

Coastal Bend Workforce Area

(Not Seasonally Adjusted Unemployment Rates by WDA, MSA, & County)

Area	Area Type	Latest Monthly Data November 2021						Previous Monthly Data October 2021				Year Ago November 2020			
		Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	M+-	Y+-	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate
United States	Nation	162,052,000	155,175,000	6,877,000	4.2	-0.4	-2.5	161,458,000	154,039,000	7,419,000	4.6	160,536,000	149,809,000	10,728,000	6.7
Texas	State	14,253,815	13,511,597	742,218	5.2	-0.2	-2.0	14,204,236	13,434,278	769,958	5.4	13,992,055	12,989,789	1,002,266	7.2
Corpus Christi	MSA	205,541	193,281	12,260	6.0	-0.1	-2.4	204,147	191,687	12,460	6.1	201,794	181,436	20,358	8.4
Coastal Bend	WDA	256,833	240,882	15,951	6.2	-0.2	-2.9	255,467	239,169	16,298	6.4	255,619	232,431	23,188	9.1
Aransas	County	9,301	8,730	571	6.1	-0.2	-2.1	9,267	8,681	586	6.3	8,998	8,263	735	8.2
Bee	County	8,829	8,160	669	7.6	-0.2	-2.5	8,804	8,119	685	7.8	9,839	8,843	996	10.1
Brooks	County	2,329	2,139	190	8.2	-0.4	-3.0	2,313	2,115	198	8.6	2,571	2,284	287	11.2
Duval	County	5,074	4,714	360	7.1	-0.1	-5.9	5,102	4,734	368	7.2	4,803	4,177	626	13.0
Jim Wells	County	14,639	13,398	1,241	8.5	-0.4	-5.5	14,683	13,371	1,312	8.9	15,613	13,432	2,181	14.0
Kenedy	County	148	137	11	7.4	0.9	0.1	153	143	10	6.5	165	153	12	7.3
Kleberg	County	12,661	11,889	772	6.1	-0.3	-1.9	12,673	11,866	807	6.4	13,593	12,507	1,086	8.0
Live Oak	County	4,729	4,456	273	5.8	-0.1	-2.7	4,686	4,410	276	5.9	5,153	4,714	439	8.5
Nueces	County	166,545	157,078	9,467	5.7	-0.1	-2.7	165,414	155,723	9,691	5.8	162,774	149,082	13,692	8.4
Refugio	County	2,883	2,708	175	6.1	-0.2	-2.1	2,906	2,724	182	6.3	3,053	2,802	251	8.2
San Patricio	County	29,695	27,473	2,222	7.5	0.1	-2.4	29,466	27,283	2,183	7.4	29,057	26,174	2,883	9.9

(M+-) Change in unemployment rate from last month (Increase) (Decrease)

(Y+-) Change in unemployment rate from last year (Increase) (Decrease)

- Earnings for all occupations Coastal Bend, expressed as hourly rate (TWC):

Coastal Bend	All Occupations-	Average \$18.35/hr.	Entry level \$8.58/hr.	Experienced workers \$23.24/hr.	Top 10% \$33.56/hr.
Texas	All Occupations-	Average \$20.97/hr.	Entry level \$8.88/hr.	Experienced workers \$ 27.02/hr.	Top 10% \$39.64/hr.

- Educational Attainment for population 25 years of age and older - Corpus Christi (Census American Fact Finder/American Community Survey):

Less than 9th grade	8.7%	12th grade & GED	27.7%	Associates degree	7.0%	Graduate or Professional degrees	8.4%
9th thru 11th grade	9.3%	Some College	25.1%	Bachelors degree	13.8%		

- Median earnings Corpus Christi by education for persons 25 years of age & up (Census AFF/ACS): **\$27,211** (\$36,380 male/ \$22,328 female)

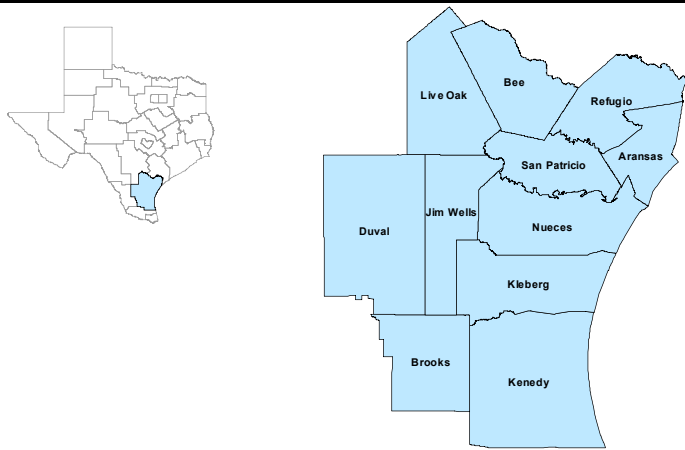
Less than High School	\$15,437	Some College or Associates	\$28,739	Graduate or Professional	\$56,681
High School & GED	\$26,818	Bachelor's	\$44,078		

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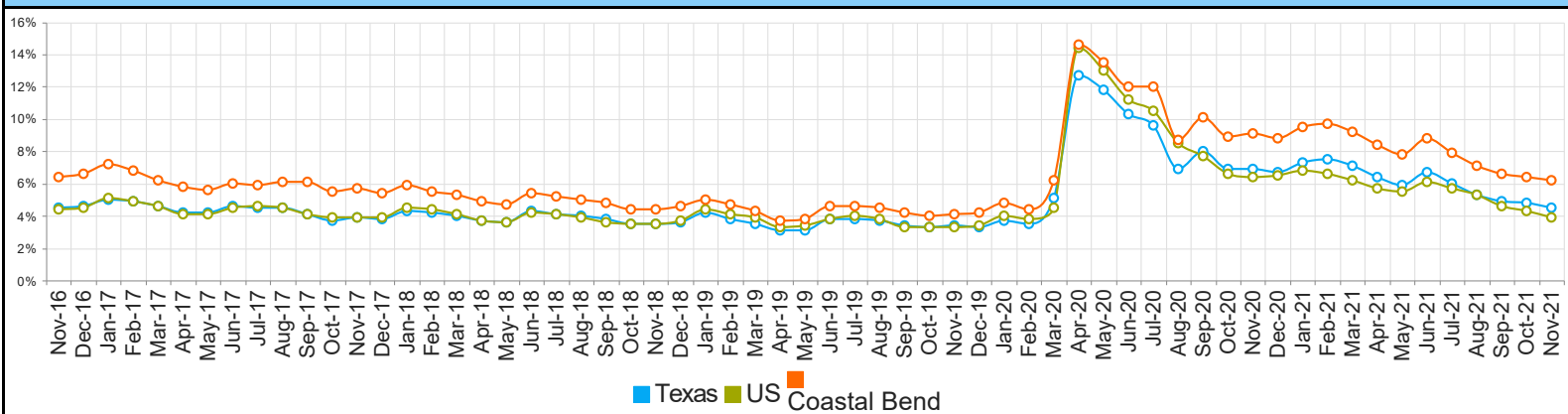
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-21	Oct-21	Nov-20	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	256,833	255,750	255,619	1,214
Employed	240,882	239,471	232,431	8,451
Unemployed	15,951	16,279	23,188	-7,237
Unemployment Rate	6.2%	6.4%	9.1%	-2.9%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-21	Oct-21	Nov-20	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	14,430,417	14,315,600	14,050,100	380,317
Employed	13,775,262	13,634,481	13,076,638	698,624
Unemployed	655,155	681,119	973,462	-318,307
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	4.8%	6.9%	-2.4%

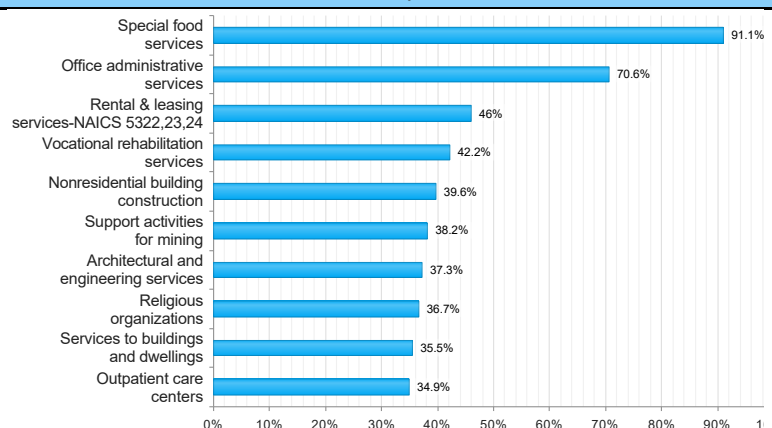
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Nov-21	Oct-21	Nov-20	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	162,099,000	161,863,000	160,468,000	1,631,000
Employed	155,797,000	154,966,000	150,203,000	5,594,000
Unemployed	6,302,000	6,896,000	10,264,000	-3,962,000
Unemployment Rate	3.9%	4.3%	6.4%	-2.5%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Nov-21	Oct-21	Nov-20	Yearly Change
WDA	2,177	2,126	7,018	-4,841
Texas	82,646	89,105	284,783	-202,137

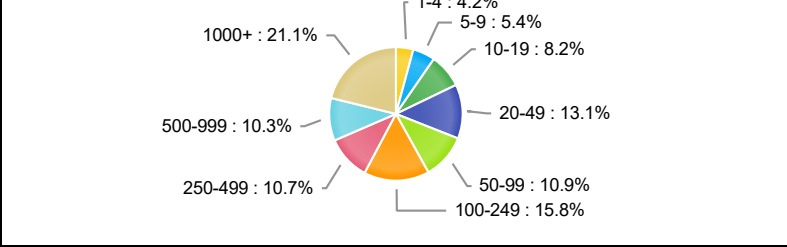
Historical Unemployment Rates



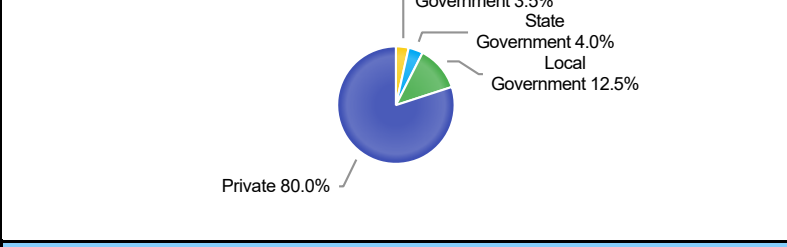
Projected Top Ten Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% Growth 2018-2028)



Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2021)



Employment by Ownership (2nd Quarter 2021)



Average Weekly Wage (2nd Quarter 2021)					
	Q2 2021	Q1 2021	Q2 2020	Quarterly Change	Yearly Change
WDA	\$945	\$940	\$919	\$5	\$26
Texas	\$1,210	\$1,259	\$1,156	-\$49	\$54
US	\$1,241	\$1,288	\$1,188	-\$47	\$53

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2021, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of Total	% Quarterly Change	% Yearly Change
Natural Resources and Mining	7,564	3.4%	5.1%	0.7%
Construction	18,229	8.2%	-1.2%	-2.2%
Manufacturing	12,293	5.5%	0.2%	0.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	42,279	18.9%	1.1%	4.0%
Information	1,643	0.7%	0.7%	1.2%
Financial Activities	9,399	4.2%	1.2%	-0.4%
Professional and Business Services	20,004	9.0%	1.4%	4.8%
Education and Health Services	64,456	28.8%	0.1%	1.0%
Leisure and Hospitality	30,577	13.7%	6.7%	20.0%
Other Services	5,531	2.5%	2.6%	3.6%
Public Administration	11,511	5.2%	0.3%	-3.9%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2021)

