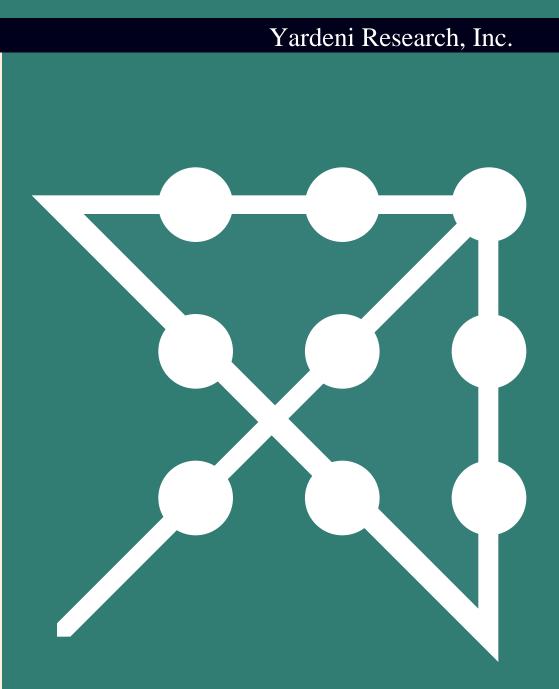
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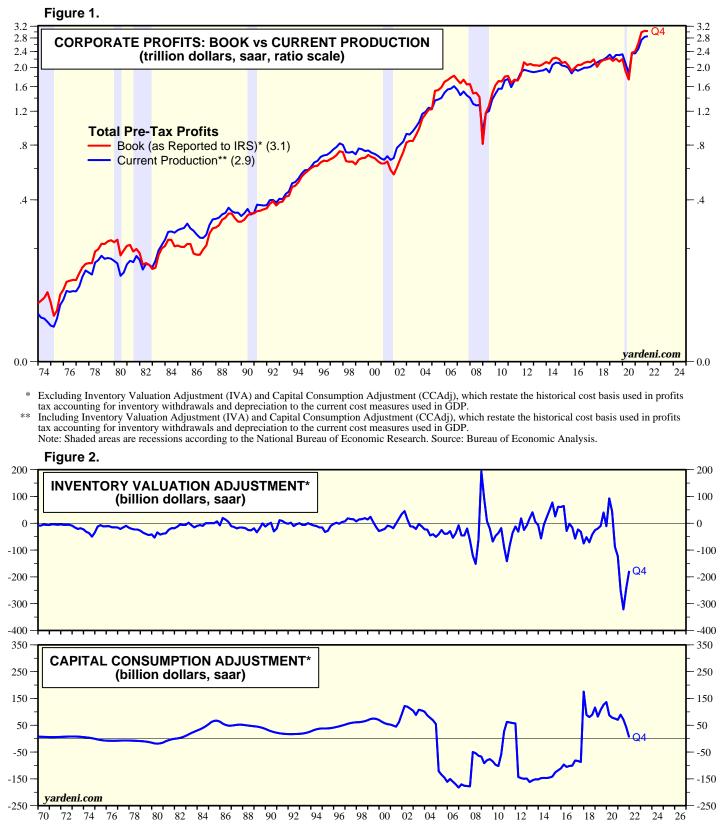
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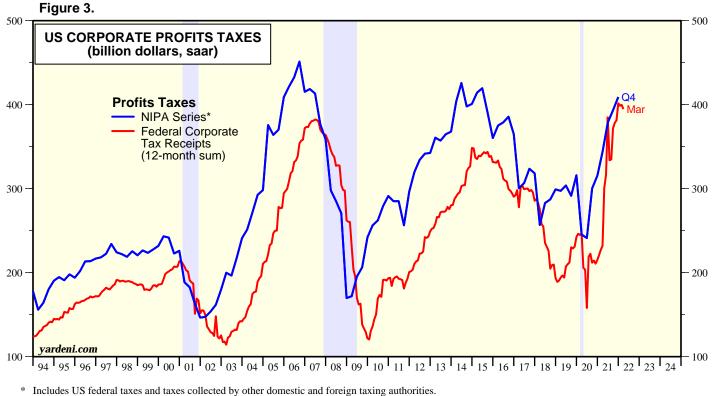
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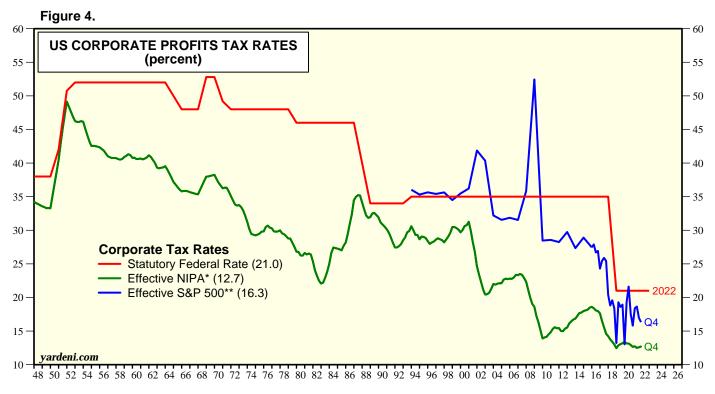
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* Inventory Valuation Adjustment (IVA) and Capital Consumption Adjustment (CCAdj) are used to restate the historical cost basis used in profits tax accounting for inventory withdrawals and depreciation to the current cost measures used in GDP. Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.



Includes US federal taxes and taxes collected by other domestic and foreign taxing authorities. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.

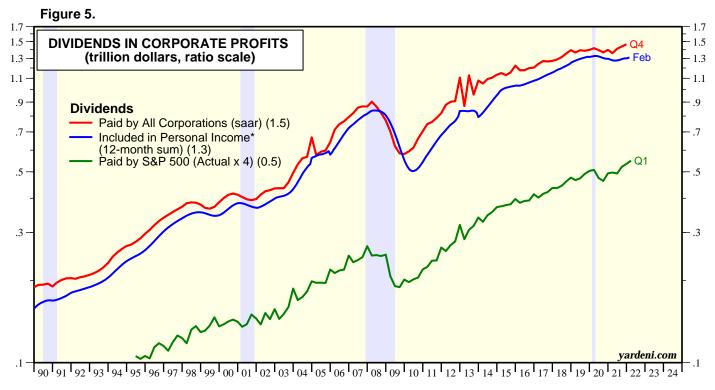


Pretax profits reported to the IRS minus after-tax corporate profits divided by pretax profits. Using four-quarter averages. Pre-tax profits includes the profits of S corporations, which are taxed as personal income. Includes "profits" of the Federal Reserve System, which are sent back to the US Treasury. After-tax profits reflects taxes paid to all domestic and foreign taxing agencies. Includes US federal taxes and taxes collected by other domestic and foreign taxing authorities. Derived from S&P Analyst Handbook, where tax rate is *

** income tax as percentage of pre-tax income. Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis and US Treasury.

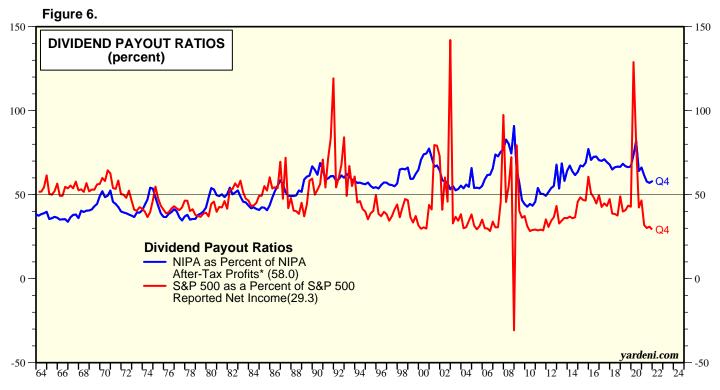
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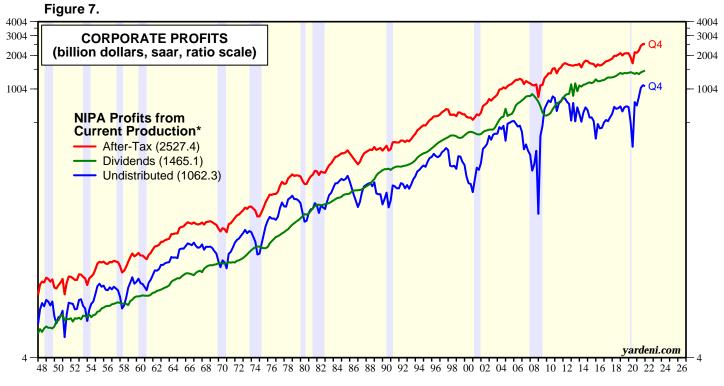


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Included in personal income. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis and Standard & Poor's.

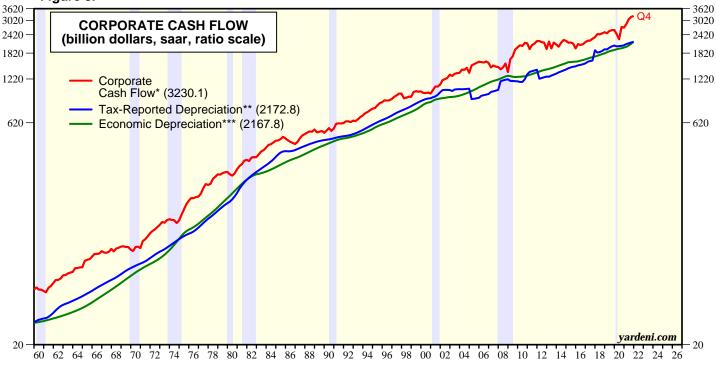


From Current Production. Including IVA & CCadj. These two adjustments restate the historical cost basis used in profits tax accounting for inventory * withdrawals and depreciation to the current cost measures used in GDP. Source: Federal Reserve Board, Financial Accounts of the United States, Standard & Poor's and Bureau of Economic Analysis.



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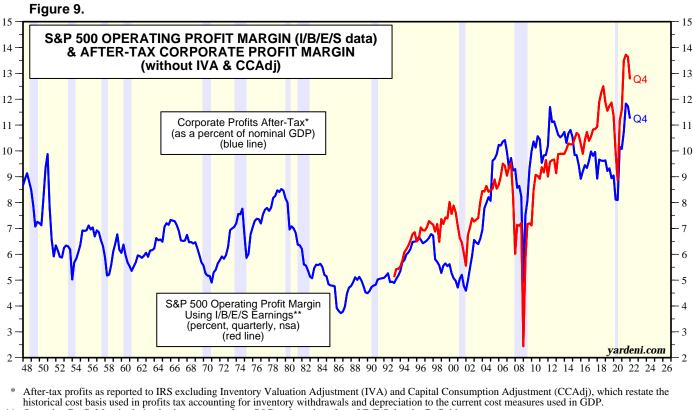
Figure 8.



* After-tax undistributed corporate profits with IVA and CCAdj plus capital consumption allowance (i.e., tax-reported deprecation).

** Capital consumption allowance. *** Consumption of fixed capital

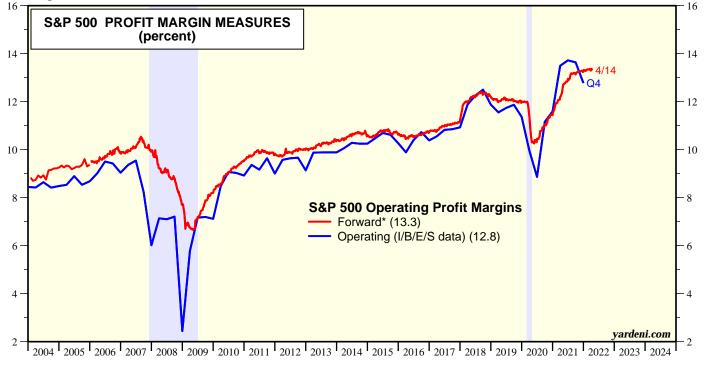
* Consumption of fixed capital. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.



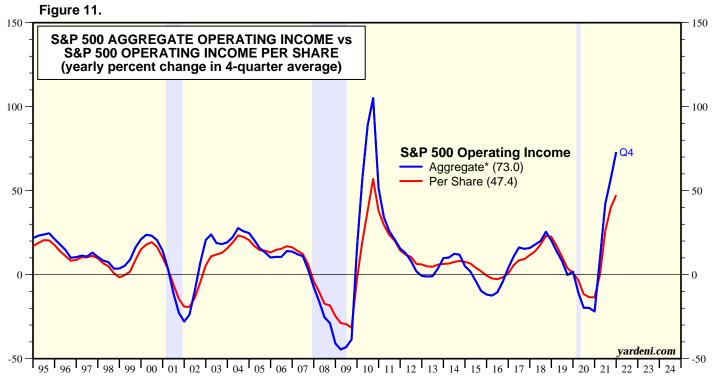
historical cost basis used in profits tax accounting for inventory withdrawals and depreciation to the current cost measures used
 ** Operating Profit Margin derived using revenues from S&P and earnings from I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.
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Source: Standard & Poor's, Bureau of Economic Analysis, and I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.

Figure 10.

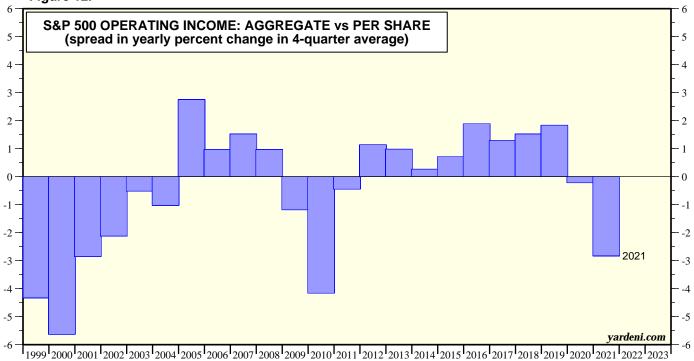


* Time-weighted average of consensus operating earnings estimates for current and next years. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Standard & Poor's (for actual revenues) and I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv (for forward revenues).

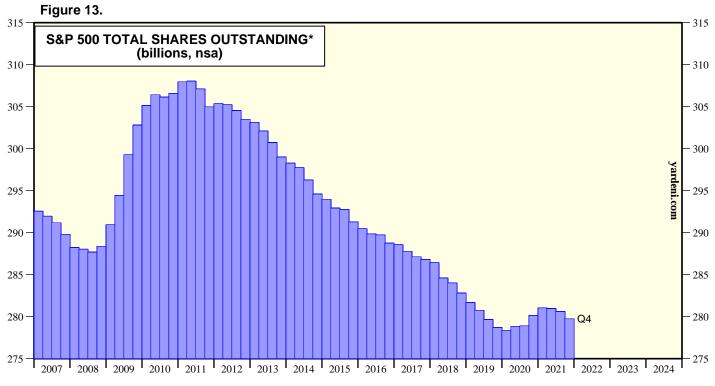


* Aggregate earnings is derived by multiplying S&P 500 earnings per share by the S&P 500 divisor for each quarter. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv and Standard & Poor's.

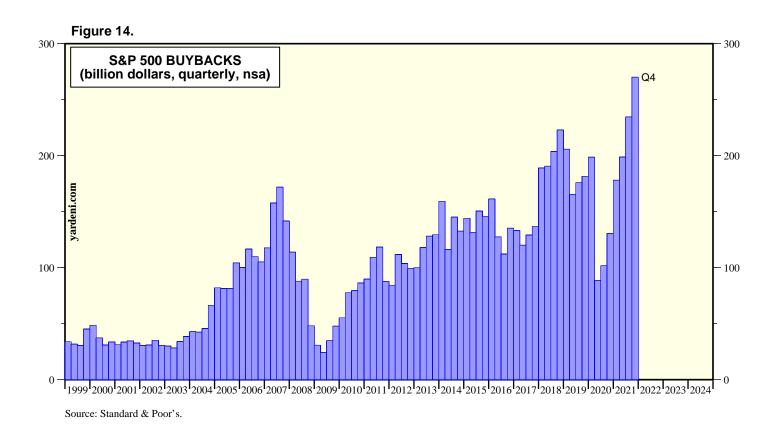


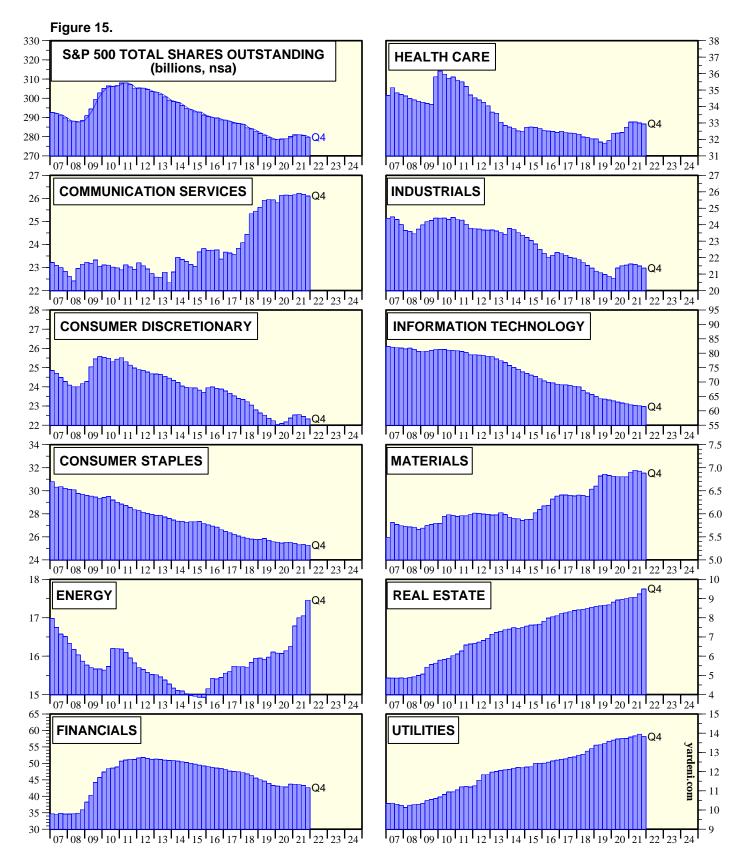


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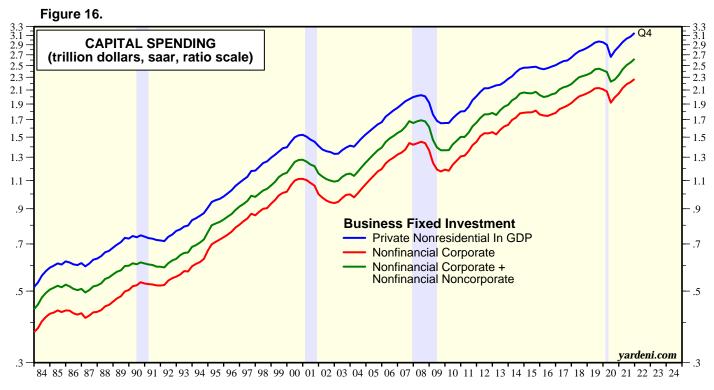
* Total basic shares outstanding for current S&P 500 companies with data for all periods and adjusted for stock splits and stock dividends. Source: Yardeni Research and I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv.



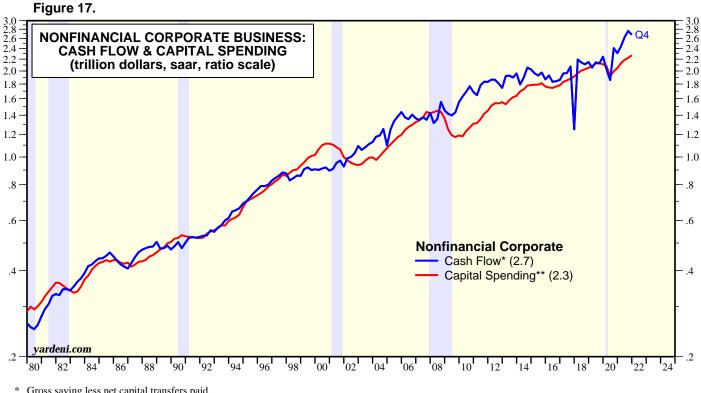


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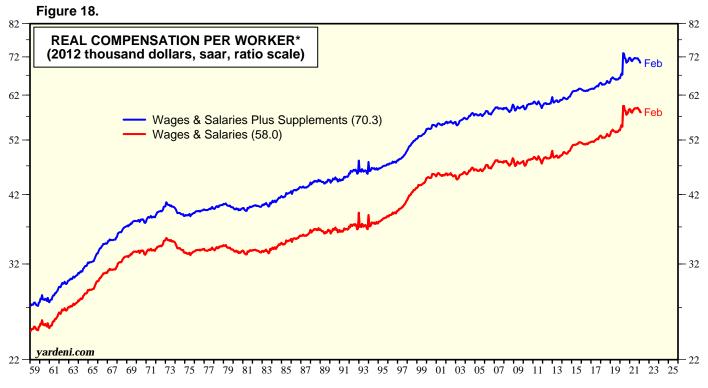


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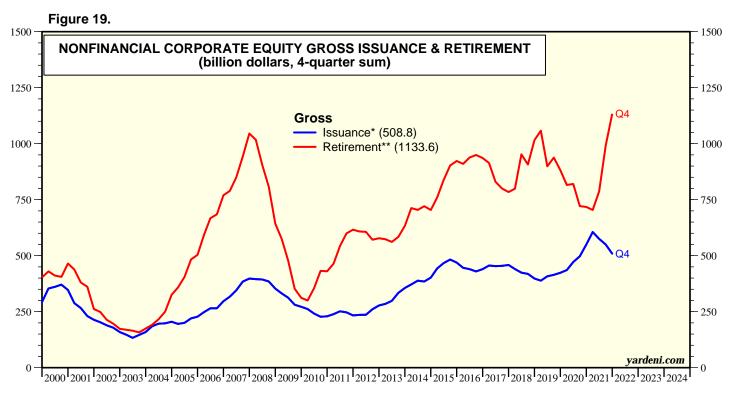


* Gross saving less net capital transfers paid.
** Fixed investment.

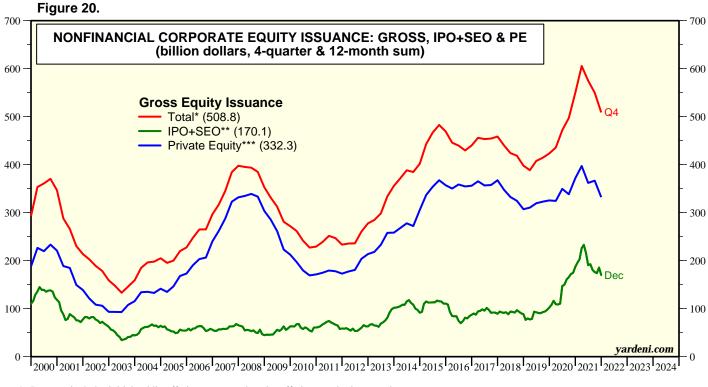
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* Wages, salaries and supplements in personal income divided by household employment. Using personal consumpton expenditures deflator. Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, and US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.



 * Issuance includes initial public offerings, seasoned equity offerings, and private equity.
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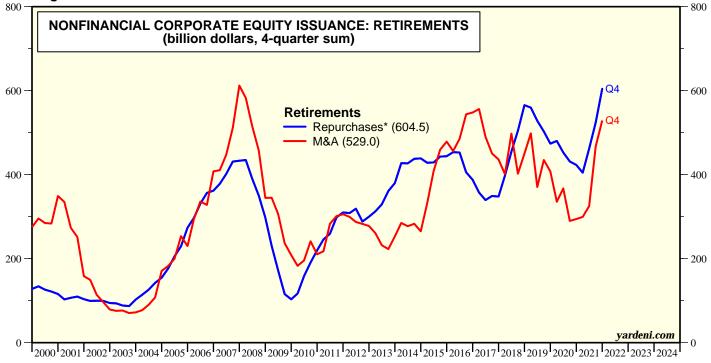


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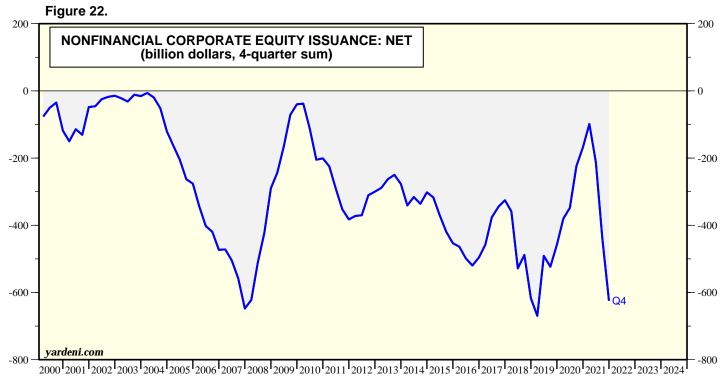
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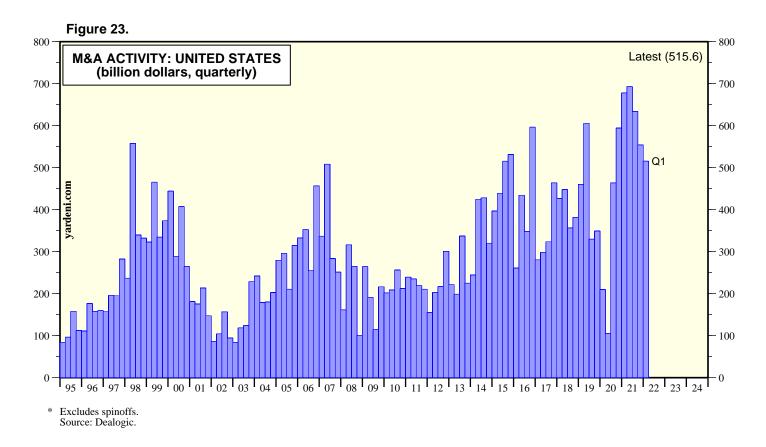


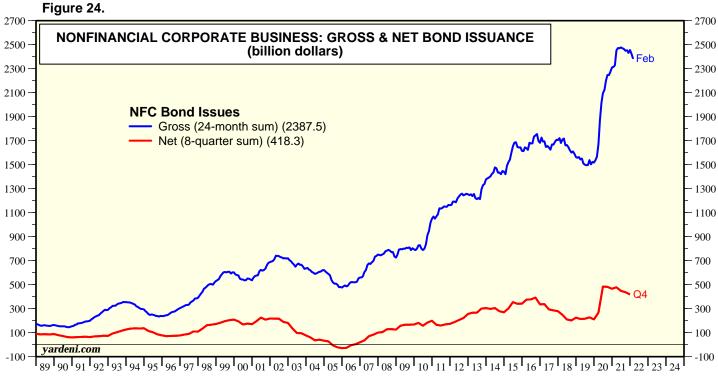


Mostly attributable to S&P 500 buybacks by nonfinancial corporations. Source: Federal Reserve Board Financial Accounts of the United States. *

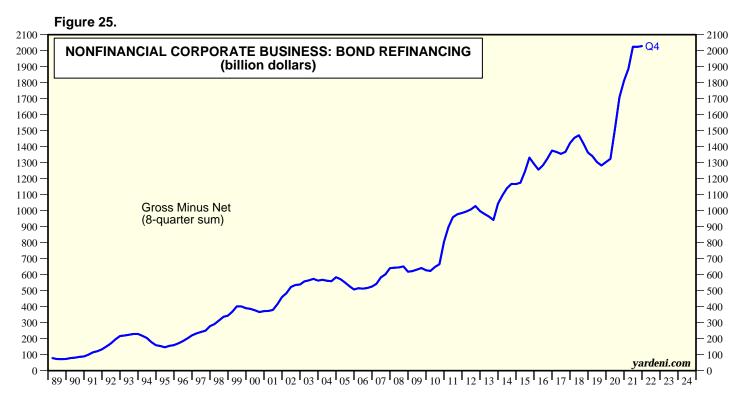


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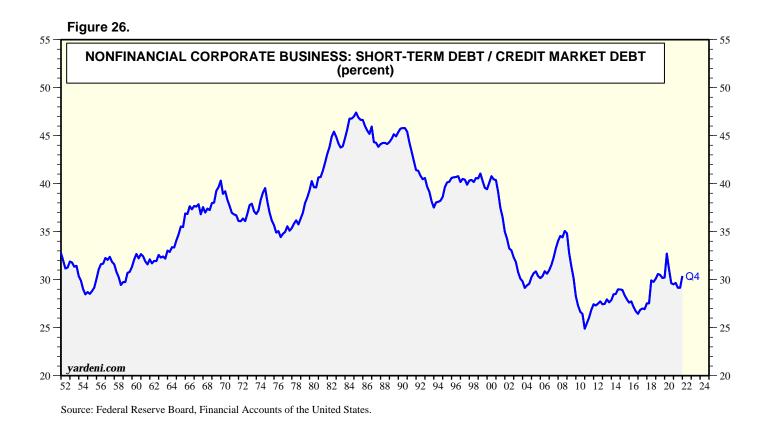


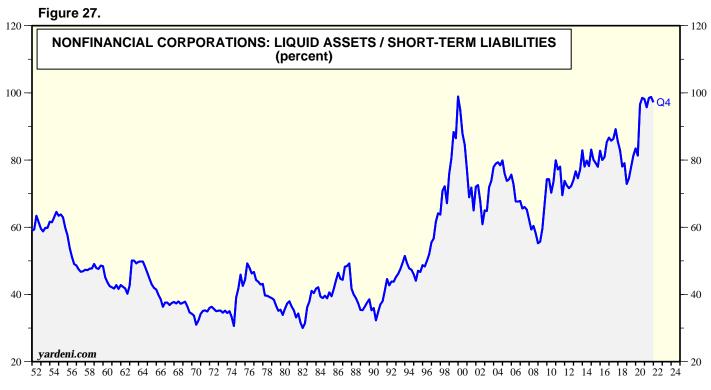


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