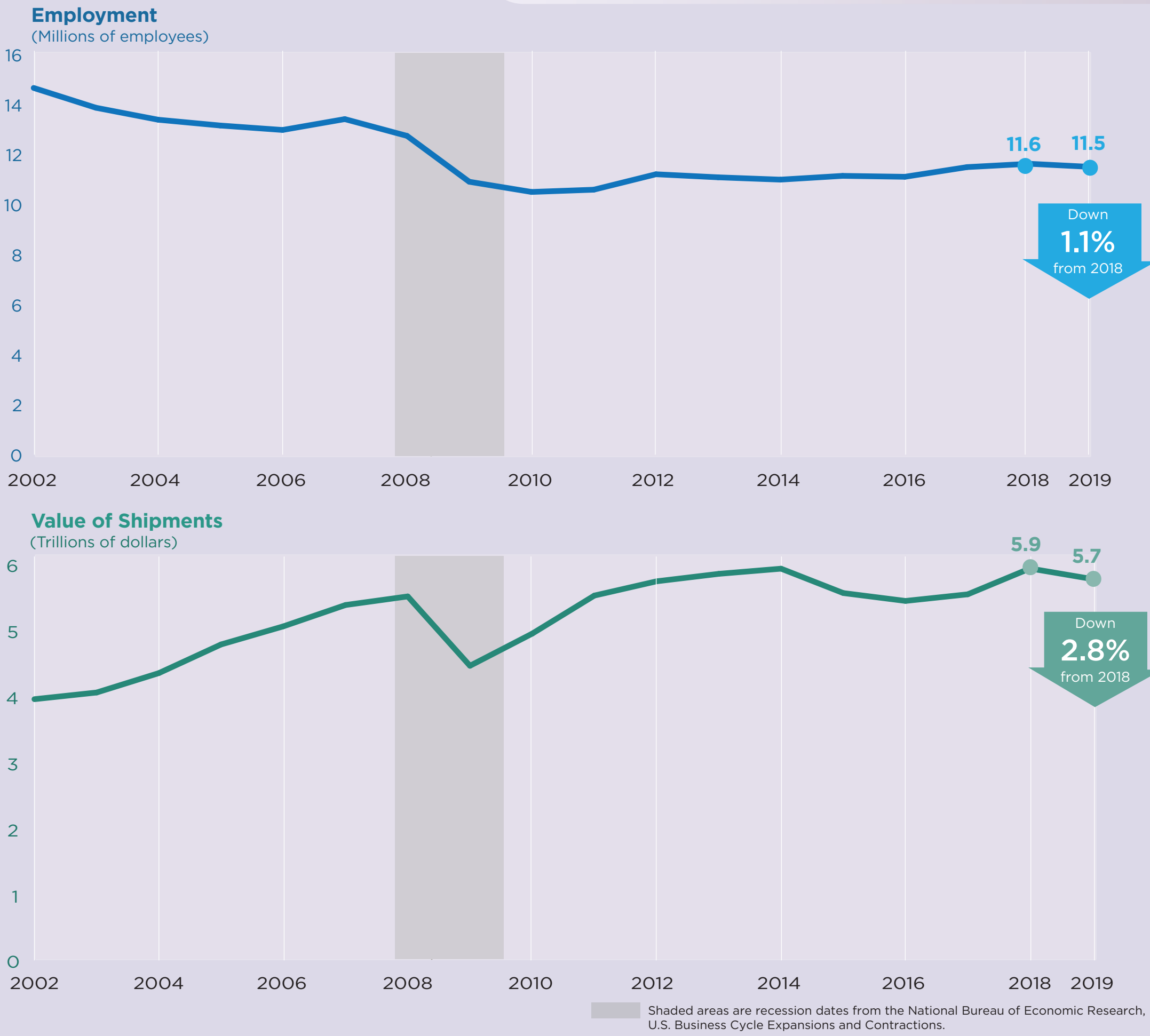


Manufacturing Data From the Annual Survey of Manufactures

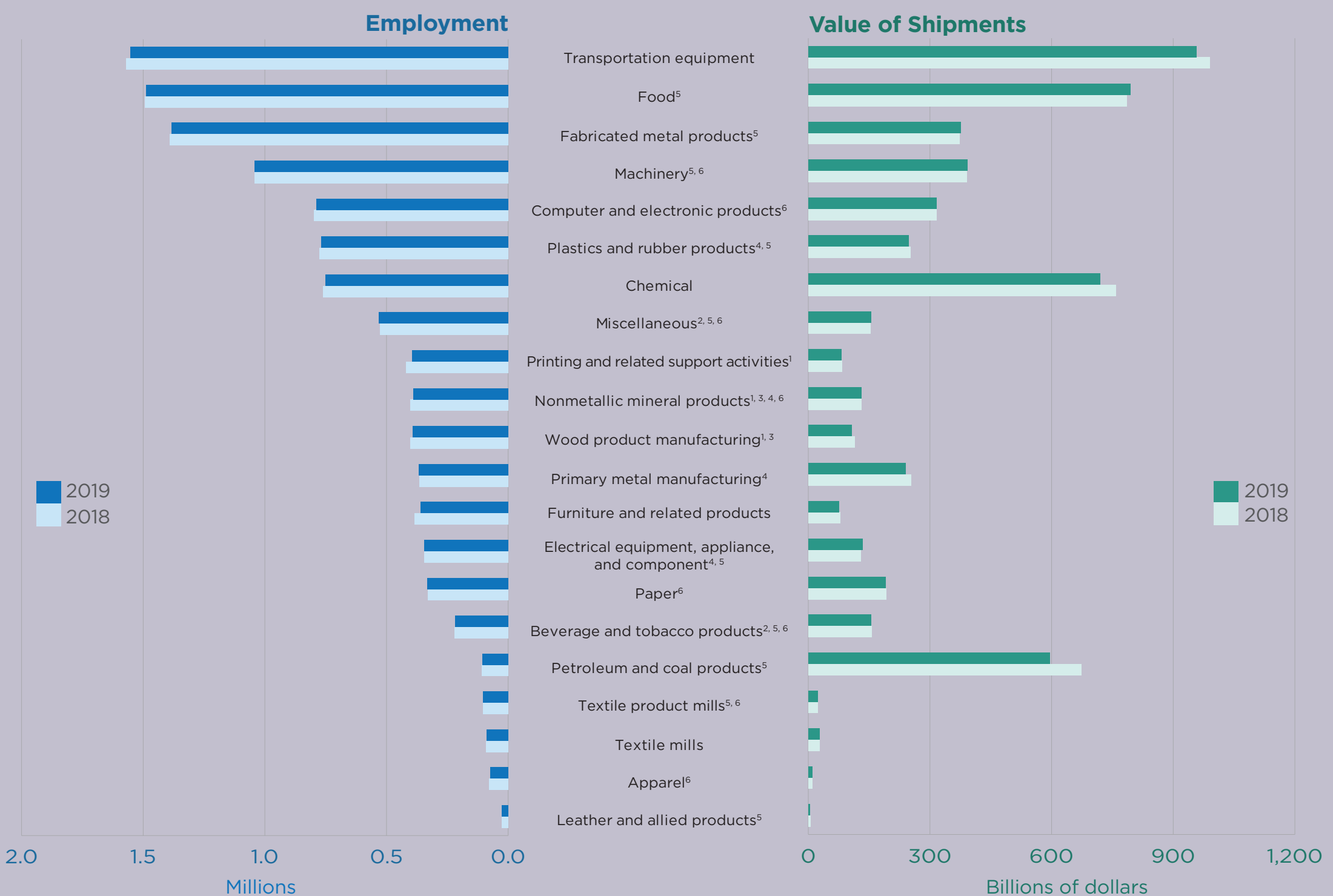
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The U.S. Census Bureau collects data on the Annual Survey of Manufactures (ASM) to provide key intercensal measures of the nation's manufacturing activity on an annual basis. The ASM provides estimates of domestic production and productivity helping decision-makers create sound economic policies.

Manufacturing Establishments' Value of Shipments and Employment Decreased From 2018 to 2019



Manufacturing Employment and Value of Shipments Decreased From 2018 to 2019



¹The difference between the 2019 employment estimates, within each pair of subsectors, is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for printing and related support activities and wood product manufacturing; wood product manufacturing and nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing.

²The difference between the 2019 value of shipments estimates, within each pair of subsectors, is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for miscellaneous manufacturing and beverage and tobacco product manufacturing.

³The difference between the 2018 employment estimates, within each pair of subsectors, is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for wood product manufacturing and nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing.

⁴The difference between the 2018 value of shipments estimates, within each pair of subsectors, is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for nonmetallic mineral products manufacturing and electrical equipment, appliance, and component manufacturing; plastics and rubber products manufacturing and primary metal manufacturing.

⁵The difference between the 2019 and 2018 employment estimates is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for this subsector.

⁶The difference between the 2019 and 2018 value of shipments estimates is not statistically significant at the 90 percent level for this subsector.

Note: The statistics in this report are estimated from sample surveys and are subject to sampling variability and nonsampling error, including bias and variance from response, nonreporting, and undercoverage. The ASM is conducted annually, except for years ending in 2 and 7, at which time ASM statistics are included in the manufacturing sector of the Economic Census. More information about the ASM and the ASM methodology is available at <www.census.gov/programs-surveys/asm.html>. More information on the Economic Census is available at <www.census.gov/programs-surveys/economic-census.html>. Estimates of value of shipments have not been adjusted for price changes.