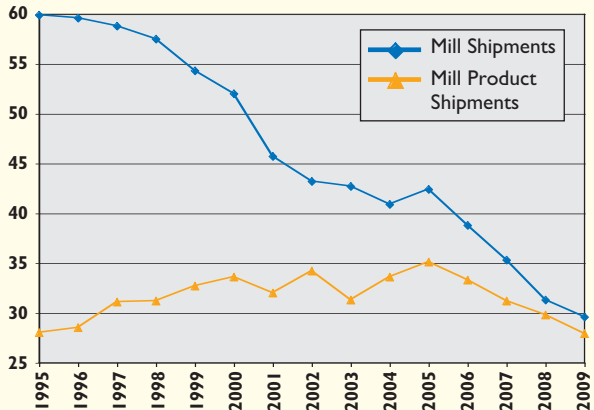
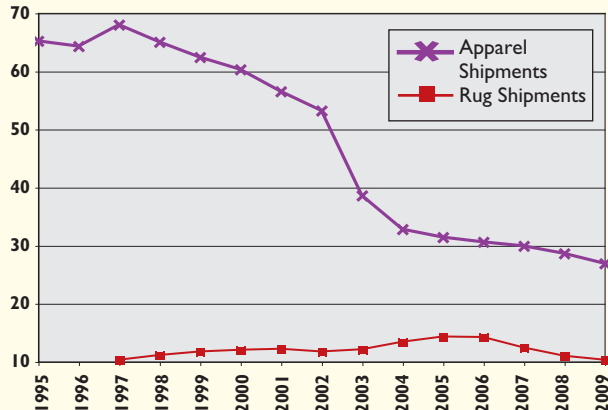


Textile Shipments (billions of \$)



Apparel & Rug Shipments (billions of \$)

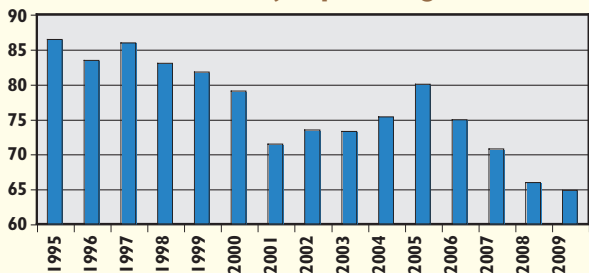


All Charts: 2008 = Preliminary, 2009 = Estimate

Source: US Department of Commerce (DOC)

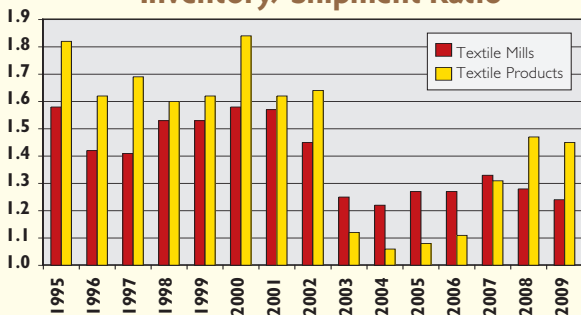
Figure I: Demand — Declines Should Taper Off

Textile Industry Operating Rate (%)



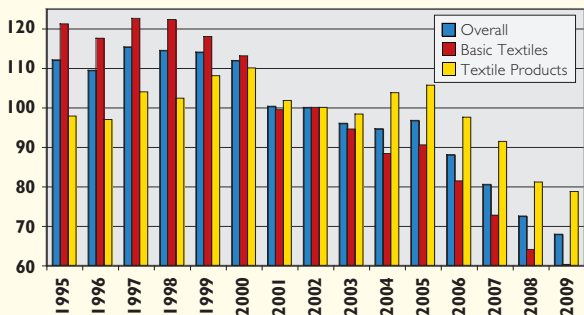
Source: Federal Reserve Board (FRB)

Inventory/Shipment Ratio



Source: DOC

Textile Production (1997=100)



Source: FRB

Figure 2: Supply — More Than Ample

	Industrial Textiles	Man-Made Fibers	Greige Goods	Finished Fabrics	Apparel	Home Furnishings	Carpet & Rugs
1995	N/A	109.0	121.8	121.7	124.2	119.8	119.6
1996	125.6	111.7	123.6	124.1	127.0	122.8	121.8
1997	127.9	111.1	121.9	123.8	125.7	122.6	123.6
1998	130.2	109.9	121.6	123.8	126.7	123.1	124.0
1999	129.2	103.8	114.3	122.8	126.4	122.7	122.7
2000	131.0	107.2	113.2	122.5	127.5	122.0	125.1
2001	132.3	108.6	114.0	122.5	126.8	122.5	126.3
2002	132.5	106.2	112.6	120.9	125.5	122.3	126.5
2003	130.5	106.4	110.9	120.7	125.4	122.4	133.6
2004	131.9	106.6	112.6	120.9	125.2	123.4	136.7
2005	134.5	112.1	115.0	124.1	125.6	123.0	133.1
2006	137.5	115.0	119.9	127.0	125.9	122.8	140.8
2007	138.9	114.2	120.3	128.4	127.0	124.9	143.7
2008	143.2	116.4	123.4	132.4	127.9	126.6	147.3
2009	143.4	116.0	123.6	133.1	128.0	126.9	145.2
Table 1: Textile & Apparel Prices — No Big				1982 = 100	Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS)		

Textile Employment (thousands)

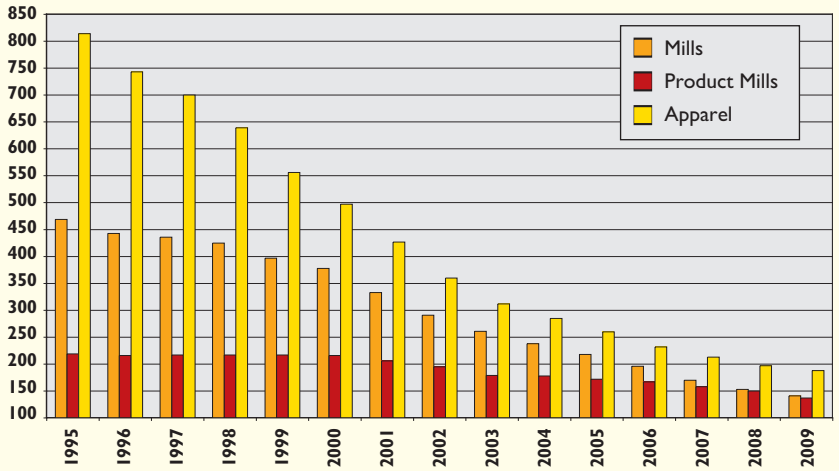


Figure 3a: Employment — Still Shrinking

Textile Average Weekly Earnings (\$)

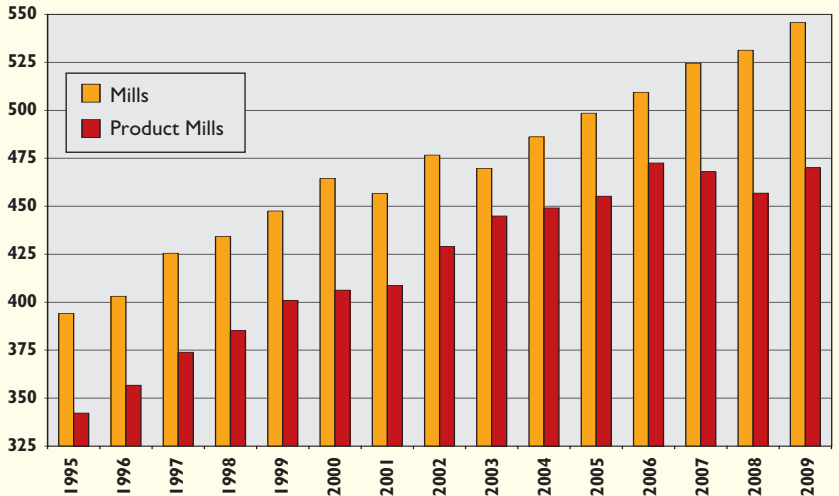
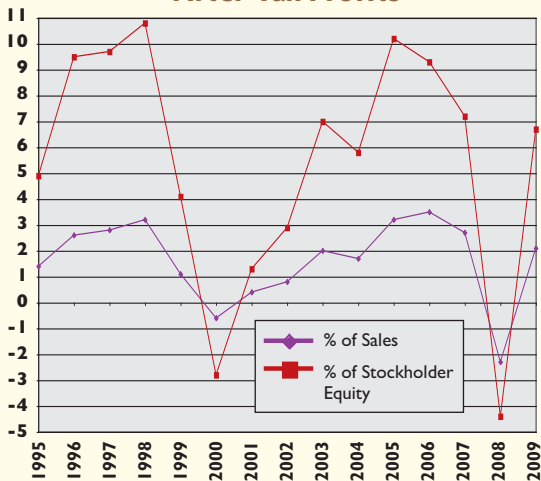


Figure 3b: Employment — Earnings Continue To Rise Source: BLS

After-Tax Profits



Net Profits (millions of \$)

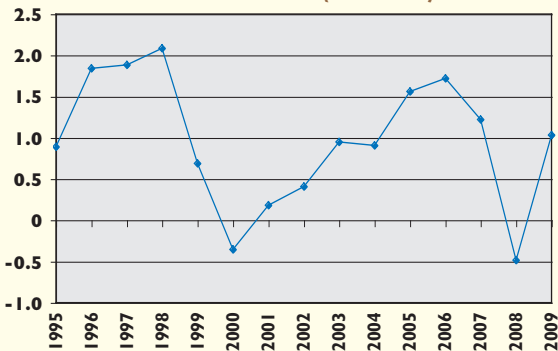
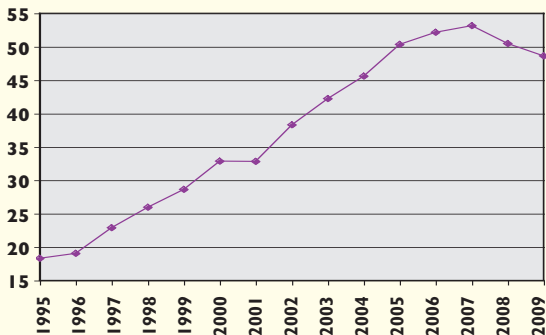


Figure 4: Profits —

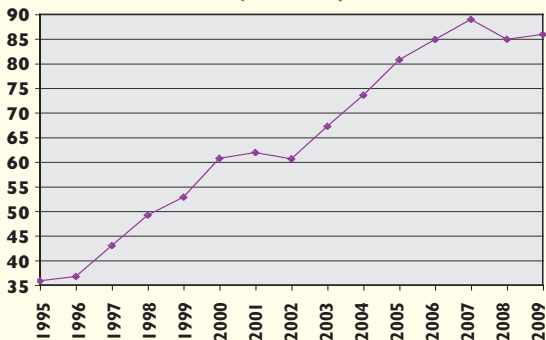
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Declines More Statistical Than Real

Textile & Apparel Imports (billions of sme)



Textile & Apparel Trade Deficit (billions of \$)



Source: DOC

Figure 5: Trade — A Mixed Picture