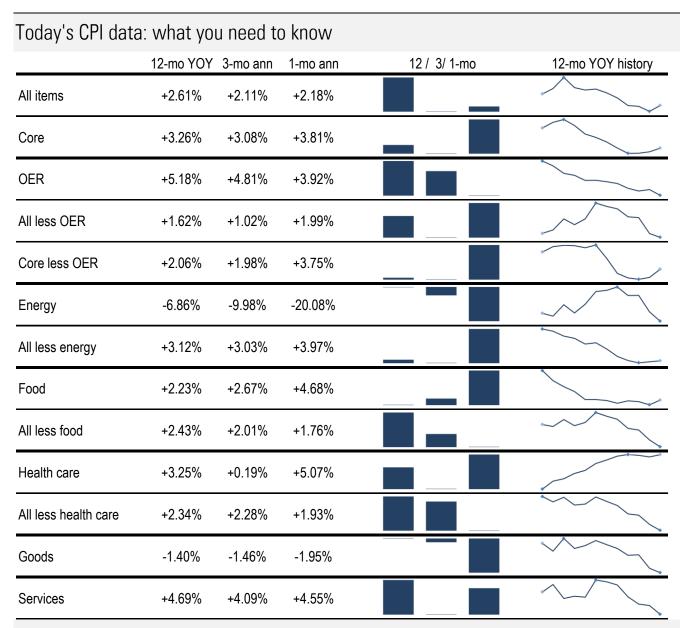


### **Data Insights: Consumer Price Index, Producer Price Index**

Wednesday, October 10, 2024



Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

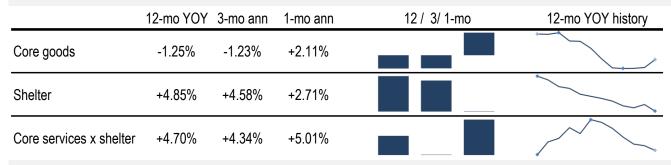
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### Today's CPI data: what Fed chair Jerome Powell thinks you need to know

"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* 



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#### 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 ar	nn 1-mo ann	12 / 3/ 1-mo	12-mo YOY history
Core commodities	-2.20% +1.88%	% -0.09%		
Durable goods	-2.90% +1.34%	% +12.74%		
Services	+4.69% +4.09%	% +4.55%		

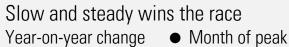
Source: BLS Producer Price Index (may be lagged one month), Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

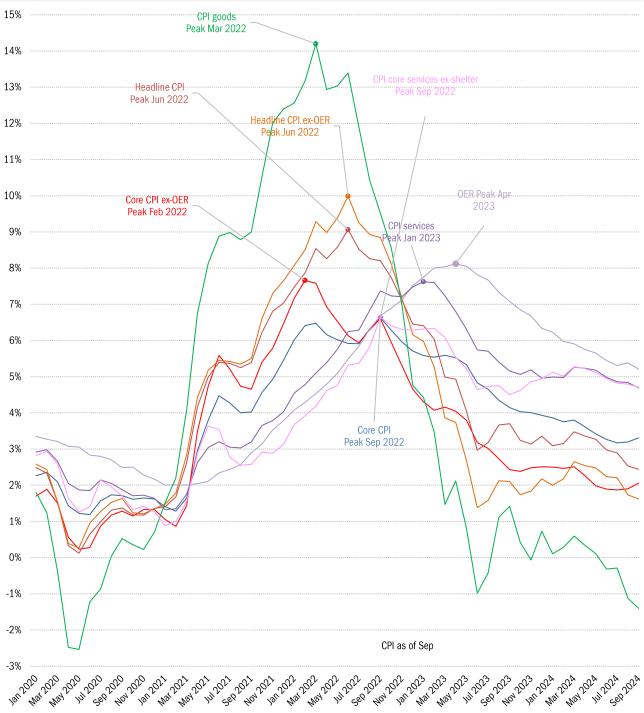
#### Today's CPI data: what Nobel laureate Milton Friedman thinks you need to know

"...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..."

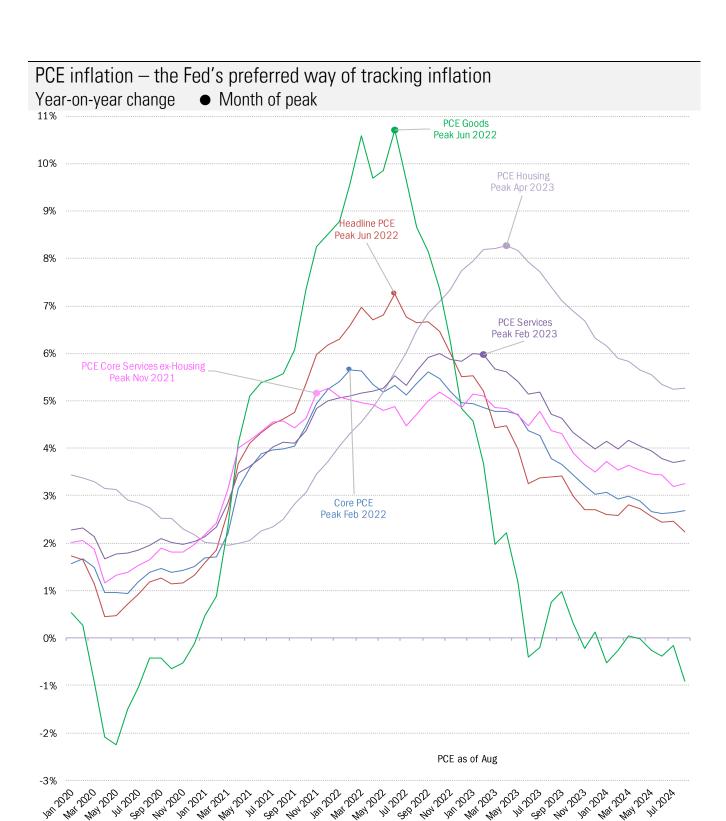
	12-mo YOY	3-mo ann	1-mo ann	12 / 3/ 1-mo	12-mo YOY history
M2 money supply	+1.98%	+4.33%	+6.81%		

Source: Federal Reserve Board (lagged one month), TrendMacro calculations





Source: FRB, BLS, US Treasury, TrendMacro calclations

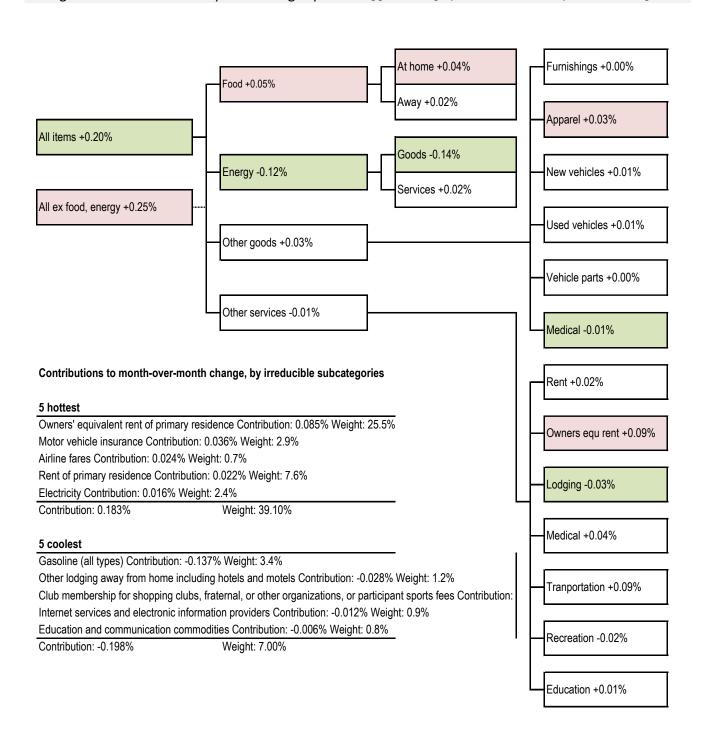


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# Relation M2 money supply and core CPI inflation rate (ex OER) and <u>TrendMacro's monetarist inflation prediction model</u>



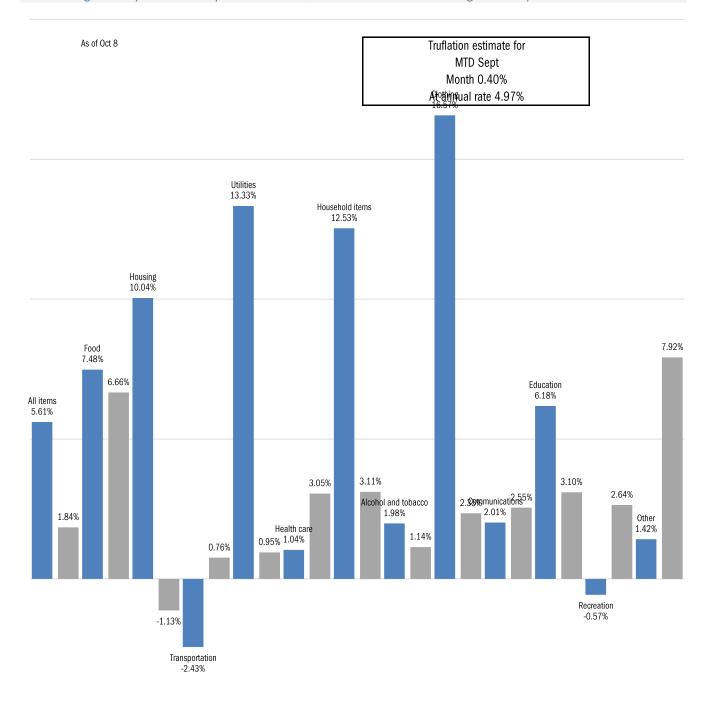
## Deconstructing today's CPI data: what explains this month's inflation? Weighted contribution by subcategory Biggest change per detail-level: positive negative



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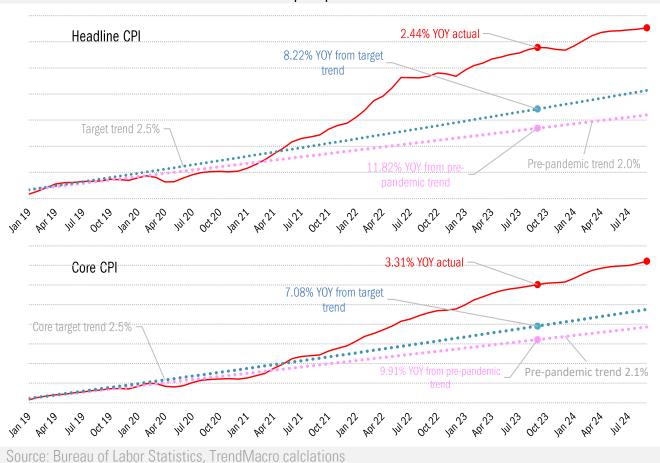
### Inflation in real time, based on Truflation's daily telemetry

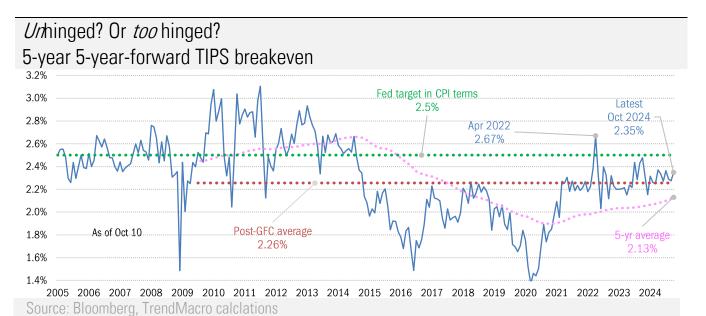
■ Trailing 31-day consumer price inflation, annual rate ■ Trailing 365-day



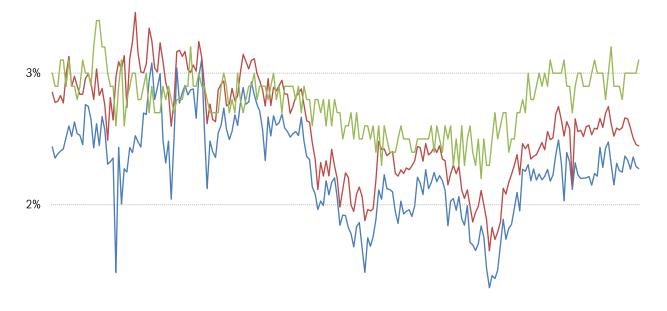
Source: Truflation, TrendMacro calculations

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

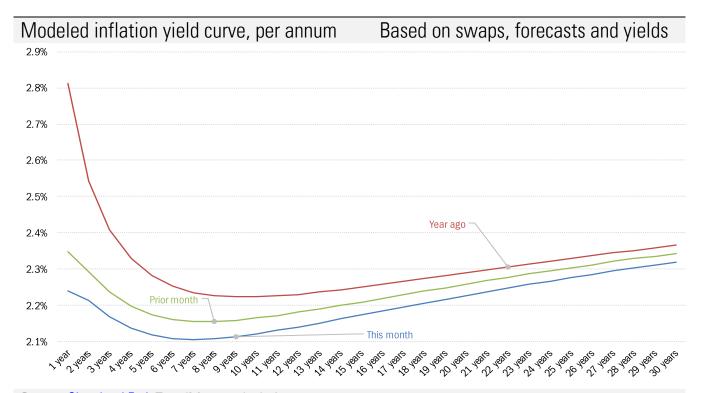




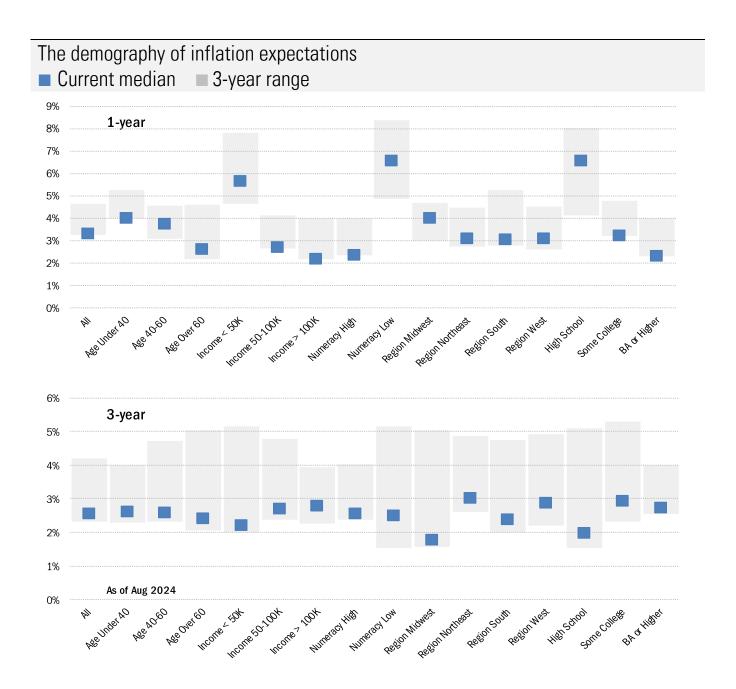




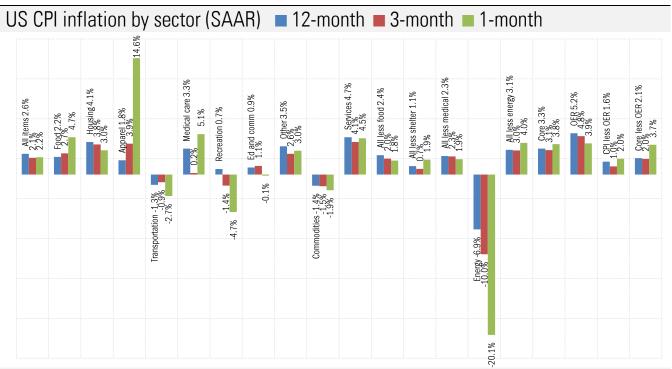
Source: Bloomberg, TrendMacro calculations



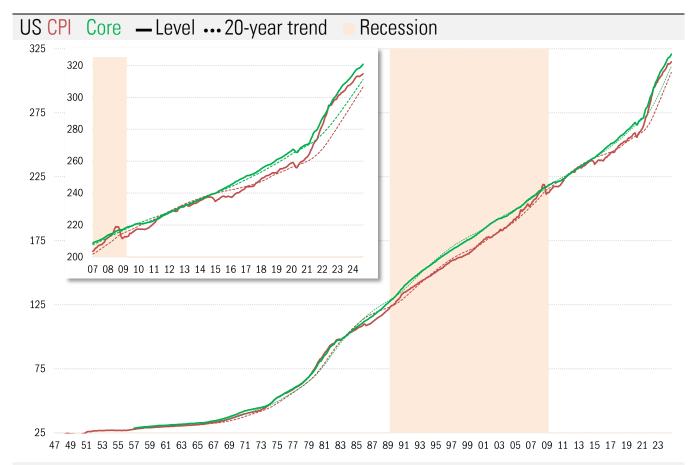
Source: Cleveland Fed, TrendMacro calculations



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



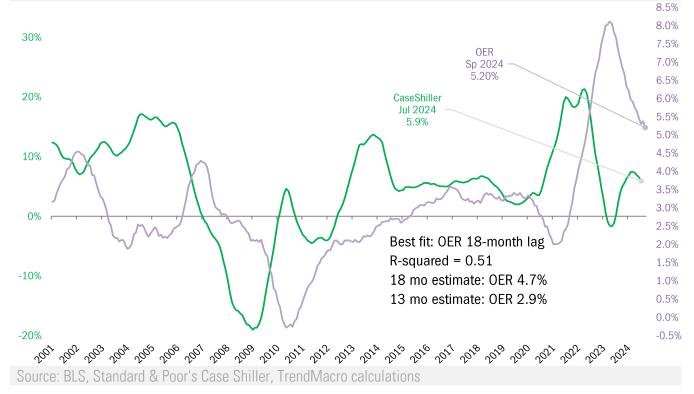




Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, TrendMacro calculations

## Housing leads US CPI

YOY change — Case Shiller 20-city avg — Owner's equivalent rent CPI component

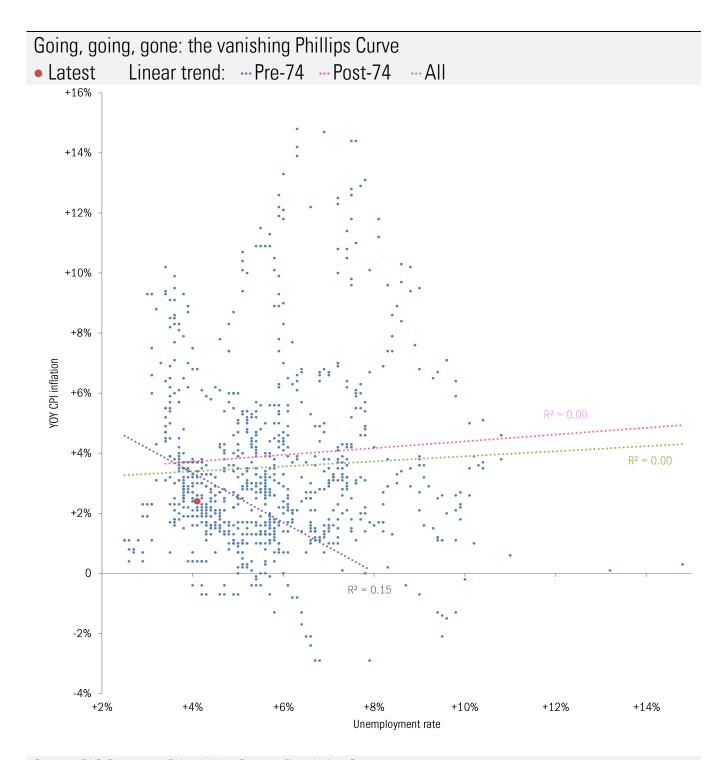


### Speeding up the laggy OER calculation

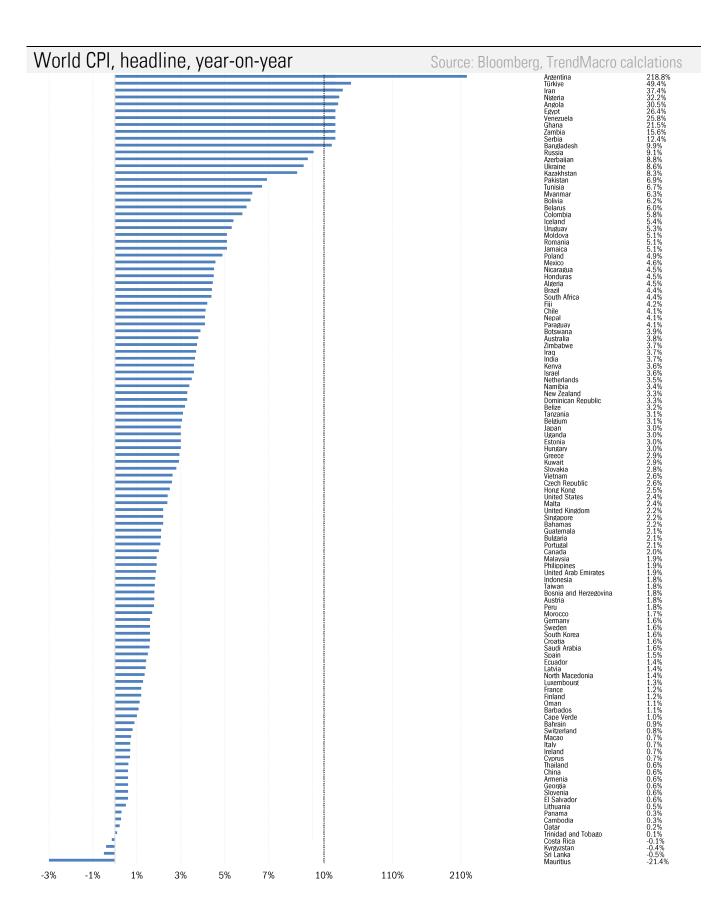
Annualized monthly change in OER and Zillow data and quarterly Cleveland Fed data

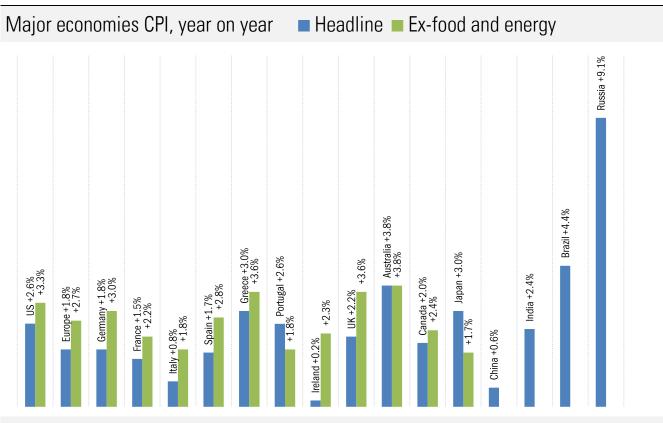


Source: BLS, Zillow, Cleveland Fed, TrendMacro calculations

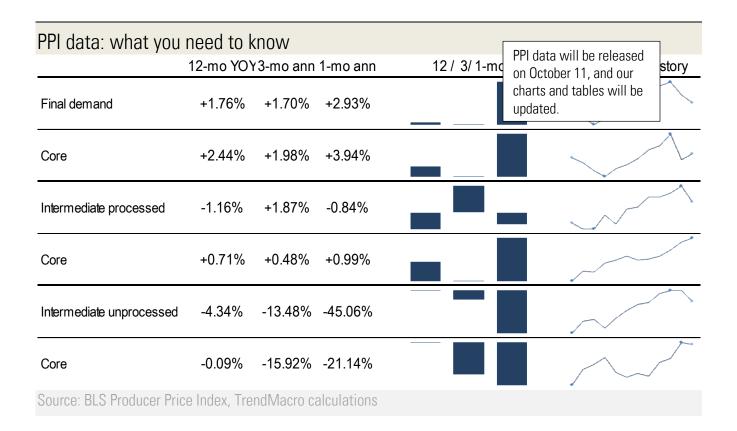


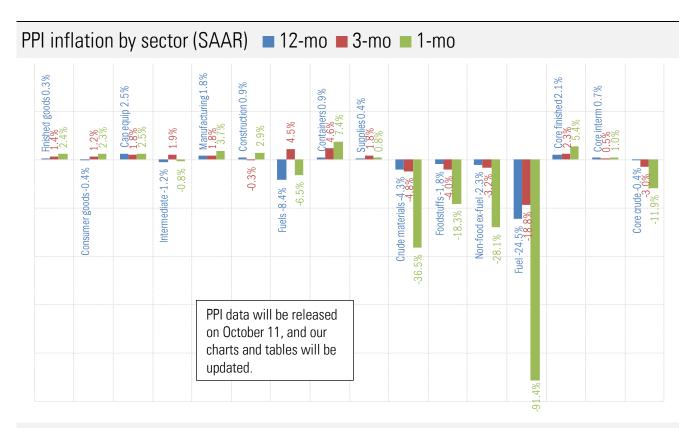
Source: BLS Consumer Price Index, Current Population Survey



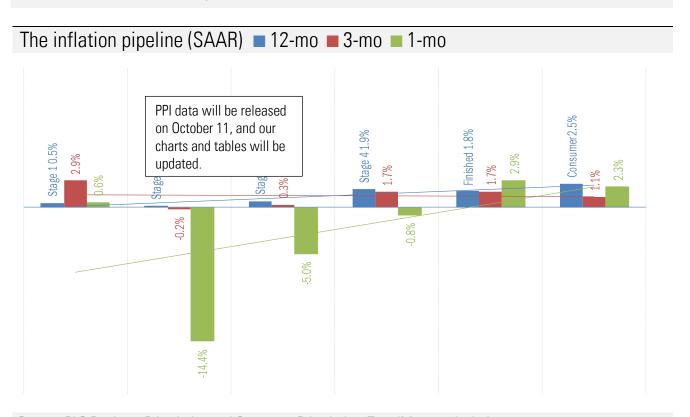








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