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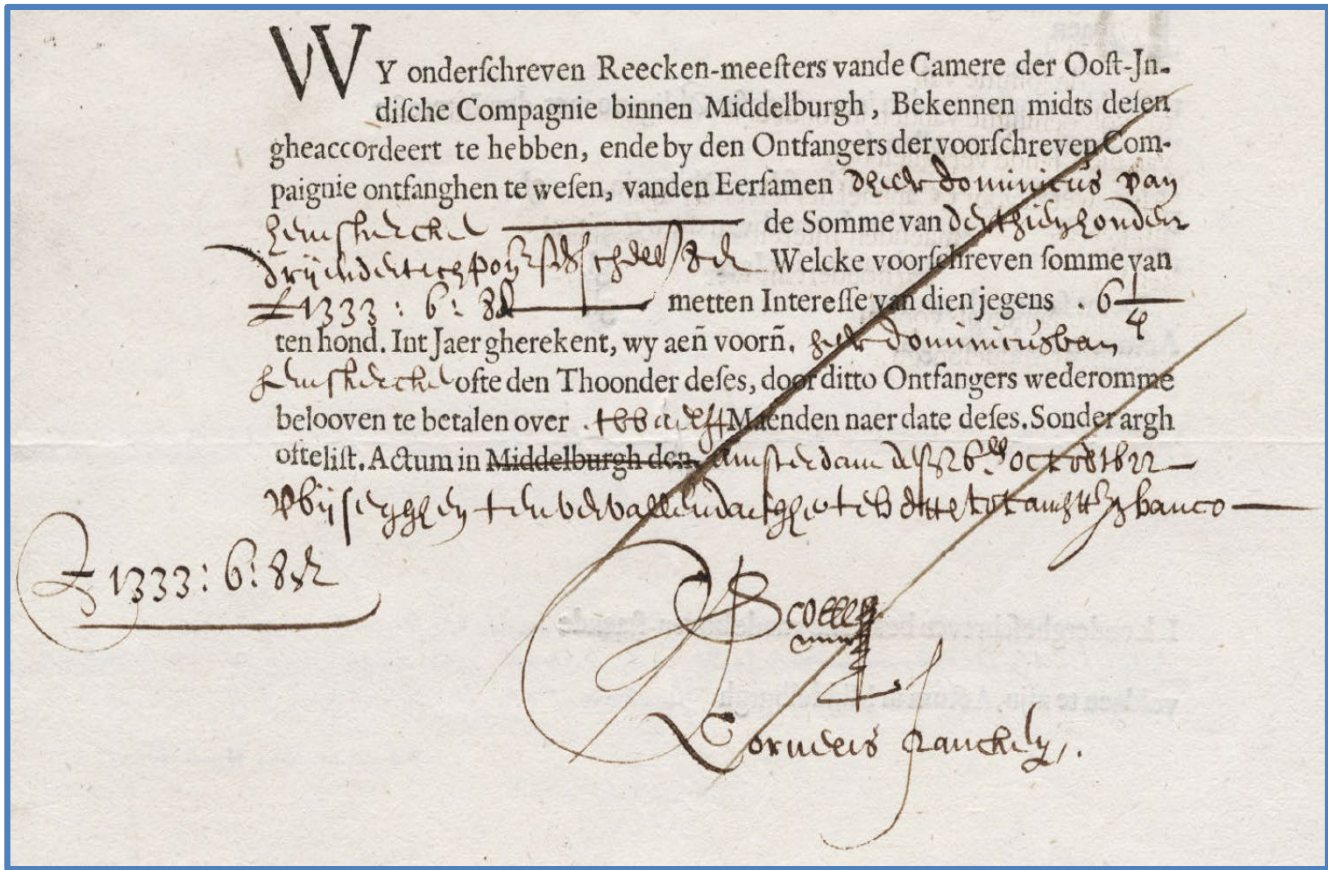
The 2020 *Investment Grade* Corporate Credit Value Proposition

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Where Did We Start and Where Are We Now



Bearer Bond – Dutch East India Company
(circa 1623)

Issuer Information				Identifiers	
Name	BANK OF AMERICA CORP			ID Number	AS3773692
Industry	Banking (BCLASS)			CUSIP	06051GHD4
Security Information				ISIN	US06051GHD43
Mkt Iss	GLOBAL			Bond Ratings	
Country	US	Currency	USD	Moody's	A2
Rank	Sr Unsecured	Series		S&P	A-
Coupon	3.419000	Type	Variable	Fitch	A+
Cpn Freq	S/A			DBRS	AH
Day Cnt	30/360	Iss Price		Issuance & Trading	
Maturity	12/20/2028			Amt Issued/Outstanding	
MAKE WHOLE @20.000000 until 12/20/27/ CALL ...				USD	5,989,208.00 (M) /
Iss Sprd				USD	5,989,208.00 (M)
Calc Type	(1010)FIX-TO-FLOAT BONDS			Min Piece/Increment	
Pricing Date	04/24/2018			1,000.00 / 1,000.00	
Interest Accrual Date	12/20/2017			Par Amount	1,000.00
1st Settle Date	05/22/2018			Book Runner	
1st Coupon Date	06/20/2018			Reporting	TRACE

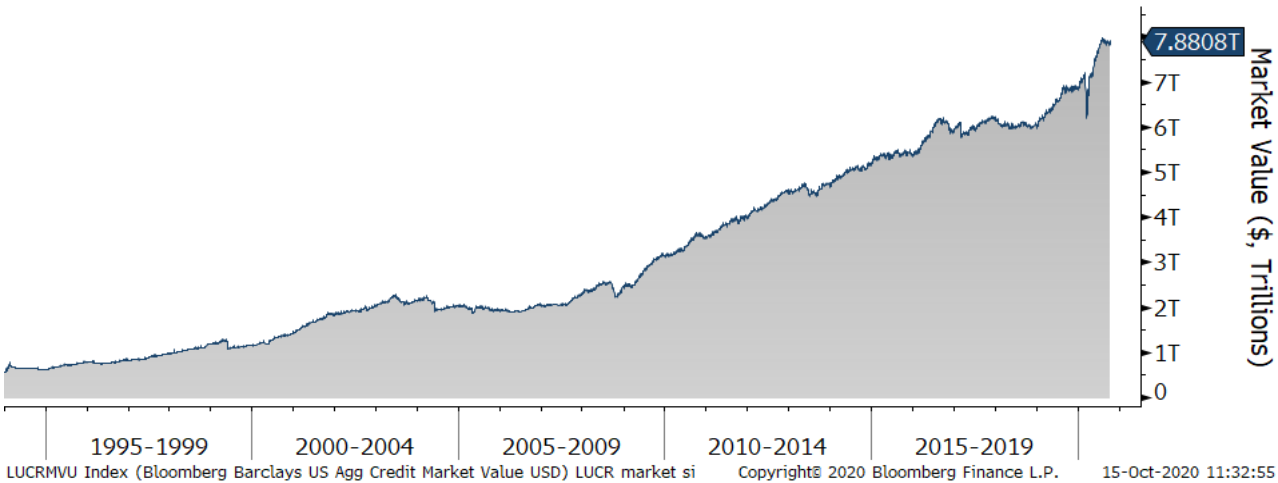
Bloomberg Screen – Electronic Entry

Changes In IG Market Structure Past 30 Years

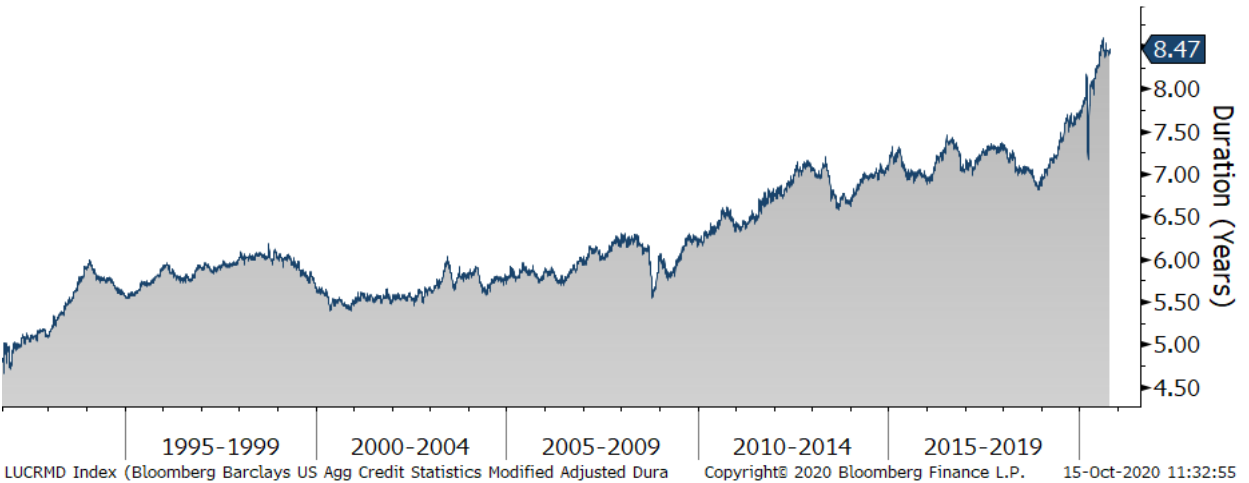
As of October 14, 2020



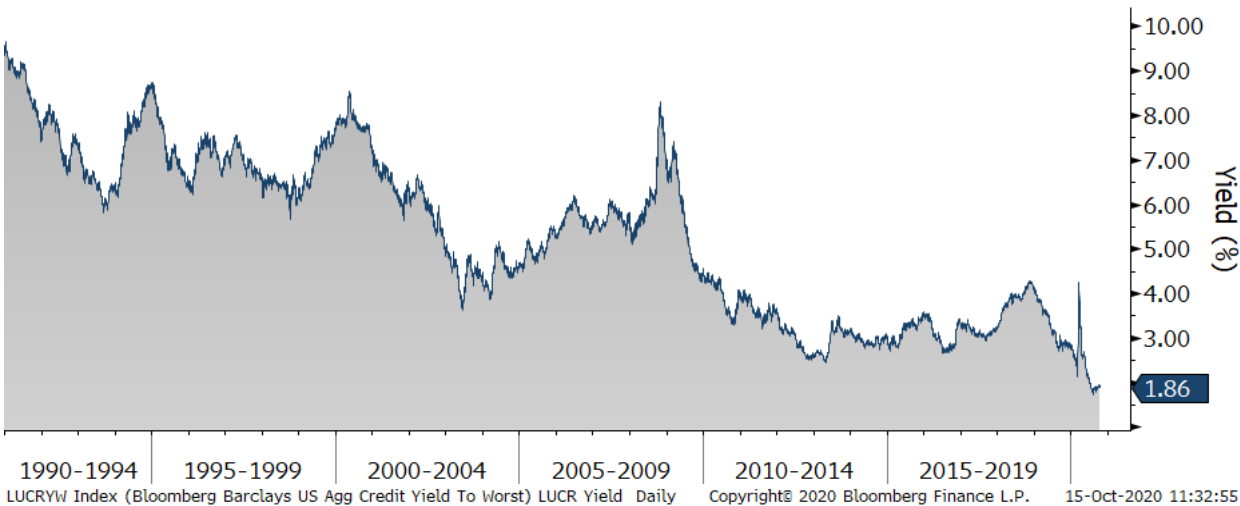
Market Value - \$7.9T



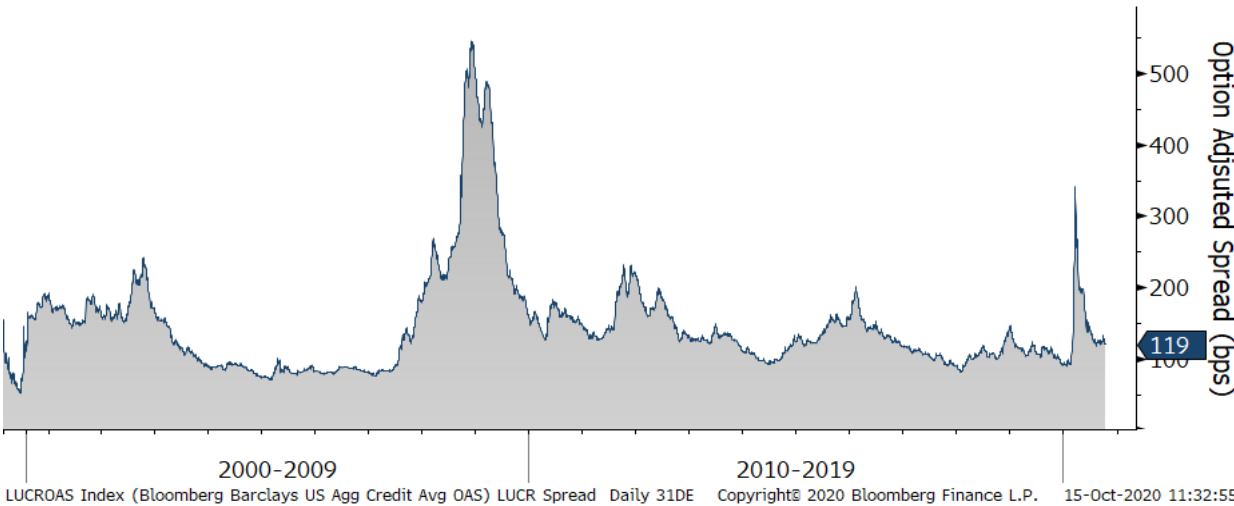
Duration - 8.5 Years



Yield - 1.86%

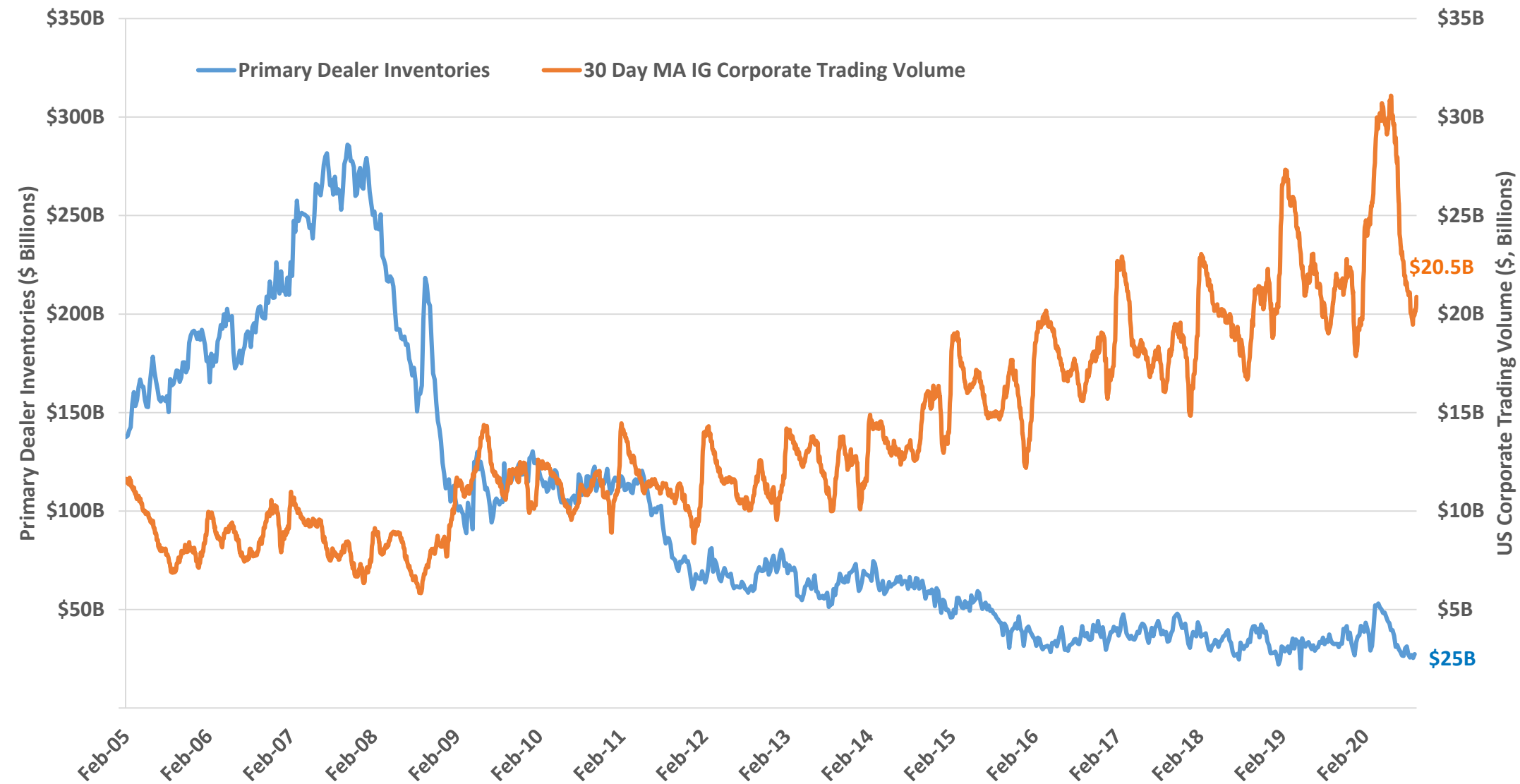


Option Adjusted Spread (OAS) - 119 bps



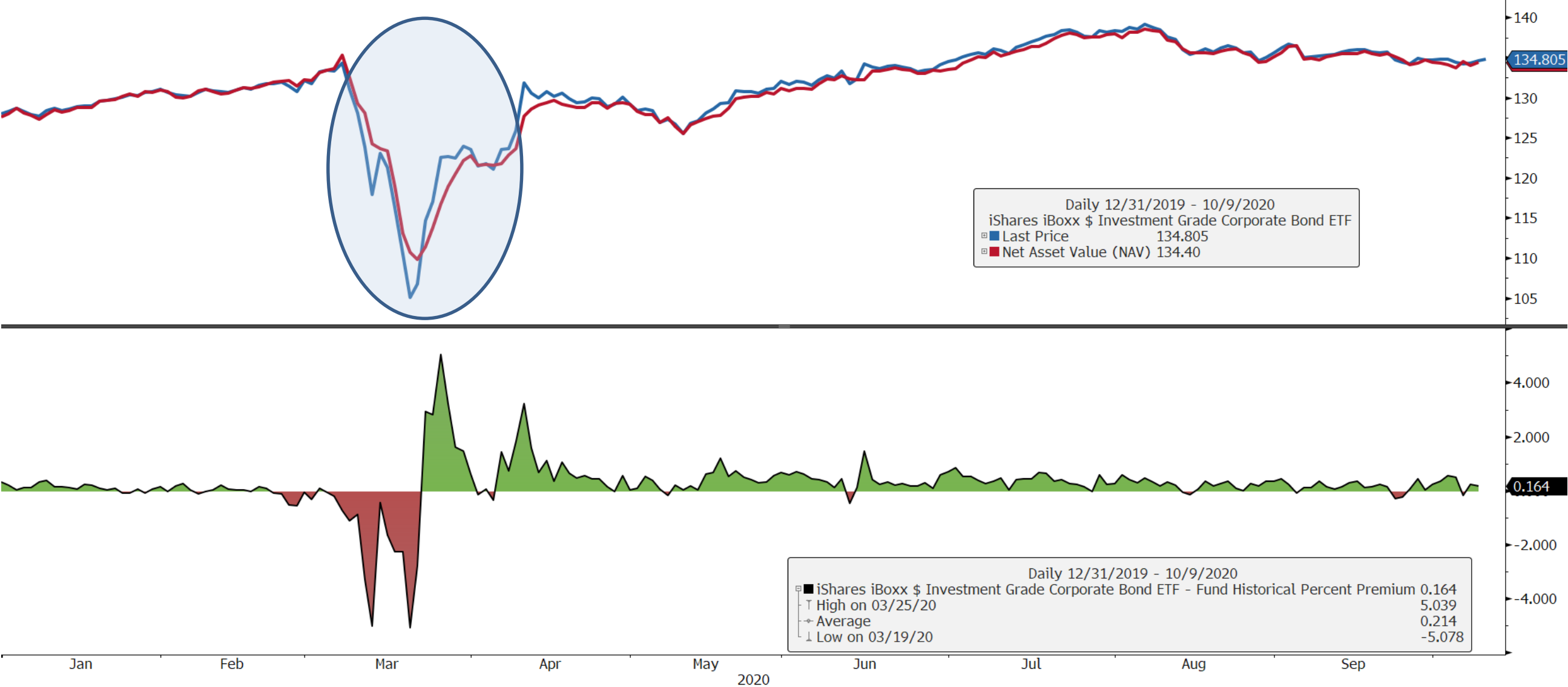
Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

Primary Dealer Inventory vs. IG Trading Volume



Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

IG ETF (LQD) NAV vs. Trading Price: Dislocation in March 2020



LQD US Equity (iShares iBoxx \$ Investment Grade Corporate Bond ETF) NAV Recreate

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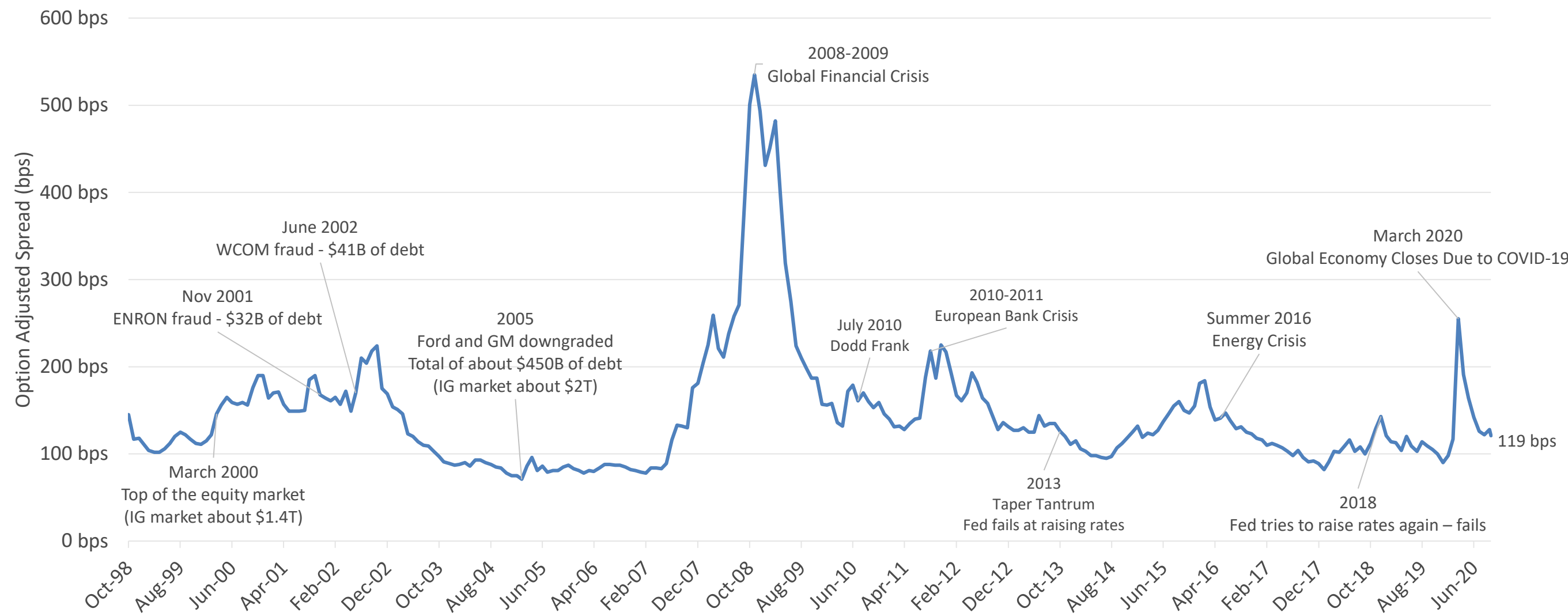
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Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

Timeline Significant Events - Past 20 Years



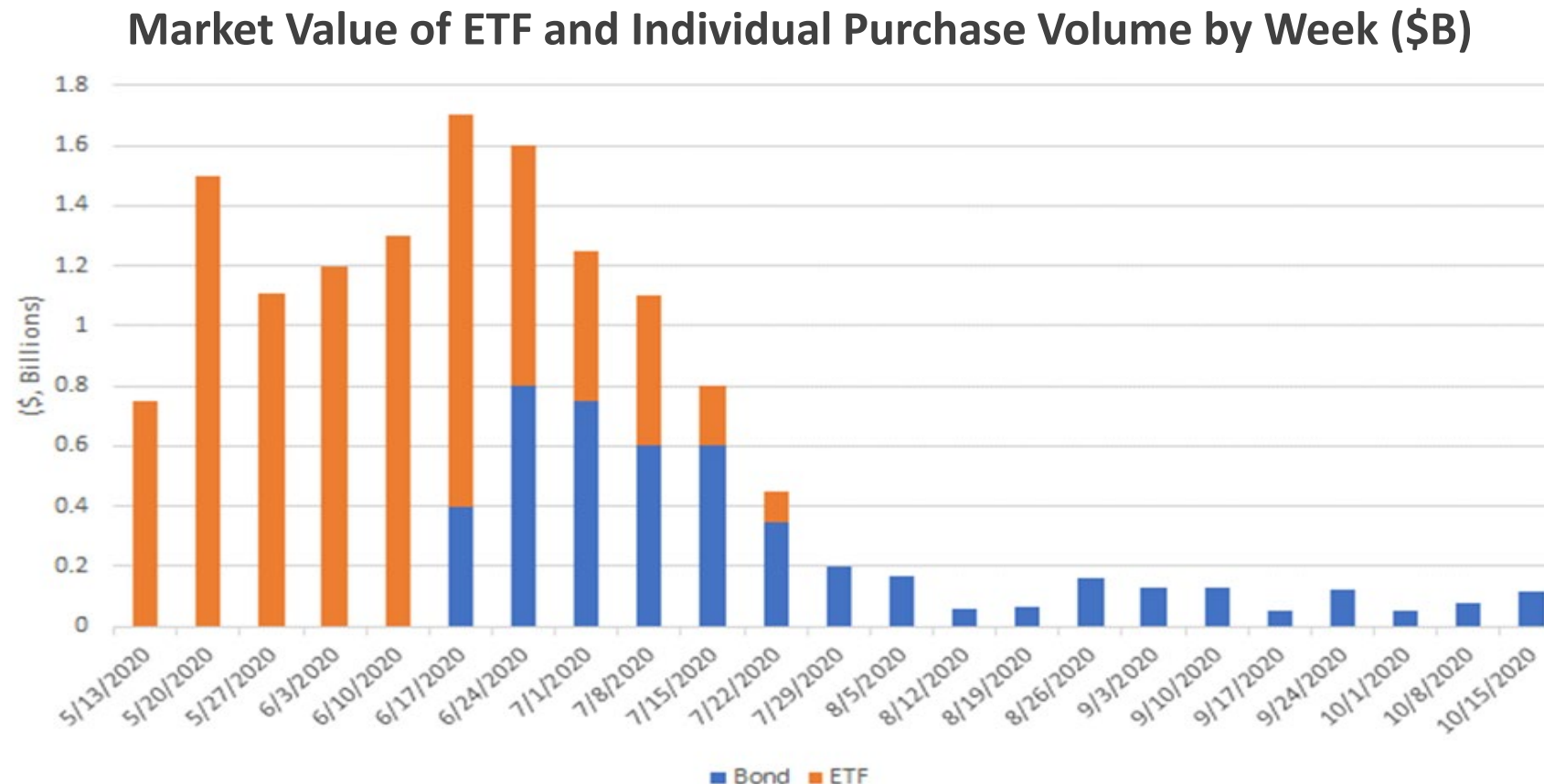
Bloomberg Barclays US Agg Credit Avg OAS



Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

Federal Reserve Corporate Credit Facilities: Response to COVID-19

- The Federal Reserve established the Primary Market Corporate Credit Facility (PMCCF) and Secondary Market Corporate Credit Facility (SMCCF) on March 23, 2020 as part of the CARES Act
- Provided \$750B to support the Investment Grade Corp Credit Market. As of October 15, 2020, the Fed has purchased only \$13.25B in total.

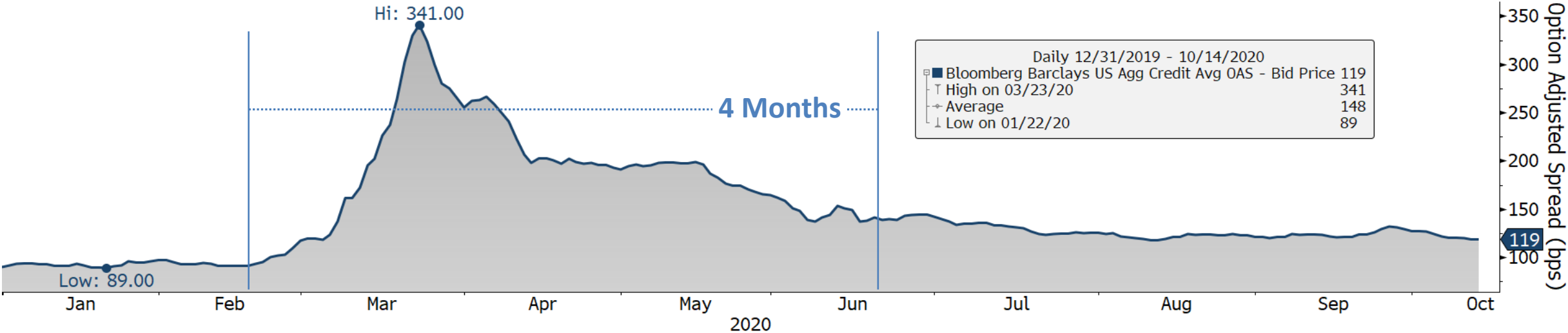


Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

IG Market Spread Widening & Recovery: COVID 19 vs. GFC

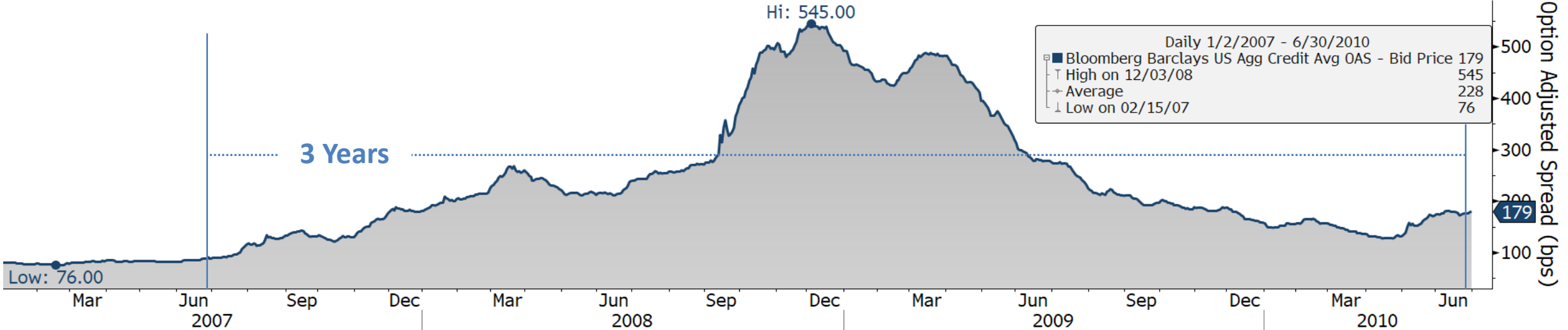


2020



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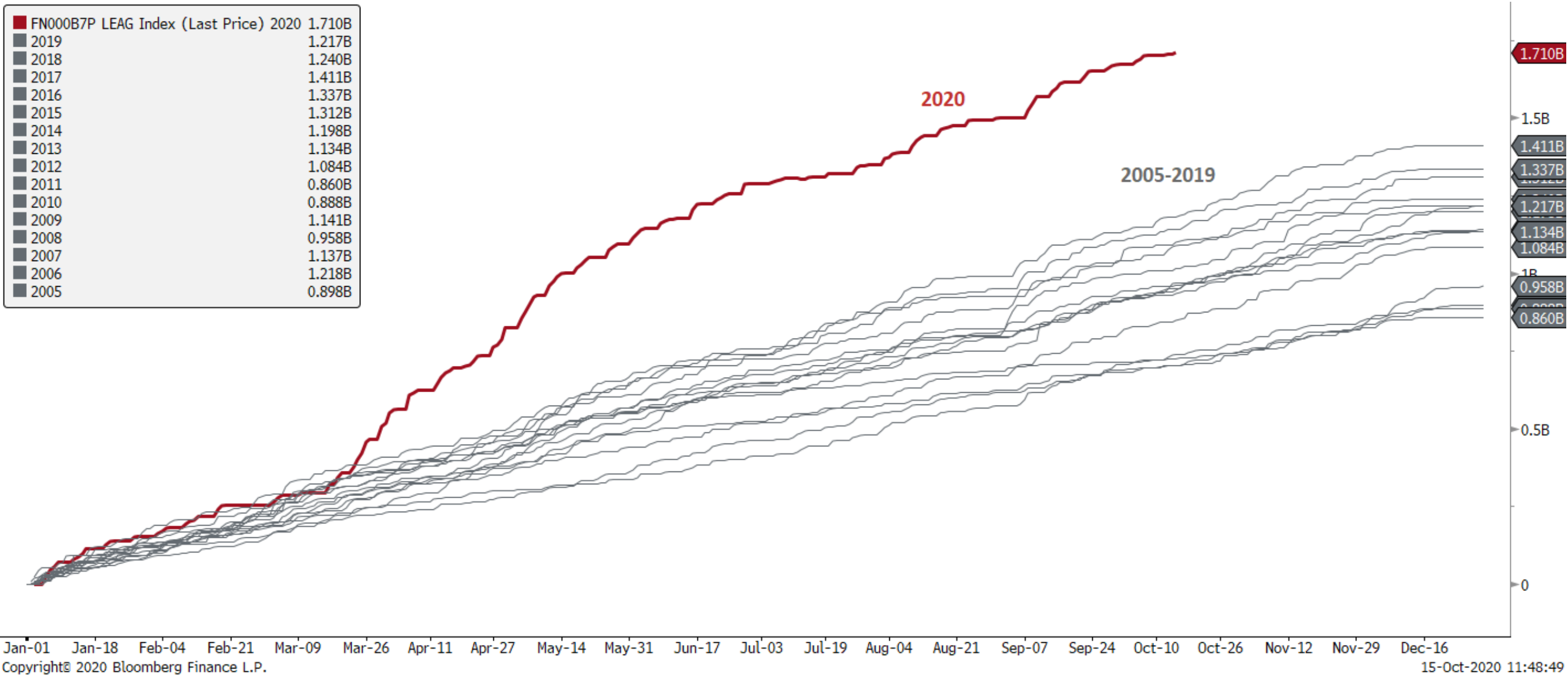
2007 - 2010



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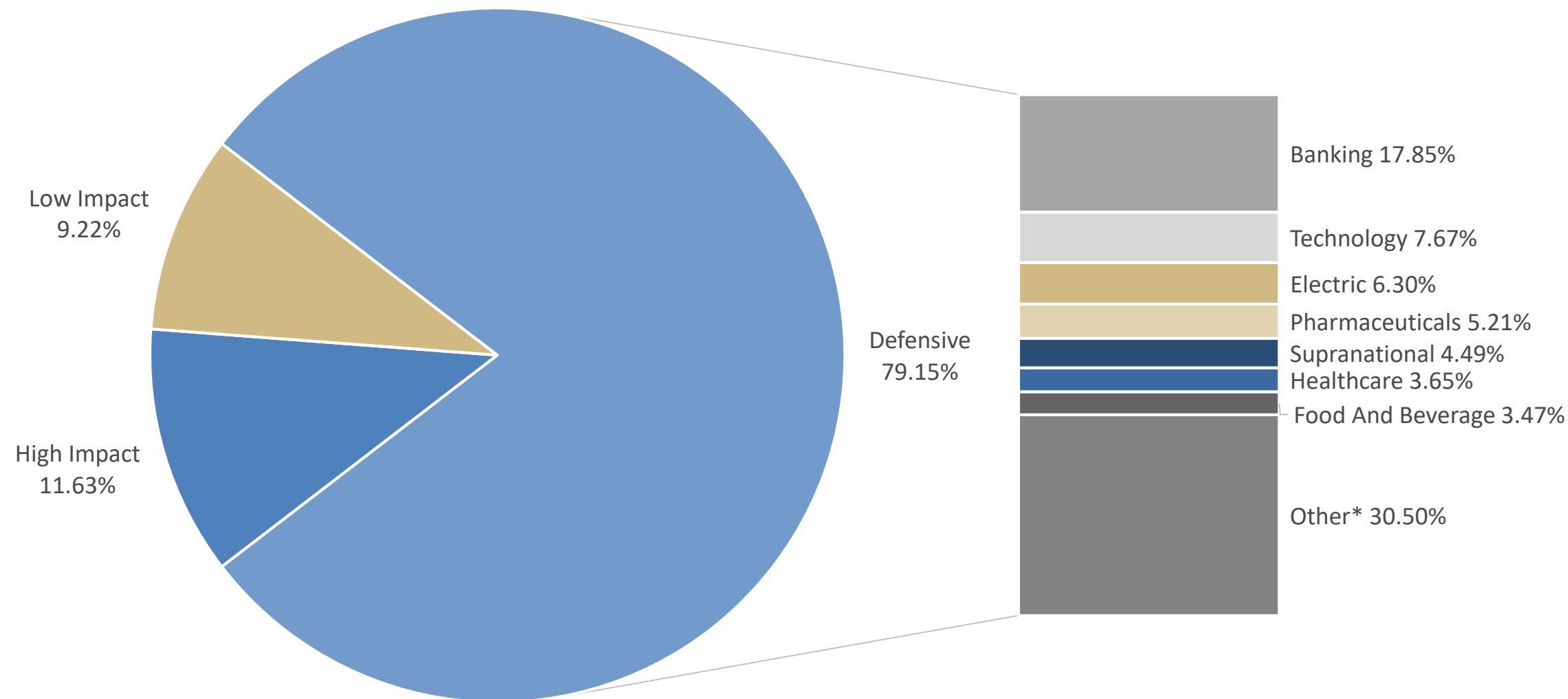
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Monthly Investment Grade New Issue Activity (Volume)



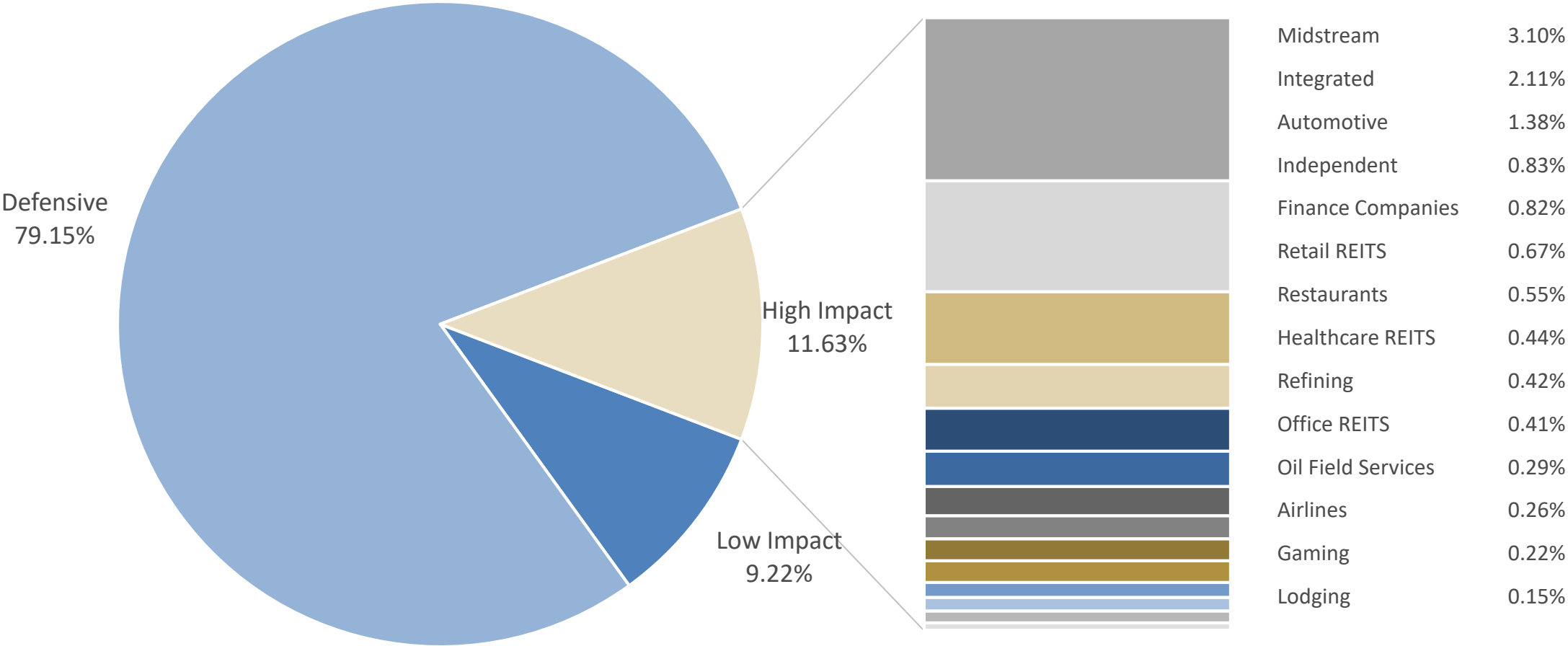
Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

COVID-19 Credit Impact: Defensive Sectors Throughout Pandemic



Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine
 Impact = Change in Revenue, Cash flow, Credit Quality etc.
 Other* = Local Authority, Wirelines, Retailers, Government Guaranteed, Cable Satellite, Consumer Cyc Services, P&C, Wireless, Life, Railroads, Chemicals, Government Owned, No Guarantee, Tobacco, Health Insurance, Brokerage Asset managers Exchanges, Metals And Mining, Consumer Products, Construction Machinery, Transportation Services, Natural Gas, Paper, Other Industrial, Other REITS, Building Materials, Environmental, Supermarkets, Other Utility, Packaging, Home Construction, Other Financial

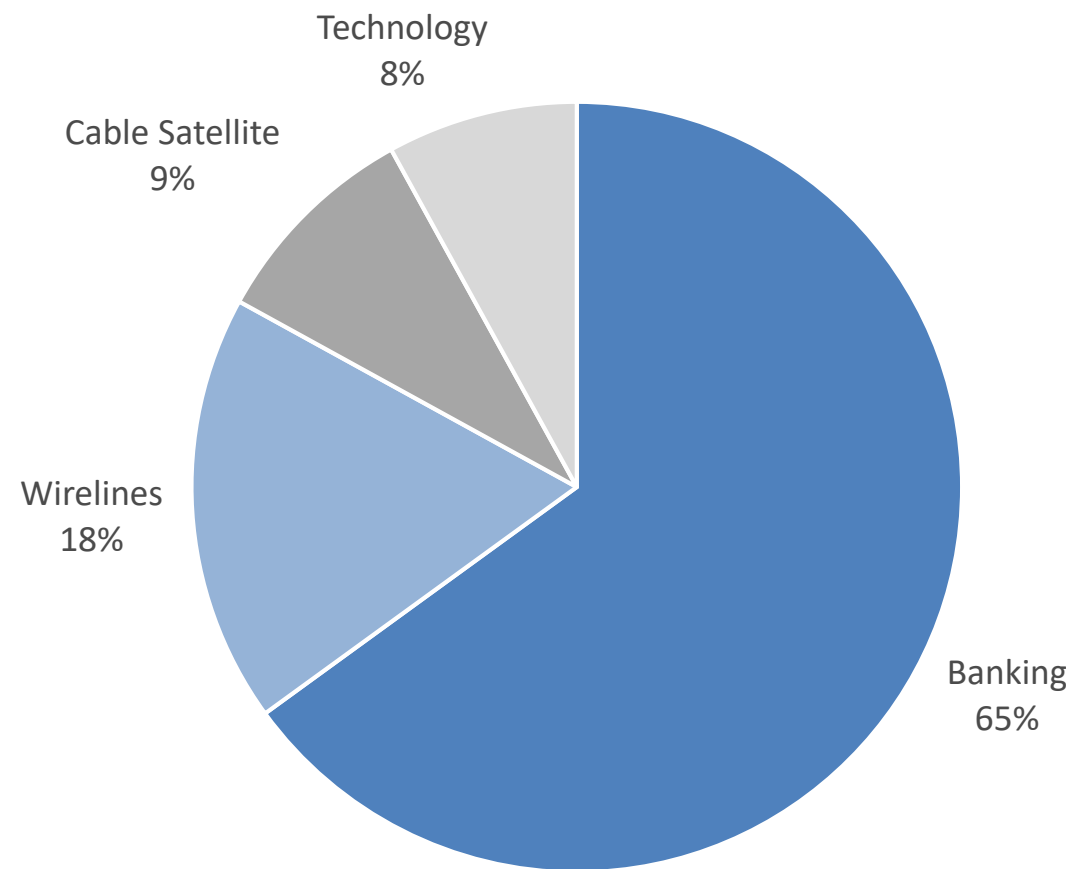
COVID-19 Credit Impact: Relatively High Negative Impact



Source = Bloomberg, DoubleLine
Impact = Change in Revenue, Cash flow, Credit Quality etc.

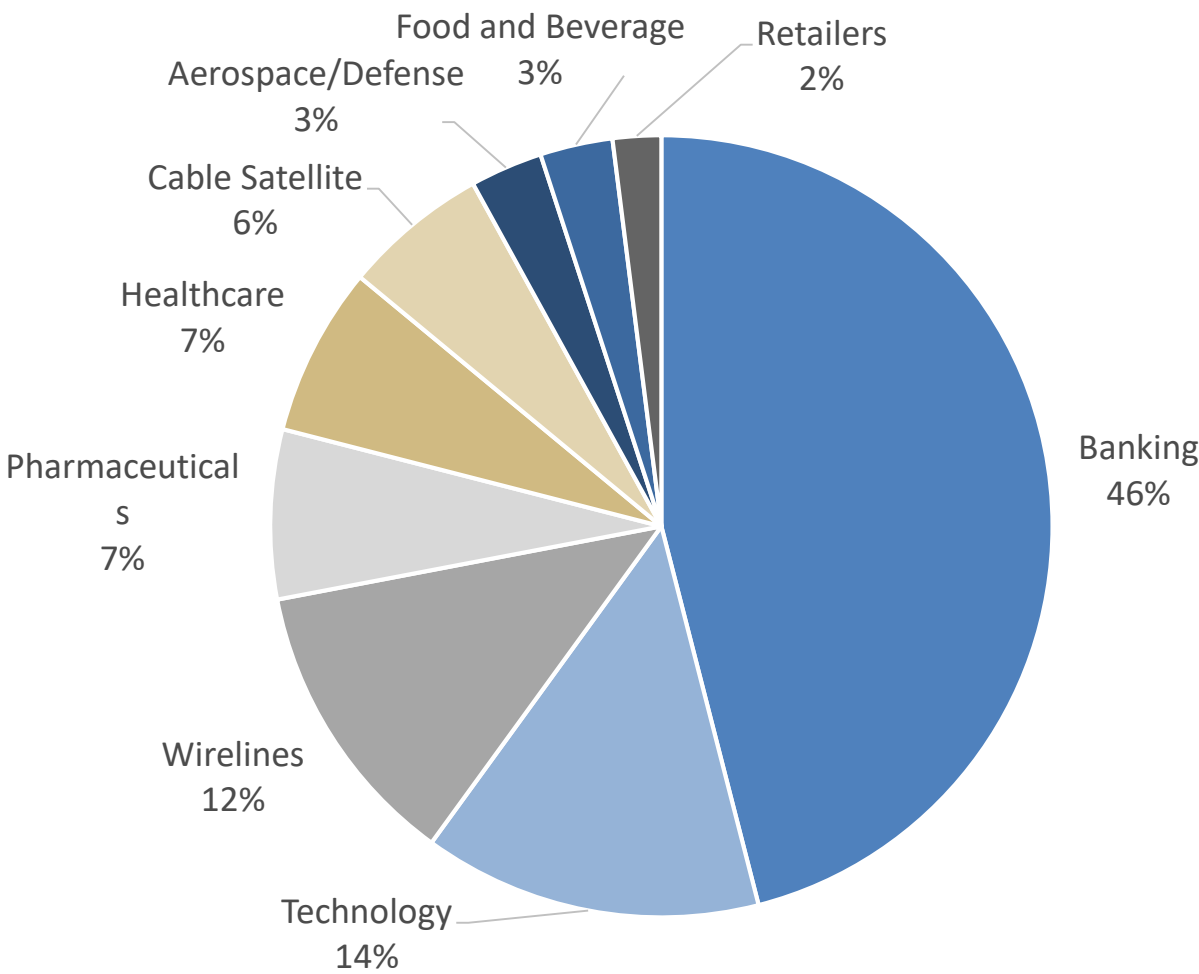
Investment Grade Sector Debt Outstanding

Top 10 Issuers
Total Amount Outstanding
\$1.13T



Sector Breakdown

Top 20 Issuers
Total Amount Outstanding
\$1.6T



Sector Breakdown

Source = Bloomberg, DoubleLine

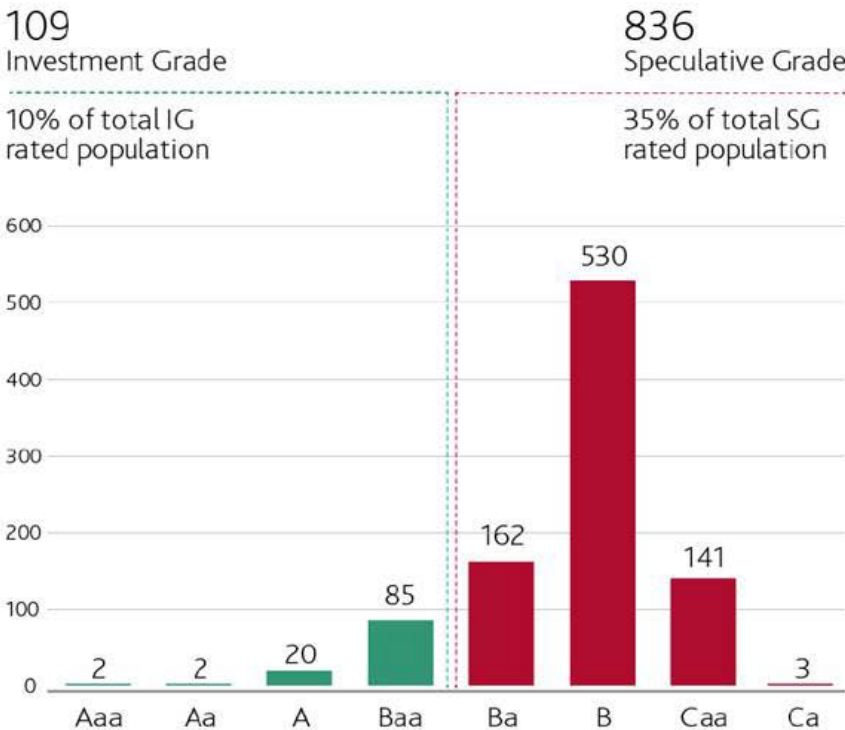
Rating Trends in Markets

Pandemic Has Mainly Affected Lower-Rated Companies With Weak Liquidity, Refinancing Profiles

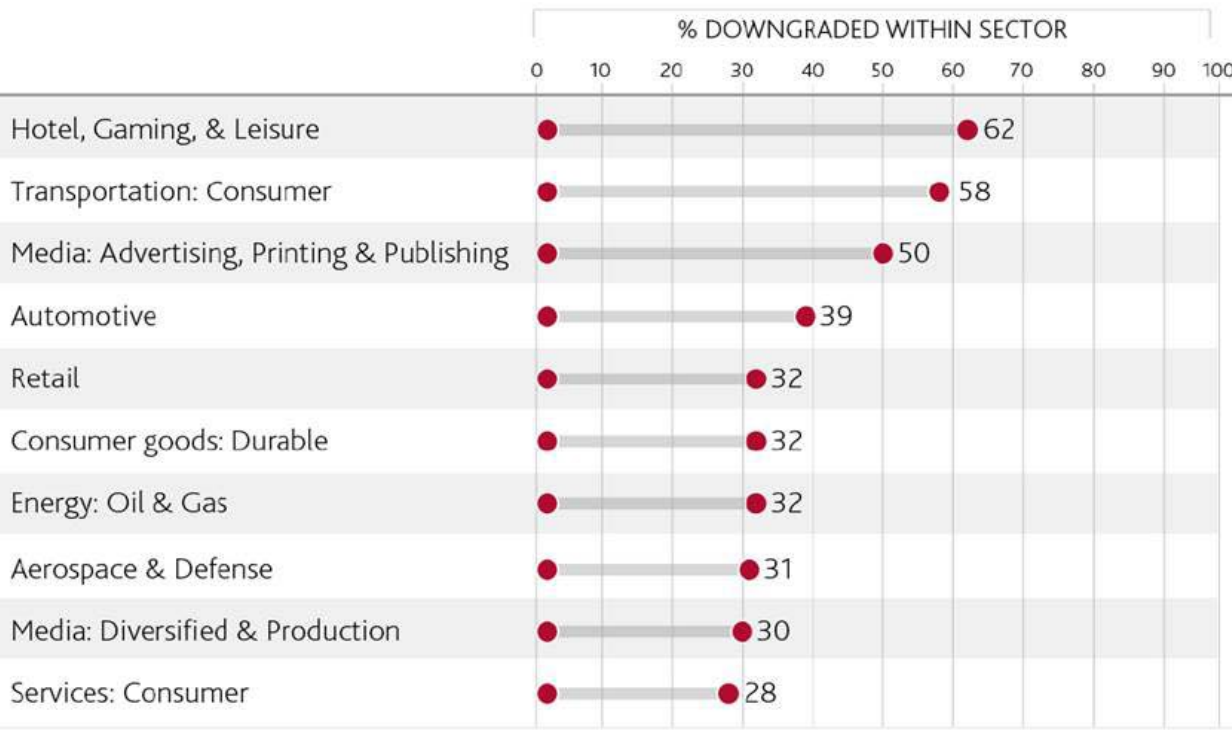


Downgrades of nonfinancial companies by rating category and sector

Majority of downgrades within speculative grade
Number of downgrades by rating category, Mar 1 – Aug 31, 2020



Top 10 sectors most affected by COVID-19
Share of corporate families* with at least one downgrade, Mar 1 – Aug 31, 2020



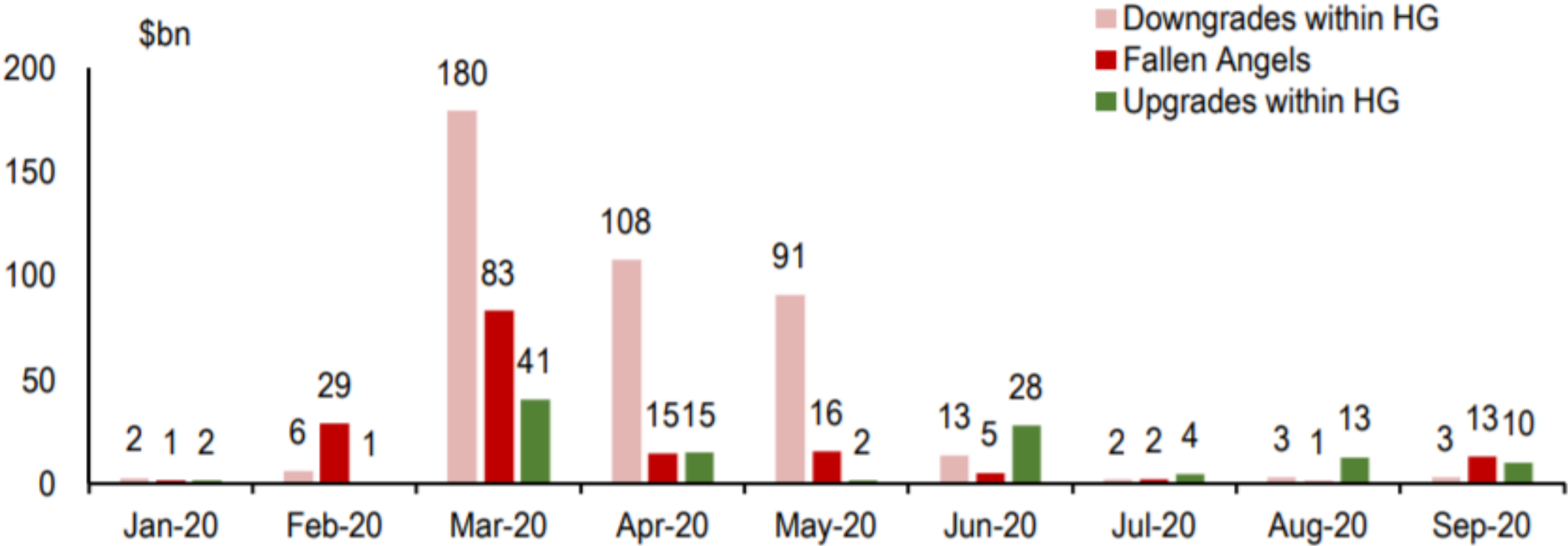
*Some corporate families include multiple issuers and some issuers have received multiple downgrades.

Data include all publicly rated nonfinancial corporate entities, but exclude subsidiaries and project finance-related corporations.

Source: Moody's Investors Service

Credit Ratings Actions 2020

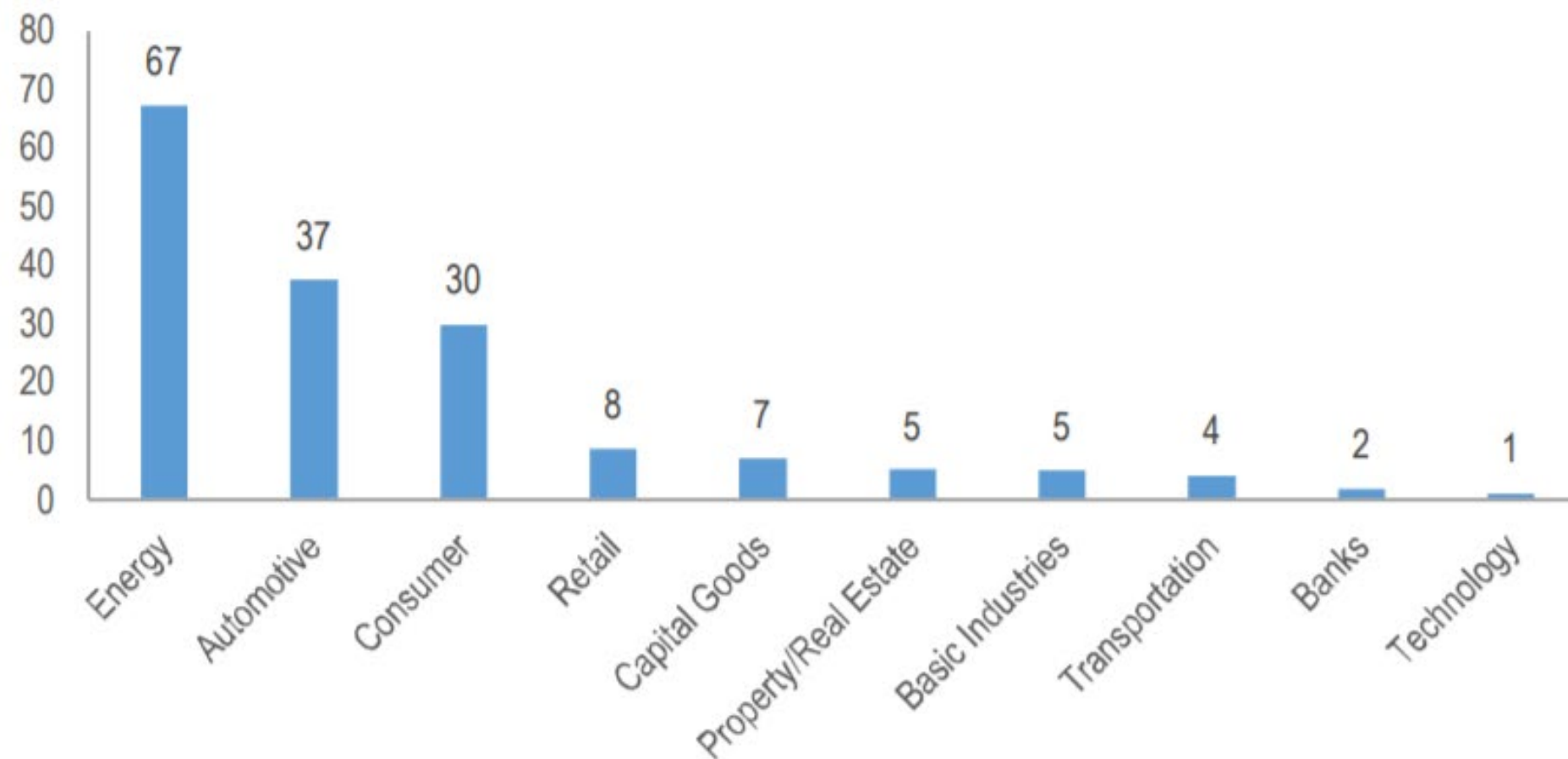
There have been more positive rating actions than there were negative rating actions in 3Q20.



Source: JP Morgan, DoubleLine. Note: Non-Financial ex EM issuers

Ratings Actions by Sector

Fallen Angel Distribution by Sector YTD
(\$ Billions)

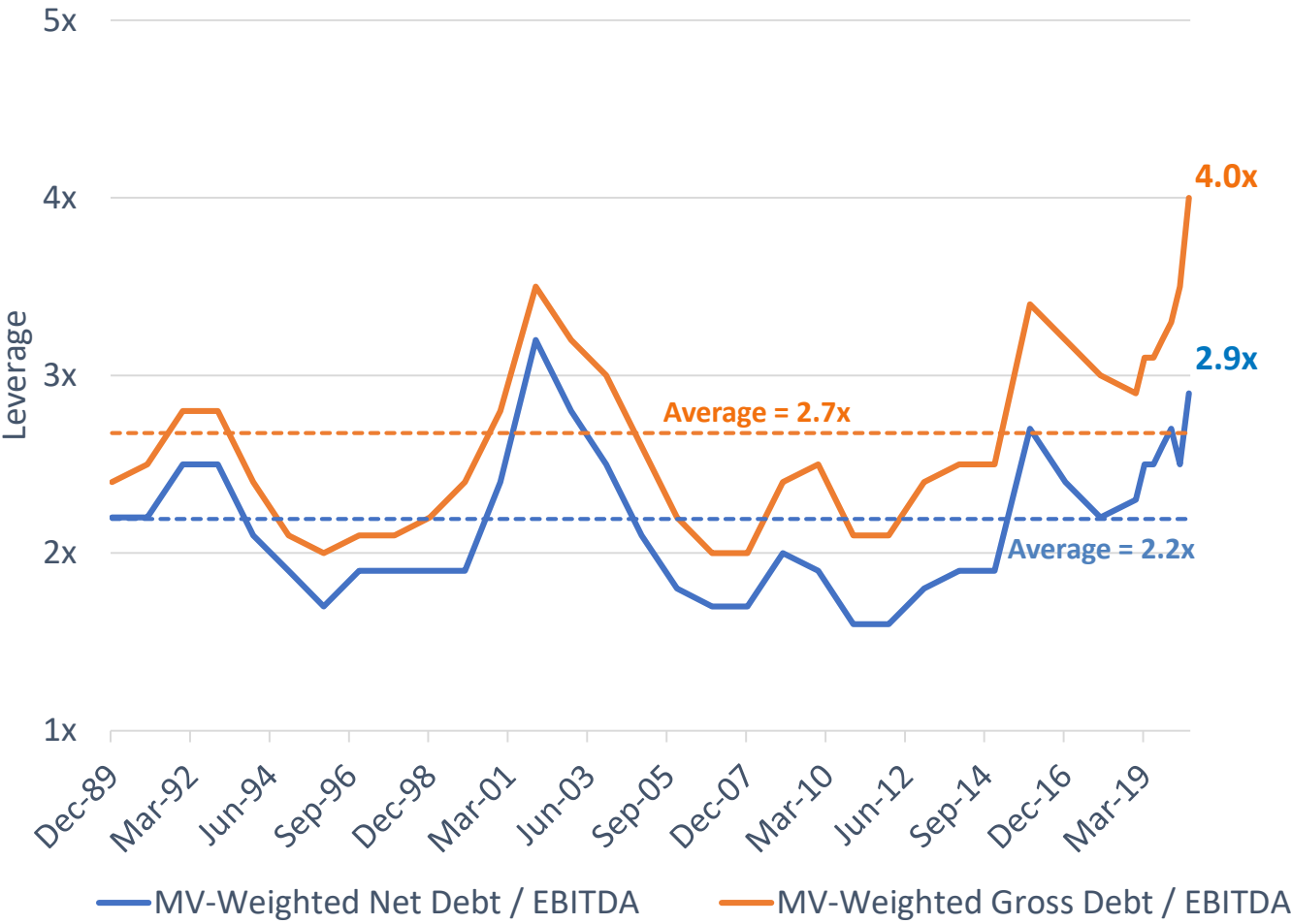


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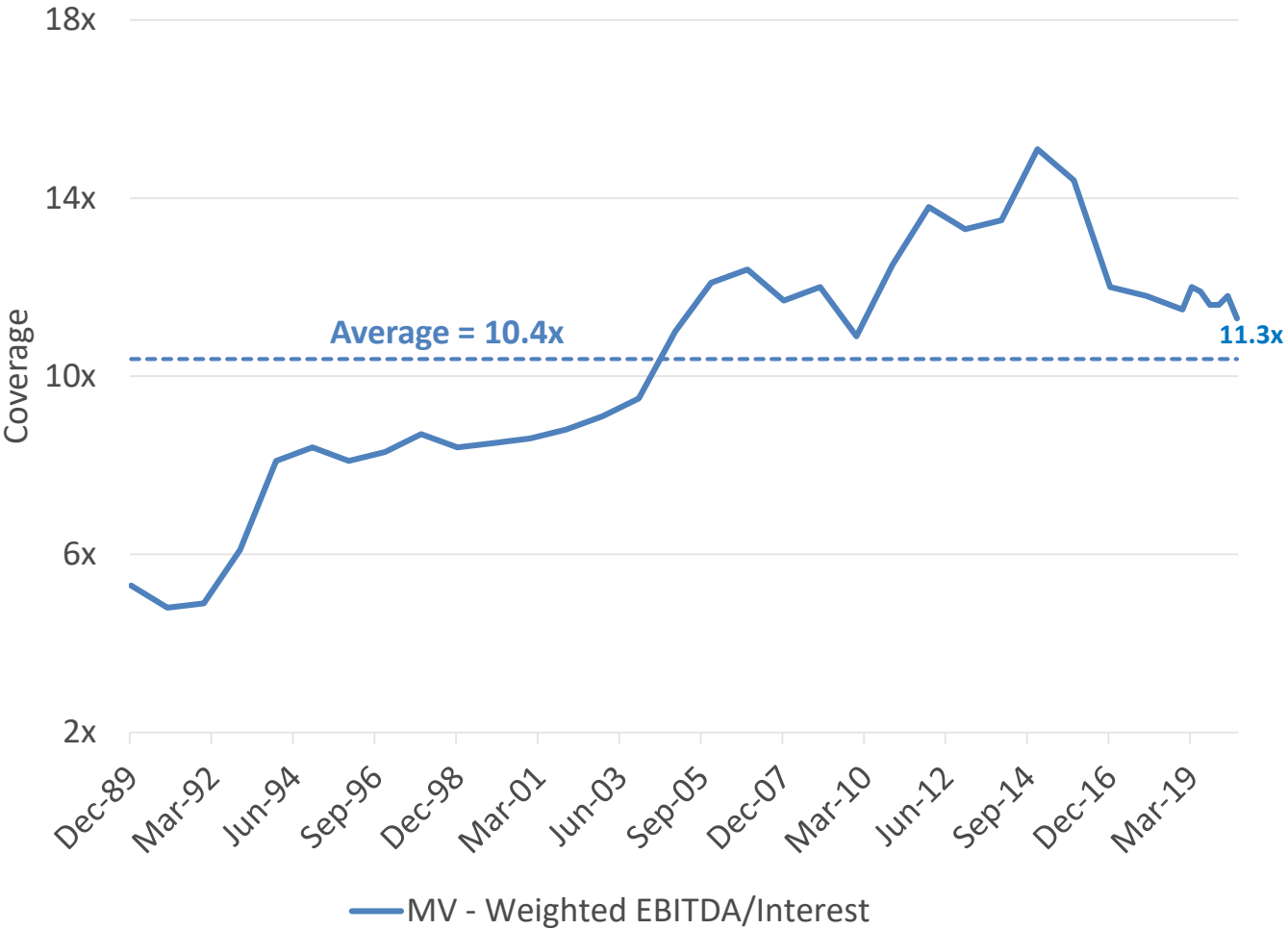
Credit Market Fundamentals



U.S. Corporate Index ex Financials Gross and Net Leverage



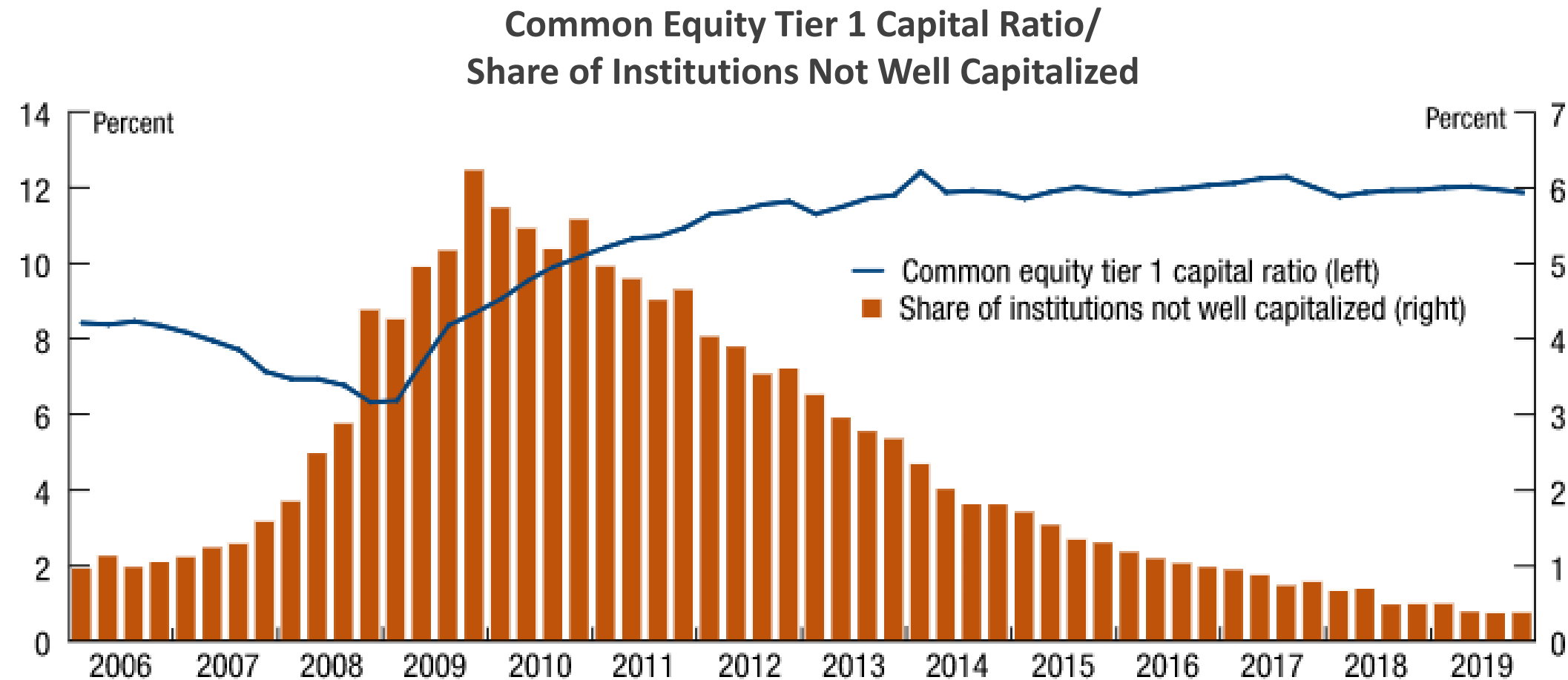
U.S. Corporate Index ex Financials Coverage



Source: Factset, Cumpustat Bloomberg Barclays Indices, Barclays research, DoubleLine

Credit Market Fundamentals:

Banking Sector Improving Credit Strength

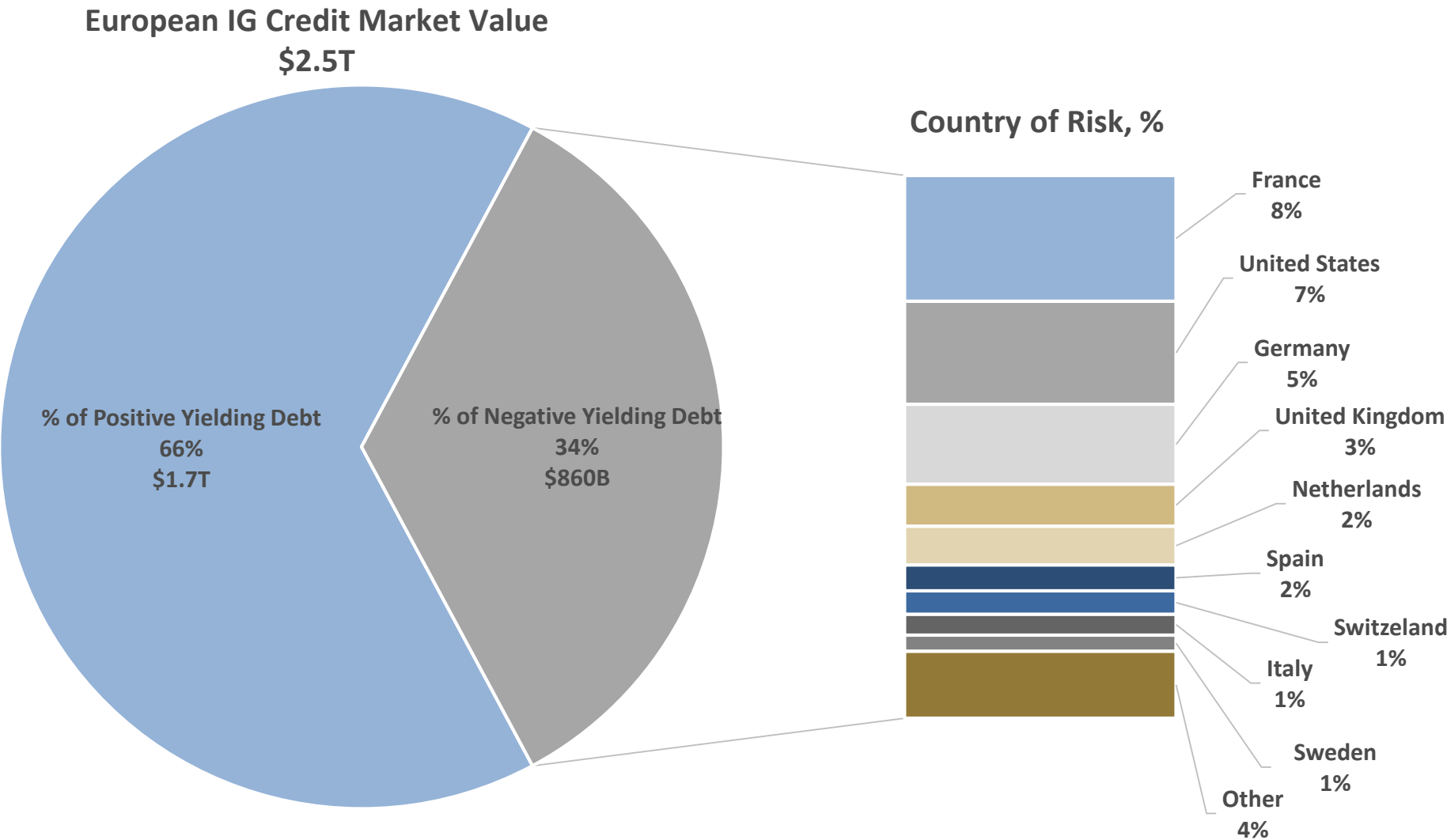


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Note: Common equity tier 1 capital ratio is the ratio of tier 1 common equity to risk-weighted assets. See the data appendix for further information.

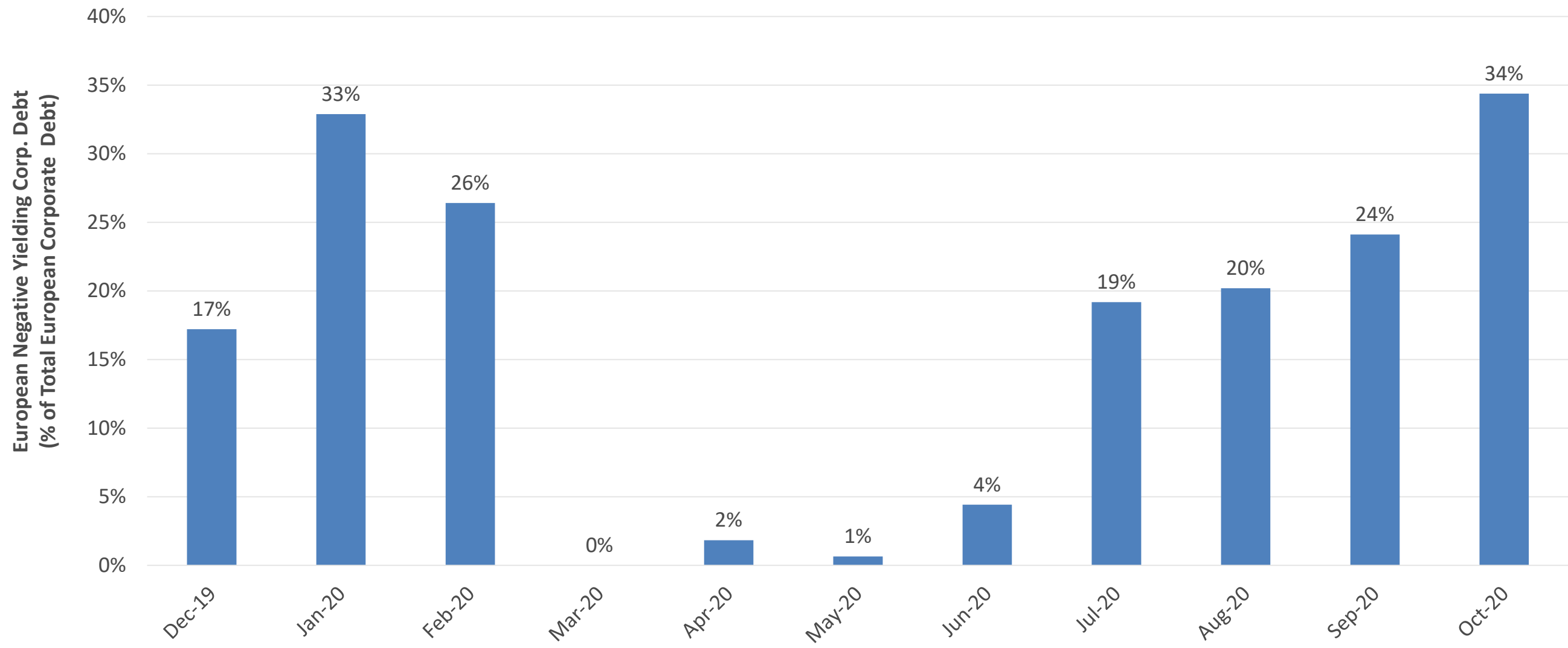
Source: Federal Reserve

European Investment Grade Market Negative Yield



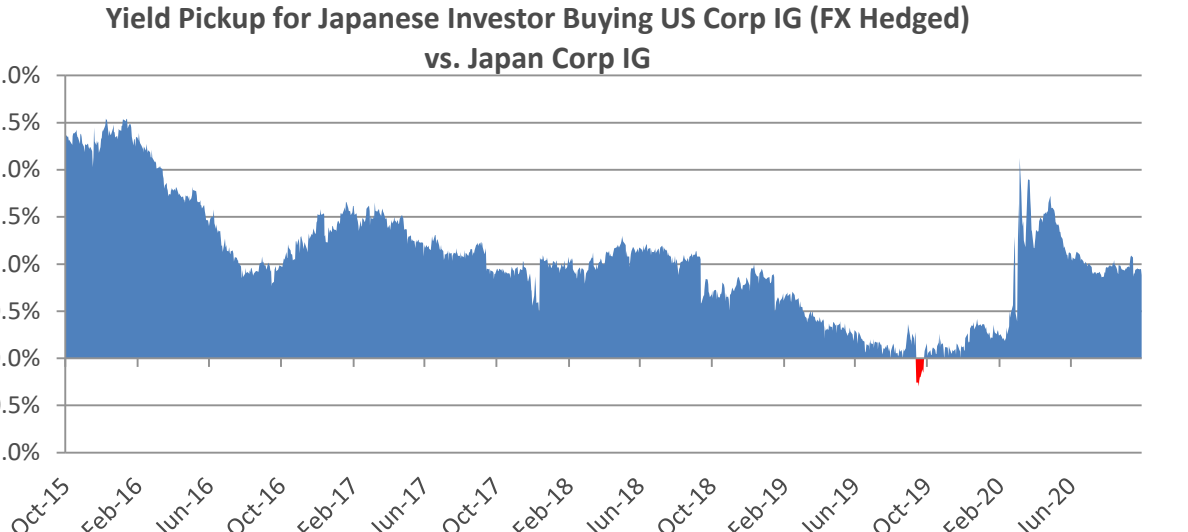
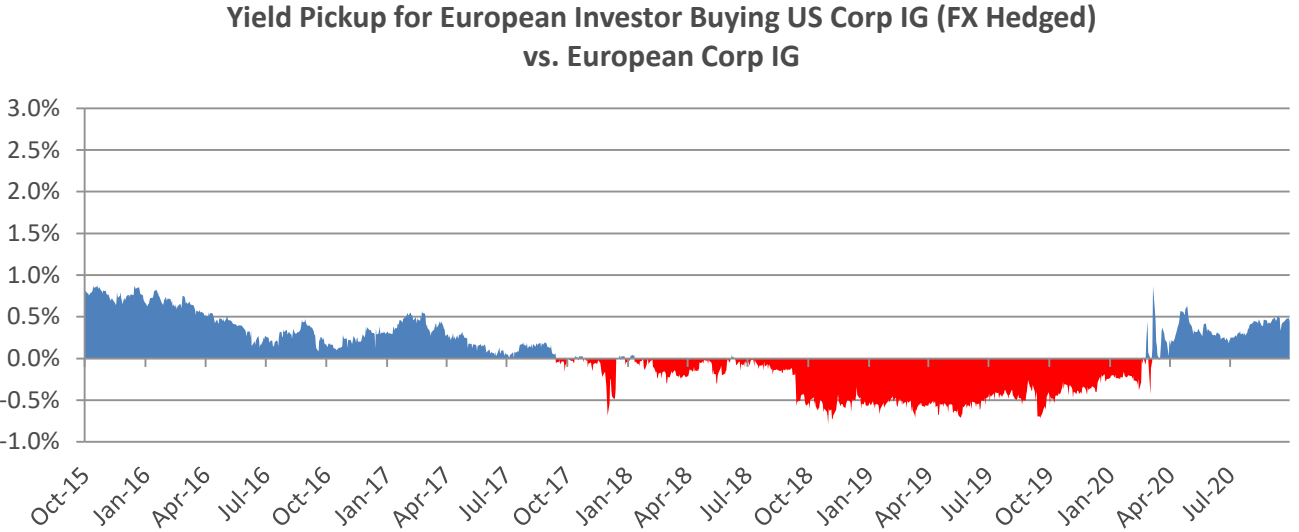
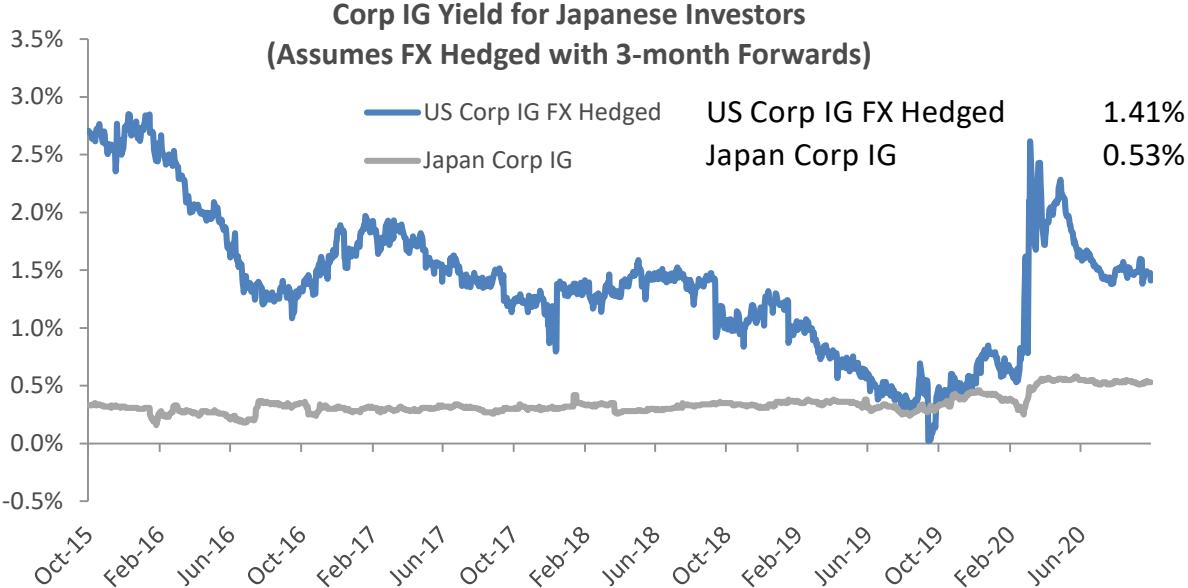
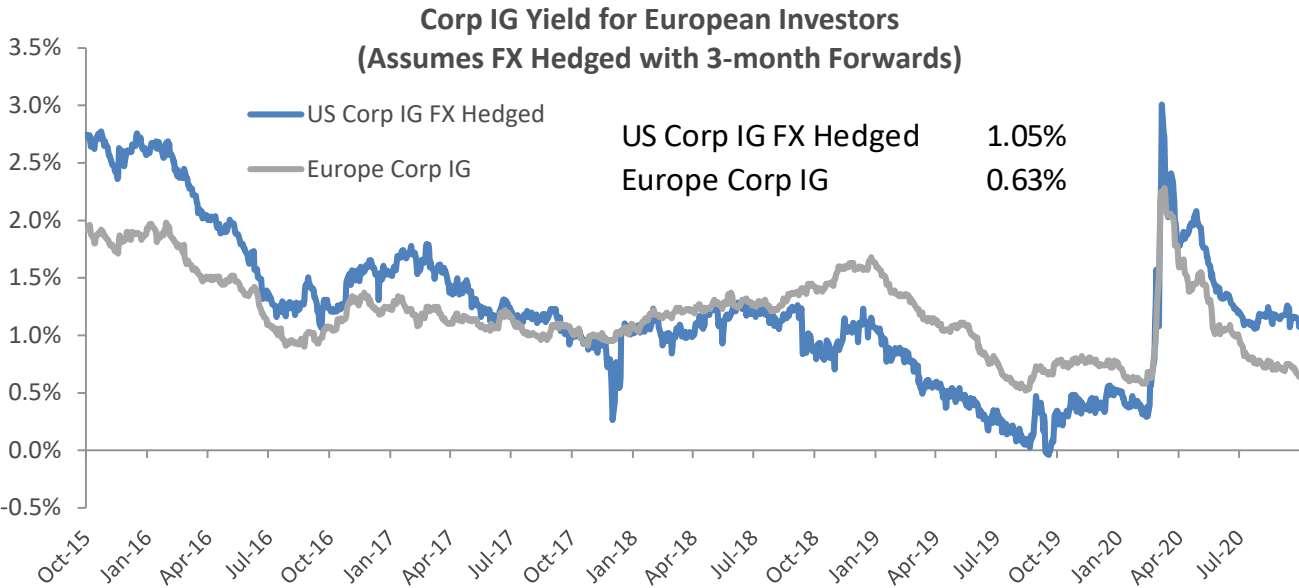
Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine
Other = Australia, Finland, Belgium, Canada, Austria, Norway, Denmark, Japan, Portugal, New Zealand, Ireland, Iceland, South Africa

European Negative Yielding Corporate Debt



Source: Bloomberg, DoubleLine

US Corporate Investment Grade Yields for European and Japanese Investors (Hedged)



Source: Bloomberg; DoubleLine

Where Do We Go From Here?



Bloomberg Barclays US Credit Index	5y Average	3/23/2020	10/14/2020
Spread (bps)	120	341	119
YTW (%)	3.30	4.16	1.86
Duration (years)	7.18	7.29	8.47

	5y Return as of 12/31/2019 Annualized	12/31/2019 – 3/23/2020	12/31/2019 – 10/14/2020
Total Return (%)	4.39	-8.77	7.08

Source: Bloomberg; DoubleLine

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