

Quick recap

- It's the week of the World Economic Forum week, <u>but as geopolitical challenges and a cloudy economic outlook dominate the stage</u>, participants in Davos probably remember previous gatherings with nostalgia.
- Nevertheless, sentiment on risk assets turned this week as markets bid up U.S. and European stocks while
 volatility and credit spread retraced. Remarkably, despite the many post-Brexit challenges faced by the
 U.K. at the moment, helped by a weak GBP, its stock market is close to an all-time high.
- Interest rates seem to have reached a top for the time being as ten-year yields are stabilising at around 3% in the U.S. and 1% in Germany.
- China remains the <u>problem child of the world economy</u> as stimulative policies are hardly effective in the face of lockdowns. Investors are preparing for this to continue <u>until the decision on Xi's third term</u>.



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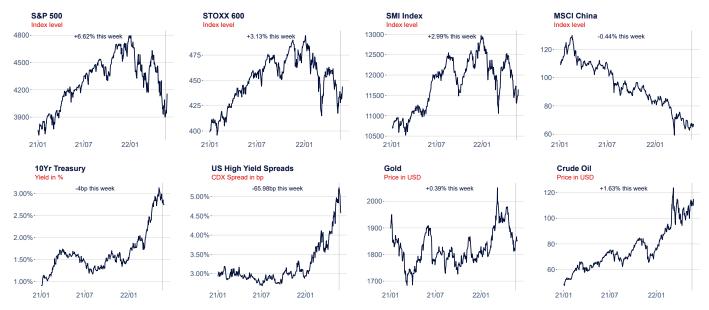
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FED Model Relative valuation US Equity vs Govt Bonds 15.0% 10.0% 5.0% 1960 1980 2000 2020 10Yr Treasury — Earnings Yield

As interest rates stayed stubbornly low, the <u>Fed Model</u> lost a bit of its relevance over the past decade. It takes long-term time series to understand why the <u>Fed's Humphrey-Hawkins Report published in 1997</u> found that the equity market's earnings yield tends to follow the 10-year Treasury yield. While this relationship is generally loose and theoretically debatable, it still gives investors some idea of what kind of medium-term interest rate level markets may be pricing-in.

Markets at a glance









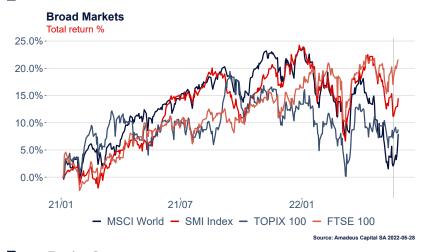


Major Equity Markets

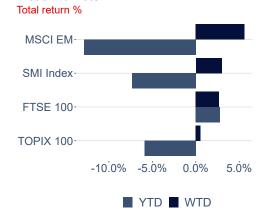




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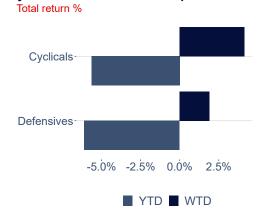
Broad Markets



Equity Sectors



Cyclicals vs Defensives Europe











Equity Sectors



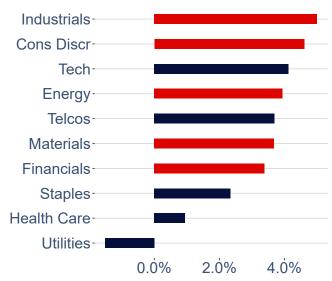
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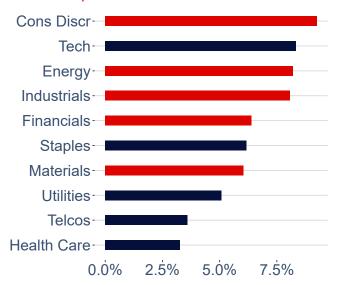
Sectors Europe

Last week's performance % (Cyc = red, def = blue)



Sectors U.S.

Last week's performance %





Equity Styles





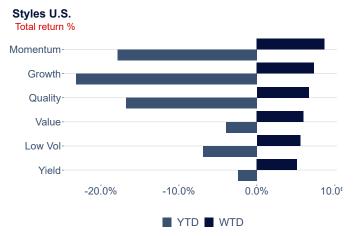
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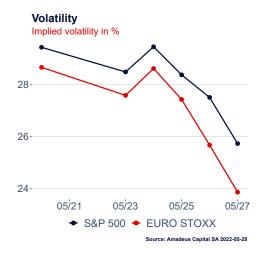






Volatility





Government Bond Yields

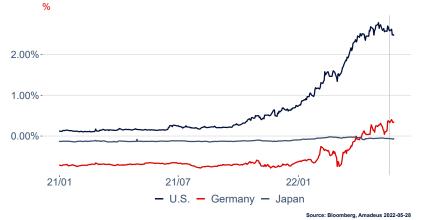
10Yr Govt Yields

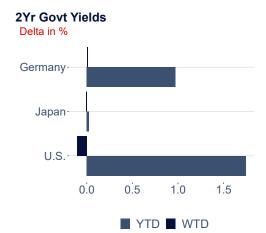




Government Bond Yields

2Yr Govt Yields











Government Bond Yields

Steepness of the curve 10Yr - 2Yr Govt Yields % 1.50% 0.50% 21/01 21/07 22/01 U.S. — Germany — Japan

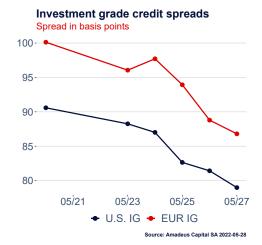
10Yr-2Yr Govt Yields Delta in bp U.S. Germany Japan -40 -20 0 20

■ YTD ■ WTD

Credit Spreads

Investment grade credit spreads





Credit Spreads

High yield credit spreads



High yield credit spreads
Spread in basis points

525

500

475

450

05/21 05/23 05/25 05/27

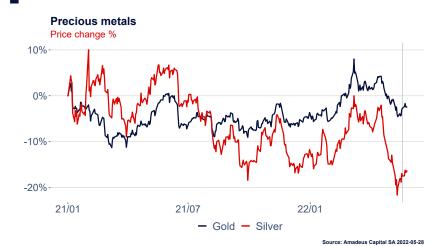
◆ U.S. HY ◆ EUR Crossover
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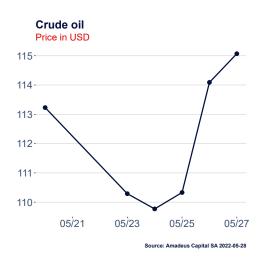


Precious Metals



Precious metals Price change in USD Gold Silver Ö 5 10 15 20 25

Commodities



Currencies

- USD - EUR - CHF - GBP

Trade weighted currencies







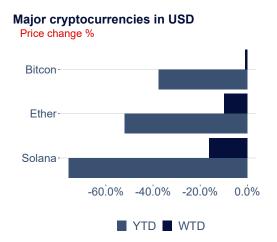


Trade weighted currencies



Cryptocurrencies

Marjor cryptocurrencies in USD Price change % 150% -50% 21/10 22/01 - Bitcoin — Ether — Solana









Major Events Last Week

The FOMC reemphasized its commitment to taming inflation this week, indicating in its minutes that the Fed could opt for a "restrictive" monetary policy if necessary, a step up from its earlier neutral stance. Despite this hawkish tone, U.S. benchmark rates decreased towards the end of the week, and equity markets rallied, helped by some strong bounces in some beaten-down stocks. Commentators point to depressed sentiment and the narrative of peak inflation and peak hawkishness as reasons for the rebound. Economic data in the U.S. was broadly disappointing, with a lower than expected GDP print and more robust than forecasted cooling off in the housing market. Meanwhile, China is getting hit increasingly hard by its Covid policy as profits and growth are in free fall.

Date	Zone	Event	Previous	Forecast	Actual
23/05/2022	Germany	German Ifo Business Climate Index (May)	91.9	91.4	93.0
23/05/2022	Israel	Interest Rate Decision (May)	0.35%	0.60%	0.75%
23/05/2022	United Kingdom	BoE Gov Bailey Speaks	-	-	-
24/05/2022	Germany	German Manufacturing PMI (May)	54.6	54.0	54.7
24/05/2022	United Kingdom	Composite PMI	58.2	56.5	51.8
24/05/2022	United Kingdom	Manufacturing PMI	55.8	54.9	54.6
24/05/2022	United Kingdom	Services PMI	58.9	56.9	51.8
24/05/2022	United States	New Home Sales (Apr)	709K	750K	591K
24/05/2022	United States	Fed Chair Powell Speaks	-	-	-
24/05/2022	Euro Zone	ECB President Lagarde Speaks	-	-	-
25/05/2022	New Zealand	RBNZ Interest Rate Decision	1.50%	2.00%	2.00%
25/05/2022	New Zealand	RBNZ Rate Statement	-	-	-
25/05/2022	New Zealand	RBNZ Press Conference	-	-	-
25/05/2022	Germany	German GDP (QoQ) (Q1)	-0.3%	0.2%	0.2%
25/05/2022	Euro Zone	ECB President Lagarde Speaks	-	-	-
25/05/2022	United States	Core Durable Goods Orders (MoM) (Apr)	1.1%	0.6%	0.3%
25/05/2022	United States	Crude Oil Inventories	-3.394M	-0.737M	-1.019M
25/05/2022	United States	FOMC Meeting Minutes	-	-	-
26/05/2022	New Zealand	RBNZ Gov Orr Speaks	-	-	-
26/05/2022	Russia	Interest Rate Decision (Apr)	17.00%	20.00%	11.00%
26/05/2022	Turkey	One-Week Repo Rate (May)	14.00%	14.00%	14.00%
26/05/2022	Turkey	Overnight Borrowing Rate (May)	12.50%	-	12.50%
26/05/2022	United States	GDP (QoQ) (Q1)	-1.4%	-1.3%	-1.5%
26/05/2022	United States	Initial Jobless Claims	218K	215K	210K
26/05/2022	Canada	Core Retail Sales (MoM) (Mar)	1.8%	2.0%	2.4%
26/05/2022	United States	Pending Home Sales (MoM) (Apr)	-1.6%	-2.0%	-3.9%
27/05/2022	Australia	Retail Sales (MoM) (Apr)	1.6%	0.9%	0.9%





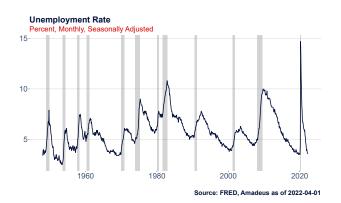


The Week Ahead

Eurozone inflation is expected to increase again while investors see the ECB's dovish monetary policy increasingly critical. In the U.S., investors are set to focus on the continuous development of labour market data. An increase in Nonfarm Payrolls is forecasted to cool off a bit to a still impressive number of 350k. Unemployment is expected to decrease further to 3.5%, a record low last reached in February 2020. In this environment, the slow recovery in labour force participation rates remains the critical bottleneck, exacerbating scarcity and putting pressure on wages and inflation.

Date	Zone	Event	Previous	Forecast	Actual
31/05/2022	China	Manufacturing PMI (May)	47.4	48.0	-
31/05/2022	Germany	German Unemployment Change (May)	-13K	-18K	-
31/05/2022	Euro Zone	CPI (YoY) (May)	7.4%	7.6%	-
31/05/2022	Canada	GDP (MoM) (Mar)	1.1%	0.8%	-
31/05/2022	United States	CB Consumer Confidence (May)	107.3	104.0	-
01/06/2022	Australia	GDP (QoQ) (Q1)	3.4%	0.7%	-
01/06/2022	China	Caixin Manufacturing PMI (May)	46.0	-	-
01/06/2022	Germany	German Manufacturing PMI (May)	54.7	54.7	-
01/06/2022	United Kingdom	Manufacturing PMI (May)	54.6	55.3	-
01/06/2022	United States	ADP Nonfarm Employment Change (May)	247K	-	-
01/06/2022	United States	ISM Manufacturing PMI (May)	55.4	55.3	-
01/06/2022	United States	JOLTs Job Openings (Apr)	11.549M	11.000M	-
01/06/2022	Canada	BoC Interest Rate Decision	1.00%	1.50%	-
03/06/2022	United States	Nonfarm Payrolls (May)	428K	350K	-
03/06/2022	United States	Unemployment Rate (May)	3.6%	3.5%	-
03/06/2022	United States	ISM Non-Manufacturing PMI (May)	57.1	58.5	_

While unemployment is hitting new lows, U.S. labour force participation is slow to recover.





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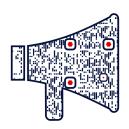
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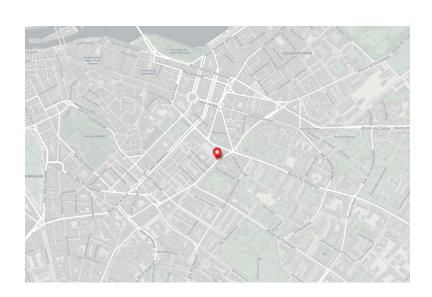
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