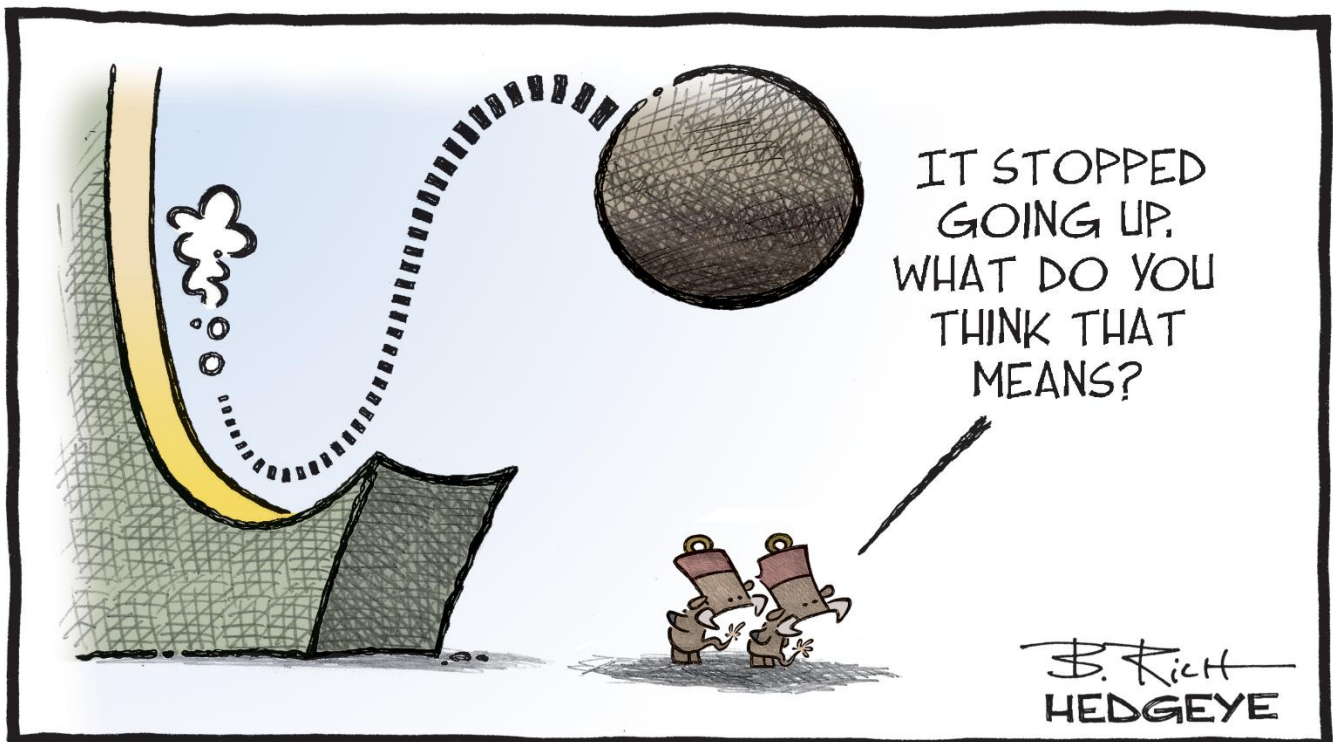


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Chart of the Week: Russell 2000 (Mid Caps)



Economic Calendar for Last Week:

Time	Cur.	Event		Imp.	Actual	Forecast	Previous
Tuesday, October 27, 2026							
08:30	 US	Durable Goods Orders (MoM) (Sep)	P	★ ★ ★	1.8%	2.0%	0.1%
10:00	 US	CB Consumer Confidence (Oct)		★ ★ ★	91.7	81.2	84.2
10:00	 US	New Home Sales (Sep)		★ ★ ★	676K	651K	680K
Wednesday, October 28, 2026							
10:30	 US	Crude Oil Inventories		★ ★ ★	-1.892M	0.100M	-3.060M
14:00	 US	Fed Interest Rate Decision		★ ★ ★	4.00%	4.00%	4.00%
14:00	 US	FOMC Statement 		★ ★ ★			
14:30	 US	FOMC Press Conference 		★ ★ ★			
Thursday, October 29, 2026							
08:30	 US	Core PCE Price Index (MoM) (Sep)		★ ★ ★	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%
08:30	 US	Core PCE Price Index (YoY) (Sep)		★ ★ ★	3.1%	3.1%	3.0%
08:30	 US	GDP (QoQ) (Q3) P		★ ★ ★	3.4%	3.2%	2.2%
08:30	 US	Initial Jobless Claims		★ ★ ★	194K	198K	195K
Friday, October 30, 2026							
09:45	 US	Chicago PMI (Oct)		★ ★ ★	55.3	55.8	58.8

Economic Calendar for Next Week:

Time	Cur.	Event	Imp.	Actual	Forecast	Previous
Monday, November 2, 2026						
09:45	 US	S&P Global Manufacturing PMI (Oct)	★★★		56.0	56.0
10:00	 US	ISM Manufacturing PMI (Oct)	★★★			54.5
10:00	 US	ISM Manufacturing Prices (Oct)	★★★			77.9
Tuesday, November 3, 2026						
09:45	 US	S&P Global Manufacturing PMI (Oct)	★★★		56.0	55.9
10:00	 US	JOLTS Job Openings (Sep)	★★★			7.079M
Wednesday, November 4, 2026						
08:15	 US	ADP Nonfarm Employment Change (Oct)	★★★			90K
09:45	 US	S&P Global Services PMI (Oct)	★★★		57.9	57.9
10:00	 US	ISM Non-Manufacturing Prices (Oct)	★★★			74.0
10:00	 US	ISM Non-Manufacturing PMI (Oct)	★★★			54.9
10:30	 US	Crude Oil Inventories	★★★			-1.892M
Thursday, November 5, 2026						
08:30	 US	Initial Jobless Claims	★★★			194K
Friday, November 6, 2026						
08:30	 US	Nonfarm Payrolls (Oct)	★★★			29K
08:30	 US	Unemployment Rate (Oct)	★★★			4.2%
08:30	 US	Average Hourly Earnings (MoM) (Oct)	★★★			0.1%

CME FEDWATCH TOOL - AGGREGATED MEETING PROBABILITIES

MEETING DATE	375-400	400-425	425-450	450-475
12/9/2026	29.26 %	70.74 %	0.00 %	0.00 %
1/27/2027	4.00 %	96.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %
3/17/2027	0.00 %	51.71 %	48.29 %	0.00 %
4/28/2027	0.00 %	26.00 %	74.00 %	0.00 %
6/9/2027	0.00 %	0.00 %	92.86 %	7.14 %
7/28/2027	0.00 %	0.00 %	84.00 %	16.00 %
9/15/2027	0.00 %	0.00 %	73.70 %	26.30 %
10/27/2027	0.00 %	0.00 %	76.00 %	24.00 %
12/8/2027	0.00 %	0.00 %	84.09 %	15.91 %



SPX

\$SPX S&P 500 Large Cap Index: INDX
30-Oct-2026
\$SPX (Daily) 7580.07

Open 7631.07 High 7637.48 Low 7527.56 Close 7580.07 Volume 4.3B Chg -140.32 (-1.82%)



NDX

\$NDX Nasdaq 100 Index: INDX
30-Oct-2026
\$NDX (Daily) 28384.85

Open 28604.92 High 28713.46 Low 28093.24 Close 28384.85 Volume 2.2B Chg -1017.66 (-3.46%)





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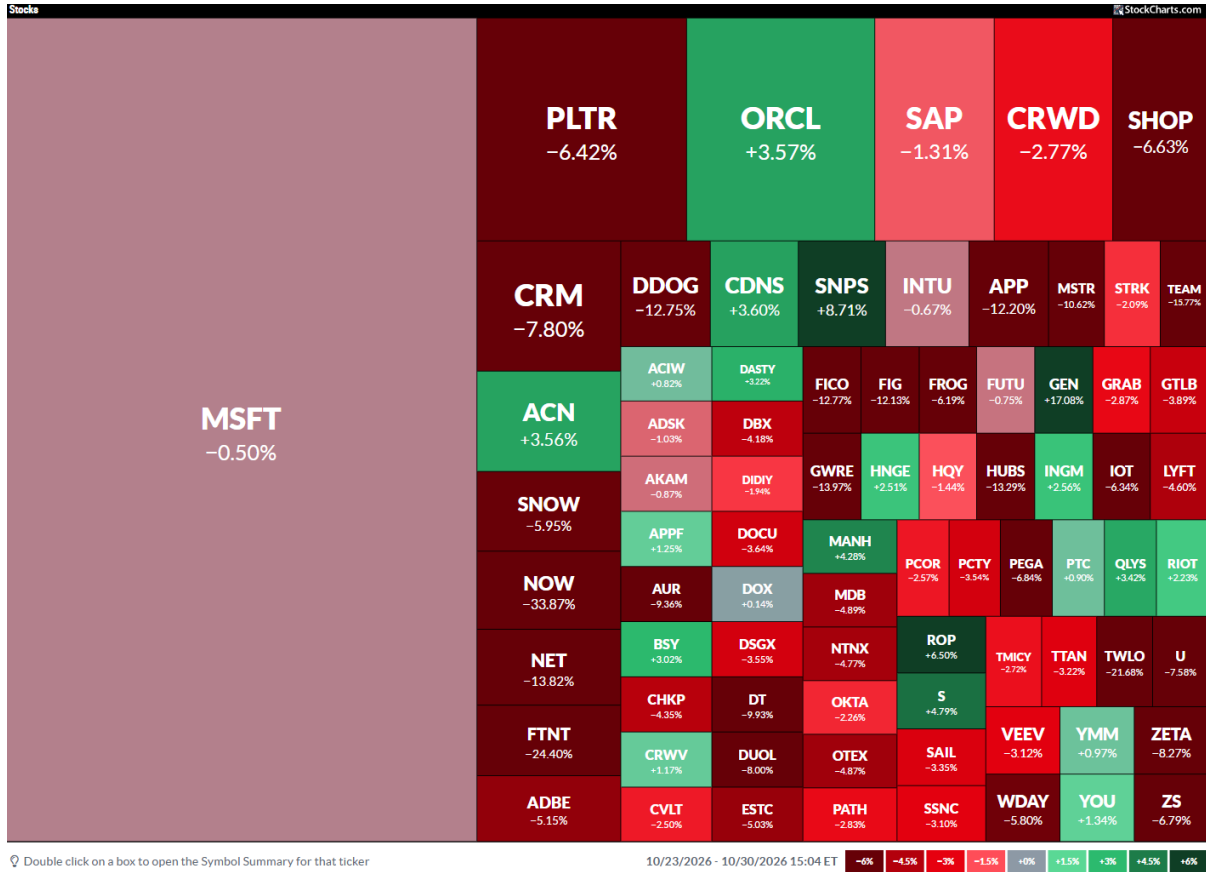
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XBI - SPDR S&P Biotech ETF	155.98	+6.44	+4.31%	<div></div>
XHB - SPDR S&P Homebuilders ETF	100.97	+2.59	+2.63%	<div></div>
\$SML - S&P 600 Small Cap Index	1,706.25	+24.54	+1.46%	<div></div>
IWM - iShares Russell 2000 ETF	279.33	+3.58	+1.30%	<div></div>
\$MID - S&P 400 Mid Cap Index	3,662.22	+45.63	+1.26%	<div></div>
XRT - SPDR S&P Retail ETF	88.72	+1.07	+1.22%	<div></div>
XLF - Financial Select Sector SPDR Fund	56.51	+0.61	+1.09%	<div></div>
XLE - Energy Select Sector SPDR Fund	70.02	+0.69	+1.00%	<div></div>
TLT - iShares 20+ Year Treasury Bond ETF	81.84	+0.50	+0.61%	<div></div>
DTCR - Global X Data Center & Digital Infrastructure ETF	25.57	+0.14	+0.55%	<div></div>
\$USD - US Dollar - Cash Settle	101.96	+0.21	+0.21%	<div></div>
\$VIX - Volatility Index - New Methodology	19.42	-0.03	-0.15%	<div></div>
SPY - SPDR S&P 500 ETF	755.72	-4.25	-0.56%	<div></div>
DIA - SPDR Dow Jones Industrial Average ETF	517.13	-4.24	-0.81%	<div></div>
SMH - VanEck Semiconductor ETF	522.49	-4.71	-0.89%	<div></div>
\$OEX - S&P 100 Index	3,737.40	-40.19	-1.06%	<div></div>
\$TNX - CBOE 10-Year US Treasury Yield	49.29	-0.59	-1.18%	<div></div>
DBC - Invesco DB Commodity Index Tracking Fund	33.61	-0.49	-1.44%	<div></div>
MTUM - iShares MSCI USA Momentum Factor ETF	284.10	-5.35	-1.85%	<div></div>
VGT - Vanguard Information Technology ETF	116.96	-2.21	-1.85%	<div></div>
QQQ - Invesco QQQ Trust	690.49	-13.91	-1.97%	<div></div>
XLK - Technology Select Sector SPDR Fund	179.51	-3.72	-2.03%	<div></div>
MAGS - Roundhill Big Tech ETF	68.48	-1.59	-2.27%	<div></div>
CHAT - Roundhill Generative AI & Technology ETF	75.33	-1.76	-2.28%	<div></div>
GLD - SPDR Gold Shares	355.78	-10.83	-2.95%	<div></div>
DBA - Invesco DB Agriculture Fund	26.89	-0.98	-3.52%	<div></div>
\$BRENT - Brent Crude Oil - Spot	112.35	-4.37	-3.75%	<div></div>
\$BTCUSD - Bitcoin to US Dollar	77,598.93	-3,219.88	-3.98%	<div></div>
IGV - iShares Expanded Tech-Software Sector ETF	104.29	-6.30	-5.70%	<div></div>



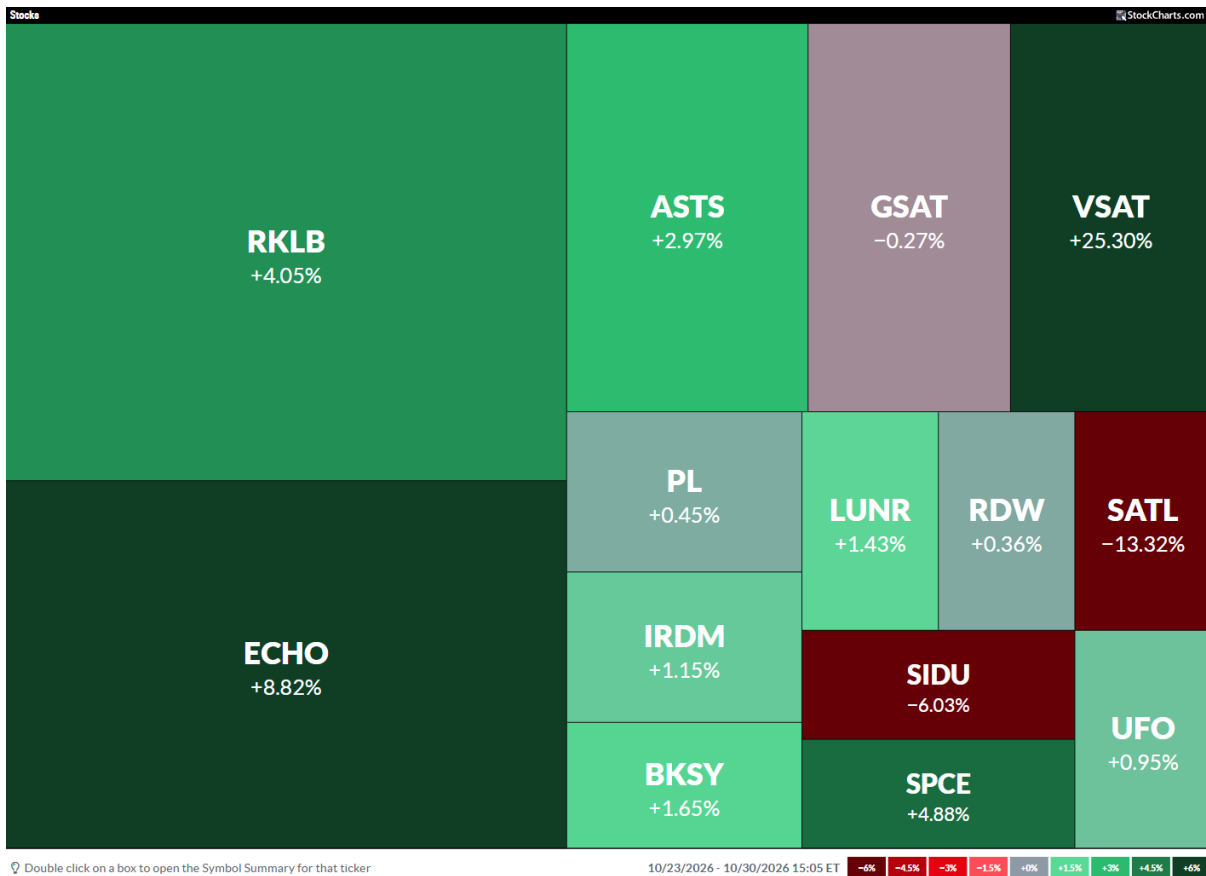
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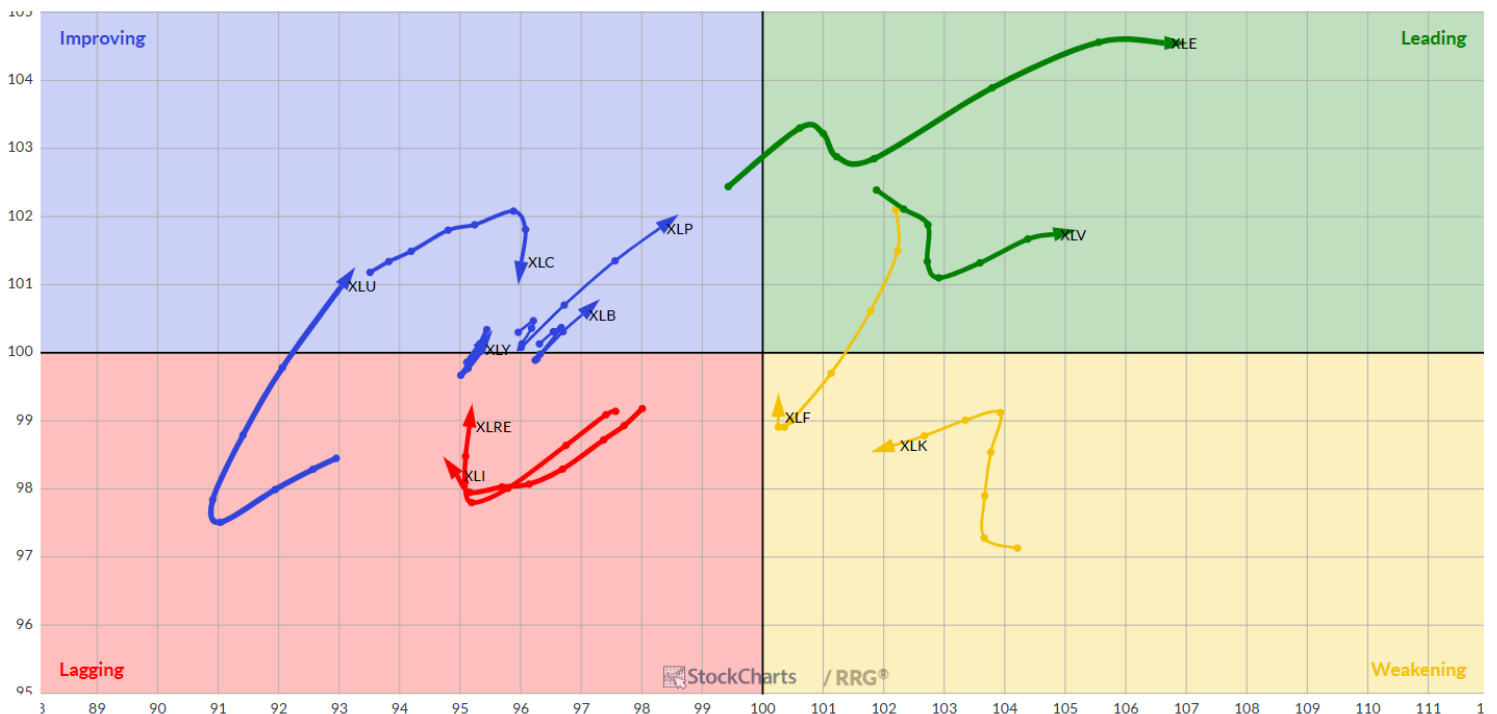
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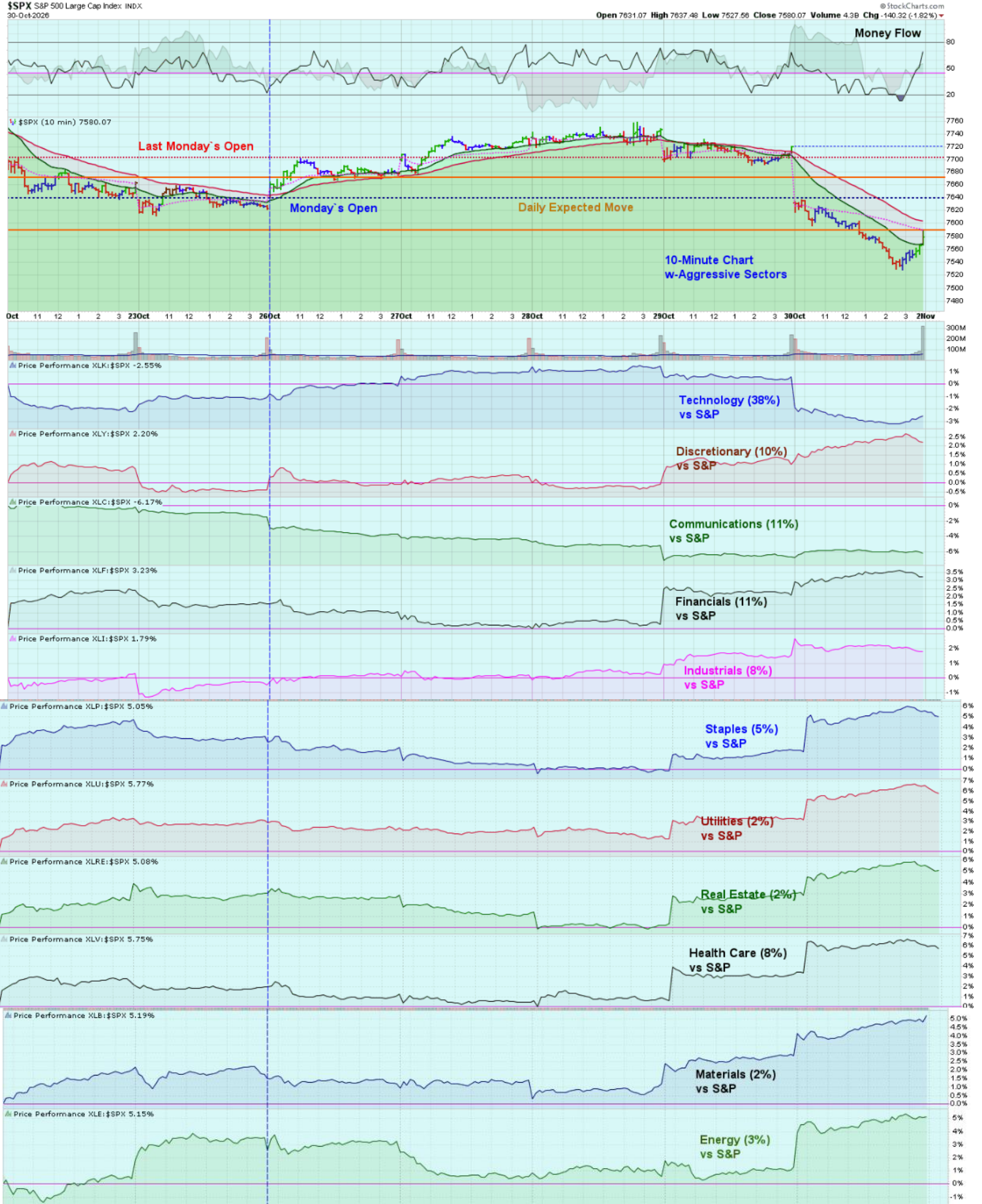
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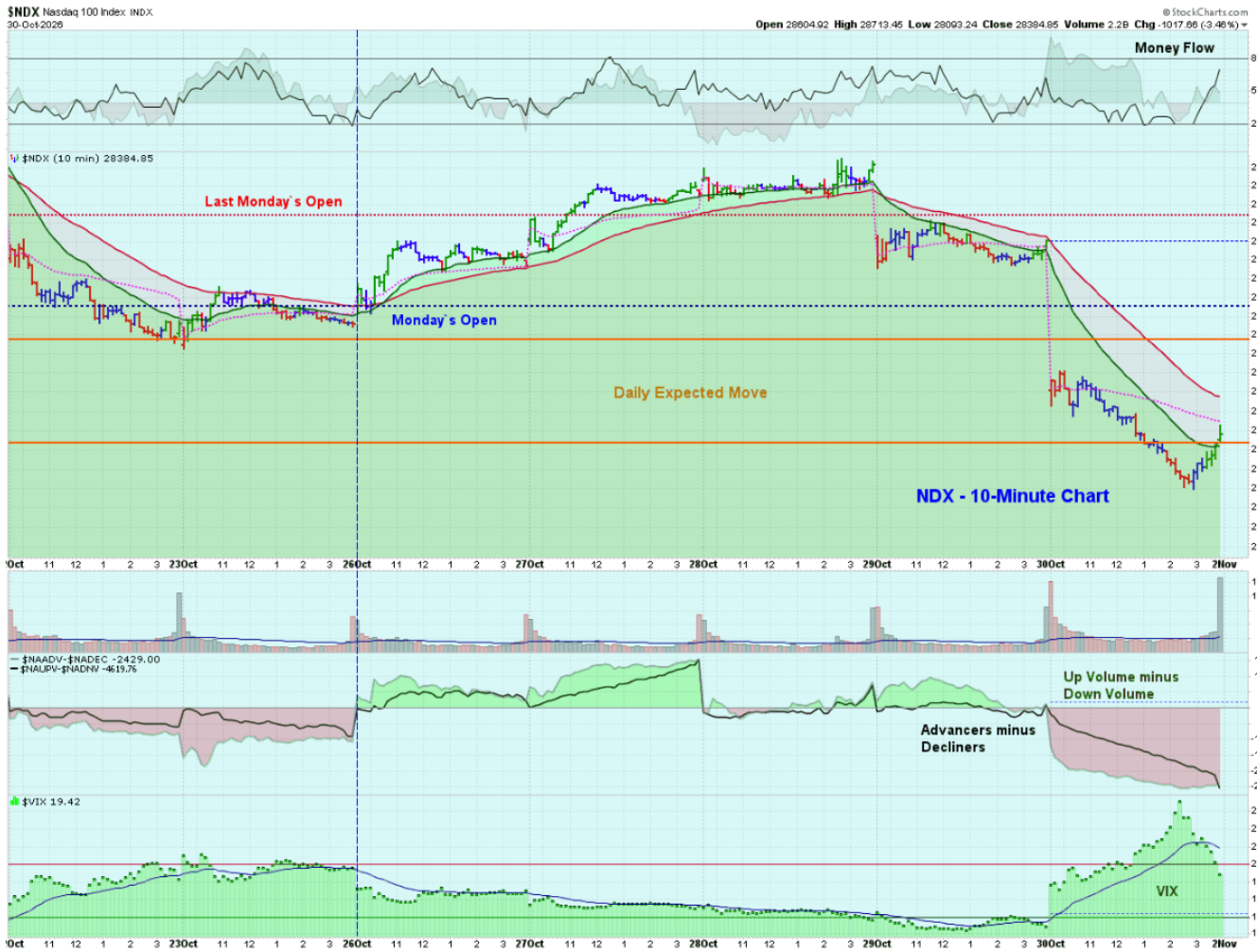
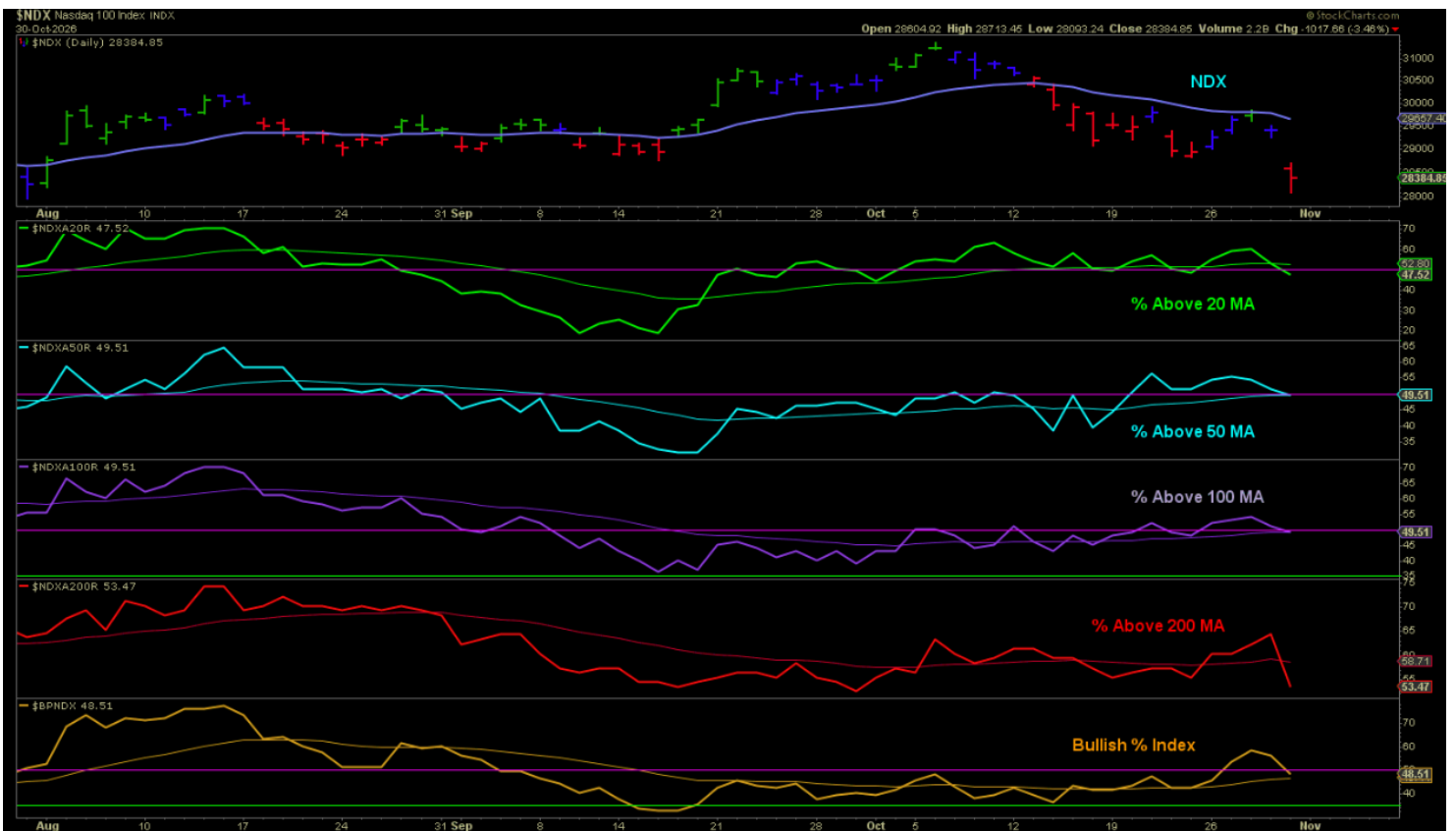
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	NAME	LAST	CHG	% CHG	+/-
≡	Defensive - 09 - XLV - Health Care Select Sector SPDR Fund	184.87	+5.59	+3.12%	▬
≡	Defensive - 10 - XLB - Materials Select Sector SPDR Fund	52.74	+1.43	+2.79%	▬
≡	Defensive - 07 - XLU - Utilities Select Sector SPDR Fund	43.43	+0.87	+2.04%	▬
≡	Aggressive - 03 - XLY - Consumer Discretionary Select Sector SPDR Fund	115.38	+2.28	+2.02%	▬
≡	Aggressive - 05 - XLI - Industrial Select Sector SPDR Fund	167.40	+2.78	+1.69%	▬
≡	Defensive - 08 - XLRE - Real Estate Select Sector SPDR Fund	43.17	+0.60	+1.41%	▬
≡	Defensive - 06 - XLP - Consumer Staples Select Sector SPDR Fund	89.42	+1.16	+1.31%	▬
≡	z3 IWM - iShares Russell 2000 ETF	279.33	+3.58	+1.30%	▬
≡	Aggressive - 04 - XLF - Financial Select Sector SPDR Fund	56.51	+0.61	+1.09%	▬
≡	Defensive - 11 - XLE - Energy Select Sector SPDR Fund	70.02	+0.69	+1.00%	▬
≡	z1 \$SPX - S&P 500 Large Cap Index	7,580.07	-43.61	-0.57%	■
≡	z2 \$NDX - Nasdaq 100 Index	28,384.85	-572.68	-1.98%	■
≡	Aggressive - 01 - XLK - Technology Select Sector SPDR Fund	179.51	-3.72	-2.03%	■
≡	z4 GLD - SPDR Gold Shares	355.78	-10.83	-2.95%	■
≡	Aggressive - 02 - XLC - Communication Services Select Sector SPDR Fund	99.90	-5.61	-5.32%	■
≡	z5 \$BTCUSD - Bitcoin to US Dollar	76,579.07	-4,543.09	-5.60%	■



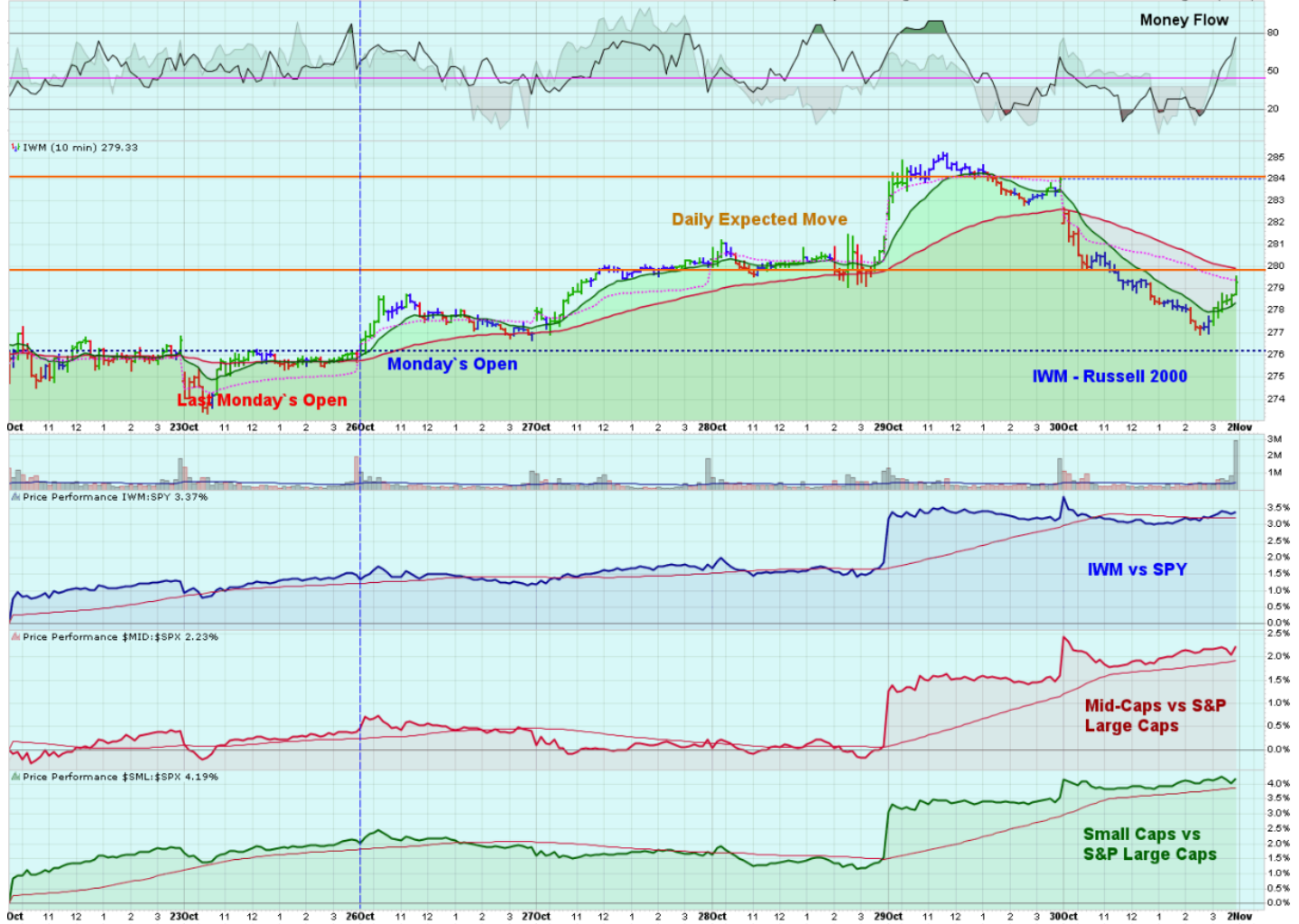
10-Minute Charts:





IWM (Shares Russell 2000 ETF NYSE
30-Oct-2026

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Top 10 Best & Worst Large Caps for the Week:

NAME	SECTOR	INDUSTRY	LAST	CHG	% CHG	+/-	SECT	U
REGN - Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	Health Care	Biotechnology	927.89	+122.87	+15.26%	■	95.5	lrg
GM - General Motors Co.	Discretionary	Automobiles	87.40	+11.48	+15.12%	■	80.9	lrg
LLY - Eli Lilly & Co.	Health Care	Pharmaceuticals	1,417.54	+144.08	+11.31%	■	97.8	lrg
NXPI - NXP Semiconductor N.V.	Technology	Semiconductors	259.61	+24.69	+10.51%	■	48.6	lrg
GILD - Gilead Sciences, Inc.	Health Care	Biotechnology	170.68	+14.64	+9.38%	■	94.0	lrg
AZN - AstraZeneca PLC	Health Care	Pharmaceuticals	186.65	+15.16	+8.84%	■	73.7	lrg
SNPS - Synopsys, Inc.	Technology	Software	467.61	+37.47	+8.71%	■	41.4	lrg
KLAC - KLA Corp.	Technology	Semiconductors	157.91	+12.30	+8.45%	■	19.1	lrg
LULU - Lululemon Athletica Inc.	Discretionary	Clothing & Accessories	107.24	+8.23	+8.31%	■	23.3	lrg
TSLA - Tesla Inc.	Discretionary	Automobiles	399.81	+27.59	+7.41%	■	57.1	lrg
NAME	SECTOR	INDUSTRY	LAST	CHG	% CHG	+/-	SECT	U
NOW - ServiceNow, Inc.	Technology	Software	105.12	-53.84	-33.87%	■	17.2	lrg
FTNT - Fortinet Inc.	Technology	Software	136.08	-43.91	-24.40%	■	58.2	lrg
INTC - Intel Corp.	Technology	Semiconductors	65.76	-21.20	-24.38%	■	1.5	lrg
TEAM - Atlassian Corp.	Technology	Software	191.72	-35.89	-15.77%	■	99.0	lrg
MRVL - Marvell Technology Inc	Technology	Semiconductors	196.40	-32.11	-14.05%	■	33.5	lrg
DDOG - Datadog Inc.	Technology	Software	235.27	-34.38	-12.75%	■	87.3	lrg
GOOGL - Alphabet Inc.	Comm. Services	Internet	279.84	-40.37	-12.61%	■	7.6	lrg
APP - Applovin Corp.	Technology	Software	228.50	-31.75	-12.20%	■	0.8	lrg
CSGP - CoStar Group, Inc.	Real Estate	Real Estate Services	30.17	-3.75	-11.06%	■	18.7	lrg
MSTR - Strategy Inc	Technology	Software	130.51	-15.50	-10.62%	■	10.4	lrg

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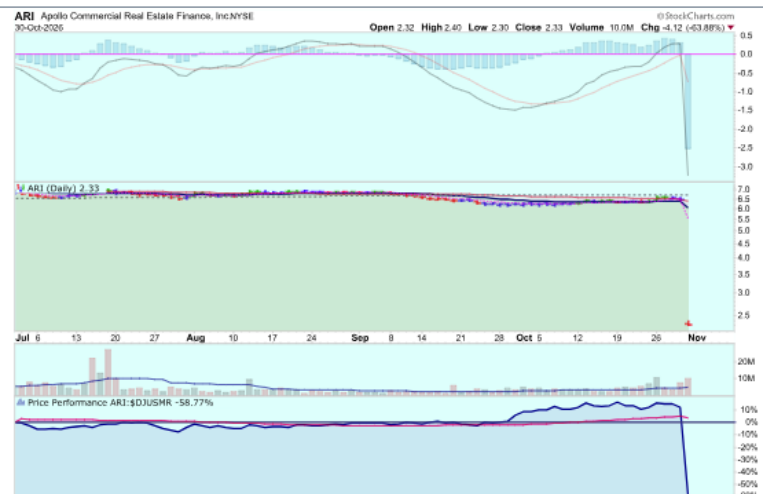
Top 10 Best & Worst Small/Mid-Caps for the Week:

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GDYN - Grid Dynamics Holdings Inc.	Technology	Software	13.36	+4.71	+54.45%		99.4	sml
ADT - ADT Inc	Industrial	Diversified Industrials	9.86	+2.96	+42.90%		98.3	mid
GKOS - Glaukos Corp.	Health Care	Medical Equipment	237.60	+58.72	+32.83%		99.2	mid
HAYW - Hayward Holdings Inc.	Industrial	Building Materials	16.12	+3.45	+27.23%		89.1	mid
CROX - Crocs, Inc.	Discretionary	Footwear	150.52	+31.29	+26.24%		96.7	mid
VSAT - ViaSat, Inc.	Technology	Telecom Equipment	77.02	+15.55	+25.30%		87.4	mid
WING - Wingstop Inc.	Discretionary	Restaurants & Bars	149.73	+30.19	+25.26%		76.4	mid
MIR - Mirion Technologies, Inc.	Health Care	Medical Equipment	18.37	+3.56	+24.04%		70.7	mid
FMC - FMC Corp.	Materials	Specialty Chemicals	6.20	+1.15	+22.77%		1.8	mid
UPBD - Upbound Group, Inc.	Discretionary	Special Consumer Services	20.70	+3.62	+21.19%		91.0	sml
NAME	SECTOR	INDUSTRY	LAST	CHG	% CHG	+/-	SCTR	U
ARI - Apollo Commercial Real Estate Finance, Inc.	Real Estate	Mortgage REITs	2.33	-4.09	-63.71%		3.7	sml
TWI - Titan Intl, Inc.	Discretionary	Tires	4.65	-2.11	-31.21%		15.0	sml
ABR - Arbor Realty Trust Inc.	Real Estate	Mortgage REITs	2.14	-0.78	-26.71%		6.7	sml
SFM - Sprouts Farmers Market Inc.	Staples	Food Retailers	49.70	-16.56	-24.99%		3.3	mid
TWLO - Twilio Inc.	Technology	Software	205.03	-56.76	-21.68%		25.0	lrg
OI - Owens Illinois, Inc.	Materials	Containers & Packaging	5.12	-1.35	-20.87%		18.8	sml
AMSF - AMERISAFE, Inc.	Financial	Life Insurance	20.91	-5.40	-20.52%		24.7	sml
JBSS - John B. Sanfilippo & Son, Inc.	Staples	Food Products	53.90	-13.16	-19.62%		23.2	sml
PRLB - Proto Labs Inc.	Industrial	Industrial Machinery	68.89	-16.72	-19.53%		41.9	sml
ENPH - Enphase Energy Inc.	Technology	Renewable Energy Equipment	25.65	-5.95	-18.83%		7.1	mid

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From Real Investment Advice:

Growth vs Value Hit An Extreme As AI Spending Broke Big Tech - RIA

Excerpt:

Market Brief – The AI Bill Comes Due

In ***last week's Bull Bear Report***, I warned that a “Meta-style reaction” to this week’s mega-cap earnings could push the S&P 500 below its 100-day average and back toward the September lows. Alphabet delivered that reaction on Thursday. Intel finished the job on Friday. The S&P 500 fell 1.8% on Friday to close at 7,580, its lowest close since September 16, and ended the week down 0.6%. On Friday alone, the Nasdaq Composite dropped 2.9%, and the Dow lost 1.1%.

The change in tone came from cash flow, not demand. Google Cloud revenue more than doubled, yet ***Alphabet reported negative free cash flow of \$9.1 billion***, with quarterly capital spending at \$51.4 billion. The stock fell 12.6% on Thursday. Amazon’s AWS grew 39%, but earnings missed, and capital spending ran near \$77 billion for the quarter. Intel collapsed 28.6% on Friday after a weak fourth-quarter outlook, and Caterpillar dropped 9.3% on Thursday. Microsoft was the exception. Azure grew 48%, and the stock gave up less than 2% over two days.

Investors aren’t questioning whether AI works. They’re questioning who pays for it, and with Treasury yields near 5%, that question has a price.

Macro didn’t help. The Fed held rates at 3.75% to 4.00% on Wednesday in a 10-2 vote, with Governor Lisa Cook and Cleveland Fed President Beth Hammack dissenting and favoring a hike. Thursday brought ***September PCE inflation of 3.6%, with core at 3.1%***, and third-quarter GDP growth of 3.4%. Futures now price in roughly an 85% chance of a December hike.

The one bright spot was wages. The employment cost index showed wage growth slowing to 3.1%, a sign that energy-driven inflation isn’t feeding into paychecks. Meanwhile, the 10-year yield slipped to 4.93% from 5.00% a week ago, while Brent crude held near \$118.

Here’s the part the headlines missed. Nine of 11 sectors rose this week. The equal-weight S&P 500 gained 0.8%, outrunning the cap-weighted index by 1.4 points, and 500 of 849 actively traded stocks finished higher. Nearly all the damage was in technology and communication services, the two sectors that carry the AI capex trade.

The mainstream narrative is that the “*broadening*” in the market is a healthy sign. Maybe that is the case. **However, Howard Marks has long argued that the**

riskiest thing in the world is the belief that there's no risk, and right now that belief lives in the defensive sectors everyone ran to. Watch whether the bid under the equal-weight index survives Apple's results and next week's October jobs report. If it does, Friday was a rotation. If it doesn't, it was the start of something larger.

Growth vs Value: Value Had Its Run. The Turn Is Setting Up.

Four weeks ago, we told you that [“a market rotation from growth to value is becoming more likely heading into year-end.”](#) We acted on it two days later. On October 5, we trimmed Apple, Nvidia, AMD, and Palantir in our equity model and added Walmart, Costco, JPMorgan, Goldman Sachs, Kinder Morgan, and RTX. We then followed on October 8 by exiting Applied Digital and Vertiv and adding Berkshire Hathaway. We made a matching shift toward value in our ETF model as well. Since that close, the growth vs value spread has moved in our favor. The Vanguard Value ETF (VTV) has gained 4.6% while the Vanguard Growth ETF (VUG) has lost 7.6%, and technology has dropped 10.7%.

That trade did its job; however, it may be close to time to shift in the other direction. In last week's report, I suggested that we were [“potentially set up for a rotation in the other direction, buy growth and reduce value, heading into year-end.”](#) For the year, VTV is up 19.4%, VUG is up just 4.6%, and energy is up 56.6%. When one side wins that decisively, the useful question is how much good news is already in the price.

Value Won 2026 Because Oil And Yields Wrote The Rules

The lead of value over growth has a rather simple explanation. Last week, Brent crude traded near \$118 with the 10-year Treasury sitting just under 5% heading into the Fed meeting with odds of a December rate hike still elevated. That's a hostile backdrop for growth stocks, whose valuations lean on cash flows years down the road. It's a friendly one for energy producers, banks, and the “defensive” sectors that have soaked up the flows

The chart below measures the growth-versus-value ratio directly. **Between October 7 and Friday's close, growth lost 11.9% against value in 17 sessions, pushing the ratio below both its 50-day and 200-day averages.** That's a REAL trend change. Still, look at where it is now. The ratio sits just above its March low of 85.2. On Friday, its 14-day RSI fell to 28.6, below the 30 level that usually marks a washed-out reading.

GROWTH LOST 12% TO VALUE IN 17 SESSIONS

Vanguard Growth (VUG) ÷ Value (VTV), indexed to 100 at Dec 31, 2025



Rising line means growth is outperforming value. Daily closes, June 2, 2025 to Oct 30, 2026.

Source: Massive Market Data (VUG, VTV adjusted closes). Calculations: RIA Advisors.

Trends like this rarely reverse cleanly. They reverse when selling gets lopsided enough that the last few sellers are acting out of fear of missing the “safe” trade rather than on fundamentals, and the ratio is getting close to that level now.

Energy Is Stretched. Staples Are Just Bouncing.

The “*rotation*” headlines lump energy and staples together into a single trade. In the data, they look very different. The Energy Select Sector SPDR (XLE) gained 10.8% over the past month. Measured against the S&P 500, which is the fairer test for a sector that has spent the year riding an oil shock, it now trades 14.9% above its own 200-day average, the widest gap of any group in the chart below. Such is what an excess looks like.

Bob Farrell’s Rule #2 says that excesses in one direction lead to an opposite excess in the other direction. The energy sector hit a record high on Friday, and that’s where the excess lives right now. Energy has outrun the S&P 500 by nearly 40 points this year.

Staples started from a very different place, but they’re catching up fast. XLP rallied 11.3% in a month as money hid in “safe” names. Relative to the S&P 500,

it climbed from 2.6% below its 200-day trend a week ago to 1.8% above it. That's a sharp bounce off a deeply oversold base, and it's starting to look crowded.

Good Luck Trading...

**Separated from my
mother at birth
Sold for cash at just 8
weeks old
Started with \$0 to my
name**

**Today I own a house
and private yard
I have a personal chef
and 24/7 staff
If I can make it, so can
you.**





Adjustable-rate mortgage (ARM) share of loan activity at its highest level in more than a year, as borrowers seek relief from elevated mortgage rates

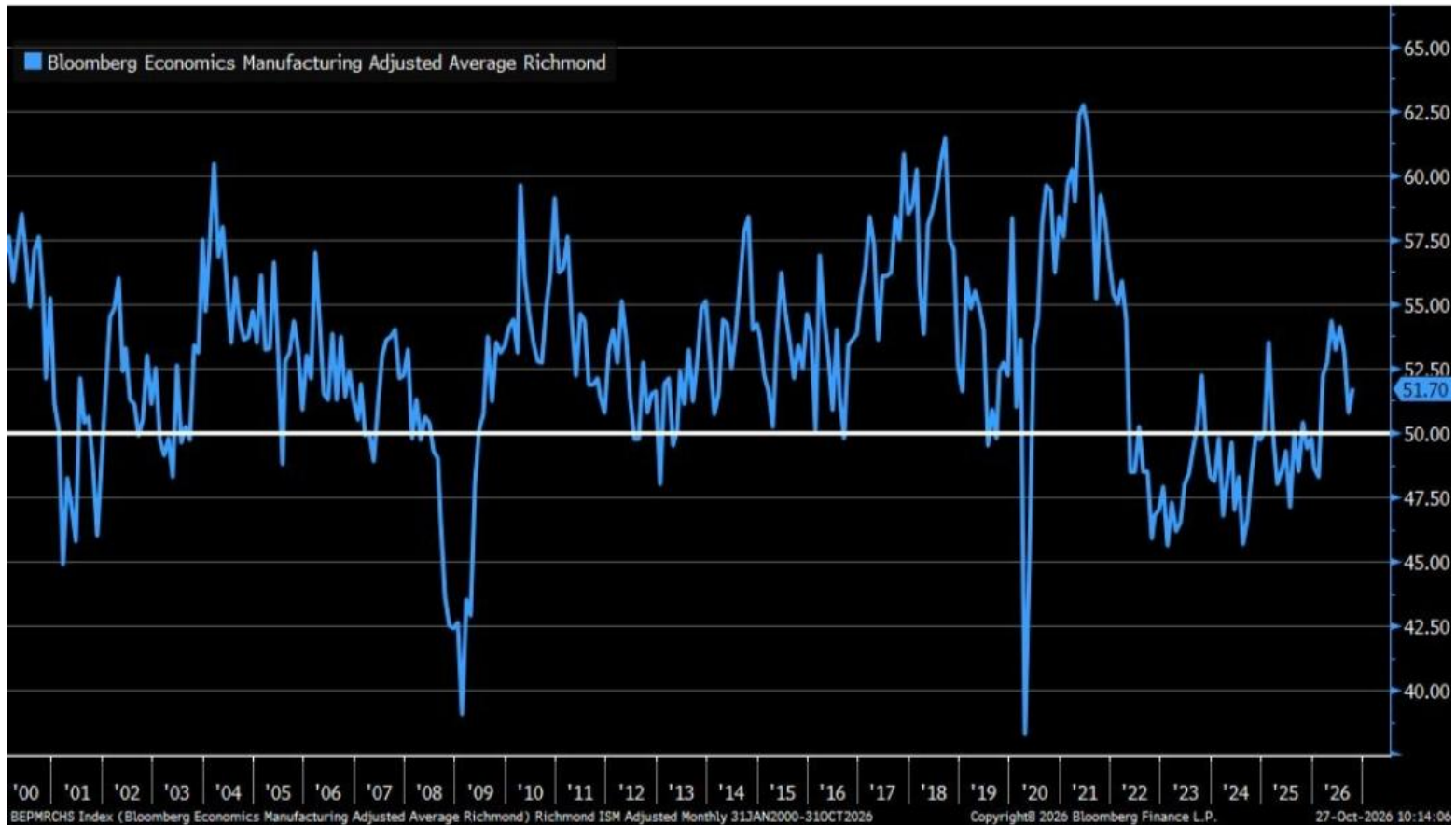
Mortgage Bankers Association



September personal savings rate down to 3.8%...first time with a 3-handle since 2022



Adjusted for ISM methodology, **Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond's** Manufacturing Index expanded in October and halted its two-month decline, rebounding to 51.7



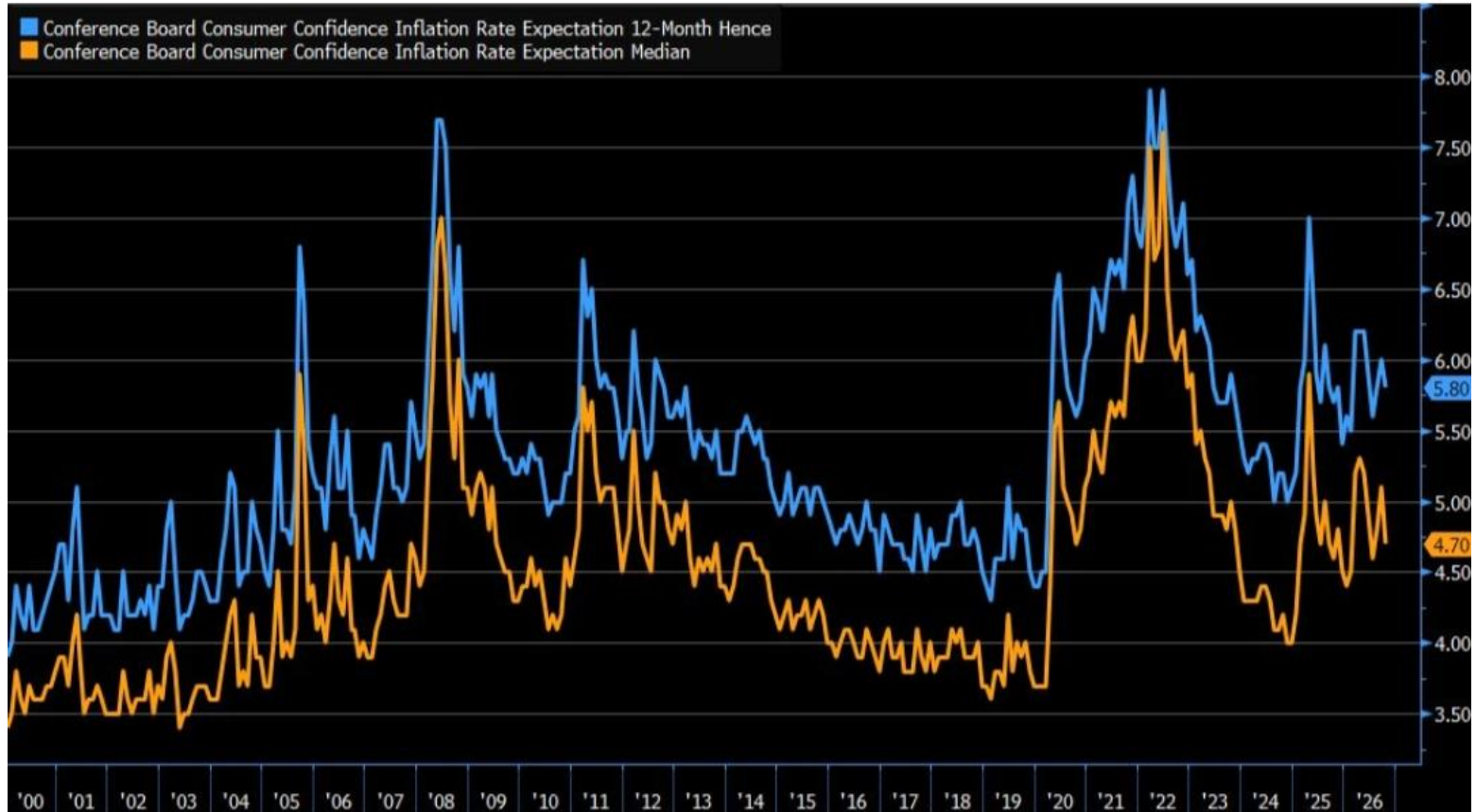
Months' supply of new homes continued to decline in September, edging down to 8.4 from 8.5 previously, but still remain above pre-pandemic levels



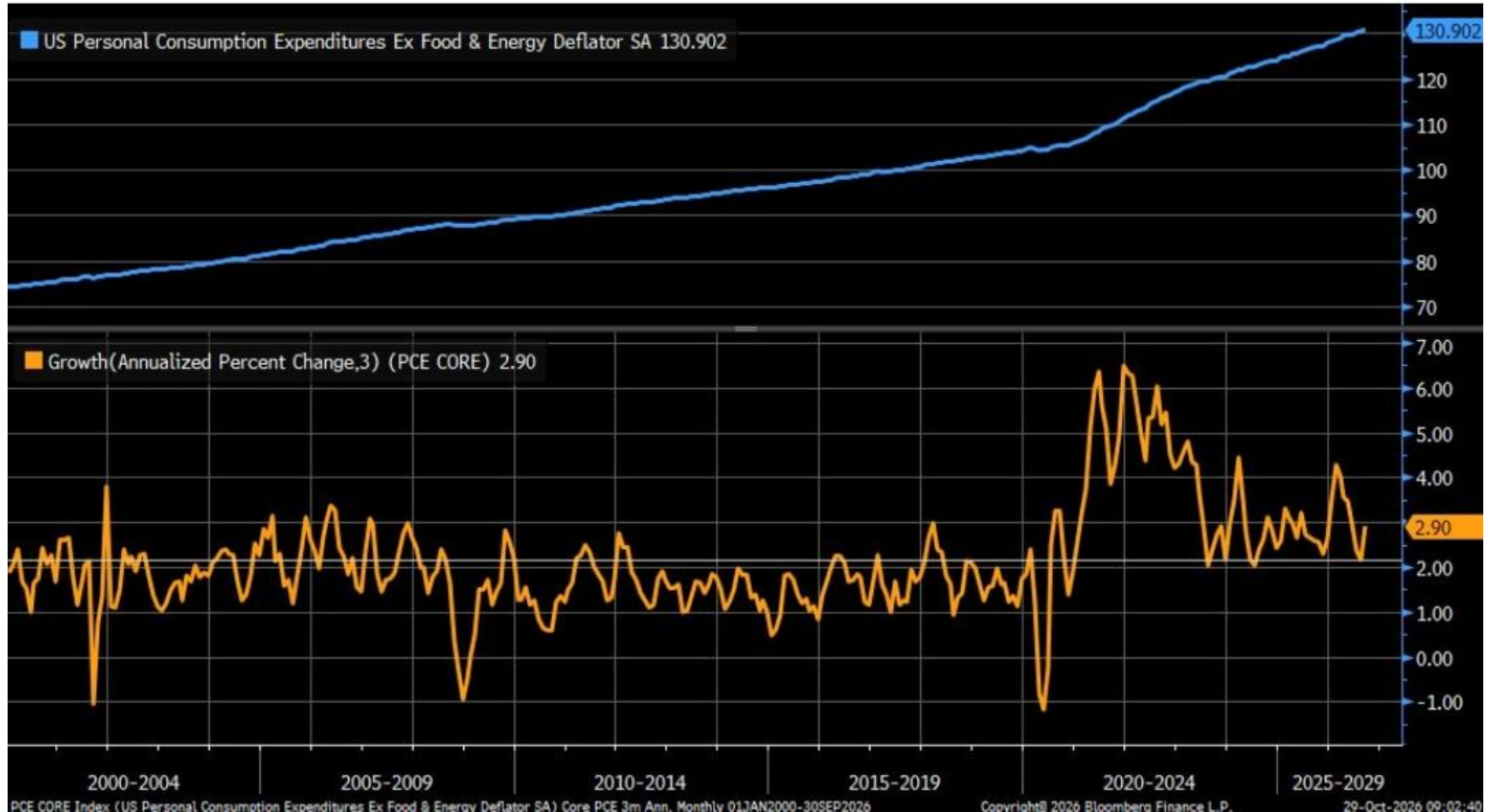
Upward moves for supercore CPI and PCE in September, with both heading in the wrong direction and further away from the Fed's 2% target



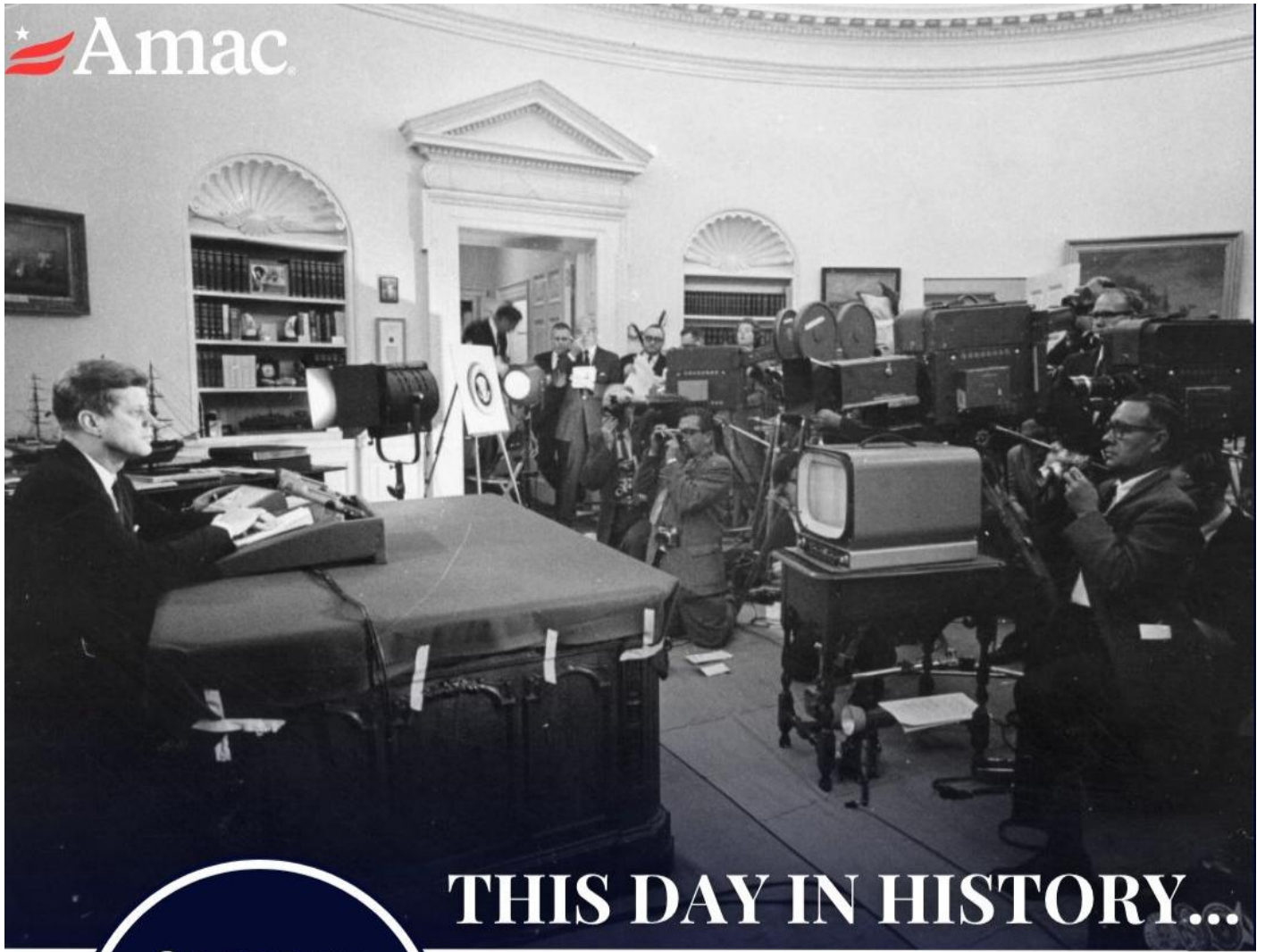
Consumers' average and median inflation expectations for the year ahead eased in October but are still elevated at 5.8% and 4.7%, respectively



September core PCE **#inflation** came in hot on a 3-month annualized basis...+2.9% vs. +2.2% prior



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THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

OCTOBER

22

1962

**JFK'S ADDRESS
ON CUBAN
MISSILE CRISIS
SHOCKS THE
NATION**



THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

OCTOBER

23

1850

THE FIRST NATIONAL
WOMEN'S RIGHTS
CONVENTION BEGINS



THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

OCTOBER

26

2001

**GEORGE W. BUSH
SIGNS THE PATRIOT
ACT**

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Double-Strand Barbed Wire Fencing

81

First piece ever made with intention of holding the barbs in place by twisting two strands together. Made in 1874 by Joseph F. Glidden at the old Glidden homestead, De Kalb, Illinois. Twisted on the small crank of a grindstone which Mrs. Glidden turned for the purpose. The wire tightened on the crank and could be removed only by cutting with a cold-chisel. The specimen shows where it was cut away from the crank.



THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

OCTOBER

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1874

JOSEPH GLIDDEN
APPLIES FOR A PATENT
ON HIS BARBED WIRE
DESIGN



OCTOBER

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1965

THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

ST. LOUIS'
GATEWAY ARCH IS
COMPLETED

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY...

OCTOBER

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1938

ORSON WELLES' "WAR
OF THE WORLDS"
RADIO PLAY IS
BROADCAST

Where U.S. States Rank in Global Oil Production

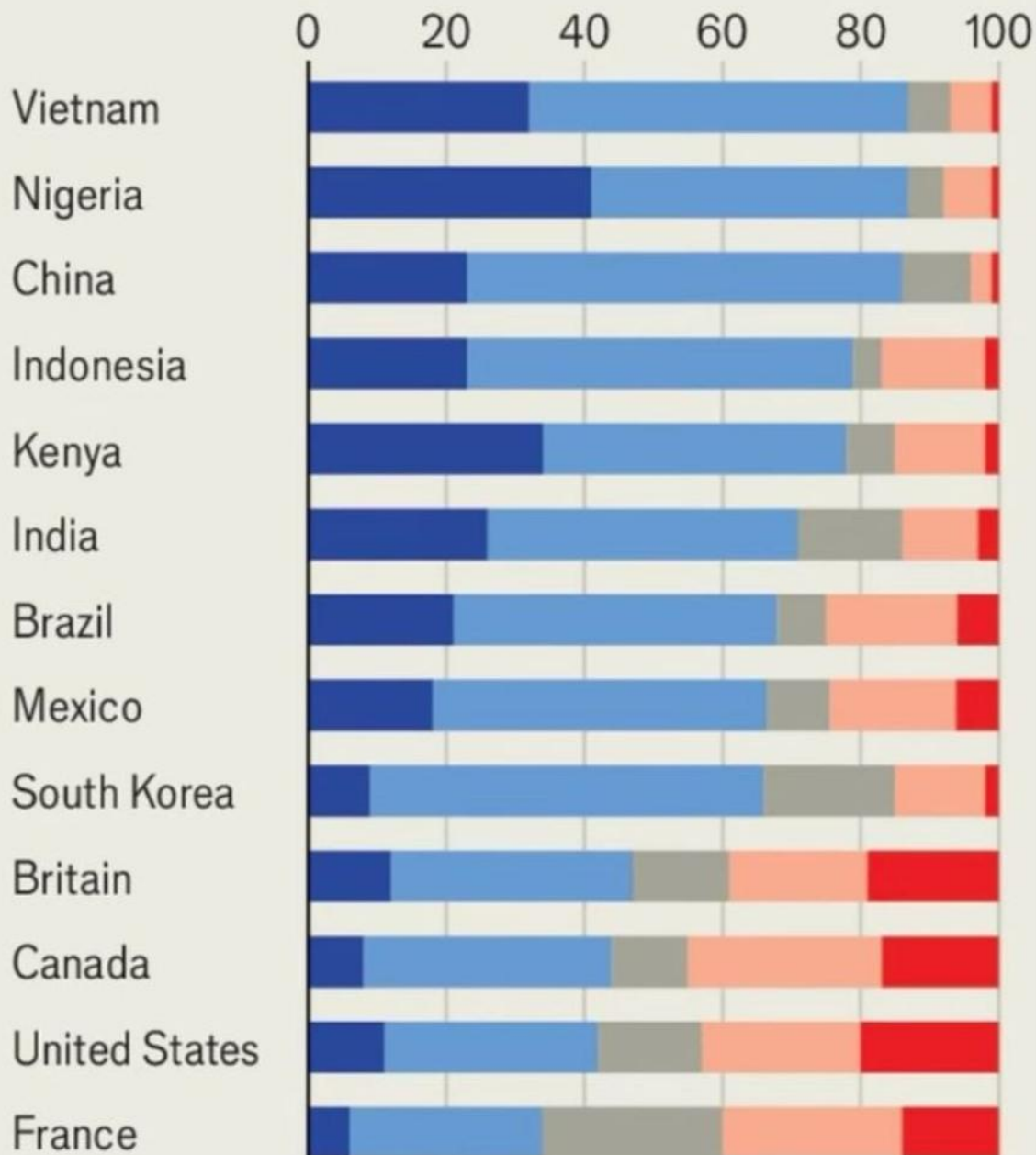
Rank	2025 Crude Oil Production (Million barrels per day)		
1		United States	13.58
2		Russia	9.87
3		Saudi Arabia	9.51
4		Texas	5.75
5		Canada	4.94
6		Iraq	4.39
7		China	4.34
8		Iran	4.19
9		United Arab Emirates	3.82
10		Brazil	3.75
11		Kuwait	2.58
12		New Mexico	2.24
13		Kazakhstan	2.07
14		Gulf of Mexico/America*	1.90
15		Norway	1.85
16		Mexico	1.72
17		Nigeria	1.61
18		Libya	1.36
19		Qatar	1.31
20		North Dakota	1.15
21		Algeria	1.14
22		Angola	1.03
23		Oman	1.00
24		Venezuela	0.97
25		Argentina	0.79
26		Colombia	0.75
27		Guyana	0.73
28		United Kingdom	0.61
29		India	0.60
30		Indonesia	0.58
31		Azerbaijan	0.56
32		Malaysia	0.52
33		Egypt	0.51
34		Colorado	0.47
35		Ecuador	0.44
36		Alaska	0.42
37		Oklahoma	0.41
38		Wyoming	0.29
39		California	0.26
40		Australia	0.25
41		Republic of the Congo	0.24
42		Gabon	0.24
43		Turkmenistan	0.19
44		Utah	0.19
45		Ghana	0.18
46		Bahrain	0.18
47		Vietnam	0.16
48		Thailand	0.16
49		Ohio	0.14
50		Chad	0.13

*Federal offshore production in U.S. waters of the Gulf of Mexico/America. Country values are Jan–Nov 2025 averages; state values and the federal offshore Gulf of Mexico are full-year 2025 averages. State and Gulf of Mexico values are components of the U.S. total.

“Overall, do you think AI will have a positive or negative impact on humanity as a whole?”

September 2026, % responding*

Very positive Somewhat positive No impact
Somewhat negative Very negative



Sources: GlobeScan; *The Economist*

*Survey conducted online

A map of which country's weather is most similar to where you live in America.

Pretty interesting.



The thing each state won't shut up about



Virginia: Being for lovers
West Virginia: Country roads
Maryland: Old Bay
Delaware: No sales tax
New Jersey: Pork roll vs Taylor ham
Connecticut: Being near New York

Rhode Island: Coffee milk
Massachusetts: Tom Brady
New Hampshire: Live Free or Die
Vermont: Maple syrup
Maine: Lobster