

# ETF WATCH

Your monthly round-up of UCITS ETF flows



## ETF flows rebound in April with €34.1 billion added

- UCITS ETF inflows recovered to €34.1 billion in April
- Flows were dominated by equity ETFs with over €25.9 billion
  - The positive trend in global equities continued with inflows reaching €17.7 billion
  - After a challenging March, US equities returned to positive territory (+€5.7 billion)
  - European equities posted net outflows for the first time since December 2024 (- €1.6 billion)
- Fixed income ETFs saw inflows of €8.4 billion in April
  - Government bond exposures led the way (+€3.9 billion)
  - Corporate bonds were also in demand (+€1.3 billion)

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## Highlights

**€34.1 bn**

ETF inflows

**€25.9bn**

Equity ETF inflows

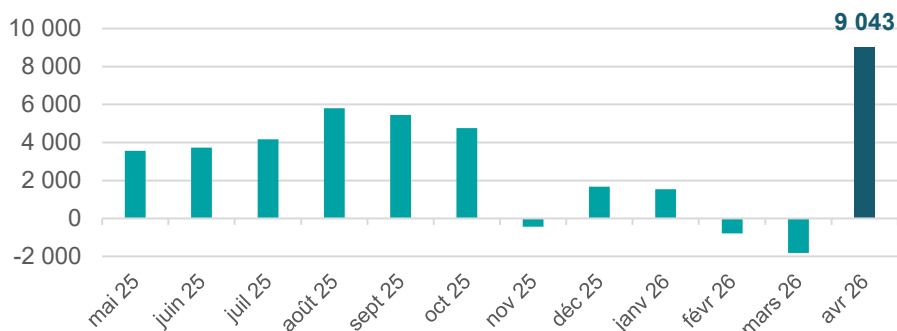
**€8.4 bn**

Fixed Income ETF inflows

## Graph of the month

### Strong dynamic for core US equities exposures in April

Monthly UCITS ETF flows into US core equity products, EUR mn



Source: ETFBook.com, BNP Paribas Asset Management as of 30/04/2026

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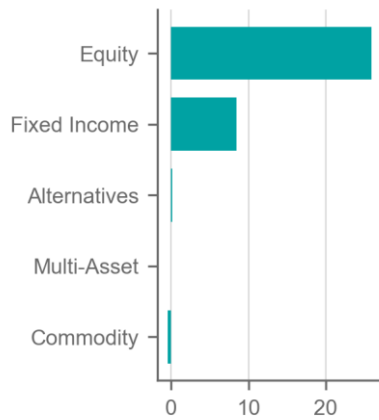
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# UCITS ETF Flows Overview

## 1-month cumulative flows

ETF Book asset classes, in EUR bn



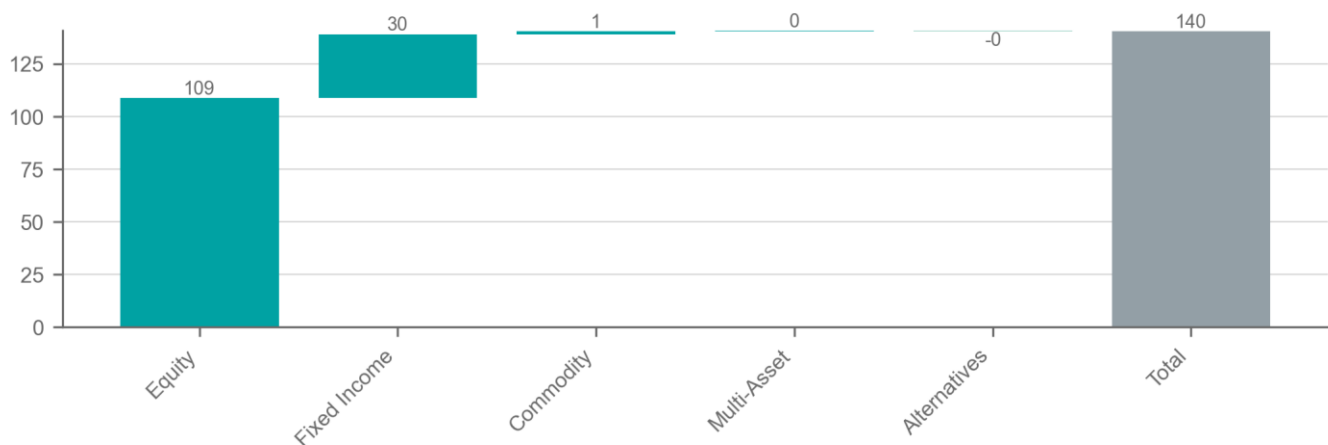
## AUM and flows overview

ETF Book asset classes, in EUR

	AUM (€ billion)	Flows in € million			
		1-Month	%	YTD	%
Equity	2,181.2	25,947	76%	108,775	77%
Fixed Income	593.8	8,436	25%	30,297	22%
Commodity	21.3	-422	-1%	1,382	1%
Multi-Asset	5.2	-3	-0%	219	0%
Alternatives	1.9	125	0%	-187	-0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,803.5</b>	<b>34,083</b>		<b>140,486</b>	

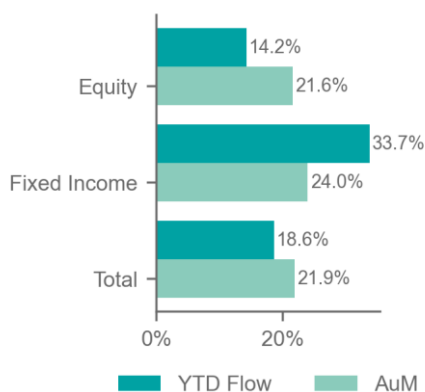
## YTD cumulative flows per asset classes

in EUR bn



## ESG market share AUM vs YTD flows

ETF Book asset classes



## ESG Focus : AUM and flows overview

ETF Book asset classes, in EUR

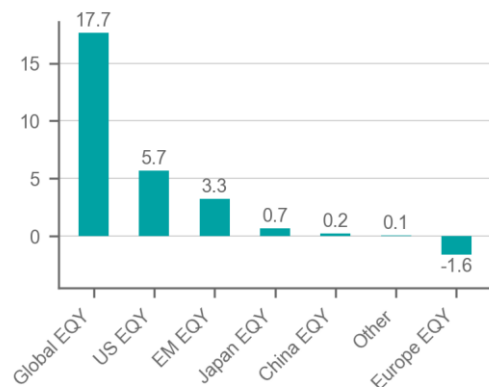
	AUM (€ billion)	Flows in € million			
		1-Month	% total market*	YTD	% total market*
Equity	470.8	2,505	10%	15,499	14%
Fixed Income	142.3	1,935	23%	10,217	34%
Commodity	0.4	14	-	252	18%
Multi-Asset	0.4	10	-	62	28%
Alternatives	0.3	93	75%	93	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>614.2</b>	<b>4,558</b>	<b>13.4%</b>	<b>26,123</b>	<b>18.6%</b>

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## Equity focus

### 1-month cumulative flows

ETF Book region focus, in EUR bn



### AUM and flows overview

ETF Book region focus, in EUR

	AUM (€ billion)	Flows in € million			
		1-Month	% ESG	YTD	% ESG
Global EQY	716.9	17,651	28%	54,816	23%
US EQY	737.6	5,668	-52%	13,895	-19%
Europe EQY	409.2	-1,620	-6%	16,946	19%
Japan EQY	59.6	665	-79%	2,039	-7%
EM EQY	202.3	3,261	20%	21,276	15%
China EQY	21.1	248	32%	-1,281	7%
Other	34.4	74	215%	1,083	-47%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,181.2</b>	<b>25,947</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>108,775</b>	<b>14.2%</b>

## Fixed Income focus

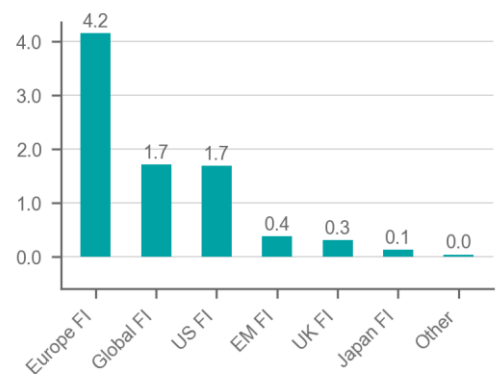
### AUM and flows overview

ETF Book region focus, in EUR

	AUM (€ billion)	Flows in € million			
		1-Month	% ESG	YTD	% ESG
Global FI	97.3	1,715	41%	9,270	44%
US FI	177.6	1,696	-10%	3,629	-25%
Europe FI	257.9	4,157	31%	13,414	50%
UK FI	24.6	310	-24%	638	-20%
Japan FI	2.3	135	0%	993	0%
EM FI	33.6	380	58%	2,278	22%
Other	0.5	44	-34%	74	6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>593.8</b>	<b>8,436</b>	<b>22.9%</b>	<b>30,297</b>	<b>33.7%</b>

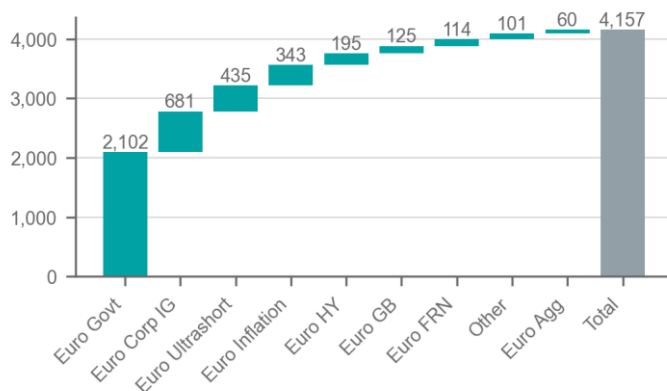
### 1-month cumulative flows

ETF Book region focus, in EUR bn



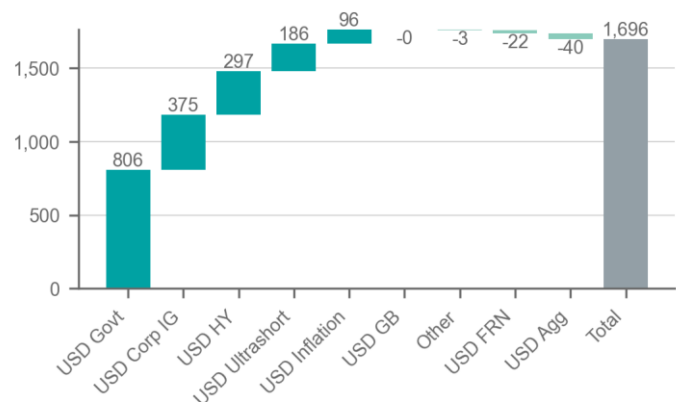
### Europe FI focus: 1 month flows per sub categories

ETF Book sub asset classes, in EUR mn



### US FI focus: 1 month flows per sub categories

ETF Book sub asset classes, in EUR mn



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# Active ETFs focus

## 1-month cumulative flows

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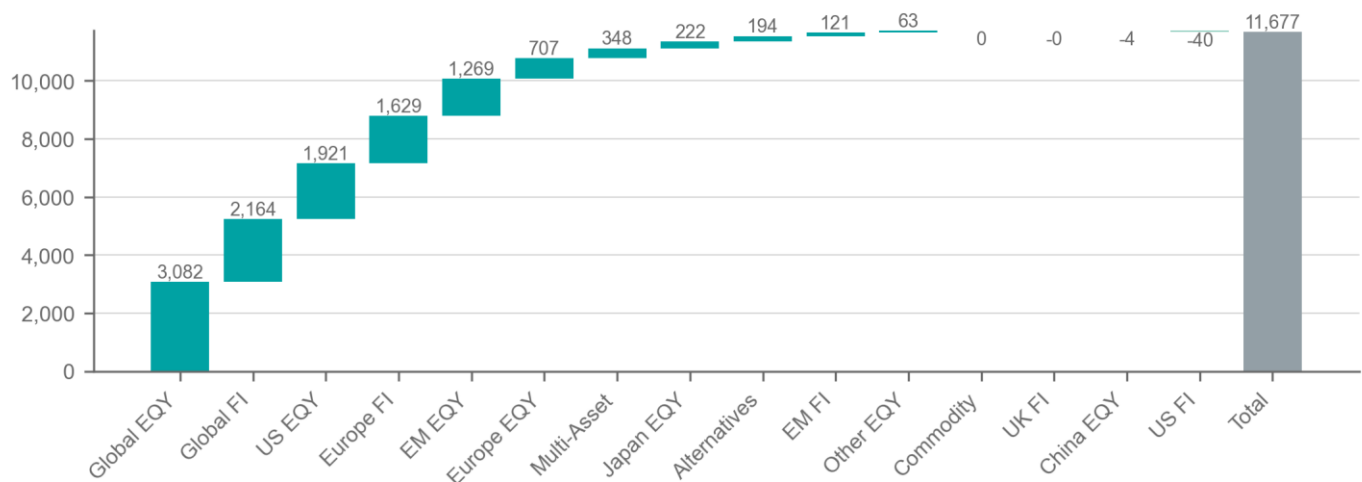
## AUM and flows overview

ETF Book asset classes, in EUR

	AUM (€ billion)	Flows in € million			
		1-Month	%	YTD	%
Equity	69.5	2,677	79%	7,261	62%
Fixed Income	24.5	522	15%	3,874	33%
Commodity	0.0	0	0%	0	0%
Multi-Asset	3.8	82	2%	348	3%
Alternatives	0.4	112	3%	194	2%
<b>Total</b>	<b>98.3</b>	<b>3,392</b>		<b>11,677</b>	

## YTD cumulative flows per category

ETF Book asset classes and region focus, in EUR mn



## AUM and flows overview versus overall ETF market

ETF Book asset classes, in EUR

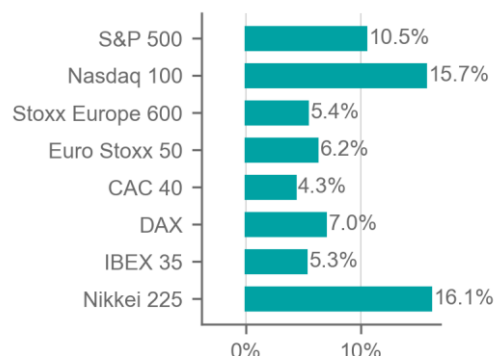
	AUM (€ billion)	% total market	Flows in € million			
			1-Month	% total market*	YTD	% total market*
Equity	69.5	3%	2,677	10%	7,261	7%
Fixed Income	24.5	4%	522	6%	3,874	13%
Commodity	0.0	0%	0	-0%	0	0%
Multi-Asset	3.8	72%	82	-	348	159%
Alternatives	0.4	22%	112	89%	194	-104%
<b>Total</b>	<b>98.3</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>3,392</b>	<b>10.0%</b>	<b>11,677</b>	<b>8.3%</b>

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# Equity Indices Overview

## 1-month performance

Last month performance in index currency



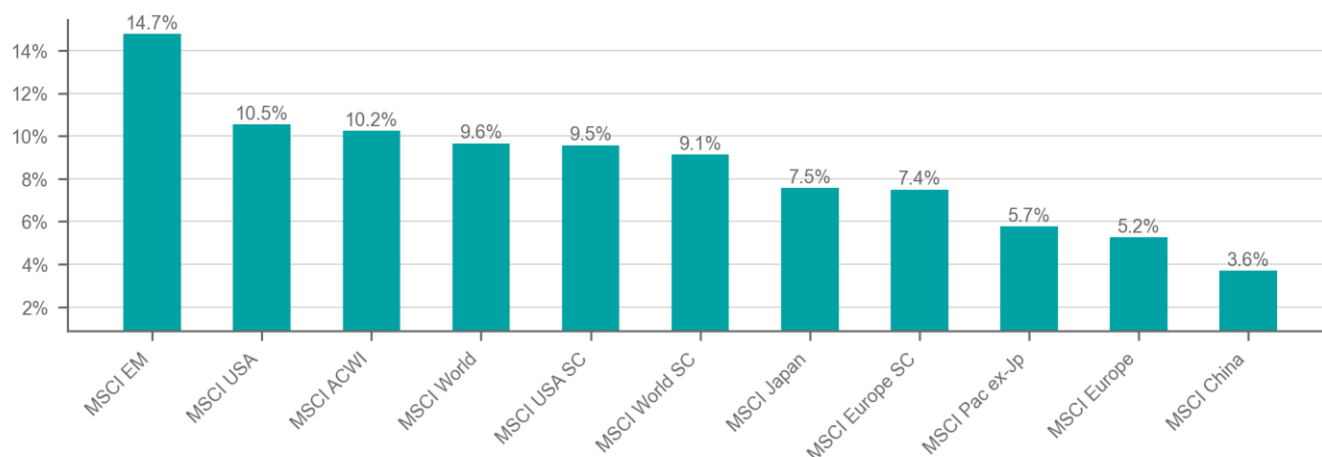
## Stock market major indices overview

Performances in index currency

	Performances			Fundamentals	
	1M	3M	1Y	PE	Div yield
S&P 500	10.5%	4.1%	30.6%	26.0	1.11%
Nasdaq 100	15.7%	7.6%	40.9%	39.6	0.51%
Stoxx Europe 600	5.4%	1.1%	19.0%	16.9	3.03%
Euro Stoxx 50	6.2%	-0.3%	16.8%	17.7	2.82%
CAC 40	4.3%	0.4%	9.6%	17.1	3.20%
DAX	7.0%	-1.2%	7.2%	18.3	2.43%
IBEX 35	5.3%	0.4%	37.8%	15.0	3.38%
Nikkei 225	16.1%	11.8%	66.8%	24.3	1.42%

## 1-month regional performances

Net total return



## Regional overview

Net total return

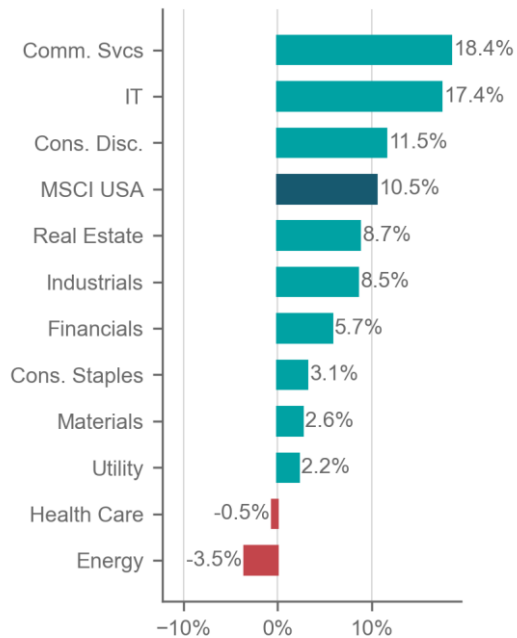
	Performances			Fundamentals	
	1M	3M	1Y	PE	Div yield
<b>Large &amp; Mid Cap</b>					
MSCI ACWI	10.2%	3.6%	31.0%	22.6	1.61%
MSCI World	9.6%	3.4%	29.2%	23.4	1.55%
MSCI USA	10.5%	4.1%	30.3%	26.3	1.10%
MSCI Europe	5.2%	1.1%	18.4%	17.1	2.96%
MSCI Japan	7.5%	5.4%	43.4%	19.5	1.92%
MSCI Pacific ex-Japan	5.7%	1.8%	25.2%	20.1	3.55%
MSCI EM	14.7%	5.2%	46.7%	18.3	2.11%
MSCI China	3.6%	-9.9%	12.4%	13.6	2.17%
<b>Small Cap</b>					
MSCI World Small Cap	9.1%	4.6%	36.7%	22.0	1.95%
MSCI USA Small Cap	9.5%	6.5%	39.4%	24.1	1.39%
MSCI Europe Small Cap	7.4%	0.9%	17.8%	16.7	3.36%

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## Sector focus

### 1-month US sectors performances

Last month performance in USD



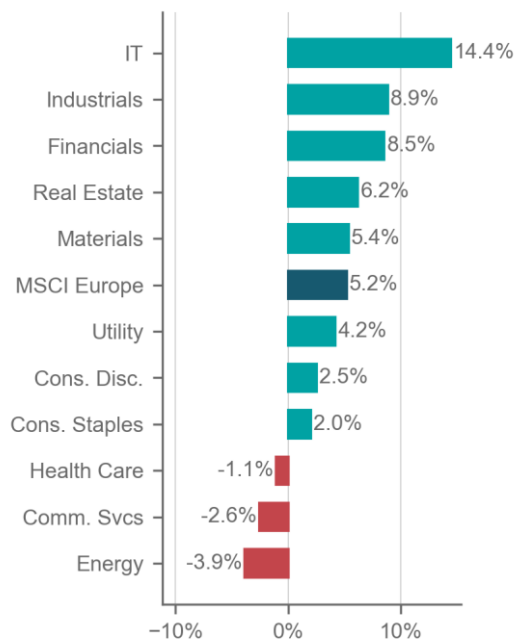
### MSCI USA sectors overview

Performances in USD

	Performances			Fundamentals		
	1M	3M	1Y	PE	12M Fwd PE	Div Yield
<b>MSCI USA</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>4.1%</b>	<b>30.3%</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>1.10%</b>
Comm. Svcs	18.4%	4.0%	55.2%	27.8	22.2	0.62%
Cons. Staples	3.1%	3.3%	7.9%	24.4	23.4	2.30%
Cons. Disc.	11.5%	-0.7%	23.7%	32.2	27.3	0.60%
Energy	-3.5%	16.5%	49.4%	21.8	15.1	2.56%
Financials	5.7%	-2.3%	9.5%	16.5	15.3	1.63%
Health Care	-0.5%	-5.4%	5.2%	19.0	18.1	1.74%
Industrials	8.5%	6.5%	34.5%	30.0	27.9	1.17%
IT	17.4%	8.4%	47.8%	35.9	24.9	0.50%
Materials	2.6%	3.4%	23.2%	25.4	18.5	1.57%
Real Estate	8.7%	8.0%	10.7%	21.0	37.4	3.16%
Utility	2.2%	8.7%	20.4%	21.9	19.7	2.57%

### 1-month European sectors performances

Last month performance in EUR



### MSCI Europe sectors overview

Performances in EUR

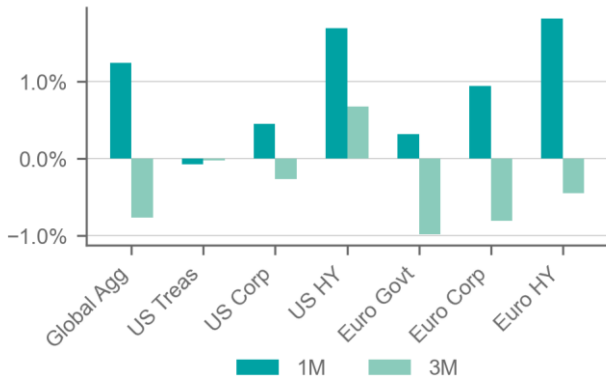
	Performances			Fundamentals		
	1M	3M	1Y	PE	12M Fwd PE	Div Yield
<b>MSCI Europe</b>	<b>5.2%</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>18.4%</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>2.96%</b>
Comm. Svcs	-2.6%	1.8%	-4.9%	19.3	16.3	3.13%
Cons. Staples	2.0%	-0.7%	-1.8%	15.9	15.5	3.81%
Cons. Disc.	2.5%	-9.1%	-7.7%	17.8	15.2	2.89%
Energy	-3.9%	28.3%	61.1%	14.4	11.0	3.88%
Financials	8.5%	-0.4%	27.2%	11.6	11.2	4.24%
Health Care	-1.1%	-6.0%	6.8%	16.4	15.9	2.54%
Industrials	8.9%	1.0%	24.1%	26.3	23.4	1.81%
IT	14.4%	6.5%	36.3%	36.0	30.9	0.94%
Materials	5.4%	5.4%	25.2%	22.2	17.2	2.57%
Real Estate	6.2%	-1.5%	1.1%	18.7	16.6	4.11%
Utility	4.2%	9.7%	35.9%	18.0	16.2	3.55%

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# Fixed Income Indices Overview

## Major indices performance

Last month performance in index currency



## Major indices overview

Performances in index currency

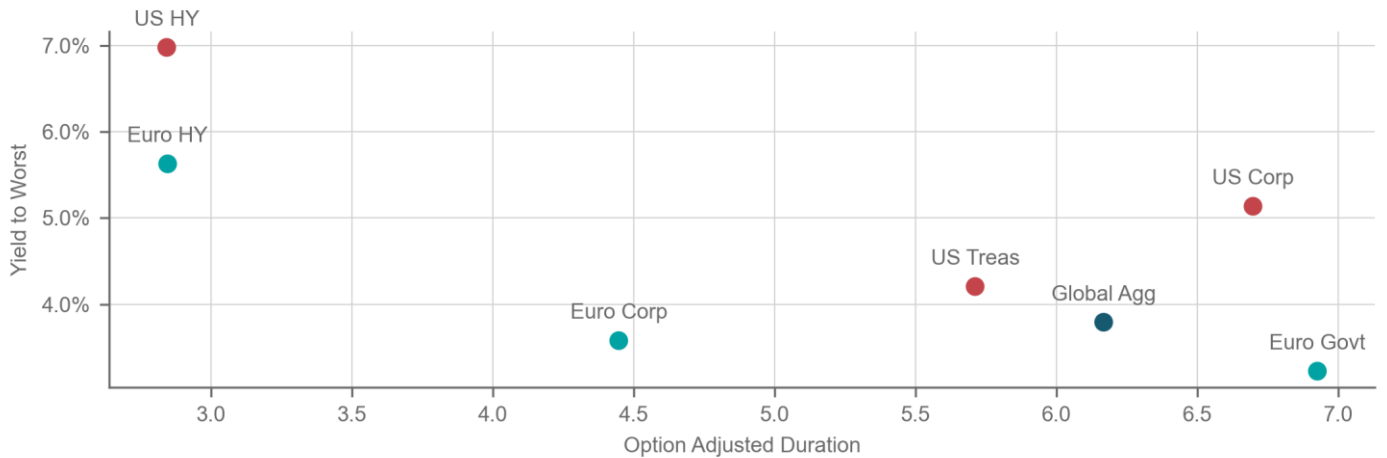
	Performance			Characteristics	
	1M	3M	1Y	Yield	Duration
Global Agg	1.2%	-0.8%	2.5%	3.8%	6.2
US Treas	-0.1%	-0.0%	2.5%	4.2%	5.7
US Corp	0.5%	-0.3%	5.3%	5.1%	6.7
US HY	1.7%	0.7%	8.8%	7.0%	2.8
Euro Govt	0.3%	-1.0%	-0.4%	3.2%	6.9
Euro Corp	0.9%	-0.8%	2.0%	3.6%	4.4
Euro HY	1.8%	-0.4%	4.6%	5.6%	2.8

## Historical credit spreads

Option adjusted spread in %



## Yield / Duration profile for major indices

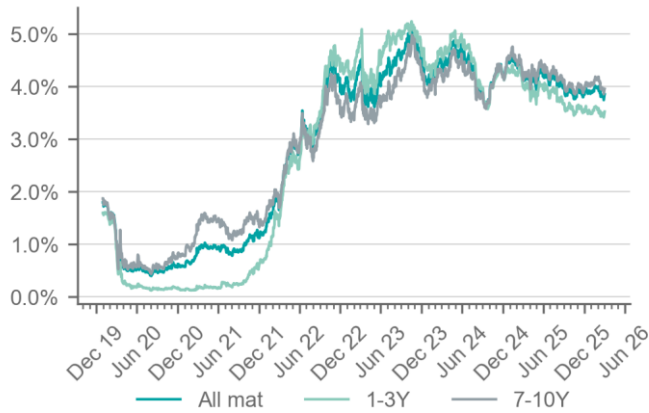


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# US focus

## US Treasury indices historical yields

Last month performance in USD



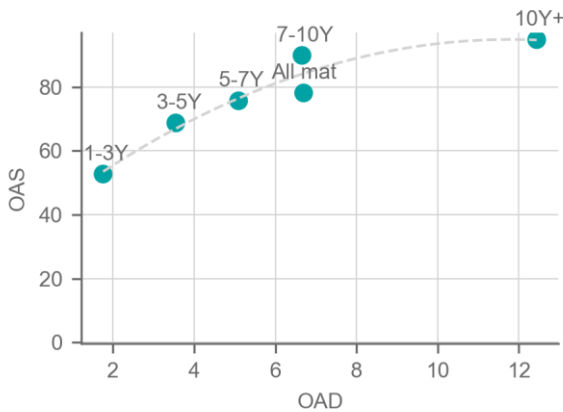
## US Treasuries indices overview

Performances in USD

	Performance			Characteristics	
	1M	3M	1Y	Yield	Duration
US Treasury	-0.1%	-0.0%	2.5%	4.2%	5.7
UST 1-3Y	0.2%	0.3%	3.1%	3.9%	1.8
UST 3-5Y	0.0%	-0.0%	2.7%	4.0%	3.7
UST 5-7Y	-0.0%	-0.0%	2.8%	4.1%	5.3
UST 7-10Y	-0.1%	0.0%	2.9%	4.3%	7.0
UST10Y+	-0.7%	-0.6%	0.9%	5.0%	14.3

## US Corporate Credit spread / Duration

Option-adjusted spread vs Option-adjusted duration



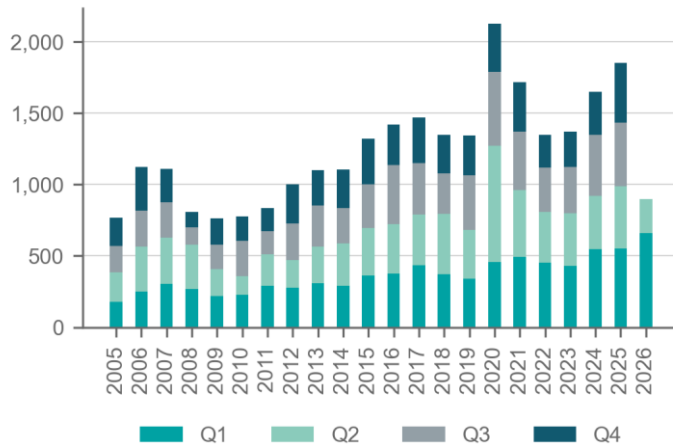
## US Corporate indices overview

Performances in USD

	Performance			Characteristics		
	1M	3M	1Y	Yield	OAS	Dur.
US Corp	0.5%	-0.3%	5.3%	5.1%	78.1	6.7
US Corp 1-3Y	0.4%	0.3%	4.3%	4.4%	52.7	1.8
US Corp 3-5Y	0.5%	0.0%	4.9%	4.7%	68.7	3.5
US Corp 5-7Y	0.5%	-0.2%	5.6%	4.9%	75.7	5.1
US Corp 7-10Y	0.6%	-0.1%	6.5%	5.2%	89.9	6.7
US Corp 10Y+	0.4%	-0.9%	5.5%	5.9%	94.8	12.4
US HY	1.7%	0.7%	8.8%	7.0%	271.2	2.8

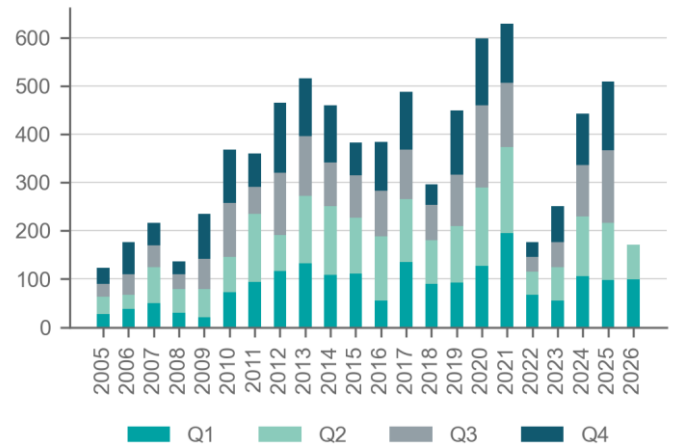
## USD IG quarterly gross new issuance

in USD bn



## USD HY quarterly gross new issuance

in USD bn

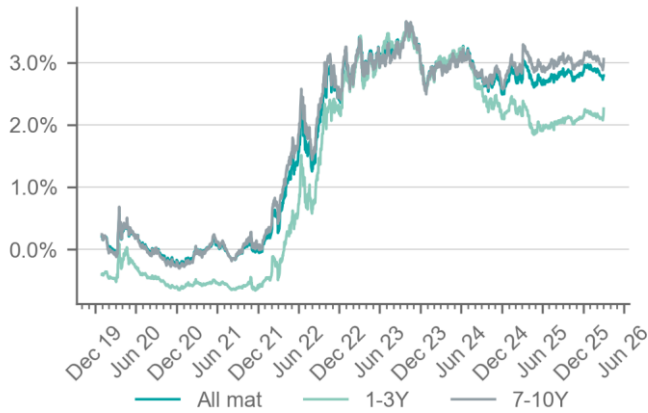


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# Euro focus

## Euro Government indices historical yields

Last month performance in EUR



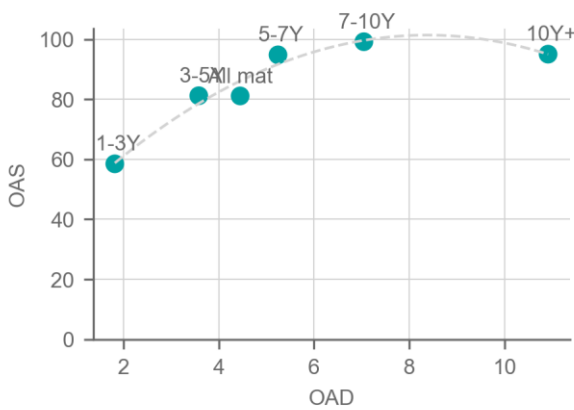
## Euro Government indices overview

Performances in EUR

	Performance			Characteristics	
	1M	3M	1Y	Yield	Duration
Euro Govt	0.3%	-1.0%	-0.4%	3.2%	6.9
Euro Govt 1-3Y	0.3%	-0.5%	0.7%	2.7%	1.8
Euro Govt 3-5Y	0.4%	-1.0%	0.2%	2.9%	3.7
Euro Govt 5-7Y	0.5%	-1.2%	0.2%	3.1%	5.5
Euro Govt 7-10Y	0.5%	-1.3%	0.1%	3.4%	7.3
Euro Govt 10Y+	0.2%	-1.2%	-2.3%	3.9%	14.0

## Euro Corporate Credit spread / Duration

Option-adjusted spread vs Option-adjusted duration



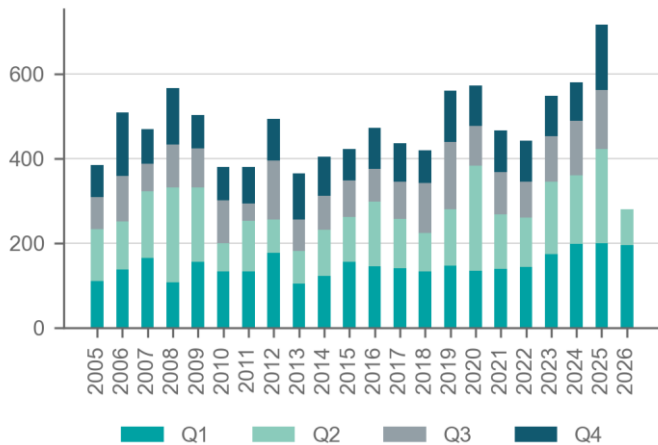
## Euro Corporate indices overview

Performances in EUR

	Performance			Characteristics		
	1M	3M	1Y	Yield	OAS	Dur.
Euro Corp	0.9%	-0.8%	2.0%	3.6%	81.1	4.4
Euro Corp 1-3Y	0.6%	-0.3%	1.9%	3.2%	58.5	1.8
Euro Corp 3-5Y	0.9%	-0.9%	2.0%	3.5%	81.2	3.6
Euro Corp 5-7Y	1.2%	-1.1%	2.2%	3.7%	94.8	5.2
Euro Corp 7-10Y	1.3%	-1.1%	2.2%	3.9%	99.2	7.0
Euro Corp 10Y+	1.2%	-1.0%	0.9%	4.2%	95.0	10.9
Euro HY	1.8%	-0.4%	4.6%	5.6%	282.3	2.8

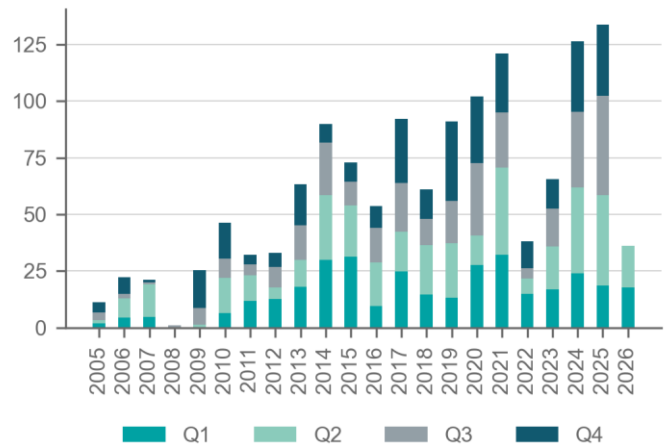
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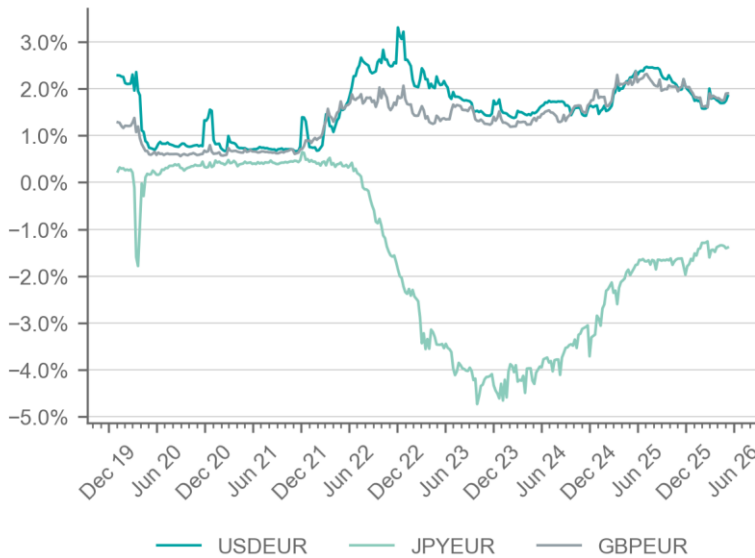
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# Market Parameters Overview

## FX hedging

### Historical cost of hedging into EUR

Using 1-month forward cost annualised



### Cost of hedging for major currencies

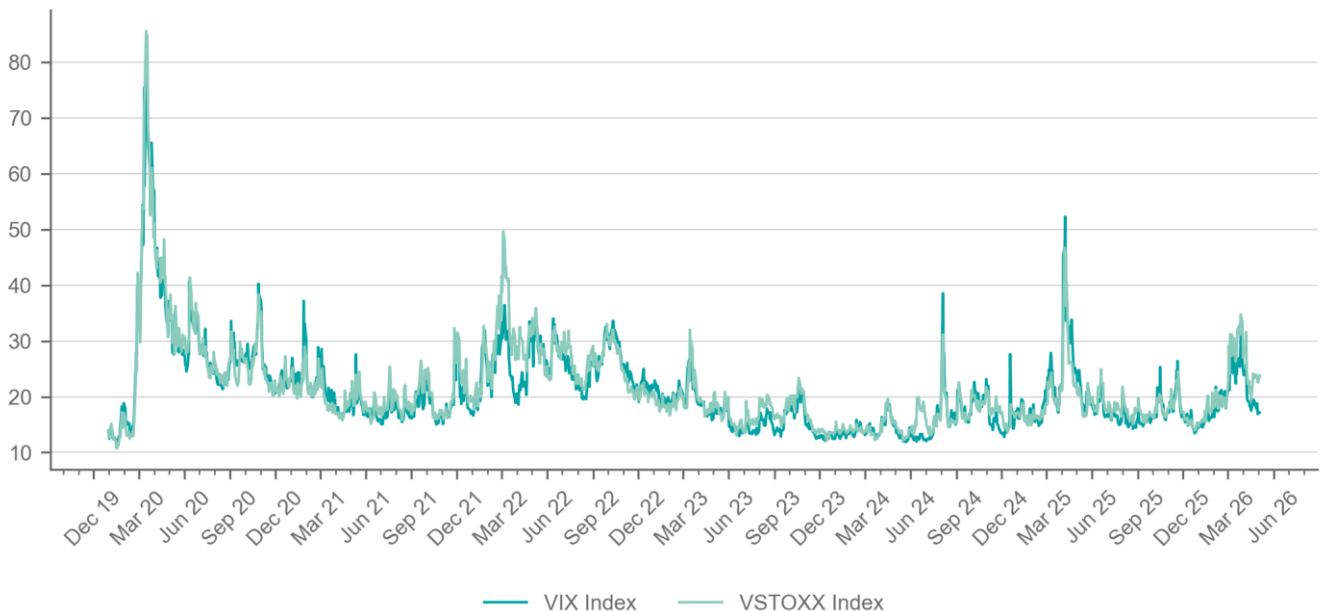
Using 1-month forward cost annualised

To	EUR	USD	GBP	JPY
From				
EUR	-	-1.74	-1.78	1.45
USD	1.74	-	-0.05	3.2
GBP	1.78	0.05	-	3.24
JPY	-1.45	-3.2	-3.24	-

## Market volatility indicators

### Historical VIX and VSTOXX levels

Since December 2019



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## GLOSSARY

ETF	Exchange Traded Fund	PE	Price-to-earnings ratio
ESG	Environmental, Social and Governance	Div. yield	Dividend Yield
AUM	Asset under management	12M Fwd PE	12-month forward price-to-earnings ratio
YTD	Year-to-date	Dur.	Duration
EQY	Equity	OAS	Option-adjusted spread
FI	Fixed Income	OAD	Option-adjusted duration
HY	High Yield		
IG	Investment Grade		

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