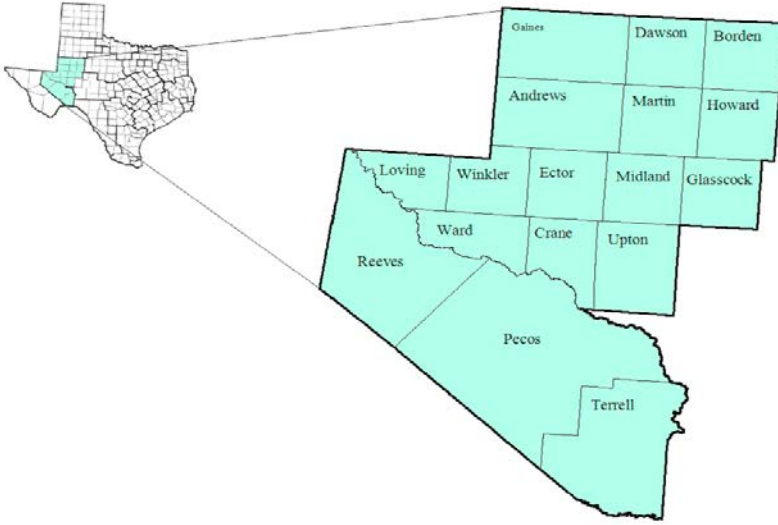


Permian Basin Workforce Development Area

October 2017



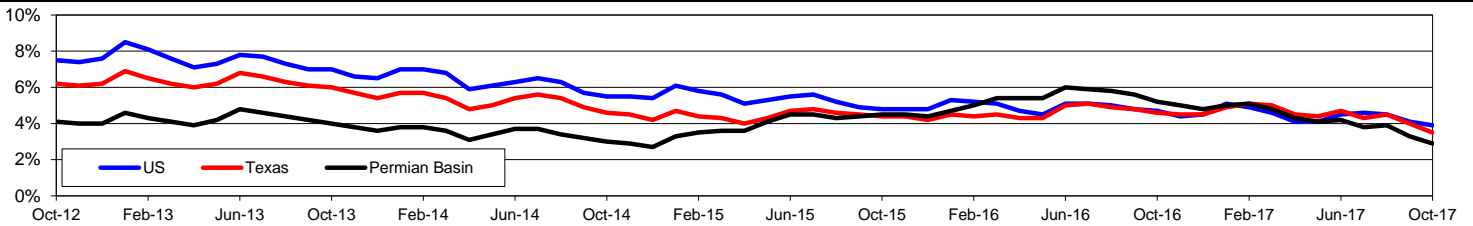
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Oct-17	Sep-17	Oct-16	OTY
CLF	220,481	222,675	221,981	-1,500
Employed	214,077	215,242	210,371	3,706
Unemployed	6,404	7,433	11,610	-5,206
Rate	2.9%	3.3%	5.2%	-2.3%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Oct-17	Sep-17	Oct-16	OTY
CLF	13,392,285	13,498,742	13,338,725	53,560
Employed	12,922,084	12,954,820	12,725,859	196,225
Unemployed	470,201	543,922	612,866	-142,665
Rate	3.5%	4.0%	4.6%	-1.1%

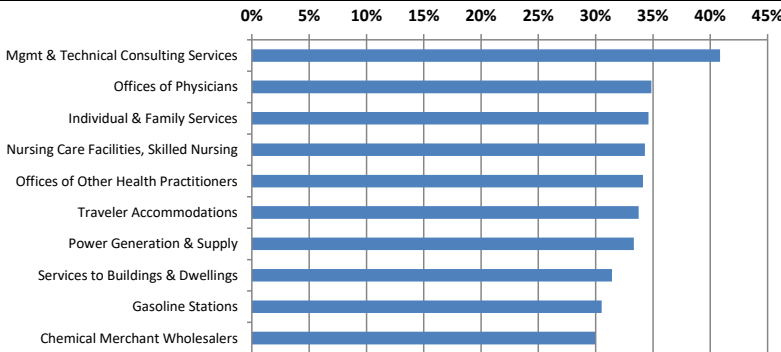
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Oct-17	Sep-17	Oct-16	OTY
CLF	160,465,000	161,049,000	159,783,000	682,000
Employed	154,223,000	154,494,000	152,335,000	1,888,000
Unemployed	6,242,000	6,556,000	7,447,000	-1,205,000
Rate	3.9%	4.1%	4.7%	-0.8%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Oct-17	Sep-17	Oct-16	OTY
WDA	805	874	2,421	-1,616
Texas	104,802	115,057	124,901	-20,099

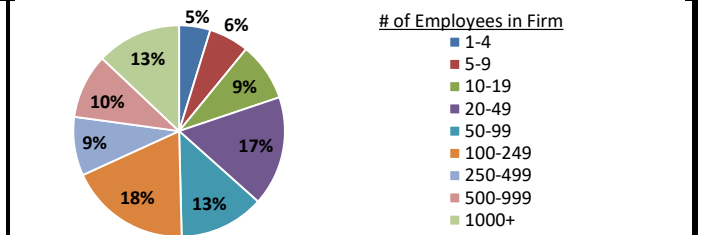
Historical Unemployment Rates



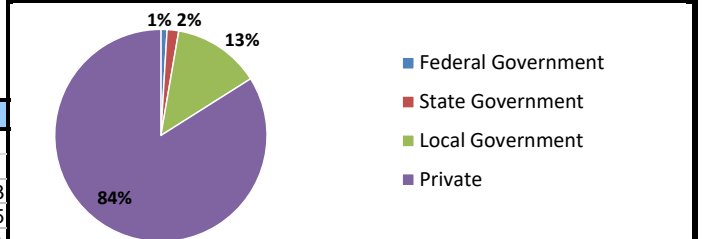
Projected Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% growth 2014-2024)



Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2017)



Employment by Ownership (2nd Quarter 2017)



Average Weekly Wage (2nd Quarter 2017)

	Q2 2017	Q1 2017	Q2 2016	Change	
				Quarter	Year
WDA	\$1,138	\$1,189	\$1,046	-\$51	\$93
Texas	\$1,026	\$1,124	\$1,000	-\$99	\$25
US	N/A	\$1,111	\$988	N/A	N/A

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2017, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of total	% Change	
			Quarter	Year
Natural resources and mining	40,707	19.2%	5.4%	15.8%
Construction	15,239	7.2%	6.4%	4.6%
Manufacturing	9,220	4.4%	4.8%	4.9%
Trade, transportation and utilities	45,099	21.3%	2.2%	0.9%
Information	2,118	1.0%	4.6%	13.8%
Financial activities	8,909	4.2%	1.9%	2.1%
Professional and business services	14,628	6.9%	2.4%	7.3%
Education and health services	39,287	18.5%	-0.8%	0.3%
Leisure and hospitality	22,604	10.7%	6.7%	3.6%
Other services	6,627	3.1%	3.6%	6.6%
Public administration	7,419	3.5%	-0.9%	0.2%
Total	211,857	100.0%	3.0%	4.9%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2017)

