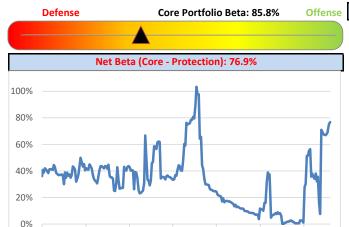
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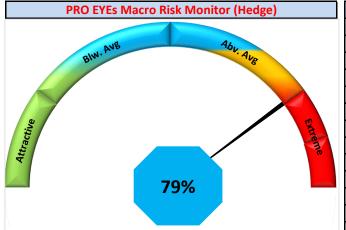
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## **Market Strategy (Risk Management)**

Moderate Protection: The current core beta is 85.8% vs. the benchmark of 100% up from 85.5% last week. The current degree of beta protection is about -9%. We made two trades last week. We added to the energy (reflation) reflation trade buying XLE and selling ZSP. We also trimmed gold equities (ZGD) a bit on the strength---it remains a high conviction risk/return trade. We continues to see the C\$ fail at trendline resistance (see chart page 2) and our call to reduce US\$ exposure added value. We look to add back that exposure in the coming weeks below 1.24 as part of an overall risk-off shift as our PRO-EYEs model is now in the top 1% off readings historically. The odds of a 10% plus correction in the next few months has increased significantly. We look to reduce beta exposure to protect against that risk in the coming weeks. There are a few weeks left in earnings season where seasonals are still a tailwind. But the fact that more money has gone into equites since Pfizer Monday in early November than over the past 12 years speaks to the bubble risk that our macro models are tracking. On the defensive side, tactically, we look to tilt towards staples (STPL) and healthcare (ZUH)exposure and away from our more cyclical exposure in the S&P 500 market cap. Of note, our since inception Sharpe ratio is back towards our long-term target of 1.

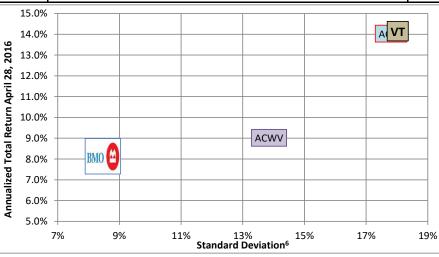


RISK MANAGEMENT: When the PRO EYEs indicator is at elevated levels (above 75%, as it is now, we will have some degree of beta protection on the portfolio. We will substantially increase this protection in the coming weeks. The indicator is now in the top 1% of risk readings. PRO-EYES - Berman's Call

As of: Apr 16 2021	04/16/21	04/09/21	Change	
FX (USD)	30.0%	29.3%	0.7%	
Beta <sup>2</sup>	85.8%	85.5%	0.3%	
Protection	-9.0%	-10.1%	1.1%	
Correlation	80.5%	80.3%	0.2%	
Yield <sup>3</sup>	1.27%	1.27%	-0.01%	
ETF Holdings	21	21	0	
Volatility <sup>4</sup>	8.46%	8.35%	0.12%	
CAD	1.2508	1.2530	-0.2%	
Performance Metrics				

Terrormance metrics				
Total Return	Net	Gross	Upside/Downside <sup>5</sup>	
YTD	6.17%	6.70%	Upside	18%
Prev. Qtr.	4.88%	5.35%	Downside	26%
Prev. Year	7.58%	9.50%	Months Up	43
Since Inception	35.10%	44.20%	Months Dn	15
Annualized SI	6.21%	8.13%		
Sharpe Ratio		0.96		

Top Holdings				
Ticker	Name	Position		
ZUE	BMO S&P 500 Hedged to CAD Index ETF	21.4%		
RSP	Invesco S&P 500 Equal Weight ETF	15.6%		
ZGD	BMO Equal Weight Global Gold Index ETF	14.5%		
ZSP	BMO S&P 500 Index ETF	11.7%		
ZEA	BMO MSCI EAFE Index ETF	9.3%		
ZEM	BMO MSCI Emerging Markets Index ETF	5.1%		
ZMT	BMO Equal Weight Global Base Metals Hedged to CAD Index ETF	4.4%		
DXJ	WisdomTree Japan Hedged Equity Fund	2.8%		
EWUS	iShares MSCI United Kingdom Small-Cap ETF	2.4%		
XLE	Energy Select Sector SPDR Fund	1.7%		
VNM	Vanek Vectors Vietnam ETF	1.7%		
EWU	iShares MSCI United Kingdom ETF	1.3%		
EWW	iShares MSCI Mexico ETF	1.1%		
ZCLN	BMO Clean Energy Index ETF	1.0%		
КВА	KraneShares Bosera MSCI China A ETF	1.0%		
BRF	VanEck Vectors Brazil Small-Cap ETF	0.8%		
EIDO	iShares MSCI Indonesia ETF	0.6%		
EWZ	iShares MSCI Brazil ETF	0.6%		
CIBR	First Trust NASDAQ Cybersecurity ETF	0.5%		
нммј	Horizons Marijuana Life Sciences Index ETF	0.4%		
INDA	iShares MSCI India ETF	0.4%		

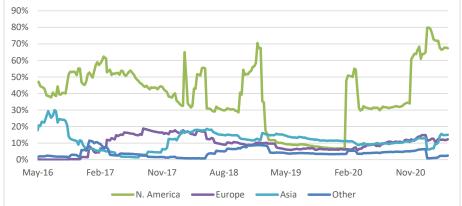


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Equity	N. America	Europe	Asia	Other
04/16/21	67.3%	12.3%	15.0%	2.4%
04/09/21	67.7%	11.8%	14.9%	2.3%
Change	-0.4%	0.5%	0.1%	0.2%

Sector	04/16/21	04/09/21	Change	BM
Basic Materials	21.54%	22.83%	-1.3%	4.5%
Communications	8.96%	9.07%	-0.1%	13.1%
Consumer, Cyclical	9.33%	9.25%	0.1%	10.9%
Consumer, Non-cyclical	15.70%	15.54%	0.2%	19.5%
Energy	4.88%	4.14%	0.7%	3.6%
Financial	13.94%	14.18%	-0.2%	18.4%
Government	0.02%	0.02%	0.0%	18.4%
Industrial	8.89%	8.74%	0.2%	10.8%
Technology	12.06%	11.57%	0.5%	16.2%
Utilities	2.94%	2.79%	0.2%	2.8%





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