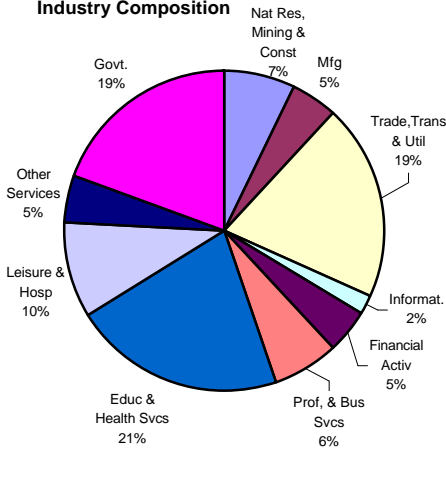


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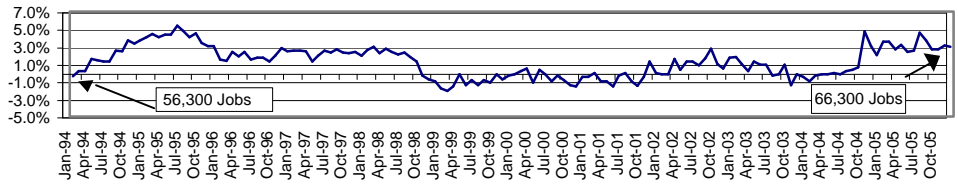


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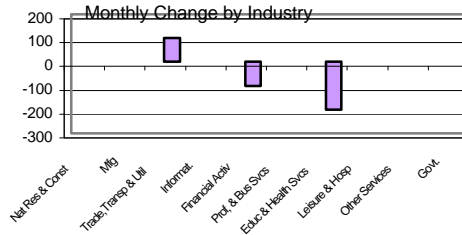
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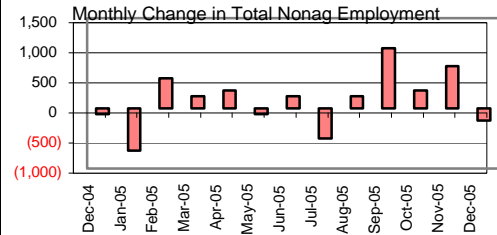
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	66,300	66,500	64,400	-200	-0.3%	1,900	3.0%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	4,800	4,800	4,200	0	0.0%	600	14.3%
Manufacturing	3,200	3,200	3,100	0	0.0%	100	3.2%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	13,000	12,900	12,500	100	0.8%	500	4.0%
Information	1,200	1,200	1,200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	3,100	3,200	3,100	-100	-3.1%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	4,300	4,300	4,200	0	0.0%	100	2.4%
Education & Health Services	14,300	14,500	13,900	-200	-1.4%	400	2.9%
Leisure & Hospitality	6,400	6,400	6,300	0	0.0%	100	1.6%
Other Services	3,200	3,200	3,100	0	0.0%	100	3.2%
Government	12,800	12,800	12,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	5	8846	14.5%
8	500-999	4	3181	5.2%
7	250-499	18	6218	10.2%
6	100-249	77	11555	18.9%
5	50-99	108	7555	12.4%
4	20-49	349	10390	17.0%
3	10-19	425	5756	9.4%
2	5-9	654	4324	7.1%
1	1-4	1513	3301	5.4%
0	0	264	0	0.0%
TOTAL		3417	61126	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Abilene MSA declined by 200 jobs in December. However, the MSA added 1,900 positions over the year, which was the largest December over-the-year gain in over ten years. Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction employment showed no change over the month, but the annual growth rate for the sector remained positive at 14.3 percent. This represents an over-the-year gain of 600 jobs. Retail Trade employment showed a slight increase over the month. The annual growth rate for this sector remained positive at 6.0 percent, a gain of 500 positions. This was the largest December over-the-year gain for this sector in over ten years. Educational and Health Services showed a decrease of 200 positions over the month. The annual growth rate for this sector remained positive at 2.9 percent, an over-the-year gain of 400 jobs. Local Government employment increased by 100 jobs over the month.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

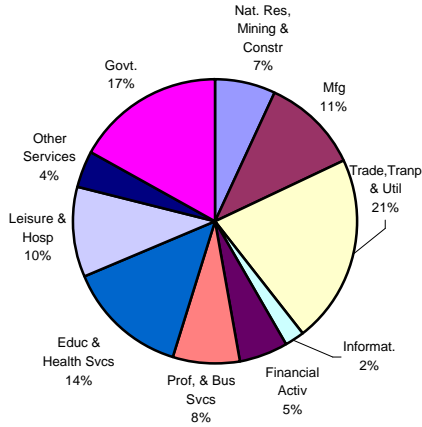
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

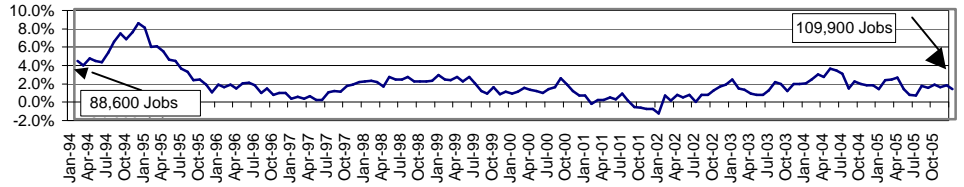
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	Abilene MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	84.0	81.0	3.0	3.6	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	84.3	81.1	3.2	3.8	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	81.4	77.8	3.6	4.4	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

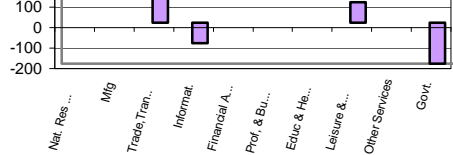
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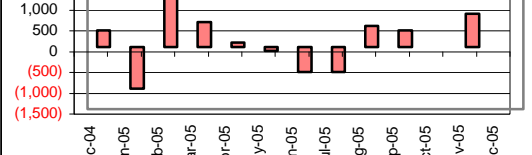
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	109,900	109,900	108,500	0	0.0%	1,400	1.3%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	7,700	7,700	7,200	0	0.0%	500	6.9%
Manufacturing	12,000	12,000	11,800	0	0.0%	200	1.7%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	23,700	23,500	23,600	200	0.9%	100	0.4%
Information	2,500	2,600	2,400	-100	-3.8%	100	4.2%
Financial Activities	6,000	6,000	6,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	8,300	8,300	8,200	0	0.0%	100	1.2%
Education & Health Services	15,100	15,100	14,900	0	0.0%	200	1.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	11,300	11,200	11,300	100	0.9%	0	0.0%
Other Services	4,700	4,700	4,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	18,600	18,800	18,400	-200	-1.1%	200	1.1%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	14	26841	25.6%
8	500-999	15	9921	9.5%
7	250-499	20	6759	6.5%
6	100-249	88	12876	12.3%
5	50-99	190	13328	12.7%
4	20-49	480	14594	13.9%
3	10-19	653	8733	8.3%
2	5-9	1040	6884	6.6%
1	1-4	2327	4850	4.6%
0	0	341	0	0.0%
TOTAL		5168	104786	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Amarillo MSA showed no change in December but added 1,400 positions over the year. Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction employment remained unchanged over the month and the annual growth rate for the group remained positive at 6.9 percent, an over the year gain of 500 jobs. Employment in both Manufacturing and Educational and Health Services remained constant over the month. However, each group added 200 positions over the year. Local Government employment decreased by 100 jobs over the month. The annual growth rate for this group was 4.2 percent, a gain of 500 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

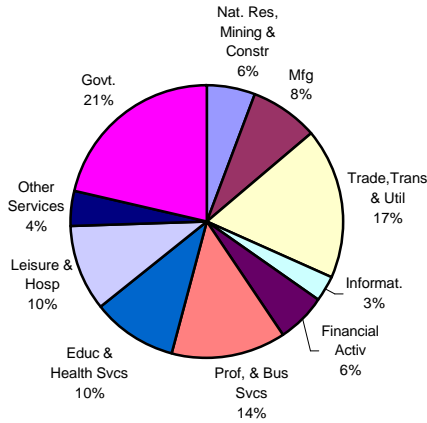
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- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

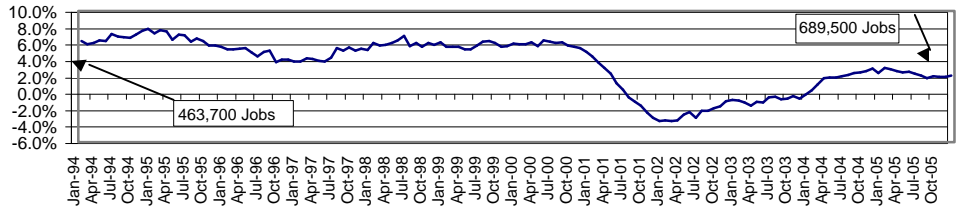
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	Amarillo MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	131.1	126.7	4.4	3.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	131.5	126.8	4.7	3.6	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	129.0	123.8	5.2	4.0	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

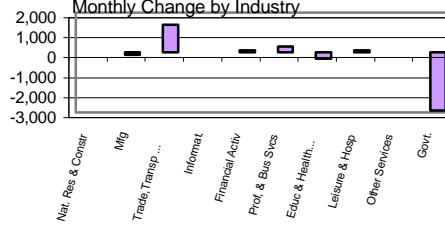
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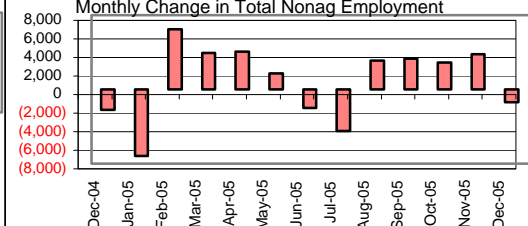
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	689,500	690,900	675,300	-1,400	-0.2%	14,200	2.1%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	39,300	39,300	38,400	0	0.0%	900	2.3%
Manufacturing	57,300	57,400	57,000	-100	-0.2%	300	0.5%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	122,100	120,700	120,100	1,400	1.2%	2,000	1.7%
Information	20,800	20,800	20,500	0	0.0%	300	1.5%
Financial Activities	40,300	40,200	40,300	100	0.2%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	93,300	93,000	90,400	300	0.3%	2,900	3.2%
Education & Health Services	69,900	70,200	68,700	-300	-0.4%	1,200	1.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	71,100	71,000	67,800	100	0.1%	3,300	4.9%
Other Services	27,000	27,000	26,300	0	0.0%	700	2.7%
Government	148,400	151,300	145,800	-2,900	-1.9%	2,600	1.8%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	69	213796	30.9%
8	500-999	93	64393	9.3%
7	250-499	191	65115	9.4%
6	100-249	630	96357	13.9%
5	50-99	974	67903	9.8%
4	20-49	2532	76765	11.1%
3	10-19	3342	45314	6.6%
2	5-9	4932	32647	4.7%
1	1-4	14354	28934	4.2%
0	0	2786	0	0.0%
TOTAL		29903	691224	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Austin-Round Rock MSA decreased by 1,400 jobs or 0.2 percent during the month of December. Local Government employment declined by 1,500 jobs as employment returned to normal after the November elections. State Government employment dropped by 1,300 jobs as Universities released workers because of the semester break. Retail Trade added 1,300 jobs as employers prepared for the Christmas shopping season. Over the year, Total Nonagricultural Employment increased by 14,200 jobs or 2.1 percent. This growth can be primarily attributed to Leisure and Hospitality and Professional and Business Services which added 3,330 and 2,900 jobs respectively over the year.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

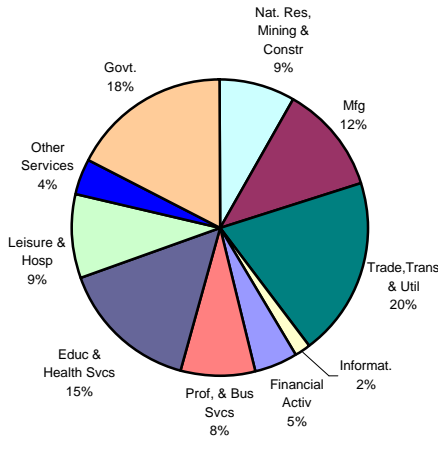
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- Freescale Semiconductor Inc.
- H.E. Butt Grocery Co.
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- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

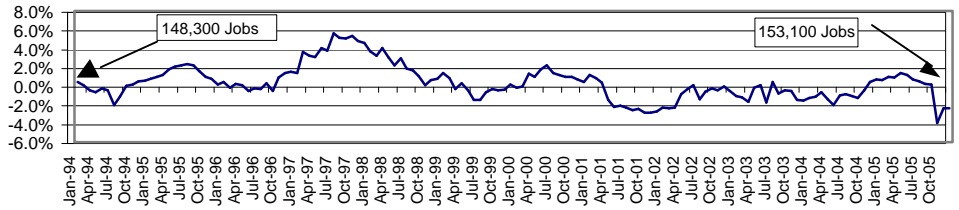
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	Austin-Round Rock MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	804.5	773.0	31.5	3.9	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	809.9	775.7	34.2	4.2	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	785.4	748.6	36.8	4.7	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

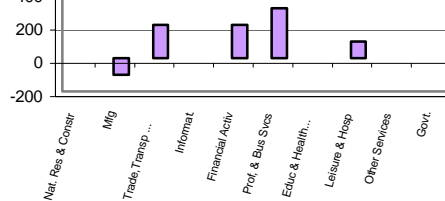
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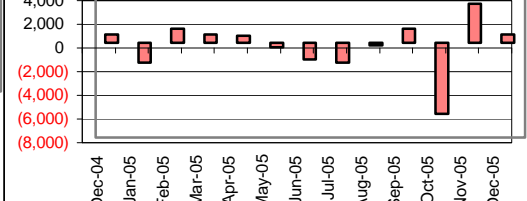
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	153,100	152,400	156,800	700	0.5%	-3,700	-2.4%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	12,900	12,900	13,800	0	0.0%	-900	-6.5%
Manufacturing	18,100	18,200	18,800	-100	-0.5%	-700	-3.7%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	29,700	29,500	32,000	200	0.7%	-2,300	-7.2%
Information	2,800	2,800	2,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	7,000	6,800	6,500	200	2.9%	500	7.7%
Profes., & Business Services	12,500	12,200	13,100	300	2.5%	-600	-4.6%
Education & Health Services	23,300	23,300	23,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	14,100	14,000	13,300	100	0.7%	800	6.0%
Other Services	5,900	5,900	6,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.7%
Government	26,800	26,800	27,200	0	0.0%	-400	-1.5%

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	16	27603	18.1%
8	500-999	32	21250	14.0%
7	250-499	41	13853	9.1%
6	100-249	162	25307	16.6%
5	50-99	261	17958	11.8%
4	20-49	651	20014	13.2%
3	10-19	860	11521	7.6%
2	5-9	1240	8234	5.4%
1	1-4	3008	6368	4.2%
0	0	480	0	0.0%
TOTAL		6751	152108	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA increased by 700 jobs for the month of December. This marks the second monthly employment increase since the October decrease due to Hurricane Rita. The largest over-the-month employment gain in the area was in Professional and Business Services with an addition of 300 jobs. Administrative and Support Services contributed to the increase with an addition of 300 jobs or 4.3 percent. Retail Trade increased for the second consecutive month with a gain of 200 jobs. Financial Activities employment added 200 jobs in December or 2.9 percent. Leisure and Hospitality employment increased for the second consecutive month by 100 jobs. Manufacturing showed a decrease for the third consecutive month with a loss of 100 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

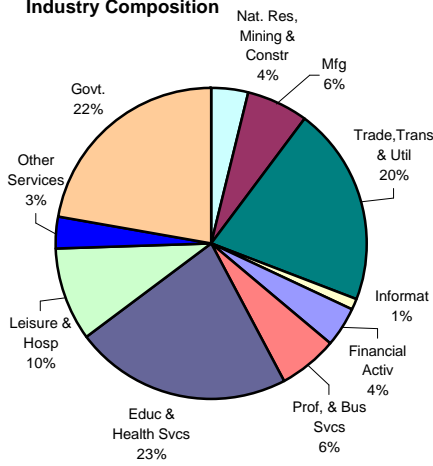
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- E I Dupont De Nemours & Co.
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- M & E Food Mart Inc.
- Motiva Company
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

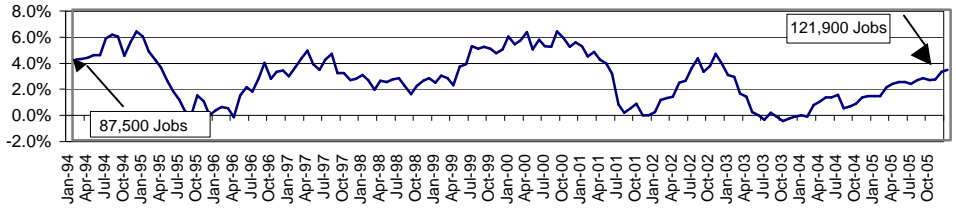
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	Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	177.5	164.5	13.0	7.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	179.5	164.1	15.4	8.6	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	181.4	166.8	14.6	8.1	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

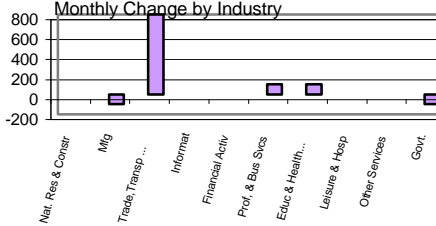
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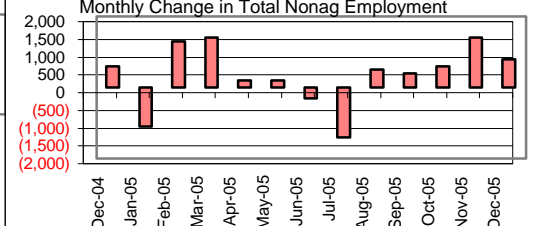
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change				Size Class of Industries				
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%	Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
Total Nonagricultural	121,900	121,100	117,900	800	0.7%	4,000	3.4%	9	1000+	14	28521	24.6%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	4,700	4,700	4,500	0	0.0%	200	4.4%	8	500-999	19	13164	11.3%
Manufacturing	7,700	7,800	7,800	-100	-1.3%	-100	-1.3%	7	250-499	30	10313	8.9%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	25,300	24,500	23,800	800	3.3%	1,500	6.3%	6	100-249	111	16589	14.3%
Information	1,400	1,400	1,400	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	5	50-99	161	11415	9.8%
Financial Activities	4,900	4,900	4,600	0	0.0%	300	6.5%	4	20-49	495	14696	12.7%
Profes., & Business Services	7,600	7,500	7,500	100	1.3%	100	1.3%	3	10-19	720	9798	8.4%
Education & Health Services	27,400	27,300	26,300	100	0.4%	1,100	4.2%	2	5-9	969	6435	5.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	11,600	11,600	11,100	0	0.0%	500	4.5%	1	1-4	2425	5209	4.5%
Other Services	4,100	4,100	3,900	0	0.0%	200	5.1%	0	0	405	0	0.0%
Government	27,200	27,300	27,000	-100	-0.4%	200	0.7%					
TOTAL										5349	116140	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Brownsville-Harlingen MSA grew by 800 jobs in December. Most of the employment was contributed by the Retail Trade sector due to temporary hiring for the holiday shopping season. General Merchandise Stores added 200 jobs, which was in line with previous seasonal patterns. Retail Trade posted an annual growth rate of 6.9 percent. Local Government employment grew slightly over the month, while State Government employment decreased by 200 jobs in December. The annual growth rate for Brownsville-Harlingen MSA was 3.4 percent in December, with 4,000 new positions added over the year.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

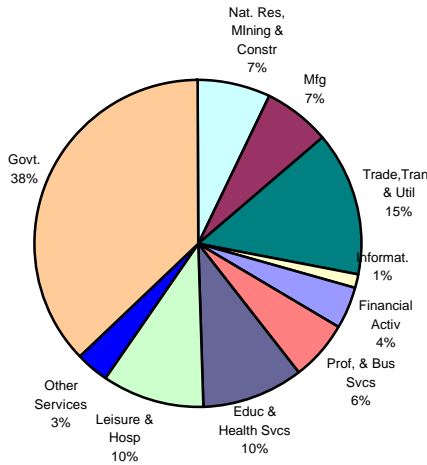
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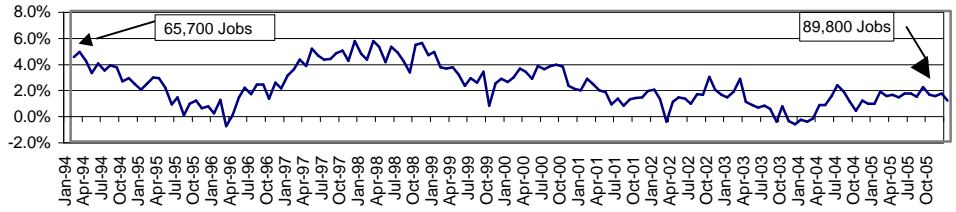
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	Brownsville MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	146.7	137.6	9.1	6.2	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	146.5	137.0	9.5	6.5	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	144.3	131.7	12.6	8.7	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

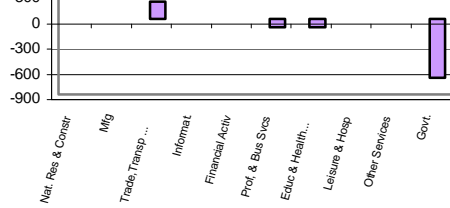
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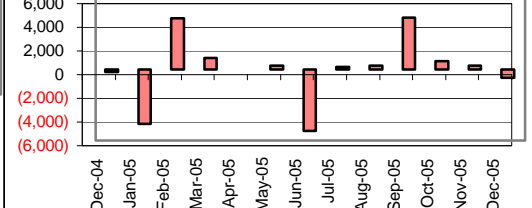
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	89,800	90,500	88,800	-700	-0.8%	1,000	1.1%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	6,500	6,500	5,800	0	0.0%	700	12.1%
Manufacturing	6,000	6,000	5,800	0	0.0%	200	3.4%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	12,800	12,600	12,600	200	1.6%	200	1.6%
Information	1,100	1,100	1,100	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	3,800	3,800	3,600	0	0.0%	200	5.6%
Profes., & Business Services	5,300	5,400	5,100	-100	-1.9%	200	3.9%
Education & Health Services	9,000	9,100	8,900	-100	-1.1%	100	1.1%
Leisure & Hospitality	9,000	9,000	9,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Other Services	2,800	2,800	2,700	0	0.0%	100	3.7%
Government	33,500	34,200	34,200	-700	-2.0%	-700	-2.0%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	8	23841	27.4%
8	500-999	8	5928	6.8%
7	250-499	26	9480	10.9%
6	100-249	84	12473	14.3%
5	50-99	123	8452	9.7%
4	20-49	385	11659	13.4%
3	10-19	505	6785	7.8%
2	5-9	738	4931	5.7%
1	1-4	1619	3436	4.0%
0	0	258	0	0.0%
TOTAL		3754	86985	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

The College Station-Bryan MSA had a seasonal decrease of 700 jobs over the month. This was the first decrease since June 2005, when the area had a seasonal decrease of 5,200 jobs. Over the year, the MSA added 1,000 jobs, which was 200 more than the same time period last year. Retail Trade added 200 jobs over the month as stores continued to add staff for the holiday season. December's over-the-month increase matched the previous four years' increases. December also marked the fifth consecutive over-the-month increase this year. Since January 2005, Retail Trade has added 700 jobs or 7.3 percent. State Government employment lost 600 jobs over the month. This can be attributed primarily to seasonal decreases at area colleges and universities due to the end of the fall semester. Employment is expected to return to normal again in February.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

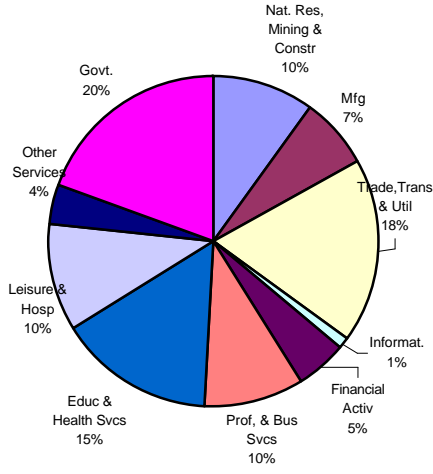
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- First American Bank Texas SSB
- H.E. Butt Grocery Co.
- McDonalds Restaurants of Texas
- New Alenco Window Ltd.
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- Sanderson Farms Inc.
- St. Joseph Hospital
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- Young Contractors Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

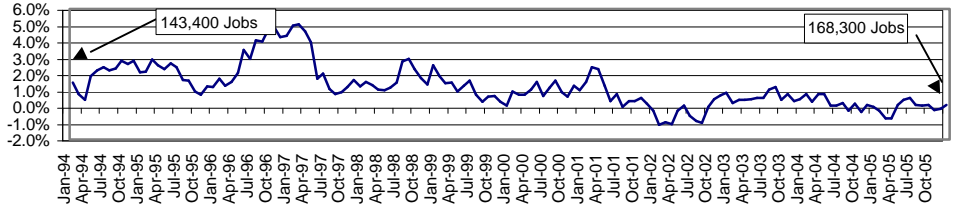
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	College Station-Bryan MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	105.1	101.2	3.9	3.7	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	106.4	102.0	4.4	4.1	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	103.4	99.2	4.2	4.0	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

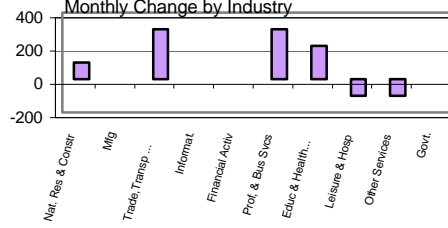
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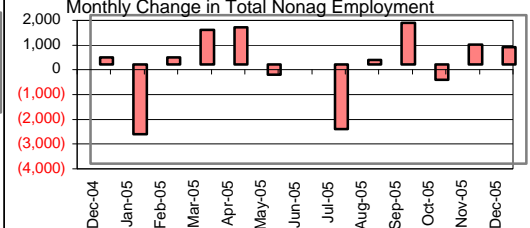
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	168,300	167,600	168,100	700	0.4%	200	0.1%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	16,800	16,700	16,600	100	0.6%	200	1.2%
Manufacturing	11,600	11,600	11,100	0	0.0%	500	4.5%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	30,400	30,100	30,700	300	1.0%	-300	-1.0%
Information	2,100	2,100	2,600	0	0.0%	-500	-19.2%
Financial Activities	8,100	8,100	7,900	0	0.0%	200	2.5%
Profes., & Business Services	16,600	16,300	15,800	300	1.8%	800	5.1%
Education & Health Services	25,800	25,600	26,000	200	0.8%	-200	-0.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	17,400	17,500	17,600	-100	-0.6%	-200	-1.1%
Other Services	6,800	6,900	7,000	-100	-1.4%	-200	-2.9%
Government	32,700	32,700	32,800	0	0.0%	-100	-0.3%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	16	38233	22.5%
8	500-999	22	16230	9.6%
7	250-499	44	14152	8.3%
6	100-249	168	25623	15.1%
5	50-99	268	18690	11.0%
4	20-49	788	24303	14.3%
3	10-19	1029	13780	8.1%
2	5-9	1613	10635	6.3%
1	1-4	3767	8056	4.7%
0	0	583	0	0.0%
TOTAL		8298	169702	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Corpus Christi MSA increased by 700 jobs in December. This was the second consecutive month of job increases for the MSA. December's over-the-month increase was the largest increase since 2000, when the area gained 800 jobs. Since January 2005, the area has added 3,000 jobs or 1.8 percent.

General Merchandise Stores increased by 100 jobs over the month, which was only its third over-the-month increase for the year. This increase was due to seasonal hiring for the holiday season. Year to date, the industry has added 200 jobs or 4.9 percent.

Professional and Business Services increased by 300 jobs over the month. This was the second consecutive monthly increase and the largest December increase since 2002. Year to date, this group has added 1,100 jobs or 7.1 percent, reaching its highest level since 2000.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

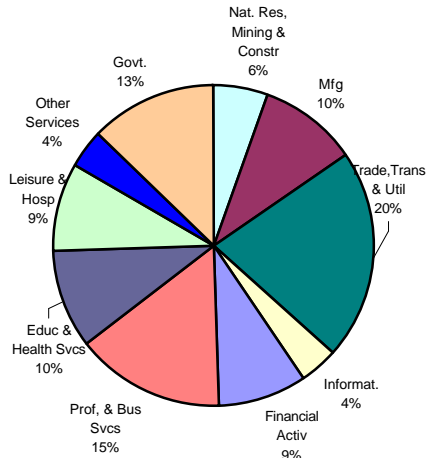
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- Bay Area Healthcare Group Ltd.
- Berry Contracting LP
- Christus Spohn Health System
- Driscoll Children's Hospital
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- SSP Partners
- Unique Staff Leasing I Ltd.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.
- Whataburger Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

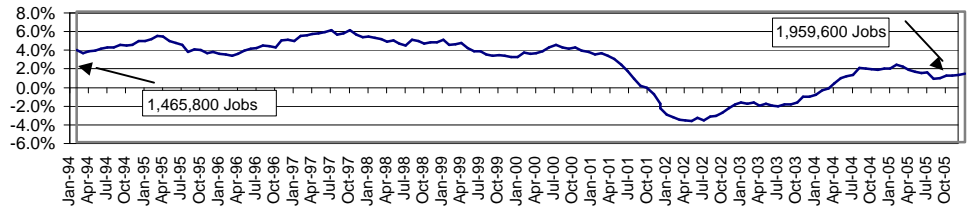
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	Corpus Christi MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	197.5	187.6	9.9	5.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	197.2	186.7	10.5	5.3	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	198.5	185.7	12.8	6.4	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

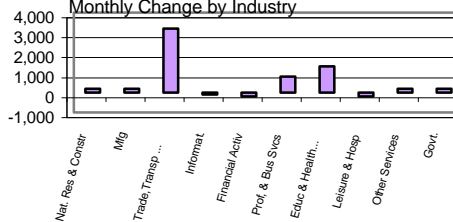
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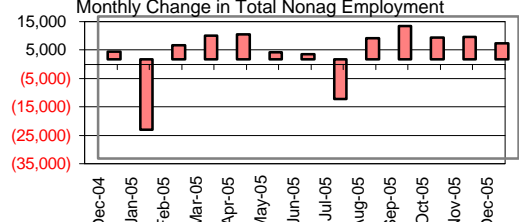
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

				Monthly Change		Annual Change		Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%					
Total Nonagricultural	1,959,600	1,954,000	1,933,000	5,600	0.3%	26,600	1.4%	9	1000+	219	580308	30.3%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	109,200	109,000	107,000	200	0.2%	2,200	2.1%	8	500-999	300	209069	10.9%
Manufacturing	197,800	197,600	197,000	200	0.1%	800	0.4%	7	250-499	602	209972	11.0%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	412,600	409,400	413,100	3,200	0.8%	-500	-0.1%	6	100-249	1739	266876	13.9%
Information	75,900	76,000	74,800	-100	-0.1%	1,100	1.5%	5	50-99	2569	177874	9.3%
Financial Activities	171,300	171,500	170,900	-200	-0.1%	400	0.2%	4	20-49	6481	196351	10.3%
Profes., & Business Services	295,700	294,900	289,600	800	0.3%	6,100	2.1%	3	10-19	8541	115522	6.0%
Education & Health Services	194,800	193,500	191,100	1,300	0.7%	3,700	1.9%	2	5-9	12582	82684	4.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	176,500	176,700	172,200	-200	-0.1%	4,300	2.5%	1	1-4	38089	75406	3.9%
Other Services	73,200	73,000	73,800	200	0.3%	-600	-0.8%	0	0	8219	0	0.0%
Government	252,600	252,400	243,500	200	0.1%	9,100	3.7%					
TOTAL										79341	1914062	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Dallas-Plano-Irving MSA gained 5,600 jobs in December, the largest December increase since 2000. This represents positive annual growth for the twenty-second month in a row and an expansion of 1.4 percent over the year. Retail Trade generated over half of the monthly gain, adding 3,000 jobs as seasonal hiring for the holidays continued. Education and Health Services and Professional and Business Services also posted notable gains in December, adding 1,300 and 800 jobs, respectively. Durable Goods Manufacturing and Wholesale Trade each picked up 300 new jobs. Significant annual growth was observed in the MSA in December, including the addition of 8,500 jobs in the Local Government sector. Employment in Professional and Business Services grew by 6,100 jobs since last year. In addition, Leisure and Hospitality increased by 4,300 positions and Education and Health Services added 3,700 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

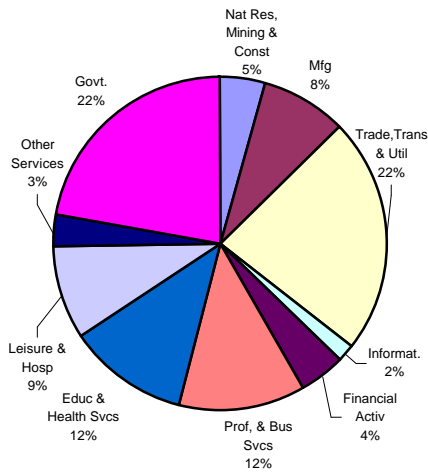
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- Bank of America NA
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

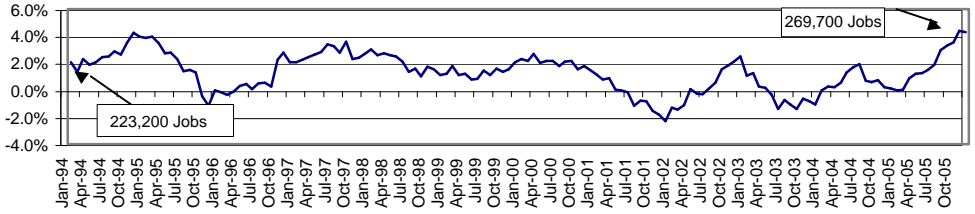
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	Dallas-Plano-Irving MD				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-2005	2,039.9	1,943.9	96.0	4.7	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-2005	2,044.5	1,940.5	104.0	5.1	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-2004	2,009.7	1,895.9	113.8	5.7	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

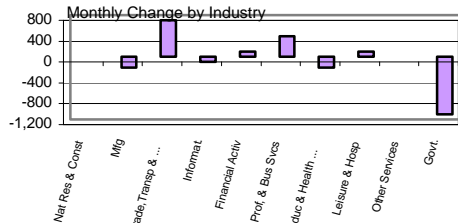
Industry Composition



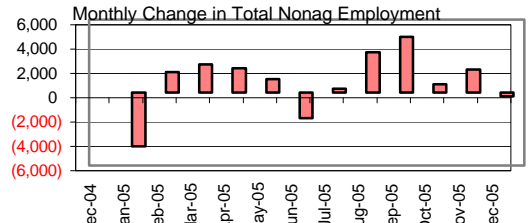
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change				Size Class of Industries				
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	Change %	Actual	Change %	Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
Total Nonagricultural	269,700	270,000	258,600	-300	-0.1%	11,100	4.3%	9	1000+	21	69708	27.2%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	12,300	12,300	11,600	0	0.0%	700	6.0%	8	500-999	41	27455	10.7%
Manufacturing	22,300	22,500	22,600	-200	-0.9%	-300	-1.3%	7	250-499	91	32490	12.7%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	61,000	60,300	57,700	700	1.2%	3,300	5.7%	6	100-249	216	33571	13.1%
Information	4,700	4,800	4,800	-100	-2.1%	-100	-2.1%	5	50-99	350	24620	9.6%
Financial Activities	12,000	11,900	11,400	100	0.8%	600	5.3%	4	20-49	900	27347	10.7%
Profes., & Business Services	32,900	32,500	27,900	400	1.2%	5,000	17.9%	3	10-19	1301	17609	6.9%
Education & Health Services	31,400	31,600	30,400	-200	-0.6%	1,000	3.3%	2	5-9	1948	12821	5.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	24,900	24,800	24,600	100	0.4%	300	1.2%	1	1-4	4960	10526	4.1%
Other Services	8,100	8,100	7,600	0	0.0%	500	6.6%	0	0	761	0	0.0%
Government	60,100	61,200	60,000	-1,100	-1.8%	100	0.2%	TOTAL				
										10589	256147	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the EI Paso MSA decreased by 300 jobs in December. The Retail Trade industry added 500 jobs as employers continued to hire temporary staff to meet the demands of the holiday season. This was in line with previous seasonal patterns. Manufacturing employment posted a decrease of 200 jobs. Professional and Business Services increased by 400 new jobs over the month. Local Government employment decreased by 1,100 jobs over the month. The annual growth rate for the EI Paso MSA was 4.3 percent. Over the year, the EI Paso MSA gained 11,100 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

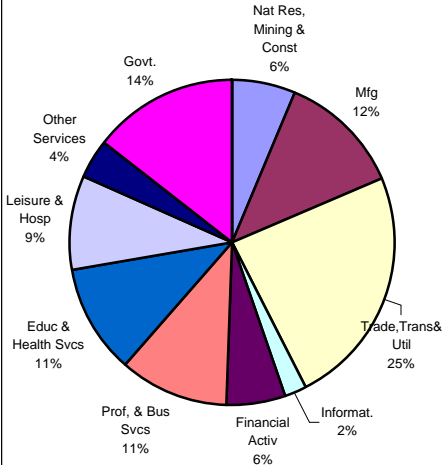
- Echosphere Southwest
- EI Paso Healthcare System Ltd.
- G C Services Limited Partners
- M V T Services Inc.
- National Center for Employment
- Outreach Health Community Care Svcs.
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- T & T Staff Management LP
- Tenet Texas Employment Inc.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

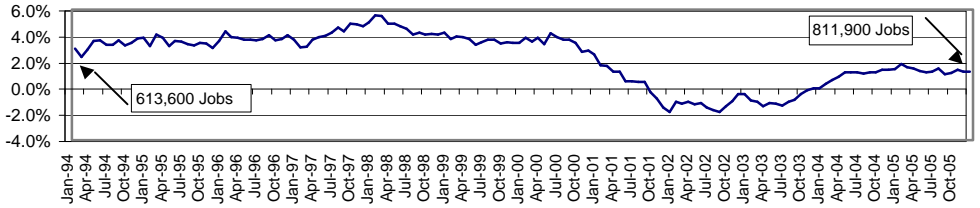
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	EI Paso MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	302.3	284.1	18.2	6.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	303.2	284.0	19.2	6.3	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	292.9	269.8	23.1	7.9	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

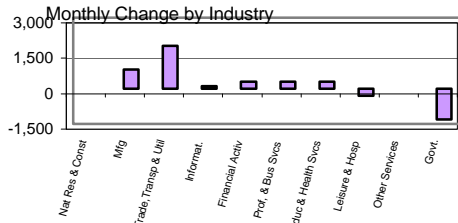
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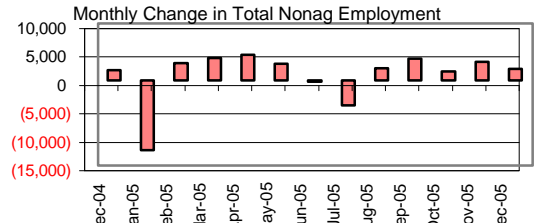
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change		Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%					
Total Nonagricultural	811,900	809,900	801,900	2,000	0.2%	10,000	1.2%	9	1000+	80	226237	28.7%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	51,800	51,800	50,000	0	0.0%	1,800	3.6%	8	500-999	117	80532	10.2%
Manufacturing	99,700	98,900	97,300	800	0.8%	2,400	2.5%	7	250-499	223	77587	9.8%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	194,200	192,400	195,900	1,800	0.9%	-1,700	-0.9%	6	100-249	748	114481	14.5%
Information	17,300	17,200	17,500	100	0.6%	-200	-1.1%	5	50-99	1148	80228	10.2%
Financial Activities	46,700	46,400	45,500	300	0.6%	1,200	2.6%	4	20-49	2951	89641	11.4%
Profes., & Business Services	89,200	88,900	85,200	300	0.3%	4,000	4.7%	3	10-19	3804	51644	6.5%
Education & Health Services	86,900	86,600	86,100	300	0.3%	800	0.9%	2	5-9	5715	37462	4.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	76,400	76,700	76,000	-300	-0.4%	400	0.5%	1	1-4	15215	31487	4.0%
Other Services	33,300	33,300	33,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	2891	0	0.0%
Government	116,400	117,700	115,100	-1,300	-1.1%	1,300	1.1%					
TOTAL										32892	789299	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Fort Worth-Arlington MSA gained 2,000 jobs in December. This increase represented a 0.2 percent over-the-month growth rate, identical to that of December 2004. The annual growth rate remained constant at 1.2 percent. Though the increases were smaller, the employment gains in Total Nonagricultural Employment in 2005 were comparable to those experienced in 2004. Employment increases in December were predictably concentrated in Retail Trade. As stores geared up for the holiday season, 1,600 jobs were added. Despite these increases, the annual growth rate for Retail Trade remained at negative 0.2 percent.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

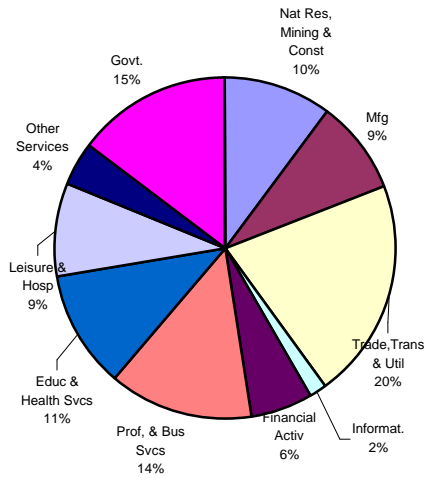
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- American Airlines Inc.
- Bell Helicopter Textron Inc.
- General Motors Corporation
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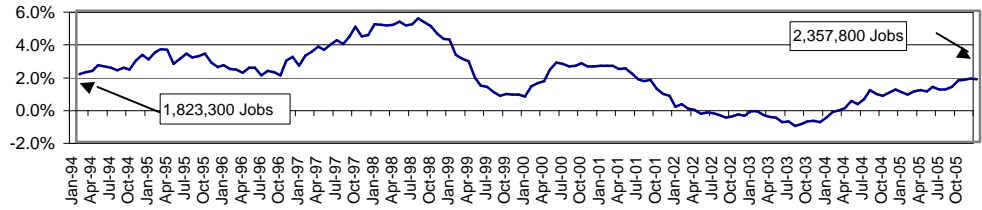
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	Fort Worth - Arlington MD				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	1,003.3	958.4	44.9	4.5	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	1,004.3	955.7	48.6	4.8	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	989.8	937.7	52.1	5.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

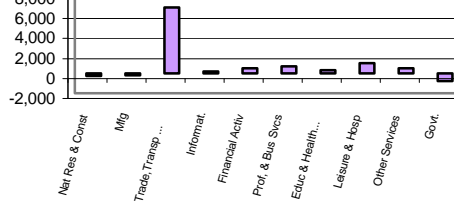
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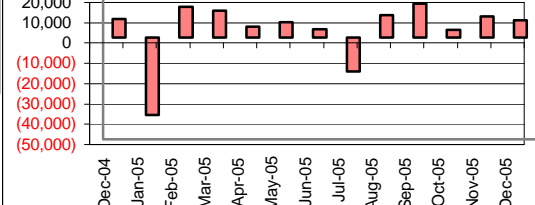
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	2,357,800	2,349,300	2,315,300	8,500	0.4%	42,500	1.8%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	242,800	243,100	230,300	-300	-0.1%	12,500	5.4%
Manufacturing	208,800	209,000	206,900	-200	-0.1%	1,900	0.9%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	492,100	485,500	486,800	6,600	1.4%	5,300	1.1%
Information	37,600	37,400	37,700	200	0.5%	-100	-0.3%
Financial Activities	138,800	138,300	135,700	500	0.4%	3,100	2.3%
Profes., & Business Services	322,100	321,400	315,800	700	0.2%	6,300	2.0%
Education & Health Services	261,700	261,400	258,300	300	0.1%	3,400	1.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	208,900	207,900	204,600	1,000	0.5%	4,300	2.1%
Other Services	96,800	96,300	95,500	500	0.5%	1,300	1.4%
Government	348,200	349,000	343,700	-800	-0.2%	4,500	1.3%

Size Class of Industries

Size Class	Employees Per Firm		Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class		% of Total Employment
	Class	Firm		Size Class	Employment	
9	1000+	261	802030	34.9%		
8	500-999	320	220149	9.6%		
7	250-499	645	226247	9.8%		
6	100-249	1882	285290	12.4%		
5	50-99	2878	198843	8.6%		
4	20-49	7352	224855	9.8%		
3	10-19	10404	140508	6.1%		
2	5-9	16246	107205	4.7%		
1	1-4	47635	96108	4.2%		
0	0	9210	0	0.0%		
TOTAL		96833	2301235	100.0%		

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment climbed 8,500 jobs in December, with 60 percent of the monthly increase in Retail Trade as retailers continued to add staff for the holidays. The growth was driven by Clothing and Clothing Accessories and General Merchandise Stores, which accounted for 45 percent of the growth in Retail Trade. This mirrored the growth demonstrated in December 2004 for Clothing and Clothing Accessories. Despite having an over-the-month loss, Natural Resources, Mining and Construction had an over-the-year gain of 12,500 jobs, an annual growth rate of 5.4 percent. This was the largest over-the-year gain since May 2001. Durable Goods Manufacturing, with a modest over-the-month gain, added 2,900 employees over the year, marking the largest over-the-year gain since August 2001. Finance and Insurance added 300 jobs over the month and 1,600 jobs over the year. Professional and Business Services employment increased for the third consecutive month with a gain of 700 jobs and a 6,300 job gain over the year. Accounting, Tax Preparation and Bookkeeping employment added 1,100 jobs for the month.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

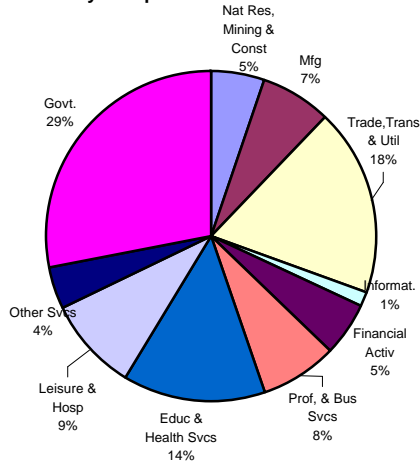
- Administaff Companies II LP
- Baylor College of Medicine
- Continental Airlines
- Exxon Mobil Corp.
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- Shell
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

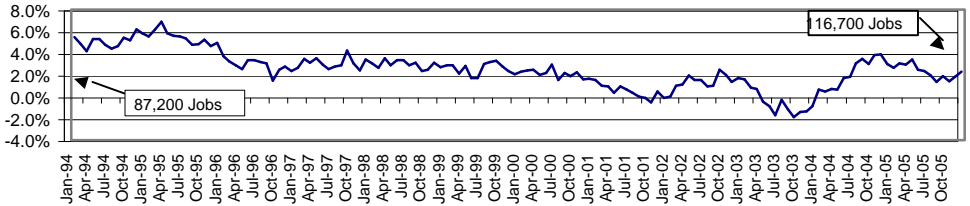
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	Houston-Baytown-Sugarland MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	2,653.0	2,512.6	140.4	5.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	2,657.9	2,501.9	156.0	5.9	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	2,599.7	2,445.2	154.5	5.9	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

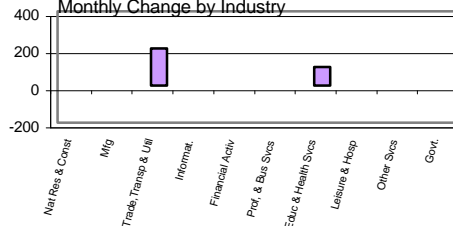
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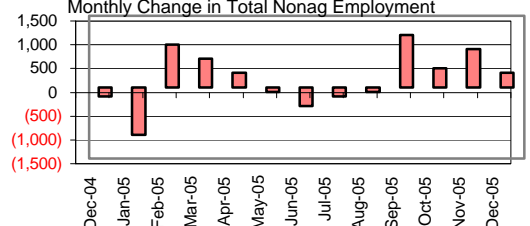
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change		Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%					
Total Nonagricultural	116,700	116,400	114,100	300	0.3%	2,600	2.3%	9	1000+	14	34249	30.0%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	6,000	6,000	5,800	0	0.0%	200	3.4%	8	500-999	13	10219	9.0%
Manufacturing	8,400	8,400	8,100	0	0.0%	300	3.7%	7	250-499	26	9415	8.3%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	21,300	21,100	21,400	200	0.9%	-100	-0.5%	6	100-249	114	16893	14.8%
Information	1,600	1,600	1,500	0	0.0%	100	6.7%	5	50-99	159	11163	9.8%
Financial Activities	6,100	6,100	5,700	0	0.0%	400	7.0%	4	20-49	422	13099	11.5%
Profes., & Business Services	8,800	8,800	9,200	0	0.0%	-400	-4.3%	3	10-19	642	8583	7.5%
Education & Health Services	16,100	16,000	15,900	100	0.6%	200	1.3%	2	5-9	923	6175	5.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	10,900	10,900	10,400	0	0.0%	500	4.8%	1	1-4	1988	4178	3.7%
Other Services	4,800	4,800	4,600	0	0.0%	200	4.3%	0	0	315	0	0.0%
Government	32,700	32,700	31,500	0	0.0%	1,200	3.8%					
TOTAL										4616	113974	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

The Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood MSA gained 300 jobs in Total Nonagricultural Employment over the month. This was the fourth-consecutive month of job gains for the MSA. Over the year, the MSA added 2,600 jobs or 2.3 percent.

Wholesale Trade added 100 jobs over the month, representing only the third over-the-month increase this year. December's increase puts Wholesale Trade at 3,600 jobs. This year's increase was also the first December over-the-month increase since 1999.

In Federal Government, 100 jobs were gained over the month. Year to date, the sector has increased by 7.5 percent.

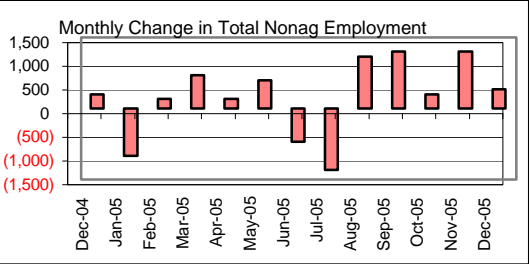
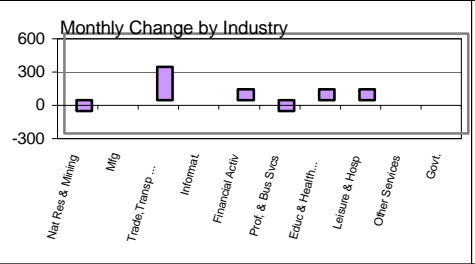
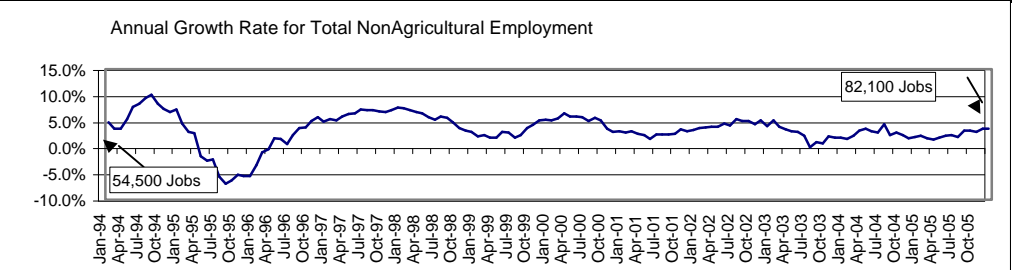
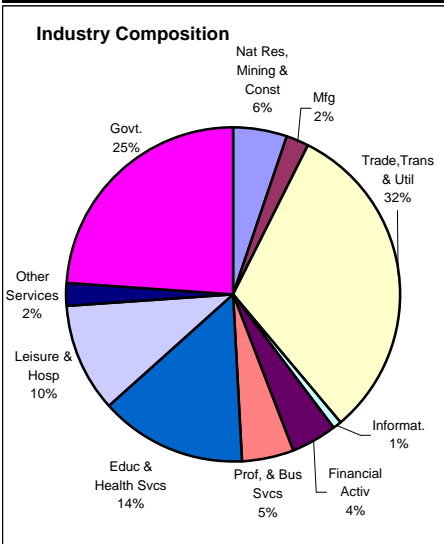
Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

- Dyncorp Technical Services LLC
- Haljohn LTD
- HEB Grocery Company LP
- McLane Company Inc.
- Nextel of Texas Inc.
- Pactiv Corp
- Sallie Mae Inc.
- Scott & White
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.
- Wilsonart International Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

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	Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	151.6	144.1	7.5	5.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	152.3	144.2	8.1	5.3	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	147.4	139.5	7.9	5.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1



Industry	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	82,100	81,700	79,200	400	0.5%	2,900	3.7%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	4,400	4,500	4,000	-100	-2.2%	400	10.0%
Manufacturing	1,800	1,800	1,700	0	0.0%	100	5.9%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	25,800	25,500	25,700	300	1.2%	100	0.4%
Information	700	700	700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	3,600	3,500	3,300	100	2.9%	300	9.1%
Profes., & Business Services	4,100	4,200	4,000	-100	-2.4%	100	2.5%
Education & Health Services	11,700	11,600	10,800	100	0.9%	900	8.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	8,600	8,500	7,900	100	1.2%	700	8.9%
Other Services	1,900	1,900	1,800	0	0.0%	100	5.6%
Government	19,500	19,500	19,300	0	0.0%	200	1.0%

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	10	21515	26.7%
8	500-999	6	4254	5.3%
7	250-499	21	7416	9.2%
6	100-249	75	11469	14.3%
5	50-99	124	8456	10.5%
4	20-49	363	10938	13.6%
3	10-19	543	7225	9.0%
2	5-9	794	5179	6.4%
1	1-4	1825	3987	5.0%
0	0	225	0	0.0%
TOTAL		3986	80439	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

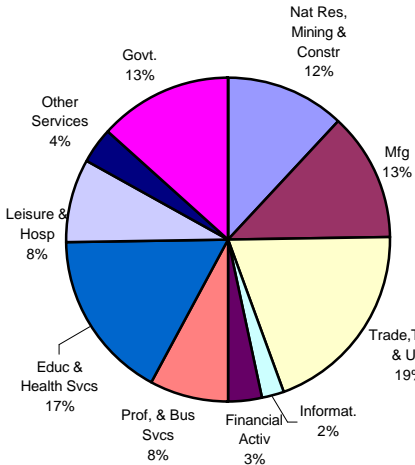
Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Laredo MSA gained 400 jobs in December. Stores continued to hire temporary staff for the holiday shopping season and Retail Trade increased by 300 new jobs. Employment in the Manufacturing held steady over the month. Education and Health Services grew slightly over the month and gained 900 jobs, or 8.3 percent over the year. Leisure and Hospitality increased slightly over the month and added 700 jobs, or 8.9 percent over the year. Local Government employment held steady for the month. The annual growth rate for the Laredo MSA was 3.7 percent, an increase of 2,900 new positions over the year.

- Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005**
- APC Home Health Service Inc.
 - HEB Grocery Co.
 - International Bank of Commerce
 - Laredo Candle Company
 - Laredo Primary Care Inc.
 - Laredo Regional Medical Center LP
 - Laredo Texas Hospital Company LP
 - McDonald's
 - The Laredo National Bank
 - Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

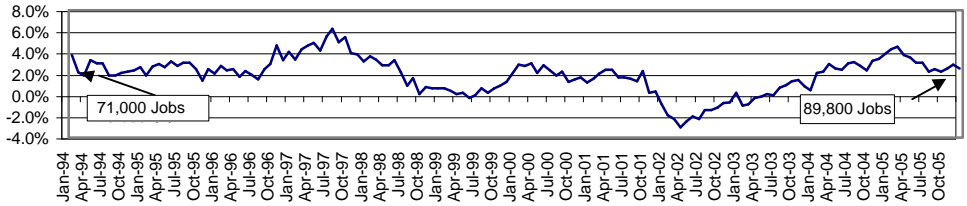
Month	Laredo MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	87.5	83.1	4.4	5.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	87.2	82.7	4.5	5.2	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	85.0	79.5	5.5	6.4	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

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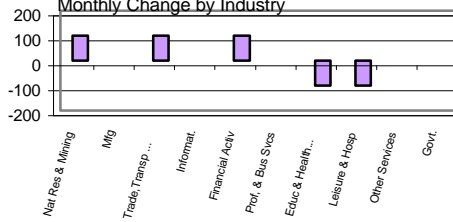
Industry Composition



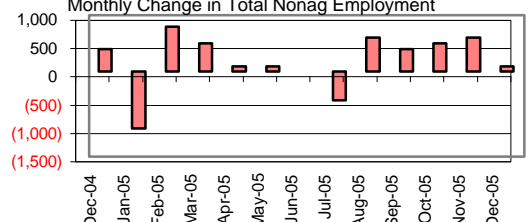
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

				Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	89,800	89,700	87,600	100	0.1%	2,200	2.5%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	10,800	10,700	10,100	100	0.9%	700	6.9%
Manufacturing	11,500	11,500	11,000	0	0.0%	500	4.5%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	17,700	17,600	17,900	100	0.6%	-200	-1.1%
Information	1,900	1,900	1,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	3,100	3,000	3,200	100	3.3%	-100	-3.1%
Profes., & Business Services	7,000	7,000	6,600	0	0.0%	400	6.1%
Education & Health Services	15,000	15,100	14,600	-100	-0.7%	400	2.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	7,500	7,600	7,300	-100	-1.3%	200	2.7%
Other Services	3,300	3,300	3,200	0	0.0%	100	3.1%
Government	12,000	12,000	11,800	0	0.0%	200	1.7%

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	4	6849	7.8%
8	500-999	17	11712	13.3%
7	250-499	34	11399	12.9%
6	100-249	95	14407	16.3%
5	50-99	187	12959	14.7%
4	20-49	432	12920	14.6%
3	10-19	600	8021	9.1%
2	5-9	863	5734	6.5%
1	1-4	1989	4243	4.8%
0	0	242	0	0.0%
TOTAL		4463	88244	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Longview MSA increased by 100 jobs in December. Since the beginning of 2005, this MSA has added 3,200 new positions. Over the year, it gained 2,200 jobs. Natural Resources, Mining and Construction grew by 100 jobs. Year to date and over the year, it has expanded by 700 jobs. Manufacturing recorded its eleventh month of over-the-year employment gains. Since January, it has increased by 600 positions. Retail Trade continued hiring for the holiday shopping season, adding 100 jobs. Since January, Retail Trade has gained 400 jobs. Professional and Business Services marked twenty-four months of positive annual growth. Education and Health Services maintained its six-year trend of positive over-the-year gains. Employment in Local Government has increased for fifteen consecutive months.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

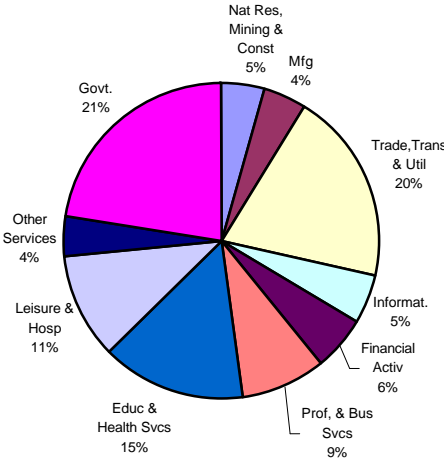
- Good Shepherd Medical Center
- Jordan Home Care Ltd.
- Marathon Letourneau Co.
- Pioneer Drilling Services LTD
- Regional Hospital of Longview LLC
- Sitel Corp.
- Texas Eastman Division
- Texas Home Health of America Inc.
- TXU Mining Company LP
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

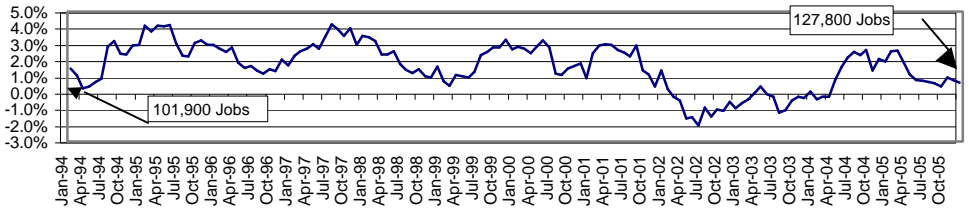
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	Longview MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	103.5	99.0	4.5	4.4	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	103.7	98.8	4.9	4.7	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	101.2	95.7	5.5	5.5	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

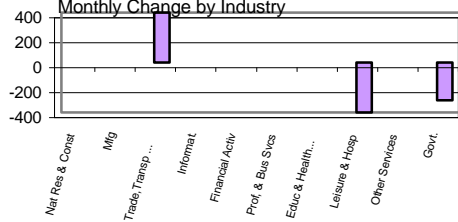
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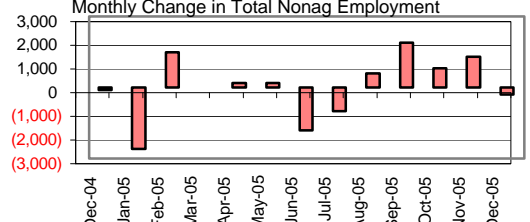
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	127,800	128,100	127,000	-300	-0.2%	800	0.6%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	5,800	5,800	5,200	0	0.0%	600	11.5%
Manufacturing	5,500	5,500	5,300	0	0.0%	200	3.8%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	25,400	25,000	25,600	400	1.6%	-200	-0.8%
Information	6,100	6,100	5,800	0	0.0%	300	5.2%
Financial Activities	7,100	7,100	7,000	0	0.0%	100	1.4%
Profes., & Business Services	11,200	11,200	11,000	0	0.0%	200	1.8%
Education & Health Services	18,700	18,700	18,500	0	0.0%	200	1.1%
Leisure & Hospitality	13,800	14,200	14,200	-400	-2.8%	-400	-2.8%
Other Services	5,500	5,500	5,400	0	0.0%	100	1.9%
Government	28,700	29,000	29,000	-300	-1.0%	-300	-1.0%

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class		
			Employment	% of Total Employment	
9	1000+	9	26480	22.0%	
8	500-999	15	9650	8.0%	
7	250-499	28	8822	7.3%	
6	100-249	136	19914	16.5%	
5	50-99	192	12980	10.8%	
4	20-49	605	18495	15.3%	
3	10-19	823	11106	9.2%	
2	5-9	1142	7476	6.2%	
1	1-4	2688	5585	4.6%	
0	0	413	0	0.0%	
TOTAL			6051	120508	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Lubbock MSA decreased by 300 jobs in December but added 800 positions over the year. Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction remained unchanged over the month. The annual growth rate for the group remained positive at 11.5 percent, an over the year gain of 600 jobs. Manufacturing, Professional Business and Services, and Educational and Health Services all remained constant over the month. However, over the year, each group added 200 positions. Retail Trade increased by 400 jobs over the month. Information employment showed no change over the month, but increased by 300 jobs over the year. Leisure and Hospitality decreased by 400 jobs over the month. The annual growth rate for this group was -2.8 percent, a loss of 400 jobs over the year. Local Government employment dropped by 300 jobs over the month. The annual growth rate for this sector was -1.5 percent, an over the year loss of 200 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

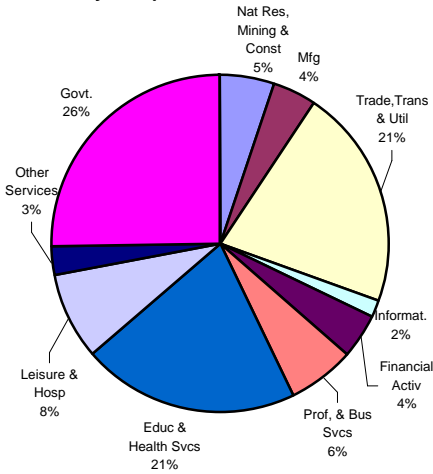
- Aramark Schools Inc.
- Benefit Staffing
- Cingular Wireless Employee Svcs LLC
- Convergys Customer Management
- Covenant Health System
- Excell Services
- Sheils Service Inc.
- United Supermarkets Ltd.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.
- Wells Fargo Bank NA

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

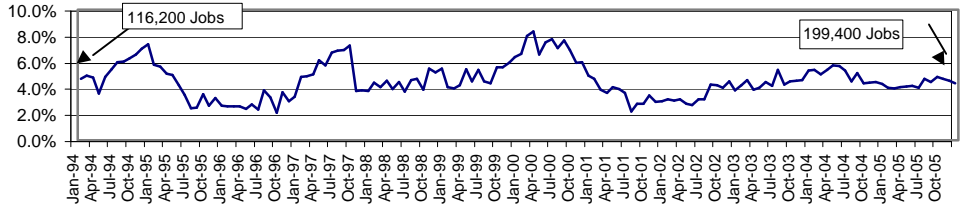
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	Lubbock MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	143.9	139.0	4.9	3.4	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	144.8	139.5	5.3	3.6	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	142.3	136.4	5.9	4.2	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

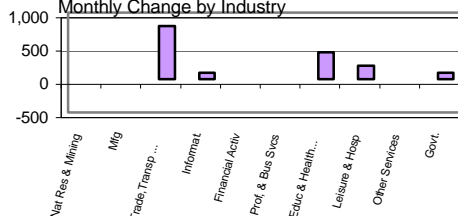
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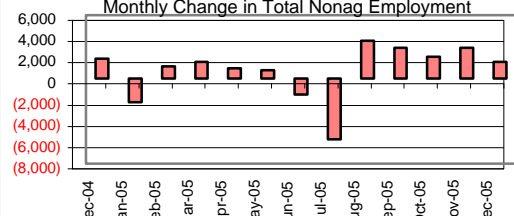
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change				Size Class of Industries				
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%	Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
Total Nonagricultural	199,400	197,800	191,100	1,600	0.8%	8,300	4.3%	9	1000+	21	49749	25.1%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	10,500	10,500	10,800	0	0.0%	-300	-2.8%	8	500-999	34	24168	12.2%
Manufacturing	8,500	8,500	8,300	0	0.0%	200	2.4%	7	250-499	61	20637	10.4%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	42,100	41,300	40,500	800	1.9%	1,600	4.0%	6	100-249	183	27769	14.0%
Information	3,300	3,200	2,900	100	3.1%	400	13.8%	5	50-99	256	17581	8.9%
Financial Activities	8,400	8,400	8,000	0	0.0%	400	5.0%	4	20-49	798	24151	12.2%
Profes., & Business Services	12,300	12,300	12,100	0	0.0%	200	1.7%	3	10-19	1106	14987	7.6%
Education & Health Services	41,500	41,100	38,400	400	1.0%	3,100	8.1%	2	5-9	1671	11182	5.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	16,800	16,600	16,100	200	1.2%	700	4.3%	1	1-4	3527	7649	3.9%
Other Services	5,500	5,500	5,100	0	0.0%	400	7.8%	0	0	625	0	0.0%
Government	50,500	50,400	48,900	100	0.2%	1,600	3.3%	TOTAL				
										8282	197873	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr MSA grew by 1,600 jobs in December, largely due to additional hiring of temporary staff for the holiday season. Retail Trade added 800 new jobs, with General Merchandise Stores contributing 200 positions to the employment growth. Manufacturing held steady over the month. Educational and Health Services increased by 400 jobs over the month and posted an over-the-year gain of 3,100 jobs, or 8.1 percent. Leisure and Hospitality increased by 200 jobs over the month and gained 700 jobs, or 4.3 percent over the year. Total Government grew slightly over the month.

The annual growth rate for the McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr MSA stood at 4.3 percent in December, an addition of 8,300 positions over the year. The annual growth rate has remained above 3.0 percent since May 2002.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

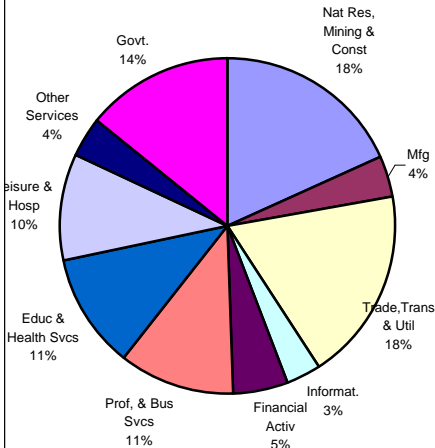
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

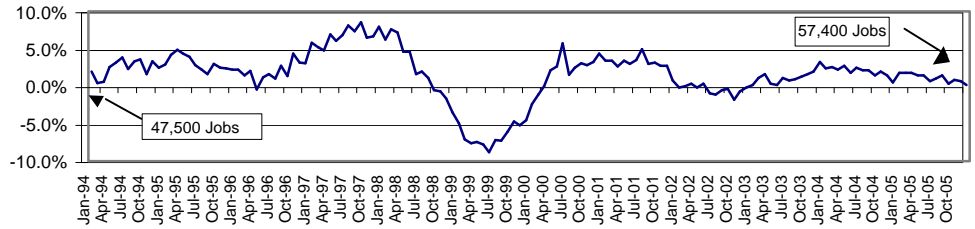
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	McAllen - Edinburg - Pharr MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	268.7	250.1	18.6	6.9	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	266.2	247.8	18.4	6.9	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	262.4	238.0	24.4	9.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

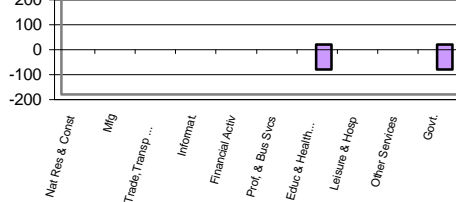
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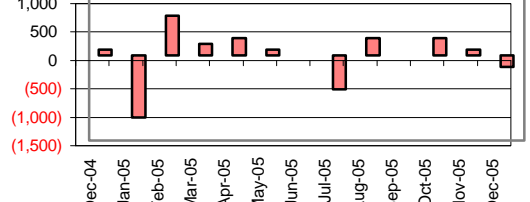
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change		Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%					
Total Nonagricultural	57,400	57,600	57,300	-200	-0.3%	100	0.2%	9	1000+	3	5336	9.1%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	10,600	10,600	10,500	0	0.0%	100	1.0%	8	500-999	7	5285	9.0%
Manufacturing	2,100	2,100	2,000	0	0.0%	100	5.0%	7	250-499	13	4400	7.5%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	10,700	10,700	11,100	0	0.0%	-400	-3.6%	6	100-249	64	9041	15.5%
Information	1,900	1,900	1,800	0	0.0%	100	5.6%	5	50-99	126	9013	15.4%
Financial Activities	3,100	3,100	3,000	0	0.0%	100	3.3%	4	20-49	343	10705	18.3%
Profes., & Business Services	6,300	6,300	6,000	0	0.0%	300	5.0%	3	10-19	474	6306	10.8%
Education & Health Services	6,500	6,600	6,400	-100	-1.5%	100	1.6%	2	5-9	707	4582	7.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	5,800	5,800	5,600	0	0.0%	200	3.6%	1	1-4	1822	3761	6.4%
Other Services	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0	293	0	0.0%
Government	8,100	8,200	8,600	-100	-1.2%	-500	-5.8%					
TOTAL										3852	58429	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Midland MSA posted a job decline of 200 for December 2005, making it the fourth monthly decrease this year. There were minor decreases in Education and Health Services and Local Government, while all other industries remained constant. Over the year, Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Midland MSA gained 100 new jobs. Local Government lost 500 jobs (6.7 percent), making it the highest annual decrease this sector had all year. Retail Trade had a minimal decrease of 200 jobs over the year, while Leisure and Hospitality Services added 200 new jobs. Professional and Business Services reported the largest increase for this MSA with 300 jobs, or 5.0 percent.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

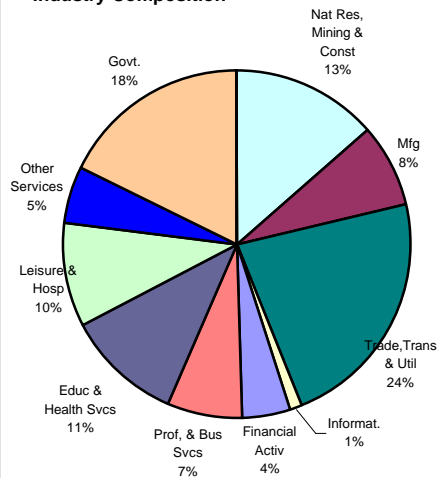
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- Dawson Geophysical Co.
- Endeavor Petroleum LP
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

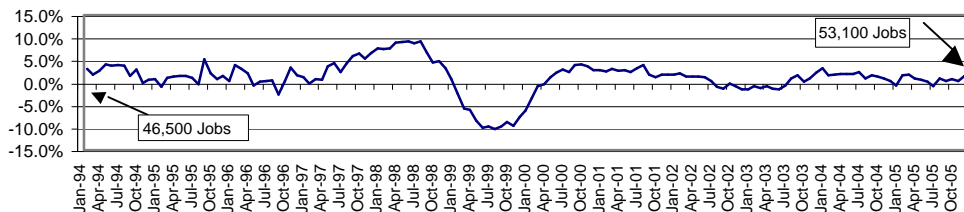
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	Midland MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	65.3	63.1	2.2	3.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	65.5	63.2	2.3	3.5	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	64.6	62.0	2.6	4.1	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

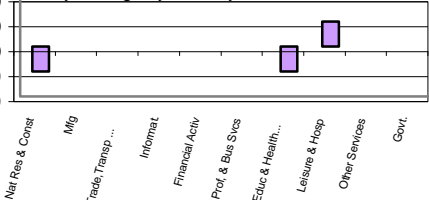
Industry Composition



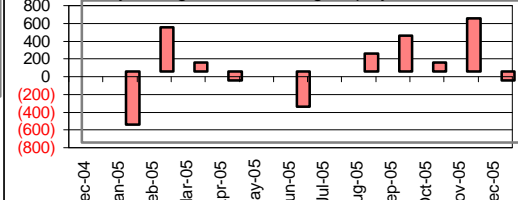
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	53,100	53,200	52,400	-100	-0.2%	700	1.3%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	7,200	7,300	7,100	-100	-1.4%	100	1.4%
Manufacturing	4,100	4,100	3,900	0	0.0%	200	5.1%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	12,000	12,000	12,400	0	0.0%	-400	-3.2%
Information	600	600	600	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	3,800	3,800	3,600	0	0.0%	200	5.6%
Education & Health Services	5,700	5,800	5,600	-100	-1.7%	100	1.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	5,100	5,000	5,000	100	2.0%	100	2.0%
Other Services	2,800	2,800	2,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	9,500	9,500	9,100	0	0.0%	400	4.4%

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	4	7978	15.2%
8	500-999	3	2141	4.1%
7	250-499	11	3717	7.1%
6	100-249	67	9699	18.5%
5	50-99	103	6966	13.3%
4	20-49	310	9479	18.1%
3	10-19	444	6089	11.6%
2	5-9	615	4043	7.7%
1	1-4	1029	2309	4.4%
0	0	175	0	0.0%
TOTAL		2761	52421	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment for the Odessa MSA reported a small decline of 100 jobs over the month, the first monthly decrease in December since 1998. There were minor decreases in Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction and Education and Health Services. Also, Leisure and Hospitality Services posted a small increase, while all other sectors remained constant.

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Odessa MSA increased by 700 jobs annually. Local Government was the main contributor, adding 500 jobs. This is the largest over the year growth this sector had all year. Professional and Business Services posted a yearly increase of 200 jobs at 5.6 percent. Retail Trade had an annual decrease of 300 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

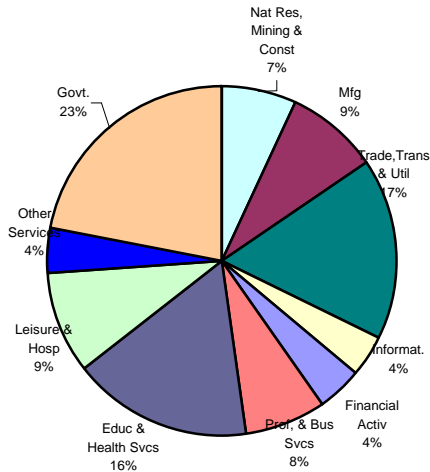
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

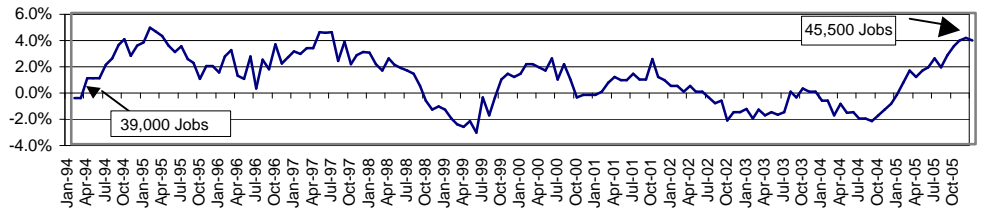
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	Odessa MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	62.3	59.8	2.5	4.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	62.5	59.9	2.6	4.2	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	61.8	58.5	3.3	5.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

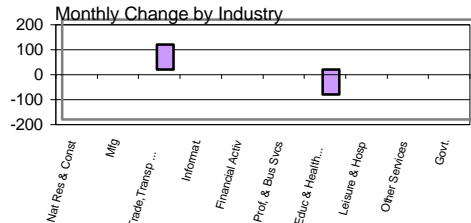
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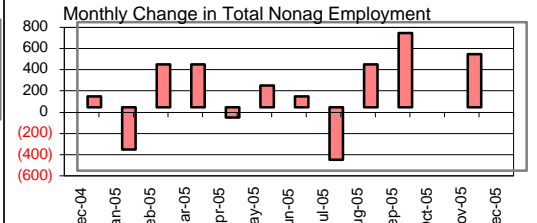
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	45,500	45,500	43,800	0	0.0%	1,700	3.9%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	3,200	3,200	2,800	0	0.0%	400	14.3%
Manufacturing	3,900	3,900	3,800	0	0.0%	100	2.6%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	7,500	7,400	7,700	100	1.4%	-200	-2.6%
Information	1,800	1,800	1,700	0	0.0%	100	5.9%
Financial Activities	1,900	1,900	1,800	0	0.0%	100	5.6%
Profes., & Business Services	3,500	3,500	3,500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Education & Health Services	7,500	7,600	7,400	-100	-1.3%	100	1.4%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,300	4,300	4,200	0	0.0%	100	2.4%
Other Services	1,900	1,900	1,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	10,000	10,000	9,000	0	0.0%	1,000	11.1%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	4	6211	14.2%
8	500-999	10	7588	17.3%
7	250-499	8	2602	5.9%
6	100-249	36	5541	12.6%
5	50-99	81	5670	12.9%
4	20-49	216	6505	14.8%
3	10-19	311	4177	9.5%
2	5-9	448	2950	6.7%
1	1-4	1216	2607	5.9%
0	0	121	0	0.0%
TOTAL		2451	43851	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment for the San Angelo MSA remained constant for the month of December 2005. There was a small increase in Retail Trade and a small decrease in Education and Health Services. Over the year, Total Nonagricultural Employment for the San Angelo MSA gained 1,700 new jobs. The main contributors were State and Local Government, adding 500 and 600 jobs, respectively. Also, Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction gained 400 jobs at 14.3 percent for the year. Retail Trade posted an annual decrease of 200 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

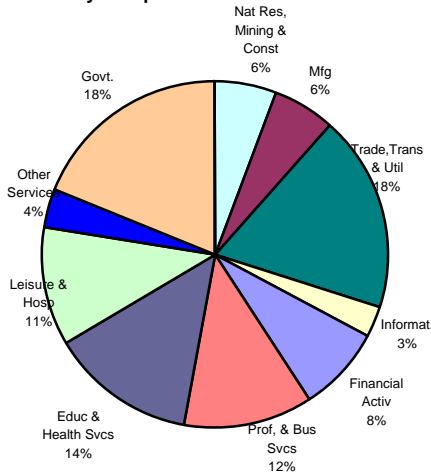
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- Outreach Health Community Care Svcs.
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Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

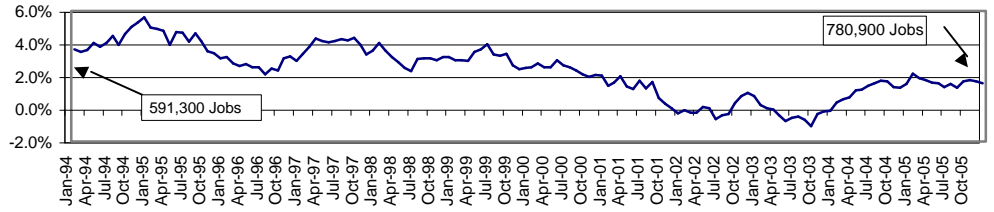
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	San Angelo MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	55.4	53.4	2.0	3.6	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	55.7	53.5	2.2	4.0	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
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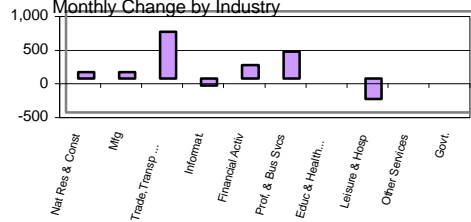
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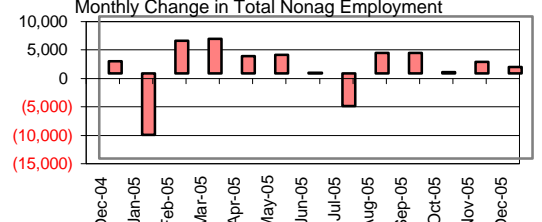
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	780,900	779,800	768,900	1,100	0.1%	12,000	1.6%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	45,600	45,500	44,200	100	0.2%	1,400	3.2%
Manufacturing	45,800	45,700	46,100	100	0.2%	-300	-0.7%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	143,500	142,800	141,800	700	0.5%	1,700	1.2%
Information	21,200	21,300	21,800	-100	-0.5%	-600	-2.8%
Financial Activities	63,000	62,800	62,400	200	0.3%	600	1.0%
Profes., & Business Services	92,200	91,800	91,100	400	0.4%	1,100	1.2%
Education & Health Services	106,900	106,900	104,300	0	0.0%	2,600	2.5%
Leisure & Hospitality	87,200	87,500	84,000	-300	-0.3%	3,200	3.8%
Other Services	28,900	28,900	28,100	0	0.0%	800	2.8%
Government	146,600	146,600	145,100	0	0.0%	1,500	1.0%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	87	254628	33.0%
8	500-999	102	72205	9.4%
7	250-499	213	73919	9.6%
6	100-249	688	105795	13.7%
5	50-99	1050	73127	9.5%
4	20-49	2542	77707	10.0%
3	10-19	3500	47393	6.1%
2	5-9	5508	36335	4.7%
1	1-4	14525	30065	3.9%
0	0	2492	0	0.0%
TOTAL		30707	771174	103.6%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the San Antonio MSA added 1,100 jobs in the month of December. Trade, Transportation and Utilities had an over-the-month increase of 700 jobs. With the holiday shopping season, jobs in Retail Trade continued to rise with 600 more jobs over the month. Department stores also had an over-the-month increase due to the holiday season with 300 more jobs. Financial Activities gained 200 jobs over the month. Credit Intermediation and Related Activities added 200 jobs over the month with an over-the-year increase of 0.9 percent. Professional and Business Services gained 400 jobs over the month. Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services had an over-the-month increase of 200 jobs. Employment Services had an over-the-year gain of 10.2 percent. Leisure and Hospitality had a loss of 300 jobs over the month. Accommodation and Food Services employment declined over the month with a loss of 200 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

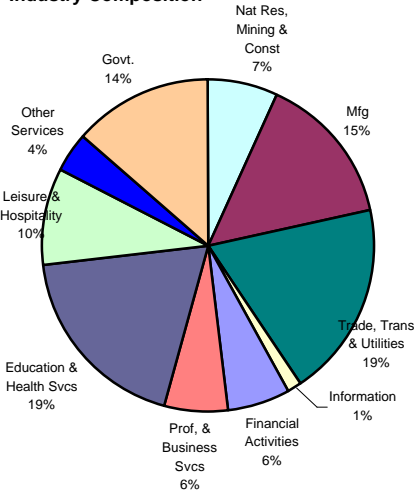
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- Columbia HCA Healthcare Corp
- HEB Grocery Co.
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- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.
- West Telemarketing LP
- World Mortgage Company

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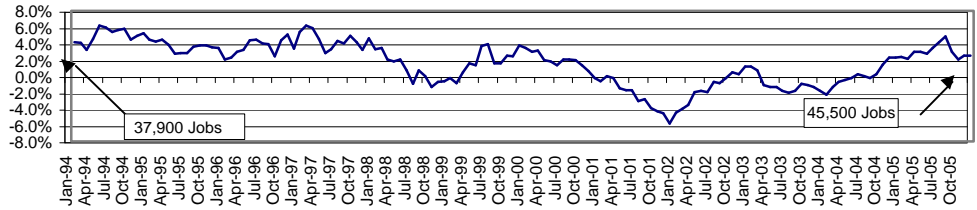
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	San Antonio MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	903.2	864.4	38.8	4.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	904.7	862.5	42.2	4.7	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	890.1	843.2	46.9	5.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

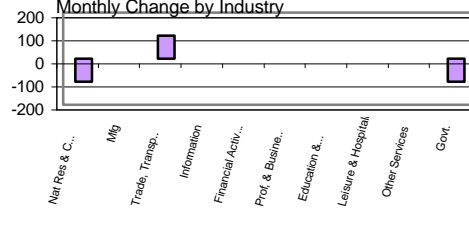
Industry Composition



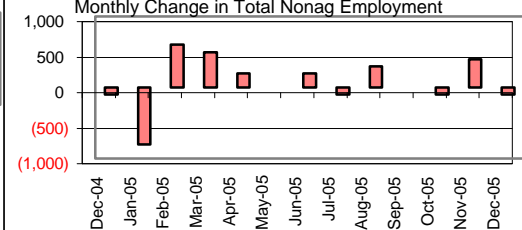
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

				Monthly	Change	Annual	Change
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	45,500	45,600	44,400	-100	-0.2%	1,100	2.5%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	3,200	3,300	2,900	-100	-3.0%	300	10.3%
Manufacturing	6,700	6,700	6,500	0	0.0%	200	3.1%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	8,600	8,500	8,600	100	1.2%	0	0.0%
Information	600	600	500	0	0.0%	100	20.0%
Financial Activities	2,800	2,800	2,800	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	2,700	2,700	2,600	0	0.0%	100	3.8%
Education & Health Services	8,600	8,600	8,500	0	0.0%	100	1.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,400	4,400	4,000	0	0.0%	400	10.0%
Other Services	1,700	1,700	1,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	6,200	6,300	6,300	-100	-1.6%	-100	-1.6%

Size Class of Industries

as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	5	5837	13.8%
8	500-999	4	2742	6.5%
7	250-499	13	4364	10.3%
6	100-249	53	8037	19.0%
5	50-99	75	5281	12.5%
4	20-49	219	6714	15.8%
3	10-19	309	4209	9.9%
2	5-9	449	2928	6.9%
1	1-4	1057	2272	5.4%
0	0	159	0	0.0%
TOTAL		2343	42384	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Sherman-Denison MSA decreased by 100 jobs in December. However, since the beginning of 2005, this MSA added 1,900 new jobs. With its over-the-year employment gain of 1,100 jobs, it maintained sixteen months of annual job growth. Natural Resources, Mining and Construction annual employment has been positive for fifteen months. Information over-the-year employment increased for the ninth month in a row. Education and Health Services annual employment grew for nine consecutive months as well. For the last sixteen months, Leisure and Hospitality annual employment added jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

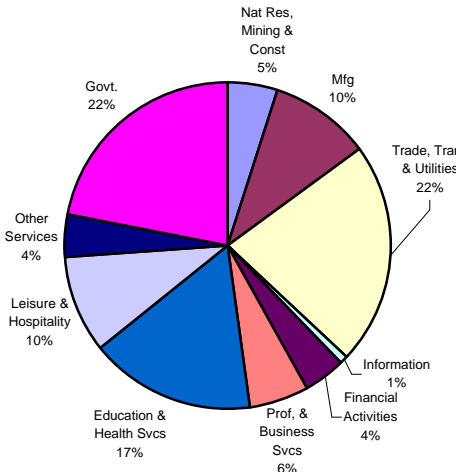
- Austin College
- Connecticut General Life Insurance Co.
- Kwikset Corp.
- MEMC Southwest Inc.
- Quality Home Healthcare Inc.
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- Texoma Medical Center
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- West Asset Management Inc.
- Wilson N Jones Regional Health Systems

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

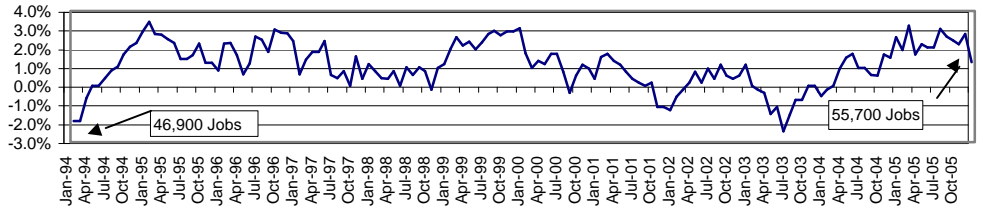
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	Sherman - Denison MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	58.7	56.1	2.6	4.5	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	58.9	56.1	2.8	4.7	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	57.9	54.5	3.4	5.8	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

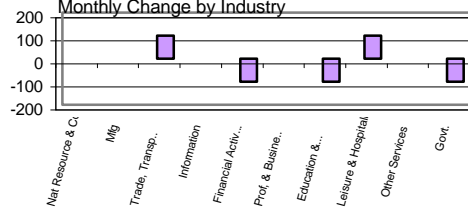
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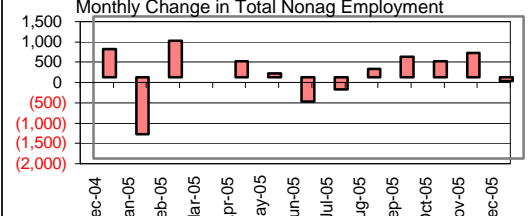
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Dec-2005		Nov-2005		Dec-2004		Monthly Actual	Change %	Annual Actual	Change %
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Nov-2004	Dec-2004	Nov-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	55,700	55,800	55,000	55,000	55,000	55,000	-100	-0.2%	700	1.3%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	2,800	2,800	2,400	2,400	2,400	2,400	0	0.0%	400	16.7%
Manufacturing	5,500	5,500	5,300	5,300	5,300	5,300	0	0.0%	200	3.8%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	12,300	12,200	12,300	12,300	12,300	12,300	100	0.8%	0	0.0%
Information	500	500	500	500	500	500	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	2,200	2,300	2,200	2,200	2,200	2,200	-100	-4.3%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	3,300	3,300	3,100	3,100	3,100	3,100	0	0.0%	200	6.5%
Education & Health Services	9,200	9,300	9,000	9,000	9,000	9,000	-100	-1.1%	200	2.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	5,300	5,200	5,100	5,100	5,100	5,100	100	1.9%	200	3.9%
Other Services	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	12,300	12,400	12,800	12,800	12,800	12,800	-100	-0.8%	-500	-3.9%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	3	6254	15.4%
8	500-999	6	4216	10.4%
7	250-499	12	3904	9.6%
6	100-249	49	7180	17.7%
5	50-99	59	4356	10.7%
4	20-49	207	6178	15.2%
3	10-19	297	4058	10.0%
2	5-9	401	2687	6.6%
1	1-4	801	1702	4.2%
0	0	117	0	0.0%
TOTAL		1952	40535	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Texarkana MSA decreased by 100 jobs in December. However, since the beginning of 2005, it increased by 2,100 jobs. Over the year, it added 700 jobs. This marked the twenty-second consecutive month of annual employment growth. For the last eight months, Natural Resources, Mining and Construction gained jobs over-the-year. Manufacturing has grown by 300 new positions since January 2005 and 200 jobs since December 2004. Retail Trade continued to increase mostly due to the holiday shopping season. Retail Trade added 700 jobs since the beginning of the year and has maintained nine months of over-the-year growth. Education and Health Services annual employment has grown for the last eleven months. Annual employment in Leisure and Hospitality has risen uninterrupted for the last twenty-seven months.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

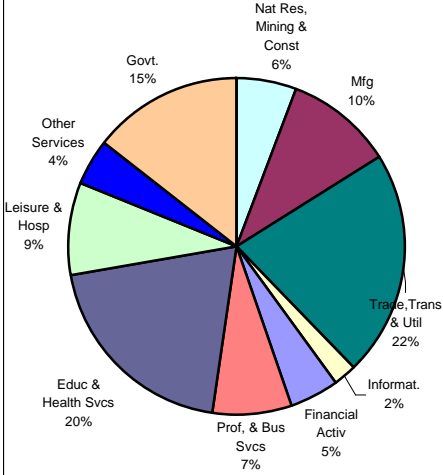
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- Christus Health
- Collom & Carney Clinic
- Day & Zimmermann Inc.
- E-Z Mart Stores Inc.
- Jordan Home Care Ltd.
- Lear Siegler Services Inc.
- LW Ledwell & Son Enterprises Inc.
- Wadley Regional Medical Center
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

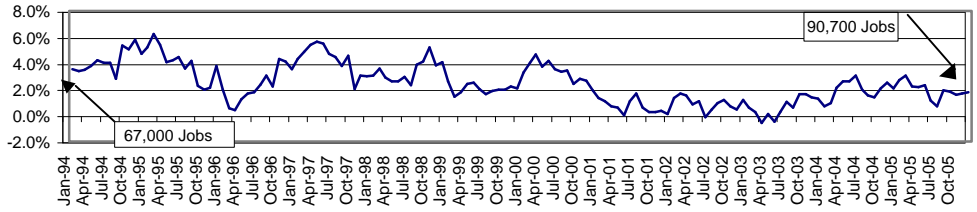
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	Texarkana MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	64.2	61.1	3.1	4.8	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	62.7	59.3	3.4	5.4	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

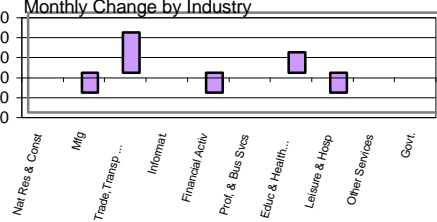
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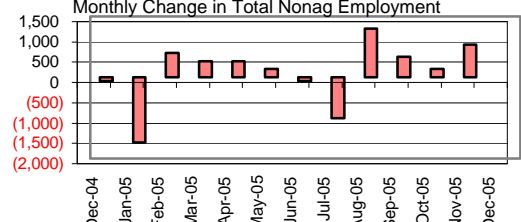
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	90,700	90,700	89,100	0	0.0%	1,600	1.8%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	5,300	5,300	4,800	0	0.0%	500	10.4%
Manufacturing	9,400	9,500	9,800	-100	-1.1%	-400	-4.1%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	19,600	19,400	19,700	200	1.0%	-100	-0.5%
Information	2,100	2,100	2,000	0	0.0%	100	5.0%
Financial Activities	4,200	4,300	4,000	-100	-2.3%	200	5.0%
Profes., & Business Services	6,700	6,700	7,100	0	0.0%	-400	-5.6%
Education & Health Services	18,100	18,000	17,100	100	0.6%	1,000	5.8%
Leisure & Hospitality	8,200	8,300	8,200	-100	-1.2%	0	0.0%
Other Services	3,900	3,900	3,700	0	0.0%	200	5.4%
Government	13,200	13,200	12,700	0	0.0%	500	3.9%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	9	19235	21.4%
8	500-999	13	8912	9.9%
7	250-499	13	4500	5.0%
6	100-249	100	14826	16.5%
5	50-99	156	10640	11.8%
4	20-49	442	13399	14.9%
3	10-19	616	8407	9.3%
2	5-9	864	5760	6.4%
1	1-4	2123	4297	4.8%
0	0	257	0	0.0%
TOTAL		4593	89976	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Tyler MSA remained unchanged in December. However, since the beginning of 2005, it increased by 3,200 jobs. Since December 2004, it added 1,600 new positions. Natural Resources, Mining and Construction added 700 jobs since January as well as over the year. Its over-the-year employment has been positive since September 2004. Retail Trade continued to add jobs mostly due to the holiday season. Financial Activities annual employment has grown steadily for thirteen months. Since the beginning of the year, Education and Health Services has gained 1,000 jobs. Annual employment in both Education and Health Services and Local Government has been positive for the last twelve months.

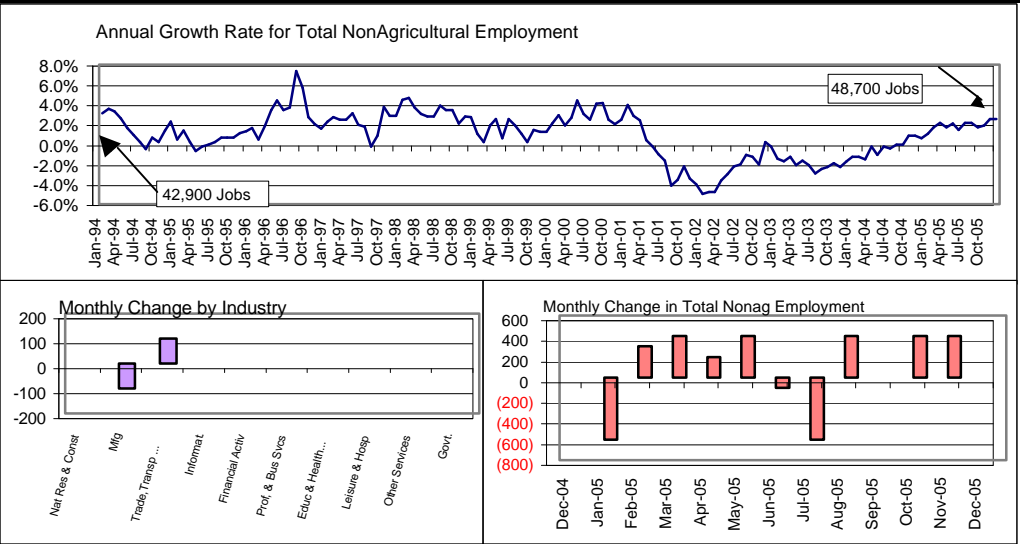
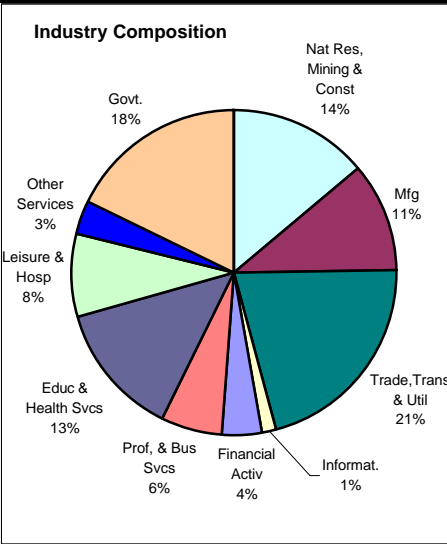
Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

- American Standard Inc.
- Brookshire Grocery Co.
- Carrier Corporation
- East Texas Medical Center
- Goodyear Tire-Rubber Co.
- Howe-Baker Engineers Ltd.
- Mother Frances Hospital
- Target Corp.
- Tyler Pipe Co.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

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	Tyler MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	97.3	93.3	4.0	4.1	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	97.7	93.3	4.4	4.5	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	95.9	90.8	5.1	5.3	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1



Industry	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	48,700	48,700	47,500	0	0.0%	1,200	2.5%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	6,700	6,700	6,100	0	0.0%	600	9.8%
Manufacturing	5,400	5,500	5,500	-100	-1.8%	-100	-1.8%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	10,200	10,100	9,900	100	1.0%	300	3.0%
Information	700	700	700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	1,900	1,900	1,900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	2,900	2,900	2,700	0	0.0%	200	7.4%
Education & Health Services	6,500	6,500	6,300	0	0.0%	200	3.2%
Leisure & Hospitality	4,100	4,100	4,000	0	0.0%	100	2.5%
Other Services	1,700	1,700	1,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Government	8,600	8,600	8,700	0	0.0%	-100	-1.1%

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	6	8961	18.6%
8	500-999	7	4720	9.8%
7	250-499	11	3834	8.0%
6	100-249	52	7511	15.6%
5	50-99	79	5313	11.0%
4	20-49	245	7377	15.3%
3	10-19	331	4465	9.3%
2	5-9	538	3573	7.4%
1	1-4	1140	2470	5.1%
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TOTAL		2559	48224	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

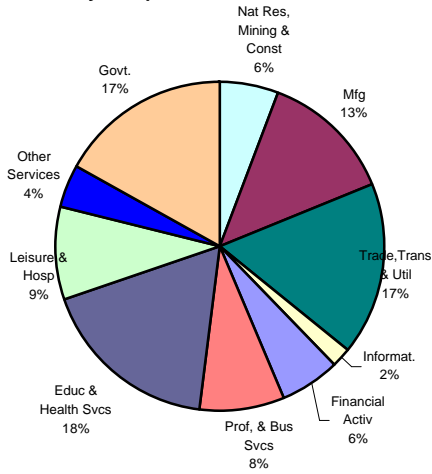
The Victoria MSA remained unchanged in Total Nonagricultural Employment for the month of December. Since January, however, the area gained 1,800 jobs, or 3.8 percent.

Retail Trade grew by 100 jobs over the month as area stores increased staff for the holiday season. This seasonal increase matched the previous three years of growth for the sector and put employment at 6,900. Year to date, area stores added 600 jobs, or 9.5 percent.

- Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005**
- Alcoa Inc.
 - APS Personnel Services
 - Detar Hospital
 - DuPont North America Inc.
 - Formosa Plastics Corp.
 - HEB Grocery Co.
 - Patterson Drilling South LP
 - The Devereux Foundation
 - Union Carbide Corp.
 - Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Month	Victoria MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	57.4	55.0	2.4	4.2	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	57.7	55.1	2.6	4.5	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	56.2	53.2	3.0	5.4	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

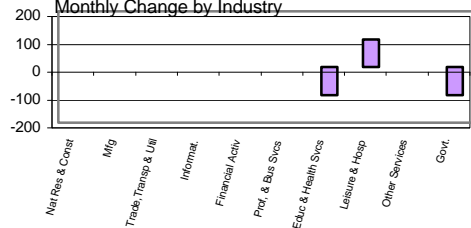
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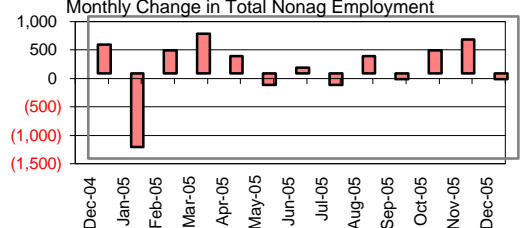
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	104,600	104,700	103,700	-100	-0.1%	900	0.9%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	6,200	6,200	5,500	0	0.0%	700	12.7%
Manufacturing	13,600	13,600	13,400	0	0.0%	200	1.5%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	17,700	17,700	18,100	0	0.0%	-400	-2.2%
Information	1,900	1,900	1,800	0	0.0%	100	5.6%
Financial Activities	6,200	6,200	6,200	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	8,600	8,600	8,500	0	0.0%	100	1.2%
Education & Health Services	18,600	18,700	19,100	-100	-0.5%	-500	-2.6%
Leisure & Hospitality	9,700	9,600	9,500	100	1.0%	200	2.1%
Other Services	4,500	4,500	4,400	0	0.0%	100	2.3%
Government	17,600	17,700	17,200	-100	-0.6%	400	2.3%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	11	19589	19.3%
8	500-999	17	11059	10.9%
7	250-499	31	10262	10.1%
6	100-249	129	18671	18.4%
5	50-99	161	11039	10.9%
4	20-49	469	14155	13.9%
3	10-19	576	7758	7.6%
2	5-9	780	5213	5.1%
1	1-4	1844	3967	3.9%
0	0	266	0	0.0%
TOTAL		4284	101713	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment for the Waco MSA dropped 100 jobs this December, the first December decrease this MSA has seen in six years. There were minor increases in Retail Trade and Leisure and Hospitality Services, while Transportation, Warehousing, and Utilities, Local Government and Education and Health Services reported minor decreases. All other sectors remained constant. Over the year, Total Nonagricultural Employment posted a 900 job increase in the Waco MSA. The main contributor was Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction with 700 jobs, or 12.7 percent over the year. Local Government posted an annual increase of 300 jobs, while Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities showed a 300-job decrease. Both Manufacturing and State Government reported yearly gains of 200, or 1.5 percent and 7.7 percent, respectively. Education and Health Services had an annual decrease of 500 jobs, or -2.6 percent.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

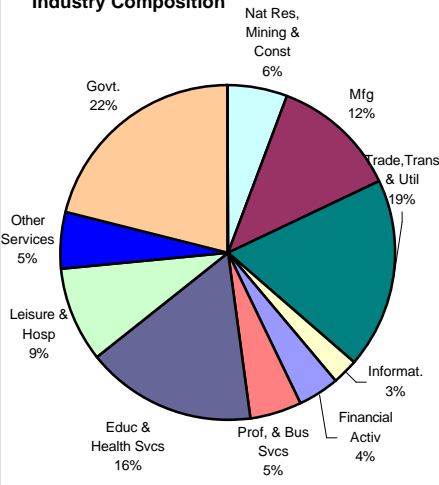
- Baylor University
- HEB Grocery Co.
- Hillcrest Health System Inc.
- L-3 Communications Integrated Systems
- Mars Inc.
- Pilgrims Pride Corp.
- Providence Health Center
- Raytheon Company
- Texas Home Health of America Inc.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

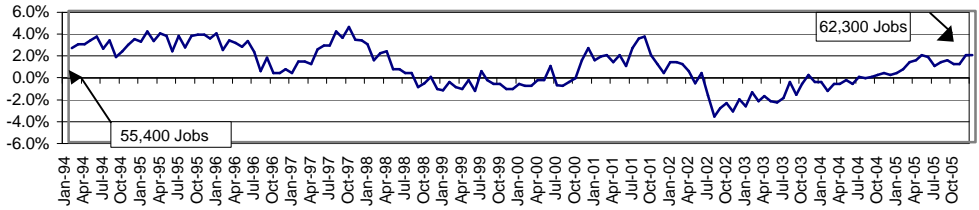
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	Waco MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	112.9	108.0	4.9	4.3	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	113.2	108.0	5.2	4.6	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	111.4	105.9	5.5	4.9	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

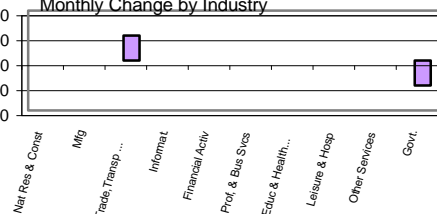
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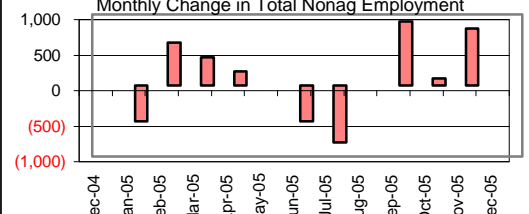
Annual Growth Rate for Total NonAgricultural Employment



Monthly Change by Industry



Monthly Change in Total Nonag Employment



Employment by Industry

	Employment			Monthly Change		Annual Change	
	Dec-2005	Nov-2005	Dec-2004	Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonagricultural	62,300	62,300	61,100	0	0.0%	1,200	2.0%
Natural Res., Mining & Constr.	3,600	3,600	3,100	0	0.0%	500	16.1%
Manufacturing	7,700	7,700	7,500	0	0.0%	200	2.7%
Trade, Transp., & Utilities	11,400	11,300	11,300	100	0.9%	100	0.9%
Information	1,600	1,600	1,500	0	0.0%	100	6.7%
Financial Activities	2,300	2,300	2,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Profes., & Business Services	3,200	3,200	3,100	0	0.0%	100	3.2%
Education & Health Services	10,100	10,100	9,900	0	0.0%	200	2.0%
Leisure & Hospitality	5,800	5,800	5,700	0	0.0%	100	1.8%
Other Services	3,400	3,400	3,300	0	0.0%	100	3.0%
Government	13,200	13,300	13,400	-100	-0.8%	-200	-1.5%

Size Class of Industries as of June 2005

Size Class	Employees Per Firm	Number of Firms	Employment in Size Class	
			Employment	% of Total Employment
9	1000+	5	8279	14.0%
8	500-999	11	7936	13.4%
7	250-499	11	3861	6.5%
6	100-249	70	10142	17.1%
5	50-99	108	7563	12.8%
4	20-49	301	9077	15.3%
3	10-19	392	5317	9.0%
2	5-9	598	3957	6.7%
1	1-4	1494	3182	5.4%
0	0	205	0	0.0%
TOTAL		3195	59314	100.0%

Comments for December 2005

Total Nonagricultural Employment in the Wichita Falls MSA showed no change in December but added 1,200 positions over the year. Natural Resources, Mining, and Construction remained unchanged over the month. However, the annual growth rate for the group remained positive at 16.1 percent, an over the year gain of 500 jobs. This is the largest December over-the-year gain in over ten years. Retail Trade showed a slight increase over the month. All other industries remained constant in December, while Local Government decreased by 100 jobs over the month. The annual growth rate for Local Government was 1.3 percent, an over the year gain of 100 jobs.

Largest Private Sector Employers - Employer Reported, June 2005

- Cingular Wireless Employee Svcs LLC
- Clinics of North Texas
- Cryovac Inc.
- Howmet Corp.
- Lear Siegler Services Inc.
- Odyssey One Source Inc.
- Saint-Gobain Vetrotex
- United Regional Health Care System
- United Supermarkets Ltd.
- Wal-Mart Associates Inc.

Unemployment Information (all estimates are in thousands)

PLEASE NOTE: MSA Unemployment figures are not comparable from 2004 to 2005. See www.Tracer2.com for more explanation.

	Wichita Falls MSA				Texas (Actual)				United States (Actual)			
	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate	C.L.F.	Emp.	Unemp.	% Rate
Dec-05	76.0	73.0	3.0	3.9	11,302.8	10,757.6	545.2	4.8	149,874.0	142,918.0	6,956.0	4.6
Nov-05	76.2	73.0	3.2	4.3	11,329.3	10,738.6	590.7	5.2	150,239.0	142,968.0	7,271.0	4.8
Dec-04	74.7	71.2	3.5	4.7	11,128.2	10,485.9	642.3	5.8	147,877.0	140,278.0	7,599.0	5.1

Texas Metropolitan Statistical Area Rankings

Total Nonagricultural Employment

December-2005

Unemployment	Rate	Monthly Growth	Rate	Actual	Annual Growth	Rate	Actual
1 Amarillo	3.3%	1 McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr	0.8%	1,600	1 McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr	4.3%	8,300
1 Midland	3.3%	2 Brownsville-Harlingen	0.7%	800	1 El Paso	4.3%	11,100
3 Lubbock	3.4%	3 Beaumont-Port Arthur	0.5%	700	3 San Angelo	3.9%	1,700
4 Abilene	3.6%	3 Laredo	0.5%	400	4 Laredo	3.7%	2,900
4 San Angelo	3.6%	5 Houston-Baytown-Sugarland	0.4%	8,500	5 Brownsville-Harlingen	3.4%	4,000
6 College Station-Bryan	3.7%	5 Corpus Christi	0.4%	700	6 Abilene	3.0%	1,900
7 Austin-Round Rock	3.9%	7 Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	0.3%	300	7 Longview	2.5%	2,200
7 Wichita Falls	3.9%	7 Dallas-Plano-Irving	0.3%	5,600	7 Victoria	2.5%	1,200
9 Odessa	4.0%	9 Fort Worth-Arlington	0.2%	2,000	7 Sherman-Denison	2.5%	1,100
10 Tyler	4.1%	10 Longview	0.1%	100	10 Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	2.3%	2,600
11 Victoria	4.2%	10 San Antonio	0.1%	1,100	11 Austin-Round Rock	2.1%	14,200
12 San Antonio	4.3%	12 Wichita Falls	0.0%	0	12 Wichita Falls	2.0%	1,200
12 Waco	4.3%	12 Tyler	0.0%	0	13 Houston-Baytown-Sugarland	1.8%	42,500
14 Longview	4.4%	12 Amarillo	0.0%	0	13 Tyler	1.8%	1,600
15 Sherman-Denison	4.5%	12 San Angelo	0.0%	0	15 San Antonio	1.6%	12,000
15 Fort Worth-Arlington	4.5%	12 Victoria	0.0%	0	16 Dallas-Plano-Irving	1.4%	26,600
17 Dallas-Plano-Irving	4.7%	17 Waco	-0.1%	-100	17 Texarkana	1.3%	700
18 Corpus Christi	5.0%	17 El Paso	-0.1%	-300	17 Amarillo	1.3%	1,400
18 Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood	5.0%	19 Lubbock	-0.2%	-300	17 Odessa	1.3%	700
18 Laredo	5.0%	19 Odessa	-0.2%	-100	20 Fort Worth-Arlington	1.2%	10,000
21 Houston-Baytown-Sugar Land	5.3%	19 Texarkana	-0.2%	-100	21 College Station-Bryan	1.1%	1,000
22 El Paso	6.0%	19 Austin-Round Rock	-0.2%	-1,400	22 Waco	0.9%	900
23 Brownsville-Harlingen	6.2%	19 Sherman-Denison	-0.2%	-100	23 Lubbock	0.6%	800
24 McAllen-Edinburg-Pharr	6.9%	24 Abilene	-0.3%	-200	24 Midland	0.2%	100
25 Beaumont-Port Arthur	7.3%	24 Midland	-0.3%	-200	25 Corpus Christi	0.1%	200
Texarkana Data Not Available		26 College Station-Bryan	-0.8%	-700	26 Beaumont-Port Arthur	-2.4%	-3,700

The Dallas-Plano-Irving MD and the Fort Worth-Arlington MD combine to make up the new Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington MSA.