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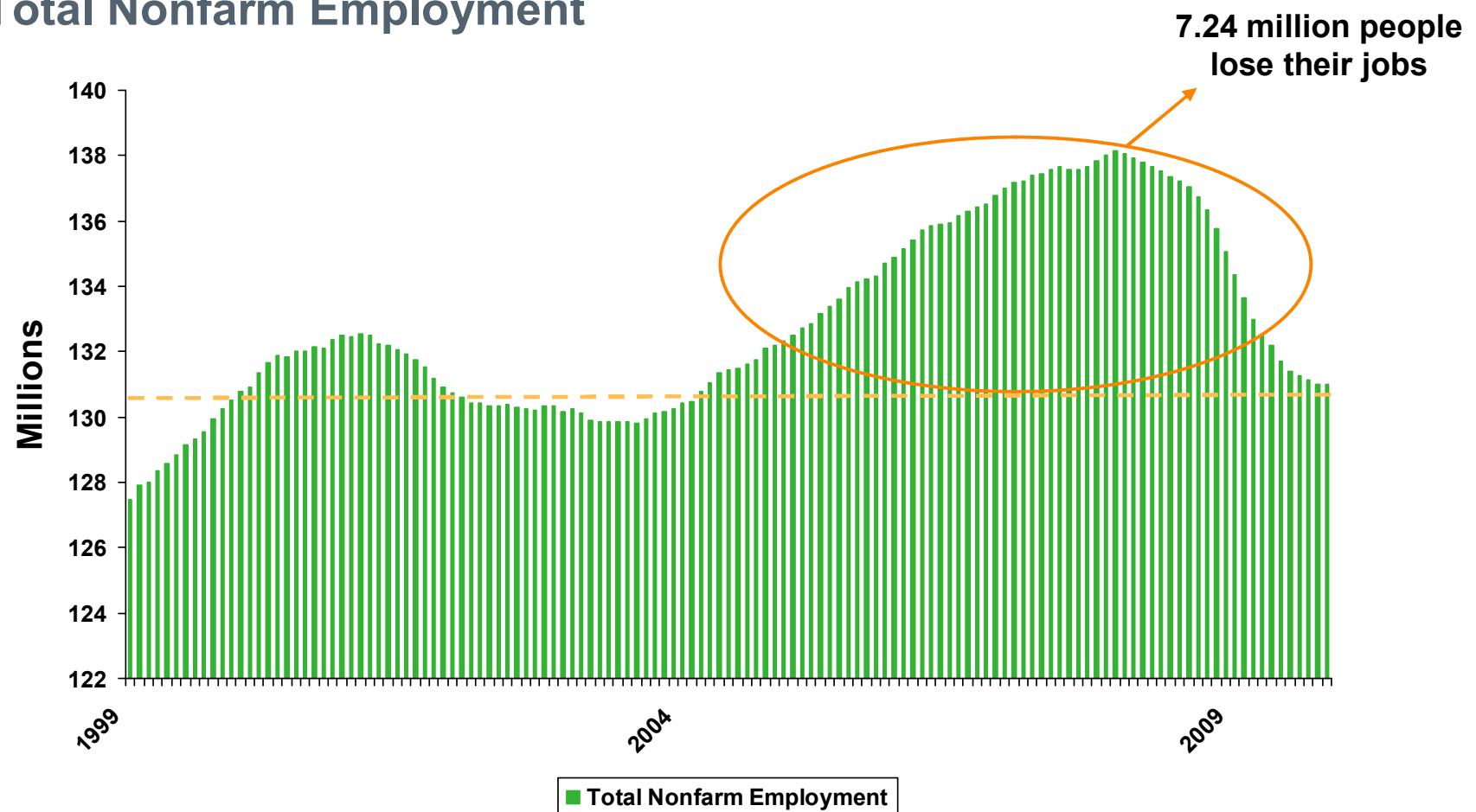


# Washington, DC Region Overview & Forecast

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# U.S Economy: A Decade of Jobs Wiped Away

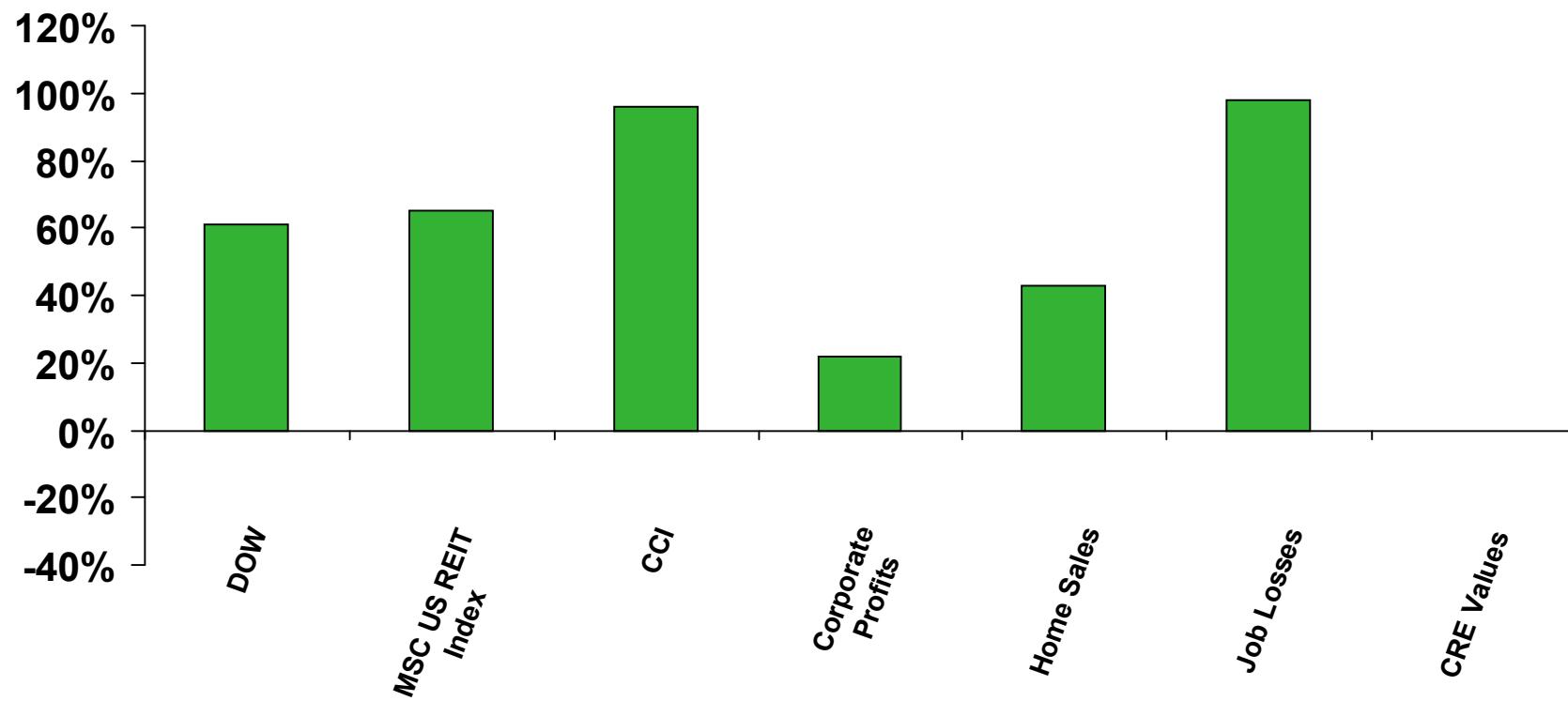
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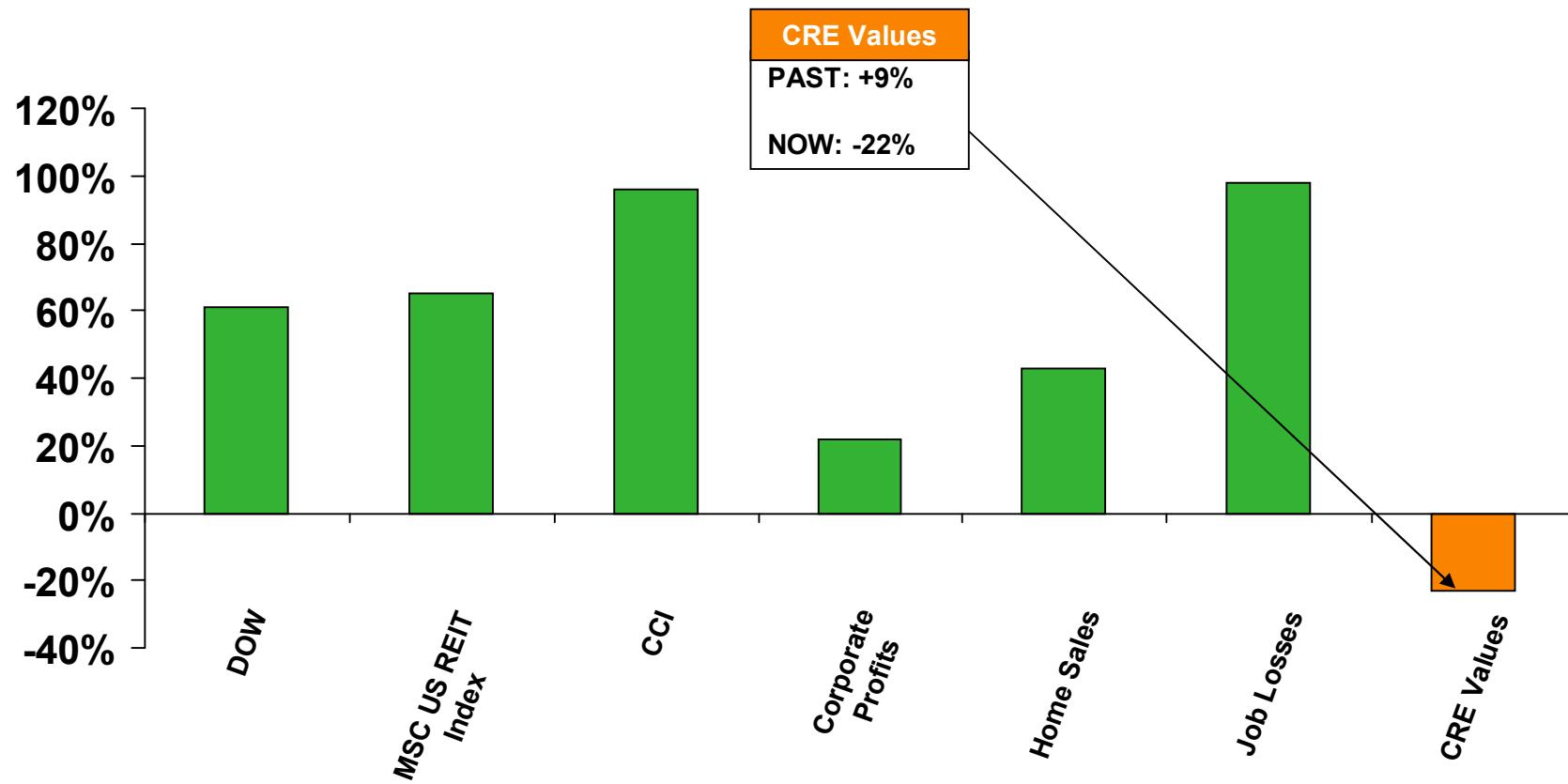
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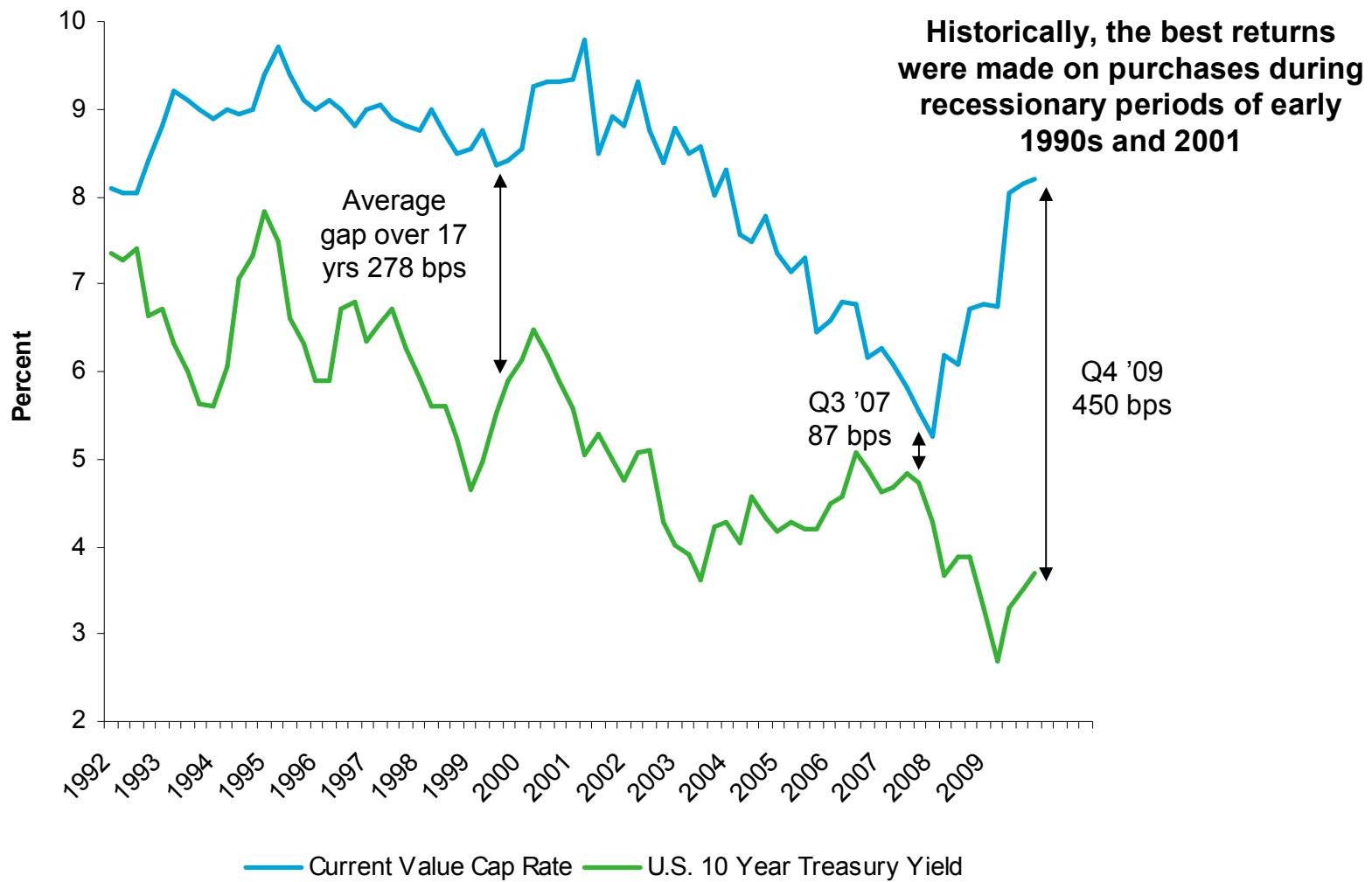
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# U.S. Core Cap rates looking attractive?

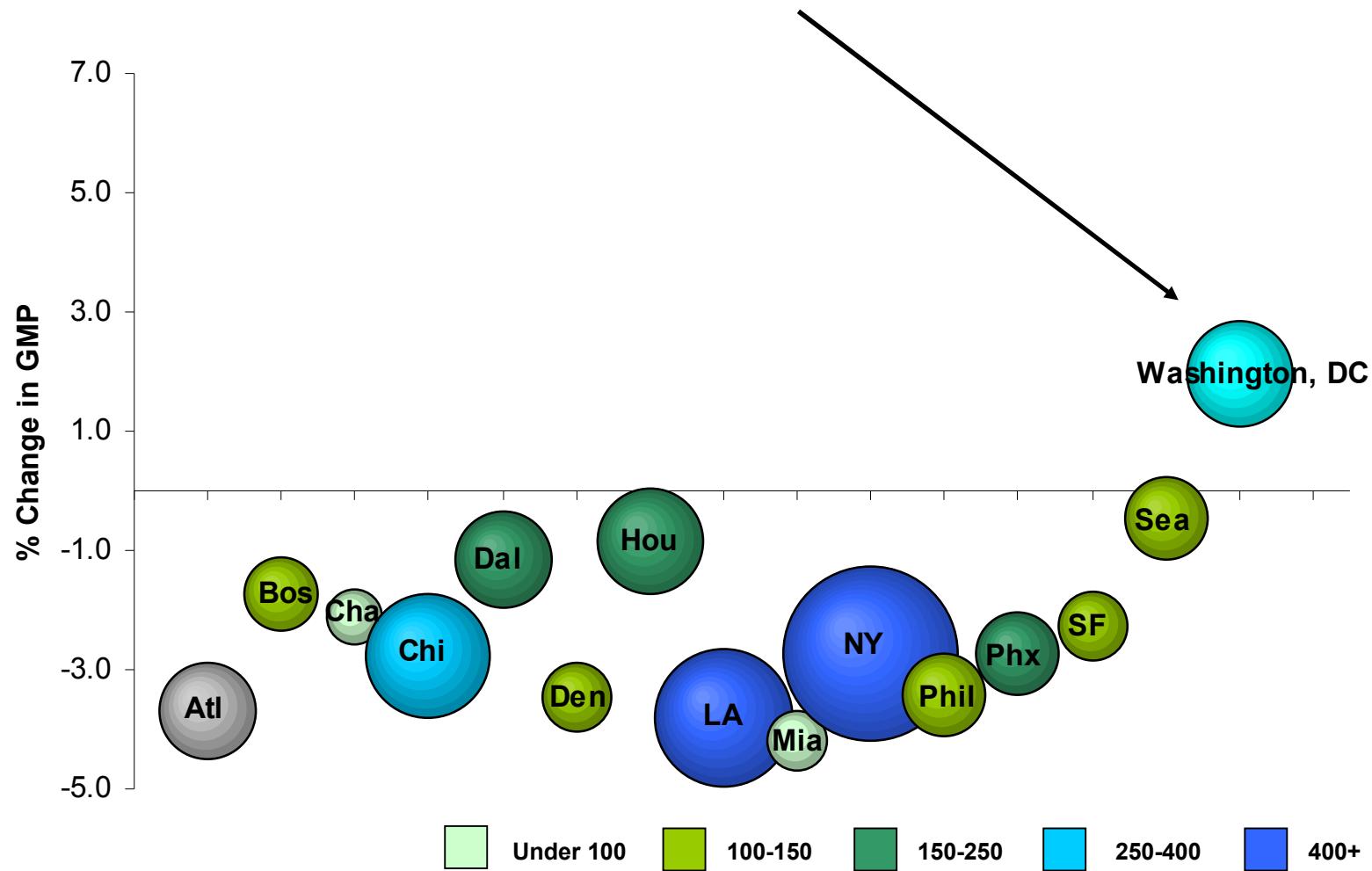


Source: Federal Reserve Board, Real Capital Analytics



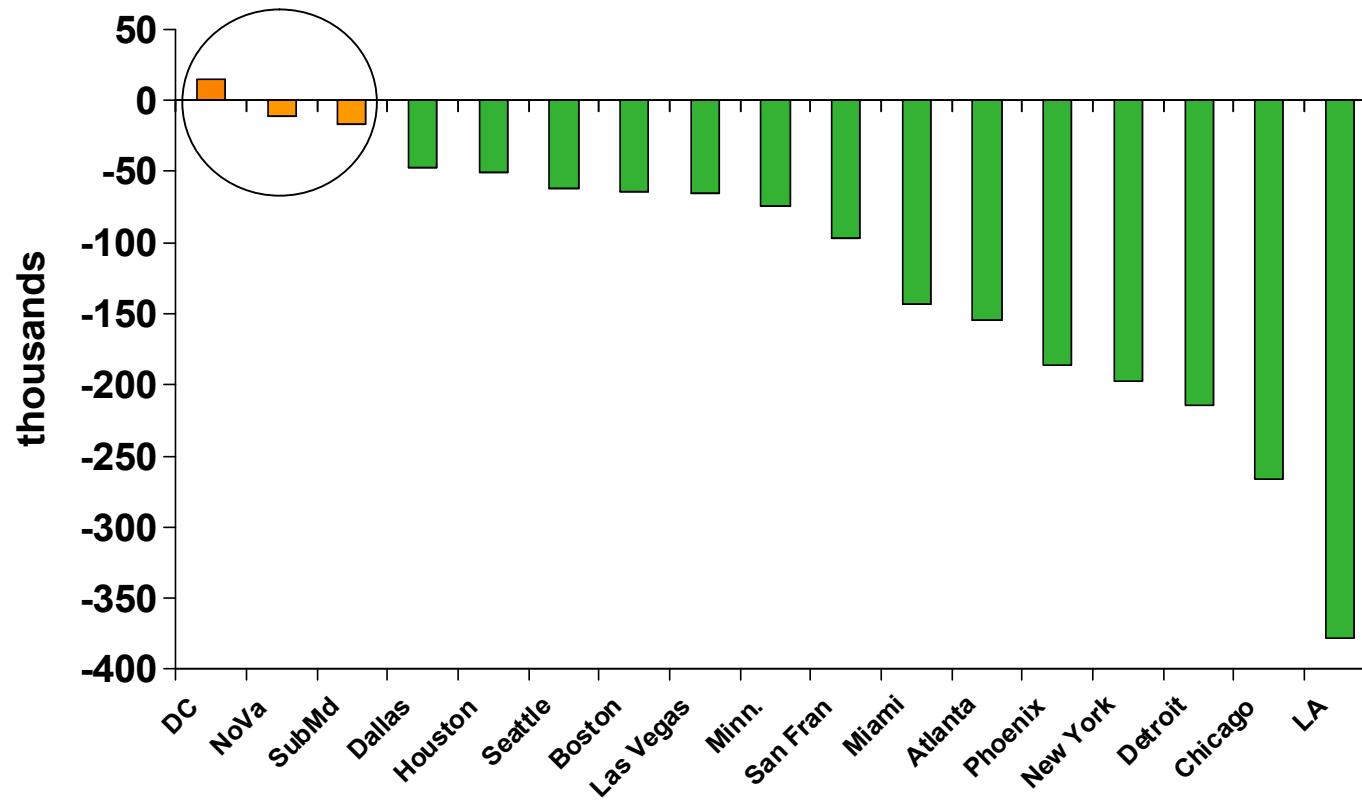
# DC Region

# Gross Metro Product (GMP): 2009



# The DC region is different

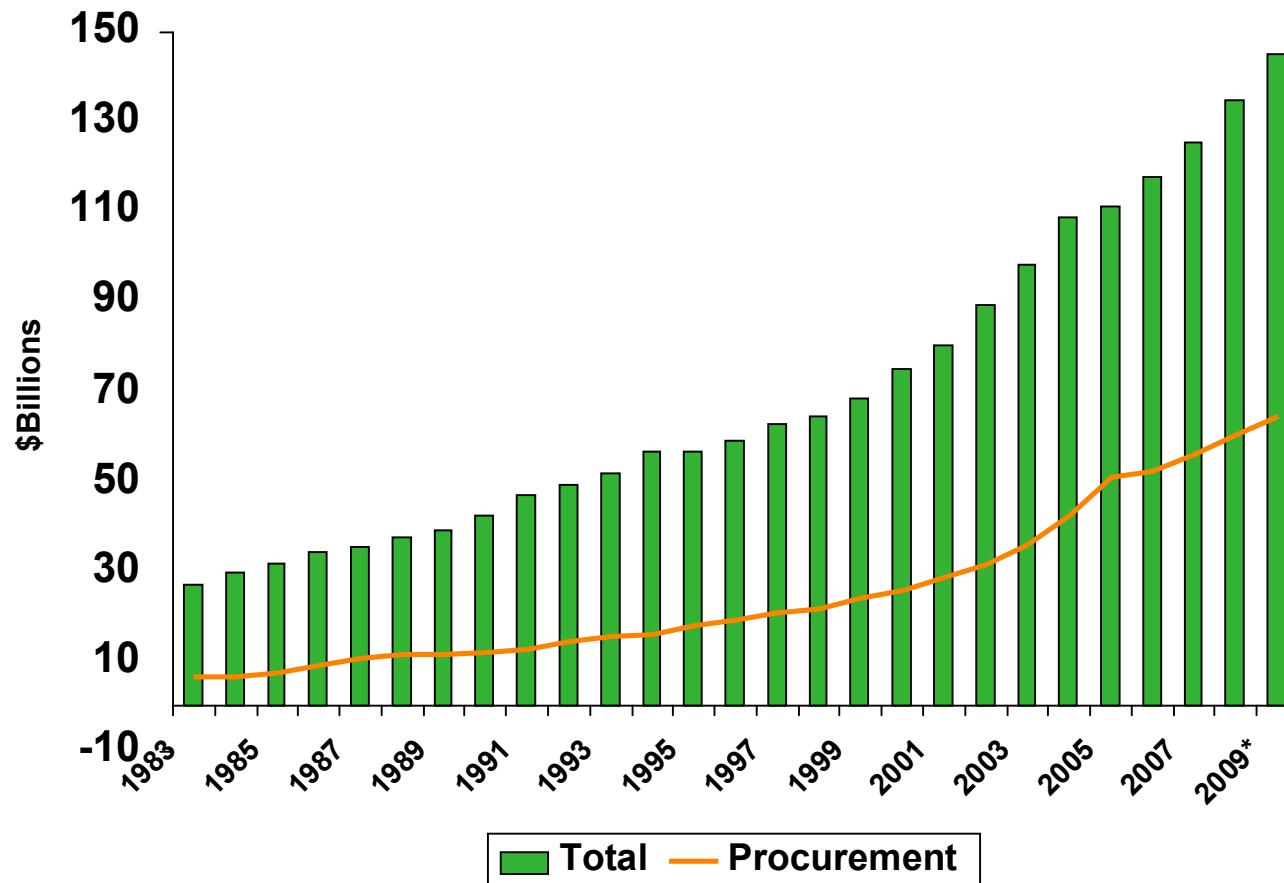
Job losses since recession began in Dec 2007



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# Federal Spending in the DC Metro area

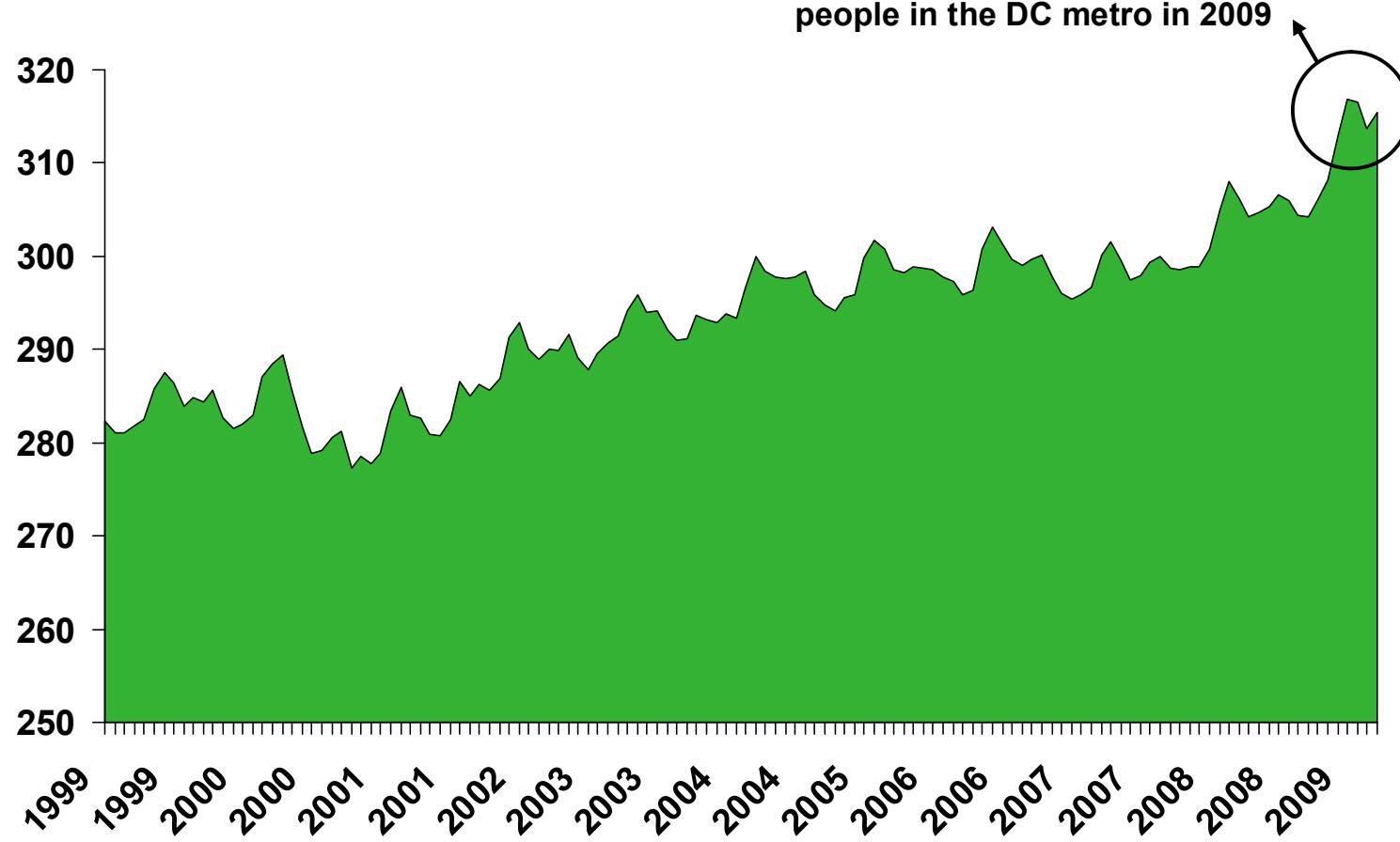
Accounts for one-third of DC Metro's economy



Source: GMU Center for Regional Analysis  
\*Cassidy Turley Forecast

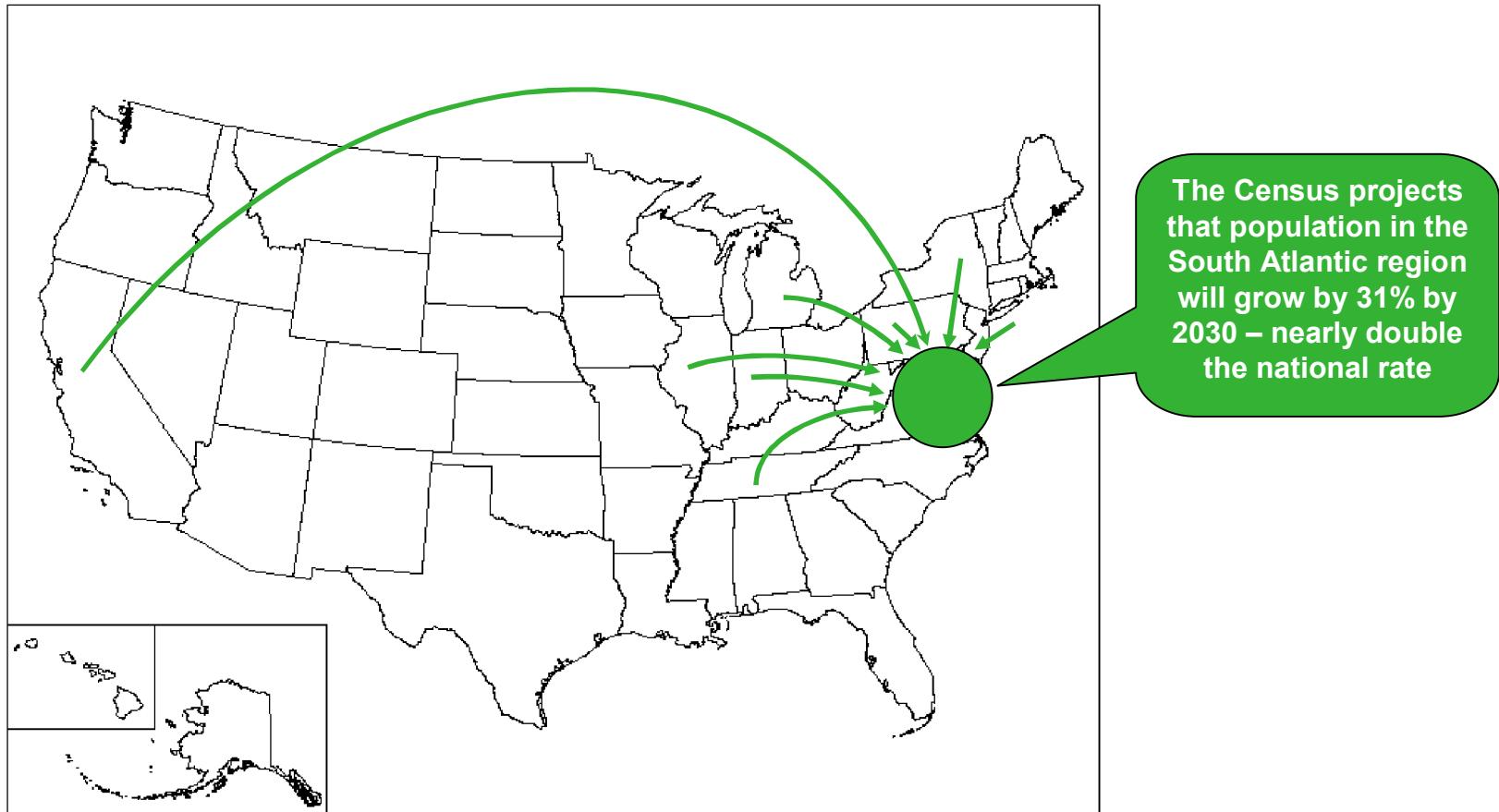
# Unprecedented Federal Hiring in the DC metro

## Federal Employees



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# People follow the jobs...



Source: Census Bureau

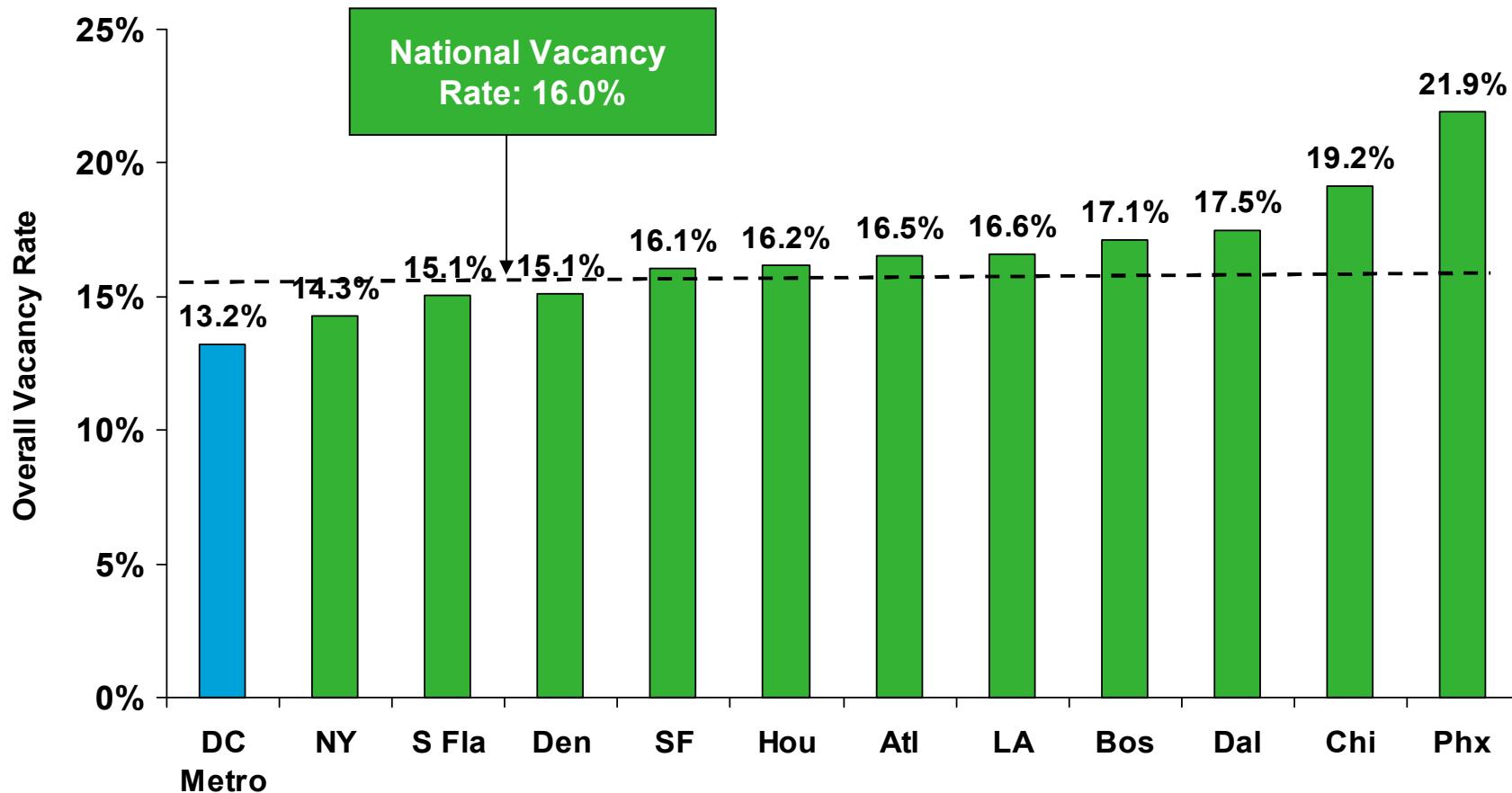


# DC Region

## Commercial Real Estate

# Office Vacancy Rates

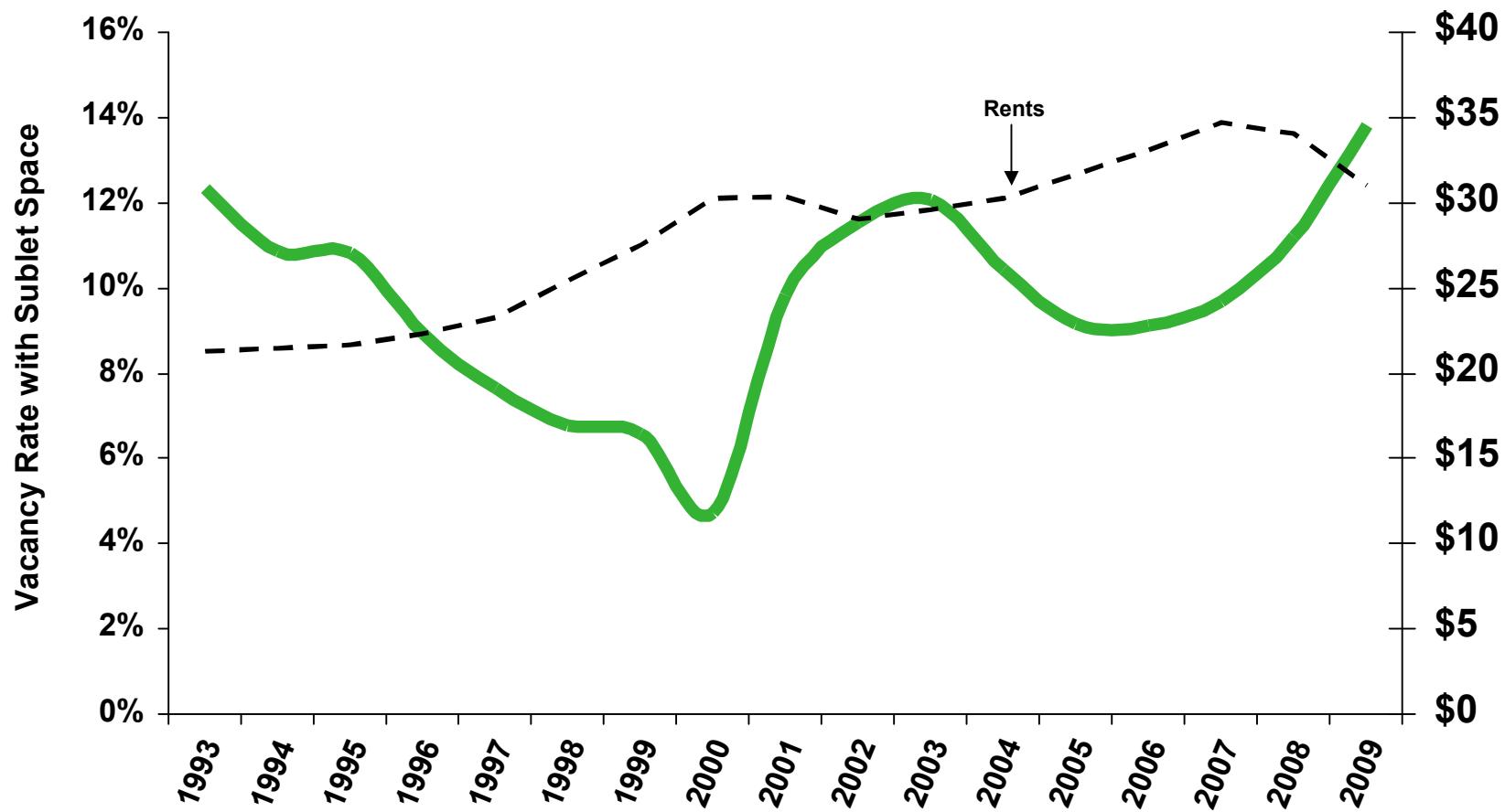
## Selected Metro Areas, Jan-Sept 2009



Source: Cassidy Turley

# Effective Rents

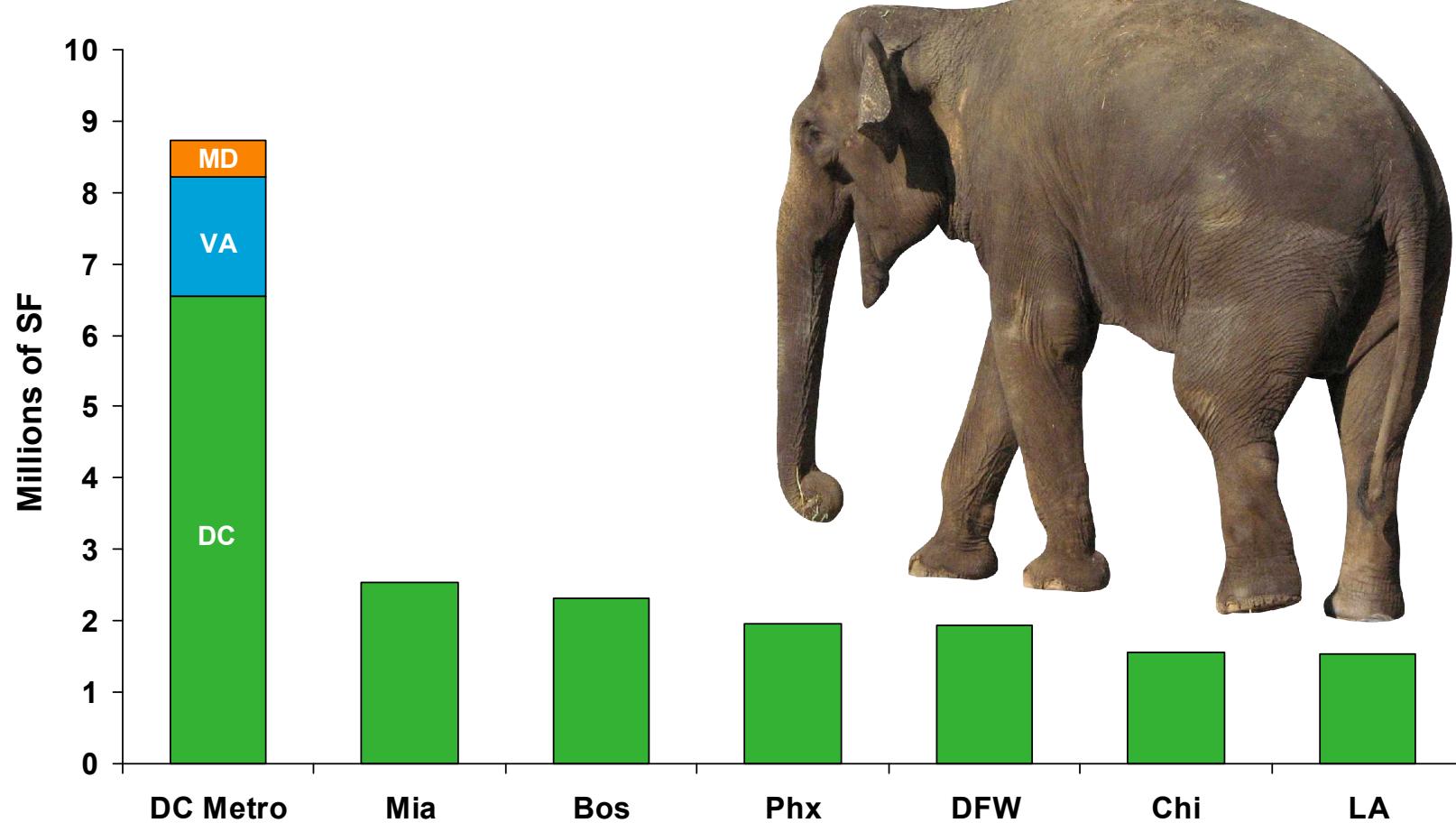
DC Metro



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# Under Construction

Selected Metro Areas, September 2009



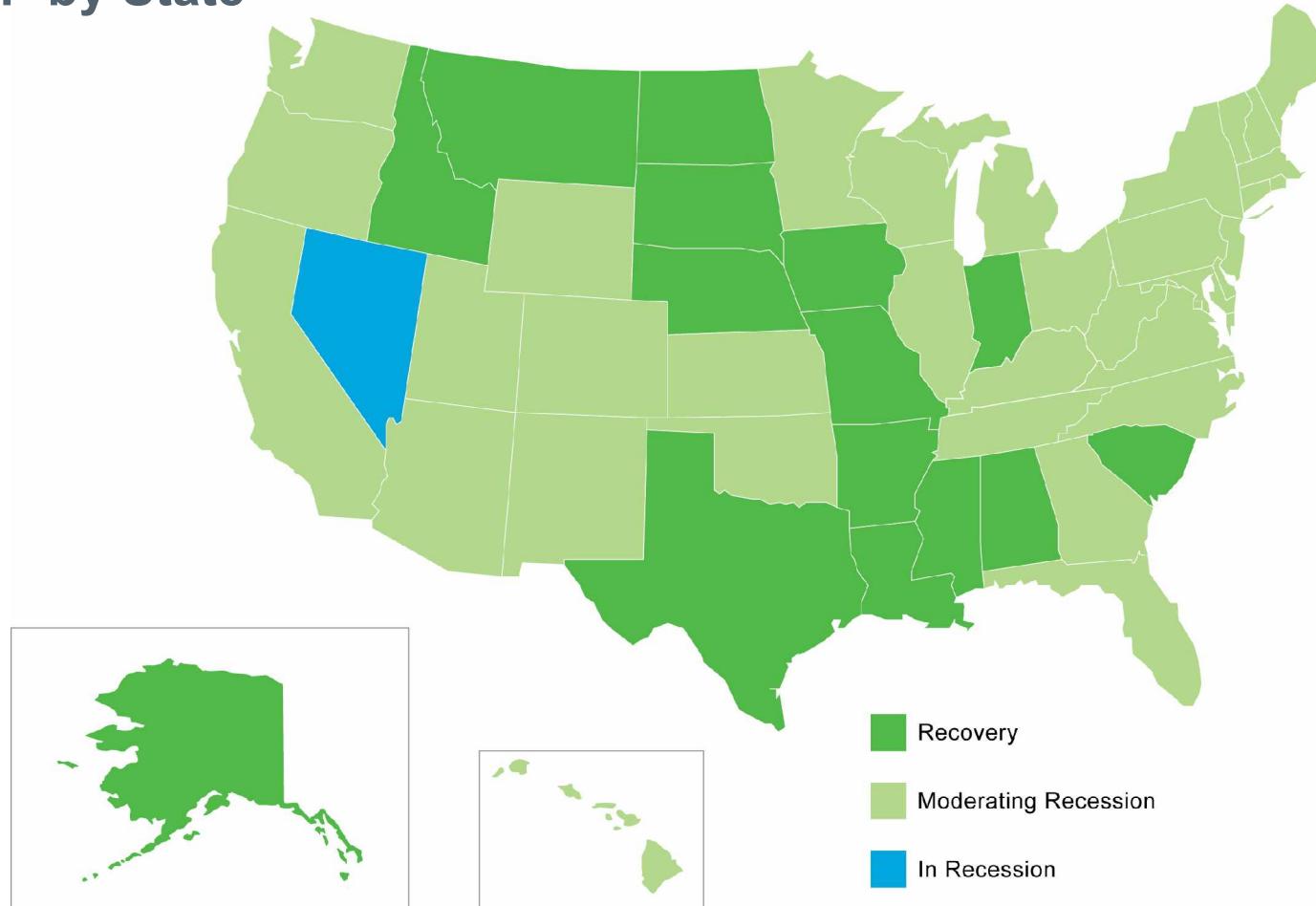
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# Outlook

# Momentum going into 2010

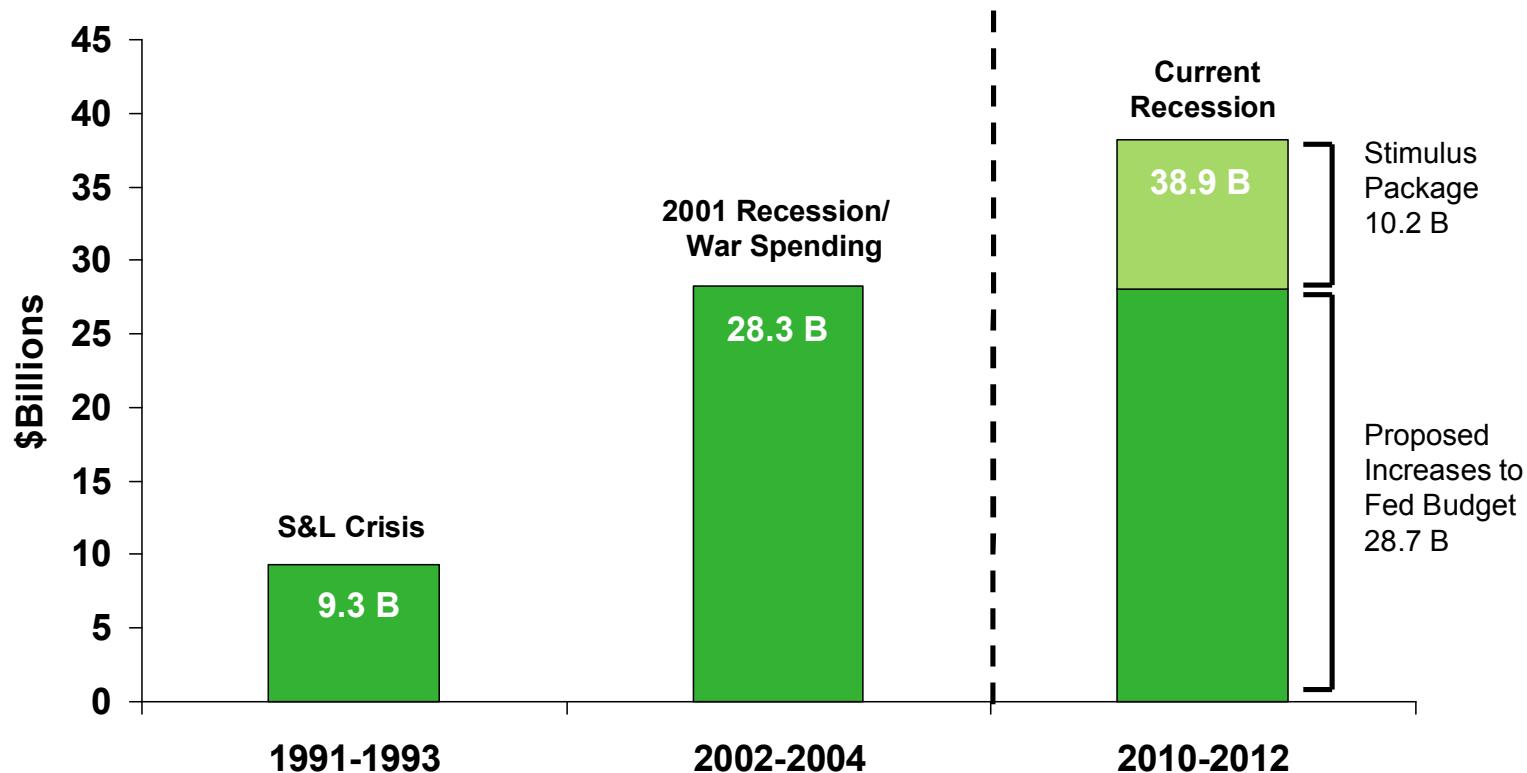
## GDP by State



Source: Moody's Economy.com

# Federal Spending in Past Recessions

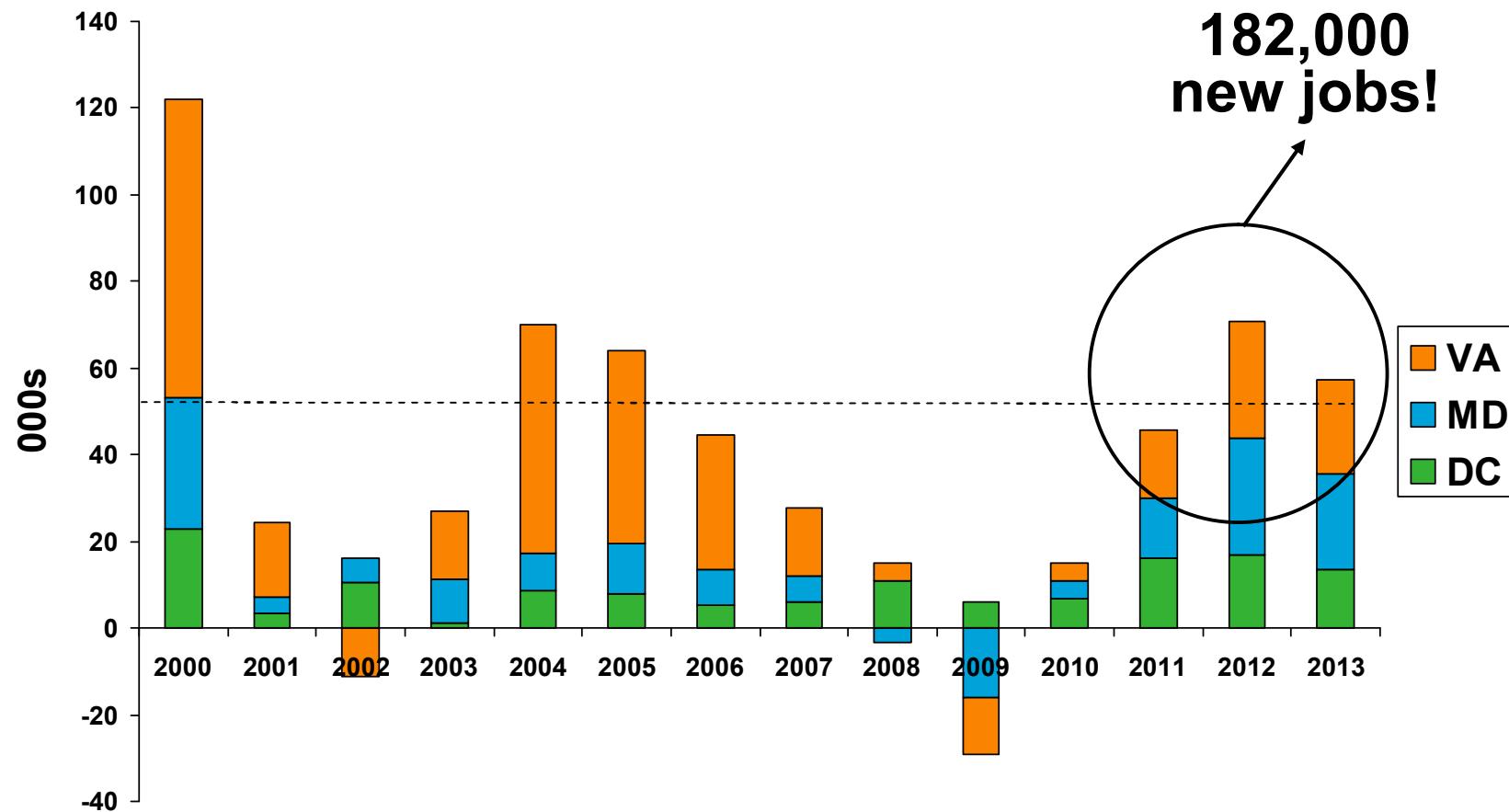
Washington Metro Area



Source: Cassidy Turley Forecast, GMU Center for Regional Analysis

# DC Metro Job Growth

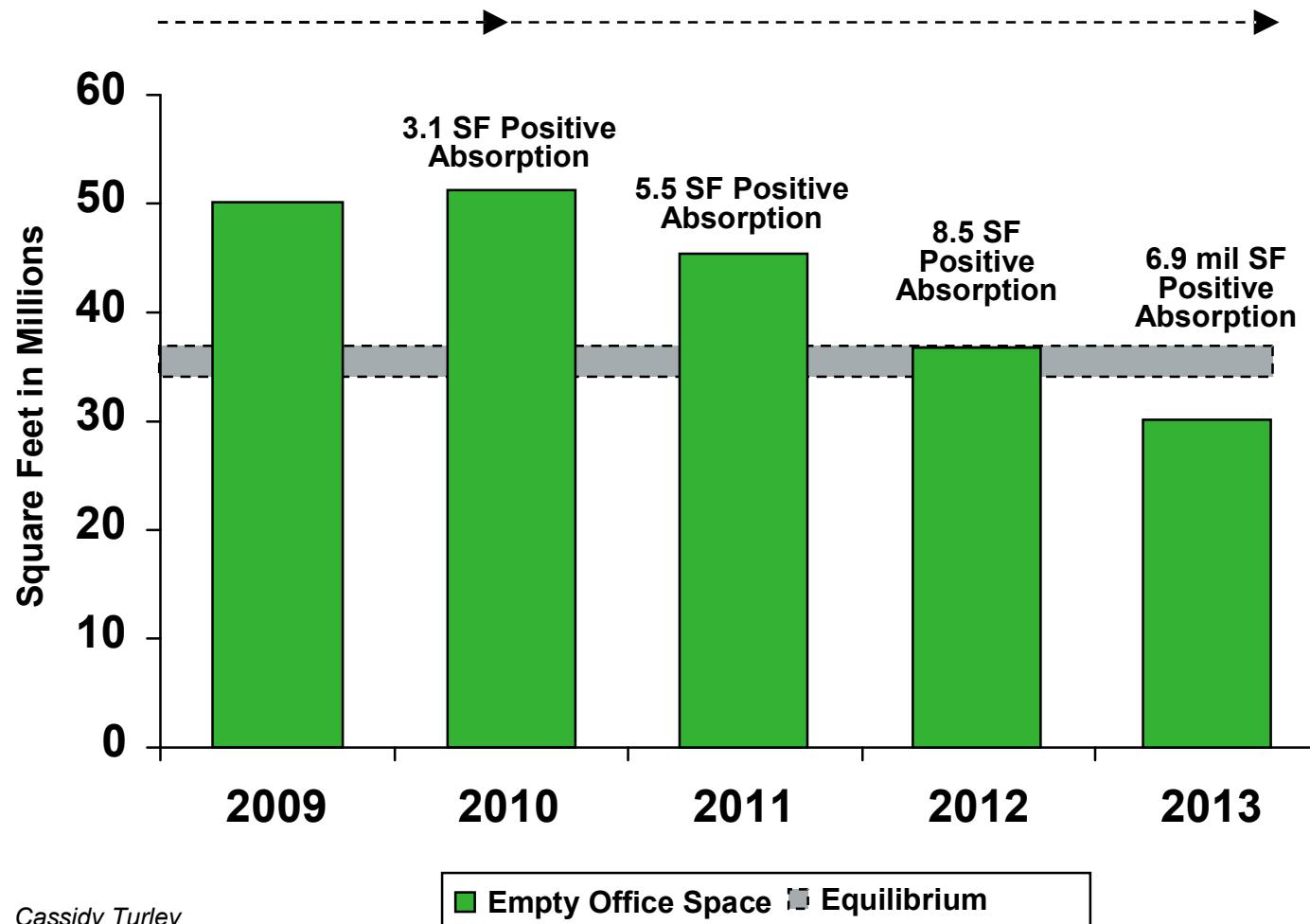
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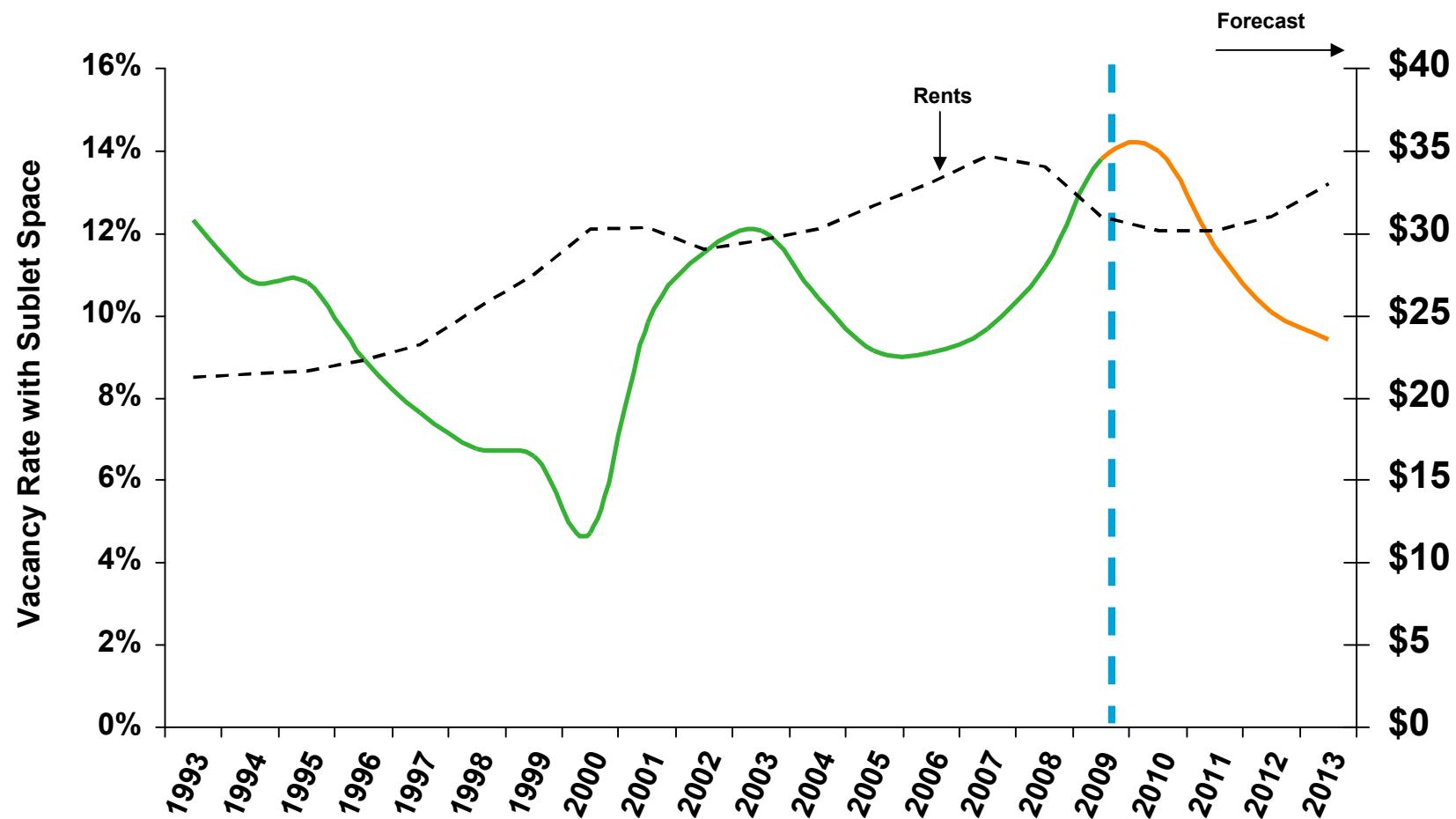
# Vacant Office Supply

## Absorption vs. Available Space



# Rent Forecast

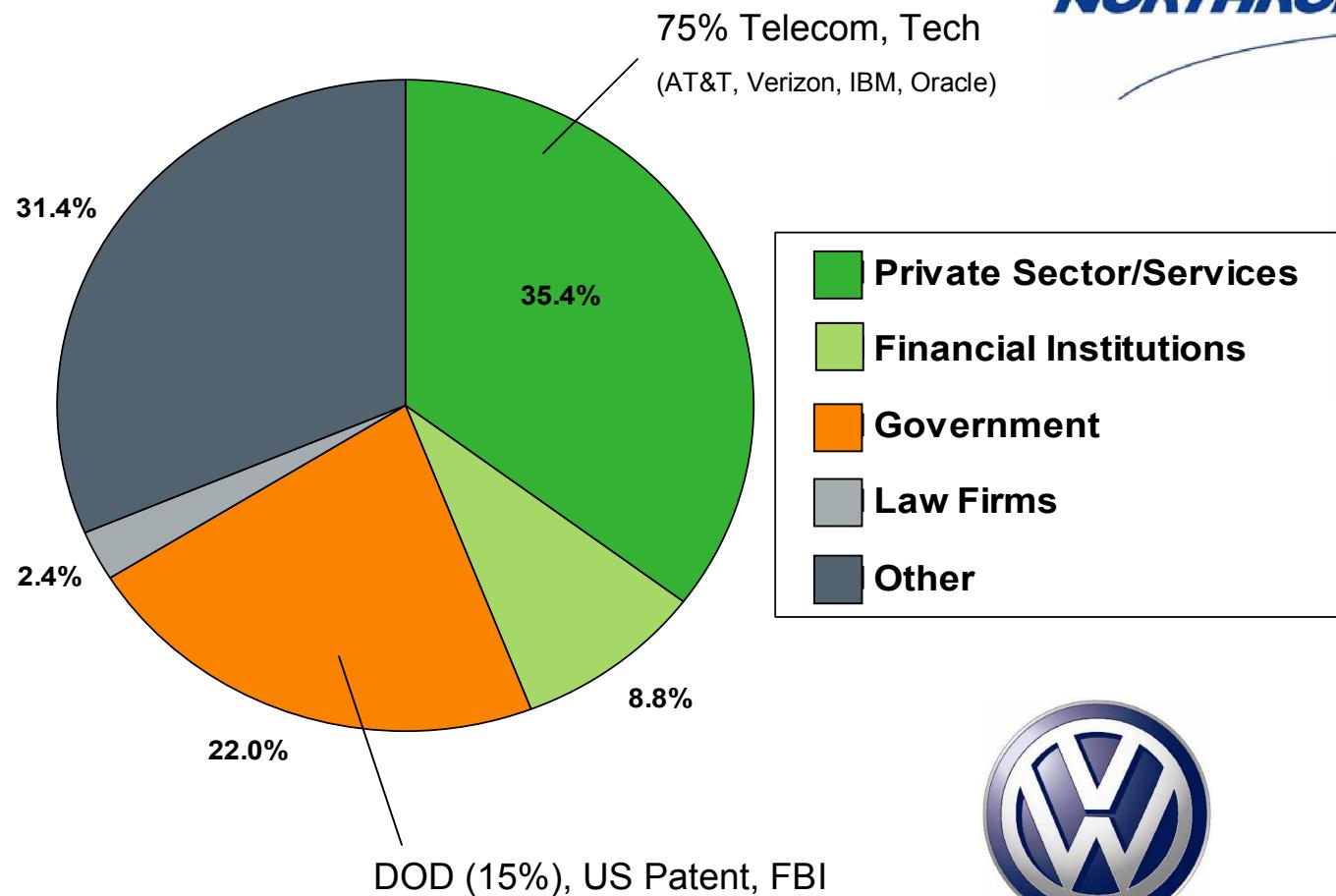
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# What will drive demand in VA?



Source: Cassidy Turley



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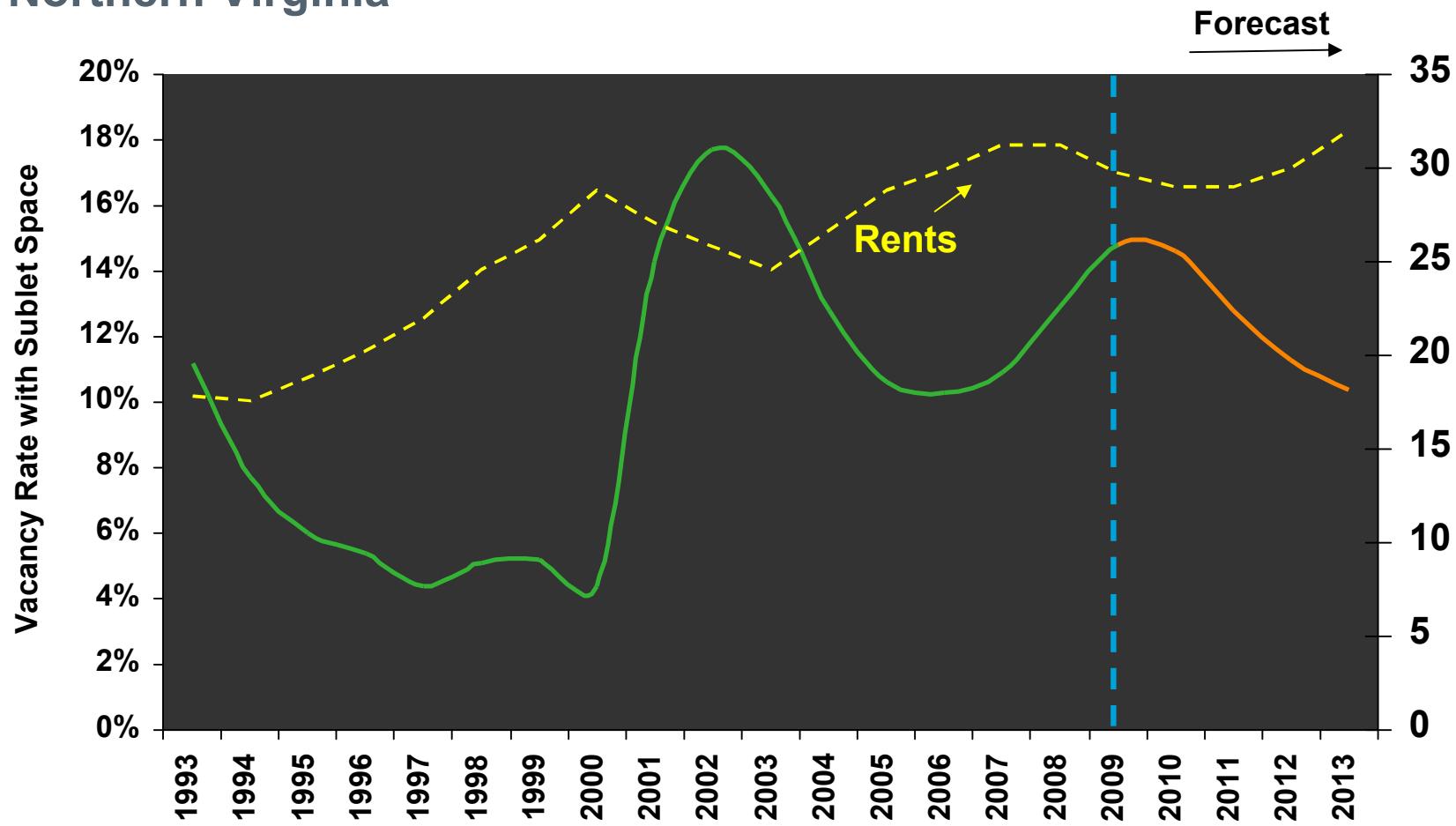
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# Office Vacancy Rates

Northern Virginia



# Threats

- Double-dip...can't rule it out
- Monetary policy & stimulus wind down
- Slow Confidence Recovery
- High unemployment
- Housing retrenchment
- Consumer retrenchment
- Oil spike
- Chronic Budget Deficits

# DC Metro Forecast

## DC Region: Economic & Office Market Forecast

	Actual			Forecast	
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
<b>D.C. Region Economy</b>					
Real GMP (%)	3.2	2.5	1.1	3.0	5.5
Employment Annual (000s)	42.5	23.0	-25.3	15.0	41.7
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1	3.9	6.2	6.4	5.1
Federal Spending (\$billions)	\$125.5	\$134.8	\$145.4	\$164.0	\$173.7
U.S. 10-Year Treasuries	4.6%	3.7%	3.2%	3.8%	5.5%
Personal Income Growth	5.1	4.0	1.6	1.9	4.0
Existing Home Price (\$000s)	427.8	342.5	302.0	298.3	309.0
Housing Permits (000s)	17.7	11.6	9.9	10.5	16.6
U.S. Consumer Confidence	103	58	45	64	80
CPI Inflation (%)	2.9	4.4	-0.4	1.5	3.0
<b>D.C. Region Office Sector</b>					
Vacancy (%)	9.7	11.2	13.9	14.2	11.9
Net Absorption	4,162,000	1,094,000	-2,284,000	3,100,000	5,500,000
Effective Rents	\$34.7	\$34.0	\$31.0	\$30.2	\$30.0
New Space Deliveries	7,870,000	7,630,000	9,890,000	4,205,000	433,000
<b>Investment Sales</b>					
Sales Volume (\$billions)	\$12.1	\$3.4	\$2.0	\$2.2	\$5.8
Year-ago %chg	-14.2%	-71.9%	-55.9%	10.0%	163.6%



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