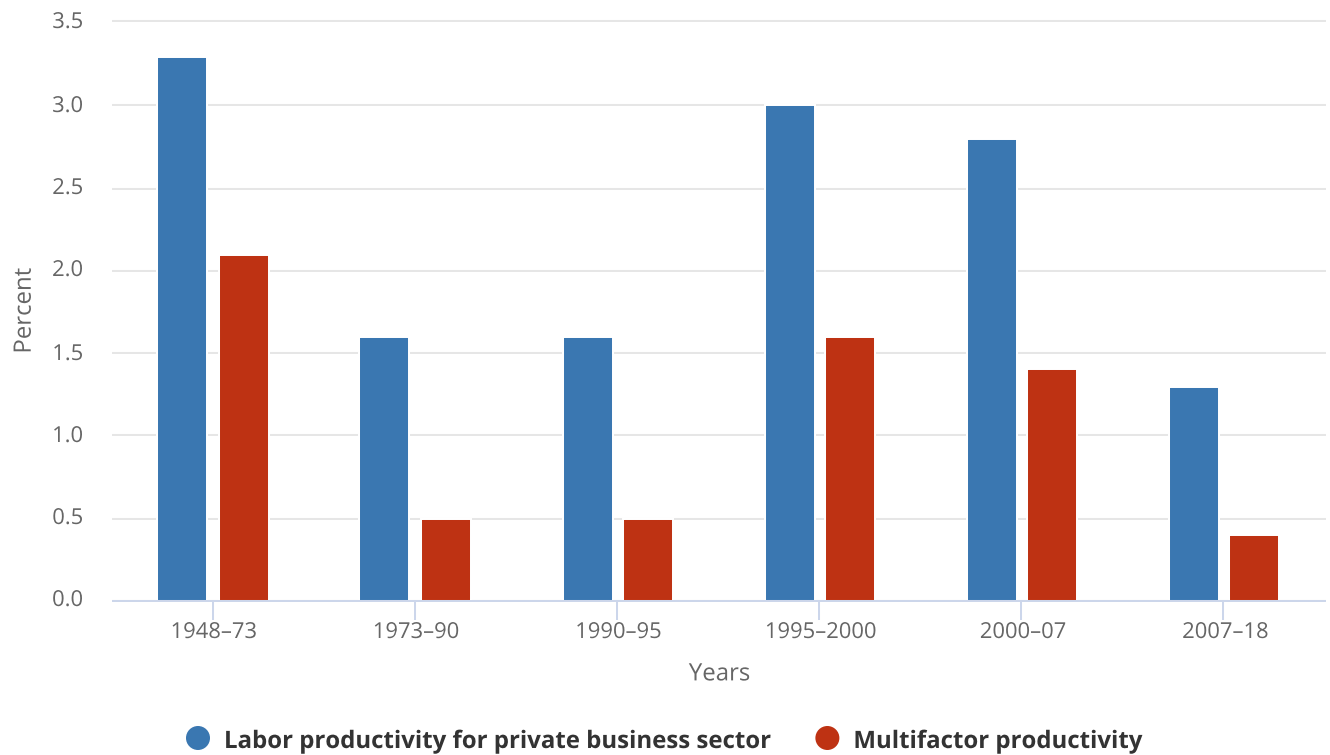


FIGURE 8-30

U.S. labor and multifactor productivity annual growth, multiyear averages, for private business sector: 1948–2018



**Note(s)**

Growth is calculated by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) as the average annual rate of growth between the first year and the last year of each period.

**Source(s)**

BLS, Productivity Measures (2019), Private Business Sector (Excluding Government Enterprises), accessed 5 May 2019.