



Labor Market Information for Rio Grande Valley & Laredo Areas

Geographic Area	May-19			Apr-19	May-18		
	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed	Rate	Rate	Civilian Labor Force	Unemployed	Rate
USA	162,655,000	5,503,000	3.4%	3.3%	161,765,000	5,756,000	3.6%
Texas	13,966,869	408,694	2.9%	3.0%	13,836,477	515,248	3.7%
Workforce Solutions	381,890	20,087	5.3%	5.2%	380,178	24,741	6.5%
Hidalgo County	351,115	17,726	5.0%	5.0%	347,688	21,525	6.2%
Starr County	24,321	1,862	7.7%	7.9%	26,110	2,512	9.6%
Willacy County	6,454	499	7.7%	8.0%	6,380	704	11.0%
McAllen	66,954	2,320	3.5%	3.5%	66,816	2,994	4.5%
Mission	34,891	1,615	4.6%	4.5%	34,565	1,932	5.6%
Edinburg	42,337	1,569	3.7%	3.7%	41,045	1,830	4.5%
Pharr	31,431	1,672	5.3%	5.3%	30,741	2,060	6.7%
San Juan	15,343	864	5.6%	5.4%	15,339	1,118	7.3%
Weslaco	15,913	885	5.6%	4.9%	15,880	1,110	7.0%
Workforce Solutions Cameron	164,777	7,584	4.6%	4.7%	167,401	10,051	6.0%
Harlingen	24,375	1,062	4.4%	4.3%	24,937	1,487	6.0%
Brownsville	74,241	3,558	4.8%	4.9%	75,867	4,644	6.1%
San Benito	9,072	440	4.9%	5.1%	9,281	626	6.7%

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED FIGURES

USA	162,646,000	5,888,000	3.6%	3.6%	161,667,000	6,128,000	3.8%
Texas	14,012,700	496,400	3.5%	3.7%	13,815,700	541,600	3.9%

LAREDO AREA (not Seasonally Adjusted)

Workforce Solutions S. Texas	124,288	4,068	3.3%	3.3%	123,367	4,555	3.7%
Laredo	112,216	3,587	3.2%	3.2%	110,764	3,959	3.6%

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