

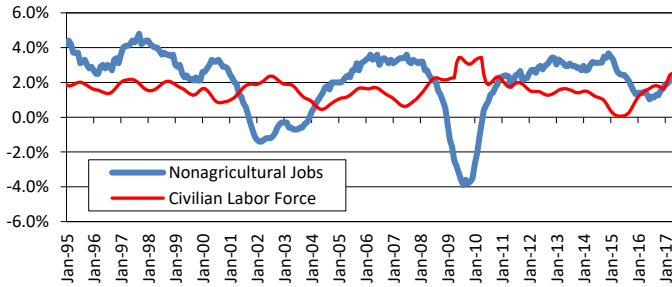
Texas Nonagricultural Employment Summary

Texas Nonagricultural Wage and Salary employment experienced a strong rebound from the impact of Hurricane Harvey with the addition of 71,500 jobs in October. Leisure and Hospitality recovered from its September losses with the addition of 34,700 jobs in October, while Trade, Transportation, and Utilities employment expanded by 10,300 positions. Total Nonagricultural employment gained 316,100 jobs over the year for a 2.6 percent annual growth rate. Professional and Business Services led all major industries in annual growth with the addition of 50,000 jobs.

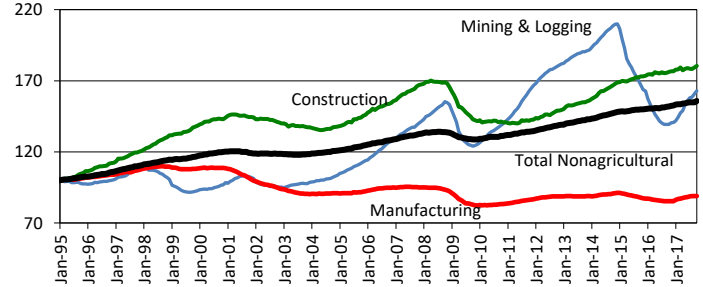
Texas Labor Force Summary

The Texas seasonally adjusted unemployment rate fell 0.1 percentage points to reach 3.9 percent in October, and the rate has fallen 0.9 percentage points over the year. The U.S. rate fell 0.1 percentage points to reach 4.1 percent in October and has fallen 0.7 percentage points over the year. The Texas Civilian Labor Force grew by 19,400 persons in October for a second straight month of growth. The number of employed increased by 43,100 workers, while the number of unemployed fell by 23,700 persons. The Texas CLF grew by 97,000 persons over the year.

Total Nonagricultural Jobs vs. Civilian Labor Force (Over-the-Year Percent Change)



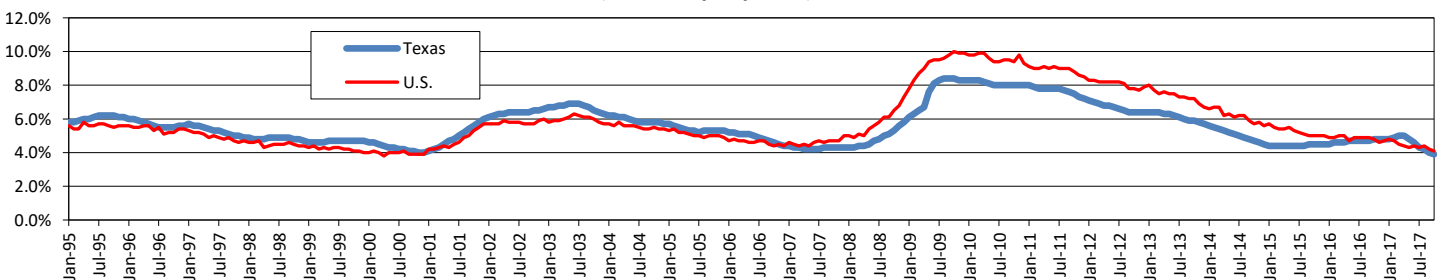
Goods Producing Sector Index, 1995=100



TEXAS NONAGRICULTURAL WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

INDUSTRY TITLE	Oct 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2016	Sep '17 to Oct '17		Oct '16 to Oct '17	
				Absolute Change	Percent Change	Absolute Change	Percent Change
Total Nonagricultural	12,394,900	12,323,400	12,078,800	71,500	0.6	316,100	2.6
Total Private	10,423,900	10,359,800	10,144,600	64,100	0.6	279,300	2.8
Goods-Producing	1,847,900	1,841,100	1,758,500	6,800	0.4	89,400	5.1
Mining and Logging	250,700	247,500	214,300	3,200	1.3	36,400	17.0
Construction	720,400	715,900	703,200	4,500	0.6	17,200	2.4
Manufacturing	876,800	877,700	841,000	-900	-0.1	35,800	4.3
Service-Providing	10,547,000	10,482,300	10,320,300	64,700	0.6	226,700	2.2
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	2,458,500	2,448,200	2,428,500	10,300	0.4	30,000	1.2
Information	189,900	191,200	200,600	-1,300	-0.7	-10,700	-5.3
Financial Activities	765,200	762,200	738,300	3,000	0.4	26,900	3.6
Professional and Business Services	1,685,900	1,679,600	1,635,900	6,300	0.4	50,000	3.1
Education and Health Services	1,682,500	1,680,500	1,649,000	2,000	0.1	33,500	2.0
Leisure and Hospitality	1,345,600	1,310,900	1,304,600	34,700	2.6	41,000	3.1
Other Services	448,400	446,100	429,200	2,300	0.5	19,200	4.5
Government	1,971,000	1,963,600	1,934,200	7,400	0.4	36,800	1.9

Texas and U.S. Unemployment Rates (Seasonally Adjusted)



TEXAS AND U.S. CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES (Seasonally Adjusted)

	TEXAS				UNITED STATES				
	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	RATE	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	RATE	
Oct '17	13,427,700	12,910,300	517,400	3.9	Oct '17	160,381,000	153,861,000	6,520,000	4.1
Sep '17	13,408,300	12,867,200	541,100	4.0	Sep '17	161,146,000	154,345,000	6,801,000	4.2
Oct '16	13,330,700	12,697,300	633,300	4.8	Oct '16	159,643,000	151,902,000	7,740,000	4.8