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# Hays Regional Economy

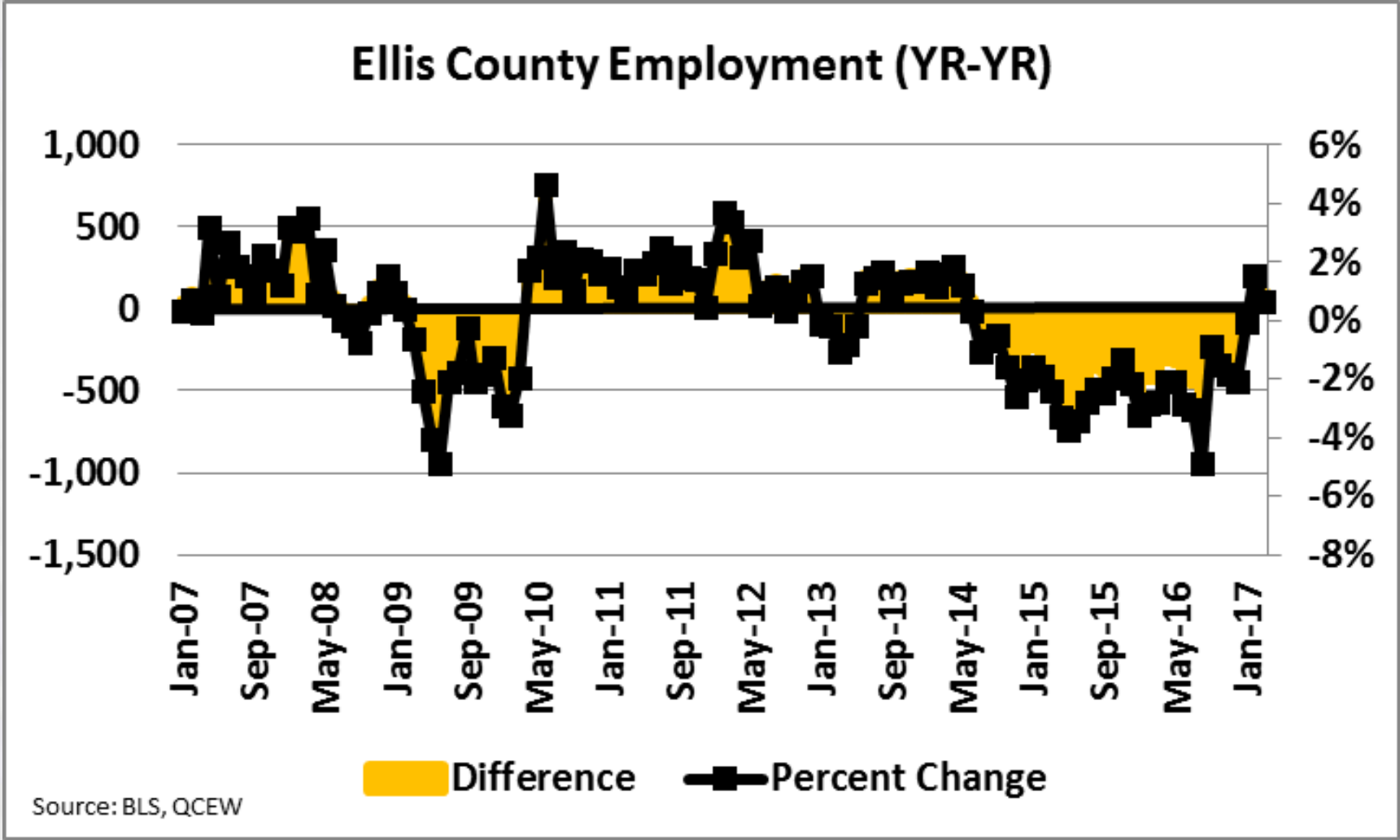
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# General Economic Conditions

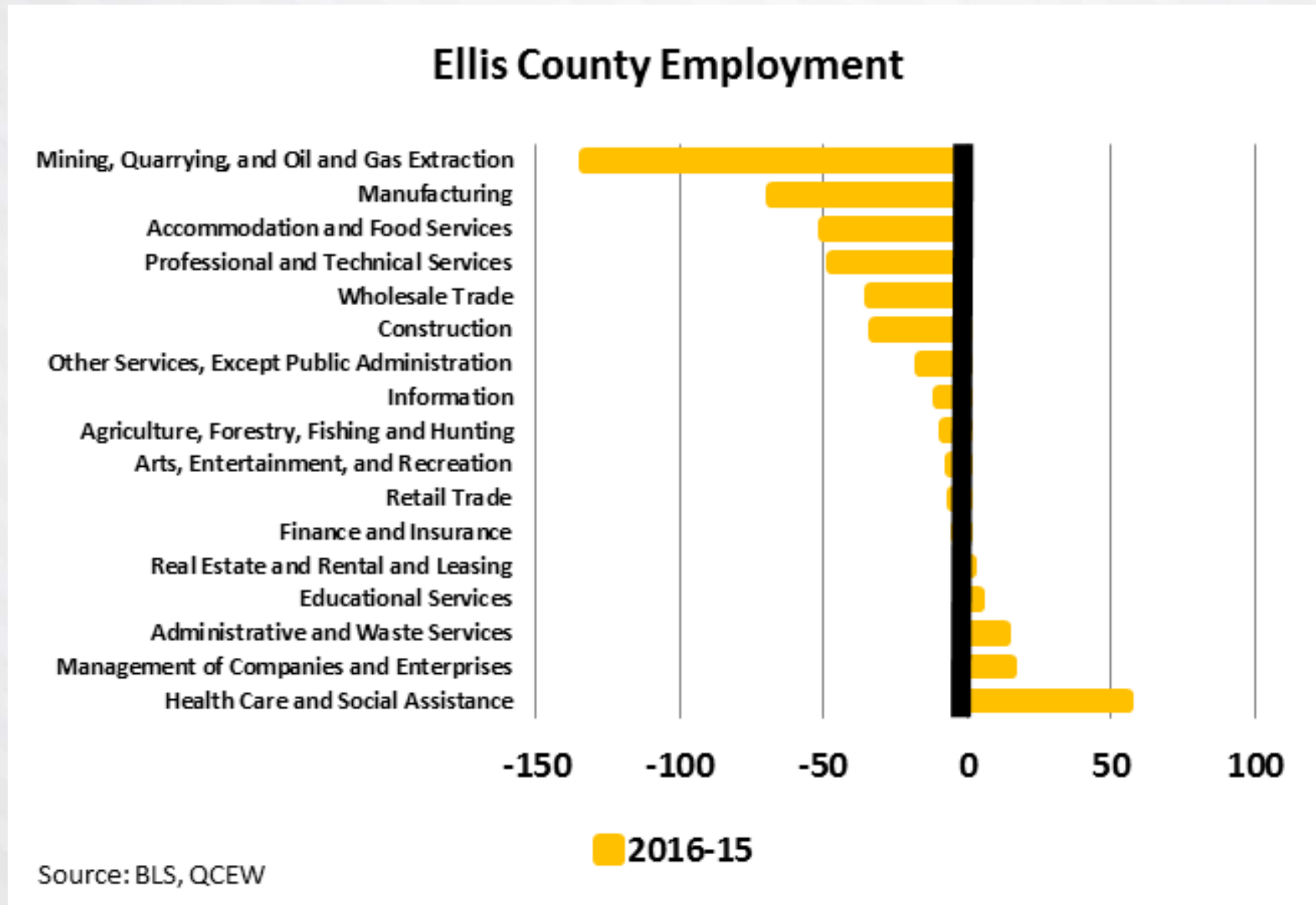
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Is the slowing growth in the Kansas economy  
spilling over to the Hays region?

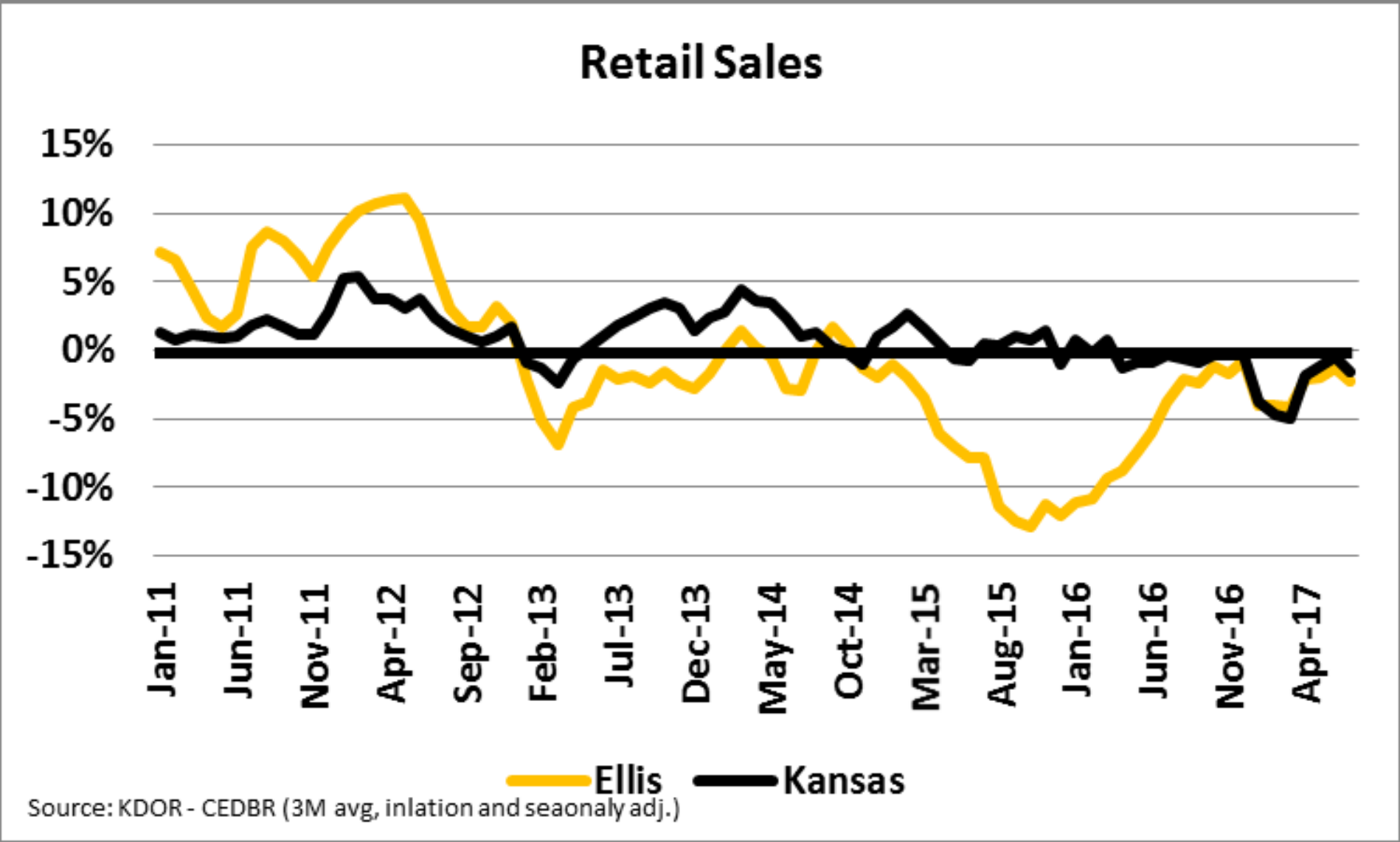
# Ellis County 2017 is showing some improvement



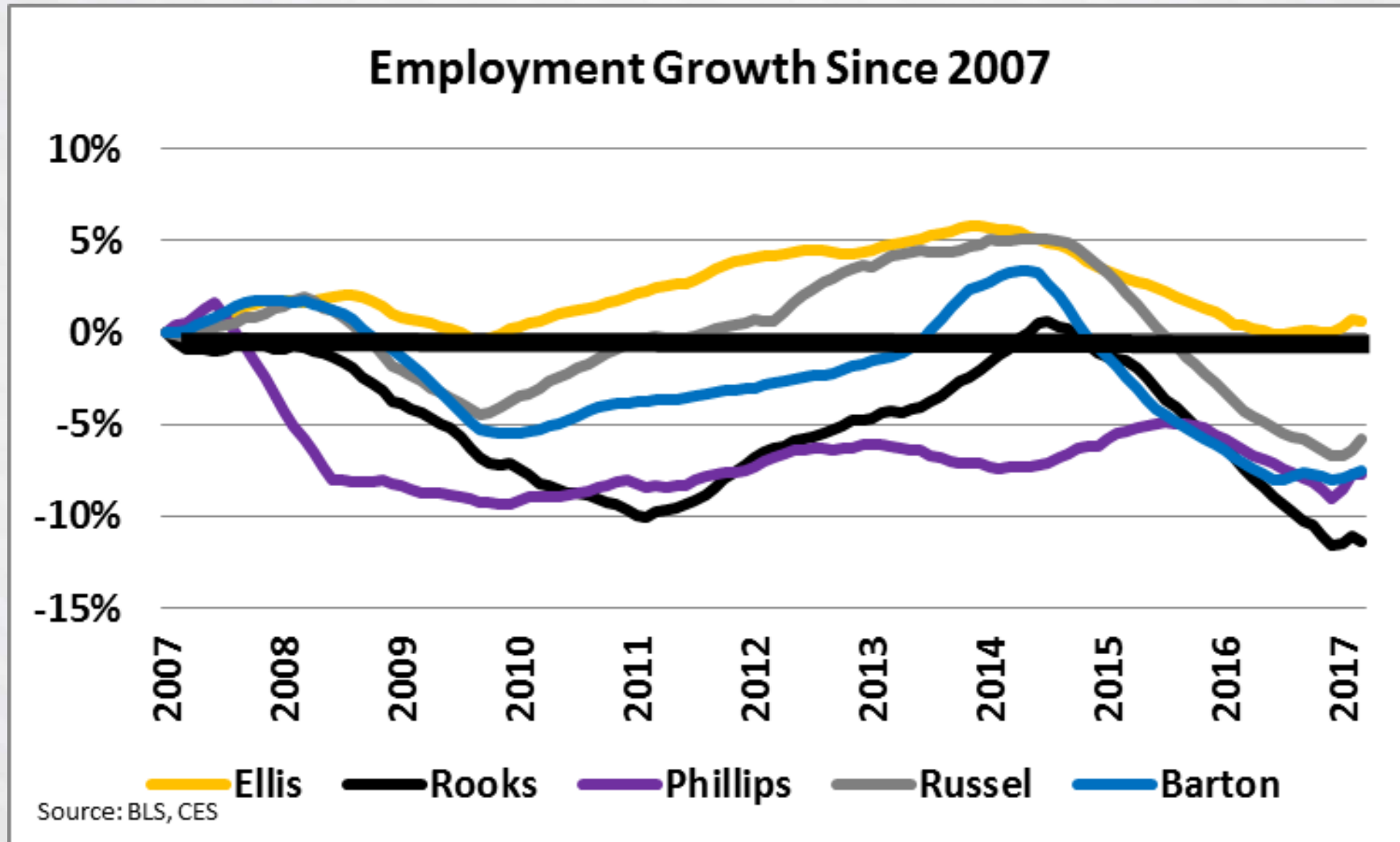
# Weakness in core industries impacted the broader economy



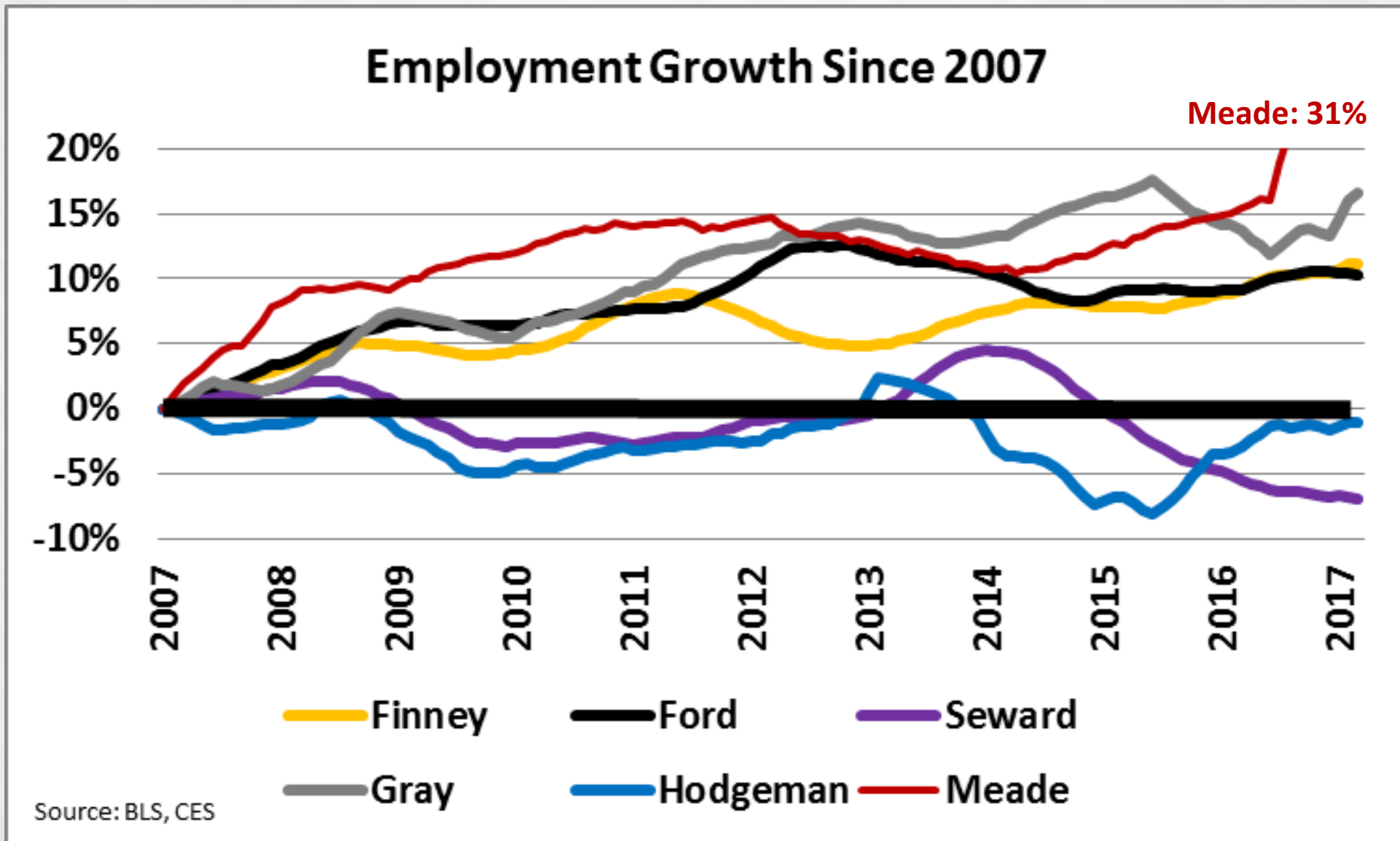
# Retail sales is mirroring economic conditions



# The region has lost ground over the past two years



# The regional economy is bigger than it was a decade ago



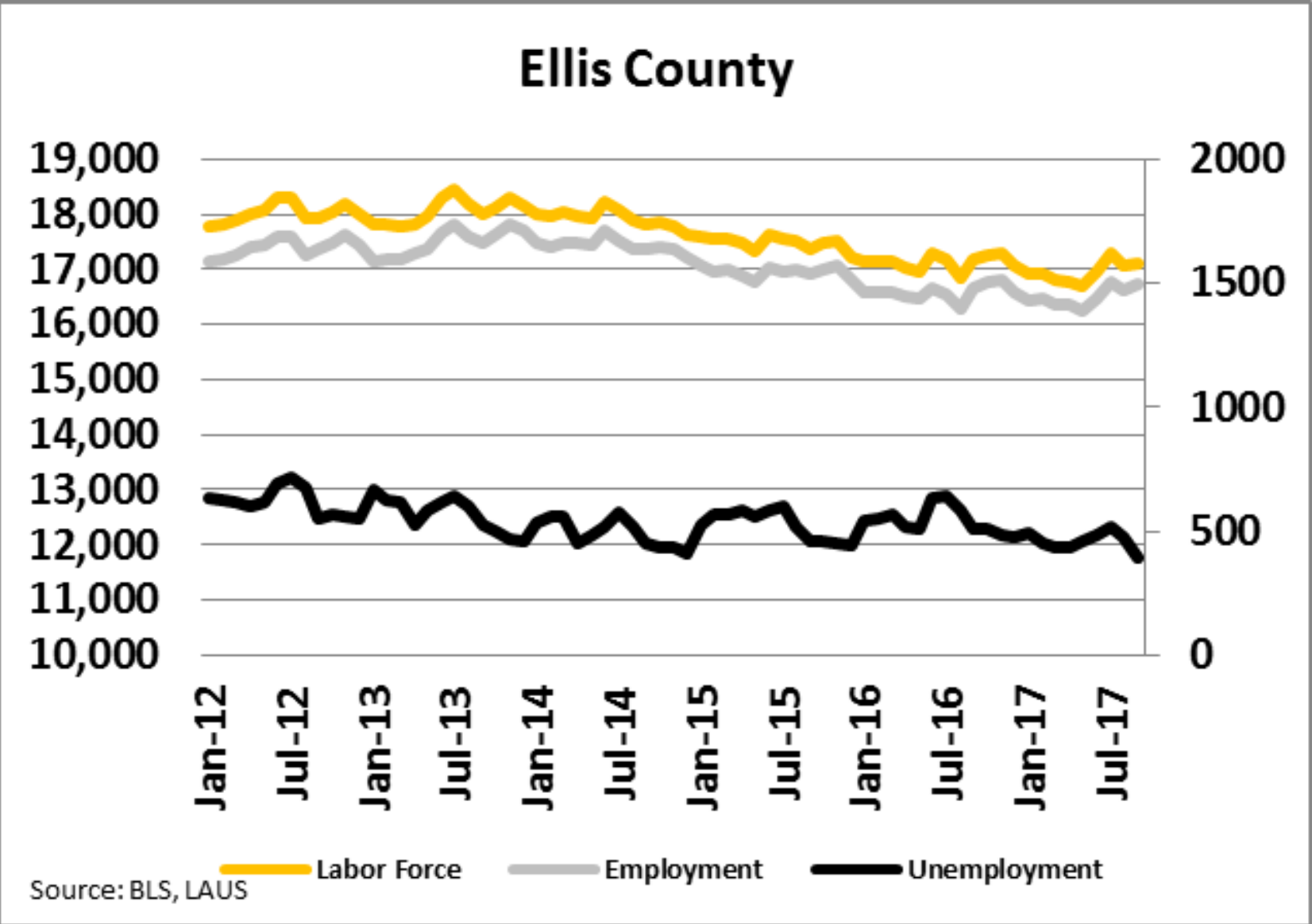
# Labor Market

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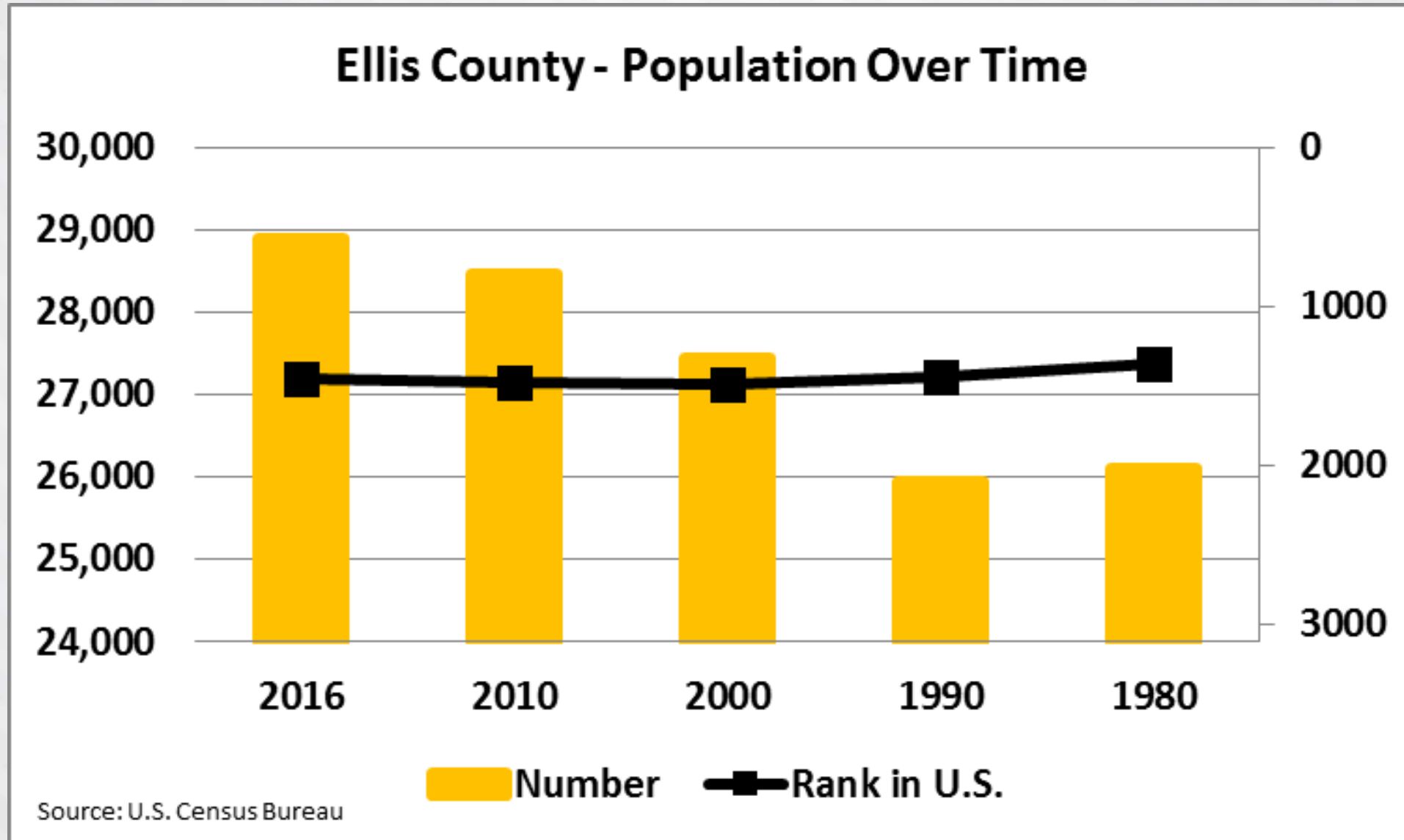
How tight is the regional labor market?



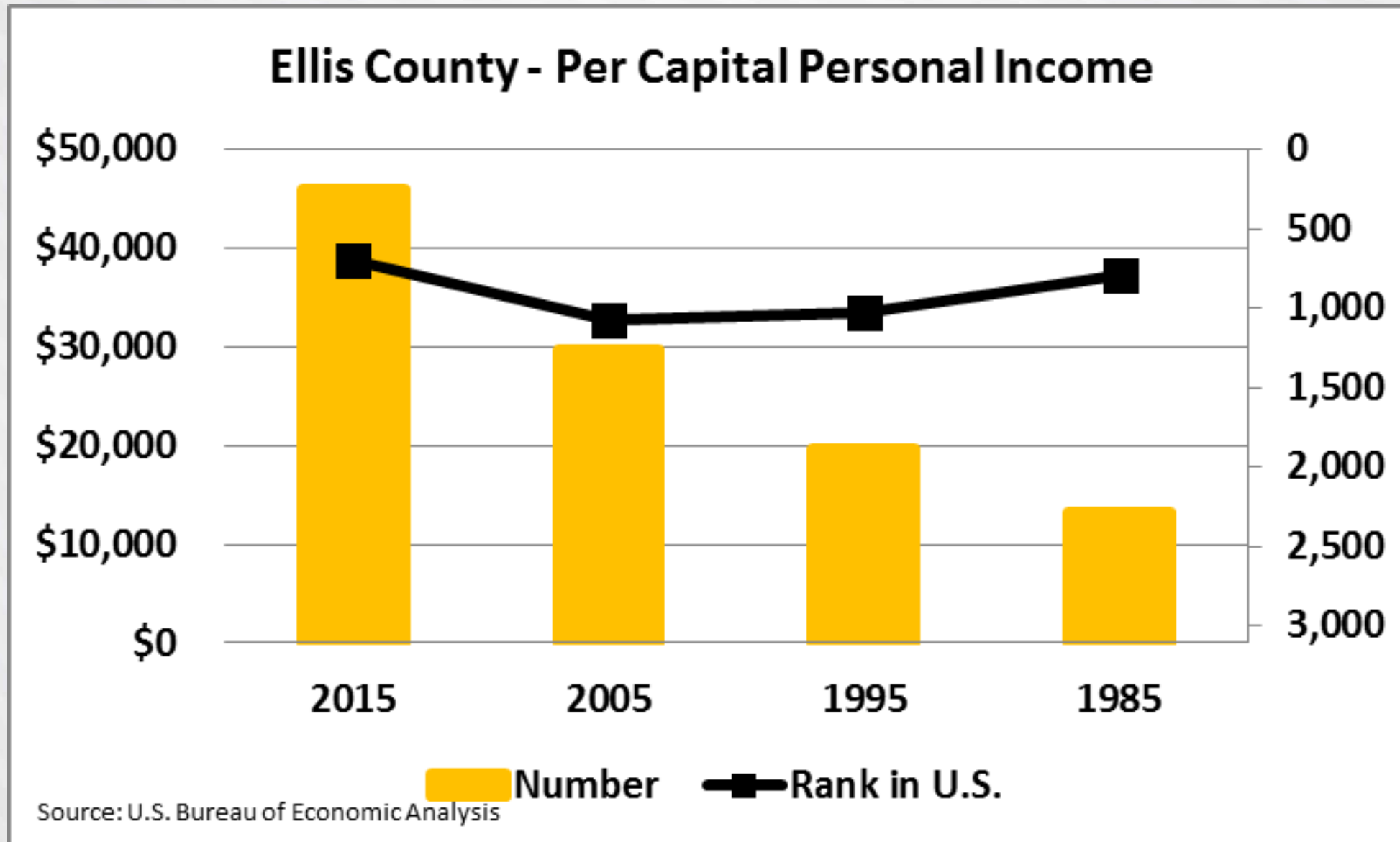
# Labor market (Levels)



# The county is growing and improving on the ranking



# Lots of improvement on income



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