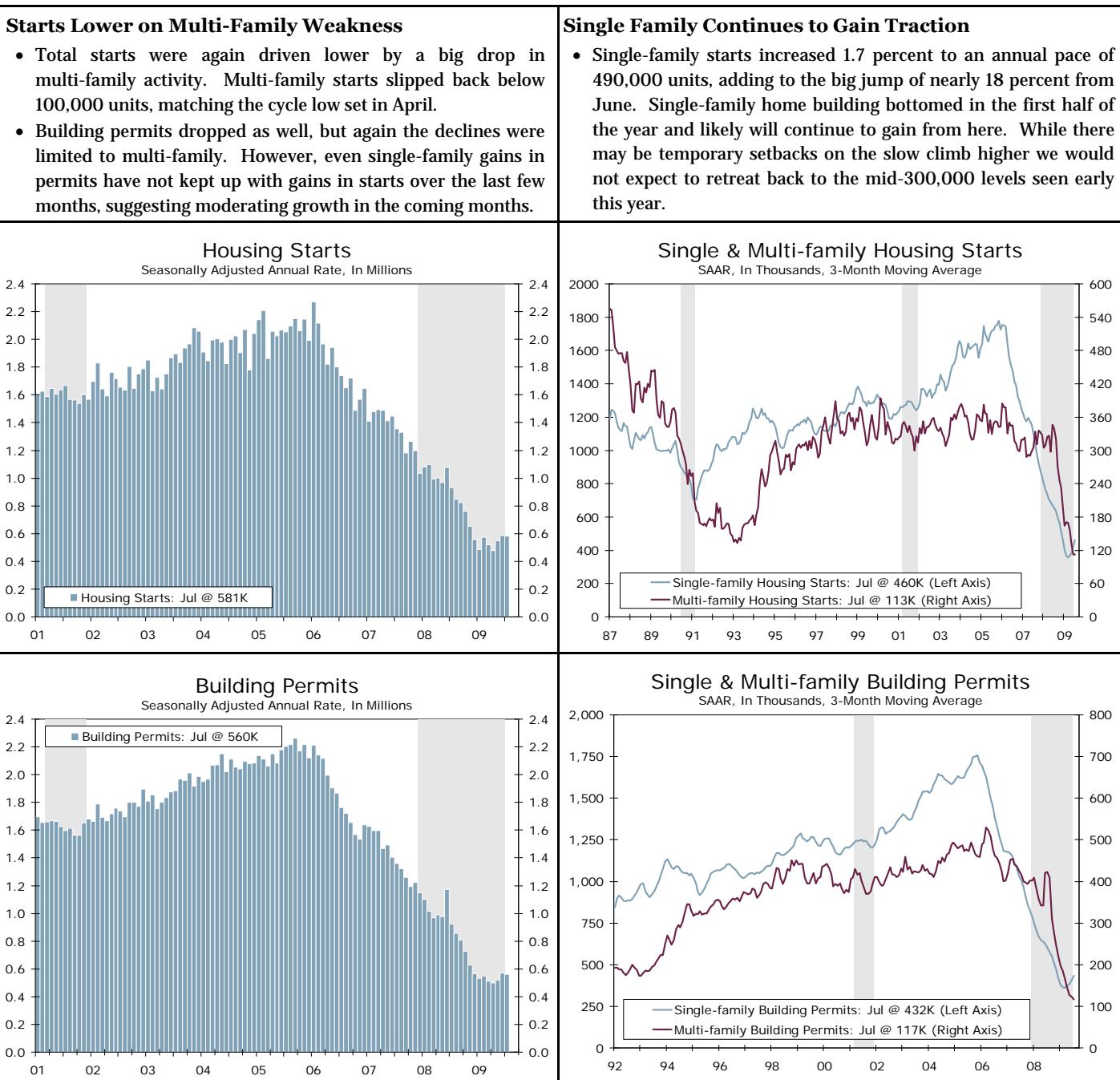


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Housing Starts Slide but Single-Family Held on to Gains

New starts fell to 581,000 units at an annual rate in July. Declines were limited to the more volatile multi-family sector, off 13.3 percent. Single-family starts increased for the fifth straight month.



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