

| U.S. Gross Domestic Product- GDP (SAAR) | Period | Level (billions, 2005 chained dollars) | Percent change from prior quarter (AR) | Percent change from year- ago quarter |
|--|-------------------------------|---|---|--|
| | Q1 2012 (Advance Estimate) | 13,502.4 | 2.2 | 2.1 |

| U.S. Federal Funds Target Rate | Period | Level (percent) | Level in year-ago period |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| | May 2, 2012 | 0 to 0.25 | 0 to 0.25 |

| Total Nonagricultural Employment (SA) | Period | Level (thousands of jobs) | Percent change from prior month (AR) | Percent change from year- ago month |
|--|------------|---------------------------|---|--|
| United States | March 2012 | 132,821 | 1.1 | 1.5 |
| New England | | 6,856.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| Vermont | | 302.0 | 0.8 | 0.9 |
| Burlington-South Burlington NECTA | | 114.4 | 5.4 | 1.2 |

| Unemployment Rate (SA) | Period | Level (percent) | Level in prior month | Level in year-ago month |
|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| United States | March 2012 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.9 |
| New England | | 7 | 7.1 | 7.9 |
| Vermont | | 4.8 | 4.9 | 5.8 |
| Burlington-South Burlington NECTA | | 3.7 | 4 | 4.5 |

| Average Weekly Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance (SA) | Period | Level (thousands) | Percent change from year- ago month |
|--|------------|-------------------|--|
| United States | March 2012 | 354,300 | -10.5 |
| New England | | 19,044 | -1.9 |
| Vermont | | 1,107 | 17.2 |

| Total Personal Income (SAAR) | Period | Level (millions of dollars) | Percent change from prior quarter (AR) | Percent change from year- ago quarter |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---|--|
| United States | Q4 2011 | 13,137,224 | 3.2 | 4.6 |
| New England | | 747,261 | 3.3 | 4.6 |
| Vermont | | 26,429 | 3 | 4.0 |

| Employer Cost Index- ECI (NSA) | Period | Level (index, Q4 1995=100) | Percent change from prior period (AR) | Percent change from year- ago period |
|---------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|--|---|
| United States | Q1 2012 | 115.7 | 2.5 | 2.1 |
| New England | | 116.9 | 2.1 | 1.8 |

| Consumer Price Index- CPI (NSA) | Period | Level (index, 1982- 84=100) | Percent change from prior period (AR) | Percent change from year- ago period |
|--|------------|--------------------------------|--|---|
| United States | March 2012 | 229.4 | 9.5 | 2.7 |
| Boston (New England) | March 2012 | 247.2 | 3.2 | 1.8 |

The CPI for the Boston area is published every other month and covers parts of Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire.

| Home Price Index (NSA) | Period | Level (index, Q1 1980=100; Q1 1995=100 for metro areas) | Percent change from prior quarter (AR) | Percent change from year-ago quarter |
|-------------------------------|---------|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| United States | Q4 2011 | 320.1 | 1.4 | -3.0 |
| New England | | 514.1 | 1.7 | -2.0 |
| Vermont | | 443.9 | 4.2 | 0.0 |
| Burlington-South Burlington | | 213.7 | 5.2 | 1.3 |

| Total Housing Permits | Period | Level (units authorized) | Percent change from year-ago month |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| United States (SA) | March 2012 | 64,000 | 33.3 |
| New England (SA) | | 1,621 | 22.5 |
| Vermont (SA) | | 220 | 204.1 |
| Burlington-South Burlington (NSA) | | 96 | 540.0 |

| Total Merchandise Exports (NSA) | Period | Level (millions of dollars) | Percent change from year-ago quarter |
|--|---------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| United States | Q4 2011 | 384,400 | 10.6 |
| New England | | 14,309 | -1.6 |
| Vermont | | 1,162 | 12.2 |

Sources:

Bureau of Economic Analysis (GDP, Income)
 Bureau of Labor Statistics (Employment, Unemployment, CPI, ECI)
 Census Bureau (Housing Permits)
 Department of Labor (Claims for Unemployment Insurance)
 Federal Reserve Bank of New York (Federal Funds Rate)
 National Association of Realtors (Existing-Home Sales)
 Federal Housing Finance Agency (Home Price Index)
 World Institute for Strategic Economic Research (Exports)

Notes:

AR= annual rate
 SA= seasonally adjusted
 NSA= not seasonally adjusted
 SAAR= seasonally adjusted at an annual rate
 NA= not available