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**Commentary for Monday:** The economic calendar picks up meaningfully this week with the main highlights being Tuesday's CPI and Wednesday's PPI releases which coincide with Fed Chair Warsh's first Humphrey-Hawkins testimony before the House Financial Services and Senate Banking Committees. As we noted last week (see [Webinar: June CPI preview & webinar registration](#)), we expect a roughly 9% decline in gas prices to weigh on June's headline CPI (-0.16% forecast vs. +0.47% previous) relative to core (+0.23% vs. +0.21%). Should our forecasts hit the mark, the year-over-year rate in the former would drop from 4.25% to 3.81%, while the latter would fall by 2bps to 2.83%. At the component level, we expect core goods prices to be roughly unchanged (+0.03% vs. -0.11%) while core services (+0.29% vs. +0.29%), should see a similar overall print to last month, though the details are likely to differ some.

Risks to our CPI forecasts may be skewed to the upside. On the goods side, used cars and trucks have come in consistently weaker than lagged wholesale prices would predict, and there could be positive payback from very weak medical care commodities. Regarding services, private estimates of hotel rates suggest that there could be some impact from the World Cup on other lodging away (+1.09% vs. +0.46%) prices in the CPI, though this may have already been captured back in April. In addition, we expect some positive payback from last month's unusually large drop in motor vehicle insurance (+0.80% vs. -1.69%) prices (the largest drop on record outside of 2020).

Outside of those categories, we will be most attuned to the extent to which prices for energy-intensive services begin to reflect the decline in oil prices. We expect price stickiness on the way down to yield relatively muted declines in both airline fares (-0.14% vs. +2.69%) and delivery services (-0.03% vs. +2.81%), but there could be downside risks to these categories to the extent that lower oil prices are passed along to consumers faster.

Wednesday's PPI will also be important to fill in the rest of the details for core PCE. Our ex-ante forecast is for a 0.23% gain (vs. +0.32%), which would have the year-over-year rate fall by 3bps to 3.38%. Of particular importance within the PPI will be the price index for portfolio management and investment advice, which should be boosted by May's equity rally.

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After a few weeks of lighter Fed speak, there is a deluge of speakers ahead of the communications blackout period, which starts at the end of the week. Most notably, Governor Waller kicks off on Monday with a speech at NYABE, Chair Warsh testifies on Tuesday and Wednesday, and various officials will provide outlook speeches after the June CPI report (Governor Cook on Wednesday, and Vice Chair Jefferson, Dallas's Logan, and Kansas City's Schmid on Friday).

Communications this week will be the last opportunity for officials to provide any signals to the market about policy leanings ahead of the July FOMC meeting. While we expect Warsh to reiterate his recent comments and remain reticent to provide guidance about any upcoming policy action, Waller has typically been more willing to detail his reaction function and expectations for policy. His speech will, therefore, be closely watched for any signals about his preferred policy path, even if it comes before the June CPI report. Recall that we penciled in Waller as a one-hiker in the dot plot for the June SEP (see [Fed Notes: Who's who in the June 2026 dot plot](#)).

For the outlook speeches, we will focus on how officials have interpreted the week's inflation data, as well as whether any officials might favor a rate hike in July. As the minutes to the June meeting showed, "a few" officials argued there was "a case" to raise rates last month. While developments have been mixed since then – oil price and inflation expectations have fallen though retraced some and the unemployment rate fell further – it is possible we could see dissents in favor of a rate increase at the July meeting.

As a reminder, last week the Fed announced the leaders of its five task forces (see [here](#)). We have published our first two notes on communications and the balance sheet in a series covering these task forces (see [Fed Notes: Task force takes: #1 Communications](#) and [Fed Notes: Task force takes: #2 The balance sheet](#)).

Regarding the balance of this week's data docket, Thursday's retail sales release for June (+0.3% headline / -0.2% ex-autos / +0.4% control) and Friday's industrial production (+0.3% vs. +0.1%) will inform forecasters' estimates for Q2 real GDP growth, which we currently project to be 2.8% (annualized). We will also keep an eye on the preliminary University of Michigan Survey (52.0 vs. 49.5) – particularly, the inflation expectations components which last month began to retrace their jumps in the wake of surging energy prices but nevertheless remain elevated. Indeed, consumer frustrations with persistently high inflation (see [US Economic Chartbook: Monthly charts: No clean sheet on inflation](#)) are top of mind for Chair Warsh who has emphasized his commitment to achieving price stability. Cost-of-living concerns are particularly acute as we approach the midterm elections (see [US Economic Chartbook: What you need to know about the 60th US midterm elections](#)).

**Please see the following pages for a forecast summary and estimates of the upcoming US high-frequency data over the next several weeks.**

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Figure 1: Fedspeak calendar

| Region     | Name      | Date                 | Dove/Hawk | Voter | Events                                               |
|------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|-------|------------------------------------------------------|
| Governor   | Waller    | Jul-13               | Dove      | Y     | Speaks at NY Association of Business Economics       |
| Chair      | Warsh     | Jul-14               | Neutral   | Y     | -Testifies before House Financial Services Committee |
|            |           | Jul-15               |           |       | -Testifies before Senate Banking Committee           |
| Chicago    | Goolsbee  | Jul-14               | Hawk      | N     | Fireside chat                                        |
| New York   | Williams  | Jul-15               | Dove      | Y     | Keynote remarks                                      |
| FRB        | FRB       | Jul-15               |           |       | Releases Beige Book                                  |
| St. Louis  | Musalem   | Jul-15               | Hawk      | N     | Welcome remarks                                      |
| Dallas     | Logan     | Jul-16               | Hawk      | Y     | Economy and Monetary Policy                          |
| Vice Chair | Jefferson | Jul-16               | Neutral   | Y     | Economy and Monetary Policy                          |
| FRB        | FOMC      | July-18 till July-30 |           |       | Fed's External Communications Blackout               |

Source: Bloomberg Finance LP, Deutsche Bank Research

Figure 2: DB US Economics Forecast Summary

| Economic Activity              | 2026 |      |      |      | 2027 |      |      |      | 2028 |      |      |      | 2025F | 2026F | 2027F | 2028F |
|--------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| (% qoq, saar)                  | Q1   | Q2F  | Q3F  | Q4F  | Q1F  | Q2F  | Q3F  | Q4F  | Q1F  | Q2F  | Q3F  | Q4F  | Q4/Q4 | Q4/Q4 | Q4/Q4 | Q4/Q4 |
| GDP                            | 2.1  | 2.8  | 2.3  | 1.8  | 2.2  | 2.5  | 2.2  | 2.0  | 2.6  | 1.9  | 2.1  | 1.8  | 2.0   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.1   |
| Private consumption            | 0.5  | 2.4  | 1.9  | 1.6  | 2.0  | 2.2  | 2.1  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.1  | 2.1   | 1.6   | 2.1   | 2.2   |
| Investment                     | 7.9  | 5.3  | 6.1  | 4.6  | 4.2  | 5.2  | 4.1  | 3.0  | 6.2  | 2.7  | 3.6  | 2.6  | 2.1   | 5.9   | 4.1   | 3.7   |
| Nonresidential                 | 10.6 | 5.9  | 5.3  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.5  | 4.1  | 3.9  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.2  | 5.6   | 6.7   | 4.3   | 3.3   |
| Residential                    | -7.8 | -1.0 | -1.0 | -1.0 | 1.5  | 1.0  | 1.2  | 0.9  | 2.5  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.0  | -3.8  | -2.7  | 1.1   | 2.3   |
| Gov't consumption              | 4.4  | 1.3  | 1.0  | 0.7  | 0.5  | 0.3  | 0.1  | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -1.2  | 1.8   | 0.2   | -0.3  |
| Exports                        | 10.9 | 1.5  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 1.1   | 4.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   |
| Imports                        | 11.8 | 1.5  | 3.1  | 3.3  | 2.2  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.2  | 2.1  | 2.2  | -1.9  | 4.9   | 2.0   | 2.1   |
| Contribution (pp): Inventories | 0.2  | 0.1  | 0.3  | 0.1  | 0.0  | 0.2  | 0.1  | -0.1 | 0.6  | -0.1 | 0.1  | -0.1 | -0.1  | -0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| Net trade                      | -0.4 | -0.1 | -0.2 | -0.3 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.2  | -0.3  | -0.1  | -0.1  |
| Unemployment rate, %           | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.5   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 4.2   |
| <b>Prices (% yoy)</b>          |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |       |       |       |       |
| CPI                            | 2.7  | 3.9  | 3.3  | 3.1  | 2.6  | 1.7  | 2.2  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.8   | 3.1   | 2.5   | 2.5   |
| Core CPI                       | 2.5  | 2.8  | 2.6  | 2.8  | 2.6  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.6   |
| PCE                            | 3.1  | 3.9  | 3.6  | 3.2  | 2.6  | 1.9  | 2.1  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.8   | 3.2   | 2.3   | 2.2   |
| Core PCE                       | 3.1  | 3.4  | 3.3  | 3.2  | 2.6  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.2  | 2.9   | 3.2   | 2.5   | 2.2   |
| Fed Funds                      | 3.63 | 3.63 | 3.88 | 4.13 | 4.13 | 4.13 | 4.13 | 4.13 | 3.88 | 3.63 | 3.63 | 3.63 | 3.63  | 4.13  | 4.13  | 3.63  |

Source: BLS, BEA & Deutsche Bank Research

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Figure 3: Data calendar & DB forecasts

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| <b>Jul-06</b><br><b>ISM Services</b><br>10:00 AM Apr: 53.6<br>May: 54.5<br>Jun: 54.0                                                                                                                                          | <b>Jul-07</b><br><b>International Trade Balance</b><br>8:30 AM Mar: -\$56.6B<br>Apr: -54.6<br>May: -77.6<br><b>3 Yr Note Auction</b> \$58bn                                                                                    | <b>Jul-08</b><br><b>Wholesale Inventories</b><br>10:00 AM Mar: +1.5%<br>Apr: +0.7<br>May: +0.1<br><b>FOMC Minutes</b><br><b>Consumer Credit</b><br>3:00 PM Mar: +\$22.2B<br>Apr: +20.8<br>May: -0.2<br><b>10 Yr Note Auction</b> \$39bn                                                                                    | <b>Jul-09</b><br><b>Initial Claims</b><br>8:30AM Jun-20 216k -11k<br>Jun-27 217 +1<br>Jul-04 215 -2<br><b>Existing Home Sales</b><br>10:00 AM Apr: 4.04M<br>May: 4.19<br>Jun: 4.09<br><b>30 Yr Bond Auction</b> \$22bn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Jul-10</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>FORECAST</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>Jul-13</b><br><b>Leading Economic Indicators</b><br>10:00AM Apr: +0.2<br>May: +0.1<br>Jun: +0.1                                                                                                                            | <b>Jul-14</b><br><b>CPI</b> Total Core<br>8:30AM Apr: +0.6% +0.4%<br>May: +0.5 +0.2<br>Jun: -0.27 +0.23<br><b>Fed Chair Warsh</b> provides semi-annual monetary policy testimony to House financial services committee         | <b>Jul-15</b><br><b>NY Fed Empire State Survey</b><br>8:30AM May: +19.6<br>Jun: +5.7<br>Jul: +13.0<br><b>PPI</b> Total Core<br>8:30AM Apr: +1.1% +0.7%<br>May: +1.1 +0.4<br>Jun: -0.3 +0.2<br><b>Fed's Beige Book</b><br><b>Fed Chair Warsh</b> provides semi-annual monetary policy testimony to Senate Banking committee | <b>Jul-16</b><br><b>Initial Claims</b><br>8:30AM Jun-27 217k +1k<br>Jul-04 215 -2<br>Jul-11 218 +3<br><b>Philadelphia Fed</b><br>08:30AM May: -0.4<br>Jun: +10.3<br>Jul: +7.0<br><b>Retail Sales</b><br>8:30AM Apr: May: Jun:<br>Total +0.4% +0.9 +0.3<br>Ex Autos +0.7% +0.8 -0.2<br>Control +0.5% +0.7 +0.4<br><b>NAHB Housing Market Index</b><br>10:00 AM May: 37<br>Jun: 35<br>Jul: 35<br><b>Pending Home Sales Index</b><br>10:00 AM Apr: +0.3%<br>May: +3.8<br>Jun: -0.2 | <b>Jul-17</b><br><b>Housing</b> Starts Permits<br>8:30AM Apr: 1.392M 1.423M<br>May: 1.177 1.410<br>Jun: 1.290 1.430<br><b>Industrial Production</b> Cap. Util<br>9:15AM Apr: +0.9% 76.1%<br>May: +0.1 76.2<br>Jun: +0.3 76.2<br><b>Consumer Sentiment</b><br>10:00 AM May: 44.8<br>Jun: 49.5<br>Prelim: Jul: 52.0<br><b>Business Inventories</b><br>10:00 AM Mar: +1.0%<br>Apr: +0.6<br>May: +0.4<br><b>20 Yr Bond Announcement</b> \$13bn<br><b>10 Yr TIPS Announcement</b> \$21bn |
| <b>Jul-20</b><br><b>Leading Economic Indicators</b><br>10:00AM Apr: +0.2<br>May: +0.1<br>Jun: +0.1                                                                                                                            | <b>Jul-21</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Jul-22</b><br><b>20 Yr Bond Auction</b> \$13bn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>Jul-23</b><br><b>2 Yr Note Announcement</b> \$69bn<br><b>5 Yr Note Announcement</b> \$70bn<br><b>7 Yr Note Announcement</b> \$44bn<br><b>2 Yr FRN Announcement</b> \$28bn<br><b>10 Yr TIPS Auction</b> \$21bn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>Jul-24</b><br><b>S&amp;P Manufacturing PMI</b><br>9:45 AM May: 55.1<br>Jun: 53.9<br>Jul: 54.1<br><b>S&amp;P Services PMI</b><br>9:45 AM May: 50.7<br>Jun: 51.2<br>Jul: 51.1<br><b>New Home Sales</b><br>10:00 AM Apr: 626k<br>May: 580<br>Jun: 625                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| <b>Jul-27</b><br><b>Durable Goods Orders</b><br>8:30 AM Apr: May: Jun:<br>Headline +8.5% -4.5 +0.5<br>Ex-Trans. +1.5% +1.4 +0.5<br>Core -0.6% +1.4 +0.5<br><b>2 Yr Note Auction</b> \$69bn<br><b>5 Yr Note Auction</b> \$70bn | <b>Jul-28</b><br><b>Advance Goods Trade Balance</b><br>8:30 AM Apr: -\$82.4B<br>May: -\$105.8<br>Jun: -\$95.1<br><b>Consumer Confidence</b><br>10:00 AM May: 90.6<br>Jun: 91.2<br>Jul: 91.8<br><b>7 Yr Note Auction</b> \$44bn | <b>Jul-29</b><br><b>FOMC Meeting</b><br><b>2 Yr FRN Auction</b> \$28bn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | <b>Jul-30</b><br><b>Personal Income</b><br>08:30 AM Apr: May: Jun:<br>Income Unch. +0.7 +0.3<br>Consump. +0.4% +0.7 +0.4<br>Core PCE +0.3% +0.3 +0.23<br><b>Real GDP</b> Deflator<br>8:30 AM 4Q25: +0.5% +3.7%<br>1Q26: +2.1 +3.6<br>Adv: 2Q26: +2.8 +3.8                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>Jul-31</b><br><b>Employment Cost Index</b><br>8:30AM Q425: +0.7%<br>Q126: +0.9<br>Q226: +0.9<br><b>Chicago PMI</b><br>9:45 AM May: 62.7<br>Jun: 56.7<br>Jul: 57.1<br><b>Consumer Sentiment</b><br>10:00 AM May: 44.8<br>Jun: 49.5<br>Final: Jul: 52.0                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

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