



The Morning Email: Treasuries

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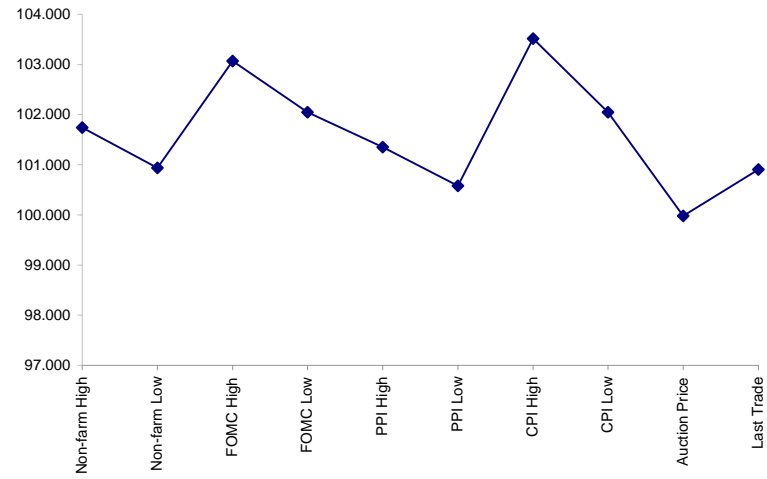
Economic Releases (32nds)

	5y	10y	ZNZ8	ZBZ8	Date
Non-farm High	101.2375	103.255	117.240	120.080	9/5/2008
Non-farm Low	100.3000	102.260	116.200	119.010	9/5/2008
FOMC High	103.0225	105.165	118.225	122.270	9/16/2008
FOMC Low	102.0150	104.055	117.200	121.170	9/16/2008
PPI High	101.1125	103.090	116.280	120.095	9/12/2008
PPI Low	100.1850	102.065	115.250	118.170	9/12/2008
CPI High	103.1650	106.105	119.115	123.265	9/16/2008
CPI Low	102.0150	104.055	117.200	121.170	9/16/2008
Auction Price	99.3141	99.124	na	na	
Last Trade	100.2900	102.010	115.140	118.045	9/29/2008 6:08

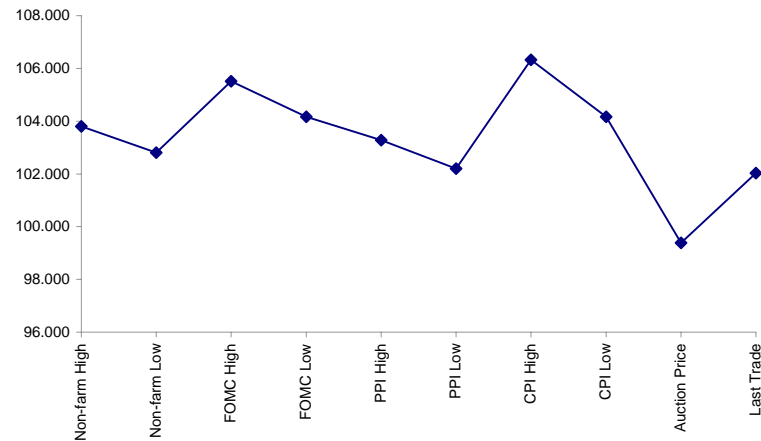
Auctions - 32nds

	2 y	5y	10y	30y
Auction Price	99.776	99.314	99.124	98.074
Auction Yield Stop	2.115	3.129	4.075	4.609
Actual Auction Date	9/24/2008	9/25/2008	8/6/2008	8/7/2008

5y (Decimal)



10y (Decimal)



Notes:

- 1) Cash and futures are adjusted for roll.
- 2) Release times are from release to 2pm cdt
- 3) {Dec08 to Mch08 Futures roll: ZF = (); ZN = (); ZB = () [tics]}

Quotes

		32 nds					
	Last	Net	High	Low	Open	Volume	Sym Name
TUAZ8	106.267	0.055	106.270	106.157	106.180	20,034	2y Fut
FVAZ8	112.167	0.115	112.170	111.255	111.297	43,315	5y Fut
TYAZ8	115.140	0.200	115.150	114.090	114.160	87,754	10y Fut
USAZ8	118.045	0.23	118.045	116.250	117.040	19,101	30y Fut
	Last	Net	High	Low	Open	Volume	Sym Name
BUS02P	100.007	0.065	100.015	99.250	99.250	na	2y Cash
BUS05P	100.285	0.180	100.290	100.090	100.100	na	5y Cash
BUS10P	102.005	0.260	102.010	101.025	101.060	na	10y Cash
BUS30P	103.085	1.075	103.110	101.270	101.290	na	30y Cash
	Last	Net	High	Low	Open	Volume	Sym Name
BUS02Y	1.981	(0.100)	2.137	1.969	2.137	na	2y Yield
BUS05Y	2.927	(0.115)	3.071	2.927	3.071	na	5y Yield
BUS10Y	3.750	(0.096)	3.905	3.748	3.854	na	10y Yield
BUS30Y	4.298	(0.072)	4.392	4.296	4.368	na	30y Yield

	M Duration	DV01 32	DV01 \$	DV01 Box	CF	
30y	16.24	5.40	\$1,688	10.80	n/a	30y
10y	8.08	2.65	\$829	5.30	n/a	10y
5y	4.60	1.50	\$470	6.01	n/a	5y
2y	1.95	0.62	\$195	2.50	n/a	2y
ZB	10.39	3.99	\$125	3.99	0.7943	ZB
ZN	6.26	2.38	\$74	4.76	0.8568	ZN
ZF	4.12	1.53	\$48	3.06	0.8826	ZF
ZT	1.95	0.67	\$21	2.67	0.9344	ZT

Yield Curve Spreads

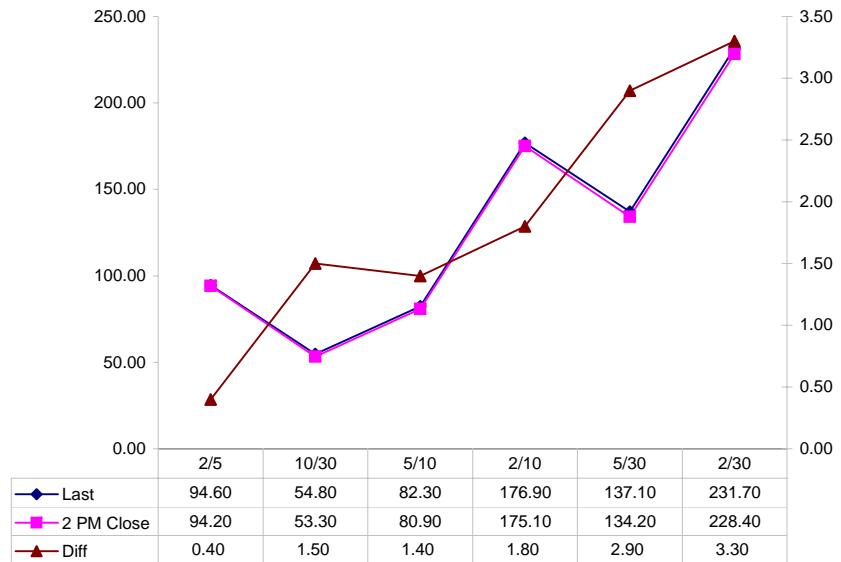
	Last	2pm close	Diff
2/5	94.60	94.20	0.40
10/30	54.80	53.30	1.50
5/10	82.30	80.90	1.40
2/10	176.90	175.10	1.80
5/30	137.10	134.20	2.90
2/30	231.70	228.40	3.30

DV01 32, said differently, is "how many TICS are in a basis point?".

Example, If ZN moves 1~basis point, then, it's moved 2.38 tics (Today, 06/25/08, the value in the box is 2.38).

Since ZN trades in half tics, then, 4.80 boxes = 1 basis point in ZN. (Again, today, 08/07/08, the value in the box is 4.80). Of course the values will be different as you look at this. But, they won't be that much different. So, I think you can get the idea I'm trying to get across.

Curve Spreads vs 2pm close



Notes

CF = Conversion Factor

MDuration = Modified Macaulay Duration

MDuration & DV01s for Futures are based on proxy issue (CTD)

DV01 Box = Dollar Value of 1 basis point move per Box

US Financial Futures / Eurex Bond

	ZB	ZN	ZF	ZT
Bund (U)	0.932	1.559	2.499	2.834
Bobl (U)	0.531	0.883	1.360	1.570
Shatz (U)	0.204	0.339	0.610	0.693

US Financial Futures

	ZB	ZN	ZF	ZT
ZB		1.675	2.603	2.981
ZN	0.597		1.554	1.779
ZF	0.384	0.644		1.145
ZT	0.335	0.562	0.873	

Eurex Bonds

	Bund (H)	Bobl (H)	Shatz (H)
Bund (H)		1.8	4.1
Bobl (H)	0.6		2.3
Shatz (H)	0.2	0.4	

US Treasuries v US Financial Futures

	2y	5y	10y	30y
ZB	1.57	3.83	6.66	13.55
ZN	2.63	6.42	11.15	22.71
ZF	4.08	9.98	17.33	35.28
ZT	4.67	11.42	19.84	39.85

US Treasuries v Eurex Bonds

	2y	5y	10y	30y
Bund (U)	1.6	3.9	7.1	14.7
Bobl (U)	2.9	6.9	12.6	25.9
Shatz (U)	6.7	16.0	29.1	59.8

US Treasuries

	2y	5y	10y	30y
2y		2.445	4.246	8.647
5y	0.420		1.784	3.632
10y	0.235	0.576		2.036
30y	0.116	0.283	0.491	

Note: If you are looking at a matrix with Eurex products then those ratios are pulled from Bloomberg and are static. Meaning, I only update them once in a while but always on rolls. I calculate the other matrices, with US products, everyday

Treasury Closes: 2pm CT vs this Morning

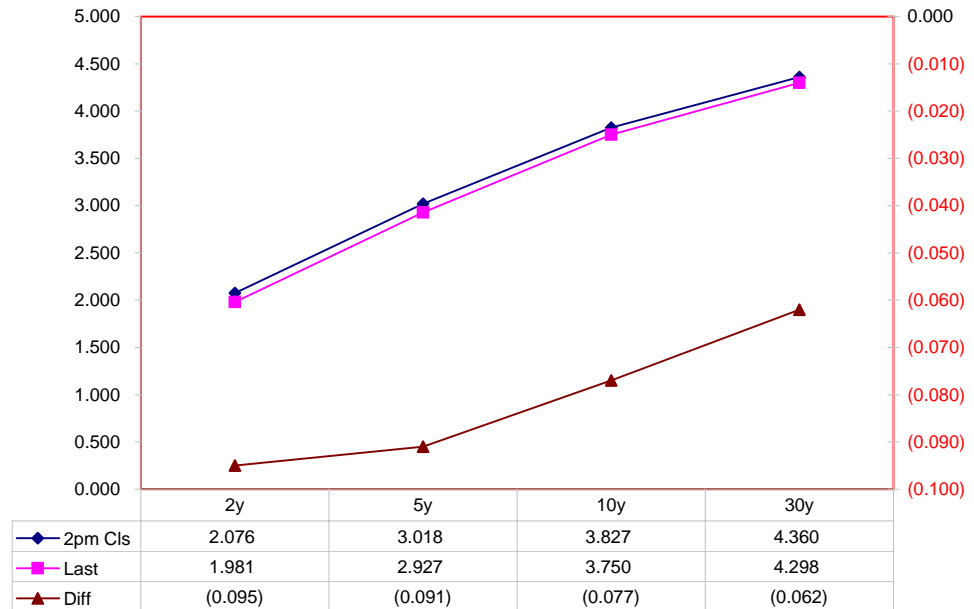
	Cpn	Mty	Close 32	Close	Last	Chng	Basis		Cash	Futrues	Close 32	Last	
						from 2pm	Close	Last	Roll	Roll			
2y	2.000	9/30/10	99.2725	2.076	1.981	(0.095)	5.68	6.57		0.100	106.2150	106.2670	TUAZ8
5y	3.125	9/30/13	100.1575	3.018	2.927	(0.091)	48.10	51.02		1.155	112.0500	112.1670	FVAZ8
10y	4.000	8/15/18	101.130	3.827	3.750	(0.077)	97.12	99.98		1.002	114.260	115.140	TYAZ8
30y	4.500	5/15/38	102.100	4.360	4.298	(0.062)	289.02	304.15		0.302	117.140	118.045	USAZ8

Curve Spreads			
	Chng from		
	Close bps	Last bps	2pm Cls
2/5	94.2	94.6	0.4
5/10	80.9	82.3	1.4
10/30	53.3	54.8	1.5
2/10	175.1	176.9	1.8
5/30	134.2	137.1	2.9
2/30	228.4	231.7	3.3

	Last	Chng on Day
Emini SP	1190.00	(24.50)
Crude Oil	103.04	(3.85)
Gold	886.70	(1.80)
EURUSD	143.41	(2.77)
USDJPY	106.15	0.13

News:

US Treasuries Last v 2pm Close



Notes:
 Basis = (Cash Decimal - (Futures Decimal * CF))*32
 MDuration for Curve Spreads:
 Longer duration minus shorter duration
 32 = price is quoted in 32nds

Cash Duration Matrix

What is this? (1):
 2yr cash has X% duration of 5yr cash.

Cash Duration Matrix

	2	5	10	30
2	100%			
5	42%	100%		
10	24%	57%	100%	
30	12%	28%	50%	100%

What is this? (2):
 - 2yr cash has DV01 of X\$.
 - Multiply the 2yr DV01 by the percent duration to come up with what the 2yrs DV01 SHOULD be compared to the 5yr.

Cash Matrix [DV01 x Duration]

	2	5	10	30
2	\$195			
5	\$202	\$477		
10	\$200	\$472	\$829	
30	\$203	\$478	\$840	\$1,688

What is this? (3):
 - Now you can see the over/under value, based on the DV01, from contract to contract. In this example we are looking at the 2yr compared to the 5yr.

Cash Matrix [DV01 over / (under) valued]

	2	5	10	30
2				
5	(\$7)			
10	(\$5)	\$5		
30	(\$8)	(\$1)	(\$11)	

Or you can look at the over/under value as a percentage instead of dollar terms

Cash Matrix [DV01 over / (under) as %]

	2	5	10	30
2				
5	-3.53%			
10	-2.44%	1.13%		
30	-3.73%	-0.21%	-1.32%	

Tic for Tic Matrix

	2y	5y	10y	30y
ZT	0.93	2.28	3.97	8.08
ZF	0.41	1.00	1.73	3.53
ZN	0.26	0.64	1.12	2.27
ZB	0.16	0.38	0.67	1.36

	2y	5y	10y	30y
2y		2.45	4.25	8.65
5y	0.41		1.74	3.54
10y	0.24	0.58		2.04
30y	0.12	0.28	0.49	

	ZT	ZF	ZN	ZB
ZT		2.29	3.56	5.96
ZF	0.44		1.55	2.60
ZN	0.28	0.64		1.68
ZB	0.17	0.38	0.60	

Box for Box Matrix

	2y	5y	10y	30y
ZT	0.93	2.28	7.94	16.16
ZF	0.41	1.00	3.47	7.06
ZN	0.53	1.28	1.12	2.27
ZB	0.63	0.77	1.33	1.36

	2y	5y	10y	30y
2y		2.45	2.12	4.32
5y	0.41		0.43	1.77
10y	0.47	2.30		2.04
30y	0.23	0.57	0.49	

	ZT	ZF	ZN	ZB
ZT		2.29	7.12	11.92
ZF	0.44		1.55	5.21
ZN	0.14	0.64		1.68
ZB	0.08	0.19	0.60	

	Libor\$ ¹	Repo Rt ⁶			
0/N	2.569	0.450			
1week	3.894	1.750			
2week	3.923	1.750			
	Libor\$ ¹	Tbill	CP ²		
1M	3.720	0.129	3.800		
3M	3.883	0.840	3.970		
6M	3.834	1.478	4.020		
	TSY	Swp	Swp Rate ⁵	ED Pks ³	TSY - ED Pk ⁴
2y	1.980	145.75	3.44	3.869	1.889
5y	2.929	113.00	4.06	4.771	1.843
10y	3.750	68.75	4.44	4.945	1.196

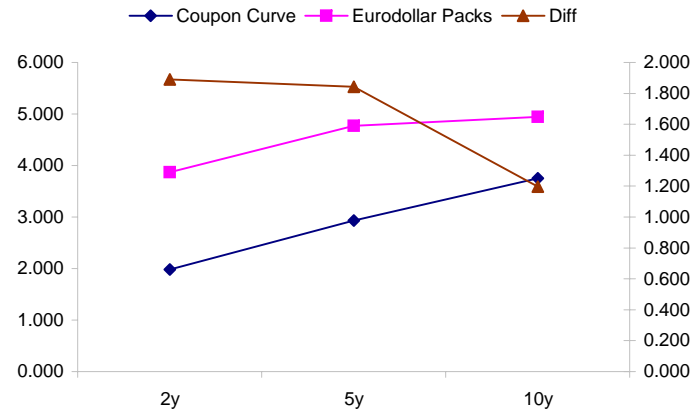
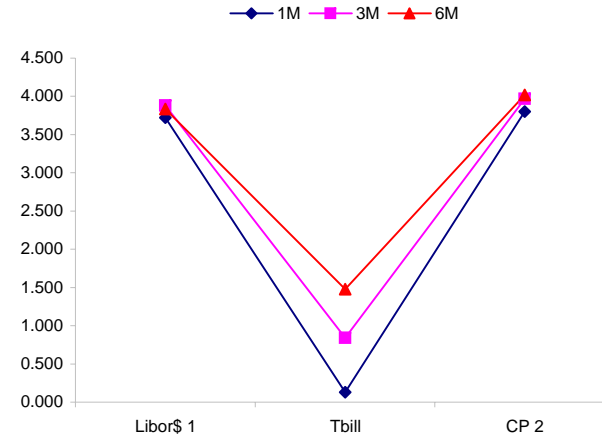
<u>2/5</u>	<u>Rd/Blu Pk</u>	<u>Diff</u>
94.9	90.2	-4.7
<u>2/10</u>	<u>Rd/Gld Pk</u>	<u>Diff</u>
177.0	107.6	-69.4
<u>5/10</u>	<u>Blu/Gld Pk</u>	<u>Diff</u>
82.1	17.4	-64.7

Red pack / Blue pack is a 2/5 proxy
 Red pack / Gold pack is a 2/10 proxy
 Blue pack / Gold pack is a 5/10 proxy

"Swap spreads are essentially a measure of the difference between buying a safe government bond and making a riskier loan to a bank"
 --WSJ

Notes:

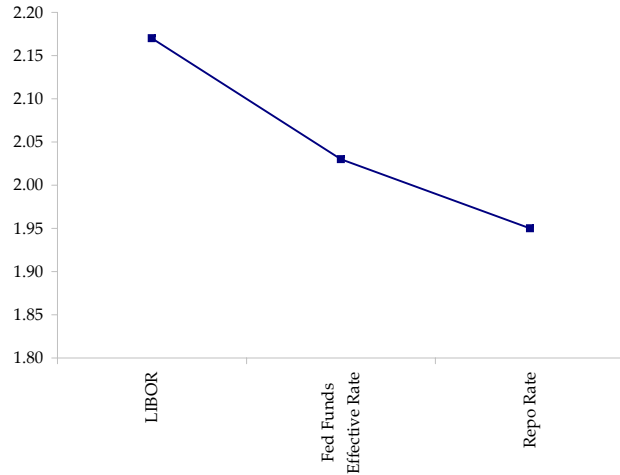
- 1) Quoted in US Dollars
- 2) CP = Commercial Paper
- 3) ED Pks are colored for pack identifications. Example, the red pack is a 2-yr proxy and is colored red.
- 4) TSY yield minus ED Pk yield
- 5) Swap divided by 100 + TSY yield gives swap rate in basis points.
- 6) Repo Rt quotes is for overnight General Collateral



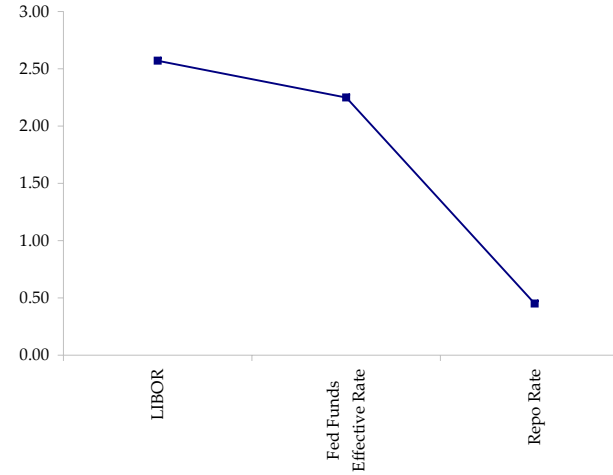
	Last	Chng	Term	Asset Type
USDLIBON	2.569	0.2563	Overnight	LIBOR
TUSFFRON	2.250	2.1250	Overnight	Fed Funds Effective Rate
TUSRPOON	0.450	0.0000	Overnight	Repo Rate
TEONIA01M	4.137	(0.0500)	1 month	Euribor OIS Rate
TEONIA03M	4.101	(0.0640)	3 month	Euribor OIS Rate
TSONIA01M	4.873	0.0500	1 month	Sterling OIS Rate
TSONIA03M	4.754	0.0190	3 month	Sterling OIS Rate
TUSOIS01M	1.755	0.3750	1 month	USD OIS Rate
TUSOIS03M	1.704	0.1240	3 month	USD OIS Rate

Example, below

Overnight Rates -EXAMPLE



Overnight Rates



A 'normal' lending curve looks like the chart to the left. That is, the Libor should be a bit higher than Fed Funds Effective rate (FFER), and the FFER should be a bit higher than the Repo Rate.

The best time to view this page is on the closing email I send in the afternoon. The Fed Funds effective rate and the repo rate rarely update until after I send the morning email.

Global 10yr Spreads over US Treasuries

Country	8/25/2008	9/2/2008	9/8/2008	9/17/2008	9/19/2008	9/22/2008	9/23/2008	9/26/2008	Last
Australia	201.6	195.3	211.6	217.1	181.6	199.9	194.1	179.1	175.1
France	53.2	58.9	60.8	87.6	73.6	66.3	65.8	59.2	57.3
Germany	34	40	40.7	56.7	47	40.2	40.7	32.5	31.6
Japan	-234.4	-227	-213.4	-192.4	-228.1	-236.8	-236.1	-238.6	-228.1
U.K.	82.9	76.4	83	99.6	83.5	84.3	83	72.5	67.7

Global 10y Note spreads over US 10y

