

MONROE

Real GDP by Metropolitan Area (millions of chained 2005 dollars)

Gross Domestic Product by Metropolitan Statistical Area

U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

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Area	Industry	2001	2008	2009	2001-09
Monroe, MI (MSA)	All industry total	3,503	3,470	3,114	-11%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Private industries	3,127	3,122	2,767	-12%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Utilities	384	422	389	1%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Construction	297	186	171	-42%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Manufacturing	786	694	460	-41%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Durable goods	743	652	426	-43%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Nondurable goods	44	42	34	-23%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Wholesale trade	106	166	162	53%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Retail trade	307	240	235	-23%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Transportation and warehousing, excluding Postal Service	98	126	102	4%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Information	25	37	30	20%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Finance and insurance	95	120	130	37%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Real estate and rental and leasing	357	286	230	-36%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Professional and technical services	165	211	201	22%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Educational services	10	14	13	30%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Health care and social assistance	172	220	221	28%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Arts, entertainment, and recreation	26	25	23	-12%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Accommodation and food services	102	106	90	-12%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Other services, except government	107	107	99	-7%
Monroe, MI (MSA)	Government	380	347	345	-9%

GDP growth: -11 percent. Monroe is another metro area in the I-75 corridor that suffered with manufacturing and construction sector declines. Manufacturing output fell 41 percent as production volumes fell at Monroe-based La-Z-Boy Inc. and auto-related manufacturers.

But Monroe saw growth among other new employers, including sports mega store Cabela's and the Global Engine Manufacturing Alliance, which produces four-cylinder engines for Chrysler and Fiat.