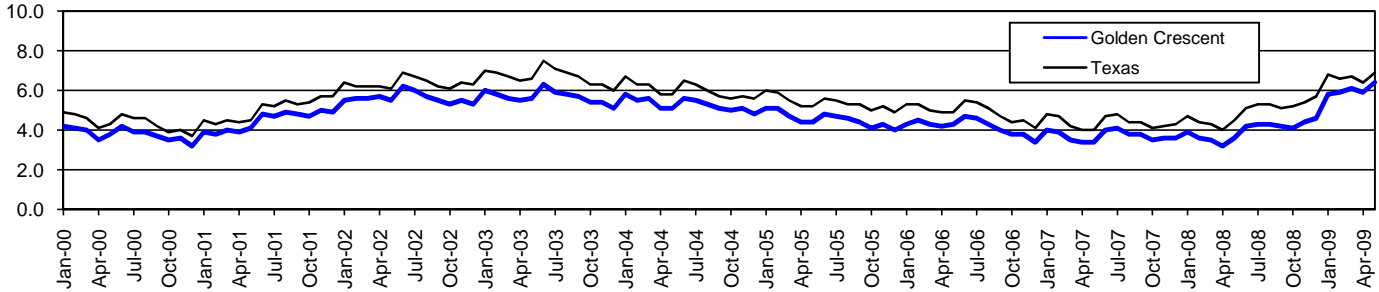


Golden Crescent Workforce Development Area

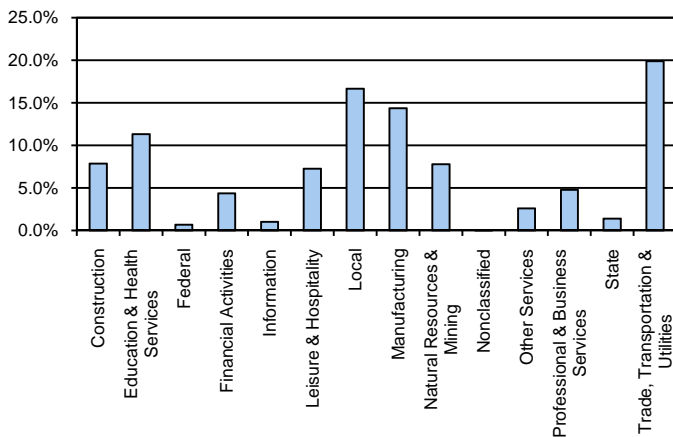
May 2009

Golden Crescent WDA					Texas				
	CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate		CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
May-09	95,377	89,226	6,151	6.4	May-09	11,920,554	11,098,518	822,036	6.9
Apr-09	95,116	89,544	5,572	5.9	Apr-09	11,873,461	11,118,947	754,514	6.4
May-08	93,276	89,891	3,385	3.6	May-08	11,639,228	11,120,162	519,066	4.5

Historical Unemployment Rates



Golden Crescent WDA Industry Composition 4th Quarter 2008



Total WDA Claims

	May-09	Apr-09	May-08	OTY
Initial	676	879	277	399
Continued	4,392	4,191	1,299	3,093
Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
Continued	1,920	1,825	382	1,538

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
Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
Continued	292,144	280,385	109,298	182,846

Golden Crescent WDA Average Weekly Wage

	Golden Crescent	Qtr Change	Texas
4th Quarter 2008	\$755.60	59.07	\$934.10
3rd Quarter 2008	\$696.53	OTY Change	\$848.97
4th Quarter 2007	\$728.24	27.36	\$911.41

NAICS Covered Employment Quarterly Data 4th Quarter 2008

SUPER SECTOR	Employment	Change	
		Quarter	Year
Construction	5,847	-89	49
Education & Health Services	8,419	-16	-41
Federal	498	-6	6
Financial Activities	3,248	19	90
Information	744	-17	-47
Leisure & Hospitality	5,397	-319	-157
Local	12,390	704	-21
Manufacturing	10,675	-25	-934
Natural Resources & Mining	5,773	38	390
Nonclassified	38	-3	20
Other Services	1,922	-70	-51
Professional & Business Services	3,557	-149	51
State	1,042	-23	62
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	14,779	54	99
TOTAL	74,329	98	-484

Size Class Employment Composition 4th Quarter 2008

