

Unemployment Data Set with FRED & Pandas

Viewing 2020 unemployment rate per state in the US (during Covid-19)

- Grabing the unemployment data from FRED
- Renaming the states names to a more understandable values \ acutal state name
- Visuallizing the data per state

installing the fred api

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!pip install fredapi >/dev/null
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Pandas Options

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import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import plotly.express as px
import seaborn as sns
from fredapi import Fred
import time

# In order for the dataset to work for others,
# they need a fred api key from their site
from kaggle_secrets import UserSecretsClient
user_secrets = UserSecretsClient()
fred_key = user_secrets.get_secret("fred_key")
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Fred Key

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fred = Fred(api_key=fred_key)
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Unemployment Data

- Searching for an Unemployment Data using the fred api

- Searching the UNRATE id and title
 - Cleaning the data
 - See unemployment rate in every state

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unemp_results = fred.search('unemployment')
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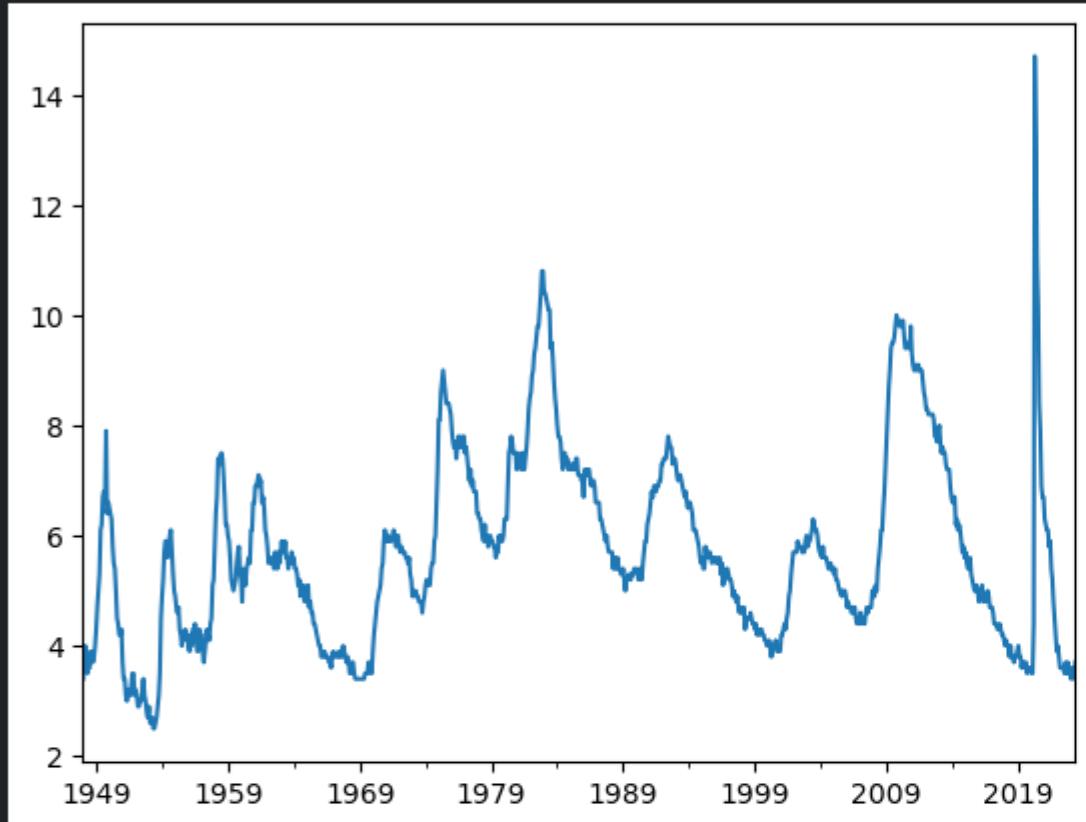
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| series id | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------|----------------|--------------|------------|---|------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------|-------------------------|---------------------|--|
| id | realtime_start | realtime_end | | | title | observation_start | observation_end | frequency | frequency_short | units | units_short | seasonal_adjustment | |
| UNRATE | UNRATE | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate | 1948-01-01 | 2023-05-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| UNRATENSA | UNRATENSA | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate | 1948-01-01 | 2023-05-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| CCSA | CCSA | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Continued Claims (Insured Unemployment) | 1967-01-07 | 2023-05-27 | Weekly, Ending Saturday | W | Number | Number | Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| CCNSA | CCNSA | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Continued Claims (Insured Unemployment) | 1967-01-07 | 2023-05-27 | Weekly, Ending Saturday | W | Number | Number | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| NROU | NROU | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Noncyclical Rate of Unemployment | 1949-01-01 | 2033-10-01 | Quarterly | Q | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| TXTRAV3URN | TXTRAV3URN | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate in Travis County, TX | 1990-01-01 | 2023-04-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| FLBAYC5URN | FLBAYC5URN | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate in Bay County, FL | 1990-01-01 | 2023-04-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| MIGENE9URN | MIGENE9URN | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate in Genesee County, MI | 1990-01-01 | 2023-04-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| MAWORC7URN | MAWORC7URN | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate in Worcester County, MA | 1990-01-01 | 2023-04-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |
| TXTARR9URN | TXTARR9URN | 2023-06-11 | 2023-06-11 | Unemployment Rate in Tarrant County, TX | 1990-01-01 | 2023-04-01 | Monthly | M | Percent | % | Not Seasonally Adjusted | | |

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[1]:  
unrate = fred.get_series ('UNRATE')  
# unrate
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unrate.plot()
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Per State

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[7]:  
unrate = fred.search('unemployment state', filter=('frequency', 'Monthly'))  
unrate = unrate.query('seasonal_adjustment == "Seasonally Adjusted" and units == "Percent"')  
unrate = unrate.loc[unrate['title'].str.contains('Unemployment Rate in')]
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Sorting the unemployment rate into a list by dates

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[8]:  
all_results = []
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[9]:  
for myid in unrate.index:  
    results = fred.get_series(myid)  
    results = results.to_frame(name=myid)  
    all_results.append(results)  
    #time.sleep(0.2) # Don't request too fast and get blocked  
unrate_results = pd.concat(all_results, axis=1)
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cols_to_drop = []
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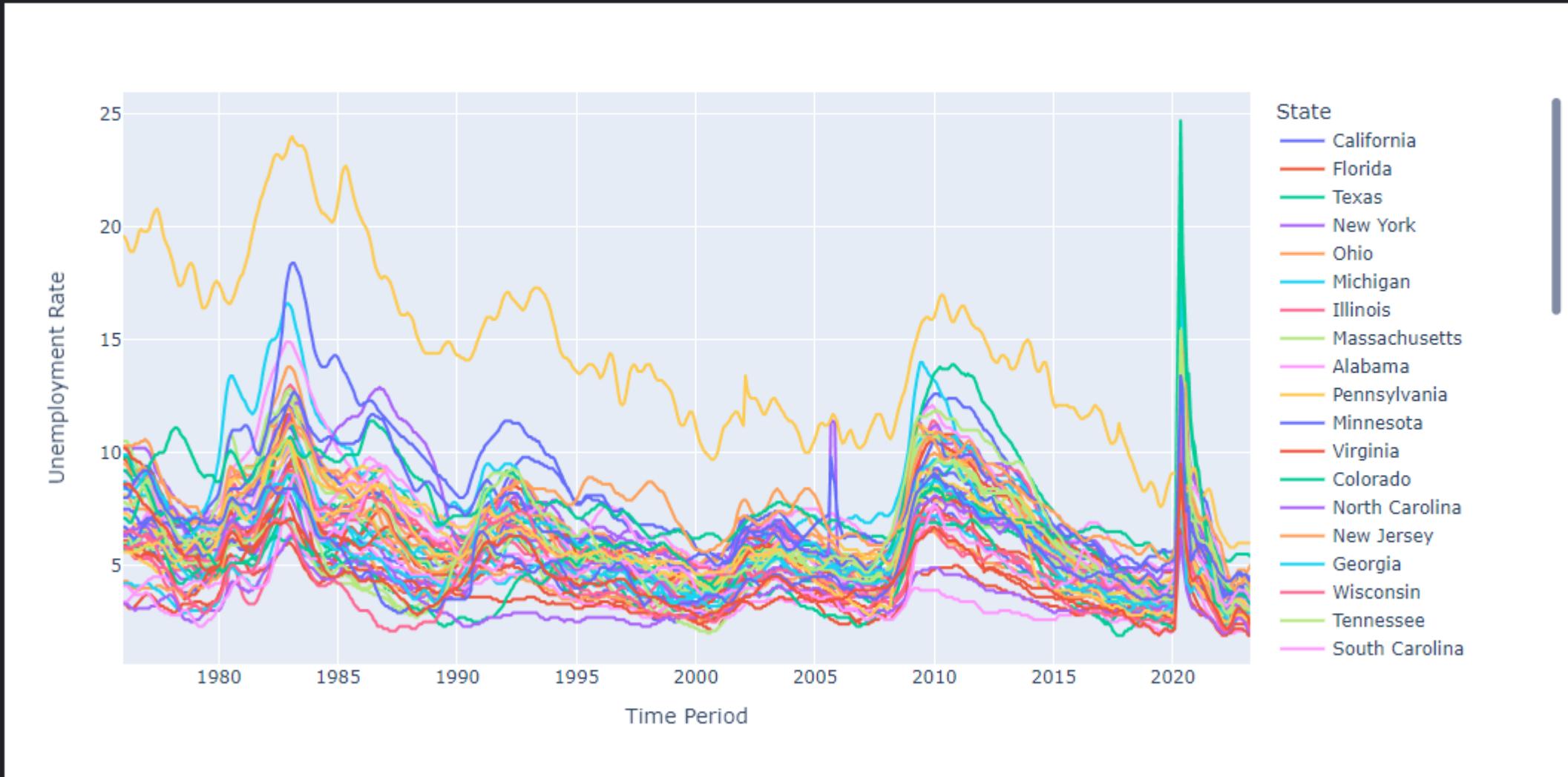
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for i in unrate_results:  
    if len(i) > 4:  
        cols_to_drop.append(i)  
unrate_results = unrate_results.drop(columns = cols_to_drop, axis=1)
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[12]:  
unemp_states = unrate_results.copy()#.drop('UNRATE', axis=1)  
unemp_states = unemp_states.dropna()  
id_to_state = unrate['title'].str.replace('Unemployment Rate in ', '').to_dict()  
unemp_states.columns = [id_to_state[c] for c in unemp_states.columns]  
unemp_states.columns
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[12]: Index(['California', 'Florida', 'Texas', 'New York', 'Ohio', 'Michigan',  
          'Illinois', 'Massachusetts', 'Alabama', 'Pennsylvania', 'Minnesota',  
          'Virginia', 'Colorado', 'North Carolina', 'New Jersey', 'Georgia',  
          'Wisconsin', 'Tennessee', 'South Carolina', 'Kentucky', 'Washington',  
          'Arizona', 'Nevada', 'Louisiana', 'Oregon', 'Missouri', 'Oklahoma',  
          'Indiana', 'New Mexico', 'Arkansas', 'West Virginia', 'Utah', 'Alaska',  
          'Maryland', 'Iowa', 'Kansas', 'Montana', 'Connecticut', 'North Dakota',  
          'Puerto Rico', 'Mississippi', 'South Dakota', 'Hawaii', 'Nebraska',  
          'the District of Columbia', 'Maine', 'New Hampshire', 'Rhode Island',  
          'Wyoming', 'Idaho', 'Delaware', 'Vermont'],  
          dtype='object')
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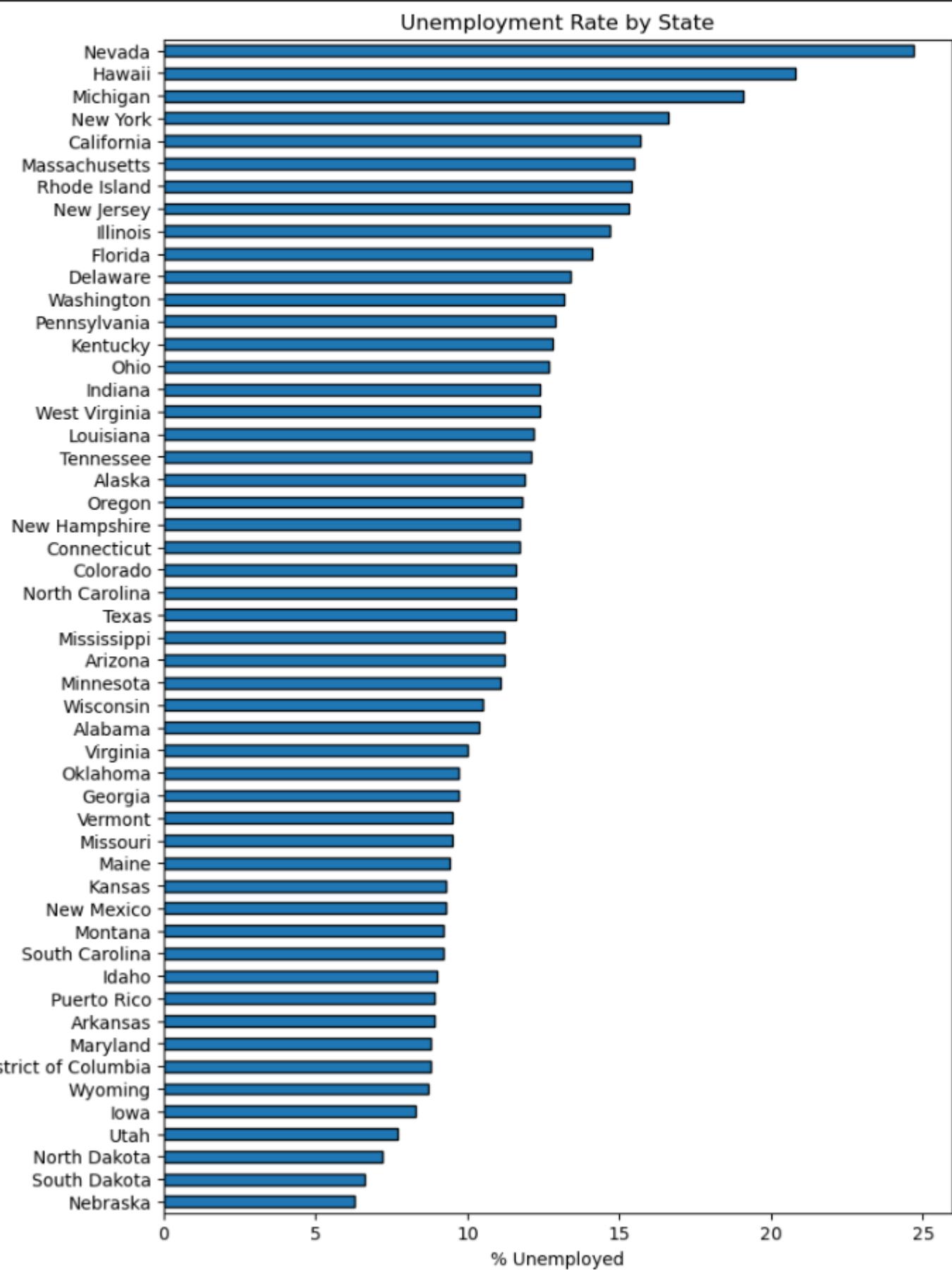
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px.line(unemp_states, labels={'variable':'State','index':'Time Period','value':'Unemployment Rate'})
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April 2020 Unemployment Rate Per State

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ax = unemp_states.loc[unemp_states.index == '2020-05-01'].T.sort_values('2020-05-01')/  
.plot(kind='barh', figsize=(8, 12), width=0.5, edgecolor='black', title= 'Unemployment Rate by State')  
ax.legend().remove()  
ax.set_xlabel('% Unemployed')  
plt.show()
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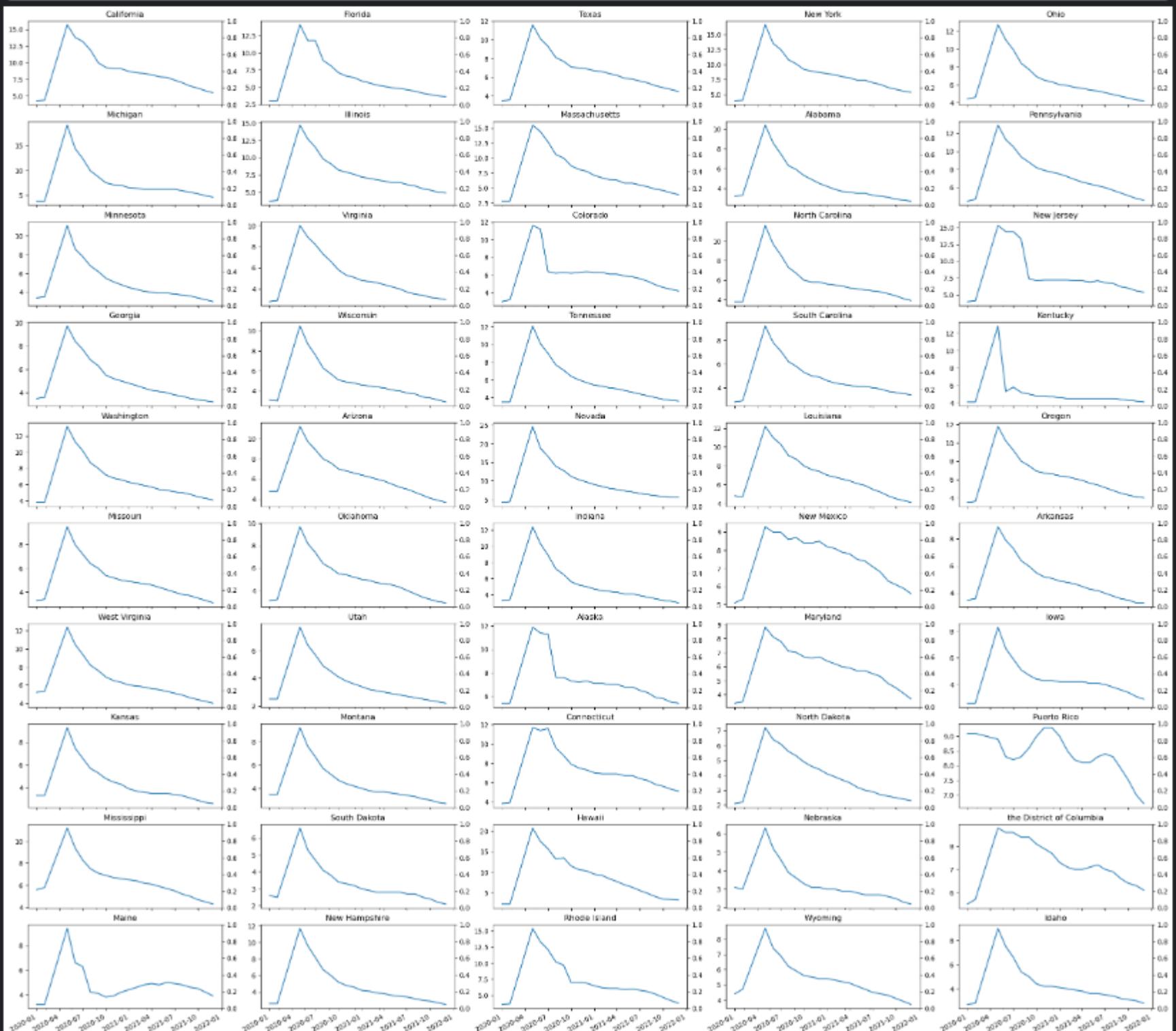


Unemployment Rate by State

- Going through the states and visualizing them

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fig, axs = plt.subplots(10, 5, figsize=(30, 30), sharex=True)
axs = axs.flatten()

i = 0
for state in unemp_states.columns:
    ax2 = axs[i].twinx()
    unemp_states.query('index >= 2020 and index < 2022')[state].plot(ax=axs[i], label='Unemployment')
    ax2.grid(False)
    axs[i].set_title(state)
    i += 1
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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