

Selected Economics Statistics for Various Years, 1929–1982

Statistics in rows 1–5 are in billions of dollars in the year specified. Numbers may not add to totals because of rounding.

GDP AND INCOME DATA		1929	1933	1939	1940	1942	1944	1946	1948	1950	1952	1954	1956	1958	1960	1962	1964	1966	1968	1970	1972	1974	1976	1978	1980	1982
1	Gross domestic product	103.6	56.4	92.2	101.4	161.9	219.8	222.2	269.1	293.7	358.3	380.4	437.4	467.2	526.4	585.7	663.6	787.7	909.8	1038.3	1237.9	1499.5	1824.6	2293.8	2788.1	3253.2
1A	Personal consumption expenditures	77.4	45.9	67.2	71.3	89.0	108.7	144.3	175.0	192.2	219.5	240.0	271.7	296.2	331.8	363.3	411.5	480.9	558.0	648.3	770.2	932.9	1151.3	1427.6	1755.8	2075.5
1B	Gross private domestic investment	16.5	1.7	9.3	13.6	10.4	7.8	31.1	48.1	54.1	54.0	53.8	72.0	64.5	78.9	88.1	102.1	131.3	141.2	152.4	207.6	249.4	292.0	438.0	479.3	517.2
1C	Government purchases	9.4	8.7	14.8	15.0	62.7	105.3	39.6	40.5	46.7	83.6	86.1	91.4	106.0	111.5	130.1	143.2	171.6	209.3	233.7	263.4	317.9	383.0	453.6	566.1	680.4
1D	Net exports of goods and services	0.4	0.1	0.8	1.5	−0.3	−2.0	7.2	5.5	0.7	1.2	0.4	2.4	0.5	4.2	4.1	6.9	3.9	1.4	4.0	−3.4	−0.8	−1.6	−25.4	−13.1	−20.0
2	Net domestic product	93.9	49.0	82.9	91.8	148.2	200.2	199.1	240.7	263.8	322.0	339.8	390.3	413.9	469.9	525.1	597.3	711.2	819.4	930.0	1110.7	1335.8	1616.4	2032.3	2444.1	2819.7
3	National income	93.9	48.1	82.0	90.9	149.5	198.0	198.6	242.6	263.9	321.3	338.7	394.9	415.6	473.9	528.9	601.4	710.1	821.2	929.5	1110.3	1341.5	1609.8	2027.9	2433.0	2851.4
3A	Wages and salaries	51.1	29.6	48.1	52.2	85.3	121.3	119.6	142.0	155.3	196.2	209.2	244.5	259.5	296.4	327.1	370.7	442.7	524.3	617.2	725.1	890.2	1059.3	1335.5	1647.6	1919.6
3B	Rent	6.2	2.9	3.8	3.9	5.5	6.4	7.1	7.8	9.1	11.2	13.4	14.1	15.2	17.0	18.6	19.4	20.5	20.6	21.1	23.1	24.0	22.1	20.9	28.5	38.1
3C	Interest	4.6	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.2	2.4	1.9	2.6	3.2	4.1	5.6	6.9	9.5	10.6	14.2	17.4	22.4	27.1	39.1	47.9	70.8	85.5	115.0	181.8	271.1
3D	Profits	10.7	−0.3	6.4	9.6	20.4	24.8	17.9	30.9	35.6	38.8	38.3	48.0	42.5	53.1	62.3	75.5	92.5	97.3	82.5	111.4	115.1	161.6	218.4	201.4	205.7
3E	Proprietor's income	14.1	5.3	11.1	12.3	23.4	29.4	35.7	39.2	37.5	43.1	42.3	45.9	50.2	50.7	55.3	59.4	68.2	74.2	78.5	96.0	113.5	132.2	167.5	173.5	174.8
3F	Taxes on production and imports*	7.2	6.6	9.0	9.6	11.7	13.7	16.4	20.1	23.2	27.9	29.9	35.5	38.7	46.1	51.4	59.0	63.8	77.7	91.1	106.8	127.9	169.1	244.1	200.2	242.1
4	Personal income	84.9	65.2	72.9	78.4	123.4	166.0	178.6	209.7	228.9	275.2	294.3	339.5	368.9	411.3	456.4	514.3	603.8	711.7	838.6	992.6	1222.7	1474.7	1836.7	2301.5	2766.8
5	Disposable income	83.2	46.0	71.4	76.8	118.5	148.3	161.4	190.5	209.9	243.2	264.1	302.9	330.4	365.2	404.9	462.3	537.4	624.7	735.5	869.0	1071.7	1302.3	1607.3	2002.7	2412.7
6	Disposable income per capita	683	366	545	581	879	1072	1142	1299	1384	1550	1627	1800	1897	2020	2170	2408	2733	3112	3586	4140	5010	5972	7220	8794	10,390
7	Personal saving as percent of DI	4.3	3.7	4.4	5.7	24.1	26.0	9.6	6.9	7.1	8.4	7.5	8.5	8.5	7.2	8.3	8.8	8.2	8.4	9.4	8.9	10.7	9.4	8.9	9.8	10.9
OTHER STATISTICS		1929	1933	1939	1940	1942	1944	1946	1948	1950	1952	1954	1956	1958	1960	1962	1964	1966	1968	1970	1972	1974	1976	1978	1980	1982
8	Real GDP (billions of 2005 dollars)	977.0	716.4	1072.8	1166.9	1618.2	2035.2	1792.2	1854.2	2006.0	2243.9	2332.4	2549.7	2577.6	2830.9	3072.4	3392.3	3845.3	4133.4	4269.9	4647.7	4889.9	5141.3	5677.6	5839.0	5870.9
9	Economic growth rate (change in real GDP)	—	−1.3	8.1	8.8	18.5	8.1	−10.9	4.4	8.7	3.8	−0.6	2.0	−0.9	2.5	6.1	5.8	6.5	4.8	0.2	5.3	−0.6	5.4	5.6	−0.3	−1.9
10	Consumer Price Index (1982–1984 = 100)	17.1	13.0	13.9	14.0	16.3	17.6	19.5	24.1	24.1	26.5	26.9	27.2	28.9	29.6	30.2	31.0	32.4	34.8	38.8	41.8	49.3	56.9	65.2	82.4	96.5
11	Rate of inflation (percent change in CPI)	0.0	−5.1	−1.4	0.7	10.9	1.7	8.3	8.1	1.3	1.9	0.7	1.5	2.8	1.7	1.0	1.3	2.9	4.2	5.7	3.2	11.0	5.8	7.6	13.5	6.2
12	Money supply, M1 (billions of \$)	26.6	19.9	34.2	39.7	55.4	85.3	106.5	112.5	114.1	125.2	130.3	136.0	138.4	140.7	145.2	160.3	172.0	197.4	214.4	249.2	274.2	306.2	357.3	408.5	474.8
13	Federal funds interest rate (%)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.75	2.07	3.00	3.05	2.73	1.57	3.21	2.71	3.50	5.11	5.66	7.17	4.44	10.51	5.05	7.94	13.35	12.24
14	Prime interest rate (%)	5.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.50	1.75	2.70	3.00	3.05	3.77	3.83	4.82	4.50	4.50	5.63	6.31	5.25	5.73	10.81	6.84	9.06	15.26	14.85
15	Population (millions)	121.8	125.6	131.0	132.1	134.9	138.4	141.4	146.6	152.3	157.6	163.0	168.9	174.9	180.7	186.5	191.9	196.6	200.7	205.1	209.9	213.9	218.0	222.6	227.7	232.2
16	Civilian labor force (millions)	49.2	51.6	55.2	55.6	56.4	54.6	57.5	60.6	62.2	62.1	63.6	66.6	67.6	69.6	70.6	73.1	75.8	78.7	82.8	87.0	91.9	96.2	102.3	106.9	110.2
16A	Employment (millions)	47.6	38.8	45.7	47.5	53.8	54.0	55.3	58.3	58.9	60.3	60.1	63.8	63.0	65.8	66.7	69.3	72.9	75.9	78.7	82.2	86.8	88.8	96.0	99.3	99.5
16B	Unemployment (millions)	1.6	12.8	9.5	8.1	2.7	0.7	2.3	2.3	3.3	1.9	3.5	2.8	4.6	3.9	3.9	3.8	2.9	2.8	4.1	4.9	5.2	7.4	6.2	7.6	10.7
17	Unemployment rate (%)	3.2	24.9	17.2	14.6	4.7	1.2	3.9	3.8	5.3	3.0	5.5	4.1	6.8	5.5	5.5	5.2	3.8	3.6	4.9	5.6	5.6	7.7	6.1	7.1	9.7
18	Productivity growth, business sector (%)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.6	8.2	2.8	2.1	0.1	2.8	1.7	4.6	3.4	4.1	3.4	2.0	3.2	−1.7	3.2	1.1	−0.3	−0.8
19	After-tax manufacturing profit per dollar of sales (cents)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.0	7.1	4.3	4.5	5.3	4.2	4.4	4.5	5.2	5.6	5.1	4.0	4.3	5.5	5.4	5.4	4.8	3.5
20	Price of crude oil (U.S. average, dollars per barrel)	1.27	0.67	1.02	1.02	1.19	1.21	1.41	2.60	2.51	2.53	2.78	2.79	3.01	2.88	2.90	2.88	2.88	2.94	3.18	3.39	6.87	8.19	9.00	21.59	28.52
21	Federal budget surplus (+) or deficit (−) (billions of dollars)	—	—	—	−2.9	−20.5	−47.6	−15.2	11.8	−3.1	−1.5	−1.2	3.9	−2.8	0.3	−7.1	−5.9	−3.7	−25.2	−2.8	−23.4	−6.1	−73.7	−59.2	−73.8	−128.0
22	Public debt (billions of dollars)	16.9	22.5	48.2	50.7	79.2	204.1	271.0	252.0	256.9	259.1	270.8	272.7	279.7	290.5	302.9	316.1	328.5	368.7	380.9	435.9	483.9	629.0	776.6	909.1	1137.3
23	Trade balance on current account (billions of dollars)	—	—	—	—	—	—	4.9	2.4	−1.8	0.6	0.2	2.7	0.8	2.8	3.4	6.8	3.0	0.6	2.3	−5.8	2.0	4.3	−15.1	2.3	−5.5

*Combines items from other smaller accounts.