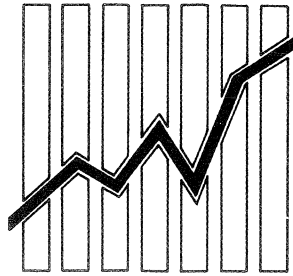




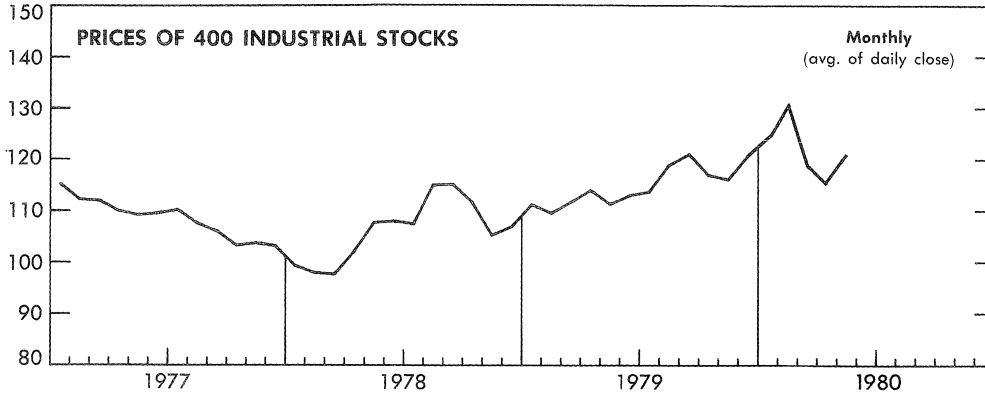
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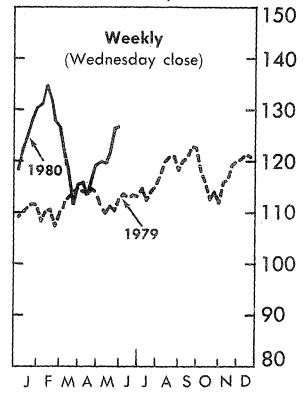
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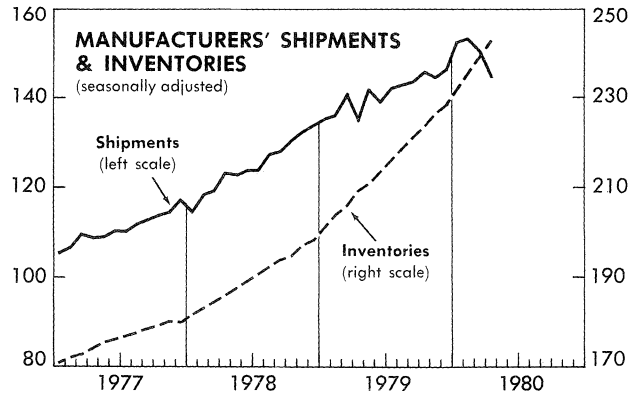


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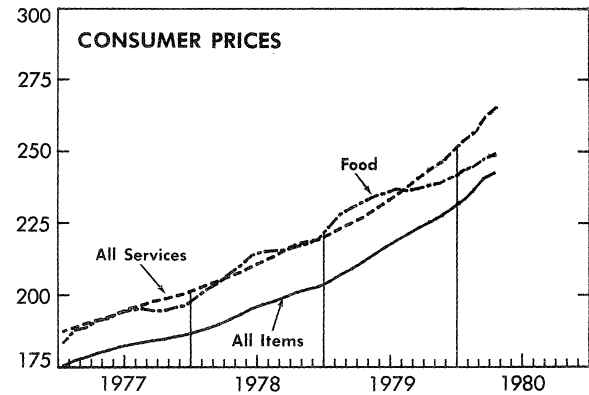
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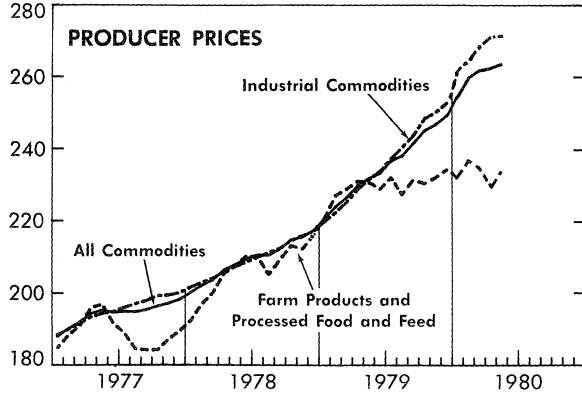
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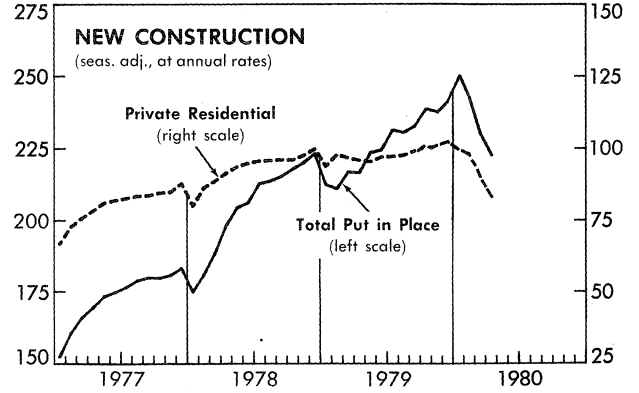
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ITEM	1979		1980			
	June 2	June 9	May 17	May 24	May 31	June 7
SPOT MARKET PRICES, 22 COMMODITIES <sup>2/</sup> ..... 1967=100..	277.6	276.3	266.6	260.2	263.5	258.6
9 Foodstuffs.....do....	254.5	250.5	244.7	243.7	249.8	244.1
13 Raw industrials.....do....	294.6	295.5	282.8	273.9	273.3	269.0
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS, State programs.....thous..	262	323	539	526	477	.....
INSURED UNEMPLOYMENT, all programs.....do....	2,200	2,124	3,679	3,591	.....	.....
State programs (50 States, D.C. and Puerto Rico).....do....	2,055	1,984	3,340	3,270	.....	.....
FAILURES, INDUST. AND COMMERCIAL (Dun & Bradstreet).....number..	93	129	258	237	177	296
FINANCE:						
Currency in circulation <sup>3/</sup> .....mil. \$..	114,690	115,343	124,706	124,736	125,187	e125,724
Federal Reserve bank credit outstanding, total <sup>3/</sup> .....do....	128,578	127,087	138,630	140,624	139,623	142,385
Member bank reserve balances <sup>3/</sup> .....do....	39,771	39,665	43,491	44,167	43,619	44,206
Excess reserves, estimated <sup>3/</sup> .....do....	183	360	42	253	5	457
Assets and liabilities of large commercial banks: <sup>4/</sup>						
Demand deposits, adjusted.....do....	96,416	104,232	103,064	102,810	100,655	.....
Savings deposits.....do....	76,585	77,154	68,829	69,230	69,686	.....
Loans and investments, gross adjusted, total.....do....	460,925	468,861	504,458	503,281	503,404	.....
U.S. Government obligations.....do....	37,006	39,297	33,757	35,420	35,574	.....
Commercial and industrial loans (gross).....do....	141,281	141,818	158,175	156,885	157,049	.....
Real estate loans (gross).....do....	86,220	86,502	104,537	104,770	104,822	.....
Bond yields, domestic corporate (Moody's) <sup>3/</sup> .....percent..	9.94	9.90	12.04	12.10	12.00	11.95
Stock prices, 500 stocks (Stand. & Poor's) <sup>4/</sup> ...1941-43=10..	99.11	101.30	106.85	107.72	112.06	112.61
Industrials, 400 stocks.....do....	110.23	112.72	119.64	120.99	126.03	126.78
PRODUCTION:						
Bituminous coal.....thous. sh. tons..	13,619	15,970	17,040	17,070	14,995	.....
Electric power, by utilities.....mil. kw.-hr..	40,451	44,056	40,025	40,596	40,863	.....
Motor vehicles (passenger cars).....number..	176,735	195,926	104,157	115,561	123,411	119,999
Petroleum (crude) and condensate <sup>3/</sup> .....thous. bbl..	8,585	8,448	e8,743	e8,743	e8,743	.....
Steel, raw.....thous. sh. tons..	2,919	2,840	2,149	2,000	1,863	1,830
Rate of capability utilization <sup>5/</sup> .....percent..	95.8	93.2	71.7	66.8	62.2	61.1
RAIL FREIGHT, REVENUE TON-MILES.....bil..	16.8	18.8	17.7	17.7	15.9	.....

<sup>1/</sup> Data do not always cover calendar weeks. <sup>2/</sup> Tuesday price. <sup>3/</sup> Daily average. <sup>4/</sup> Wednesday data. <sup>5/</sup> Capability for a full order book based on current availability of raw materials, fuels, supplies, and industry facilities. <sup>e/</sup> Estimated.

## MONTHLY BUSINESS STATISTICS

ITEM	1979		1980			
	Mar.	Apr.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar. <sup>r/</sup>	Apr.
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS						
MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS:						
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL <sup>1/</sup> .....mil. \$..	148,034	137,558	r139,629	r153,732	157,049	147,234
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	80,920	73,560	r70,187	r79,116	80,897	74,527
Stone, clay, and glass products.....do....	3,989	3,924	3,756	3,858	3,999	4,028
Primary metals.....do....	13,122	11,024	12,208	12,944	13,355	12,239
Fabricated metal products.....do....	9,939	8,895	8,568	9,570	9,693	9,341
Machinery, except electrical.....do....	14,144	13,176	r12,736	r14,659	15,286	13,765
Electrical machinery.....do....	9,562	8,873	9,204	10,617	10,778	9,900
Transportation equipment.....do....	19,273	17,090	13,853	16,274	16,368	14,919
Instruments and related products.....do....	3,058	2,837	3,030	3,485	3,719	3,238
Nondurable goods industries, total <sup>1/</sup> .....do....	67,114	63,998	69,442	74,616	76,152	72,707
Foods and kindred products.....do....	19,875	18,754	18,903	20,391	20,942	19,305
Tobacco products.....do....	985	952	1,002	1,061	1,019	1,175
Textile mill products.....do....	4,077	3,838	3,814	4,258	4,441	4,174
Paper and allied products.....do....	5,639	5,464	5,705	5,969	6,032	5,923
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	13,121	12,476	12,918	13,837	14,766	14,178
Petroleum and coal products.....do....	10,015	9,800	13,827	14,568	14,578	14,232
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	4,145	3,812	3,677	3,930	3,879	3,700
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL.....do....	r141,039	r134,398	r152,088	r152,899	150,081	144,111
By industry group:						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	r75,763	r71,199	r77,948	r79,159	75,925	72,257
Stone, clay, and glass products.....do....	r3,898	r3,856	r4,537	r4,214	3,898	3,960
Primary metals.....do....	r11,999	r10,312	r13,148	r12,849	12,199	11,430
Fabricated metal products.....do....	r9,652	r8,703	r9,526	r9,772	9,402	9,140
Machinery, except electrical.....do....	r12,968	r12,756	r13,923	14,313	14,046	13,369
Electrical machinery.....do....	r9,197	r8,879	r10,035	r10,471	10,352	9,868
Transportation equipment.....do....	r17,490	r16,269	r15,241	r15,860	14,962	14,238
Instruments and related products.....do....	r2,992	r2,876	r3,367	r3,613	3,643	3,282

<sup>r/</sup> Revised. <sup>1/</sup> Includes data for "other industries" not shown.

MONTHLY BUSINESS STATISTICS—Continued

ITEM	1979		1980			
	Mar. r/	Apr. r/	Jan. r/	Feb. r/	Mar. r/	Apr.
GENERAL BUSINESS INDICATORS--Con.						
MANUFACTURERS' SHIPMENTS (SEAS. ADJ.)--Con.						
By industry group--Con.						
Nondurable goods industries, total 1/.....mil. \$..	65,276	63,199	74,140	73,730	74,156	71,854
Food and kindred products.....do....	19,399	18,815	20,117	20,175	20,364	19,384
Tobacco products.....do....	1,006	974	1,046	1,144	1,041	1,203
Textile mill products.....do....	3,831	3,827	4,195	4,323	4,172	4,159
Paper and allied products.....do....	5,489	5,389	6,067	5,857	5,863	5,837
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	12,158	11,610	13,927	13,508	13,709	15,191
Petroleum and coal products.....do....	10,230	9,877	13,965	14,349	14,849	14,330
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	3,896	3,634	4,042	3,854	3,645	3,524
MANUFACTURERS' INVENTORIES, END OF MONTH:						
Book value (unadjusted), total.....do....	207,096	210,291	233,547	236,758	239,837	243,752
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	136,660	139,064	154,097	156,470	158,721	161,577
Nondurable goods industries, total.....do....	70,436	71,227	79,450	80,288	81,116	82,175
Book value (seasonally adjusted), total.....do....	205,752	209,175	232,294	235,096	238,522	242,589
By industry group:						
Durable goods industries, total 1/.....do....	135,266	137,851	154,043	155,314	157,127	160,147
Stone, clay, and glass products.....do....	5,140	5,237	5,666	5,750	5,987	6,018
Primary metals.....do....	17,832	18,655	20,093	20,382	20,387	20,873
Fabricated metal products.....do....	17,751	17,996	19,443	19,490	19,659	19,775
Machinery, except electrical.....do....	32,491	32,910	37,272	37,502	37,609	38,647
Electrical machinery.....do....	18,048	18,221	21,036	21,413	21,620	22,134
Transportation equipment.....do....	25,734	26,424	30,371	30,630	31,447	32,181
Instruments and related products.....do....	7,004	7,073	8,043	8,128	8,237	8,303
Nondurable goods industries, total 1/.....do....	70,485	71,523	78,251	79,782	81,395	82,442
Food and kindred products.....do....	18,118	18,281	20,250	20,505	20,431	20,170
Tobacco products.....do....	3,599	3,582	3,541	3,506	3,506	3,475
Textile mill products.....do....	5,714	5,720	5,919	5,962	6,096	6,191
Paper and allied products.....do....	6,054	6,193	6,906	7,156	7,296	7,336
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	15,627	15,930	17,875	18,429	18,677	19,210
Petroleum and coal products.....do....	5,143	5,225	6,933	7,297	8,062	8,471
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	4,716	4,868	4,880	4,840	4,954	5,077
MANUFACTURERS' NEW ORDERS, NET:						
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL.....do....	153,972	142,739	145,943	156,942	159,145	146,966
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	86,971	78,341	76,232	82,230	82,642	74,499
Nondurable goods industries, total.....do....	67,001	64,398	69,711	74,712	76,503	72,467
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL.....do....	146,836	139,232	155,588	154,603	152,065	143,771
By industry group:						
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	81,649	75,927	81,467	81,021	77,546	72,458
Primary metals.....do....	12,577	11,763	13,533	13,086	11,141	9,888
Fabricated metal products.....do....	10,364	8,953	9,092	10,223	9,738	8,794
Machinery, except electrical.....do....	14,656	12,835	15,249	14,247	14,000	11,728
Electrical machinery.....do....	9,645	9,350	10,626	11,440	11,109	10,809
Transportation equipment.....do....	19,766	18,306	16,448	16,005	16,345	17,391
Nondurable goods industries, total.....do....	65,187	63,305	74,121	73,582	74,519	71,313
Industries with unfilled orders.....do....	13,809	13,874	15,640	15,072	15,594	14,582
Industries without unfilled orders.....do....	51,378	49,432	58,481	58,510	58,925	56,731
MANUFACTURERS' UNFILLED ORDERS, END OF MONTH:						
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL.....do....	259,896	265,078	283,465	286,671	288,770	288,500
Durable goods industries, total.....do....	249,393	254,172	271,821	274,931	276,676	276,647
Nondurable goods industries, total.....do....	10,503	10,906	11,644	11,740	12,094	11,853
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, TOTAL.....do....	258,148	262,981	283,211	284,924	286,907	286,570
By industry group:						
Durable goods industries, total 1/.....do....	247,706	252,433	271,399	273,263	274,884	275,088
Primary metals.....do....	31,041	32,492	30,349	30,586	29,528	27,987
Fabricated metal products.....do....	27,600	27,850	27,948	28,400	28,737	28,390
Machinery, except electrical.....do....	56,248	56,327	60,045	60,041	59,994	58,354
Electrical machinery.....do....	32,518	32,990	36,219	37,190	37,944	38,886
Transportation equipment.....do....	88,882	90,920	104,116	104,257	105,642	108,798
Nondurable goods indus. with unfilled orders.....do....	10,442	10,548	11,812	11,661	12,028	11,482
COMMODITY PRICES						
PRODUCER PRICE INDEXES:						
SPOT MARKET PRICES, BASIC COMMODITIES:						
22 Commodities.....1967=100..	276.3	277.1	294.1	285.3	272.5	264.1
9 Foodstuffs.....do....	251.8	254.4	257.2	245.0	235.0	244.4
13 Raw industrials.....do....	294.5	293.8	322.5	316.9	301.9	278.5
ALL COMMODITIES.....do....	230.0	232.0	259.8	261.5	262.3	263.7
Farm products.....do....	246.0	245.4	242.3	239.3	228.9	233.6
Food and feeds, processed.....do....	222.3	222.0	233.1	231.5	228.5	233.1
Industrial commodities.....do....	229.0	231.6	265.4	268.2	270.7	271.2
Chemicals and allied products.....do....	215.1	218.0	247.6	251.6	258.1	261.1
Fuels and related products, and power.....do....	361.5	377.6	533.0	553.5	566.3	571.9
Furniture and household durables.....do....	168.7	169.6	183.4	184.6	183.1	184.1
Hides, skins and leather products.....do....	258.9	269.6	251.0	246.8	243.6	240.7
Lumber and wood products.....do....	304.9	302.8	294.8	295.7	275.2	271.6
Machinery and equipment.....do....	209.8	211.4	229.7	231.9	235.8	237.0
Metals and metal products.....do....	256.0	256.2	288.6	286.3	284.6	281.9
Nonmetallic mineral products.....do....	243.4	245.6	272.6	276.1	282.8	282.9
Pulp, paper, and allied products.....do....	215.0	216.2	238.9	241.6	246.5	248.9
Rubber and plastics products.....do....	188.8	190.8	210.9	212.7	214.6	215.1
Textile products.....do....	166.4	167.2	176.5	178.9	180.6	181.5
Transportation equipment.....Dec. 1968=100..	186.8	187.2	198.1	198.8	202.6	201.1
Motor vehicles and equipment.....1967=100..	189.4	189.8	199.9	200.8	204.9	203.1
PURCHASING POWER OF THE DOLLAR AS MEASURED BY--						
Producer prices.....1967=\$1.00..	\$0.473	\$0.471	\$0.425	\$0.420	\$0.417	\$0.415

ITEM	1979		1980			
	Mar.	Apr.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
CONSTRUCTION AND REAL ESTATE						
NEW CONSTRUCTION PUT IN PLACE (UNADJ.), TOTAL.....mil. \$..	15,829	17,150	16,471	r15,544	r16,755	17,600
Private, total.....do.....	12,860	13,773	12,978	r12,238	r13,199	13,659
Residential.....do.....	6,866	7,673	6,570	r5,953	r6,424	6,752
New housing units.....do.....	5,435	5,862	5,199	r4,664	r4,886	4,713
Nonresidential buildings, total.....do.....	3,328	3,423	3,952	3,817	r3,969	4,049
Industrial.....do.....	1,192	1,145	1,142	1,094	r1,113	1,071
Commercial.....do.....	1,586	1,699	2,167	2,110	r2,209	2,313
Public, total.....do.....	2,968	3,377	3,493	r3,306	r3,557	3,941
NEW CONSTRUCTION PUT IN PLACE (SEASONALLY ADJUSTED AT ANNUAL RATES), TOTAL.....bil. \$..	216.7	216.4	250.0	r243.0	r229.9	221.7
Private, total.....do.....	172.7	171.9	190.6	r186.7	r176.1	169.4
Residential.....do.....	96.5	95.7	99.7	97.7	r89.8	83.1
New housing units.....do.....	75.9	76.0	77.7	r75.8	67.7	60.9
Nonresidential buildings, total.....do.....	43.3	42.6	55.4	53.2	r51.6	50.5
Industrial.....do.....	15.2	14.0	15.6	15.3	r14.2	13.1
Commercial.....do.....	21.0	21.5	30.7	29.5	r29.1	29.1
Public, total.....do.....	44.0	44.5	59.4	r56.3	53.7	52.3
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS IN 50 STATES (F. W. DODGE):						
TOTAL VALUATION.....mil. \$..	14,958	r16,786	11,080	10,394	11,286	11,071
Index (seasonally adjusted).....1972=100..	200	202	190	171	155	130
Buildings, total.....mil. \$..	11,140	r11,476	8,452	7,972	8,857	8,436
By type of building:						
Nonresidential.....do.....	4,156	r4,291	4,352	3,635	4,272	4,063
Residential.....do.....	6,984	r7,185	4,100	4,337	4,584	4,373
Non-building construction.....do.....	3,818	r5,310	2,628	2,422	2,429	2,635
CONSTRUCTION COST INDEXES:						
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE COMPOSITE.....1972=100..	191.0	192.2	207.6	209.7	209.2	207.3

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