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ALL METRO AREAS:	2007Q4	-5762.0	-4.9	2012Q3
Abilene, TX	2008Q2	-1.8	-2.6	2012Q2
Akron, OH	2008Q1	-21.2	-6.2	2018Q2
Albuquerque, NM	2007Q4	-15.9	-4.0	2012Q1
Alexandria, LA	2008Q1	-0.8	-1.1	2011Q3
Albany, GA	2006Q2	-3.4	-5.3	2013Q3
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	2007Q4	-17.3	-5.0	2012Q3
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	2008Q2	-15.5	-3.4	2012Q3
Altoona, PA	2007Q2	-3.3	-5.3	2013Q3
Amarillo, TX	2008Q3	-2.8	-2.4	2011Q3
Ames, IA	2009Q1	-1.2	-2.6	2012Q4
Anchorage, AK	2009Q1	-2.2	-1.3	2010Q4
Anderson, IN	2005Q1	-4.4	-9.8	After 2039
Ann Arbor, MI	2005Q2	-18.2	-8.9	2016Q4
Anniston-Oxford, AL	2007Q1	-2.7	-5.0	2013Q2
Anderson, SC	2007Q4	-4.0	-6.1	2013Q2
Appleton, WI	2007Q4	-4.9	-4.1	2012Q4
Asheville, NC	2008Q1	-12.0	-6.7	2013Q4
Atlantic City, NJ	2006Q3	-13.9	-9.0	2025Q2
Athens-Clarke County, GA	2008Q1	-2.1	-2.4	2011Q3
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	2007Q3	-207.9	-8.4	2013Q1
Auburn-Opelika, AL	2007Q3	-2.7	-4.9	2012Q3
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	2007Q2	-8.0	-3.7	2012Q2
Austin-Round Rock, TX	2008Q4	-6.2	-0.8	2010Q2
Bakersfield, CA	2007Q4	-9.5	-4.0	2012Q1
Baltimore-Towson, MD	2008Q1	-44.2	-3.3	2012Q2
Bangor, ME	2007Q4	-2.1	-2.9	2012Q3
Barnstable Town, MA	2006Q1	-7.9	-8.2	2017Q4
Baton Rouge, LA	2007Q4	-11.1	-2.9	2012Q2
Battle Creek, MI	2005Q1	-6.1	-10.0	2024Q1
Bay City, MI	2005Q1	-3.9	-9.8	2022Q3
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	2008Q3	-8.6	-5.2	2013Q2
Bellingham, WA	2008Q3	-5.4	-6.3	2012Q4
Bend, OR	2007Q1	-6.2	-8.6	2013Q4
Billings, MT	2008Q1	-3.8	-4.6	2012Q2
Binghamton, NY	2008Q3	-5.2	-4.5	2014Q4
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	2007Q1	-30.1	-5.7	2013Q1
Bismarck, ND	2008Q4	-0.6	-0.9	2011Q2
Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford, VA	2008Q4	-1.7	-2.4	2012Q1
Bloomington-Normal, IL	2008Q3	-1.3	-1.4	2011Q2
Bloomington, IN	2008Q3	-3.6	-4.3	2013Q4
Boise City-Nampa, ID	2007Q1	-28.9	-10.4	2013Q1
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA-NH	2008Q2	-87.8	-3.5	2012Q3
Boulder, CO	2008Q2	-10.6	-6.3	2013Q2
Bowling Green, KY	2007Q4	-5.0	-7.9	2014Q1
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	2006Q2	-5.9	-6.8	2014Q4
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT	2007Q3	-28.4	-6.5	2020Q1
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	2008Q1	-3.9	-3.1	2011Q3

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Brunswick, GA	2007Q4	-1.8	-3.9	2012Q2
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	2008Q3	-20.1	-3.6	2012Q4
Burlington, NC	2007Q3	-4.4	-7.2	2014Q1
Burlington-South Burlington, VT	2008Q1	-5.2	-4.4	2013Q1
Canton-Massillon, OH	2005Q1	-12.9	-7.3	2021Q3
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	2006Q4	-41.4	-17.5	2018Q3
Carson City, NV	2007Q1	-4.6	-13.8	2021Q4
Casper, WY	2008Q3	-2.2	-5.3	2013Q3
Cedar Rapids, IA	2008Q3	-3.6	-2.6	2012Q1
Champaign-Urbana, IL	2009Q1	-4.5	-3.8	2013Q2
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord, NC-SC	2008Q1	-68.4	-7.9	2012Q4
Chattanooga, TN-GA	2008Q1	-11.9	-4.8	2012Q3
Cheyenne, WY	2008Q4	-1.5	-3.4	2012Q4
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL-IN-WI	2007Q4	-270.9	-5.9	2013Q4
Chico, CA	2007Q1	-5.4	-7.0	2013Q2
Charleston-North Charleston, SC	2008Q2	-11.2	-3.7	2011Q4
Charlottesville, VA	2007Q4	-3.6	-3.5	2012Q2
Charleston, WV	2008Q4	-4.2	-2.8	2012Q1
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	2007Q4	-62.6	-6.0	2014Q2
Clarksville, TN-KY	2007Q1	-4.8	-5.7	2012Q4
Cleveland, TN	2006Q2	-3.7	-8.6	2014Q1
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	2006Q2	-83.7	-7.8	2024Q2
Coeur d'Alene, ID	2007Q3	-3.3	-5.8	2012Q3
Columbus, IN	2008Q4	-1.7	-3.6	2013Q1
College Station-Bryan, TX	2008Q4	-4.2	-4.4	2012Q4
Colorado Springs, CO	2007Q4	-16.0	-6.1	2013Q1
Columbus, GA-AL	2006Q2	-5.6	-4.6	2012Q2
Columbia, MO	2009Q1	-1.4	-1.5	2011Q2
Columbus, OH	2007Q4	-26.0	-2.8	2012Q1
Corpus Christi, TX	2008Q3	-6.6	-3.6	2012Q2
Corvallis, OR	2008Q2	-2.4	-6.1	2013Q4
Columbia, SC	2008Q3	-7.9	-2.1	2011Q3
Cumberland, MD-WV	2009Q1	-1.0	-2.5	2012Q2
Danville, IL	2005Q3	-2.6	-8.1	2024Q2
Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington, TX	2008Q2	-79.6	-2.7	2011Q2
Dalton, GA	2006Q2	-13.3	-16.7	2020Q1
Danville, VA	2005Q4	-4.6	-10.6	2031Q3
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	2008Q1	-6.8	-3.6	2012Q3
Dayton, OH	2005Q1	-33.1	-8.1	2025Q2
Decatur, AL	2007Q4	-4.7	-7.9	2013Q2
Decatur, IL	2008Q1	-3.2	-5.9	After 2039
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	2006Q2	-17.1	-9.7	2016Q2
Denver-Aurora, CO	2008Q1	-66.8	-5.3	2012Q2
Des Moines, IA	2008Q1	-9.8	-3.0	2012Q2
Detroit-Warren-Livonia, MI	2005Q2	-339.4	-16.6	After 2039
Dothan, AL	2007Q2	-3.7	-5.8	2013Q2
Dover, DE	2007Q2	-4.9	-7.3	2014Q3

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Dubuque, IA	2008Q4	-2.6	-4.6	2012Q3
Duluth, MN-WI	2007Q4	-7.6	-5.7	2016Q3
Durham, NC	2008Q4	-10.9	-3.7	2011Q4
Eau Claire, WI	2007Q3	-4.2	-5.0	2013Q2
El Centro, CA	2008Q3	-2.1	-4.4	2012Q3
Elizabethtown, KY	2008Q1	-2.3	-4.7	2012Q4
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	2006Q1	-27.4	-20.5	After 2039
Elmira, NY	2008Q3	-2.2	-5.3	2014Q3
El Paso, TX	2008Q1	-6.6	-2.4	2010Q4
Erie, PA	2005Q3	-6.5	-4.9	2013Q1
Eugene-Springfield, OR	2007Q4	-10.6	-6.8	2013Q4
Evansville, IN-KY	2005Q4	-10.3	-5.7	2015Q3
Fairbanks, AK	2008Q2	-0.5	-1.3	2012Q1
Fayetteville, NC	2008Q3	-3.9	-3.0	2012Q2
Fargo, ND-MN	2009Q2	-2.2	-1.8	2011Q2
Farmington, NM	2008Q4	-3.2	-6.1	2013Q2
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	2007Q4	-5.4	-2.6	2011Q2
Flagstaff, AZ	2007Q4	-6.9	-10.5	2018Q1
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	2007Q1	-2.9	-5.1	2013Q2
Flint, MI	2005Q2	-33.3	-21.3	After 2039
Florence, SC	2007Q4	-2.1	-2.3	2011Q4
Fond du Lac, WI	2007Q4	-3.6	-7.4	2016Q1
Fresno, CA	2007Q3	-16.9	-5.5	2012Q3
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	2008Q3	-4.8	-3.5	2012Q1
Fort Smith, AR-OK	2007Q4	-3.0	-2.4	2011Q3
Fort Wayne, IN	2007Q1	-14.3	-6.5	2018Q3
Fort Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin, FL	2006Q3	-8.7	-10.0	2018Q2
Gadsden, AL	2005Q3	-1.6	-4.2	2012Q2
Gainesville, FL	2007Q4	-5.7	-4.2	2013Q4
Gainesville, GA	2008Q1	-5.6	-7.1	2012Q3
Glens Falls, NY	2008Q3	-2.4	-4.4	2013Q1
Goldsboro, NC	2008Q1	-2.5	-5.4	2014Q3
Green Bay, WI	2007Q4	-6.9	-4.1	2012Q3
Greeley, CO	2008Q2	-5.9	-7.1	2013Q1
Greensboro-High Point, NC	2006Q4	-30.6	-8.2	2013Q4
Great Falls, MT	2008Q3	-2.6	-7.3	2020Q2
Grand Forks, ND-MN	2008Q1	-0.7	-1.2	2010Q4
Grand Junction, CO	2009Q1	-5.3	-8.0	2013Q4
Greenville, NC	2007Q4	-4.1	-5.2	2013Q1
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	2005Q3	-34.0	-8.7	2015Q3
Greenville, SC	2008Q2	-14.4	-4.5	2012Q2
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	2007Q4	-4.1	-3.7	2012Q1
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	2007Q4	-6.3	-6.1	2013Q4
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	2008Q2	-2.3	-6.2	2013Q2
Harrisonburg, VA	2006Q4	-3.0	-4.6	2012Q4
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	2008Q2	-13.1	-3.9	2012Q4
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT	2008Q2	-34.2	-5.3	2018Q3

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Hattiesburg, MS	2007Q3	-2.9	-4.7	2012Q3
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	2006Q2	-17.8	-10.9	2020Q3
Hinesville-Fort Stewart, GA	2008Q3	-0.7	-3.5	2011Q3
Holland-Grand Haven, MI	2005Q3	-15.8	-13.5	2032Q2
Honolulu, HI	2007Q4	-17.6	-3.9	2013Q1
Hot Springs, AR	2009Q2	-0.1	-0.2	2010Q2
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	2009Q1	-3.3	-3.4	2012Q3
Houston-Baytown-Sugar Land, TX	2008Q3	-90.3	-3.5	2011Q3
Huntsville, AL	2008Q2	-6.7	-3.1	2011Q2
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	2007Q4	-5.4	-4.5	2013Q2
Idaho Falls, ID	2007Q4	-3.3	-6.5	2013Q2
Indianapolis, IN	2007Q4	-50.6	-5.5	2012Q3
Iowa City, IA	2008Q2	-1.6	-1.8	2009Q4
Ithaca, NY	2008Q3	-0.9	-1.4	2011Q2
Jackson, MI	2005Q3	-8.1	-13.2	After 2039
Jackson, MS	2007Q4	-7.1	-2.7	2011Q4
Janesville, WI	2006Q4	-6.4	-9.1	2018Q3
Jackson, TN	2008Q2	-3.7	-5.9	2013Q1
Jefferson City, MO	2008Q3	-2.7	-3.4	2012Q4
Johnson City, TN	2007Q4	-3.1	-3.8	2012Q3
Johnstown, PA	2008Q1	-2.8	-4.4	2013Q3
Jonesboro, AR	2009Q1	-0.2	-0.4	2010Q2
Joplin, MO	2008Q3	-1.0	-1.3	2010Q4
Jacksonville, FL	2007Q2	-49.9	-7.9	2013Q1
Jacksonville, NC	2008Q4	-2.6	-5.4	2013Q3
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	2007Q1	-10.0	-6.8	2018Q4
Kankakee-Bradley, IL	2008Q1	-2.4	-5.3	2013Q3
Kansas City, MO-KS	2008Q3	-30.5	-3.0	2011Q4
Kennewick-Richland-Pasco, WA	2008Q3	-0.8	-0.8	2009Q2
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	2008Q4	-2.3	-1.8	2011Q2
Kingston, NY	2008Q2	-6.8	-5.5	2012Q4
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	2006Q4	-2.1	-3.2	2012Q3
Knoxville, TN	2007Q4	-17.2	-5.1	2012Q2
Kokomo, IN	2005Q1	-9.3	-19.4	After 2039
Lake Charles, LA	2008Q2	-2.4	-2.5	2012Q2
La Crosse, WI-MN	2008Q1	-3.5	-4.6	2013Q2
Lafayette, LA	2008Q2	-3.4	-2.2	2011Q4
Lake Havasu, AZ	2006Q2	-9.9	-17.8	2020Q3
Lafayette, IN	2008Q3	-2.5	-2.6	2012Q2
Lakeland, FL	2007Q2	-17.5	-8.2	2015Q2
Lancaster, PA	2007Q4	-13.3	-5.6	2013Q1
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, CA	2007Q3	-361.9	-6.4	2013Q4
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	2006Q1	-15.7	-6.9	2021Q3
Laredo, TX	2009Q1	-0.9	-1.0	2010Q2
Las Cruces, NM	2008Q2	-2.4	-3.4	2011Q4
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	2007Q4	-96.5	-10.4	2013Q3
Lawrence, KS	2006Q4	-5.0	-9.5	2017Q4

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Lawton, OK	2008Q3	-0.8	-1.9	2012Q2
Lebanon, PA	2007Q4	-1.6	-3.1	2012Q2
Lewiston, ID-WA	2008Q1	-3.4	-6.6	2015Q2
Lewiston-Auburn, ME	2008Q3	-1.7	-5.8	2013Q1
Lexington-Fayette, KY	2007Q2	-12.4	-4.8	2012Q4
Lima, OH	2005Q3	-6.1	-10.5	2027Q1
Lincoln, NE	2008Q1	-4.7	-2.7	2012Q1
Little Rock-North Little Rock, AR	2008Q1	-7.5	-2.1	2011Q2
Logan, UT-ID	2007Q2	-5.0	-8.8	2013Q4
Longview, TX	2008Q4	-3.1	-3.1	2011Q4
Louisville, KY-IN	2007Q2	-30.0	-4.8	2012Q4
Longview, WA	2007Q3	-3.6	-9.3	2018Q1
Lubbock, TX	2008Q3	-3.3	-2.5	2012Q1
Lynchburg, VA	2008Q3	-0.8	-0.7	2009Q3
Macon, GA	2008Q2	-6.1	-6.0	2013Q2
Madera, CA	2007Q4	-1.8	-5.1	2012Q2
Madison, WI	2005Q4	-13.5	-3.8	2013Q1
Manchester-Nashua, NH	2008Q1	-7.6	-3.7	2012Q2
Mansfield, OH	2006Q1	-5.2	-8.8	2032Q2
McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr, TX	2008Q2	-0.7	-0.3	2009Q2
Medford, OR	2007Q2	-7.8	-9.2	2014Q3
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	2007Q2	-31.3	-4.9	2012Q3
Merced, CA	2007Q1	-3.8	-6.5	2012Q2
Miami-Fort Lauderdale-Miami Beach, FL	2007Q2	-170.3	-7.0	2013Q2
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	2006Q1	-2.7	-5.8	After 2039
Midland, TX	2008Q4	-2.3	-3.2	2012Q1
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	2007Q3	-64.1	-7.5	2019Q2
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	2007Q1	-89.2	-5.0	2013Q2
Missoula, MT	2007Q4	-4.7	-8.1	2014Q1
Mobile, AL	2008Q2	-4.5	-2.4	2011Q1
Modesto, CA	2007Q1	-11.7	-7.3	2013Q3
Monroe, LA	2007Q3	-2.3	-2.9	2012Q2
Monroe, MI	2006Q1	-7.1	-15.9	2027Q4
Montgomery, AL	2008Q1	-7.5	-4.2	2012Q3
Morgantown, WV	2008Q4	-1.1	-1.7	2009Q4
Morristown, TN	2006Q1	-4.5	-8.8	2013Q4
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	2008Q1	-2.9	-6.0	2013Q1
Muncie, IN	2006Q2	-5.7	-10.6	After 2039
Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	2005Q1	-6.6	-9.8	2021Q4
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC	2008Q3	-10.0	-8.0	2012Q3
Napa, CA	2008Q1	-6.0	-9.1	2013Q2
Naples-Marco Island, FL	2006Q3	-23.3	-17.1	2017Q2
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro, TN	2007Q4	-49.4	-6.4	2012Q3
New Haven-Milford, CT	2008Q1	-20.2	-5.3	2015Q3
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	2008Q4	-12.6	-2.4	2011Q4
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	2007Q3	-6.3	-9.5	After 2039
Norwich-New London, CT	2008Q2	-7.9	-5.8	2019Q2

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New York-NNJ-Long Island, NY-NJ-PA	2008Q1	-280.9	-3.2	2012Q2
Ocala, FL	2007Q1	-10.9	-10.2	2014Q4
Ocean City, NJ	2006Q1	-3.8	-8.6	2009Q4
Odessa, TX	2008Q4	-2.0	-3.1	2012Q2
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	2007Q4	-12.7	-6.2	2013Q1
Oklahoma City, OK	2008Q4	-18.6	-3.2	2011Q4
Olympia, WA	2008Q3	-2.9	-2.8	2011Q4
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	2008Q4	-10.7	-2.3	2011Q4
Orlando, FL	2007Q4	-89.2	-8.1	2012Q3
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	2008Q1	-2.5	-2.7	2012Q3
Owensboro, KY	2007Q4	-2.1	-4.0	2012Q4
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	2006Q3	-25.6	-8.6	2014Q1
Palm Coast, FL	2005Q4	-2.7	-13.1	2015Q2
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	2006Q2	-22.8	-10.4	2016Q4
Panama City-Lynn Haven, FL	2007Q3	-5.1	-6.7	2015Q2
Parkersburg-Marietta, WV-OH	2005Q1	-2.1	-2.9	2012Q3
Pascagoula, MS	2008Q2	-4.2	-6.8	2013Q1
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	2007Q1	-15.5	-8.9	2018Q3
Peoria, IL	2008Q4	-7.7	-4.1	2012Q4
Philadelphia-Camden-Wilmington, PA-NJ-DE-MD	2008Q1	-115.6	-4.1	2012Q3
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	2007Q3	-225.9	-11.8	2014Q3
Pine Bluff, AR	2006Q1	-5.3	-12.4	After 2039
Pittsfield, MA	2006Q2	-3.1	-4.8	2021Q1
Pittsburgh, PA	2008Q3	-41.0	-3.6	2012Q3
Pocatello, ID	2007Q2	-4.5	-11.1	2016Q3
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford, ME	2008Q1	-12.2	-4.5	2013Q2
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, OR-WA	2008Q1	-70.2	-6.7	2013Q1
Port St. Lucie-Fort Pierce, FL	2007Q1	-15.1	-11.1	2015Q2
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown, NY	2007Q4	-7.4	-2.9	2011Q4
Prescott, AZ	2007Q1	-9.4	-14.4	2018Q1
Provo-Orem, UT	2007Q3	-12.1	-6.3	2012Q3
Providence-New Bedford-Fall River, RI-MA	2006Q4	-55.3	-7.7	2017Q1
Pueblo, CO	2008Q1	-1.9	-3.2	2012Q2
Punta Gorda, FL	2007Q1	-4.8	-10.5	2015Q3
Racine, WI	2006Q3	-5.0	-6.2	2014Q2
Raleigh-Cary, NC	2008Q1	-20.9	-4.0	2011Q3
Rapid City, SD	2008Q4	-1.8	-2.9	2011Q3
Reading, PA	2007Q3	-8.3	-4.8	2012Q3
Redding, CA	2006Q3	-8.4	-12.8	2016Q2
Reno-Sparks, NV	2007Q1	-34.0	-15.1	2018Q4
Richmond, VA	2008Q1	-28.5	-4.5	2012Q2
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	2006Q3	-141.0	-11.1	2014Q2
Roanoke, VA	2007Q2	-5.0	-3.1	2012Q1
Rockford, IL	2007Q2	-9.3	-5.7	2013Q1
Rome, GA	2005Q3	-4.3	-9.9	2018Q4
Rochester, MN	2007Q2	-2.3	-2.1	2011Q3
Rocky Mount, NC	2007Q1	-5.3	-8.1	2017Q3

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Rochester, NY	2008Q3	-11.0	-2.1	2011Q3
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta, CA	2007Q4	-7.5	-4.3	2012Q3
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA	2007Q3	-77.9	-8.6	2013Q4
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	2007Q2	-8.6	-9.0	2014Q3
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	2007Q3	-76.9	-5.9	2012Q4
Santa Fe, NM	2007Q1	-3.7	-5.7	2013Q2
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North, MI	2005Q3	-11.1	-12.1	After 2039
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	2008Q1	-54.0	-5.9	2012Q3
Salem, OR	2008Q1	-10.4	-6.8	2013Q2
Salinas, CA	2007Q4	-8.1	-6.3	2013Q1
Salisbury, MD	2007Q1	-3.1	-5.5	2013Q1
Salt Lake City, UT	2008Q1	-30.6	-4.7	2012Q3
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	2007Q2	-5.5	-5.2	2012Q2
Sandusky, OH	2005Q2	-1.4	-3.6	2009Q3
San Angelo, TX	2007Q4	-1.4	-3.1	2012Q4
San Antonio, TX	2008Q3	-10.2	-1.2	2010Q3
Sarasota-Bradenton-Venice, FL	2006Q3	-46.1	-15.8	2016Q1
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	2007Q2	-17.4	-9.1	2013Q4
Savannah, GA	2007Q3	-8.9	-5.5	2012Q3
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	2007Q2	-11.9	-4.5	2013Q2
Seattle-Tacoma-Bellevue, WA	2008Q3	-82.2	-4.7	2012Q2
San Francisco-Oakland-Fremont, CA	2007Q4	-131.6	-6.4	2012Q4
Sheboygan, WI	2007Q3	-4.1	-6.3	2014Q4
Sherman-Denison, TX	2006Q1	-1.5	-3.3	2012Q1
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	2007Q4	-5.7	-3.2	2012Q4
Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	2008Q3	-3.0	-4.0	2013Q1
Sioux Falls, SD	2008Q3	-2.6	-1.9	2011Q2
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	2005Q1	-9.9	-6.8	After 2039
Spartanburg, SC	2008Q1	-6.4	-4.9	2012Q3
Springfield, IL	2008Q3	-3.4	-3.0	2012Q4
Springfield, MA	2008Q1	-12.5	-4.3	2014Q4
Springfield, MO	2007Q4	-5.1	-2.5	2011Q3
Springfield, OH	2006Q2	-2.3	-4.3	2013Q1
Spokane, WA	2008Q1	-9.2	-4.2	2012Q1
State College, PA	2008Q3	-1.6	-2.2	2011Q4
St. Cloud, MN	2007Q3	-4.6	-4.4	2012Q3
St. George, UT	2007Q4	-6.7	-12.2	2014Q1
St. Joseph, MO-KS	2008Q2	-1.5	-2.6	2009Q4
St. Louis, MO-IL	2008Q1	-59.7	-4.4	2012Q4
Stockton, CA	2007Q3	-13.2	-6.2	2013Q1
Sumter, SC	2005Q1	-6.2	-15.2	2025Q3
Syracuse, NY	2008Q3	-7.3	-2.2	2011Q4
Tallahassee, FL	2007Q4	-9.6	-5.4	2015Q1
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	2006Q3	-122.0	-9.6	2013Q3
Terre Haute, IN	2006Q4	-11.4	-15.3	After 2039
Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	2008Q4	-1.3	-2.3	2012Q1
Toledo, OH	2006Q1	-38.1	-11.3	2034Q1

**Table 11: Return to Peak Employment**  
*(Employment Peak Before the Late 2000s Recession)*

	Pre-Recession Peak	Job Losses (thous.)	Decline (%)	Return to Peak
Topeka, KS	2008Q4	-2.6	-2.3	2012Q2
Trenton-Ewing, NJ	2008Q2	-11.1	-4.5	2013Q3
Tucson, AZ	2007Q1	-29.0	-7.5	2014Q2
Tulsa, OK	2008Q4	-12.7	-2.9	2011Q2
Tuscaloosa, AL	2008Q3	-3.5	-3.5	2012Q1
Tyler, TX	2008Q3	-2.0	-2.1	2011Q2
Utica-Rome, NY	2008Q1	-3.9	-2.9	2012Q4
Valdosta, GA	2008Q3	-2.8	-4.9	2012Q3
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	2006Q1	-14.7	-11.3	2014Q2
Vero Beach, FL	2007Q2	-6.6	-13.2	2017Q4
Victoria, TX	2008Q4	-2.4	-4.6	2013Q1
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ	2005Q3	-2.8	-4.4	2014Q1
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	2007Q3	-18.2	-2.3	2011Q3
Visalia-Porterville, CA	2007Q4	-6.8	-5.9	2012Q3
Waco, TX	2008Q4	-2.2	-2.0	2011Q2
Warner Robins, GA	2008Q3	-2.1	-3.6	2012Q1
Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA-MD-WV	2008Q3	-36.9	-1.2	2010Q4
Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA	2008Q3	-3.2	-3.6	2012Q3
Wausau, WI	2005Q4	-4.5	-6.1	2014Q1
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	2008Q3	-3.1	-6.3	2021Q4
Wenatchee, WA	2007Q4	-3.2	-7.8	2014Q2
Wheeling, WV-OH	2005Q3	-1.4	-2.1	2012Q1
Wichita, KS	2008Q4	-15.0	-4.8	2012Q2
Wichita Falls, TX	2006Q3	-3.0	-4.9	2015Q2
Williamsport, PA	2008Q3	-2.7	-4.9	2013Q2
Wilmington, NC	2008Q1	-8.3	-5.6	2012Q2
Winchester, VA-WV	2006Q4	-5.0	-8.6	2016Q4
Winston-Salem, NC	2008Q1	-9.7	-4.4	2012Q2
Worcester, MA	2008Q1	-11.6	-3.5	2012Q4
Yakima, WA	2008Q1	-2.5	-3.1	2012Q2
York-Hanover, PA	2008Q2	-8.0	-4.3	2012Q3
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	2005Q3	-27.2	-11.1	After 2039
Yuba City, CA	2007Q1	-4.7	-11.1	2015Q2
Yuma, AZ	2008Q3	-5.6	-10.2	2016Q2