

October 2026 — Global Economic Calendar

Week-by-week view, all times NYC (ET) unless noted. **Red/bold** = highest-impact market movers. Items marked $\triangle$ are typical/estimated timing (exact date not yet officially confirmed as of Oct 1, 2026) — verify closer to release.

Week 1 September 28 - October 2, 2026					
	Monday 28	Tuesday 29	Wednesday 30	Thursday 1	Friday 2
Before NY				Eurozone Flash HICP (Sep) $\triangle$	
NY AM	Quarter-end week begins	RBA Cash Rate Decision (see September calendar)	Month/quarter-end	ISM Manufacturing PMI (Sep) 10:00 S&P Global Mfg PMI, Final (Sep)	Employment Situation / NFP (Sep) 8:30
NY PM					
Asia					
Week 2 October 5 - October 9, 2026					
	Monday 5	Tuesday 6	Wednesday 7	Thursday 8	Friday 9
Before NY					
NY AM	ISM Services PMI (Sep) 10:00	US Trade Balance (Aug) $\triangle$	FOMC Minutes (Sep 15-16 mtg) 2:00pm (PM)	Weekly Jobless Claims 8:30	Wholesale Trade (Aug)
NY PM					
Asia					
Week 3 October 12 - October 16, 2026					
	Monday 12	Tuesday 13	Wednesday 14	Thursday 15	Friday 16
Before NY					
NY AM	<i>Columbus Day / Indigenous Peoples' Day — US bond market closed</i>	Existing Home Sales (Sep) 10:00	US CPI (Sep) 8:30	US PPI (Sep) 8:30 US Retail Sales (Sep) 8:30 Weekly Jobless Claims 8:30	Univ. of Michigan Sentiment, Preliminary (Oct) 10:00 $\triangle$ Industrial Production & Cap. Utilization (Sep) 9:15
NY PM			Fed Beige Book 2:00pm		
Asia					
Week 4 October 19 - October 23, 2026					
	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23
Before NY			UK CPI (Sep) 2:00 $\triangle$	Japan National CPI (Sep) $\triangle$	S&P Global Flash PMIs — Eurozone/UK/Japan (Oct) $\triangle$
NY AM	Housing Starts & Building Permits (Sep) 8:30 $\triangle$	NAHB Housing Market Index (Oct)		Weekly Jobless Claims 8:30 Philadelphia Fed Mfg Index (Oct)	S&P Global Flash PMI — US 9:45 $\triangle$
NY PM					New Home Sales (Sep) 10:00 $\triangle$
Asia		China Q3 GDP + Sep activity data $\triangle$			
Week 5 October 26 - October 30, 2026					
	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30
Before NY	Germany IFO Business Climate (Oct) $\triangle$		ECB Governing Council mtg begins (Day 1), Frankfurt	ECB Rate Decision + Lagarde Press Conf 8:15/8:45	Eurozone Flash Q3 GDP & Flash HICP (Oct) $\triangle$
NY AM	Durable Goods Orders (Sep) 8:30 $\triangle$	FOMC Meeting begins (Day 1) Consumer Confidence (Oct) 10:00	FOMC Rate Decision 2:00 & Press Conf 2:30 (PM) — no SEP/dot plot	Personal Income & Outlays / Core PCE Price Index (Sep) 8:30 Weekly Jobless Claims 8:30	Employment Cost Index, Q3 8:30 $\triangle$ Univ. of Michigan Sentiment, Final (Oct) 10:00
NY PM		S&P Case-Shiller HPI (Aug) $\triangle$		Pending Home Sales (Sep) 10:00 $\triangle$	Chicago PMI (Oct) $\triangle$
Asia				Bank of Japan Meeting Day 1	Bank of Japan Rate Decision + Outlook

					Report △ Tokyo CPI (Oct) △ Australia Q3 CPI
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All times NYC (Eastern). The October FOMC meeting (Oct 28) does not include a Summary of Economic Projections / dot plot — the next one is December. No scheduled Bank of England or RBA meetings in October (BoE next Nov 5; RBA next in November). △ = typical/estimated release window based on standard publication patterns; confirm exact date/time closer to release via the issuing agency.

Date-wise Summary — October 2026 Key Events

Date	Event(s)
Mon, Sep 28	Quarter-end week begins
Tue, Sep 29	RBA Cash Rate Decision (see September calendar)
Wed, Sep 30	Month/quarter-end
Thu, Oct 1	ISM Manufacturing PMI (Sep) 10:00 · S&P Global Mfg PMI Final (Sep) · △ Eurozone Flash HICP (Sep)
Fri, Oct 2	US Employment Situation / NFP (Sep) 8:30
Mon, Oct 5	ISM Services PMI (Sep) 10:00
Tue, Oct 6	△ US Trade Balance (Aug)
Wed, Oct 7	FOMC Minutes (Sep 15–16 meeting) 2:00pm
Thu, Oct 8	Weekly Jobless Claims
Fri, Oct 9	Wholesale Trade (Aug)
Mon, Oct 12	Columbus Day / Indigenous Peoples' Day — US bond market closed
Tue, Oct 13	Existing Home Sales (Sep) 10:00
Wed, Oct 14	US CPI (Sep) 8:30 · Fed Beige Book 2:00pm
Thu, Oct 15	US PPI (Sep) 8:30 · US Retail Sales (Sep) 8:30
Fri, Oct 16	Univ. of Michigan Sentiment, Preliminary (Oct) · △ Industrial Production & Cap. Utilization (Sep)
Mon, Oct 19	△ Housing Starts & Building Permits (Sep) 8:30
Tue, Oct 20	NAHB Housing Market Index (Oct) · △ China Q3 GDP + Sep activity data
Wed, Oct 21	△ UK CPI (Sep)
Thu, Oct 22	Philadelphia Fed Mfg Index (Oct) · △ Japan National CPI (Sep)
Fri, Oct 23	△ S&P Global Flash PMIs — US/Eurozone/UK/Japan (Oct) · △ New Home Sales (Sep)
Mon, Oct 26	△ Durable Goods Orders (Sep) 8:30 · △ Germany IFO Business Climate (Oct)
Tue, Oct 27	FOMC Meeting begins (Day 1) · Consumer Confidence (Oct) · △ S&P Case-Shiller HPI
Wed, Oct 28	FOMC Rate Decision + Press Conference 2:00/2:30pm (no dot plot) · ECB meeting begins (Day 1)
Thu, Oct 29	ECB Rate Decision + Lagarde press conference 8:15/8:45am ET · Personal Income & Core PCE Price Index (Sep) 8:30 · Bank of Japan meeting Day 1 · △ Pending Home Sales (Sep)
Fri, Oct 30	Employment Cost Index, Q3 8:30 · Bank of Japan Rate Decision + Outlook Report · △ Univ. of Michigan Final (Oct) · △ Chicago PMI (Oct) · △ Tokyo CPI (Oct) · △ Eurozone Flash Q3 GDP & HICP · △ Australia Q3 CPI

Sources: US Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Census Bureau, BEA, Federal Reserve, ECB, Bank of Japan, National Association of Realtors, S&P Global, University of Michigan, Conference Board (as of Oct 1, 2026). Items marked △ follow the agency's typical monthly release pattern but were not individually confirmed on an official calendar at the time this was built — double-check exact date/time nearer the release, especially flash PMIs, UK CPI, China data, Tokyo/Japan CPI, German IFO, housing starts, and Australia CPI.