Money & Credit: US Financial Crises

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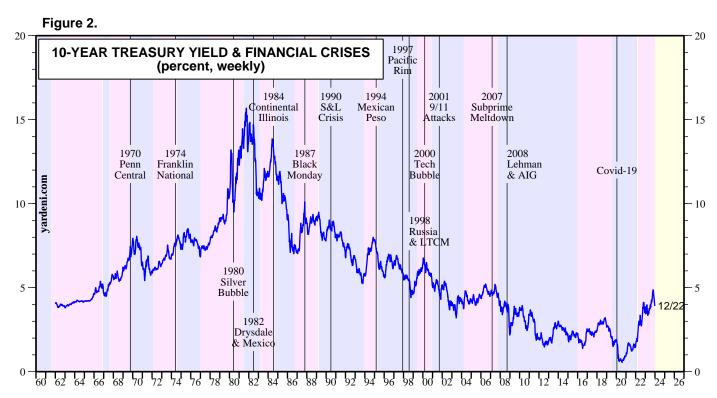
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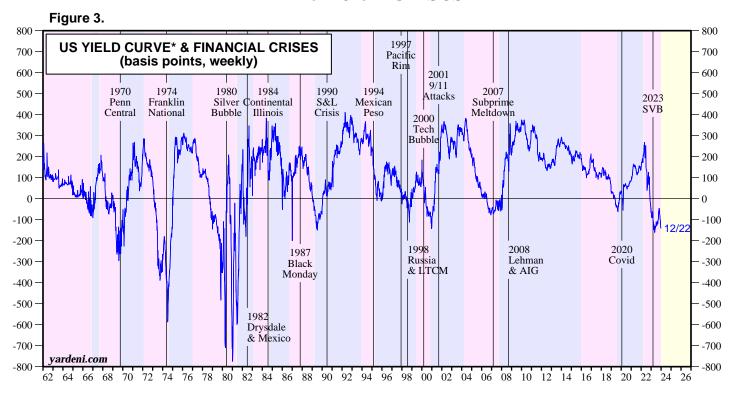
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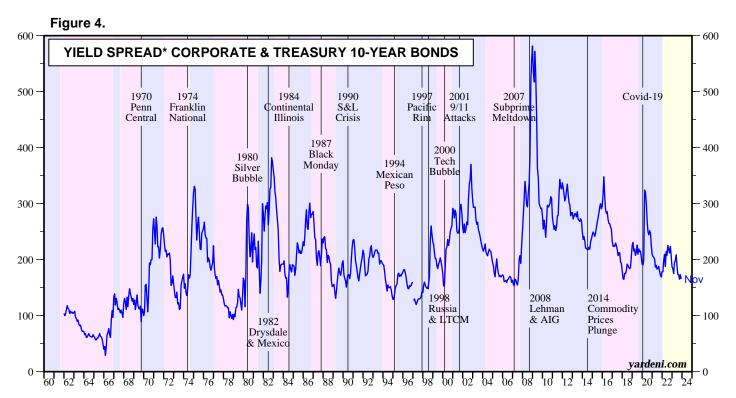


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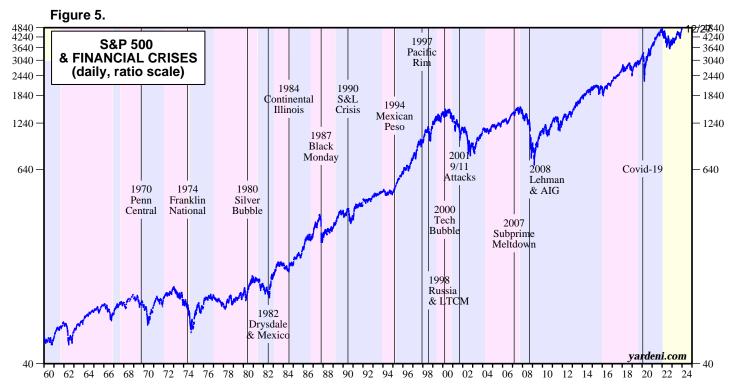
* 10-year US Treasury yield less federal funds rate. Note: Blue shaded areas are periods of monetary easing between cyclical peaks and troughs in the federal funds rate. Red shaded areas are monetary tightening periods Source: Federal Reserve Board.



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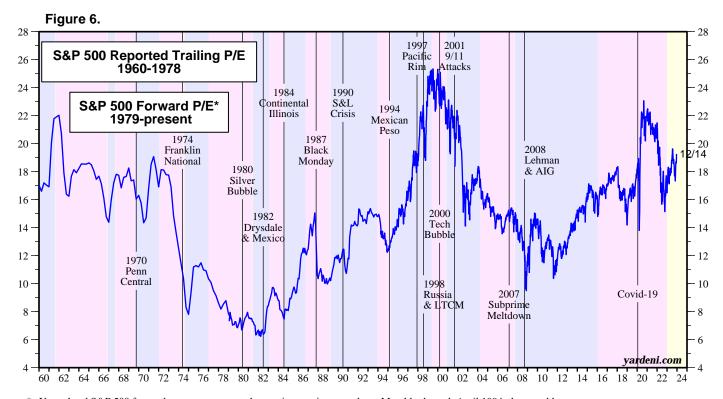
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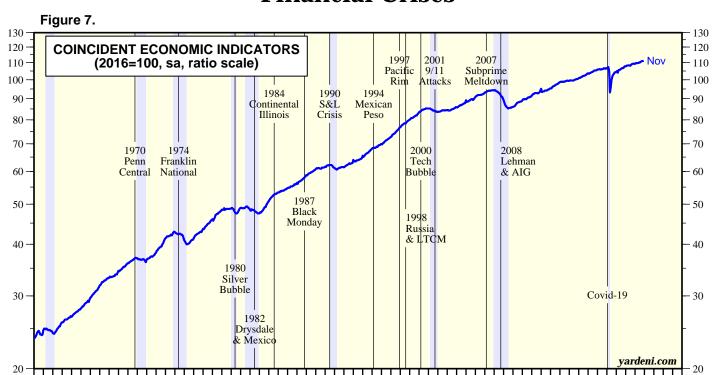


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Year-ahead S&P 500 forward consensus expected operating earnings per share. Monthly through April 1994, then weekly. Note: Blue shaded areas denote periods of monetary easing between cyclical peaks and troughs in the federal funds rate. Red shaded areas denote monetary tightening periods. Source: I/B/E/S data by Refinitiv and Standard & Poor's.



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Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: The Conference Board.

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