

Coastal Bend Workforce Area

Area	Area Type	Latest Monthly Data October 2011					Previous Monthly Data September 2011				Year Ago October 2010				
		Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	M+-	γ+-	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
United States	Nation	154,088,000	140,987,000	13,102,000	8.5	-0.3	-0.5	154,022,000	140,502,000	13,520,000	8.8	153,562,000	139,749,000	13,903,000	9
Texas	State	12,367,034	11,378,100	988,934	8.0	-0.4	0.1	12,371,457	11,330,299	1,041,158	8.4	12,172,019	11,205,109	966,910	7.9
Corpus Christi	MSA	219,325	202,752	16,573	7.6	-0.4	-0.3	219,037	201,457	17,580	8.0	212,383	195,710	16,673	7.9
Coastal Bend	WDA	290,451	268,611	21,840	7.5	-0.5	-0.4	290,454	267,287	23,167	8.0	281,981	259,835	22,146	7.9
Aransas	County	12,225	11,307	918	7.5	-0.4	0.1	12,201	11,235	966	7.9	11,787	10,915	872	7.4
Bee	County	12,569	11,468	1,101	8.8	-0.6	0	12,693	11,506	1,187	9.4	12,411	11,315	1,096	8.8
Brooks	County	3,233	2,921	312	9.7	-0.1	-0.3	3,257	2,937	320	9.8	3,221	2,899	322	10.0
Duval	County	5,451	4,959	492	9.0	-0.5	-1.7	5,460	4,944	516	9.5	5,276	4,712	564	10.7
Jim Wells	County	21,900	20,336	1,564	7.1	-0.4	-0.8	21,863	20,220	1,643	7.5	21,092	19,419	1,673	7.9
Kenedy	County	241	226	15	6.2	-1.9	3.2	246	226	20	8.1	233	226	7	3.0
Kleberg	County	17,444	16,266	1,178	6.8	-0.2	0	17,487	16,256	1,231	7.0	17,426	16,246	1,180	6.8
Live Oak	County	5,559	5,226	333	6.0	-0.5	-0.3	5,624	5,260	364	6.5	5,307	4,974	333	6.3
McMullen	County	475	447	28	5.9	-0.2	-0.6	461	433	28	6.1	385	360	25	6.5
Nueces	County	174,957	162,056	12,901	7.4	-0.4	-0.2	174,727	161,021	13,706	7.8	169,217	156,427	12,790	7.6
Refugio	County	4,254	4,010	244	5.7	-0.7	-0.7	4,326	4,048	278	6.4	4,247	3,974	273	6.4
San Patricio	County	32,143	29,389	2,754	8.6	-0.5	-1	32,109	29,201	2,908	9.1	31,379	28,368	3,011	9.6

(M+-) Change in unemployment rate from last month (Increase) (Decrease)

(Y+-) Change in unemployment rate from last year (Increase) (Decrease)

Earnings for all occupations Coastal Bend, expressed as hourly rate (TWC):

Coastal Bend All Occupations- Average \$17.28/hr. Entry level \$8.30/hr. Experienced workers \$21.77/hr. Top 10% \$31.60/hr. Texas All Occupations- Average \$20.30/hr. Entry level \$9.62/hr. Experienced workers \$ 25.68/hr. Top 10% \$37.83/hr.

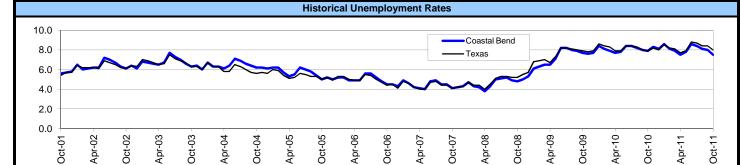
• Educational Attainment for population 25 years of age and older - Corpus Christi (Census American Fact Finder/American Community Survey):

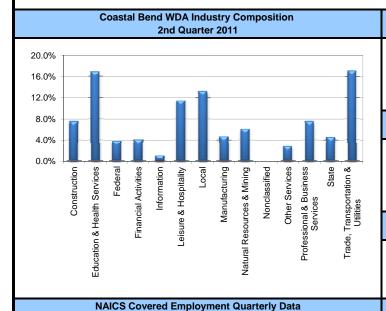
Less than 9th grade 9.3% 12th grade & GED 26.7% Associates degree 7.4% Graduate or Professional degrees 7.0% 9th thru 11th grade 11.8% Some College 24.7% Bachelors degree 13.0%

• Median earnings Corpus Christi by education for persons 25 years of age & up (Census AFF/ACS): \$27,211 (\$36,380 male/\$22,328 female)

Less than High School \$15,545 Some College or Associates \$31,460 Graduate or Professional \$54,717 High School & GED \$23,028 Bachelor's \$43,005

Coastal Bend Workforce Development Area* October 2011 Coastal Bend WDA Texas Unemployed **CLF Employed** Rate CLF **Employed** Unemployed Rate Oct-11 290,451 268,611 21,840 7.5 Oct-11 12,367,034 11,378,100 988,934 8.0 23,167 Sep-11 290,454 267,287 8.0 Sep-11 12,371,457 11,330,299 1,041,158 8.4 Oct-10 Oct-10 22,146 281,981 259,835 7.9 12,172,019 11,205,109 966,910 7.9





	Tota	I WDA Claims								
	Oct-11	Sep-11	Oct-10	OTY						
Initial	1,700	1,582	2,101	-401						
Continued	5,931	5,863	7,819	-1,888						
	Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th									
Continued	2,648	2,702	3,529	-881						

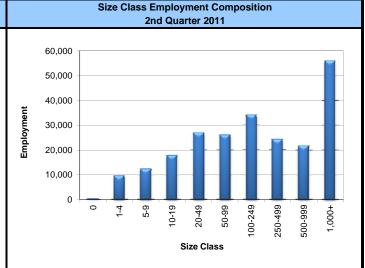
	Oct-11	Sep-11	Oct-10	OTY
Initial	85,204	78,034	87,633	-2,429
Continued	807,989	747,606	880,638	-72,649
	Continued Claims	for the Week o	f the 12th	
Continued	174.199	183.571	195.886	-21.687

Texas Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed

Average Weekly Wage									
	Coastal Bend	WDA Qtr. Chg.	Texas						
2nd Quarter 2011	\$751.33	\$17.55	\$899.79						
1st Quarter 2011	\$733.78	WDA OTY Chg.	\$944.37						
2nd Quarter 2010	\$711.05	\$40.28	\$863.86						

Coastal Bend WDA

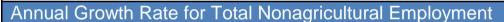
2nd Quarter 2011								
		Change						
SUPER SECTOR	Employment	Quarter	Year					
Construction	17,029	870	540					
Education & Health Services	38,487	669	931					
Federal	8,568	49	-576					
Financial Activities	9,190	203	121					
Information	2,301	28	-177					
Leisure & Hospitality	26,326	1,925	217					
Local	30,232	-319	-617					
Manufacturing	10,607	217	421					
Natural Resources & Mining	13,927	874	2,883					
Nonclassified	32	-8	7					
Other Services	6,454	197	73					
Professional & Business Services	17,077	99	277					
State	10,219	-523	-87					
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	39,216	1,113	466					
TOTAL	229,665	5,394	4,479					



*Counties in WDA: Aransas, Bee, Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, McMullen, Nueces, Refugio, & San Patricio

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Corpus Christi MSA October 2011 (Aransas, Nueces, San Patricio) Wages by Industry (in millions) **Industry Composition** ■ Mining, Logging, and Construction 2nd Quarter 2011 11% ■ Manufacturing 19% \$311.9 ■ Trade, Transportation, and Utilities 5% \$374.0 ■ Information 4% ■ Financial Activities \$141.5 \$36.4 18% ■ Professional and Business Services \$80.6 13% ■ Education and Health Services \$263.6 ■ Leisure and Hospitality 1% ■ Other Services 4% \$271.8 \$20.5 ■ Government \$79.5 8% \$157.6 Industry Size Class June 2011 **Employment by Industry** Annual Change Monthly Change Employment **Employees** of Firms in Size Class Employmer Oct-10 per firm Total Nonfarm 185,500 184,800 178,800 700 0.4% 6,700 3.8% 1000+ 18 42,697 24.0% 9 0.0% Mining, Logging, and Construction 21,000 19,800 0 1,200 6.1% 8 500-999 18,176 10.2% 21,000 26 Manufacturing 9,400 9,400 9.200 0 0.0% 200 2.2% 7 250-499 43 14,223 8.0% Trade, Transportation, and Utilities 34,100 34,100 31,200 0 0.0% 2,900 9.3% 6 100-249 181 27,633 15.5% Information 1,800 1,900 2,100 -100 -5.3% -300 -14.3% 5 50-99 314 21,909 12.3%



7,300

15,500

31,900

23,100

7.000

34,400

7.400

15,400

31,800

23,100

6.900

33.800

7,200

15,200

31,000

20,600

6.800

35.700

-100

100

100

100

600

0

-1.4%

0.7%

0.3%

0.0%

1.5%

1.8%

100

300

900

200

2,500

-1,300

1.4%

2.0%

2.9%

12.1%

2.9%

-3.6%

4

3

2

1

0

Total

20-49

10-19

5-9

1-4

0

711

1,065

1,477

3,589

588

8,012

21,696

14,458

9,832

7,536

178,160

0

12.2%

8.1%

5.5%

4.2%

0.0%

100.0%



Unemployment Information (all estimates in thousands)												
	С	orpus Ch	nristi MSA			Actual)	United States (Actual)					
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate
Oct-11	219.4	202.8	16.6	7.6	12,367.0	11,378.1	988.9	8.0	154,088.0	140,987.0	13,102.0	8.5
Sep-11	219.1	201.5	17.6	8.0	12,371.5	11,330.3	1,041.2	8.4	154,022.0	140,502.0	13,520.0	8.8
Oct-10	212.4	195.7	16.7	7.9	12,172.0	11,205.1	966.9	7.9	153,652.0	139,749.0	13,903.0	9.0

Historical Unemployment Rates

Financial Activities

Leisure and Hospitality

Other Services

Government

Professional and Business Services

Education and Health Services

