

## **8 Sample Business Cycle Charts from Thechartstore.com**

### **Business Cycles**

#### Business Cycle Peaks

1. Dow Jones Industrial Average - 12 months before and after since 1887
2. Moody's Aaa Bonds - 12 months before and after since 1920

#### Business Cycle Troughs

3. Dow Jones Industrial Average - 12 months before and after since 1888
4. Moody's Aaa Bonds - 12 months before and after since 1921

#### Business Cycles (trough to trough)

5. Dow Jones Industrial Average - Monthly from 1945
6. Dow Jones Industrial Average (Inflation Adjusted) - Monthly from 1945

#### Federal Reserve Eases

7. Dow Jones Industrial Average - 12 months before and after since 1921

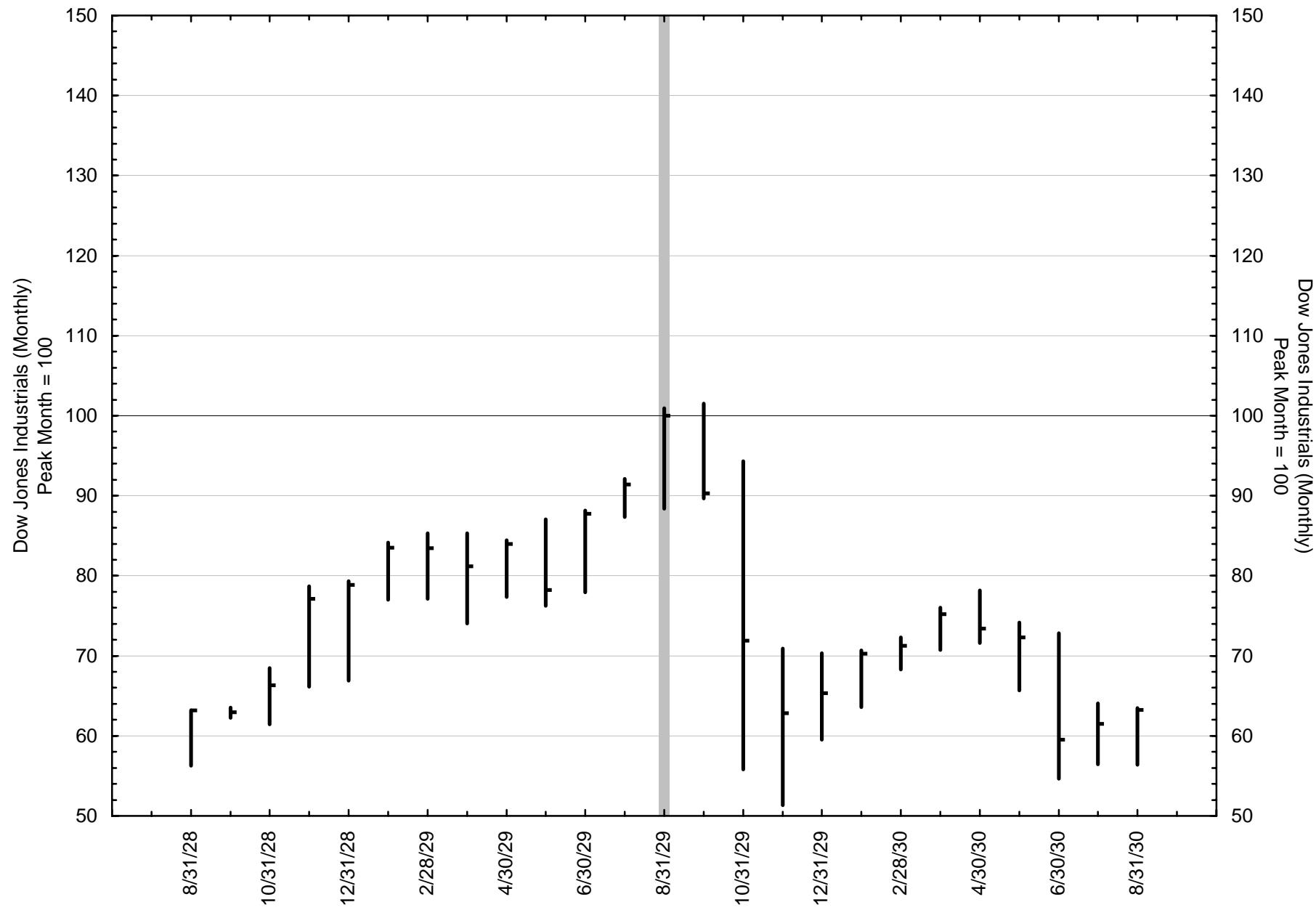
#### Federal Reserve Tightenings

8. Dow Jones Industrial Average - 12 months before and after since 1917

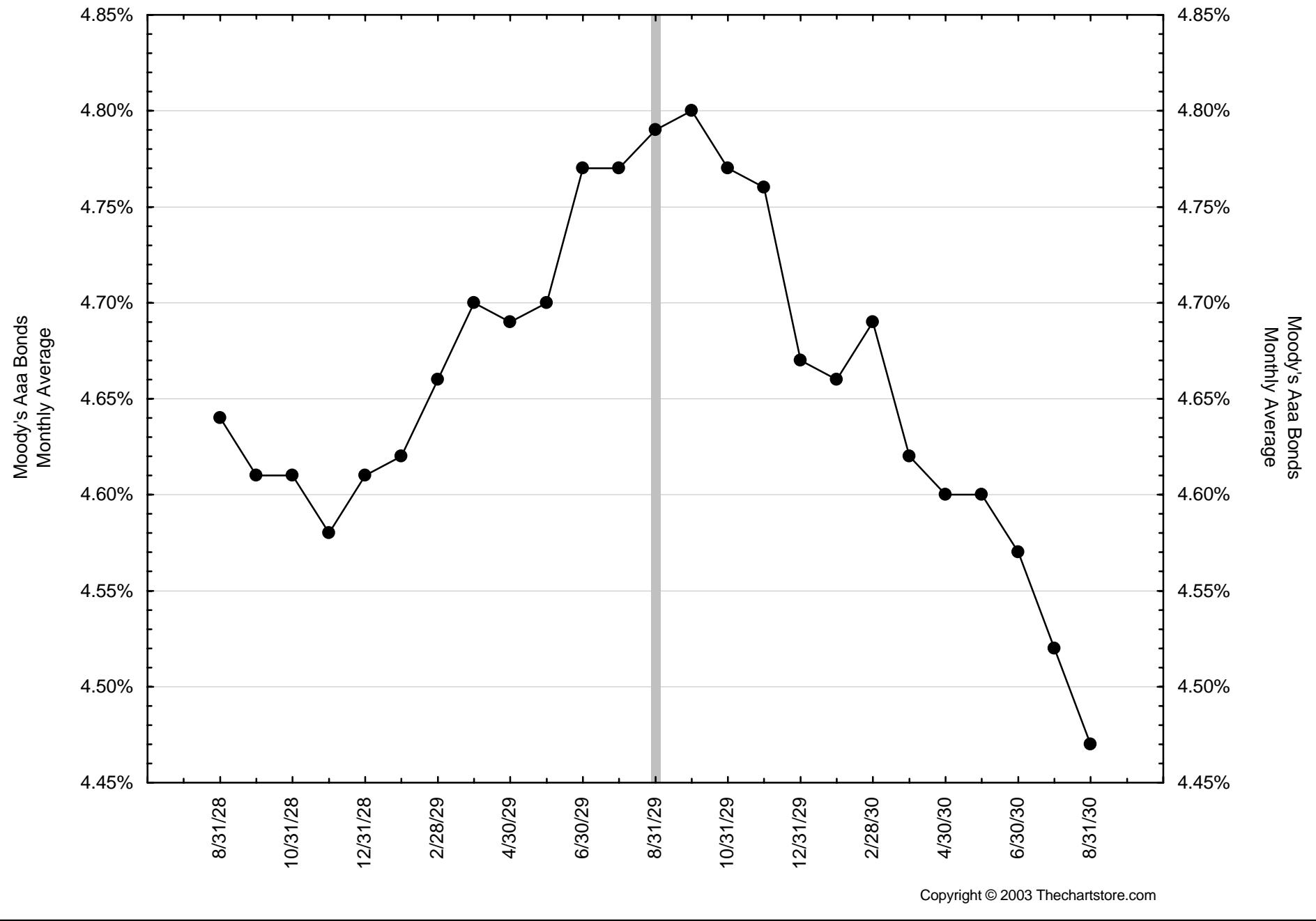
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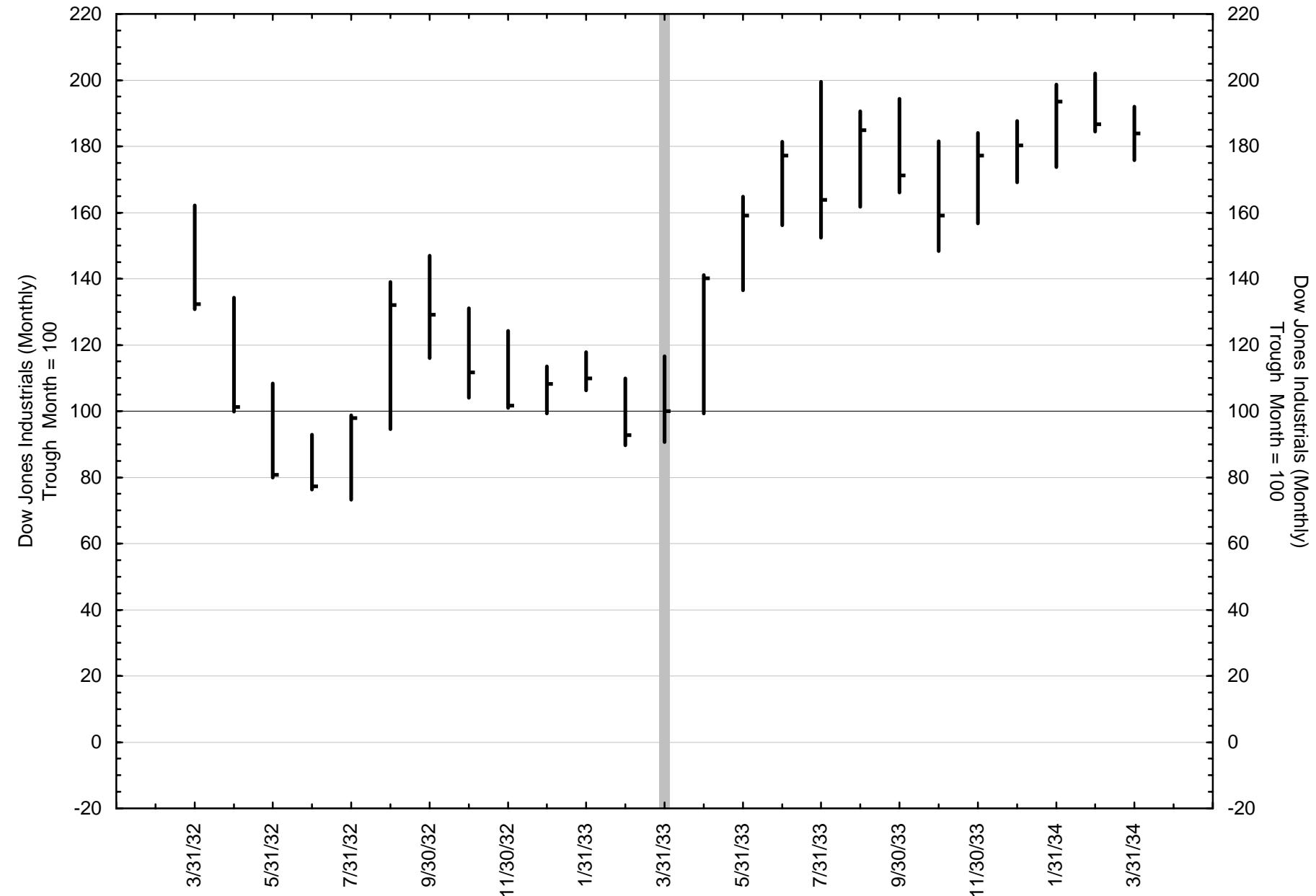
### August 1929 Business Cycle Peak



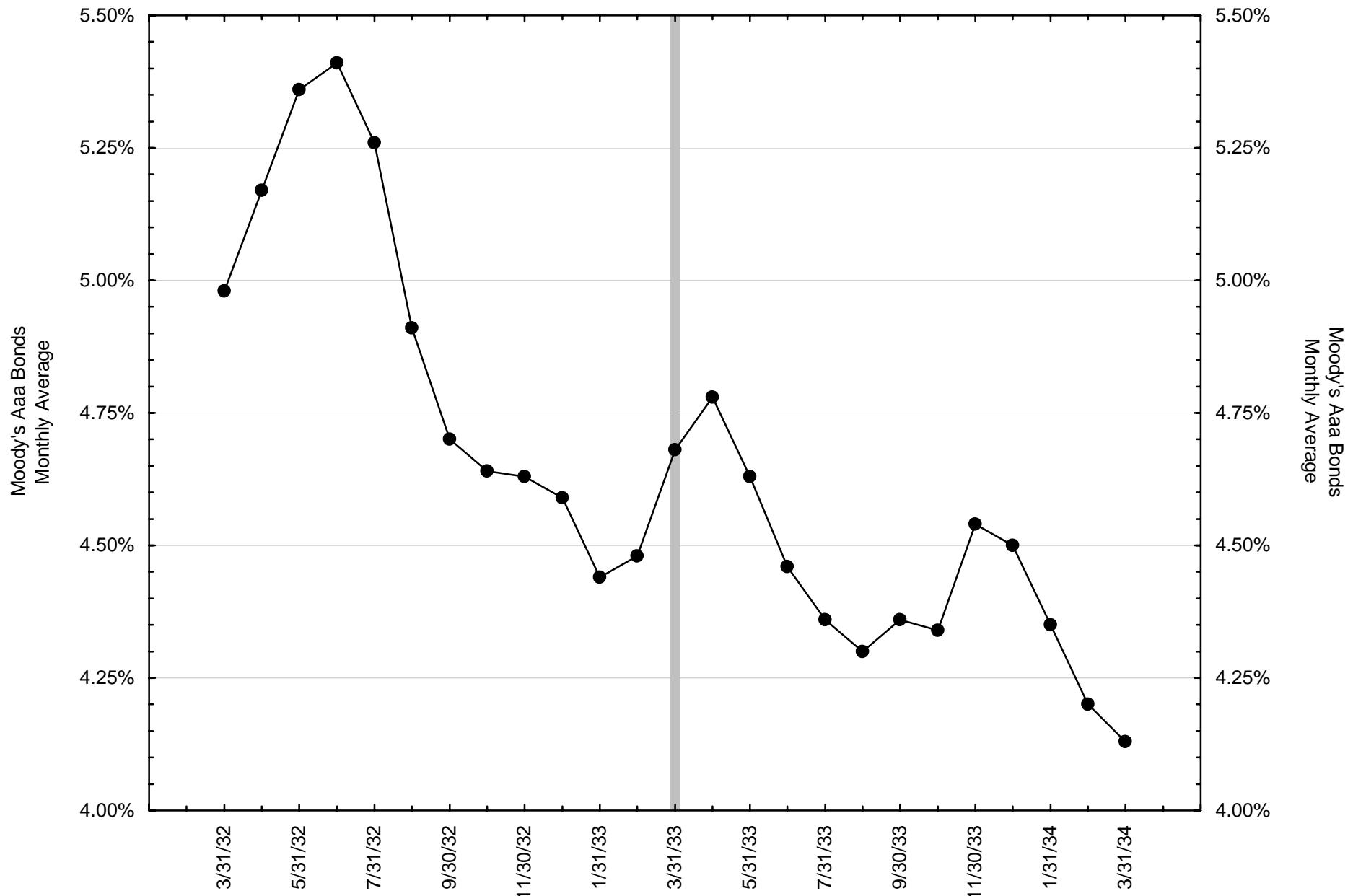
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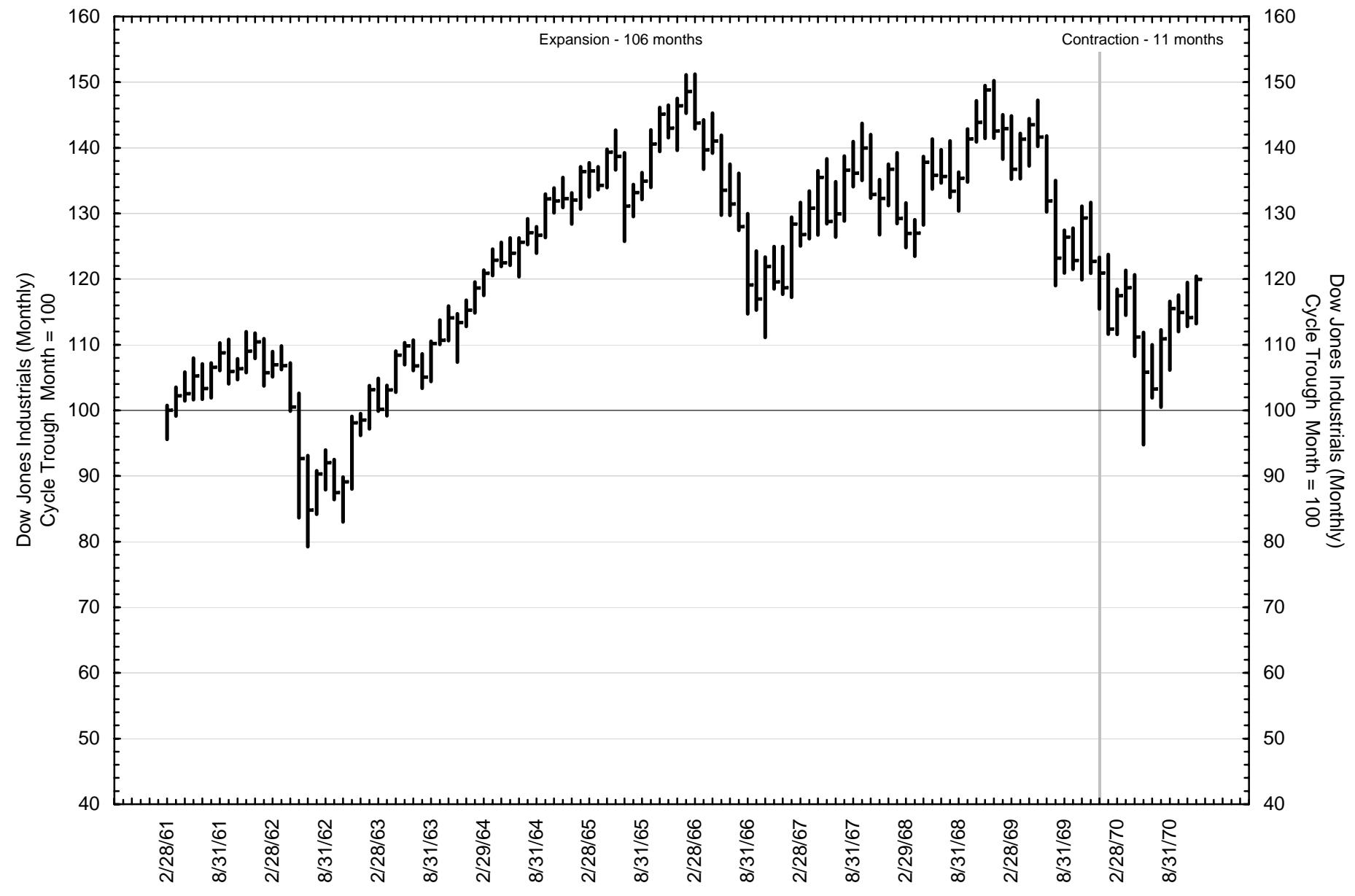
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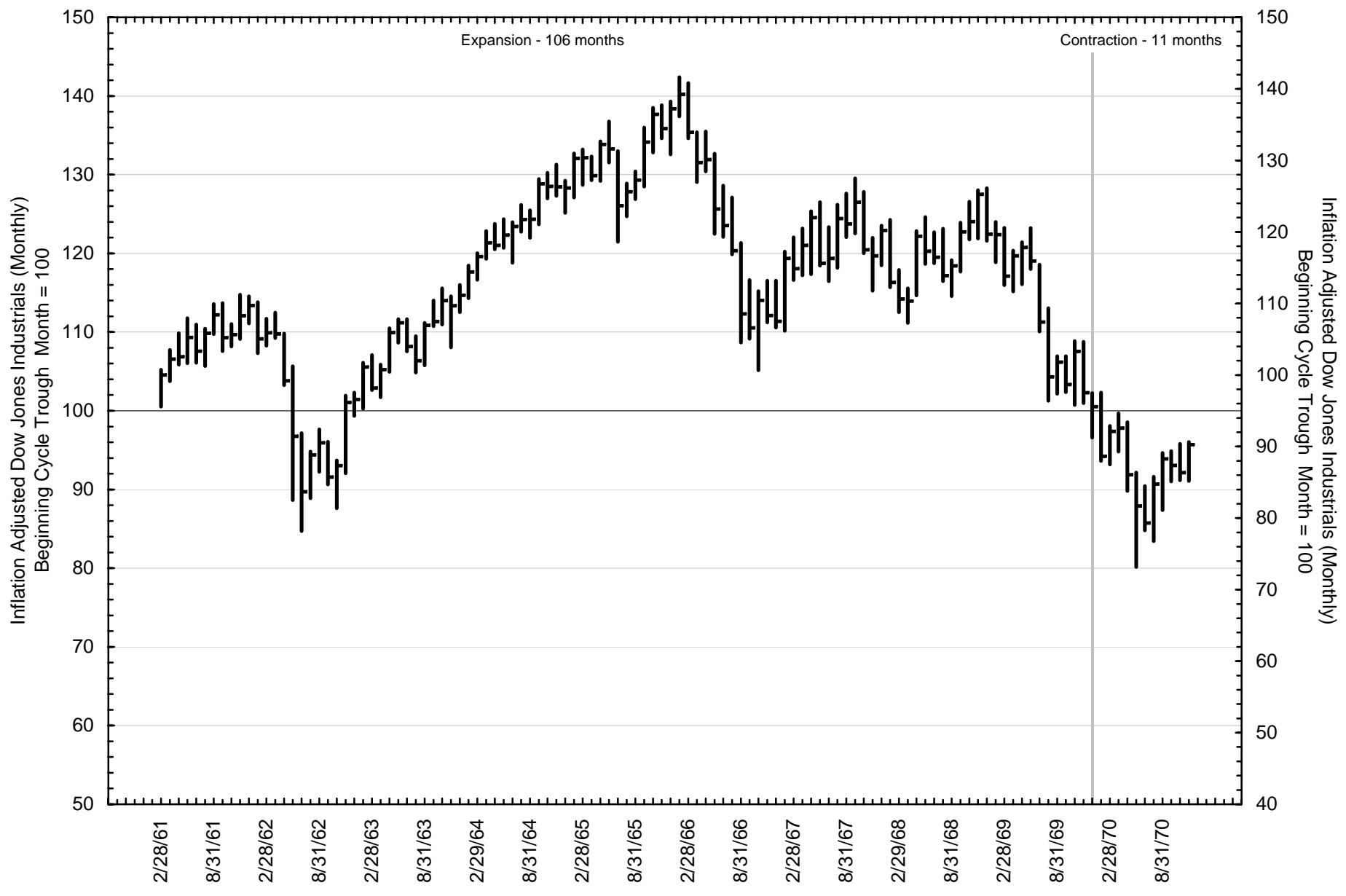
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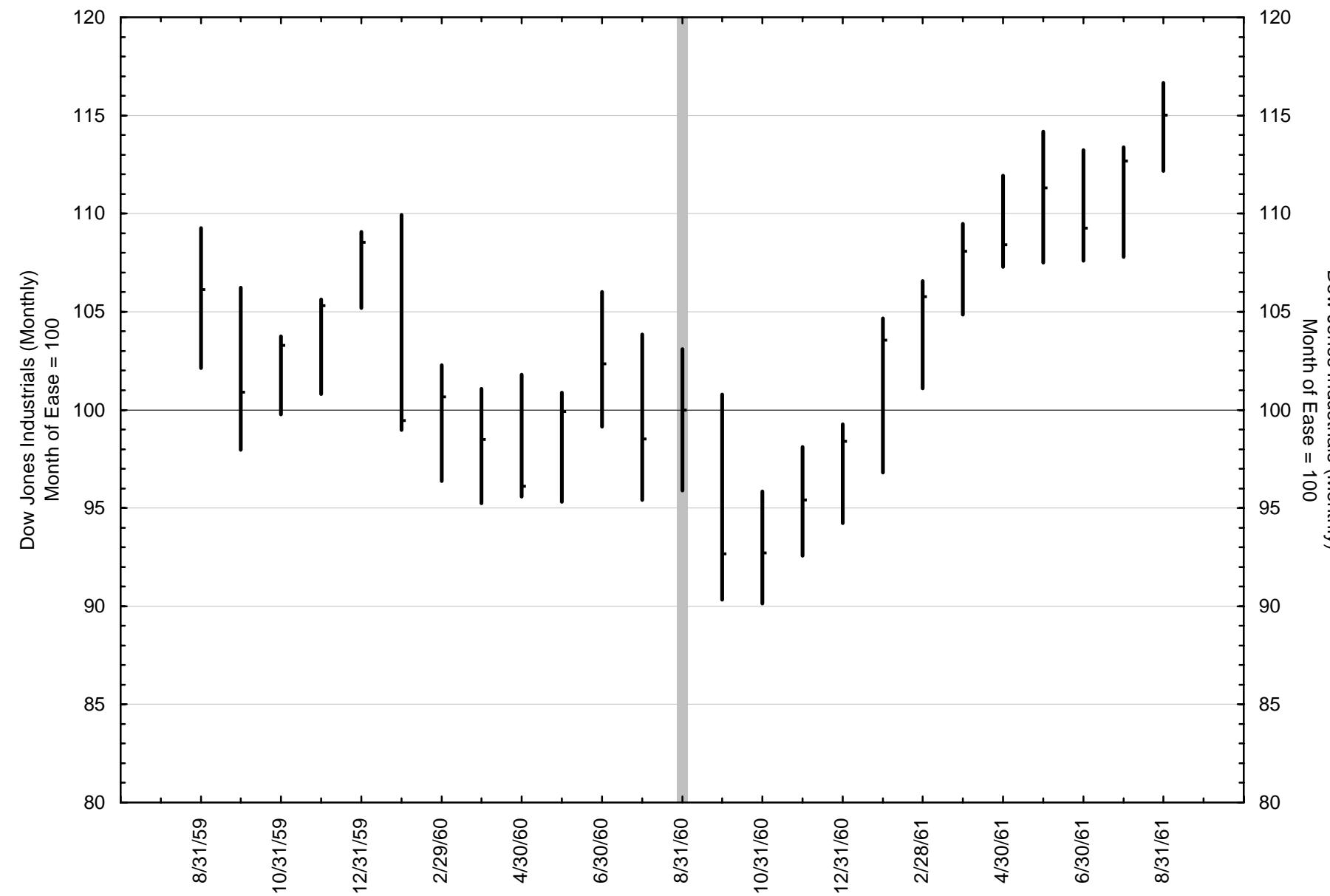
Business Cycle (trough to trough) and the Dow Jones Industrial Average  
February 1961 to November 1970



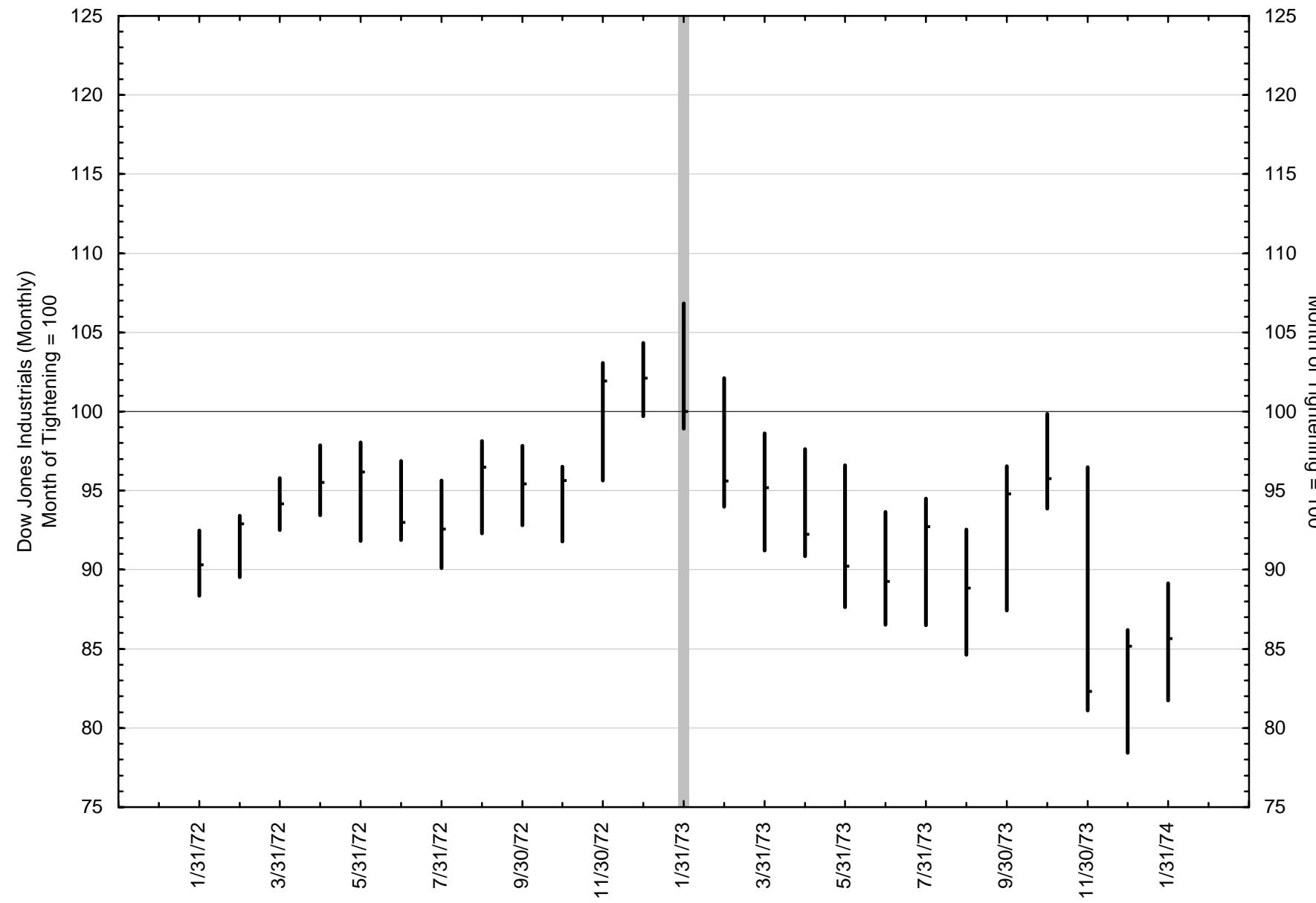
Business Cycle (trough to trough) and the Inflation Adjusted Dow Jones Industrial Average  
February 1961 to November 1970



Discount Rate - August 1960  
(Change from prior year level crosses 0% going negative)



Discount Rate - January 1973  
(Change from prior year level crosses 0% going positive)



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