Twitter Thread by BVDDY





This year, for the first time, I started sharing my thoughts on various topics in Investing/Economics/Law.

Here's a 'Master Thread' of my main write-ups this year. ■

First, a special thanks to all the brilliant people I've met & learned from on Twitter. To name a few:

@profplum99 @hkuppy @Convertbond @contrarian8888 @jam_croissant @pineconemacro @verdadcap @WayneHimelsein @LT3000Lyall @HFI_Research @SahilBloom @coloradotravis @SantiagoAuFund

Why Inflation Will Kill the Ponzi Sector and Catalyze the Growth/Value Rotation,

9/19/2020 https://t.co/1RTLabcJh1

Why Inflation Will Kill the Ponzi Sector (and Catalyze the Long-Awaited Sector Rotation from Growth to Value)...

A thread.

This topic was a black box to me a few weeks ago. I will try to crystallize what (I think) I now understand.

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) September 19, 2020

Why Fund Flows and the Shift to Fiscal Stimulus Will Drive the Rotation,

10/8/2020 https://t.co/LQuw7f3mqY

- 1- For the record, I\u2019m most convinced that the 2 primary drivers of this sector rotation will be i) fund flows and ii) the shift to fiscal stimulus. https://t.co/TQ2mUwHJhg
- BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 8, 2020

Inflation, Rising Yields, and Risk Parity: The Biggest Danger in Finance,

10/10/2020 https://t.co/TmrFKWd2VW

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 14, 2020

Why the Biggest Risk in Finance is Inflation (and a rising 10Y Treasury Yield).
A thread.
Hint: it has to do with the ubiquitous Risk Parity framework.
— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 10, 2020
What Will Bring About Inflation?,
10/10/2020 https://t.co/sYYqVkAMsT
I\u2019m getting this question a lot. Where will inflation come from? What will cause it to rise?
I know the opinions on inflation are many and varied, but here\u2019s my take.
A thread. https://t.co/0Y5yaqiBH9
— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 11, 2020
The Consistency of Inflation Through History,
10/12/2020 https://t.co/xH6bTTbxgv
1- Great chart. Deflationary downdrafts will not be extinguished, but throughout history, inflation is quite consistent
Note also that each low on the chart is higher than the previous, and so is each high. https://t.co/lmzCtWlcBS pic.twitter.com/3fmiEstDXV
— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 12, 2020
Why We're on the Precipice of Another #Bitcoin Mania,
10/14/2020 https://t.co/es50d3kTy9
Why We\u2019re on the Precipice of Another Bitcoin Mania
A thread.
Note: it has nothing to do with Bitcoin replacing fiat money anytime soon.

Why NatGas & Related Equities Will Surprise to the Upside,

10/22/2020 https://t.co/NY60UVpa7P

Time for a thread about US NatGas and why it will surprise to the upside...

There\u2019s an exceptional opportunity setting up in the energy space, in particular for US NatGas and related equities.

l\u2019ll explain the setup in this thread and also reveal my top pick. \U0001f920

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 22, 2020

The 3 Stages of Price Inflation,

10/24/2020 https://t.co/GFS0NwzCCT

The progression of price inflation can be explained in 3 stages:

Stage 1: Low Inflation. Low inflation is when prices increase just a little. People don\u2019t much notice. Life goes on. https://t.co/G0G1covcsa

- BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 24, 2020

Getting Wobbly: Bad Week for Risk Parity,

10/30/2020 https://t.co/tKQROIB4CT

This week was... interesting. The election turbulence that some were predicting finally materialized.

The most notable day of the week, IMO, was Wednesday: stocks sold off by more than 3.5%, while Treasuries offered no protection.

Risk Parity continues to teeter.

A thread.

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) October 30, 2020

'Descriptive MMT' vs. 'Prescriptive MMT',

11/1/2020 https://t.co/xr1Z826pP8

I finally gave this episode a listen. Great and provocative interview as always from @ErikSTownsend.

Below I\u2019II share some general comments on MMT along with some thoughts that came to mind while listening

to Erik\u2019s conversation with $\underline{@StephanieKelton}.$

A thread. https://t.co/ORvjCZJyd8

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 1, 2020

Colossal & Historic Blowout in the Large Growth/Small Value Spread,

11/09/2020 https://t.co/4XgQjlLeQt

Mega blowout in \$QQQ / \$IWN spread this morning.

Energy complex on fire too. \U0001f525

Tech at incredibly stretched levels, with increasingly negative beta to C19.

Markets teaching us a lesson about fast & violent sector rotations. 1100bps this morning... Keep pushing till it snaps. pic.twitter.com/UHpFEJuZHu

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 9, 2020

Real Rate Positioning and the Impact of Flows from Tech to Energy,

11/10/2020 https://t.co/OON5foFBXd

Fantastic thread. Brief summary:

- -Mkt cap of lower real rate beneficiaries (tech, bonds, etc.) is ~\$24T, comprising largest share of <u>\$SPX</u> + <u>\$RTY</u> mkt cap (69%) in history.
- -Equities are positioned for deflation/lower real rates, when higher rates are more likely over next 12mos. https://t.co/yga7ifdUnw
- BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 10, 2020

Huge Week for the Home Team (Tech vs. Energy & Small Value),

11/13/2020 https://t.co/3wJgEsGt0Z

What a week.

Tech (QQQ) -1.32% Small Value (IWN) +8.82% Energy (XLE) +17.04%

Who\u2019s having fun? pic.twitter.com/tyubwjZmuG

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 13, 2020

What's Up With Bond Yields?,

11/16/2020 https://t.co/PU4V0u9Qox

What\u2019s up with bond yields?

The consensus scenario appears to be that yields stay pegged at zero forever and beyond. I just don\u2019t buy it.

Let\u2019s imagine why long term rates would rise (Part 1), and what would happen if they did, even if just a little (Part 2).

A thread. https://t.co/DfsG81HWbb

- BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 16, 2020

The Next #Bitcoin Mania is Here,

11/20/2020 https://t.co/HZdHgU3qae

The Next Bitcoin Mania is Here...

The main thesis (explained in the thread below) has been that rising institutional demand coupled with an already-tiny float will catapult Bitcoin higher in the short to medium term.

Brief update.\U0001f447 https://t.co/es50d3kTy9

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 20, 2020

Why \$GBTC is the Key Ingredient to the Present #Bitcoin Mania,

11/20/2020 https://t.co/eDhM1NzeZl

1- <u>\$GBTC</u> makes it a lot easier for institutions and retirement accounts to own Bitcoin. So in a sense, it does increase demand, by increasing accessibility.

Institutions that otherwise would not have been able to buy are now buying thanks to <u>\$GBTC</u> (and other similar products). https://t.co/hekHzEVmEN

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 20, 2020

Why the Growth/Value Rotation is Still in it's Early Innings,

11/29/2020 https://t.co/gEg6cxZtRR

Why the Growth/Value Rotation is Likely Still in its Early Innings...

A thread.

Lots of talk about whether this \u201cvalue pop\u201d in Nov will prove to be short-lived or whether it has legs. https://t.co/1RTLabcJh1

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) November 30, 2020

A Note on my Proxies for Monitoring Growth and Value,

12/10/2020 https://t.co/21tvf0JjJc

Brief note on the Growth/Value Rotation.

I have been using the \$QQQ / \$IWN ratio to proxy the Large Growth and Small Value factors respectively.

Admittedly, these are imperfect proxies, as they conflate Growth/Value factors with Momentum/Anti-Momentum factors. https://t.co/gEg6cxZtRR

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) December 10, 2020

Macro Themes with Kyle Bass,

12/20/2020 https://t.co/GPu8lfZay0

The problem with listening to @Jkylebass is that he can convince me of almost anything.

Great episode nonetheless with many interesting topics covered. Kyle made some points that I think are worth discussing.

Here are some highlights.\U0001f447\U0001f447 https://t.co/oJHQkmOa3q

— BVDDY (@BvddyCorleone) December 21, 2020