

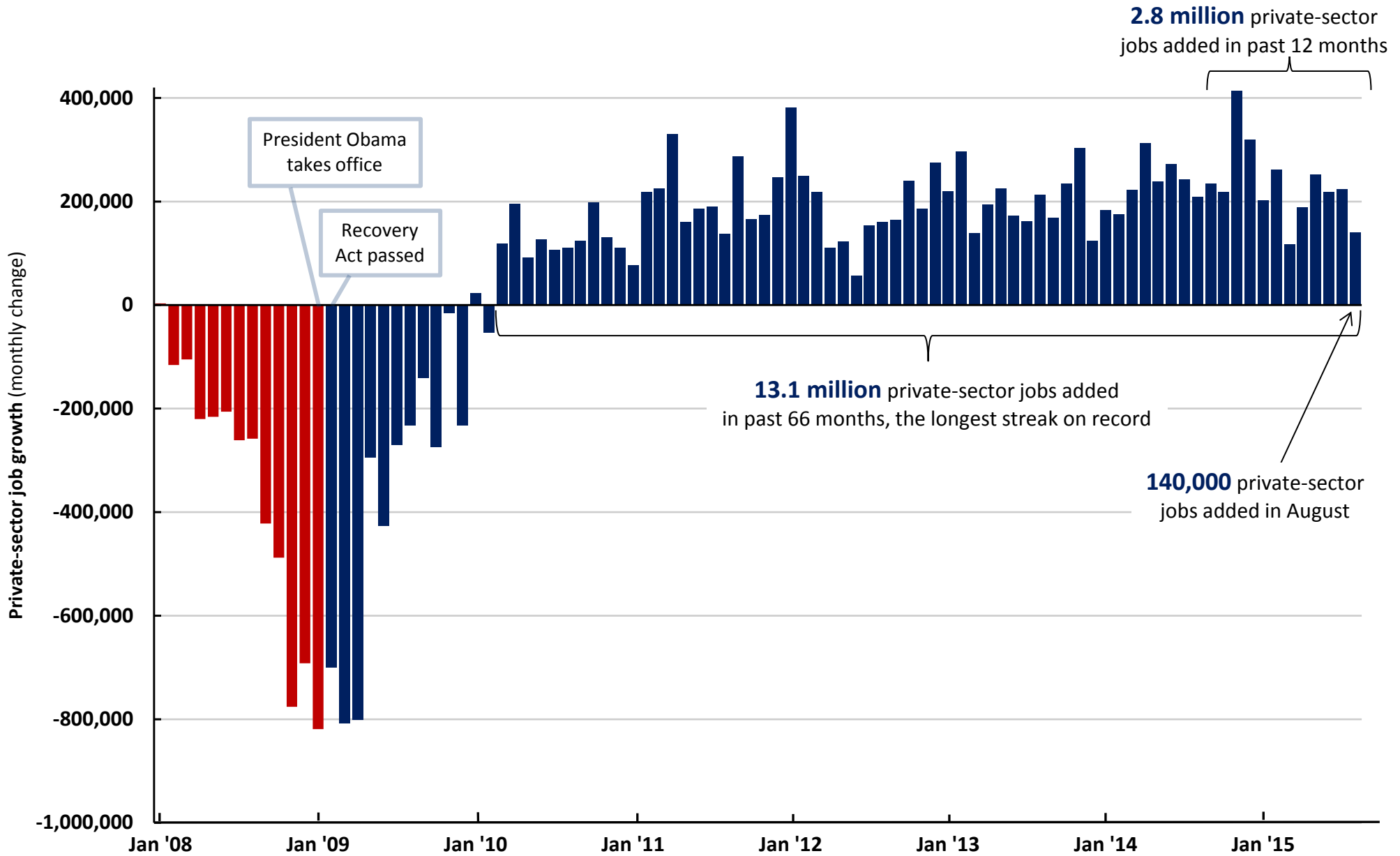
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JOBS REPORT IN CHARTS

Data released on September 4, 2015
Next data released on October 2, 2015

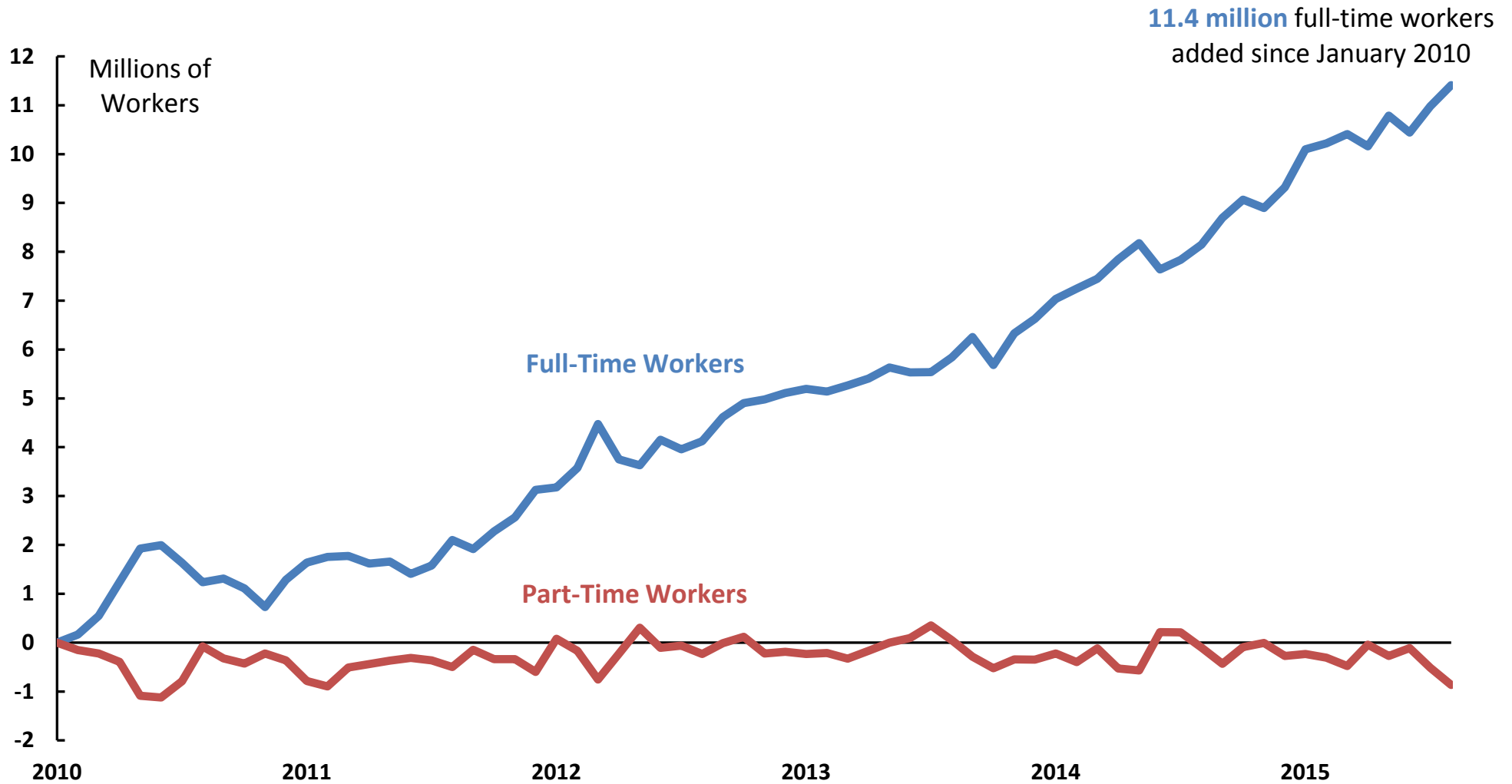
Private-Sector Job Growth Continues in August



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics (updates next on October 2, 2015)

All Employment Growth Has Been Full-Time Jobs

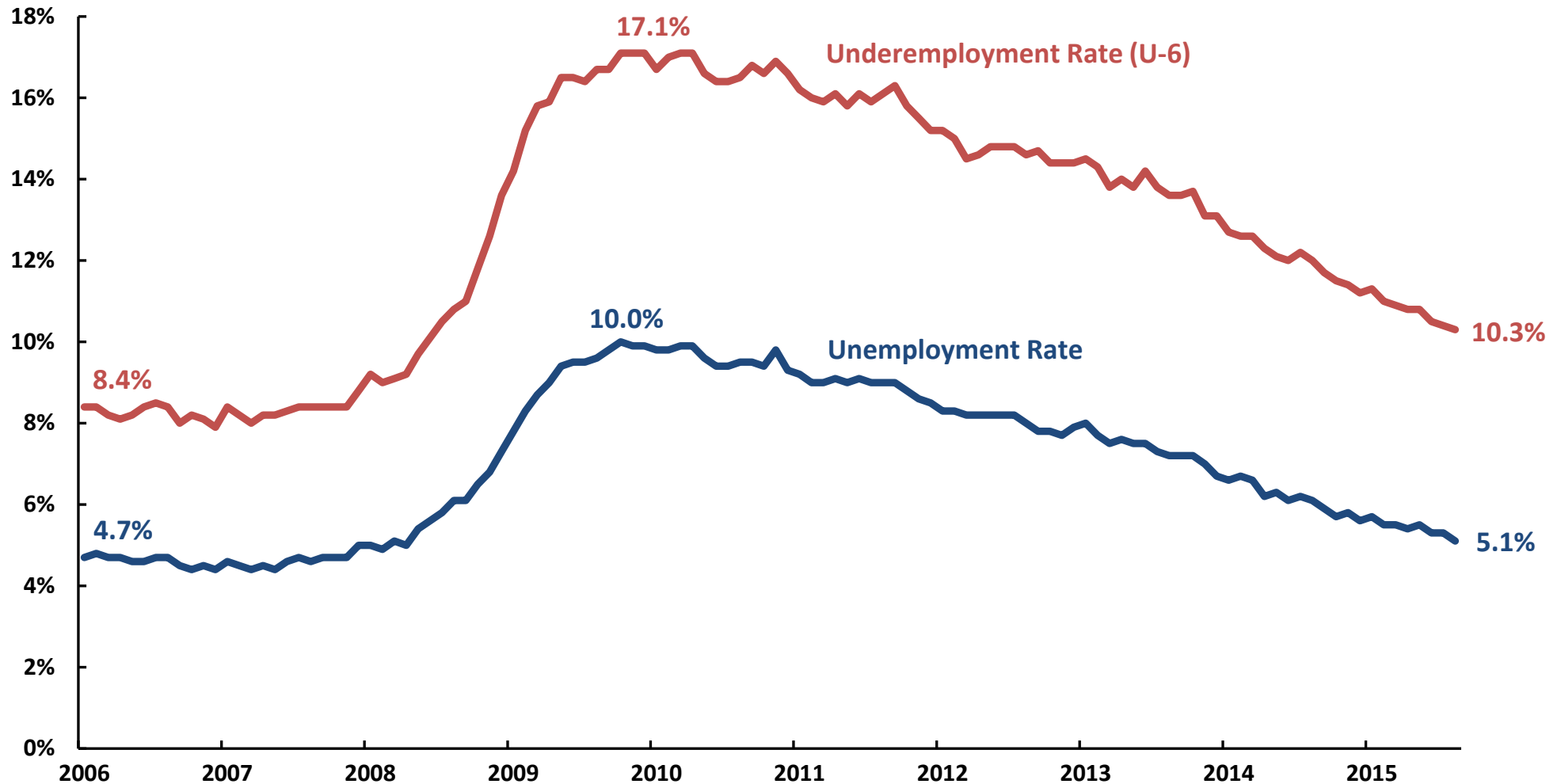
Net change in employment, January 2010 to August 2015



Source: JEC staff calculations using data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (updates next on October 2, 2015)

Unemployment and Underemployment Rates Have Declined Significantly from Recession Peak

January 2006 to August 2015

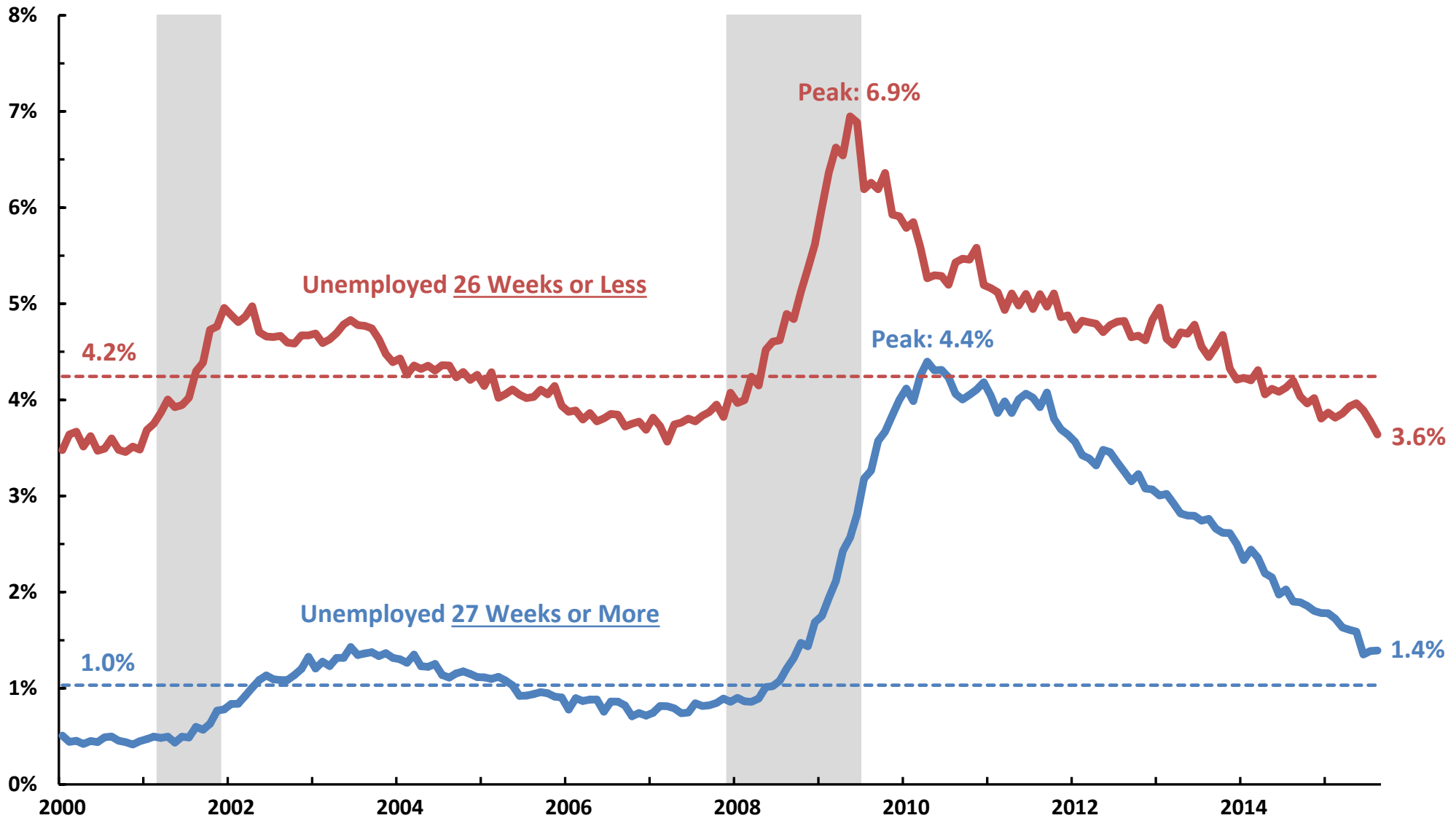


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Notes: "Underemployment Rate (U-6)" includes those marginally attached to the labor force and those employed part time for economic reasons; seasonally adjusted data

Declines in Short- and Long-Term Unemployment

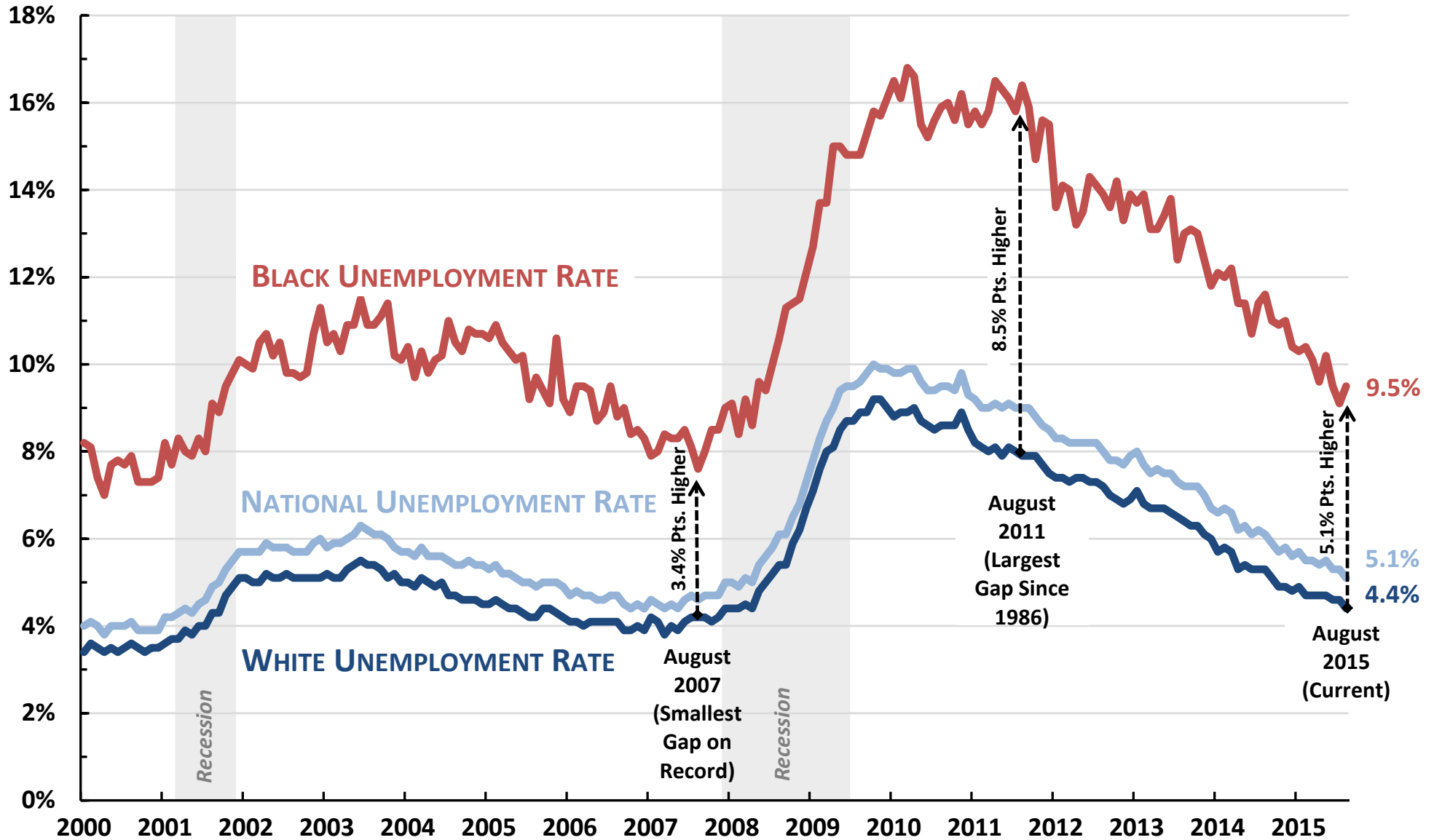
Percent of the labor force unemployed by duration, January 2000 to August 2015



Source: JEC staff calculations using data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (updates next on Oct. 2, 2015)

Notes: Grey areas represent periods of recession as determined by the National Bureau of Economic Research; dashed lines represent the average before the recent recession (Dec. 2001 to Dec. 2007)

Black vs. White Unemployment

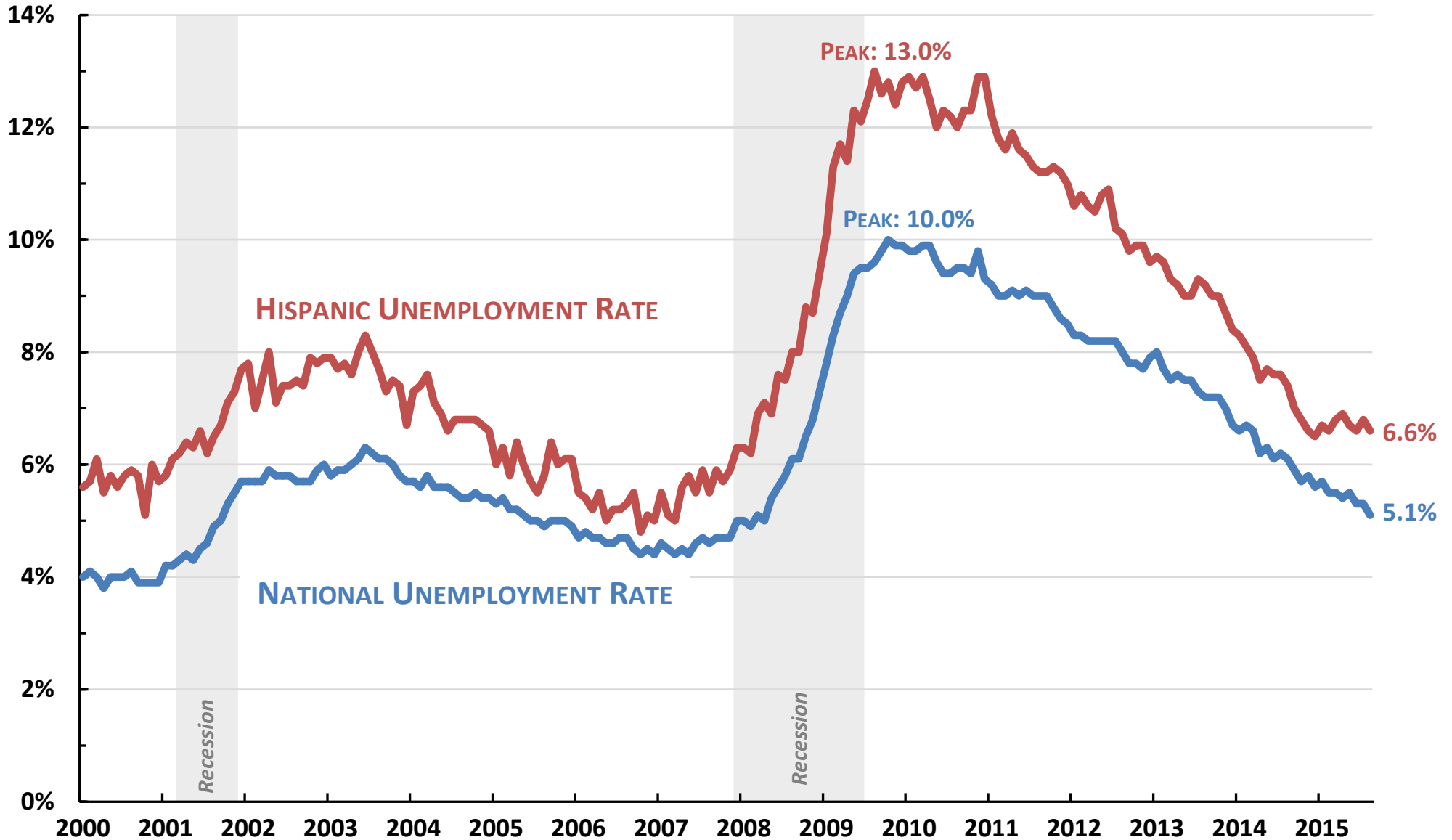


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Hispanic Unemployment

January 2000 to August 2015

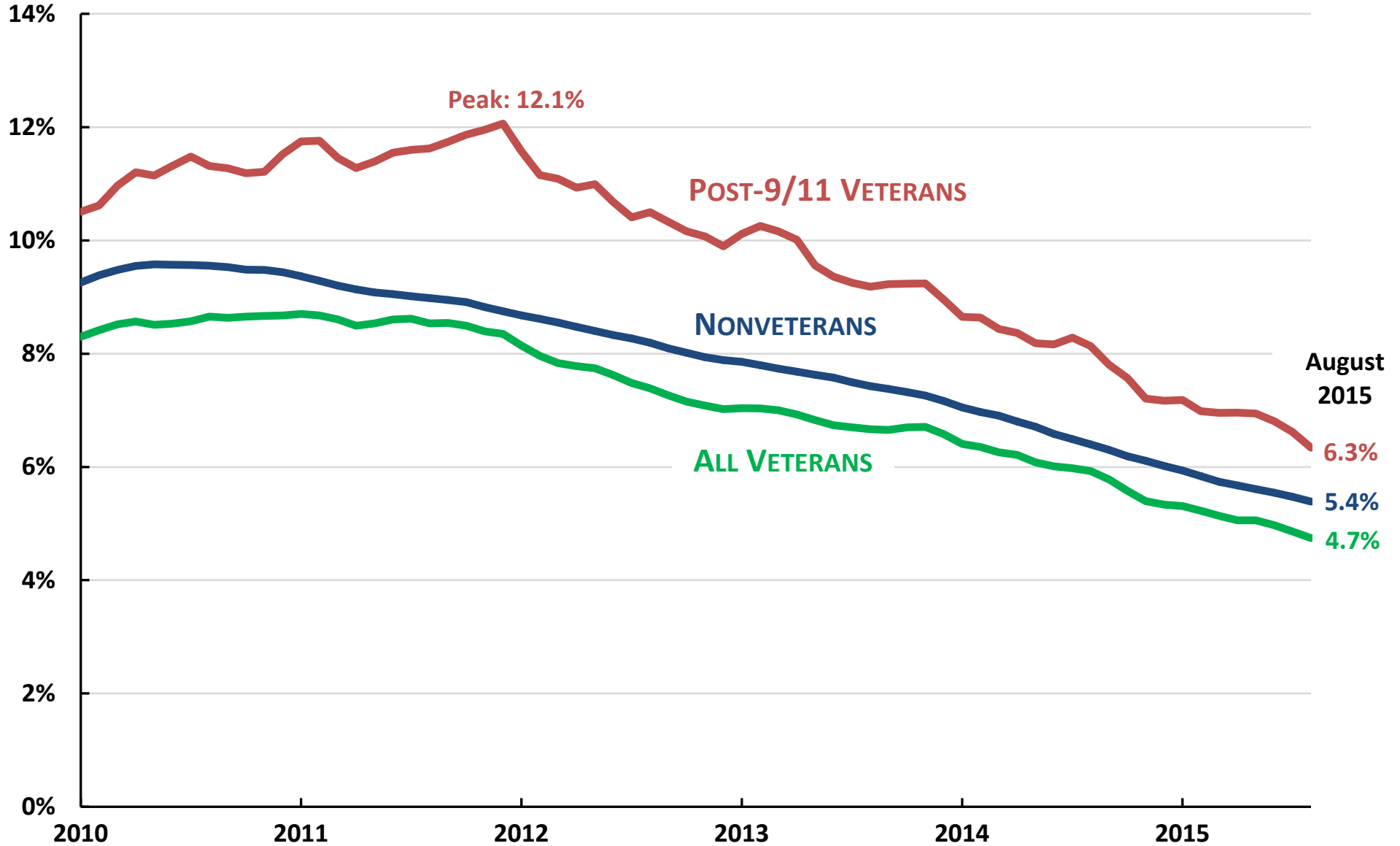


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Veterans' Unemployment Rates

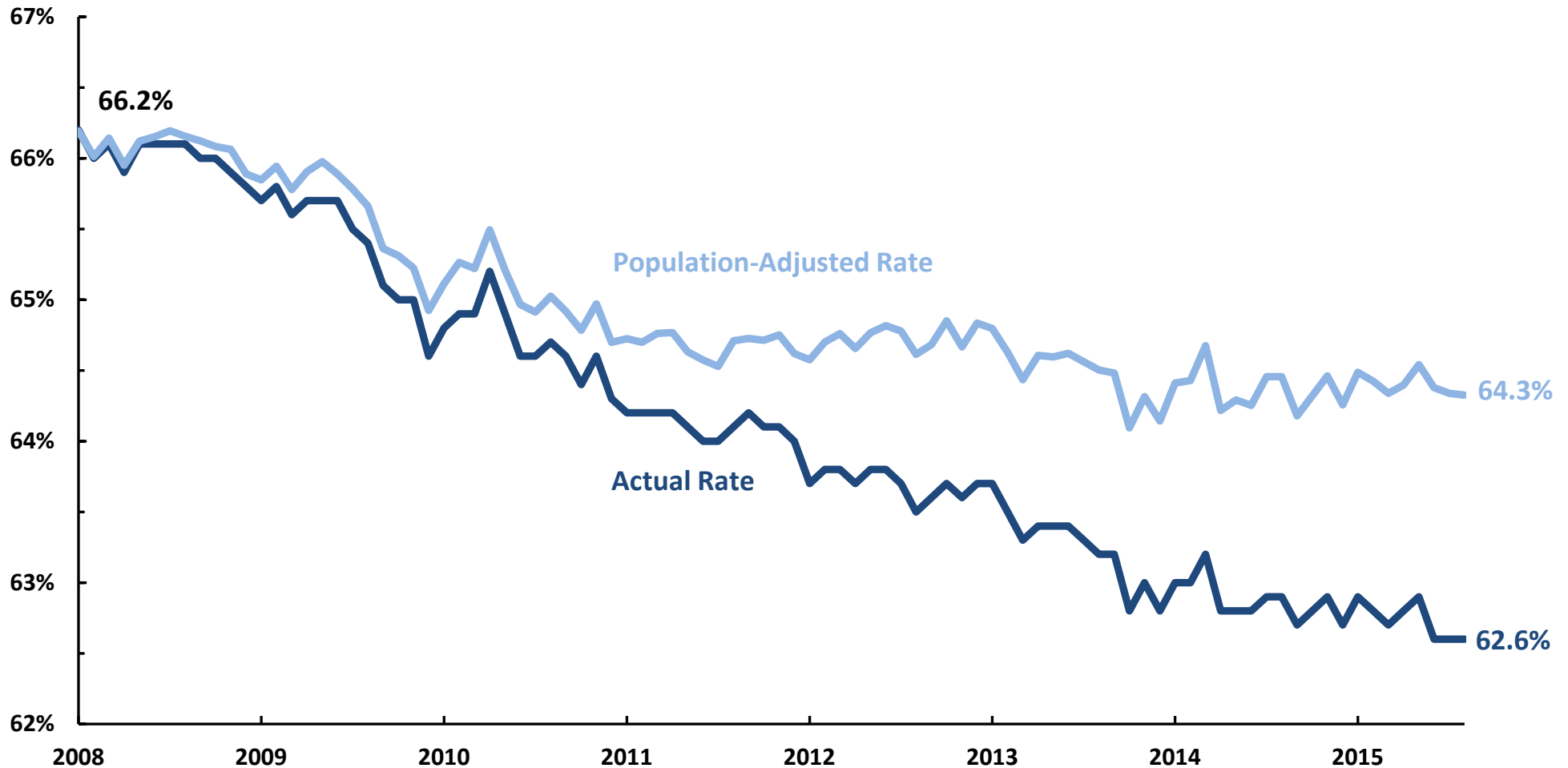
12-month moving averages, January 2010 to August 2015



Source: JEC Democratic staff calculations using data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (updates next on October 2, 2015)

Ageing Trends Explain Half of Decline in Labor Force Participation Rate

January 2008 to August 2015



Source: JEC Democratic staff calculations based on data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics (updates next on October 2, 2015)

Note: The "Population-Adjusted Rate" calculation denotes what the "Actual Rate" would be without aging trends starting in the year 2008