

Texas Metropolitan Statistical Area Rankings

September 2017

Total Nonagricultural Employment

Unemployment	Rate	Monthly Job Growth	Rate	Actual	Annual Job Growth	Rate	Actual
1 Amarillo	2.7%	1 College Station-Bryan	4.8%	5,400	1 College Station-Bryan	3.4%	3,900
2 Midland	2.8%	2 Odessa	1.7%	1,200	2 Corpus Christi	2.9%	5,500
3 Austin-Round Rock	2.9%	3 Texarkana	1.5%	900	3 Dallas-Plano-Irving	2.7%	67,100
3 College Station-Bryan	2.9%	4 El Paso	1.1%	3,400	3 El Paso	2.7%	8,300
3 Lubbock	2.9%	5 Abilene	0.9%	600	3 Midland	2.7%	2,300
6 Sherman-Denison	3.2%	6 Austin-Round Rock	0.8%	8,300	6 Fort Worth-Arlington	2.6%	26,500
6 San Antonio-New Braunfels	3.2%	7 Midland	0.7%	600	7 Austin-Round Rock	2.3%	23,500
8 San Angelo	3.4%	8 Fort Worth-Arlington	0.6%	6,000	8 San Antonio-New Braunfels	2.2%	22,800
8 Dallas-Plano-Irving	3.4%	9 Dallas-Plano-Irving	0.4%	9,600	9 Odessa	2.0%	1,400
8 Fort Worth-Arlington	3.4%	9 Laredo	0.4%	400	10 Killeen-Temple	1.9%	2,800
8 Wichita Falls	3.4%	11 McAllen-Edinburg-Mission	0.3%	700	11 Tyler	1.7%	1,800
12 Abilene	3.5%	12 San Antonio-New Braunfels	0.2%	2,400	11 Sherman-Denison	1.7%	800
13 Laredo	3.6%	12 Longview	0.2%	200	13 Laredo	1.5%	1,500
14 Odessa	3.7%	12 Wichita Falls	0.2%	100	14 Lubbock	1.4%	2,000
15 Tyler	3.8%	15 Amarillo	0.0%	0	15 McAllen-Edinburg-Mission	1.2%	3,000
15 Killeen-Temple	3.8%	16 Lubbock	-0.1%	-100	16 Amarillo	1.1%	1,300
15 Waco	3.8%	16 Brownsville-Harlingen	-0.1%	-100	17 Brownsville-Harlingen	0.9%	1,200
18 Texarkana	4.2%	16 Tyler	-0.1%	-100	18 Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land	0.7%	19,500
18 El Paso	4.2%	16 Killeen-Temple	-0.1%	-200	18 Wichita Falls	0.7%	400
20 Victoria	4.6%	20 Corpus Christi	-0.2%	-400	20 Longview	0.5%	500
20 Longview	4.6%	21 Waco	-0.3%	-400	21 Abilene	0.0%	0
22 Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land	4.8%	22 San Angelo	-0.4%	-200	22 San Angelo	-0.6%	-300
23 Corpus Christi	5.8%	23 Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land	-0.5%	-16,000	23 Victoria	-0.7%	-300
24 Brownsville-Harlingen	6.4%	24 Victoria	-0.7%	-300	24 Waco	-0.8%	-900
25 McAllen-Edinburg-Mission	6.9%	24 Beaumont-Port Arthur	-0.7%	-1,100	25 Texarkana	-1.2%	-700
26 Beaumont-Port Arthur	8.1%	26 Sherman-Denison	-0.8%	-400	26 Beaumont-Port Arthur	-2.2%	-3,600

All numbers based on preliminary data and subject to revision.

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