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CEO ECONOMIC OUTLOOK & CAPITAL SPENDING IN REAL GDP

CEO Outlook (>50=expansion)
Real Capital Spending (yearly percent change) (2.6)

Source: Business Roundtable, Bureau of Economic Analysis, and Haver Analytics.
Durable Goods Orders

Figure 3.

DURABLE GOODS ORDERS AND SHIPMENTS
(trillion dollars, saar)

Orders
Shipments

DURABLE GOODS ORDERS AND SHIPMENTS EXCLUDING TRANSPORTATION
(trillion dollars, saar)

Orders
Shipments

NONDEFENSE CAPITAL GOODS ORDERS AND SHIPMENTS EXCLUDING AIRCRAFT
(trillion dollars, saar)

Orders
Shipments

Source: Bureau of the Census.
Durable Goods Orders

Figure 4.

NONDEFENSE CAPITAL GOODS ORDERS EXCLUDING AIRCRAFT
(3-month percent change in 3-ma, saar)

NONDEFENSE CAPITAL GOODS SHIPMENTS EXCLUDING AIRCRAFT
(3-month percent change in 3-ma, saar)

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(3-month percent change in 3-ma, saar)

Source: Bureau of the Census.
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Figure 5.

US INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION OF BUSINESS EQUIPMENT
(2012=100)

Industrial Production of Business Equipment
- Total
- Transit
- Information Processing
- Industrial & Other

Source: Federal Reserve Board.

Figure 6.

US INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION OF HIGH TECH EQUIPMENT
(2012=100)

Industrial Production of High Tech Equipment
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Source: Federal Reserve Board.
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NFIB: SMALL BUSINESS REPORTING GOOD TIME TO EXPAND, CAPITAL SPENDING & EMPLOYMENT PLANS
(12-month average, percent)

Source: National Federation of Independent Business.

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Source: National Federation of Independent Business.

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Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis and National Federation of Independent Business.