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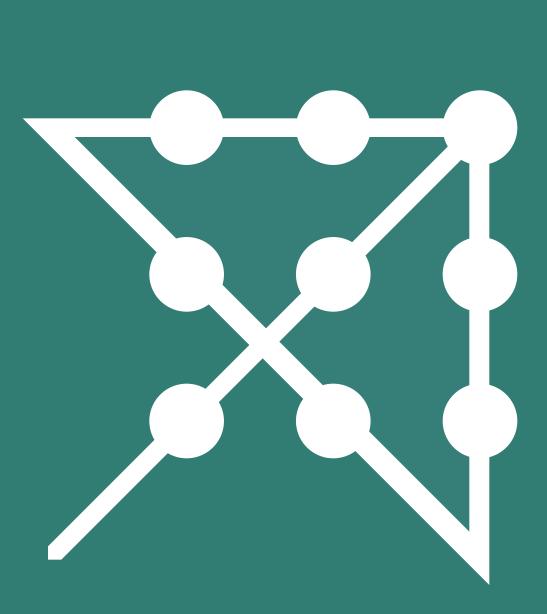
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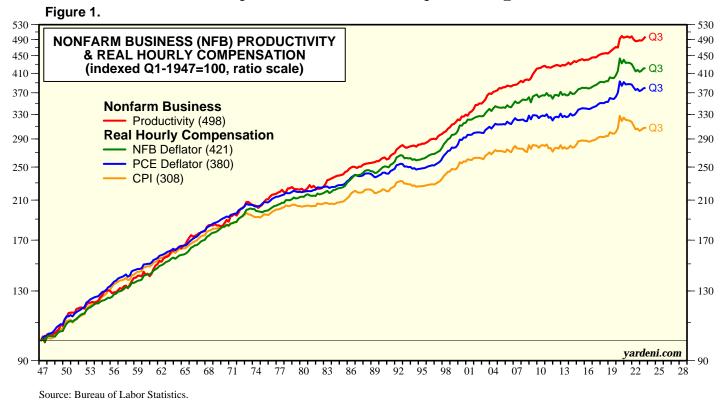


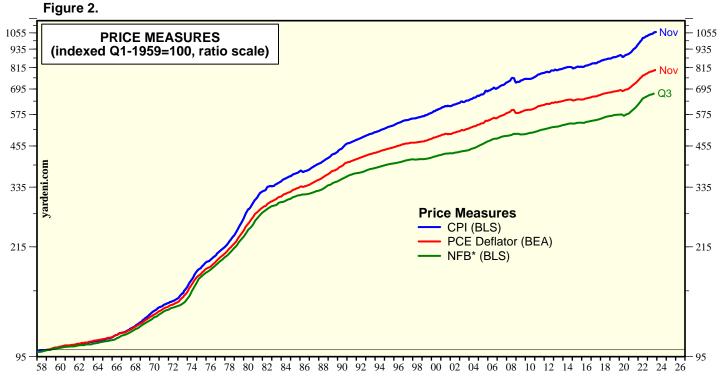
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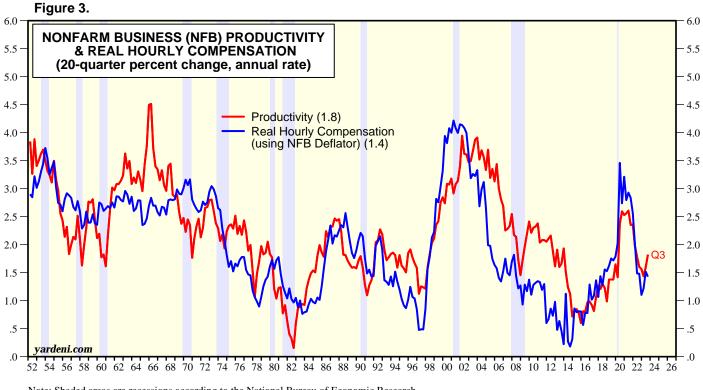
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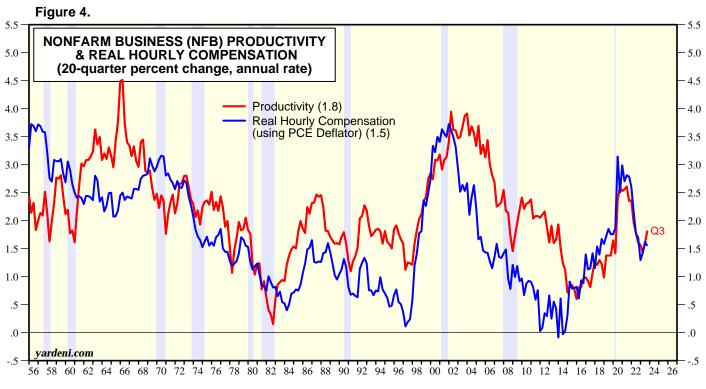


* Nonfarm business. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

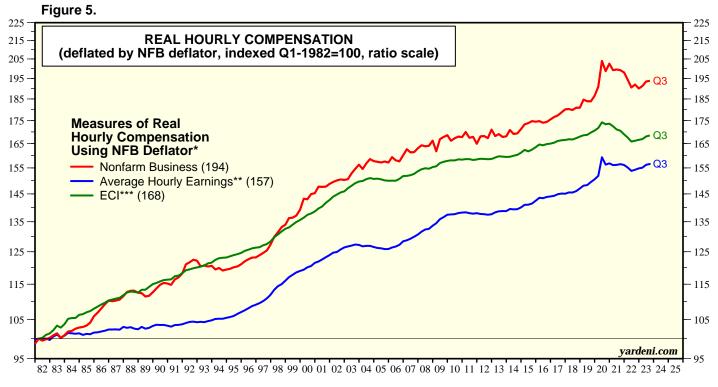
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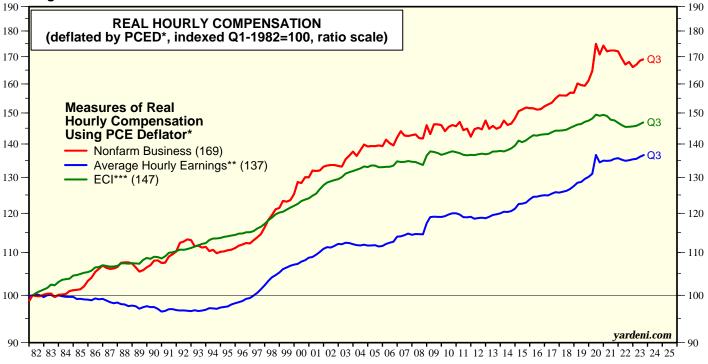


* Nonfarm Business Deflator.

** Wages only of production and nonsupervisory workers.

*** Employment Cost Index including wages, salaries, and benefits in the private sector. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics.

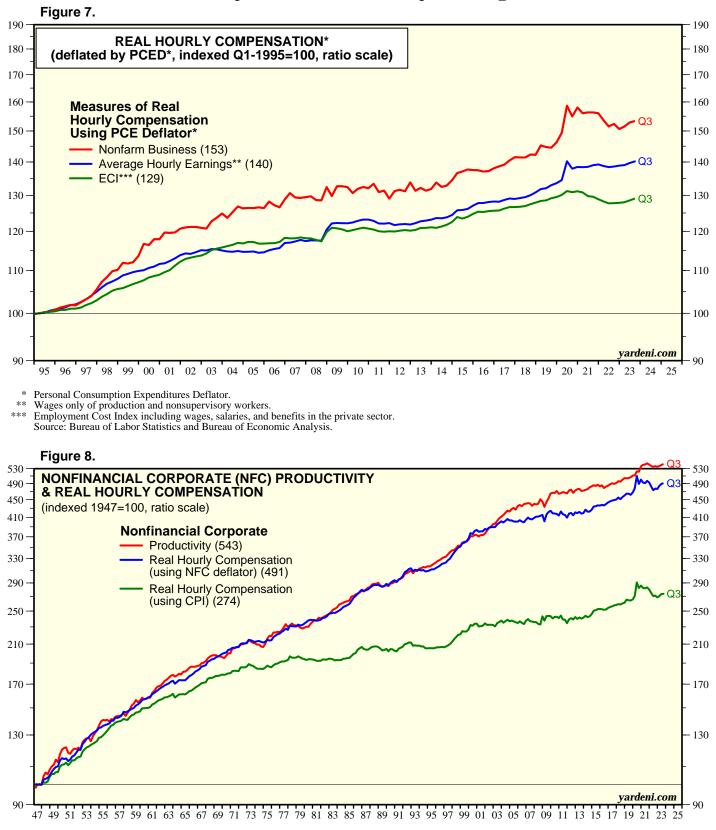
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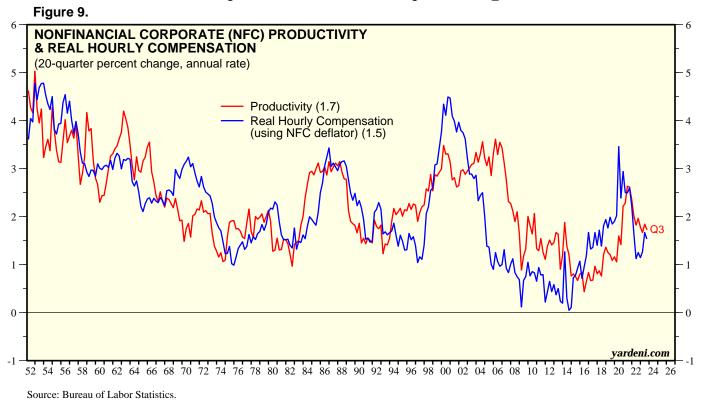
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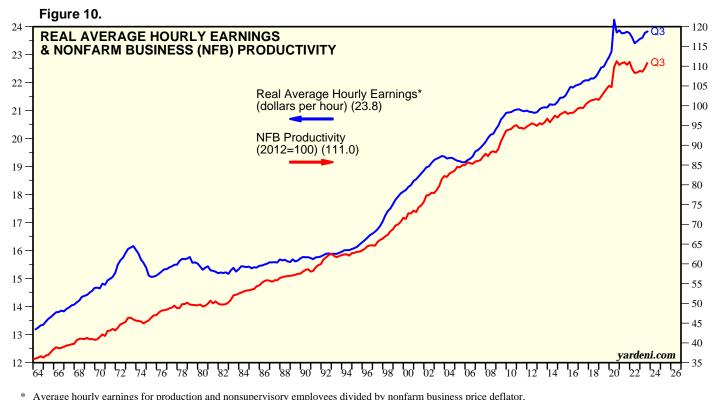
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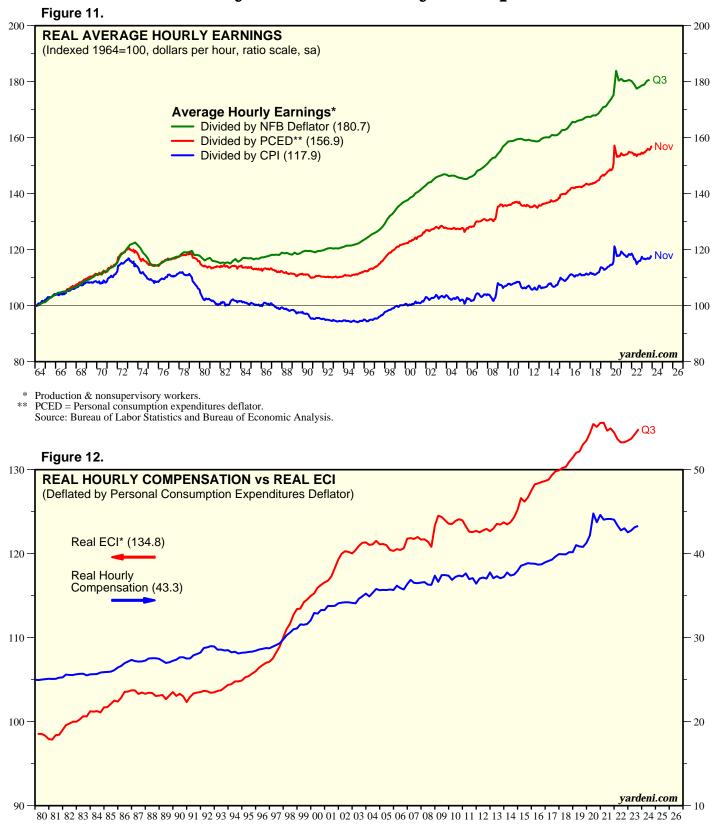


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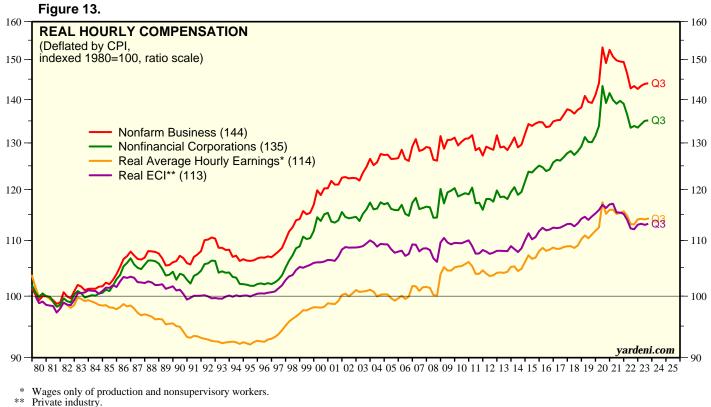




Average hourly earnings for production and nonsupervisory employees divided by nonfarm business price deflator. Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Bureau of Economic Analysis, and Haver Analytics.

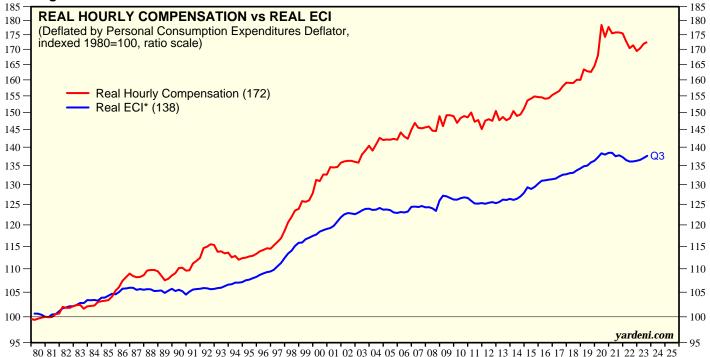


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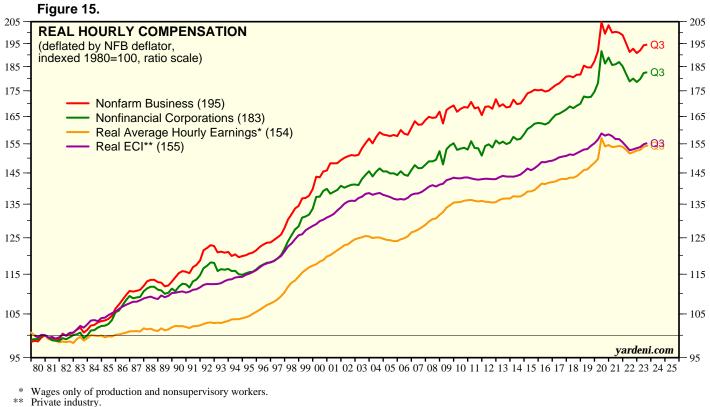


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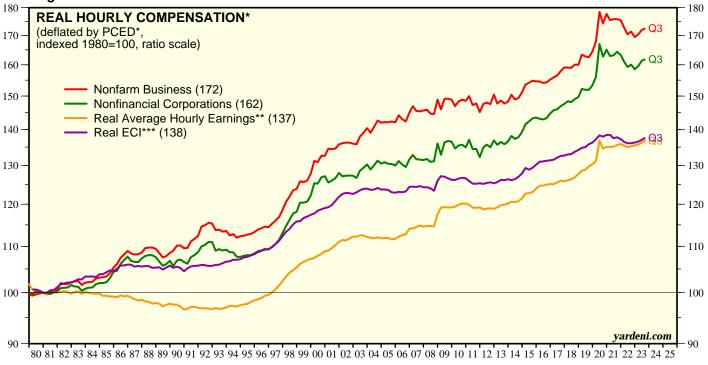


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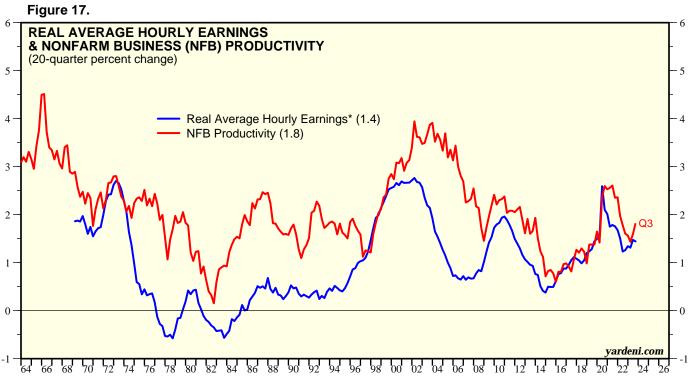
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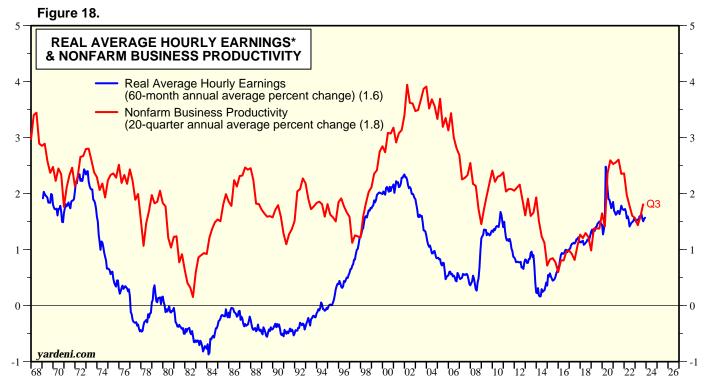
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** Wages only of production and nonsupervisory workers. *** Private industry

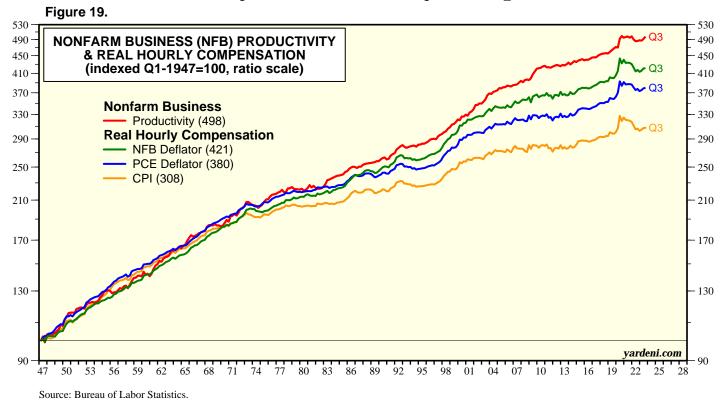
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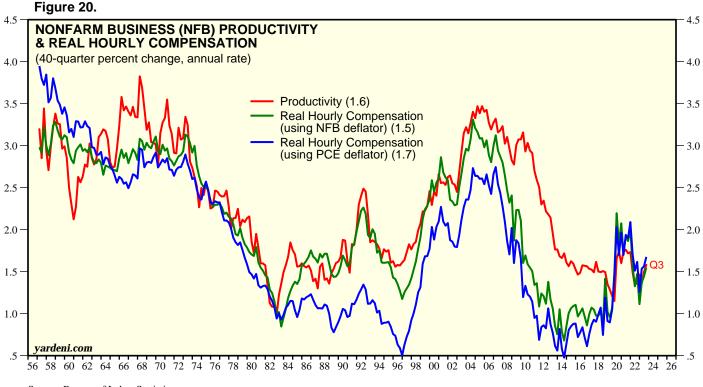


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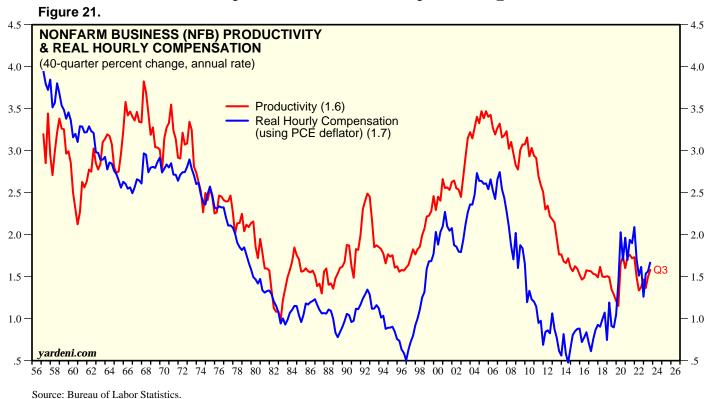


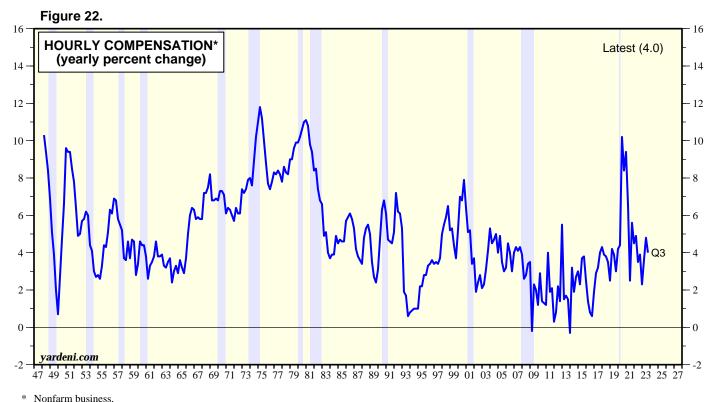
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