

The Morning Email: TERM TEDS & Dirty TEDS

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Correlations for the US Cash Treasuries are done on a YIELD basis. Therefore, you'll see negative values. The reason for this is due to the new issues. Every new issue takes too long to 'catch up' because the correlation formula looks back 10days.

Want something added? Let me know: jgoulding@ghco.com

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Quotes

F.I. Futures and Cash					
	Last Decimal	Last 32	Last Yield*	**MDuration	
ZT	101.7406	101.237	4.966	1.88	
ZF	103.8125	103.260	4.985	3.96	
ZN	105.2813	105.090	5.034	5.78	
2y	99.881	99.2820	4.938	2.02	
5y	98.913	98.2920	4.997	4.28	
10y	95.578	95.1850	5.071	7.81	

*Futures use CTD for Last Yield

**Mduration = Modified Macaulay Duration

Eurodollars (ED)						
	Last Price	Last Imp Yield	Days til Expr.	Fraction of year	Month	
EDAU07	94.650	5.350	89	0.243	SEP	} White Pack
EDAZ07	94.675	5.325	180	0.492	DEC	
EDAH08	94.725	5.275	271	0.742	MAR	
EDAM08	94.765	5.235	362	0.991	JUN	} Red Pack
EDAU08	94.765	5.235	453	1.240	SEP	
EDAZ08	94.740	5.260	544	1.490	DEC	
EDAH09	94.720	5.280	635	1.739	MAR	} Green Pack
EDAM09	94.680	5.320	726	1.988	JUN	
EDAU09	94.640	5.360	817	2.238	SEP	
EDAZ09	94.600	5.400	908	2.487	DEC	
EDAH10	94.580	5.420	999	2.736	MAR	
EDAM10	94.550	5.450	1090	2.986	JUN	

Overview of Hedging

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How many ways can you hedge the TED? Let me count...there's lots and lots, like:

- 1 Regression
 - 2 Engineered
 - 3 Strip with and without Stubs
 - 4 Convexity Bias
 - 5 Weighted
 - 6 Unweighted
- and more...

Most of us are interested in the *unweighted hedge* which is simply a curve trade hedge. There are so many ways to hedge the TED trade that I can't possibly list them all.

If you email me and ask for a specific hedge, I'll get it to you.

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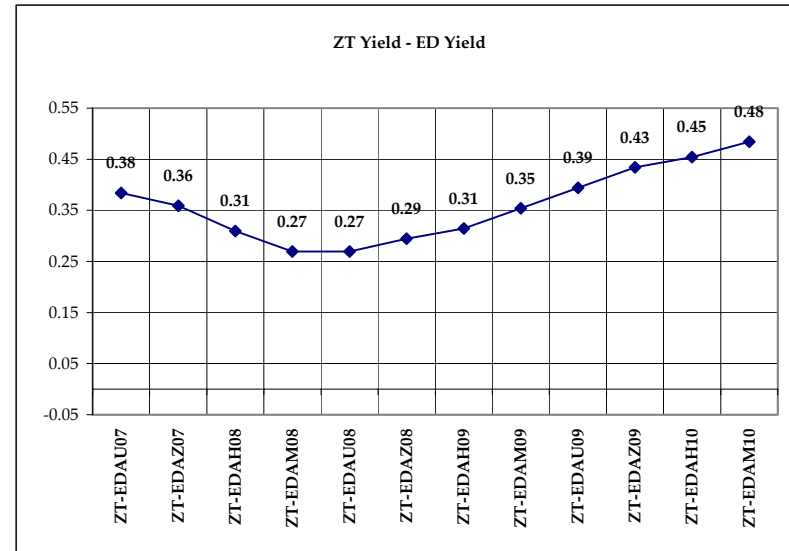
Eurodollar Color Codes for Individual Year Strips:

Color	Year	Contracts
White	One	1 – 4
Red	Two	5 – 8
Green	Three	9 – 12
Blue	Four	13 – 16
Gold	Five	17 – 20
Purple	Six	21 – 24
Orange	Seven	25 – 28
Pink	Eight	29 – 32
Silver	Nine	33 – 36
Copper	Ten	37 – 40

Dirty TED: ZT vs Eurodollar Contracts

	ZT			
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	7.091	0.38	ZT-EDAU07	95.374
EDAZ07	7.066	0.36	ZT-EDAZ07	98.409
EDAH08	7.016	0.31	ZT-EDAH08	99.173
EDAM08	6.976	0.27	ZT-EDAM08	99.393
EDAU08	6.976	0.27	ZT-EDAU08	99.386
EDAZ08	7.001	0.29	ZT-EDAZ08	99.459
EDAH09	7.021	0.31	ZT-EDAH09	98.881
EDAM09	7.061	0.35	ZT-EDAM09	97.591
EDAU09	7.101	0.39	ZT-EDAU09	96.574
EDAZ09	7.141	0.43	ZT-EDAZ09	95.802
EDAH10	7.161	0.45	ZT-EDAH10	94.447
EDAM10	7.191	0.48	ZT-EDAM10	93.445

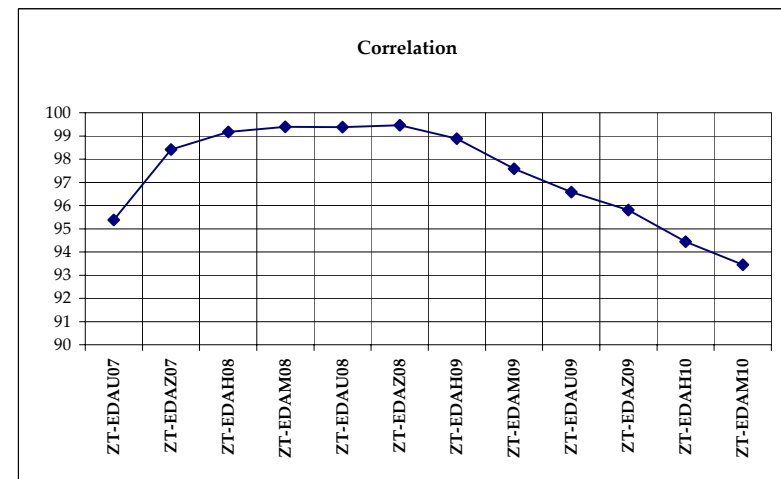
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GE Duration as

	Fraction of year	ZT Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	1.88	1.64	ZT-EDAU07
EDAZ07	0.492	1.88	1.39	ZT-EDAZ07
EDAH08	0.742	1.88	1.14	ZT-EDAH08
EDAM08	0.991	1.88	0.89	ZT-EDAM08
EDAU08	1.240	1.88	0.64	ZT-EDAU08
EDAZ08	1.490	1.88	0.39	ZT-EDAZ08
EDAH09	1.739	1.88	0.14	ZT-EDAH09
EDAM09	1.988	1.88	(0.11)	ZT-EDAM09
EDAU09	2.238	1.88	(0.36)	ZT-EDAU09
EDAZ09	2.487	1.88	(0.61)	ZT-EDAZ09
EDAH10	2.736	1.88	(0.86)	ZT-EDAH10
EDAM10	2.986	1.88	(1.11)	ZT-EDAM10

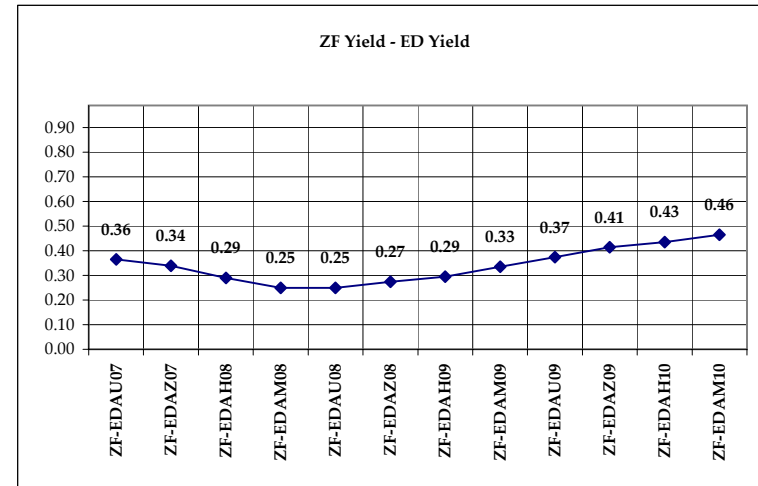
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Dirty TED: ZF vs Eurodollar Contracts

ZF				
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	9.16	0.36	ZF-EDAU07	91.703
EDAZ07	9.14	0.34	ZF-EDAZ07	97.960
EDAH08	9.09	0.29	ZF-EDAH08	98.264
EDAM08	9.05	0.25	ZF-EDAM08	98.233
EDAU08	9.05	0.25	ZF-EDAU08	98.529
EDAZ08	9.07	0.27	ZF-EDAZ08	99.021
EDAH09	9.09	0.29	ZF-EDAH09	99.425
EDAM09	9.13	0.33	ZF-EDAM09	99.270
EDAU09	9.17	0.37	ZF-EDAU09	98.984
EDAZ09	9.21	0.41	ZF-EDAZ09	98.944
EDAH10	9.23	0.43	ZF-EDAH10	98.339
EDAM10	9.26	0.46	ZF-EDAM10	97.641

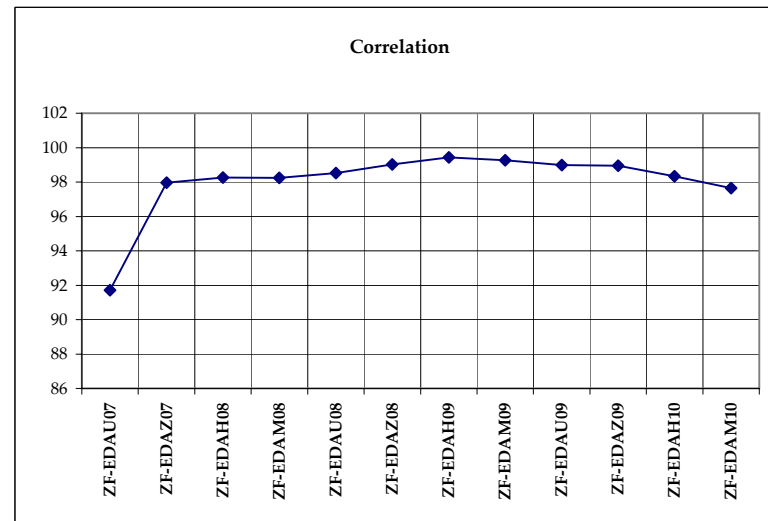
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GE Duration as Fraction of year

	ZF Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	3.96	3.72
EDAZ07	0.492	3.96	3.47
EDAH08	0.742	3.96	3.22
EDAM08	0.991	3.96	2.97
EDAU08	1.240	3.96	2.72
EDAZ08	1.490	3.96	2.47
EDAH09	1.739	3.96	2.22
EDAM09	1.988	3.96	1.97
EDAU09	2.238	3.96	1.73
EDAZ09	2.487	3.96	1.48
EDAH10	2.736	3.96	1.23
EDAM10	2.986	3.96	0.98

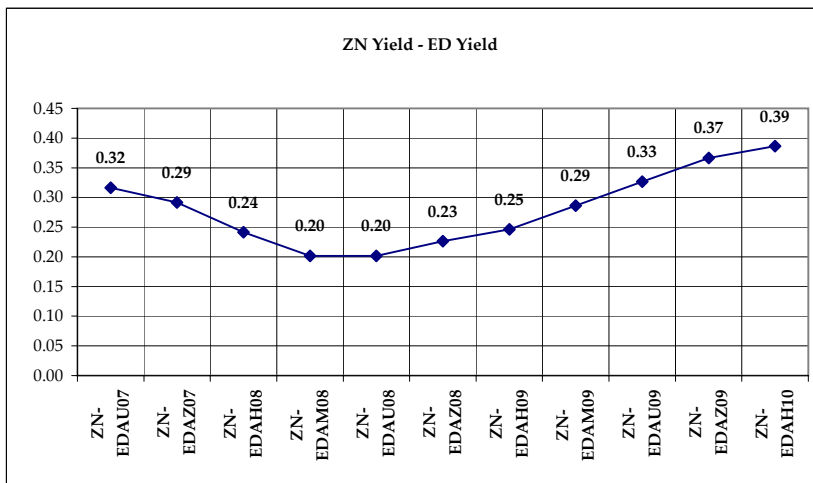
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Dirty TED: ZN vs Eurodollar Contracts

ZN				
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	10.63	0.32	ZN-EDAU07	90.58
EDAZ07	10.61	0.29	ZN-EDAZ07	96.50
EDAH08	10.56	0.24	ZN-EDAH08	96.57
EDAM08	10.52	0.20	ZN-EDAM08	96.56
EDAU08	10.52	0.20	ZN-EDAU08	96.91
EDAZ08	10.54	0.23	ZN-EDAZ08	97.75
EDAH09	10.56	0.25	ZN-EDAH09	98.36
EDAM09	10.60	0.29	ZN-EDAM09	98.48
EDAU09	10.64	0.33	ZN-EDAU09	98.32
EDAZ09	10.68	0.37	ZN-EDAZ09	98.76
EDAH10	10.70	0.39	ZN-EDAH10	98.34
EDAM10	10.73	0.42	ZN-EDAM10	97.64

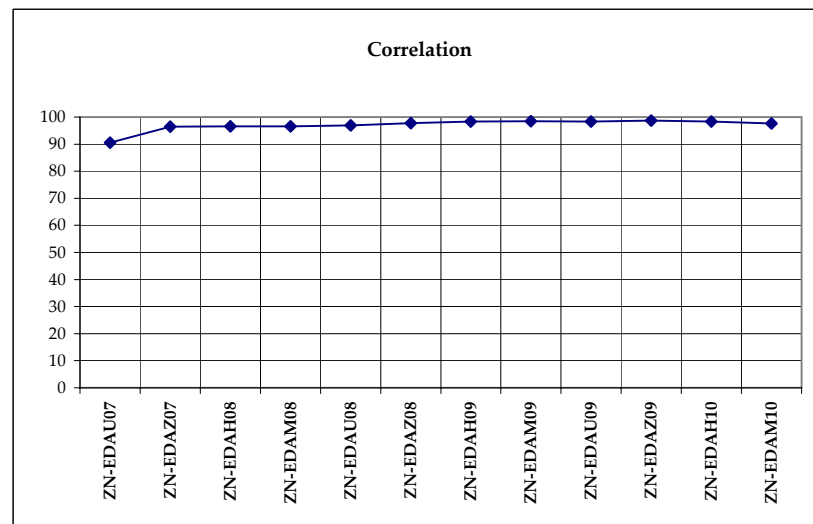
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GE Duration as Fraction of year

	GE Duration as Fraction of year	ZN Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	5.78	5.54	ZN-EDAU07
EDAZ07	0.492	5.78	5.29	ZN-EDAZ07
EDAH08	0.742	5.78	5.04	ZN-EDAH08
EDAM08	0.991	5.78	4.79	ZN-EDAM08
EDAU08	1.240	5.78	4.54	ZN-EDAU08
EDAZ08	1.490	5.78	4.29	ZN-EDAZ08
EDAH09	1.739	5.78	4.04	ZN-EDAH09
EDAM09	1.988	5.78	3.79	ZN-EDAM09
EDAU09	2.238	5.78	3.54	ZN-EDAU09
EDAZ09	2.487	5.78	3.29	ZN-EDAZ09
EDAH10	2.736	5.78	3.04	ZN-EDAH10
EDAM10	2.986	5.78	2.79	ZN-EDAM10

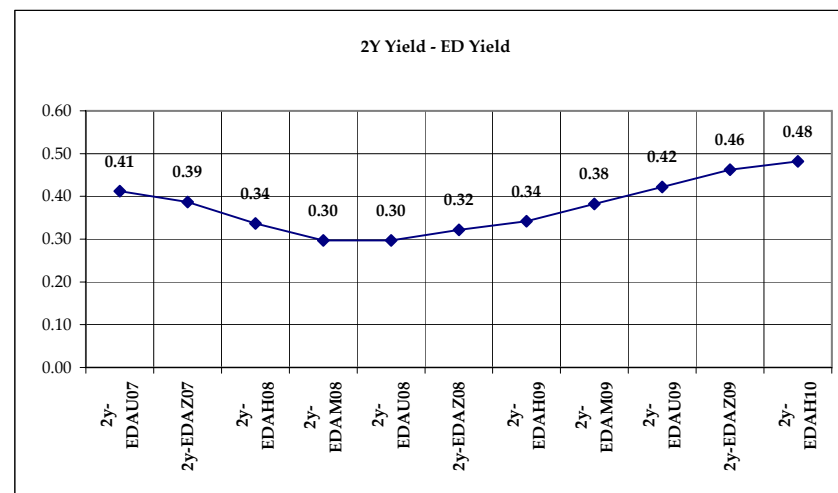
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TERM TED: 2y vs Eurodollar Contracts

	2y			
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	5.23	0.41	2y-EDAU07	-83.674
EDAZ07	5.21	0.39	2y-EDAZ07	-92.184
EDAH08	5.16	0.34	2y-EDAH08	-93.004
EDAM08	5.12	0.30	2y-EDAM08	-94.289
EDAU08	5.12	0.30	2y-EDAU08	-94.971
EDAZ08	5.14	0.32	2y-EDAZ08	-94.289
EDAH09	5.16	0.34	2y-EDAH09	-96.282
EDAM09	5.20	0.38	2y-EDAM09	-96.911
EDAU09	5.24	0.42	2y-EDAU09	-96.629
EDAZ09	5.28	0.46	2y-EDAZ09	-95.772
EDAH10	5.30	0.48	2y-EDAH10	-95.313
EDAM10	5.33	0.51	2y-EDAM10	-94.831

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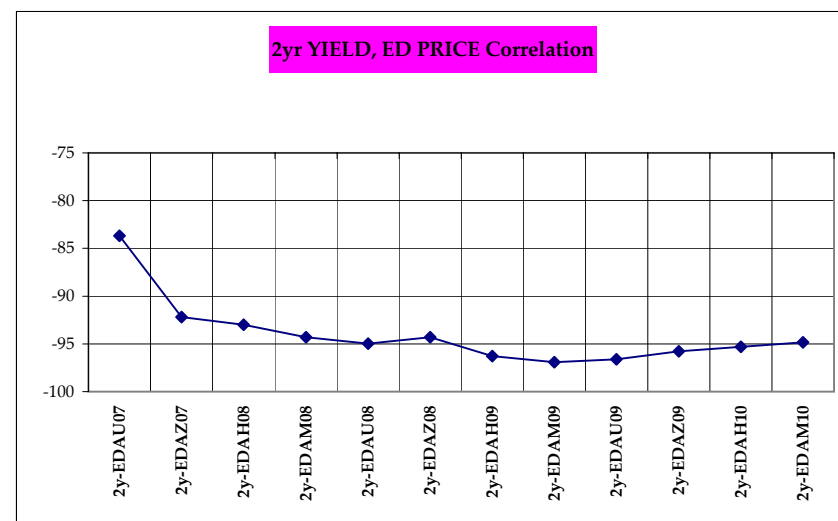


GE Duration as Fraction of year

	2Y Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	2.02	2y-EDAU07
EDAZ07	0.492	2.02	2y-EDAZ07
EDAH08	0.742	2.02	2y-EDAH08
EDAM08	0.991	2.02	2y-EDAM08
EDAU08	1.240	2.02	2y-EDAU08
EDAZ08	1.490	2.02	2y-EDAZ08
EDAH09	1.739	2.02	2y-EDAH09
EDAM09	1.988	2.02	2y-EDAM09
EDAU09	2.238	2.02	2y-EDAU09
EDAZ09	2.487	2.02	2y-EDAZ09
EDAH10	2.736	2.02	2y-EDAH10
EDAM10	2.986	2.02	2y-EDAM10

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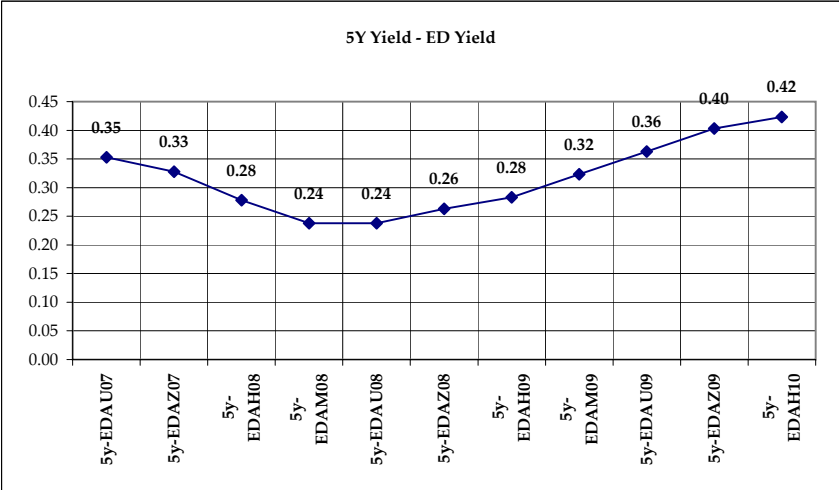
2yr YIELD, ED PRICE Correlation



TERM TED: 5y vs Eurodollar Contracts

	5y			
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	4.26	0.35	5y-EDAU07	-83.708
EDAZ07	4.24	0.33	5y-EDAZ07	-90.461
EDAH08	4.19	0.28	5y-EDAH08	-91.796
EDAM08	4.15	0.24	5y-EDAM08	-93.150
EDAU08	4.15	0.24	5y-EDAU08	-94.000
EDAZ08	4.17	0.26	5y-EDAZ08	-93.150
EDAH09	4.19	0.28	5y-EDAH09	-95.912
EDAM09	4.23	0.32	5y-EDAM09	-96.913
EDAU09	4.27	0.36	5y-EDAU09	-96.881
EDAZ09	4.31	0.40	5y-EDAZ09	-96.780
EDAH10	4.33	0.42	5y-EDAH10	-96.613
EDAM10	4.36	0.45	5y-EDAM10	-95.923

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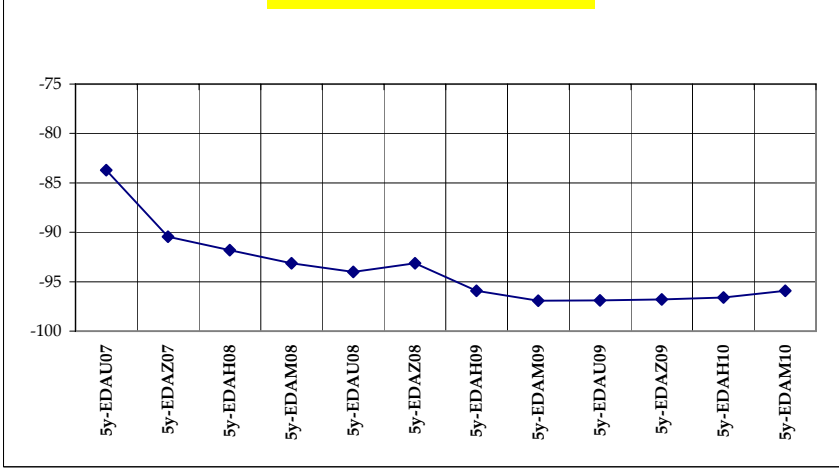


GE Duration as Fraction of year

	5Y Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	4.28	5y-EDAU07
EDAZ07	0.492	4.28	5y-EDAZ07
EDAH08	0.742	4.28	5y-EDAH08
EDAM08	0.991	4.28	5y-EDAM08
EDAU08	1.240	4.28	5y-EDAU08
EDAZ08	1.490	4.28	5y-EDAZ08
EDAH09	1.739	4.28	5y-EDAH09
EDAM09	1.988	4.28	5y-EDAM09
EDAU09	2.238	4.28	5y-EDAU09
EDAZ09	2.487	4.28	5y-EDAZ09
EDAH10	2.736	4.28	5y-EDAH10
EDAM10	2.986	4.28	5y-EDAM10

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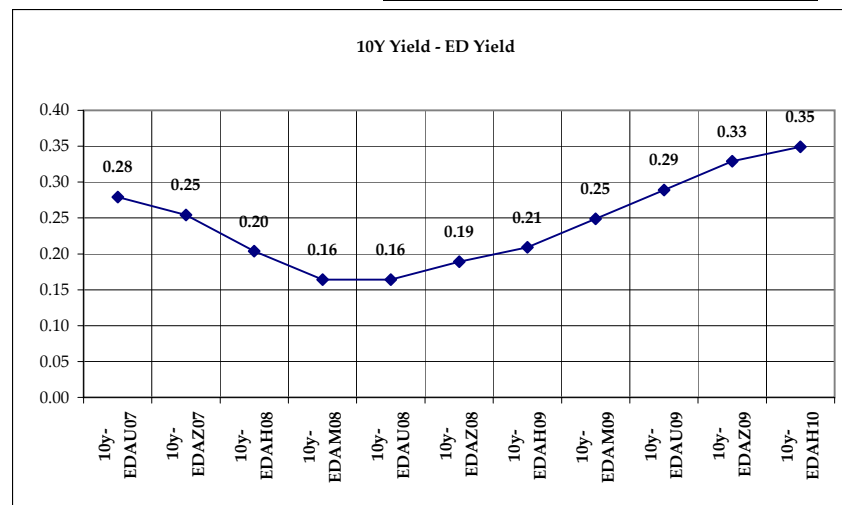
5yr YIELD, ED PRICE Correlation



TERM TED: 10y vs Eurodollar Contracts

	10y			
	Spread Price	Spread Yield	Spread Name	Correlation* (percent)
EDAU07	4.26	0.28	10y-EDAU07	-80.633
EDAZ07	4.24	0.25	10y-EDAZ07	-87.397
EDAH08	4.19	0.20	10y-EDAH08	-88.261
EDAM08	4.15	0.16	10y-EDAM08	-89.558
EDAU08	4.15	0.16	10y-EDAU08	-90.398
EDAZ08	4.17	0.19	10y-EDAZ08	-89.558
EDAH09	4.19	0.21	10y-EDAH09	-93.209
EDAM09	4.23	0.25	10y-EDAM09	-94.874
EDAU09	4.27	0.29	10y-EDAU09	-95.016
EDAZ09	4.31	0.33	10y-EDAZ09	-95.823
EDAH10	4.33	0.35	10y-EDAH10	-96.163
EDAM10	4.36	0.38	10y-EDAM10	-95.574

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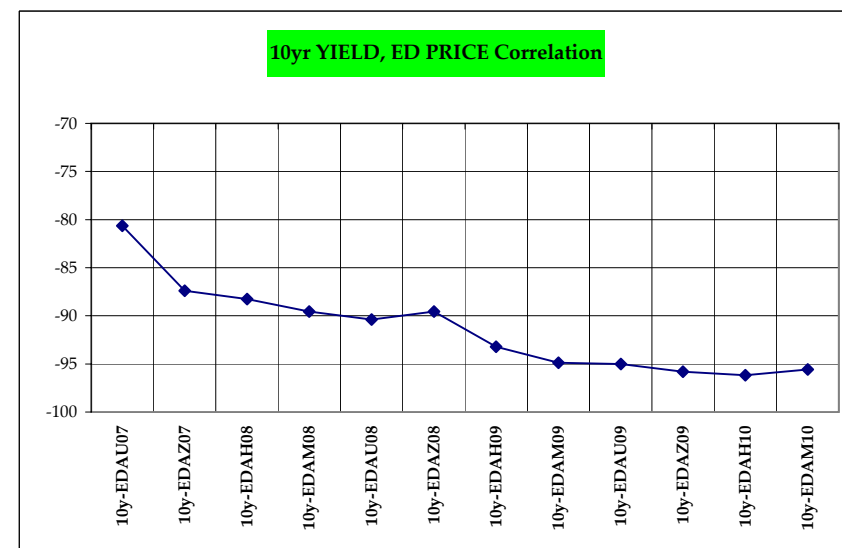


GE Duration as

	Fraction of year	10Y Duration	Spread Duration	
EDAU07	0.243	7.81	7.57	10y-EDAU07
EDAZ07	0.492	7.81	7.32	10y-EDAZ07
EDAH08	0.742	7.81	7.07	10y-EDAH08
EDAM08	0.991	7.81	6.82	10y-EDAM08
EDAU08	1.240	7.81	6.57	10y-EDAU08
EDAZ08	1.490	7.81	6.32	10y-EDAZ08
EDAH09	1.739	7.81	6.07	10y-EDAH09
EDAM09	1.988	7.81	5.82	10y-EDAM09
EDAU09	2.238	7.81	5.57	10y-EDAU09
EDAZ09	2.487	7.81	5.33	10y-EDAZ09
EDAH10	2.736	7.81	5.08	10y-EDAH10
EDAM10	2.986	7.81	4.83	10y-EDAM10

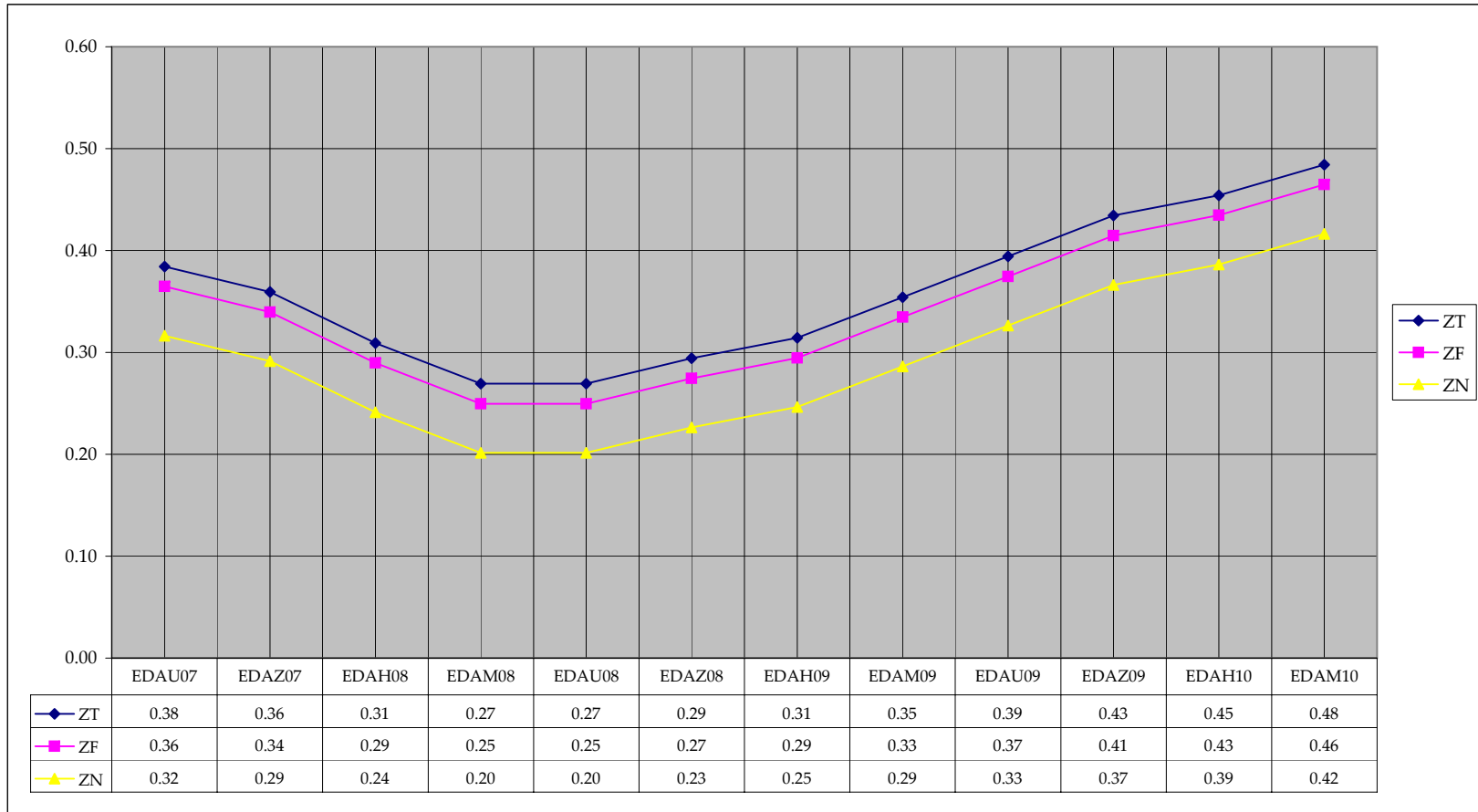
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10yr YIELD, ED PRICE Correlation



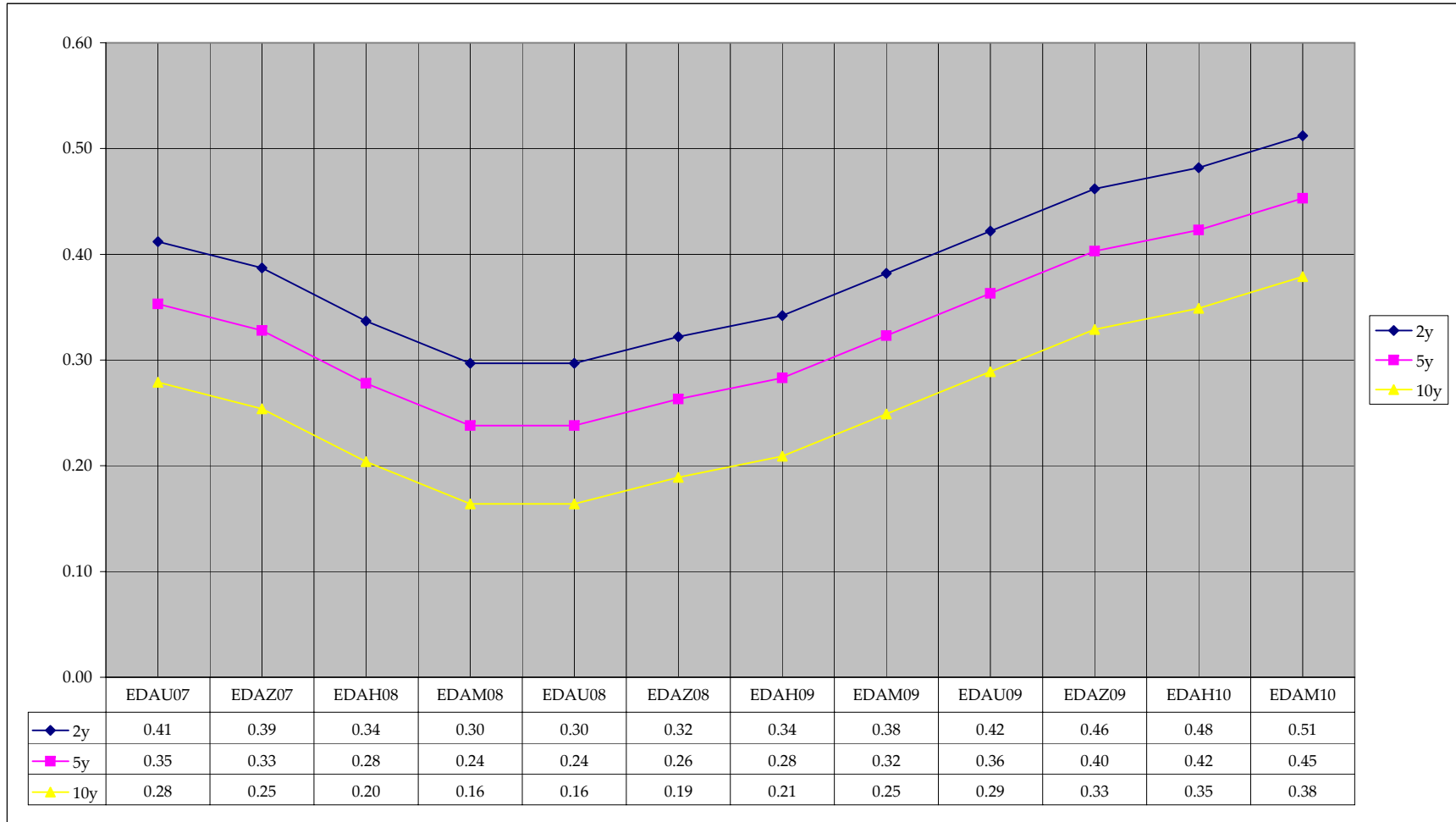
Dirty TED Curve

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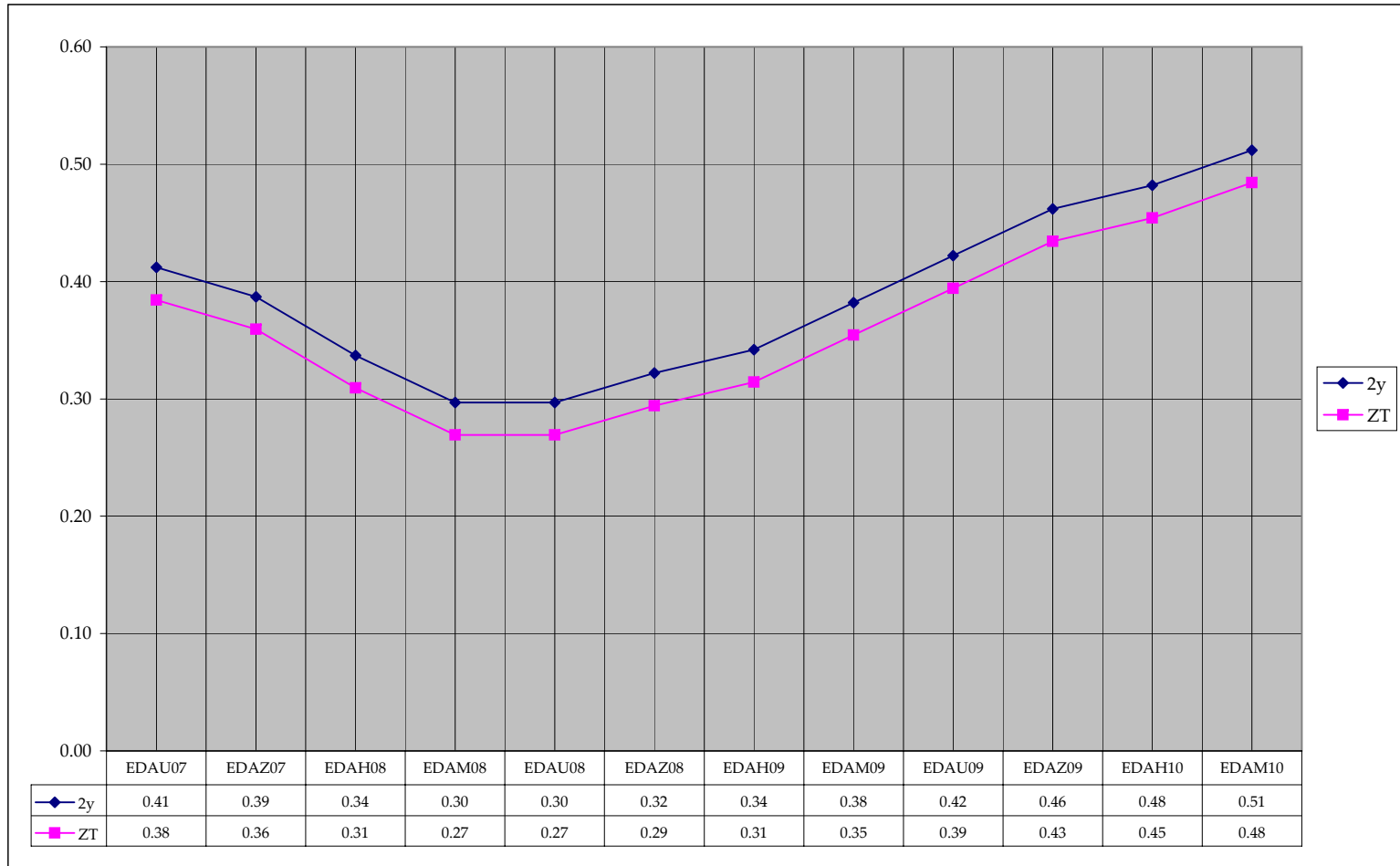


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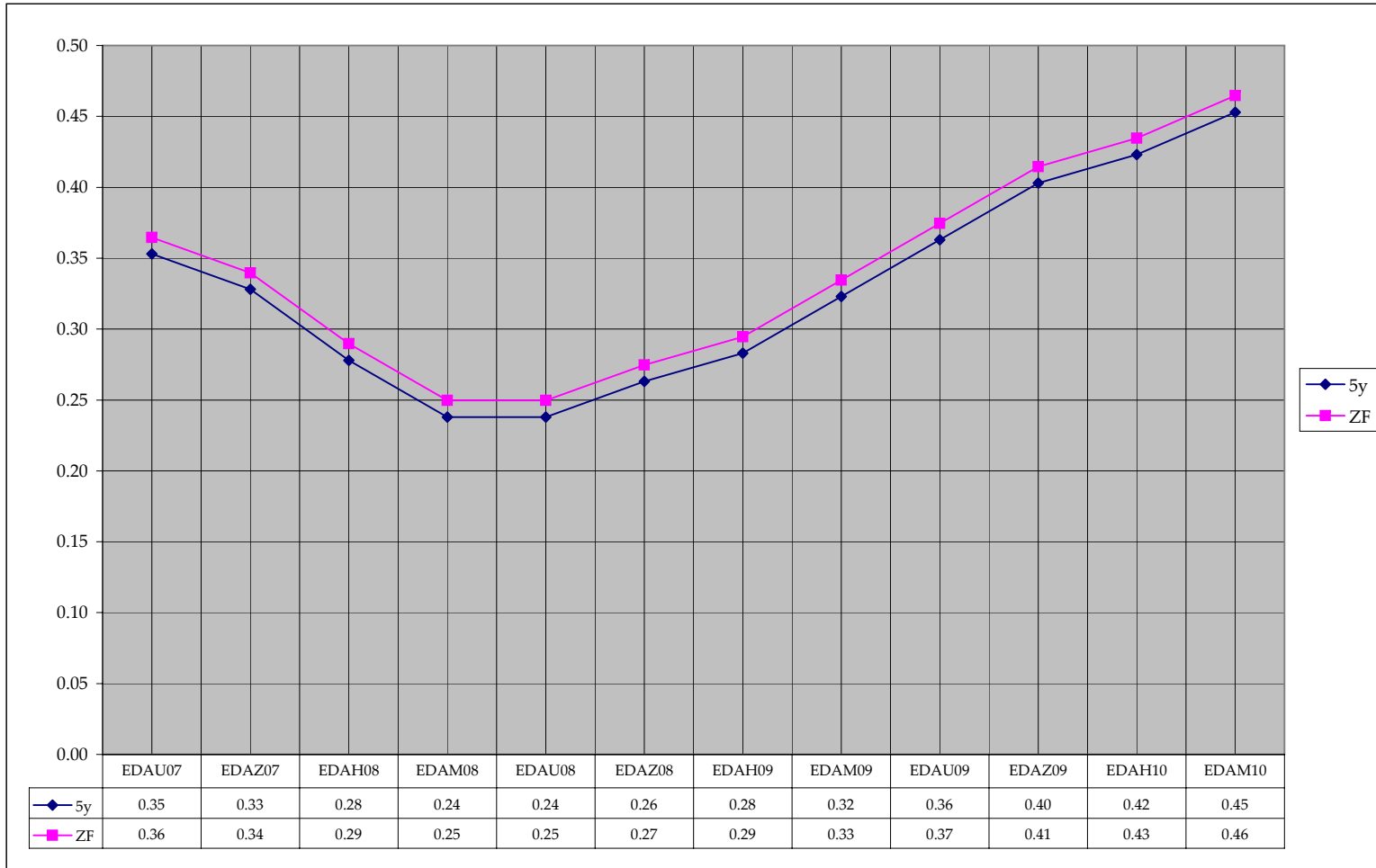
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2y Basis TED Curve



5y Basis TED Curve



10y Basis TED Curve

