

The Outlook for Missoula and Ravalli Counties

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Missoula County Profile

Indicator		Value	State Rank
Total Population, 2016		116,130	2
	Percent change since 2010	6.2%	11
	Median age	35.3	50
	Percent Aged 65 or Older	13.6%	
	Percent with Bachelors Degree or Higher (Age 25+)	41.8%	2
	Percent without Health Insurance Coverage, 2015	12.1%	48

Source: U.S. Census Bureau



Missoula County Profile

Indicator		Value	State Rank
Earnings per Job, 2016		\$43,410	9
	Construction	\$54,660	13
	Manufacturing	\$43,388	12
	Retail Trade	\$31,501	17
	Transportation and Warehousing	\$57,028	13
	Information	\$54,112	9

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Ravalli County Profile

Indicator		Value	State Rank
Total Population, 2016		42,088	7
	Percent change since 2010	4.7%	13
	Median age	48.1	18
	Percent Aged 65 or Older	22.8%	
	Percent with Bachelors Degree or Higher (Age 25+)	25.8%	16
	Percent without Health Insurance Coverage, 2015	19.3%	12

Source: U.S. Census Bureau



Ravalli County Profile

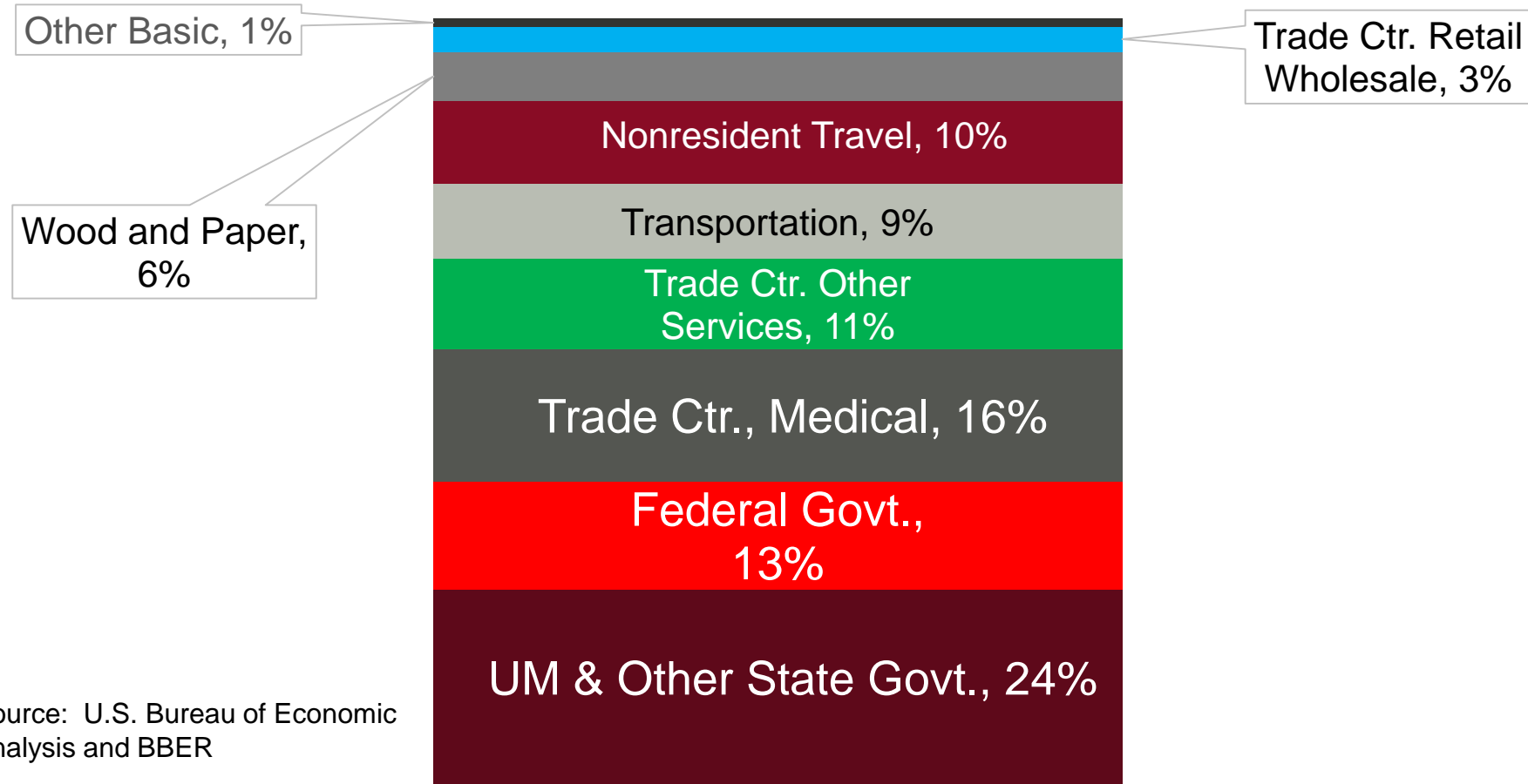
Indicator		Value	State Rank
Earnings per Job, 2016		\$31,020	46
	Construction	\$43,445	29
	Manufacturing	\$33,139	15
	Retail Trade	\$20,889	43
	Information	\$26,500	30

Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Drivers of Economic Activity

Percent Share of Income in Basic Industries, Missoula County

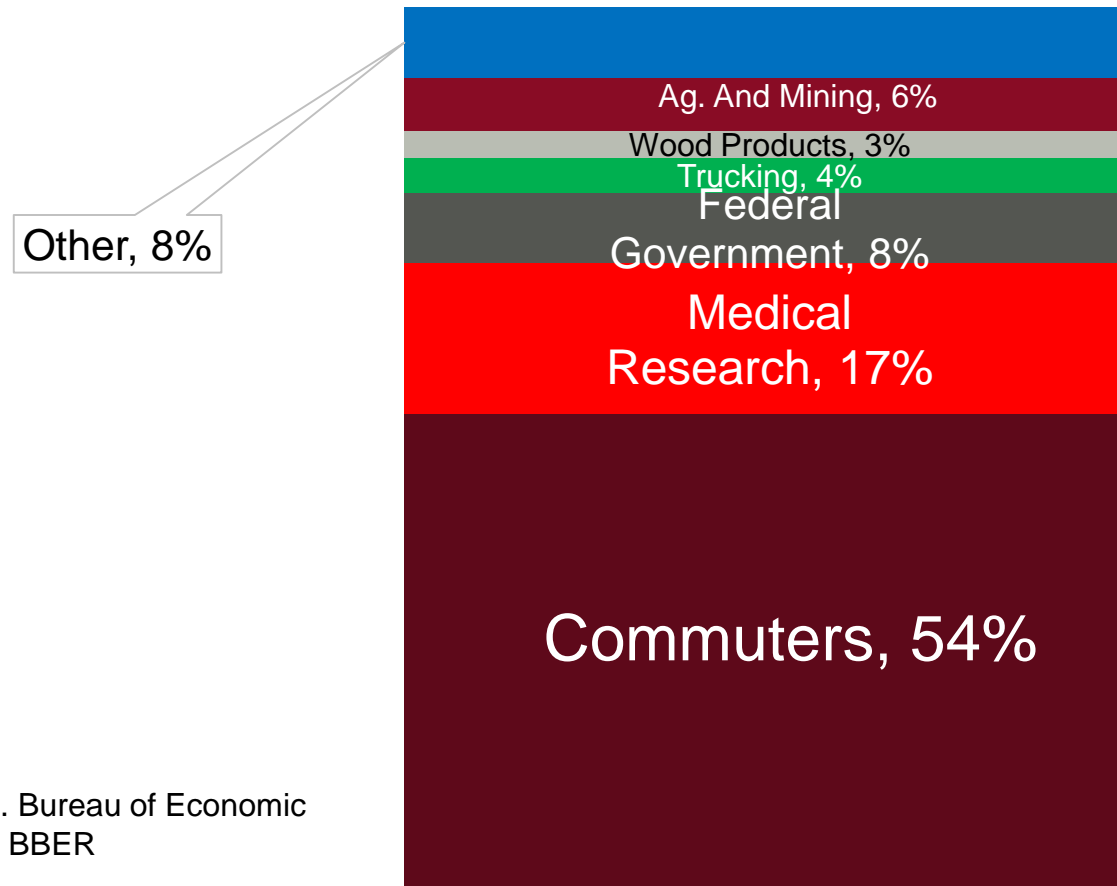


Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis and BBER



Drivers of Economic Activity

Percent Share of Income in Basic Industries, Ravalli County

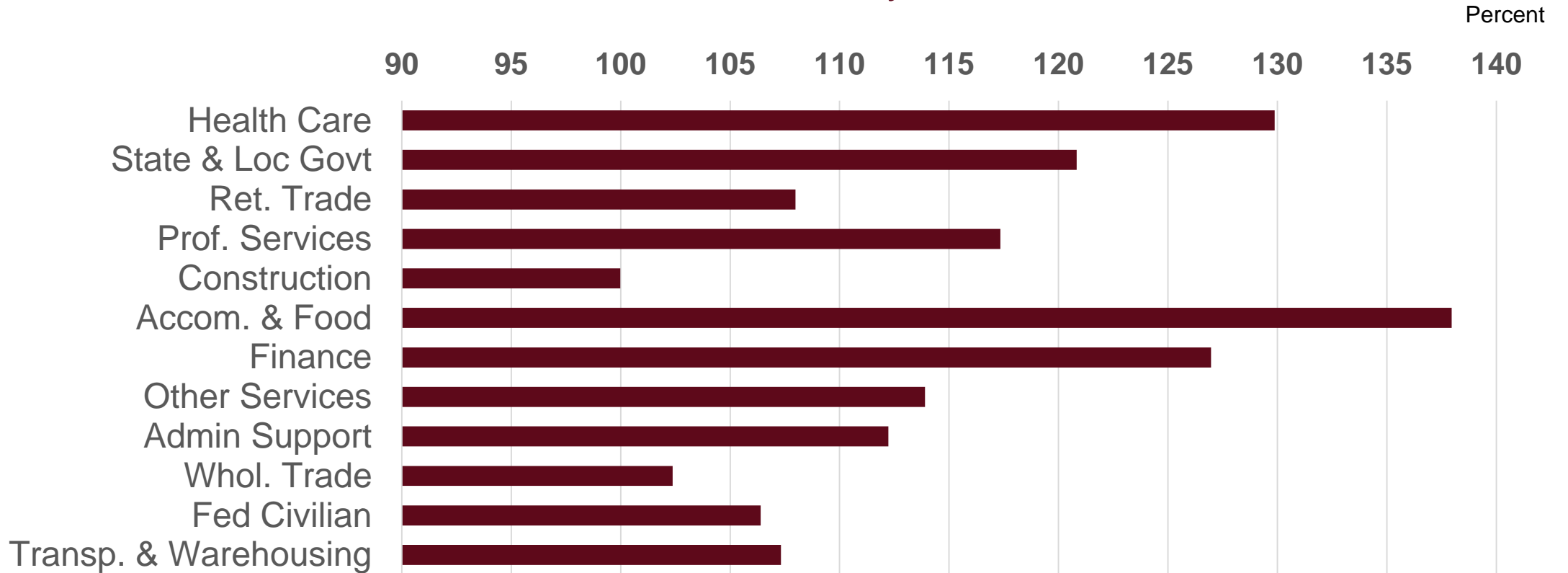


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What Has Grown Since 2007

Inflation Corrected Earnings in 2016 as Percent of 2007
Missoula County

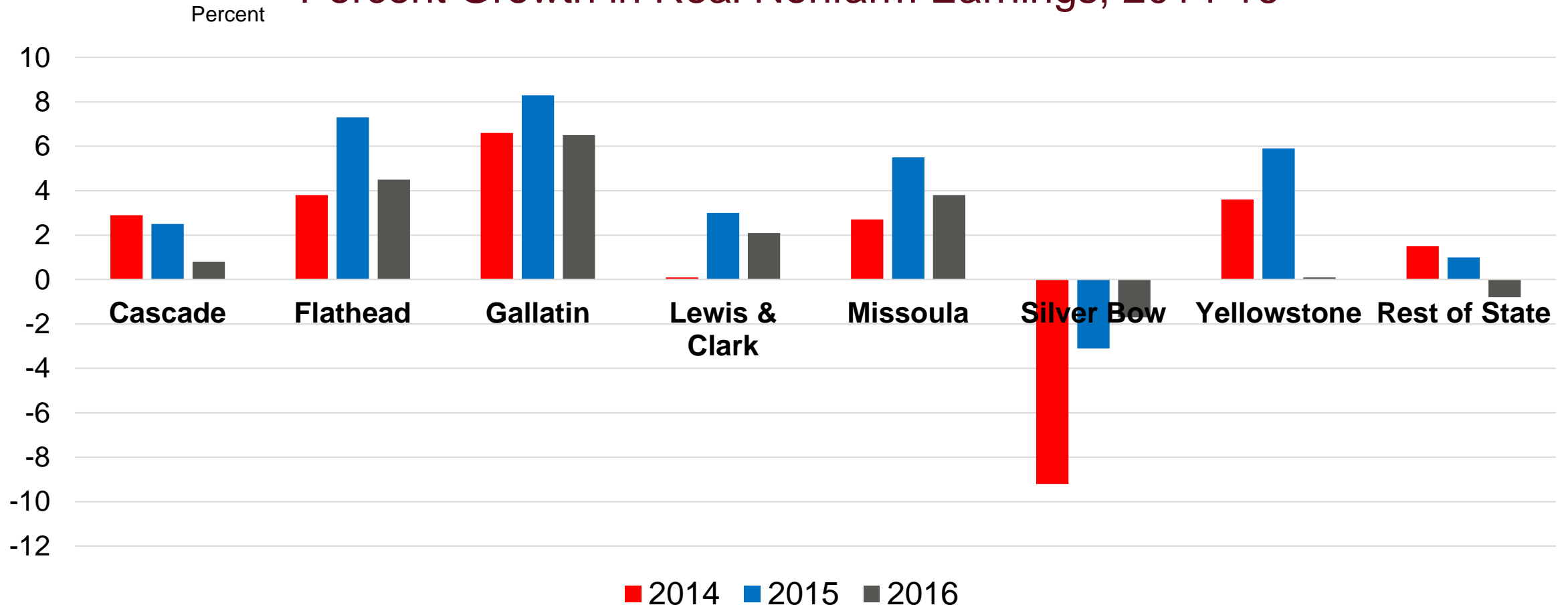


Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



Growth Slowdown in 2016 Widespread

Percent Growth in Real Nonfarm Earnings, 2014-16



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

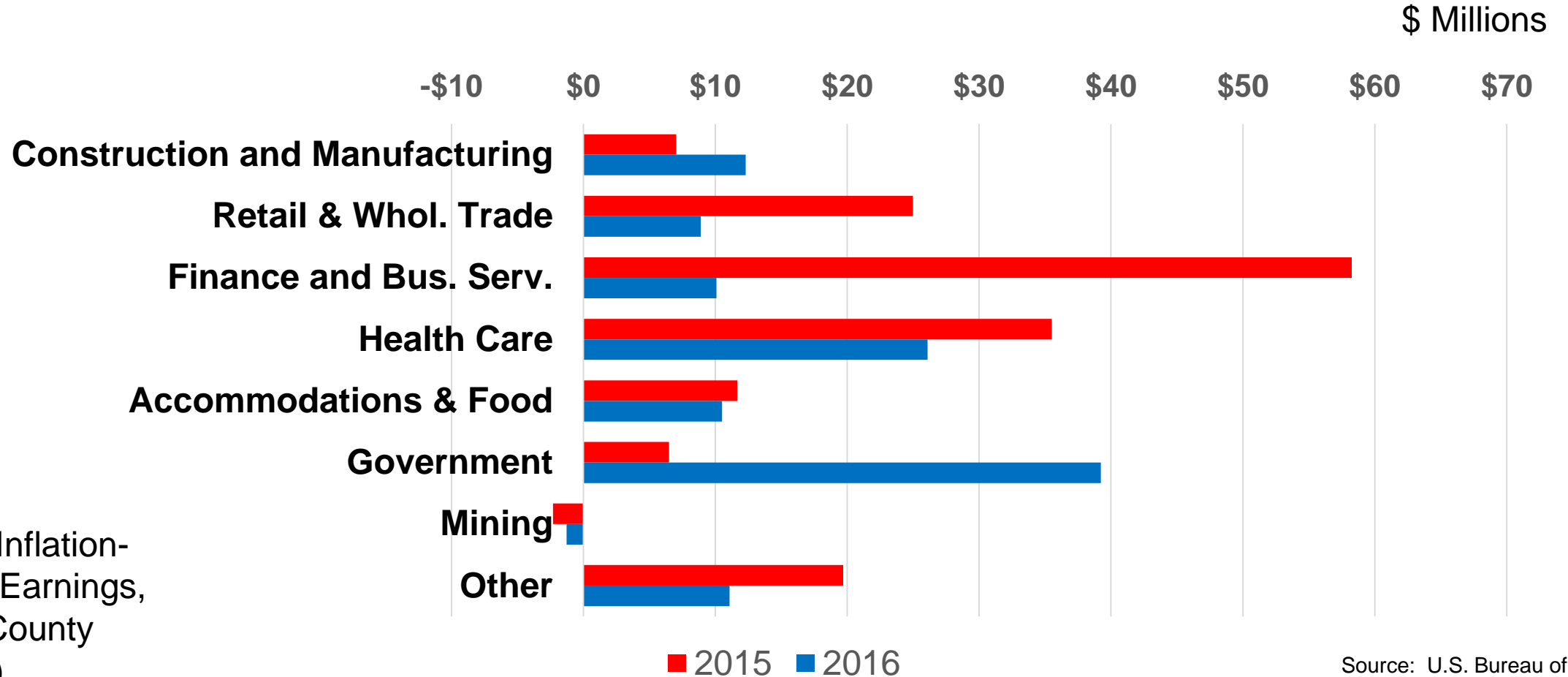


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2018 Missoula and Ravalli Outlook

Government Expanded Significantly in 2016

Missoula County



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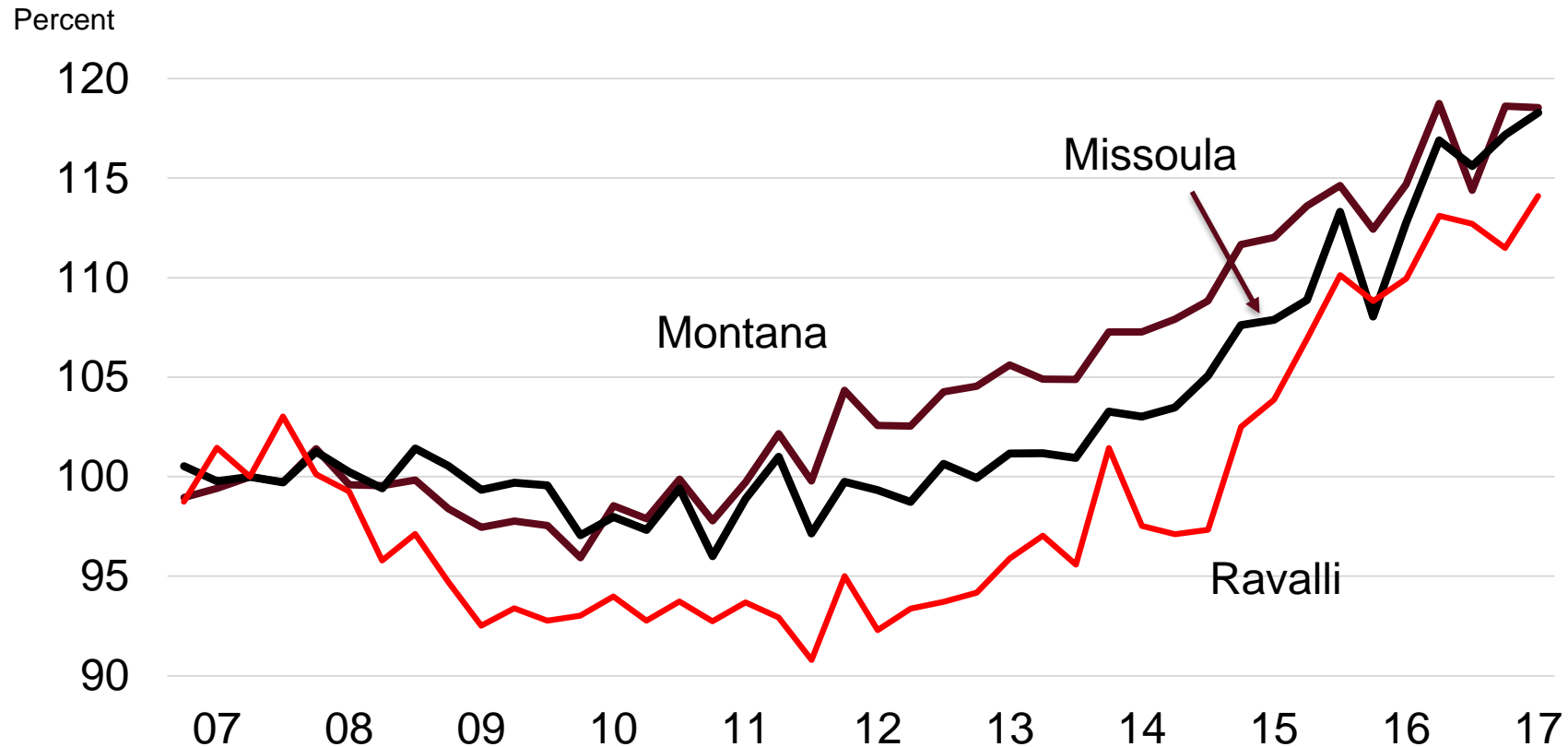


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Strong Wage Growth Continued in 2017

Inflation-Corrected Covered Wages, Index 2007=100



Seasonally adjusted by BBER

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

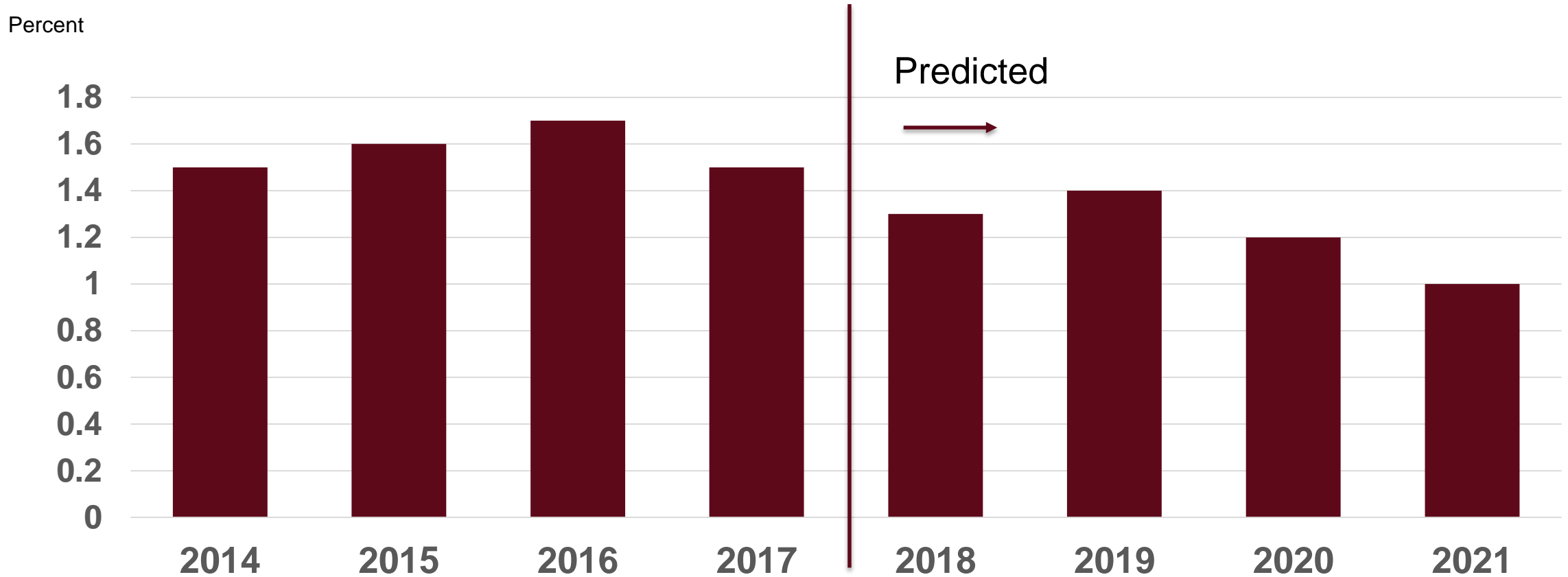


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Steady Job Growth Expected

Employment Growth, Missoula County 2014-21



Source: IHS Markit

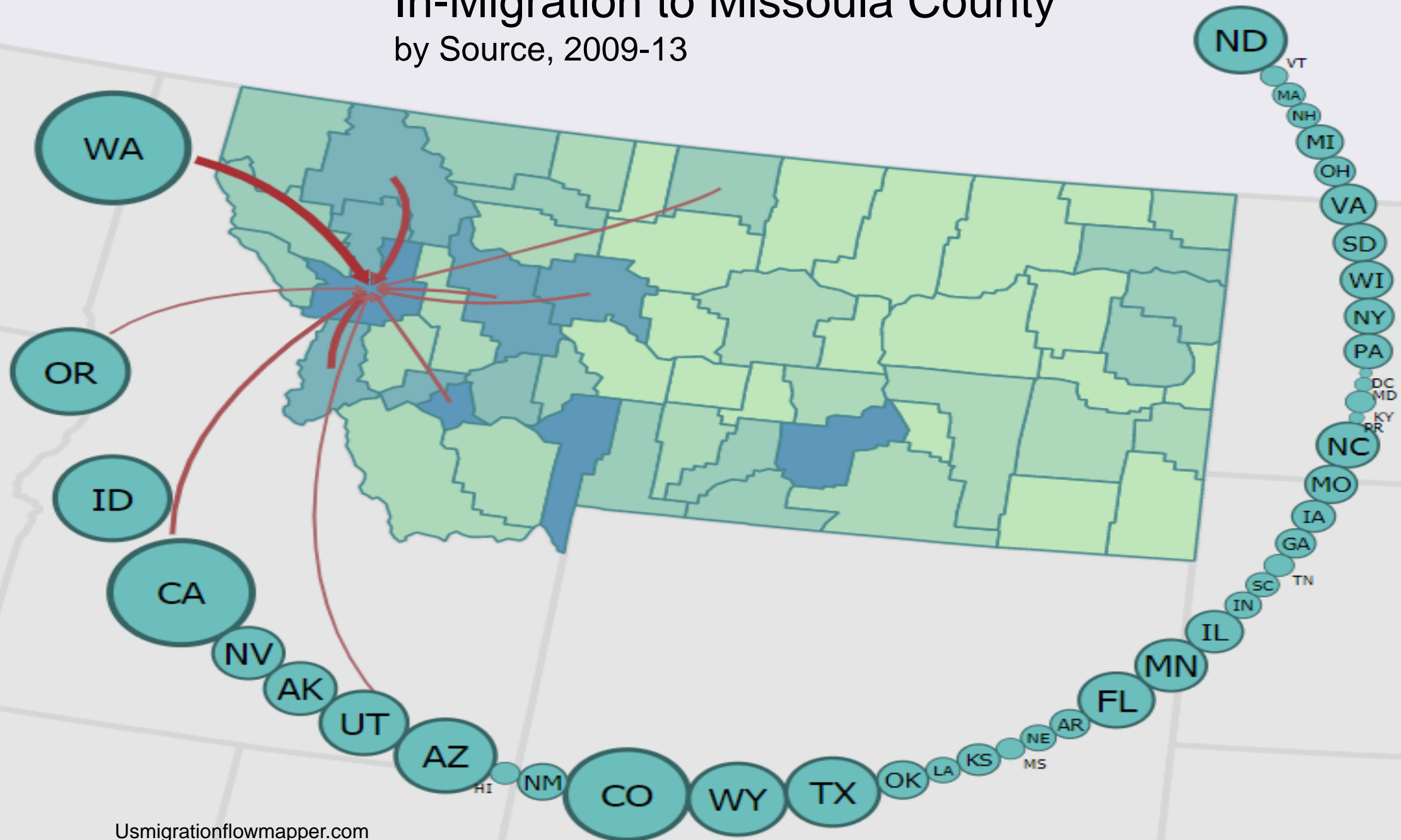


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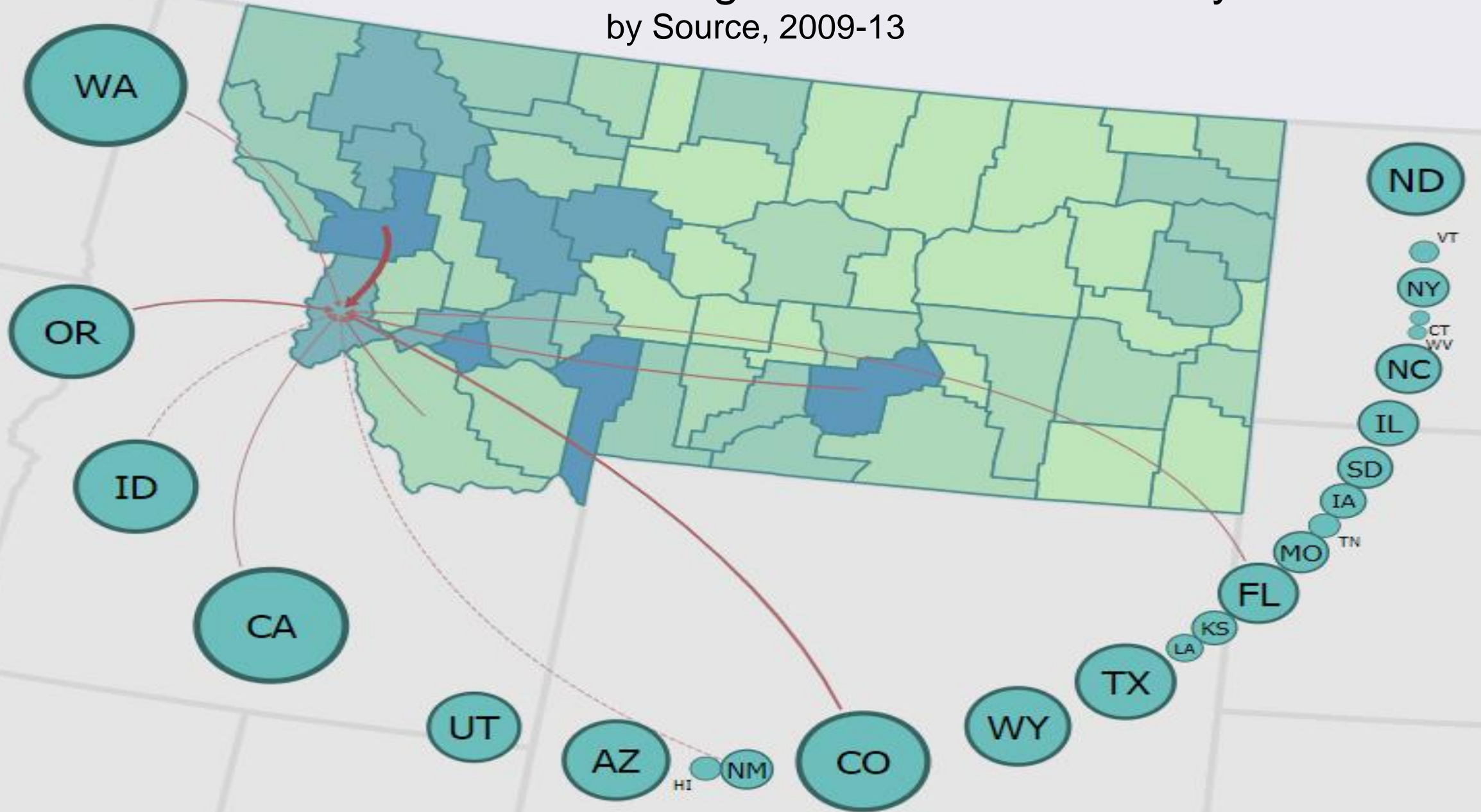
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by Source, 2009-13



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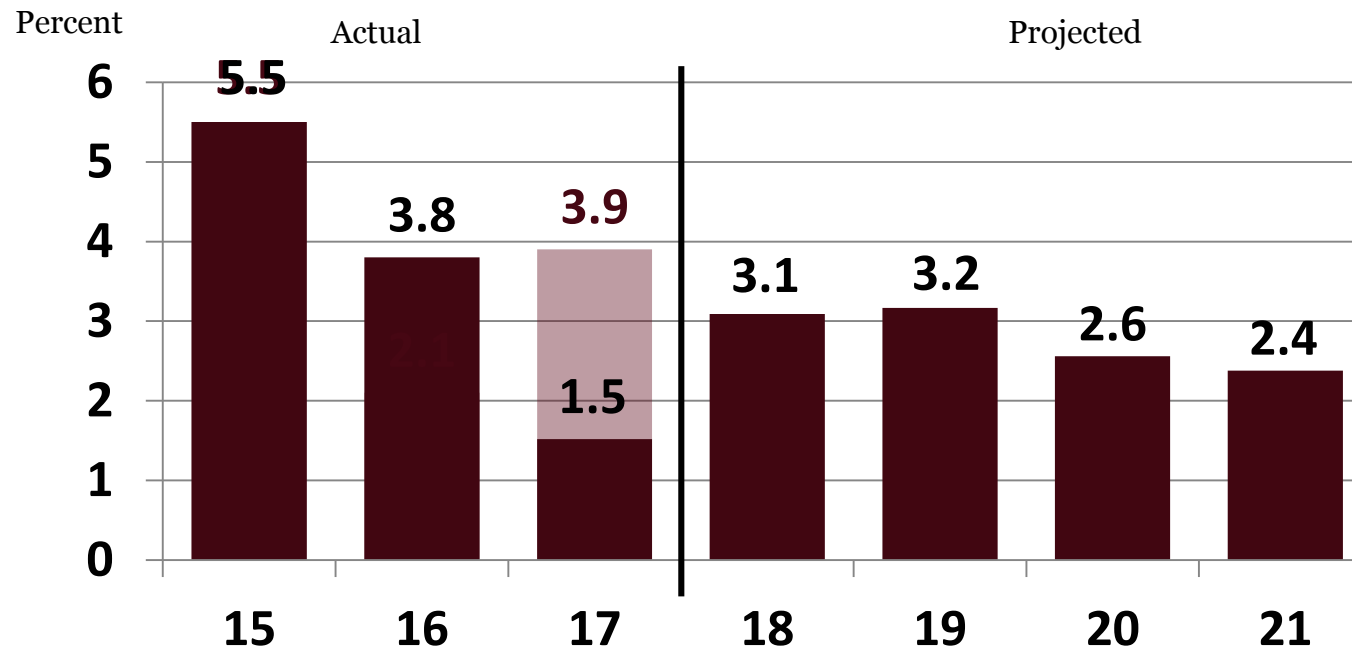


Looking Ahead to 2018

- Missoula's recent growth edging closer to state leaders
- Commercial construction, health care expanding – are they sustainable?
- UM's woes have not yet registered in the data
- Tech development is moving to the forefront
- Growth will be challenged by UM, fallback in construction activity



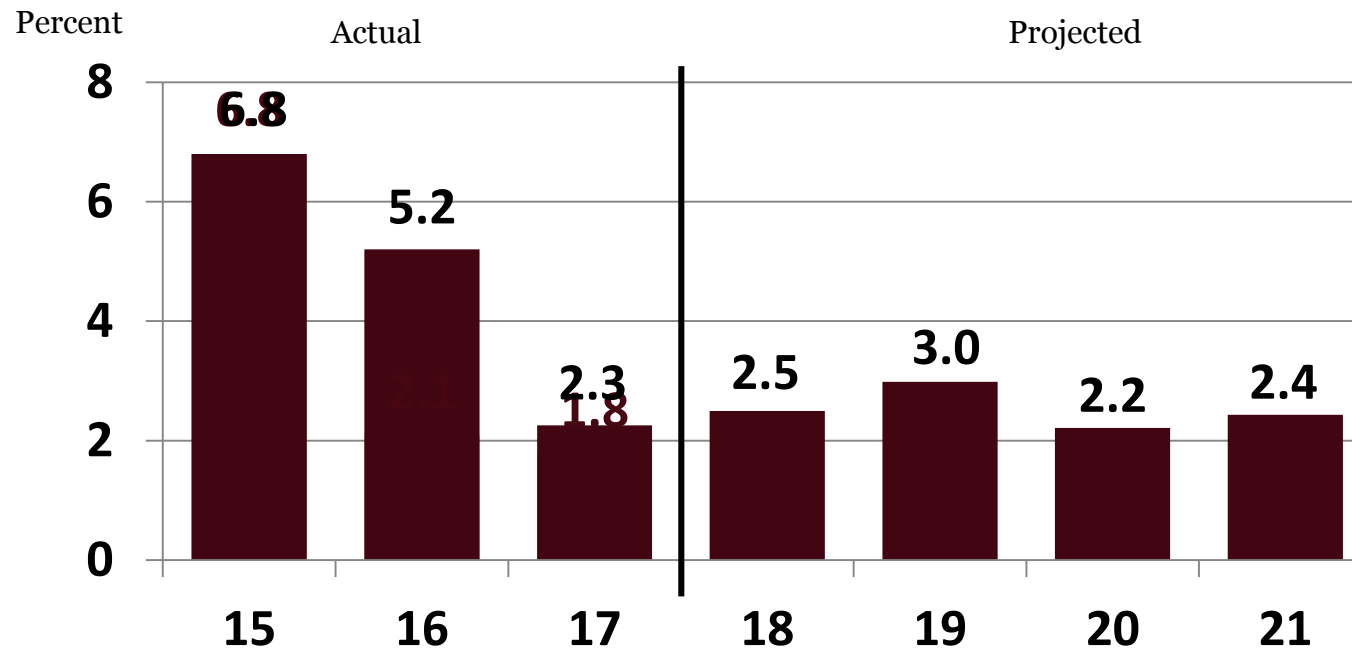
Growth in Nonfarm Earnings, Missoula County, 2015-2021



Source: BBER and U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis



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