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Looking Past the Fear and the Noise: The Economic Forecast for 2021-2023

with Catherine Putney, ITR Economics



The session will begin at the top of the hour.



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Please use the chat to pose any questions you have for Catherine during the session. We will address as many questions as we can.



Catherine Putney

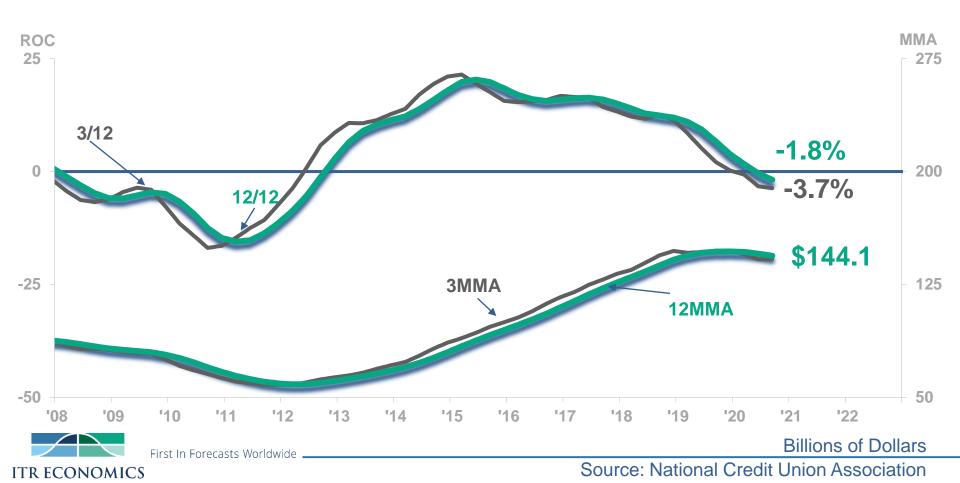


Catherine specializes in applied research regarding business cycle trend analysis, growth cycle trend analysis, and the utilization of cyclical analysis at the business level. She earned a master's degree in economics from the University of New Hampshire.

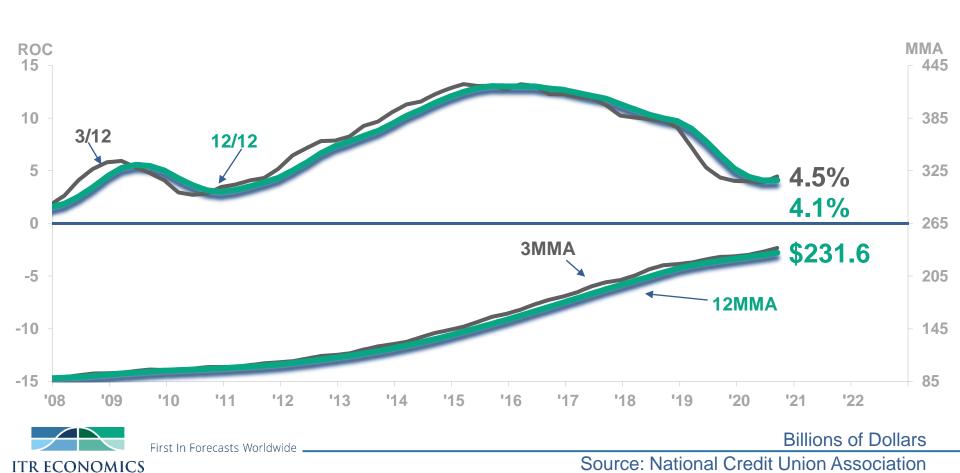
As a key member of ITR's Leading Indicator Team, Catherine applies her skillsets when forecasting company and market data and sharing those findings – and their business relevance – with ITR clients.

Catherine and the team at ITR Economics have put their expertise to work for companies from a wide range of industries, including manufacturing, chemicals, fibers, healthcare, distribution, real estate, construction, and technology.

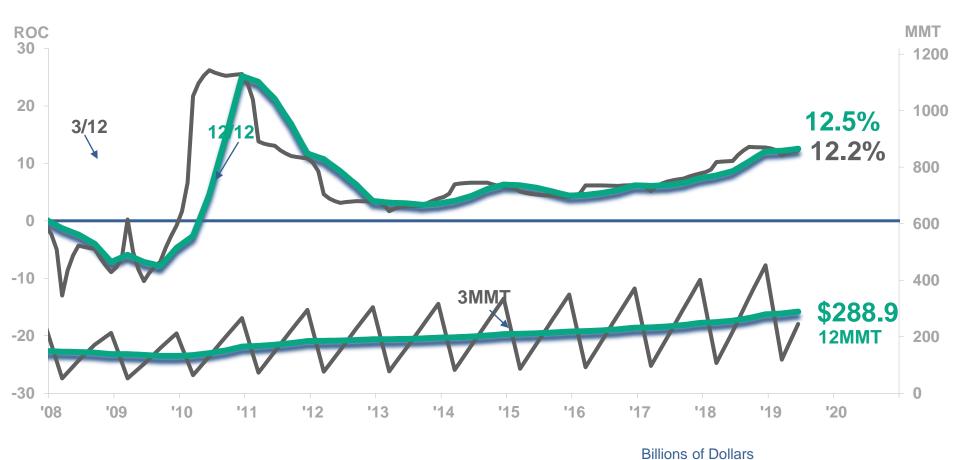
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US Credit Union Used Auto Loans

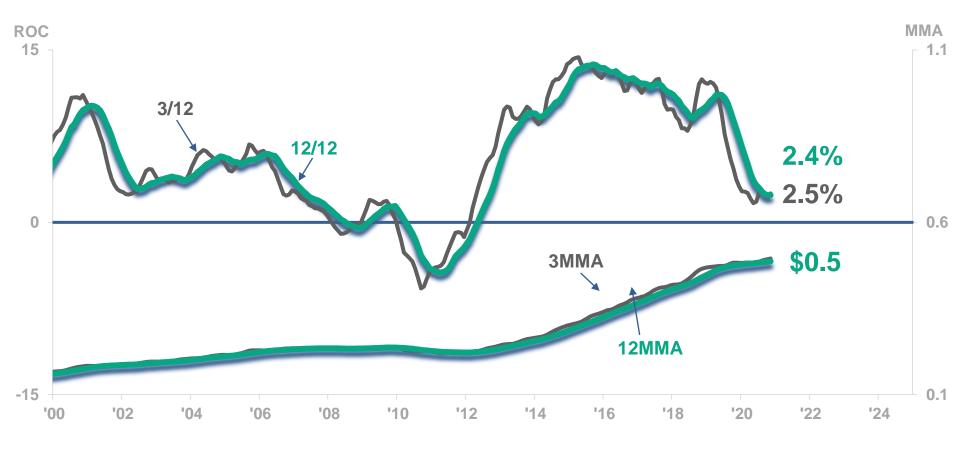


US Credit Union Net Interest Income



Source: National Credit Union Association

US Credit Union Consumer Credit Outstanding



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North America Light Vehicle Production

HIGHLIGHTS

- The November Production 3MMT was virtually even with the year-ago level
- Both US Total Retail Sales and US Light Vehicle Retail Sales dipped in November, signaling near-term consumer struggles
- Supply is still running behind demand; more Production will be needed in the future

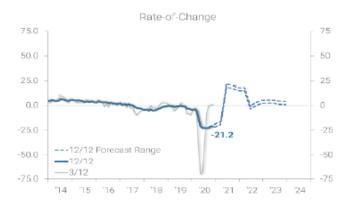
FORECAST

	12/12	12MMT	
2021:	16.3%	14.9	
2022:	3.4%	15.5	
2023:	2.4%	15.8	

OVERVIEW

North America Light Vehicle Production during the three months through November was virtually even with the year-ago level. We expect the 12MMT to be relatively flat into the first quarter of 2021 before increasing considerably in the second quarter. Production will then vacillate around 15.0 million units through mid-2022 before subsequently rising through at least 2023, approaching nearly 16.0 million units by the end of that year.

RATE-OF-CHANGE

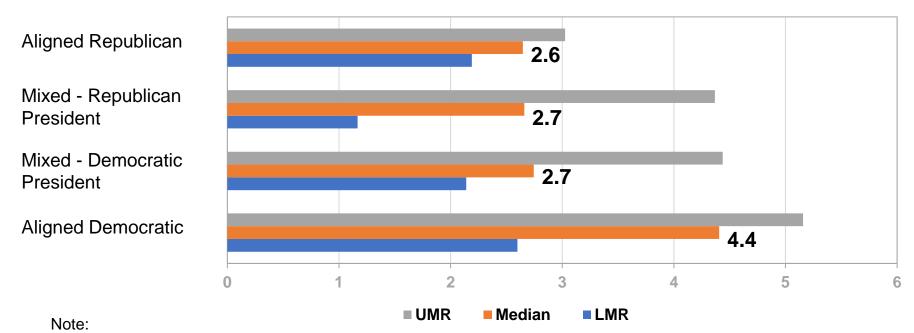


DATA TREND



A Measure of Growth

US Real GDP 3/12: 1953 to 2019

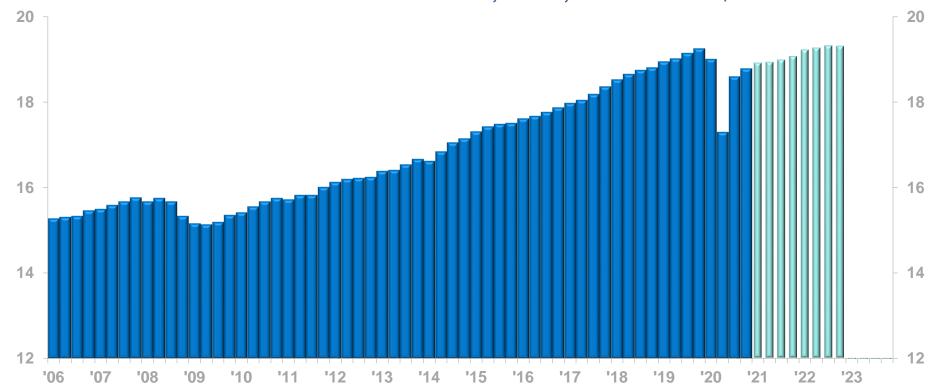


• No statistical difference unless aligned Democratic executive and legislature branches



Recovery in Progress With More Rise Ahead

US Gross Domestic Product, SAAR, Chained 2012 \$





3-Month Moving Average

Source: BEA



Depression Drivers



- 1. Demographics
- 2. Health Care Costs

3. Entitlements

4. Inflation

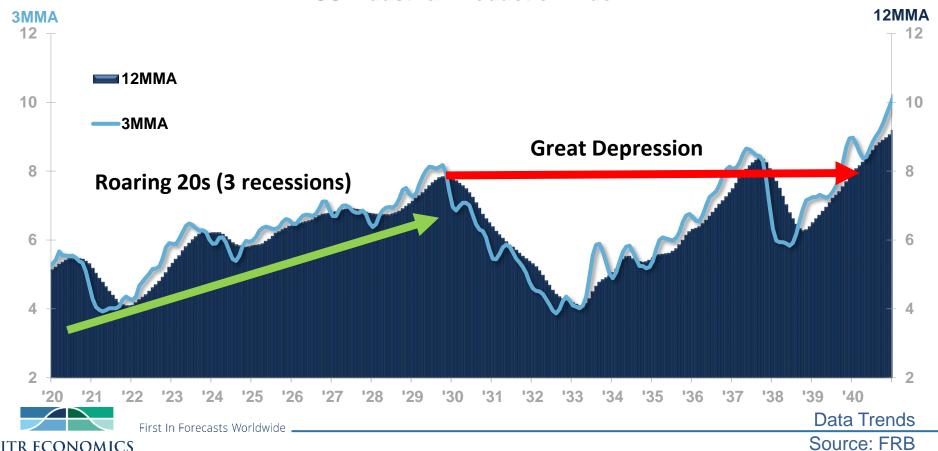
5. US National Debt



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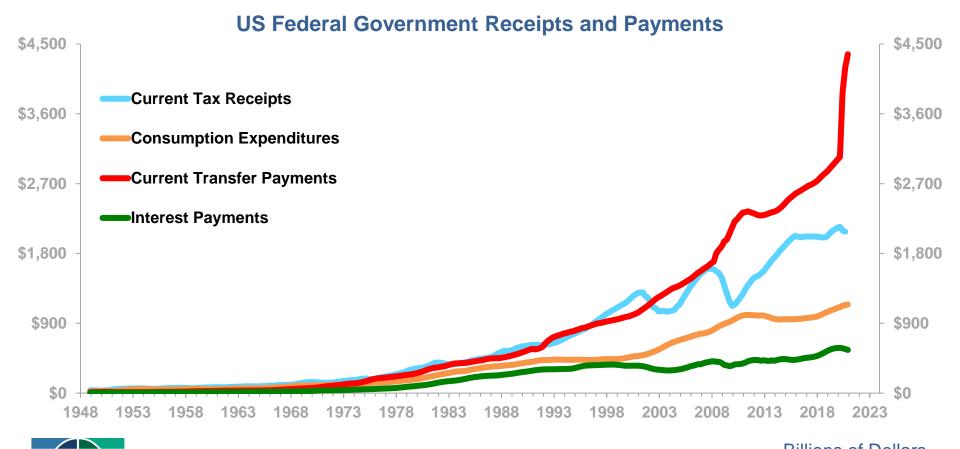
A Look Back at the 1920s-1930s

US Industrial Production Index



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