

## Data Focus

# Crypto Flow Report: June 2025

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## Summary

Markets entered June in a risk-sensitive but balanced posture, navigating a volatile mix of geopolitical tension, trade negotiations, and dovish data surprises. Ceasefire optimism in the Middle East and traction on the Geneva trade agreement tempered early spikes in oil and gold, while soft CPI and PCE prints alongside a split Fed dot plot sent real yields lower and risk assets higher. The S&P 500 and Nasdaq closed at new all-time highs, and the 10Y Treasury rallied from 4.5% to below 4.2% as markets leaned into a Q3 cut. Despite the swirl of headline risk, volatility compressed across the board: equity skew, rate vol, and FX ranges all narrowed materially into quarter-end.

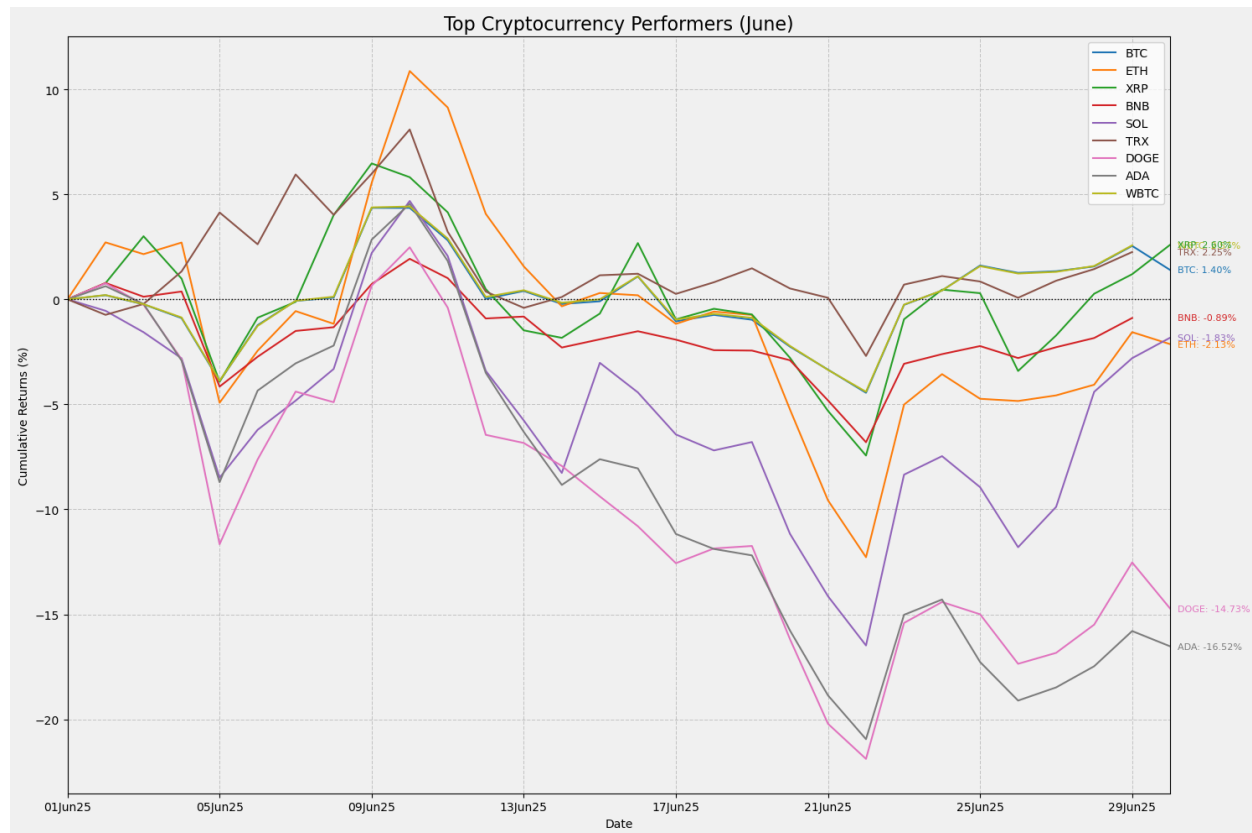
Crypto traded tactically and without clear directional conviction. BTC briefly pushed through \$110k on 10 June, buoyed by steady ETF inflows and corporate treasury headlines, but the move failed to stick. Spot faded back into the \$107k range by month-end, mirroring a broader pause across majors. ETH initially extended its ETF-fuelled rally to highs above \$2,800 but retraced steadily into quarter-end, closing around \$2,400. The ETHBTC cross gave back most of its May gains, reversing from 0.026 to sub-0.023, and timezone returns were more balanced than the previous month ([Figure 1.2a/b](#)).

Structural flows offered little support. BTC options briefly flipped to call-heavy positioning early in the month before reverting, while ETH saw persistent strangle and call spread selling. Skew and risk reversals flattened out ([Figures 5.2, 5.3](#)), and implied vols saw a mild compression on the month across tenors ([Figure 5.5](#)). ETH 1M IVs, which spiked above 70v mid-month, retreated to the low 60s, while BTC 1M implieds trended into the high 30s. Neither the \$15B BTC options expiry on 28 June nor ETH ETF approvals materially repriced risk. Basis remained healthy, with Sep BTC futures closing near 5% annualised ([Figure 3.4a](#)), and funding remained neutral to modestly positive ([Figure 3.3](#)). Liquidations in perpetual futures were notable, with multiple \$200MM days on both the long and short sides, including some \$500MM long liquidations ([Figure 4.2](#)).

Overall, June marked a reset in positioning and volatility. Spot flows cooled, option demand turned defensive, and the vol surface flattened. Crypto held firm but lacked the conviction of May's trend breakout.

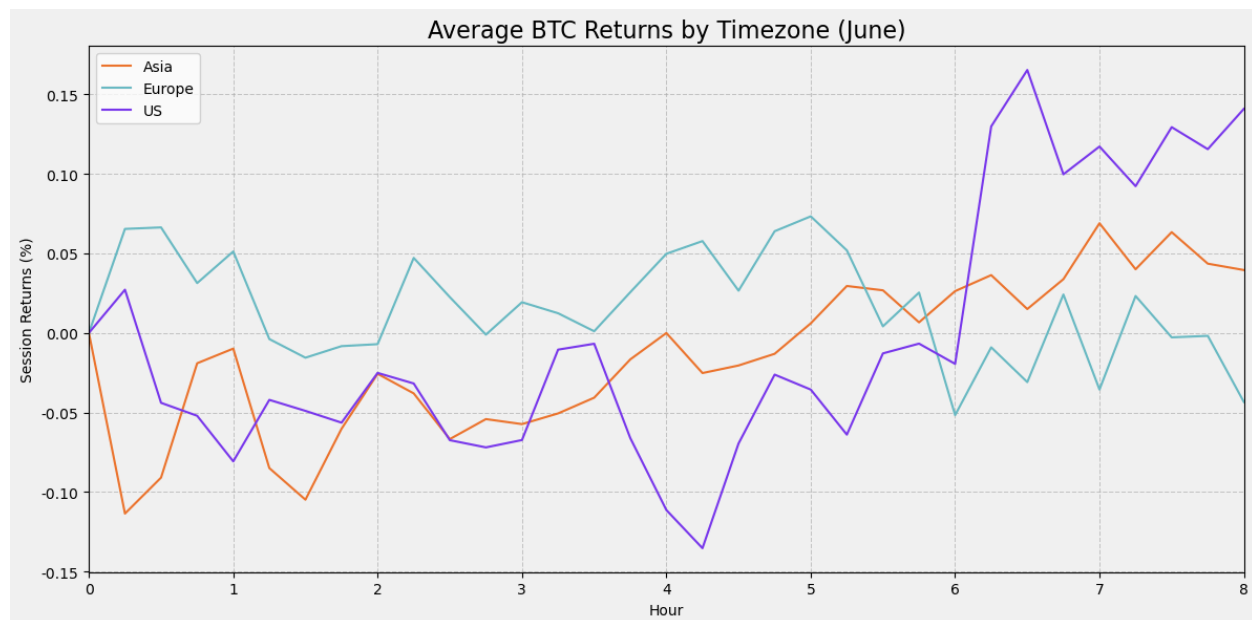
# 1. Performance

**Figure 1.1: Top 10 Coins by Market Cap**



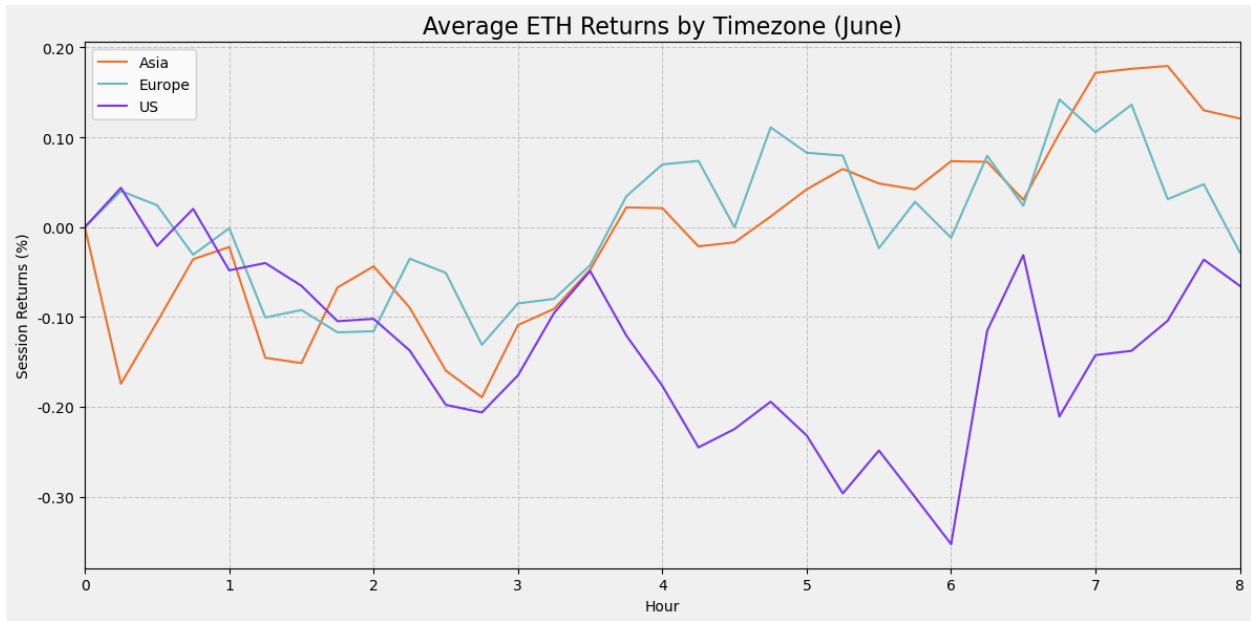
Source: Coinbase, Binance, Presto Research

**Figure 1.2a: BTC returns by timezone**



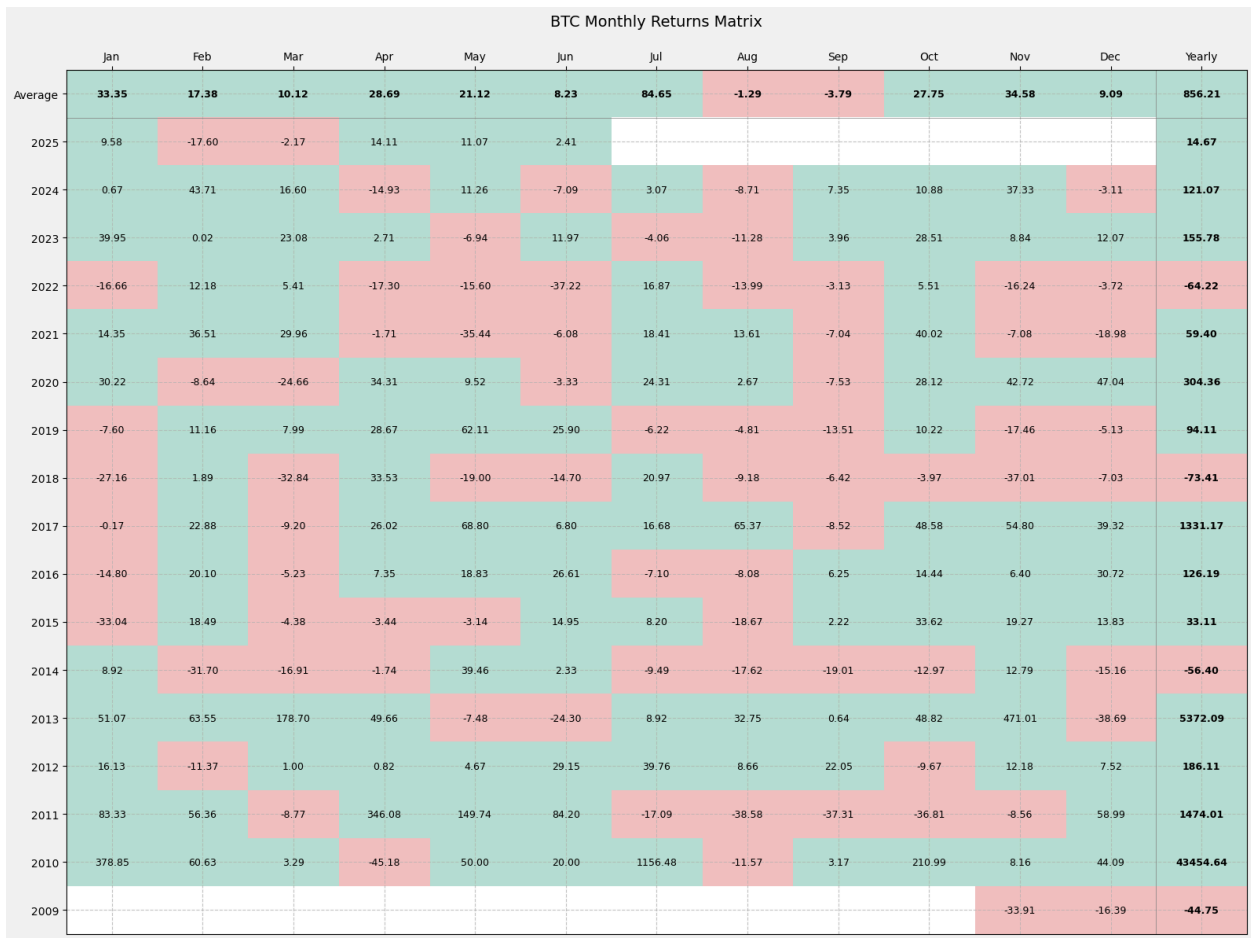
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Figure 1.2b: ETH returns by timezone



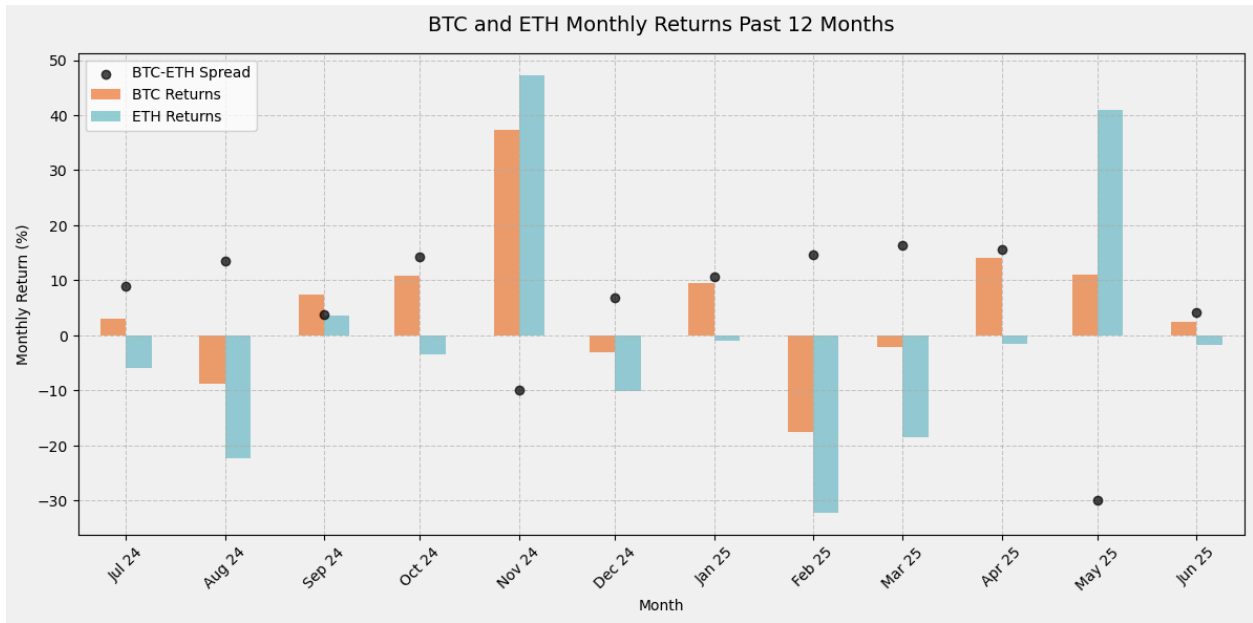
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Figure 1.3: BTC monthly returns matrix



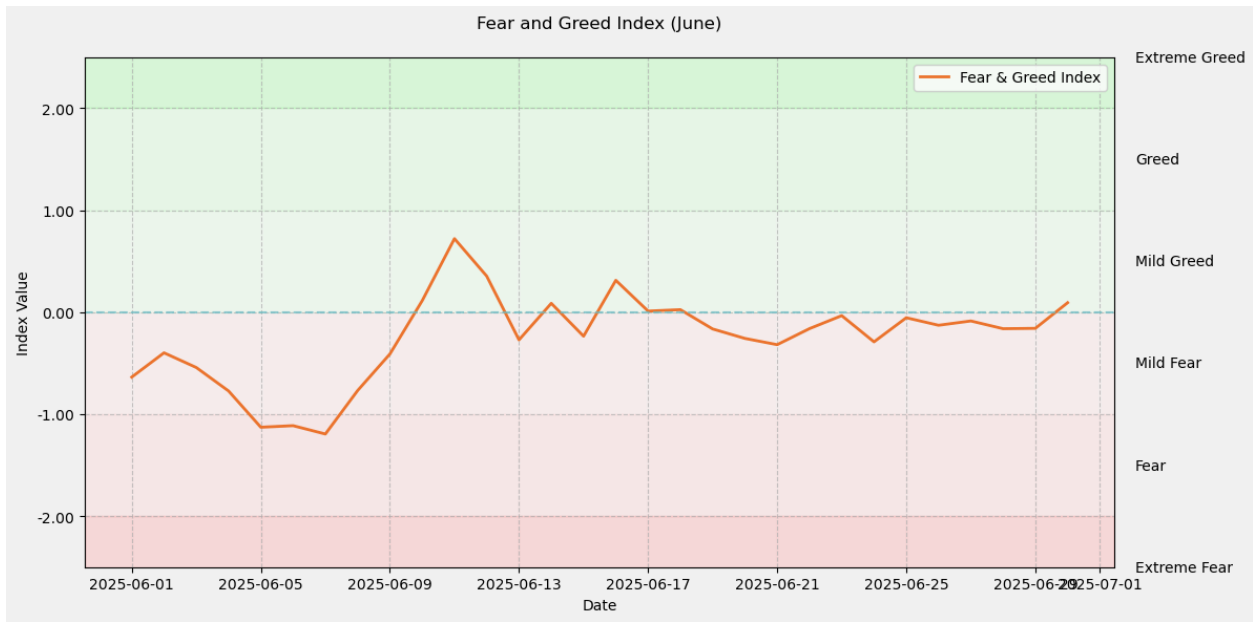
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Figure 1.4: BTC and ETH monthly returns YTD



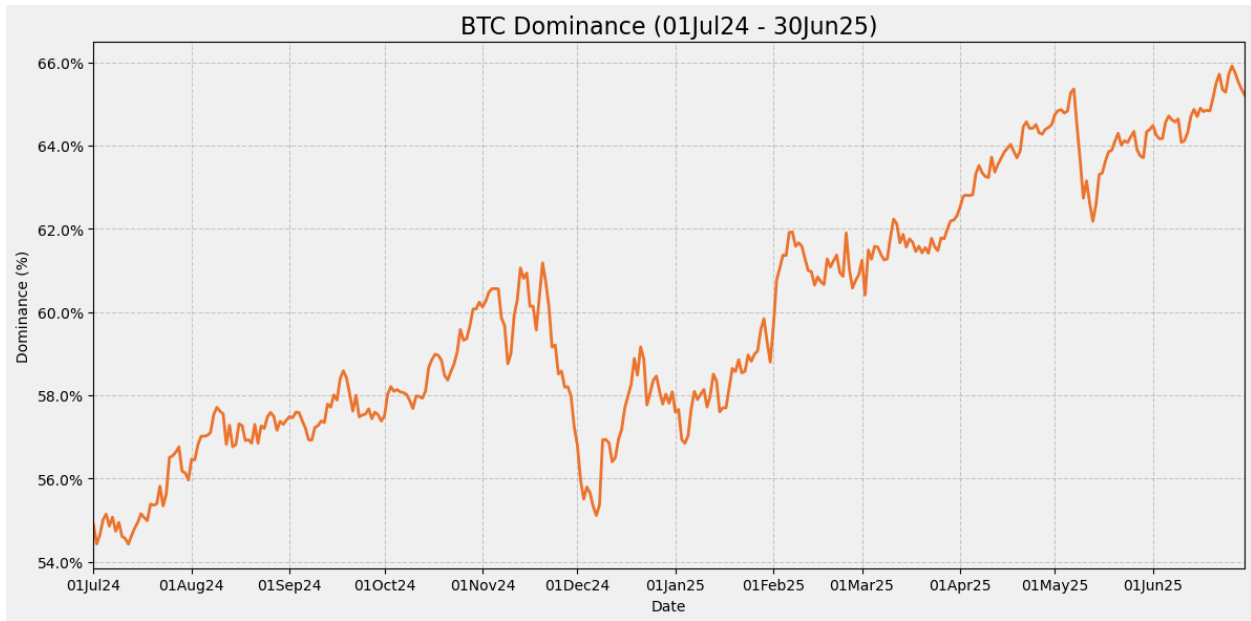
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Figure 1.5: Presto Research Fear-Greed Index - [Appendix 1](#)



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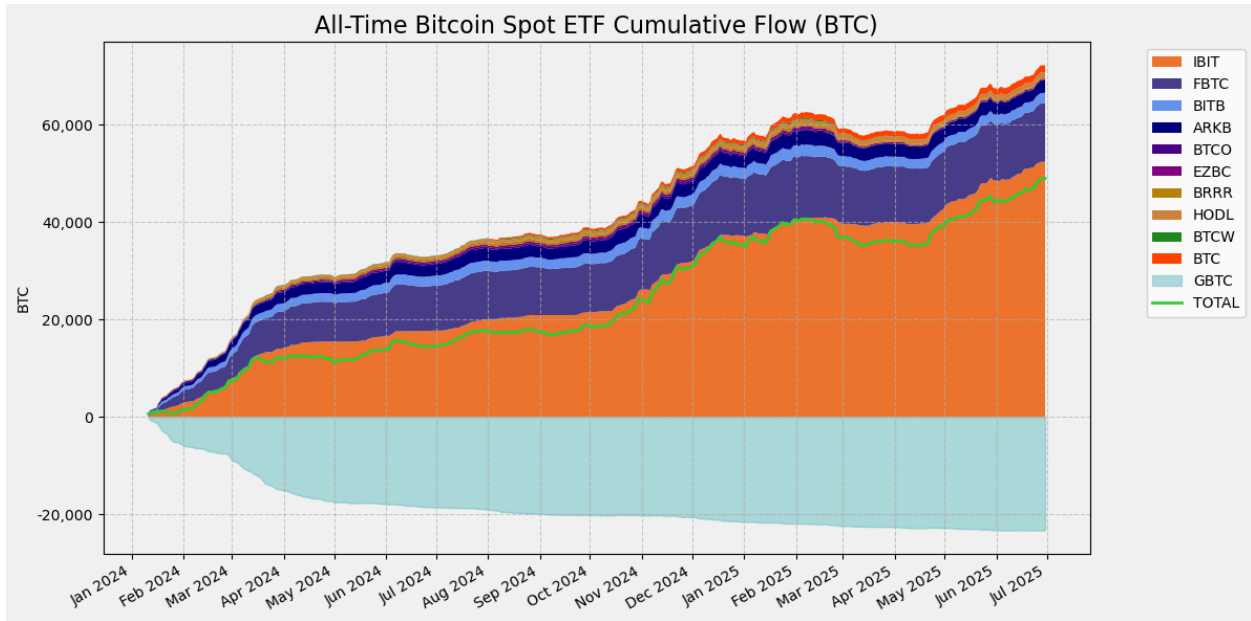
Figure 1.6: BTC dominance



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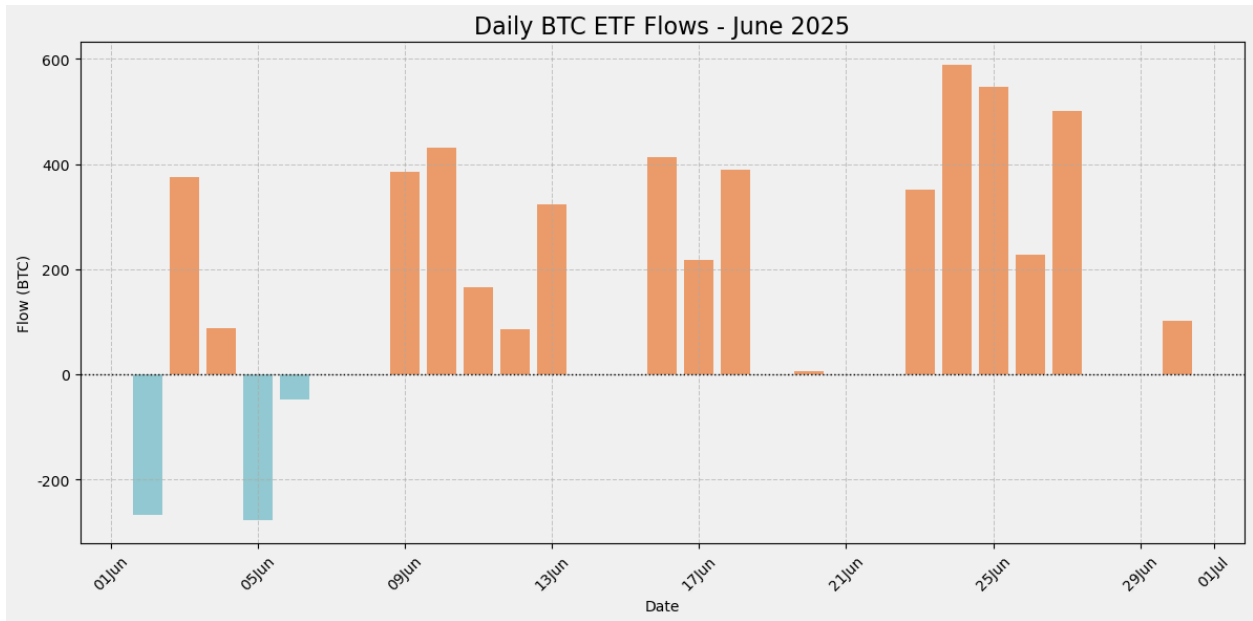
2. ETF Flows

Figure 2.1: All-Time Aggregate BTC ETF Flows



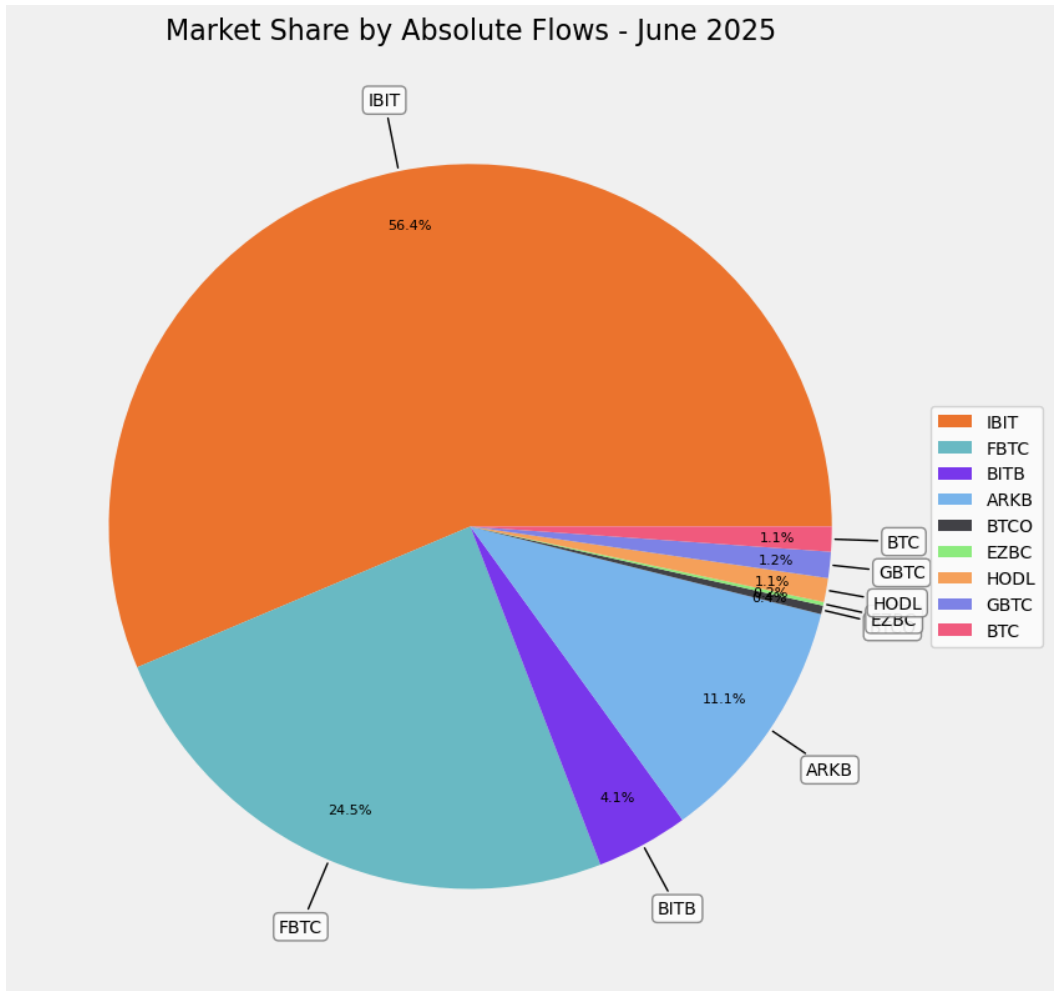
Source: Farside Advisors, Presto Research

Figure 2.2: Total BTC ETF Flows



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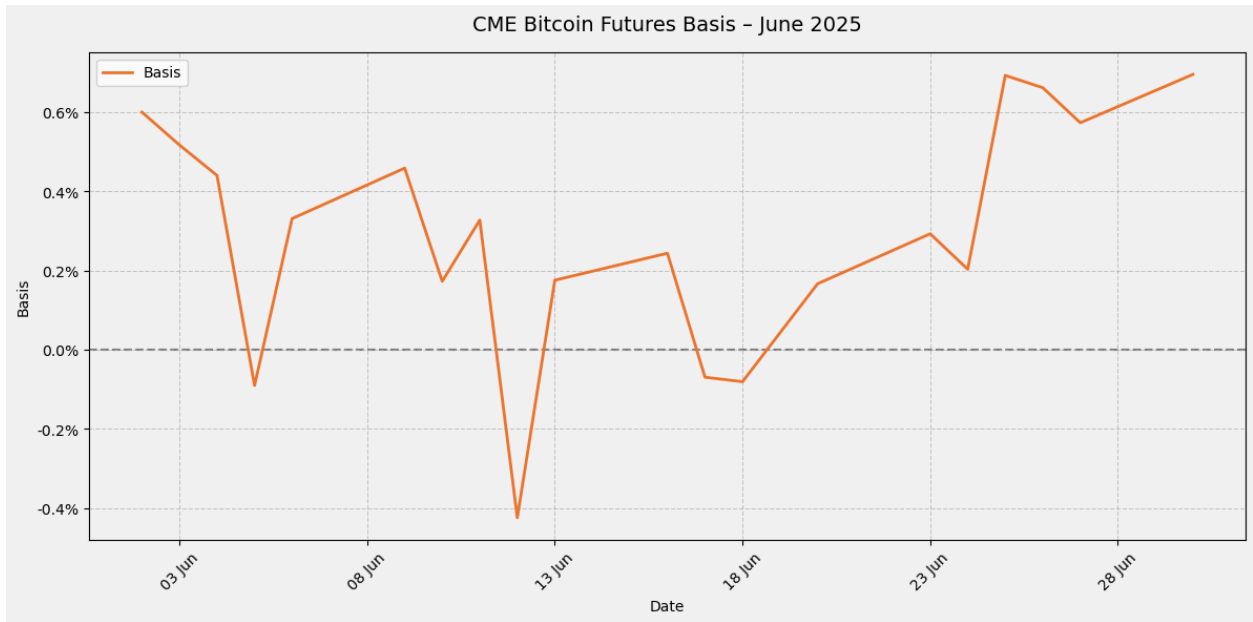
Figure 2.3: BTC ETF December Share



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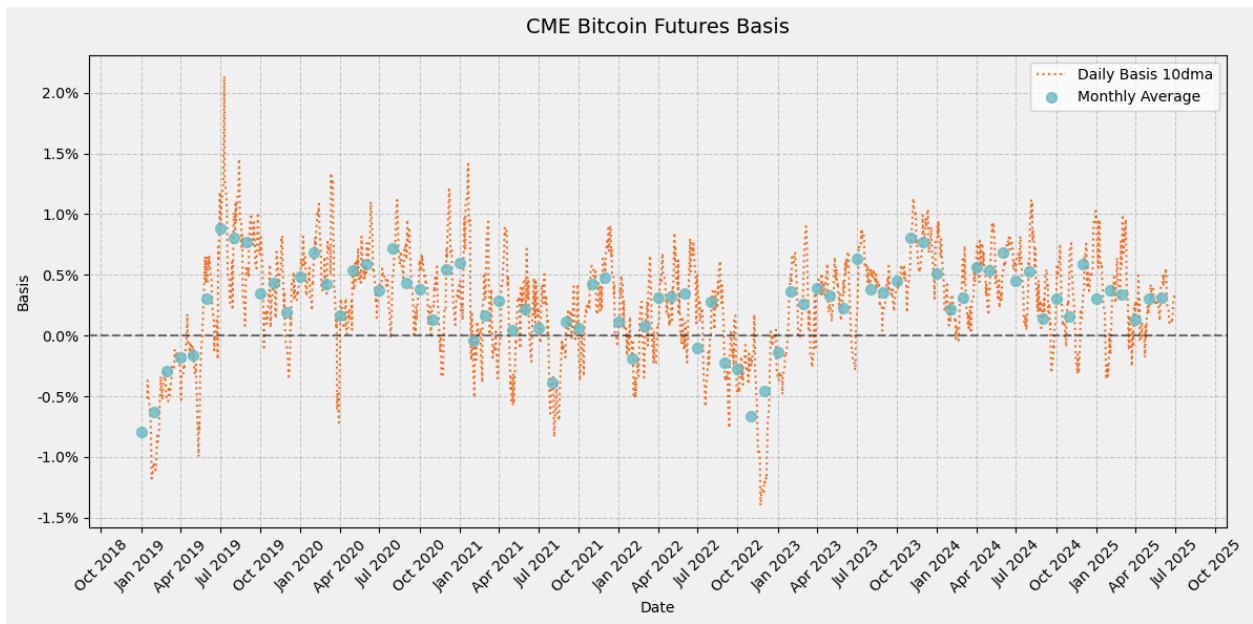
### 3. Basis & Funding Rates

Figure 3.1: CME Futures Basis (Monthly) - [Appendix 2](#)



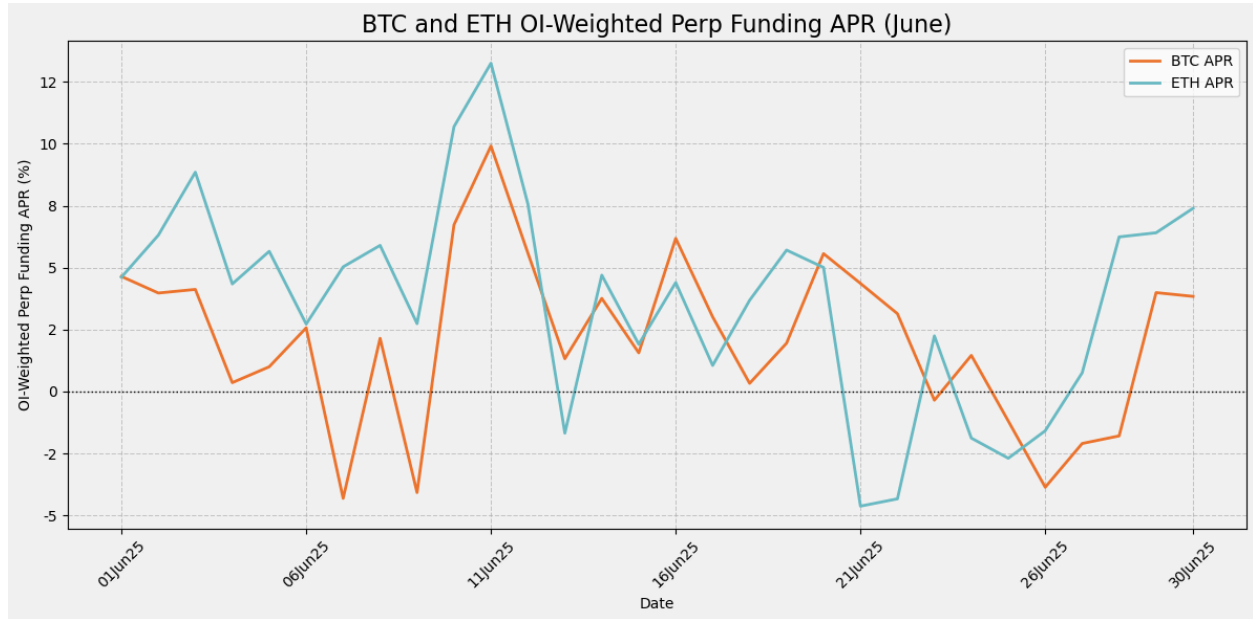
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Figure 3.2: CME Futures Basis - [Appendix 2](#)

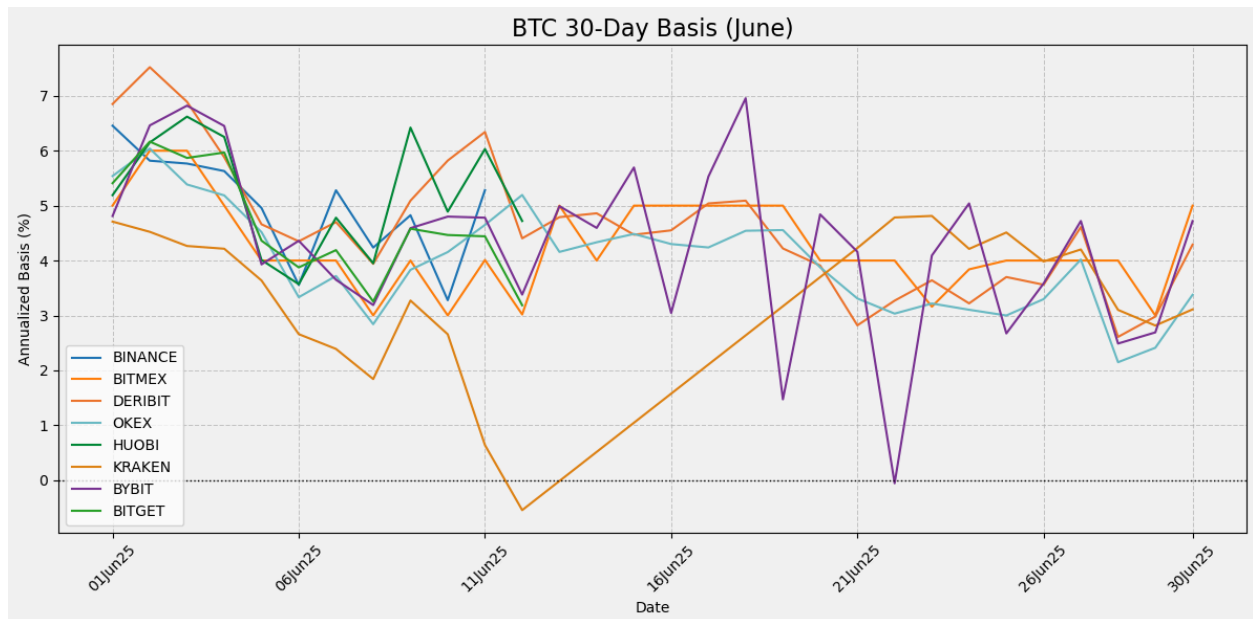


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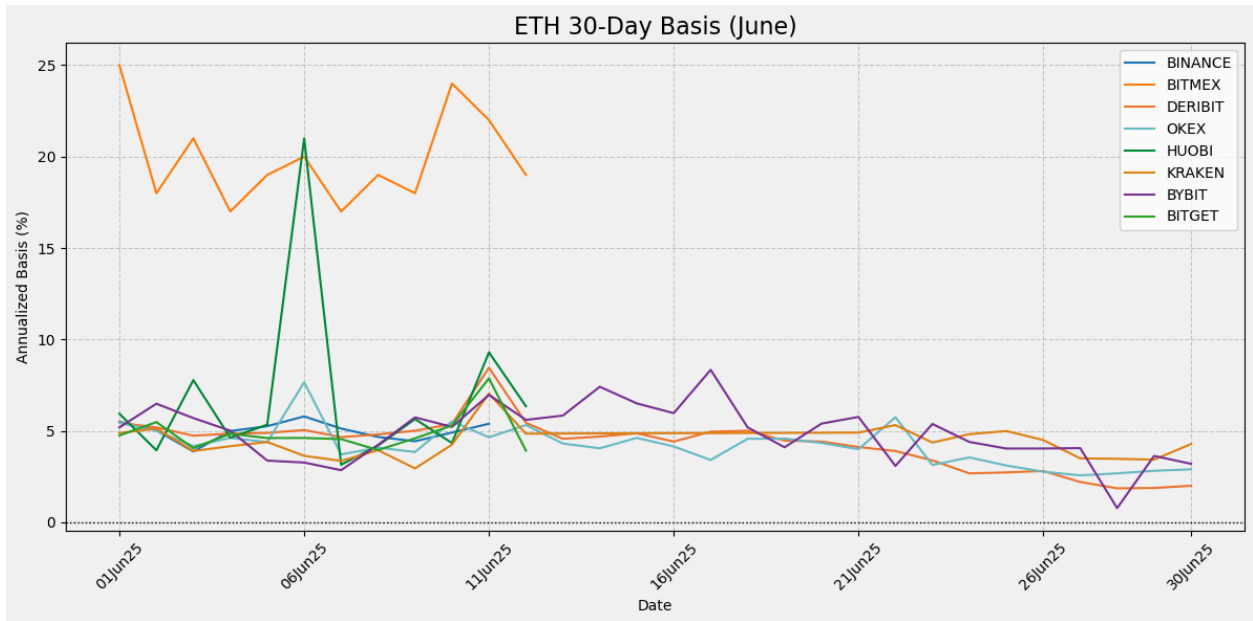
**Figure 3.3: OI-Weighted Funding APR**


Source: Laevitas

**Figure 3.4a: BTC Futures 30-day Basis**


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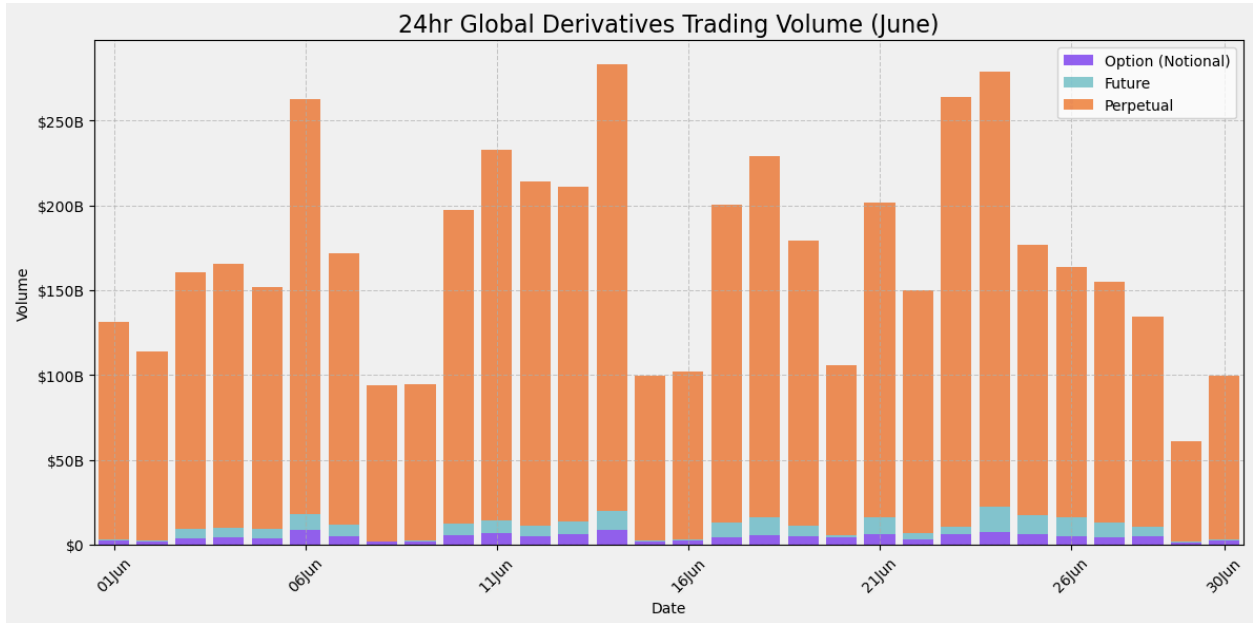
Figure 3.4b: ETH Futures 30-day Basis



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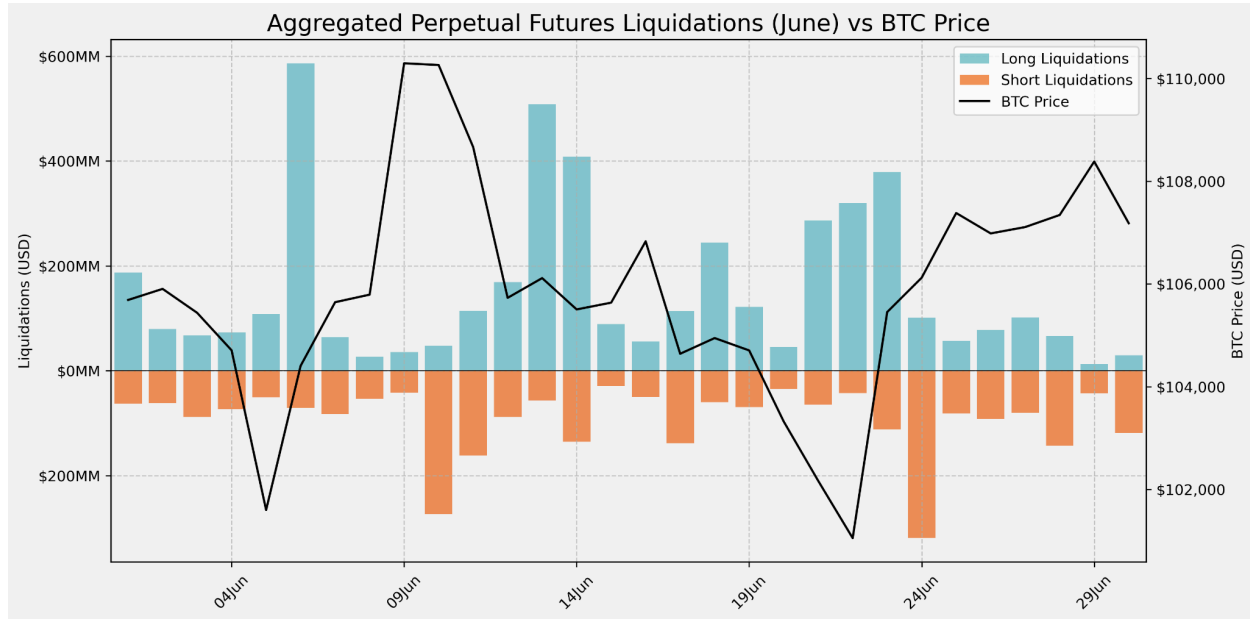
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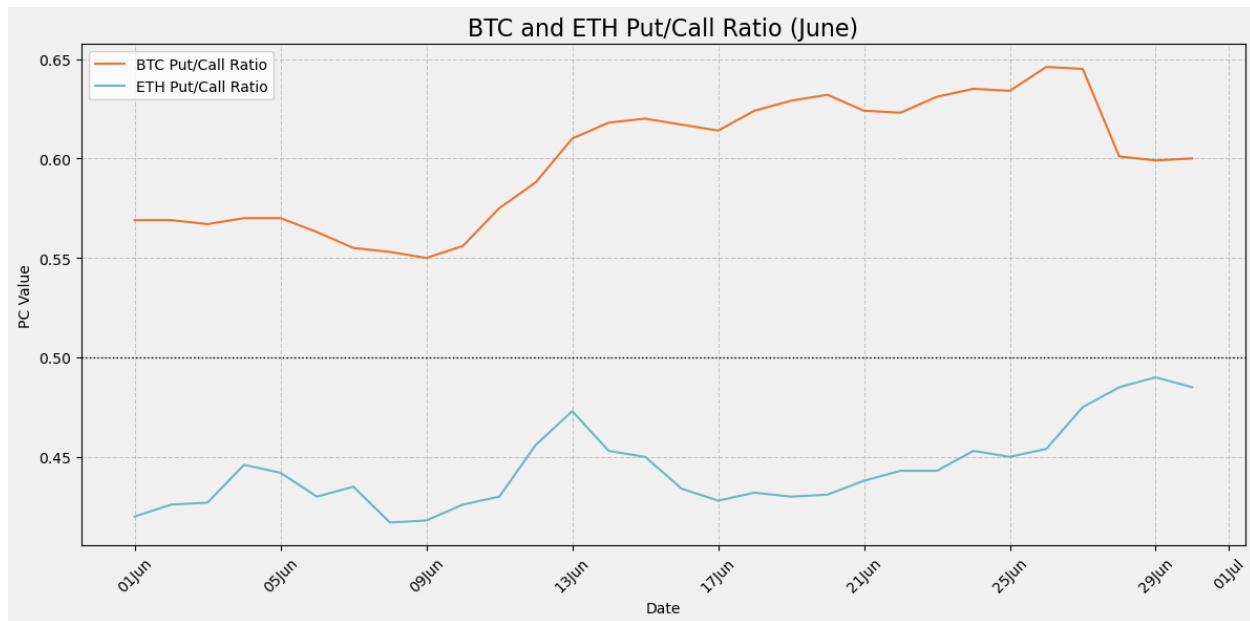
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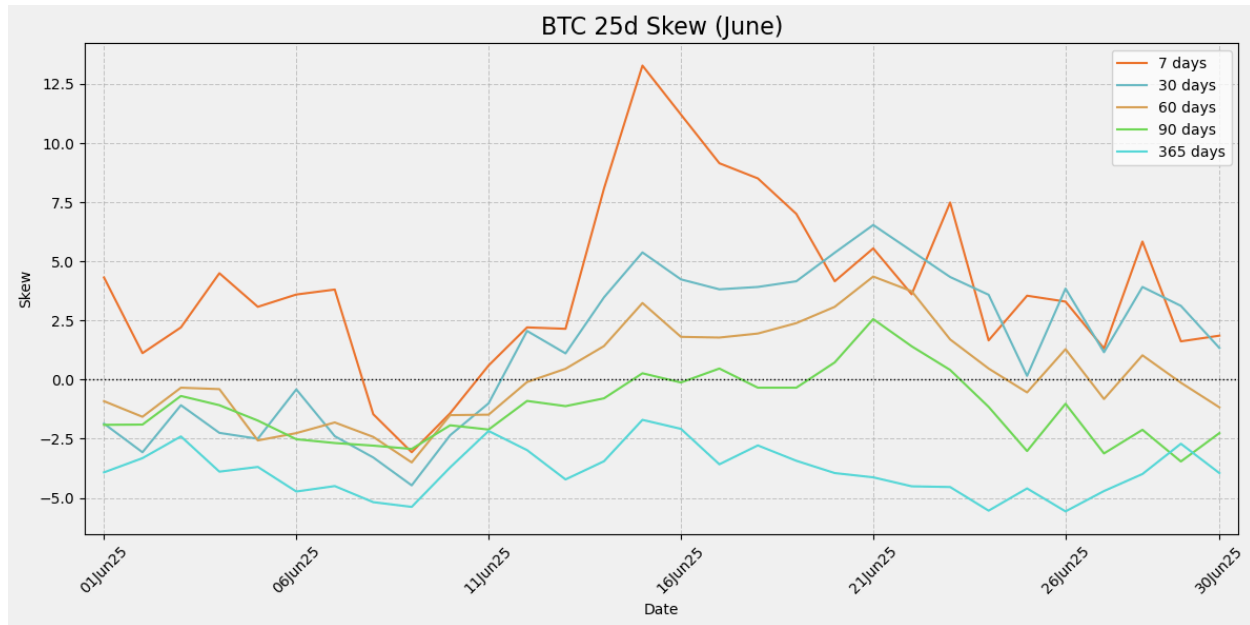
## 5. Options

**Figure 5.1 : BTC and ETH Put/Call Ratio**



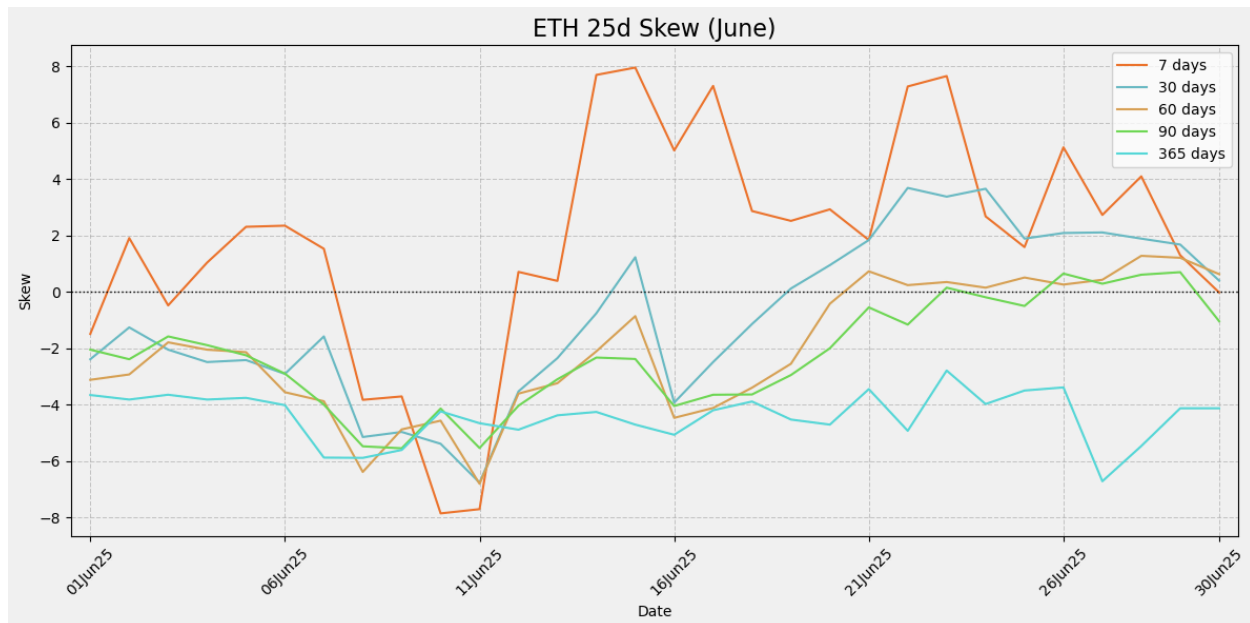
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**Figure 5.2a: BTC Skew**

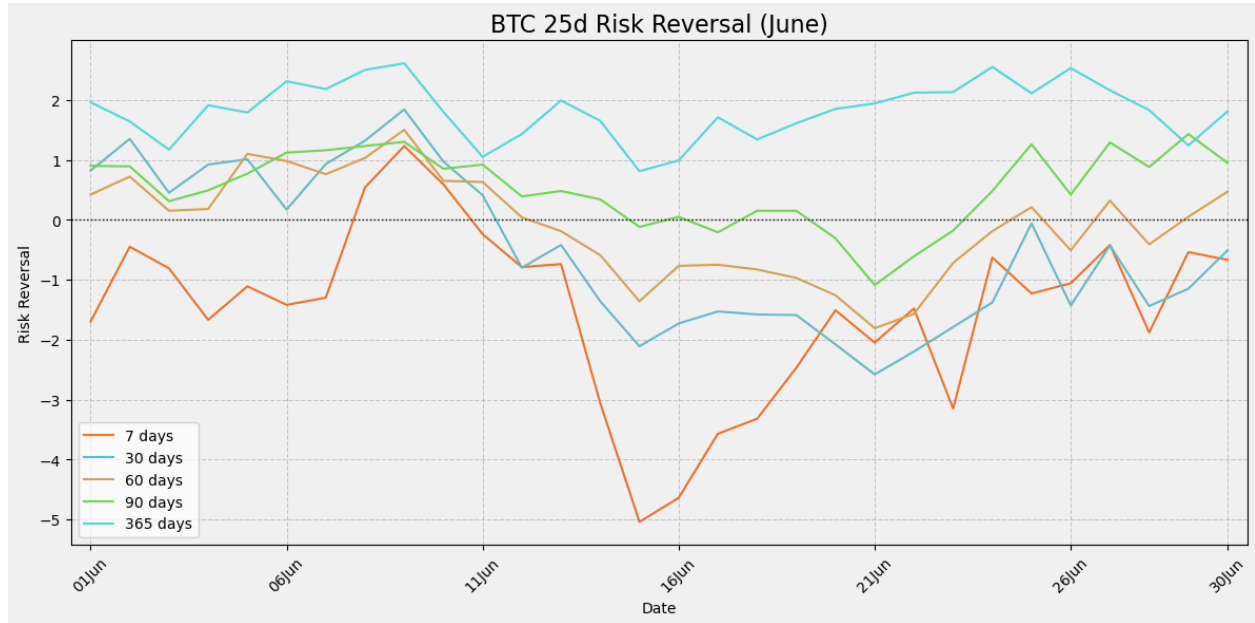


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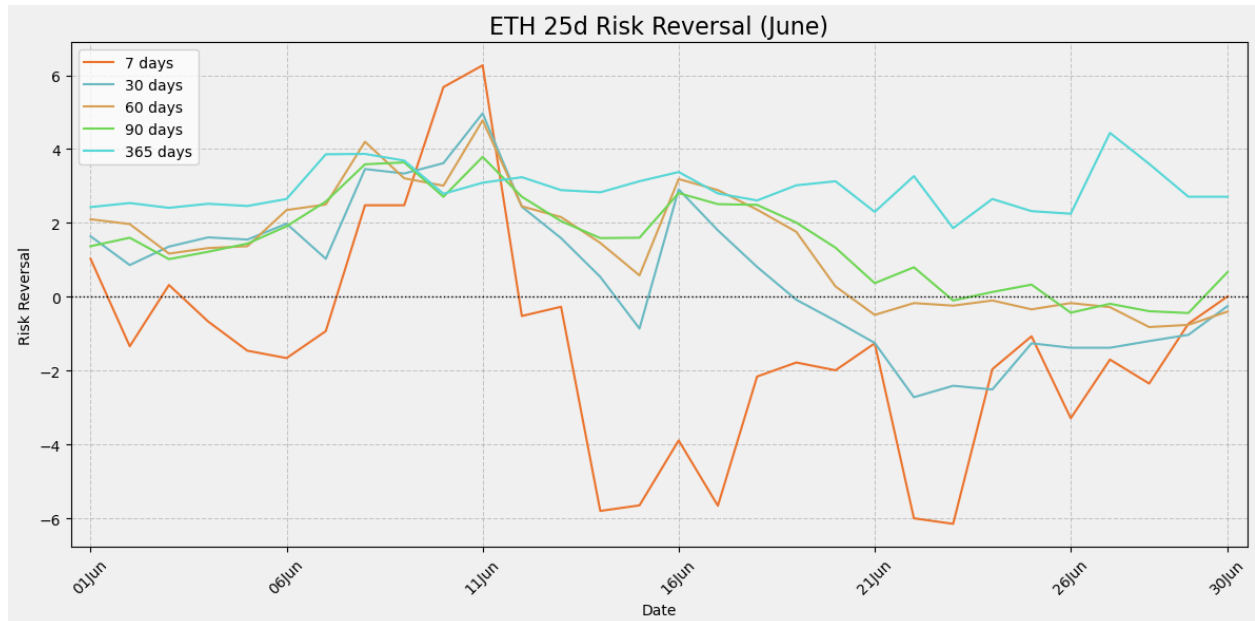
**Figure 5.2b: ETH Skew**



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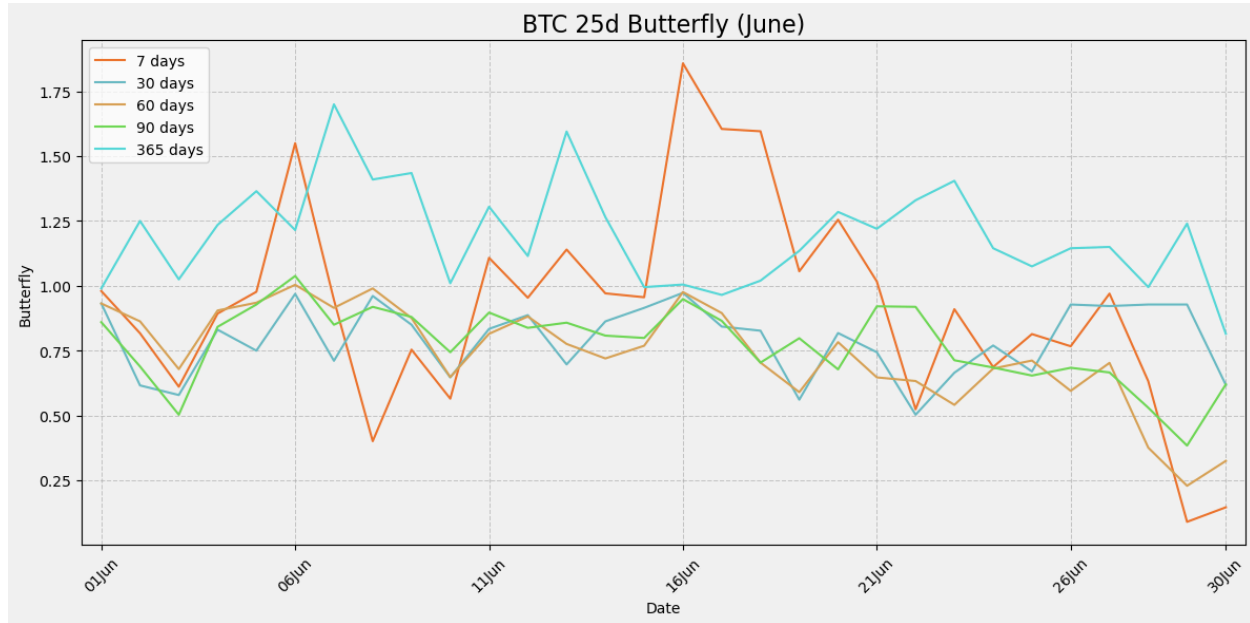
**Figure 5.3a : BTC Risk Reversals**


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**Figure 5.3b : ETH Risk Reversals**


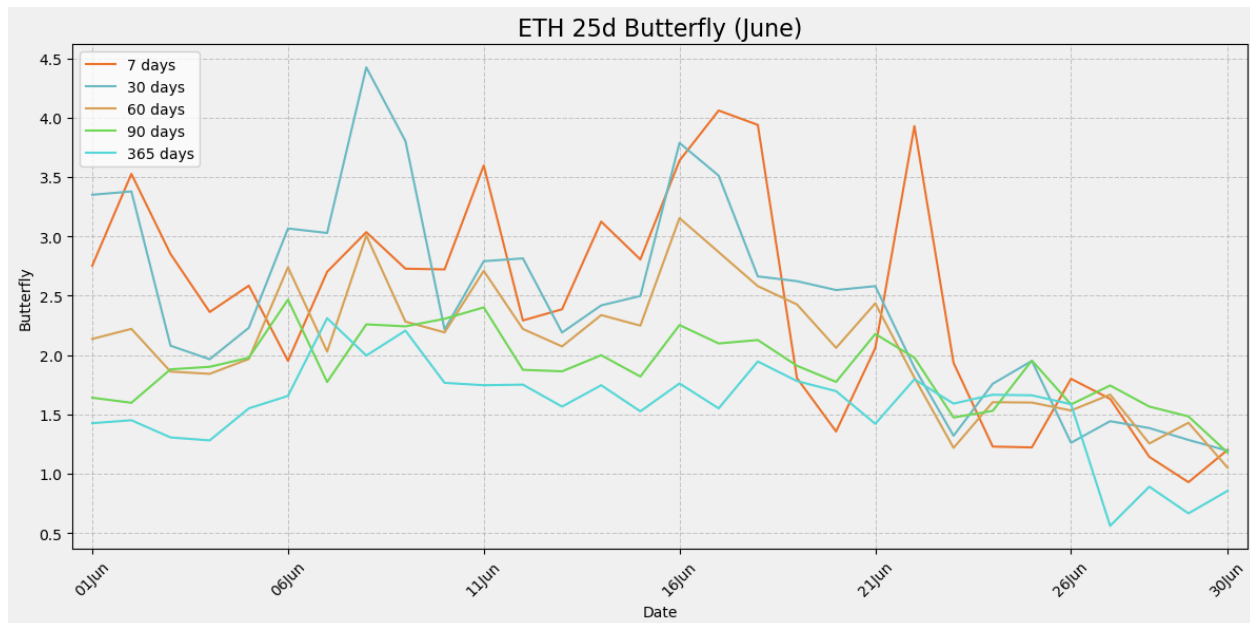
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**Figure 5.4a : BTC Butterfly**

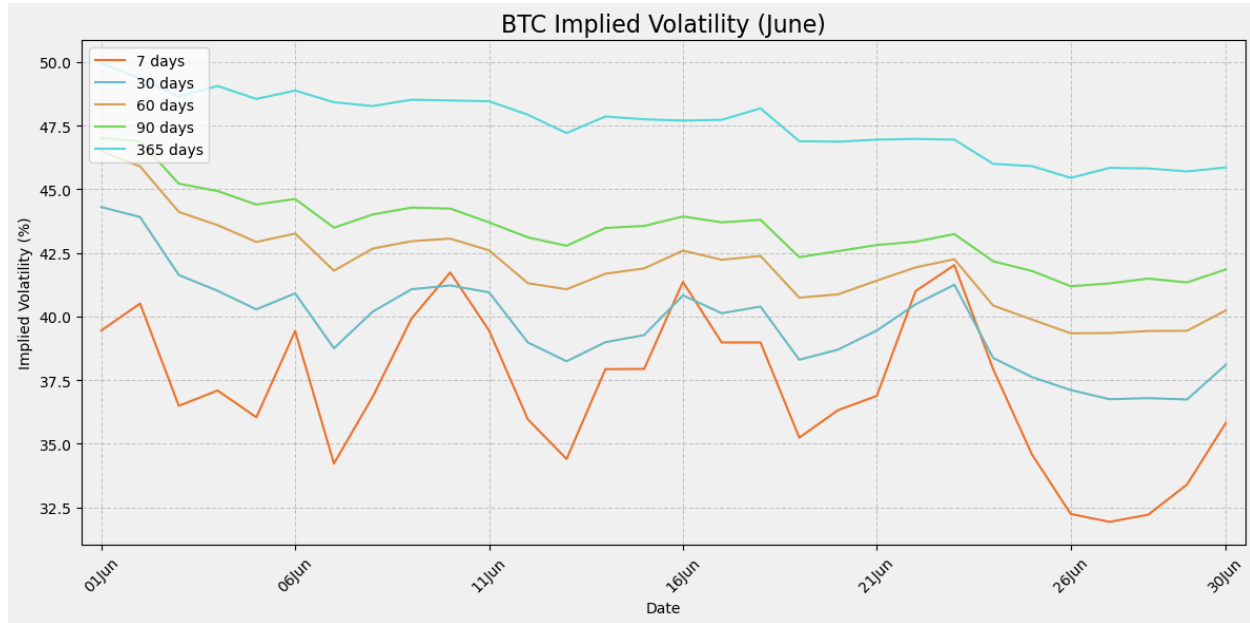


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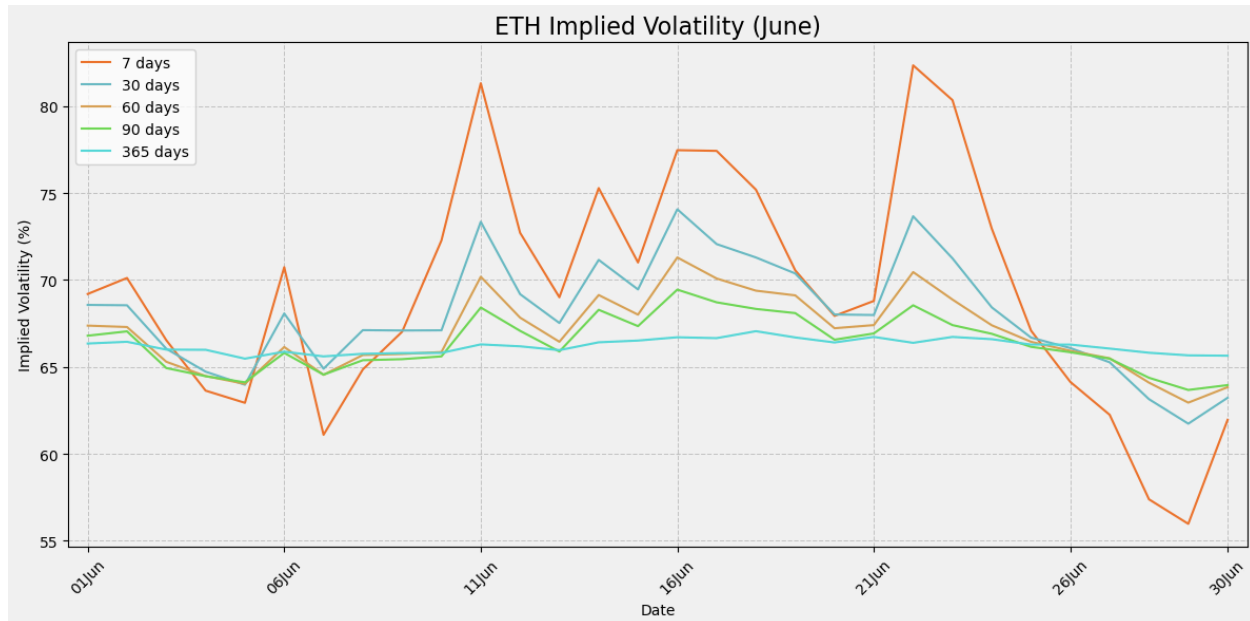
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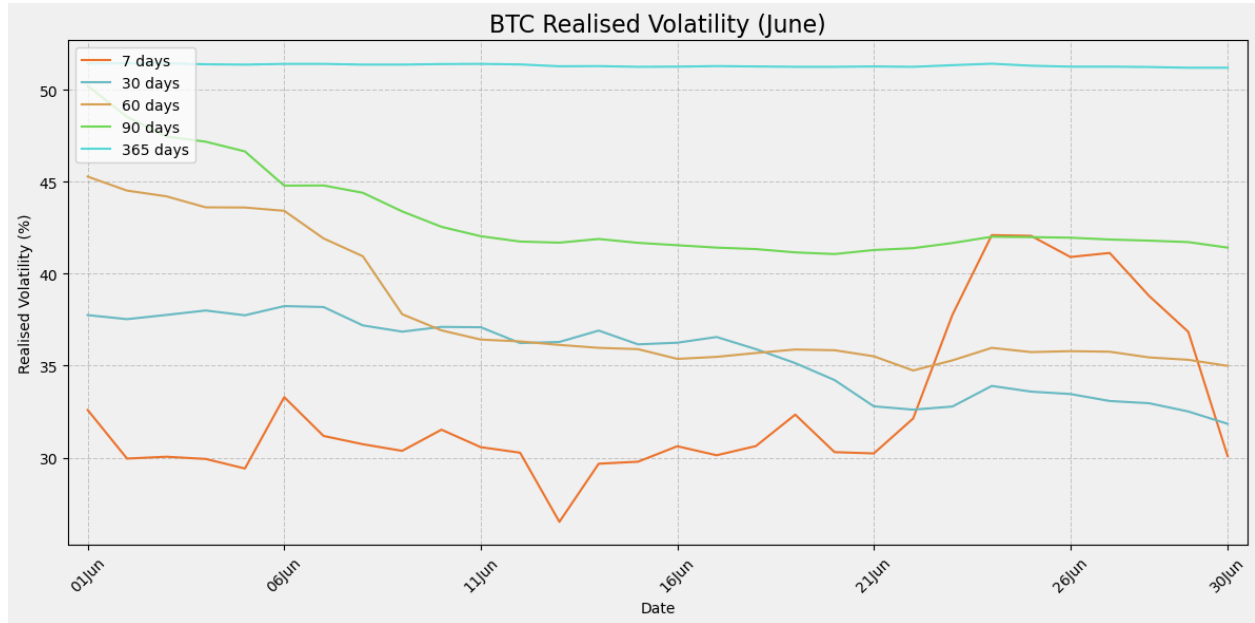
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**Figure 5.5a : BTC IV**


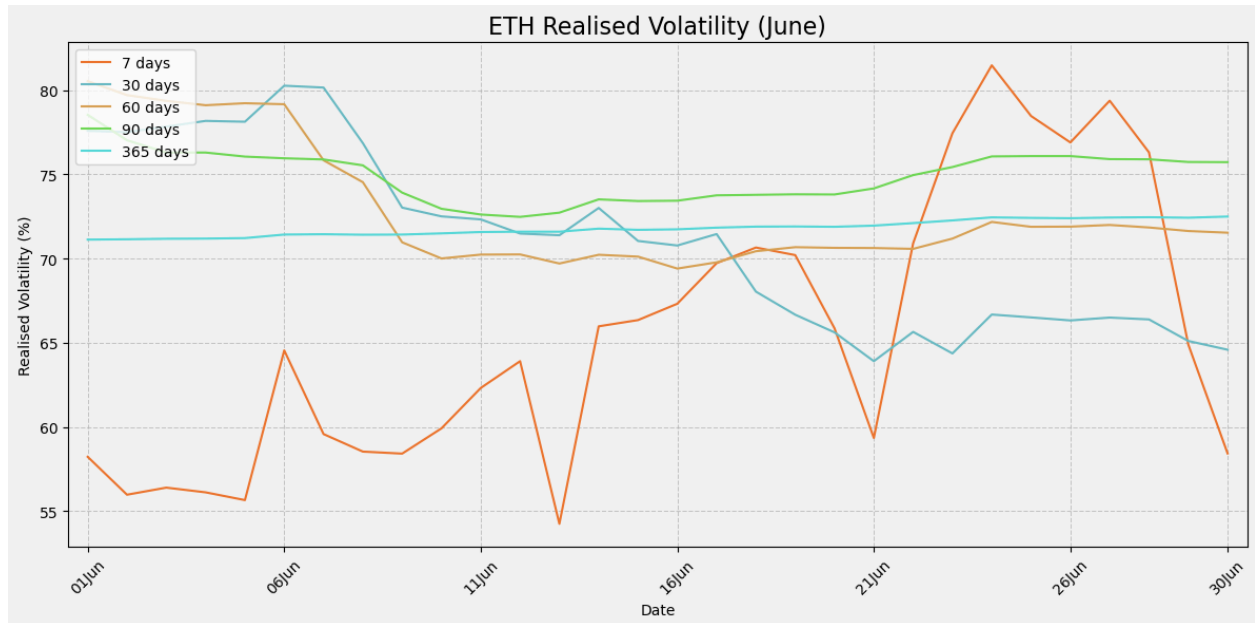
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**Figure 5.5b : ETH IV**


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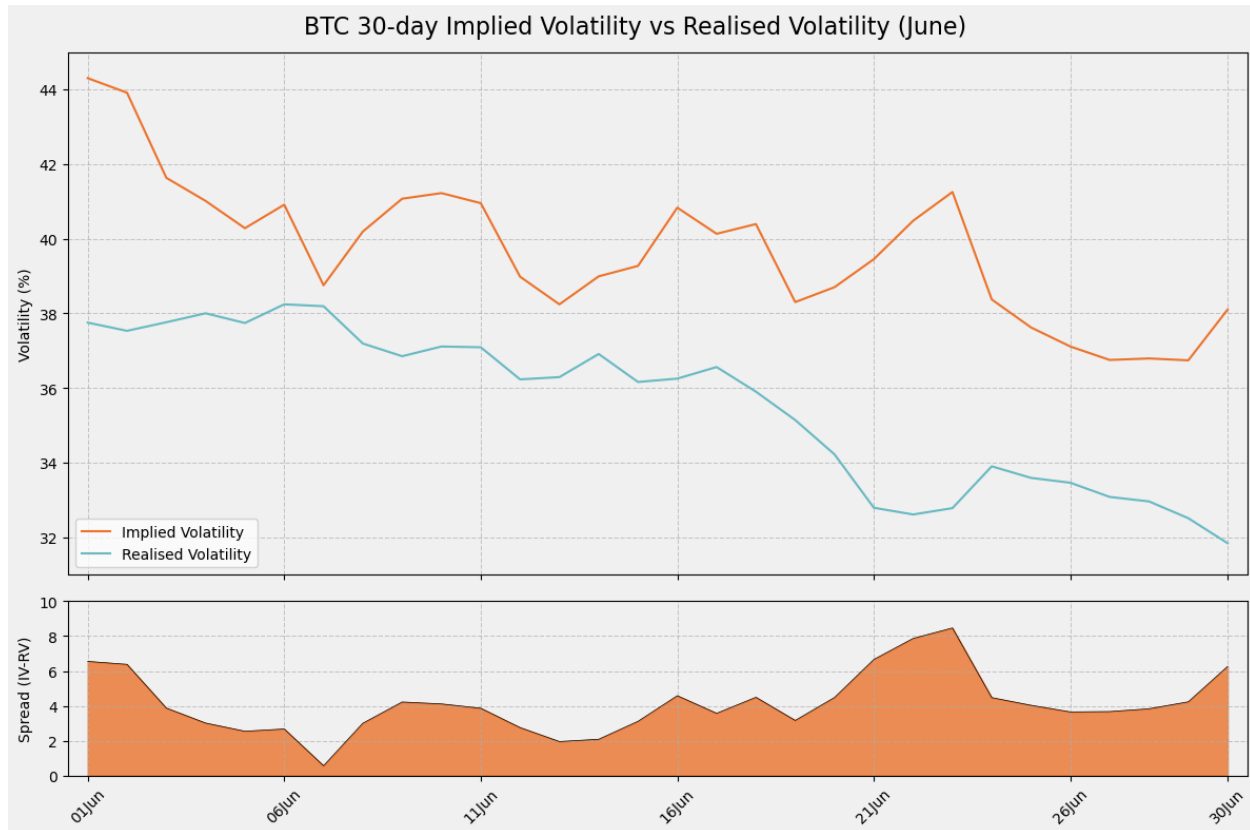
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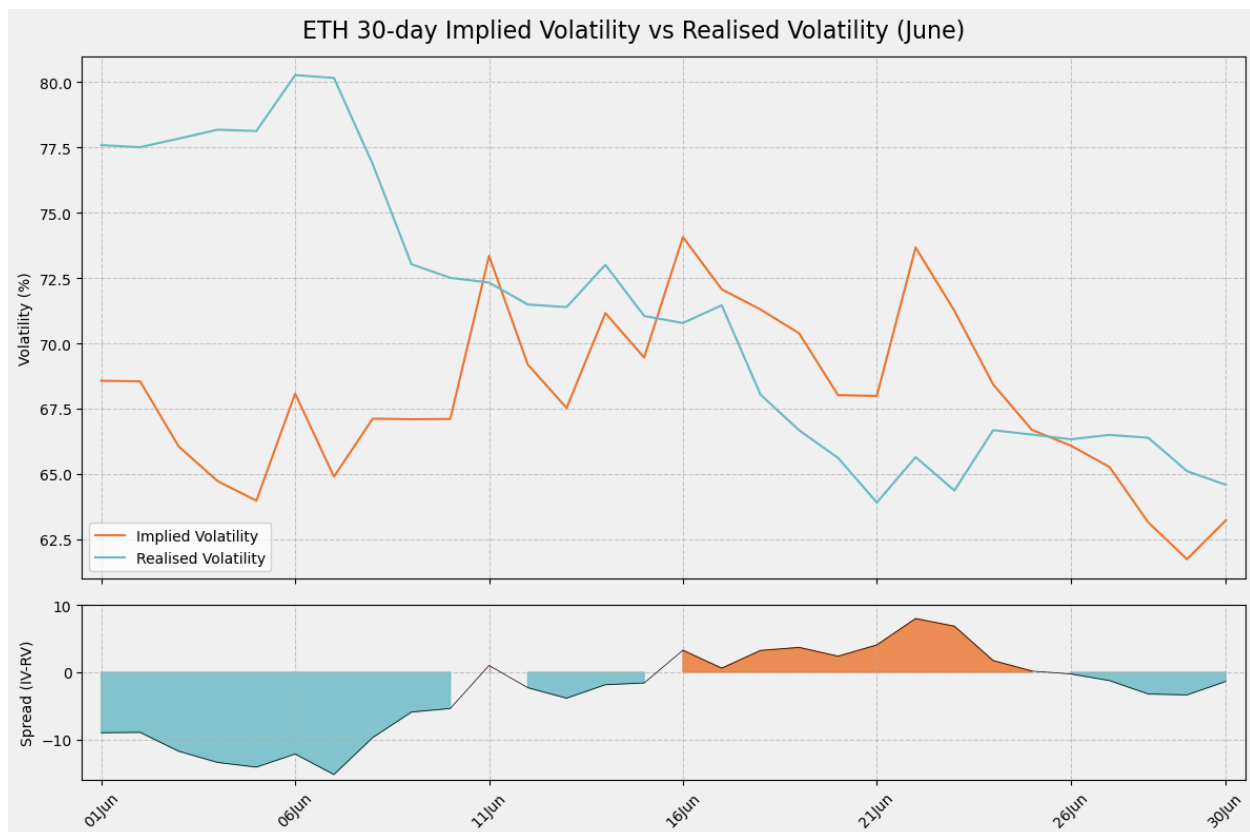
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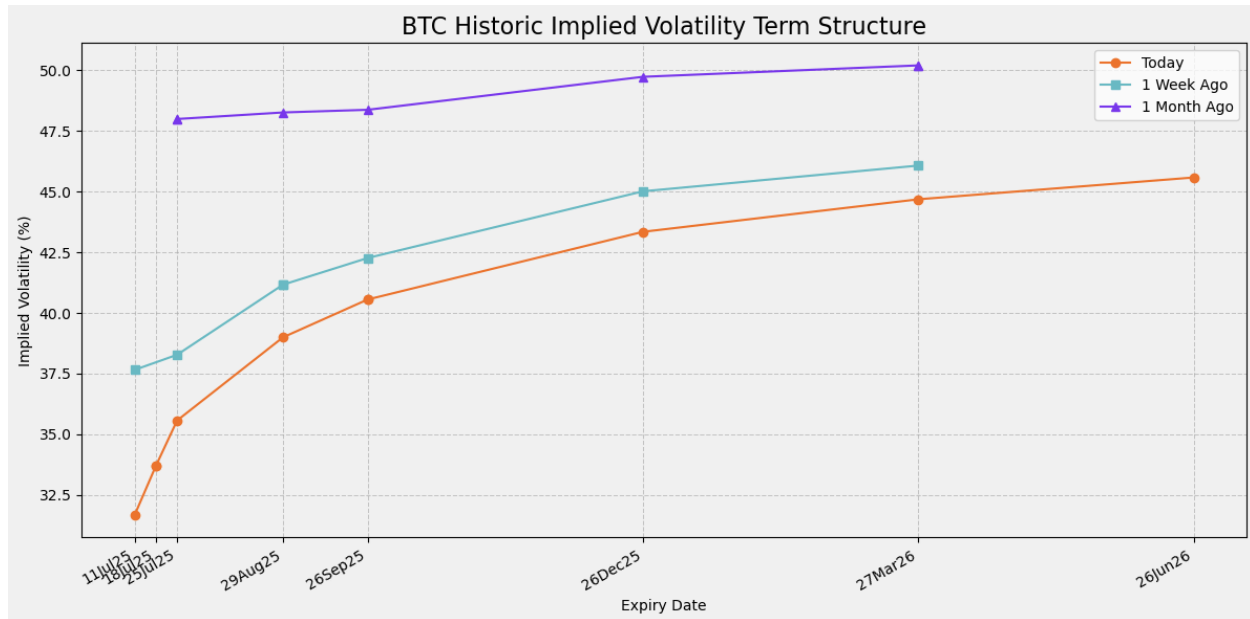
**Figure 5.7a : BTC IV-RV**


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**Figure 5.7b : ETH IV-RV**


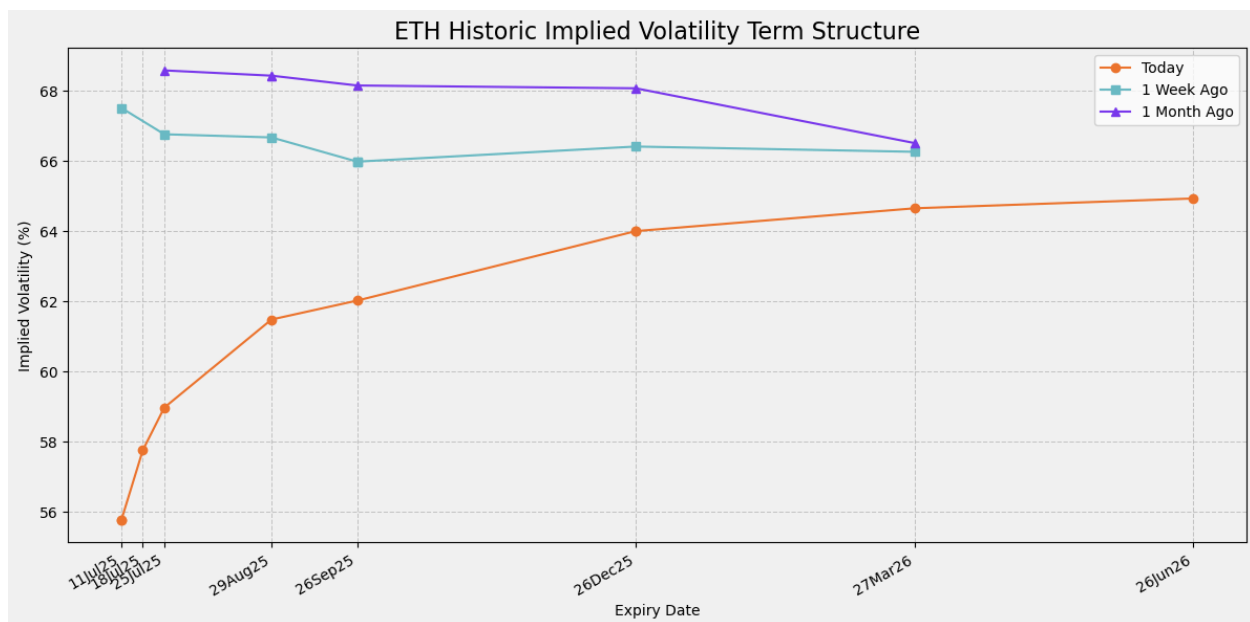
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**Figure 5.8a : BTC Term Structure**



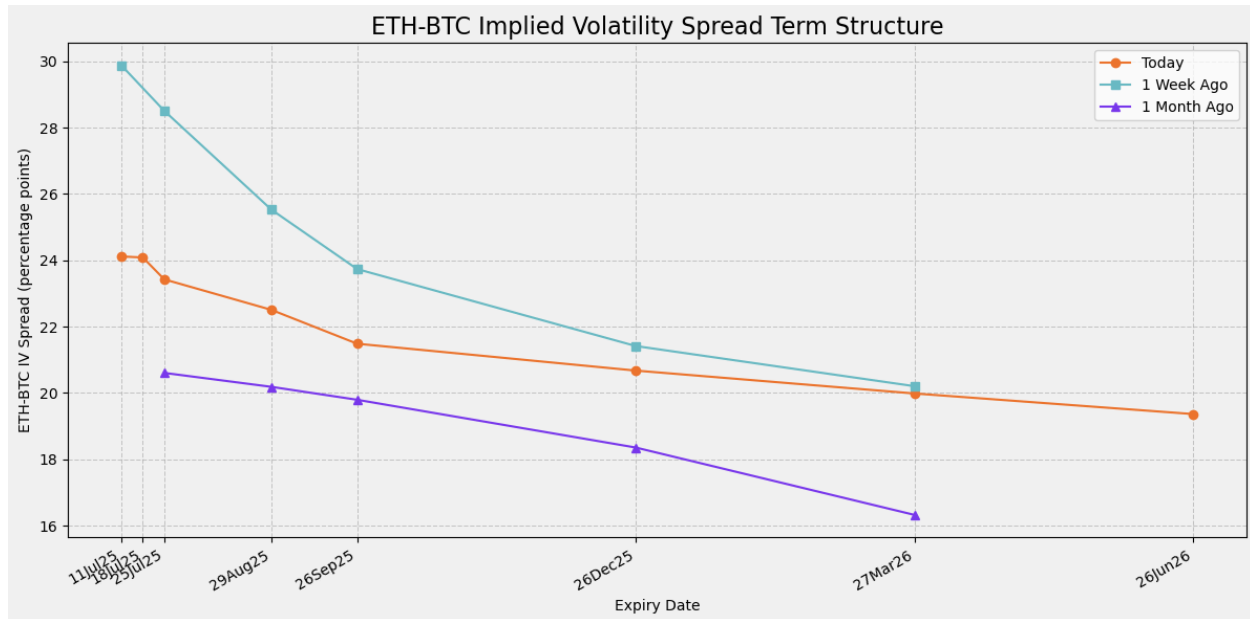
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**Figure 5.8b : ETH Term Structure**



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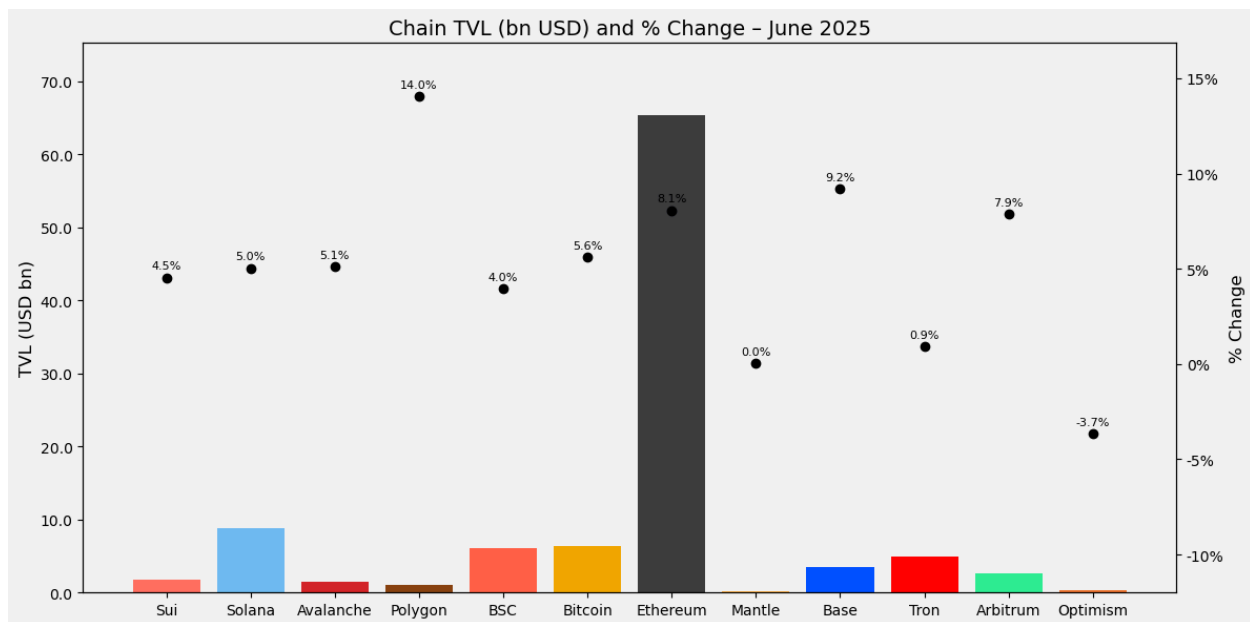
**Figure 5.9 :ETH-BTC IV Spread**



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## 6. On-Chain

**Figure 6.1 : Chain TVL Change**



Source: DefiLlama, Presto Research

## Appendix

### Appendix 1

Presto Research Fear Greed Index: This is a normalised index that takes into account a combination of short-term momentum, put-call ratios in BTC and ETH options markets, implied volatility in BTC and ETH options markets, and perpetual future funding rates.

### Appendix 2

Here we use the "raw" basis as opposed to the annualised basis, as the monthly roll (traders rolling their monthly expiring futures contract into the next contract) creates huge spikes when we annualise the data. Readers are welcome to request the annualised basis.

- Raw Basis
  - Formula:  $\text{Futures}/\text{Index} - 1$  or  $(\text{Futures}-\text{Index})/\text{Index}$
  - This represents the percentage difference between the futures price (VWAP) and the spot price (Index) at a given point in time. It's the "instantaneous" or "raw" premium/discount of futures over spot.
- Annualised Basis
  - Formula:  $((\text{Futures}-\text{Index})/\text{Index}) * (252/\text{Days\_until\_expiration})$ 
    - If  $\text{Days\_until\_expiration} = 0$ , we use the Raw Basis.
  - The implied yearly return of the basis if it were to remain constant until expiration, making it easier to compare basis across different expiration periods and standardising to an annual rate.

The Futures price we use is the Volume-Weighted Average Price (VWAP), while the Index price we use is the CME CF BTC-USD Reference Rate taken at 16:00 NY time.

### Appendix 3

Exchanges: Binance, ByBit, OKX, Bitget, CME, Coinbase, Deribit, Huobi, Kraken, BitMEX, Vertex, Bitfinex, Kwenta, Paradex, Blitz, Coincall, Aevo, Bit.com

### Appendix 4

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