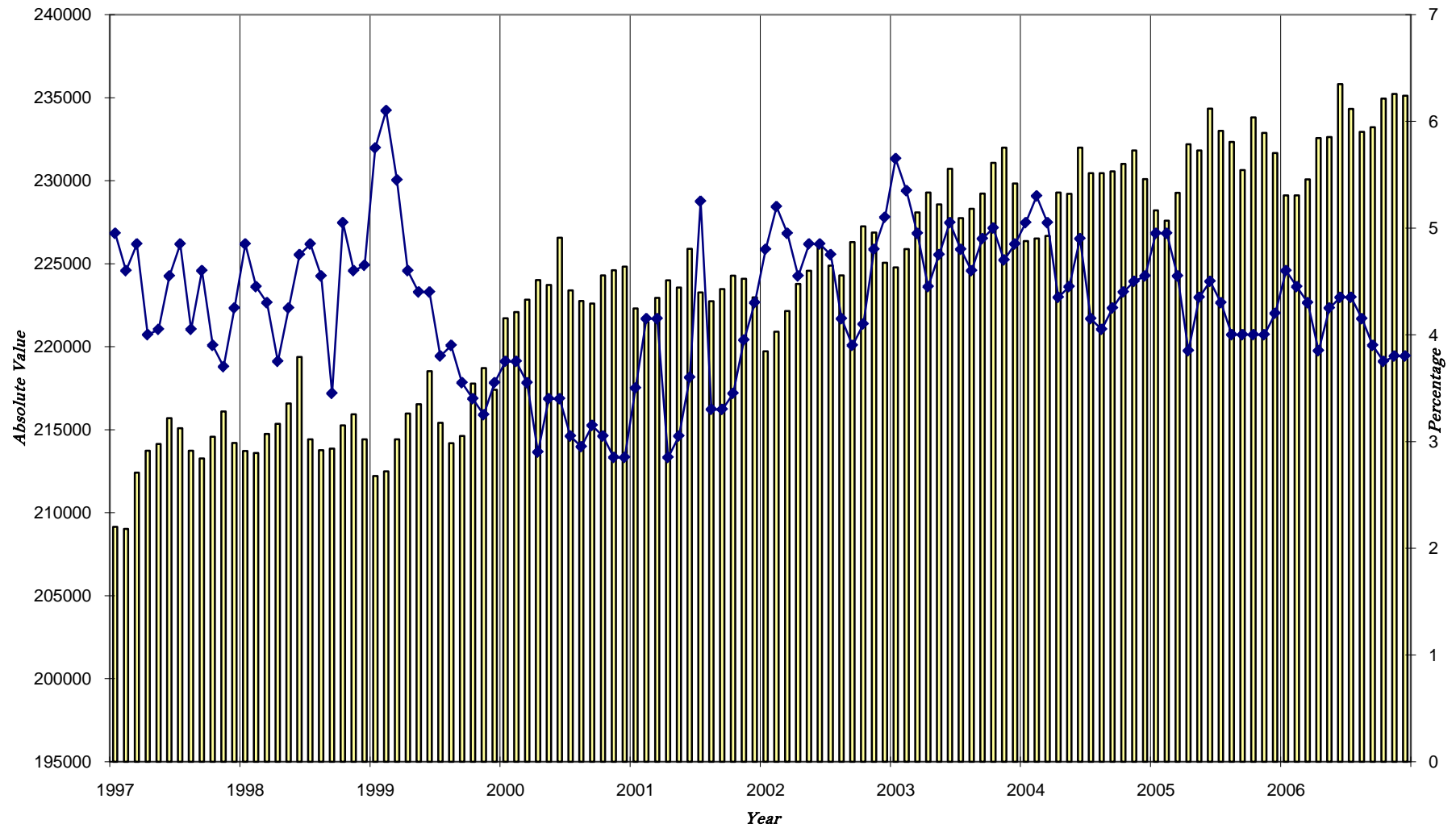


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January 1997 - December 2006

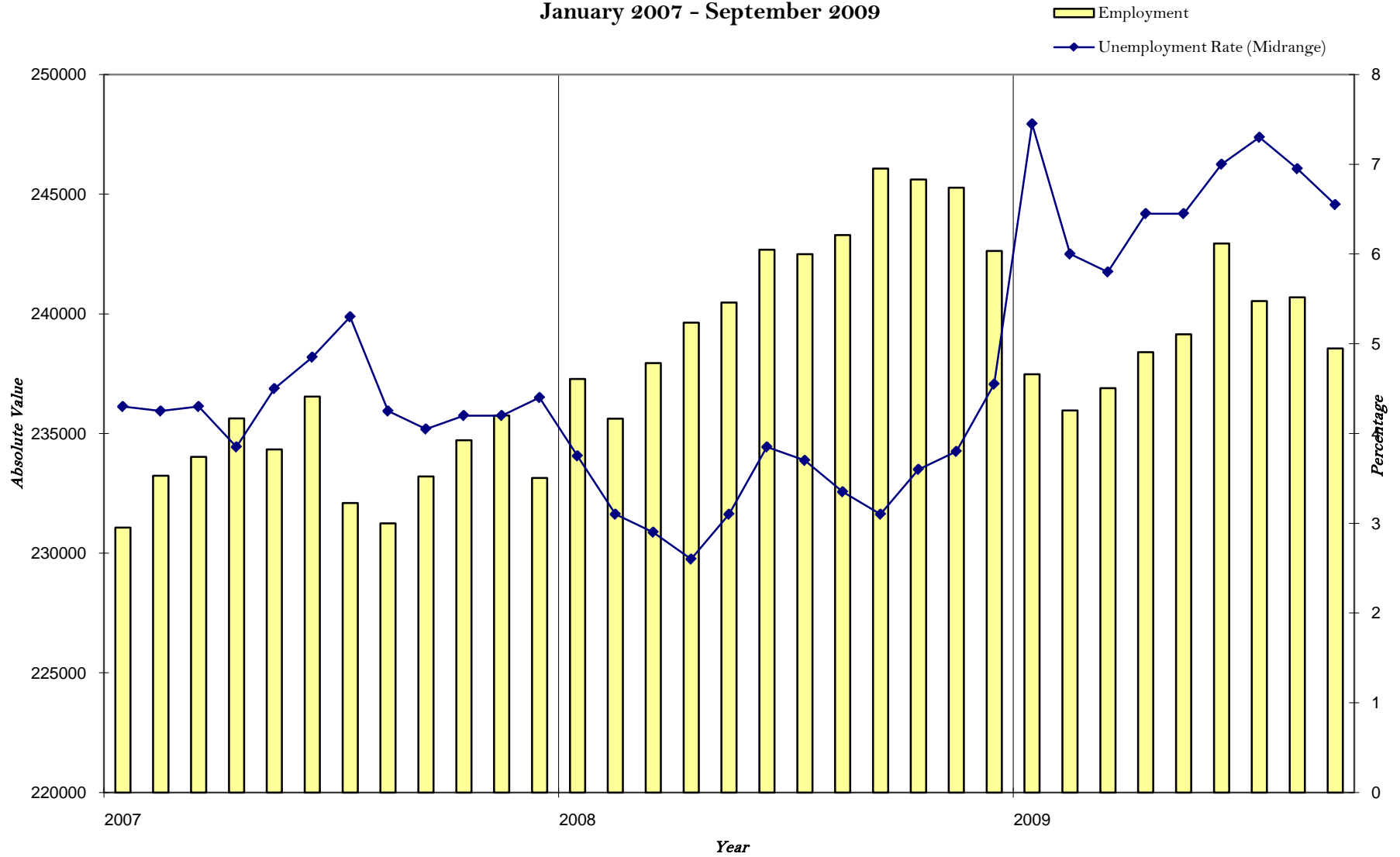
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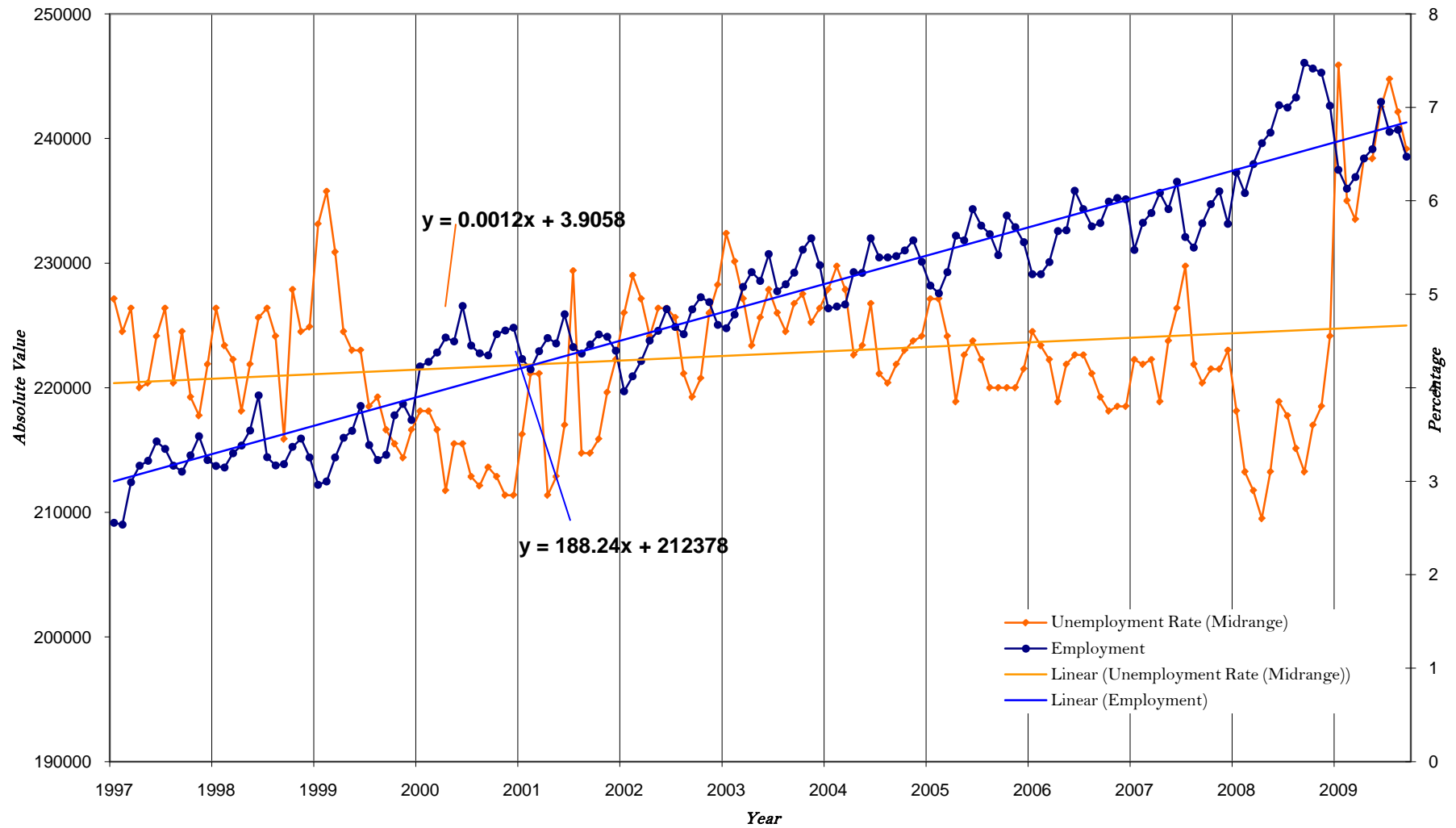
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Year	Month	Employment	Unempl Rate
1997	Jan	209154	4.95
	Feb	209023	4.6
	Mar	212419	4.85
	Apr	213741	4
	May	214138	4.05
	Jun	215689	4.55
	Jul	215095	4.85
	Aug	213738	4.05
	Sep	213274	4.6
	Oct	214571	3.9
	Nov	216100	3.7
	Dec	214195	4.25
1998	Jan	213717	4.85
	Feb	213595	4.45
	Mar	214742	4.3
	Apr	215357	3.75
	May	216573	4.25
	Jun	219380	4.75
	Jul	214424	4.85
	Aug	213773	4.55
	Sep	213866	3.45
	Oct	215256	5.05
	Nov	215923	4.6
	Dec	214419	4.65
1999	Jan	212214	5.75
	Feb	212486	6.1
	Mar	214415	5.45
	Apr	215980	4.6
	May	216538	4.4
	Jun	218529	4.4
	Jul	215410	3.8
	Aug	214193	3.9
	Sep	214620	3.55
	Oct	217783	3.4
	Nov	218709	3.25
	Dec	217408	3.55
2000	Jan	221717	3.75
	Feb	222087	3.75
	Mar	222831	3.55
	Apr	224020	2.9
	May	223719	3.4
	Jun	226563	3.4
	Jul	223390	3.05
	Aug	222756	2.95
	Sep	222599	3.15
	Oct	224298	3.05
	Nov	224599	2.85
	Dec	224828	2.85

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2001	Jan	222305	3.5
	Feb	221487	4.15
	Mar	222936	4.15
	Apr	223991	2.85
	May	223561	3.05
	Jun	225894	3.6
	Jul	223267	5.25
	Aug	222742	3.3
	Sep	223463	3.3
	Oct	224275	3.45
	Nov	224085	3.95
	Dec	222965	4.3
2002	Jan	219719	4.8
	Feb	220911	5.2
	Mar	222150	4.95
	Apr	223780	4.55
	May	224575	4.85
	Jun	226317	4.85
	Jul	224884	4.75
	Aug	224300	4.15
	Sep	226300	3.9
	Oct	227256	4.1
	Nov	226875	4.8
	Dec	225050	5.1
2003	Jan	224782	5.65
	Feb	225876	5.35
	Mar	228088	4.95
	Apr	229278	4.45
	May	228577	4.75
	Jun	230718	5.05
	Jul	227752	4.8
	Aug	228302	4.6
	Sep	229227	4.9
	Oct	231078	5
	Nov	231997	4.7
	Dec	229827	4.85
2004	Jan	226365	5.05
	Feb	226513	5.3
	Mar	226675	5.05
	Apr	229283	4.35
	May	229212	4.45
	Jun	231994	4.9
	Jul	230449	4.15
	Aug	230457	4.05
	Sep	230553	4.25
	Oct	231016	4.4
	Nov	231825	4.5
	Dec	230100	4.55

Year	Month	Employment	Unempl Rate
2005	Jan	228205	4.95
	Feb	227585	4.95
	Mar	229272	4.55
	Apr	232196	3.85
	May	231828	4.35
	Jun	234334	4.5
	Jul	233001	4.3
	Aug	232330	4
	Sep	230640	4
	Oct	233817	4
	Nov	232875	4
	Dec	231672	4.2
2006	Jan	229113	4.6
	Feb	229108	4.45
	Mar	230080	4.3
	Apr	232571	3.85
	May	232629	4.25
	Jun	235817	4.35
	Jul	234327	4.35
	Aug	232947	4.15
	Sep	233224	3.9
	Oct	234942	3.75
	Nov	235221	3.8
	Dec	235117	3.8
2007	Jan	231068	4.3
	Feb	233235	4.25
	Mar	234027	4.3
	Apr	235634	3.85
	May	234335	4.5
	Jun	236541	4.85
	Jul	232098	5.3
	Aug	231242	4.25
	Sep	233205	4.05
	Oct	234722	4.2
	Nov	235759	4.2
	Dec	233144	4.4
2008	Jan	237284	3.75
	Feb	235621	3.1
	Mar	237948	2.9
	Apr	239628	2.6
	May	240475	3.1
	Jun	242679	3.85
	Jul	242492	3.7
	Aug	243293	3.35
	Sep	246070	3.1
	Oct	245617	3.6
	Nov	245273	3.8
	Dec	242633	4.55

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2009	Jan	237479	7.45
	Feb	235968	6
	Mar	236900	5.8
	Apr	238400	6.45
	May	239146	6.45
	Jun	242940	7
	Jul	240533	7.3
	Aug	240695	6.95
	Sep	238551	6.55

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