

## **Explanation of Int Vol Load.xls**

*Column A-B:* Historic USSWAP10 Index Levels from Bloomberg.

*Column C-D:* Calculation of 63 business day (i.e. 3-month) realized volatility. Assumes population mean = 0 to avoid the impact of short-term trends that would lower realized volatility estimates.

*Column F-G:* Historic USSV0C10 Index Levels from Bloomberg.

*Column H-I:* Matches 10-year Swap Rate and its 3-month realized volatility to the In-3-Month-For-10-Year Swaption Volatility, USSV0C10 Index, by date.

*Column J:* Calculation of Implied Volatility Load by day.

*Column K:* Conversion of load from logarithmic to arithmetic basis to be consistent with G++ model.

*Column L:* Calculation of running average of interest rate load.