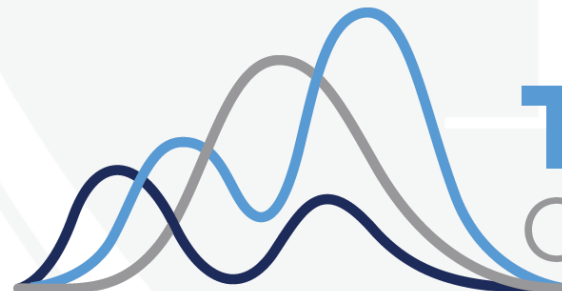




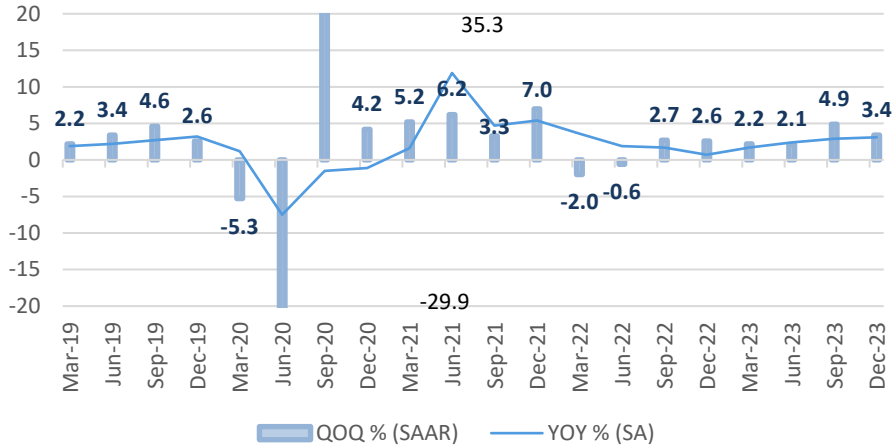
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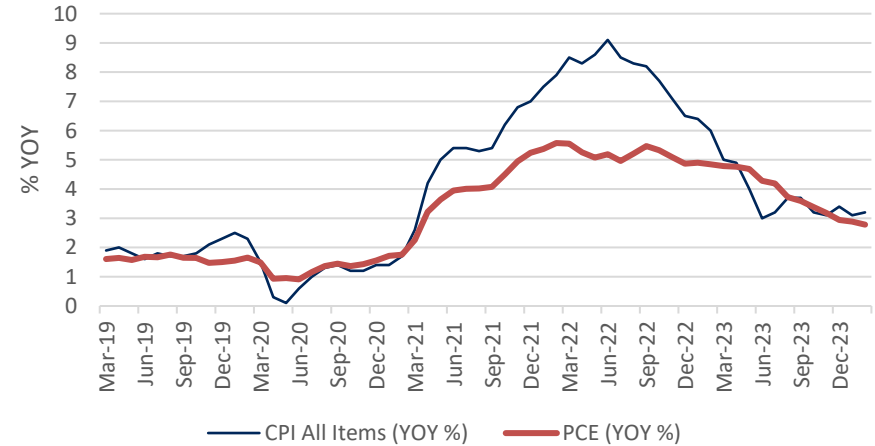


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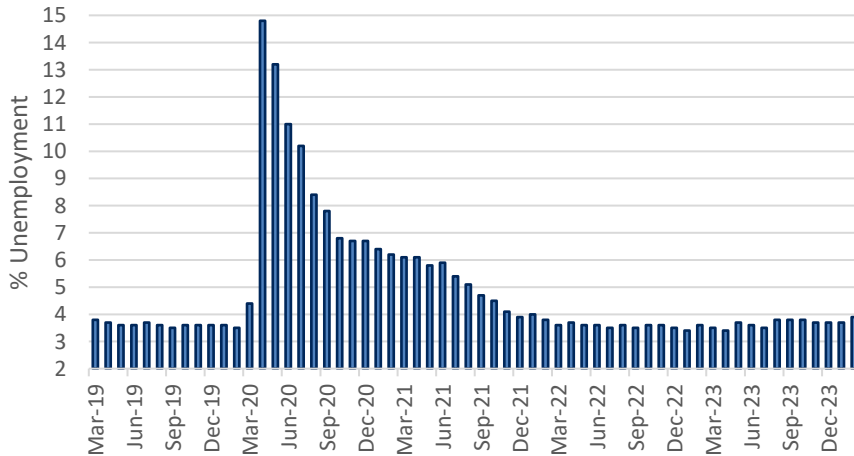
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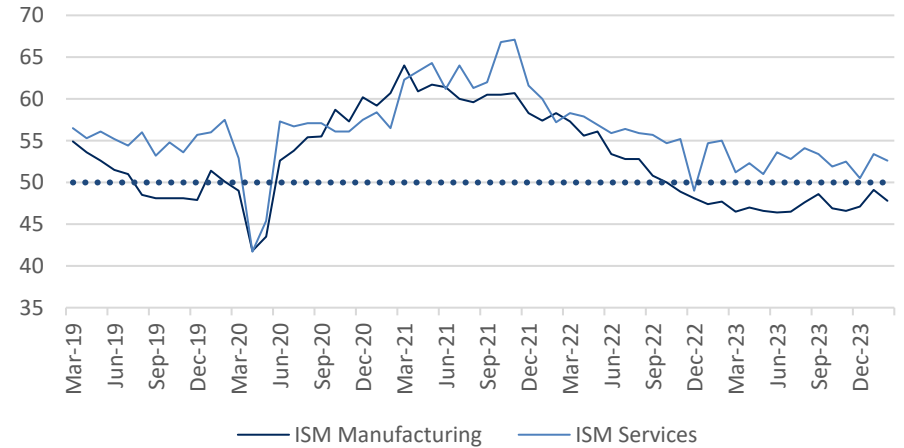
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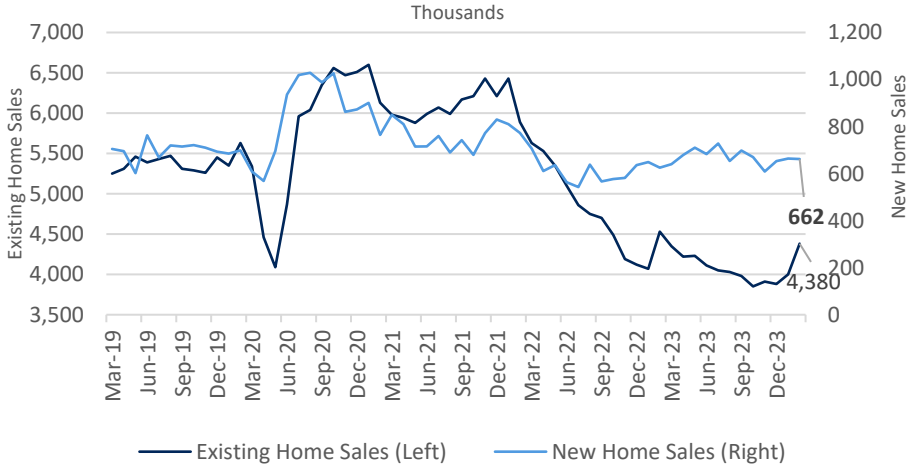


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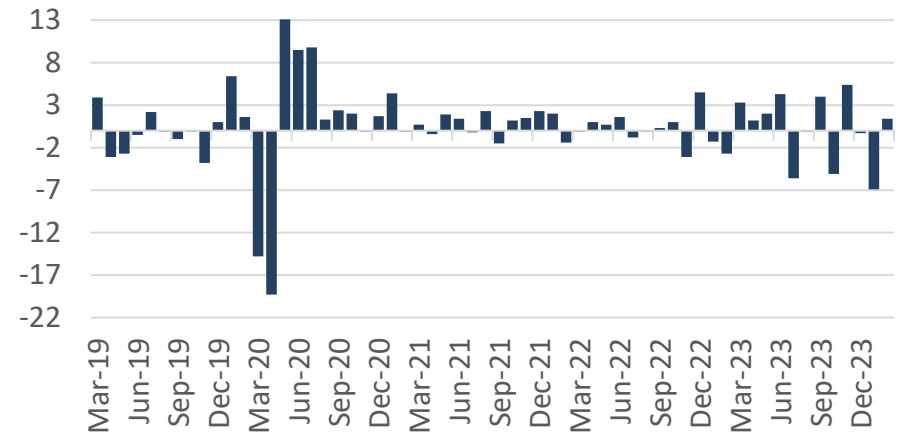


Source: Bloomberg, Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA), Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)

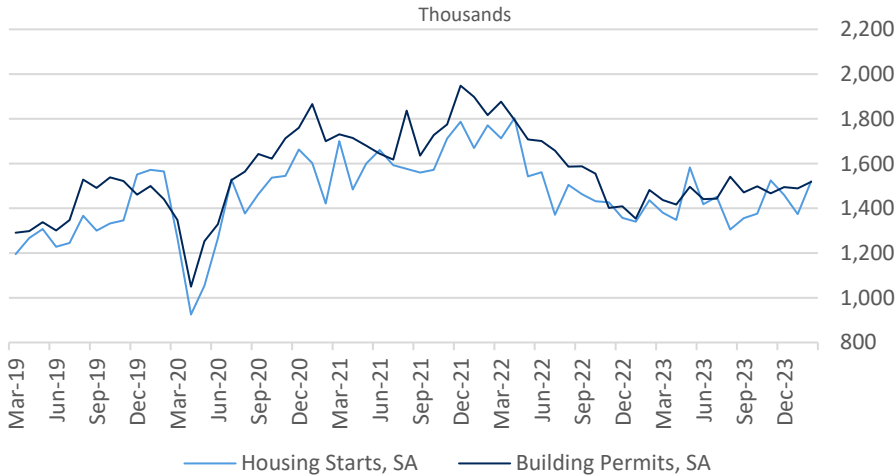
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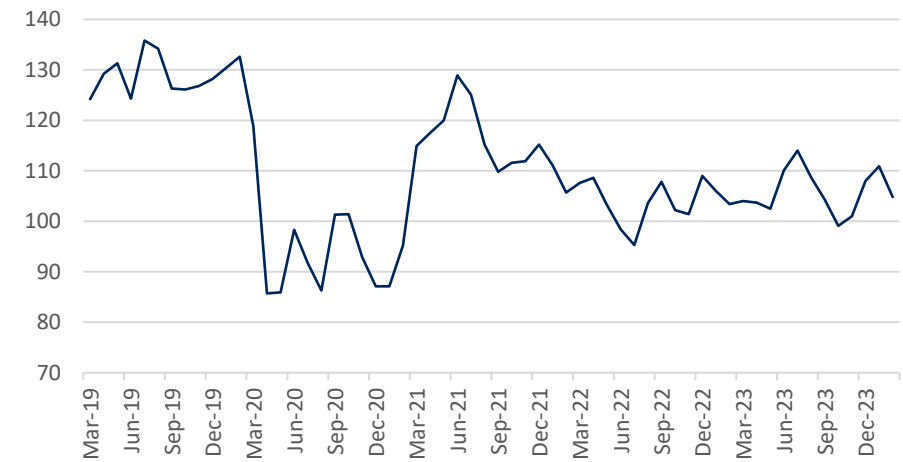
US Durable Goods Orders (MOM %)



US Housing Starts and Building Permits



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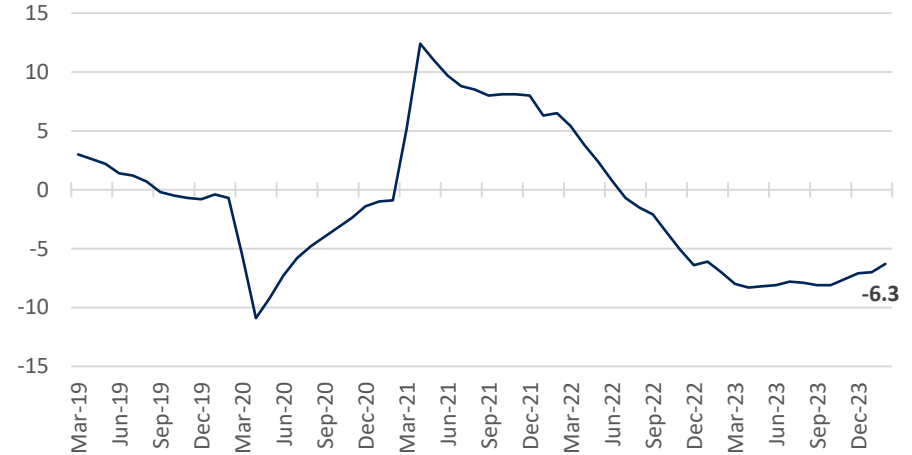


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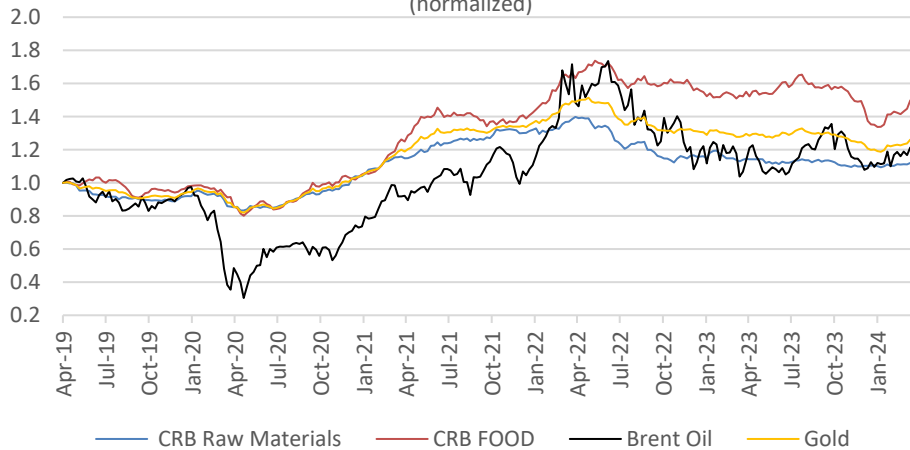
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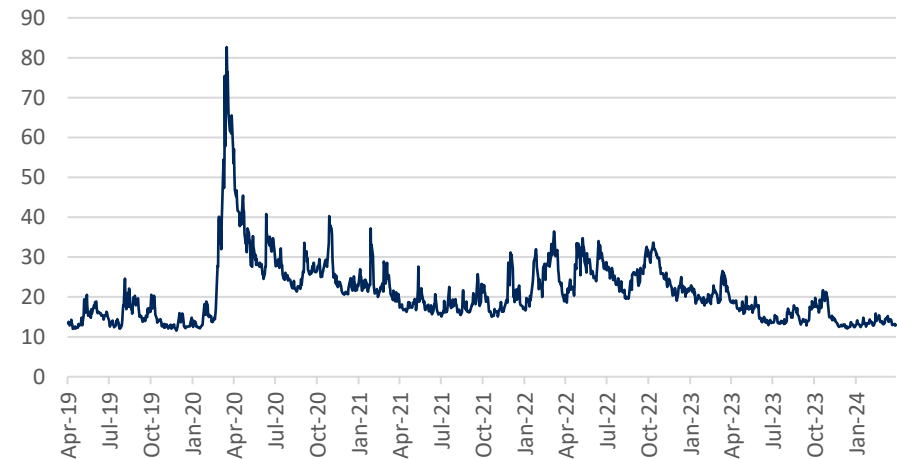
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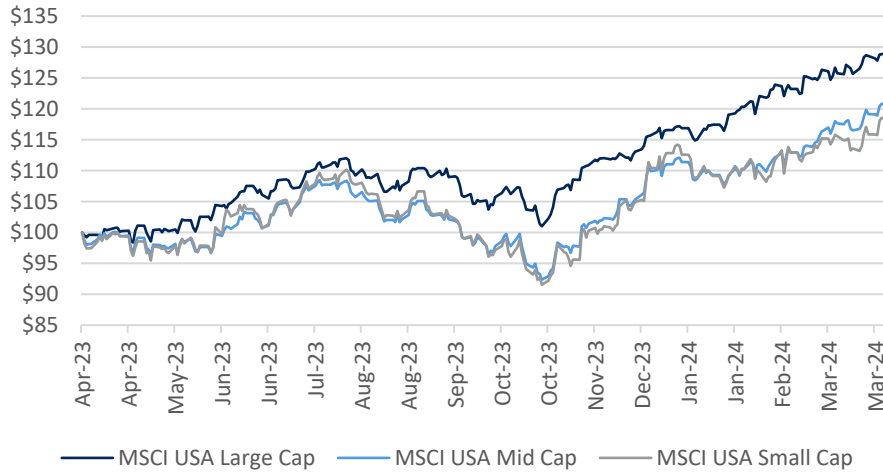


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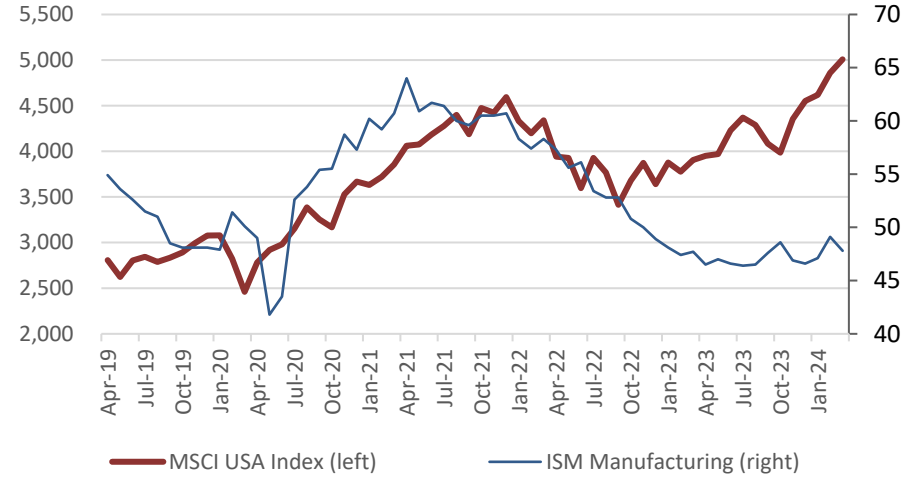


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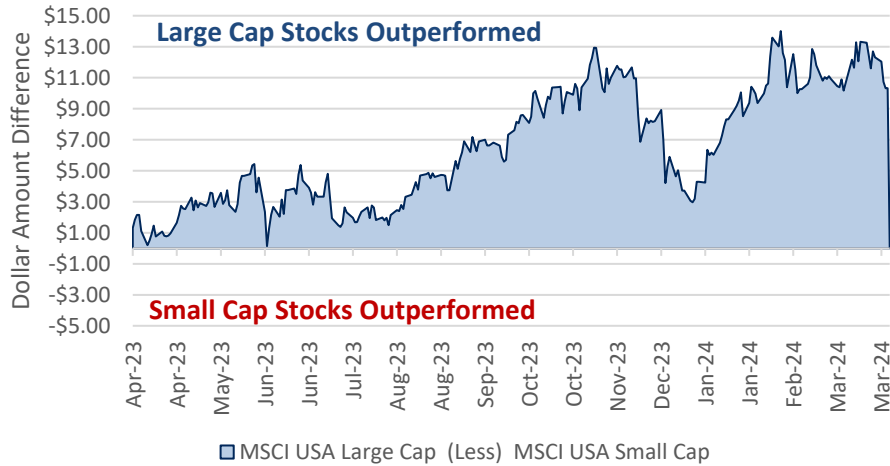
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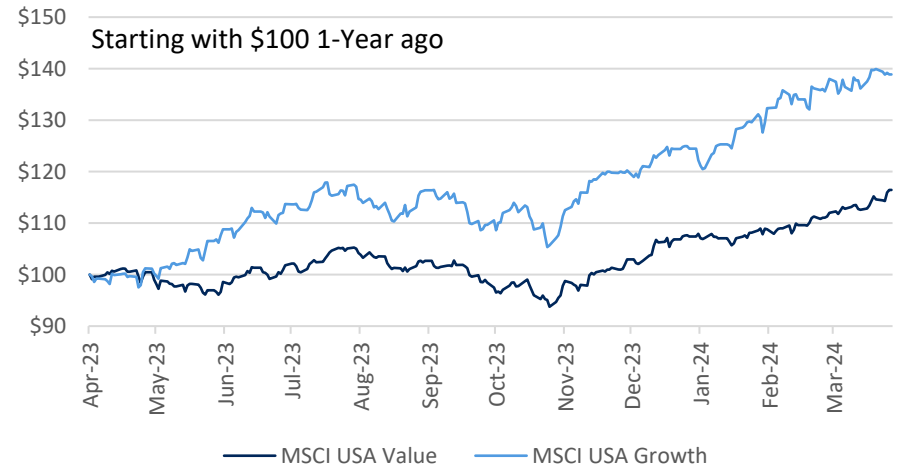
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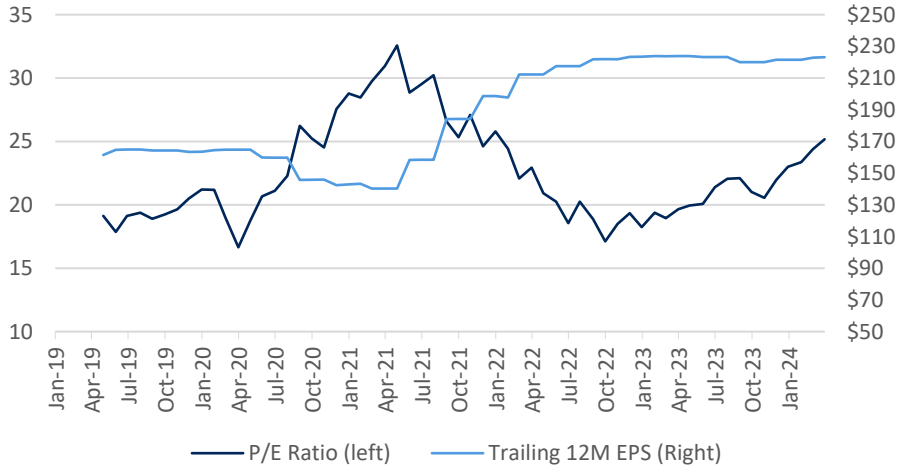


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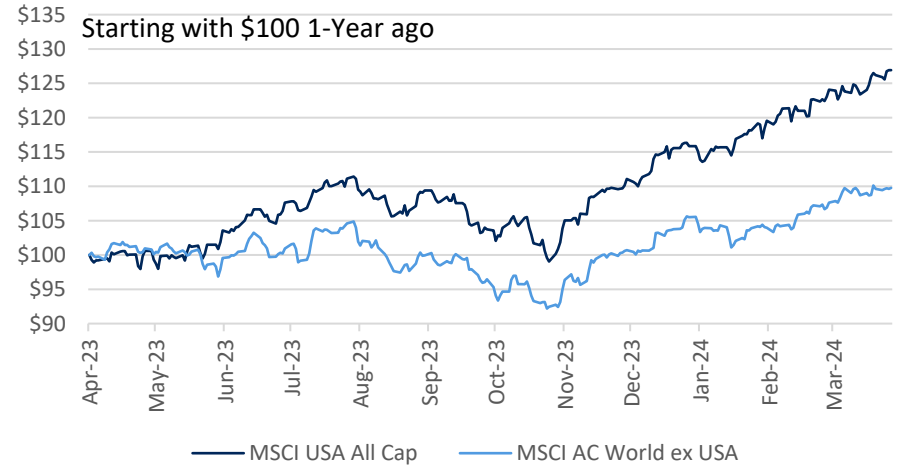


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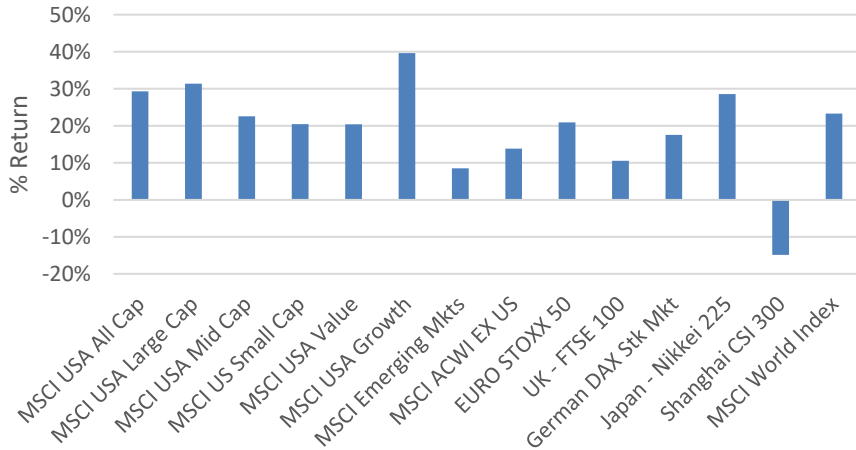
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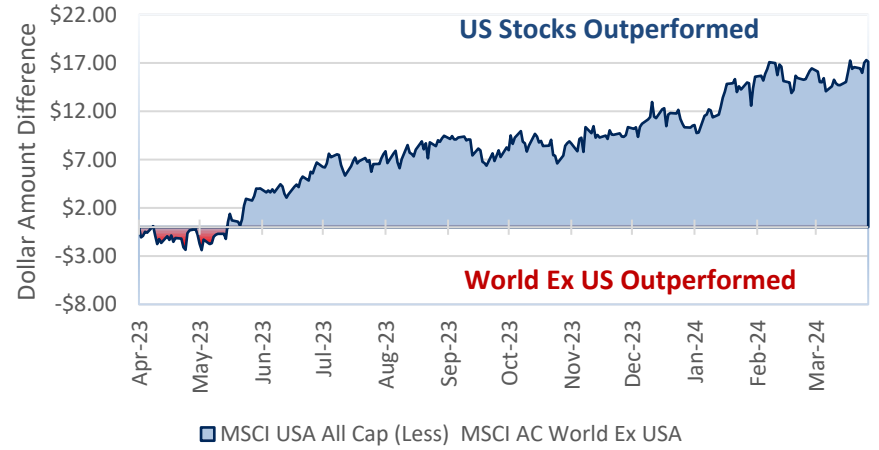
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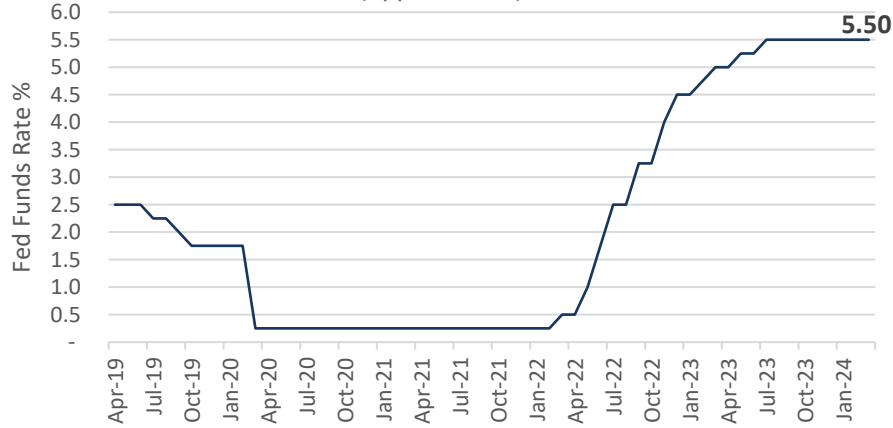


USA All Cap VS World Ex USA Return Difference



Source: Bloomberg, Standard & Poor's, MSCI

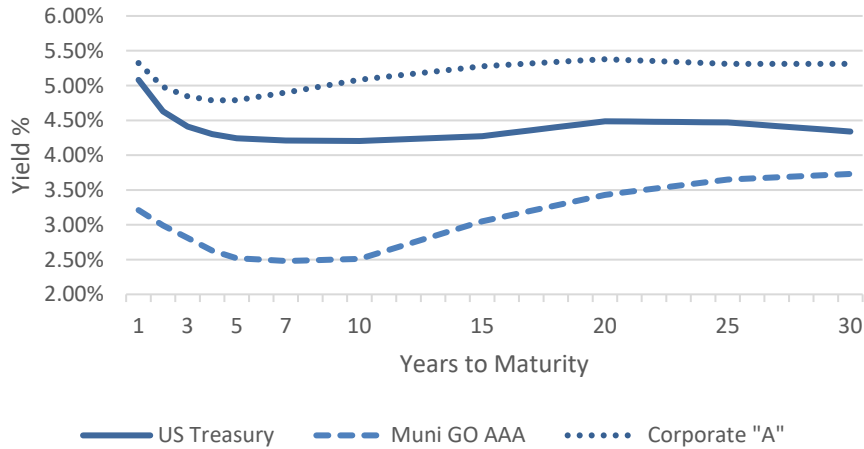
US Federal Reserve Fed Funds Rate  
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US Treasury Yield 10-Year & 2-Year



Yield Curve

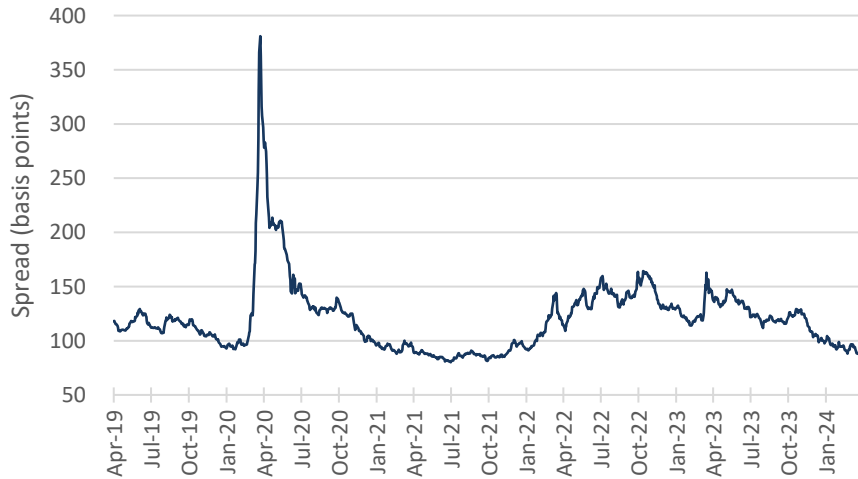


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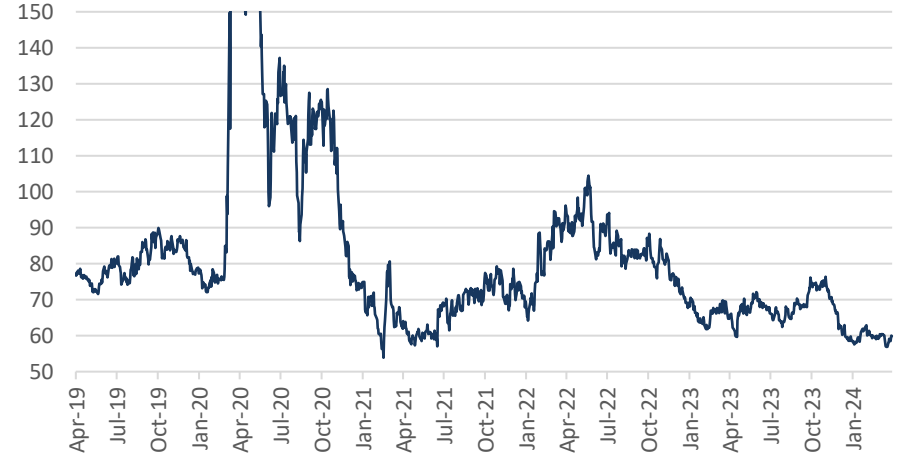


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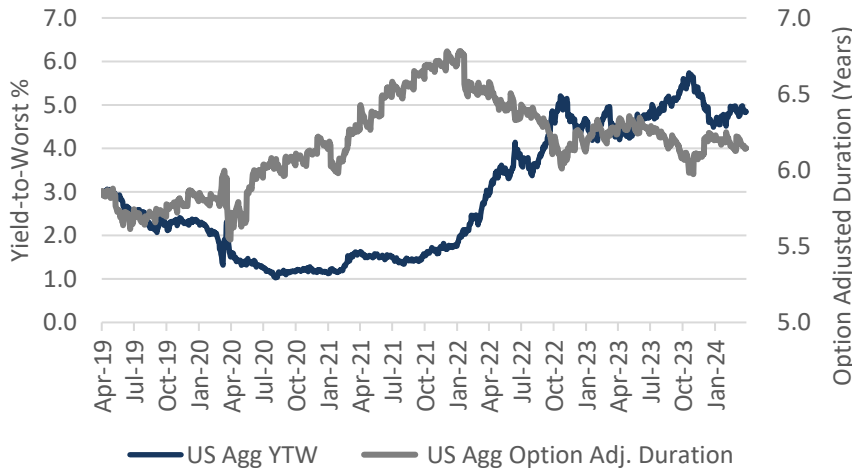
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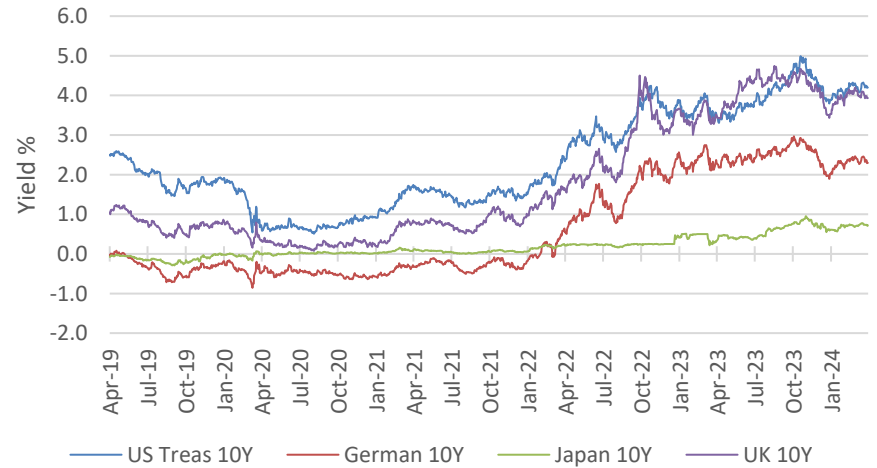
### Ratio Yield of US Treasury to AAA Municipal Bonds



### US AGG Yield to Worst (left) & Duration (right)



### Global Yields %



Source: Bloomberg



**Total Bond Market:** This is a Bank of America broad-based fixed-income index used by bond traders, mutual funds, and ETFs as a benchmark to measure relative performance.

**Citi Surprise Index:** Index which measures the degree to which economic data is either beating or missing expectations.

**Consumer Price Index (CPI):** The Consumer Price Index is a measure of the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a market basket of consumer goods and services.

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**Fed Funds Rate:** The term federal funds rate refers to the target interest rate set by the Federal Open Market Committee. This target is the rate at which commercial banks borrow and lend their excess reserves to each other overnight.

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**ISM:** The ISM Manufacturing Index, also known as the Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI), is a monthly indicator of U.S. economic activity based on a survey of purchasing managers at more than 300 manufacturing firms. The ISM Non-Manufacturing (Services) Index is an economic index based on surveys of more than 400 non-manufacturing (or services) firms' purchasing and supply executives.

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**MOM:** Month-over-month

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