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21) 10/28 09:30	Ť		Dallas Fed Manf. Activity	0ct	-9.3		-9.0	
22) 10/29 07:30 🔩	Û	all	Wholesale Inventories MoM	Sep P	0.0%		0.1%	
23) 10/29 07:30	Φ		Advance Goods Trade Balance	Sep	-\$95.8b		-\$94.3b	
24) 10/29 07:30	Û		Retail Inventories MoM	Sep	0.5%		0.5%	
25) 10/29 08:00	Φ	all	FHFA House Price Index MoM	Aug	0.2%		0.1%	
26) 10/29 08:00	ΙΦ		S&P CoreLogic CS 20-City MoM SA	Aug	0.20%		0.27%	
27) 10/29 08:00	Δ		S&P CoreLogic CS 20-City YoY NSA	Aug	5.00%		5.92%	
28) 10/29 08:00	Φ		S&P CoreLogic CS US HPI YoY NSA	Aug			4.96%	
29) 10/29 09:00	ΙΦ		JOLTS Job Openings	Sep	8000k		8040k	
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31) 10/29 09:00	ΙΦ		Conf. Board Present Situation	0ct			124.3	
32) 10/29 09:00	Δ		Conf. Board Expectations	0ct			81.7	
33) 10/29 09:30	Φ		Dallas Fed Services Activity	0ct			-2.6	
34) 10/30 06:00 <b>◄</b>	Ť	all	MBA Mortgage Applications	Oct 25			-6.7%	
35) 10/30 07:15 ⊲ □	Û	all		0ct	113k		143k	
36) 10/30 07:30 <b>◄</b>	Û	all	GDP Annualized QoQ	3Q A	3.0%		3.0%	
37) 10/30 07:30	Û	.0	Personal Consumption	3Q A	3.3%		2.8%	
38) 10/30 07:30	Û	.1	GDP Price Index	3Q A	1.9%		2.5%	
39) 10/30 07:30	Φ	.1	Core PCE Price Index QoQ	3Q A	2.0%		2.8%	
40) 10/30 09:00 <□	Ť	.1	Pending Home Sales MoM	Sep	2.0%		0.6%	
41) 10/30 09:00	Û	.11	Pending Home Sales NSA YoY	Sep			-4.3%	
42) 10/31 06:30	ΙΦ		Challenger Job Cuts YoY	0ct			53.4%	
43) 10/31 07:30 <b>4</b> 1	ΙΦ	all	Employment Cost Index	3Q	0.9%		0.9%	
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21) 10/25 10:00		Fed's Collins Speaks in Fireside Chat	Nov. 7	4 750		L 008	
22) 11/07 13:00 <b>4</b>		FOMC Rate Decision (Upper Bound)	Nov 7	4.75%		5.00%	-
,,	<u>lı.</u>	FOMC Rate Decision (Lower Bound)	Nov 7	4.50%		4.75%	
24) 11/12 13:00		Senior Loan Officer Opinion Survey on Bank					
25) 11/13 08:45		Fed's Logan Speaks at Federal Reserve Bank	ks Energy	/ Contere	ence		
26) 11/14 14:00		Powell Speaks at Event in Dallas	No. 7				
27) 11/26 13:00	1	FOMC Meeting Minutes	Nov 7				
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Bill Auctions	Announcement	Auction	Settles	Numbers	R	Bil	Auction	\$ Blr
Cash mgmt. 42-day	10/31/2024	10/29/2024	10/31/2024	912797LP0		\$80	10/22/2024	\$80
4-week	10/29/2024	10/31/2024	11/05/2024	TBA		TBA	10/24/2024	\$9
8-week	10/29/2024	10/31/2024	11/05/2024	TBA		TBA	10/24/2024	\$9
17-week	10/29/2024	10/30/2024	11/05/2024	TBA		TBA	10/23/2024	\$6
3-month	10/31/2024	10/28/2024	10/31/2024	912797LZ8		\$81	10/21/2024	\$8
6-month	10/31/2024	10/28/2024	10/31/2024	912797ND5		\$72	10/21/2024	\$7
1-year	11/21/2024	10/29/2024	10/31/2024	912797NA1		\$48	10/01/2024	\$4
Note Auctions								
2-year	11/21/2024	10/28/2024	10/31/2024	91282CLS8		\$69	09/24/2024	\$6
3-year	10/30/2024	11/04/2024	11/15/2024	TBA		TBA	10/08/2024	\$5
5-year	11/21/2024	10/28/2024	10/31/2024	91282CLR0		\$70	09/25/2024	\$7
7-year	11/21/2024	10/29/2024	10/31/2024	91282CLU3		\$44	09/26/2024	\$4
10-year	10/30/2024	11/05/2024	11/15/2024	TBA		TBA	10/09/2024	\$3
Bond Auctions								
20-year	11/14/2024	11/20/2024	12/02/2024	TBA		TBA	10/23/2024	\$1
30-year	10/30/2024	11/06/2024	11/15/2024	TBA		TBA	10/10/2024	\$2
TIPS Auctions								
5-yr TIPS	12/12/2024	12/19/2024	12/31/2024	TBA		TBA	10/24/2024	\$2
10-yr TIPS	11/14/2024	11/21/2024	11/29/2024	TBA	R	TBA	09/19/2024	\$1
30-yr TIPS	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA		TBA	08/22/2024	\$

#### The World is smoldering:

#### Israel's Strike on Iran Also Hit Russian Arms Industry's Once-Strong Image

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Israel's <u>airstrikes early Saturday</u> didn't just destroy critical Iranian military infrastructure. They also battered the reputation of Russian military equipment, which has already been pummeled by poor performance during Moscow's invasion of Ukraine.

Iran's Russian-made air-defense equipment stopped few if any of the missiles that Israel launched from 100 jet fighters, according to U.S. and Israeli officials. Among Iran's losses in the strikes were its three Russian S-300 air-defense systems. Israel earlier this year hit Iran's only other S-300.

#### The Middle East Drug Fueling War, Crime and All-Night Parties

https://www.wsj.com/world/middle-east/captagon-drug-syria-assad-hezbollah-f1588132?mod=hp\_lead\_pos7

Another urgent conflict in the Middle East is playing out on the border between Syria and Jordan: a war against captagon, an amphetamine-like drug that's taken off across the region. The drug cuts across social class and borders. It's used by taxi drivers handling late-night shifts, militia fighters looking to induce courage, students studying for exams, and high-powered executives wanting to work, or party, long hours.

It's all added up to a multibillion-dollar drug trade that is fueling more conflict in the region. Money from drug smuggling has lined the pockets of Iran-backed militias, including Hezbollah, which has spent vast amounts of its proceeds on weapons to <u>fight Israel</u>. The drug props up Syrian President Bashar al-Assad, whose regime has become one of the world's biggest drug syndicates, helping it offset years of punishing Western economic sanctions.

#### **VW Eyes Closing Three German Factories in Cost-Cutting Push**

 $\frac{https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2024-10-28/vw-eyes-closing-three-german-factories-in-cost-cutting-push?srnd=homepage-americas\&sref=k5DuN3at$ 

Volkswagen AG plans to close at least three factories in Germany as Europe's biggest automaker tries to slash expenses to become more competitive.

Proposals to fix the struggling namesake VW brand include a 10% wage cut and shrinking all remaining sites in Germany, said works council chief and supervisory board member Daniela Cavallo.

#### **Israel Readies New Laser Defense Against More Rocket Attacks**

 $\frac{https://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2024-10-28/israel-readies-new-laser-defense-against-more-rocket-attacks?srnd=homepage-americas\&sref=k5DuN3at$ 

Israel expects a new laser system that can intercept rockets, drones and mortars at negligible cost to be operational next year after an accelerated manufacturing process.

The shield, known as Iron Beam, would supplement existing Israeli air defenses that have been stretched by more than a year of fighting with Iran and its proxies in Gaza, Lebanon, Syria, Iraq and Yemen. It is designed to disable incoming projectiles by heating them using a high-energy laser, as opposed to shooting them down with missiles.

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Term SOFR	10/28/2024 6:51	Settles	
1 Month		4.69649	-0.0108
3 Month		4.58917	-0.01547
6 Month		4.4127	-0.01802
12 Month		4.14467	-0.00823
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1 Month		4.76012	-0.02096
3 Month		4.70728	-0.00869
6 Month		4.61635	-0.0099
12 Month		4.47844	-0.00157

#### THE STIR CURVE: Distributed by The Fixed Income Group at RJ O'Brien





\*\* Futures indicative prices supplied for analytics purposes only. Rates are not intended as a real-time offer to buy or sell.

	Term SOFR from 1-day Returns						
4.70706%	4.60525%	4.43957%	4.29061%	4.18757%	4.05243%	3.98869%	3.97501%
1.004053299	1.011768981	1.022444505	1.032537157	1.042457353	1.061574484	1.080881726	1.120906687
1mo	Зто	6mo	9mo	12mo	18mo	24mo	36mo
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31	92	182	273	365	547	730	1095

	Term FedFunds from 1-day Returns							
4.67185%	4.56060%	4.40063%	4.26062%	4.14679%	3.99479%	3.92672%		
100.40230%	101.16549%	102.22476%	103.23097%	104.20439%	106.06987%	107.96251%		
1mo	Зто	6mo	9mo	12mo	18mo	24mo		
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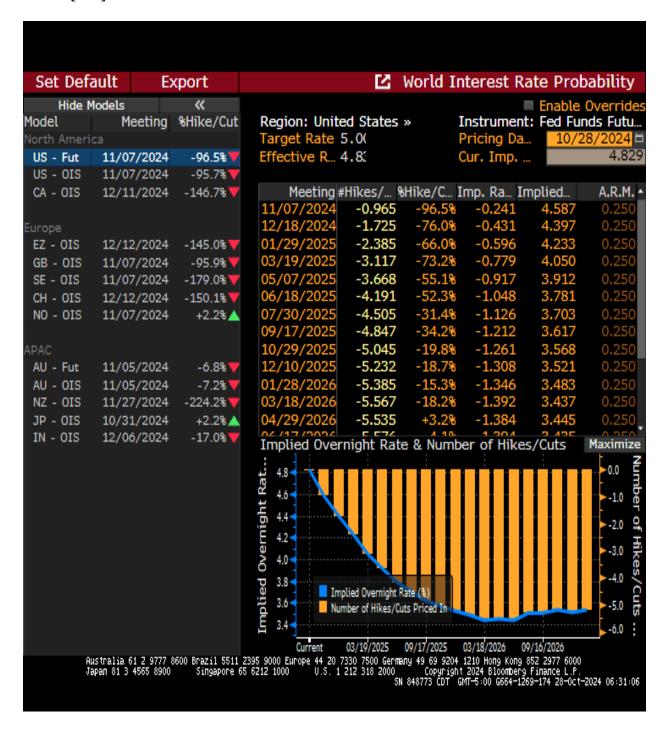
For more information, contact Rocco Chierici (SVP, RUO FIG) or Corrine Baynes (VP, RUO FIG) at RJ O'Brien: 312-373-5439

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## **US Interest Rate Probabilities WIRP [GO]**



## US-SWAP curve IRSB <GO>



## **Getting Granular**

The Fed watches 1-month bills v. 1-month bills 6-months forward. Below is a chart of 1-month SOFR v. 1-month SOFR 6-months forward.



Federal Reserve economists said, watching forward rates relative to those on current Treasury bills has served traders well in the past.

When the short term forward spread inverts, it indicates easier Fed policy in the near future.

## Treasury 2s/10s



### THE TREND

## **3-Month SFRU5**: **96-54**^ is the pivot point.

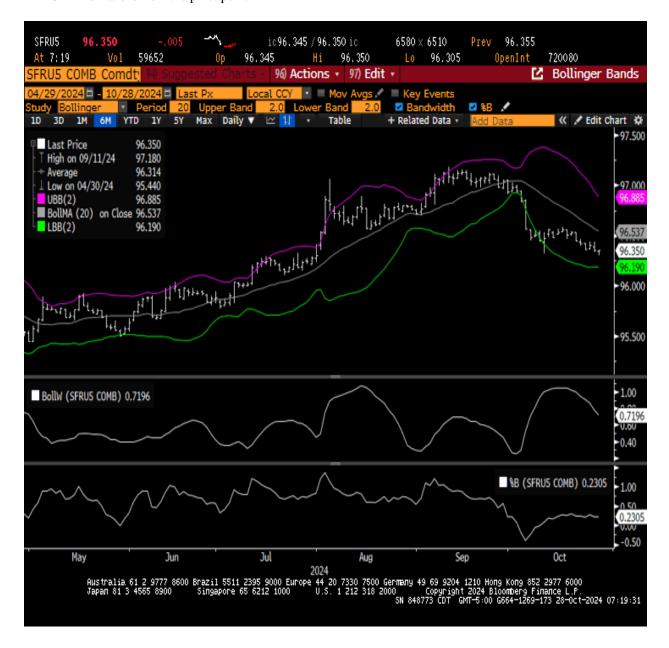
Above the pivot you should be long, below short.

Resistance is at 96-88\*

Support is at 96-54<sup> and 96-19\*\*</sup>

^Pivot Point is a 20-day moving average.

\*\* 2-STD Deviations from the pivot point.



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## Ultra 10-year Note (UXYZ4): 115-26<sup>^</sup> is the pivot point.

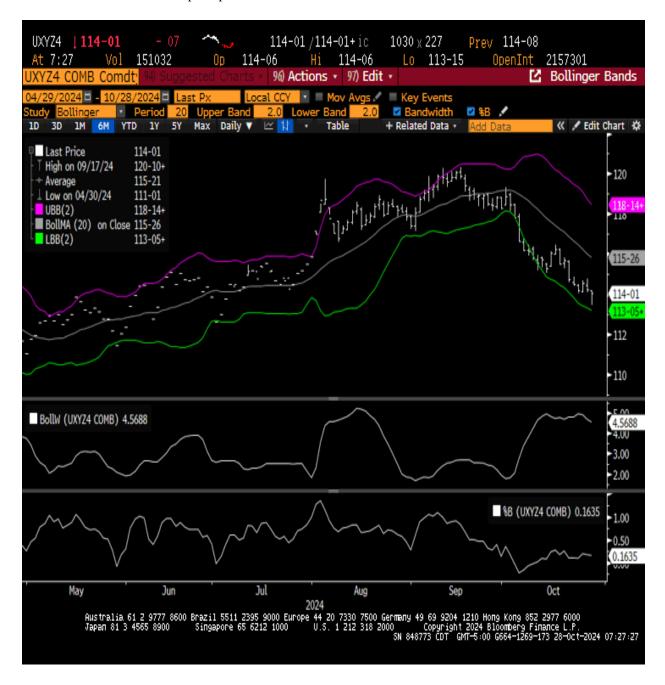
Above the pivot you should be long, below short.

Resistance is at 115-26<sup>^</sup> and 118-14\*\*

Support is at 113-06\*\*

^Pivot Point is a 20-day moving average.

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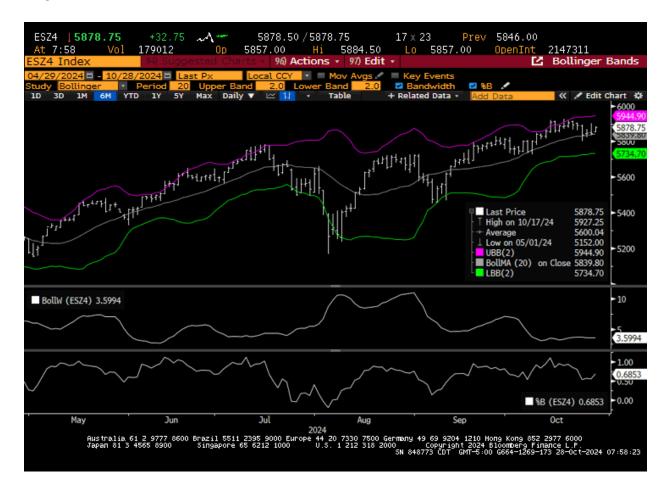
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GT10 Notes 4.05% is the pivot point. Above the pivot you should be long, below short. Resistance is at 4.36% \*\* Support is at 4.05% and 3.74% \*\* ^Pivot Point is a 20-day moving average. \*\* 2-STD Deviations from the pivot point.



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## **EQUITIES**



The S&P is +34 and the NASDAQ is +162

 $Earnings: \underline{www.moneycentral.msn.com/investor/market/earncalendar}\\$ 

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UK

In the UK the FTSE is -0.27%. BOE Rate 5.25% (no change). Next meeting 11/07/24

EU:

The CAC Index is at +0.32%. The DAX Index is at -0.00%.

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#### **ECB**

Main Refinancing Operations Rate 3.40% (.25 bp cut). Deposit Facility Rate 3.25% (.25 BP Cut). Next meeting 12/12/24

### Japan:

The TOPIX closed +1.51%. The NIKKEI closed +1.82%. BOJ Policy Balance Rate +0.10% Next meeting 10/31/24

#### China:

The Hang Seng closed +0.04%.

The Shanghai Composite closed +0.68%.

**PBOC** 

**Deposit Rate: 1.50%** 

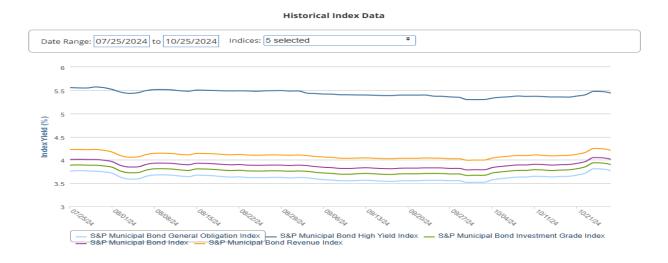
1-Year Prime Rate: 3.435% 7-Day Repo Rate: 1.8176%

Reserve Requirement Ratio: 10.00% (50 BP Cut)

### **Muni IG Curve**

The S&P Municipal Bond Index and its sub-indices are market value-weighted and based on bonds that are tax-exempt but may be subject to alternative minimum tax (AMT). Data are available for 12/02/2009 through 09/20/2021.

https://emma.msrb.org/ToolsAndResources/MBISYieldCurve?daily=False



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## **The Fundamentals**

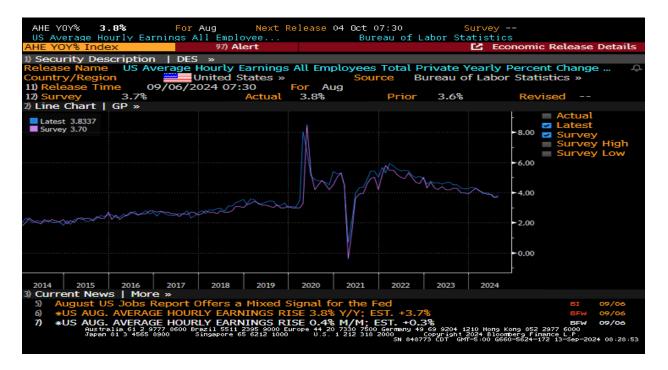
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#### **Bureau of Labor and Statistics**

http://www.bls.gov/news.release/

CPI, ECI, Employment situation PPI, CPI, Productivity and Costs, Real Earnings and US import/exports.

#### Average Hourly Earnings y/y Department of Labor Department.



#### **Bureau of Labor Statistics**

https://www.bls.gov/web/empsit/cesnaicsrev.htm

Nonfarm Payroll Employment: Revisions between over-the-month estimates, 1979-present

## KC Federal Reserve Agricultural Finance Update JULY 15TH, 2024

## **Subdued Farm Economy Begins Weighing on Credit Conditions August 29th**

Agricultural credit conditions continued to tighten in the second quarter and growth in farmland values slowed. The pace of decline in farm loan repayment rates picked up gradually through mid-year alongside considerable softening in farm income. Elevated production costs and lower prices for key commodities, particularly major row crops, have reduced liquidity in the sector and spurred a rise in non-real estate loan demand. Interest rates on farm loans also remained at

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multi-decade highs, keeping financing costs high. Growth in farm real estate values tempered further during recent months, but valuations held firm in most regions.

 $\frac{https://www.kansascityfed.org/agriculture/agfinance-updates/subdued-farm-economy-begins-weighing-on-credit-conditions/$ 

### **How do Farm Incomes Compare to the average population**

https://www.ers.usda.gov/faqs/#Q1

Charge-off Delinquency Rates on Loans and Leases at Commercial Banks

https://www.federalreserve.gov/releases/chargeoff/delallsa.htm

#### **Baker Hughes Rig Count Overview and Summary Count**

https://bakerhughesrigcount.gcs-web.com/rig-count-overview?c=79687&p=irol-rigcountsoverview

#### What is U.S. electricity generation by energy source?

https://www.eia.gov/electricity/monthly/epm\_table\_grapher.php?t=epmt\_es1b

#### **Biofuels International**

https://biofuels-news.com/home/

#### **Renewable Fuels Association**

http://www.ethanolrfa.org/

#### How Many Electric Vehicles are on the Road in America

https://usafacts.org/articles/how-many-electric-cars-in-united-states/

#### How do Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles Work Using Hydrogen

https://afdc.energy.gov/vehicles/how-do-fuel-cell-electric-cars-work

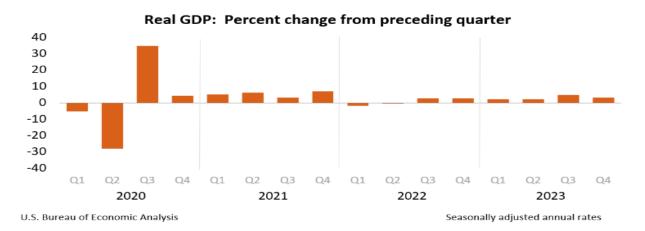
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Poocasts ata Library	Average Market Demand Index (MDI)	52.78	52.97	46.68	43.91	44.99	44.20	
•		62.14	61.55	53.99	50.62	54.02	54.81	
Market Share Macro	<ul> <li>U.S. Dry-Van Market Demand Index</li> <li>U.S. Flatbed Market Demand Index</li> </ul>	70.24	69.28	62.40	58.64	56.71	54.95	
Macro Industry	U.S. Temperature-Controlled Market De	82.03	90.42	82.74	74.75	86.12	83.89	
Company	U.S. Specialty Market Demand Index	17.52	17.46	15.30	14.65	14.87	14.43	
Analyzer		17.52	17.40	15.50	14.03	14.67	14.45	
Valuation	<ul> <li>Weekly Avg Truckload Rates Inc. Fuel Su</li> </ul>							
Contributors	Average Rate Per Mile	2.265	2.278	2.194	2.188	2.214	2.235	
onitor	Dry-Van Rate Per Mile	1.935	1.924	1.850	1.832	1.864	1.925	
News/Research	Flatbed Rate Per Mile	2.300	2.328	2.234	2.227	2.232	2.254	
Events	Temperature Controlled Rate Per Mile	2.331	2.340	2.260	2.306	2.385	2.404	
Comp Sheets	Specialized Rate Per Mile	2.510	2.514	2.455	2.405	2.474	2.483	
Markets	U.S. Fuel Surcharge	0.43	0.42	0.42	0.42	0.43	0.44	
	Weekly average rates are weighted by							
	the # of loads per day.							
	Load Turnaround (minutes)	257.2	255.7	254.7	249.0	252.8	250.7	
	Truck Turnaround (minutes)	1,115.7	1,142.8	1,107.5	1,113.2	1,087.3	1,148.3	
	Truckers Looking for Loads	28.620M	28.953M	29.080M	29.828M	30.042M	24.614M	
	Shippers Looking for Truckers	570,525.0	61,050.0	52,832.0	45,860.0	189,654.0	188,739.0	
	Truckers' Average Credit Scores	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5	20.5	
	Source: Truckstop.com							

#### U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of economic analysis

http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/national/gdp/gdpnewsrelease.htm

GDP, Personal Income, Outlays, Consumer Spending, Corporate Profits and Fixed Assets



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#### Latest estimate: 3.4 percent — October 18, 2024

The GDPNow model estimate for real GDP growth (seasonally adjusted annual rate) in the third quarter of 2024 is **3.4 percent** on October 18, unchanged from October 17 after rounding. After this morning's housing starts report from the US Census Bureau, the nowcast of third-quarter real residential investment growth increased from -10.1 percent to -9.8 percent.

The next GDPNow update is **Friday**, **October 25**. Please see the "Release Dates" tab below for a list of upcoming releases.

https://www.atlantafed.org/cqer/research/gdpnow

#### St. Louis Fed GDP Now Q3 2024 3.43% 10/18/2024

https://fred.stlouisfed.org/series/GDPNOW

#### MANUFACTURING AT A GLANCE July 2024

Index	Series Index Jul	Series Index Jun	Percentage Point Change	Direction	Rate of Change	Trend* (Months)
Manufacturing PMI <sup>®</sup>	46.8	48.5	-1.7	Contracting	Faster	4
New Orders	47.4	49.3	-1.9	Contracting	Faster	4
Production	45.9	48.5	-2.6	Contracting	Faster	2
Employment	43.4	49.3	-5.9	Contracting	Faster	2
Supplier Deliveries	52.6	49.8	+2.8	Slowing	From Faster	1
Inventories	44.5	45.4	-0.9	Contracting	Faster	18
Customers' Inventories	45.8	47.4	-1.6	Too Low	Faster	8
Prices	52.9	52.1	+0.8	Increasing	Faster	7
Backlog of Orders	41.7	41.7	0.0	Contracting	Same	22
New Export Orders	49.0	48.8	+0.2	Contracting	Slower	2
Imports	48.6	48.5	+0.1	Contracting	Slower	2
	OVERALL	ECONOMY		Growing	Slower	51
	Manufact	turing Sector		Contracting	Faster	4

Manufacturing ISM<sup>®</sup> Report On Business<sup>®</sup> data is seasonally adjusted for the New Orders, Production, Employment and Inventories indexes.
\*Number of months moving in current direction.

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#### THE LAST 12 MONTHS

Month	Manufacturing PMI®
Jul 2024	46.8
Jun 2024	48.5
May 2024	48.7
Apr 2024	49.2
Mar 2024	50.3
Feb 2024	47.8

Month	Manufacturing PMI <sup>®</sup>
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Jan 2024	49.1
Dec 2023	47.1
Nov 2023	46.6
Oct 2023	46.9
Sep 2023	48.6
Aug 2023	47.6

Average for 12 months - 48.1 High - 50.3 Low - 46.6

https://www.ismworld.org/supply-management-news-and-reports/reports/ism-report-on-business/pmi/june/

<u>US Census Bureau (Manufacturers' Shipments, Inventories and Orders).</u> <u>http://www.census.gov/manufacturing/m3/</u>

Ranking of Countries by Military might. www.military.com

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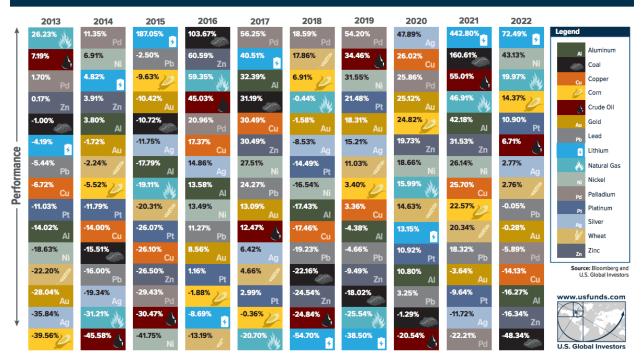
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How Natural Resources have performed over the last 10 years.

## The Periodic Table of Commodities Returns 2022



Natural resources are the building blocks of the world, essential to progress and prosperity. These commodities, like all investments, can have wide price fluctuations over time. This table shows the ebb and flow of commodity prices over the past decade and illustrates the principle of mean reversion — the concept that returns eventually move back towards their mean or average. The price movement of commodities is historically both seasonal and cyclical. That's why when investing in natural resources, we believe it is important for your portfolio to hold adversified basket of commodities and to be actively managed by professionals who understand these specialized assets and the global trends impacting them. As with all investments, diversification does not protect an investor from market risks and does not assure a profit, and of course, past performance does not quarantee future results. Returns are based on historical spot prices of rutures prices.

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