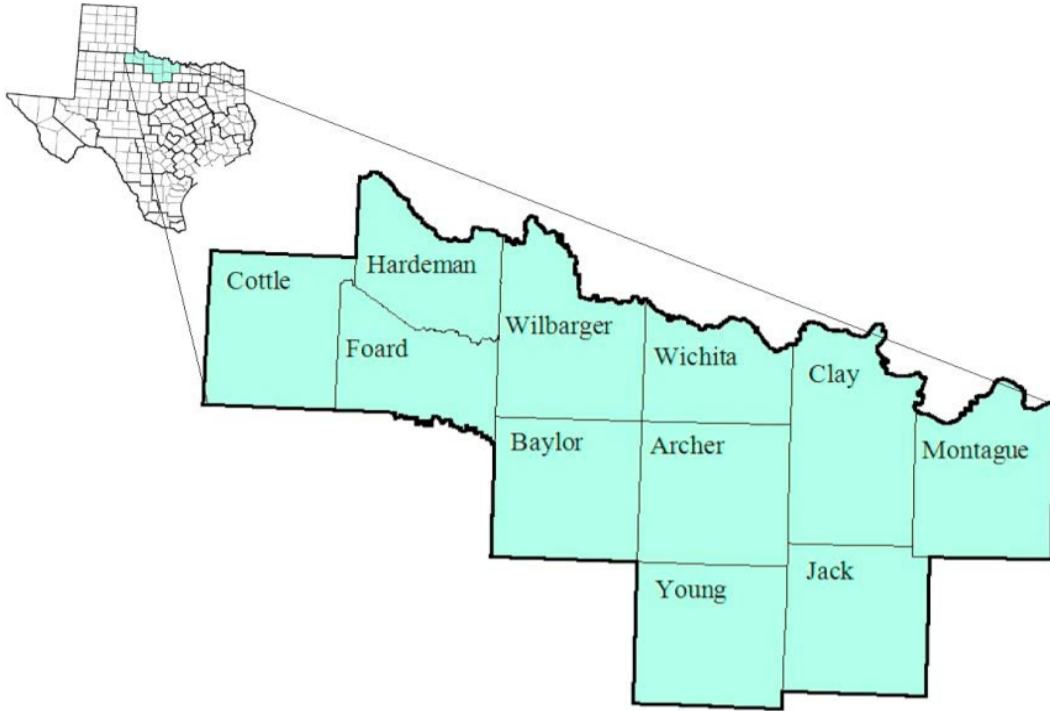


# North Texas Workforce Development Area

## January 2018



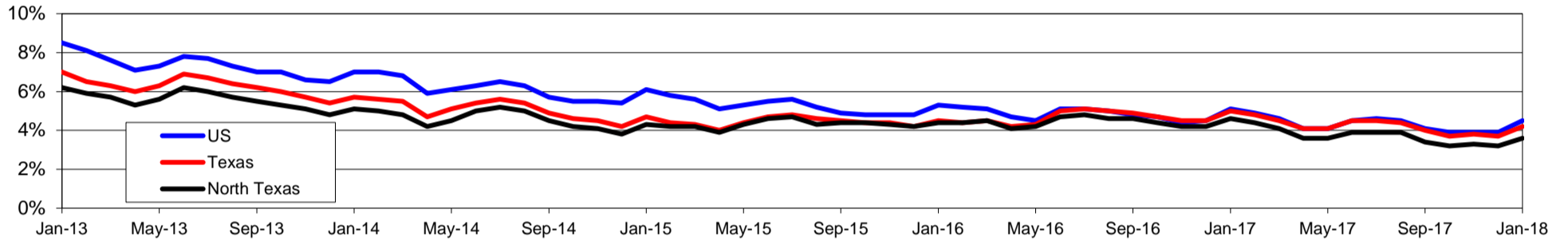
WDA Labor Force Statistics				
	Jan-18	Dec-17	Jan-17	OTY
CLF	94,926	94,803	94,611	315
Employed	91,486	91,808	90,286	1,200
Unemployed	3,440	2,995	4,325	-885
Rate	3.6%	3.2%	4.6%	-1.0%

Texas Labor Force Statistics				
	Jan-18	Dec-17	Jan-17	OTY
CLF	13,622,067	13,598,061	13,417,349	204,718
Employed	13,054,089	13,096,216	12,748,985	305,104
Unemployed	567,978	501,845	668,364	-100,386
Rate	4.2%	3.7%	5.0%	-0.8%

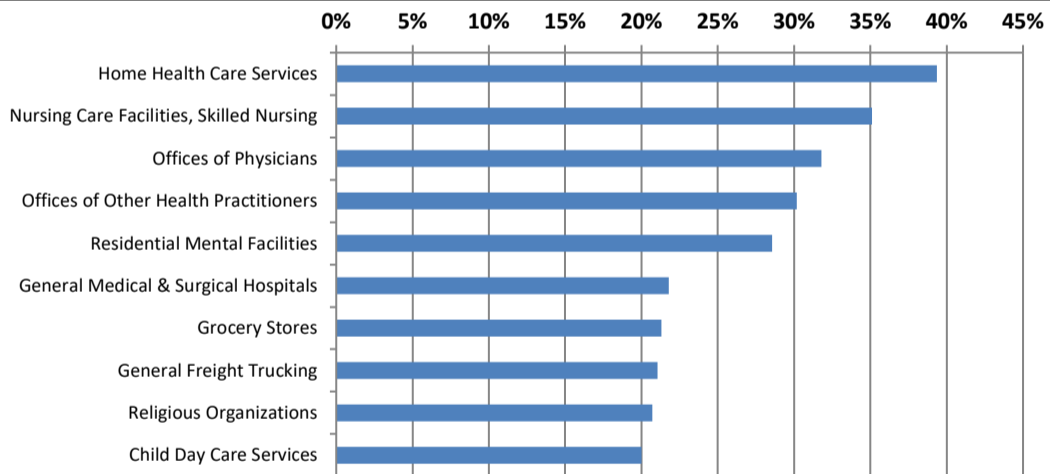
US Labor Force Statistics				
	Jan-18	Dec-17	Jan-17	OTY
CLF	160,037,000	159,880,000	158,676,000	1,361,000
Employed	152,848,000	153,602,000	150,527,000	2,321,000
Unemployed	7,189,000	6,278,000	8,149,000	-960,000
Rate	4.5%	3.9%	5.1%	-0.6%

Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th				
	Jan-18	Dec-17	Jan-17	OTY
WDA	527	471	708	-181
Texas	111,828	108,432	132,086	-20,258

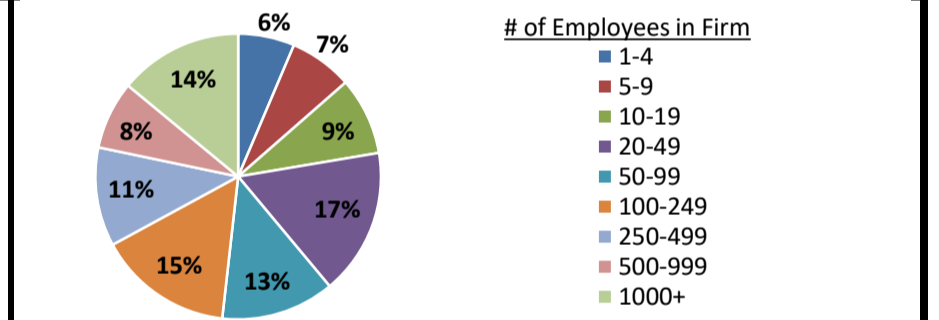
### Historical Unemployment Rates



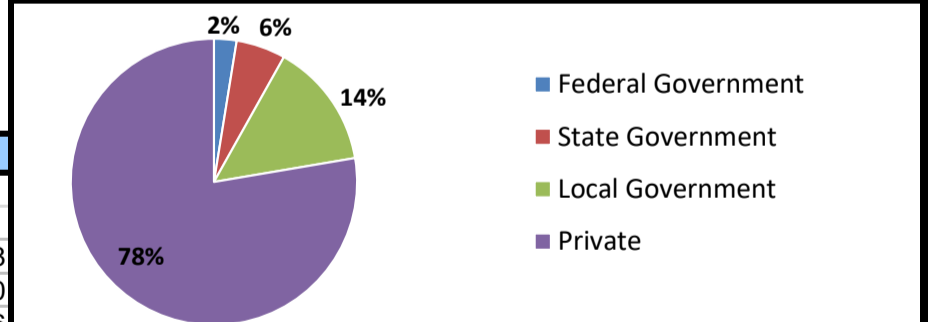
### Projected Fastest Growing Industries in WDA (% growth 2014-2024)



### Employment by Size Class (3rd Quarter 2017)



### Employment by Ownership (3rd Quarter 2017)



### Average Weekly Wage (3rd Quarter 2017)

	Q3 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2016	Change	
				Quarter	Year
WDA	\$734	\$737	\$742	-\$3	-\$8
Texas	\$1,032	\$1,027	\$1,042	\$5	-\$10
US	\$1,021	\$1,020	\$1,027	\$1	-\$6

### Employment by Industry (3rd Quarter 2017, Percent Change)

Industry	Employment	% of total	% Change	
			Quarter	Year
Natural resources and mining	3,945	4.9%	1.4%	1.5%
Construction	3,771	4.7%	7.2%	4.2%
Manufacturing	7,592	9.4%	1.8%	3.0%
Trade, transportation and utilities	15,812	19.6%	-1.2%	-2.7%
Information	904	1.1%	-0.7%	-6.3%
Financial activities	3,446	4.3%	1.1%	-2.3%
Professional and business services	5,710	7.1%	-0.6%	22.0%
Education and health services	23,593	29.2%	-3.1%	3.4%
Leisure and hospitality	8,642	10.7%	-1.8%	-3.7%
Other services	2,366	2.9%	-1.4%	-4.8%
Public administration	5,074	6.3%	0.5%	-0.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,855</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>

### Employment by Industry (3rd Quarter 2017)

