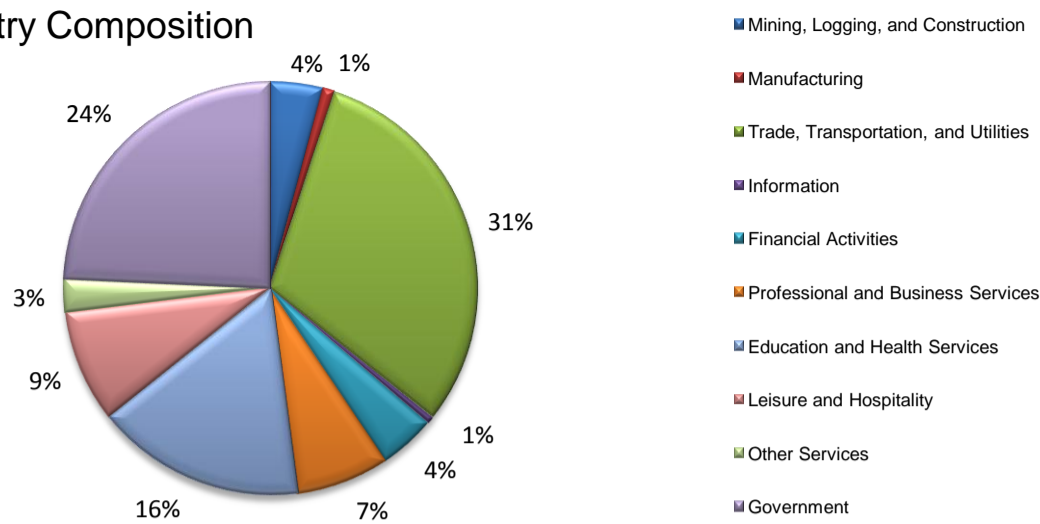
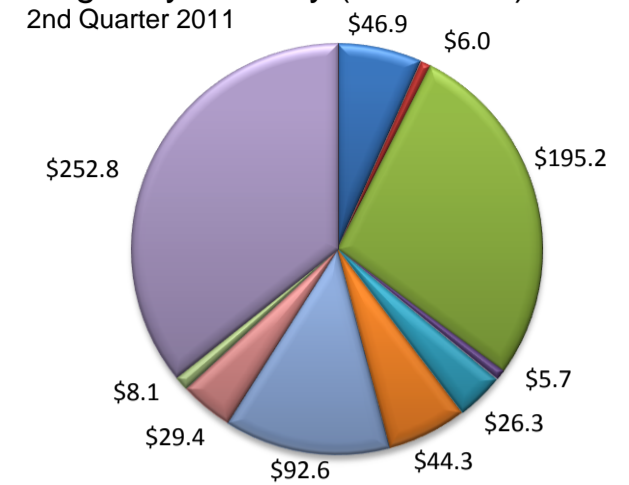


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Industry Composition



Wages by Industry (in millions)



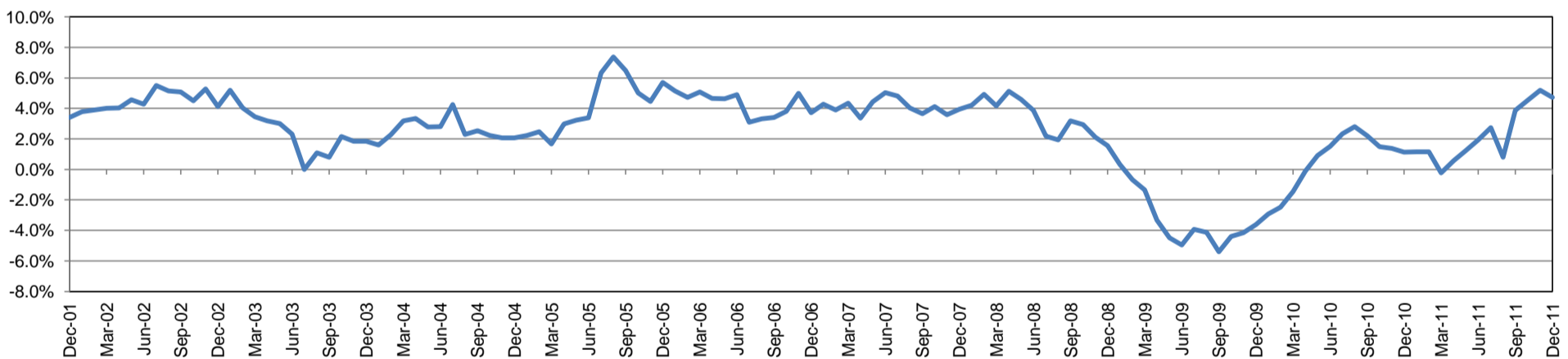
Employment by Industry

	Dec-11	Nov-11	Dec-10	Monthly Change		Annual Change	
				Actual	%	Actual	%
Total Nonfarm	93,100	93,300	88,900	-200	-0.2%	4,200	4.7%
Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	3,800	3,700	0	0.0%	100	2.7%
Manufacturing	900	900	800	0	0.0%	100	12.5%
Trade, Transportation, and Utilities	28,500	28,400	26,500	100	0.4%	2,000	7.6%
Information	500	500	600	0	0.0%	-100	-16.7%
Financial Activities	4,100	4,100	4,000	0	0.0%	100	2.5%
Professional and Business Services	6,800	6,900	6,300	-100	-1.5%	500	7.9%
Education and Health Services	15,300	15,400	14,500	-100	-0.7%	800	5.5%
Leisure and Hospitality	8,200	8,200	7,800	0	0.0%	400	5.1%
Other Services	2,400	2,500	2,300	-100	-4.0%	100	4.4%
Government	22,600	22,600	22,400	0	0.0%	200	0.9%

Industry Size Class

Size Class	Employees per firm	Number of Firms	June 2011		
			Employment in Size Class	% Total Employment	
9	1000+	8	21,580	24.3%	
8	500-999	10	7,698	8.7%	
7	250-499	22	7,044	7.9%	
6	100-249	83	12,278	13.8%	
5	50-99	147	10,274	11.6%	
4	20-49	420	12,549	14.1%	
3	10-19	567	7,679	8.6%	
2	5-9	853	5,693	6.4%	
1	1-4	1,936	4,107	4.6%	
0	0	271	0	0.0%	
Total			4,317	88,902	100.0%

Annual Growth Rate for Total Nonagricultural Employment



Unemployment Information (all estimates in thousands)

	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-11	99.4	92.5	6.9	6.9	12,347.3	11,454.7	892.6	7.2	153,373.0	140,681.0	12,692.0	8.3
Nov-11	99.7	92.6	7.1	7.1	12,344.3	11,423.6	920.7	7.5	153,683.0	141,070.0	12,613.0	8.2
Dec-10	95.8	88.1	7.7	8.1	12,191.5	11,215.6	975.9	8.0	153,156.0	139,159.0	13,997.0	9.1

Historical Unemployment Rates

