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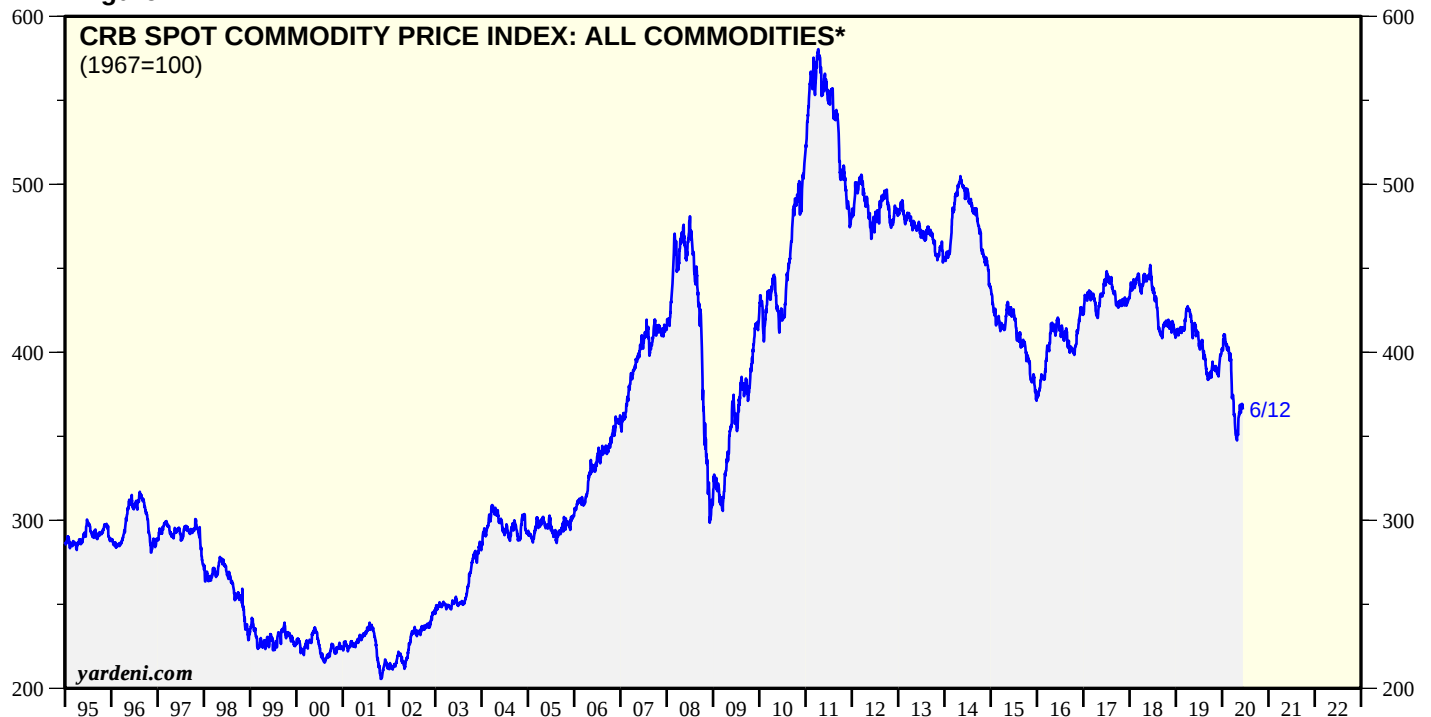
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Figure 1.



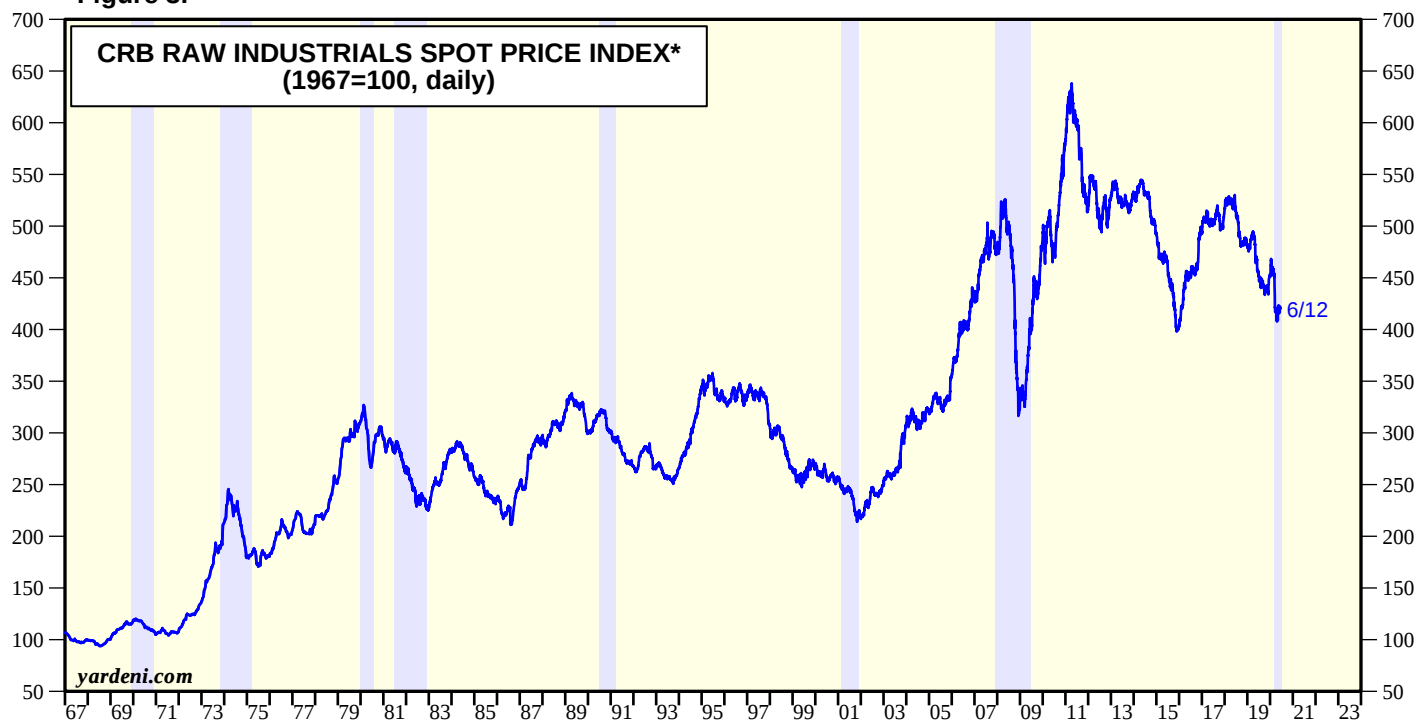
Note: Dotted lines show previous years' closing prices.
Source: Standard & Poor's.

Figure 2.



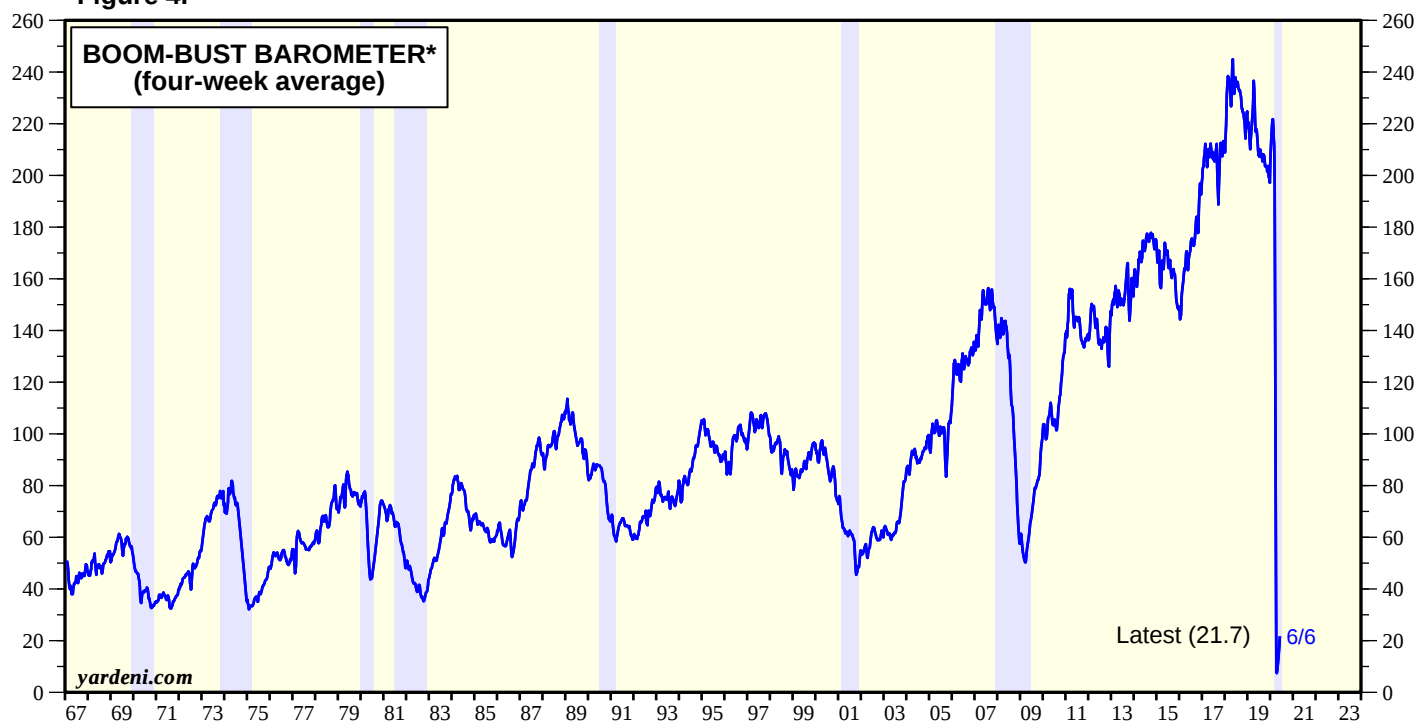
* Includes Aluminum, Cocoa, Coffee, Copper, Corn, Cotton, Crude Oil, Gold, Heating Oil, Lean Hogs, Live Cattle, Natural Gas, Nickel, Orange Juice, RBOB Gasoline, Silver, Soybeans, Sugar and Wheat.
Source: Commodity Research Bureau.

Figure 3.



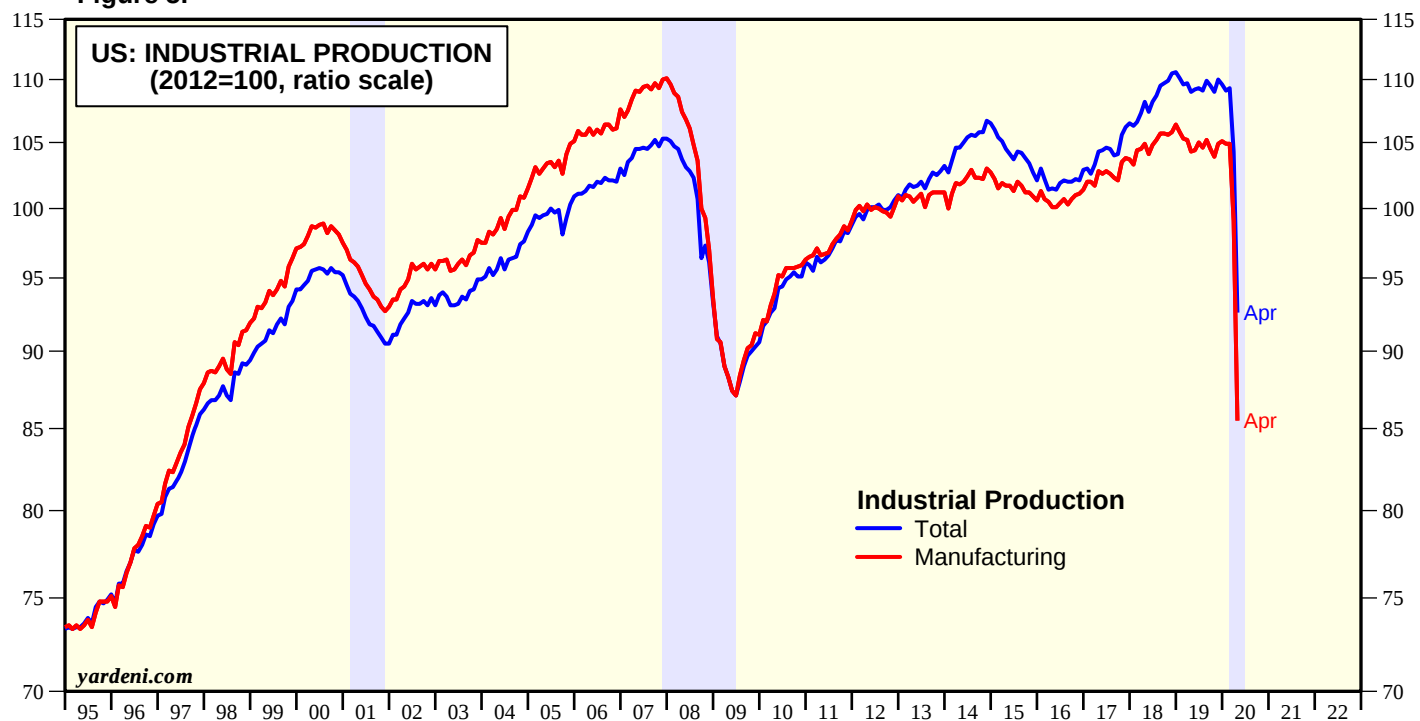
* Includes copper scrap, lead scrap, steel scrap, tin, zinc, burlap, cotton, print cloth, wool tops, hides, rosin, rubber, and tallow.
Note: Shaded areas denote recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Weekly from 1962 to 1982, daily thereafter.
Source: Commodity Research Bureau.

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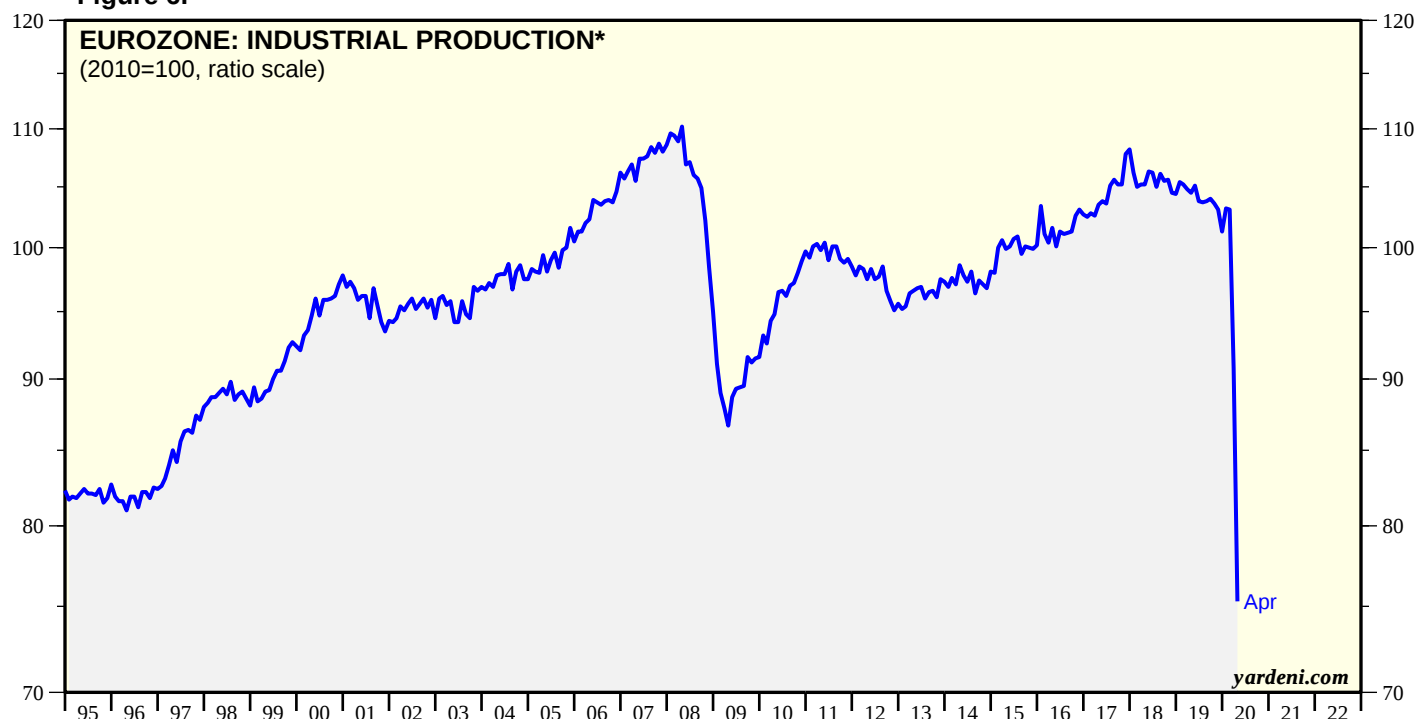
* Weekly average of CRB raw industrials spot price index divided by initial unemployment claims, showing four-week average.
Note: Shaded areas denote recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research.
Source: Commodity Research Bureau and Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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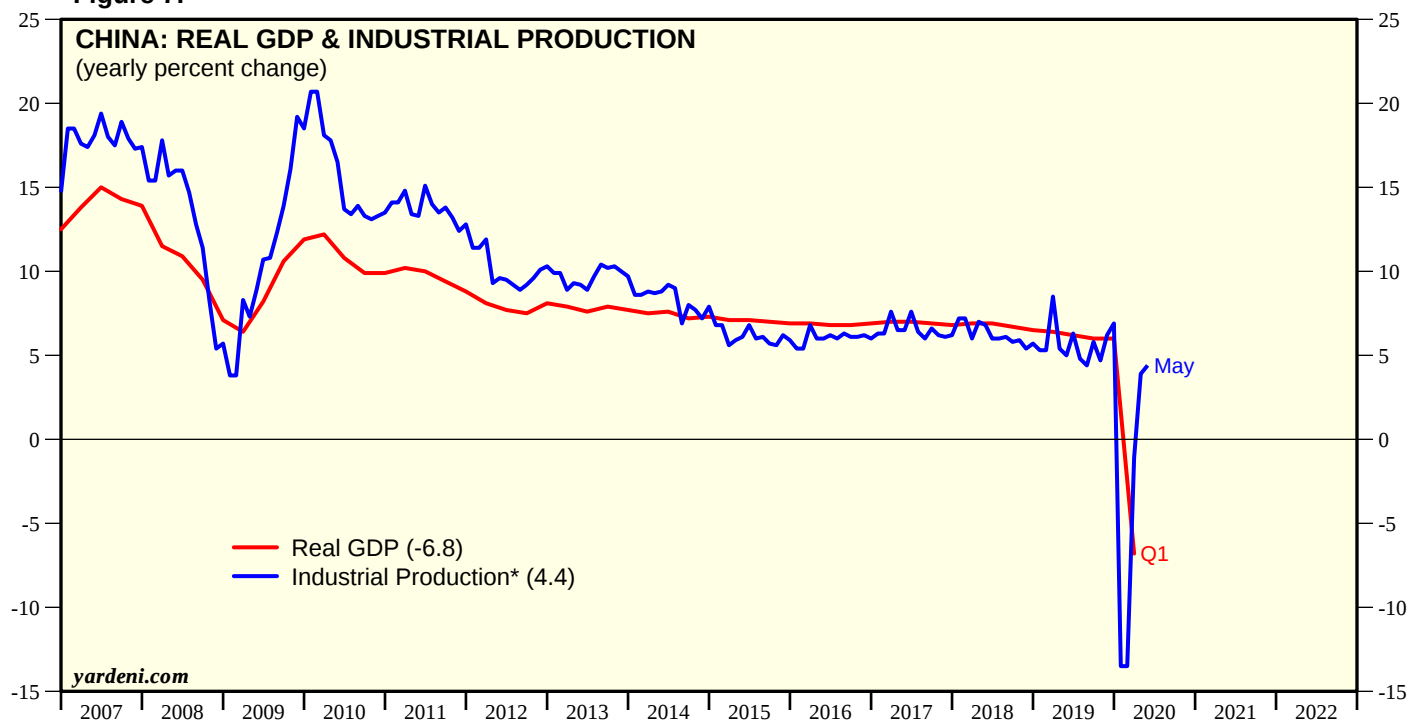
Note: Shaded areas denote recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research.
Source: Federal Reserve Board.

Figure 6.



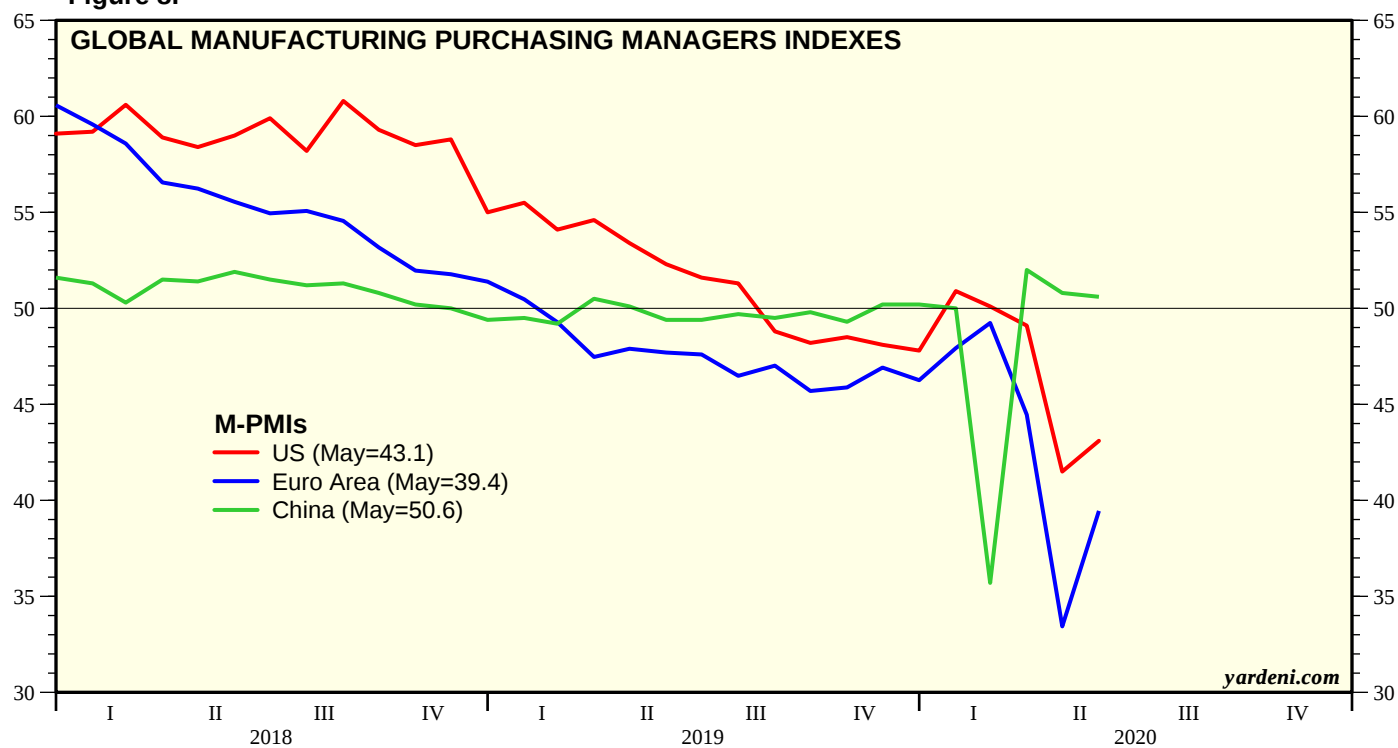
* Excluding construction.
Source: Statistical Office of European Communities.

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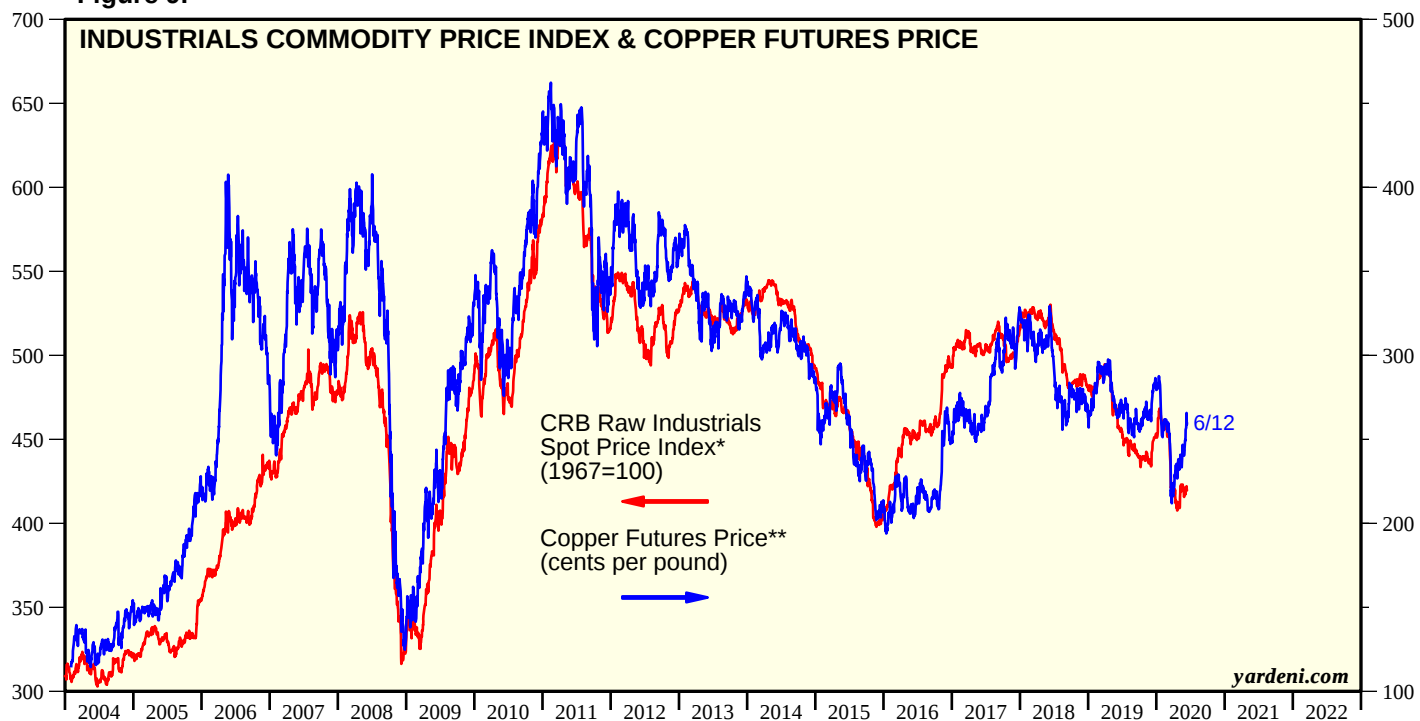
* Value added basis.
Source: Haver Analytics.

Figure 8.



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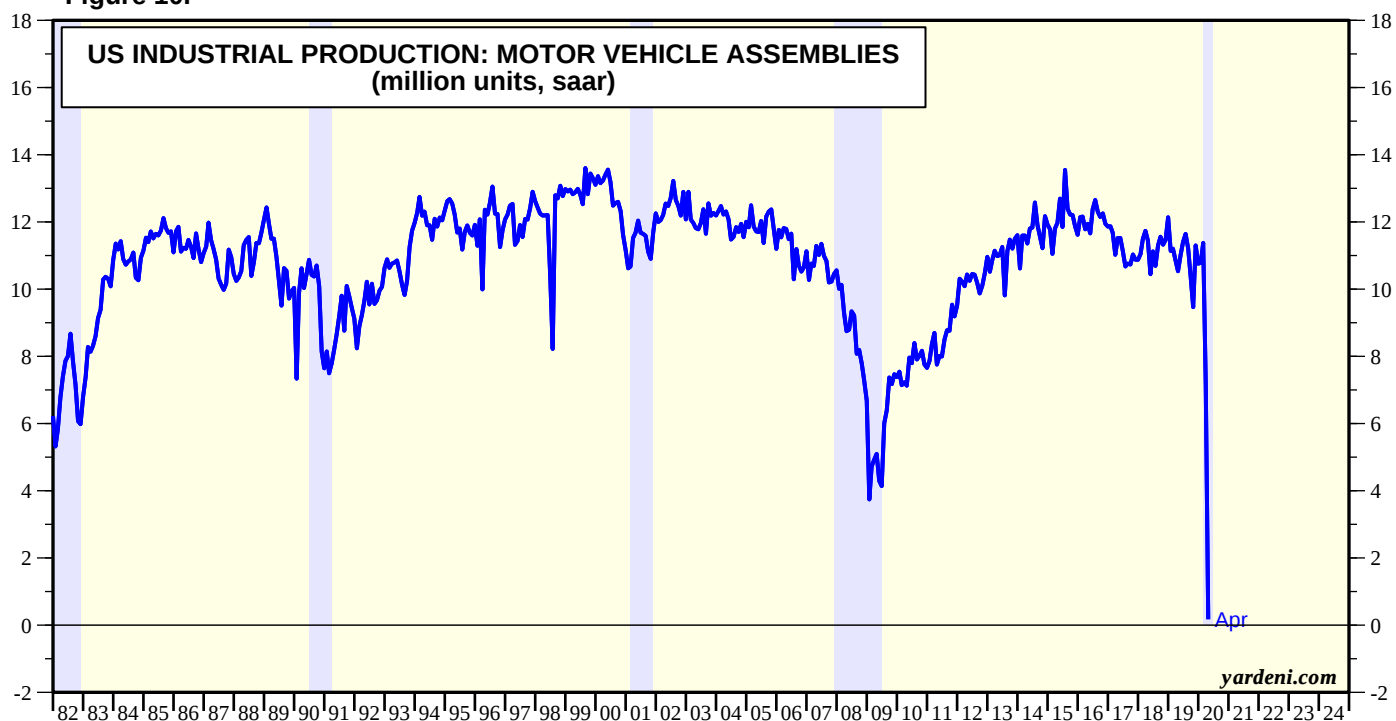


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** Nearby futures contract.

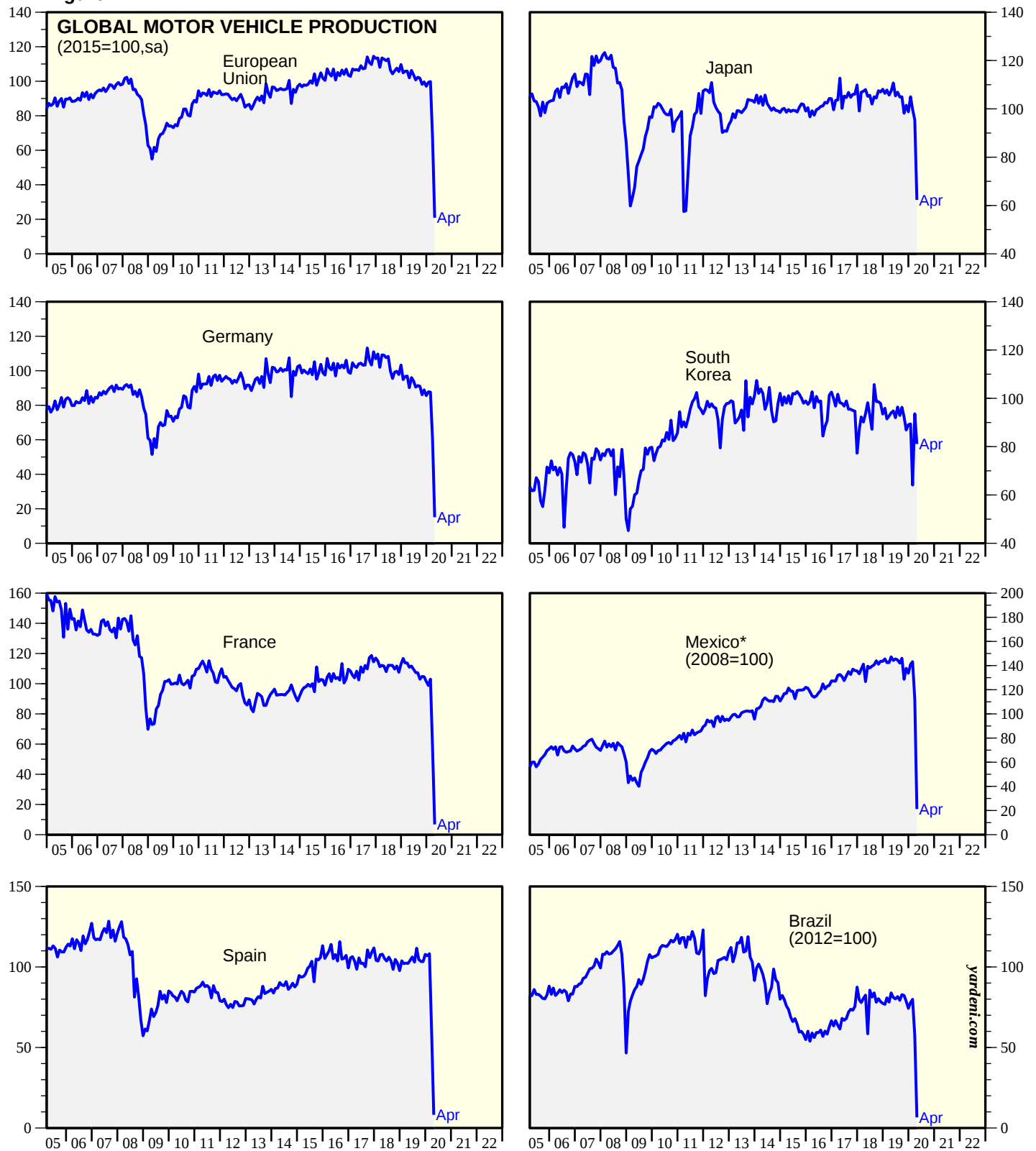
Source: Commodity Research Bureau and Haver Analytics.

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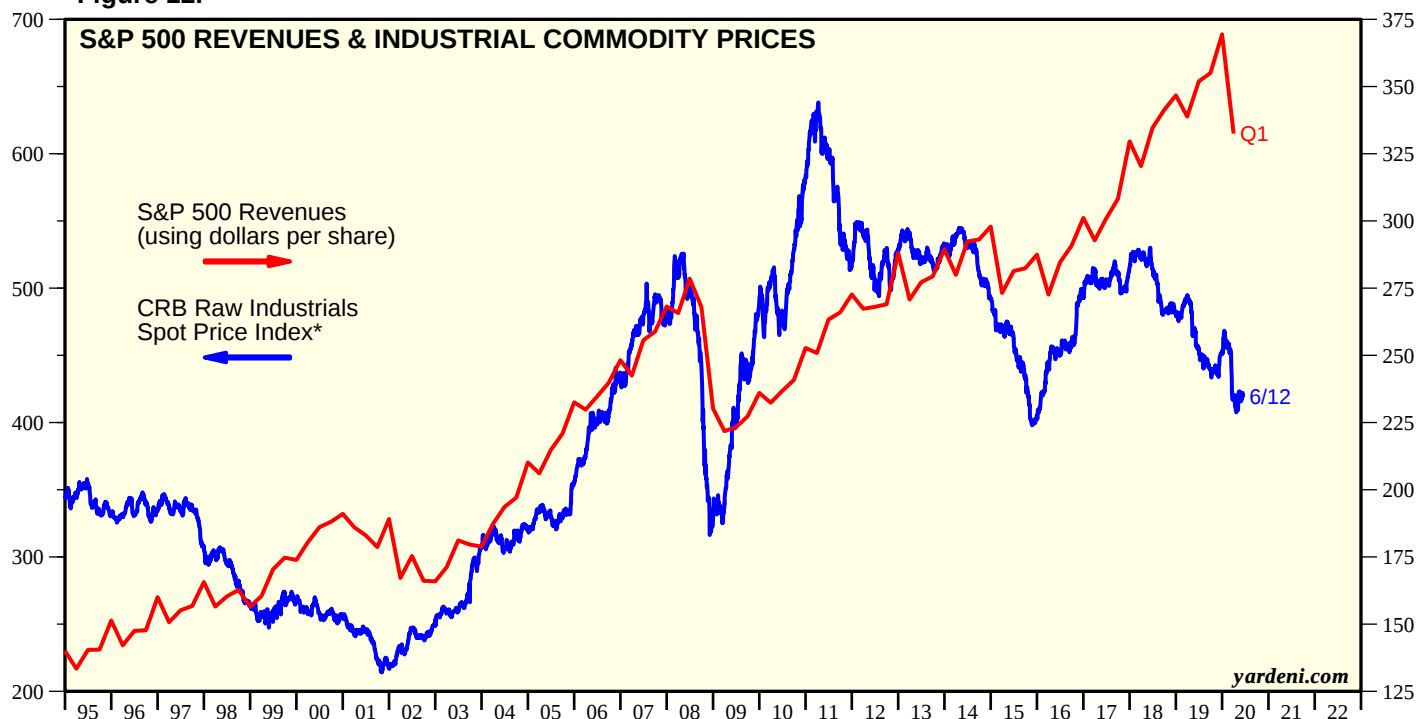
Source: Federal Reserve Board.

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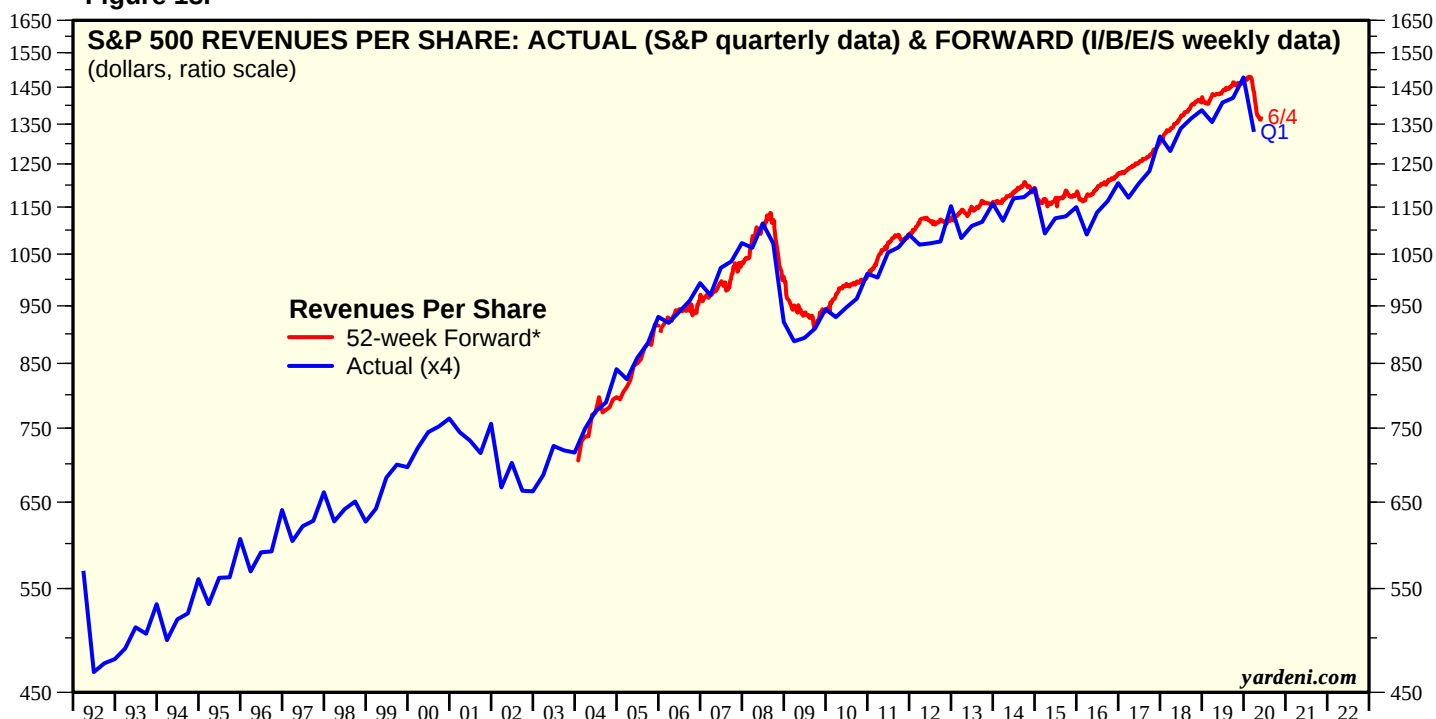
* Transportation Equipment. Source: Haver Analytics.

Figure 12.



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Source: Standard & Poor's Corporation and Commodity Research Bureau.

Figure 13.



* Time-weighted average of consensus estimates for current year and next year. Monthly through December 2005, then weekly.
Source: Standard & Poor's (for actual revenues) and I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv (for forward revenues).

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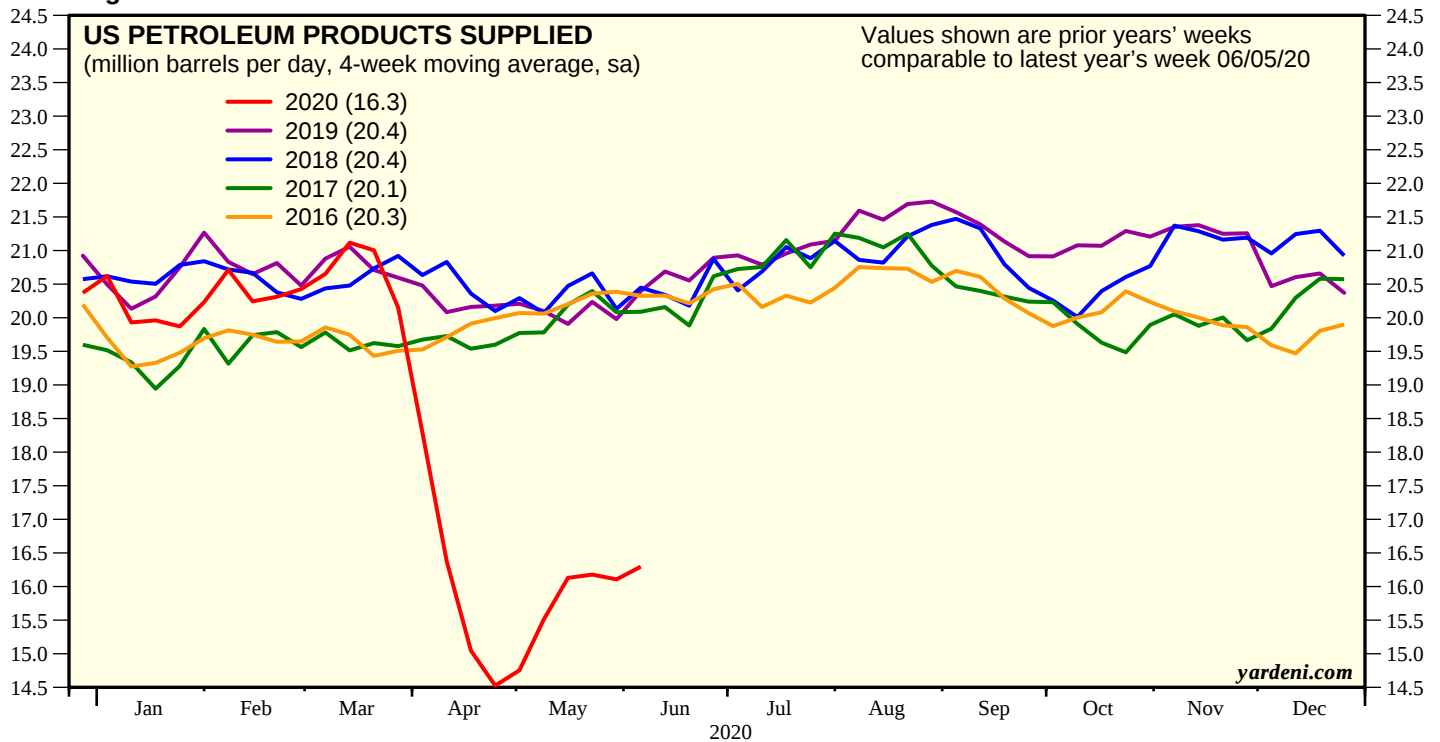


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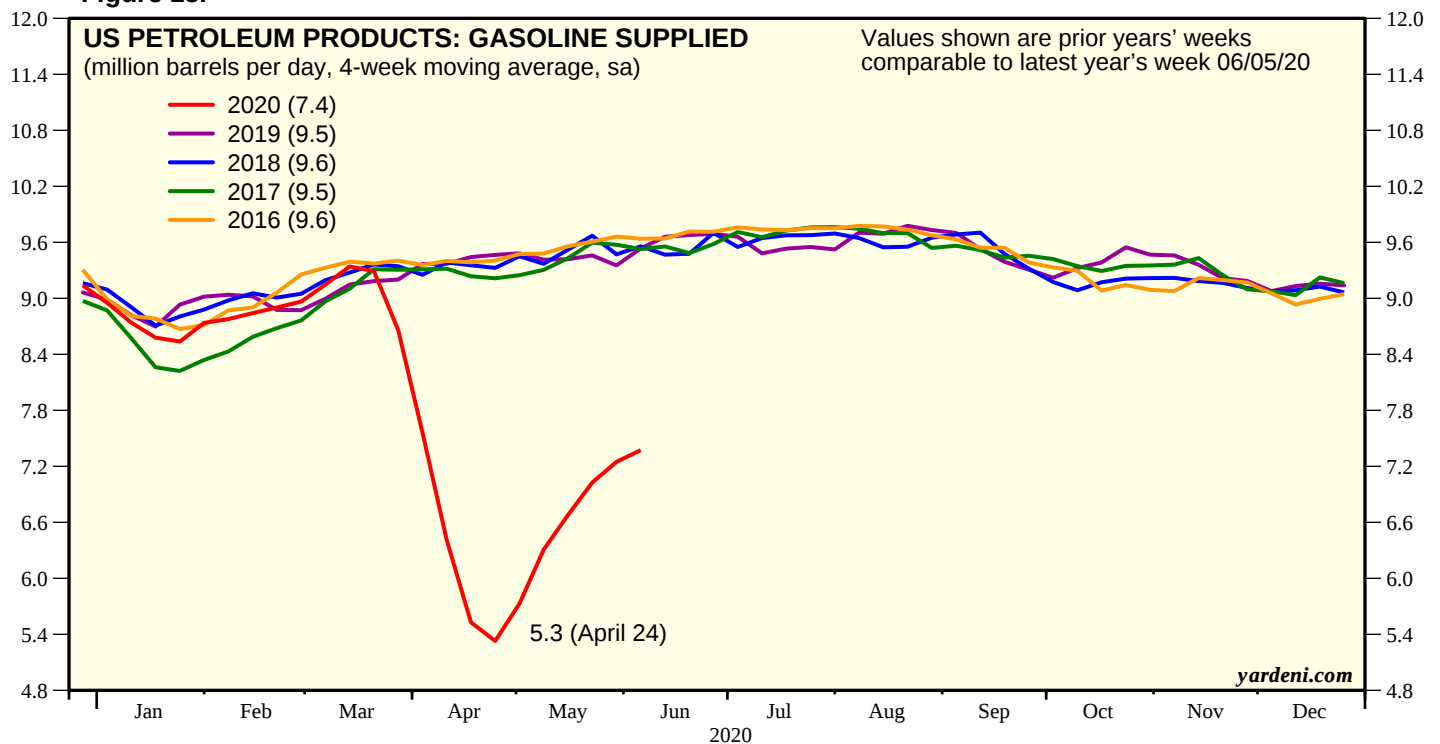
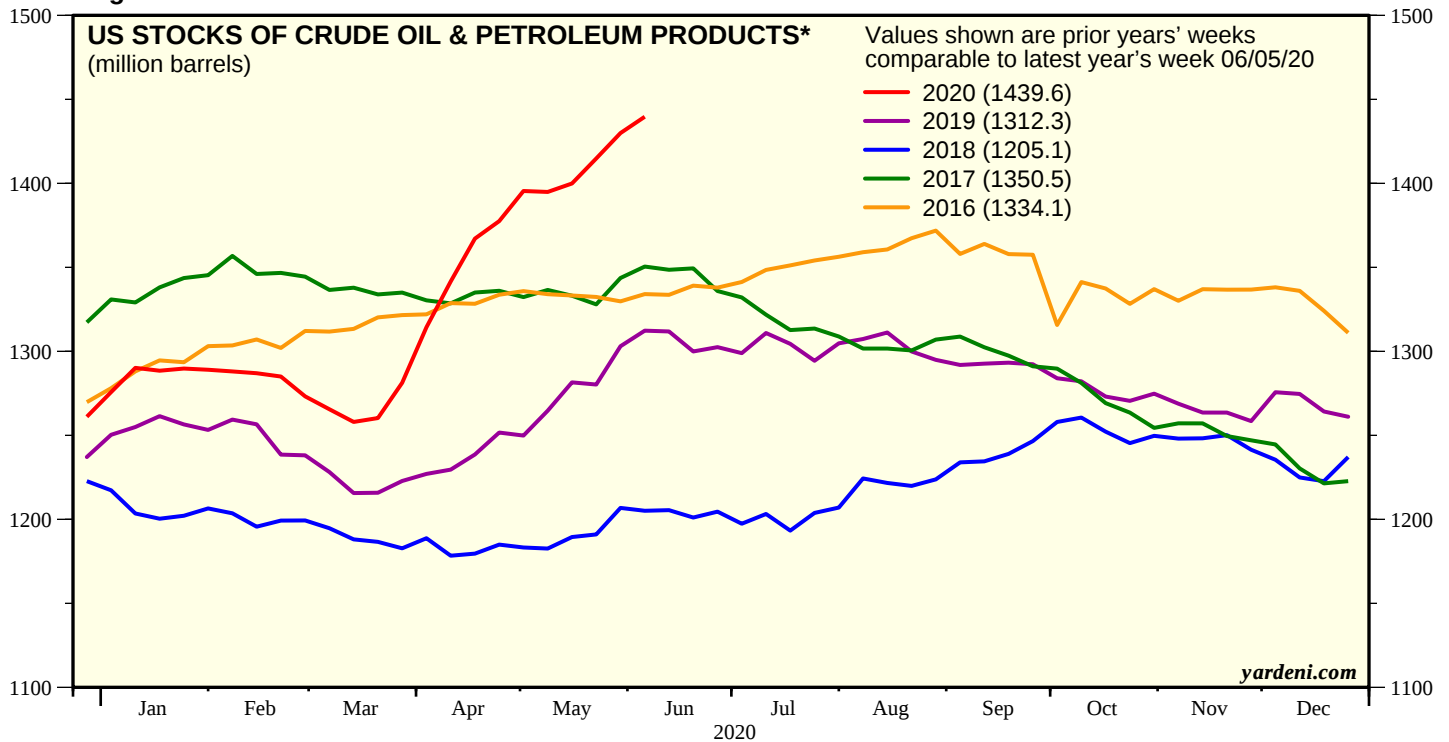
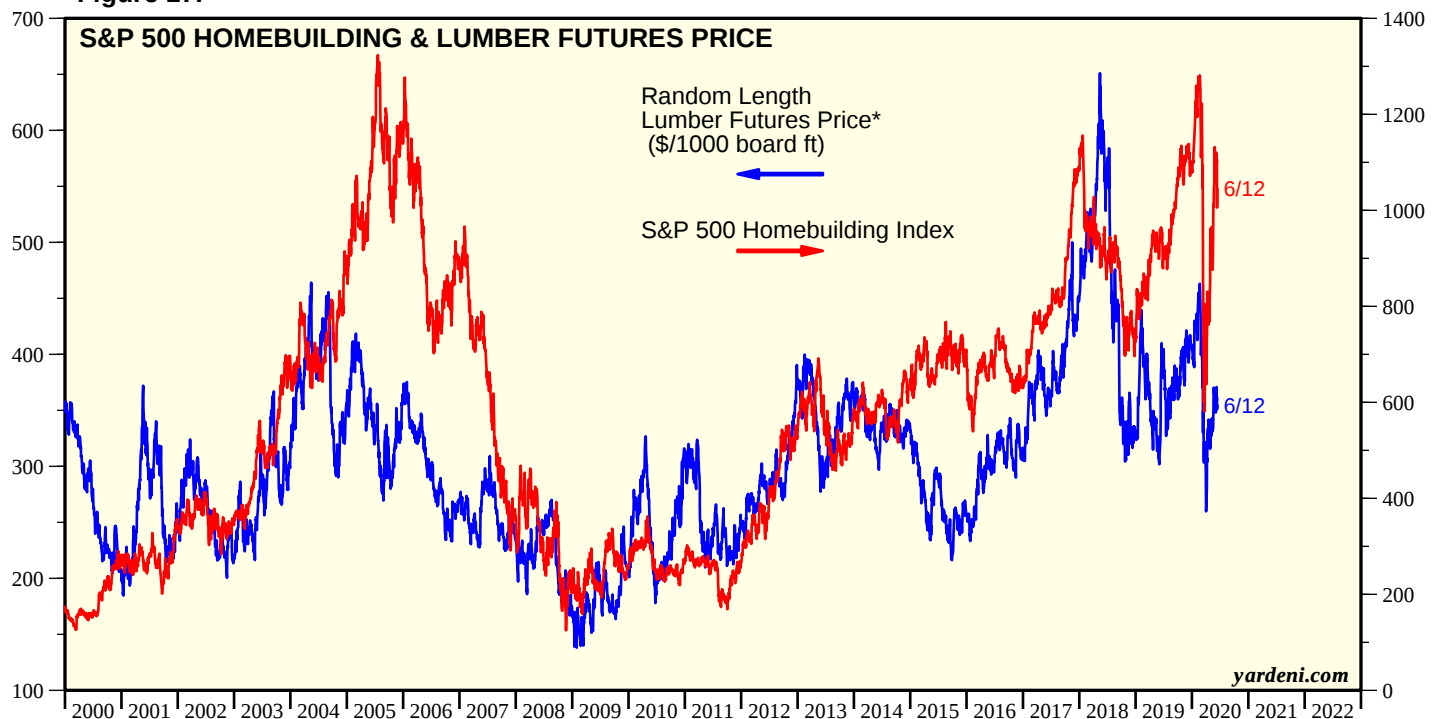


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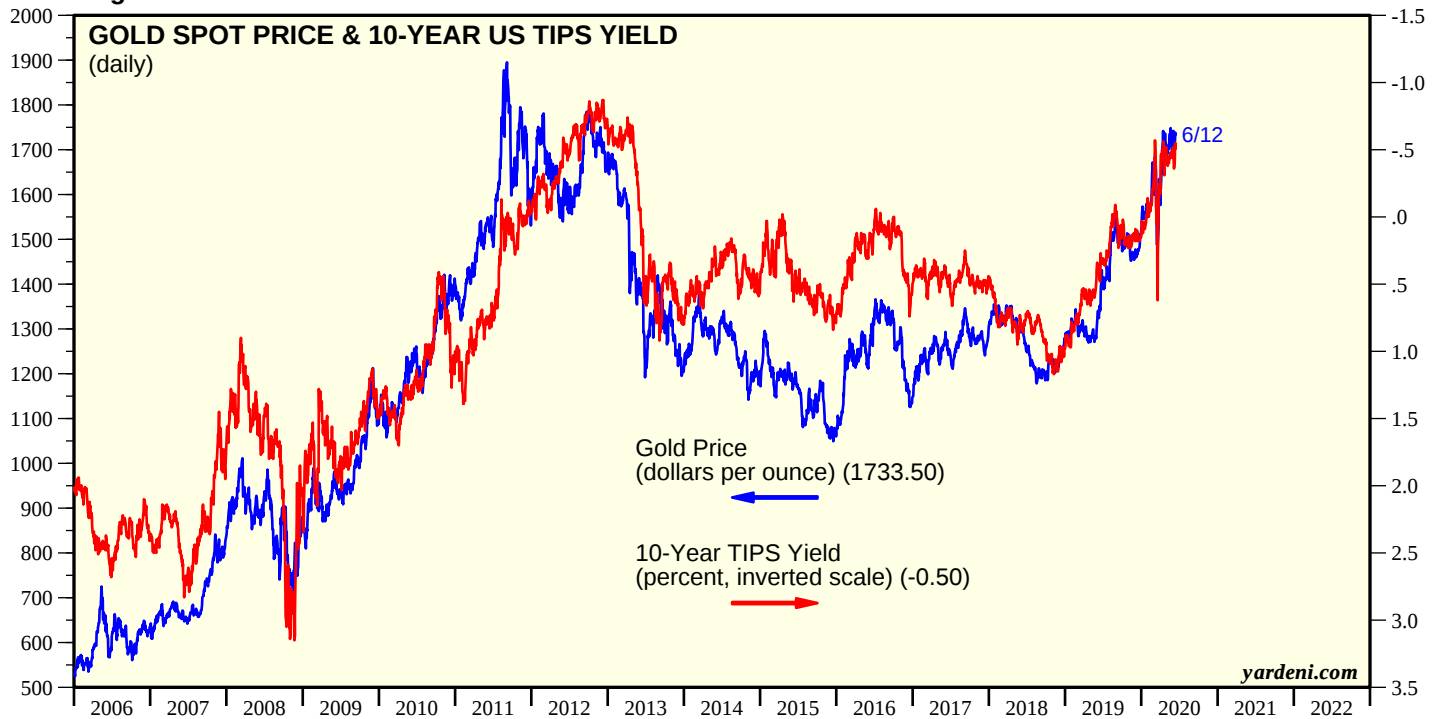
* Excluding US Strategic Petroleum Reserve.
Source: US Department of Energy and Haver Analytics.

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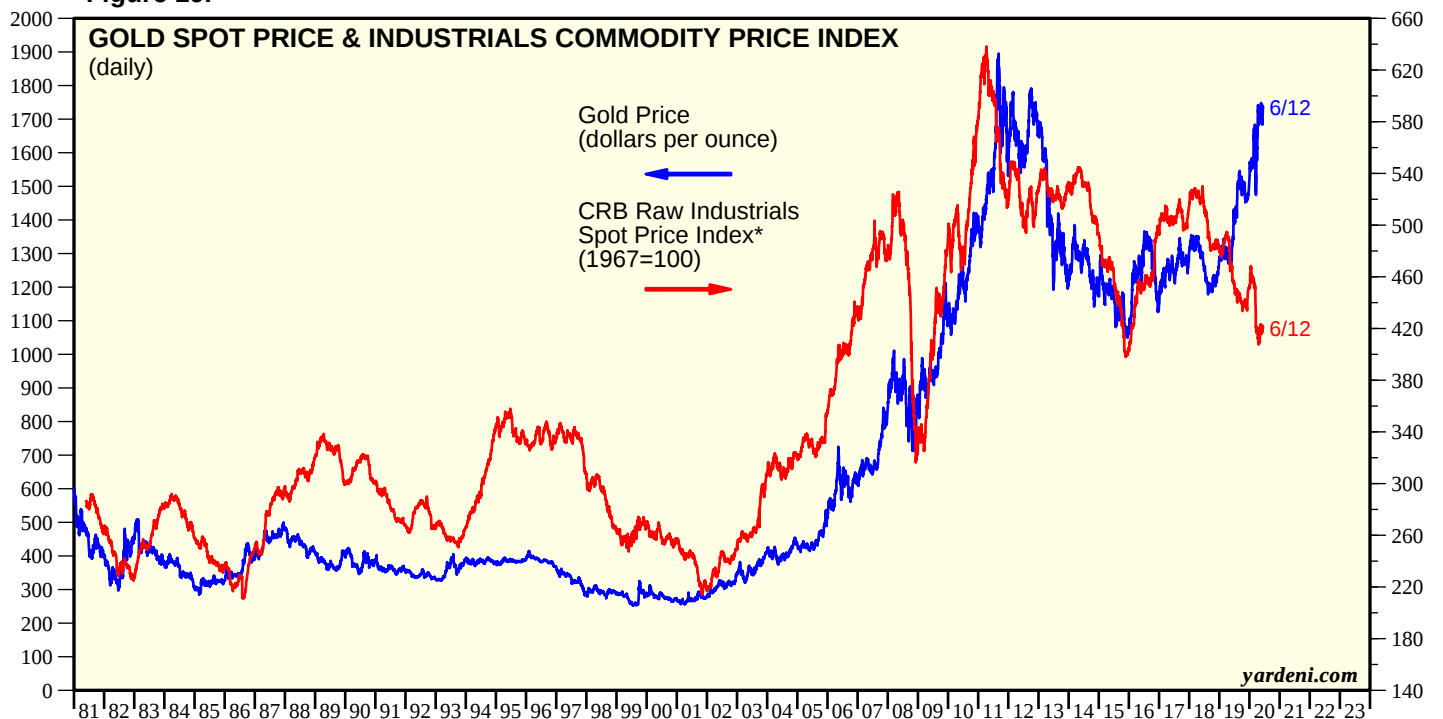
* Nearby contract.
Source: Standard & Poor's Corporation and Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

Figure 18.



Source: Federal Reserve Board, Wall Street Journal, and Haver Analytics.

Figure 19.



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Source: Haver Analytics and Commodity Research Bureau.

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