US Economic Indicators: ATA Truck Tonnage Index

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Figure 1.

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX
(2015=100, sa)

Source: American Trucking Association.

Figure 2.

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX
(yearly percent change)

Source: American Trucking Association.
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Figure 3.

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX & INTERMODAL RAILCAR LOADINGS

Railcar Loadings:
Intermodal Containers
(thousand units, nsa, 26-wa) (237.1)

ATA Truck Tonnage Index
(2015=100, sa) (117.4)

Source: American Trucking Association and Atlantic Systems.

Figure 4.

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX & REAL BUSINESS INVENTORIES

Business Inventories
(billions of 2012 dollars, sa)

ATA Truck Tonnage Index
(2015=100, 3-ma, sa)

Source: American Trucking Association and Census Bureau.
**Figure 5.**

S&P 500 TRANSPORTATION INDEX & ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX

ATA Truck Tonnage Index (2015=100, 3-ma, sa)

S&P 500 Transportation Index

Source: American Trucking Association and Standard & Poor’s.

**Figure 6.**

MEDIUM-WEIGHT & HEAVY TRUCK SALES*

(Thousand units, saar)

Latest (438.0)

* Class III & IV trucks with a gross vehicle weight of more than 14,001 lbs.

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.
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**Figure 7.**

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX & TRUCK SALES

ATA Truck Tonnage Index (2015=100, 3-ma, sa) (117.1)

Medium & Heavy Truck Sales* (thousand units, saar) (438.0)

* Class III & IV trucks with a gross vehicle weight of more than 14,001 lbs.
Source: American Trucking Association and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

**Figure 8.**

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX & REAL GDP
(yearly percent change)

Trucking Index (3-month moving average) (0.9)
Real GDP (2.3)

Source: American Trucking Association and Bureau of Economic Analysis.
Figure 9.

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Source: American Trucking Association and Bureau of Economic Analysis.

Figure 10.

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**Figure 11.**

**ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX**
(as a ratio of payroll employment truck transportation, ratio scale)


**Figure 12.**

**PRODUCER PRICE INDEX: TRUCK TRANSPORTATION OF FREIGHT**
(yearly percent change)

Latest (0.4)

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Figure 13.

ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX & TRUCKING EMPLOYMENT

Payroll Employment:
Truck Transportation (millions)

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(2015=100, sa, 3-ma)


Figure 14.

AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS
(yearly percent change)

Truck Transportation (4.6)

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**Figure 15.**

**ATA TRUCK TONNAGE INDEX**
(as a ratio of payroll employment truck transportation)

(60-month percent change/5)


**Figure 16.**

**PAYROLL EMPLOYMENT TRUCK TRANSPORTATION**
(millions, sa, ratio scale)

Note: Shaded areas denote recessions according to the National Bureau of Economic Research.
Figure 17.

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AHE: Truck Transportation (4.6)
PPI: Truck Transportation of Freight (0.4)
