# Trade Radar

Trades & Fades

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• Market getting paid – longs took some pain but still believe in belly cheapening as rate hikes. After stoking the fires of inflation, expecting flattening in 5s10s

• Think that Credit curves should not out—flatten the moves in Swaps — looking for steepeners particularly peripherals where credit should still be an issue

#### What happened in UKT?...

Changes in UKT bonds and Sonia vs 75 day average

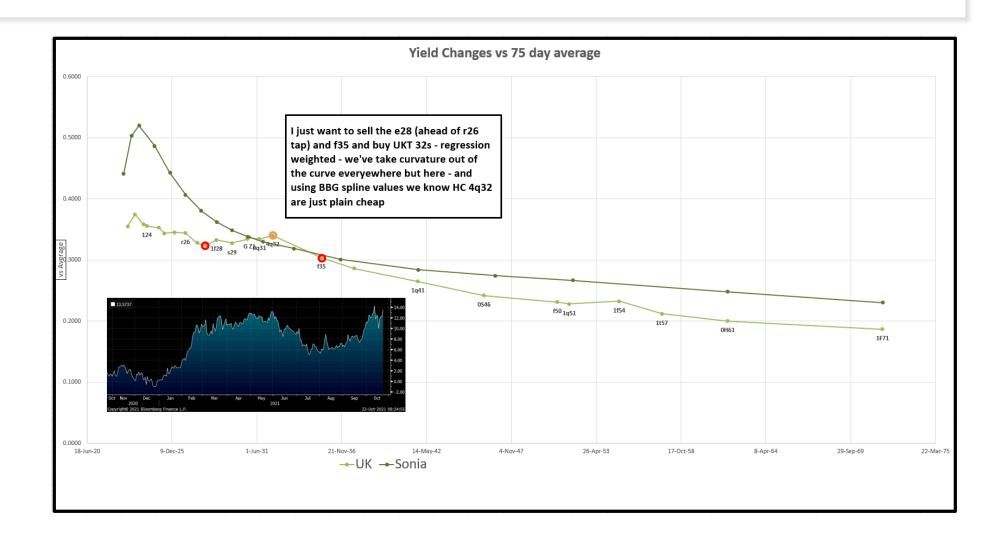
Buy UKT 32 vs

Sell UKT-e28 & -f35

-1/+2/-1

33% of risk at this entry level +13.5bp

Sharpe beats other RV structures @ > +16bp so that's my add level



# Supply

Monday 25<sup>th</sup>

#### **EU 7y**

- Late P.M. announcement of Thursday's M&L supply in Italy
- Tuesday 26th

**Nether 10y** 

UKT 5y

**Italy, 2y (Jan24)** 

**Germany 7y** 

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>

**Germany 15y** 

• Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>

Italy M&L, TBA

Following week:

Austria TBA, Germany 5y, Spain and France (Longs) TBA

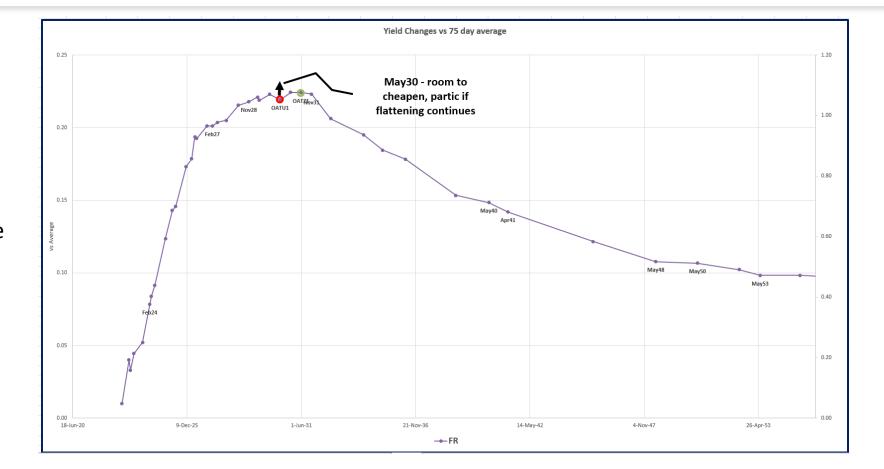
UKT: 0q25, 1f71, h29

# French OATU1 basis: sell vs OATZ1

- We felt that CTD to OATU1, Frtr Oat 2.5% May30 could richen

   it did and now looks a sell
- As the curve has flattened the May30 hasn't flattened anywhere as much as the rest of the curve

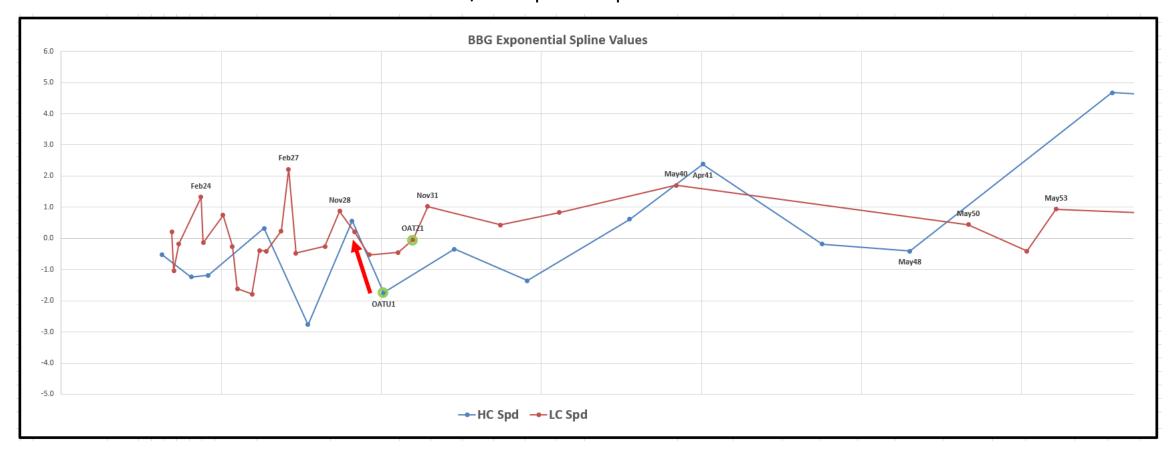
3m yield changes vs 75 day Average



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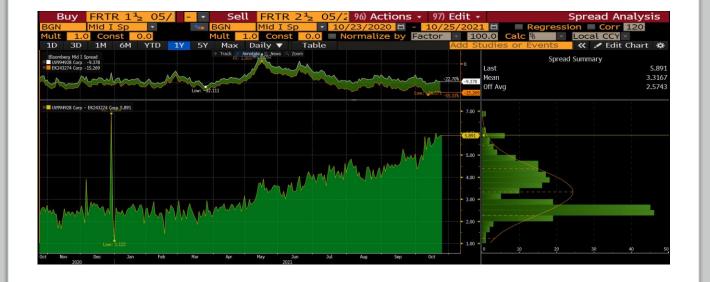
 On spline the prior Apr29s have collapsed into the curve and Frtr May30 roll into that point

Rich / Cheap: BBG spline values



#### French Frtr May30 (OATU1 CTD) basis: Sell May30 vs OATZ1

- Spread of Spreads vs MMS: +5.9bp
- Target +3bp



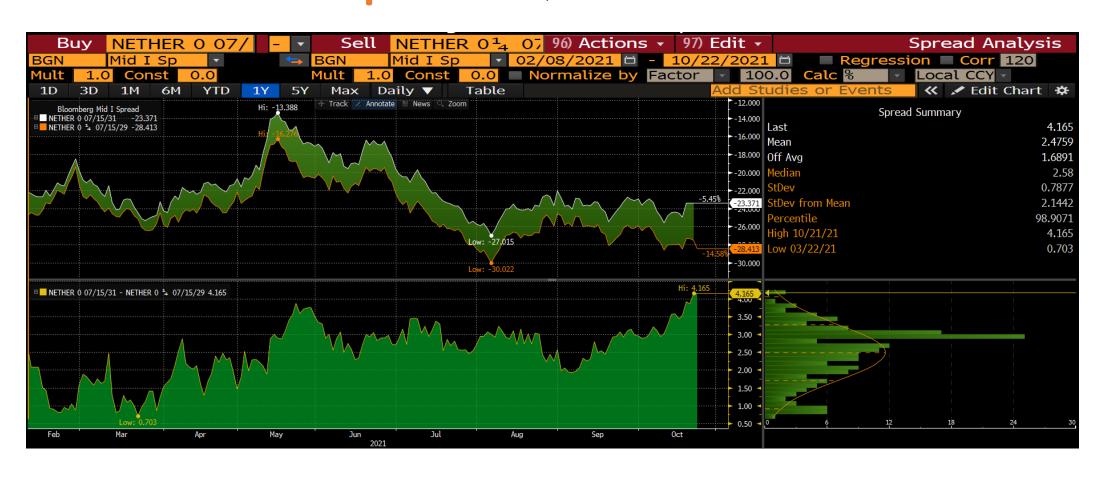
# EU tap of 2028

- Not much to say but EU has performed and out-flattened other issuers
- At the margin I'd sell some 10y EU 31s to go back German 10y the latter was supplied this last week and has struggled to perform.
- -19.1bp

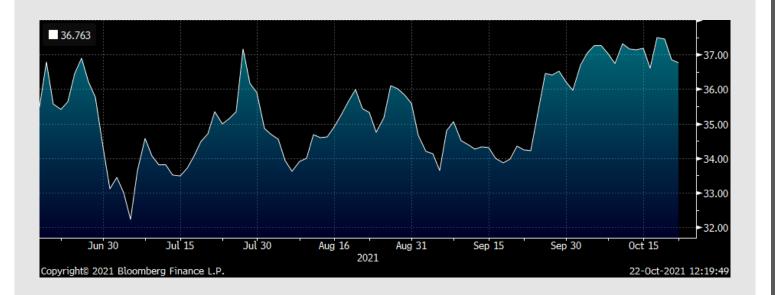


#### Nether 31s

- Generally Core Europe has started to flatten in a delayed response to the swap curve and the US – I still like that theme and also observe that the 10y point in Nether has been hit hardest.
- Sell Old8y (July 29) vs Nether 10s (July 31s) is pretty steep in absolute terms. Looks solid vs Swaps
- Probably the best pick in core Europe 7s10s flatteners with the exception of some micro Basis trades 8s/9s



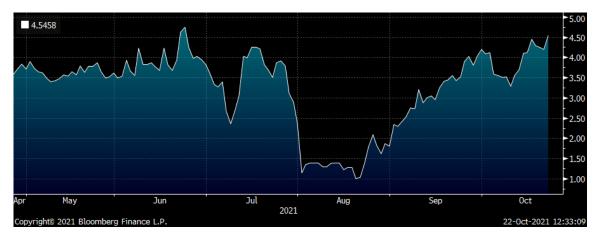
#### Nether 31s as a credit...



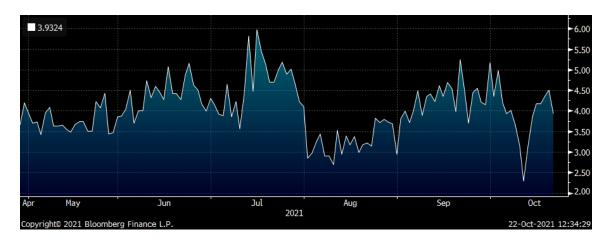
- I don't mind Long Nether vs Germany – and conversely if I want to sell EU vs Core then....
- Buy Nether 31 vs Sell RXZ1 and Sell <u>EU 31</u>
- -RXZ1 / +Neth31 / -EU31
- Weighting: -1.8 / +2 / -0.2
- It's a modest weighting (10%) in the EU, just allows me to lighten up on that name a bit
- (+2.0 \* YIELD[NETHER 0 07/15/31 Corp] - 0.2 \* YIELD[EU 0 07/04/31 Corp] -1.8 \* YIELD[BJ948280 Corp]) \* 100

# German 7y: vs OEZ1 and Dbr Feb30

- German 7y supply sell OEZ1 & Dbr Feb30
- Quick tactical hedge. The Dbr Feb30 is rich former CTD now rich
- Weightings: -0.7 / +2 / -1.3
- Good on yield fly
- Neutral on swap fly so look for some discount going into the tap
- Enter: > +5bp

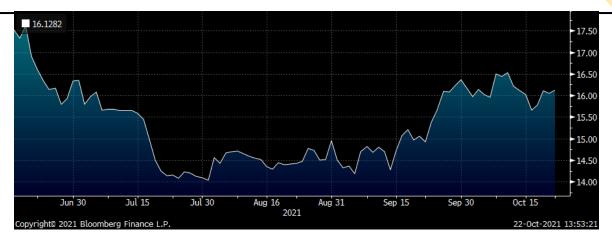


Yield

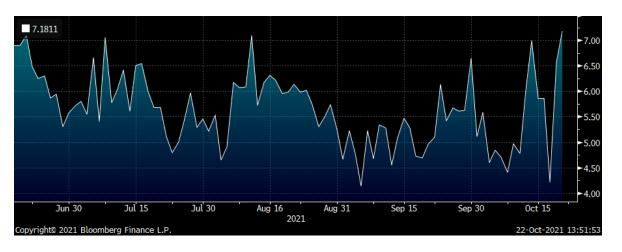


#### German 10y: oversold vs 9y and 15y – supply in the latter

- The on the run 10y rolls far better than the 15y – so we don't mind being short old 15y vs 10y
- A fly structure helps us capture some of that roll..
- -Dbr Feb30 / +Dbr Aug31 / -Dbr May35
- -1.7 / +2 / -0.3
- Supply next week in 15y: Dbr May36
- Seems like vs the Derivative Curve 10yrs have found a bottom – I like both legs here vs Swaps



Yield



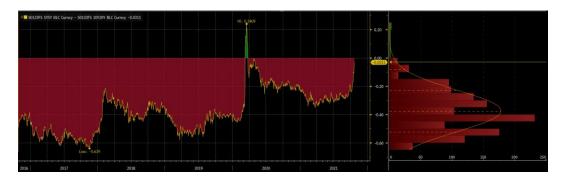
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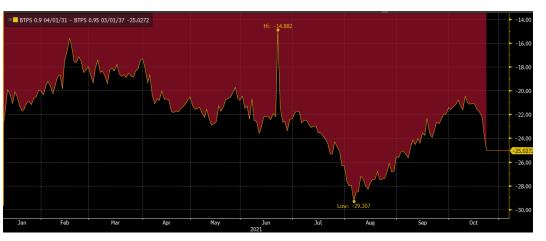
When is 10s30s too flat?

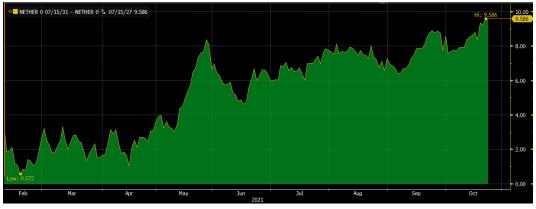
Eonia 5y5y vs 10y20y –

 Credit steepeners in Peripherals vs MMS: Italy +9y vs -15y... this graph keep swill keep going as we like credit steepener vs swaps

 Holland: -Nether 6y vs 10y, vs MMS Nether just didn't flatten

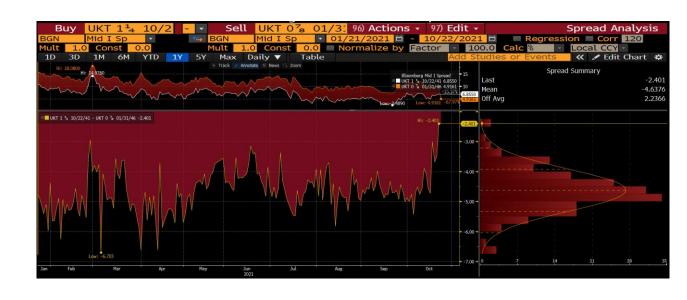




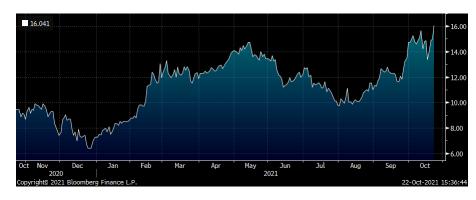


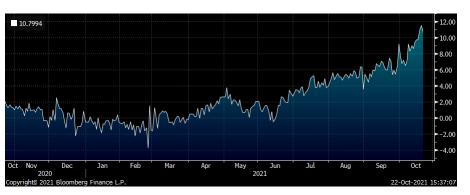
## Also looking at...

 Ukt 0s46 / + 1q41 vs Sonia, cash steepeners ahead of ultras tap – more supply over time in 46s – like this steepener



- Deferred CTD too cheap in UKT: 32s will have repo value over its delivery events:
- Regression Weighted Fly UKT: -s29 / +4q32 / -f35
   vs yield or swaps. -1.4 / +2 / -0.6 (how it trades)

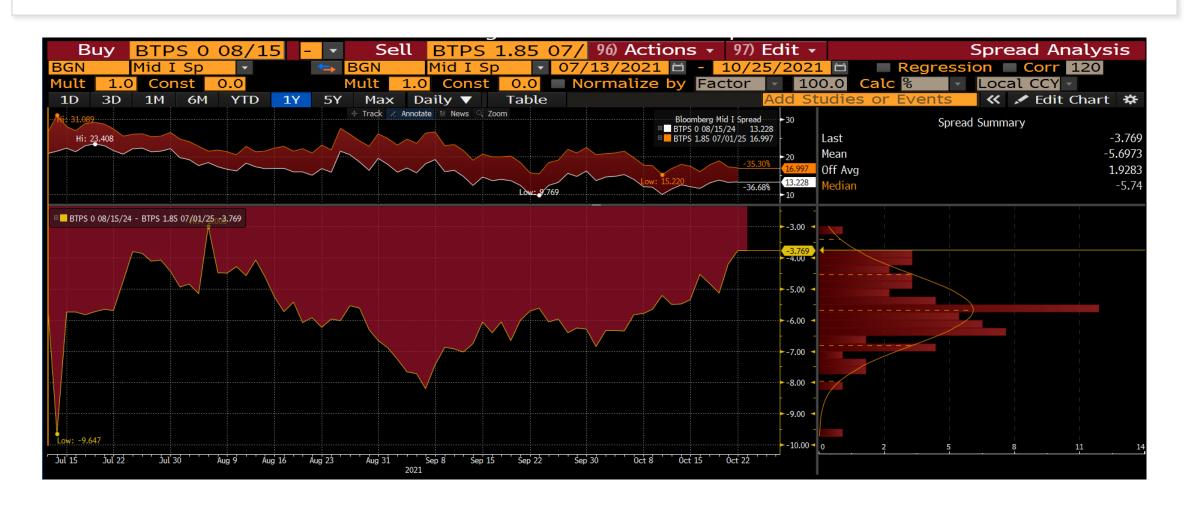




**Vs Sonia** 

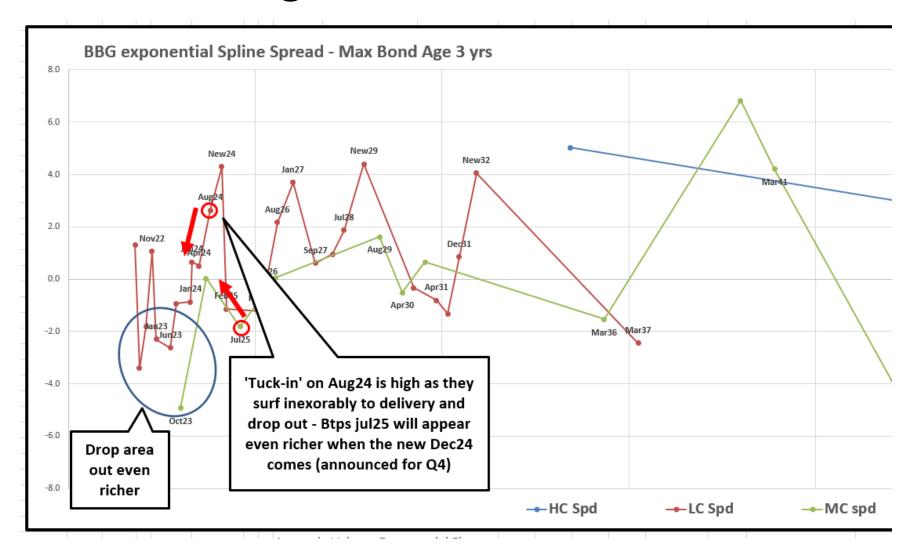
# Credit Steepener in Btps: -Jul25 into +Aug24

- 3.8bp vs MMS



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Tuck in Values look good – idiosyncratic roll for Aug24 vs jul25 is good...



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