

# SOUTHEAST TEXAS AREA LABOR FORCE DATA

Current Month

March 2023

Area	Area Type	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Unemployment Rate
Texas	State	15,118,353	14,485,853	632,500	4.2%
Beaumont-Port Arthur	MSA	170,969	160,270	10,699	6.3%
Southeast Texas	WDA	165,932	155,589	10,343	6.2%
Hardin	County	25,632	24,282	1,350	5.3%
Jefferson	County	104,402	97,522	6,880	6.6%
Orange	County	35,898	33,785	2,113	5.9%
Newton	County	5,037	4,681	356	7.1%
Beaumont	City	49,925	47,030	2,895	5.8%
Port Arthur	City	21,429	19,448	1,981	9.2%