in April. The Russell 2000 Index of small cap stocks underperformed the Russell 1000 Index of large cap stocks, with returns of -2.6% and +0.7%, respectively. Value stocks modestly outperformed growth stocks during the month. In terms of sector performance, the top performers in the month were energy, telecom services and materials, with returns of +6.7%, +5.9% and +3.1%, respectively. Health care and consumer were the poorest performers, with returns of -1.3% and -0.8%, respectively. Commodities rallied during the month, jumping +5.7%, but the asset class is still off -25% over the past year. REITs took it on the chin in April, declining -5.8% in a somewhat difficult month for interest rate-sensitive stocks.

International equity markets enjoyed a better month than domestic equity indexes, as markets across the world were generally higher. Developed markets continued to benefit from the European Central Bank's aggressive asset purchase program, and emerging markets were boosted by stronger commodities prices in April. The MSCI World ex-U.S. Index gained +4.4% for the month, bringing its year-to-date advance to +8.5%. Emerging markets surged in April, as commodities prices staged a significant rally. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index jumped by +7.7% for the month, and the MSCI EAFE Index, which measures developed markets performance, was up +4.2%. Regionally, China was a huge winner on both absolute and relative bases, gaining +16.7%. China has advanced almost 44% over the past 12 months. Japan and Europe were among the poorest relative performers, with results of +3.6% and +4.5%, respectively.

Fixed-income markets were mixed in April, with selling pressure escalating in the U.S. as investors look for higher yields. Investors are also becoming increasingly acclimated to the fact that the Fed will begin to normalize rates, perhaps sooner rather than later. Within this environment, the 10-year U.S. Treasury yield ended the month at 2.05%, up 12 basis points from the 1.93% level of March 31st. Broad-based fixed-income indices were soft in April, with the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index declining -0.4% for the month. Global fixed-income markets finally posted a monthly gain, as the Barclays Global Aggregate ex-U.S. Index advanced +2.2%. Intermediate-term corporate bonds were slightly lower, as the Barclays U.S. Corporate 5-10 Year Index edged lower by -0.2%. The Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield Index was a strong gainer, advancing by +1.2%. Municipals also had a difficult month, shedding -0.5% in April.

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THIS WEEK IN THE ECONOMY AND MARKETS



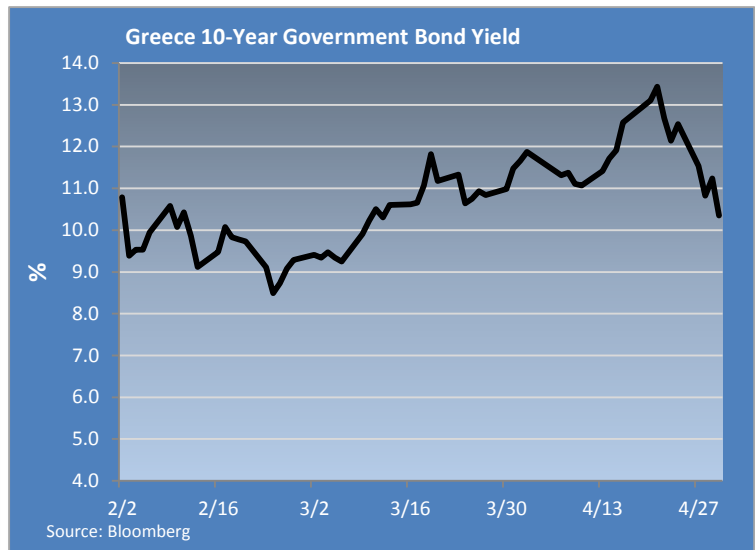
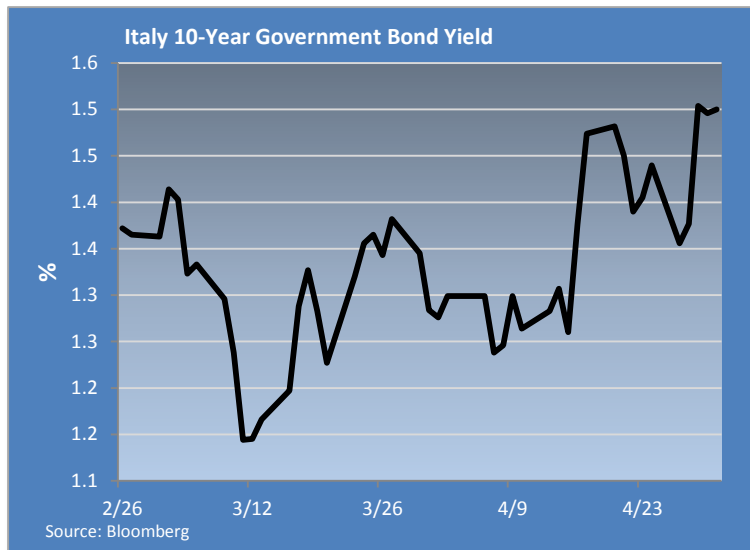
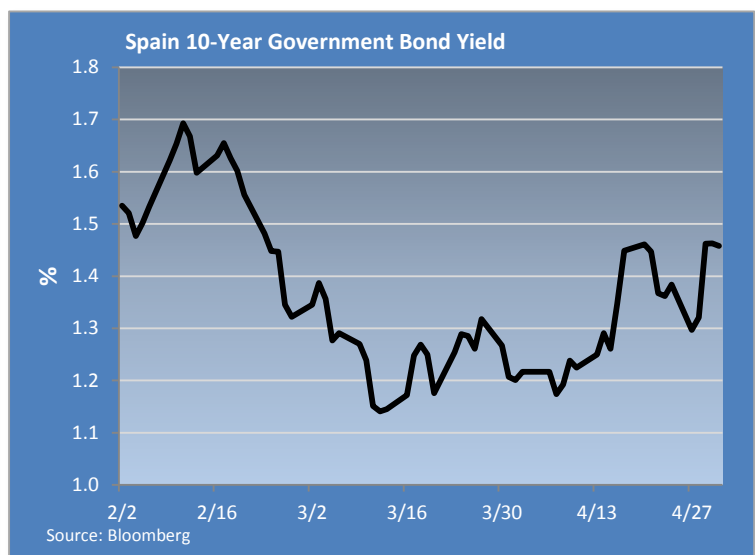
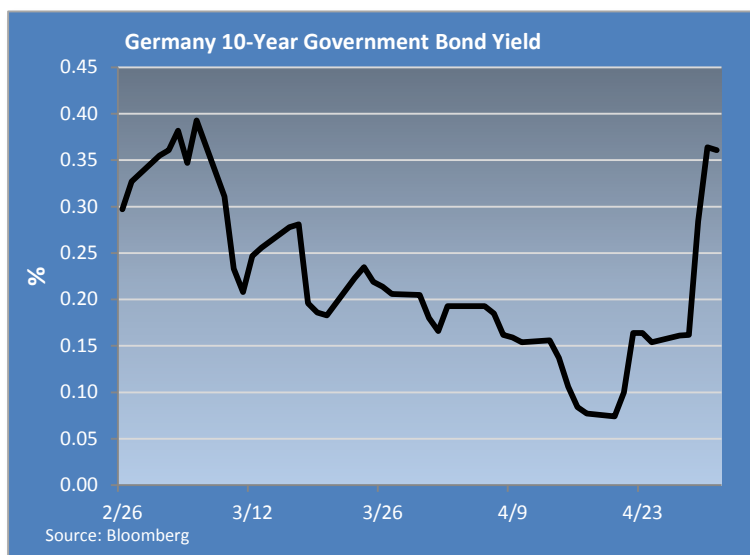
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SELECTED EUROPEAN SOVEREIGN YIELD PERFORMANCE

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Germany 10-Yr. Govt.	0.36	-20 bps	NM	NM
Greece 10-Yr. Govt.	10.35	86 bps	NM	NM
Italy 10-Yr. Govt.	1.50	-6 bps	NM	NM
Spain 10-Yr. Govt.	1.46	-7 bps	NM	NM
Belgium 10-Yr. Govt.	0.63	-21 bps	NM	NM

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
France 10-Yr. Govt.	0.63	-21 bps	NM	NM
Ireland 10-Yr. Govt.	0.91	-23 bps	NM	NM
Portugal 10-Yr. Govt.	2.07	-9 bps	NM	NM
Netherlands 10-Yr. Govt.	0.49	-19 bps	NM	NM
U.K. 10-Yr. Govt.	1.85	-21 bps	NM	NM

Source: Bloomberg
Basis points (bps)



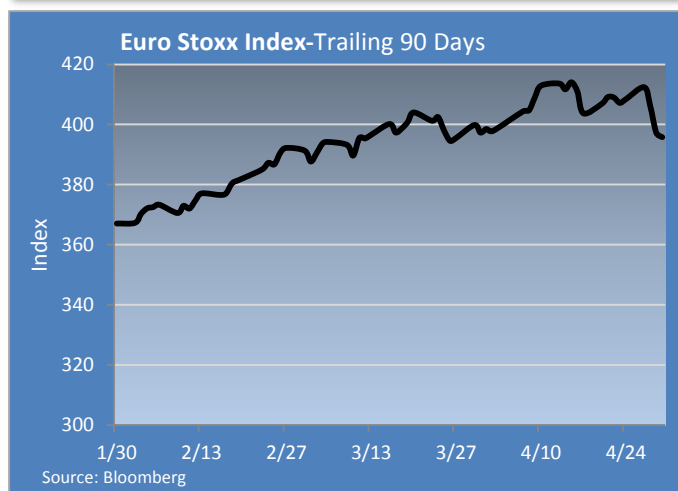
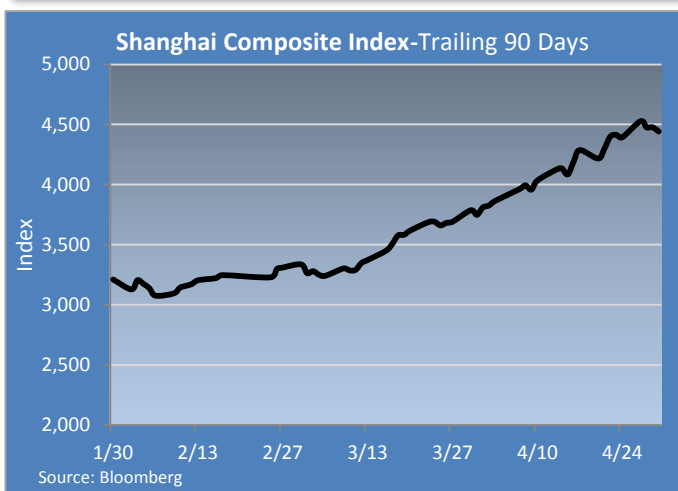
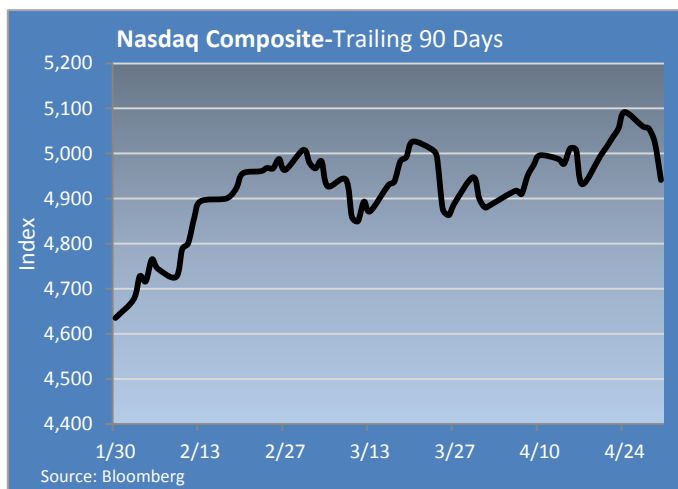
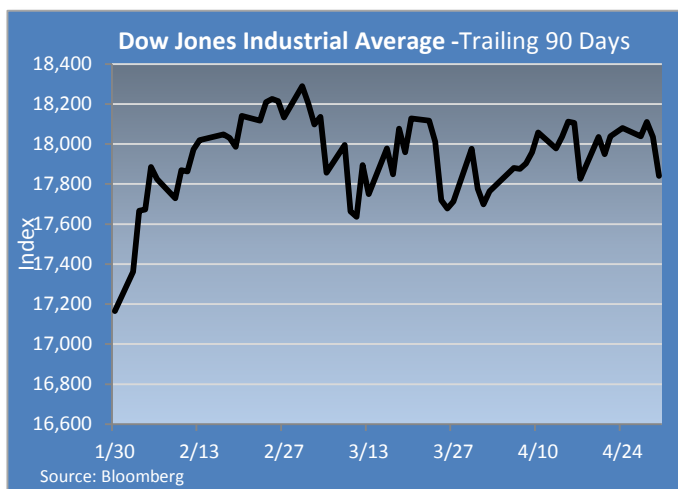
EQUITIES

WORLD MARKET PERFORMANCE

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S&P 500	2,108.29	-19.85	-0.94%	1.89%
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Russell Global	1,816.73	-17.40	-0.95%	5.0%
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S&P/TSX (Canada)	15,339.77	-98.72	-0.64%	4.63%
Mexico IPC	44,582.39	-1190.92	-2.60%	3.33%
Brazil Bovespa	56,229.38	-364.84	-0.64%	12.44%
Euro Stoxx 600	394.66	-13.71	-3.36%	15.23%
FTSE 100	6,985.95	-82.58	-1.17%	6.43%
IBEX 35 (Spain)	11,385.00	-120.40	-1.05%	10.75%

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Swiss Market Index	9,077.12	-225.00	-2.42%	1.04%
CAC 40 Index (France)	5,046.49	-154.96	-2.98%	18.11%
DAX Index (Germany)	11,454.38	-356.47	-3.02%	16.82%
Irish Overall Index	6,067.08	-241.15	-3.83%	15.94%
Nikkei 225	19,531.63	-656.02	-3.25%	11.92%
Hang Seng Index	28,133.00	305.30	1.10%	19.18%
Shanghai Composite	4,441.66	27.15	0.61%	37.31%
Kospi Index (S. Korea)	2,127.17	-46.24	-2.13%	11.05%
Taiwan Taiex Index	9,820.05	-93.23	-0.94%	5.51%
Tel Aviv 25 Index	1,644.85	-38.50	-2.29%	12.28%
MICEX Index (Russia)	1,688.34	5.64	0.34%	20.89%

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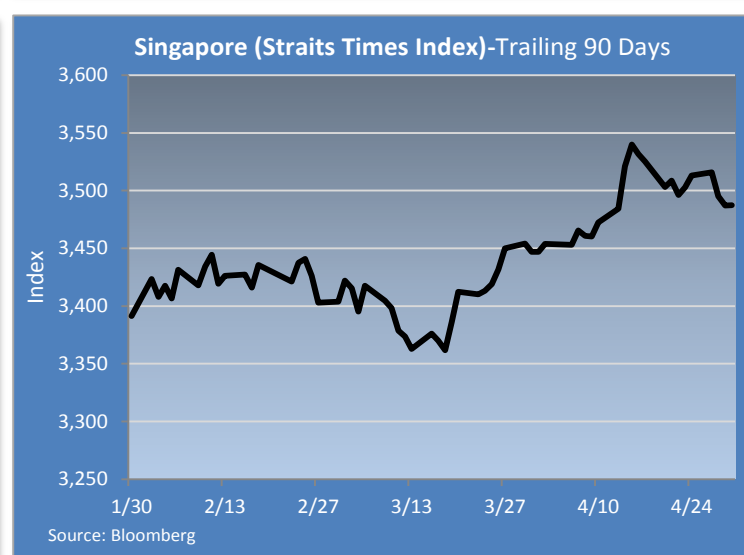
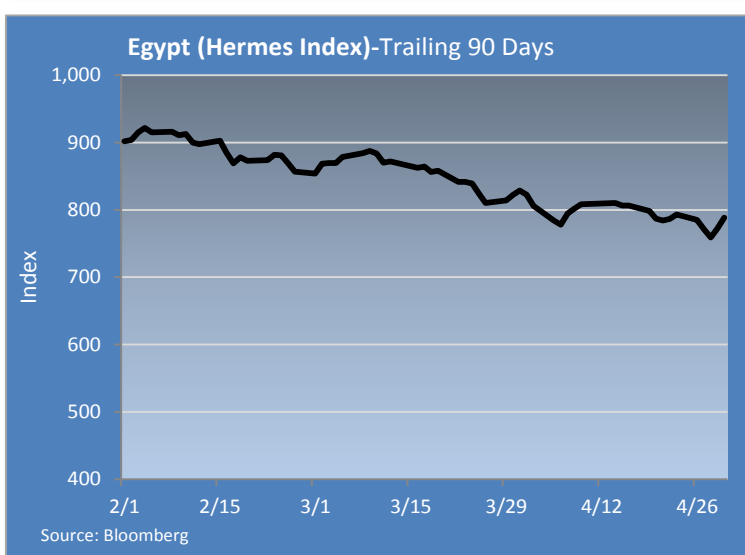
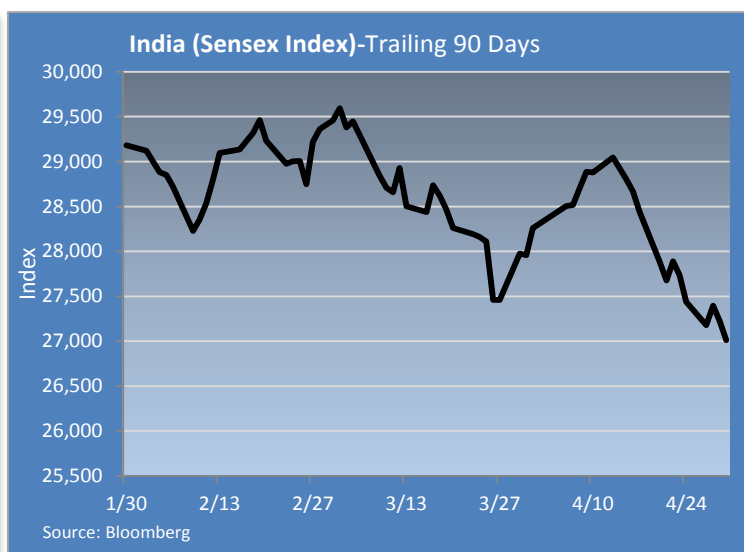
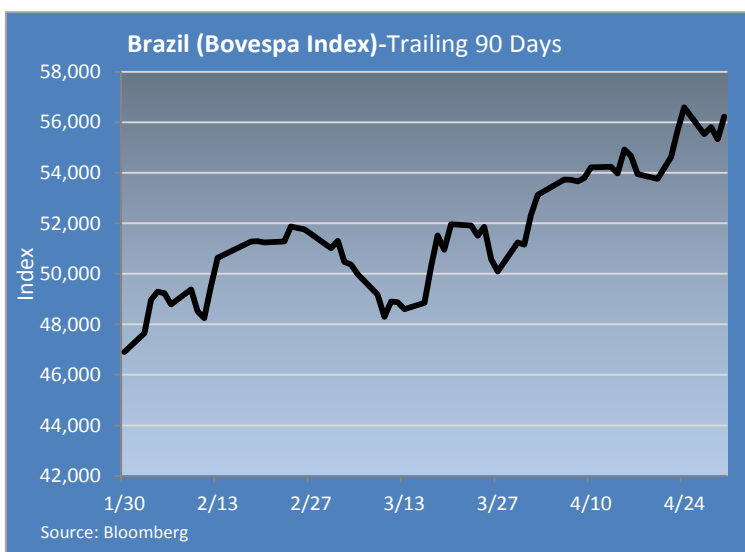
EQUITIES – EMERGING AND FRONTIER MARKETS

EMERGING AND FRONTIER MARKET PERFORMANCE

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Mexico IPC	44,582.39	-1190.92	-2.6%	3.3%
Brazil (Bovespa Index)	56,229.38	-364.84	-0.6%	12.4%
MICEX Index (Russia)	1,688.34	5.64	0.3%	20.9%
Czech Republic (Prague)	1,026.01	-23.39	-2.2%	8.4%
Turkey (Istanbul)	83,947.04	-1604.27	-1.9%	-2.1%
Egypt (Hermes Index)	788.53	-4.36	-0.5%	-5.4%
Kenya (Nairobi 20 Index)	5,091.43	30.34	0.6%	-0.4%
Saudi Arabia (TASI Index)	9,834.49	219.88	2.3%	18.0%
Lebanon (Beirut BLOM Index)	1,194.05	2.58	0.2%	2.0%
Palestine	484.04	-0.17	0.0%	-3.7%

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Hang Seng Index	28,133.00	305.30	1.1%	19.2%
India (Sensex 30)	27,011.31	-426.63	-1.6%	-1.8%
Malaysia (KLCI Index)	1,818.27	-27.81	-1.5%	3.2%
Singapore (Straits Times Index)	3,487.39	-15.36	-0.4%	3.6%
Thailand (SET Index)	1,526.74	-18.10	-1.2%	1.9%
Indonesia (Jakarta)	5,086.43	-349.78	-6.4%	-2.7%
Pakistan (Karachi KSE 100)	33,729.96	-45.16	-0.1%	5.0%
Vietnam (Ho Chi Minh)	562.40	-2.64	-0.5%	3.1%
Sri Lanka (Colombo)	7,179.00	64.61	0.9%	-1.6%
Cambodia (Laos)	1,462.19	-18.45	-1.2%	3.4%

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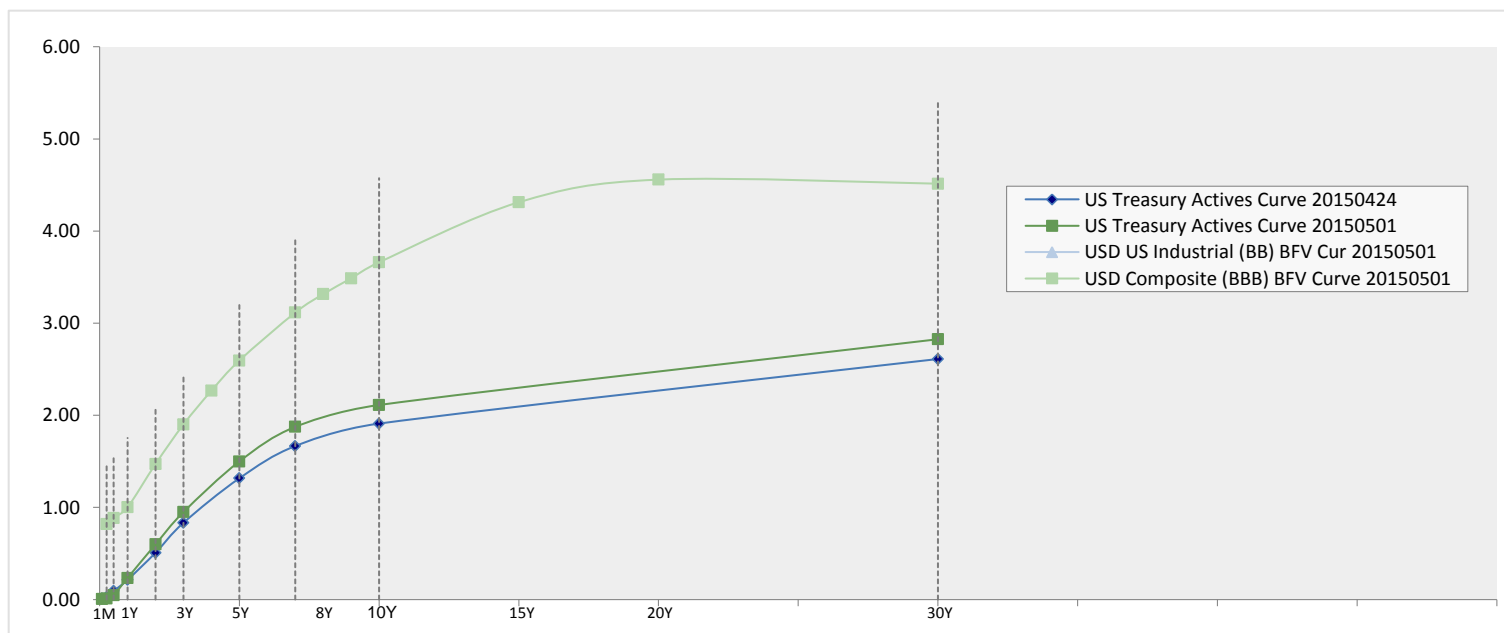


INTEREST RATES

SELECTED INTEREST RATES

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %		Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
2-Yr. U.S. Treasury	0.60%	0 bps	NM	NM	Prime Rate	3.25%	0.00	NM	NM
5-Yr. U.S. Treasury	1.51%	17 bps	NM	NM	Fed Funds Rate	0.25%	0.00	NM	NM
10-Yr. U.S. Treasury	2.12%	18 bps	NM	NM	Discount Rate	0.75%	0.00	NM	NM
30-Yr. U.S. Treasury	2.83%	19 bps	NM	NM	LIBOR (3 Mo.)	0.28%	0 bps	NM	NM
German 10-Yr. Govt.	0.36%	-20 bps	NM	NM	Bond Buyer 40 Muni	3.93%	16 bps	NM	NM
France 10-Yr.	0.63%	-21 bps	NM	NM	Bond Buyer 40 G.O.	3.62%	NA	NM	NM
Italy 10-Yr.	1.50%	-6 bps	NM	NM	Bond Buyer 40 Rev.	4.31%	NA	NM	NM
Fed 5-Yr Fwd BE Inf.	2.01%	3 bps	NM	NM					

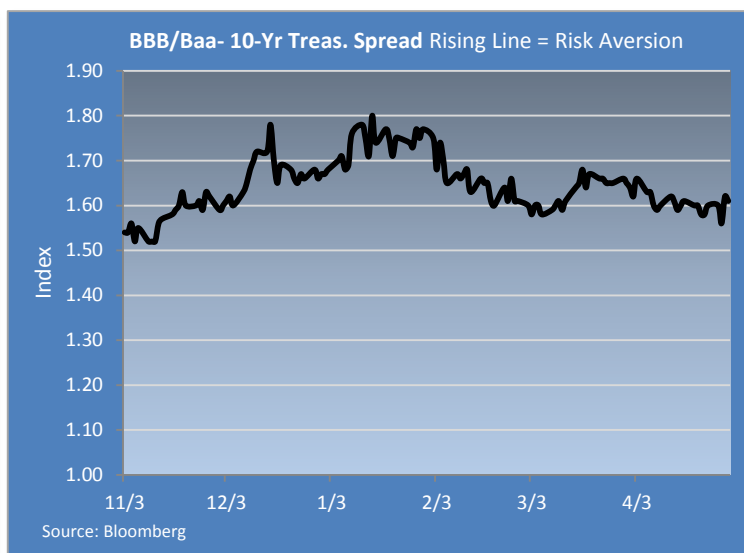
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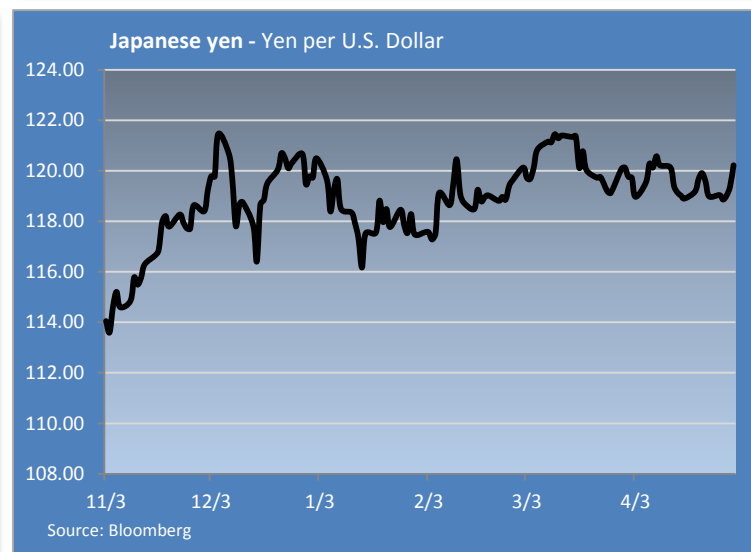
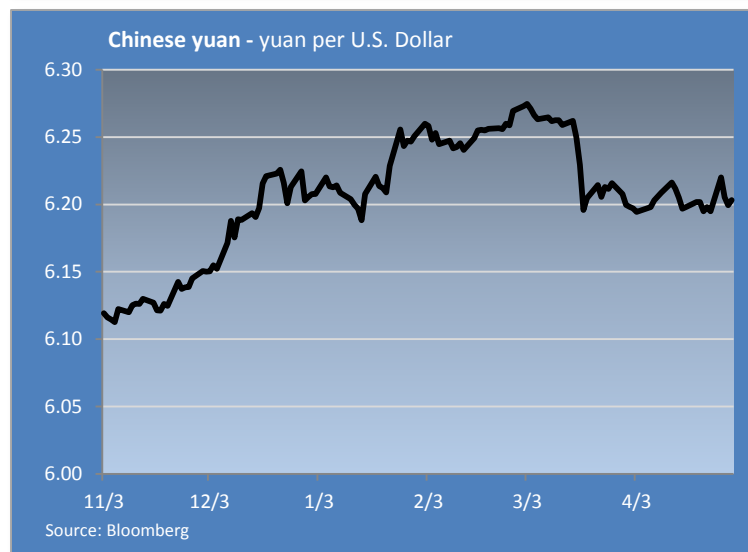
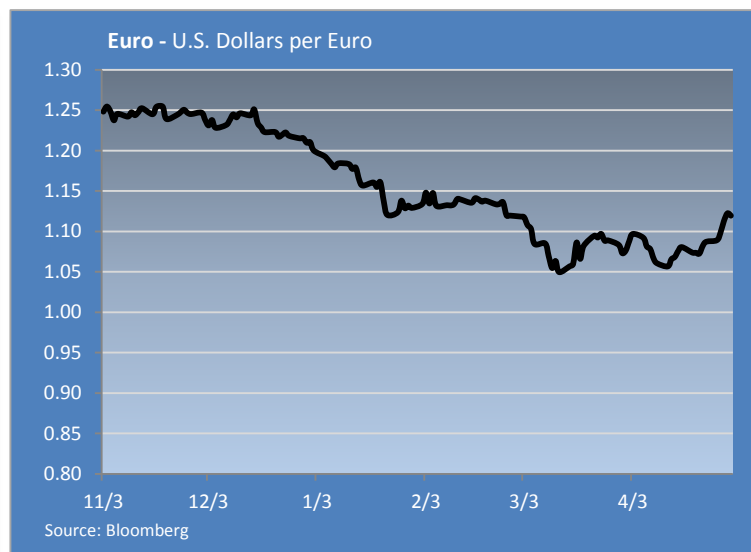
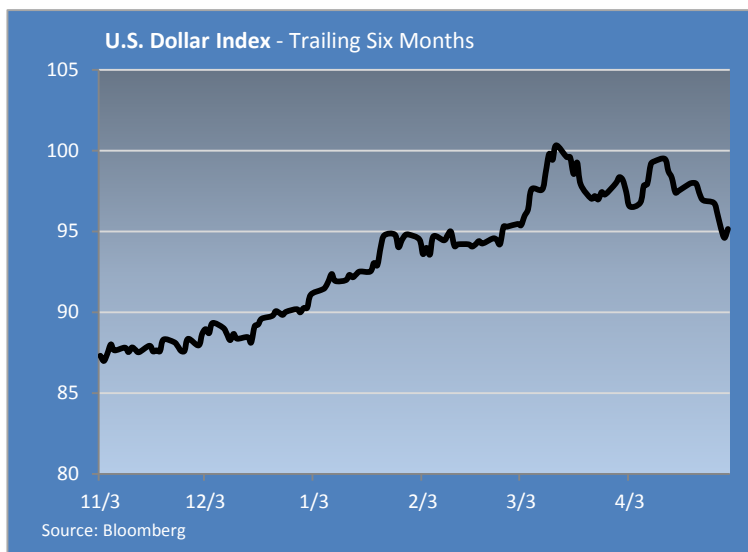
CURRENCIES

SELECTED CURRENCY PERFORMANCE

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Dollar Index	95.16	-1.766	-1.82%	5.41%
Euro	1.12	0.032	2.96%	-7.46%
Japanese Yen	120.12	1.230	-1.02%	-0.37%
British Pound	1.52	-0.004	-0.29%	-2.78%
Canadian Dollar	1.22	0.001	-0.06%	-4.60%

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
Chinese Yuan	6.20	0.008	-0.14%	0.04%
Swiss Franc	0.93	-0.020	2.13%	6.46%
New Zealand Dollar	0.75	-0.008	-1.01%	-3.49%
Brazilian Real	3.01	0.063	-2.10%	-11.84%
Mexican Peso	15.57	0.197	-1.27%	-5.31%

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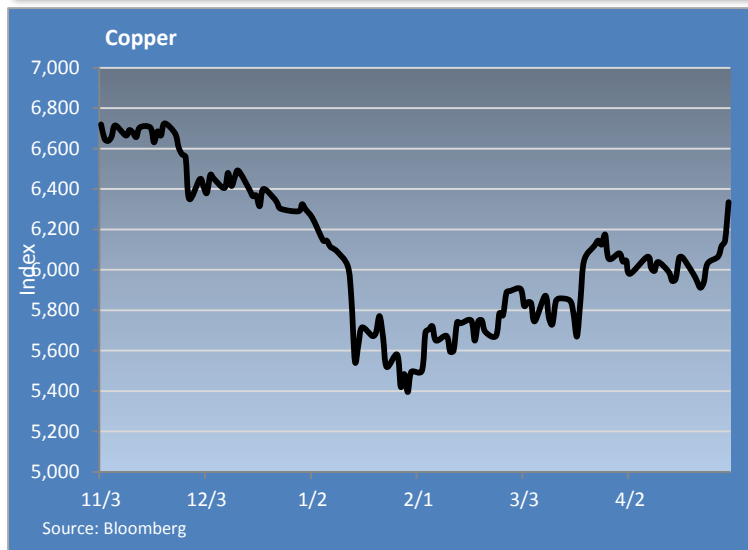
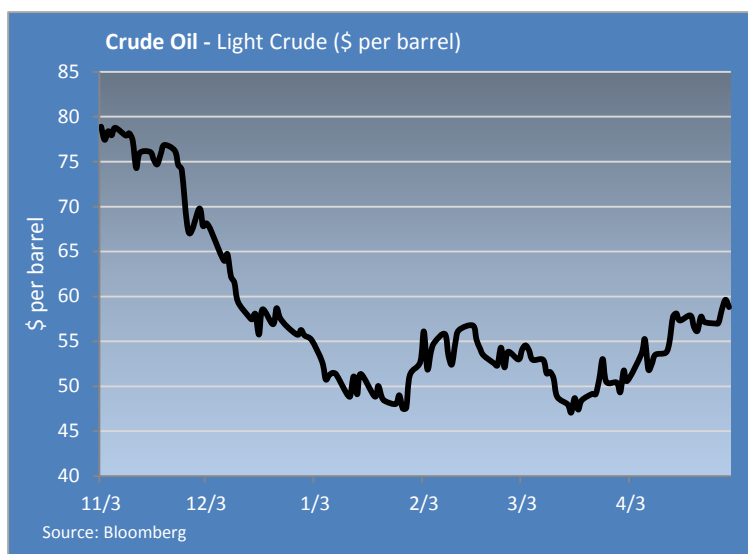


COMMODITIES

SELECTED COMMODITY MARKET PERFORMANCE

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %		Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
DJ UBS Comm. Idx.	103.40	1.41	1.39%	-1.27%	Platinum Spot	\$1,131.13	\$6.88	0.61%	-6.36%
Rogers Int. Comm. Idx.	2724.36	37.43	1.39%	-2.44%	Corn	363.00	-8.25	-2.23%	-12.36%
Crude Oil	\$59.24	\$1.67	2.92%	5.70%	Wheat	474.00	-18.25	-3.74%	-21.30%
Natural Gas	\$2.78	\$0.21	8.29%	-5.82%	Soybeans	964.75	-4.25	-0.44%	-6.80%
Gasoline (\$/Gal.)	\$2.60	\$0.07	2.93%	15.98%	Sugar	12.91	-0.32	-2.43%	-15.61%
Heating Oil	198.61	3.38	1.75%	8.36%	Orange Juice	119.45	4.25	3.72%	-16.59%
Gold Spot	\$1,178.49	-\$6.40	-0.54%	-0.99%	Aluminum	1,925.00	102.50	5.62%	3.91%
Silver Spot	\$16.16	\$0.28	1.80%	1.94%	Copper	6,335.00	305.00	5.06%	0.56%

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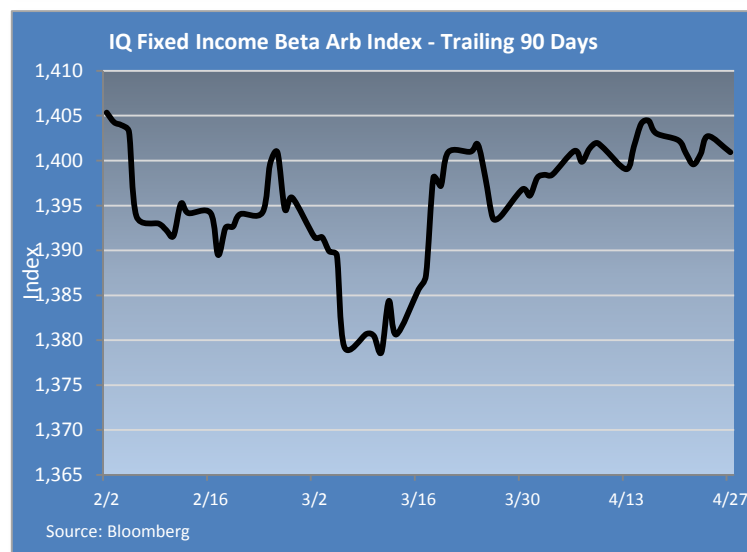
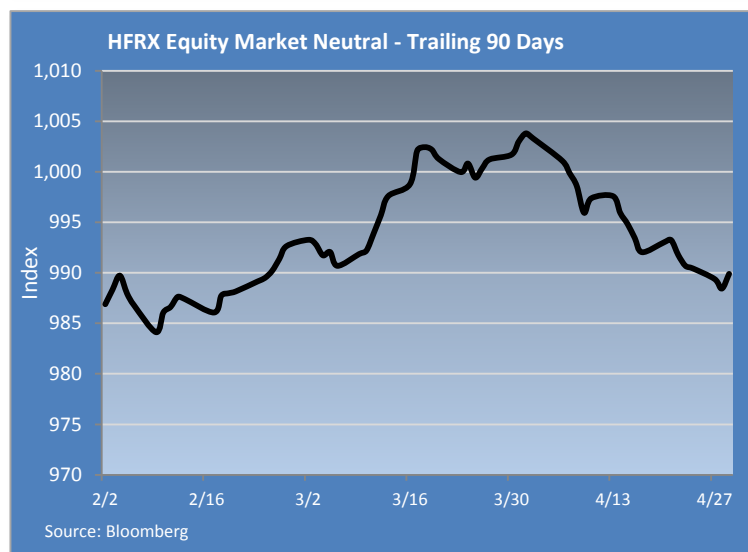
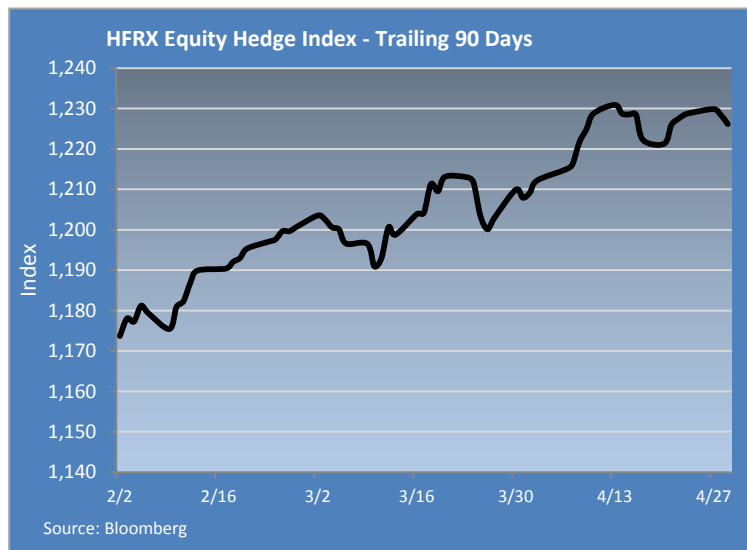
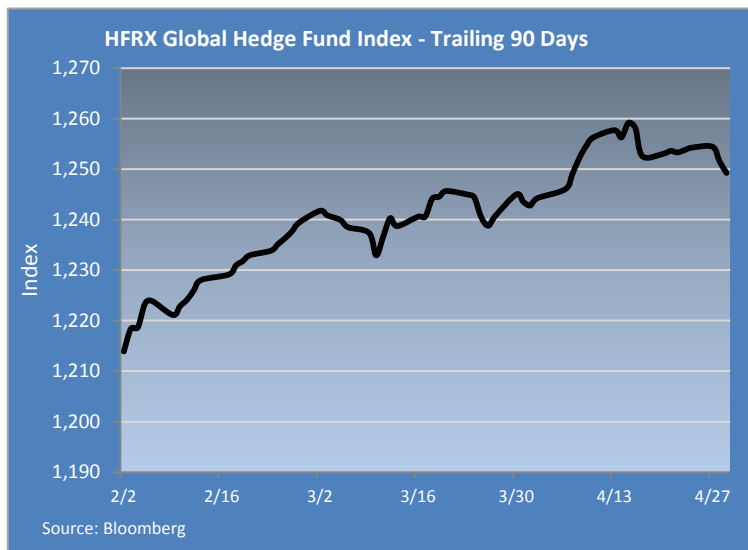
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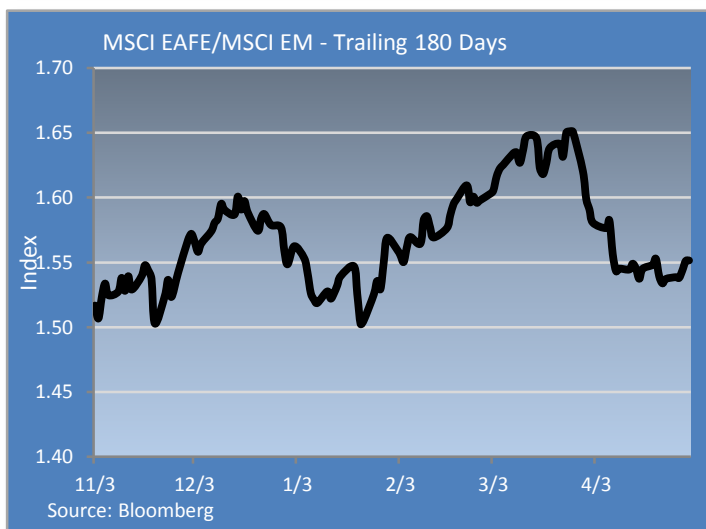
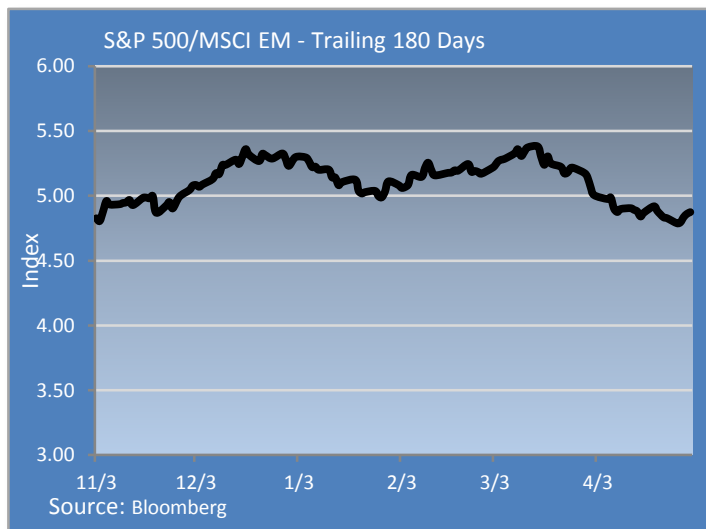
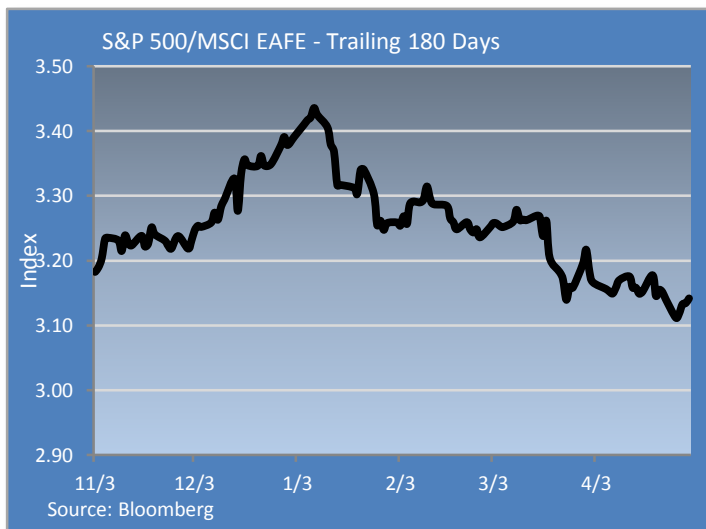
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HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index	1253.77	-5.01	-0.40%	2.53%
HFRX Equity Market Neutral	990.68	-0.54	-0.05%	0.36%
HFRX Equity Hedge Index	1228.57	-2.87	-0.23%	3.74%
HFRX Event-Driven Index	1547.40	-5.27	-0.34%	2.03%
HFRX Absolute Return Index	1015.33	0.87	0.09%	1.97%

	Last	Change	% Chg.	YTD %
HFRX Distressed Index	1026.67	-0.46	-0.04%	1.79%
HFRX Merger Arbitrage Index	1653.62	3.15	0.19%	3.29%
HFRX Convertible Arbitrage Index	722.62	0.55	0.08%	3.09%
HFRX Macro CTA Index	1208.94	-16.90	-1.38%	1.33%
IQ Fixed Income Beta Arb Index	1390.32	-14.50	-1.03%	0.04%

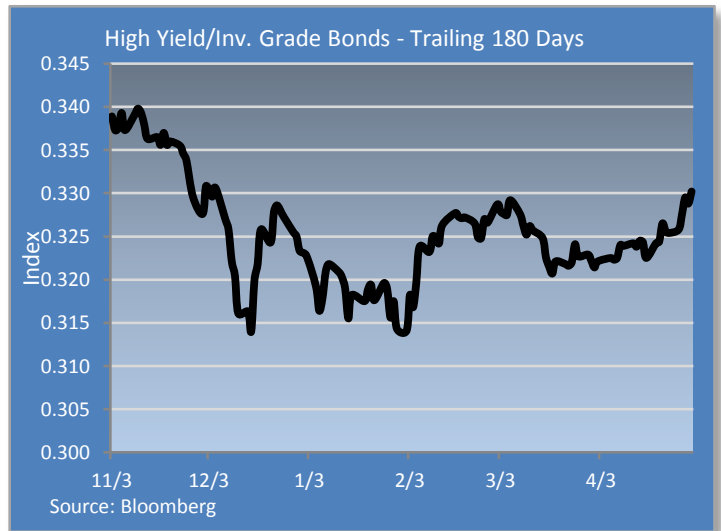
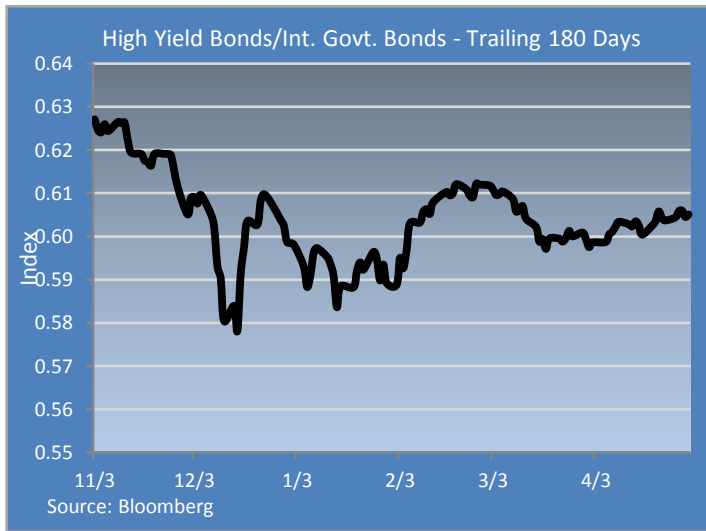
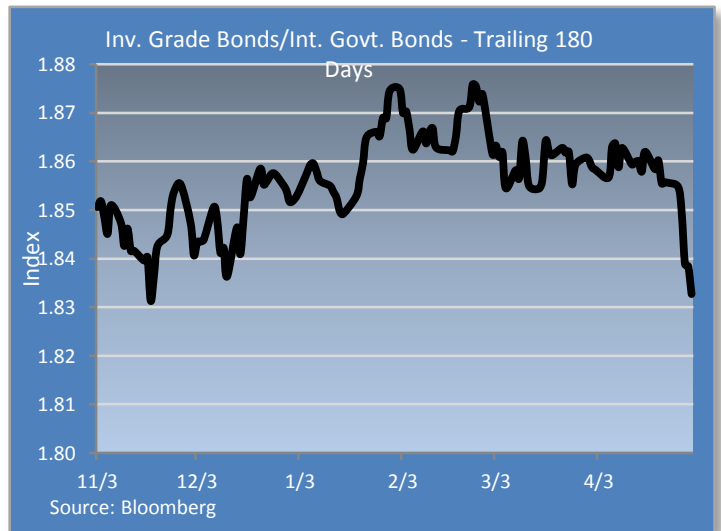
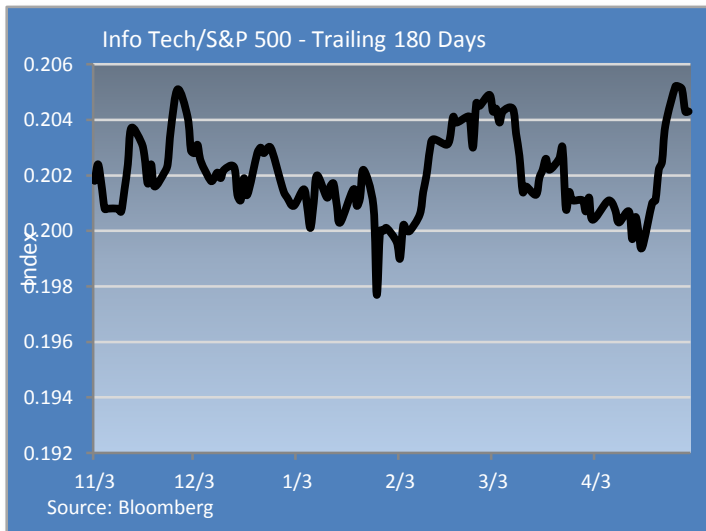
Source: Bloomberg; Index % change is based on price.



PORTFOLIO CONSTRUCTION



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WEEKLY ASSET CLASS PERFORMANCE (Prior 12 weeks ending Thursday)

			2/12	2/19	2/26	3/5	3/12	3/19	3/26	4/2	4/9	4/16	4/23	4/30
Equity	Domestic Equity	Large Cap (R200)	1.32%	0.40%	0.70%	-0.49%	-1.79%	1.07%	-1.53%	0.33%	1.24%	0.80%	0.42%	-1.01%
		Small Cap (R2000)	0.63%	0.96%	0.91%	-0.39%	0.19%	1.47%	-1.82%	1.92%	0.27%	1.10%	-0.11%	-4.04%
	Int'l. Equity	MSCI EAFE	0.11%	2.25%	0.91%	-0.81%	-2.34%	1.60%	1.27%	-0.22%	1.36%	0.87%	0.21%	0.11%
		MSCI Em. Mkts.	-1.12%	1.43%	0.89%	-1.94%	-2.67%	1.73%	-0.26%	3.16%	3.60%	2.30%	0.16%	-0.58%
Fixed Income	BarCap Agg. (AGG)	-0.73%	-0.32%	0.35%	-0.45%	0.12%	0.89%	0.05%	0.36%	-0.16%	0.30%	-0.24%	-0.40%	
	High Yield (JNK)	0.46%	0.36%	0.66%	-0.73%	-0.48%	-1.02%	0.77%	0.00%	0.54%	0.43%	0.00%	-0.23%	
Commodities	DJ UBS Index	0.52%	0.20%	-1.08%	-0.40%	-2.66%	-1.02%	3.12%	-1.34%	-0.89%	3.56%	-0.68%	2.10%	
Alternatives	Hedge Funds (HFRX Global)	0.22%	0.47%	0.48%	0.18%	0.04%	0.34%	-0.46%	0.44%	0.84%	0.27%	-0.34%	-0.36%	
Asset Allocation	60/40*	0.19%	0.53%	0.64%	-0.60%	-0.99%	0.88%	-0.41%	0.54%	0.75%	0.72%	0.07%	-0.87%	
	48/32/20 (w/Alts.)**	0.19%	0.52%	0.61%	-0.44%	-0.78%	0.77%	-0.42%	0.52%	0.77%	0.63%	-0.01%	-0.77%	

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)

	Large Cap Core	Large Cap Growth	Large Cap Value	Mid Cap Core	Mid Cap Growth	Mid Cap Value	Small Cap Core	Small Cap Growth	Small Cap Value	Int'l. Developed	Emerging Markets	REITs	Comm.	Int. Bond	High Yield
Large Cap Core	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.06	1.04	1.09	1.11	1.12	1.10	0.89	0.84	1.26	0.94	1.07	0.98
Large Cap Growth	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.06	1.04	1.09	1.11	1.11	1.10	0.88	0.84	1.26	0.93	1.07	0.98
Large Cap Value	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.06	1.04	1.09	1.11	1.12	1.11	0.89	0.84	1.26	0.94	1.07	0.98
Mid Cap Core	0.94	0.94	0.94	1.00	0.98	1.02	1.05	1.05	1.04	0.83	0.79	1.19	0.88	1.01	0.92
Mid Cap Growth	0.96	0.96	0.96	1.02	1.00	1.05	1.07	1.07	1.06	0.85	0.81	1.21	0.90	1.03	0.94
Mid Cap Value	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.98	0.95	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.02	0.81	0.77	1.16	0.86	0.99	0.90
Small Cap Core	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.96	0.93	0.98	1.00	1.00	0.99	0.80	0.75	1.13	0.84	0.96	0.88
Small Cap Growth	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.95	0.93	0.97	1.00	1.00	0.99	0.79	0.75	1.13	0.84	0.96	0.88
Small Cap Value	0.91	0.91	0.90	0.96	0.94	0.98	1.01	1.01	1.00	0.80	0.76	1.14	0.85	0.97	0.89
Int'l. Developed	1.13	1.13	1.13	1.20	1.17	1.23	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.00	0.95	1.43	1.06	1.21	1.11
Emerging Markets	1.19	1.19	1.19	1.27	1.24	1.30	1.32	1.33	1.31	1.05	1.00	1.50	1.11	1.28	1.17
REITs	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.84	0.82	0.86	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.70	0.67	1.00	0.74	0.85	0.78
Commodities	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.14	1.11	1.16	1.19	1.19	1.18	0.95	0.90	1.35	1.00	1.15	1.05
Int. Bond	0.93	0.93	0.93	0.99	0.97	1.01	1.04	1.04	1.03	0.82	0.78	1.18	0.87	1.00	0.91
High Yield	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.08	1.06	1.11	1.14	1.14	1.13	0.90	0.86	1.29	0.95	1.09	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 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.

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The Nikkei 225, more commonly called the Nikkei or the Nikkei index, is a stock market index for the Tokyo Stock Exchange. It has been calculated daily by the Nihon Keizai Shimbun (Nikkei) newspaper since 1950. It is a price-weighted index (the unit is yen), and the components are reviewed once a year. The FTSE 100 Index, also called FTSE 100, is a share index of the 100 companies listed on the London Stock Exchange with the highest market capitalization. FTSE stands for Financial Times Stock Exchange. The DAX (German stock index) is a blue chip stock market index consisting of the 30 major German companies trading on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange. DAX measures the performance of the Prime Standard's 30 largest German companies in terms of order book volume and market capitalization. The MSCI EAFE Index represents 21 developed markets outside of North America. 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 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 US Credit Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of publicly issued, SEC-registered US corporate and specified foreign debentures and secured notes. 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The Citigroup World Government Bond Index is a market capitalization weighted bond index consisting of the government bond markets of Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and the United States. The DJ-UBS Commodity Index Total Return SM measures the collateralized returns from a basket of 19 commodity futures contracts representing the energy, precious metals, industrial metals, grains, softs and livestock sectors. The Russell 1000 Index is a market capitalization-weighted benchmark index made up of the 1000 largest U.S. companies in the Russell 3000 Index. The Russell 1000 Growth Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of large-cap growth stocks. The Russell 1000 Value Index is an unmanaged index considered representative of large-cap value stocks. 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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 ISM Non-Manufacturing Index is an index based on surveys of more than 400 non-manufacturing firms' purchasing and supply executives, within 60 sectors across the nation, by the Institute of Supply Management (ISM). The ISM Non-Manufacturing Index tracks economic data, like the ISM Non-Manufacturing Business Activity Index. A composite diffusion index is created based on the data from these surveys that monitors economic conditions of the nation. The ISM Manufacturing Index is an index based on surveys of more than 300 manufacturing firms by the Institute of Supply Management. The ISM Manufacturing Index monitors employment, production inventories, new orders and supplier deliveries. A composite diffusion index is created that monitors conditions in national manufacturing based on the data from these surveys. The Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures the change in the cost of a fixed basket of products and services. 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. 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 World ex-U.S. Index - captures large and mid-cap representation across 22 of 23 Developed Markets DM countries*--excluding the United States. With 1,002 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country. (* DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the UK.) 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 Barclays Global Aggregate ex-U.S. Index - is a market capitalization-weighted index, meaning the securities in the index are weighted according to the market size of each bond type. Most U.S. traded investment grade bonds are represented. Municipal bonds, and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities are excluded, due to tax treatment issues. The index includes Treasury securities, Government agency bonds, Mortgage-backed bonds, Corporate bonds, and a small amount of foreign bonds traded in U.S. The University of Michigan Consumer Sentiment Index (MCSI) is a survey of consumer confidence conducted by the University of Michigan. The Michigan Consumer Sentiment Index (MCSI) uses telephone surveys to gather information on consumer expectations regarding the overall economy. 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Treasury securities, mortgage-backed securities (MBS) foreign bonds, government agency bonds and corporate bonds are some of the categories included in the index. Barclays U.S. Corporate High-Yield Index is composed of fixed-rate, publicly issued, non-investment grade debt. Barclays U.S. Corporate 5-10 Year Index includes U.S. dollar-denominated, investment-grade, fixed-rate, taxable securities issued by industrial, utility, and financial companies, with maturities between 5 and 10 years.

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