

US Hits 35 Days of Government **Shutdown**



THE SHUTDOWN IS SHOWING NO SIGNS OF AN AGREEMENT.



GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN

UNAFFECTED

TSA AGENTS

SOCIAL SECURITY

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AFFECTED

FEDERAL WORKERS

NATIONAL PARKS

NEW FEDERAL LOANS

IMMIGRATION HEARINGS

**GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN
WORKERS WITHOUT PAY**



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THE DEMOCRAT
SHUTDOWN
WILL TRUMP FIRE
FEDERAL WORKERS?



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Trump administration attempts large-scale federal employee layoffs during government shutdown

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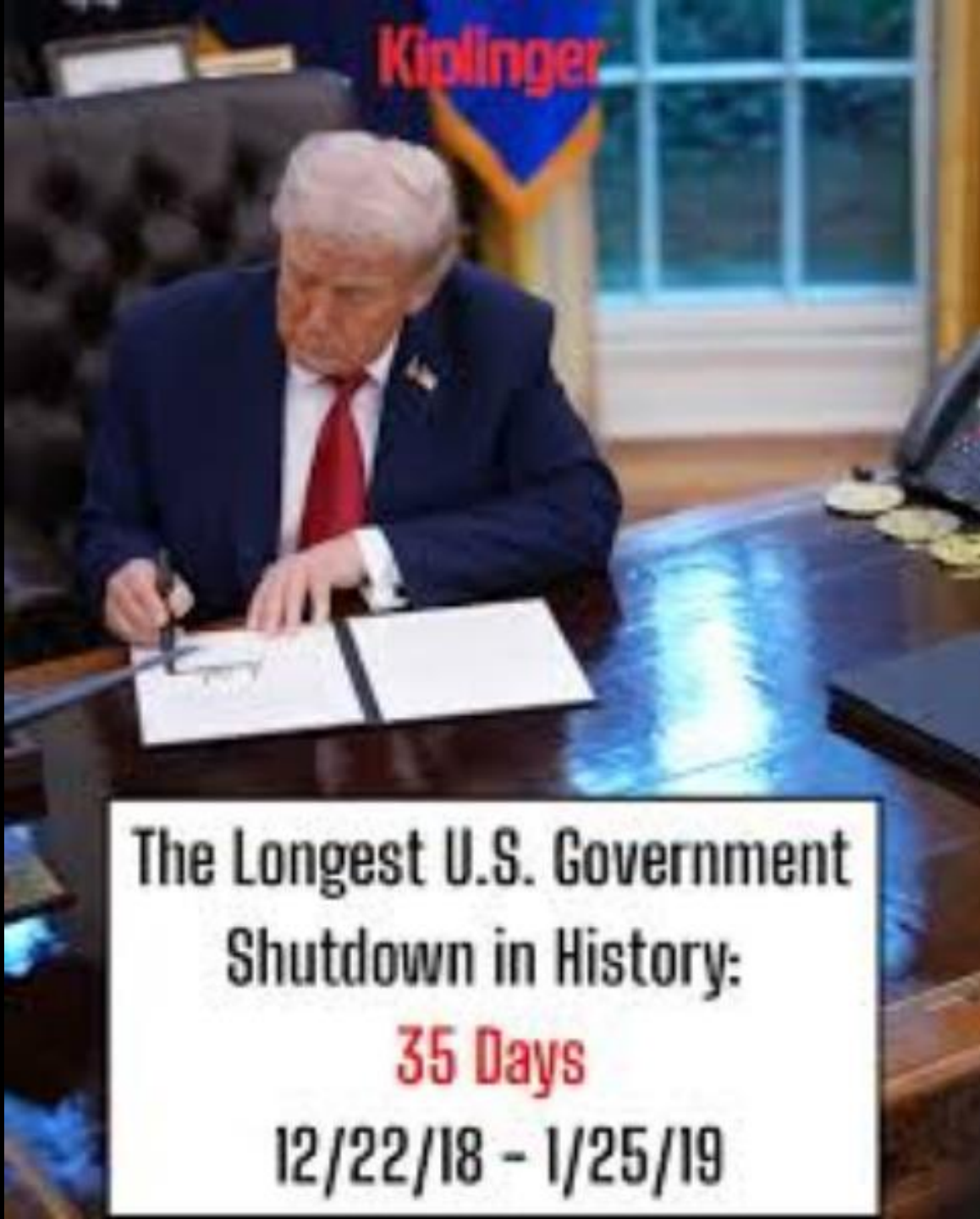
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A photograph of Donald Trump sitting at his desk in the Oval Office, signing a document. He is wearing a dark suit, a white shirt, and a red tie. The desk is dark wood and reflective. In the background, there is a window and a blue and gold decorative object.

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The Longest U.S. Government
Shutdown in History:

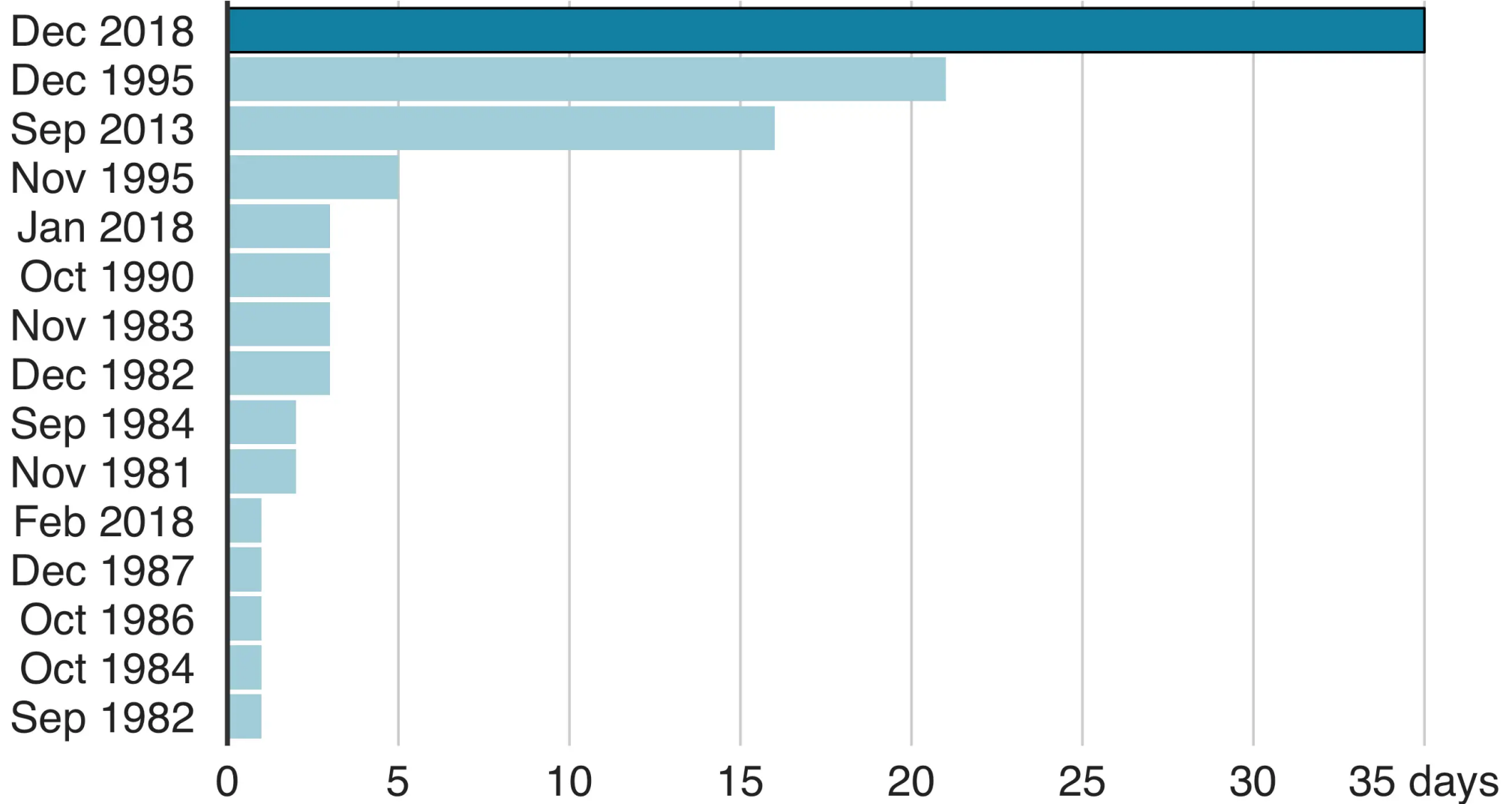
35 Days

12/22/18 - 1/25/19

Dec 2018 - Jan 2019 shutdown was longest ever

Length of US government funding gaps since 1980

Month started



Source: Congressional Research Service

Senate vote fails for 14th time, ensuring longest government shutdown in history: Recap

Senators for the 14th time failed to pass a short-term funding bill to reopen the government.

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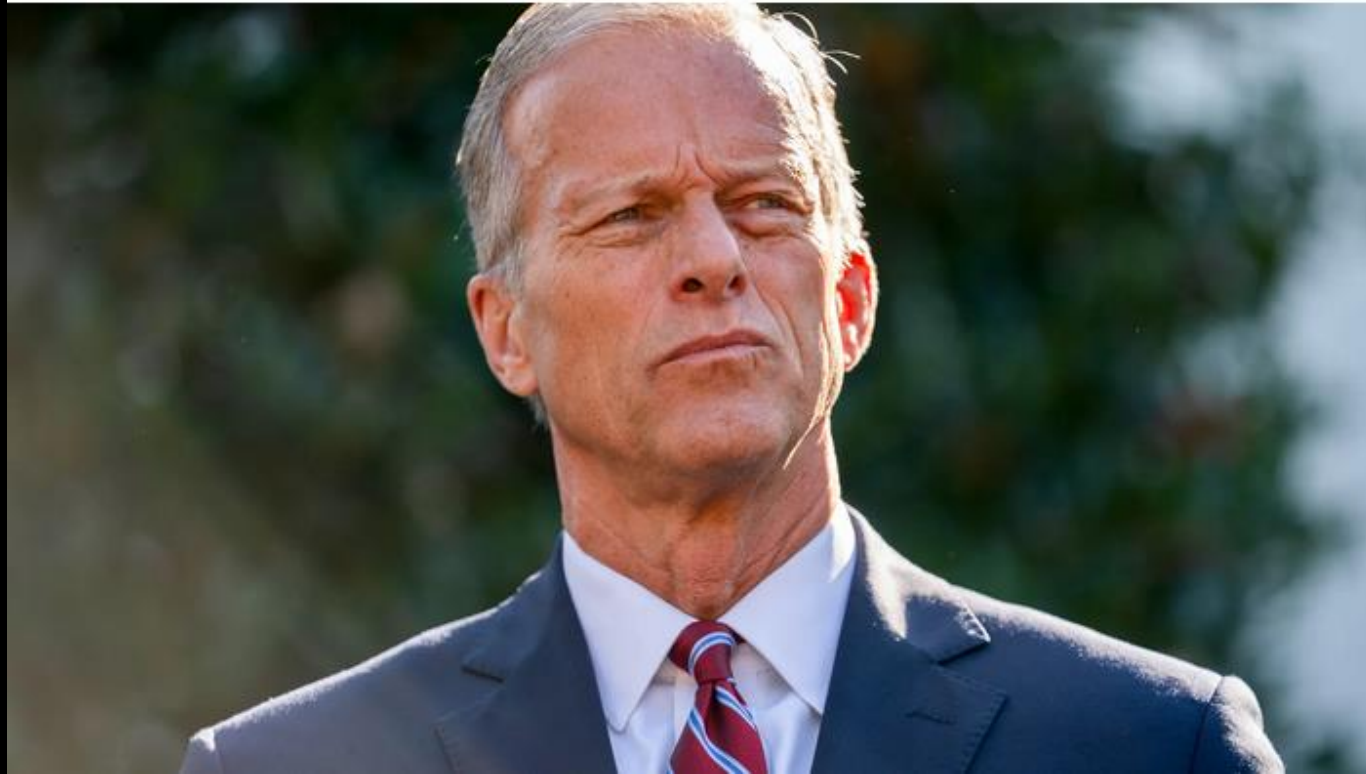
Deal to end government shutdown takes shape in Senate



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Shutdowns Add Drama, But Historically Stocks Don't Really Care

S&P 500 Performance During And After Government Shutdowns

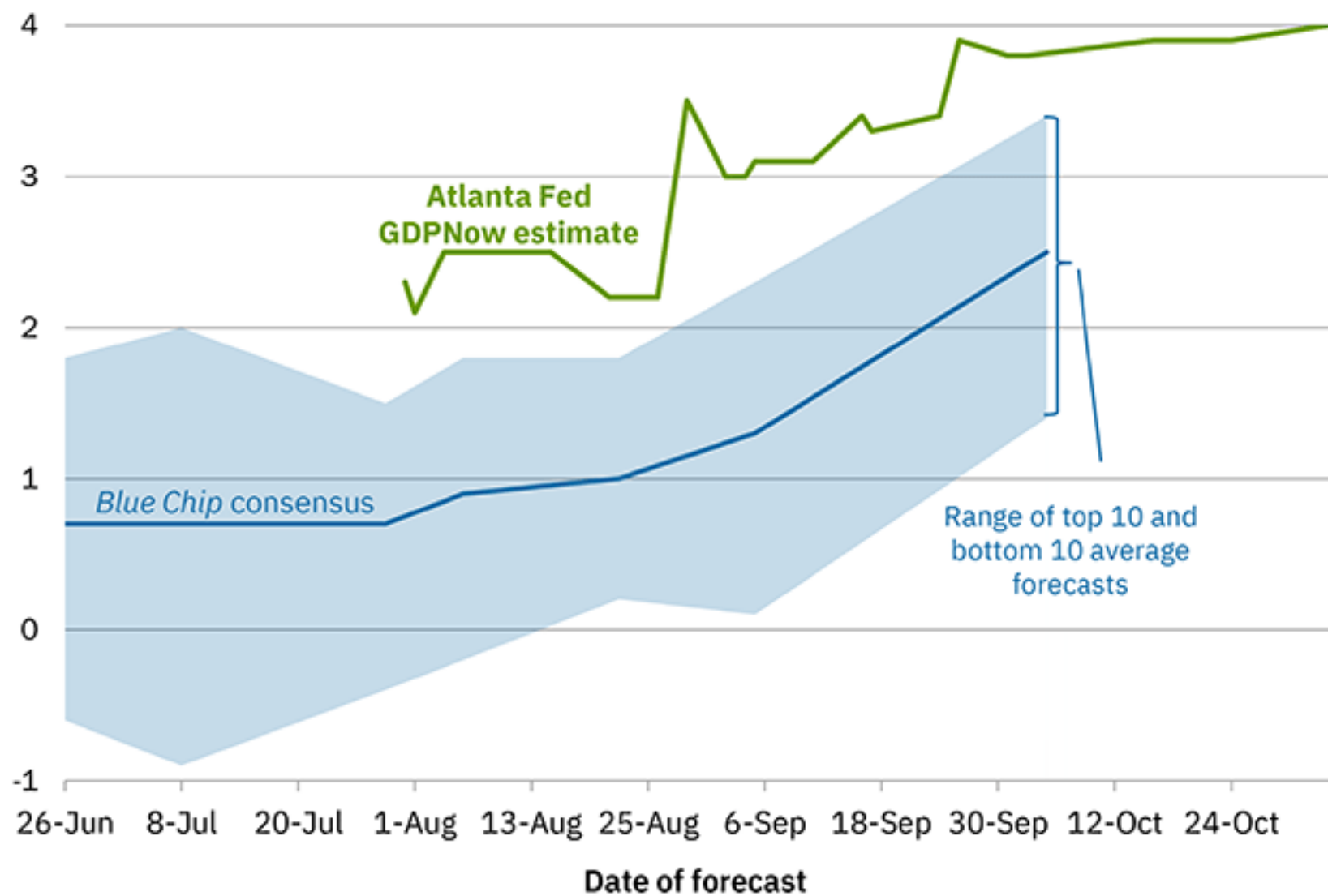
Start of Shutdown	Reopen Date	Length (Days)	S&P 500 Return	S&P 500 12 Months After End	President	Senate	House
9/30/1976	10/11/1976	11	-3.5%	-6.6%	Ford	Democrat	Democrat
9/30/1977	10/13/1977	13	-2.5%	12.0%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
10/31/1977	11/9/1977	9	0.4%	1.5%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
11/30/1977	12/9/1977	9	-1.0%	3.2%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
9/30/1978	10/18/1978	18	-2.0%	3.1%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
9/30/1979	10/12/1979	12	-4.4%	24.7%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
5/1/1980	5/1/1980	1	-0.8%	25.8%	Carter	Democrat	Democrat
11/20/1981	11/23/1981	3	0.7%	9.3%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
9/30/1982	10/2/1982	2	0.3%	36.2%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
12/17/1982	12/21/1982	4	2.4%	18.0%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
11/10/1983	11/14/1983	4	1.6%	-0.4%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
9/30/1984	10/3/1984	3	-2.2%	13.5%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
10/3/1984	10/5/1984	2	-0.6%	12.6%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
10/16/1986	10/18/1986	2	0.0%	18.4%	Reagan	Republican	Democrat
12/18/1987	12/20/1987	2	2.5%	11.9%	Reagan	Democrat	Democrat
10/5/1990	10/9/1990	4	-2.1%	23.2%	G.H. W. Bush	Democrat	Democrat
11/13/1995	11/19/1995	6	1.2%	22.8%	Clinton	Republican	Republican
12/15/1995	1/6/1996	22	0.0%	21.3%	Clinton	Republican	Republican
10/1/2013	10/17/2013	16	3.1%	8.9%	Obama	Democrat	Republican
1/19/2018	1/22/2018	2	0.8%	-7.1%	Trump	Republican	Republican
2/9/2018	2/9/2018	1	1.5%	3.4%	Trump	Republican	Republican
12/21/2018	1/25/2019	34	10.3%	23.7%	Trump	Republican	Republican
Average		8.2	0.3%	12.7%			
Median		4.0	0.1%	12.3%			
% Higher			54.5%	86.4%			

Source: Carson Investment Research, FactSet 03/07/2025

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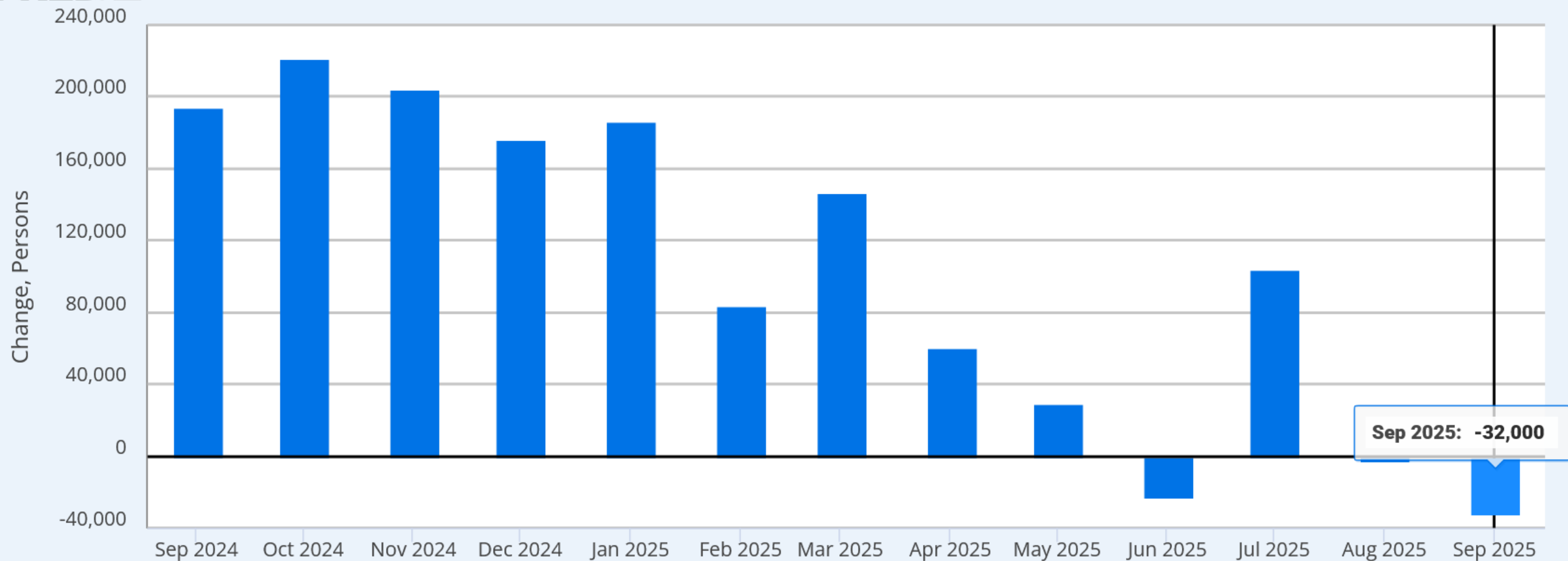
Evolution of Atlanta Fed GDPNow real GDP estimate for 2025: Q3

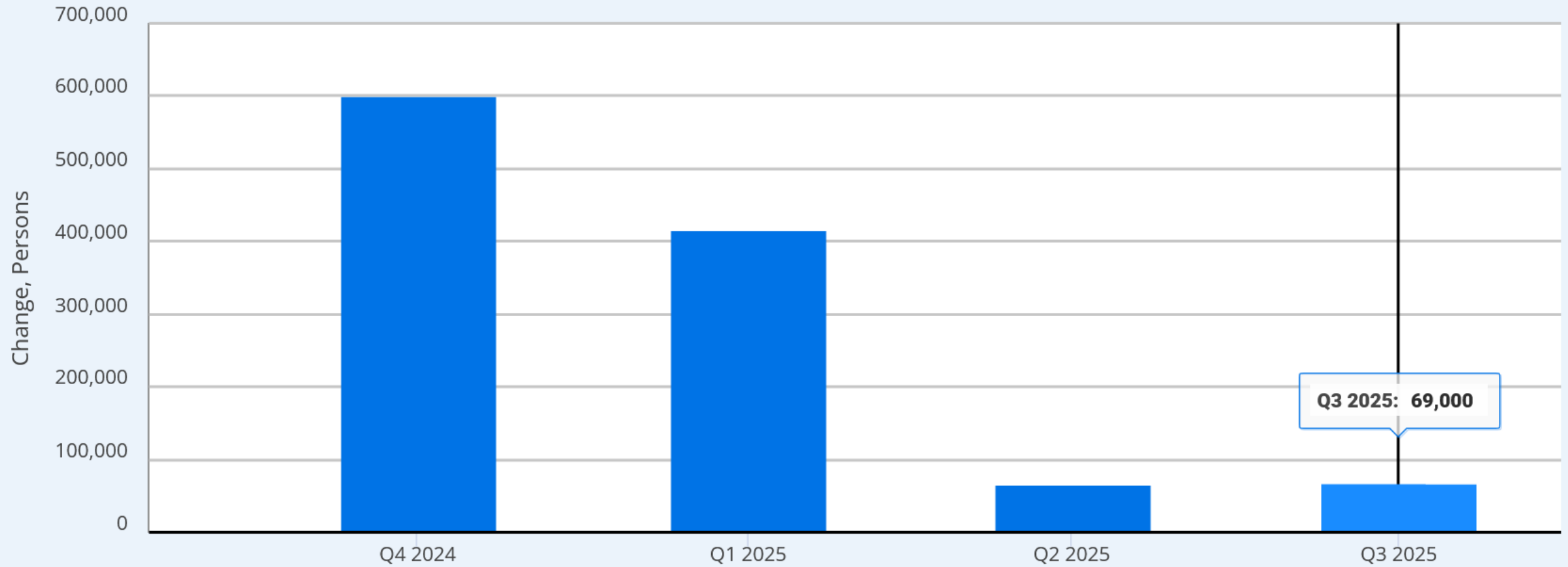
Quarterly percent change (SAAR)

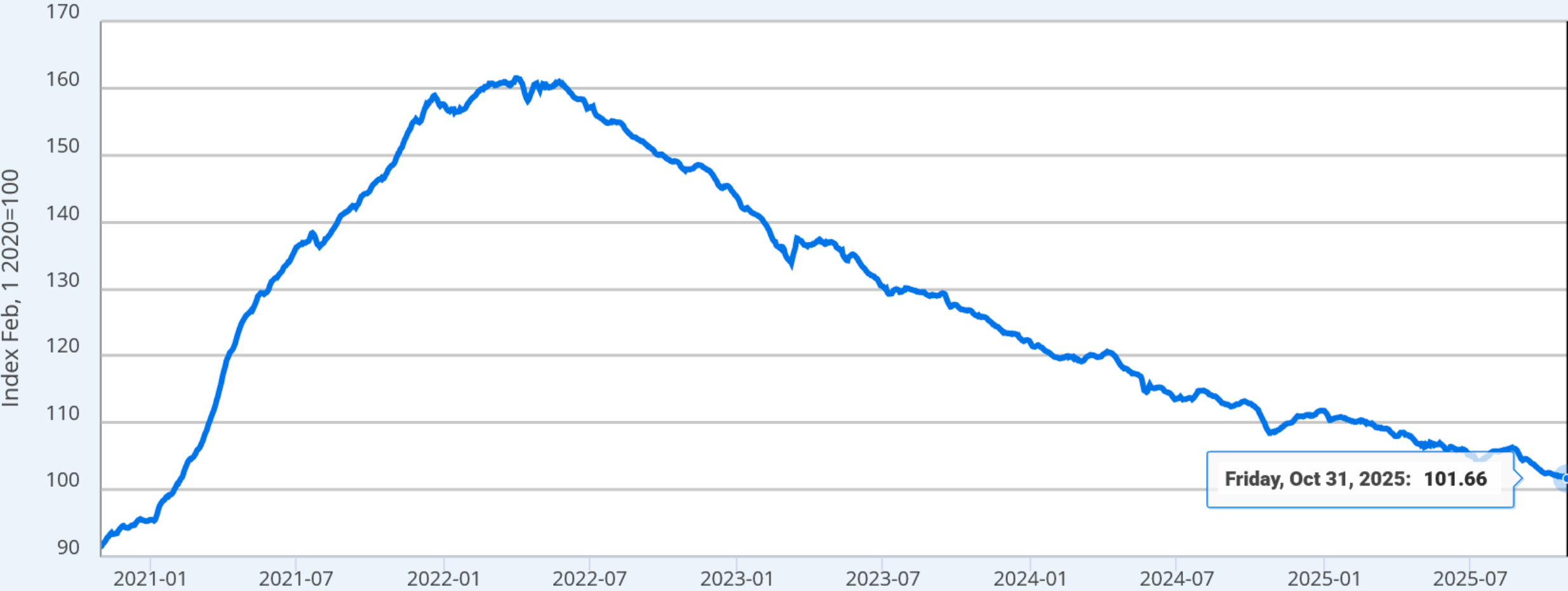


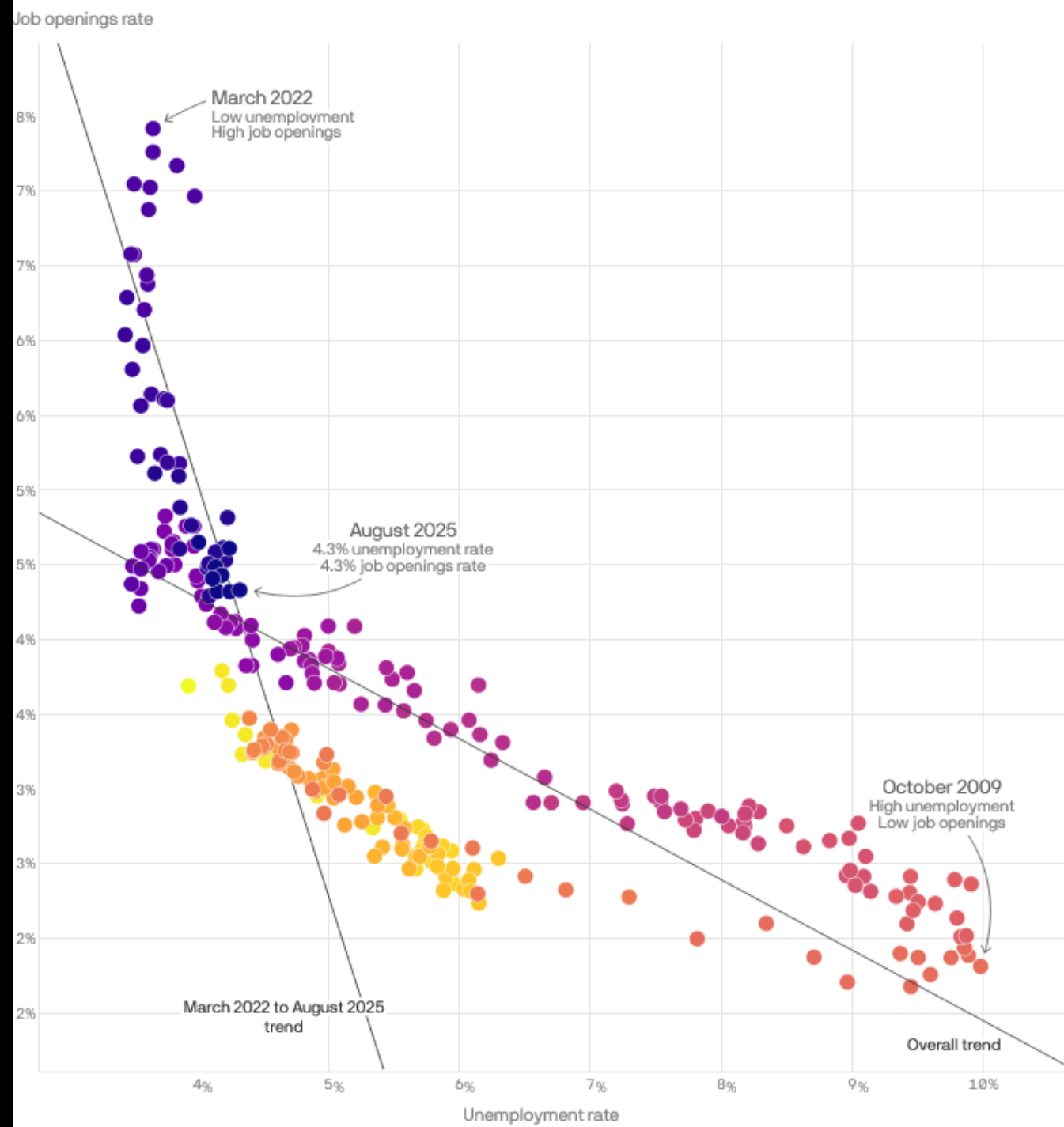
Sources: Blue Chip Economic Indicators and Blue Chip Financial Forecasts

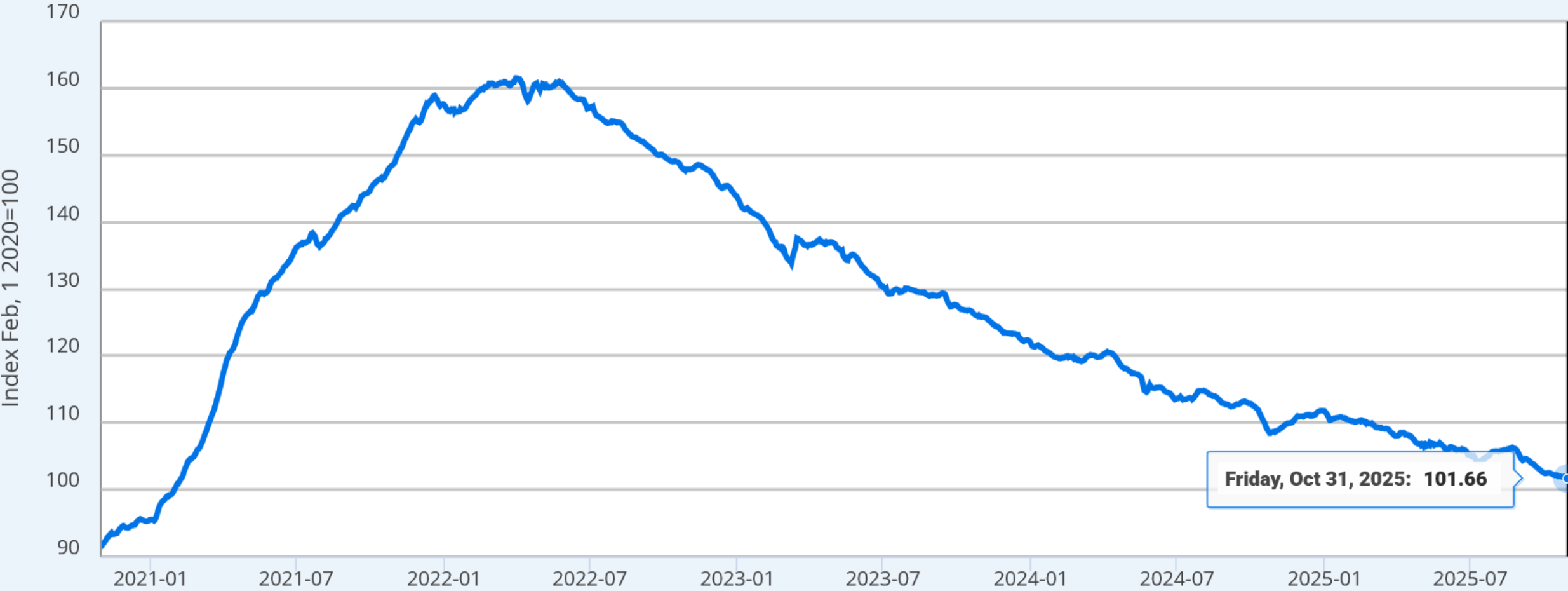
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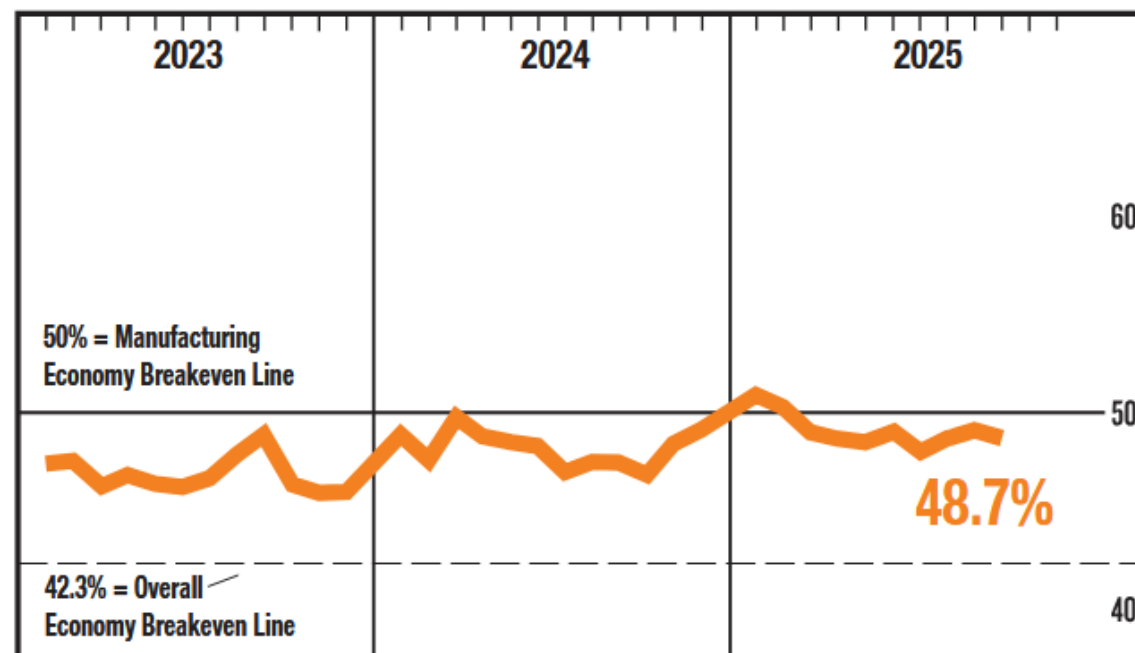


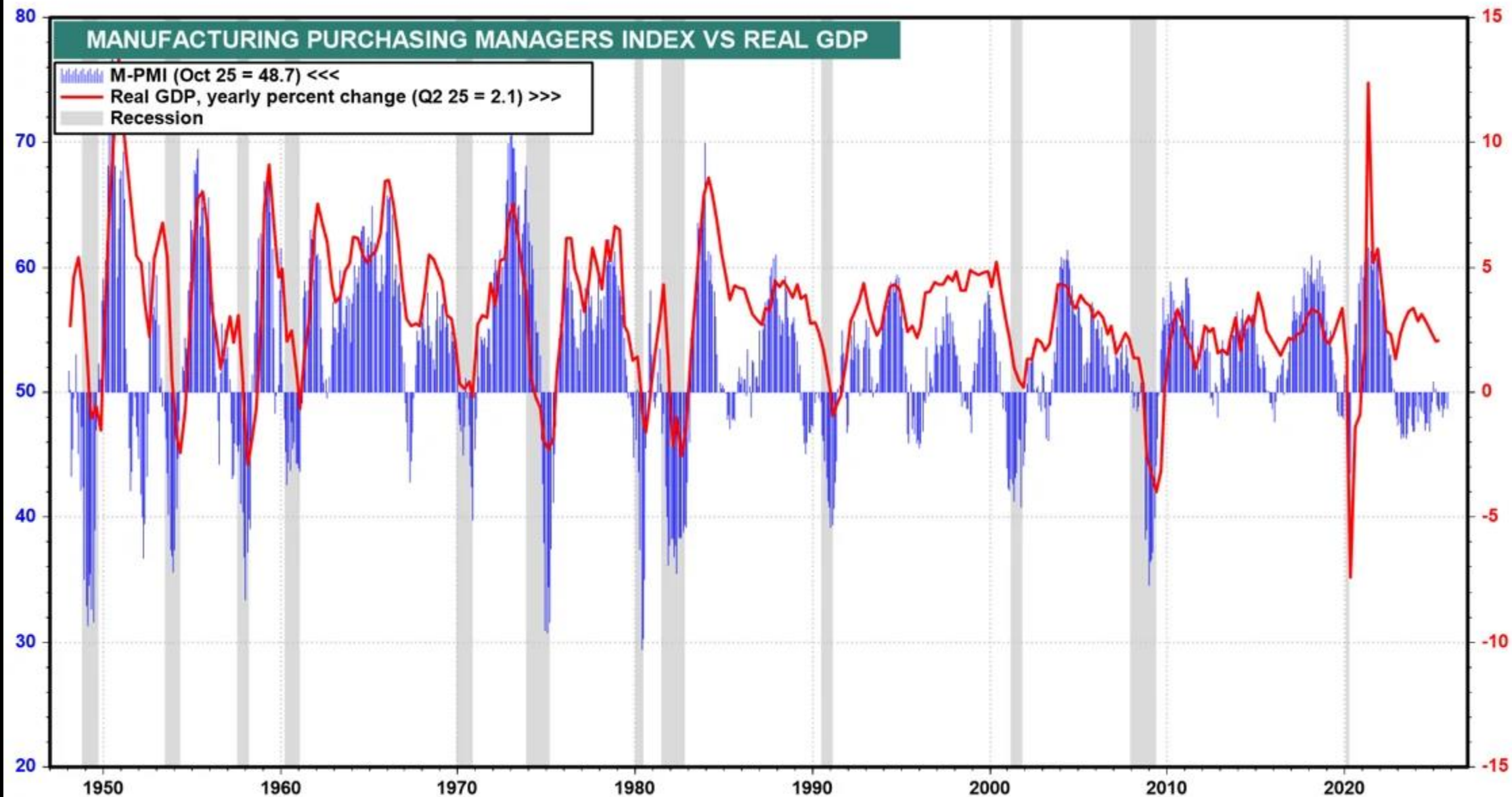




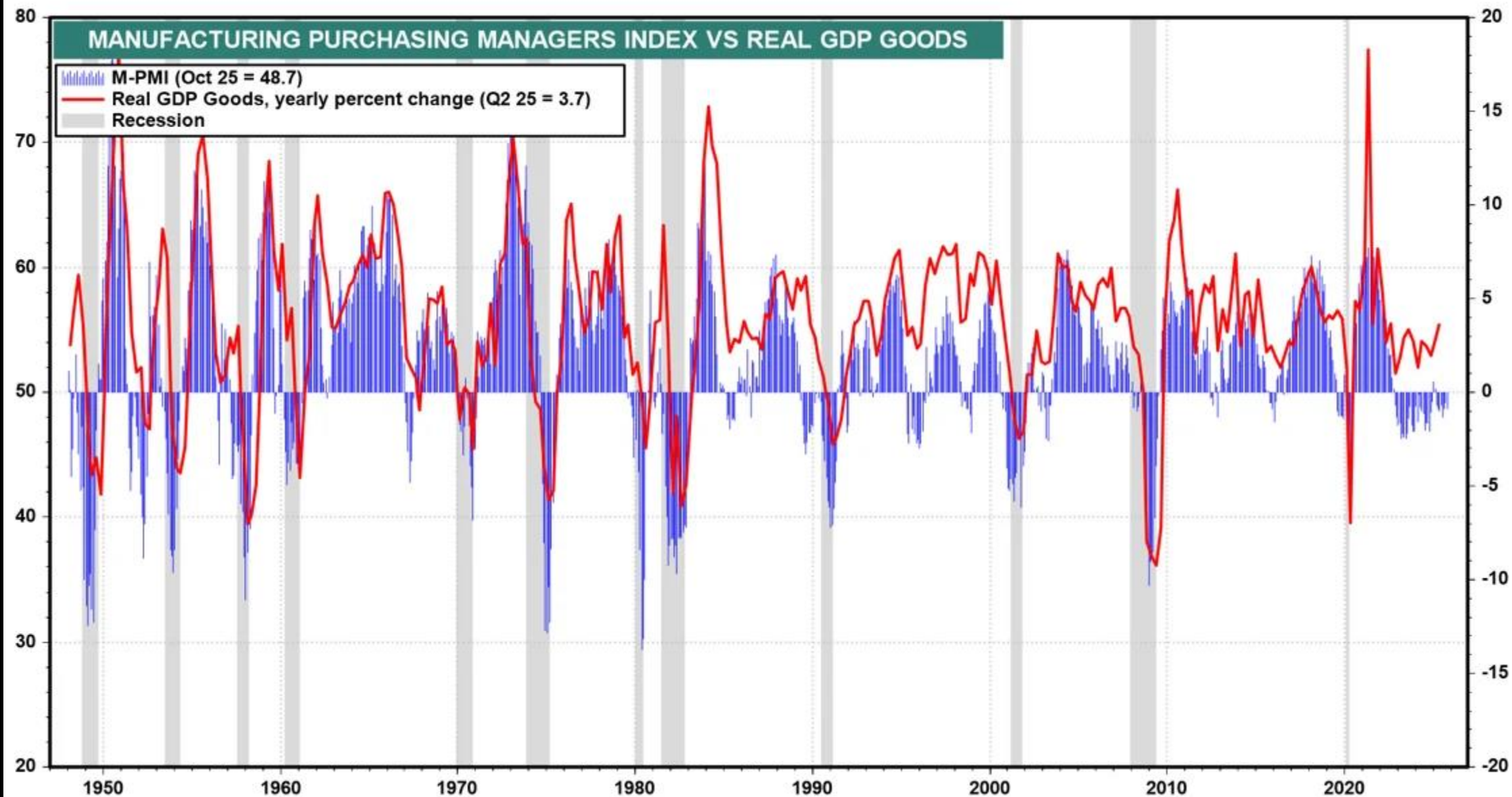
MANUFACTURING PMI® at 48.7%

The U.S. manufacturing sector contracted in October for the eighth consecutive month after two months of expansion preceded by 26 months of contraction. The Manufacturing PMI® registered 48.7 percent in October, a 0.4-percentage point decrease compared to the 49.1 percent recorded in September. Of the five subindexes that directly factor into the Manufacturing PMI®, one (Supplier Deliveries) is in expansion territory, one fewer than in September.

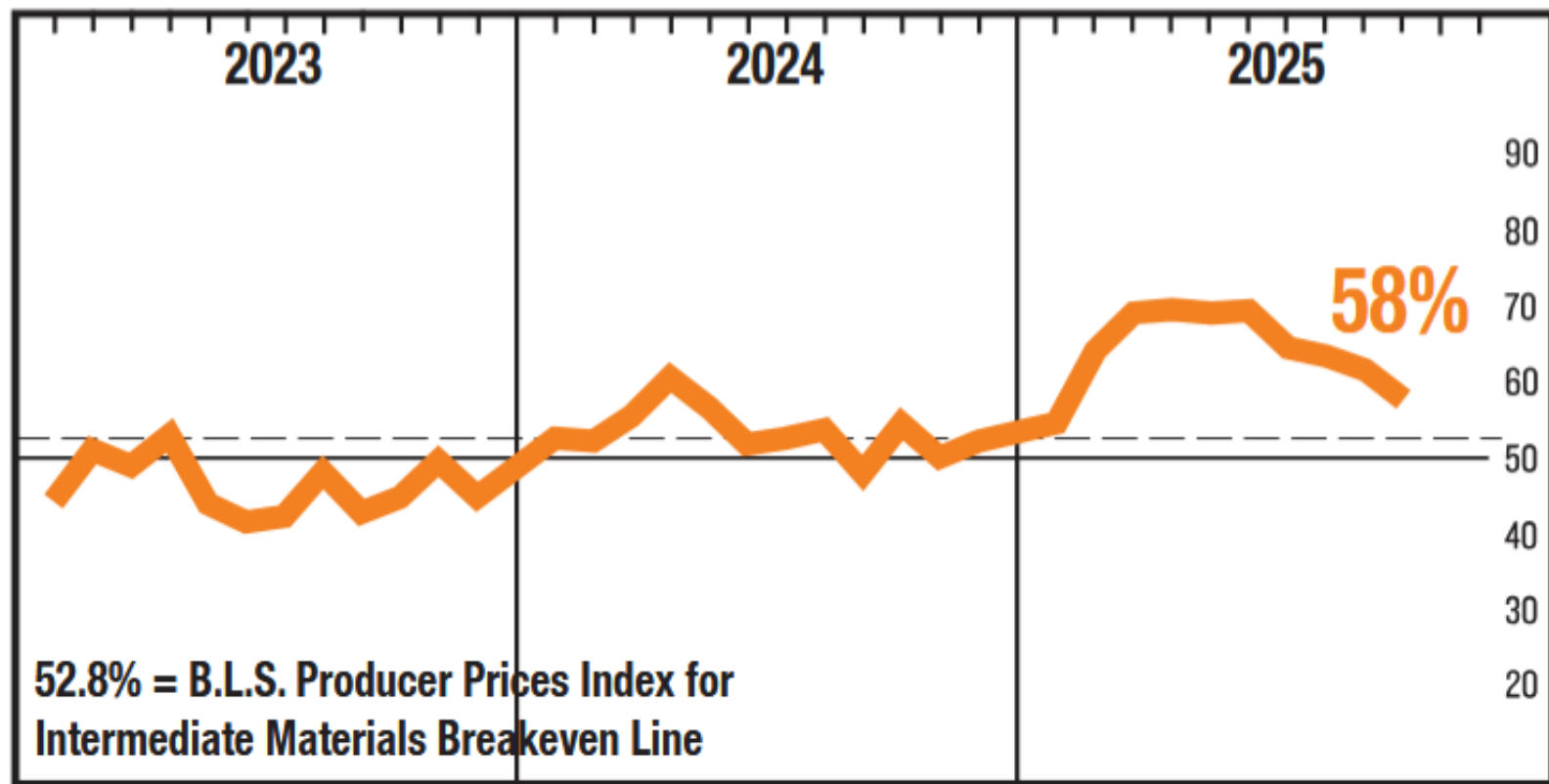




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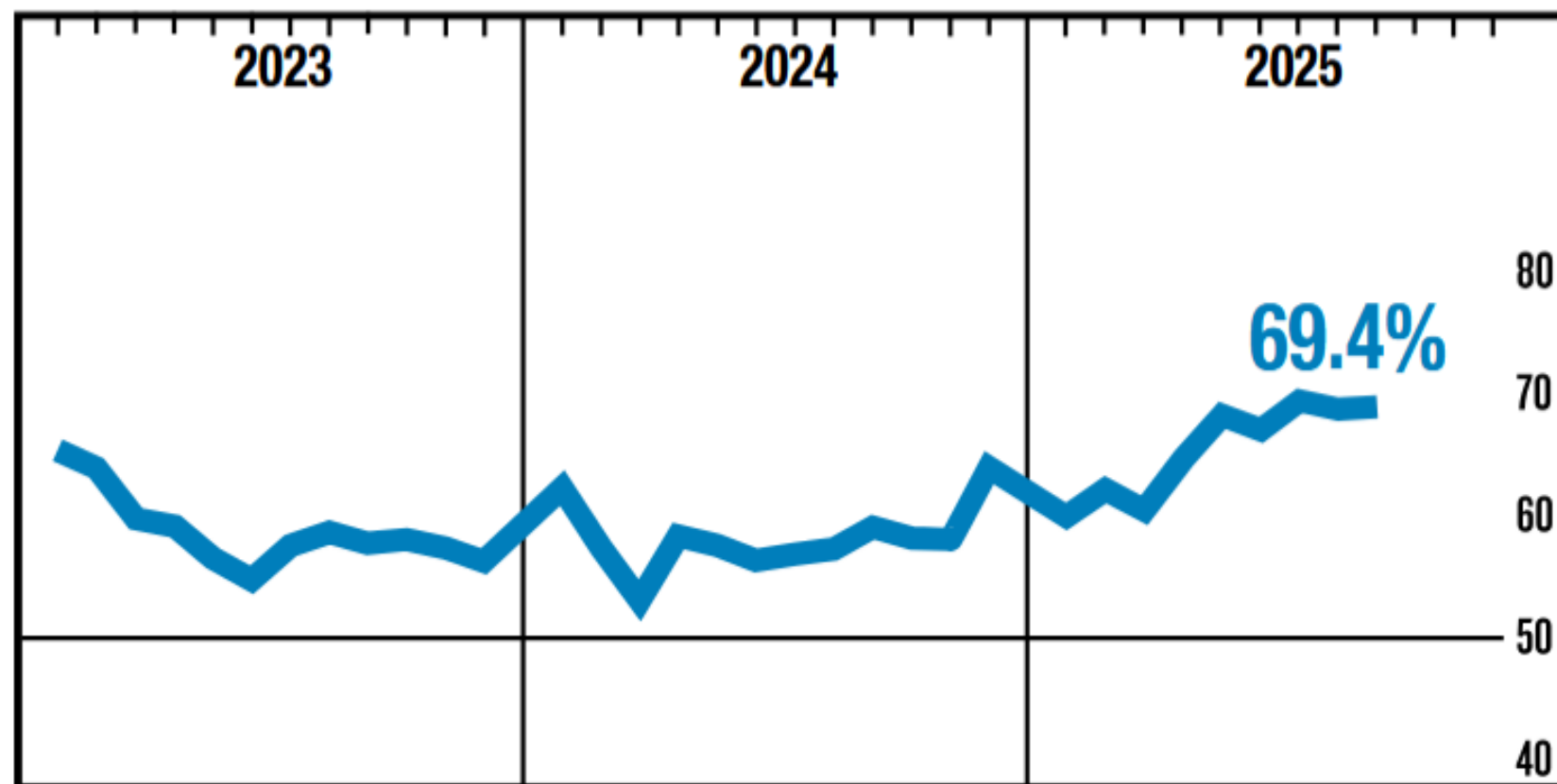


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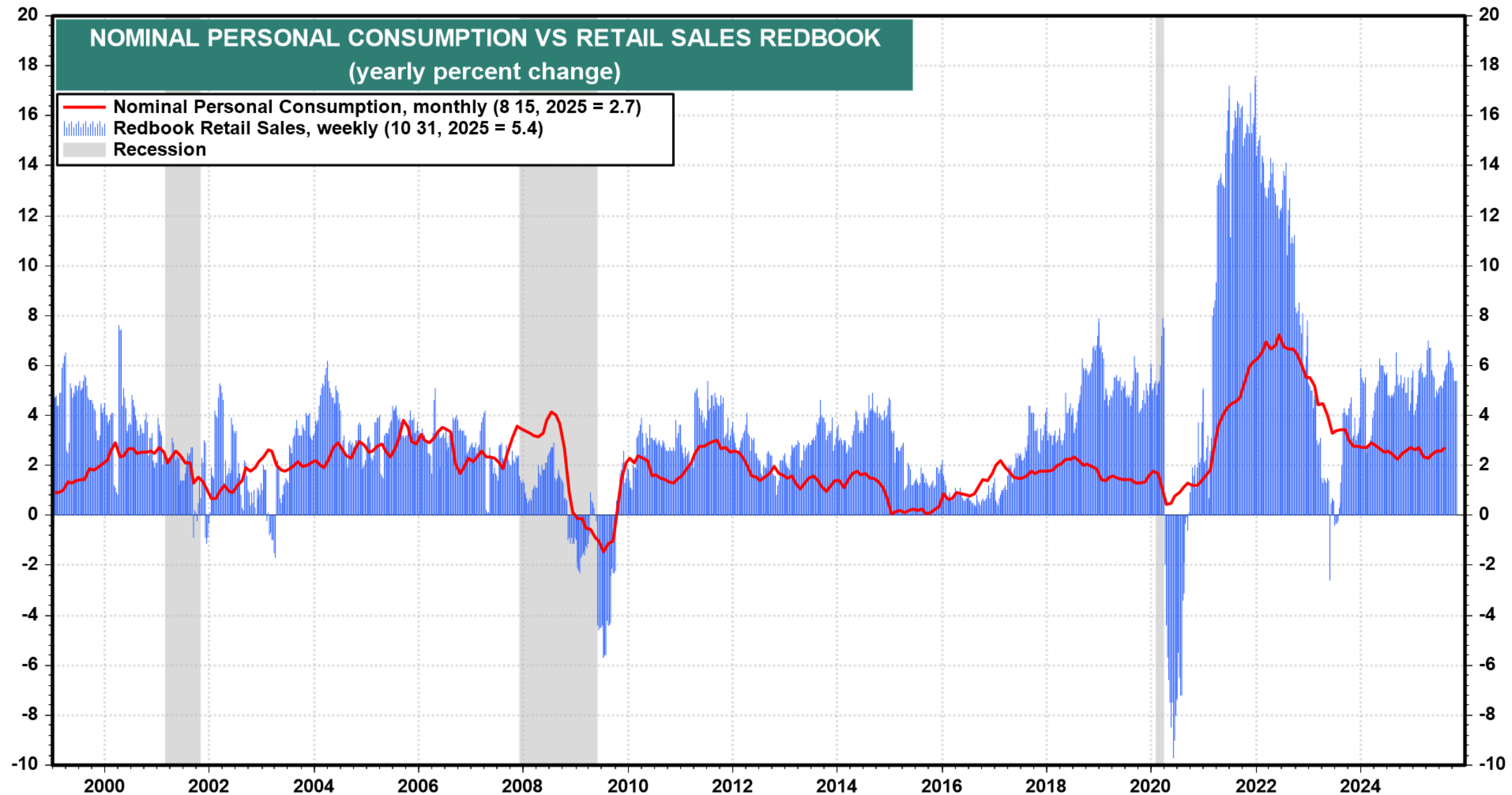


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NOMINAL PERSONAL CONSUMPTION VS RETAIL SALES REDBOOK (yearly percent change)

- Nominal Personal Consumption, monthly (8 15, 2025 = 2.7)
- Redbook Retail Sales, weekly (10 31, 2025 = 5.4)
- Recession



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THIS WEEK IN EARNINGS

AGGREGATE ESTIMATES AND REVISIONS

- 25Q3 Y/Y earnings are expected to be 13.8%. Excluding the energy sector, the Y/Y earnings estimate is 14.7%.
- Of the 315 companies in the S&P 500 that have reported earnings to date for 25Q3, 83.2% have reported earnings above analyst estimates. This compares to a long-term average of 67.2% and prior four quarter average of 76.5%.

Q3 2025: EARNINGS SCORECARD

EXHIBIT 2A. S&P 500: Q3 2025 EARNINGS VS. EXPECTATIONS

Sector	Above %	Match %	Below %	Surprise	Reported	Index
				Factor %	Total #	Total #
Consumer Discretionary	69.0%	6.9%	24.1%	14.0%	29	49
Consumer Staples	90.5%	9.5%	-	4.1%	21	37
Energy	81.8%	18.2%	-	7.0%	11	22
Financials	89.7%	-	10.3%	8.1%	58	75
Health Care	91.7%	2.8%	5.6%	10.5%	36	60
Industrials	85.2%	1.6%	13.1%	1.2%	61	79
Materials	73.3%	6.7%	20.0%	2.5%	15	26
Real Estate	68.0%	16.0%	16.0%	4.6%	25	31
Information Technology	87.9%	3.0%	9.1%	4.8%	33	68
Communication Services	72.7%	-	27.3%	15.7%	11	21
Utilities	80.0%	-	20.0%	7.4%	15	31
S&P 500	83.2%	4.4%	12.4%	8.3%	315	499

Source: LSEG I/B/E/S