

### Data Retrieval Chart

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Indicator	Current Status	Change from last year	Trend??	What do these results and/or trends suggest for the health of the economy?
<b>Gross Domestic Product</b>				
<b>Consumer Price Index (CPI)</b>				
<b>Industrial Production</b>				
<b>Change in Nonfarm Payroll</b>				
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>				

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Imagine that you are the Chair of the President's Council of Economic Advisors. You need to prepare a briefing for the president on the status of the economy. Based on the current performance of these indicators, write a 1-2 paragraph briefing paper.

Now imagine that the President wants to know what the economy's performance will be next year at this time. Based on the current performance of these indicators, write a 1-2 paragraph briefing paper predicting the economy's performance next year.