

Coastal Bend Workforce Area

(Not Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by WDA, MSA, & County)

Area	Area Type	Latest Monthly Data May 2020						Previous Monthly Data April 2020				Year Ago May 2019			
		Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	M+-	Y+-	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
United States	Nation	157,975,000	137,461,000	20,514,000	13	-1.4	9.6	155,830,000	133,326,000	22,504,000	14.4	162,655,000	157,152,000	5,503,000	3.4
Texas	State	13,462,785	11,752,162	1,710,623	12.7	-0.4	9.6	12,953,286	11,259,524	1,693,762	13.1	13,926,760	13,491,168	435,592	3.1
Corpus Christi	MSA	193,593	165,085	28,508	14.7	-0.5	11.0	187,780	158,329	29,451	15.3	205,863	197,989	7,874	3.8
Coastal Bend	WDA	248,483	211,668	36,815	14.8	-0.5	11	239,611	203,042	36,569	15.3	262,736	252,731	10,005	3.8
Aransas	County	8,673	7,533	1,140	13.1	-1.5	9.3	8,446	7,212	1,234	14.6	9,392	9,033	359	3.8
Bee	County	9,483	8,141	1,342	14.2	1.3	10.4	8,952	7,797	1,155	12.9	9,832	9,458	374	3.8
Brooks	County	2,568	2,162	406	15.8	2.5	11.7	2,399	2,081	318	13.3	2,579	2,474	105	4.1
Duval	County	4,878	4,006	872	17.9	2.4	14.2	4,551	3,844	707	15.5	4,976	4,794	182	3.7
Jim Wells	County	16,793	13,696	3,097	18.4	1.6	14.3	15,784	13,131	2,653	16.8	16,902	16,213	689	4.1
Kenedy	County	174	163	11	6.3	0.5	3.8	171	161	10	5.8	243	237	6	2.5
Kleberg	County	12,843	11,142	1,701	13.2	0.8	9.4	12,237	10,721	1,516	12.4	13,673	13,158	515	3.8
Live Oak	County	5,210	4,686	524	10.1	1	7.3	4,945	4,496	449	9.1	5,471	5,316	155	2.8
Nueces	County	156,904	133,936	22,968	14.6	-1	11	152,199	128,424	23,775	15.6	166,696	160,625	6,071	3.6
Refugio	County	2,941	2,587	354	12	0.9	8.7	2,792	2,482	310	11.1	3,197	3,092	105	3.3
San Patricio	County	28,016	23,616	4,400	15.7	-0.7	10.9	27,135	22,693	4,442	16.4	29,775	28,331	1,444	4.8

(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 \$18.35/hr.	Entry level \$8.58/hr.	Experienced workers \$23.24/hr.	Top 10% \$33.56/hr.
Texas	All Occupations-	Average \$20.97/hr.	Entry level \$8.88/hr.	Experienced workers \$ 27.02/hr.	Top 10% \$39.64/hr.

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

Less than 9th grade	8.7%	12th grade & GED	27.7%	Associates degree	7.0%	Graduate or Professional degrees	8.4%
9th thru 11th grade	9.3%	Some College	25.1%	Bachelors degree	13.8%		

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

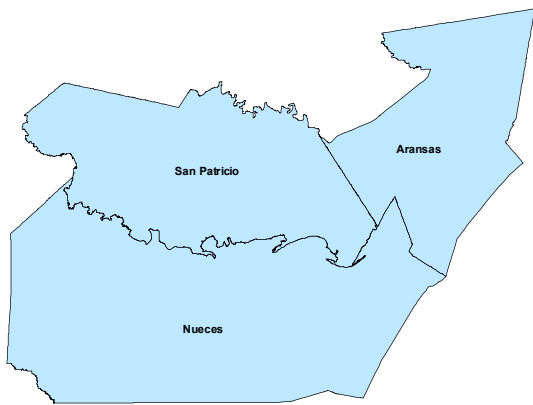
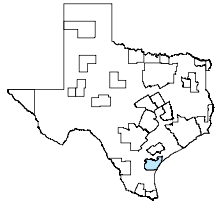
Less than High School	\$15,437	Some College or Associates	\$28,739	Graduate or Professional	\$56,681
High School & GED	\$26,818	Bachelor's	\$44,078		

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Corpus Christi MSA

May 2020



MSA Labor Force Statistics

	May-20	Apr-20	May-19	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	193,593	187,780	205,863	-12,270
Employed	165,085	158,329	197,989	-32,904
Unemployed	28,508	29,451	7,874	20,634
Unemployment Rate	14.7%	15.7%	3.8%	10.9%

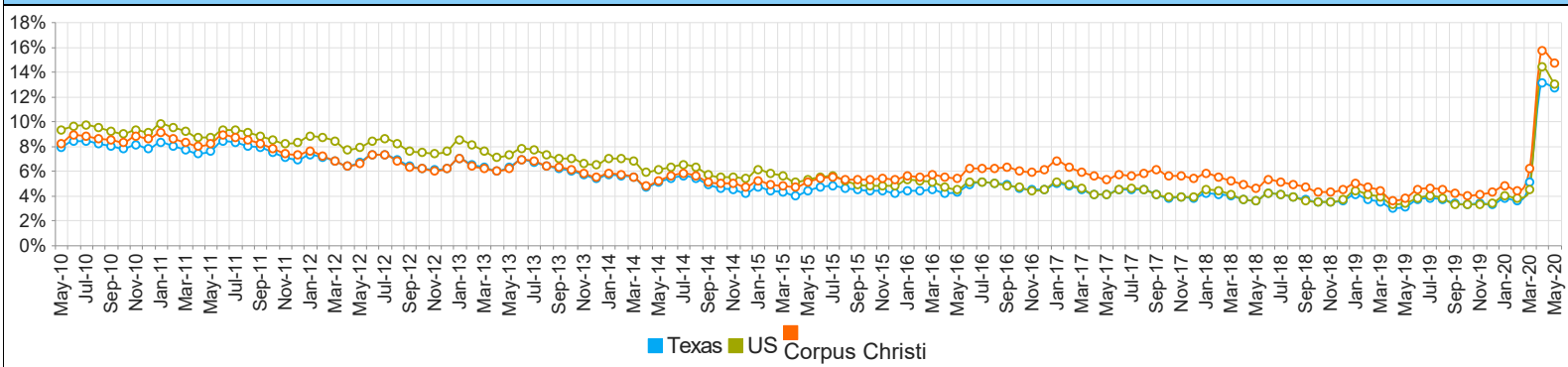
Texas Labor Force Statistics

	May-20	Apr-20	May-19	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	13,462,785	12,953,286	13,926,760	-463,975
Employed	11,752,162	11,259,524	13,491,168	-1,739,006
Unemployed	1,710,623	1,693,762	435,592	1,275,031
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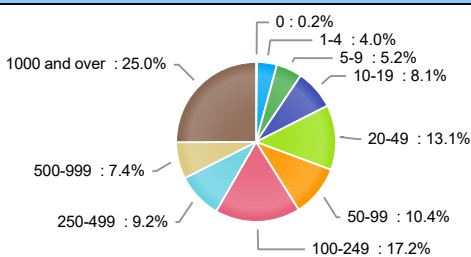
US Labor Force Statistics

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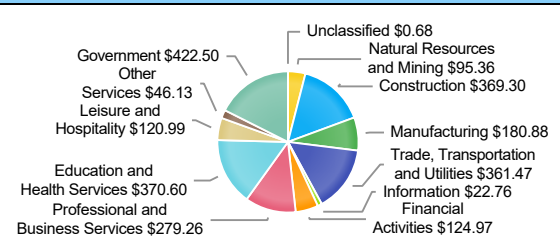
Historical Unemployment Rates



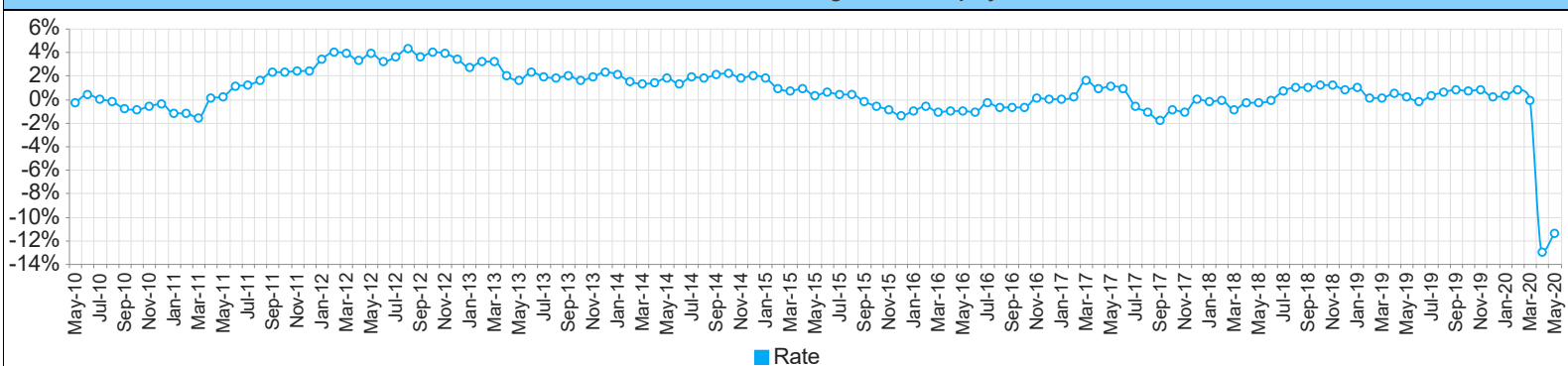
Employment by Size Class (4th Quarter 2019)



Wages by Industry (in millions) (4th Quarter 2019)



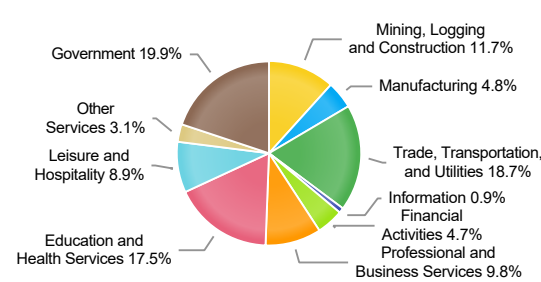
Annual Growth Rate Total Non-agricultural employment



Employment by Industry (May 2020)

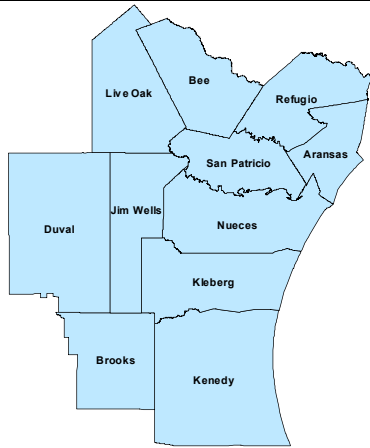
Industry	Current Month Employment	% Monthly Change	% Yearly Change
Total Nonfarm	172,600	2.0%	-11.4%
Mining, Logging and Construction	20,200	0.5%	-19.2%
Manufacturing	8,200	-1.2%	-2.4%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	32,200	4.5%	-1.5%
Information	1,500	0.0%	-6.2%
Financial Activities	8,100	-2.4%	-3.6%
Professional and Business Services	17,000	-4.5%	-9.6%
Education and Health Services	30,200	1.3%	-6.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	15,400	24.2%	-42.1%
Other Services	5,400	3.8%	-12.9%
Government	34,400	-1.7%	-1.4%

Employment by Industry (May 2020)



Coastal Bend Workforce Development Area

May 2020



WDA Labor Force Statistics

	May-20	Apr-20	May-19	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	248,483	239,611	262,736	-14,253
Employed	211,668	203,042	252,731	-41,063
Unemployed	36,815	36,569	10,005	26,810
Unemployment Rate	14.8%	15.3%	3.8%	11.0%

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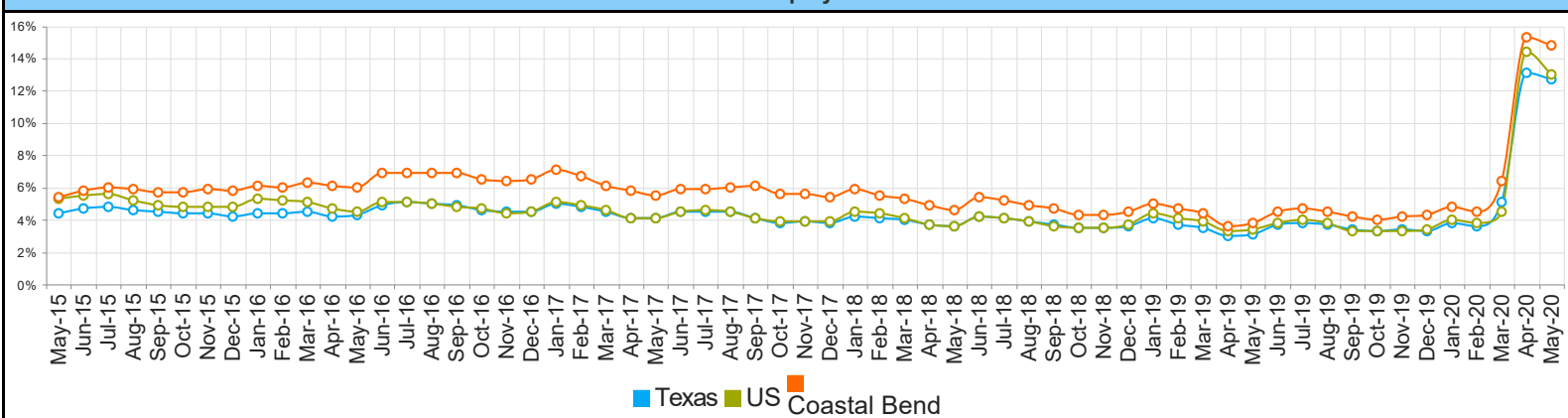
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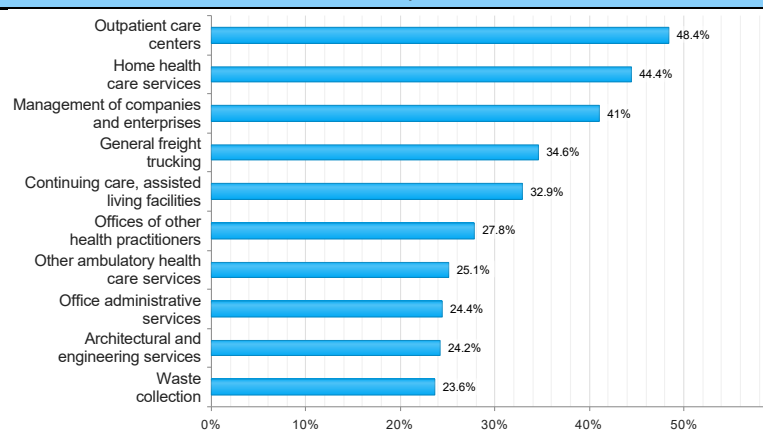
Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th

	May-20	Apr-20	May-19	Yearly Change
WDA	20,199	19,617	2,240	17,959
Texas	950,464	918,157	91,376	859,088

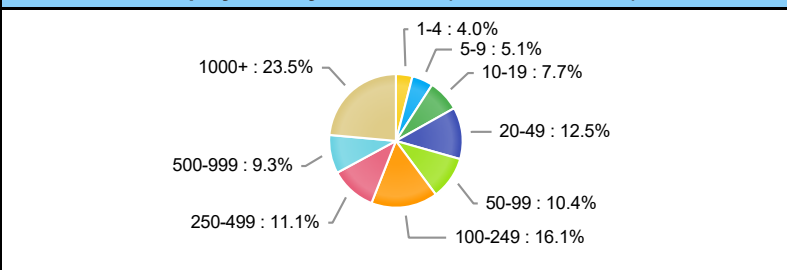
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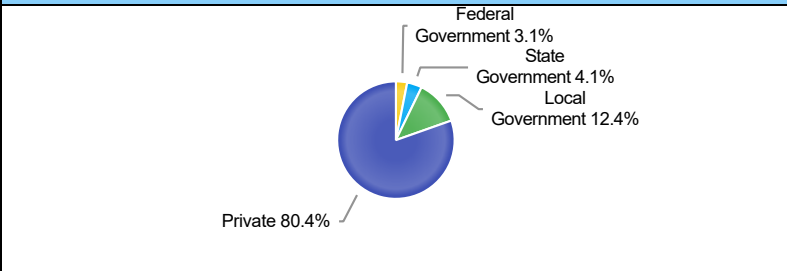
Projected Top Ten Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% Growth 2016-2026)



Employment by Size Class (4th Quarter 2019)



Employment by Ownership (4th Quarter 2019)



Average Weekly Wage (4th Quarter 2019)

	Q4 2019	Q3 2019	Q4 2018	Quarterly Change	Yearly Change
WDA	\$960	\$917	\$933	\$43	\$27
Texas	\$1,187	\$1,108	\$1,148	\$79	\$39
US	\$1,185	\$1,093	\$1,145	\$92	\$40

Employment by Industry (4th Quarter 2019, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of Total	% Quarterly Change	% Yearly Change
Natural Resources and Mining	10,531	4.4%	-5.1%	-7.0%
Construction	23,191	9.7%	1.3%	-1.9%
Manufacturing	12,770	5.3%	0.5%	1.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	43,489	18.1%	1.2%	0.0%
Information	1,913	0.8%	4.5%	-0.6%
Financial Activities	10,059	4.2%	-0.8%	0.5%
Professional and Business Services	20,383	8.5%	-0.6%	-4.0%
Education and Health Services	68,621	28.6%	5.2%	2.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	31,363	13.1%	-5.3%	2.3%
Other Services	5,808	2.4%	-2.2%	-1.4%
Public Administration	12,022	5.0%	0.3%	0.7%

Employment by Industry (4th Quarter 2019)

