

Table A-15. Alternative measures of labor underutilization

HOUSEHOLD DATA

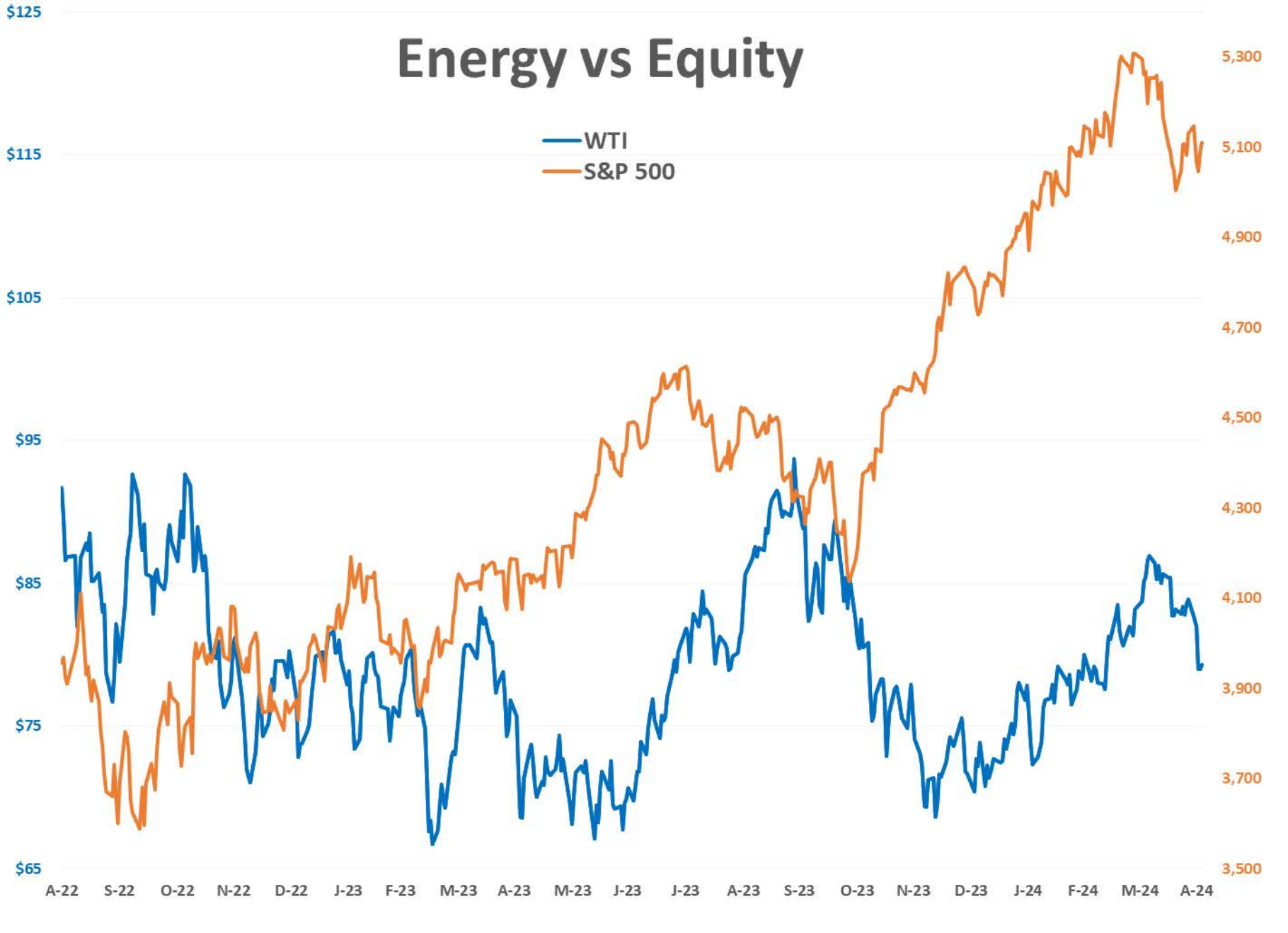
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[Percent]

Measure	Not seasonally adjusted			Seasonally adjusted					
	Apr. 2023	Mar. 2024	Apr. 2024	Apr. 2023	Dec. 2023	Jan. 2024	Feb. 2024	Mar. 2024	Apr. 2024
U-1 Persons unemployed 15 weeks or longer, as a percent of the civilian labor force	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.1	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
U-2 Job losers and persons who completed temporary jobs, as a percent of the civilian labor force	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9
U-3 Total unemployed, as a percent of the civilian labor force (official unemployment rate)	3.1	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.9
U-4 Total unemployed plus discouraged workers, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus discouraged workers	3.3	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.1
U-5 Total unemployed, plus discouraged workers, plus all other persons marginally attached to the labor force, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force	3.9	4.7	4.4	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8
U-6 Total unemployed, plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force, plus total employed part time for economic reasons, as a percent of the civilian labor force plus all persons marginally attached to the labor force	6.1	7.4	6.9	6.6	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4

NOTE: Persons marginally attached to the labor force are those who currently are neither working nor looking for work but indicate that they want and are available for a job and have looked for work sometime in the past 12 months. Discouraged workers, a subset of the marginally attached, have given a job-market related reason for not currently looking for work. Persons employed part time for economic reasons are those who want and are available for full-time work but have had to settle for a part-time schedule. Updated population controls are introduced annually with the release of January data.

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