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CONTACT: Treasury Auctions 202-504-3550

TREASURY	AUCTION RESULTS	
Term and Type of Security		10-Year Note
CUSIP Number		912828YB0
Series		E-2029
Interest Rate		1-5/8%
High Yield '		1.670%
Allotted at High		52.07%
Price		99.587149
Accrued Interest per \$1,000		None
Median Yield 2		1.595%
Low Yield '		1.510%
Issue Date		August 15, 2019
Maturity Date		August 15, 2029
Original Issue Date		August 15, 2019
Dated Date		August 15, 2019
	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$59,295,425,000	\$26,972,550,500
Noncompetitive	\$27,484,000	\$27,484,000
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$0	\$0
Subtotal 4	\$59,322,909,000	\$27,000,034,500
SOMA	\$17,618,916,700	\$17,618,916,700
Total	\$76,941,825,700	\$44,618,951,200
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Primary Dealer *	\$38,813,700,000	\$8,286,980,000
Direct Bidder '	\$3,657,000,000	\$3,657,000,000
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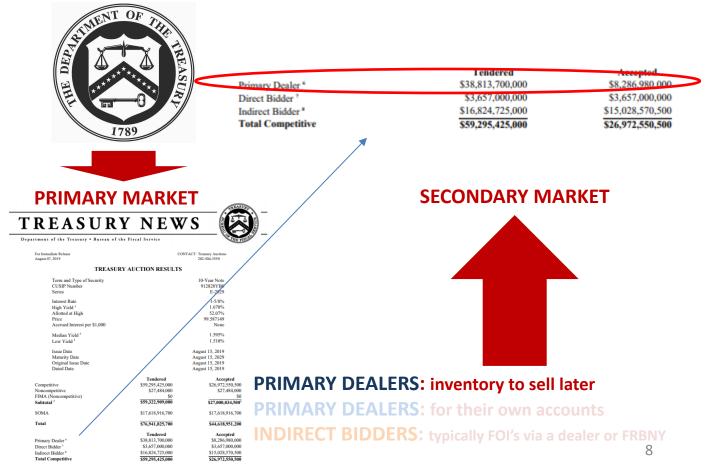
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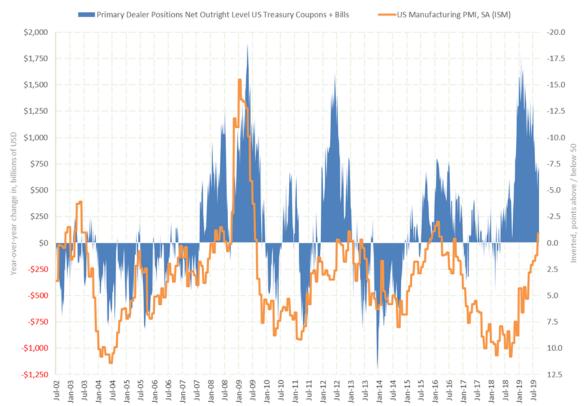




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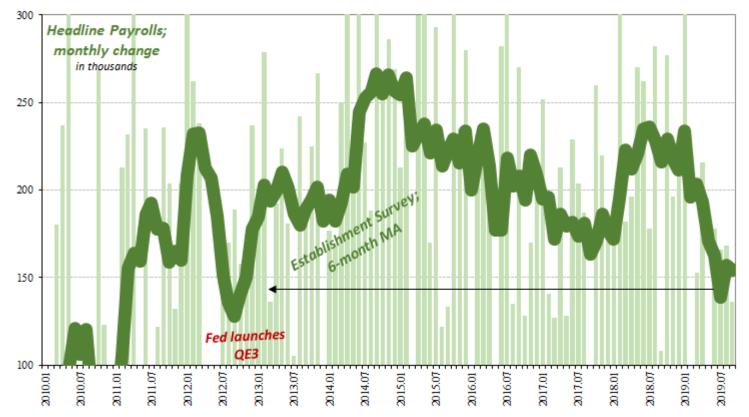




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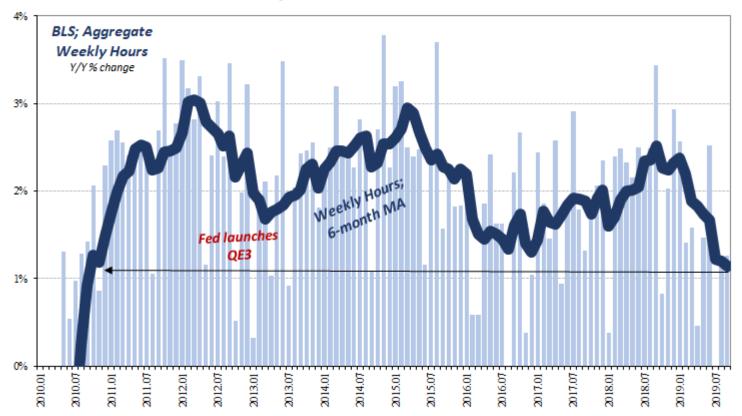


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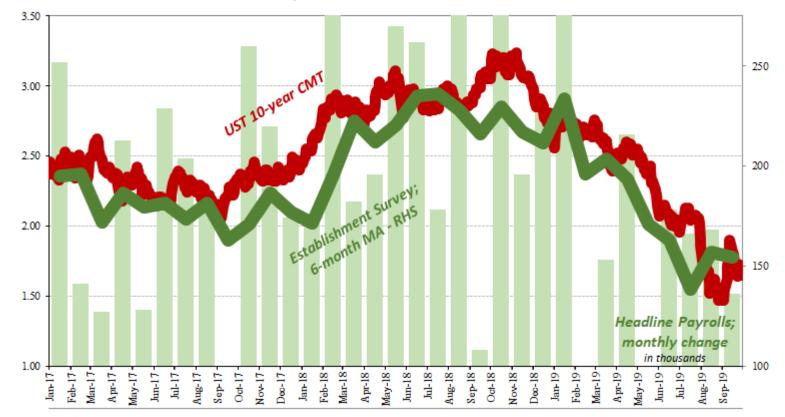


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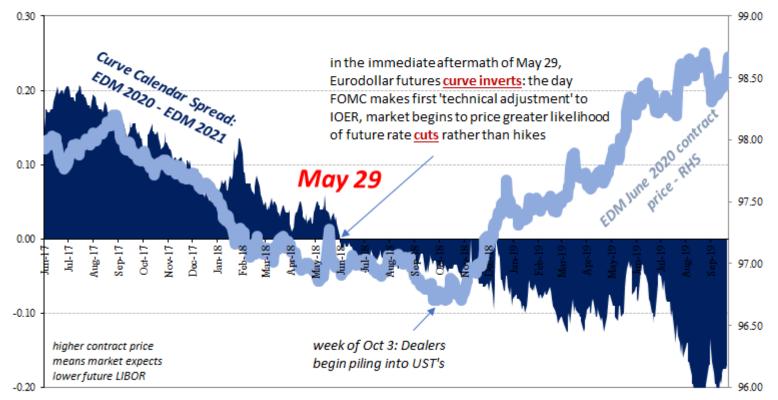


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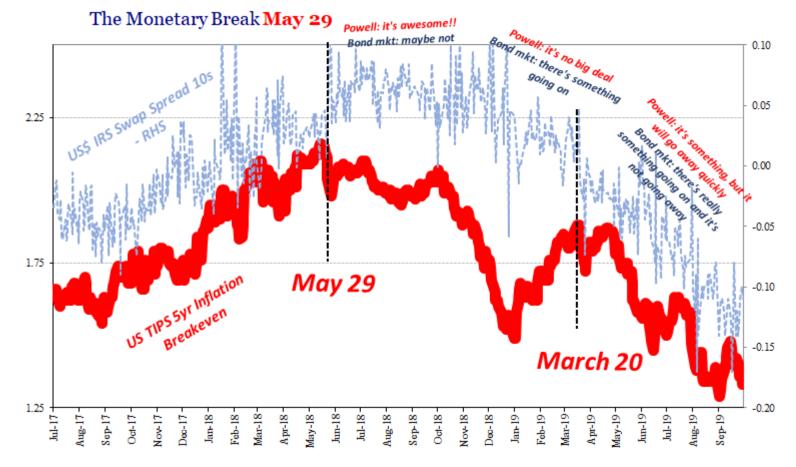




#### Eurodollar Futures Curve









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