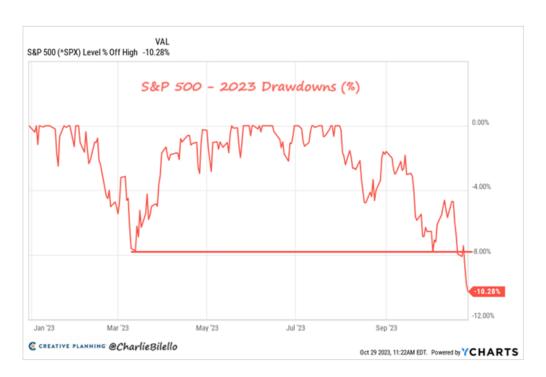
## **Market Wrap November 2023**

#### **American Data**

## 1) The Biggest Correction of the Year

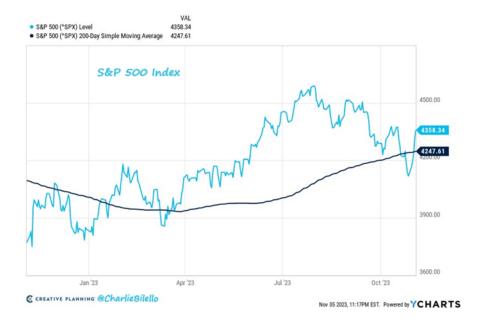
The S&P 500 is now down over 10% from its high in late July, the biggest correction of the year.



## Fast forward a week

## 1) Bouncing Back With a Vengeance

The S&P 500 bounced back with a vengeance last week, rising nearly 6%.



# Is such a decline unusual?

Not at all...

 $\bullet~$  A 10% intra-year drawdown has happened every 1.6 years on average.

S&P 500 Intra-Year Decline	% of Years (since 1928)	Happens EveryOn Average
-1%	100%	Year
-5%	94%	1.1 Years
-10%	63%	1.6 Years
-15%	40%	2.5 Years
-20%	26%	4 Years
-25%	21%	5 Years
-30%	11%	9 Years
-40%	6%	16 Years
-50%	2%	47 Years
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## What if you do not panic...

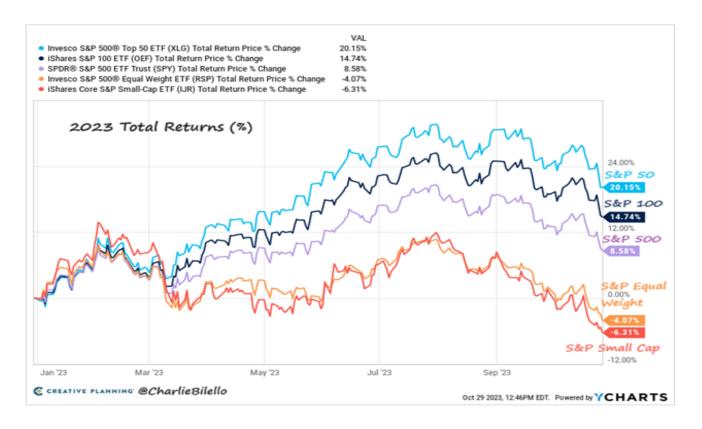


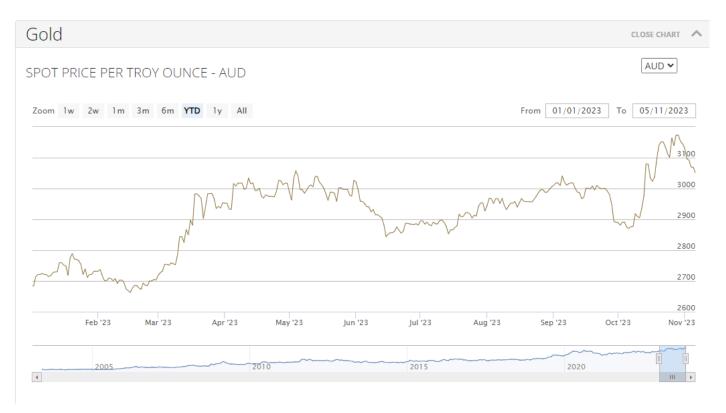


## What has been doing well & what have been doing poorly

## 2) Largest Stocks Continue to Mask Broader Weakness

It's been a great year for the 50 largest stocks in the S&P 500, which are still up 20% year-to-date even after the recent correction. But the performance of the average stock paints a very different picture with the S&P 500 equal weight down 4% YTD and small caps down 6%.

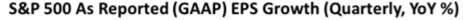


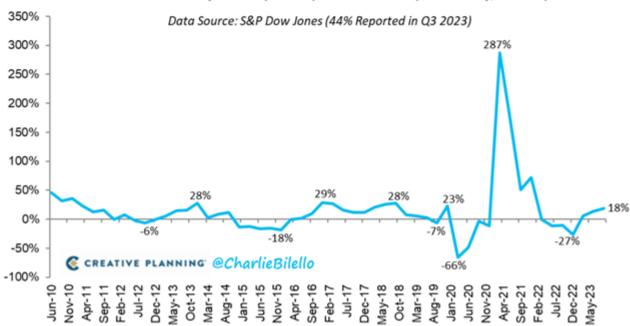


## 3) The Earnings Comeback Continues

While the stock market has been moving lower of late, earnings continue to recover from last year's downturn.

With 44% of companies reported, S&P 500 Q3 GAAP earnings per share are 18% higher than a year ago, the 3rd straight quarter of positive YoY growth and highest growth rate since Q4 2021.

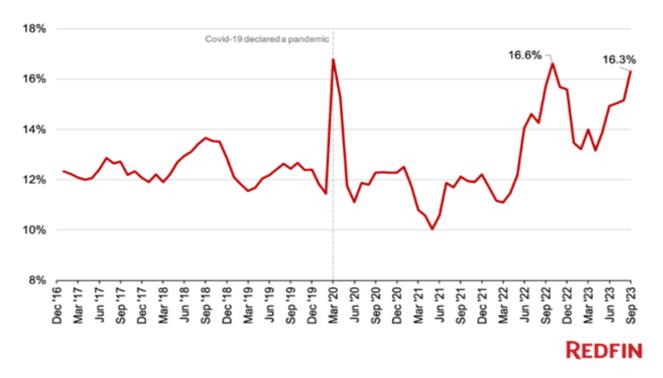






## What is happening to housing

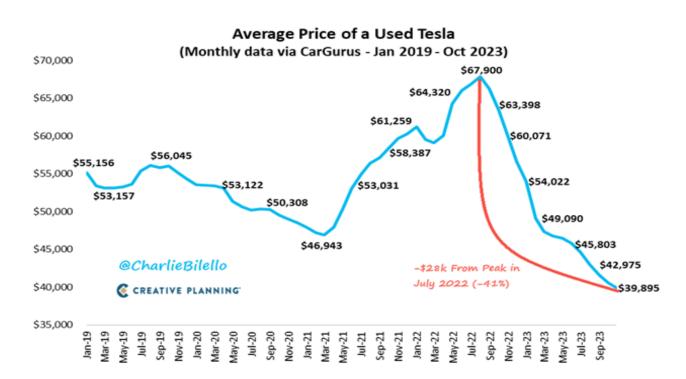
# Home Purchases Are Falling Through at the Highest Rate in Nearly a Year Monthly pending home sale that fell out of contract, as % of overall pending home sales



## What is happening to cars?

Fast forward to today and that game has ended in tears for anyone that bought in the summer of 2022 with the expectation of selling to a greater fool.

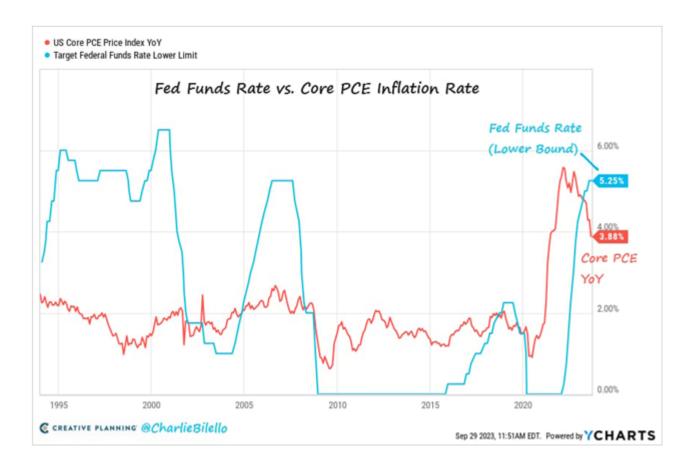
The average price of a used Tesla is now \$28k lower than the peak price in July 2022, a 41% decline. Cars are once again a depreciating asset.



## Has the USA got inflation under control?

## 9) No Need to Hike

The Fed's preferred measure of inflation (Core PCE) moved down to 3.7% in September, the lowest level since May 2021. The Fed Funds Rate is now 1.6% above Core PCE, the most restrictive monetary policy we've seen since 2007.



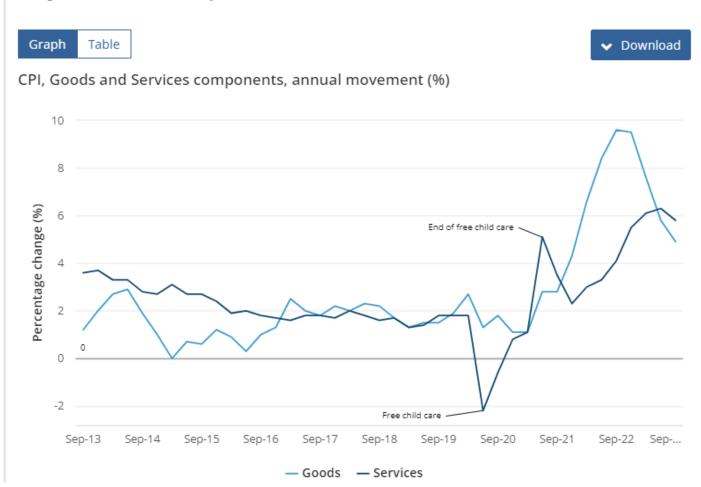




## Goods and Services annual inflation both lower

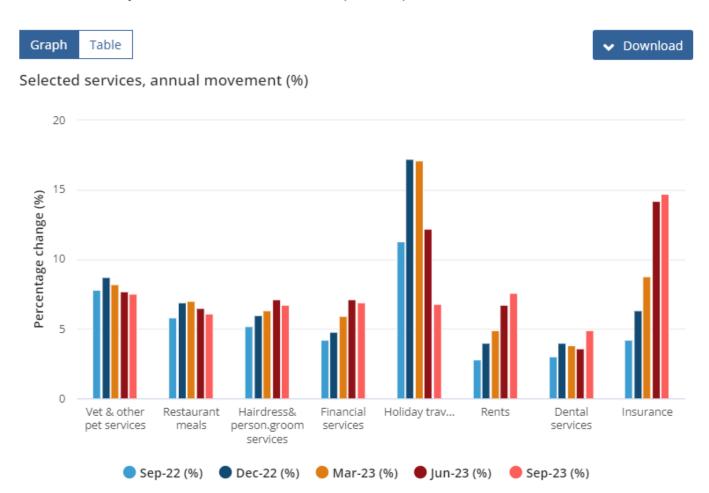
Prices for most goods continued to be higher than they were 12 months ago, albeit with smaller increases for a range of goods including food, furniture, and housing.

Annual services inflation eased for the first time since December 2021. The main reasons for the lower annual inflation are price falls for holiday travel and accommodation and a decrease in the costs for child-care due to changes in the Child Care Subsidy.



## Annual services inflation remains elevated

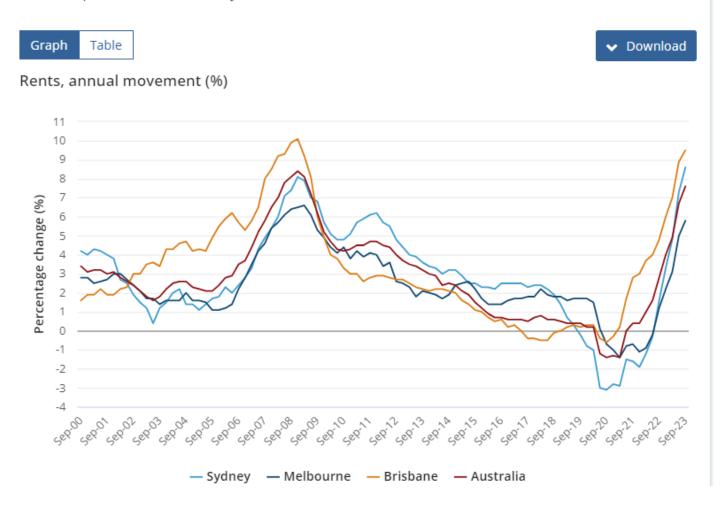
Annual inflation remains elevated, for a range of services such as vets, restaurant meals and hairdressers. Annual inflation continues to rise for some service categories including rents, dental services and insurance, while inflation for holiday travel has more than halved in the past two quarters.



## Rental price increases highest since 2009

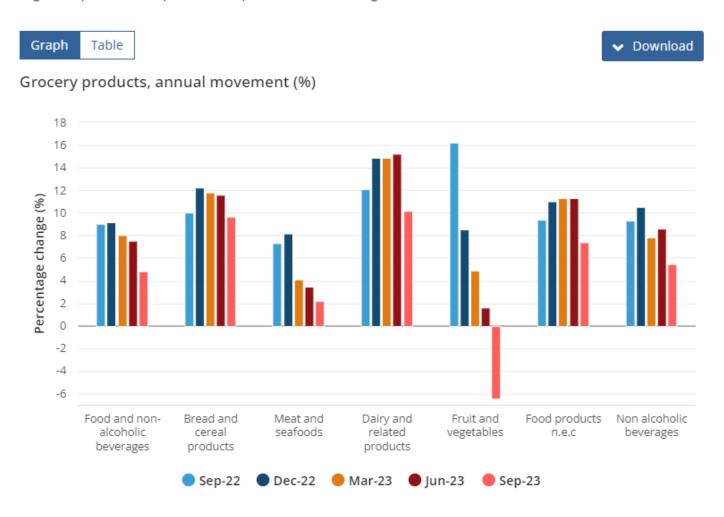
Rental prices rose 7.6 per cent annually, the largest annual rise since 2009. This reflects low vacancy rates amid a tight rental market in capital cities across the country.

Rental prices for the quarter rose 2.2 per cent following a 2.5 per cent increase in the June quarter. The increase in rents this quarter was moderated by increases in Commonwealth Rent Assistance.



# Annual food inflation eases for the third quarter in a row

Annual food inflation eased to 4.8 per cent in the September quarter, down from 7.5 per cent in June quarter and the peak of 9.2 per cent in December 2022. Price rises have been lower across all food categories, while fruit and vegetable prices fell 6.4 per cent compared to 12 months ago.



## What is happening in real estate

# Auction Results & Recent Sales Australian auction results, clearance rates and recent sales for the week ending Sun 05 Nov 2023

