



Labor Market Information for Rio Grande Valley & Laredo Areas

Geographic Area	Apr-19			Mar-19	Apr-18		
	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed	Rate
USA	162,097,000	5,387,000	3.3%	3.9%	161,280,000	5,932,000	3.7%
Texas	14,000,988	415,823	3.0%	3.5%	13,817,292	507,416	3.7%
Workforce Solutions	382,622	20,023	5.2%	6.0%	383,444	25,797	6.7%
Hidalgo County	351,678	17,563	5.0%	5.8%	351,093	22,353	6.4%
Starr County	24,457	1,942	7.9%	9.1%	25,915	2,743	10.6%
Willacy County	6,487	518	8.0%	8.2%	6,436	701	10.9%
McAllen	67,107	2,332	3.5%	4.1%	66,835	3,102	4.6%
Mission	34,918	1,570	4.5%	5.1%	34,843	2,031	5.8%
Edinburg	42,418	1,561	3.7%	4.2%	42,027	1,828	4.3%
Pharr	31,489	1,665	5.3%	5.9%	31,599	2,255	7.1%
San Juan	15,342	832	5.4%	6.4%	15,437	1,160	7.5%
Weslaco	15,841	780	4.9%	5.9%	15,963	1,144	7.2%
Workforce Solutions Cameron	164,520	7,767	4.7%	5.5%	166,236	10,223	6.1%
Harlingen	24,295	1,047	4.3%	5.0%	24,547	1,409	5.7%
Brownsville	74,134	3,649	4.9%	5.6%	74,968	4,816	6.4%
San Benito	9,074	466	5.1%	5.8%	9,195	628	6.8%

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED FIGURES

USA	162,470,000	5,824,000	3.6%	3.8%	161,551,000	6,335,000	3.9%
Texas	14,015,300	513,200	3.7%	3.8%	13,805,600	550,200	4.0%

LAREDO AREA (not Seasonally Adjusted)

Workforce Solutions S. Texas	124,908	4,099	3.3%	3.8%	123,771	4,500	3.6%
Laredo	112,812	3,612	3.2%	3.8%	111,576	3,907	3.5%

Source: Texas Workforce Commission, Texas Labor Market Review, May 2019 issue.