# Idaho Growth and Economic Outlook

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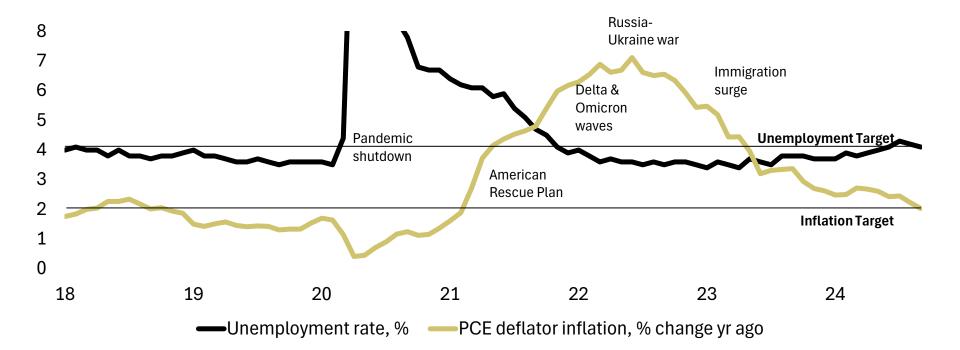
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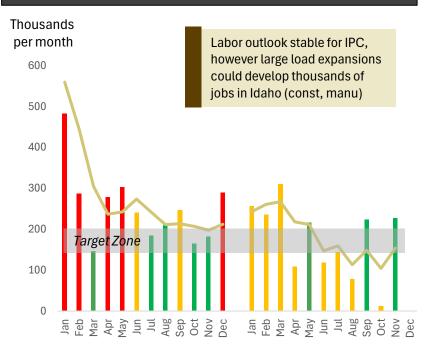
## An Exceptional Economy

#### Full Employment and Inflation at Target

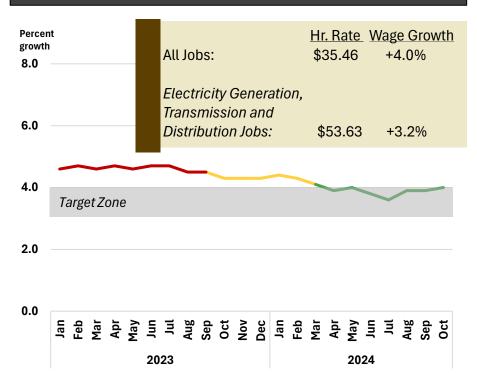


## **Employment Indicator for FED**

#### **Federal Employment Additions**



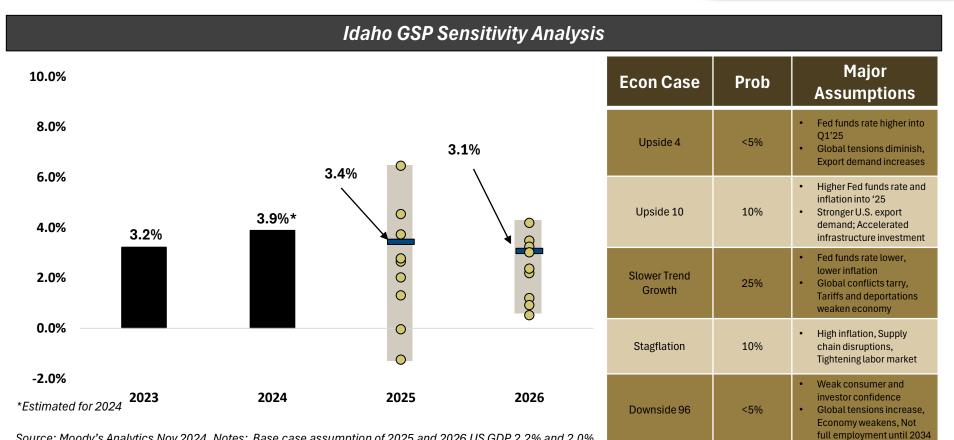
#### Hourly Wage Growth



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics Establishments Survey

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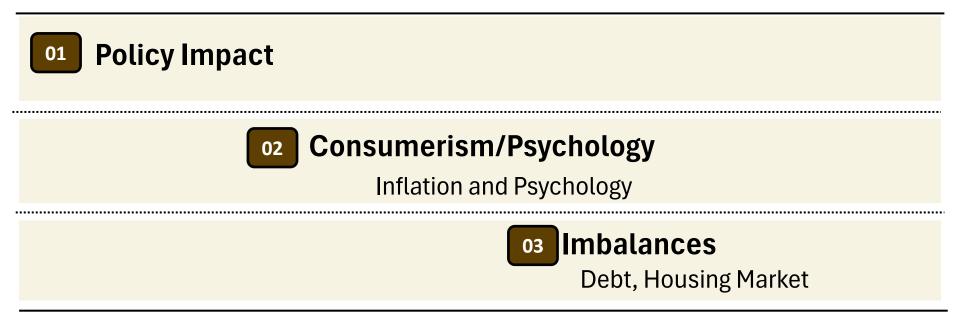
## Idaho Gross State Product



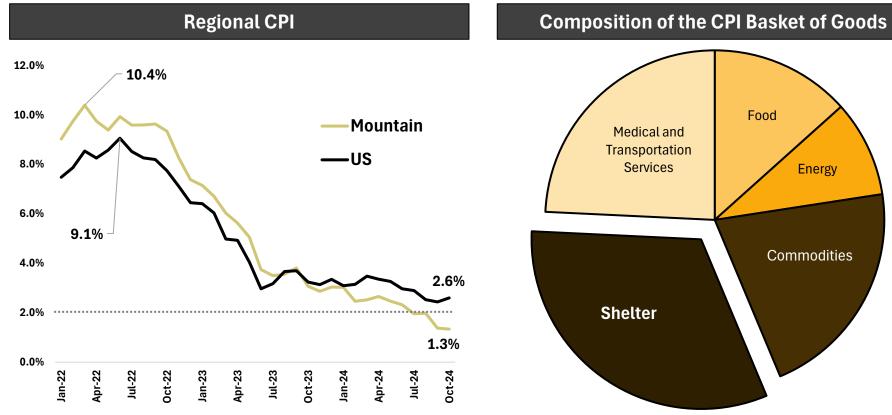
Source: Moody's Analytics Nov 2024. Notes: Base case assumption of 2025 and 2026 US GDP 2.2% and 2.0%

#### Watch Lanes

Risks that could cause a disruption



#### **Inflation's Intricacies**



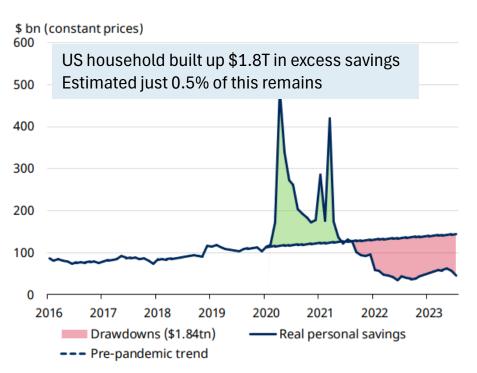
Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics. Jul 2024 Consumer Price Index Regional Report

Source - Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2023 Basket of Consumer Price Index – Urban Consumers

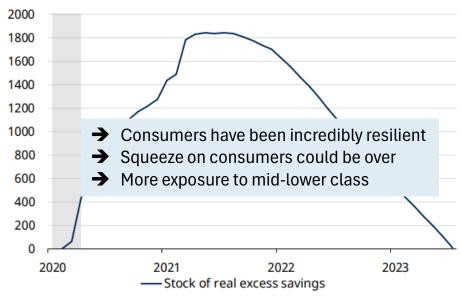
## **Consumer Spending**

#### **Excess Savings Build Up**

#### Excess Savings Draw Down

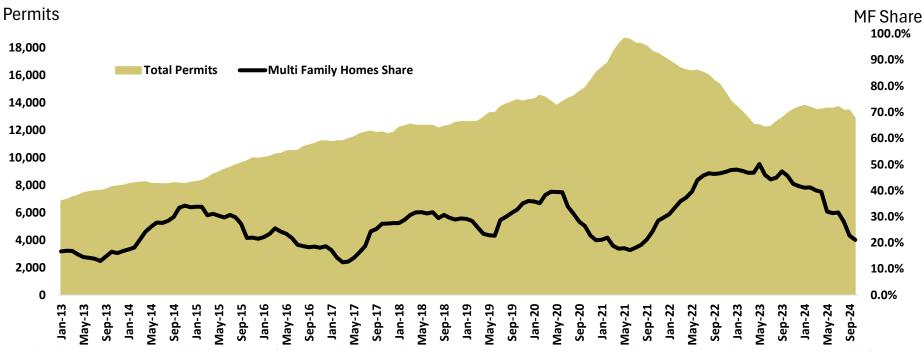


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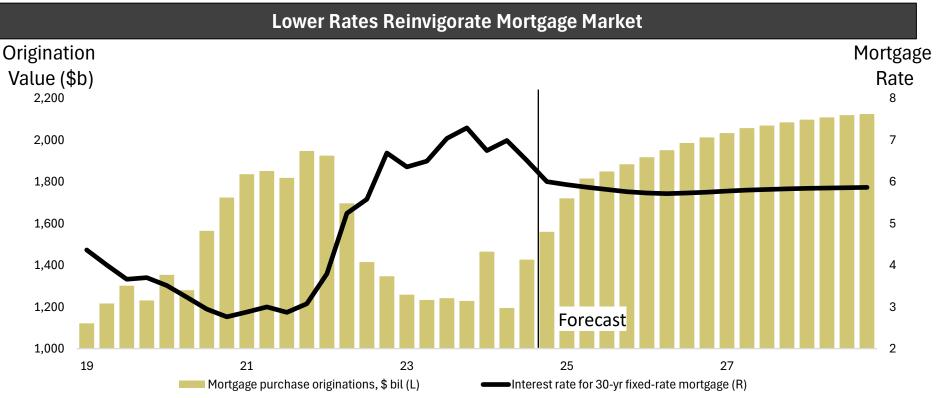
### **Idaho Power Residential Housing Permits**

#### **Annual Residential Permits Rolling 12-Month**



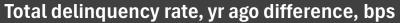
Residential Housing Permits – Available IPCo Territory (Ada, Bannock, Bingham, Blaine, Boise, Canyon, Cassia, Elmore, Gem, Gooding, Jerome, Oneida, Payette, Twin Falls, Valley)

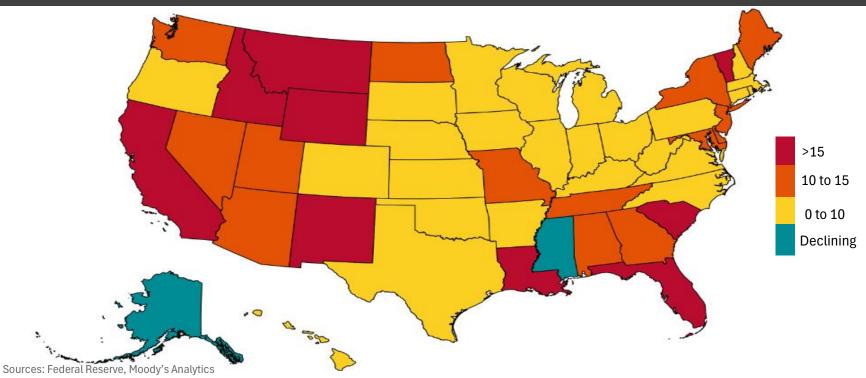
## Housing: Supply Side Policy May Be Needed



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## Mountain West and Southeast Show Most Stress

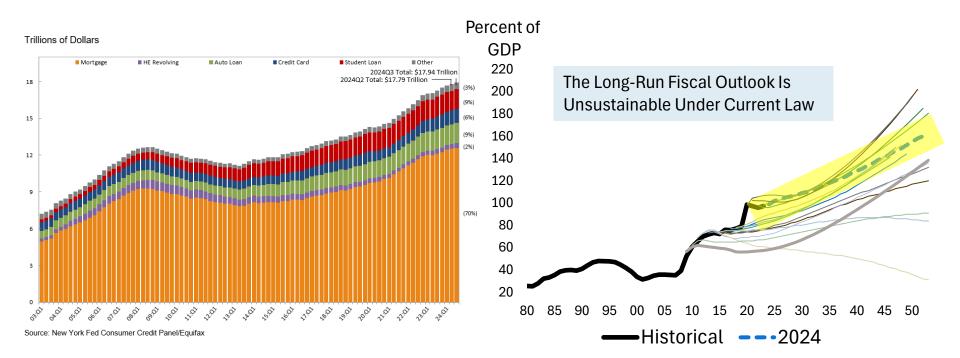




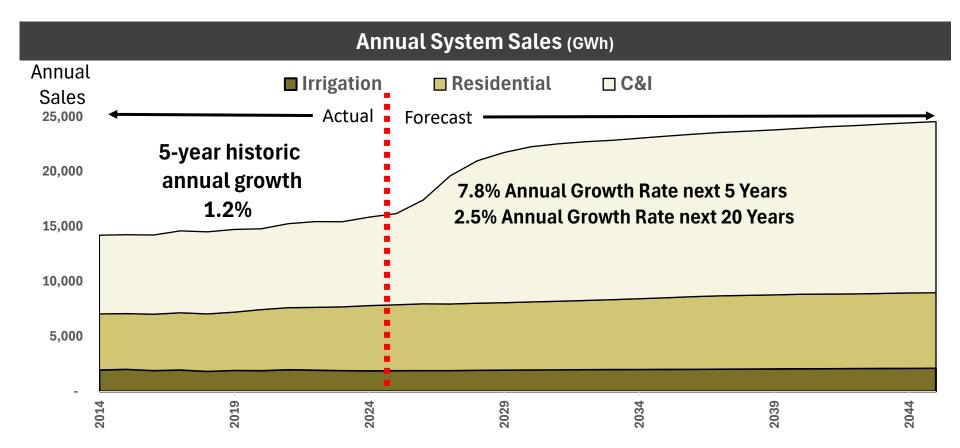
#### **US Private And Public Debt**

#### **Private Debt Balance and its Composition**

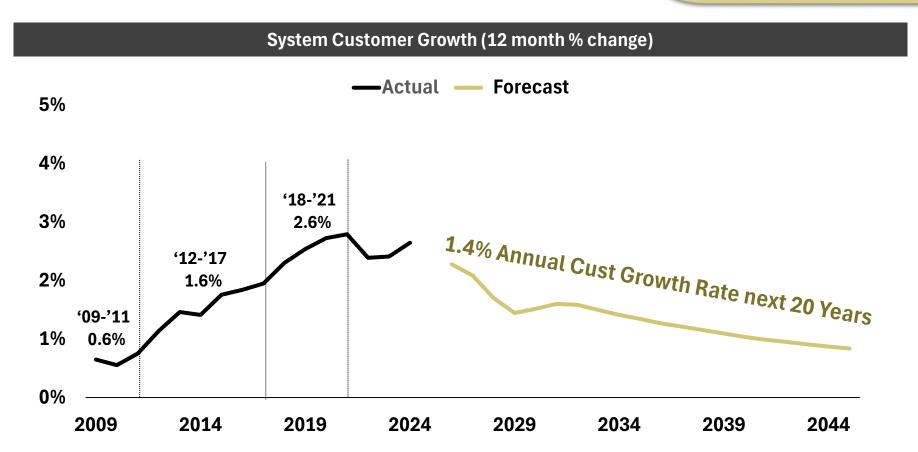
#### Debt held by the public, % of GDP



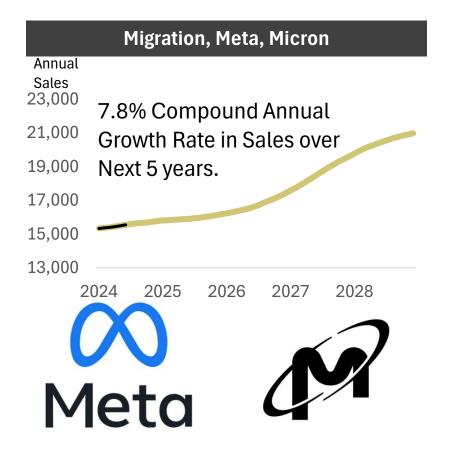
#### Idaho Power Sales Forecast By Class



#### **Idaho Power Customer Growth Forecast**



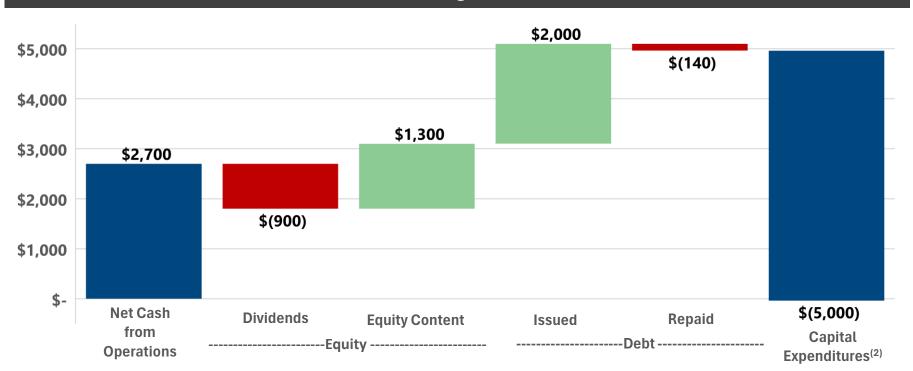
#### **Idaho Power Growth Expectations**



Resource Expansions				
Year	Project A	Project B	Project C	
2024	100 MW Solar + 60 MW Battery (Franklin)	36 MW Battery (Hemingway)	n/a	
2025	227 MW Battery (150 Kuna, 77 Happy Valley)	200 MW Solar (Pleasant Valley 1)	n/a	
2026	Convert Valmy Coal Units1 & 2 to Natural Gas	125 MW Solar (Pleasant Valley 2)	150 MW Battery (Boise Bench)	
2027+	600 MW Wyoming Wind	320 MW Solar (Blacks Creek)	Boardman to Hemmingway Transmission	

## **Financing Growth Expectations**





**Financing Growth** 

<sup>(1)</sup> As of October 31, 2024. Financings plans are for illustrative purposes only and are subject to change. <sup>(2)</sup> Forecast capital expenditures include allowance for borrowed funds used during construction.

## **Expectation on Idaho Personal Income**



- Nominal personal income growth in state ranges from +4.7% to +6.1% in FY'25
- If any derivation from midpoint occurs, will likely be on upside of probability ranges for FY '25 and FY '26

Period	Percent Change	Probability Ranges
FY'25	5.7%	4.7% - 6.1%
FY'26	5.6%	0.6% - 6.8%
FY'27	5.3%	2.7% - 6.7%