

AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL FROM JAN 2014 TO JUNE 2014

	POS	NEG	NO						
	(good)	(bad)	CHANGE	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE
HOUSING NUMBERS									
SALES OF EXISTING HOMES (in Millions)	X			4.6M	4.6M	4.6M	4.7M	4.9M	5.0M
SALES OF NEW HOMES (in thousands)		X		457,000	432,000	403,000	408,000	442,000	406,000
SINGLE FAMILY UNDER CONSTRUCTION (Annualized)			X	336,000	335,000	336,000	339,000	341,000	340,000
JOB NUMBERS									
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	X			6.6%	6.7%	6.7%	6.3%	6.3%	6.1%
NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PEOPLE (in Millions)	X			10.2M	10.5M	10.5M	9.8M	9.8M	9.5M
INCREASE IN JOBS (in thousands)	X			144,000	222,000	203,000	304,000	224,000	288,000
AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			X	\$24.22	\$24.29	\$24.32	\$24.33	\$24.39	\$24.45
LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE			X	63	63	63.2	62.8	62.8	62.8
CONFIDENCE AND SALES NUMBERS									
CONSUMER CONFIDENCE			X	81	82	82	82	82	85
BUSINESS CONFIDENCE (ISM INDEX)			X	51	53	54	55	55	55
RETAIL SALES (in Billions)	X			\$378B	\$382B	\$387B	\$390B	\$392B	\$393B
AUTO SALES	X			4%	5%	11%	11%	10%	7%
EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES (in Billions)			X	\$ 193	\$ 190	\$ 194	\$ 193	\$ 196	N/A
FINANCIAL NUMBERS (end of month)									
DOW JONES INDUSTRIAL AVERAGE	X			15,699	16,322	16,458	16,581	16,697	16,852
STANDARD & POORS 500 AVERAGE	X			1,783	1,859	1,872	1,884	1,924	1,960
BOND MARKET - 10 YEAR TREASURY BOND	X			2.84%	2.70%	2.72%	2.69%	2.56%	2.59%
HOME MORTGAGE INTEREST RATES - 30 YEAR FIXED	X			4.43%	4.30%	4.34%	4.19%	4.18%	4.13%
ECONOMIC NUMBERS									
INFLATION RATE		X		1.6%	1.1%	1.5%	2.0%	2.1%	2.1%
GOLD PRICE per ounce			X	\$ 1,251	\$ 1,326	\$ 1,292	\$ 1,288	\$ 1,250	\$ 1,315
OIL PRICES PER BARREL		X		\$ 98	\$ 103	\$ 102	\$ 100	\$ 103	\$ 107