

## Learn About Your State's Economy With GDP

**Activities** (2018 data)

### Part C: GDP Growth Rate

Compare the maps and lists labeled **Nominal GDP (Handout No. 1)** and **Real GDP Growth (Handout No. 2)**.

8. On the **real GDP growth** map, the states shaded darkest had the fastest annual economic growth. Are the states with the fastest growing economies always the states with the largest **nominal** GDP? Yes or No
  
9. Find your state in the **real GDP growth** list. What was your state's real GDP growth rate for 2018? \_\_\_\_\_
  
10. Where did your state's real GDP growth rank among all 50 states?  
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11. The nation's real annual GDP growth for 2018 was 2.9 percent. Did your state's economy grow faster or slower (or at the same rate)?  
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12. What are some possible benefits of economic growth? \_\_\_\_\_

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