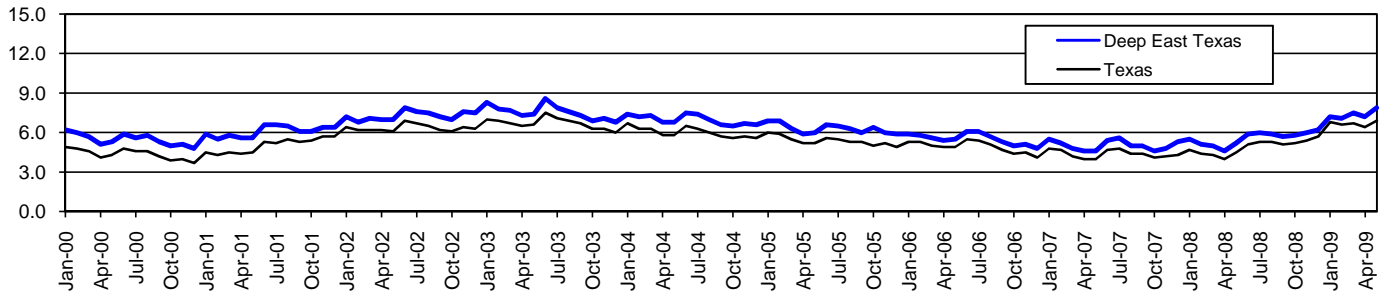


# Deep East Texas Workforce Development Area

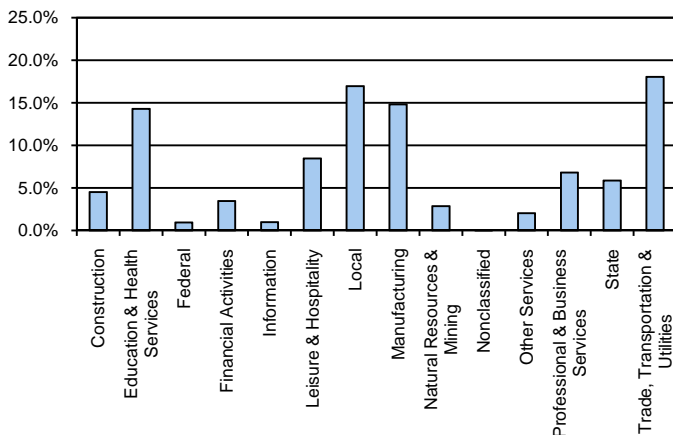
May 2009

Deep East Texas WDA					Texas				
	CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate		CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
May-09	165,201	152,168	13,033	7.9	May-09	11,920,554	11,098,518	822,036	6.9
Apr-09	163,540	151,711	11,829	7.2	Apr-09	11,873,461	11,118,947	754,514	6.4
May-08	158,106	149,931	8,175	5.2	May-08	11,639,228	11,120,162	519,066	4.5

## Historical Unemployment Rates



## Deep East Texas WDA Industry Composition 4th Quarter 2008



## Total WDA Claims

	May-09	Apr-09	May-08	OTY
Initial	1,865	1,937	1,130	735
Continued	10,921	9,960	4,585	6,336
<b>Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th</b>				
Continued	3,900	3,669	1,319	2,581

## Total State of Texas Claims

	May-09	Apr-09	May-08	OTY
Initial	115,591	118,036	63,522	52,069
Continued	1,320,400	1,186,522	445,527	874,873
<b>Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th</b>				
Continued	292,144	280,385	109,298	182,846

## Deep East Texas WDA Average Weekly Wage

	Deep East Tx	Qtr Change	Texas
4th Quarter 2008	\$653.07	50.91	\$934.10
3rd Quarter 2008	\$602.16	<b>OTY Change</b>	\$848.97
4th Quarter 2007	\$633.39	19.68	\$911.41

## NAICS Covered Employment Quarterly Data 4th Quarter 2008

SUPER SECTOR	Employment	Change	
		Quarter	Year
Construction	4,982	-91	88
Education & Health Services	15,812	127	468
Federal	1,038	-31	-41
Financial Activities	3,820	-45	18
Information	1,074	-13	-66
Leisure & Hospitality	9,357	-201	156
Local	18,806	940	-193
Manufacturing	16,403	-51	-450
Natural Resources & Mining	3,184	56	31
Nonclassified	39	-7	13
Other Services	2,258	-56	-103
Professional & Business Services	7,545	-116	-76
State	6,508	162	300
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	20,007	237	-285
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>110,833</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>-140</b>

## Size Class Employment Composition 4th Quarter 2008

