US Economic Indicators: Productivity Cycles

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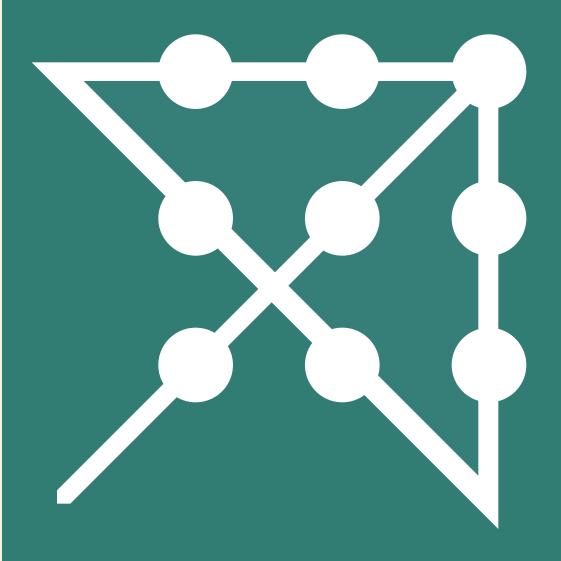
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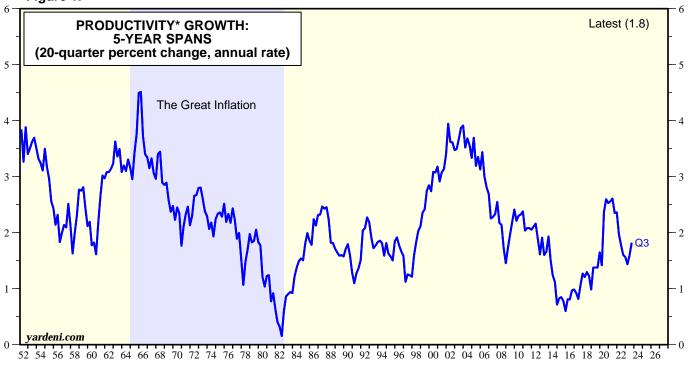
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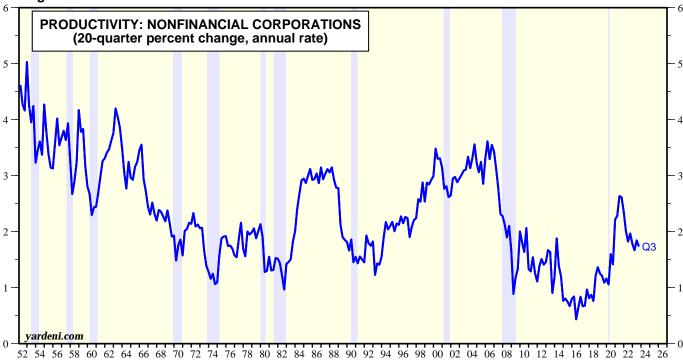
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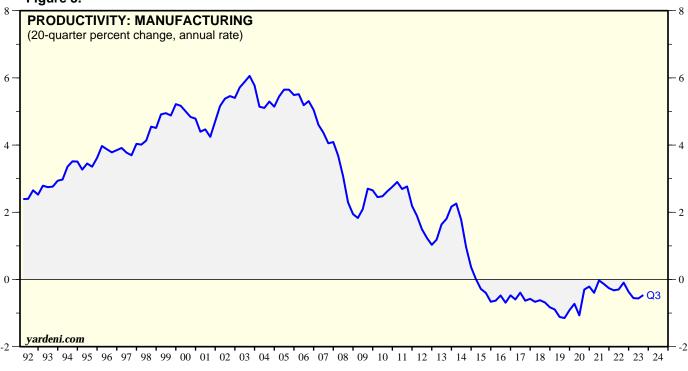
Nonfarm business. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Figure 2.



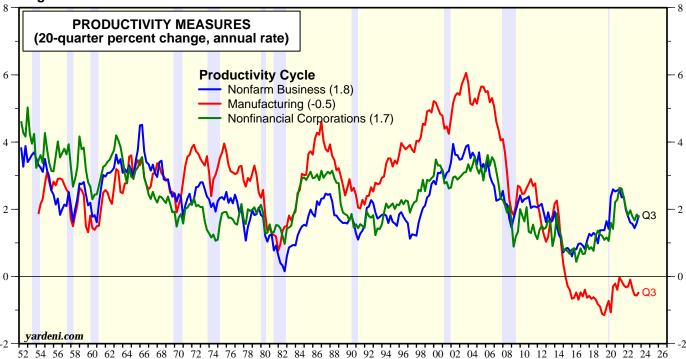
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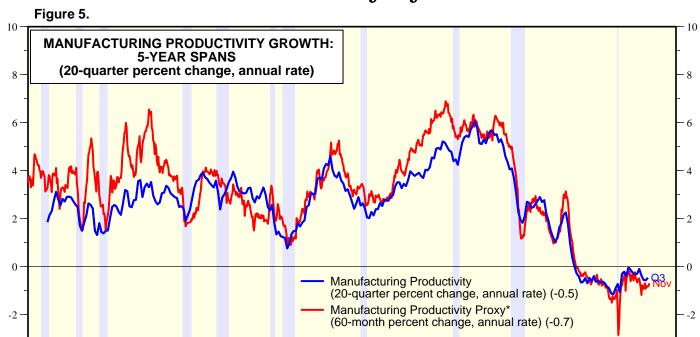


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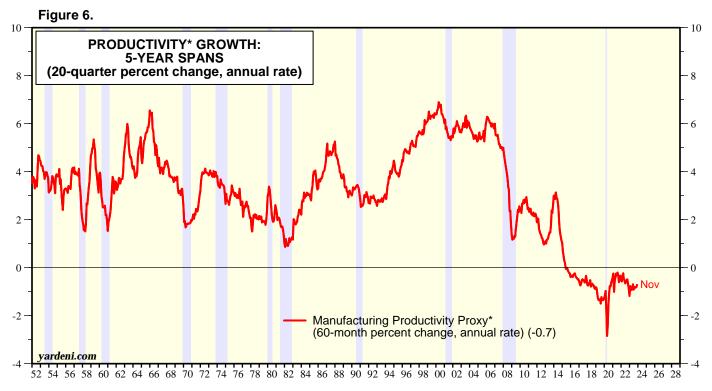
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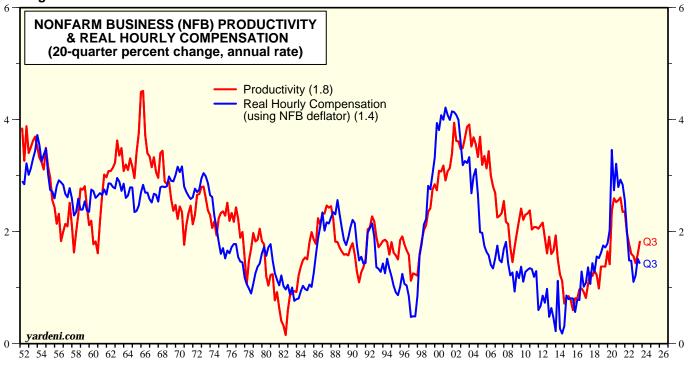
* Manufacturing industrial production divided by payroll employment in manufacturing. Note: Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics and Federal Reserve Board.

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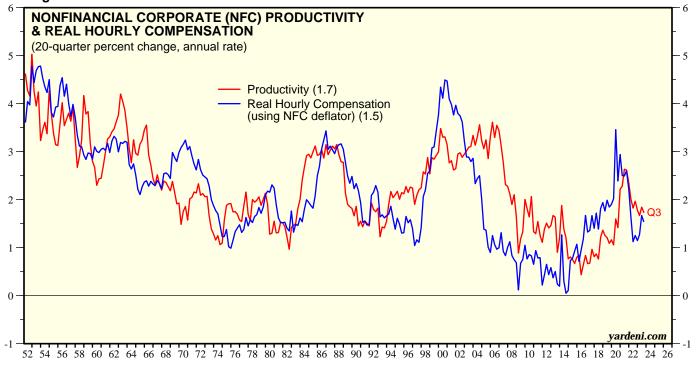
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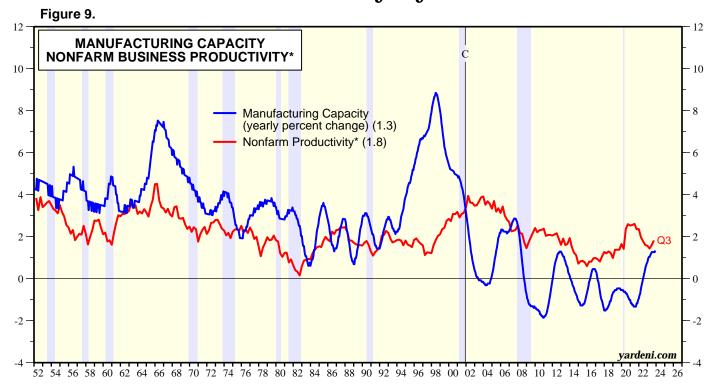


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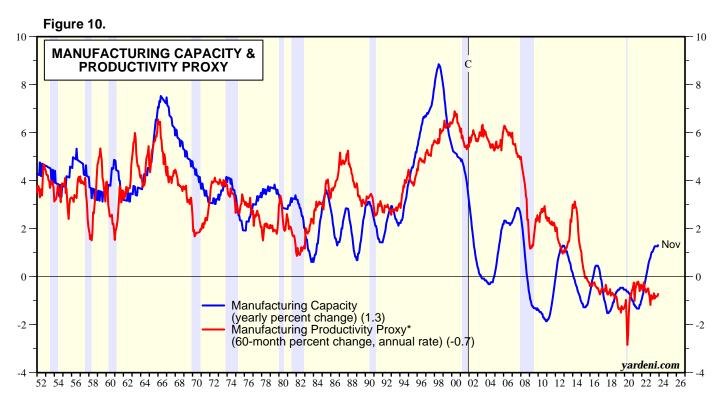
Figure 8.



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.



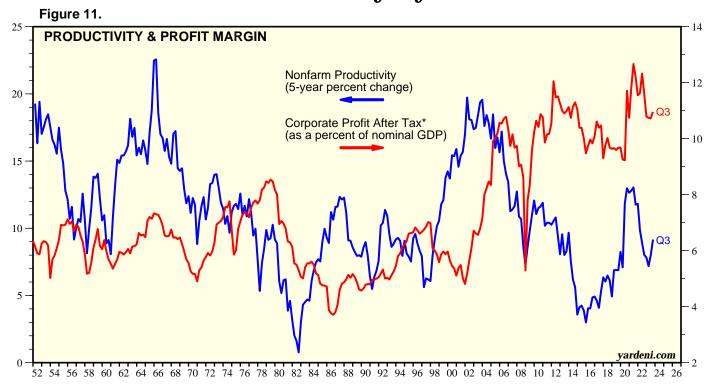
* 20-quarter percent change, annual rate
Note: C = China joined WTO on December 11, 2001. Shaded areas are recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research.
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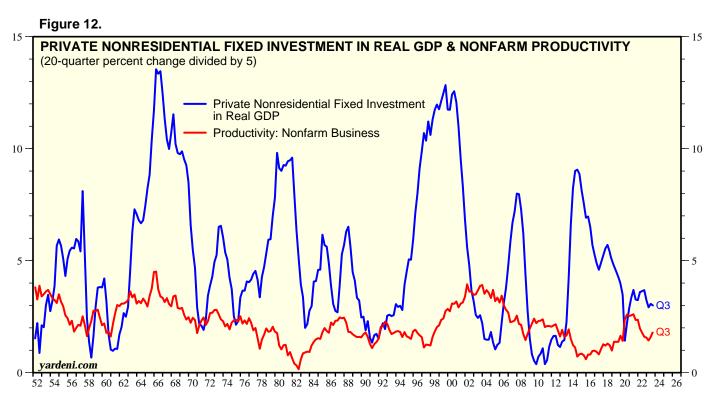
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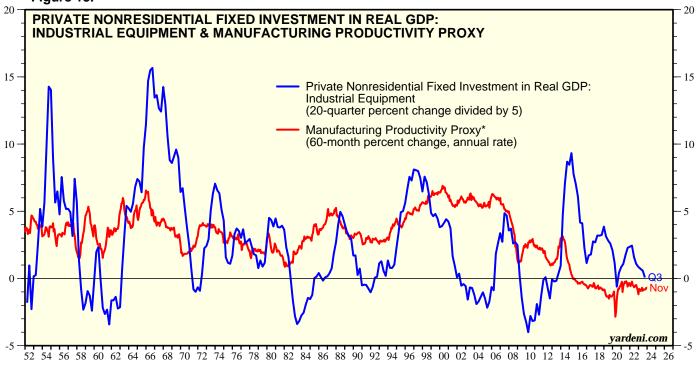
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^{*} After-tax profits as reported to IRS excluding Inventory Valuation Adjustment (IVA) and Capital Consumption Adjustment (CCAdj), which restate the historical cost basis used in profits tax accounting for inventory withdrawals and depreciation to the current cost measures used in GDP. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

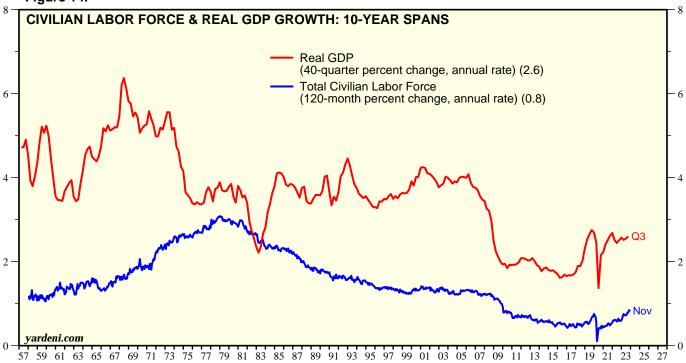




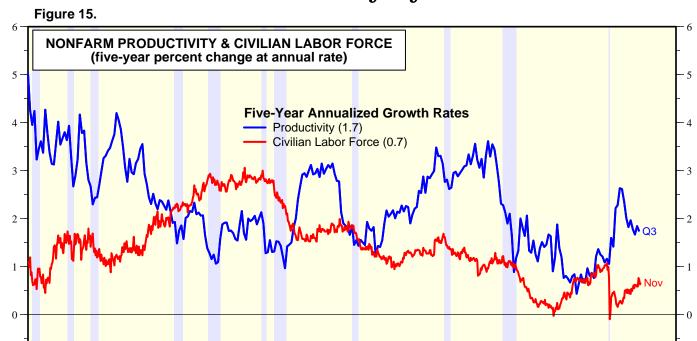


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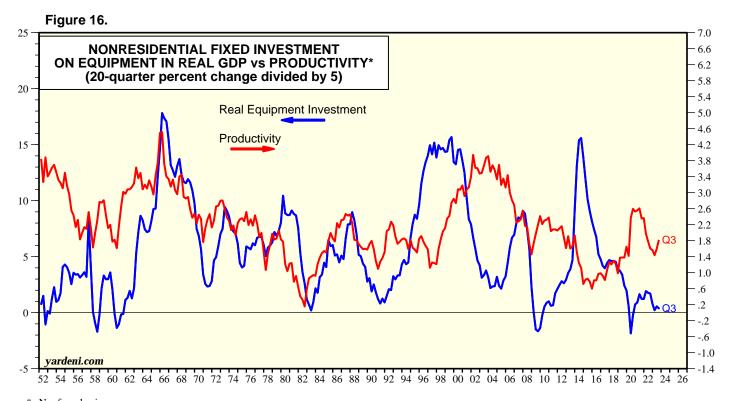
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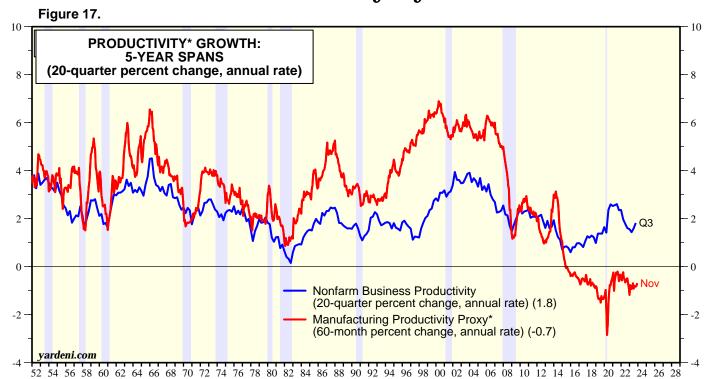
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* Nontarm business.
Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis and Bureau of Labor Statistics.



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