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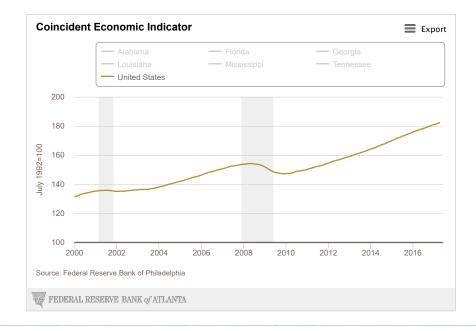
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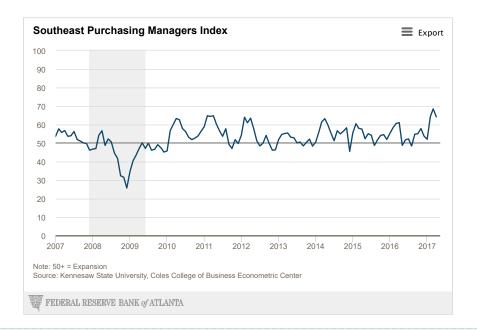
These charts feature regional and national data on economic performance and labor market trends.

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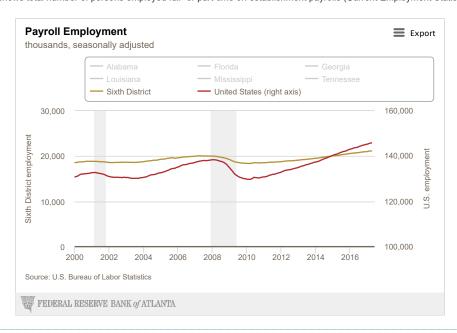
The index combines four economic indicators (nonfarm payroll employment, average hours worked in manufacturing, the unemployment rate, and wage and salary disbursements deflated by the consumer price index) to summarize current economic conditions into a single statistic.



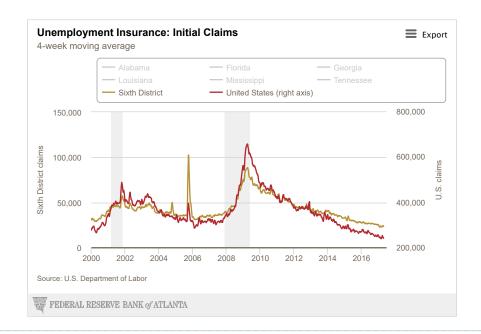
The composite index measures the region's manufacturing sector based on key sector indicators; a reading below 50 indicates manufacturing is contracting, while over 50 means the industry is expanding.



The chart shows total number of persons employed full- or part-time on establishment payrolls (Current Employment Statistics).



The chart depicts new filings for unemployment insurance benefits.



The chart notes the number of persons unemployed as a percent of the labor force.

