Global Perspectives Weekly

For the week ended Nov 07, 2025

Commentary

Weekly summary: The legality of the tariffs and softer labor headlined the week.

Markets review

- U.S. equities were down this week. Value did better than growth while
 mid cap stocks outperformed both larger and smaller peers. Technology
 was by far the worst sector. Overseas markets, except for the U.K.,
 declined.
- Treasury yields fell on the short end but rose slightly on the long end, steepening the curve. The Agg had a small gain.
- The dollar was weaker while gold stabilized. Bitcoin futures dropped.
- · WTI crude oil was down.

Economic review

- The Supreme Court weighed the legality of tariffs, which created additional uncertainty.
- While October ISM manufacturing came in below consensus—although new orders and employment improved—ISM services beat as new orders hit a one-year high.
- The labor market continued to soften. Although October ADP private
 payrolls delivered a positive report after two monthly declines, only large
 firms were hiring while payrolls at small- and mid-sized businesses
 contracted. In addition, the Challenger job-cuts report showed the most
 layoffs in more than two decades.
- UMich consumer sentiment declined to nearly the worst level on record.
- · The government shutdown continued.

Earnings review

3Q25 earnings: 89% of S&P 500 companies reported. The blended earnings growth rate was 16.8% and the revenue growth rate was 8.1%. So far, 83% of S&P 500 companies beat consensus EPS expectations.

Market data

| Index prices (\$) | 11/07/25 | 12/31/24 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Dow Jones Industrial Average | 46,987 | 42,544 |
| S&P 500 | 6,729 | 5,882 |

| Returns (%) | 1wk | QTD | YTD | 3mo |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Equities | | | | |
| S&P 500 | -1.63 | 0.69 | 15.63 | 6.46 |
| S&P Mid Cap 400 | -0.10 | -0.55 | 5.18 | 4.16 |
| S&P Small Cap 600 | 0.16 | -0.70 | 3.52 | 7.04 |
| Russell 1000 | -1.61 | 0.53 | 15.21 | 6.20 |
| Russell MidCap | -0.38 | -1.17 | 9.13 | 2.81 |
| Russell 2000 | -1.88 | -0.09 | 10.29 | 10.21 |
| Dow Jones Industrial Average | -1.21 | 1.35 | 11.97 | 7.32 |
| NASDAQ Composite | -3.04 | 1.55 | 19.75 | 8.46 |
| | | | | |
| Fixed income | | | | |

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|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate | 0.03 | 0.65 | 6.82 | 2.10 |
| Bloomberg Global Aggregate | -0.06 | -0.31 | 7.57 | 0.57 |
| Bloomberg High Yield Bond | -0.29 | -0.14 | 7.07 | 1.66 |
| S&P / LSTA Senior Loan | 0.11 | 0.56 | 5.90 | 1.72 |
| JPM EMBI+ Emerging Markets Bond | -0.59 | 1.13 | 10.86 | 2.39 |

| S&P 500 sectors | | | | |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Technology | -4.24 | 1.73 | 24.43 | 8.52 |
| Materials | 0.40 | -4.66 | 4.22 | -2.30 |
| Consumer discretionary | -1.54 | 0.80 | 6.14 | 7.68 |
| Health care | 1.33 | 4.96 | 7.71 | 13.83 |
| Utilities | 0.71 | 2.82 | 21.02 | 4.40 |
| Consumer staples | 0.79 | -1.54 | 2.29 | -4.69 |
| Energy | 1.58 | 0.43 | 7.49 | 7.18 |
| Financials | 0.83 | -2.03 | 10.46 | 3.15 |
| Industrials | -1.09 | -0.63 | 17.64 | 2.16 |
| Communication services | -1.74 | 0.08 | 24.61 | 9.05 |
| Real Estate | 0.98 | -1.67 | 4.42 | 0.52 |

| Equity style performance | | | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Large cap value | -0.06 | 0.41 | 12.11 | 5.57 |
| Large cap growth | -2.94 | 0.59 | 17.94 | 6.73 |
| Mid cap value | 0.07 | -0.89 | 8.52 | 3.94 |
| Mid cap growth | -1.77 | -2.03 | 10.55 | -0.53 |
| Small cap value | -0.73 | -0.46 | 8.55 | 9.97 |
| Small cap growth | -2.89 | 0.26 | 11.94 | 10.41 |
| | | | | |

| International equities | | | | |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| MSCI EAFE | -0.76 | 0.42 | 26.25 | 4.76 |
| MSCI U.K. | 0.11 | 1.79 | 28.55 | 5.56 |
| MSCI Europe ex-U.K. | -1.14 | -0.65 | 27.97 | 3.21 |
| MSCI Japan | -0.68 | 2.69 | 24.37 | 9.16 |
| MSCI AC Asia ex-Japan | -1.45 | 2.99 | 31.31 | 10.20 |
| MSCI Emerging Markets | -1.39 | 2.74 | 31.74 | 10.14 |
| MSCI ACWI | -1.46 | 0.77 | 19.77 | 6.39 |

Source: FactSet.



Economic calendar

| Date | Country/Region | Event |
|------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| 11/10/25 | China | Loan Growth (Oct) |
| | Japan | Leading Index (Sep) |
| | E.U. | Sentix Economic Index (Nov) |
| 11/11/25 | U.K. | ILO Unemployment Rate (Sep) |
| | Germany | ZEW Economic Sentiment (Nov) |
| | U.S. | NFIB Small Business Index (Oct) |
| 11/12/25 | Germany | CPI (Oct) |
| | Japan | Domestic CGPI (Oct) |
| 11/13/25 | U.K. | GDP (3Q25) |
| | U.K. | Industrial Production (Sep) |
| | E.U. | Industrial Production (Sep) |
| | U.S. | CPI (Oct) |
| | U.S. | Initial Claims (11/08) |
| | China | Industrial Output (Oct) |
| 11/14/25 | E.U. | GDP (3Q25) |
| | E.U. | Trade Balance (Sep) |
| | U.S. | PPI (Oct) |
| | U.S. | Retail Sales (Oct) |
| Source: Fa | actSet. | |

Market data, cont'd

| As of: | Last close | Prior week | Year end | 3 mos ago |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| U.S. bond rates (%) | | | | |
| U.S. federal funds target rate | 4.00 | 4.00 | 4.50 | 4.50 |
| U.S. 2yr Treasury | 3.56 | 3.60 | 4.25 | 3.72 |
| U.S. 10yr Treasury | 4.09 | 4.10 | 4.58 | 4.23 |
| U.S. 20yr Treasury | 4.67 | 4.66 | 4.86 | 4.80 |
| U.S. 30yr Treasury | 4.70 | 4.69 | 4.79 | 4.82 |
| High yield (Merrill U.S. Corporates) | 6.58 | 6.54 | 6.97 | 6.60 |
| Consumer rates (%) | | | | |
| 30yr mortgage rate | 6.27 | 6.25 | 7.28 | 6.74 |
| Prime rate | 7.00 | 7.00 | 7.50 | 7.50 |
| Commodities | _ | | | |
| Gold (USD/oz) | \$4,010 | \$4,014 | \$2,641 | \$3,454 |
| Crude oil (USD/bbl) | \$59.75 | \$61.05 | \$71.72 | \$63.88 |
| Copper (LME \$/mt) | \$10,720 | \$10,873 | \$8,706 | \$9,637 |
| Gasoline (USD/gal) | \$3.28 | \$3.28 | \$3.22 | \$3.34 |
| Exchange rates | | | | |
| \$ per € | 1.16 | 1.15 | 1.04 | 1.16 |
| \$ per £ | 1.32 | 1.31 | 1.25 | 1.34 |
| ¥ per \$ | 153.15 | 154.13 | 157.16 | 147.52 |
| U.S. Dollar Index | 99.60 | 99.87 | 108.49 | 98.40 |

Source: FactSet.

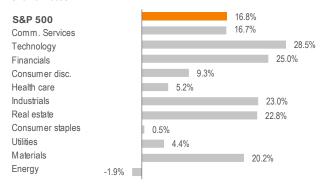
Earnings calendar

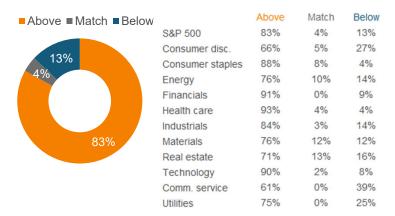
| Monday, 11/10 | Tuesday, 11/11 | Wednesday, 11/12 | Thursday, 11/13 | Friday, 11/14 |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| Barrick Mining Corporation | Sea Limited | Tencent | Siemens | Sony |
| CoreWeave Inc. | Infineon Technologies | Cisco Systems | Disney | Orix Corp Ads |
| Occidental Petroleum | Alcon | Commonwealth Bank of Australia | Applied Materials | |
| | | Allianz | Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group | |
| | | Byd Co. | Deutsche Telekom | |
| | | Siemens Energy AG | Brookfield Corporation | |
| | | Nu | Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group | |
| | | Transdigm Group | Mizuho Financial Group | |
| | | Manulife Financial Corp | JAPAN TOB | |

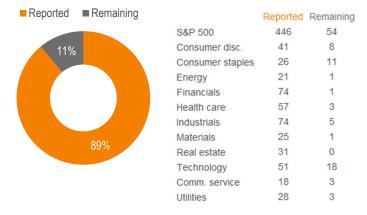
Source: Zacks.

3Q25 S&P 500 earnings dashboard

Growth rates







As of 11/07/25. Source: London Stock Exchange Group, Institutional Brokers' Estimate System. Above, Match and Below are showing the percentage of constituents that beat, matched or missed analyst expectations on the day of reporting.

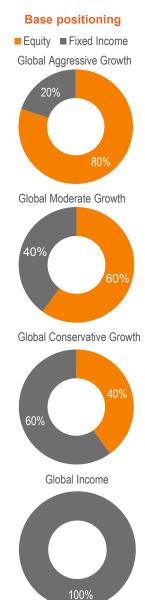
Voya Global Perspectives Market Models positioning

Current positioning

Following 2Q25 positive earnings growth for S&P 500 companies, the models remain in a base posture.

Upcoming positioning

3Q25 positioning will be announced and commence in early January.



Source: Voya IM.

Principal Risks

All investing involves risks of fluctuating prices and the uncertainties of rates of return and yield. **Asset Allocation**: The success of the model depends on the Adviser's or Sub-Adviser's skill in allocating model assets between the asset classes and in choosing investments within those categories. There is a risk that the model may allocate assets to an asset class that underperforms other asset classes. **Investment Model**: The model invests based on a proprietary model managed by the manager. The manager's proprietary model may not adequately address existing or unforeseen market factors or the interplay between such factors. **Other Investment Companies**: The main risk of investing in other investment companies, including exchange-traded funds, is the risk that the value of the securities underlying an investment company might decrease. Because the model or an underlying fund may invest in other investment companies, you will pay a proportionate share of the expenses of those other investment companies (including management fees, administration fees, and custodial fees) in addition to the expenses of the model and a proportionate share of the expenses of each underlying fund. **Interest Rate**: With bonds and other fixed-rate debt instruments, a rise in interest rates generally causes values to fall; conversely, values generally rise as interest rates fall. The higher the credit quality of the instrument, and the longer its maturity or duration, the more sensitive it is likely to be to interest rate risk. **Foreign Investments / Developing and Emerging Markets**: Investing in foreign (non-U.S.) securities may result in the model or the underlying funds experiencing more rapid and extreme changes in value than a model that invests exclusively in securities of U.S. companies due to smaller markets different reporting, accounting and auditing standards; nationalization, expropriation, or confiscatory taxation; foreign currency fluctuations, currency blockage or replacement; potential for default on sovereign debt;

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Bloomberg Global Aggregate Bond Index measures a wide range of global government, government-related, corporate and securitized fixed-income investments, all with maturities greater than one year.

Bloomberg High Yield Bond Index tracks the performance of below investment grade U.S. dollar-denominated corporate bonds publicly issued in the U.S. domestic market.

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MSCI ACWI Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to provide a broad measure of equity-market performance throughout the world, capturing large and mid cap representation across 23 Developed Markets (DM) and 26 Emerging Markets (EM) countries.

MSCI EAFE Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to measure developed markets' equity performance, excluding the U.S. & Canada, for 21 countries.

MSCI Europe ex-U.K. Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to measure equity performance of the 15 developed European markets except the U.K..

MSCI U.K. Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to measure equity performance of listed common stocks in the U.K..

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S&P 500 Index is a widely regarded as the best single gauge of the U.S. equities market, including 500 leading companies in major industries of the U.S. economy.

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