



Labor Market Information for Rio Grande Valley & Laredo Areas

Geographic Area	Mar-19			Feb-19	Mar-18	
	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed
USA	162,823,000	6,382,000	3.9%	4.1%	161,548,000	6,671,000
Texas	14,059,553	494,696	3.5%	3.9%	13,818,674	556,082
Workforce Solutions	387,345	23,051	6.0%	6.9%	385,128	27,125
Hidalgo County	355,777	20,265	5.7%	6.6%	352,540	23,655
Starr County	24,902	2,240	9.0%	10.4%	25,995	2,786
Willacy County	6,666	546	8.2%	9.5%	6,593	684
McAllen	67,809	2,763	4.1%	4.6%	67,040	3,279
Mission	35,302	1,814	5.1%	5.9%	34,909	2,083
Edinburg	42,811	1,783	4.2%	4.9%	42,131	1,914
Pharr	31,821	1,873	5.9%	7.0%	31,627	2,270
San Juan	15,561	990	6.4%	7.9%	15,589	1,306
Weslaco	16,076	952	5.9%	6.6%	15,945	1,120
Workforce Solutions Cameron	166,945	9,100	5.5%	6.3%	167,777	10,679
Harlingen	24,637	1,228	5.0%	5.8%	24,788	1,489
Brownsville	75,205	4,229	5.6%	6.5%	75,616	4,976
San Benito	9,206	538	5.8%	6.8%	9,341	714

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED FIGURES

USA	162,960,000	6,211,000	3.8%	3.8%	161,646,000	6,486,000
Texas	14,010,457	526,092	3.8%	3.8%	13,788,202	556,384

LAREDO AREA (not Seasonally Adjusted)

Workforce Solutions S. Texas	125,709	4,834	3.8%	4.3%	123,737	4,960
Laredo	113,520	4,269	3.8%	4.2%	111,556	4,297

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

Rate

4.1%
4.0%

7.0%
6.7%
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