

# NON-CIRCULATING

TEXAS STATE  
DOCUMENTS COLLECTION  
NOV 6 1995

## CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES + TEXAS METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

	SEP, 95*	AUG, 95	SEP, 94	SEP, 95*	AUG, 95	SEP, 94	SEP, 95*	AUG, 95	SEP, 94
<b>ABILENE</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	59,700	58,200	57,500	111,600	110,800	106,400	624,100	611,100	585,700
Total Unemployment	3,400	3,400	2,700	4,800	5,300	4,000	21,600	21,700	19,700
Percent Unemployed	5.7%	5.8%	4.7%	4.3%	4.8%	3.8%	3.5%	3.6%	3.4%
Total Employment++	56,300	54,800	54,800	106,800	105,500	102,400	602,500	589,400	566,000
<b>AMARILLO</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	180,800	181,200	179,200	105,100	105,200	106,400	125,300	125,800	119,400
Total Unemployment	16,800	18,700	16,100	7,500	8,300	7,600	14,400	15,900	13,100
Percent Unemployed	9.3%	10.3%	9.0%	7.1%	7.9%	7.1%	11.5%	12.6%	11.0%
Total Employment++	164,000	162,500	163,100	97,600	96,900	98,800	110,900	109,900	106,300
<b>AUSTIN-SAN MARCOS</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	70,300	66,900	70,000	176,400	178,000	172,900	1,719,800	1,724,400	1,666,800
Total Unemployment	2,200	2,500	2,100	15,100	16,100	14,300	81,200	87,800	82,800
Percent Unemployed	3.1%	3.7%	3.0%	8.6%	9.0%	8.3%	4.7%	5.1%	5.0%
Total Employment++	68,100	64,400	67,900	161,300	161,900	158,600	1,638,600	1,636,600	1,584,000
<b>BEAUMONT-PORT ARTHUR</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	287,100	284,600	279,600	825,400	824,500	803,600	124,300	124,400	123,000
Total Unemployment	28,300	28,400	25,300	38,800	41,600	41,000	8,700	9,700	9,700
Percent Unemployed	9.9%	10.0%	9.0%	4.7%	5.0%	5.1%	7.0%	7.8%	7.9%
Total Employment++	258,800	256,200	254,300	786,600	782,900	762,600	115,600	114,700	113,300
<b>BRAZORIA</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	1998,200	2,005,600	1,936,600	111,300	110,700	105,600	70,300	70,700	66,900
Total Unemployment	113,400	124,100	119,400	5,600	5,800	5,500	9,800	10,600	5,300
Percent Unemployed	5.7%	6.2%	6.2%	5.0%	5.2%	5.2%	13.9%	15.0%	7.9%
Total Employment++	1,884,800	1,881,500	1,817,200	105,700	104,900	100,100	60,500	60,100	61,600
<b>BROWNsville-HARLINGEN</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	100,600	100,500	100,700	120,600	120,500	117,300	176,500	176,100	169,000
Total Unemployment	7,300	8,000	7,500	4,700	5,500	4,600	30,900	32,700	29,400
Percent Unemployed	7.3%	8.0%	7.4%	3.9%	4.6%	3.9%	17.5%	18.6%	17.4%
Total Employment++	93,300	92,500	93,200	115,900	115,000	112,700	145,600	143,400	139,600
<b>BRYAN-COLLEGE STATION</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	42,600	42,100	41,000	101,000	99,400	99,200	65,500	64,800	62,800
Total Unemployment	2,500	2,600	2,300	4,800	5,400	4,700	3,400	3,500	3,200
Percent Unemployed	5.9%	6.2%	5.6%	4.8%	5.4%	4.7%	5.2%	5.4%	5.1%
Total Employment++	40,100	39,500	38,700	96,200	94,000	94,500	62,100	61,300	59,600
<b>CORPUS CHRISTI</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>DALLAS</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	731,700	725,000	695,100	47,700	47,200	47,700	83,900	83,800	82,200
Total Unemployment	34,300	38,000	32,200	2,400	2,600	2,800	5,200	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	4.7%	5.2%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%	5.9%	6.2%	6.0%	5.0%
Total Employment++	697,400	687,000	662,900	45,300	44,600	44,900	78,700	78,800	78,100
<b>EL PASO</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	258,800	256,200	254,300	786,600	782,900	762,600	115,600	114,700	113,300
Total Unemployment	28,300	28,400	25,300	38,800	41,600	41,000	8,700	9,700	9,700
Percent Unemployed	9.9%	10.0%	9.0%	4.7%	5.0%	5.1%	7.0%	7.8%	7.9%
Total Employment++	258,800	256,200	254,300	786,600	782,900	762,600	115,600	114,700	113,300
<b>FORT WORTH-ARLINGTON</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>GALVESTON-TEXAS CITY</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	100,600	100,500	100,700	120,600	120,500	117,300	176,500	176,100	169,000
Total Unemployment	7,300	8,000	7,500	4,700	5,500	4,600	30,900	32,700	29,400
Percent Unemployed	7.3%	8.0%	7.4%	3.9%	4.6%	3.9%	17.5%	18.6%	17.4%
Total Employment++	93,300	92,500	93,200	115,900	115,000	112,700	145,600	143,400	139,600
<b>HOUSTON</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>KILLEEN-TEMPLE</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	731,700	725,000	695,100	47,700	47,200	47,700	83,900	83,800	82,200
Total Unemployment	34,300	38,000	32,200	2,400	2,600	2,800	5,200	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	4.7%	5.2%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%	5.9%	6.2%	6.0%	5.0%
Total Employment++	697,400	687,000	662,900	45,300	44,600	44,900	78,700	78,800	78,100
<b>LAREDO</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	42,600	42,100	41,000	101,000	99,400	99,200	65,500	64,800	62,800
Total Unemployment	2,500	2,600	2,300	4,800	5,400	4,700	3,400	3,500	3,200
Percent Unemployed	5.9%	6.2%	5.6%	4.8%	5.4%	4.7%	5.2%	5.4%	5.1%
Total Employment++	40,100	39,500	38,700	96,200	94,000	94,500	62,100	61,300	59,600
<b>LUBBOCK</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>LONGVIEW-MARSHALL</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	731,700	725,000	695,100	47,700	47,200	47,700	83,900	83,800	82,200
Total Unemployment	34,300	38,000	32,200	2,400	2,600	2,800	5,200	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	4.7%	5.2%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%	5.9%	6.2%	6.0%	5.0%
Total Employment++	697,400	687,000	662,900	45,300	44,600	44,900	78,700	78,800	78,100
<b>MCCALLEN-EDINBURG-MISSION</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	100,600	100,500	100,700	120,600	120,500	117,300	176,500	176,100	169,000
Total Unemployment	7,300	8,000	7,500	4,700	5,500	4,600	30,900	32,700	29,400
Percent Unemployed	7.3%	8.0%	7.4%	3.9%	4.6%	3.9%	17.5%	18.6%	17.4%
Total Employment++	93,300	92,500	93,200	115,900	115,000	112,700	145,600	143,400	139,600
<b>ODESSA-MIDLAND</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>SAN ANTONIO</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	100,600	100,500	100,700	120,600	120,500	117,300	176,500	176,100	169,000
Total Unemployment	7,300	8,000	7,500	4,700	5,500	4,600	30,900	32,700	29,400
Percent Unemployed	7.3%	8.0%	7.4%	3.9%	4.6%	3.9%	17.5%	18.6%	17.4%
Total Employment++	93,300	92,500	93,200	115,900	115,000	112,700	145,600	143,400	139,600
<b>SHERMAN-DENISON</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	42,600	42,100	41,000	101,000	99,400	99,200	65,500	64,800	62,800
Total Unemployment	2,500	2,600	2,300	4,800	5,400	4,700	3,400	3,500	3,200
Percent Unemployed	5.9%	6.2%	5.6%	4.8%	5.4%	4.7%	5.2%	5.4%	5.1%
Total Employment++	40,100	39,500	38,700	96,200	94,000	94,500	62,100	61,300	59,600
<b>TYLER</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800	109,300	47,400	47,300	47,700	47,400	47,300	47,700
<b>WACO</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	731,700	725,000	695,100	47,700	47,200	47,700	83,900	83,800	82,200
Total Unemployment	34,300	38,000	32,200	2,400	2,600	2,800	5,200	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	4.7%	5.2%	4.6%	5.0%	5.5%	5.9%	6.2%	6.0%	5.0%
Total Employment++	697,400	687,000	662,900	45,300	44,600	44,900	78,700	78,800	78,100
<b>WICHITA FALLS</b>									
Total Civilian Labor Force	119,600	119,500	117,500	49,700	49,800	49,900	2,300	2,500	2,200
Total Unemployment	7,300	7,700	8,200	2,300	2,500	2,200	4,600	5,000	4,100
Percent Unemployed	6.1%	6.4%	7.0%	4.6%	5.0%	4.4%	19.8%	20.3%	16.4%
Total Employment++	112,300	111,800							

**NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT+  
TEXAS METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS  
(Numbers In Thousands)**

Industry	SEP,95* AUG,95 SEP,94			SEP,95* AUG,95 SEP,94			SEP,95* AUG,95 SEP,94			SEP,95* AUG,95 SEP,94		
	ABILENE	AMARILLO	AUSTIN-SAN MARCOS	BEAUMONT-PORT ARTHUR								
TOTAL	51.8	50.4	50.8	90.4	89.3	87.0	520.0	507.0	490.1	148.9	147.2	148.9
Manufacturing	3.2	3.3	3.6	9.6	9.6	9.4	67.9	67.6	63.3	24.4	24.5	24.3
Mining	1.3	1.3	1.2	.8	.8	.8	.9	1.0	.9	.8	.8	.9
Construction	2.1	2.1	2.1	4.8	4.8	4.3	26.5	26.4	22.6	12.7	12.3	11.9
Trans. Comm. & Util.	2.4	2.4	2.5	5.5	5.5	5.6	16.0	15.8	14.9	8.5	8.4	9.3
Trade	13.8	13.8	13.3	25.3	25.5	23.8	110.1	109.9	103.0	34.8	35.1	34.7
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	1.9	1.9	1.9	4.5	4.5	4.5	29.6	29.7	28.0	4.7	4.7	4.6
Services & Misc.	17.2	16.4	16.6	21.9	22.0	21.0	138.3	137.6	129.9	38.2	38.7	38.9
Government	9.9	9.2	9.6	18.0	16.6	17.6	130.7	119.0	127.5	24.8	22.7	24.3
	BRAZORIA			BROWNSVILLE-HARLINGEN			BRYAN-COLLEGE STATION			CORPUS CHRISTI		
TOTAL	71.2	70.6	72.1	94.4	92.7	90.6	64.0	60.0	63.9	146.3	146.8	144.4
Manufacturing	16.5	16.6	16.7	14.1	14.2	13.3	3.9	3.9	3.9	14.0	14.0	14.0
Mining	1.1	1.1	1.2				.5	.5	.6	2.6	2.7	2.6
Construction	8.8	8.9	10.4	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.6	10.8	10.7	10.5
Trans. Comm. & Util.	2.7	2.7	2.6	4.3	4.2	4.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	6.9	7.1	6.6
Trade	13.9	13.9	14.1	24.3	24.1	23.8	14.0	13.2	14.1	34.7	35.2	34.4
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	1.9	1.9	1.9	3.7	3.7	3.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	6.4	6.4	6.4
Services & Misc.	12.8	12.7	12.1	23.2	22.9	21.8	12.6	12.7	13.0	40.1	40.6	38.3
Government	13.5	12.8	13.1	21.9	20.8	21.6	26.7	23.4	25.7	30.8	30.1	31.6
	DALLAS			EL PASO			FORT WORTH-ARLINGTON			GALVESTON-TEXAS CITY		
TOTAL	1596.9	1593.5	1547.8	236.6	234.2	233.7	657.3	654.0	637.6	85.2	84.6	83.6
Manufacturing	229.6	229.5	227.5	47.5	47.0	48.2	106.6	106.6	102.9	7.9	7.9	8.1
Mining	13.3	13.5	14.0				4.4	4.4	4.4	.6	.6	.6
Construction	66.7	66.7	61.1	11.2	11.1	9.6	28.2	27.9	26.8	4.8	4.6	4.6
Trans. Comm. & Util.	103.3	103.6	98.2	12.6	12.6	12.0	61.0	60.7	59.2	5.0	5.0	4.9
Trade	405.6	406.9	392.5	57.1	57.1	56.5	189.1	170.7	162.2	18.7	18.8	17.7
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	131.7	132.0	132.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	30.0	30.1	30.2	5.3	5.4	5.4
Services & Misc.	454.2	453.9	432.4	50.4	50.3	49.0	170.8	171.8	165.6	17.6	17.8	17.4
Government	192.5	187.4	189.5	49.1	47.4	49.8	87.2	81.8	86.3	25.3	24.5	24.9
	HOUSTON			KILLEEN-TEMPLE			LAREDO			LONGVIEW-MARSHALL		
TOTAL	1764.1	1760.8	1708.6	92.0	91.3	87.5	55.9	55.6	57.2	82.4	81.9	82.5
Manufacturing	187.1	187.5	182.6	9.9	10.1	9.5	1.5	1.5	1.7	17.6	17.5	17.6
Mining	65.4	65.8	66.7				2.9	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.5	3.5
Construction	122.8	123.1	112.0	4.7	4.8	4.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.5	3.6	3.5
Trans. Comm. & Util.	120.1	120.6	116.5	2.8	2.8	2.7	8.5	8.6	9.4	3.9	3.9	3.8
Trade	419.2	420.9	401.0	22.2	22.0	20.0	15.7	16.0	17.0	20.6	20.7	20.8
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	99.5	99.7	99.8	3.9	4.0	3.7	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.9	3.0	2.9
Services & Misc.	510.5	511.7	493.7	23.0	23.1	21.9	9.6	9.7	9.5	19.2	19.0	19.1
Government	239.5	231.5	236.3	25.5	24.5	25.5	13.6	12.9	12.6	11.3	10.7	11.3
	LUBBOCK			MCALLEN-EDIN.-MISSION			SHERMAN-DENISON			ODESSA-MIDLAND		
TOTAL	107.4	106.1	104.3	121.3	119.5	116.4	39.7	39.2	39.4	95.7	95.2	93.3
Manufacturing	8.0	7.9	7.9	13.4	12.9	13.0	10.2	10.2	9.9	6.4	6.4	6.5
Mining	.2	.2	.2	1.0	1.0	1.0				12.3	12.5	12.5
Construction	4.0	4.0	3.9	5.9	5.8	5.2	1.5	1.5	1.5	4.9	4.8	4.4
Trans. Comm. & Util.	5.5	5.4	5.6	4.1	4.0	4.0	1.7	1.8	1.7	4.1	4.1	4.2
Trade	31.5	31.0	29.8	35.2	35.0	34.8	9.3	9.4	9.2	25.8	26.0	24.7
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	3.7	3.6	3.6
Services & Misc.	29.3	29.2	29.9	24.3	24.3	22.2	9.9	9.5	9.9	21.1	21.3	20.5
Government	24.2	23.6	22.3	33.0	32.1	32.1	5.1	4.8	5.2	17.4	16.5	16.9
	SAN ANGELO			SAN ANTONIO			SHERMAN-DENISON			TEXARKANA		
TOTAL	40.3	40.0	40.6	626.5	616.4	598.0	39.7	39.2	39.4	48.8	48.7	48.5
Manufacturing	5.3	5.3	5.3	50.3	50.0	49.0	10.2	10.2	9.9	5.6	5.7	5.7
Mining	.5	.5	.7	1.9	1.9	1.8				.1	.1	.1
Construction	1.7	1.8	1.7	32.0	32.0	28.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.2	2.2	2.4
Trans. Comm. & Util.	2.4	2.4	2.5	29.9	29.9	27.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	2.2	2.2	2.2
Trade	10.0	9.9	9.7	154.0	154.1	146.3	9.3	9.4	9.2	12.6	12.7	12.2
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	1.5	1.6	1.7	43.2	43.2	41.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9
Services & Misc.	10.1	10.3	10.6	181.0	181.2	172.2	9.9	9.5	9.9	12.7	12.8	13.0
Government	8.8	8.2	8.4	134.2	124.1	130.6	5.1	4.8	5.2	11.5	11.1	11.0
	TYLER			VICTORIA			WACO			WICHITA FALLS		
TOTAL	70.4	70.2	70.2	33.4	32.6	32.5	92.2	90.3	90.9	56.8	56.3	54.7
Manufacturing	12.0	12.3	12.4	3.1	3.1	3.3	17.0	17.0	16.4	8.0	8.0	7.7
Mining	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.2				1.4	1.4	1.4
Construction	2.4	2.4	2.3	1.8	1.9	1.7	4.4	4.5	4.0	2.2	2.2	2.1
Trans. Comm. & Util.	3.1	3.1	3.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	3.7	3.7	3.6	2.7	2.7	2.6
Trade	17.9	17.9	17.5	9.3	9.2	9.1	21.1	21.0	20.8	13.1	13.1	12.9
Fin. Ins. & Rl. Est.	3.4	3.4	3.3	1.6	1.6	1.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	2.2	2.2	2.2
Services & Misc.	19.7	19.7	18.9	8.7	8.6	7.9	26.0	24.7	25.9	14.7	14.7	14.4
Government	10.6	10.1	11.2	6.0	5.4	6.2	14.5	13.9	14.8	12.5	12.0	11.4

+Estimates prepared by TEC in cooperation with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.  
\*Current month's estimates are preliminary--subject to revision.

LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES  
FOR TEXAS COUNTIES - SEP '95

AREA	C.L.F.	EMP.	UNEMP.	RATE	AREA	C.L.F.	EMP.	UNEMP.	RATE
ANDERSON	19,960	18,912	1,048	5.3	DONLEY	1,590	1,555	35	2.2
ANDREWS	5,862	5,578	284	4.8	DUVAL	4,820	4,105	715	14.8
ANGELINA	34,880	32,974	1,906	5.5	EASTLAND	8,387	7,942	445	5.3
ARANSAS	8,777	8,228	549	6.3	ECTOR	60,770	56,390	4,380	7.2
ARCHER	4,120	3,969	151	3.7	EDWARDS	917	868	49	5.3
ARMSTRONG	952	924	28	2.9	EL PASO	287,098	258,760	28,338	9.9
ATASCOSA	15,464	14,714	750	4.8	ELLIS	48,162	45,989	2,173	4.5
AUSTIN	10,779	10,282	497	4.6	ERATH	15,749	15,184	565	3.6
BAILEY	3,767	3,565	202	5.4	FALLS	7,192	6,847	345	4.8
BANDERA	6,526	6,247	279	4.3	FANNIN	12,023	11,210	813	6.8
BASTROP	23,584	22,814	770	3.3	FAYETTE	10,424	10,082	342	3.3
BAYLOR	1,848	1,764	84	4.5	FISHER	1,876	1,768	108	5.8
BEE	9,270	8,365	905	9.8	FLOYD	3,462	3,216	246	7.1
BELL	90,479	85,817	4,662	5.2	FOARD	1,146	1,019	127	11.1
BEXAR	651,350	619,876	31,474	4.8	FT BEND	142,724	137,195	5,529	3.9
BLANCO	3,436	3,349	87	2.5	FRANKLIN	3,757	3,506	251	6.7
BORDEN	378	369	9	2.4	FREESTONE	7,598	7,148	450	5.9
BOSQUE	6,502	6,204	298	4.6	FRIO	6,541	5,892	649	9.9
BOWIE	39,466	36,388	3,078	7.8	GAINES	6,857	6,522	335	4.9
BRAZORIA	105,073	97,585	7,488	7.1	GALVESTON	124,298	115,601	8,697	7.0
BRAZOS	70,305	68,073	2,232	3.2	GARZA	2,042	1,873	169	8.3
BREWSTER	4,933	4,715	218	4.4	GILLESPIE	9,845	9,597	248	2.5
BRISCOE	942	897	45	4.8	GLASSCOCK	552	536	16	2.9
BROOKS	3,374	3,013	361	10.7	GOLIAD	2,805	2,629	176	6.3
BROWN	17,013	15,939	1,074	6.3	GONZALES	7,684	7,358	326	4.2
BURLESON	8,049	7,653	396	4.9	GRAY	11,111	10,594	517	4.7
BURNET	11,041	10,502	539	4.9	GRAYSON	47,648	45,257	2,391	5.0
CALDWELL	14,725	14,126	599	4.1	GREGG	57,766	53,540	4,226	7.3
CALHOUN	9,967	9,170	797	8.0	GRIMES	9,089	8,601	488	5.4
CALLAHAN	6,148	5,850	298	4.8	GUADALUPE	37,181	36,051	1,130	3.0
CAMERON	125,330	110,908	14,422	11.5	HALE	18,727	17,470	1,257	6.7
CAMP	5,085	4,660	425	8.4	HALL	1,880	1,763	117	6.2
CARSON	3,802	3,652	150	3.9	HAMILTON	3,872	3,731	141	3.6
CASS	14,974	13,694	1,280	8.5	HANSFORD	2,440	2,353	87	3.6
CASTRO	4,257	4,079	178	4.2	HARDEMAN	2,000	1,848	152	7.6
CHAMBERS	10,536	10,028	508	4.8	HARDIN	20,674	19,141	1,533	7.4
CHEROKEE	19,338	18,224	1,114	5.8	HARRIS	1,700,558	1,601,099	99,459	5.8
CHILDRESS	3,404	3,261	143	4.2	HARRISON	27,290	25,227	2,063	7.6
CLAY	4,586	4,394	192	4.2	HARTLEY	2,325	2,247	78	3.4
COCHRAN	1,557	1,433	124	8.0	HASKELL	2,922	2,812	110	3.8
COKE	1,436	1,389	47	3.3	HAYS	43,449	41,962	1,487	3.4
COLEMAN	4,034	3,732	302	7.5	HEMPHILL	1,854	1,798	56	3.0
COLLIN	188,563	181,550	7,013	3.7	HENDERSON	27,278	25,758	1,520	5.6
COLLINGSWO	1,633	1,581	52	3.2	HIDALGO	176,464	145,554	30,910	17.5
COLORADO	8,381	8,095	286	3.4	HILL	13,879	13,239	640	4.6
COMAL	30,884	29,596	1,288	4.2	HOCKLEY	12,208	11,594	614	5.0
COMANCHE	6,617	6,310	307	4.6	HOOD	14,658	13,887	771	5.3
CONCHO	1,398	1,346	52	3.7	HOPKINS	16,661	15,660	1,001	6.0
COOKE	15,500	14,656	844	5.4	HOUSTON	7,964	7,603	361	4.5
CORYELL	20,809	19,884	925	4.4	HOWARD	13,953	13,336	617	4.4
COTTLE	860	806	54	6.3	HUDSPETH	1,400	1,377	23	1.6
CRANE	2,127	2,033	94	4.4	HUNT	34,719	32,884	1,835	5.3
CROCKETT	1,880	1,798	82	4.4	HUTCHISON	10,552	9,863	689	6.5
CROSBY	3,268	3,076	192	5.9	IRION	960	934	26	2.7
CULBERSON	1,249	1,204	45	3.6	JACK	3,361	3,206	155	4.6
DALLAM	3,385	3,257	128	3.8	JACKSON	8,586	8,194	392	4.6
DALLAS	1,181,866	1,122,231	59,635	5.0	JASPER	14,912	13,402	1,510	10.1
DAWSON	6,522	6,098	424	6.5	JEFF DAVIS	1,074	1,004	70	6.5
DE WITT	8,627	8,198	429	5.0	JEFFERSON	118,674	108,257	10,417	8.8
DEAF SMITH	9,139	8,487	652	7.1	JIM HOGG	1,774	1,615	159	9.0
DELTA	2,726	2,553	173	6.3	JIM WELLS	16,399	14,913	1,486	9.1
DENTON	193,817	186,624	7,193	3.7	JOHNSON	53,317	50,883	2,434	4.6
DICKENS	1,051	896	155	14.7	JONES	9,010	8,551	459	5.1
DIMMIT	3,356	2,847	509	15.2	KARNES	5,222	4,821	401	7.7

**LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES**  
FOR TEXAS COUNTIES - SEP '95

AREA	C.L.F.	EMP.	UNEMP.	RATE	AREA	C.L.F.	EMP.	UNEMP.	RATE
KAUFMAN	27,919	26,679	1,240	4.4	REAGAN	1,883	1,817	66	3.5
KENDALL	10,593	10,335	258	2.4	REAL	1,172	1,104	68	5.8
KENEDY	235	233	2	.9	RED RIVER	5,888	5,480	408	6.9
KENT	359	347	12	3.3	REEVES	6,965	6,280	685	9.8
KERR	17,162	16,473	689	4.0	REFUGIO	3,250	3,091	159	4.9
KIMBLE	2,297	2,220	77	3.4	ROBERTS	558	543	15	2.7
KING	173	166	7	4.0	ROBERTSON	6,909	6,468	441	6.4
KINNEY	1,156	1,104	52	4.5	ROCKWALL	17,534	16,924	610	3.5
KLEBERG	13,906	12,954	952	6.8	RUNNELS	5,397	5,144	253	4.7
KNOX	2,661	2,539	122	4.6	RUSK	20,686	19,221	1,465	7.1
LA SALLE	2,564	2,372	192	7.5	SABINE	3,620	3,339	281	7.8
LAMAR	22,518	21,065	1,453	6.5	SAN AUGUST	3,061	2,873	188	6.1
LAMB	6,884	6,462	422	6.1	SAN JACINT	8,427	8,061	366	4.3
LAMPASAS	7,000	6,616	384	5.5	SAN PATRIC	27,414	24,958	2,456	9.0
LAVACA	9,874	9,529	345	3.5	SAN SABA	2,314	2,190	124	5.4
LEE	7,241	6,946	295	4.1	SCHLEICHER	1,352	1,284	68	5.0
LEON	5,614	5,244	370	6.6	SCURRY	8,036	7,572	464	5.8
LIBERTY	25,243	23,213	2,030	8.0	SHACKELFOR	1,590	1,527	63	4.0
LIMESTONE	9,945	9,296	649	6.5	SHELBY	9,903	9,251	652	6.6
LIPSCOMB	1,604	1,555	49	3.1	SHERMAN	1,340	1,312	28	2.1
LIVE OAK	5,269	4,995	274	5.2	SMITH	83,881	78,707	5,174	6.2
LLANO	4,904	4,733	171	3.5	SOMERVELL	2,279	2,047	232	10.2
LOVING	79	70	9	11.4	STARR	18,256	14,116	4,140	22.7
LUBBOCK	120,562	115,883	4,679	3.9	STEPHENS	4,171	3,969	202	4.8
LYNN	2,874	2,769	105	3.7	STERLING	792	745	47	5.9
MADISON	4,348	4,137	211	4.9	STONEWALL	800	779	21	2.6
MARION	4,219	3,823	396	9.4	SUTTON	2,170	2,048	122	5.6
MARTIN	2,008	1,959	49	2.4	SWISHER	4,292	4,100	192	4.5
MASON	1,565	1,497	68	4.3	TARRANT	721,752	687,701	34,051	4.7
MATAGORDA	17,465	15,282	2,183	12.5	TAYLOR	59,691	56,273	3,418	5.7
MAVERICK	15,688	12,408	3,280	20.9	TERRELL	573	550	23	4.0
MC CULLOCH	3,854	3,568	286	7.4	TERRY	6,123	5,741	382	6.2
MC LENNAN	100,960	96,159	4,801	4.8	THROCKMORT	962	932	30	3.1
MC MULLEN	314	305	9	2.9	TITUS	12,410	11,468	942	7.6
MEDINA	13,846	13,232	614	4.4	TOM GREEN	49,761	47,440	2,321	4.7
MENARD	1,063	1,044	19	1.8	TRAVIS	437,321	421,252	16,069	3.7
MIDLAND	58,759	55,886	2,873	4.9	TRINITY	4,859	4,634	225	4.6
MILAM	9,857	9,259	598	6.1	TYLER	6,658	6,142	516	7.8
MILLS	2,245	2,163	82	3.7	UPSHUR	15,540	14,537	1,003	6.5
MITCHELL	3,750	3,520	230	6.1	UPTON	1,891	1,802	89	4.7
MONTAGUE	7,566	7,088	478	6.3	UVALDE	10,541	9,270	1,271	12.1
MONTGOMERY	107,743	102,493	5,250	4.9	VAL VERDE	18,563	16,889	1,674	9.0
MOORE	9,855	9,442	413	4.2	VAN ZANDT	19,215	18,425	790	4.1
MORRIS	6,143	5,546	597	9.7	VICTORIA	42,614	40,108	2,506	5.9
MOTLEY	678	643	35	5.2	WALKER	21,958	21,269	689	3.1
NACOGDOCHE	27,393	25,773	1,620	5.9	WALLER	11,401	10,782	619	5.4
NAVARRO	21,619	20,355	1,264	5.8	WARD	4,755	4,455	300	6.3
NEWTON	5,888	5,253	635	10.8	WASHINGTON	14,209	13,742	467	3.3
NOLAN	7,460	6,940	520	7.0	WEBB	70,341	60,497	9,844	14.0
NUECES	148,966	136,346	12,620	8.5	WHARTON	19,084	17,865	1,219	6.4
OCHILTREE	4,495	4,336	159	3.5	WHEELER	2,689	2,598	91	3.4
OLDHAM	1,240	1,193	47	3.8	WICHITA	61,323	58,093	3,230	5.3
ORANGE	41,424	36,571	4,853	11.7	WILBARGER	7,454	7,020	434	5.8
PALO PINTO	12,392	11,309	1,083	8.7	WILLACY	7,190	5,938	1,252	17.4
PANOLA	8,107	7,364	743	9.2	WILLIAMSON	104,964	102,311	2,653	2.5
PARKER	35,673	34,177	1,496	4.2	WILSON	12,301	11,866	435	3.5
PARMER	4,604	4,433	171	3.7	WINKLER	3,012	2,799	213	7.1
PECOS	7,213	6,765	448	6.2	WISE	19,866	19,001	865	4.4
POLK	14,060	13,312	748	5.3	WOOD	14,469	13,632	837	5.8
POTTER	53,679	50,836	2,843	5.3	YOAKUM	3,855	3,663	192	5.0
PRESIDIO	3,335	2,203	1,132	33.9	YOUNG	8,717	8,136	581	6.7
RAINS	3,337	3,166	171	5.1	ZAPATA	3,862	3,463	399	10.3
RANDALL	57,937	55,988	1,949	3.4	ZAVALA	4,247	3,419	828	19.5

Estimates prepared by the Economic Research and Analysis Department, Texas Employment Commission in cooperation with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor. Estimates reflect actual (not seasonally adjusted) data and are preliminary.

<b>TEXAS NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT +</b>
---

	SEP. 95*	AUG. 95	SEP. 94	CHG. FROM AUG. 95	CHG. FROM SEP. 94
<b>TOTAL NONAG. W &amp; S EMPLOYMENT</b>	8,081,700	8,042,900	7,824,400	38,800	257,300
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>	1,032,200	1,031,200	1,015,500	1,000	16,700
Durable Goods	591,600	591,700	575,300	-100	16,300
Lumber & Wood Products	40,400	40,500	39,700	-100	700
Logging Camps, Sawmills, Planing Mills	8,100	8,100	8,100	0	0
Furniture & Fixtures	17,800	18,000	17,400	-200	400
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	39,600	39,800	38,800	-200	800
Concrete, Gypsum & Plaster Prod.	18,500	18,500	17,600	0	900
Primary Metal Industries	31,300	31,000	30,000	300	1,300
Fabricated Metal Industries	93,900	93,500	89,600	400	4,300
Fabr. Structural Metal Prod.	47,500	47,300	44,900	200	2,600
Industrial Machinery & Equipment	127,800	128,600	120,200	-800	7,600
Oil & Gas Field Machinery	25,000	25,100	23,700	-100	1,300
Electronic & Other Electrical Equipment	112,300	111,800	108,100	500	4,200
Transportation Equipment	70,700	70,800	73,900	-100	-3,200
Aircraft & Parts	40,400	40,700	44,000	-300	-3,600
Instruments & Related Prod.	38,400	38,400	38,200	0	200
Instruments & Related Prod.	19,400	19,300	19,400	100	0
Misc. Manufacturing Industries	19,400	19,300	19,400	100	0
Nondurable Goods	440,600	439,500	440,200	1,100	400
Food & Kindred Products	99,400	97,600	98,000	1,800	1,400
Meat Products	31,500	31,300	30,400	200	1,100
Dairy Products	5,300	5,400	5,400	-100	-100
Bakery Products	11,500	11,400	10,700	100	800
Malt Beverages	2,700	2,700	2,800	0	-100
Textile Mill Products	3,900	3,900	3,900	0	0
Apparel & Oth. Fin. Textile Prod.	65,900	65,300	65,300	600	600
Paper & Allied Products	29,100	29,200	28,600	-100	500
Printing & Publishing	74,100	74,300	73,500	-200	600
Newspaper, Periodicals, Books & Misc.	32,700	32,800	33,600	-100	-900
Chemicals & Allied Products	83,500	83,700	84,300	-200	-800
Petroleum & Coal Products	28,100	28,100	29,600	0	-1,500
Petroleum Refining	25,000	25,000	26,400	0	-1,400
Rubber & Misc. Plastics Products	48,600	49,400	48,000	-800	600
Leather & Leather Products	7,900	8,000	8,900	-100	-1,000
<b>TOTAL NONMANUFACTURING</b>					
Mining	155,100	155,300	163,100	-200	-8,000
Oil & Gas Extraction	146,900	147,100	155,100	-200	-8,200
Construction	416,500	415,300	390,200	1,200	26,300
Transportation & Public Utilities	480,200	479,200	462,400	1,000	17,800
Railroad Transportation	19,400	19,400	19,200	0	200
Transportation by Air	83,100	83,200	81,700	-100	1,400
Communications	102,200	101,800	93,900	400	8,300
Electric, Gas & Sanitary Services	74,700	74,900	75,700	-200	-1,000
Electric Services	33,600	33,900	34,500	-300	-900
Gas Production & Distribution	25,800	25,900	27,000	-100	-1,200
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1,967,200	1,968,500	1,894,200	-1,300	73,000
Wholesale Trade	467,100	467,400	450,700	-300	16,400
Retail Trade	1,500,100	1,501,100	1,443,500	-1,000	56,600
Building Materials & Garden Supplies	52,400	52,400	49,000	0	3,400
General Merchandise Stores	212,100	210,200	202,400	1,900	9,700
Food Stores	248,700	249,700	244,800	-1,000	3,900
Automotive Dealers & Serv. Stations	154,600	154,500	150,200	100	4,400
Apparel & Accessory Stores	79,100	80,400	79,000	-1,300	100
Eating & Drinking Places	530,700	533,300	508,700	-2,600	22,000
Other Retail Trade	222,500	220,600	209,400	1,900	13,100
Finance, Ins. & Real Estate	446,500	447,600	444,800	-1,100	1,700
Depository Insts. Incl. Banks	115,600	116,100	115,100	-500	500
Insurance Carriers, Agents & Brokers	151,000	151,000	148,900	0	2,100
Other Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	179,900	180,500	180,800	-600	-900
Services	2,130,200	2,136,700	2,034,800	-6,500	95,400
Hotels & Other Lodging Places	80,200	83,100	83,300	-2,900	-3,100
Personal Services	83,500	83,300	84,800	200	-1,300
Business Services	499,800	498,700	458,300	1,100	41,500
Auto Repair Services	71,800	72,200	69,300	-400	2,500
Misc. Repair Services	25,600	25,800	25,700	-200	-100
Amusement, Including Motion Pictures	106,200	111,900	103,000	-5,700	3,200
Health Services	602,200	601,100	578,300	1,100	23,900
Educational Services	94,700	87,400	93,900	7,300	800
Engineering & Mgmt. Services	183,500	182,800	172,700	700	10,800
Other Services & Miscellaneous	258,200	260,300	243,400	-2,100	14,800
Total Government	1,453,800	1,409,100	1,419,400	44,700	34,400
Federal Government	188,100	188,400	192,700	-300	-4,500
State Government	320,700	314,100	309,900	5,600	10,800
Local Government	945,000	906,600	916,800	38,400	28,200

+Number of nonagricultural jobs in Texas without reference to place of residence of workers. Estimates of TEC in cooperation with Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.  
\*Estimates for current month are preliminary-subject to revision.

# U OF NT DEP LIBRARIES 76203

6

## HOURS AND EARNINGS IN TEXAS +

	AVE. WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVE. WEEKLY HOURS			AVE. HOURLY EARNINGS		
	SEP. 95*	AUG. 95	SEP. 94	SEP. 95*	AUG. 95	SEP. 94	SEP. 95*	AUG. 95	SEP. 94
<b>MANUFACTURING TOTAL</b>	497.66	489.05	484.09	43.2	42.6	43.3	11.52	11.48	11.18
<b>Durable Goods</b>	487.69	481.25	475.44	43.7	43.2	43.9	11.16	11.14	10.83
Lumber & Wood Products	381.93	372.79	357.06	43.9	42.8	44.3	8.70	8.71	8.06
Furniture & Fixtures	352.36	355.67	347.76	42.3	42.8	43.2	8.33	8.31	8.05
Stone, Clay & Glass Products	446.55	438.80	434.37	44.7	44.1	45.2	9.99	9.95	9.61
Primary Metal Industries	541.44	553.01	549.31	43.7	44.1	45.7	12.39	12.54	12.02
Fabricated Metal Industries	487.17	477.30	463.05	44.9	44.4	44.1	10.85	10.75	10.50
Industrial Mach., exc. Electric	477.20	475.46	476.15	43.5	43.5	44.5	10.97	10.93	10.70
Oil Field Machinery	558.44	552.35	555.87	46.0	45.8	46.4	12.14	12.06	11.98
Electronic & Oth. Electrical Eqmt.	500.02	487.77	482.29	43.9	42.6	43.1	11.39	11.45	11.19
Transportation Equipment	680.65	663.56	667.95	43.8	42.7	43.8	15.54	15.54	15.25
Instruments & Related Prod.	474.10	474.37	454.85	40.8	41.0	41.2	11.62	11.57	11.04
Misc. Manufacturing Inds.	339.48	319.95	308.00	41.0	39.5	40.0	8.28	8.10	7.70
<b>Nondurable Goods</b>	509.15	500.22	493.85	42.5	42.0	42.5	11.98	11.91	11.62
Food & Kindred Products	392.97	387.66	397.03	42.3	42.0	42.6	9.29	9.23	9.32
Meat Products	358.66	346.71	349.85	46.7	45.8	45.2	7.68	7.57	7.74
Malt Beverages	841.77	858.10	920.11	39.8	40.4	44.3	21.15	21.24	20.77
Textile Mill Products	387.39	405.57	406.17	41.3	43.1	42.8	9.38	9.41	9.49
Apparel & Other Text. Prods.	267.24	260.82	254.98	38.9	38.3	38.0	6.87	6.81	6.71
Paper & Allied Products	590.34	585.85	568.11	43.6	43.3	43.6	13.54	13.53	13.03
Printing & Publishing	470.09	456.03	473.34	41.2	40.5	42.0	11.41	11.26	11.27
Chemicals & Allied Products	855.09	841.67	792.08	45.8	45.3	44.7	18.67	18.58	17.72
Petroleum & Coal Products	872.07	845.18	875.84	44.2	42.6	46.0	19.73	19.84	19.04
Petroleum Refining	905.49	875.08	916.98	44.3	42.5	46.5	20.44	20.59	19.72
Rubber & Misc. Plastics Products	435.87	432.39	431.57	43.5	43.5	44.4	10.02	9.94	9.72
Leather & Leather Products	282.10	268.97	271.20	40.3	38.7	40.0	7.00	6.95	6.78
<b>NONMANUFACTURING</b>									
Mining	687.40	681.54	634.92	43.7	43.3	42.3	15.73	15.74	15.01
Oil & Gas Extraction	690.49	684.56	636.30	43.4	43.0	42.0	15.91	15.92	15.15
Communications	633.46	643.62	629.25	42.6	43.4	41.7	14.87	14.83	15.09
Elec., Gas & San. Services	592.62	585.98	594.09	42.0	41.5	41.4	14.11	14.12	14.35
Wholesale & Retail Trade	270.76	270.27	264.22	32.7	32.8	32.7	8.28	8.24	8.08
Wholesale Trade	468.03	468.40	459.20	39.9	40.0	40.0	11.73	11.71	11.48
Retail Trade	214.51	214.68	209.00	30.6	30.8	30.6	7.01	6.97	6.83
General Merchandise Stores	232.13	225.88	215.60	33.4	32.5	31.8	6.95	6.95	6.78
Depository Inst., Inc. Banks	324.26	318.28	316.96	37.4	36.5	36.6	8.67	8.72	8.66

### HOURS AND EARNINGS FOR SELECTED TEXAS METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

<b>DALLAS</b>									
Manufacturing	498.27	485.14	479.14	43.9	43.2	43.4	11.35	11.23	11.04
Durable Goods	513.45	495.12	493.50	45.0	43.7	44.3	11.41	11.33	11.14
Nondurable Goods	470.96	467.84	455.03	41.9	42.3	41.9	11.24	11.06	10.86
<b>FORT WORTH-ARLINGTON</b>									
Manufacturing	541.34	530.76	540.86	43.1	42.7	43.2	12.56	12.43	12.52
Durable Goods	572.43	559.86	580.29	43.3	43.0	43.5	13.22	13.02	13.34
Nondurable Goods	480.80	472.63	467.99	42.7	41.9	42.7	11.26	11.28	10.96
<b>HOUSTON</b>									
Manufacturing	625.67	609.70	611.50	44.5	43.8	44.7	14.06	13.92	13.68
Durable Goods	533.72	522.30	517.05	44.7	44.3	45.0	11.94	11.79	11.49
Nondurable Goods	748.23	724.51	728.60	44.3	43.1	44.4	16.89	16.81	16.41
<b>SAN ANTONIO</b>									
Manufacturing	401.10	400.03	372.91	42.4	41.8	41.9	9.46	9.57	8.90
Durable Goods	431.00	429.70	382.13	43.1	41.8	41.9	10.00	10.28	9.12
Nondurable Goods	371.55	371.18	364.11	41.7	41.8	41.9	8.91	8.88	8.69

+Figures for Texas and selected areas cover Production Workers in Manufacturing and Mining Industries only and Nonsupervisory Employees in other industry divisions. Earnings' averages include premium pay for overtime, holidays, and for late-shift work. \*Preliminary subject to revision upon receipt of additional reports.

SOURCE: Texas Employment Commission in cooperation with the Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.