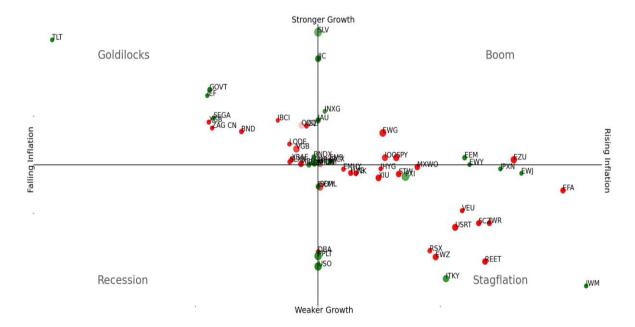




Tactical Asset Allocation:The Global Multi-Asset view

- ➤ In broad terms, the global multi-asset investment clock is largely unchanged. Since March while all equity markets retain a strong bias to higher inflation, several have moved to show a negative relationship with growth. This we still interpret as a variation on the Goldilocks theme wanting just enough reflation to provide support, not too hot that brings forward overheating & fears of a Fed policy response.
- ➤ Both globally & in the US, Real Estate (<u>REET</u>, <u>USRT</u>) & Small Caps (<u>SCZ</u>, <u>IWM</u>) are areas traditionally perceived as 'growth' plays. All four want are emphasising this balanced reflation rather than outright 'boom'.
- Valuation gaps remain modest. Both red & green dots are small denoting most are within +/-0.5 sigma of macro fair value.



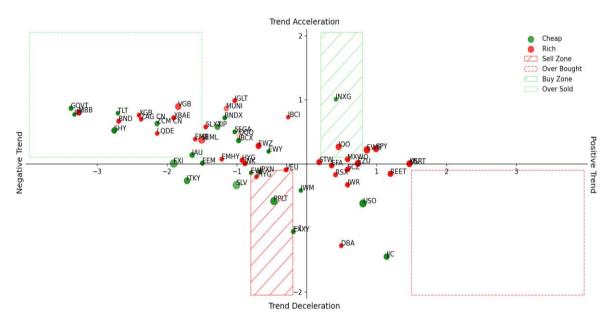
- ➤ Government bond ETFs are clustered in the "Goldilocks" quadrant they want rising strong growth but falling inflation. <u>TLT</u> (20y+ US Treasuries) are the extreme.
- > Overleaf we add in trend & momentum dynamics.





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- ➤ While macro valuations are close to home, the momentum picture throws up some potential opportunities.
- ➤ Index-linked Gilts <u>INXG</u> are potentially on the cusp of a new uptrend. The 'buy zone' seeks to capture the early phase of a new uptrend as momentum starts to accelerate higher.
- Global large caps <u>IOO</u> start off as slightly rich in valuation terms but share the same trend & momentum profile.



- > Several Fixed Income ETFs feature in the top left quadrant where models are in a downtrend, but losing downside momentum.
- ➤ Four US Treasury ETFs are slightly cheap to macro model value & in the 'oversold' box. They cover the entire maturity spectrum from the front end <u>SHY</u>, to intermediates <u>IEF</u> & through to the long end of the yield curve <u>TLT</u>. The ETF <u>GOVT</u> represents the whole US Treasury curve.

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