

Unemployment in the U.S.



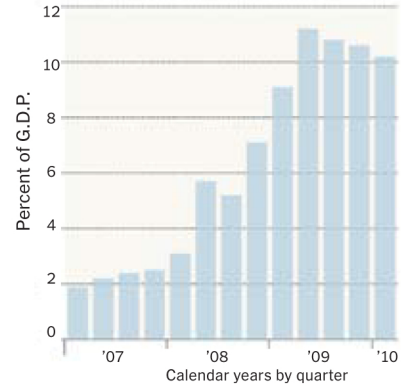
Shaded areas indicate U.S. recessions

Though not official, many economists contend that the downturn ended in the second quarter of 2009, citing growth for more than a year.

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