

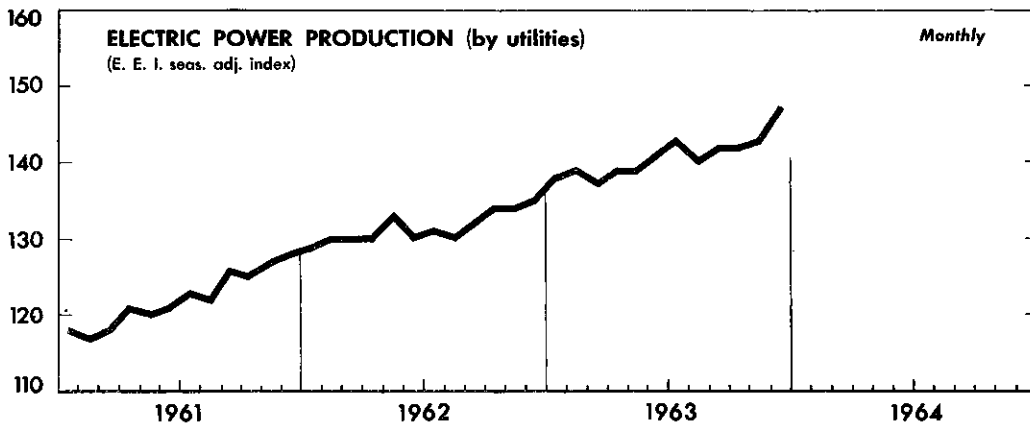
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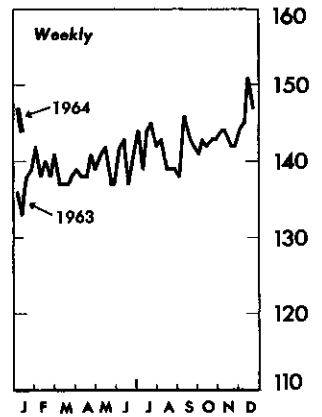
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SELECTED BUSINESS INDICATORS

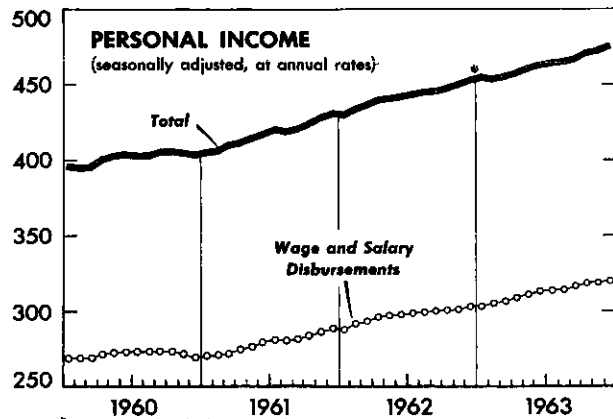
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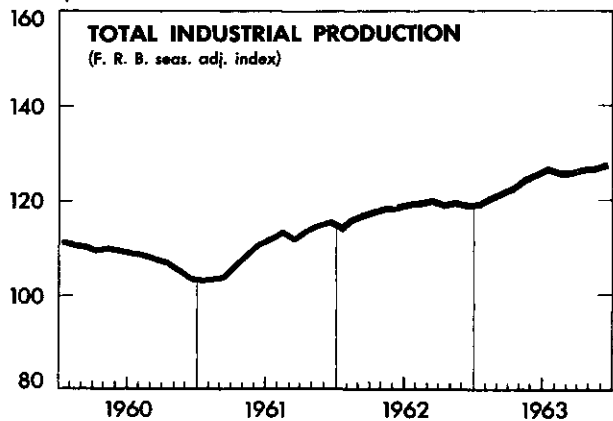


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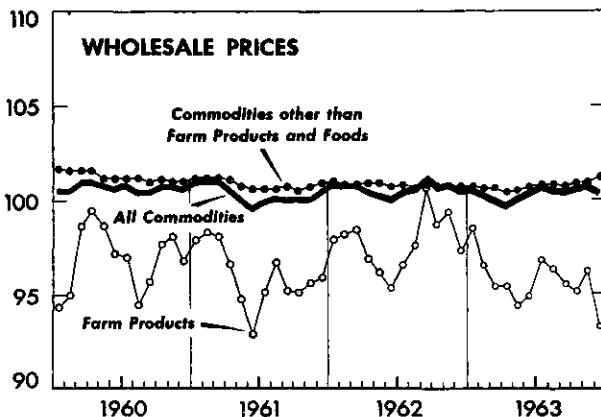


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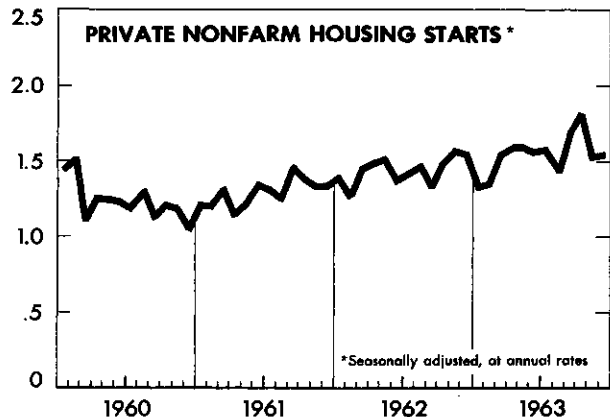
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Millions



* Seasonally adjusted, at annual rates

WEEKLY BUSINESS STATISTICS¹

ITEM	1963			1964		
	Jan. 12	Jan. 19	Dec. 28	Jan. 4	Jan. 11	Jan. 18
COMMODITY PRICES, WHOLESALE:						
All commodities.....1957-59=100..	*100.4	.....	100.5	100.6	100.6	100.9
Farm products.....do.....	*97.3	.....	95.0	95.5	94.7	96.2
Foods, processed.....do.....	*100.9	.....	100.9	101.6	101.5	102.7
All other.....do.....	*100.7	.....	101.1	101.1	101.1	101.2
22 commodities <u>2/</u>.....do.....	93.0	93.5	95.5	95.4	95.7	96.1
ALL RETAIL STORES, SALES.....mil. \$..	4,220	4,221	5,386	4,543	4,432	.....
DEPARTMENT STORE SALES.....1957-59=100..	99	94	163	98	108	.....
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS, State programs.....thous..	522	441	453	447	507	.....
INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT, all programs.....do.....	2,758	2,749	2,403	2,642	.....	.....
State programs (50 States and Puerto Rico).....do.....	2,570	2,563	2,248	2,484	.....	.....
FAILURES, INDUST. AND COMMERCIAL (Dun & Bradstreet).....number..	315	286	158	204	321	254
FINANCE:						
Currency in circulation <u>3/</u>.....mil. \$..	35,022	34,694	37,752	37,722	37,306	36,983
Federal Reserve bank credit outstanding, total <u>3/</u>.....do.....	33,286	32,784	37,040	37,153	36,706	36,424
Member bank reserve balances <u>3/</u>.....do.....	20,296	20,100	20,998	21,433	21,182	20,885
Excess reserves, estimated <u>3/</u>.....do.....	438	521	508	776	473	558
Reporting member banks (of F.R. System) in leading cities: <u>4/</u>						
Demand deposits, adjusted.....mil. \$..	64,787	65,447	66,077	67,844	65,243	.....
Savings deposits.....do.....	34,993	35,042	37,787	38,083	38,043	.....
Loans and investments (adjusted), total.....do.....	128,641	129,012	138,931	141,305	138,795	.....
U.S. Government obligations.....do.....	31,961	32,409	28,576	29,018	28,601	.....
Commercial and industrial loans (gross).....do.....	34,937	34,612	37,858	38,793	37,869	.....
Real estate loans (gross).....do.....	15,520	15,565	17,921	17,880	17,889	.....
Bond yields, domestic corporate (Moody's) <u>3/</u>.....percent..	4.50	4.49	4.56	4.57	4.57	4.57
Stock prices, 500 stocks (Stand. & Poor's) <u>4/</u> ..1941-43=100..	64.59	64.67	#73.97	#75.02	76.00	76.64
Industrials, 425 stocks.....do.....	67.48	67.55	#78.16	#79.25	80.31	81.06
PRODUCTION:						
Bituminous coal <u>3/</u>.....thous. sh. tons..	1,434	1,418	1,245	1,570	1,560	.....
Electric power, by utilities.....mil. kw.-hr..	17,467	18,110	17,932	18,152	18,869	.....
Motor vehicles (cars, trucks, buses).....number..	189,385	183,409	154,400	146,525	207,378	189,864
Petroleum (crude) and condensate <u>3/</u>.....thous. bbl..	7,289	7,299	7,603	7,574	7,661	.....
Steel.....thous. sh. tons..	1,912	1,915	1,804	2,037	2,120	2,130
Index of production.....1957-59=100..	102.6	102.8	96.8	109.3	113.8	114.3
FREIGHT CARLOADINGS, TOTAL.....thous. cars..	521	502	376	500	542	.....
Miscellaneous.....do.....	284	273	212	249	295	.....

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

MONTHLY BUSINESS STATISTICS

ITEM	1962		1963			
	Nov.	Dec.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec. <u>p/</u>
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS						
PERSONAL INCOME, BY SOURCE:						
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, AT ANNUAL RATES:						
Total personal income.....bil. \$..	449.9	452.1	467.3	471.2	r472.6	475.2
Wage and salary disbursements, total.....do.....	301.5	302.9	316.2	318.7	r319.2	320.3
Commodity-producing industries.....do.....	119.9	119.6	125.5	126.3	r126.2	126.9
Manufacturing only.....do.....	95.0	94.9	99.6	100.2	100.2	100.9
Distributive industries.....do.....	77.5	78.4	80.7	80.9	r81.0	81.0
Service industries.....do.....	47.3	47.7	50.2	50.4	50.6	50.8
Government.....do.....	56.9	57.3	59.8	61.0	61.3	61.6
Other labor income.....do.....	12.3	12.4	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.8
Proprietors' income:						
Business and professional.....do.....	37.0	37.0	37.9	38.2	38.2	38.3
Farm.....do.....	13.4	13.5	12.7	12.7	r12.6	12.5
Rental income of persons.....do.....	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.2
Dividends.....do.....	16.9	17.7	17.8	18.2	18.5	19.8
Personal interest income.....do.....	31.1	31.3	33.0	33.2	33.5	33.8
Transfer payments.....do.....	36.0	35.7	36.8	37.3	r37.6	37.5
Less personal contributions for soc. insurance.....do.....	10.3	10.3	11.9	12.0	12.0	12.1
Total nonagricultural income.....do.....	432.0	434.1	450.3	454.1	r455.7	458.5
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION (F.R. INDEX OF QUANTITY OUTPUT):						
UNADJUSTED, TOTAL INDEX (INCLUDING UTILITIES)..1957-59=100..	120.6	117.2	128.3	r129.9	r127.0	124.7
BY INDUSTRY GROUPINGS:						
Manufacturing, total.....do.....	121.4	117.5	128.7	r131.1	r128.1	125.1
Durable manufactures.....do.....	121.0	119.4	126.6	r129.3	r128.4	127.1
Nondurable manufactures.....do.....	121.9	115.1	131.4	r133.2	r127.7	122.5
Mining.....do.....	106.3	103.3	111.4	r111.3	r108.8	107.3
BY MARKET GROUPINGS:						
Final products, total.....do.....	122.1	119.5	130.0	r131.8	r127.9	125.6
Consumer goods.....do.....	122.1	117.7	131.7	r134.1	r128.7	124.3
Equipment, including defense.....do.....	122.0	123.3	126.3	r126.9	r126.1	128.2
Materials.....do.....	119.2	115.2	r126.8	128.2	r126.3	124.1
Durable goods materials.....do.....	115.5	112.3	124.0	r125.3	r123.1	121
Nondurable materials.....do.....	123.0	118.3	129.6	131.1	r129.6	127

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ITEM	1962		1963			
	Nov.	Dec.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec. <i>g/</i>
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS—Continued						
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION—Continued						
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL INDEX (INCL. UTIL.), 1957-59=100..	119.5	119.1	r125.7	r126.5	r126.7	127.2
BY INDUSTRY GROUPINGS:						
MANUFACTURING, TOTAL.....do....	119.9	119.7	126.1	127.1	r127.3	127.8
Durable manufactures.....do....	119.2	118.9	125.3	126.3	r126.5	127.1
Primary metals.....do....	100.7	99.7	r107.7	r108.4	109.1	111
Fabricated metal products.....do....	117.9	117.2	r125.6	r126.8	r126.2	126
Machinery.....do....	125.9	125.5	131.3	r132.2	r132.8	133
Transportation equipment.....do....	121.5	121.7	128.7	r130.8	r130.5	130
Instruments and related products.....do....	125.0	125.4	135.0	132.5	r131.8	133
Clay, glass, and stone products.....do....	112.9	113.1	118.5	r120.4	r120.9	123
Lumber and products.....do....	106.1	108.7	110.3	r108.1	110.6	.....
Furniture and fixtures.....do....	129.3	128.6	136.3	r135.0	r136.6	137
Nondurable manufactures.....do....	120.9	120.8	127.1	128.2	r128.3	128.7
Textile mill products.....do....	112.7	112.7	120.0	r120.9	122.3	.....
Apparel products.....do....	122.3	122.2	126.5	r127.9	129.7	.....
Leather and products.....do....	100.7	99.4	r106.6	103.9	.....	.....
Paper and products.....do....	119.8	119.6	126.7	r128.6	128.1	.....
Printing and publishing.....do....	114.8	112.3	118.6	117.9	118.5	119
Chemicals and products.....do....	138.7	138.7	152.6	r153.6	154.6	.....
Petroleum products.....do....	113.0	114.2	117.0	r119.0	116.2	.....
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	134.5	136.8	142.5	142.0	.....	.....
Foods and beverages.....do....	114.2	114.8	116.5	r118.5	118.2	.....
Tobacco products.....do....	114.7	111.4	116.8	114.1	.....	.....
MINING.....do....	105.7	103.2	r110.3	r109.5	r108.2	107.1
Coal.....do....	96.6	95.6	106.2	104.1	102.1	103
Crude oil and natural gas.....do....	107.4	104.2	r110.6	r109.7	r108.9	107
Metal mining.....do....	99.1	104.1	113.4	r109.7	106.2	.....
UTILITIES.....do....	133.4	133.8	142.8	r143.3	r144.5	145.5
Electric.....do....	136.2	136.1	144.7	145.4	.....	.....
BY MARKET GROUPINGS:						
FINAL PRODUCTS, TOTAL.....do....	121.3	121.7	126.5	r127.7	r128.0	128.6
Consumer goods.....do....	120.5	121.2	r126.7	r127.8	r128.2	128.8
Automotive and home goods.....do....	128.0	129.3	134.7	137.7	139.6	140
Apparel and staples.....do....	118.7	119.1	124.1	r124.7	r124.6	125
Equipment, including defense.....do....	123.1	122.4	126.2	r127.6	r127.6	128.5
Materials.....do....	117.8	116.9	125.0	125.6	r125.6	126.1
Durable goods materials.....do....	114.1	113.2	r122.1	122.6	r122.3	122
Nondurable materials.....do....	122.4	121.1	r128.0	r128.6	129.0	130
MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS: <i>1/</i>						
Value (not seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....bil. \$..	17.5	16.5	18.3	r19.2	r18.5	17.8
Value (seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	17.2	16.8	17.9	r18.6	r18.3	18.2
MANUFACTURERS' ORDERS: <i>1/</i>						
New orders, net (not seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	16.9	17.3	18.5	r18.9	r18.2	17.4
New orders, net (seasonally adjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	16.7	17.3	18.2	18.6	r18.1	17.7
Unfilled orders, end of month (unadjusted):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	42.8	43.7	47.3	r47.0	r46.7	46.2
Unfilled orders, end of month (seas. adj.):						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	43.2	44.1	47.1	47.2	r47.1	46.7
COMMODITY PRICES						
WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX:						
ALL COMMODITIES.....1957-59=100..	100.7	100.4	100.3	100.5	100.7	100.3
By stage of processing:						
Crude materials for further processing.....do....	97.6	96.8	94.8	94.8	r95.1	92.6
Intermediate materials, supplies, and components.....do....	100.1	100.1	100.5	100.9	101.0	101.1
Finished goods.....do....	102.0	101.6	101.5	101.6	101.8	101.4
By durability of product:						
Durable goods.....do....	100.7	100.7	101.1	101.4	101.5	101.6
Nondurable goods.....do....	100.5	100.0	99.5	99.8	100.0	99.1
Farm products.....do....	99.3	97.3	95.5	95.1	96.2	93.3
Fruits and vegetables, fresh and dried.....do....	96.4	88.5	88.0	89.1	r96.1	94.8
Grains.....do....	99.5	101.1	102.9	101.8	100.3	101.8
Livestock and live poultry.....do....	98.3	96.2	88.6	88.0	87.9	79.9
Foods, processed.....do....	101.3	100.9	100.9	102.2	102.5	100.4
Cereal and bakery products.....do....	107.7	107.6	107.0	107.7	r107.3	106.9
Dairy products and ice cream.....do....	108.0	108.1	108.0	107.4	107.9	107.9
Fruits and vegetables, canned and frozen.....do....	96.3	95.7	105.3	105.8	106.4	106.8
Meats, poultry, and fish.....do....	100.1	99.4	94.2	93.2	91.7	87.7
Commodities other than farm prod. and foods.....do....	100.7	100.7	100.7	100.9	100.9	101.2
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	97.0	96.8	96.0	96.2	96.3	96.2
Fuel and related products, and power.....do....	100.7	100.8	99.0	98.8	97.9	99.3
Furniture, other household durables.....do....	98.6	98.4	98.1	98.1	98.1	98.0
Hides, skins, and leather products.....do....	107.3	106.9	103.1	103.4	r103.5	102.9
Lumber and wood products.....do....	96.3	95.8	99.9	99.2	r99.2	99.1

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	Nov.	Dec.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
COMMODITY PRICES--Continued						
WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX--Continued						
Commodities other than farm prod. and foods--Continued						
Machinery and motive products.....1957-59=100..	102.2	102.3	102.2	102.3	102.5	102.6
Metals and metal products.....do.....	99.3	99.3	100.3	100.9	101.0	101.3
Nonmetallic mineral products.....do.....	101.6	101.5	101.1	101.3	r101.2	101.3
Pulp, paper, and allied products.....do.....	99.1	99.0	99.1	99.5	99.4	99.4
Rubber and products.....do.....	93.7	94.4	93.4	94.2	94.2	93.8
Textile products and apparel.....do.....	100.5	100.6	100.5	100.7	r101.1	101.2
Tobacco products and bottled beverages.....do.....	104.5	104.3	107.5	107.5	107.5	107.5
PURCHASING POWER OF THE DOLLAR AS MEASURED BY--						
Wholesale prices.....do.....	99.3	99.6	99.7	99.5	99.3	*99.7
CONSTRUCTION AND REAL ESTATE						
NEW HOUSING UNITS STARTED:						
Unadjusted:						
Total, incl. farm (public and private).....thous..	122.5	94.9	147.3	r166.1	r120.6	98.9
One-family structures.....do.....	78.8	56.3	94.1	.....	.....	.....
Privately owned.....do.....	120.9	93.9	r.45.3	r163.1	r118.8	97.3
Total nonfarm (public and private).....do.....	121.4	93.9	r144.1	r162.8	r118.2	96.5
In metropolitan areas.....do.....	83.7	68.3	r104.5	117.6	.....	.....
Privately owned.....do.....	119.8	92.9	r142.1	r159.8	r116.4	94.9
Seasonally adjusted at annual rates:						
Total, incl. farm (private only).....do.....	1,579	1,562	r1,732	r1,847	r1,556	1,597
Total nonfarm (private only).....do.....	1,564	1,541	r1,697	r1,807	r1,525	1,548
Construction cost indexes (The American Appraisal Co.):						
Average, 30 cities.....1913=100..	768	768	788	790	791	792
Atlanta.....do.....	848	848	862	863	863	863
New York.....do.....	848	848	869	872	872	874
San Francisco.....do.....	740	740	775	778	778	778
St. Louis.....do.....	748	754	762	765	774	776
FINANCE						
BANK DEBITS:						
Unadjusted:						
Total (344 centers).....bil. \$..	288.2	320.9	310.4	337.1	296.6	356.9
New York City.....do.....	116.5	141.6	130.3	136.9	116.7	151.0
6 other leading centers.....do.....	59.4	63.7	63.1	71.3	63.8	74.6
Seasonally adjusted:						
Total (344 centers).....do.....	296.4	306.4	329.7	326.7	312.7	332.8
New York City.....do.....	122.2	134.2	140.1	133.7	125.4	139.6
6 other leading centers.....do.....	61.1	60.9	67.0	69.4	67.3	69.7
337 other centers.....do.....	113.1	111.3	122.6	123.6	120.0	123.5
TURNOVER OF DEMAND DEPOSITS EXCEPT INTERBANK AND U.S.						
GOVERNMENT, ANNUAL RATE, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED:						
Total (344 centers).....ratio of debits to deposits..	42.9	44.2	46.8	46.2	43.6	46.3
New York City.....do.....	80.7	88.9	96.9	87.2	80.7	89.0
6 other centers.....do.....	43.5	43.4	46.7	48.4	46.0	47.5
337 other reporting centers.....do.....	28.5	27.7	29.9	30.1	29.0	29.8
ELECTRIC POWER						
PRODUCTION, TOTAL.....mil. kw.-hr..	78,073	82,736	82,892	84,845	82,437	.....
Electric utilities, total.....do.....	70,619	75,347	75,156	76,712	74,474
Industrial establishments, total.....do.....	7,454	7,389	7,735	8,133	7,963

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