EDWARD CONARD



Macro Roundup Artcile

Headline: A Temperature Check on DM Labor Markets

Article Link: https://www.gspublishing.com/content/research/en/reports/2023/10/13/da51537c-a ad8-4516-bdb9-112e7d557700.html

Author(s)	Joseph Briggs and Giovanni Pierdomenico
Publication	Goldman Sachs
Publication Date	October 13, 2023

Tweet: According to @GoldmanSachs labor markets have eased in advanced economies; though they are still tighter relative to the pre-pandemic period. Wage growth is decelerating in the US to a level ~ consistent with the 2% target.

Summary: Given our forecast that labor market rebalancing continues to unfold in a relatively controlled manner, we expect wage growth to gradually decelerate through end-2024, before stabilizing at levels roughly consistent with 2% target inflation. This slow deceleration in nominal wage growth—combined with a sharper deceleration in headline inflation—should lead real wage growth to swing comfortably into positive territory, thereby providing a strong tailwind for real income, consumer spending, and overall GDP growth in 2024. Related: U.S. Incomes Fall for Third Straight Year and Growth in Working-Age Population Ends. That's Not All Bad and The Unexpected Compression: Competition at Work in the Low Wage Economy

Primary Topic: Unemployment/Participation

Topics: Other Source, Unemployment/Participation, Wages/Income, Workforce

Permalink: <a href="https://www.edwardconard.com/macro-roundup/according-to-goldmansachs-labor-markets-have-eased-in-advanced-economies-though-they-are-still-tighter-relative-to-the-pre-pandemic-period-wage-growth-is-decelerating-in-the-us-to-a-level-consist?view=detail

Featured Image

Link: https://www.edwardconard.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/GS-Wage-Growth-.png