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Data Insights: Consumer Price Index, Producer Price Index

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Today's CPI data: what you need to know							
	12-mo YOY	3-mo ann	1-mo ann	12 / 3/1-mo	12-mo YOY history		
All items	+3.15%	+3.99%	+5.44%		$\overline{\ }$		
Core	+3.75%	+4.18%	+4.39%				
OER	+5.97%	+5.75%	+5.13%				
All less OER	+2.14%	+3.27%	+4.55%		$\overline{}$		
Core less OER	+2.41%	+3.21%	+3.92%				
Energy	-1.74%	+4.53%	+30.74%		\sim		
All less energy	+3.54%	+3.93%	+3.78%				
Food	+2.25%	+2.42%	+0.20%				
All less food	+3.31%	+4.23%	+6.27%				
Health care	+1.41%	+3.29%	-0.31%				
All less health care	+3.32%	+4.06%	+5.95%				
Goods	+0.28%	+0.40%	+5.24%		\sim		
Services	+4.97%	+6.38%	+5.82%				

Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

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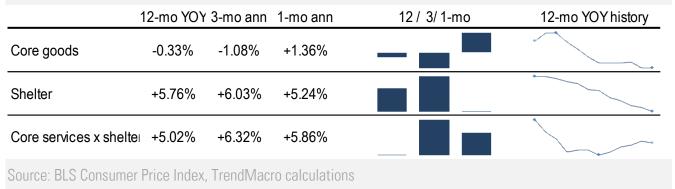
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Today's CPI data: what Fed chair Jerome Powell thinks you need to know

"To assess what it will take to get inflation down, it is useful to break core inflation into three component categories: core goods inflation, housing services inflation, and inflation in core services other than housing." *CPI equivalent of the Fed's preferred Personal Consumption Expenditures inflation*



Today's CPI data: what NY Fed president John Williams thinks you need to know

"I will start to peel the 'inflation onion'... The outermost layer consists of prices of globally traded commodities... The middle layer of the inflation onion is made up of products – especially durable goods... the innermost layer: underlying inflation...Prices for services..."

CPI equivalent of the Fed's preferred Personal Consumption Expenditures inflation

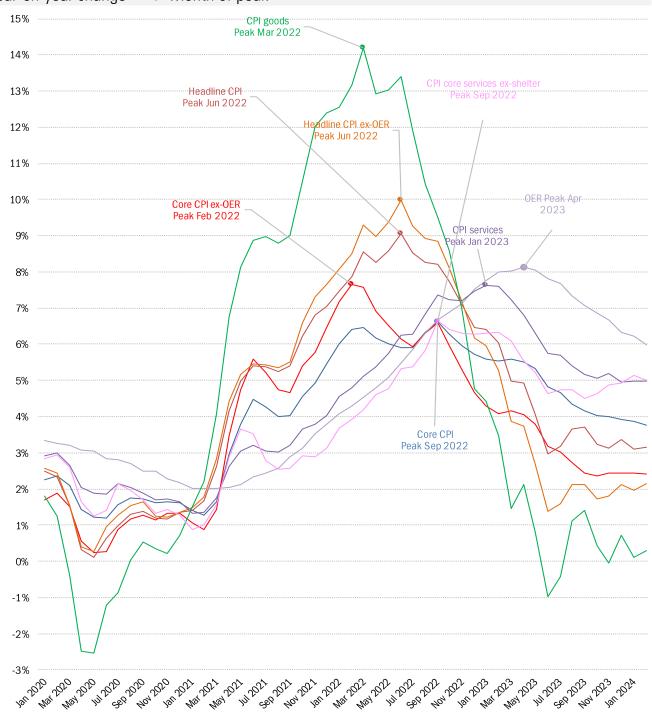
	12-mo YOY 3-	-mo ann	1-mo ann	12 / 3/ 1-mo	12-mo YOY history
Core commodities	-4.73% -	-6.64%	-3.49%		
Durable goods	-1.57% -	-3.50%	-0.72%		
Services	+4.97% +	+6.38%	+5.82%		

Source: BLS Producer Price Index (may be lagged one month), Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

Today's CPI data: what Nobel laureate Milton Friedman thinks you need to know

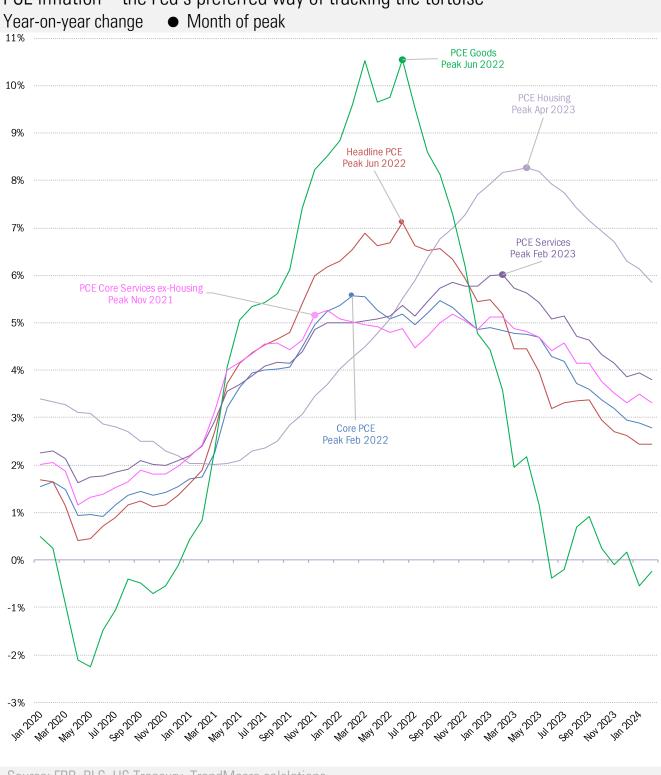
"...inflation is always and everywhere a monetary phenomenon in the sense that it is and can be produced only by a more rapid increase in the quantity of money than in output. However, there are many different possible reasons for monetary growth, including gold discoveries, financing of government spending, and financing of private spending..."



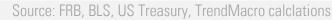


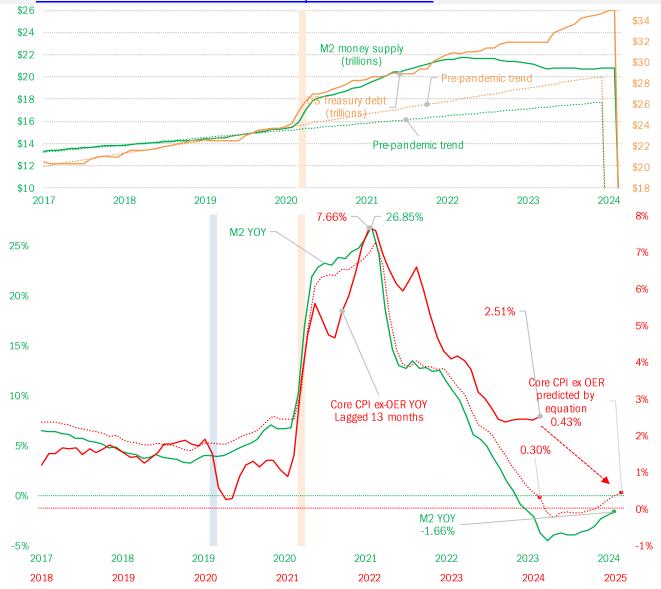
Slow and steady wins the race – the CPI tortoise on the track, in his many variations Year-on-year change • Month of peak

Source: FRB, BLS, US Treasury, TrendMacro calclations



PCE inflation - the Fed's preferred way of tracking the tortoise

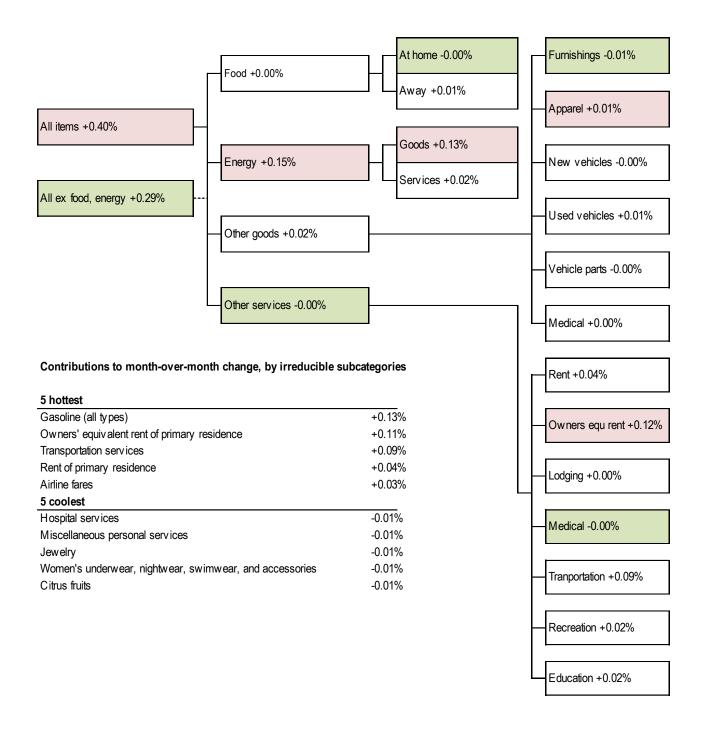




Relation of Treasury debt, M2 money supply and core CPI inflation rate (ex OER) and <u>TrendMacro's monetarist inflation prediction model</u>

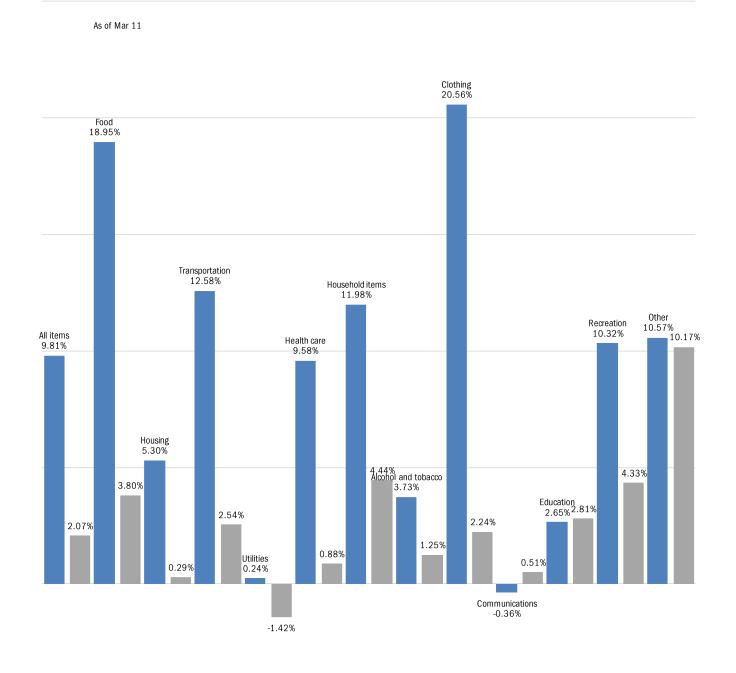
Source: FRB, BLS, US Treasury, TrendMacro calclations

Deconstructing today's CPI data: what explains this month's inflation? Weighted contribution by subcategory Biggest change per detail-level: positive negative



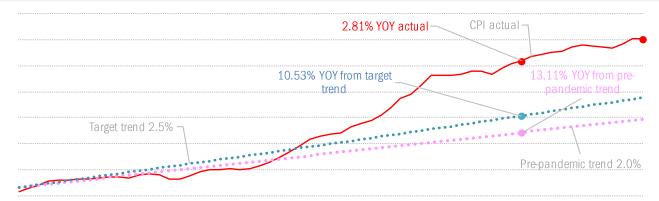
Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

Inflation in real time, based on Truflation's daily telemetry ■ Trailing 31-day consumer price inflation, annual rate ■ Trailing 365-day

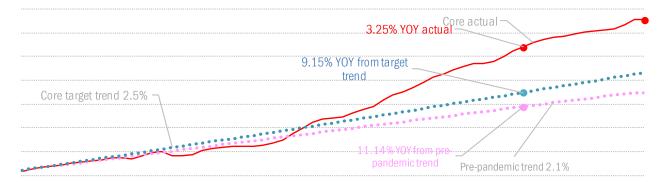


Source: Truflation, TrendMacro calculations

"Transitory," "base-effect" or "optimal control"? This month's data in context with the pre-pandemic and ideal 12-month trends



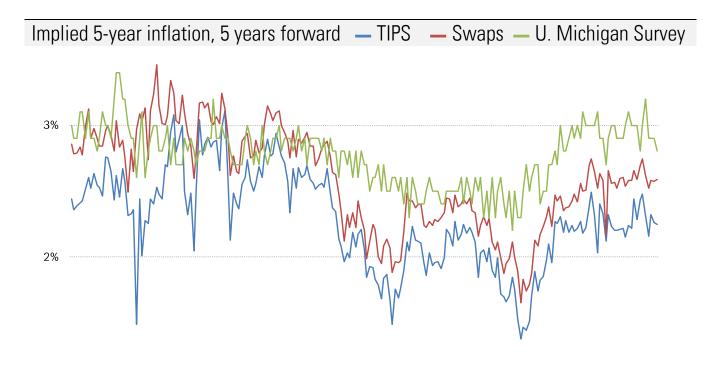
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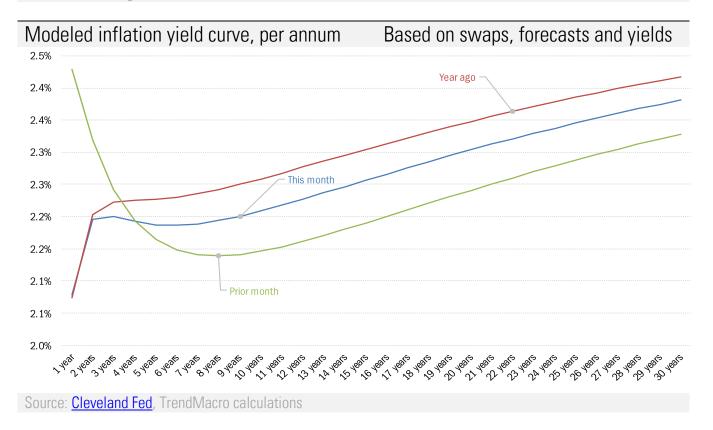
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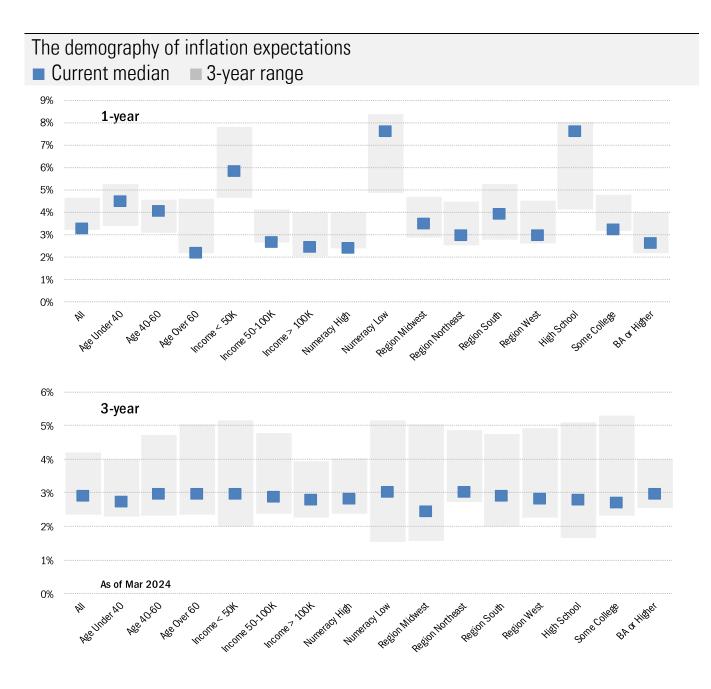
Unhinged? Or too hinged? 5-year 5-year-forward TIPS breakeven 3.2% Latest Fed target in CPI terms 3.0% 2.28% Apr 2022 2.5% 2.67% 2.8% 2.6% 2.4% 2.2% 2.0% Post-GFC average As of Apr 10 1.8% 5-yr average 2.26% 1.6% 1.4% 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 Source: Bloomberg, TrendMacro calclations

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, TrendMacro calclations

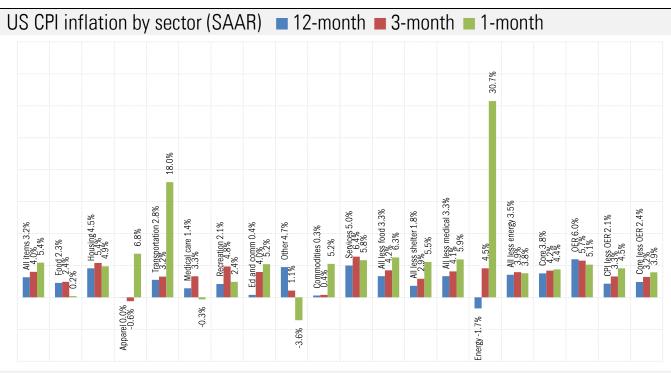


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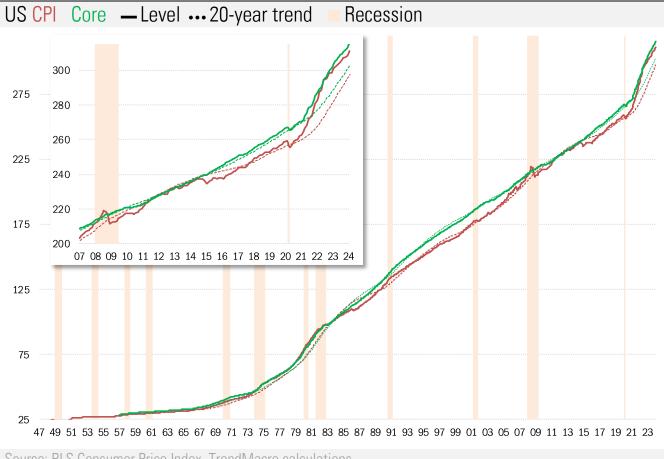




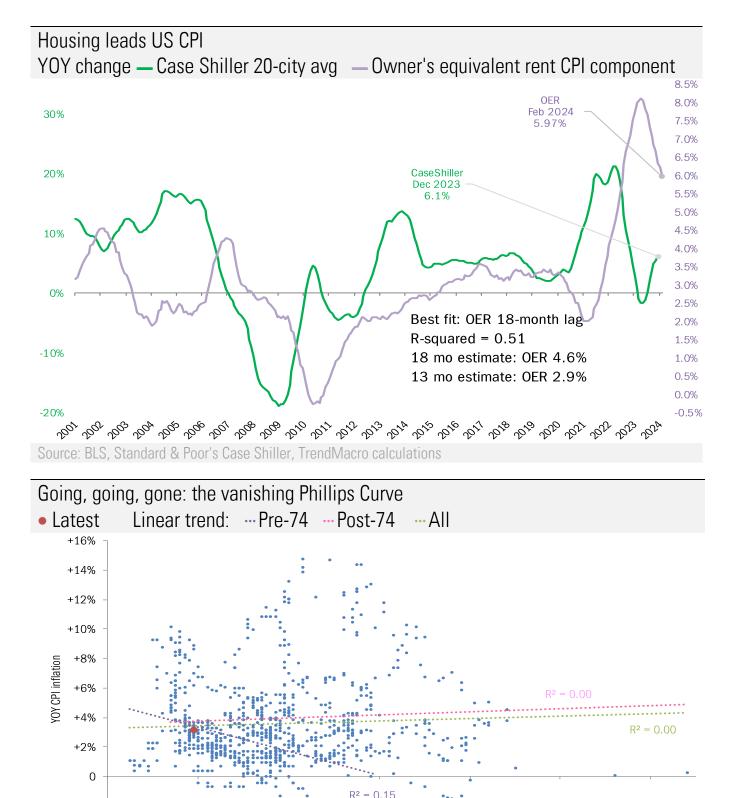
Source: New York Fed Survey of Consumer Expectations, TrendMacro calclations



Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations



Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations



Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, Current Population Survey

+6%

+8%

Unemployment rate

+10%

+12%

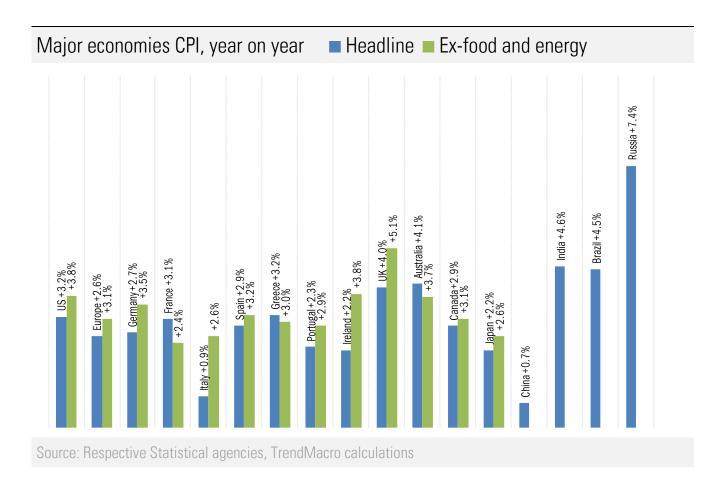
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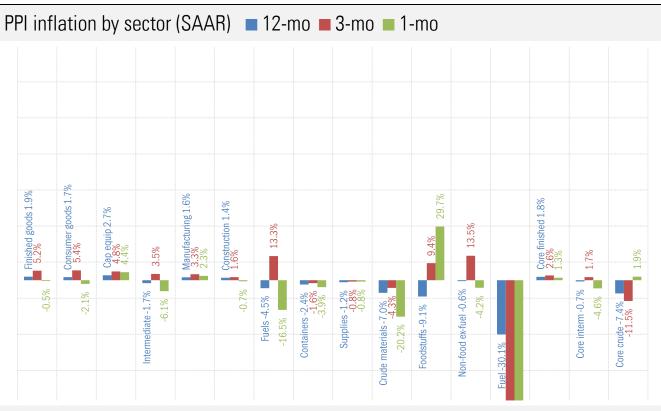
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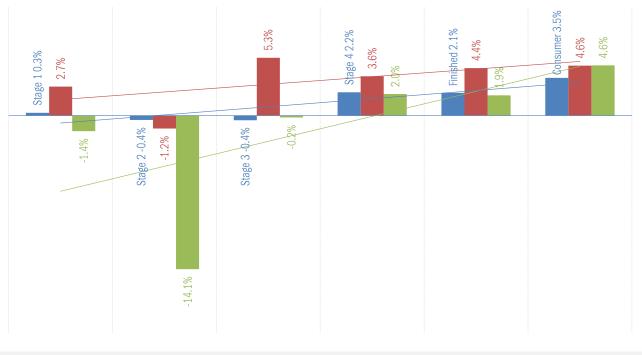


PPI data: what you need to know					
	12-mo YOY	3-mo ann	1-mo ann	12 / 3/ 1-mo	13-mo YOY history
Final demand	+2.10%	+4.37%	+1.86%		
Core	+2.38%	+4.17%	+2.75%		
Intermediate processed	-1.67%	+3.46%	-6.08%	_	
Core	-0.71%	+1.69%	-4.57%	_	
Intermediate unprocessed	-7.09%	+3.03%	-14.42%		
Core	-7.67%	-0.23%	+8.71%		
Source: BLS Producer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations					



Source: BLS Producer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

The inflation pipeline (SAAR) = 12-mo = 3-mo = 1-mo



Source: BLS Producer Price Index and Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations