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## **Vola Headlines**

- The financial markets were influenced by geopolitical tensions and the central banks, which led to volatility
- The recovery in US yields and the tensions in the Middle East have caused implied volatilities to rise from their recent lows
- The currencies in the G10 universe have experienced an extraordinary first half of april. From the low point at the end of march to the peak in mid april, implied volatilities have risen by more than 30%

The predictions for the outcome of the US election have changed significantly in recent weeks as support for Trump has fallen. Biden and Trump are now roughly equal in both the betting odds and the polls.



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## **EMCORE** Volatility Picture

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-- 5 year average of 1M ATM implied volatility ↑ Top 5 year ↓ Low 5 year • Current

What is Delta?



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