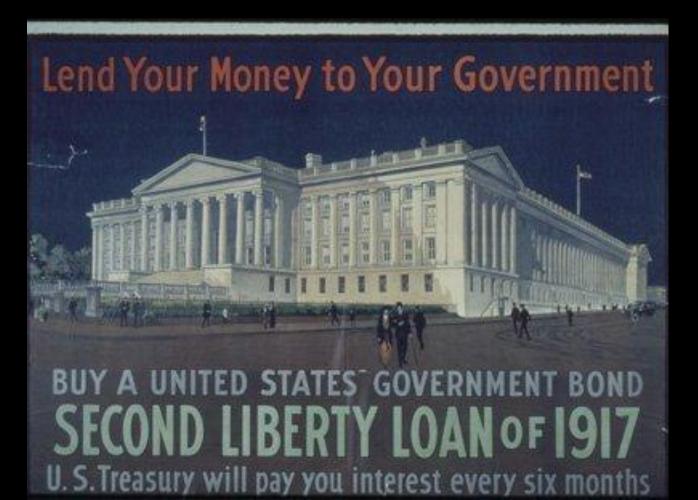
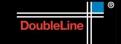
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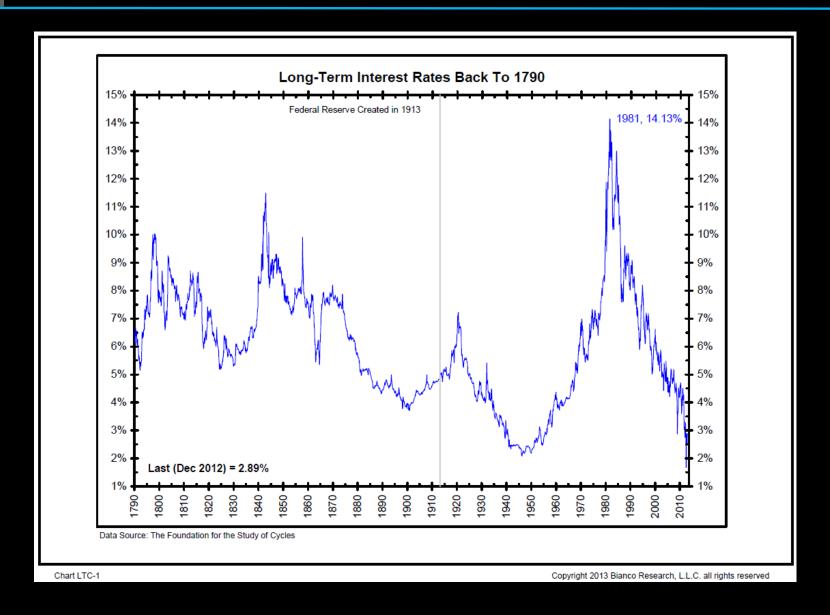




# U.S. Long Term Interest Rates

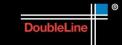


January 1, 1790 through December 31, 2012

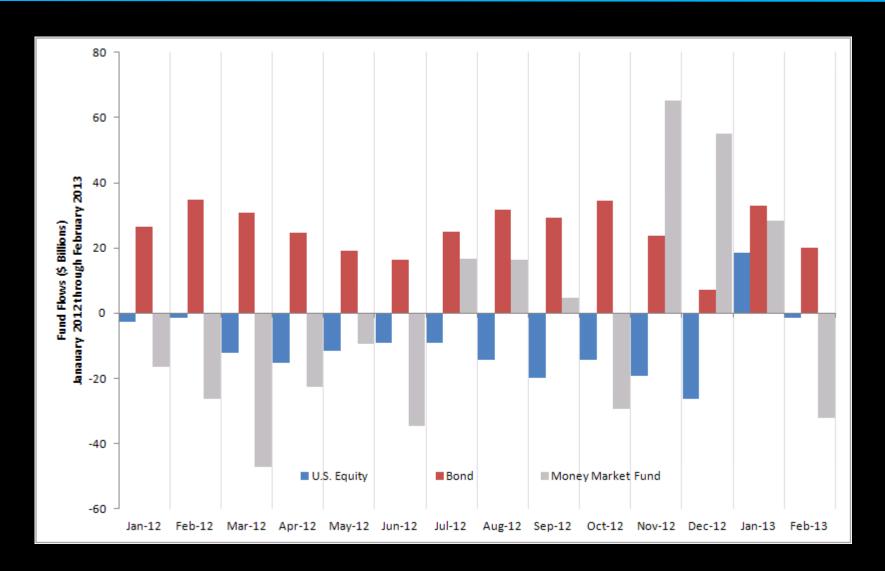




#### **Mutual Fund Flows**



January 1, 2012 through February 28, 2013

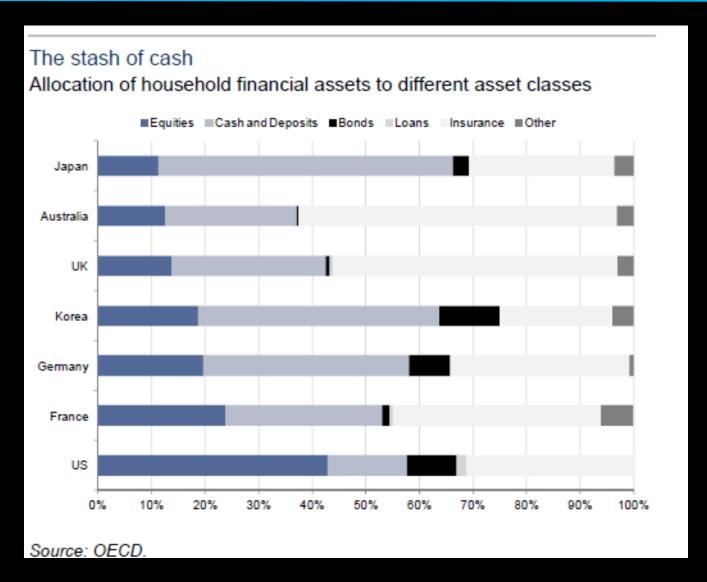




# **Net Worth in Financial Assets by Country**



As of December 31, 2012

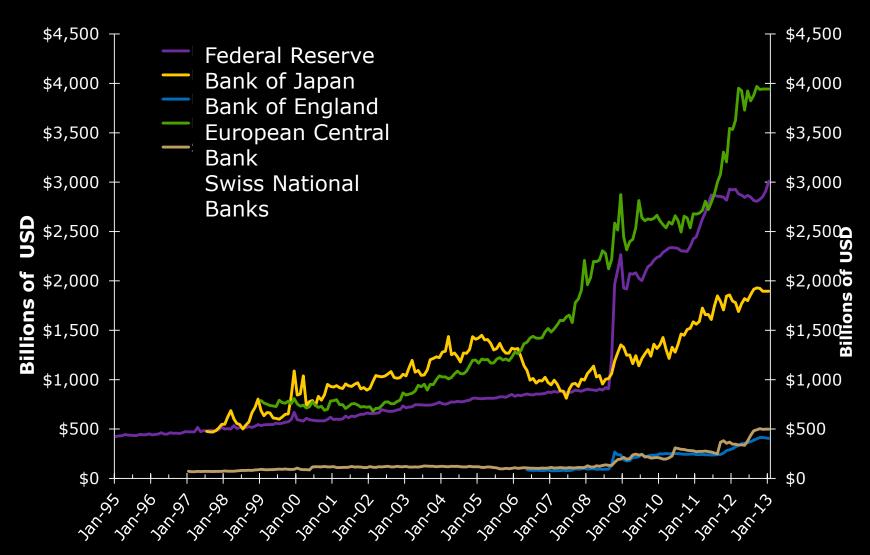




#### **Central Bank Balance Sheets**



January 1, 1995 through January 31, 2013

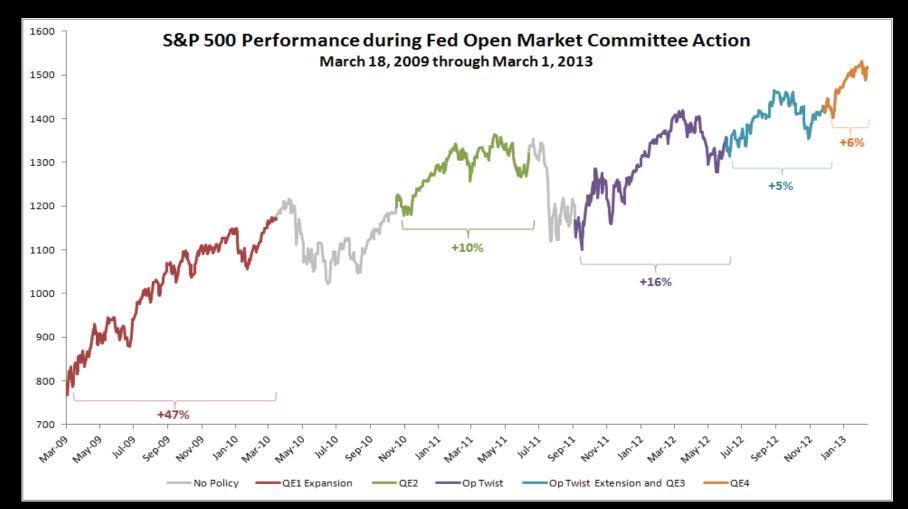






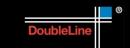
**Results of the Aggregate QE Program** 

Reflation of equity prices



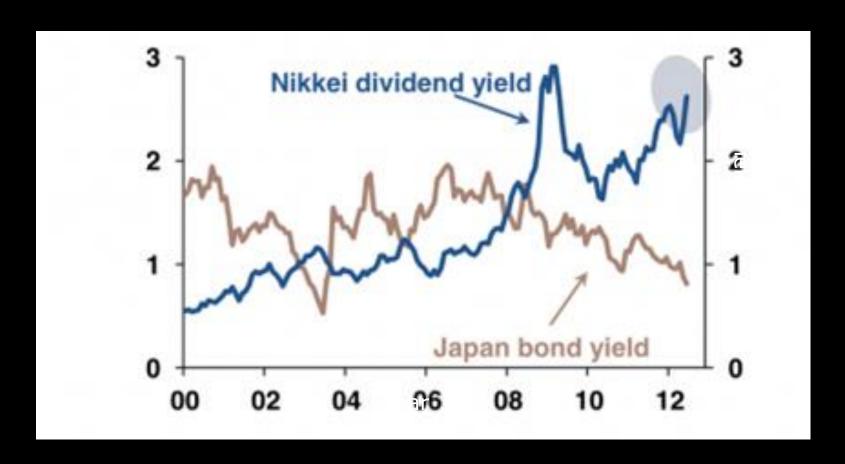


#### **Nikkei Yields**



January 1, 2000 through October 31, 2012

 The Nikkei is now even offering yields above Japanese government bonds and the US S&P 500 yield



Source: Bloomberg Financial Services
Nikkei 225 Index Total Return = An index showing the average closing prices of 225 stocks on the Tokyo Stock Exchange.
An investment cannot be made in an index.



#### Nikkei vs. Japanese Government Bonds –



December 31, 2009 through February 28, 2013



Source: Bloomberg Financial Services, Merrill Lynch Indices denominated in Japanese Yen (JPY).

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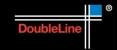
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This chart illustrates the performance of a hypothetical 1 Yen investment made in these indexes on 12-31-09. This chart does not imply any future performance.

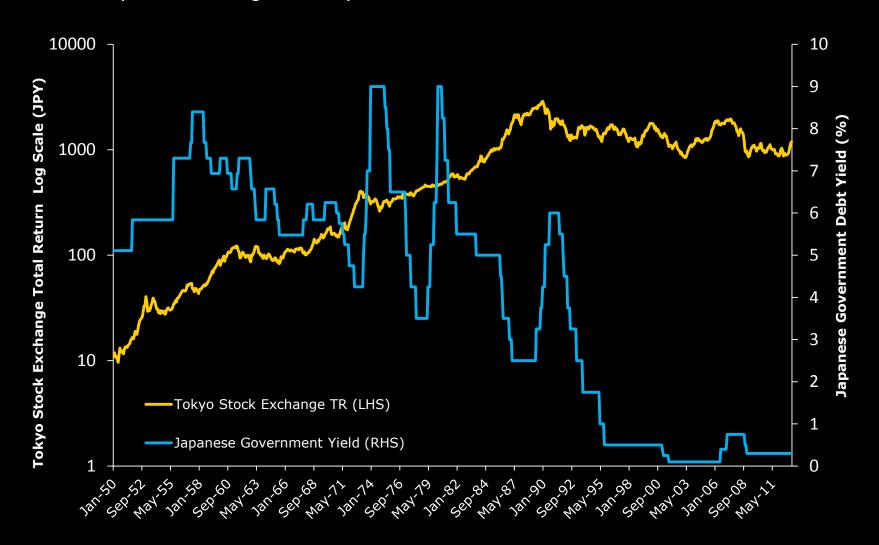
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# Tokyo Stock Exchange Total Return vs. Japanese Government Bond Yields



January 1, 1950 through February 28, 2013





## **Japanese 10 Year Government Bond Yield**







# Unemployment and Employment-to-Population Ratio

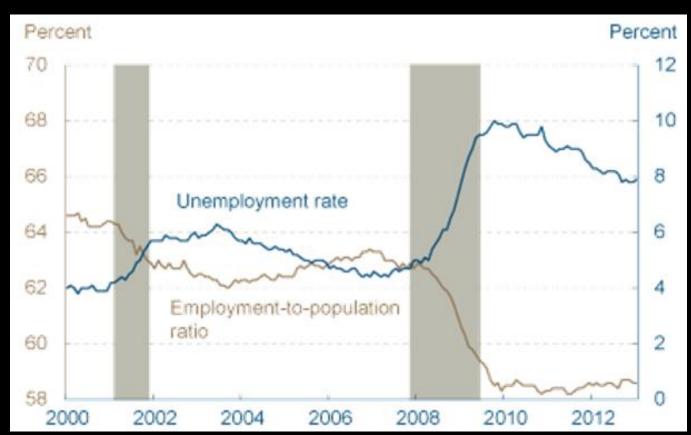


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January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2012





Unemployment ratio refers to The percentage of the total labor force that is unemployed but actively seeking employment and willing to work.

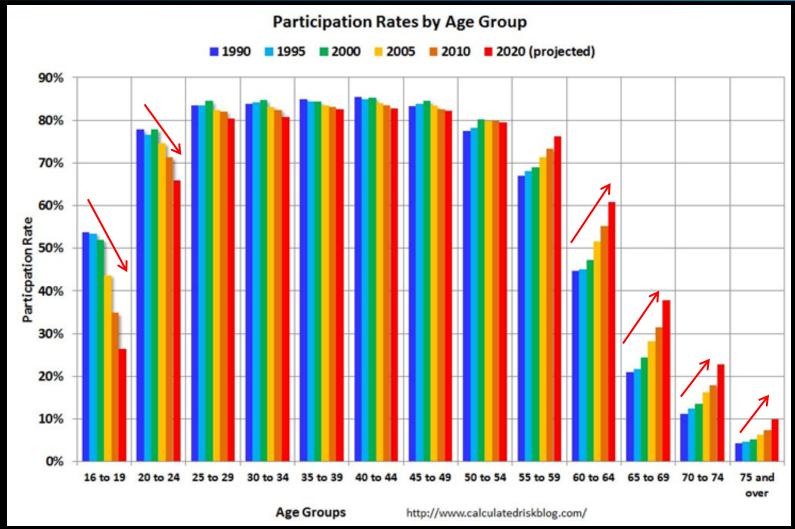
Employment-to-population refers to A macroeconomic statistic that takes the ratio of the total working age of the labor force currently employed to the total working age population of a region, municipality or country.



# **Labor Participation Rates by Age Group**



January 1, 1990 through 2020 Projected Estimates



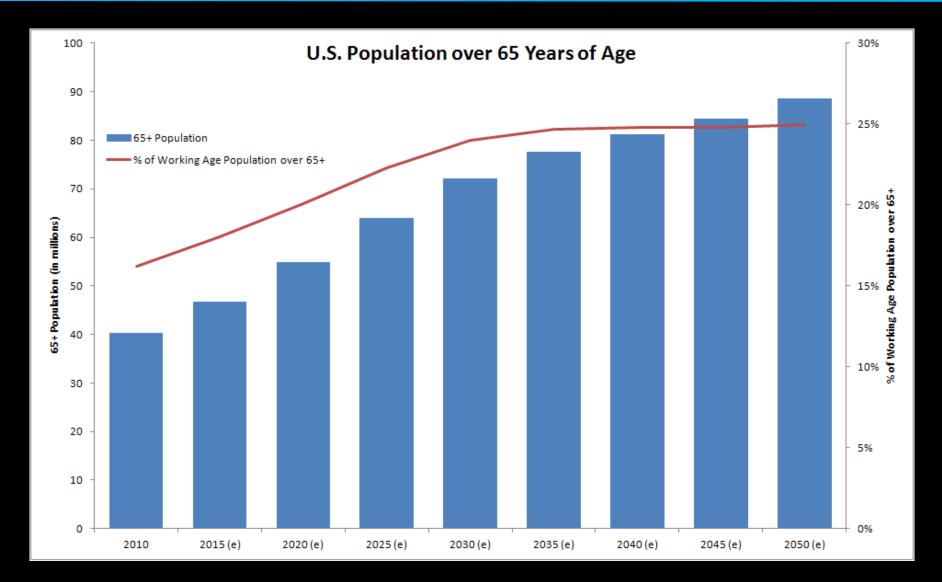
Source: Calculated Risk Blog



# U.S. Population – Retirement Age



As of December 31, 2012

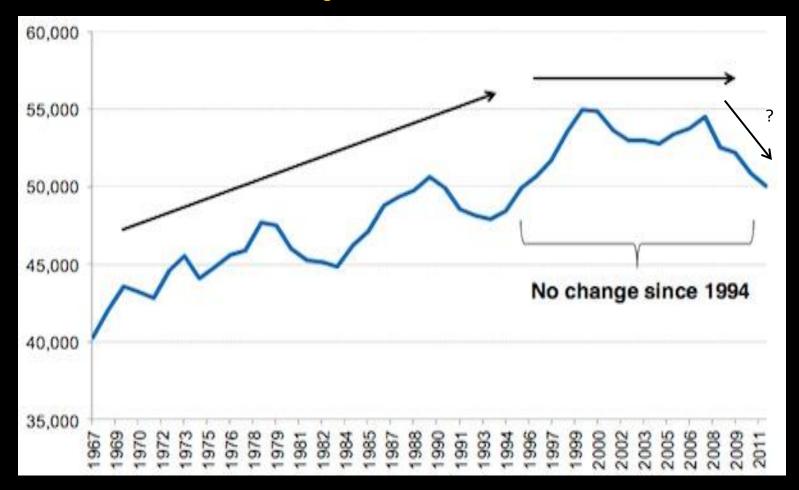






**Current Market Challenges** 

#### U.S. Median Household Income Stagnant





## Trade, Exchange Rates, Budgets and Interest Rates



As of October 20, 2012

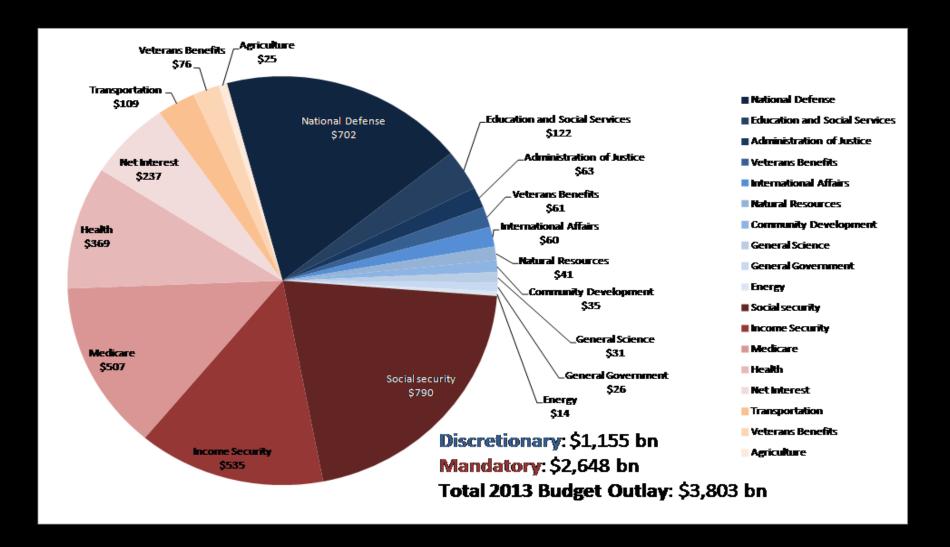
	Trade balance	Current-account balance				Budget balance	Interest rates	
	latest 12 months, \$bn	latest 12 months, \$bn	% of GDP 2012†	Oct 17th	nits, per \$ year ago	% of GDP 2012†	3-month latest	10-year gov't bonds, latest
United States	-746.0 Aug	-477.8 Q2	-3.1	-	-	-7.6	0.32	1.81
China	+197.0 Sep	+191.1 02	+2.1	6.25	6.37	-2.4	3.70	3.2155
Japan	-51.1 Aug	+86.2 Aug	+1.4	78.7	76.7	-9.2	0.19	0.77
Britain	-166.2 Aug	-88.0 02	-2.5	0.62	0.63	-8.4	0.52	1.78
Canada	-0.9 Aug	-56.4 Q2	-3.1	0.98	1.02	-3.4	1.24	1.91
Euro Area	+82.3 Aug	+77.0 Jul	+0.5	0.76	0.73	-3.3	0.21	1.66
Austria	-12.2 Jul	+4.4 Q2	+1.9	0.76	0.73	-2.5	0.21	2.07
Belgium	+13.8 Aug	-8.6 Jun	-0.2	0.76	0.73	-3.4	0.21	2.40
France	-89.2 Aug	-53.5 Aug	-2.1	0.76	0.73	-4.5	0.21	2.14
Germany	+239.7 Aug	+216.9 Aug	+5.6	0.76	0.73	-0.3	0.21	1.66
Greece	-28.5 Jul	-18.3 Jul	-6.6	0.76	0.73	-7.6	0.21	17.8
Italy	-0.1 Aug	-39.3 Jul	-2.0	0.76	0.73	-2.8	0.21	4.76
Netherlands	+56.8 Aug	+78.8 02	+7.8	0.76	0.73	-4.5	0.21	1.85
Spain	-54.7 Jul	-39.1 Jul	-2.4	0.76	0.73	-6.7	0.21	5.53



## 2013 Fiscal Year Federal Budget



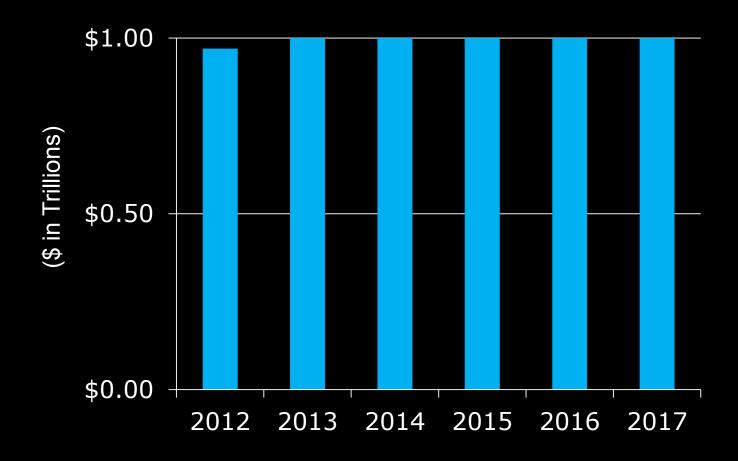
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# **Deficits Excluding Interest Expense (Assumed)**

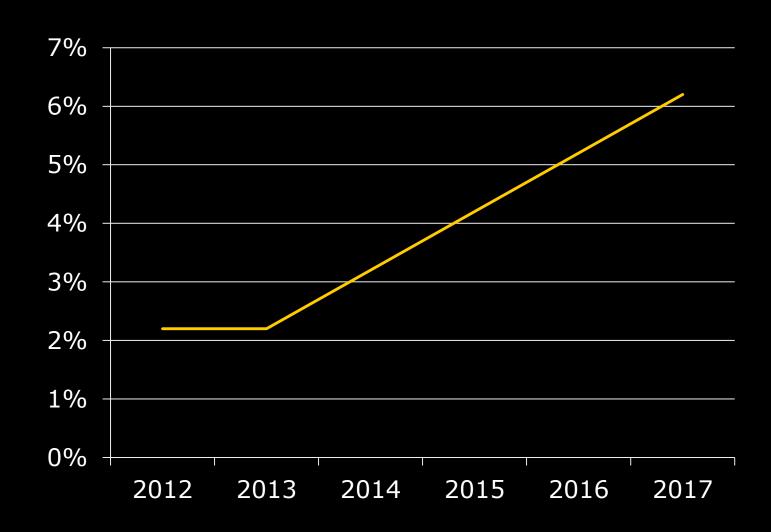






# **Average Treasury Interest Rate (Assumed)**

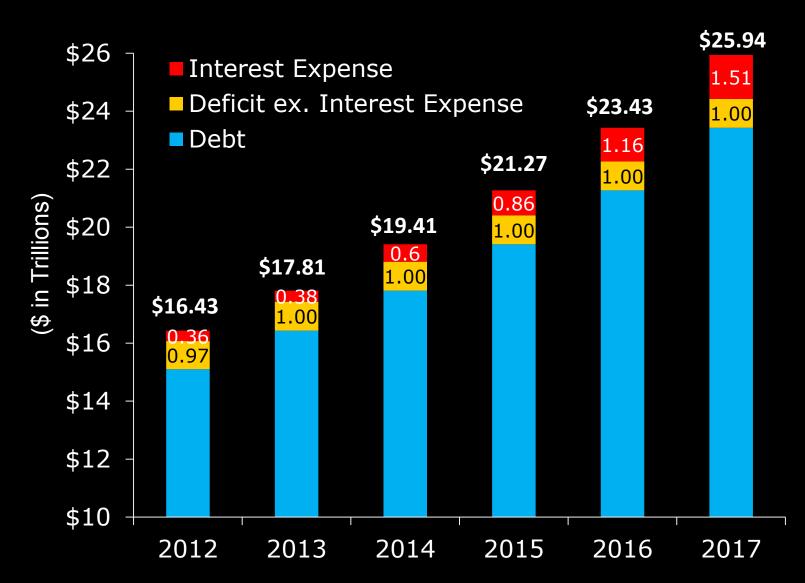






# **US Debt, Deficit & Interest Expense (Assumed)**









# Government Options To Solve The Debt Problem



\* Tried These Already



## **Public Opinion Poll**

As of February 18, 2013



#### Public Rejects Cuts in Government Spending in Most Areas

Would you increase, decrease or keep spending the same for...

same for						
	In	crease	Same	Decrease		
	Aid to world's needy		21 28	48		
	State Department	14	46	34		
	Unemployment aid	24	41	32		
	Military defense	32	41	24		
	Aid to needy in U.S.	27	44	24		
	Health care	38	34	22		
En	vironmental protection	33	43	22		
	Energy	36	38	21		
	Scientific research	37	40	20		
	Agriculture	34	42	20		
Д	anti-terrorism defenses	32	45	19		
Ro	ads and infrastructure	38	43	17		
	Medicare	36	46	15		
	Combating crime	41	41	14		
Fo	od and drug inspection	33	50	14		
	Natural disaster relief	34	50	12		
	Education	60	29	10		
	Social Security	41	46	10		
	Veterans' benefits	53	38	6		
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Increase Spending

Keep the same

**Decrease Spending** 

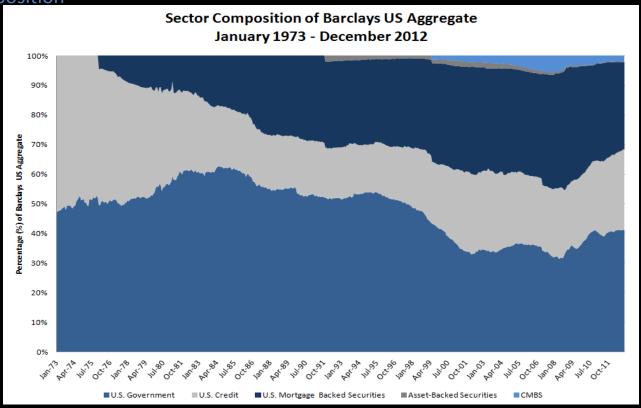




#### **Aggregate Yield and Duration**

- Bond "indexing" currently presents challenges in the current low-yield environment
- Since Treasuries are the lowest yielding sector of the US fixed income market and Treasuries make up a larger portion of the index, the yield has diminished significantly

Index Composition<sup>1</sup>

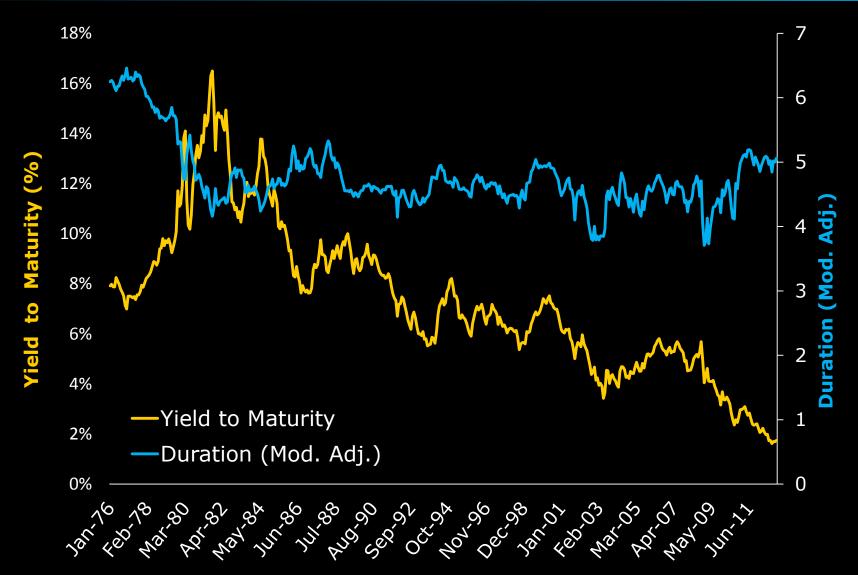




#### **Barclays Aggregate Index – Yield & Duration**



January 1, 1976 through December 31, 2012

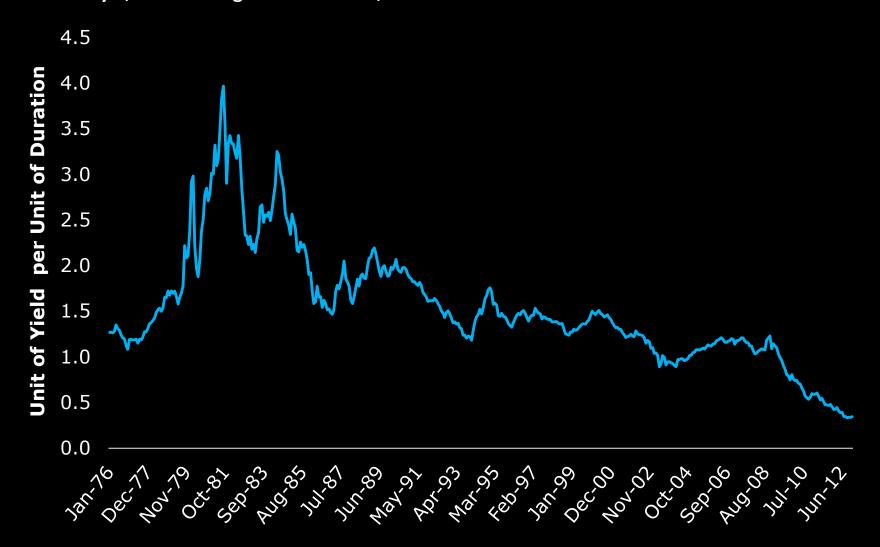




# Barclays Aggregate Index – Unit of Yield per Unit of Duration



January 1, 1976 through December 31, 2012





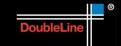
# **Current Market Yields in Various Fixed Income Sectors**



- With the developed world continuing down the path of quantitative easing, the "traditional" sectors of the global fixed income market are providing yields of less than 3%.
- However, other sectors of the fixed income market still offer relatively attractive yields.

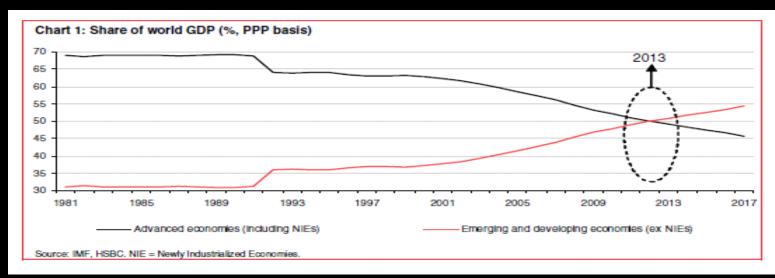
Sector	Yield	
U.S. Government Securities	0.96%	
International Sovereign Debt	0.96%	"Traditional Bond
Agency Residential Mortgage Backed Securities	1.47%	Sectors" (Barclays Global
Commercial Mortgage Backed Securities	1.85%	Aggregate Index
U.S. Investment Grade Corporates	2.77%	sectors)
Emerging Markets Sovereign Debt	4.08%	
Emerging Markets Corporate Debt	4.71%	"Non-Traditional Bond
Non-Agency Residential Mortgage Backed Securities	6.00%	Sectors"
Bank Loans	6.26%	
Global High Yield Corporate Debt	6.64%	

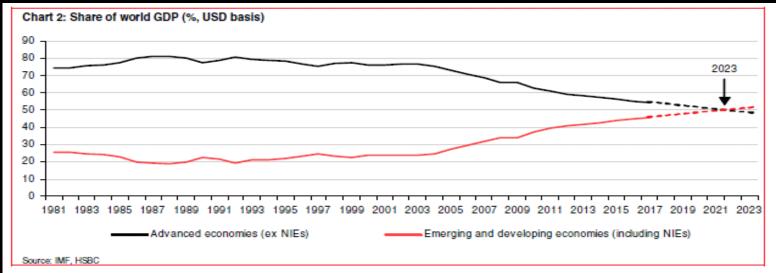




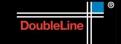
#### **Developed Markets and Emerging Markets**

#### Share of Projected World Estimates of GDP



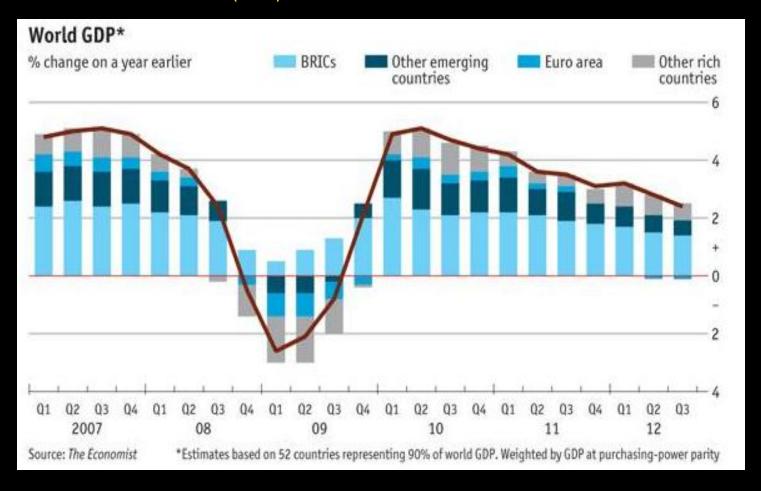






#### **Developed Markets and Emerging Markets**

#### World Gross Domestic Product (GDP)

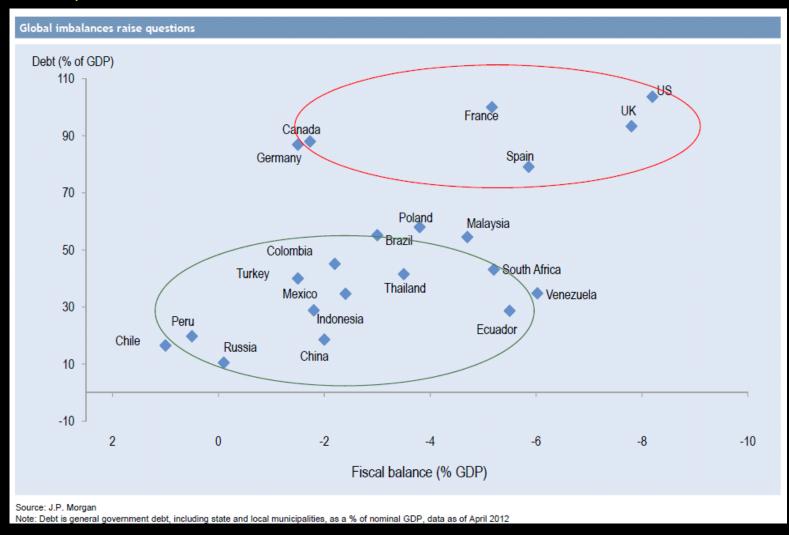




# DoubleLine

#### **Developed Markets and Emerging Markets**

#### **Developed Economies Are Now the Debtors**



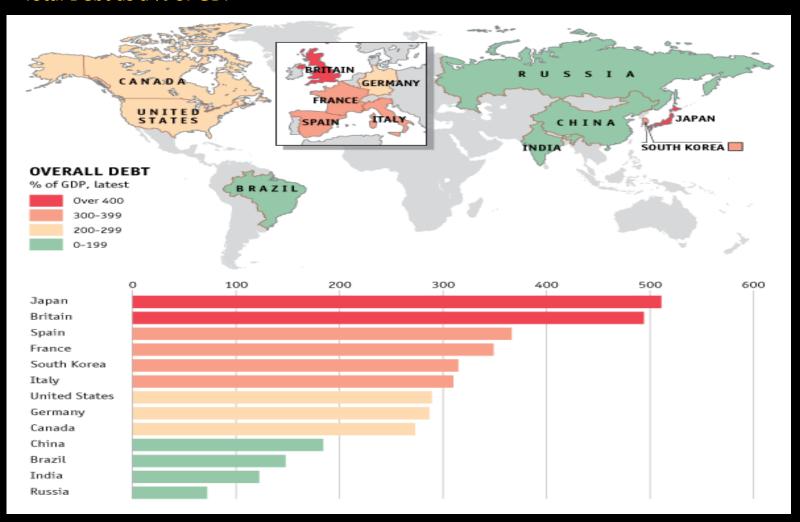
Source: JP Morgan





#### **Developed Markets and Emerging Markets**

#### Total Debt as a % of GDP

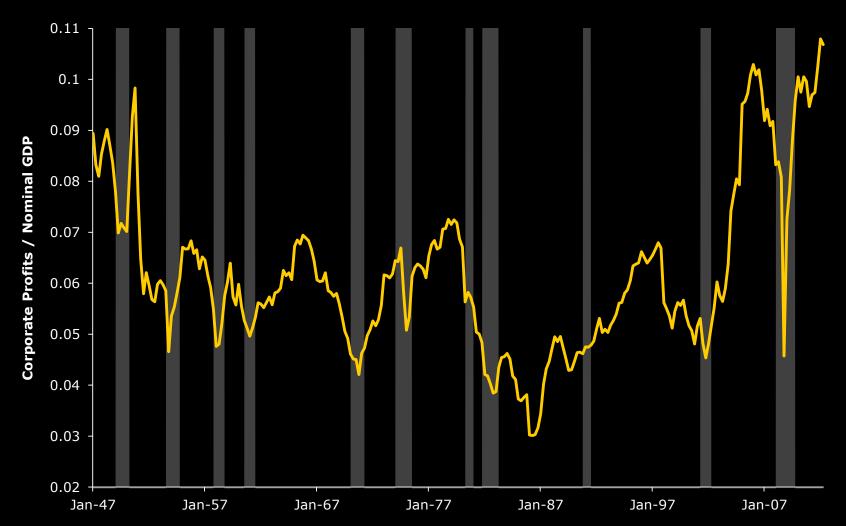




## **Corporate Profits Hit All Time High As % of GDP**



January 1, 1947 through March 31, 2012



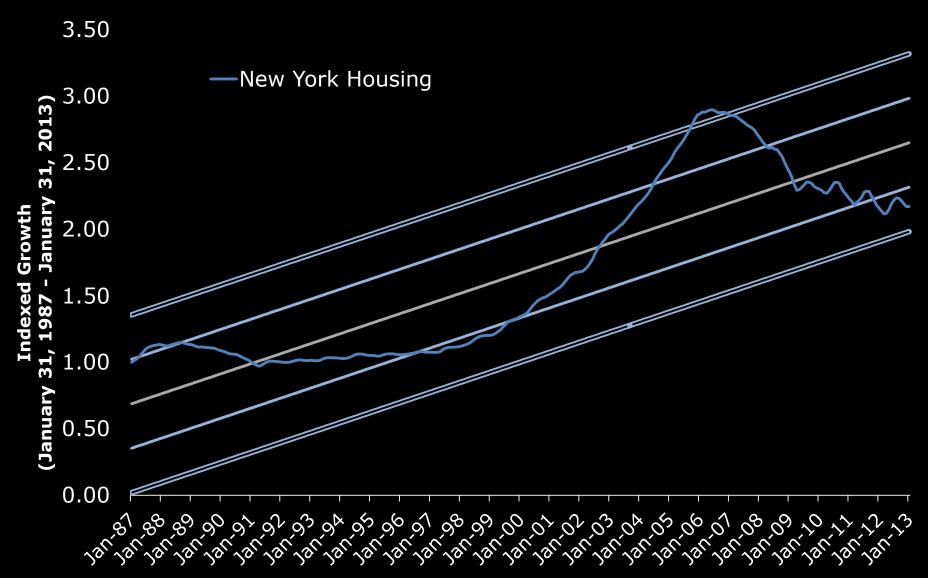
Source: http://www.businessinsider.com/corporate-profits-just-hit-an-all-time-high-wages-just-hit-an-all-time-low-2012-

GDP = Gross domestic product (GDP) is the monetary value of all the finished goods and services produced within a country's borders in a specific time period, though GDP is usually calculated on an annual basis.



## **S&P Case-Shiller New York Index**



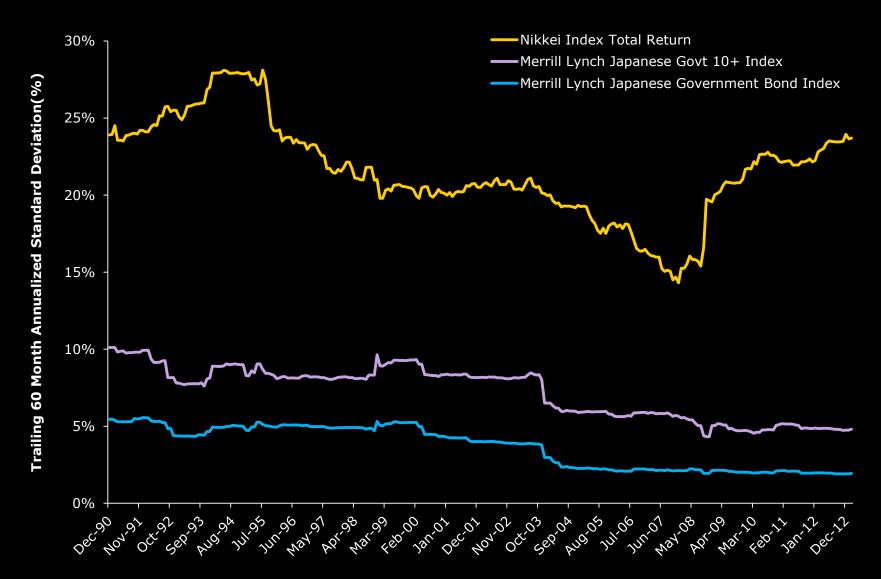




#### **Japanese 5-Year Rolling Volatility**



December 1, 1990 through February 28, 2013

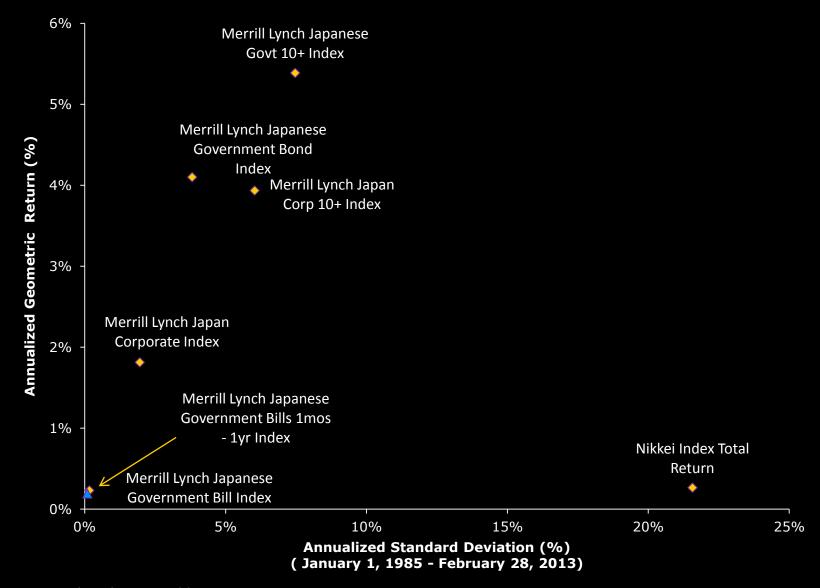




## Japanese Risk vs. Return

January 1, 1985 through February 28, 2013





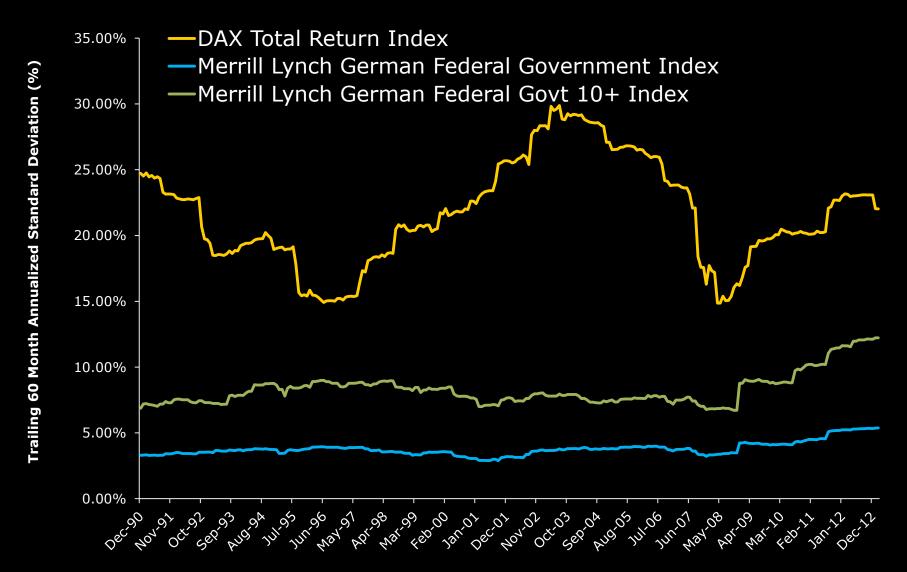
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#### **German 5 Year Rolling Volatility**

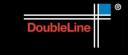


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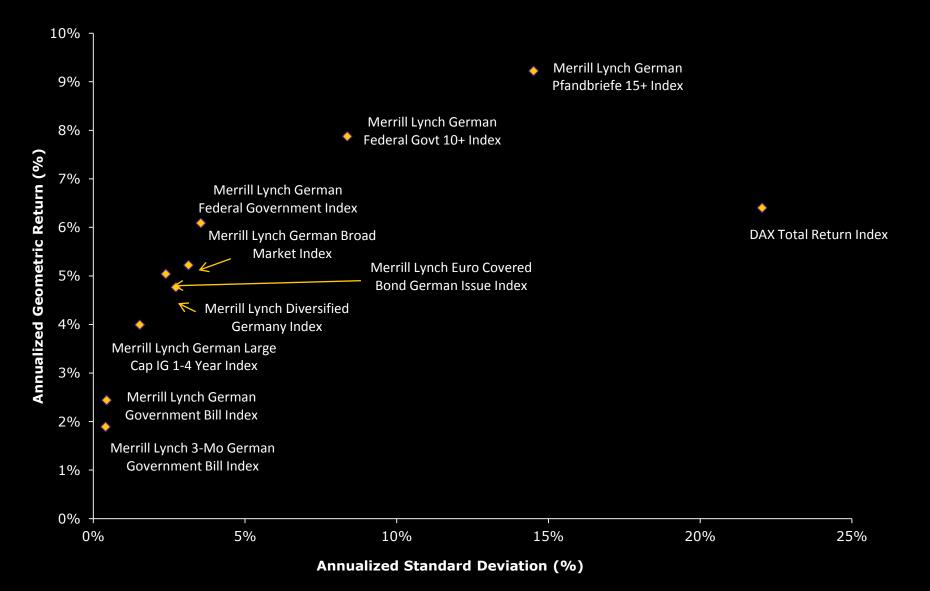




#### German Risk vs. Return



December 1, 1985 through February 28, 2013





### **Performance Since Inception QE2**



October 4, 2011 through March 4, 2013



Source: Bloomberg Financial Services

CRY = TR/J CRB Commodities Excess Return Index is an arithmetic average of commodity futures process with monthly rebalancing.

SPX = Standard & Poor's 500 Index is a capitalization-weighted index of 500 stocks. The index is designed to measure performance of the broad domestic economy.

TLT = iShares Barclays 20+ Year Treasury Bond Fund in an exchange traded fund incorporated in the USA.

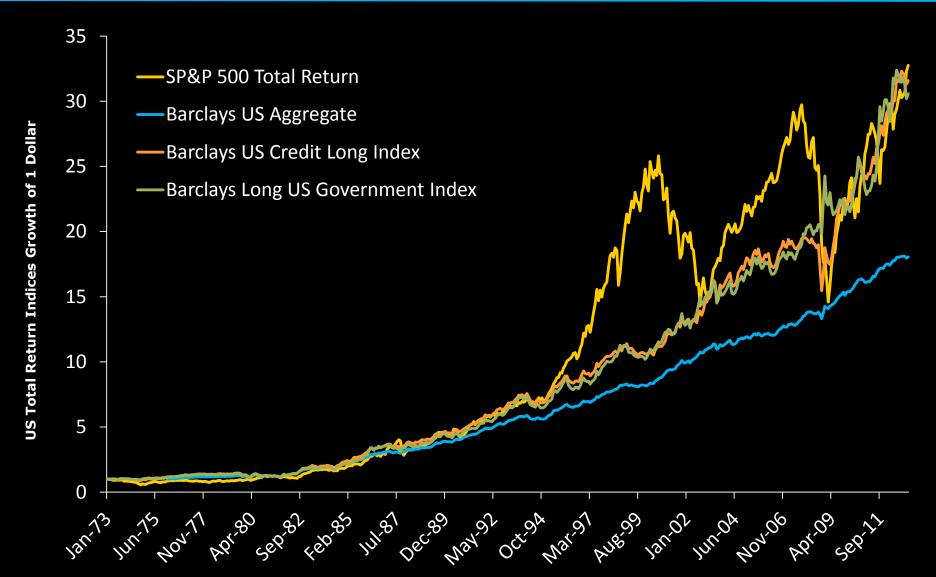
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### **US Total Return Indices Growth of \$1 Dollar**



January 1, 1973 through February 28, 2013

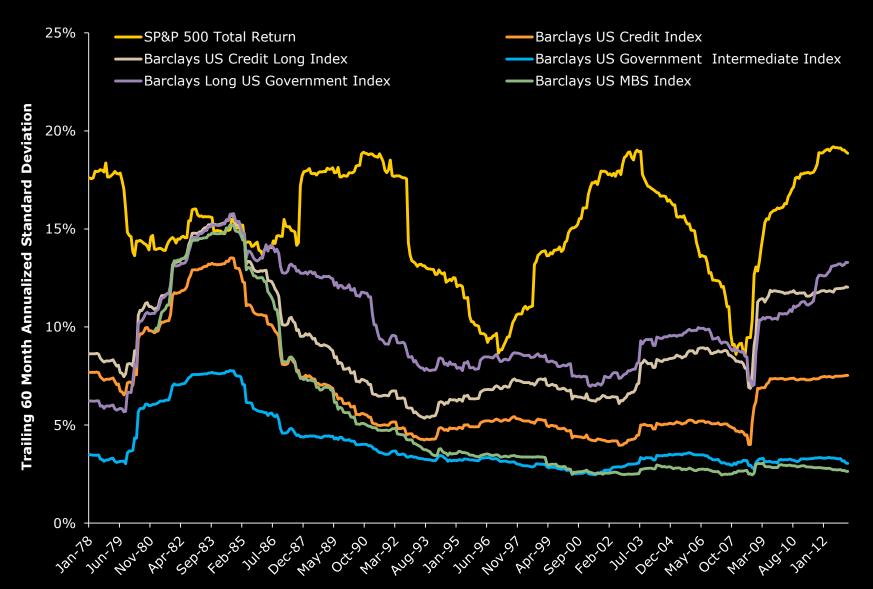




## **US 5-Year Rolling Volatility**



January 1, 1978 through February 28, 2013

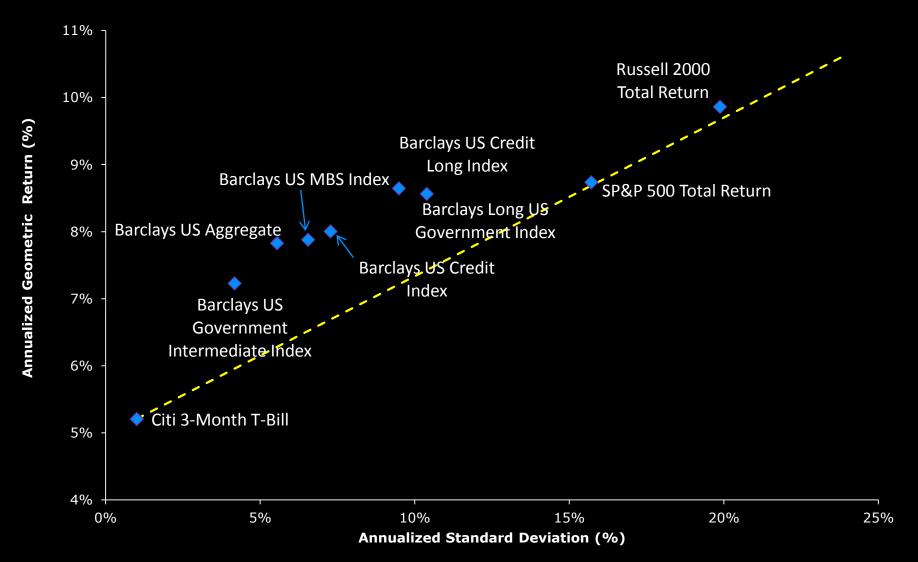




### **US Markets Risk vs. Return**



January 1, 1973 through February 28, 2013





### **United States Alternative Asset Class Correlation Matrix**



January 1, 1994 – December 31, 2012

	S & P 500 Total Return	LPX50 Total Return Private Equity	Cambridge Venture Capital Index	Barclays US Aggregate Index	Dow Jones Credit Suisse Hedge Fund Index
S & P 500 Total Return	1.00	0.77	0.43	-0.22	0.68
LPX50 total Return Private Equity	0.77	1.00	0.65	-0.34	0.68
Cambridge Venture Capital Index	0.43	0.65	1.00	-0.21	0.53
Barclays US Aggregate Index	-0.22	-0.34	-0.21	1.00	-0.08
Dow Jones Credit Suisse Hedge Fund Index	0.68	0.68	0.53	-0.08	1.00



# Google vs. Apple Stock Time Comparison





Source: Bloomberg Financial Services



# **Natural Gas/Apple Spread Chart**



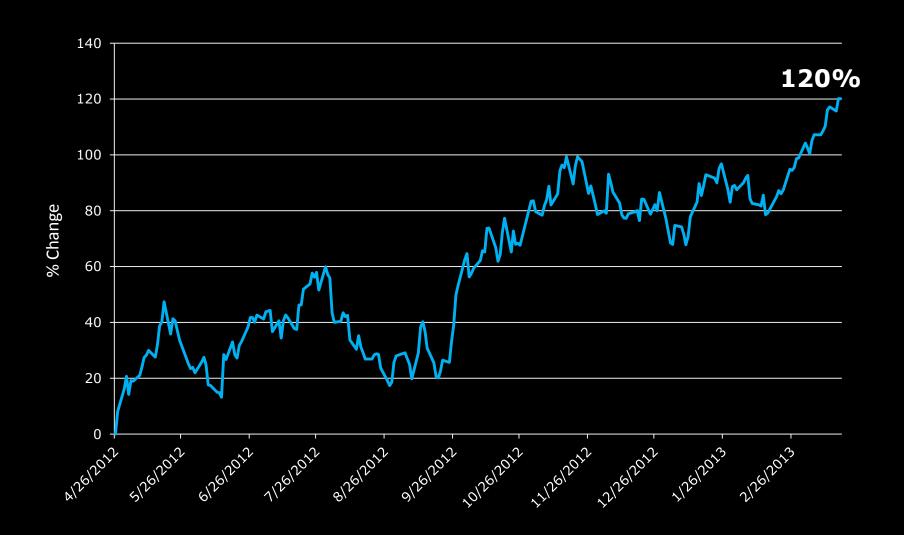
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	Currency	Price Appreciation	Total Return	Diffe	erence Annual Ec			
	USD	97.20%	97.20%	** 12	25.58% 107.30%			
2. AAPL US Equity	USD	-29.42%	-28 <b>.</b> 38%		-30.12%			
3.								
				** No	dividends or coupons			
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# Cumulative Return Long Natural Gas/Short Apple

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April 26, 2012 through March 20, 2013







Barclays Capital US Aggregate Index - The Barclays Capital US Aggregate Index represents securities that are SEC-registered, taxable, and dollar denominated. The index covers the US investment grade fixed rate bond market, with index components for government and corporate securities, mortgage pass-through securities, and asset-backed securities. These major sectors are subdivided into more specific indices that are calculated and reported on a regular basis.

Barclays Capital US Treasury Index - This index is the US Treasury component of the US Government index. Public obligations of the US Treasury with a remaining maturity of one year or more.

Barclays Capital US Treasury 2 Year Index - This index is the 2 year component of the US Government index.

Barclays Capital US Treasury 5 Year Index - This index is the 5 year component of the US Government index.

Barclays Capital US Treasury 7 Year Index - This index is the 7 year component of the US Government index.

Barclays Capital US Treasury 10 Year Index - This index is the 10 year component of the US Government index.

Barclays Capital US Treasury 30 Year Index - This index is the 30 year component of the US Government index.

Barclays Capital US High Yield Index - The Barclays Capital US High Yield Index covers the universe of fixed rate, non-investment grade debt. Eurobonds and debt issuer from countries designated as emerging markets (e.g. Argentina, Brazil, Venezuela, etc.) are excluded, but Canadian and global bonds (SEC registered) of issuers in non-EMG countries are included. Original issue zereos, step-up coupon structures, 144-As and pay-in-kind (PIK, as of October 1, 2009) are also included.

BofA Merrill Lynch US Government Index (GOAO) - The Merrill Lynch US Government Index tracks the performance of US government (i.e. securities in the Treasury and Agency indices.)

BofA Merrill Lynch US 15+ Year Treasury Index "Long Treasuries" (G802)- This index is a subset of the BofA Merrill Lynch US Treasury Index including all securities with a remaining term of final maturity greater than 15 years..

BofA Merrill Lynch US Corporate Index (COAO) "Investment Grade" - The Merrill Lynch Corporate Index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated investment grade corporate debt publicly issued in the US domestic market. Qualifying securities must have an investment grade rating (based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Fitch) and an investment grade rated country of risk (based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Fitch foreign currency long term sovereign debt ratings). Securities must have at least one year remaining term to final maturity, a fixed coupon schedule and a minimum amount outstanding of \$250MM.

BofA Merrill Lynch US All Convertibles Index (VOSO) - The Merrill Lynch All Convertible Index is a rule driven index. which includes all bonds and preferred stocks of U.S.-registered companies, which have \$50 million or more in aggregate market value and are convertibles in U.S. dollar-denominated common stocks, ADRs or cash equivalents. Please note an investor cannot invest directly in an index.

CRB Commodity Index - An unweighted geometric average of some important commodities. It averages prices across 17 commodities and across time. The index tracks energy, grains, industrials, livestock, precious metals, and agriculturals.

S&P 500 - S&P 500 is a free-float capitalization-weighted index published since 1957 of the prices of 500 large-cap common stocks actively traded in the United States.

Standard Deviation – Sigma = standard deviation. It shows how much variation there is from the "average" (mean, or expected/budgeted value). A low standard deviation indicated that the data point tend to be very close to the mean, whereas high standard deviation indicated that the date is spread out over a large range of values.

Dow Jones – UBS DJ Commodity Index - The Dow Jones UBS – Commodity index is composed of commodities traded on U.S. exchanges, with the exception of aluminum, nickel and zinc, which trade on the London Metal Exchange (LME





#### BofA Merrill Lynch US Dollar Emerging Markets Sovereign Plus Index (IGOV)

This index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated emerging market and cross-over sovereign debt publicly issued in the eurobond or US domestic market. Qualifying countries must have a BB1 or lower foreign currency long-term sovereign debt rating (based on an average of Moody's, S&P, and Fitch).

#### BofA Merrill Lynch U.S. High Yield Cash Pay Index (JOA0) "Below Investment Grade"-

The Merrill Lynch High Yield Index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated below investment grade corporate debt, currently in a coupon paying period, that is publicly issued in the US domestic market. Qualifying securities must have a below investment grade rating (based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Firth foreign currency long term sovereign debt ratings). Must have one year remaining to final maturity and a minimum outstanding amount of \$100MM.

#### BofA Merrill Lynch International Government Index (NOGO)

The Merrill Lynch International Index tracks the performance of Australia, Canadian, French, German, Japan, Dutch, Swiss and UK investment grade sovereign debt publicly issued and denominated in the issuer's own domestic market and currency. Qualifying securities must have at least one year remaining term to final maturity, a fixed coupon schedule and a minimum amount outstanding.

#### BofA Merrill Lynch Mortgage-Backed Securities Index (MOA0)

This index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated fixed rate and hybrid residential mortgage pass-through securities publicly issued by US agencies in the US domestic market. 30-year, 20-year, 15-year and interest only fixed rate mortgage pools are included in the Index provided they have at least one year remaining term to final maturity and a minimum amount outstanding of at least \$5 billion per generic coupon and \$250MM per production year within each generic coupon.

#### BofA Merrill Lynch U.S. Municipal Securities Index (UOA0)

This index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated investment grade tax-exempt debt publicly issued by US states and territories, and their political subdivisions, in the US domestic market. Qualifying securities must have at least one year remaining term to final maturity, a fixed coupon schedule and an investment grade rating (based on Moody's, S&P and Fitch). Minimum size vary based on the initial term to final maturity at time of issuance.

Barclays Capital Global Emerging Markets Index - The Barclays Capital Global Emerging Markets Index represents the union of the USD-denominated US Emerging Markets index and the predominately EUR-denominated Pan Euro Emerging Markets Index, covering emerging markets in the following regions: Americas, Europe, Middle East, Africa, and Asia. As with other fixed income benchmarks provided by Barclays Capital, the index is rules-based, which allows for an unbiased view of the marketplace and easy replicability.

JP Morgan Investment Grade Corporate Index - JP Morgan Investment Grade Corporate Index includes performance of US dollar denominated investment grade corporate debt publicly issued in the US domestic market. Qualifying securities must have an investment grade rating (based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Fitch) and an investment grade rated country of risk (based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Fitch foreign currency long term sovereign debt ratings). Securities must have at least one year remaining term to final maturity, a fixed coupon schedule and a minimum amount outstanding of \$250MM.

CPI – Consumer Price Index. A measure that examines the weighted average of prices of a basket of consumer goods and services, such as transportation, food and medical care. Cash Flow – Cash flow measures the cash generating capability of a company by adding non-cash charges (e.g. depreciation) and interest expense to pretax income.





BofA Merrill Lynch US Treasury Index (GOQ0) -The Merrill Lynch US Treasury Index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated sovereign debt publicly issued by the US government in its domestic market. Qualifying securities must have at least one year remaining term to final maturity, a fixed coupon schedule and a minimum amount outstanding of \$1 billion.

BofA Merrill Lynch US 10-15 Year Treasury Index "Long Treasury"-The Merrill Lynch US 10-15 Treasury Index tracks the performance of US dollar denominated 10-15 year sovereign debt publicly issued by the US government in its domestic market. It is a subset of the BofA Merrill Lynch U.S. Treasury Index (GOQO). BofA/Merrill Lynch High Yield Cash Pay CCC –rated Index (JOA3) – .A component of the BofA/Merrill Lynch High Yield Cash Pay Index concentrating on CCC rated High Yield credit only.

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S&P/Case-Shiller Composite Home Price Index - The Case-Shiller Home Price Indices, one comprised of price changes within all 20 metropolitan markets, and another comprised of price changes within the following subset of 10 metropolitan markets: Boston, Chicago, Denver, Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Miami, New York, San Diego, San Francisco and Washington DC. In addition to those 10 markets, the 20-Home Price index reflects price changes for Atlanta, Charlotte, Dallas, Detroit, Minneapolis, Phoenix, Portland, Seattle and Tampa.

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Duration – Duration is a commonly used measure of the potential volatility of the price of a debt security, or the aggregate market value of a portfolio of debt securities, prior to maturity. Securities with a longer duration generally have more volatile prices than securities of comparable quality with a shorter duration.





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