

Economic Forecast: September 2015

	----- 2014 -----				----- 2015 -----				----- 2016 -----				2014	2015	2016
	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	15.1	15.2	15.3	15.4	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.4			
National Income and Product Accounts (Chained 2009\$)															
<i>Percent Change: Quarterly SAAR, Annual Q4/Q4</i>															
Gross Domestic Product	-0.9	4.6	4.3	2.1	0.6	3.7	2.5	2.9	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4
Personal Consumption Expenditures	1.3	3.8	3.5	4.3	1.8	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	3.2	2.7	2.7
Residential Fixed Investment	-2.8	10.4	3.4	10.0	10.1	7.8	9.3	6.9	6.4	6.5	5.7	5.5	5.1	8.5	6.0
Business Fixed Investment	8.3	4.4	9.0	0.7	1.6	3.2	4.4	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.8	3.7	5.5	3.2	3.7
Government Consumption & Investment	0.0	1.2	1.8	-1.4	-0.1	2.6	0.5	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.4	1.0	0.8
<i>Billions of Chained 2009\$</i>															
Net Exports	-434	-443	-429	-464	-541	-533	-523	-521	-520	-527	-537	-547	-443	-529	-533
Change in Business Inventories	37	77	80	78	113	121	95	87	72	66	64	64	68	104	66
Price Indices															
<i>Percent Change: Quarterly SAAR, Annual Q4/Q4</i>															
GDP Price Index	1.5	2.2	1.6	0.1	0.1	2.1	2.4	1.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.3	1.4	1.8
Consumer Price Index	2.1	2.4	1.2	-0.9	-3.1	3.0	2.1	0.1	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.2	0.5	2.1
Consumer Price Index (Quarterly YOY % Change, Annual YOY % Change)	1.4	2.1	1.8	1.2	-0.1	0.0	0.3	0.5	1.8	1.6	1.6	2.1	1.6	0.2	1.8
Consumer Price Index excl. Food & Energy	1.8	2.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	2.5	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.0
Consumer Price Index excl. Food & Energy (Quarterly YOY % Change, Annual YOY % Chg)	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.0
Employment															
Unemployment Rate (Percent)	6.6	6.2	6.1	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.0	6.2	5.3	5.0
Employment, Total Nonfarm Establishment Survey (Percent Change: Quarterly SAAR, Ann	1.6	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.2	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	2.1	1.9	1.5
Interest Rates (Percent)															
Federal Funds Rate	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.5
1-Year Treasury Note Yield	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.3	0.1	0.3	1.0
10-Year Treasury Bond Yield	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.4

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Note: Interest rate forecasts are based on rates from August 31, 2015.

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 & Strategic Research group

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