



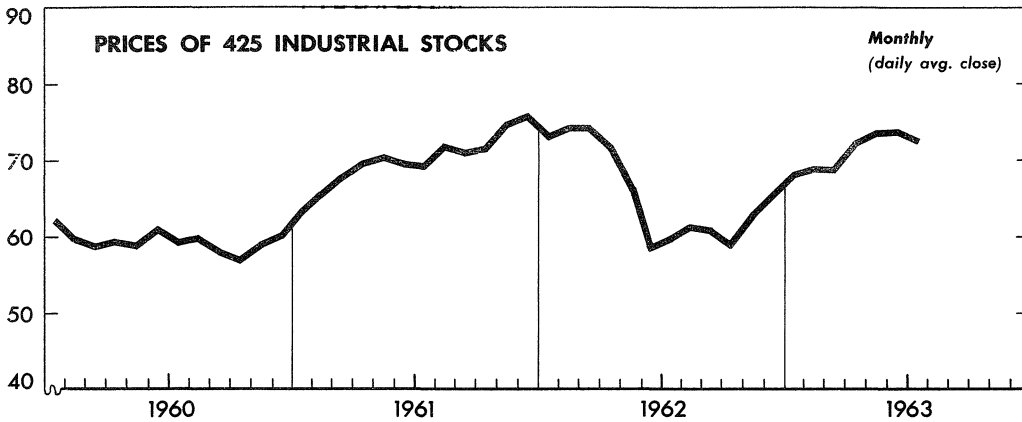
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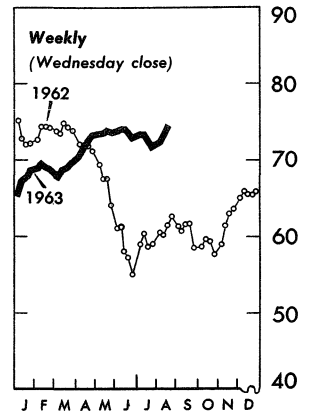
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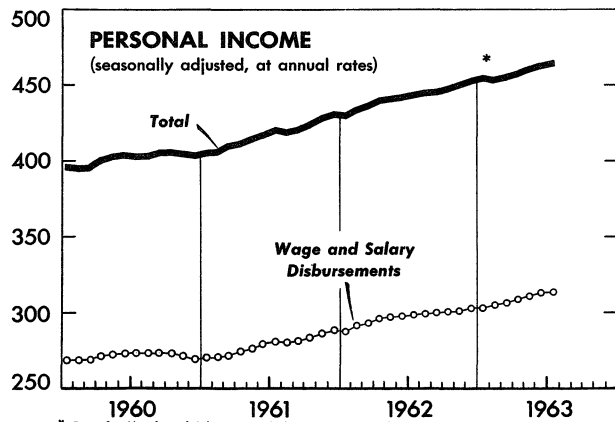
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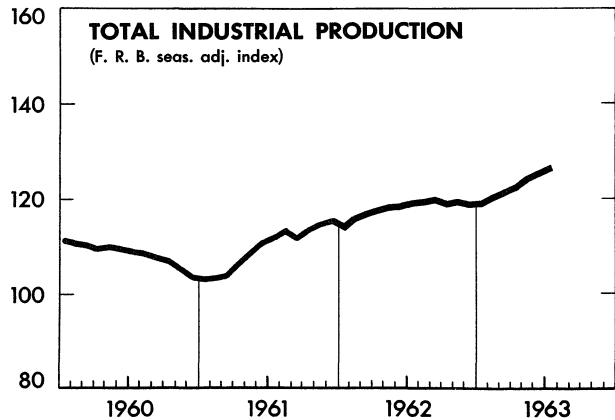


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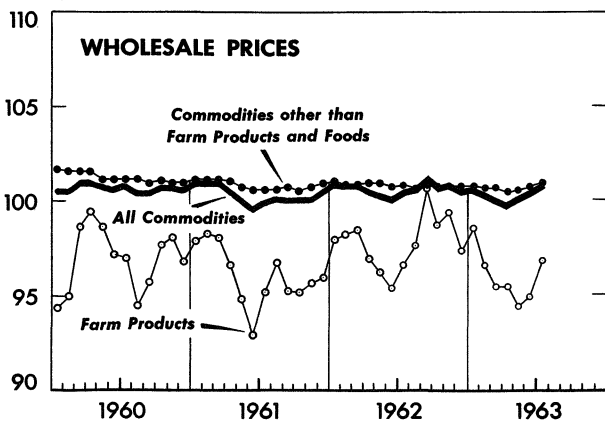


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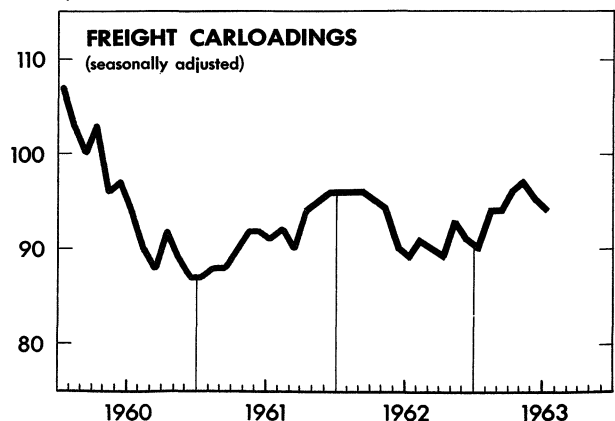
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WEEKLY BUSINESS STATISTICS¹

ITEM	1962		1963			
	Aug. 11	Aug. 18	July 27	Aug. 3	Aug. 10	Aug. 17
COMMODITY PRICES, WHOLESALE:						
All commodities.....1957-59=100..	.....	*100.5	.....	.....	100.3	100.4
Farm products.....do.....	.....	*97.6	.....	.....	96.1	96.5
Foods, processed.....do.....	.....	*101.5	.....	.....	100.7	101.3
All other.....do.....	.....	*100.6	.....	.....	100.8	100.8
22 commodities <u>2</u> /.....do.....	92.6	92.7	94.2	93.1	93.4	92.8
ALL RETAIL STORES, SALES.....mil. \$..	4,426	4,450	4,644	4,807	4,605	.....
DEPARTMENT STORE SALES.....1957-59=100..	100	106	98	104	105	.....
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS, State programs.....thous..	281	275	264	297	286	.....
INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT, all programs.....do.....	1,658	1,654	1,605	1,608	.....	.....
State programs (50 States and Puerto Rico).....do.....	1,502	1,499	1,450	1,455	.....	.....
FAILURES, INDUST. AND COMMERCIAL (Dun & Bradstreet).....number..	306	285	272	238	264	.....
FINANCE:						
Currency in circulation <u>3</u> /.....mil. \$..	33,938	34,059	35,698	35,561	35,703	35,879
Federal Reserve bank credit outstanding, total <u>3</u> /.....do....	31,559	31,642	34,030	33,611	34,174	34,075
Member bank reserve balances <u>3</u> /.....do.....	19,815	19,813	19,928	19,648	19,914	19,685
Excess reserves, estimated <u>3</u> /.....do.....	490	597	471	292	482	454
Reporting member banks (of F.R.System) in leading cities: <u>4</u> /						
Demand deposits, adjusted.....mil. \$..	61,308	60,518	62,883	63,281	61,833	.....
Savings deposits.....do.....	33,242	33,304	36,700	36,741	36,821	.....
Loans and investments (adjusted), total.....do.....	121,149	122,717	130,874	131,985	131,322	.....
U.S. Government obligations.....do.....	30,959	31,747	29,214	29,099	28,346	.....
Commercial and industrial loans (gross).....do.....	33,120	33,360	34,947	35,014	35,146	.....
Real estate loans (gross).....do.....	14,542	14,604	16,978	17,030	17,083	.....
Bond yields, domestic corporate (Moody's) <u>3</u> /.....percent..	4.64	4.65	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Stock prices, 500 stocks (Stand. & Poor's) <u>4</u> /..1941-43=10..	57.51	58.66	68.28	69.13	69.96	71.07
Industrials, 425 stocks.....do.....	60.20	61.48	71.62	72.48	73.36	74.56
PRODUCTION:						
Bituminous coal <u>3</u> /.....thous. sh. tons..	1,379	1,443	1,574	1,528	1,558	.....
Electric power, by utilities.....mil. kw.-hr..	17,159	16,838	18,771	18,607	18,713	.....
Motor vehicles (cars, trucks, buses).....number..	105,179	17,529	172,990	130,230	57,602	29,141
Petroleum (crude) and condensate <u>3</u> /.....thous. bbl..	7,261	7,284	7,649	7,622	7,634	.....
Steel.....thous. sh. tons..	1,578	1,616	1,856	1,782	1,748	1,742
Index of production.....1957-59=100..	84.7	86.7	99.6	95.7	93.8	93.5
FREIGHT CARLOADINGS, TOTAL.....thous. cars..						
Miscellaneous.....do.....	287	294	305	278	278	.....

¹/ Data do not always cover calendar weeks. 2/ Tuesday price. 3/ Daily average. 4/ Wednesday data. * Monthly index for August 1962.

MONTHLY BUSINESS STATISTICS

ITEM	1962		1963			
	May	June	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS						
NATIONAL INCOME AND PRODUCT:						
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED QUARTERLY TOTALS AT ANNUAL RATES:						
NATIONAL INCOME, TOTAL.....bil. \$..	452.4	466.7	.....	.....	.....
Compensation of employees, total.....do.....	322.5	332.0	.....	.....	338.7
Proprietors' income, total.....do.....	49.6	50.7	.....	.....	50.0
Business and professional.....do.....	36.5	37.2	.....	.....	37.4
Farm.....do.....	13.1	13.5	.....	.....	12.6
Rental income of persons.....do.....	12.0	12.0	.....	.....	12.0
Corp.profits and inventory valuation adj.,total..do....	46.5	48.8	.....	.....	.....
Corporate profits before tax, total.....do.....	46.7	48.3	.....	.....	.....
Corporate profits after tax.....do.....	24.6	25.4	.....	.....	.....
Net interest.....do.....	21.7	23.3	.....	.....	23.7
GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT, TOTAL.....do.....	552.4	571.8	.....	.....	579.6
Personal consumption expenditures, total.....do....	352.9	367.4	.....	.....	370.4
Durable goods, total.....do.....	47.5	50.6	.....	.....	51.0
Automobiles and parts.....do.....	20.1	22.0	.....	.....	22.3
Furniture and household equipment.....do.....	19.8	20.9	.....	.....	20.7
Nondurable goods, total.....do.....	160.6	165.3	.....	.....	165.9
Clothing and shoes.....do.....	29.5	30.2	.....	.....	29.7
Food and alcoholic beverages.....do.....	83.9	85.8	.....	.....	86.3
Gasoline and oil.....do.....	12.2	12.8	.....	.....	13.0
Services, total.....do.....	144.8	151.4	.....	.....	153.5
Household operation.....do.....	21.5	22.2	.....	.....	22.4
Housing.....do.....	46.3	48.2	.....	.....	48.8
Transportation.....do.....	11.5	11.8	.....	.....	12.1
Gross private domestic investment, total.....do....	79.6	77.8	.....	.....	80.7
New construction.....do.....	44.5	43.7	.....	.....	45.8
Producers' durable equipment.....do.....	28.7	29.0	.....	.....	30.7
Change in business inventories.....do.....	6.5	5.1	.....	.....	4.3
Net exports of goods and services.....do.....	4.4	3.6	.....	.....	4.8
Exports.....do.....	29.5	28.6	.....	.....	30.7
Imports.....do.....	25.0	24.9	.....	.....	25.9

ITEM	1962		1963			
	June	July	Apr.	May	June	July p/
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS--Continued						
NATIONAL INCOME AND PRODUCT--Continued						
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED QUARTERLY TOTALS AT ANNUAL RATES--Con.						
GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT--Continued						
Govt. purchases of goods and services, total...bil. \$..	115.5	.....	*123.0	.....	123.8	.....
Federal (less Government sales).....do....	61.9	.....	*65.5	.....	66.5	.....
National defense.....do....	52.9	.....	*56.4	.....	56.7	.....
State and local.....do....	53.6	.....	*57.5	.....	57.3	.....
By major type of product:						
Final sales, total.....do....	546.0	.....	*566.6	.....	575.4	.....
Goods, total.....do....	270.7	.....	*281.7	.....	285.6	.....
Durable goods.....do....	99.9	.....	*106.3	.....	109.6	.....
Nondurable goods.....do....	170.8	.....	*175.3	.....	176.0	.....
Services.....do....	213.5	.....	*222.5	.....	226.5	.....
Construction.....do....	61.8	.....	*62.5	.....	63.3	.....
Inventory change, total.....do....	6.5	.....	*5.1	.....	4.3	.....
Durable goods.....do....	3.1	.....	*1.1	.....	3.0	.....
Nondurable goods.....do....	3.4	.....	*4.0	.....	1.3	.....
PERSONAL INCOME, quarterly total.....do....	440.7	.....	*453.9	.....	459.9	.....
Less: Personal tax and nontax payments.....do....	57.9	.....	*59.4	.....	59.9	.....
Equals: Disposable personal income.....do....	382.7	.....	*394.5	.....	400.0	.....
Personal saving.....do....	29.8	.....	*27.1	.....	29.6	.....
PERSONAL INCOME, BY SOURCE:						
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, AT ANNUAL RATES:						
Total personal income.....do....	441.7	443.5	457.4	460.1	r462.6	464.3
Wage and salary disbursements, total.....do....	297.6	299.0	308.7	311.2	r312.9	314.1
Commodity-producing industries.....do....	119.0	119.5	122.5	123.8	r124.7	125.0
Manufacturing only.....do....	95.0	95.0	97.2	98.4	r99.0	99.1
Distributive industries.....do....	76.6	77.0	79.2	79.7	79.8	80.0
Service industries.....do....	46.7	47.1	48.7	49.1	49.4	49.8
Government.....do....	55.3	55.4	58.3	58.6	58.9	59.2
Other labor income.....do....	12.0	12.1	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.7
Proprietors' income:						
Business and professional.....do....	36.5	36.6	37.3	37.4	r37.6	37.7
Farm.....do....	13.1	13.2	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.6
Rental income of persons.....do....	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.1
Dividends.....do....	16.4	16.4	17.3	17.3	r18.2	17.8
Personal interest income.....do....	29.9	30.1	31.9	32.1	32.3	32.6
Transfer payments.....do....	34.2	34.4	36.4	36.6	r36.4	36.5
Less personal contributions for soc. insurance.....do....	10.2	10.3	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.8
Total nonagricultural income.....do....	424.2	426.0	440.0	443.1	r445.8	447.1
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION (F.R. INDEX OF QUANTITY OUTPUT):						
UNADJUSTED, TOTAL INDEX (INCLUDING UTILITIES).1957-59=100..						
BY INDUSTRY:	119.9	114.0	123.1	r125.0	r127.6	120.9
Manufacturing, total.....do....	120.5	114.1	r124.0	r126.0	r128.6	121.1
Durable manufactures.....do....	119.2	113.5	r124.4	126.7	r129.4	121.7
Nondurable manufactures.....do....	122.3	114.9	123.7	r125.1	r127.6	120.3
Mining.....do....	107.6	100.9	106.9	r108.9	r111.5	105.5
BY MARKET GROUPING:						
Final products, total.....do....	121.1	117.5	122.1	r122.8	r126.8	121.8
Consumer goods.....do....	121.3	116.7	122.1	r123.0	r127.9	121.4
Equipment, including defense.....do....	120.8	119.2	122.1	r122.4	r124.4	122.6
Materials.....do....	118.9	110.9	124.0	r126.9	r128.4	120.0
Durable goods materials.....do....	116.1	108.7	122.0	r126.5	r128.6	120
Nondurable materials.....do....	121.7	113.1	r126.0	r127.3	r128.2	120
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL INDEX (INCL. UTIL.).....do....	118.4	119.4	122.5	r124.4	r125.6	126.5
BY INDUSTRY:						
MANUFACTURING, TOTAL.....do....	118.8	119.7	123.1	r125.2	r126.2	126.9
Durable manufactures.....do....	117.6	118.7	122.8	r125.5	r127.0	127.2
Primary metals.....do....	97.7	96.6	r120.1	r127.5	125.5	122
Fabricated metal products.....do....	119.7	119.7	120.2	r123.4	125.2	128
Machinery.....do....	125.3	125.2	125.9	r128.2	r129.1	130
Transportation equipment.....do....	116.6	122.3	123.7	r124.5	r130.4	130
Instruments and related products.....do....	124.1	124.9	126.6	r130.2	131.6	132
Clay, glass, and stone products.....do....	111.1	111.7	115.5	r115.9	117.9	119
Lumber and products.....do....	107.5	104.9	108.0	r108.5	.....	.....
Furniture and fixtures.....do....	128.5	128.4	129.3	r132.8	r133.2	135
Nondurable manufactures.....do....	120.3	121.0	r123.4	r124.7	r125.3	126.5
Textile mill products.....do....	116.9	117.1	r115.9	r116.3	116.9	.....
Apparel products.....do....	119.0	118.8	122.9	r122.6	124.5	.....
Leather and products.....do....	102.8	101.7	95.4	97.5	.....	.....
Paper and products.....do....	119.6	121.1	122.8	r123.4	125.9	.....
Printing and publishing.....do....	115.5	114.7	116.5	r118.4	r118.6	120
Chemicals and products.....do....	137.4	138.3	r146.1	r147.7	148.7	.....
Petroleum products.....do....	115.1	113.4	115.8	r116.9	119.0	.....
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	133.6	134.3	138.8	140.7	.....	.....
Foods and beverages.....do....	112.9	114.6	r114.8	r116.2	116.1	.....
Tobacco products.....do....	108.2	113.4	112.7	118.1	.....	.....
MINING.....do....	105.2	106.5	107.4	r108.5	r109.6	111.4
Coal.....do....	92.8	92.8	100.8	104.5	r107.1	107
Crude oil and natural gas.....do....	105.4	107.4	107.2	r108.3	r109.2	113
Metal mining.....do....	119.4	118.3	r114.5	r116.4	113.0	.....
UTILITIES.....do....	132.4	133.8	135.7	r139.1	r140.5	142.5
Electric.....do....	135.1	136.2	136.8	140.9	.....	.....

ITEM	1962		1963			
	June	July	Apr.	May	June	July
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS--Continued						
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED--Continued						
BY MARKET GROUPS:						
FINAL PRODUCTS, TOTAL.....1957-59=100..	119.9	121.3	r122.1	r123.3	r124.9	p125.6
Consumer goods.....do....	120.0	121.2	122.5	r124.1	r125.6	p126.0
Automotive and home goods.....do....	125.2	127.9	r131.3	r132.8	r136.2	p135
Apparel and staples.....do....	118.2	119.0	r119.8	r121.3	r122.3	p123
Equipment, including defense.....do....	119.8	121.4	r120.4	r121.8	r123.4	p124.8
MATERIALS.....do....	117.2	117.3	122.9	r125.7	r126.3	p126.9
Durable goods materials.....do....	113.7	113.8	r121.2	r124.5	r125.2	p125
Nondurable materials.....do....	120.9	120.8	r124.7	r126.9	127.5	p129
MANUFACTURERS' SALES: <u>1</u> /						
Value (unadjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....bil. \$..	16.83	15.06	17.52	r18.08	17.78	16.4
Value (seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	15.89	16.33	17.10	r17.07	17.21	17.6
MANUFACTURERS' ORDERS: <u>1</u> /						
New orders, net (unadjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	16.51	15.77	17.74	r18.42	17.66	16.8
New orders, net (seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	15.44	16.27	17.89	r17.70	17.23	17.3
Unfilled orders, end of month (unadjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	44.27	44.99	45.88	r46.22	46.10	46.5
Unfilled orders, end of month (seas. adj.):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	44.90	44.85	46.07	r46.88	46.71	46.3
COMMODITY PRICES						
WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX:						
ALL COMMODITIES.....1957-59=100..	100.0	100.4	99.7	100.0	100.3	100.7
By stage of processing:						
Crude materials for further processing.....do....	95.2	96.5	95.0	94.2	94.8	96.1
Intermediate materials, supplies, and components.....do....	100.2	100.3	99.9	100.5	100.6	100.7
Finished goods.....do....	101.1	101.5	100.8	101.1	r101.5	101.8
By durability of product:						
Nondurable goods.....do....	99.3	99.8	99.0	99.4	r99.8	100.1
Durable goods.....do....	101.0	101.0	100.6	100.8	r100.9	101.2
Farm products.....do....						
Fruits and vegetables, fresh and dried.....do....	95.3	96.5	95.4	94.4	94.9	96.8
Grains.....do....	98.7	92.2	99.6	99.8	r97.1	97.0
Livestock and live poultry.....do....	99.9	99.1	105.1	102.9	101.4	99.5
Foods, processed.....do....	91.6	95.8	88.2	86.8	89.3	94.4
Fruits and vegetables, canned and frozen.....do....	99.8	100.8	99.3	101.7	r102.4	102.2
Meats, poultry, and fish.....do....	99.1	98.7	102.9	103.4	r104.6	105.6
Commodities other than farm products and foods.....do....	95.7	99.0	90.3	91.9	r94.1	96.4
Commodities other than farm products and foods.....do....						
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	100.7	100.8	100.4	100.5	r100.7	100.9
Fuel and related products, and power.....do....	97.6	97.2	96.3	96.4	96.3	96.2
Furniture, other household durables.....do....	99.6	100.0	100.3	100.4	100.9	100.3
Machinery and motive products.....do....	98.9	98.8	98.1	98.0	98.1	98.2
Metals and metal products.....do....	102.2	102.4	101.9	102.0	r102.0	102.3
Nonmetallic mineral products.....do....	99.8	99.7	99.4	99.9	100.0	100.0
Pulp, paper, and allied products.....do....	101.9	101.6	101.5	101.3	r101.2	100.9
Textile products and apparel.....do....	100.5	100.0	99.0	99.1	r99.4	99.1
Textile products and apparel.....do....	100.8	100.9	100.1	100.2	100.3	100.4
PURCHASING POWER OF THE DOLLAR AS MEASURED BY--						
Wholesale prices.....do....	100.0	99.6	100.3	100.0	99.7	*99.3

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