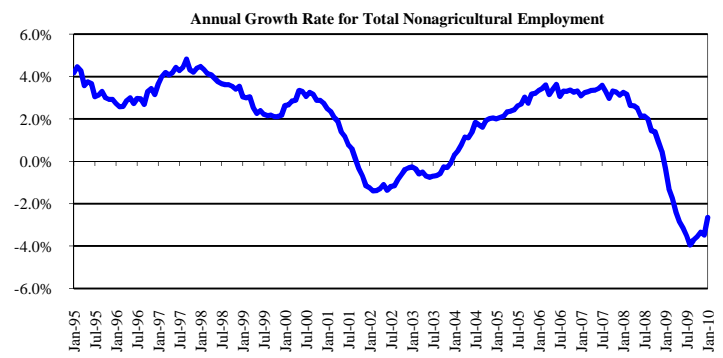
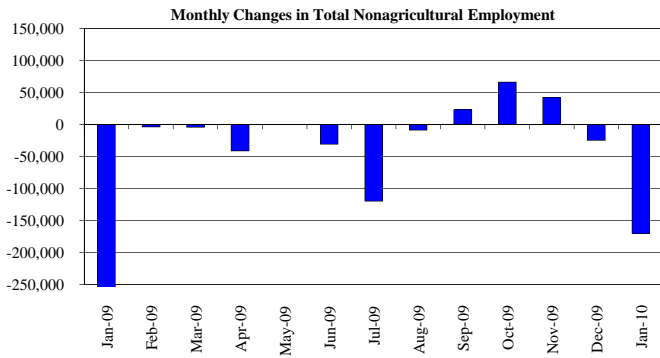


Nonagricultural Employment



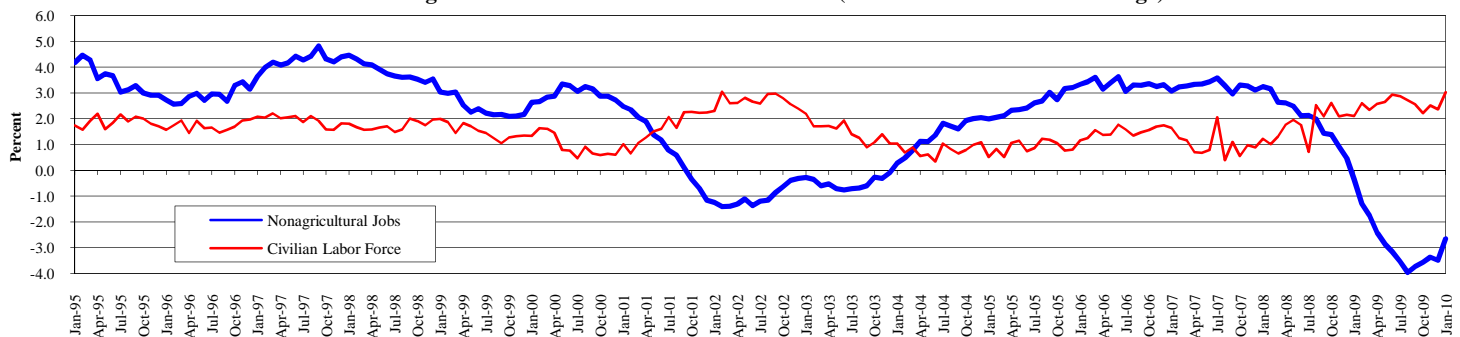
Employment by Industry	Jan-10	Dec-09	Jan-09	Monthly		Annual	
				Change	%	Change	%
Total Nonagricultural	10,126,800	10,297,500	10,403,400	-170,700	-1.7%	-276,600	-2.7%
Mining & Logging	199,000	201,600	227,700	-2,600	-1.3%	-28,700	-12.6%
Construction	542,200	553,200	634,000	-11,000	-2.0%	-91,800	-14.5%
Manufacturing	812,700	818,600	888,800	-5,900	-0.7%	-76,100	-8.6%
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	2,033,800	2,096,400	2,098,300	-62,600	-3.0%	-64,500	-3.1%
Information	197,100	201,300	211,200	-4,200	-2.1%	-14,100	-6.7%
Financial Activities	620,400	628,400	632,900	-8,000	-1.3%	-12,500	-2.0%
Professional & Business Services	1,210,500	1,228,500	1,280,100	-18,000	-1.5%	-69,600	-5.4%
Education & Health Services	1,352,000	1,367,000	1,296,500	-15,000	-1.1%	55,500	4.3%
Leisure & Hospitality	968,500	987,400	971,200	-18,900	-1.9%	-2,700	-0.3%
Other Services	352,600	353,600	358,600	-1,000	-0.3%	-6,000	-1.7%
Government	1,838,000	1,861,500	1,804,100	-23,500	-1.3%	33,900	1.9%

Nonagricultural Summary

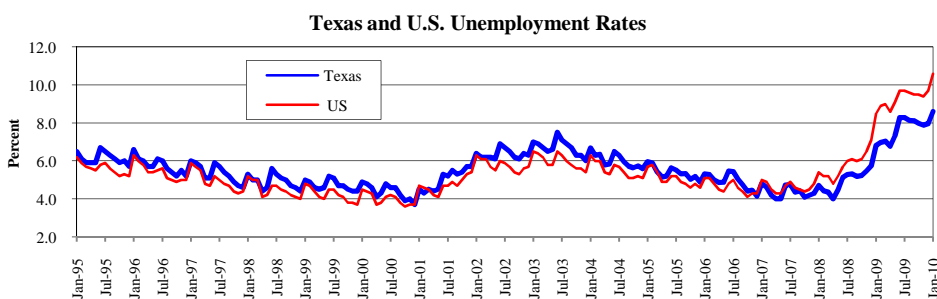
Following typical seasonal patterns, the Texas labor market showed a drop of 170,700 Total Nonagricultural jobs in January. That compares to a drop of 266,200 jobs in January 2009. Trade, Transportation, & Utilities showed the largest decline of all industries with -62,600 jobs, with all industries showing monthly job losses.

Texas Nonagricultural Employment declined by 276,600 jobs since January 2009 for an overall annual growth rate of -2.7 percent. Education & Health Services showed the largest industry annual gain with 55,500 jobs.

Texas Total Nonagricultural Jobs vs. Civilian Labor Force (Over-the-Year Percent Change)



Civilian Labor Force and Unemployment Statistics



Mo/Yr	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate
Jan-09	11,738,100	10,937,500	800,600	6.8
Aug-09	11,996,400	11,021,700	974,700	8.1
Sep-09	12,004,500	11,031,500	973,000	8.1
Oct-09	12,014,400	11,056,100	958,300	8.0
Nov-09	12,055,300	11,105,100	950,200	7.9
Dec-09	12,027,700	11,069,900	957,800	8.0
Jan-10	12,094,200	11,049,800	1,044,400	8.6

Labor Force Summary

The Texas unemployment rate rose from 8.0 percent in December to 8.6 percent in January. This is a typical unemployment rate increase from December to January since the jobless rate averaged rising six-tenths of a percent from December to January during the last ten years. The unemployment rate for January was 1.8 percent higher than the January 2009 rate. For the past 38 months, the Texas unemployment rate has been equal to or below the U.S. rate.

The U.S. January unemployment rate moved up nine-tenths of a percent to 10.6 percent from the previous rate of 9.7 percent. The U.S. jobless rate increased 2.1 percent since January 2009.

Mo/Yr	Labor Force	Employment	Unemploy.	Rate
Jan-09	153,445,000	140,436,000	13,009,000	8.5
Aug-09	154,897,000	140,074,000	14,823,000	9.6
Sep-09	153,617,000	139,079,000	14,538,000	9.5
Oct-09	153,635,000	139,088,000	14,547,000	9.5
Nov-09	153,539,000	139,132,000	14,407,000	9.4
Dec-09	152,693,000	137,953,000	14,740,000	9.7
Jan-10	152,957,000	136,809,000	16,147,000	10.6