# **Remarks at the Hoover Monetary Policy Conference** Finishing the Job and New Challenges

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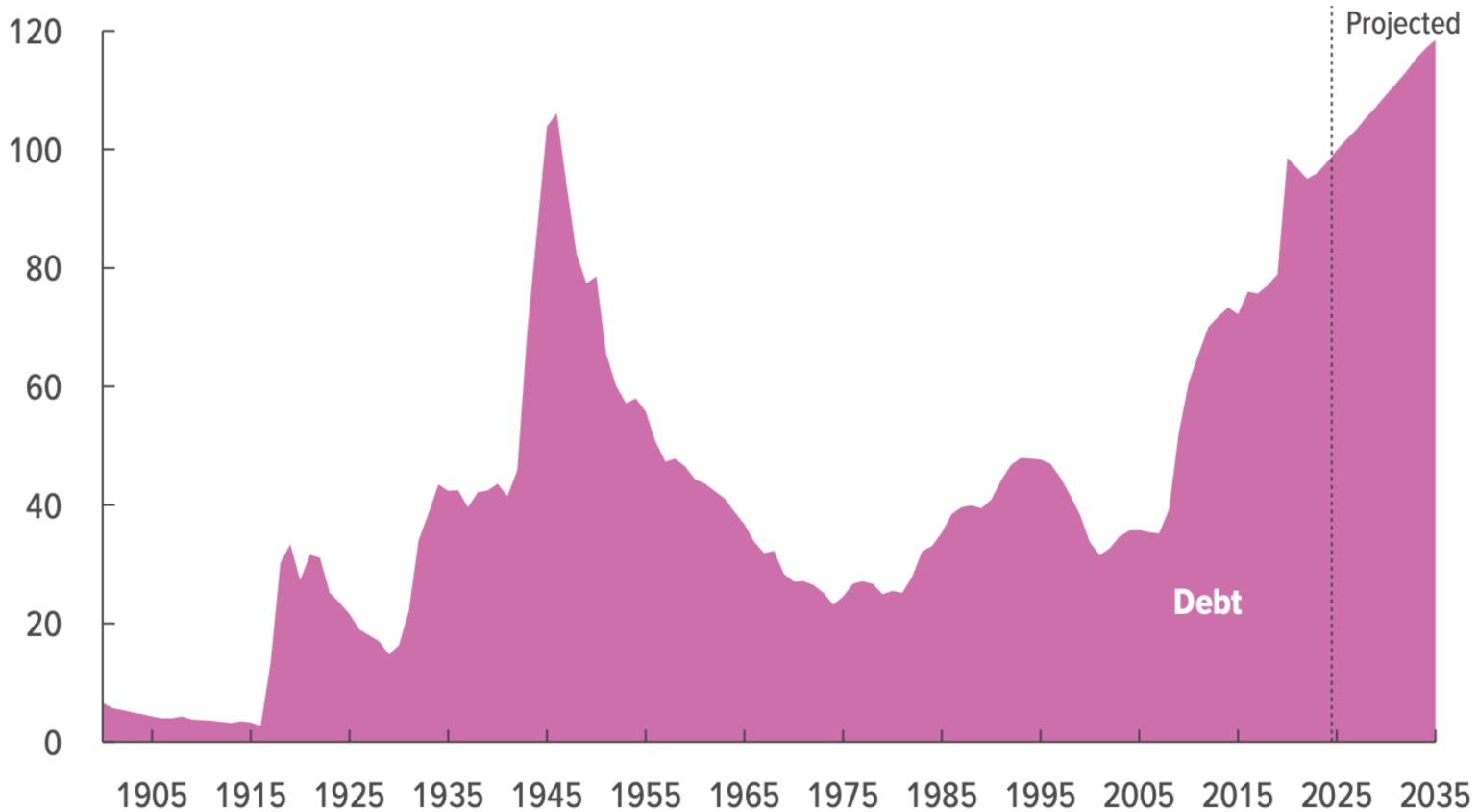
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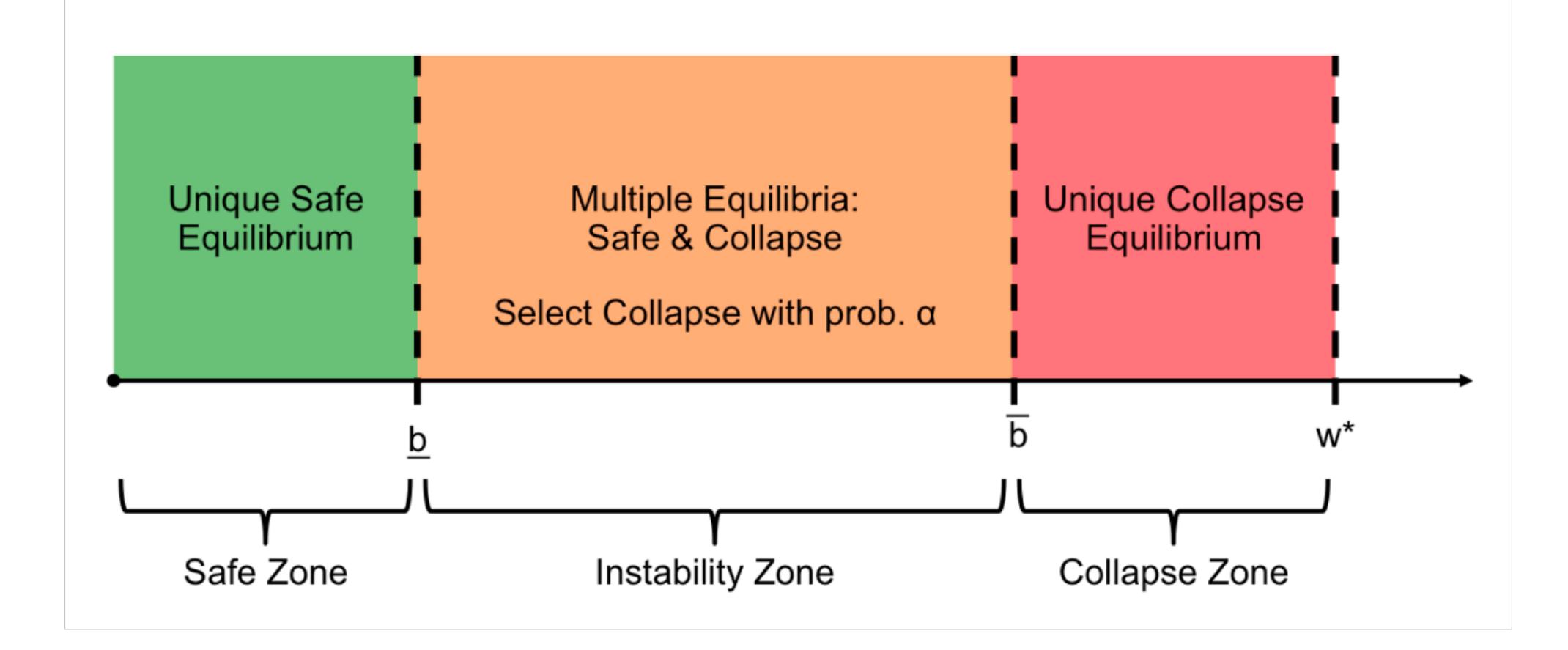




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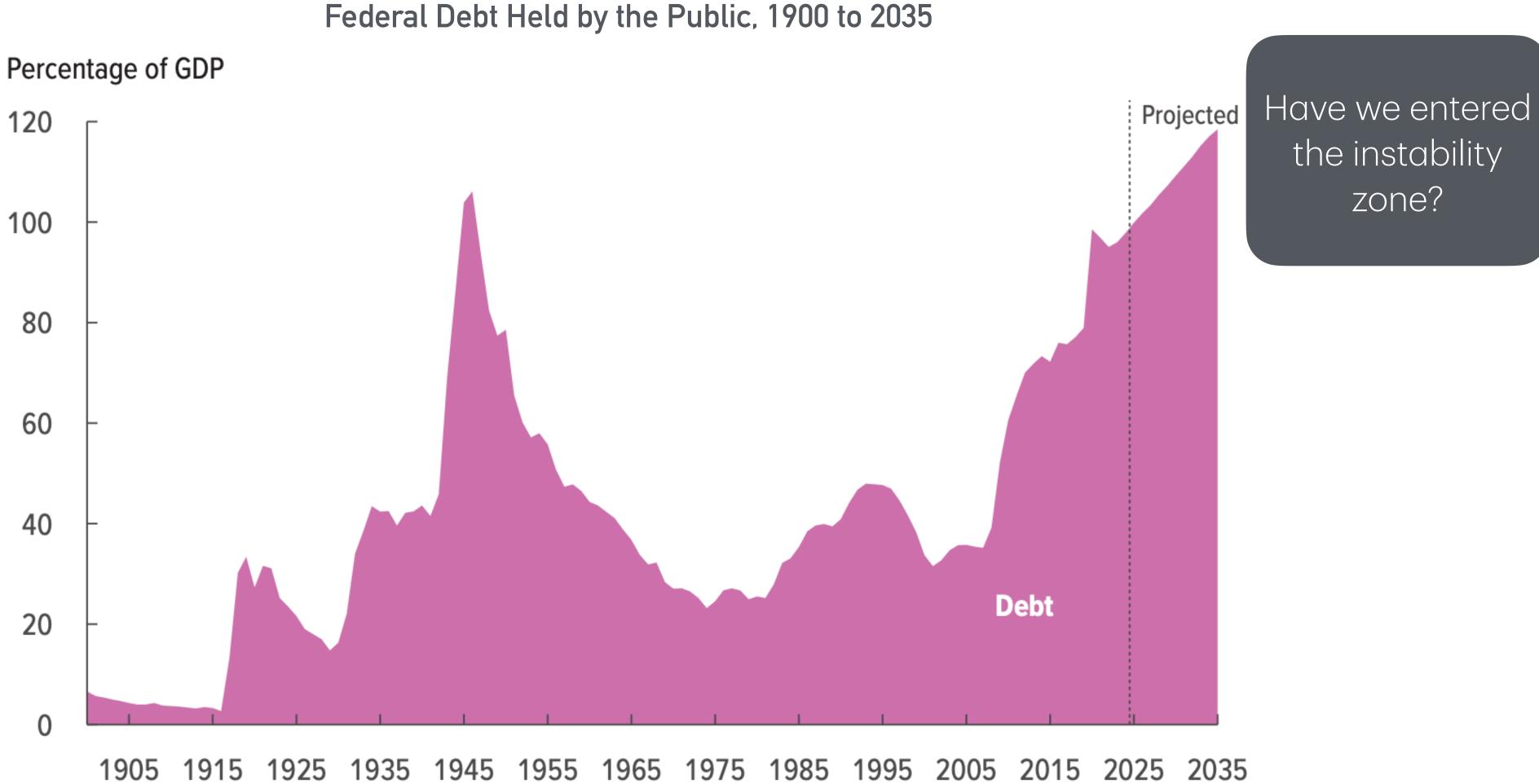
## The Unthinkable: A Run on the Dollar and Treasuries?



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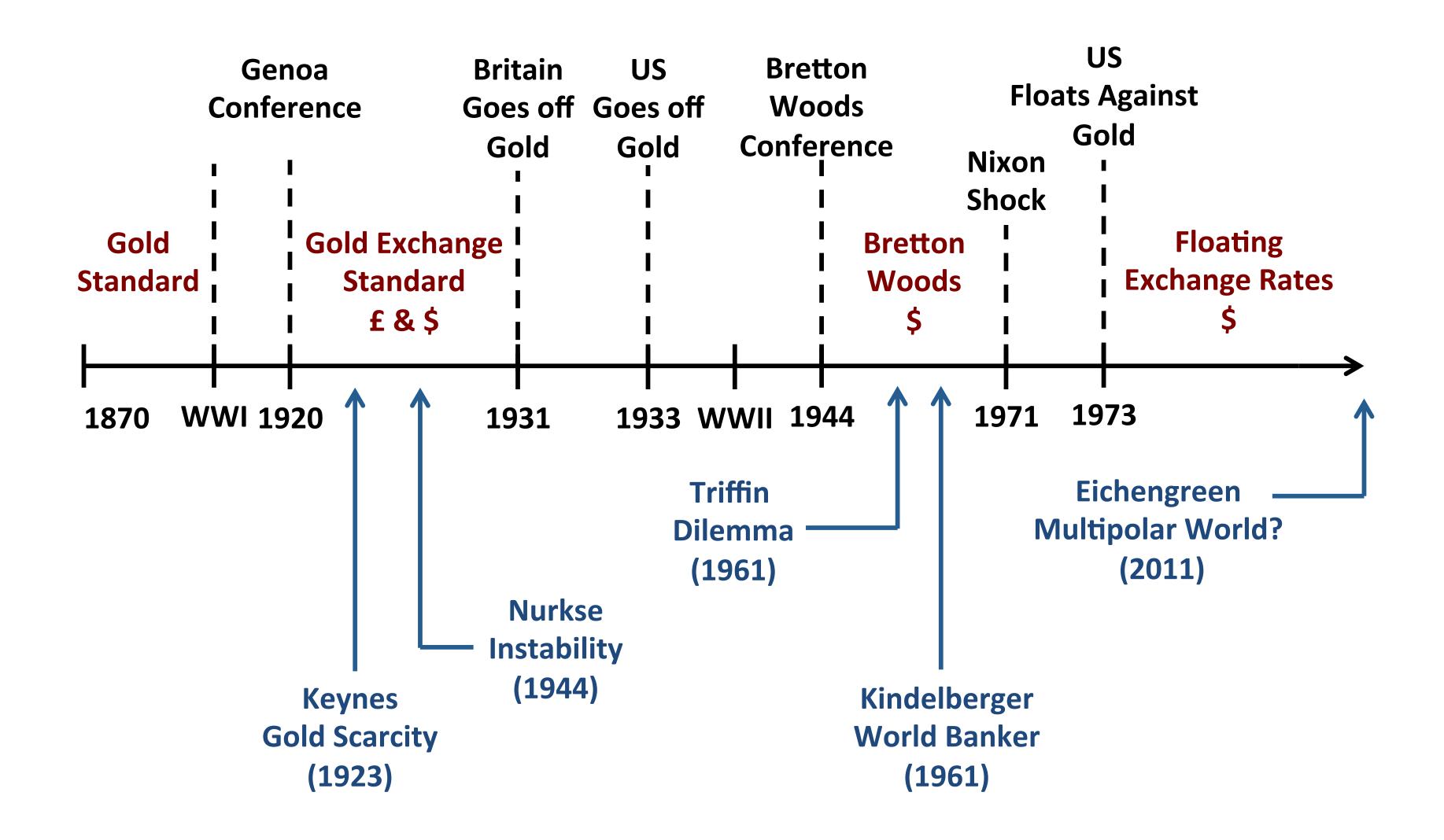




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## History Warns Against Magical Thinking: "Once Safe, Always Safe"



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## Surge in Geoeconomic Activity

#### Norway wants China to forget about the human rights thing and eat salmon instead



#### G7 leaders agree to new initiative to fight economic coercion

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#### Ukraine conflict: What is Swift and why is banning Russia so significant?

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#### Nations braced for Donald Trump's 'liberation day' levies

US secondary tariffs to be announced, while car finance providers launch high-stakes appeal in UK Supreme Court



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#### better defend EU interests on global stage

The European Parliament and the Council have today reached a final olitical agreement on the Anti-Coercion Instrument (ACI). This new too vill enable the EU to respond to economic coercion, and therefore to tter defend its interests and those of its Member States on the global

### National Power and the Structure of Foreign Trade

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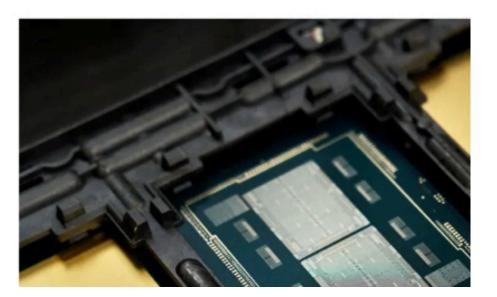
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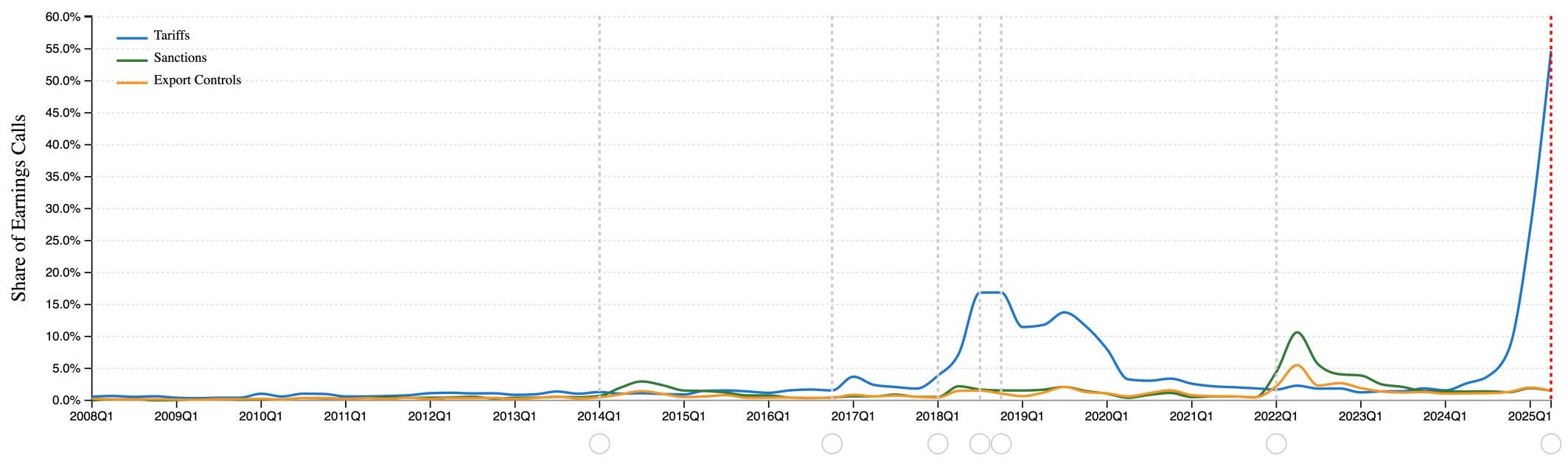
### The CHIPS Act Is About M Chips: Here's What's in It

A sprawling new program for the semiconduc foremost about national security, but it will try priorities as well.





## Using Artificial Intelligence to Analyze Ongoing Geoeconomic War



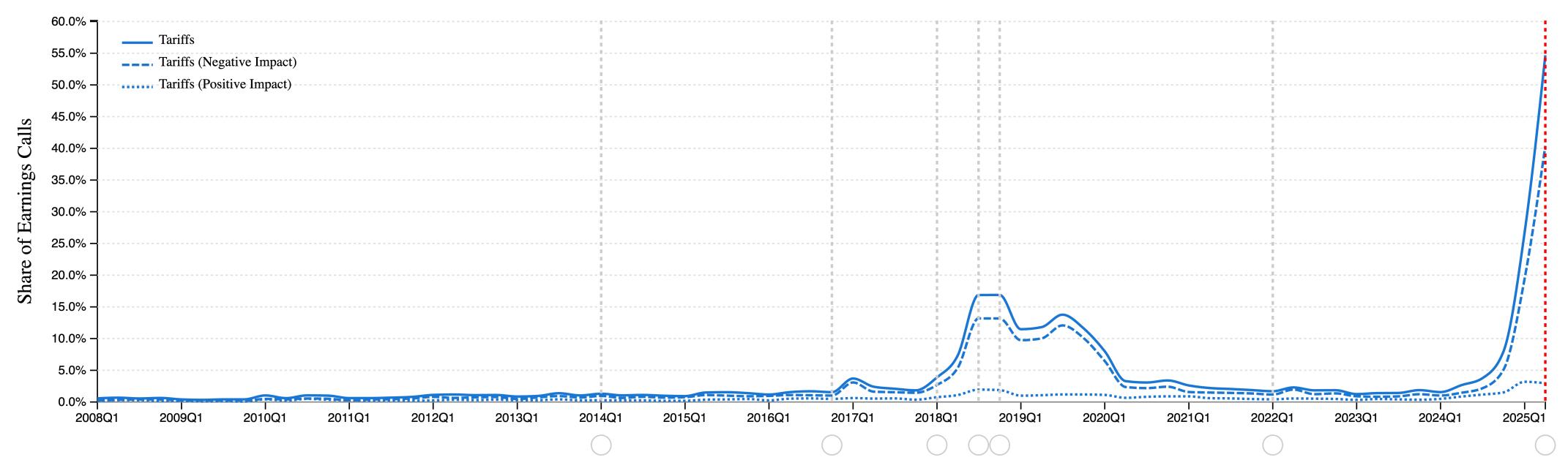
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- Market participants talk about these threats
- News or analysts say firm or government took this action because of a threat
- Firms themselves explain their actions in response to threats
- Traditional approach: team of RAs reads and summarizes; use dictionary-based NLP methods
- Our approach: leverage advances in LLMs and availability of large text corpora



## US Firms Report Being Negatively Affected by US Tariffs

#### Geoeconomic Pressure in Earnings Calls

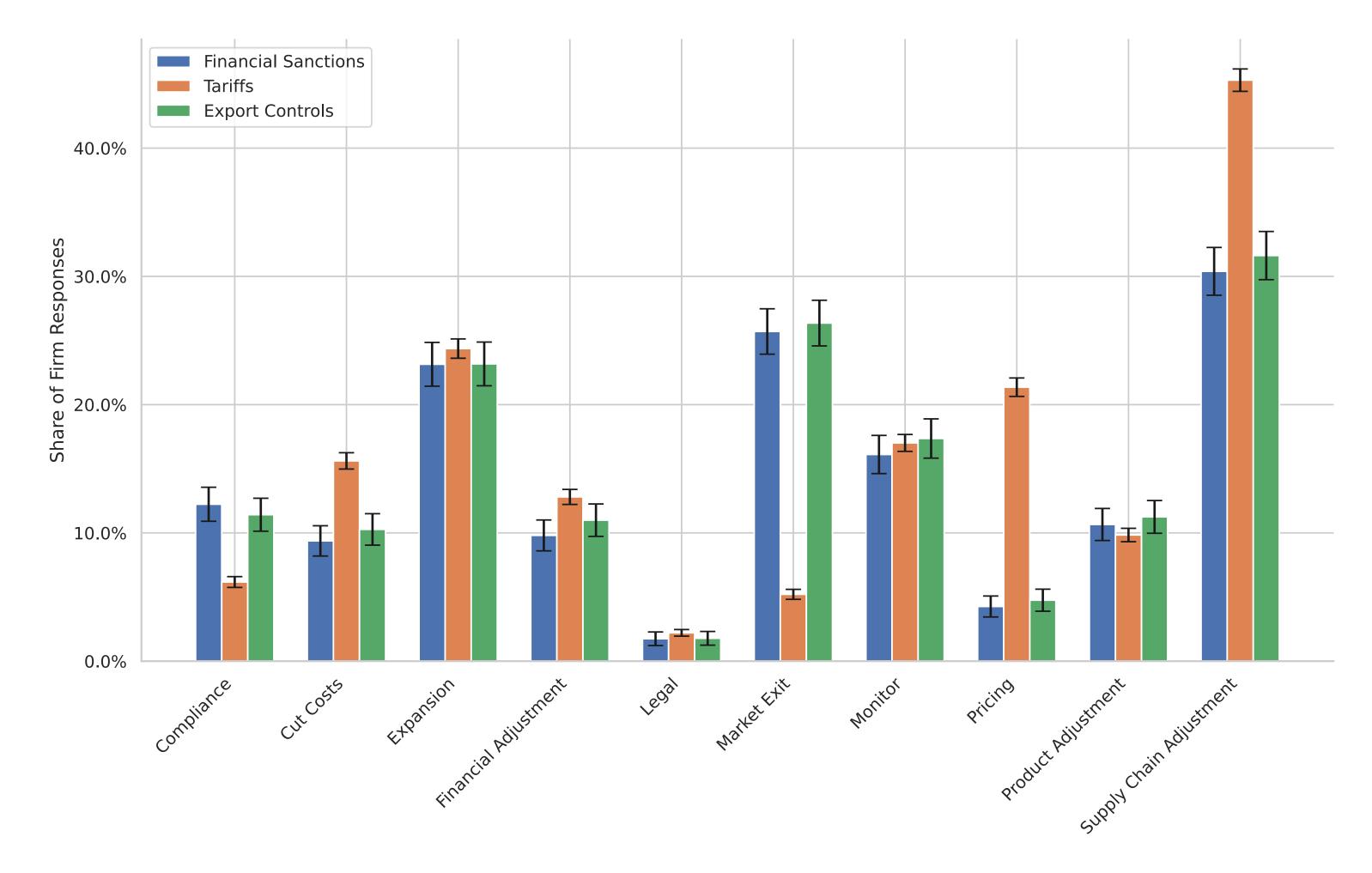


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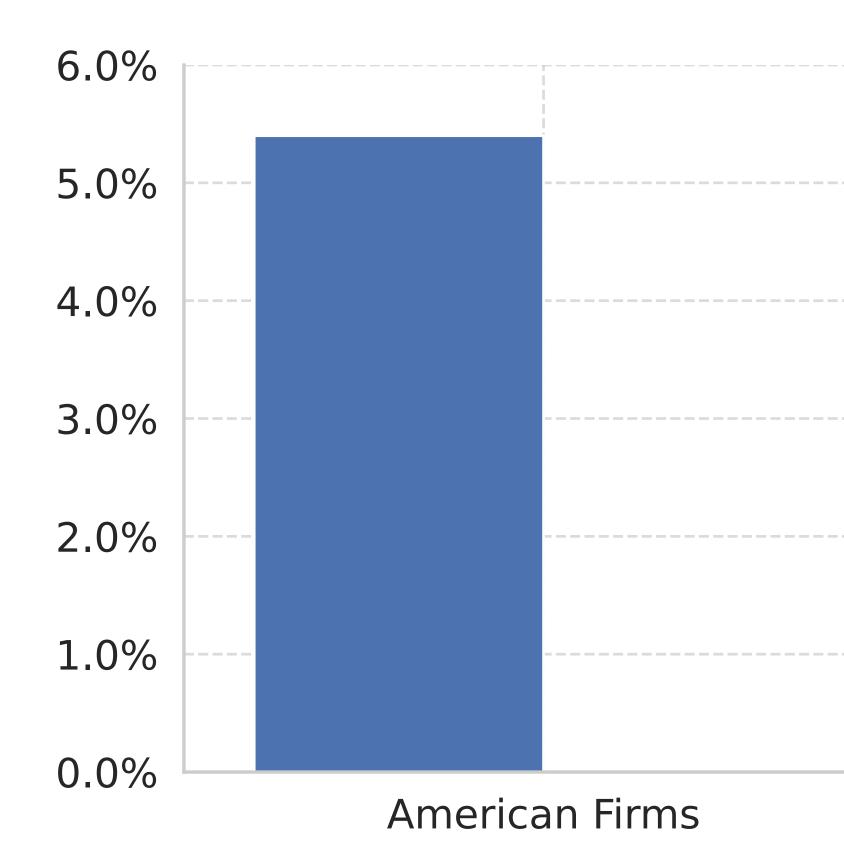
## Exit Markets, Rearrange Supply Chains, Change Prices



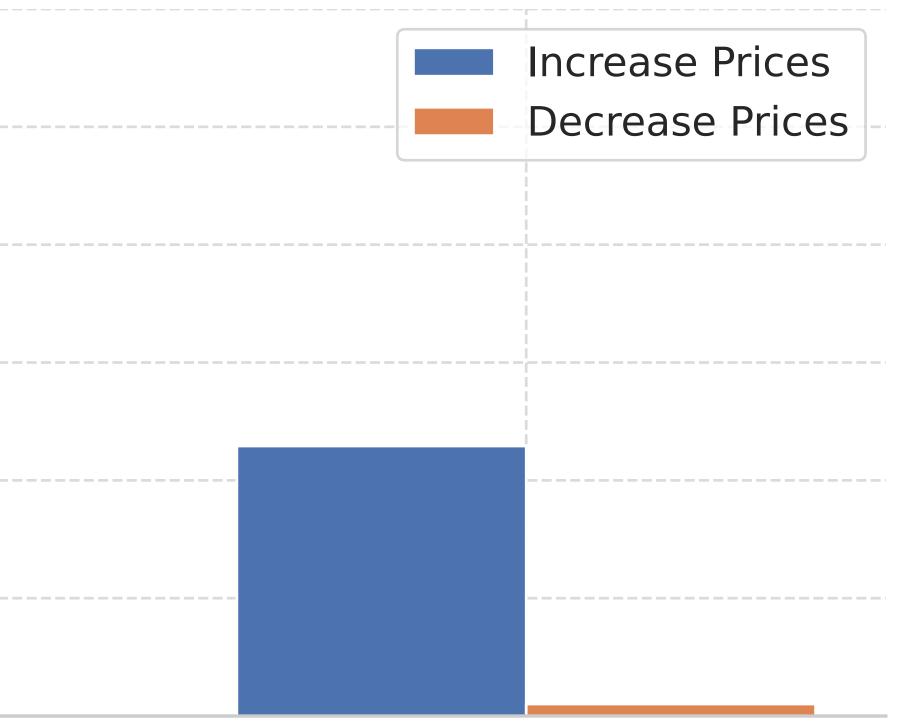
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#### Earnings Calls

## Firms Report Increasing Prices



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#### Non-American Firms

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