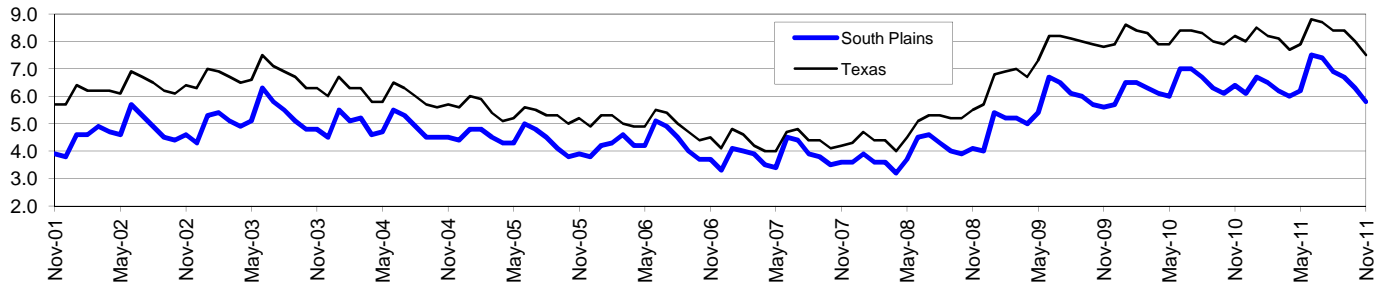


# South Plains Workforce Development Area\*

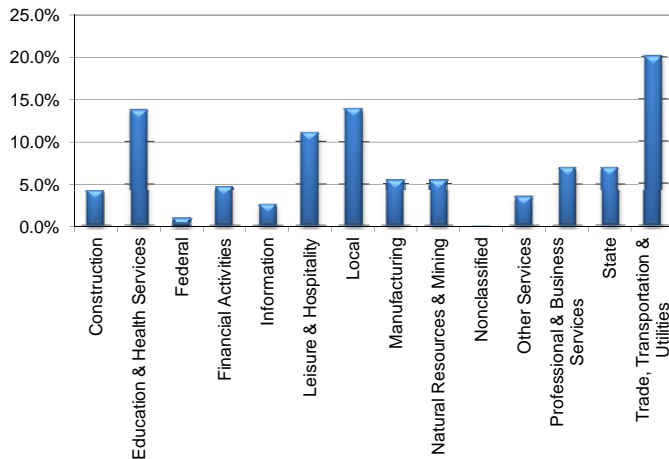
## November 2011

South Plains WDA					Texas				
	CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate		CLF	Employed	Unemployed	Rate
<b>Nov-11</b>	213,005	200,696	12,309	5.8	<b>Nov-11</b>	12,344,777	11,423,828	920,949	7.5
<b>Oct-11</b>	211,782	198,421	13,361	6.3	<b>Oct-11</b>	12,366,963	11,378,368	988,595	8.0
<b>Nov-10</b>	208,252	194,939	13,313	6.4	<b>Nov-10</b>	12,212,305	11,207,071	1,005,234	8.2

### Historical Unemployment Rates



### South Plains WDA Industry Composition 2nd Quarter 2011



### Total WDA Claims

	Nov-11	Oct-11	Nov-10	OTY
<b>Initial</b>	1,370	897	991	<b>379</b>
<b>Continued</b>	4,212	3,790	3,880	<b>332</b>
<b>Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th</b>				
<b>Continued</b>	1,347	1,396	1,449	<b>-102</b>

### Texas Unemployment Insurance Claims Filed

	Nov-11	Oct-11	Nov-10	OTY
<b>Initial</b>	86,141	85,204	85,666	<b>475</b>
<b>Continued</b>	785,704	807,989	887,513	<b>-101,809</b>
<b>Continued Claims for the Week of the 12th</b>				
<b>Continued</b>	170,215	174,199	190,017	<b>-19,802</b>

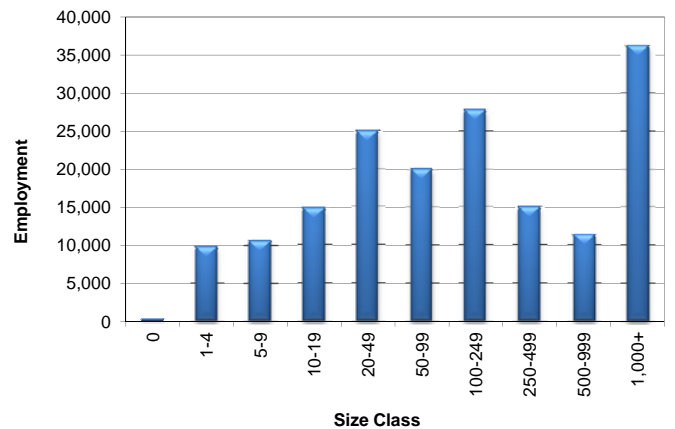
### South Plains WDA Average Weekly Wage

	South Plains	WDA Qtr. Chg.	Texas
<b>2nd Quarter 2011</b>	\$681.25	\$21.62	\$899.79
<b>1st Quarter 2011</b>	\$659.63	<b>WDA OTY Chg.</b>	\$944.37
<b>2nd Quarter 2010</b>	\$662.32	\$18.93	\$863.86

### NAICS Covered Employment Quarterly Data 2nd Quarter 2011

SUPER SECTOR	Employment	Change	
		Quarter	Year
Construction	7,288	368	155
Education & Health Services	23,551	135	594
Federal	1,679	-72	-418
Financial Activities	8,039	-42	-271
Information	4,496	-45	-180
Leisure & Hospitality	19,024	455	621
Local	23,818	-138	339
Manufacturing	9,338	184	174
Natural Resources & Mining	9,257	209	747
Nonclassified	67	3	-3
Other Services	5,955	43	-187
Professional & Business Services	11,953	227	1,202
State	12,020	-69	-68
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	34,372	349	960
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>170,857</b>	<b>1,607</b>	<b>3,665</b>

### Size Class Employment Composition 2nd Quarter 2011



\*Counties in WDA: Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry, & Yoakum