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## **HEDGEYE ASSET ALLOCATION**

		CASH	U.S. EQUITIES	INT'L EQUITIES	COMMODITIES	FOREIGN EXCHANGE	FIXED INCOME
4/11/	2017	43	23	15	0	19	0
4/12/	2017	43	23	15	0	19	0

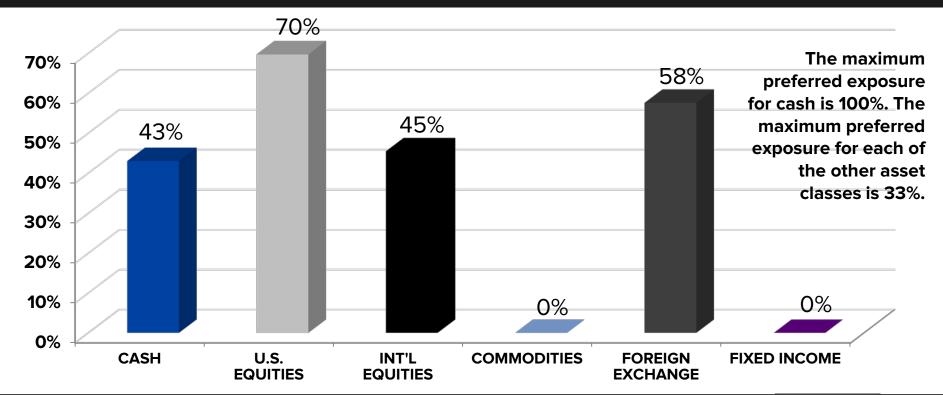
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The maximum preferred exposure for cash is 100%. The maximum preferred exposure for each of the other asset classes is 33%.



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## ELECTION RISK

## **CRUDE OIL (USO)**

## **B**FRANCE

# ELECTION RISK

Given events of the last couple years, you can't not hedge, right? ... at any cost. Le Pen's odds of winning continue to languish in the mid-20%'s but French-German Yield Spreads remain at 5-year highs and the cost of hedging election risk continues to rise. Implied volatility premiums are to the point where realized multi-duration volatility in the CAC 40 is in the 1st percentile of historical readings, and implied volatility screens among the highest in the world on a percentile basis. The 30D/60D/3Mth implied volatility premiums are triple digits in the CAC 40. The CAC, DAX, and Eurostoxx 50 have implied volatility premiums that are over 4 standard deviations extended on a 3yr basis and over 3 standard deviations on a TTM basis. The set-up in Switzerland and Italy is similar. It's the same story in Skew. Not only are the premiums massive, the surface is 3-4 standard deviations more tilted with downside put implied vol. being bid-up. In other words, election hedging is in full crescendo and put activity is becoming much more expensive than call activity.

## CRUDE OIL (USO)

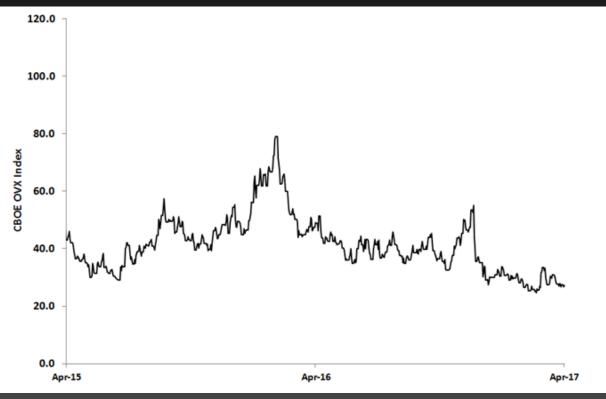
After a volatility event to kick off March, energy news has been relatively quiet with WTI +10% M/M and OVX being pushed lower once again. WTI is now close to YTD highs. The difference this time around is that the all-time high in net futures and options long contract positioning that peaked right before the March crash was cut for five straight weeks and USO has +20-30% implied volatility premiums on top of it instead of flat vol or discounts at peak bullishness like in late February, early March. So WTI has nearly retraced its YTD highs and it's been on more balanced sentiment.

## FRANCE

The latest Elabe French election poll shows Macron at 23%, Le Pen at 23%, Fillon at 19% and Melenchon at 17%. Versus just last month in which Macron and Le Pen looked set to advance to the second round vote, recent poll numbers suggest any of the four main candidates have a chance to advance. We believe that this new uncertainty on the outcome, and any strength in a politically extreme candidates (like Le Pen or Melenchon) will pressure the EUR/USD to the downside.

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## **CBOE CRUDE OIL VOLATILITY INDEX**

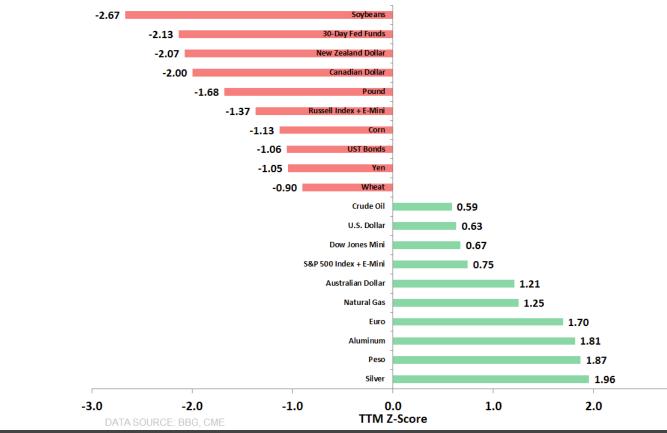


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#### CFTC Net Futures & Options Positioning (TTM Z-Score)

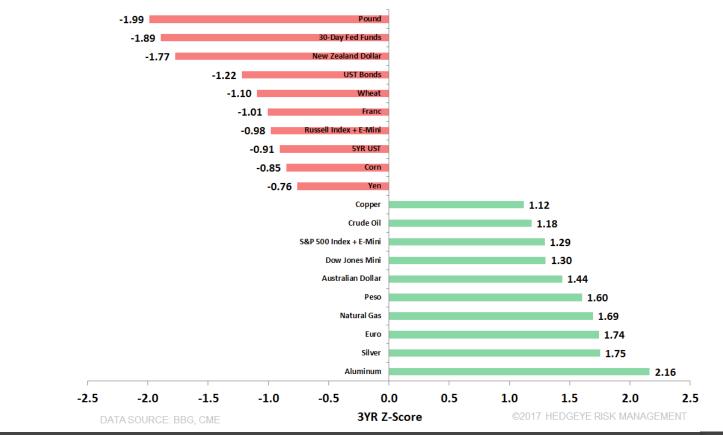


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#### CFTC Net Futures & Options Positioning (3Yr Z-Score)



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		REALIZ		TILITY	IMPLIED	VOLATII	LTY*		IMPLIED** VS. REALIZED VOLATILITY						_			
										30 Day			60 Day			3 Month		
		Duratio	n of Reali	ized (%)		At-The-M	loney %				Z-Score			Z-Score			Z-Score	
Index/Security	Ticker	30D	60D	90D	Current	v 1M Avg	v 3M Avg	v 6M Avg.	Ticker	Premium	TTM	ЗYr	Premium	TTM	3Yr	Premium	TTM	3Yr
S&P 500	SPX	7.4%	6.6%	6.9%	10.5%	6.5%	9.2%	-4.0%	SPX	40.6%	0.51	1.02	59.1%	1.45	1.97	62.2%	1.90	2.27
Russell 2000	RTY	14.6%	14.0%	14.1%	16.3%	5.5%	4.4%	-2.4%	RTY	10.0%	0.21	0.20	17.1%	0.76	0.54	18.9%	1.11	0.57
Nasdaq 100	NDX	7.4%	6.7%	8.1%	12.1%	10.1%	6.9%	-7.5%	NDX	59.5%	1.09	1.76	86.5%	2.63	3.39	61.3%	2.46	2.79
USD Index	UUP	7.2%	6.9%	7.5%	8.8%	12.1%	6.5%	3.8%	UUP	17.2%	0.19	0.17	24.3%	0.50	0.48	9.6%	-0.25	-0.18
Consumer Discret.	XLY	7.1%	6.9%	8.5%	11.4%	7.9%	2.2%	- <b>9.8</b> %	XLY	51.7%	1.01	1.58	69.6%	2.24	2.83	42.8%	1.62	1.91
Financials	XLF	16.1%	15.4%	14.8%	17.9%	9.9%	10.1%	3.6%	XLF	10.3%	-0.04	0.15	16.6%	0.42	0.53	20.8%	1.28	0.86
Healthcare	XLV	8.1%	8.9%	9.1%	11.7%	-0.3%	-3.8%	-16.1%	XLV	43.4%	1.09	1.56	36.7%	1.51	1.81	38.9%	2.22	2.29
Technology	XLK	7.9%	7.2%	9.1%	12.5%	9.5%	8.5%	-3.2%	XLK	52.2%	1.05	1.67	64.3%	2.11	2.60	34.6%	1.58	1.57
Consumer Staples	XLP	5.1%	7.2%	7.8%	9.2%	-3.3%	-5.7%	-16.5%	XLP	86.2%	2.92	3.25	38.6%	1.83	1.91	38.2%	2.05	1.88
Utilities	XLU	10.8%	11.7%	11.9%	12.8%	-1.7%	-4.8%	-15.5%	XLU	17.8%	1.11	1.27	11.4%	1.05	1.20	9.7%	1.32	1.27
Energy	XLE	15.9%	14.7%	13.7%	16.8%	1.5%	1.0%	-8.7%	XLE	7.8%	0.15	0.16	21.4%	1.50	1.00	26.3%	2.61	1.33
Energy	ХОР	27.8%	24.6%	22.5%	27.4%	-0.2%	2.0%	-8.6%	ХОР	0.3%	-0.24	-0.16	20.2%	1.37	1.21	28.8%	3.43	1.90
Materials	XLB	12.1%	11.5%	11.0%	13.7%	3.6%	4.0%	-5.0%	XLB	4.1%	-0.43	-0.18	18.9%	0.52	0.53	28.6%	1.34	1.07
Industrials	XLI	10.5%	9.8%	9.7%	12.8%	4.3%	4.8%	-3.5%	XLI	22.4%	0.23	0.58	35.5%	1.20	1.43	39.5%	2.01	1.90
Transports	IYT	14.7%	14.4%	14.1%	16.4%	1.3%	-1.9%	-5.1%	IYT	8.2%	-0.27	-0.03	17.7%	0.19	0.50	26.6%	0.83	1.12
WTI Crude Oil	USO	25.6%	21.9%	23.8%	25.3%	-8.7%	-7.3%	-19.5%	USO	-8.7%	-0.41	-0.50	33.9%	2.06	1.35	22.1%	2.12	0.79
Natural Gas	UNG	28.6%	35.8%	45.6%	36.1%	1.2%	-10.0%	-18.3%	UNG	24.2%	1.62	0.46	2.5%	0.21	-0.28	-20.3%	-1.17	-1.06
Gold	GLD	9.6%	10.1%	10.5%	12.7%	7.0%	0.0%	-9.0%	GLD	32.2%	1.43	1.18	25.4%	1.44	1.10	20.0%	1.33	0.88
Silver	SLV	19.3%	17.2%	18.6%	20.1%	5.7%	-1.5%	-11.5%	SLV	3.8%	-0.11	-0.46	16.4%	1.39	0.17	8.1%	0.51	-0.22
Copper	JJC	20.1%	24.3%	24.0%	22.6%	2.1%	-5.3%	-11.4%	JJC	7.2%	-0.15	-0.14	-14.3%	-0.67	-0.83	-2.0%	-0.40	-0.48
Corn	CORN	14.4%	14.3%	14.8%	18.4%	-3.5%	1.3%	0.1%	CORN	20.3%	0.53	0.02	40.7%	1.61	1.13	43.3%	1.36	1.18
Soybeans	SOYB	9.4%	12.2%	14.3%	17.3%	-9.7%	-16.6%	-18.0%	SOYB	84.7%	1.41	0.72	30.9%	-0.13	-0.18	4.3%	-0.60	-0.65
Wheat	WEAT	16.8%	18.8%	18.6%	32.4%	10.6%	11.6%	9.1%	WEAT	82.8%	0.47	0.34	50.9%	-0.11	0.03	34.2%	-0.51	-0.12

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\*implied volatility on at-the-money front month contracts

\*\*implied volatility of at-the-money options expiring in the given duration vs. realized volatility over the given duration

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## HEDGEYE SECTOR PERFORMANCE

			<u>1-Day %</u>	MTD %	<u>YTD %</u>
SECTOR	<u>Ticker</u>	Price	<u>Chg</u>	Chg	<u>Chg</u>
Consumer Discretionary	XLY	\$87.51	-0.08%	-0.50%	7.51%
Financial Select Sector	XLF	\$23.39	-0.30%	-1.43%	0.60%
Health Care Select Sector	XLV	\$74.17	-0.13%	-0.26%	7.59%
Technology Select Sector	XLK	\$52.76	-0.38%	-1.03%	9.10%
Consumer Staples Select Sector	XLP	<b>\$54.88</b>	0.04%	0.55%	6.13%
Industrial Select Sector	XLI	\$65.38	0.14%	0.49%	5.08%
Materials Select Sector	XLB	\$52.46	-0.27%	0.10%	5.55%
The Energy Select Sector	XLE	\$70.90	0.01%	1.43%	-5.87%
Utilities Select Sector	XLU	\$51.47	-0.04%	0.31%	5.97%
S&P 500	SPX	2,353.78	-0.14%	-0.38%	5.13%

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### HEDGEYE SECTOR RELATIVE PERFORMANCE

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Financial Select Sector	XLF	\$23.39
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Technology Select Sector	XLK	\$52.76
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Industrial Select Sector	XLI	\$65.38
Materials Select Sector	XLB	\$52.46
The Energy Select Sector	XLE	\$70.90
Utilities Select Sector	XLU	\$51.47

	<u>1-Day %</u>	<u>MTD %</u>	<u>YTD %</u>
Price	Chg	Chg	Chg
\$87.51	0.06%	-0.12%	2.37%
\$23.39	-0.15%	-1.05%	-4.53%
\$74.17	0.01%	0.12%	2.45%
\$52.76	-0.23%	-0.65%	3.96%
<mark>\$54.88</mark>	0.18%	0.93%	1.00%
\$65.38	0.28%	0.87%	-0.06%
\$52.46	-0.12%	0.47%	0.42%
\$70.90	0.16%	1.81%	-11.00%
\$51.47	0.10%	0.69%	0.84%

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## HEDGEYE STYLE FACTOR PERFORMANCE

	FACTOR	1D % Chg	1W % Chg	1M % Chg	3M % Chg	6M % Chg	YTD % Chg
	High Debt/EV	0.0%	0.4%	0.2%	2.4%	10.9%	4.2%
å	Low Debt/EV	-0.1%	0.2%	-0.5%	3.0%	8.7%	5.7%
SI	High Short Interest	0.0%	1.1%	0.6%	-0.9%	4.2%	0.5%
~	Low Short Interest	-0.1%	-0.1%	-1.0%	3.7%	12.8%	5.8%
BETA	High Beta	-0.1%	0.1%	-0.6%	1.2%	14.4%	4.3%
8	Low Beta	0.1%	0.6%	1.2%	5.2%	7.6%	5.5%
YIELD	High Yield	0.2%	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	4.6%	1.1%
, XIE	Low Yield	-0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	2.2%	8.8%	5.8%
MKT CAP	MCAP Bottom 25%	0.1%	0.7%	0.0%	-1.0%	3.6%	0.2%
2 2	MCAP Top 25%	-0.2%	-0.4%	-1.2%	3.5%	12.4%	5.5%
Sales	Top 25% Sales Growth	-0.1%	0.3%	1.3%	3.0%	10.8%	6.0%
Sa	Bottom 25% Sales Growth	0.1%	0.4%	-0.4%	1.2%	5.7%	2.1%
EPS	Top 25% EPS Growth	-0.1%	0.3%	1.9%	2.1%	12.3%	5.5%
<u> </u>	Bottom 25% EPS Growth	0.0%	0.6%	-0.1%	1.1%	5.2%	1.6%

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\*Mean Performance of Top Quartile vs. Bottom Quartile, S&P500 Companies



## **HEDGEYE RATES & SPREADS**

		1D	5D	1M	3M	vs. 52-V	Vk, Bps	vs.	vs.
	Price	Bps Chg	Bps Chg	Bps Chg	Bps Chg	High	Low	3Y Ave	5Y Ave
3M T-Bill	0.81%	0.5	3.6	7	30	-2	65	63	68
3M LIBOR	1.16%	0.0	0.6	3	13	0	53	65	73
2Y T-Note	1.23%	-4.0	-1.8	-12	5	-16	74	50	68
5Y T-Note	1.83%	-7.0	-6.0	-27	-5	-32	94	30	49
10Y T-Note	2.30%	-7.0	-6.4	-28	-8	-34	98	16	15
30Y T-Note	2.93%	-6.1	-7.1	-24	-3	-28	84	6	-9
2Y-10Y Spread, Bps	106	-3.0	-4.6	-15.9	-12	-18	24	-34	-53
IG SPREAD (AAABBB)	1.56%	0.0	0.0	2	1	-44	11	-13	-18
HIGH YIELD	5.65%	-1.0	-3.0	-44	-52	-225	2	-100	-89
5Y BREAKEVEN	1.86%	-2.6	-6.1	-14.6	-5.1	-21.7	60.8	30.0	13.9

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### **CFTC NON-COMMERCIAL NET LONG POSITIONING**

						Z-Score	
METRIC	Latest	W/W Chg	3M Ave	6M Ave	1Y Ave	1Y	3Y
SPX (Index + E-mini)	116,247	(36,907)	71,385	27,993	54,870	0.75X	1.33X
Russell 2000 (mini)	(54,098)	541	20,132	29,091	5,365	-1.37X	-0.94X
10Y Treasury	(16,398)	34,239	(252,050)	(198,004)	(75,937)	0.34X	0.36X
CRUDE OIL	462,560	4,552	519,241	472,896	414,984	0.59X	1.34X
GOLD	115,605	16,455	78,341	91,701	164,353	-0.60X	0.21X
COPPER	26,842	(2,979)	39,135	37,519	9,193	0.54X	1.42X
\$USD	42,914	(1,315)	47,076	49,711	31,145	0.63X	0.20X
ЛРҮ	(50,064)	8,644	(62,028)	(39,346)	7,794	-1.05X	-0.33X
EUR	(10,347)	(3,192)	(39,529)	(71,757)	(72,372)	1.70X	1.63X
GBP	(104,224)	4,178	(78,728)	(75,628)	(69,491)	-1.68X	-1.97X

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### **MARKET SHARE VOLUME & TOTAL VALUE TRADED**

INDEX/SECURITY	VOLUME: (4/11) vs.						
	Prior Day	<u>1M Ave</u>	<u>3M ave</u>	1Y Ave			
Total Market Volume*	30%	13%	14%	55%			
Total Exchange Volume**	17%	-3%	-5%	-6%			

\*Total Market Volume = Total US exchange volume plus OTC and OTCBB trading volume for all security types. Calculated by Bloomberg.

\*\*Tape A+B+C volume = total US exchange volume

\*\*\* Total Traded Value for Russell 3000 (total mkt proxy)

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## **KEY \$USD CORRELATIONS**

#### 52-Wk Rolling 30D Correlation

METRIC	15D	30D	90D	120D	180D	High	Low	% Time Pos	% Time Neg
SPX	0.56	0.61	-0.36	0.39	0.66	0.95	-0.75	53%	47%
BRENT Oil	0.93	0.58	0.33	0.55	0.70	0.77	-0.78	56%	44%
CRB Index	-0.77	0.04	-0.61	0.55	0.75	0.83	-0.86	33%	67%
GOLD	0.38	-0.56	-0.73	-0.79	-0.92	0.90	<b>-0.9</b> 7	17%	83%

\*Days = Trading Days

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