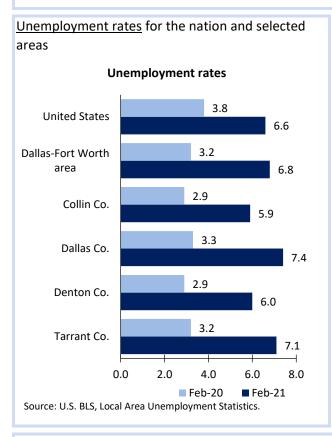
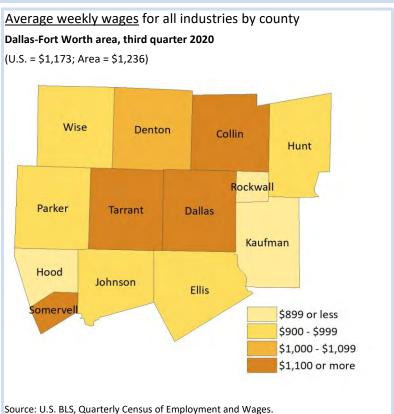
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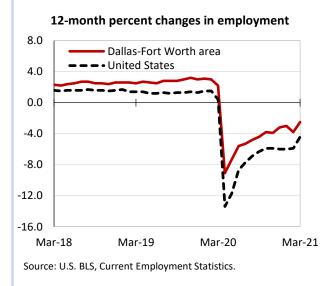
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This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm.





Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector



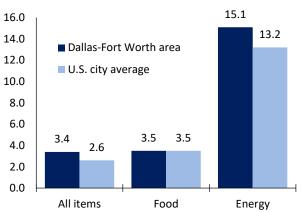
Dallas-Fort Worth area employment (number in thousands)	Mar. 2021	Change from Mar. 2020 to Mar. 2021	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	3,723.2	-96.0	-2.5
Mining, logging, and construction	218.4	-7.3	-3.2
Manufacturing	281.6	-8.5	-2.9
Trade, transportation, and utilities	809.2	9.8	1.2
Information	79.2	-3.0	-3.6
Financial activities	328.5	2.7	0.8
Professional and business services	643.1	-6.6	-1.0
Education and health services	452.5	-16.3	-3.5
Leisure and hospitality	342.5	-46.7	-12.0
Other services	115.7	-10.5	-8.3
Government	452.5	-9.6	-2.1

Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.



Over-the-year change in the <u>prices paid by urban</u> <u>consumers</u> for selected categories

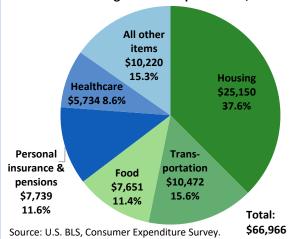
12-month percent change in CPI-U, March 2021



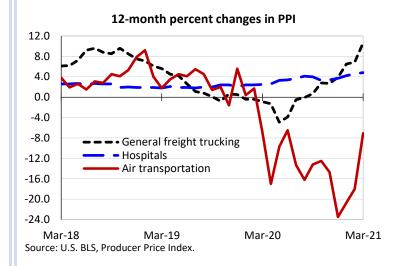
Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories

Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

Dallas area average annual expenditures, 2018-19



Over-the-year changes in the selling <u>prices received by</u> <u>producers</u> for selected industries nationwide



Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Dallas-Fort Worth area	United States
All occupations	\$27.01	\$27.07
Human resources managers	65.23	64.70
Accountants and auditors	40.31	39.26
Registered nurses	37.50	38.47
Construction laborers	17.39	20.67
Retail salespersons	14.22	14.87
Cooks, fast food	10.38	11.68
Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage S		11.00

Employer costs per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

Private industry, December 2020	West South Central (1)	United States
Total compensation	\$30.68	\$36.23
Wages and salaries	22.35	25.48
Total benefits	8.34	10.74
Paid leave	2.03	2.69
Vacation	1.02	1.38
Supplemental pay	1.25	1.25
Insurance	1.97	2.81
Retirement and savings	0.83	1.25
Legally required benefits	2.26	2.75

(1) The states that compose the West South Central census division are: AR, LA. OK. and TX.

 $Source: \hbox{U.S. BLS, Employer Costs for Employee Compensation}.$

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries



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12-month percent changes in ECI

Source: U.S. BLS, Employment Cost Index.

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