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■ Real GDP	16.8T	▲ 2.1%	2016 Q4
<u>ш</u> Ш Unemp. rate	4.5%	▼ -0.2	Mar 2017
Inflation	2.4%	▼ -0.4	Mar 2017
		one week	one mo.
<u>₩</u> ⊞ S&P 500	2,374.15	▲ 1.1%	▲ 1.2%
<u>III</u> ⊞ DJIA	20,763.89	▲ 0.6%	▲ 0.5%
■■ NASDAQ	5,983.82	▲ 2.2%	▲ 2.9%
<u>⊪</u> ⊞ VIX	10.84	▼ -26.1%	▼ -17.4%
Ⅲ Ⅲ 2-yr t-bond	1.25%	▲ 0.04	▼ -0.01
📶 🌐 10-yr t-bond	2.28%	▲ 0.02	▼ -0.13
dd ⊞ Crude oil	\$49.23	▼ -6.5%	▲ 3.2%
Ⅲ Ⅲ USD index	93.98	▲ 0.0%	▲ 0.4%



About the Dashboard

The Macro and Markets Dashboard for the United States contains more than 100 indicators of the performance of the U.S. economy. The dashboard includes twelve categories of charts, and a table of exchange rates.

Dashboard plots follow a uniform design. The line plots show trends over the past decade, while the horizontal bar plots decompose recent developments. The latest value and its reference period are listed in the bottom left corner of the plot area for line plots. Below each plot is a brief listing of the source with a link (in blue) to the source data.



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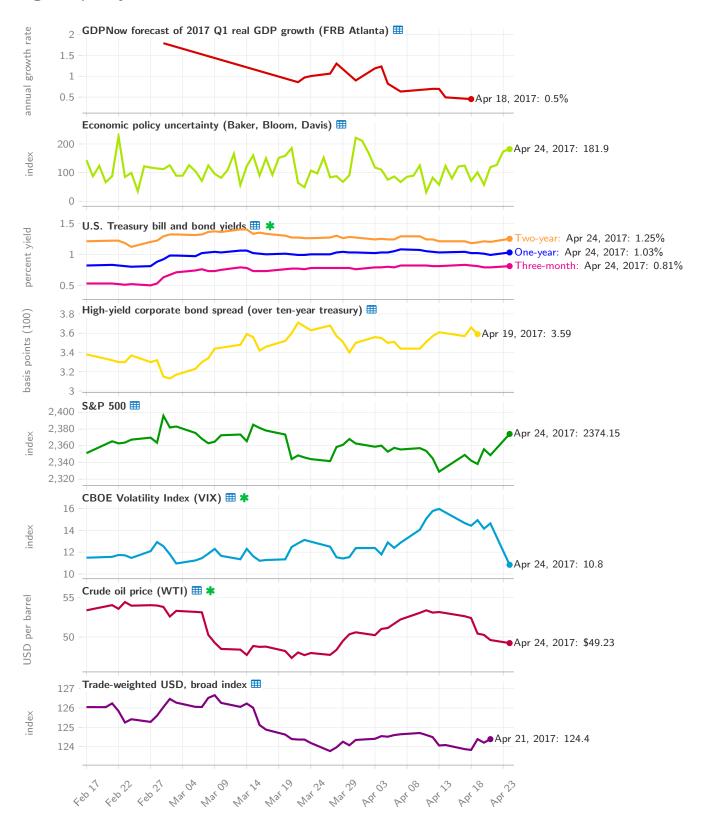
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Chart of the week



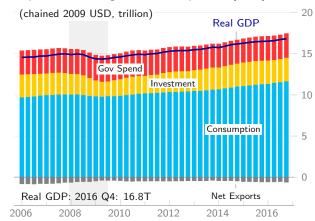
While quarterly GDP growth slowed from 3.5% in Q3 to 1.9% in the BEA's latest estimate for 2016 Q4, business investment rebounded. For 2016 as a whole, business investment growth was non-existent, a result of weak earnings growth in some sectors (e.g. mining, energy) and a general corporate preference for returning profits directly to shareholders through buybacks and dividends. By investment type, aggregate equipment investment, shown above in light blue, critically increased in Q4 over its Q3 level, but remains below its 2015 level. In 2017, tax and trade policies, input prices, and consumption behavior will affect corporate profits, which, combined with the cost of capital and perceived future business prospects, will determine investment.

High-frequency indicators

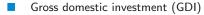


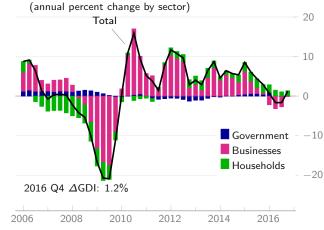
Macroeconomic Indicators: Overview

Components of real gross domestic product (GDP)



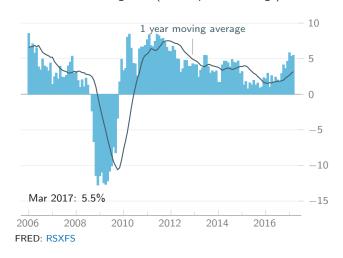
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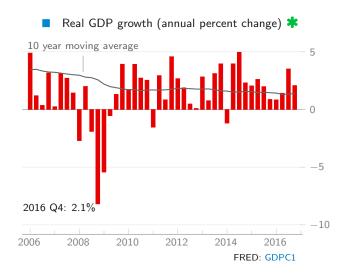




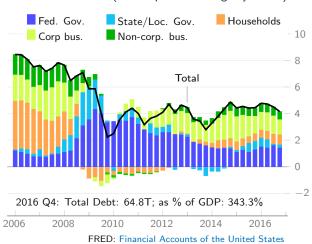
FRED: Saving and Investment by Sector

Retail sales excluding food (annual percent change) *





■ Liabilities (annual percent change by sector)



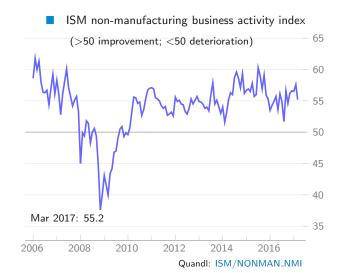
Inventories to sales ratio

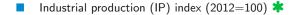


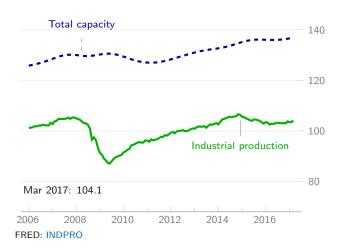
Macroeconomic Indicators: Businesses

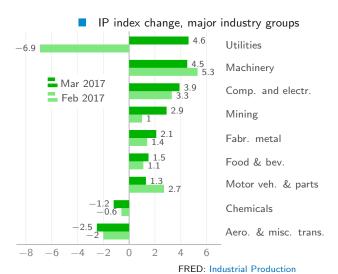
■ ISM manufacturing purchasing managers' index







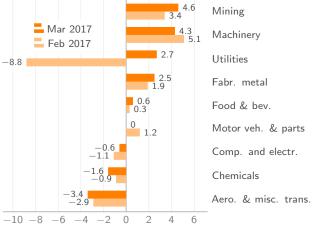




■ Total capacity utilization (percent of capacity)





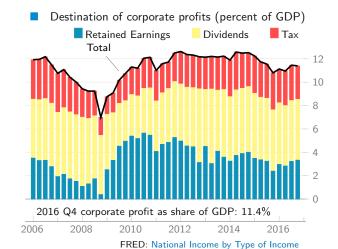


FRED: Capacity Utilization

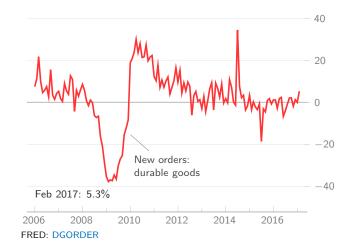
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Real nonresidential fixed investment (annual percent change by type)





Durable goods new orders (annual percent change) *





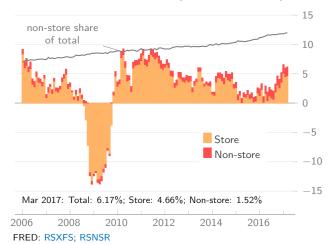
FRED: Manufacturer's Shipments, Inventories, and Orders (M3) Survey

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Retail sales, store vs. non-store (annual growth rate)



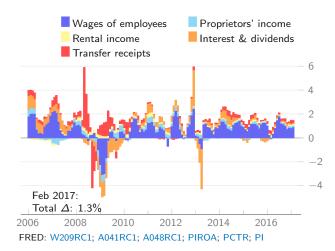
■ FRBSF tech pulse index (2000=100)

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Macroeconomic Indicators: Households

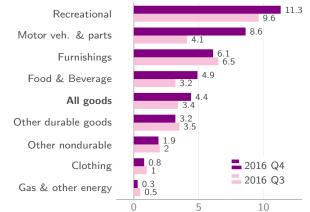
Personal income (annual percent change by type)



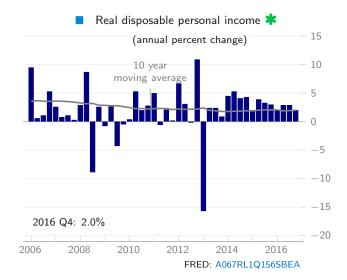
Personal consumption expenditure (PCE)

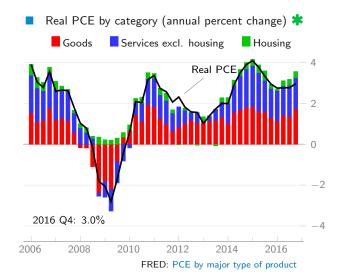


Real PCE on goods by type (annual percent change)

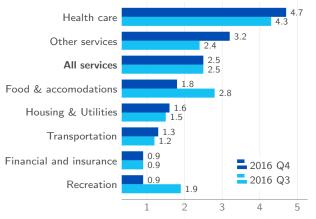


FRED: Real PCE by Major Type of Product





Real PCE on services by type (annual percent change)

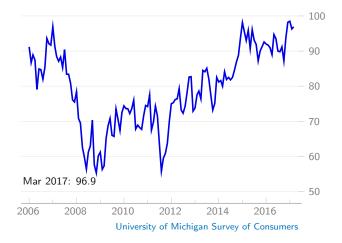


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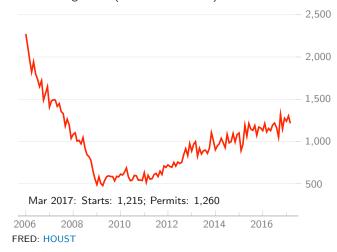
PCE on durable goods (percent of GDP) *



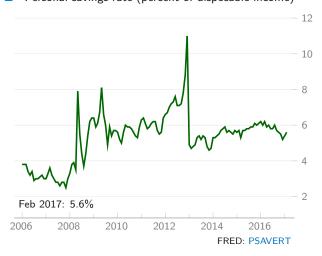
University of Michigan consumer sentiment index



New housing starts (thousands of units)



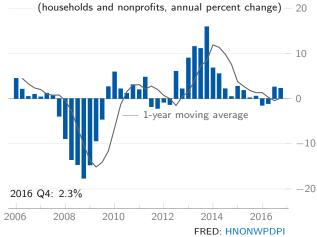
Personal savings rate (percent of disposable income)



■ Household and nonprofits assets (annual growth rate)



Net wealth as percent of gross disposable income

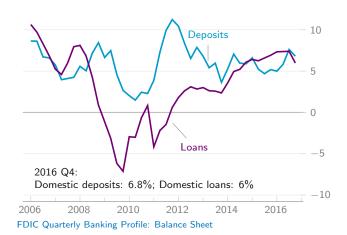


Depository Corporations

Value of bank loans by loan type (annual percent change)



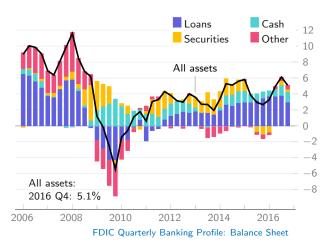
Domestic loans and deposits (annual percent change)



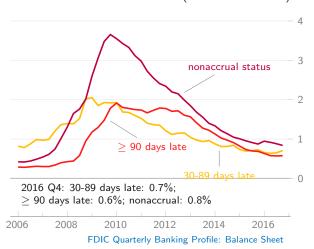
Domestic deposits (annual percent change)

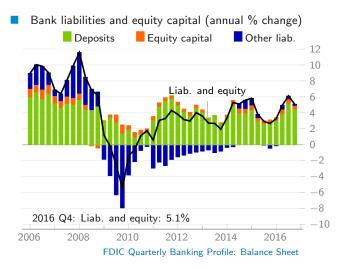


Bank assets by major type (annual percent change)



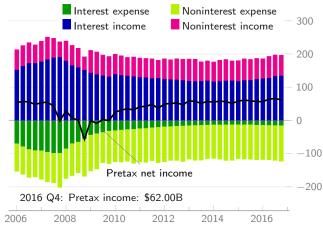
Noncurrent loans (share of total loans)





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■ Bank income and expense (USD billions)



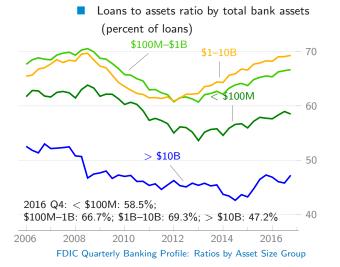




Noncurrent rate by loan type *

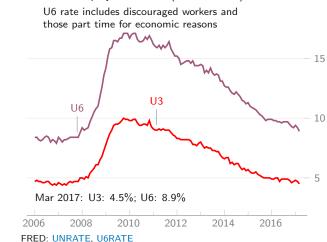


FDIC Quarterly Banking Profile: Loan Performance



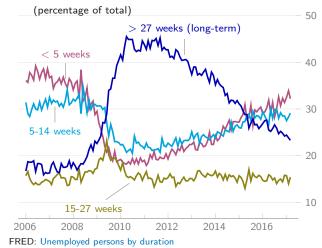
Labor Markets

■ Civilian unemployment rates (U-3 and U-6) *****

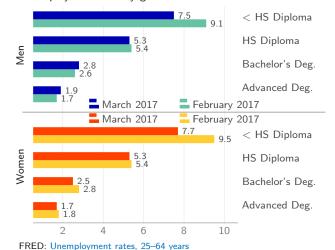




Share of unemployed by duration



Unemployment rate by gender and education level



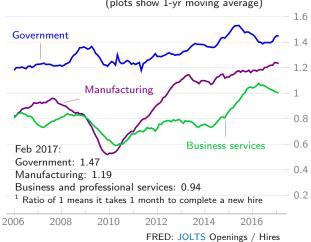
Payroll growth by sector (annual percent change)



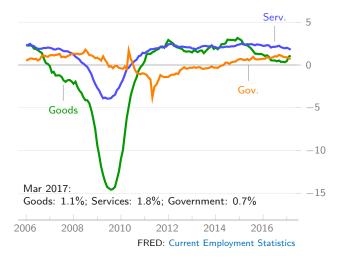
Nonfarm payrolls (monthly percent change) *



Job openings per hire, ratio by sector¹ (plots show 1-yr moving average)

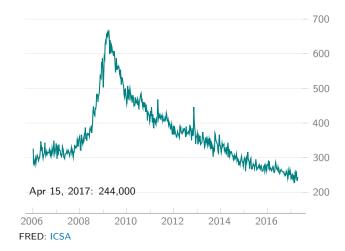


Payrolls (annual percent change by major category)



FRED: Current Employment Statistics

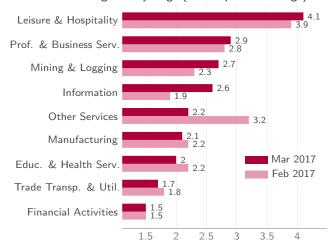
New jobless claims (weekly, thousands)



Real median weekly wage (1982–84 dollars)



Nominal average hourly wage (annual percent change)

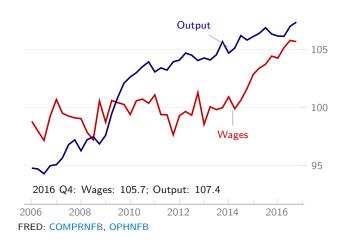


■ Nominal average hourly wages (USD)



FRED: Average Hourly Earnings

■ Real hourly wages and output (index, 2009=100) *****

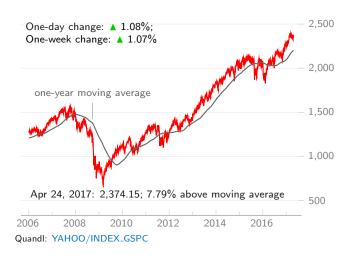


■ Labor share of output (index, 2005=100)

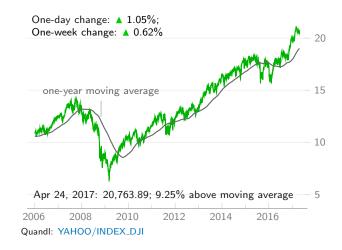


Equity Markets

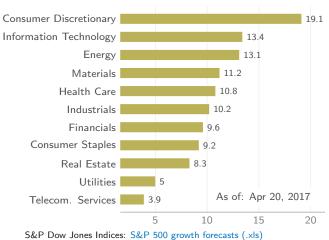
■ S&P 500



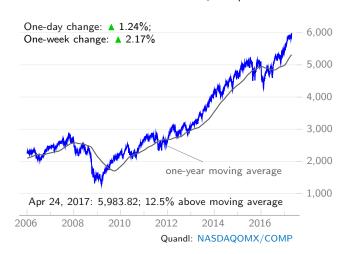
Dow Jones Industrial Average (thousands)



S&P 500 five-year growth forecast by sector



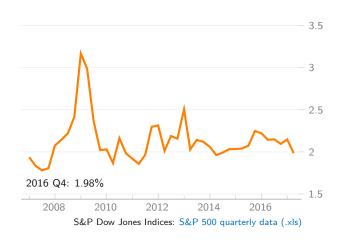
■ NASDAQ Composite Index



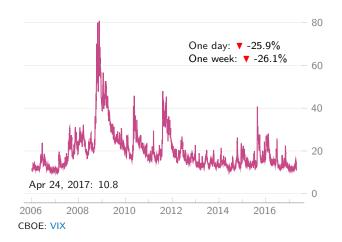
...combined and indexed (2006=100)



■ S&P 500 dividend yield (percent)



■ CBOE volatility index (VIX) *

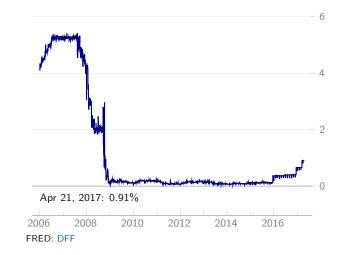


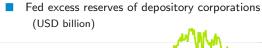
■ Shiller index of price to earnings ratios

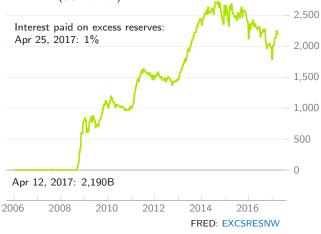


Money and Interest Rates

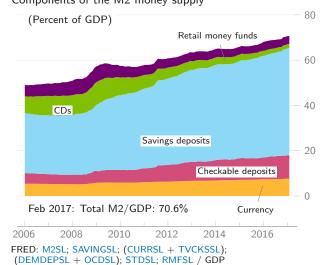
Effective fed funds rate *



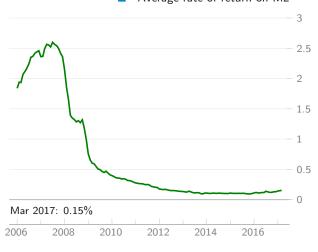




■ Components of the M2 money supply



Average rate of return on M2

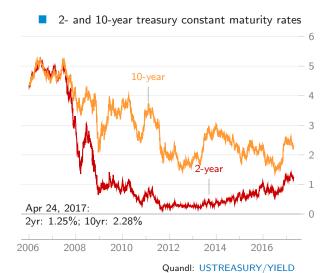


FRED: M2OWN

Treasury bond real yield by maturity



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Treasury bill and bond yield curve *

Treasury yield spreads



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Rates as of: Apr 24, 2017

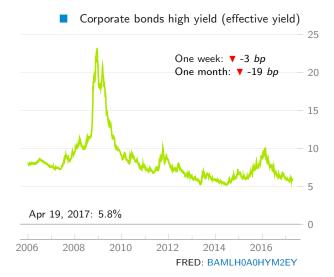
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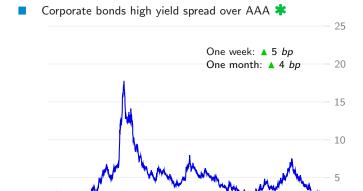
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Corporate bonds AAA (effective yield)







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2014

2016

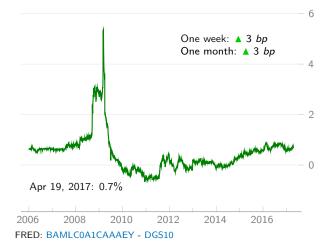
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2010

2006

2008



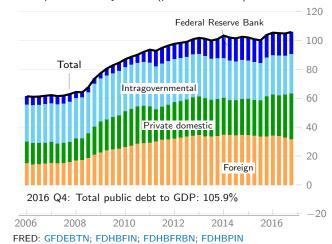


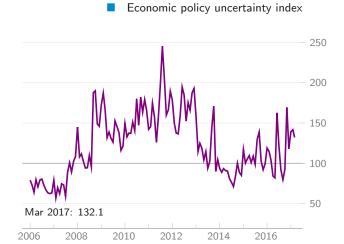
... high yield spread over 10-year treasury 25 One week: A 8 bp One month: A 7 bp 20 15 10 Apr 19, 2017: 3.6% 0 2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 FRED: BAMLH0A0HYM2EY - DGS10

Corporate bonds total return index 3,000 One week: ▲ 0.01% One month: ▲ 1.24% 2,500 Apr 21, 2017: 2801.86 2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 Quandl: ML/TRI

Government and Policy

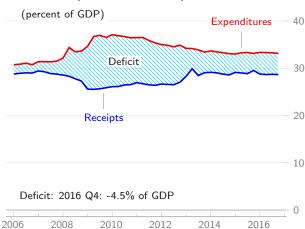
■ Total public debt by holder (percent of GDP)





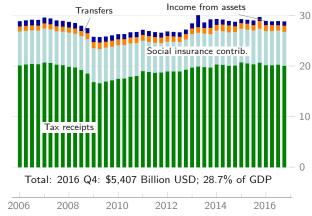
Baker, Bloom, and Davis: Economic Policy Uncertainty

Government expenditures and receipts *

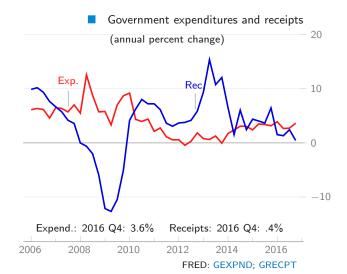


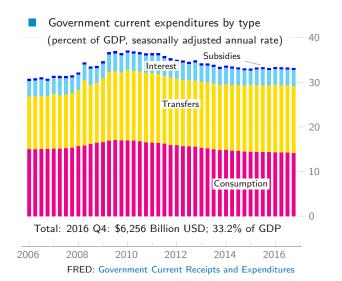
FRED: GEXPND; GRECPT

Government current receipts by type (percent of GDP, seasonally adjusted annual rate)



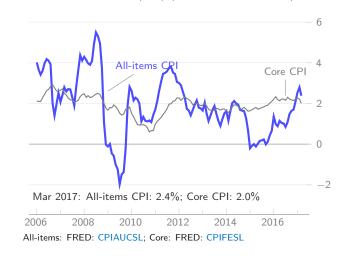
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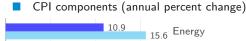


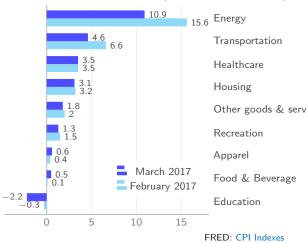


Prices

Consumer price index (CPI) (annual percent change) *



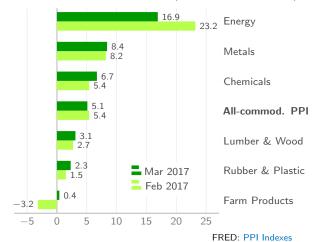




Producer price index, all commodities (PPIACO)



PPIACO selected components (annual percent change)

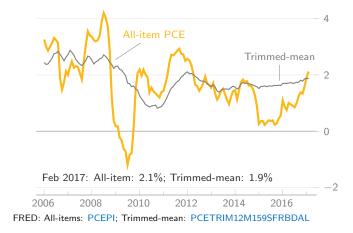


FRED: PPIACO

5-Year forward inflation expectation rate * (expected average annual inflation rate, percent)



PCE chain-type price index (annual percent change)



Oil price (USD per barrel, WTI)

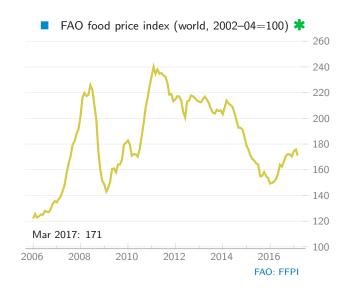


PPI growth: metals (annual percent change)



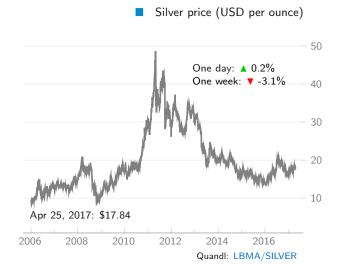
Average sales price for new houses (thousands of USD)





■ Gold price (USD per ounce)





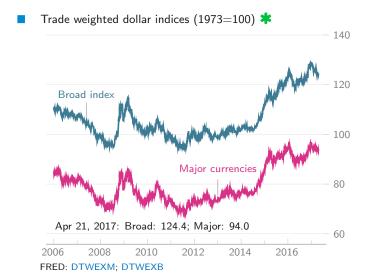
Export and import prices (annual percent change)

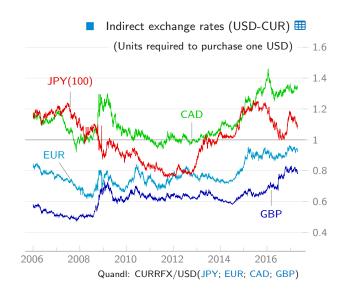


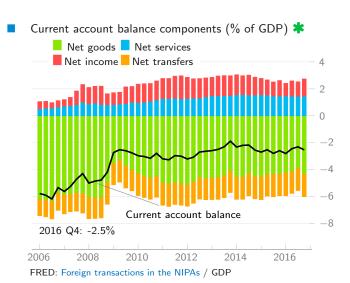




Trade and External Sector Indicators



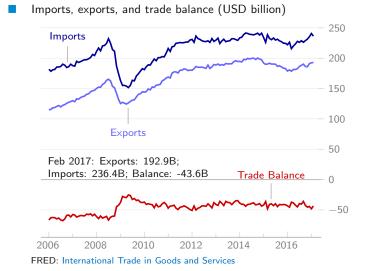


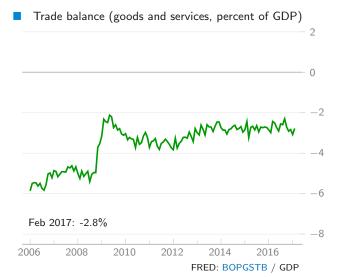




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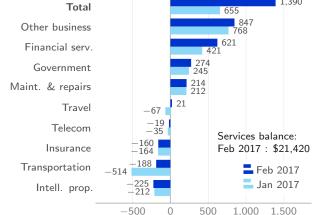


Net exports of goods (USD, millions, one-year change)



U.S. Census Bureau: U.S. International Trade in Goods

Net exports of services (USD, millions, one-year change) Total



FRED: U.S. International Trade in Goods and Services

Capital Flows

■ Foreign holdings of U.S. securities (annual % change)

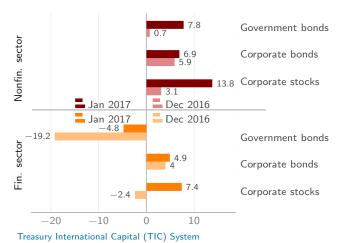


Treasury International Capital (TIC) System

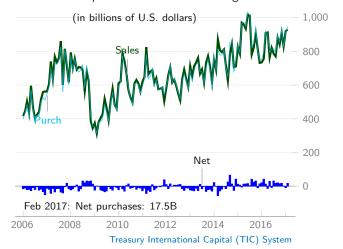
Foreign purchases and sales of U.S. securities



U.S. holdings of foreign securities (annual % change)



U.S. purchases and sales of foreign securities



Exchange Rate Table

■ Indirect exchange rates against the US Dollar (■ USD)

Currency	$Rate^1$	1 day % ch.	1 week % ch.	1 month % ch.	1 year % ch.	1 year high	1 year low	Updated:
EUR	0.920	▼ -1.48	▼ -2.48	▼ -0.81	▲ 3.49	0.962	0.867	2017-04-24
GBP	0.780	▼ -0.19	▼ -2.32	▼ -2.47	▲ 11.44	0.831	0.671	2017-04-24
• JPY	109.978	▲ 0.55	▲ 1.50	▼ -0.93	▼ -1.09	118.253	99.988	2017-04-24
I♦I CAD	1.348	▲ 0.05	▲ 1.26	▲ 0.99	▲ 5.97	1.358	1.253	2017-04-24
■ MXN	18.625	▼ -1.00	▲ 0.65	▼ -1.70	▲ 5.62	21.921	17.178	2017-04-24
₩ AUD	1.324	▼ -0.49	▲ 0.33	▲ 1.04	▲ 2.07	1.393	1.291	2017-04-24
CNY	6.884	▲ 1.33	▲ 0.22	▲ 0.22	▲ 5.70	6.957	6.474	2017-04-25
廿 CHF	0.993	▼ -0.58	▼ -1.23	▼ -0.03	▲ 1.81	1.030	0.954	2017-04-24
™ NZD	1.420	▼ -0.74	▼ -0.39	▼ -0.17	▼ -2.63	1.493	1.341	2017-04-24
SEK	8.838	▼ -1.68	▼ -2.25	▲ 0.15	▲ 7.89	9.404	7.965	2017-04-24
NOK	8.525	▼ -1.15	▼ -0.71	▲ 0.41	▲ 3.76	8.712	7.971	2017-04-24
DKK	6.840	▼ -1.48	▼ -2.48	▼ -0.84	▲ 3.45	7.155	6.455	2017-04-24
RUB	56.426	▲ 0.56	▲ 0.22	▼ -1.40	▼ -17.96	67.265	55.882	2017-04-24
☆ HKD	7.775	0.00	▲ 0.03	▲ 0.09	▲ 0.24	7.775	7.753	2017-04-24
SGD	1.393	▼ -0.40	▼ -0.20	▼ -0.48	▲ 2.93	1.451	1.337	2017-04-24
TWD	30.342	▼ -0.16	▼ -0.14	▼ -0.39	▼ -6.66	32.788	30.170	2017-04-24
C∗ TRY	3.613	▼ -0.78	▼ -0.64	▼ -0.52	▲ 21.25	3.877	2.796	2017-04-24
KRW	1133.710	▼ -0.30	▼ -0.15	▲ 1.14	▼ -1.60	1209.840	1090.050	2017-04-24
ZAR	12.981	▼ -1.16	▼ -3.17	▲ 3.93	▼ -11.30	15.880	12.470	2017-04-24
♦ BRL	3.128	▼ -0.60	▼ -0.07	▲ 0.06	▼ -12.71	3.614	3.056	2017-04-25
■ INR	64.485	▼ -0.24	▲ 0.12	▼ -0.75	▼ -3.08	68.805	64.260	2017-04-25
-	3.640	▼ -0.77	▼ -0.40	▼ -0.13	▼ -3.33	3.887	3.606	2017-04-24
EGP	18.070	▲ 1.33	▼ -0.09	▲ 0.39	▲ 50.85	19.620	8.770	2017-04-25
IDR	13316.000	▲ 1.58	▲ 0.28	▲ 0.05	▲ 0.98	13667.000	12944.000	2017-04-25
Т НВ	34.316	▼ -0.27	▼ -0.05	▼ -0.74	▼ -2.26	35.990	34.273	2017-04-24
MYR	4.397	▲ 0.01	▼ -0.19	▼ -0.69	▲ 11.02	4.496	3.884	2017-04-24
ARS	15.373	▲ 0.70	▲ 1.68	▼ -1.25	▲ 6.89	16.060	13.735	2017-04-25
СОР	2869.000	▼ -0.17	▲ 0.66	▼ -1.81	▼ -2.65	3181.000	2829.000	2017-04-25
CLP	654.760	▲ 0.30	▲ 1.49	▼ -1.47	▼ -2.30	696.445	638.440	2017-04-25

Quandl: CURRFX/USD(CUR)

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 $^{^{1}\,}$ The number of units of foreign currency required to purchase one U.S. dollar.