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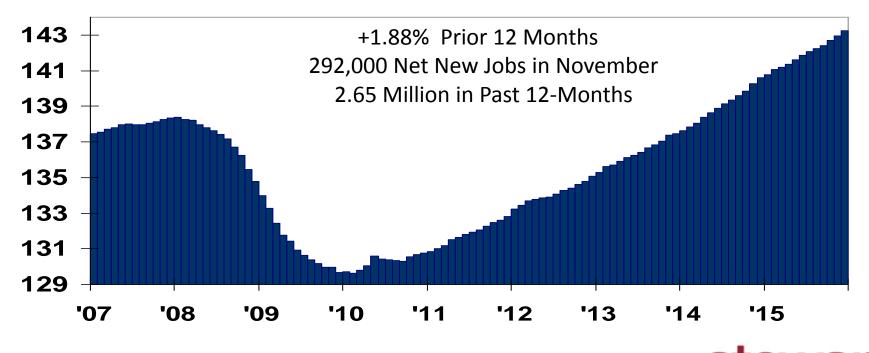
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Mega Themes

- More Jobs Than Ever in History
- Retail Boom Just Starting
- Residential Renting vs. Owning
- Entry Level Homebuyers Returning
- Inflation Potential
- Overweight in Real Estate
- Terrorism is Here to Stay

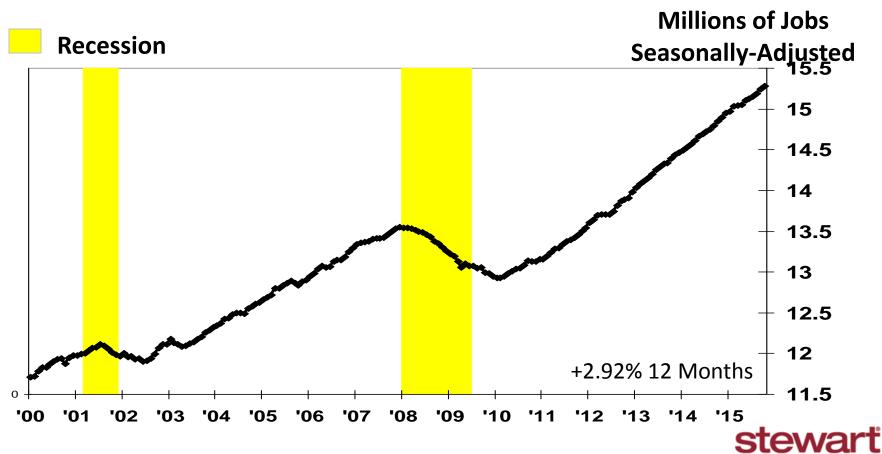
U.S. Jobs

Jobs (Millions) Seasonally Adjusted



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U.S. Leisure & Hospitality Jobs



2016 State Business Tax Climate Index



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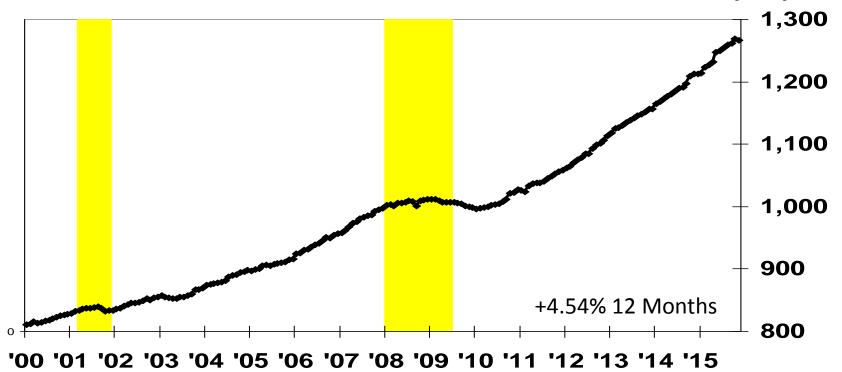
State Job Growth Rates - 12 Months Ending November 2015

| State | Percent | State | Percent | State | Percent |
|----------------|---------|--------------|---------|------------------|---------|
| Idaho | 4.19% | Colorado | 1.78% | Minnesota | 1.13% |
| Utah | 3.55% | Kentucky | 1.77% | Dist of Columbia | 1.09% |
| Florida | 3.02% | lowa | 1.75% | Missouri | 1.04% |
| Washington | 2.87% | Tennessee | 1.71% | Wisconsin | 1.04% |
| Oregon | 2.75% | Michigan | 1.71% | Mississippi | 0.89% |
| South Carolina | 2.64% | Rhode Island | 1.67% | Montana | 0.71% |
| California | 2.63% | Connecticut | 1.60% | Pennsylvania | 0.68% |
| South Dakota | 2.59% | Texas | 1.53% | New Hampshire | 0.63% |
| Nevada | 2.52% | Nebraska | 1.50% | Illinois | 0.61% |
| Arizona | 2.49% | Ohio | 1.41% | Kansas | 0.50% |
| Massachusetts | 2.23% | Delaware | 1.40% | New Mexico | 0.36% |
| Georgia | 2.20% | New Jersey | 1.39% | Alaska | 0.15% |
| North Carolina | 2.18% | Virginia | 1.37% | Oklahoma | -0.09% |
| Hawaii | 2.11% | Vermont | 1.28% | Louisiana | -0.57% |
| Maryland | 2.02% | Maine | 1.27% | Wyoming | -0.72% |
| Indiana | 1.96% | Alabama | 1.27% | West Virginia | -1.42% |
| New York | 1.88% | Arkansas | 1.23% | North Dakota | -2.87% |

Texas Leisure & Hospitality Jobs

Recession

Thousands of Jobs Seasonally-Adjusted

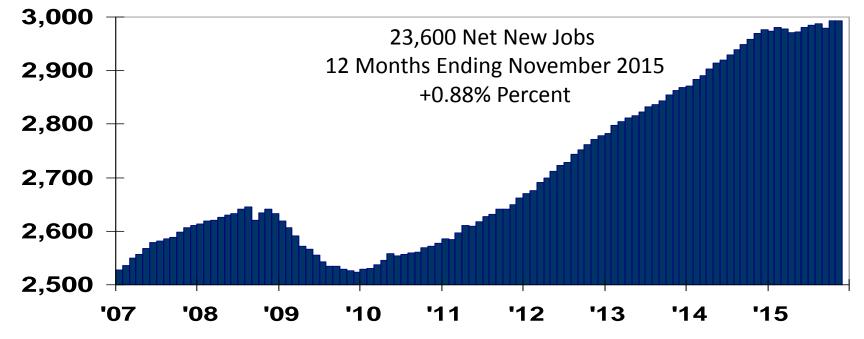


Houston MSA Jobs

More Jobs Than Anytime in History

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Jobs (Thousands) Seasonally Adjusted



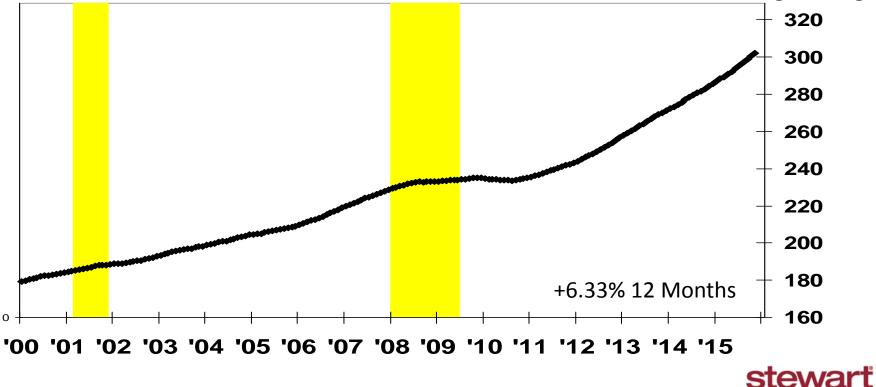


Houston MSA Leisure & Hospitality Jobs

Thousands of Jobs



12-Month Moving Average



| HAR MLS | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|--|--|
| Single Condo- Mid-High- | | | | | | |
| | Family | Townhouse | Rise | Total | | |
| 2014 | 75,535 | 6,982 | 909 | 83,426 | | |
| 2015 | 73,742 | 6,850 | 760 | 81,352 | | |
| Percent Change | -2.37% | -1.89% | -16.39% | -2.49% | | |

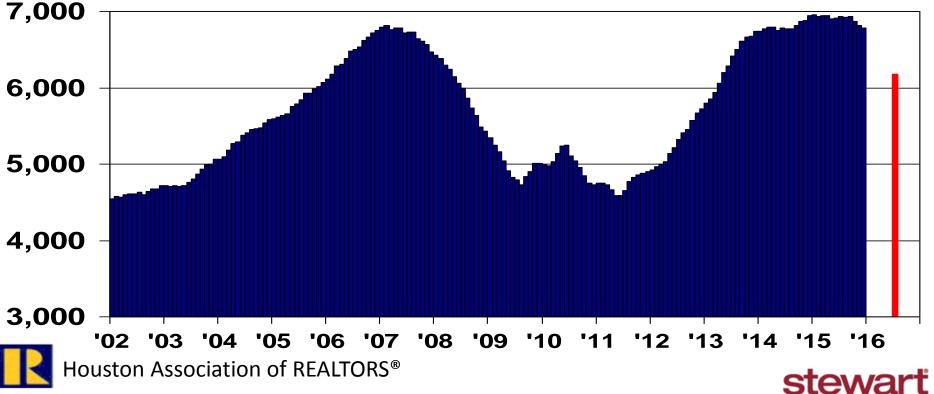


| Montgomery County | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|----------|-------|--|--|
| Single | | Condo- | | | |
| Family | | Townhome | Total | | |
| 2014 | 8,706 | 477 | 9,183 | | |
| 2015 | 8,844 | 501 | 9,345 | | |
| Percent Change | 1.59% | 5.03% | 1.76% | | |

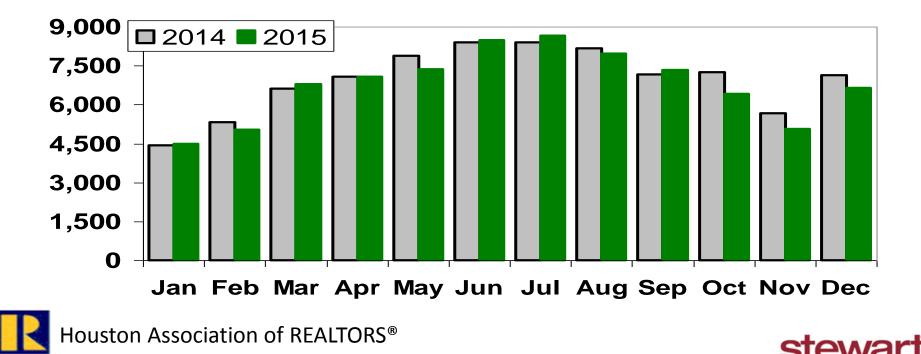


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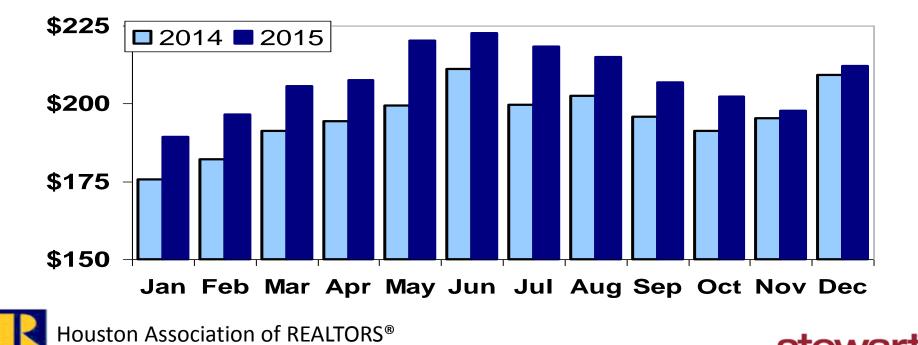
Average Number Per Month For Prior 12 Months



Sales – Not Seasonally Adjusted - Thousands



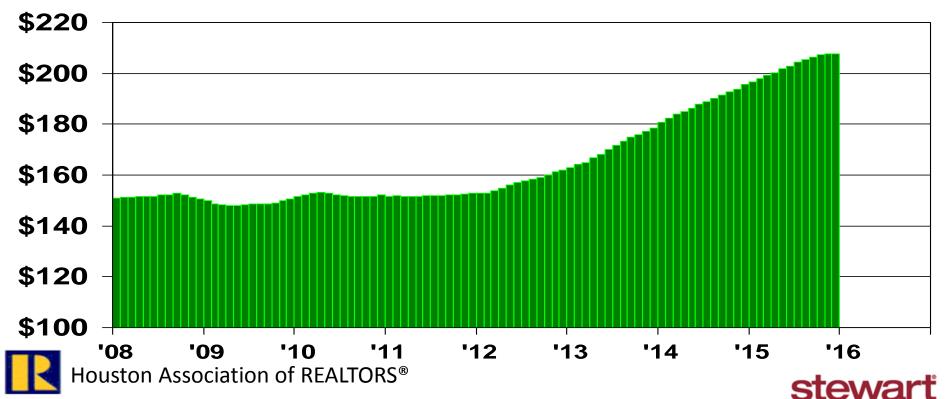
Median Price – Not Seasonally Adjusted - \$Thousands



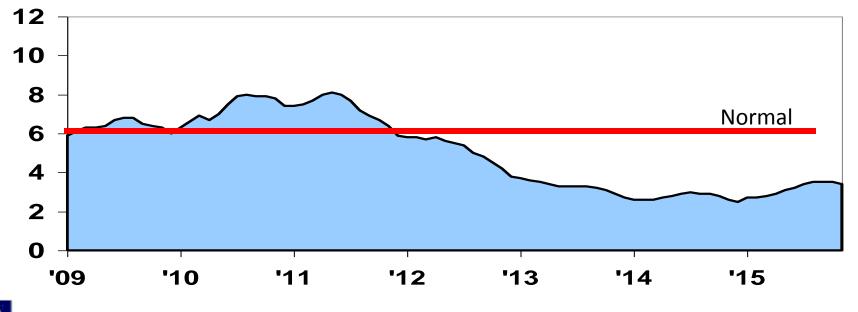
Houston Existing Home Prices

Dec 2015 Preliminary

Median Price \$ Thousands Prior 12 Month Moving Average



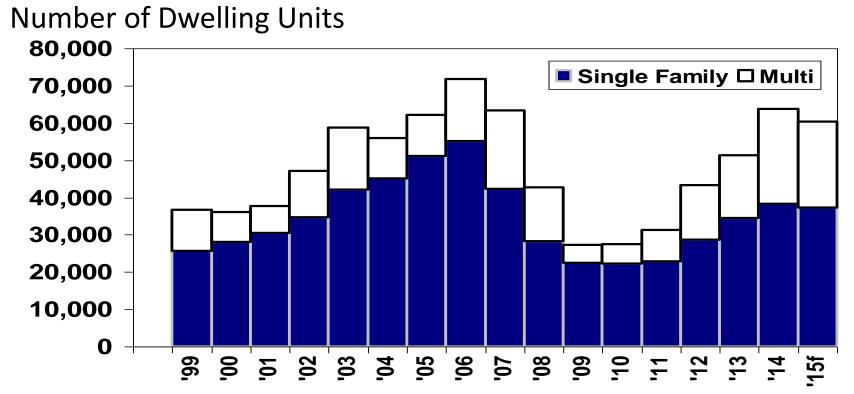
Months Inventory – Seasonally Adjusted



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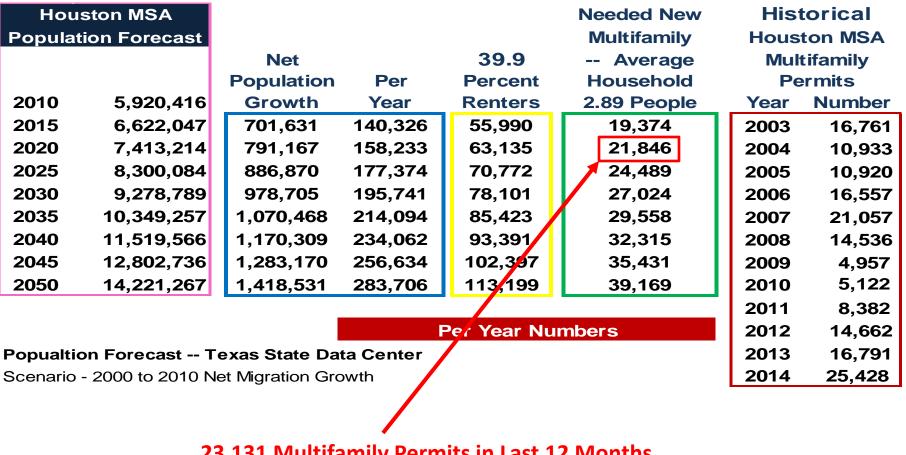
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Houston MSA Residential Building Permits



60,447 Permits is the past 12 months, 23,600 New Jobs 0.39 New Jobs Per New Dwelling Unit – 1.25 to 1.5 is Normal

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23,131 Multifamily Permits in Last **12** Months

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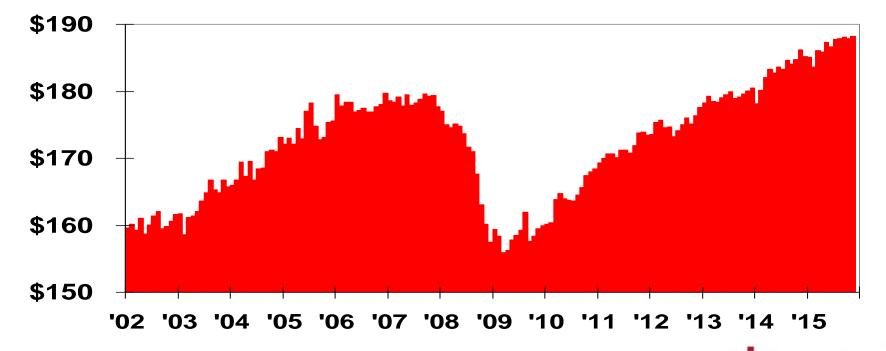
Income and Home Prices

| | 2014 | | 2013 | | 2014 | Home | |
|---------|-----------|--------|---------|--------|---------|----------|--|
| | Median | | 2014 | Median | | Price To | |
| | Household | | Percent | Home | | Income | |
| | Income | | Change | Price | | Multiple | |
| U.S. | \$ | 53,657 | 0.93% | \$ | 206,710 | 3.85 | |
| Texas | \$ | 53,035 | 2.00% | \$ | 184,400 | 3.48 | |
| Houston | \$ | 60,072 | 3.03% | \$ | 195,650 | 3.26 | |
| Dallas | \$ | 55,930 | 2.05% | \$ | 204,908 | 3.66 | |
| Austin | \$ | 63,603 | 6.41% | \$ | 238,792 | 3.75 | |

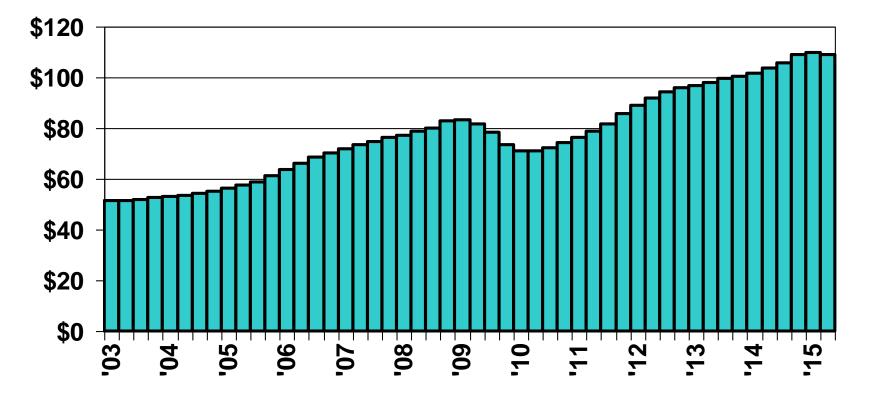
Sources: Census Bureau - Real Estate Center - NAR

U.S. Real Retail & Food Service Sales

\$ Billions – Seasonally Adjusted

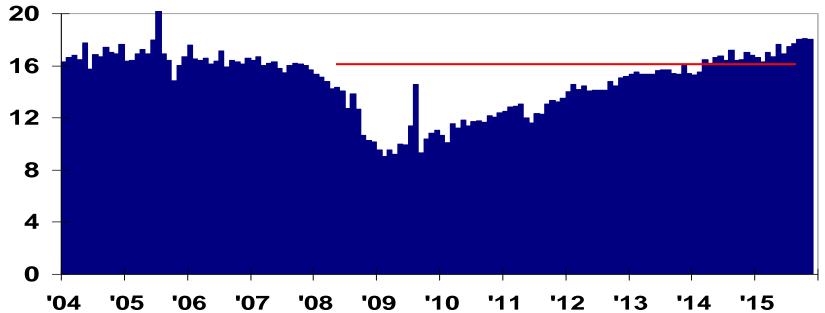


Sales Subject to State Tax – Houston MSA \$ Billions



Light Weight Vehicle Sales

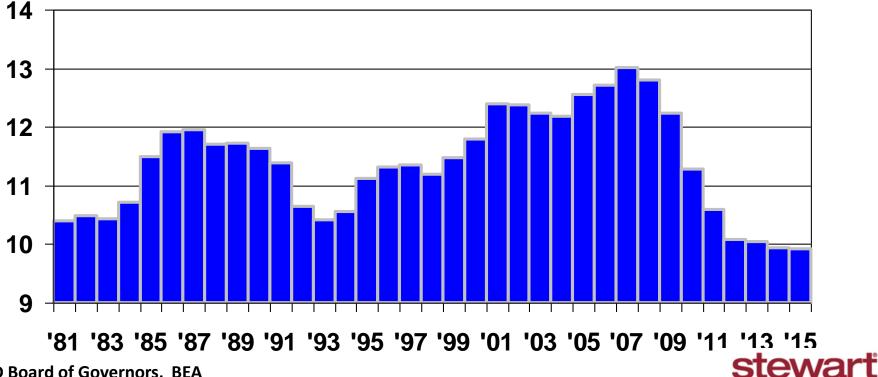
Millions – Seasonally Adjusted Annual Rate



Bureau of Economic Analysis

Household Debt Service as a Percent of Household **Disposable Income**

Percent



FED Board of Governors, BEA

U.S. Property Returns

Q3 2015 TTM

| | 12-Month | | |
|------------|----------|--|--|
| Property | Return | | |
| All | 12.84% | | |
| Hotel | 13.89% | | |
| Apartment | 11.52% | | |
| Retail | 13.71% | | |
| Industrial | 14.79% | | |
| Office | 12.47% | | |

- Tax-Exempt Investments
- All Cash Purchase
- Cash Flow + Value Change
- Only Pay Property Taxes
- \$459 Billion of Properties
- 7,012 Properties

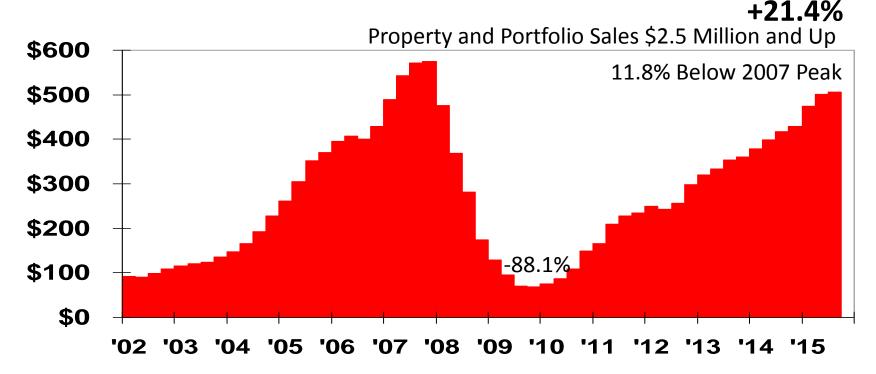
Source: NCREIF

http://www.ncreif.org/property-index-returns.aspx?region=N



U.S. Commercial Real Estate Sales Volume

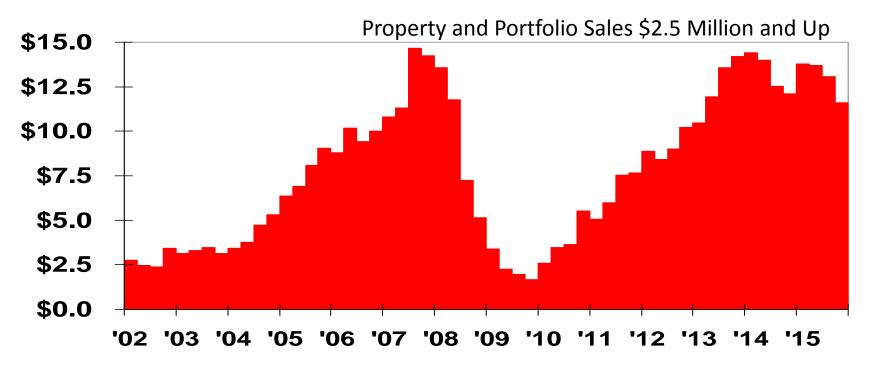
\$ Billions – *Trailing 12 Months*



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Houston Commercial Real Estate Sales Volume

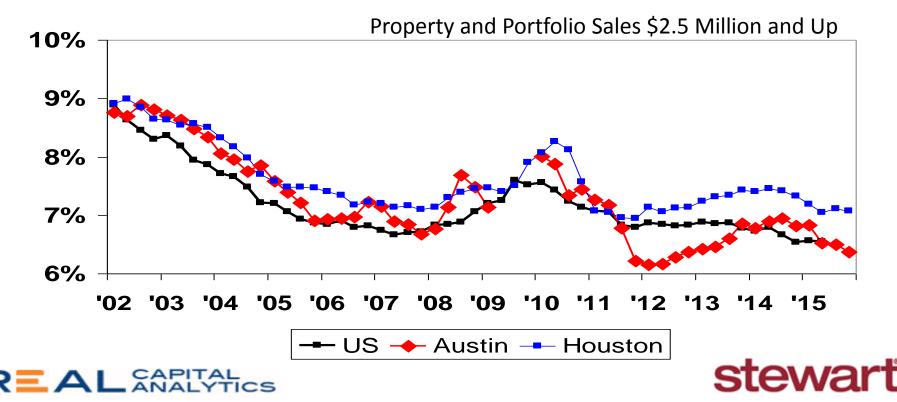
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Commercial Real Estate Cap Rates

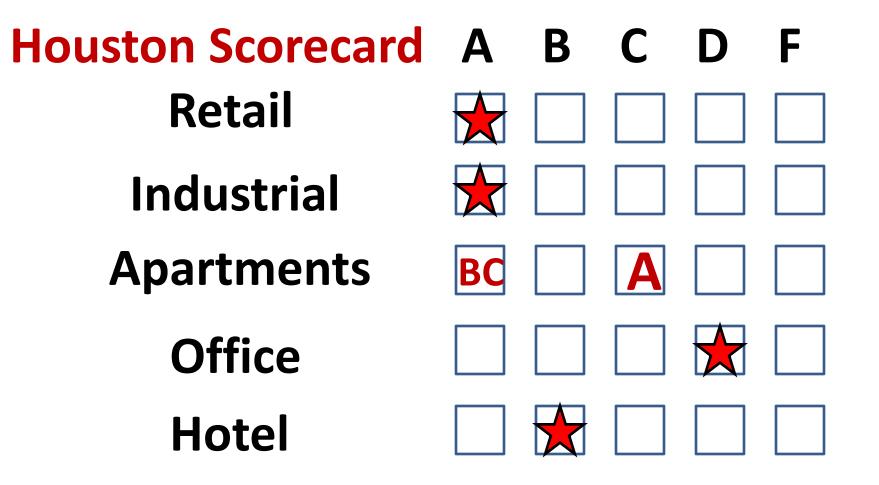
Percent – All Property Types

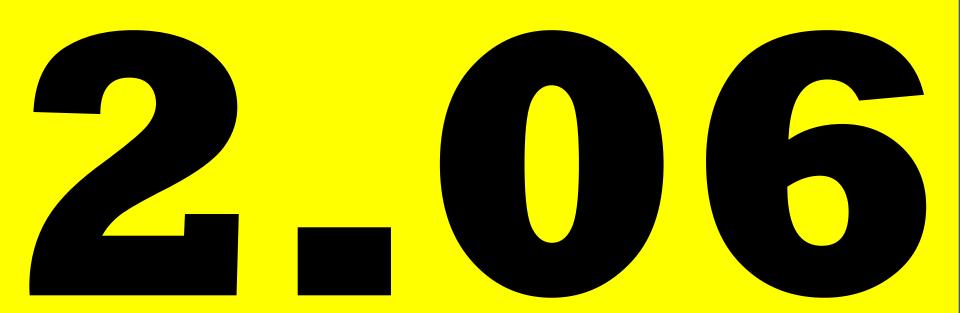




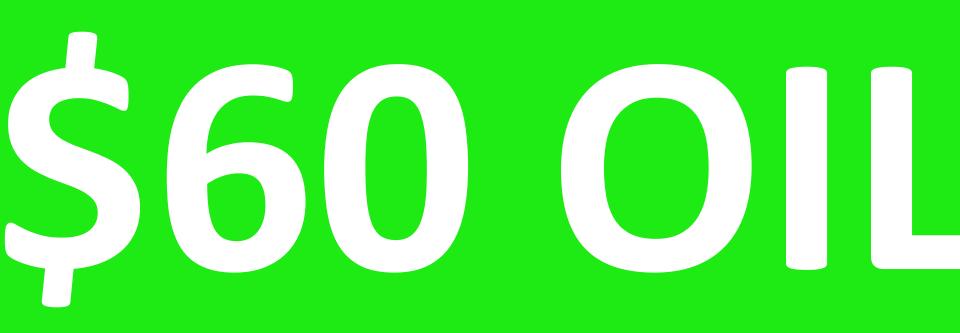




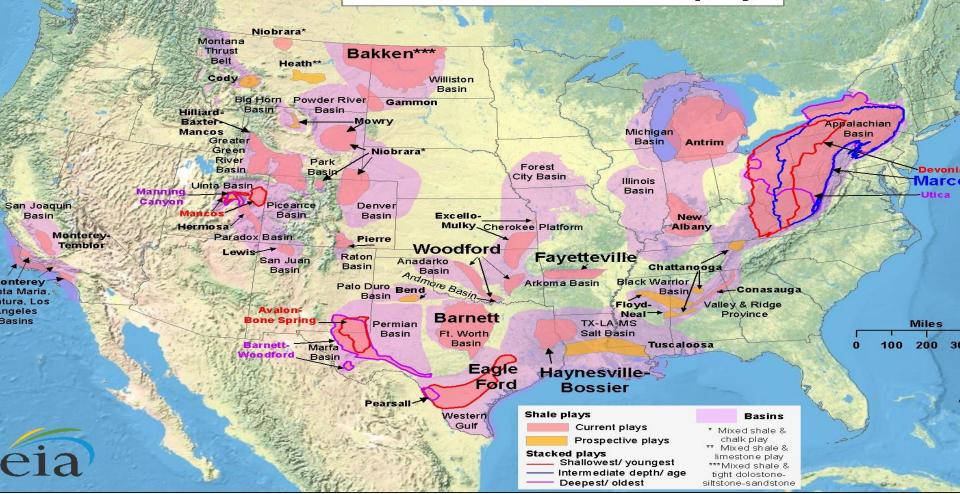




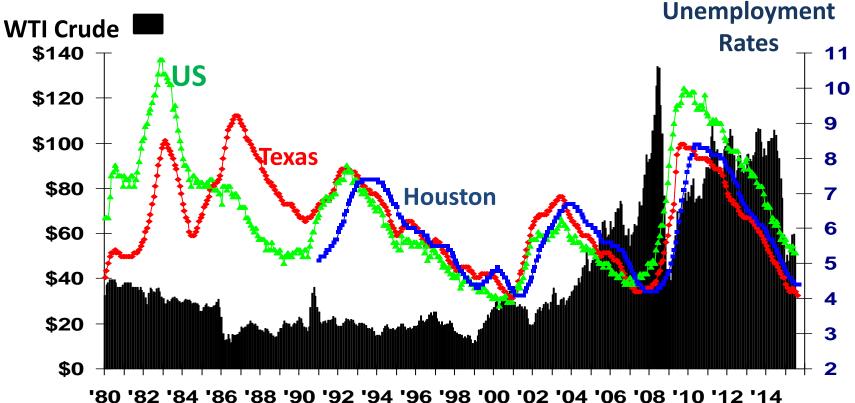




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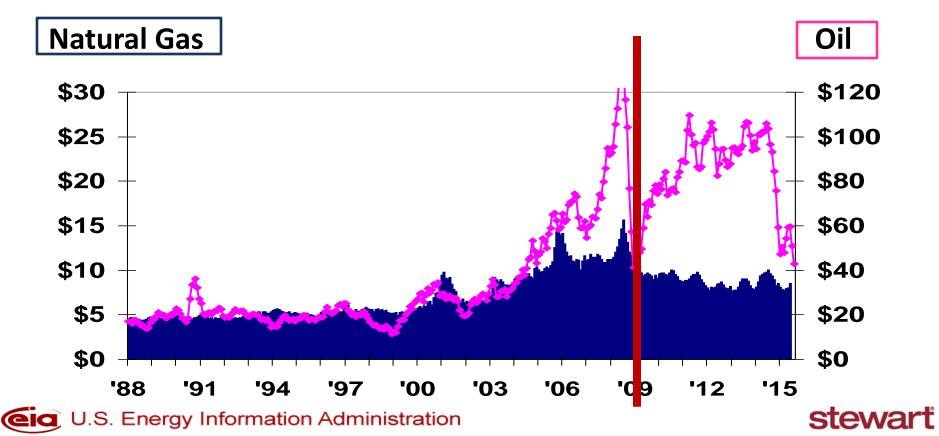


Oil Prices & Unemployment Rates





Natural Gas Price Delivered to Commercial Customers vs. WTI Crude Oil -- Gas Per 1,000 Cubic Feet, Oil Per Barrel



U.S. - China Trade -- \$US Millions

| Month | Exports | mports | Balance |
|--------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Dec-14 | 12,166.2 | 40,218.9 | (28,052.7) |
| Jan-15 | 9,552.0 | 38,158.4 | (28,606.4) |
| Feb-15 | 8,699.8 | 31,240.1 | (22,540.3) |
| Mar-15 | 9,887.2 | 41,121.9 | (31,234.7) |
| Apr-15 | 9,316.8 | 35,795.1 | (26,478.3) |
| May-15 | 8,758.8 | 39,211.2 | (30,452.4) |
| Jun-15 | 9,687.8 | 41,145.1 | (31,457.3) |
| Jul-15 | 9,500.7 | 41,077.2 | (31,576.6) |
| Aug-15 | 9,166.7 | 44,117.2 | (34,950.5) |
| Sep-15 | 9,423.7 | 45,700.6 | (36,277.0) |
| Oct-15 | 11,384.3 | 44,358.0 | (32,973.7) |
| Nov-15 | 10,681.0 | 41,940.5 | (31,259.5) |
| | \$ 118,225.0 | \$ 484,084.2 | \$ (365,859.4) |



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Source: U.S. Census Bureau

China Impact on U.S. Economy

U.S. 2015 GDP \$18.01 Trillion (Q2 2015 Annualized Rate)

Purchases by China of U.S. Goods \$118.2 Billion (2015 est)

Impact = 6.5/10ths of 1 Percent of U.S. GPD stewart

2016 Economic Concerns

- Election Year Politicians vs Leaders
- Government Revenues & Regulations
- Rural Land Bubble Just Starting
- **GSEs –** Fannie Mae & Freddie Mac
- Inflation & Interest Rates
- Texas Property Taxes

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