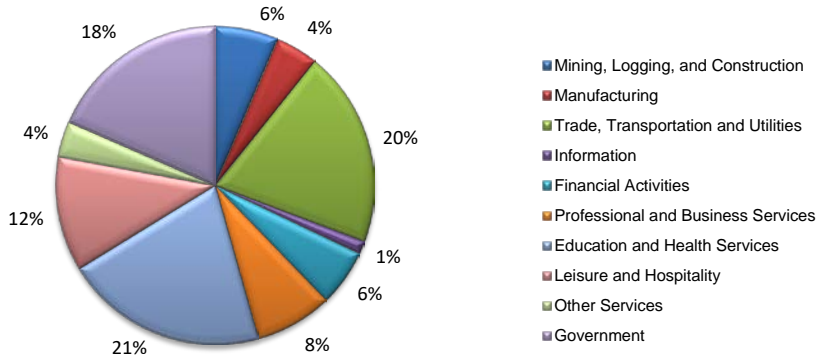
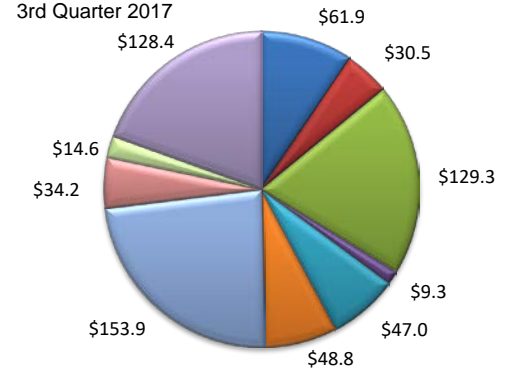


(Callahan, Jones, and Taylor)

Industry Composition



Wages by Industry (in millions)



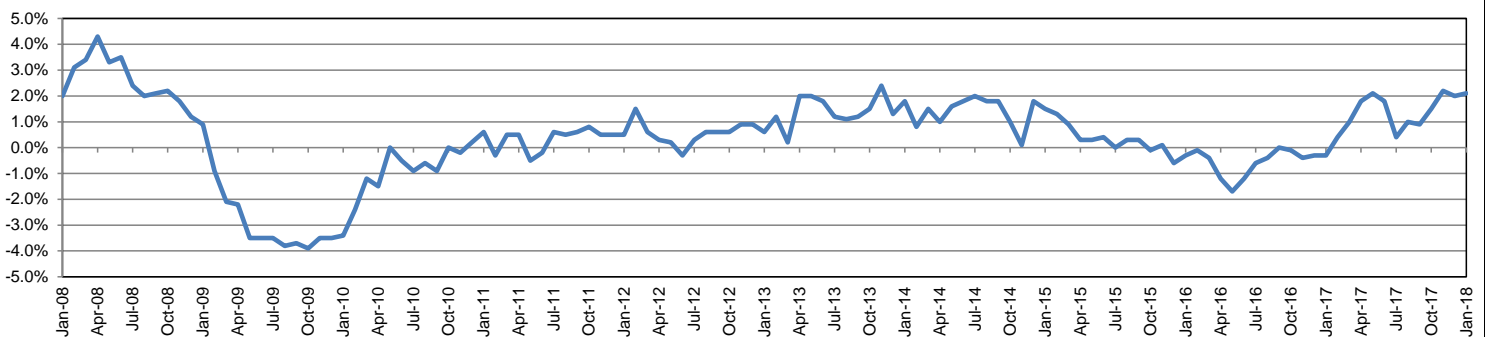
Employment by Industry

	Jan-18	Dec-17	Jan-17	Monthly Change		Annual Change	
				Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonfarm	68,800	69,800	67,400	-1,000	-1.4%	1,400	2.1%
Mining, Logging and Construction	4,400	4,500	4,500	-100	-2.2%	-100	-2.2%
Manufacturing	3,000	3,000	2,800	0	0.0%	200	7.1%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	13,700	14,000	13,500	-300	-2.1%	200	1.5%
Information	900	900	900	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Activities	4,000	4,000	3,800	0	0.0%	200	5.3%
Professional and Business Services	5,400	5,400	5,300	0	0.0%	100	1.9%
Education and Health Services	14,200	14,400	13,600	-200	-1.4%	600	4.4%
Leisure and Hospitality	8,000	8,100	7,700	-100	-1.2%	300	3.9%
Other Services	2,500	2,600	2,500	-100	-3.8%	0	0.0%
Government	12,700	12,900	12,800	-200	-1.6%	-100	-0.8%

Industry Size Class

Size Class	Employees per firm	Number of Firms	September 2017	
			Employment in Size Class	% Total Employment
9	1000+	8	12,432	18.7%
8	500-999	6	4,061	6.1%
7	250-499	16	5,226	7.9%
6	100-249	74	10,726	16.1%
5	50-99	144	10,060	15.1%
4	20-49	336	9,963	15.0%
3	10-19	459	6,293	9.5%
2	5-9	660	4,346	6.5%
1	1-4	1,653	3,395	5.1%
0	0	321	0	0.0%
Total		3,677	66,502	100.0%

Annual Growth Rate for Total Nonagricultural Employment



Unemployment Information (all estimates in thousands)

	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
Jan-18	76.0	73.3	2.7	3.6	13,622.1	13,054.1	568.0	4.2	160,037.0	152,848.0	7,189.0	4.5
Dec-17	75.9	73.5	2.4	3.1	13,598.1	13,096.2	501.8	3.7	159,880.0	153,602.0	6,278.0	3.9
Jan-17	74.7	71.6	3.1	4.1	13,417.3	12,749.0	668.4	5.0	158,676.0	150,527.0	8,149.0	5.1

Historical Unemployment Rates

