

Payroll Employment

Nonfarm Payroll Employment, Year-End		
Year	Nonfarm Payroll Employment	Change from Prior Year
2009	2,557,500	-110,500
2010	2,608,000	50,500
2011	2,690,900	82,900
2012	2,808,400	117,500
2013	2,898,400	90,000
2014	3,015,100	116,700
2015	3,012,600	-2,500
2016	3,010,200	-2,400
2017	3,064,400	54,200
2018	3,137,700	73,300
12-months ending Dec 2019	3,225,700	88,000
Source: Texas Workforce Commission, not seasonally adjusted		

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