

Economic Forecast: April 2025

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	2024			2025											
	24.1	24.2	24.3	24.4	25.1	25.2	25.3	25.4	26.1	26.2	26.3	26.4	2024	2025	2026
Percent Change: Quarterly SAAR, Annual Q4/Q4															
Gross Domestic Product	1.6	3.0	3.1	2.4	0.3	0.8	-0.1	1.1	1.5	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.5	0.5	1.9
Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE)	1.9	2.8	3.7	4.0	0.5	1.8	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.8	2.0	3.1	0.9	1.6
Residential Fixed Investment	13.7	-2.8	-4.3	5.5	1.7	-2.6	-4.2	-1.7	-1.1	1.7	3.5	4.4	2.8	-1.7	2.1
Business Fixed Investment	4.5	3.9	4.0	-3.0	9.5	-3.4	-5.0	-3.2	-2.6	0.0	1.5	2.3	2.3	-0.7	0.3
Government Consumption & Investment	1.8	3.1	5.1	3.1	0.7	-1.1	-0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	3.2	-0.2	0.5
Billions of Chained 2017\$															
Net Exports	-977	-1036	-1069	-1053	-1233	-1185	-1098	-1047	-1004	-976	-970	-968	-1034	-1141	-979
Change in Business Inventories	18	72	58	9	83	65	23	39	67	75	89	99	39	52	82
Percent Change: Quarterly YoY, Annual Q4/Q4															
Consumer Price Index	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.7	3.5	2.8
Core Consumer Price Index (ex. Food & Energy	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.0	2.9	2.6	3.3	3.9	2.6
PCE Chain Price Index	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.5	2.4	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.4	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.4	2.5
Core PCE Chain Price Index (ex. Food & Energy	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.8	3.6	2.4
Change: Quarterly Avg Mo. Chg, Thous., Annual Mil.															
Employment, Total Nonfarm	196	133	133	209	152	91	40	-12	14	30	71	85	2.0	0.8	0.6
Percent Change: Q4/Q4													1.2	0.7	0.3
Percent: Quarterly Avg, Annual Avg															
Unemployment Rate	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	4.0	4.4	5.0
Federal Funds Rate	5.3	5.3	5.3	4.7	4.3	4.3	4.3	3.9	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.1	5.1	4.2	3.4
10-Year Treasury Note Yield	4.2	4.4	3.9	4.3	4.5	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.3

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Note: Interest rate forecasts are based on rates from March 31, 2025; all other forecasts are based on the date above.

Note: Unshaded areas denote actuals. Shaded areas denote forecasts.

Sources: Actuals: Bureau of Economic Analysis, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Federal Reserve Board. Forecasts: Fannie Mae Economic and Strategic Research

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