

Perceived Risk Index©



Introduction

PRI Perceived Risk Index® is an innovative, forward-looking indicator developed by Enel SpA Risk Control Unit within AFC function that reflects corporate risk perceived by financial markets.

In an ever-evolving economic landscape, understanding how markets interpret risk is a key strategic lever for companies, investors, and stakeholders.

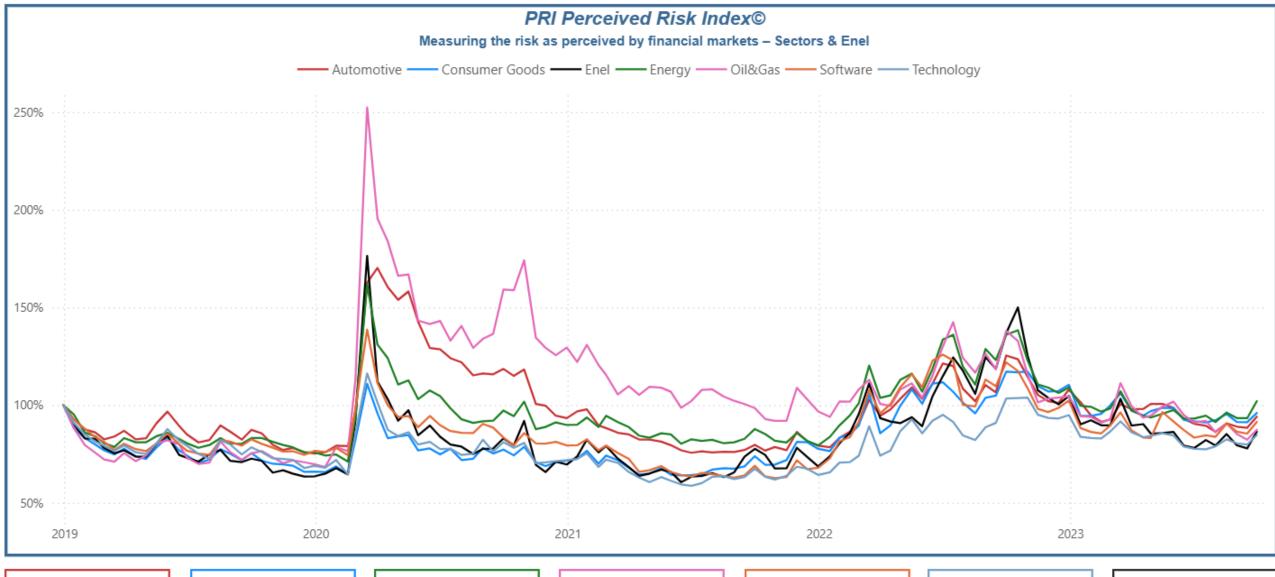
PRI Perceived Risk Index® is a forward-looking indicator since it considers three different variables with a prospective nature that reflects the premium at risk required by investors:

- **Inverse Stock Price**: the stock price reflects the level of investors' trust towards the company. Thus, the lower is the stock price, the higher is the perceived risk;
- Option Implied Volatility (3 months): gives the indication of the perceived risk of the underlying asset implied in listed option prices;
- Credit Default Swap (5 years): The CDS represents a credit risk premium and thus it has a direct relationship with the company
 perceived probability of default.

These above mentioned three variables are market data available on public sites.

31/12/2018 is the starting point of the monitoring activity, with a baseline value of 100%, across six key sectors: Energy, Oil & Gas, Consumer Goods, Software, Technology, and Automotive.

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Automotive

94% vs Base Date: 100% (-5,87%)

Consumer Goods

96%✓ vs Base Date: 100% (-3,97%)

Energy

102%! vs Base Date: 100% (+2,09%)

Oil & Gas

87% vs Base Date: 100% (-12,60%)

Software

91% vs Base Date: 100% (-8,50%)

Technology

85% ✓ vs Base Date: 100% (-15,22%)

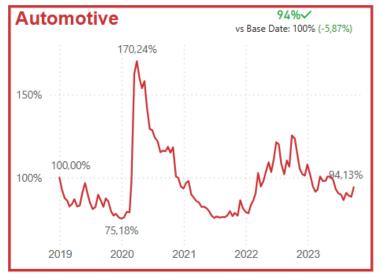
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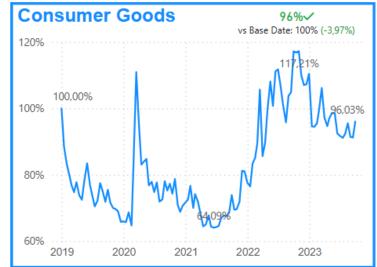
86% ✓ vs Base Date: 100% (-13,53%)

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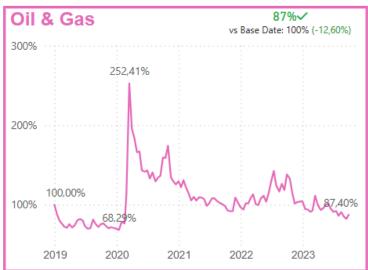
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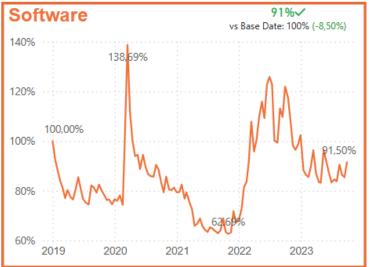
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Perceived Risk Index© Comments



Full month trend:

In September 2023, the PRI© for Enel showed a two-phase trend.

In the **first half of the month**, the Enel's indicator **improved** (-2p.p. compared to the end of August), allowing Enel to climb to **second place among peers**, mainly due to a reduction in CDS spreads and implied volatility. This positive sentiment was further boosted by **Time Magazine recognizing Enel as the 13th best company worldwide** in its 2023 World's Best Companies ranking, making it the top Italian company.

However, in the **second half of September**, the Perceived Risk Index© **worsened broadly across the sector**, driven by an unfavorable bond market and rising BTP-Bund spreads. Enel was affected as well (+9p.p. compared to the first half of September), with increases in CDS and implied volatility pushing its PRI© higher (worse), causing the company to fall back to **third place in the peer ranking**.

The month closed with a clear distinction between top and bottom performers, as some companies maintained strong risk profiles while others continued to face difficulties linked to portfolio pressures and market conditions.