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Another "Versus SPY" Scenario

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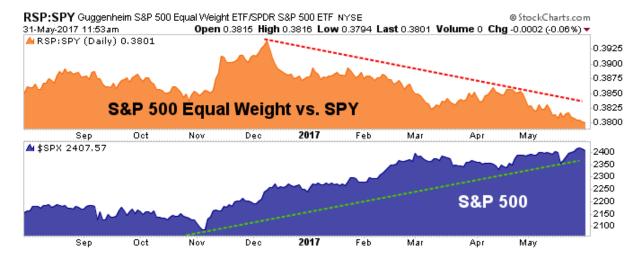
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Thinner and thinner the market's leadership becomes. Small Caps may be cooked; the Trump 'build out' 'Materials' sector is wobbling at best; Transports are well below the 2017 high; and Semis, Big Tech, and the FANGs are left to tempt in every last performance-chasing casino patron.

Man, I was bullish on the Semis a year ago (when you could hear only crickets in the bull camp) and even noted that the FANGs were irrationally weak, post-Trump but, come on folks, this is manic behavior. Early stage? Late stage? I'll leave that for bubble historians to sort out (the U.S. market does not yet look to me like Silver 2011 or Bitcoin 2017). But the behavior is not healthy on the short-term.

Anyway, Heisenberg's got a post <u>breaking down the elements of the S&P 500's leadership by the big 10</u>.

In **NFTRH 449** we reviewed this chart, which shows the equal weight S&P 500 badly underperforming the S&P 500 as normally weighted. Everybody's gotta get them some Amazon, after all. It seems desperate.



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Gary is the owner of Biiwii.com (launched in 2004) and, later, NFTRH.com (launched in 2014).

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