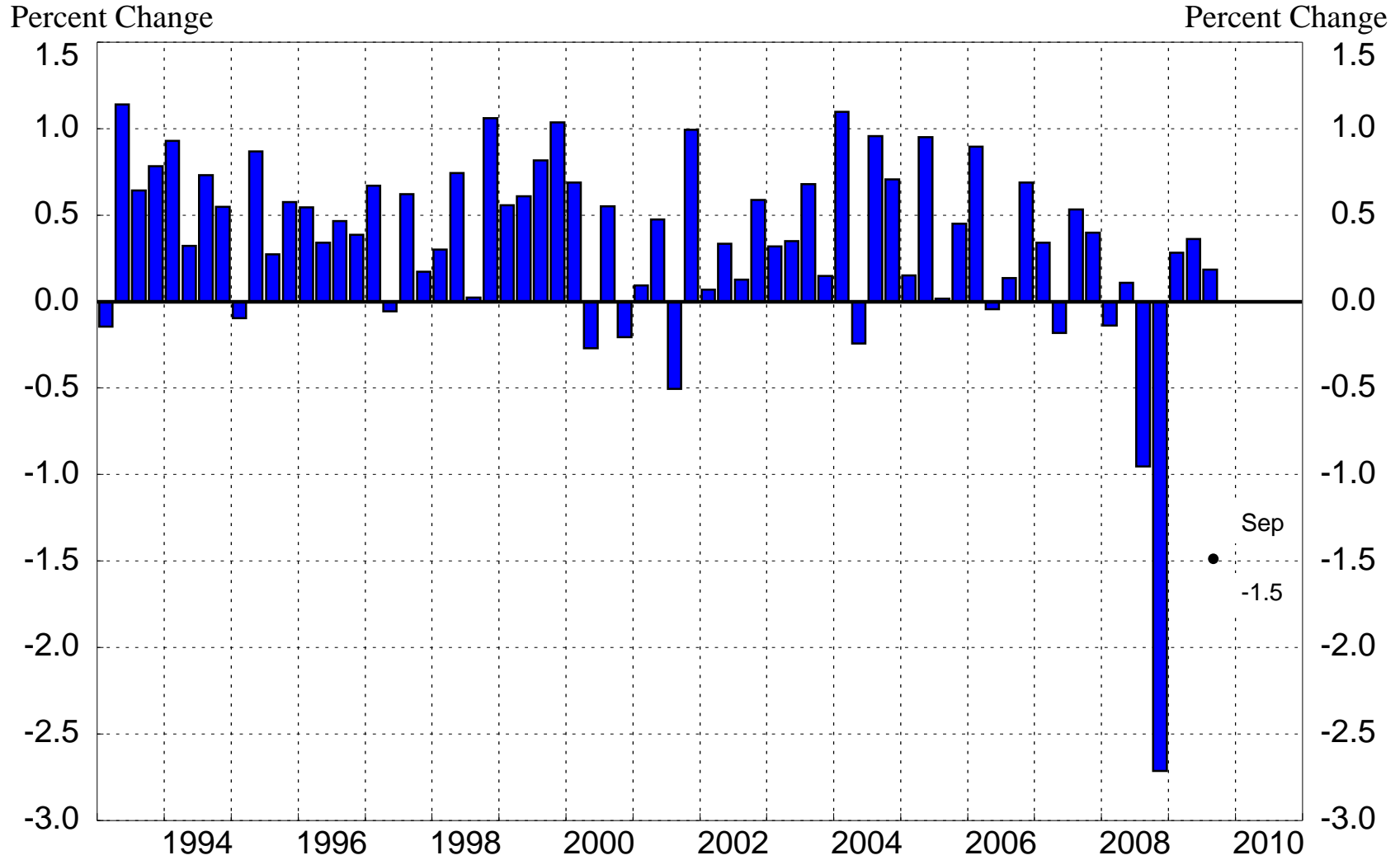


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* Percent change based on quarterly average levels.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census