Change in Real Gross Regional Product by Metro Area 2001-2009

Gross regional product (GRP) measures the sum of economic activity within a metro area in one year. Change in GRP over time can be used as an indicator of how well a region’s economy is doing relative to competing regions. Through the period of 2001-2009, the Kansas City area experienced modest GRP growth of 10%, which is below the national average change of 13% among metro areas.

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