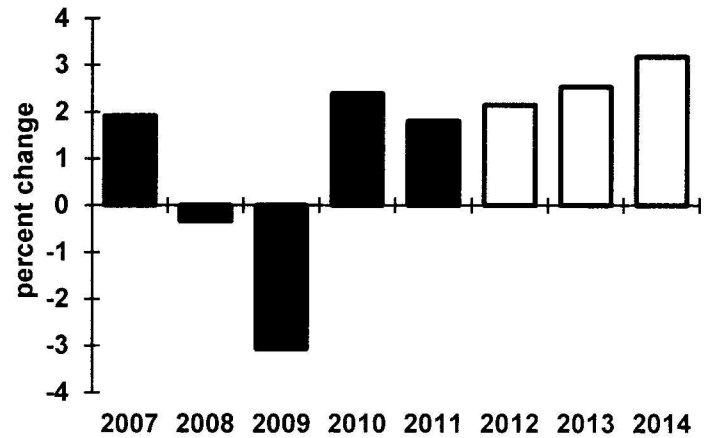
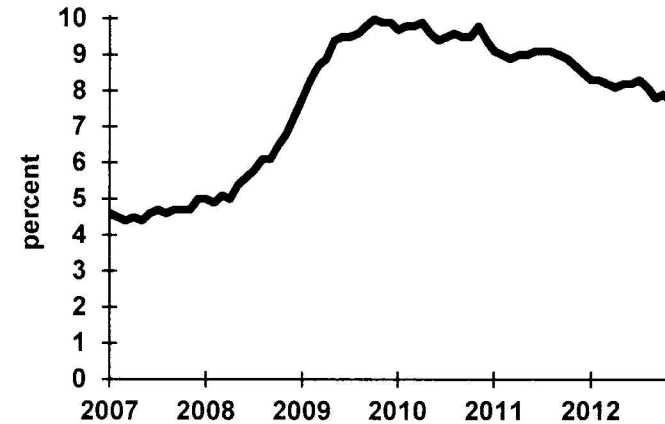


Real GDP Growth



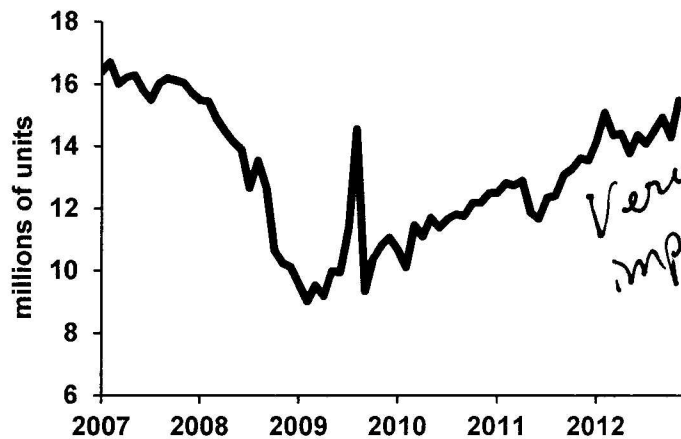
looks good on paper, but not enough to achieve full potential.

Unemployment Rate



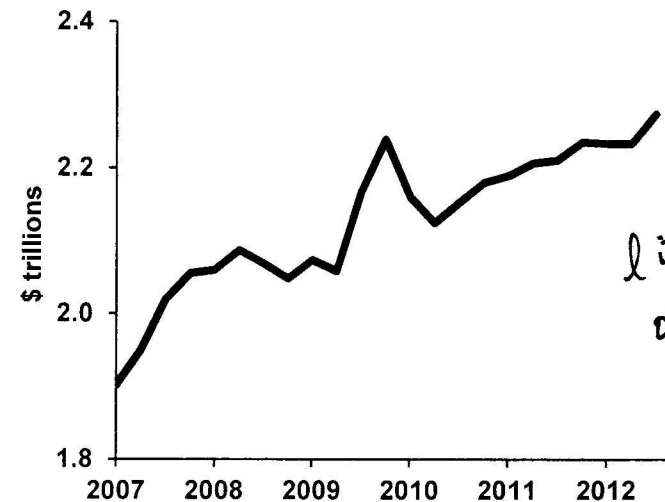
Gradual gains, though still too high.

Auto Sales



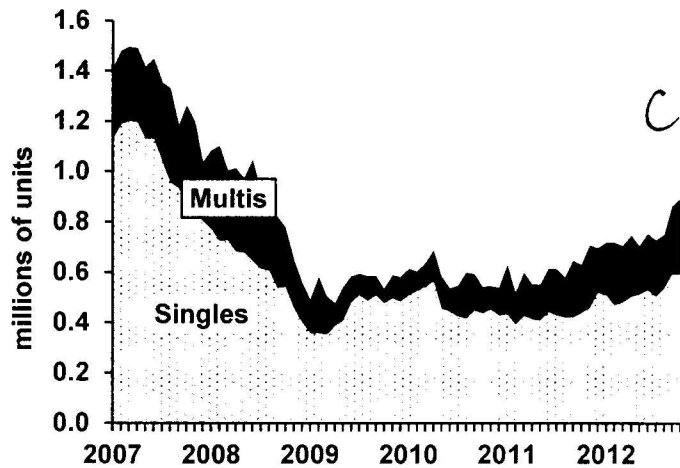
Very nice improvement.

Business Cash Holdings

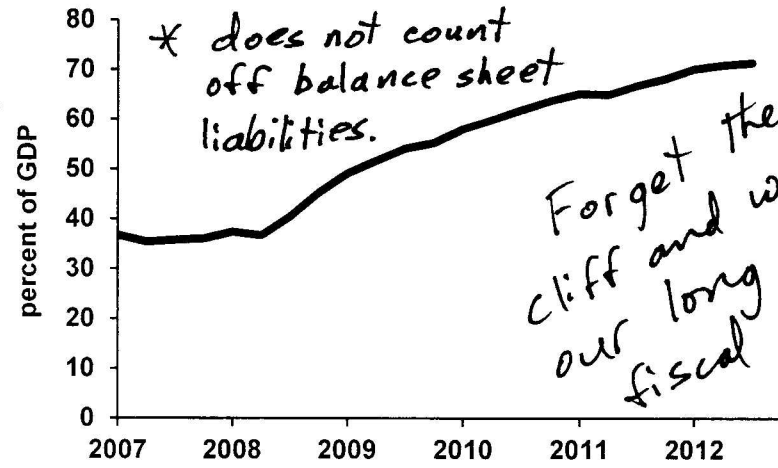


Lots of cash, very little optimism

Housing Starts



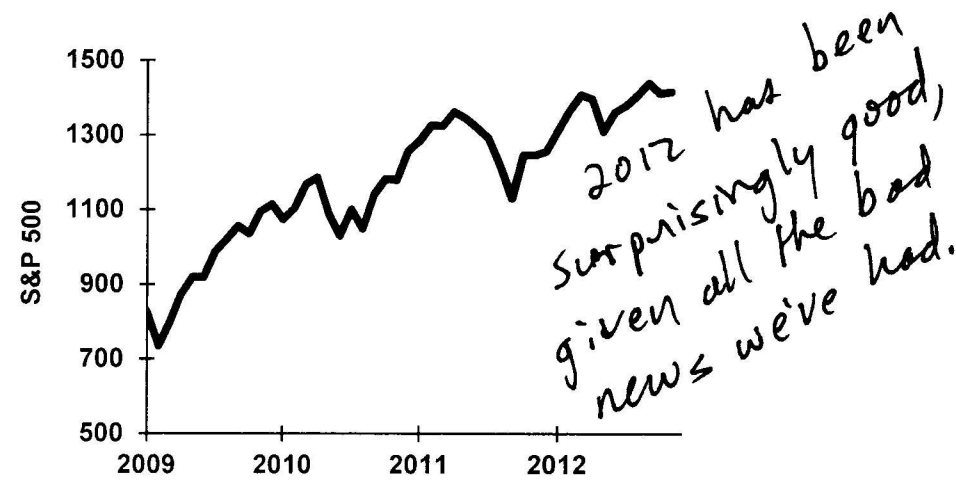
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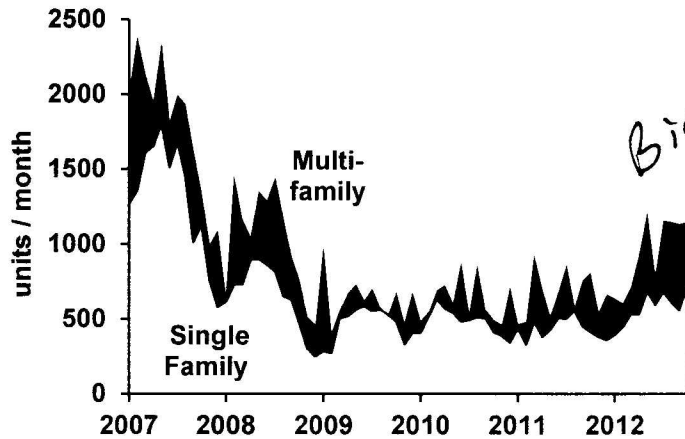
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Stock Market

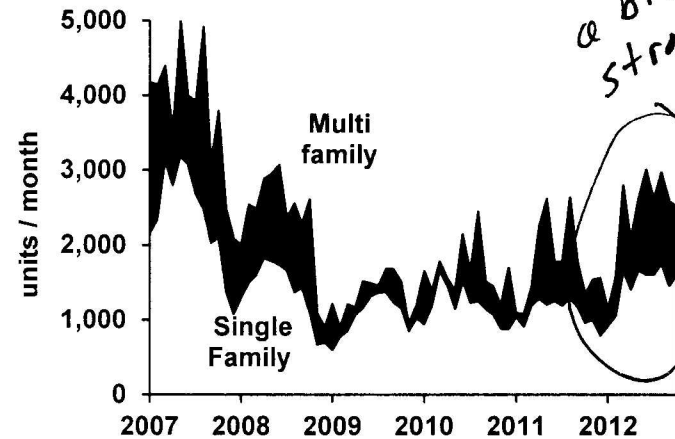


Oregon Home Building



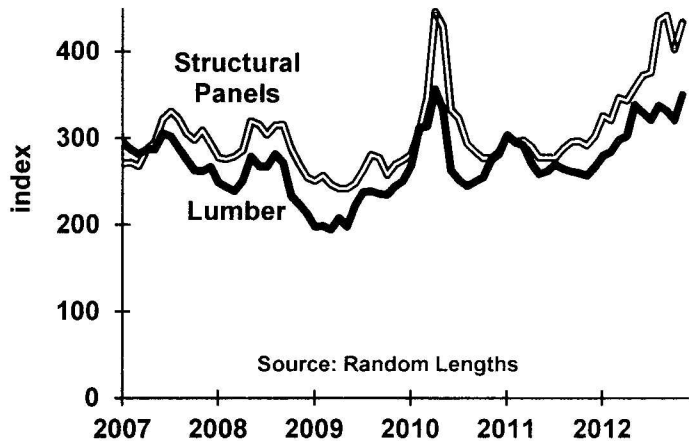
Big gain in apartment construction

Washington Home Building



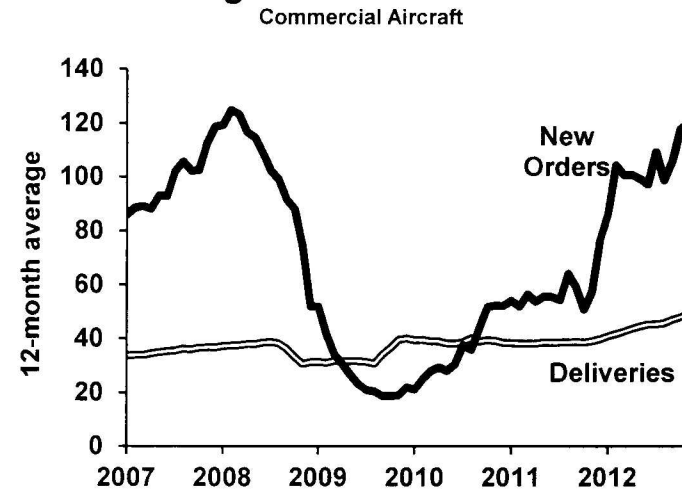
a bit too strong for the current rate of population and job growth.

Lumber and Panel Prices



Wood is benefitting from strong housing construction.

Boeing Orders & Deliveries



large backlog developing.

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