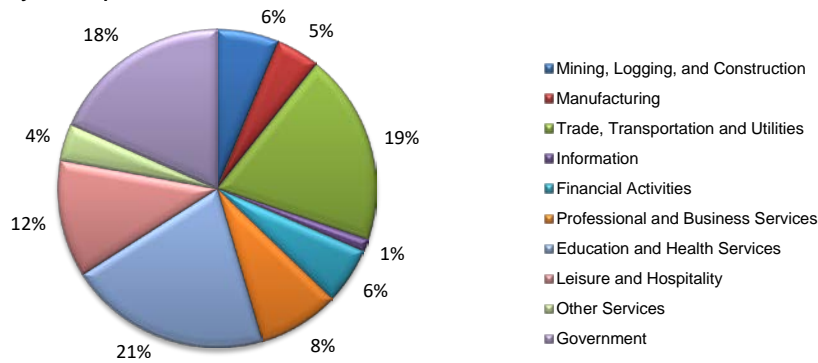
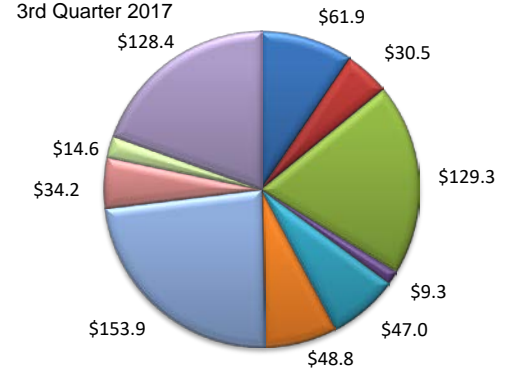


(Callahan, Jones, and Taylor)

Industry Composition



Wages by Industry (in millions)



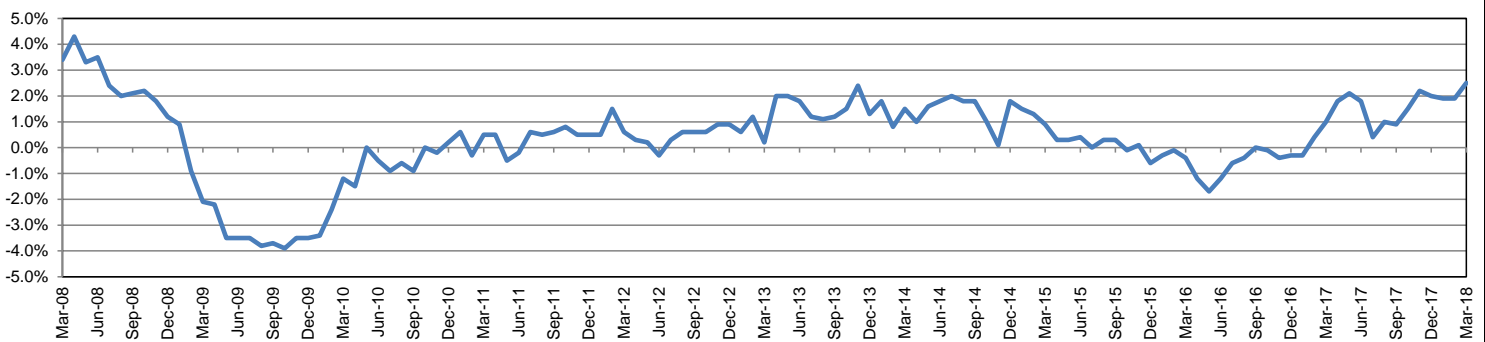
Employment by Industry

	Mar-18	Feb-18	Mar-17	Monthly Change		Annual Change	
				Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonfarm	70,000	69,500	68,300	500	0.7%	1,700	2.5%
Mining, Logging and Construction	4,400	4,500	4,600	-100	-2.2%	-200	-4.3%
Manufacturing	3,100	3,100	2,900	0	0.0%	200	6.9%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	13,600	13,600	13,300	0	0.0%	300	2.3%
Information	900	900	900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	4,000	4,000	3,800	0	0.0%	200	5.3%
Professional and Business Services	5,800	5,500	5,200	300	5.5%	600	11.5%
Education and Health Services	14,400	14,400	14,200	0	0.0%	200	1.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	8,300	8,100	8,000	200	2.5%	300	3.8%
Other Services	2,600	2,500	2,500	100	4.0%	100	4.0%
Government	12,900	12,900	12,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

Industry Size Class

Size Class	Employees per firm	Number of Firms	September 2017	
			Employment in Size Class	% Total Employment
9	1000+	8	12,432	18.7%
8	500-999	6	4,061	6.1%
7	250-499	16	5,226	7.9%
6	100-249	74	10,726	16.1%
5	50-99	144	10,060	15.1%
4	20-49	336	9,963	15.0%
3	10-19	459	6,293	9.5%
2	5-9	660	4,346	6.5%
1	1-4	1,653	3,395	5.1%
0	0	321	0	0.0%
Total			66,502	100.0%

Annual Growth Rate for Total Nonagricultural Employment



Unemployment Information (all estimates in thousands)

	Abilene MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	Rate
Mar-18	77.4	74.7	2.7	3.5	13,834.8	13,265.3	569.4	4.1	161,548.0	154,877.0	6,671.0	4.1
Feb-18	77.2	74.5	2.7	3.5	13,810.9	13,240.9	570.0	4.1	161,494.0	154,403.0	7,091.0	4.4
Mar-17	75.7	72.8	2.8	3.7	13,517.7	12,904.4	613.3	4.5	159,912.0	152,628.0	7,284.0	4.6

Historical Unemployment Rates

