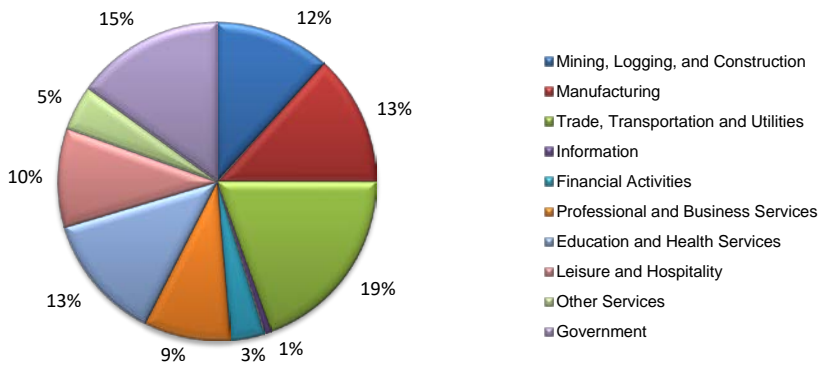


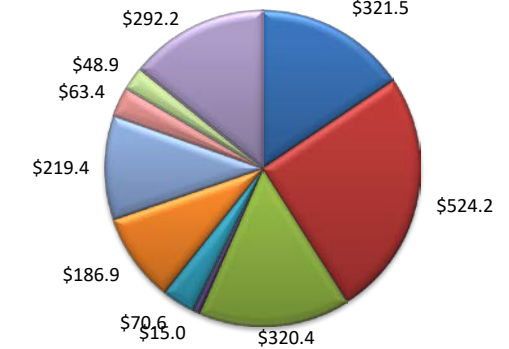
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Industry Composition



Wages by Industry (in millions)

3rd Quarter 2017



Employment by Industry

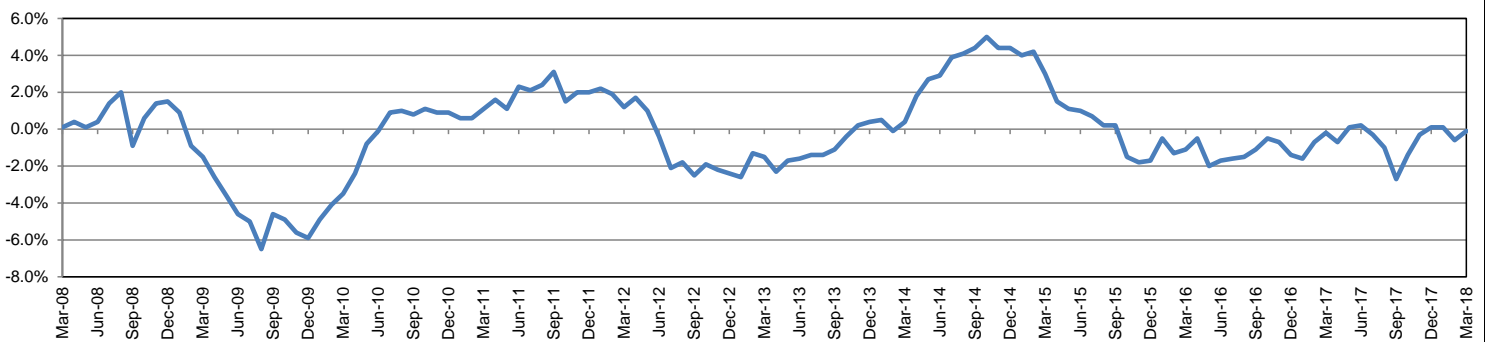
				Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Mar-18	Feb-18	Mar-17	Actual	%	Actual	%
	Mar-18	Feb-18	Mar-17	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonfarm	165,000	163,600	165,100	1,400	0.9%	-100	-0.1%
Mining, Logging and Construction	19,400	19,400	19,600	0	0.0%	-200	-1.0%
Manufacturing	21,900	21,800	21,700	100	0.5%	200	0.9%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	32,200	31,800	31,800	400	1.3%	400	1.3%
Information	1,100	1,100	1,200	0	0.0%	-100	-8.3%
Financial Activities	5,700	5,700	5,800	0	0.0%	-100	-1.7%
Professional and Business Services	14,600	14,700	14,900	-100	-0.7%	-300	-2.0%
Education and Health Services	21,300	21,100	21,700	200	0.9%	-400	-1.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	16,500	16,300	15,900	200	1.2%	600	3.8%
Other Services	7,500	7,100	7,100	400	5.6%	400	5.6%
Government	24,800	24,600	25,400	200	0.8%	-600	-2.4%

Industry Size Class

September 2017

Size Class	Employees per firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% Total Employment
9	1000+	16	24,592	15.9%
8	500-999	34	23,098	15.0%
7	250-499	43	14,832	9.6%
6	100-249	187	28,337	18.4%
5	50-99	260	18,321	11.9%
4	20-49	654	20,374	13.2%
3	10-19	821	11,135	7.2%
2	5-9	1,155	7,611	4.9%
1	1-4	2,847	6,020	3.9%
0	0	652	0	0.0%
Total		6,669	154,320	100.0%

Annual Growth Rate for Total Nonagricultural Employment



Unemployment Information (all estimates in thousands)

	Beaumont-Port Arthur 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	176.9	165.2	11.7	6.6	13,834.8	13,265.3	569.4	4.1	161,548.0	154,877.0	6,671.0	4.1
Feb-18	176.4	164.4	12.0	6.8	13,810.9	13,240.9	570.0	4.1	161,494.0	154,403.0	7,091.0	4.4
Mar-17	176.8	164.3	12.5	7.0	13,517.7	12,904.4	613.3	4.5	159,912.0	152,628.0	7,284.0	4.6

Historical Unemployment Rates

