TEXAS Labor Market Information

TEXAS WORKFORCE COMMISSION

Northeast Texas Workforce Development Area

October 2022

Map of Northeast Texas Workforce Development Area (Lamar, Red River, Delta, Hopkins, Franklin, Titus, Morris, Bowie, Cass)
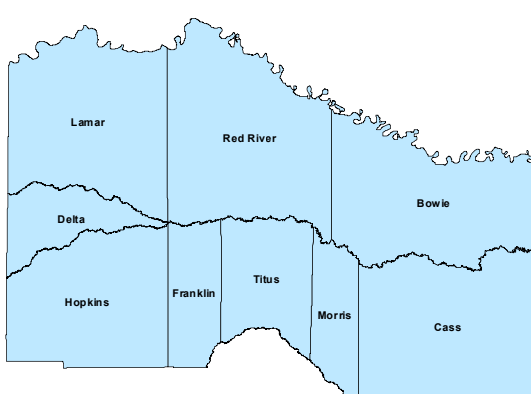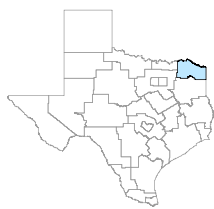
WDA Labor Force Statistics

	Oct-22	Sep-22	Oct-21	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	124,829	124,529	124,917	-88
Employed	119,470	119,271	118,710	760
Unemployed	5,359	5,258	6,207	-848
Unemployment Rate	4.3%	4.2%	5.0%	-0.7%

Texas Labor Force Statistics

	Oct-22	Sep-22	Oct-21	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	14,631,154	14,538,098	14,309,311	321,843
Employed	14,081,390	13,981,703	13,624,063	457,327
Unemployed	549,764	556,395	685,248	-135,484
Unemployment Rate	3.8%	3.8%	4.8%	-1.0%

US Labor Force Statistics

	Oct-22	Sep-22	Oct-21	Yearly Change
Civilian Labor Force	164,753,000	164,463,000	161,863,000	2,890,000
Employed	159,144,000	159,003,000	154,966,000	4,178,000
Unemployed	5,609,000	5,460,000	6,896,000	-1,287,000
Unemployment Rate	3.4%	3.3%	4.3%	-0.9%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th

	Oct-22	Sep-22	Oct-21	Yearly Change
WDA	814	731	872	-58
Texas	74,333	77,163	90,358	-16,025

Historical Unemployment Rates

Line chart of Historical Unemployment Rates (Oct-17 to Oct-22) for Texas, US, Northeast Texas.
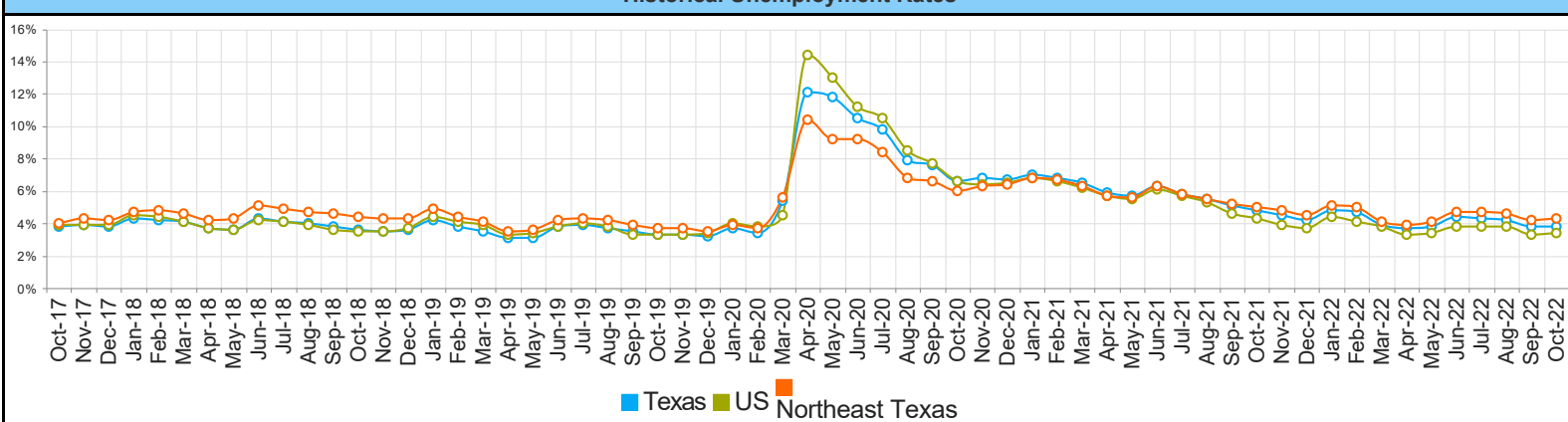
Projected Top Ten Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% Growth 2020-2030)

Industry	% Growth
Outpatient care centers	3
Motor vehicle body and trailer manufacturing	35.6%
Motor vehicle and motor vehicle parts and supplies merchant wholesalers	32.8%
Individual and family services	31.8%
Leisure and hospitality	23.7%
Offices of dentists	23.3%
Restaurants and other eating places	23.1%
Building material and supplies dealers	22.9%
Services to buildings and dwellings	21.9%
Professional and business services	20%

Average Weekly Wage (2nd Quarter 2022)

	Q2 2022	Q1 2022	Q2 2021	Quarterly Change	Yearly Change
WDA	$914	$891	$849	$23	$65
Texas	$1,284	$1,368	$1,210	$-84	$74
US	$1,294	$1,374	$1,241	$-80	$53

Employment by Size Class (2nd Quarter 2022)

Pie chart: 1-4 : 4.8%, 5-9 : 6.2%, 10-19 : 9.0%, 20-49 : 15.2%, 50-99 : 11.7%, 100-249 : 16.1%, 250-499 : 11.7%, 500-999 : 12.6%, 1000+ : 12.3%
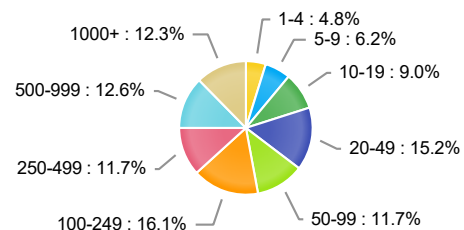
Employment by Ownership (2nd Quarter 2022)

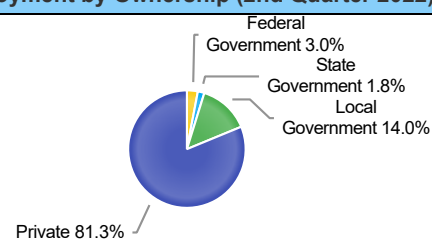Pie chart: Federal Government 3.0%, State Government 1.8%, Local Government 14.0%, Private 81.3%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2022, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of Total	% Quarterly Change	% Yearly Change
Natural Resources and Mining	1,059	0.9%	-1.4%	-3.3%
Construction	5,465	4.8%	1.2%	-2.1%
Manufacturing	19,687	17.5%	2.0%	5.6%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	23,800	21.1%	-0.2%	1.3%
Information	577	0.5%	0.5%	7.4%
Financial Activities	4,270	3.8%	1.2%	5.6%
Professional and Business Services	7,127	6.3%	1.0%	-1.7%
Education and Health Services	30,889	27.4%	0.2%	1.6%
Leisure and Hospitality	11,253	10.0%	5.1%	-1.2%
Other Services	2,427	2.2%	1.0%	3.0%
Public Administration	6,171	5.5%	-1.9%	-7.8%

Employment by Industry (2nd Quarter 2022)

Pie chart: Natural Resources and Mining 0.9%, Construction 4.8%, Manufacturing 17.5%, Trade, Transportation and Utilities 21.1%, Information 0.5%, Financial Activities 3.8%, Professional and Business Services 6.3%, Education and Health Services 27.4%, Leisure and Hospitality 10.0%, Other Services 2.2%, Public Administration 5.5%