

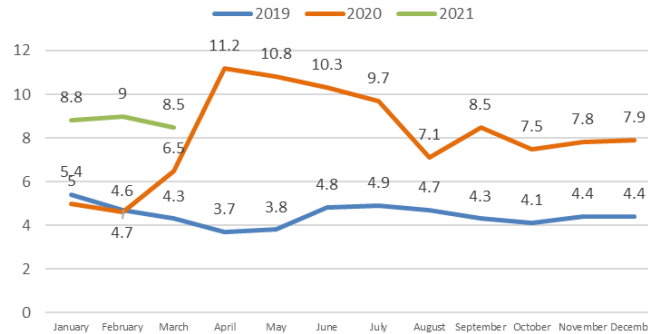
**8.5%**  
**Unemployment Rate**  
March 2021  
down .5 percentage points from Feb

**44,500**  
**Unemployment Insurance Claims**  
March 1, 2020 - March 28, 2021

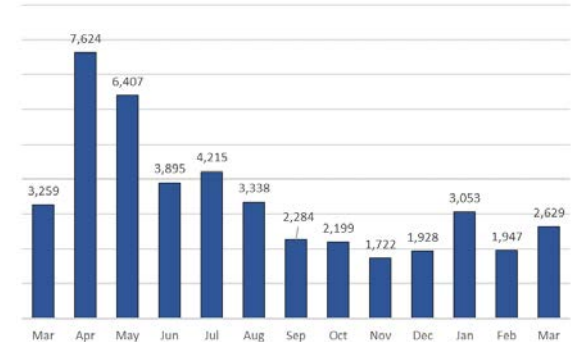
*Economic Snapshot of Deep East Texas*



Deep East Texas Unemployment Rate

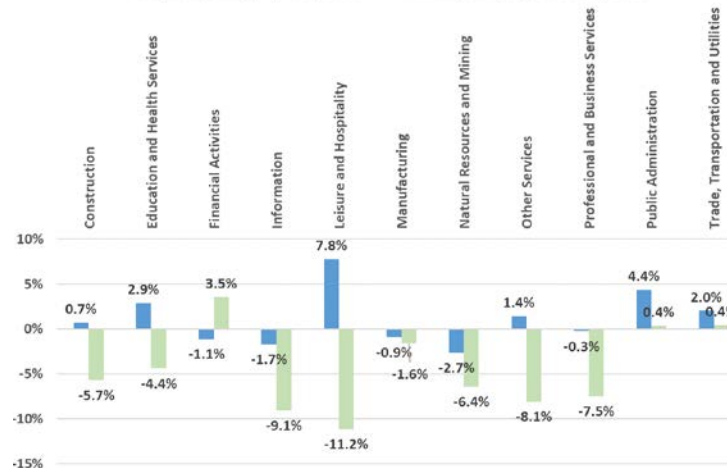


UI Claimants by Month

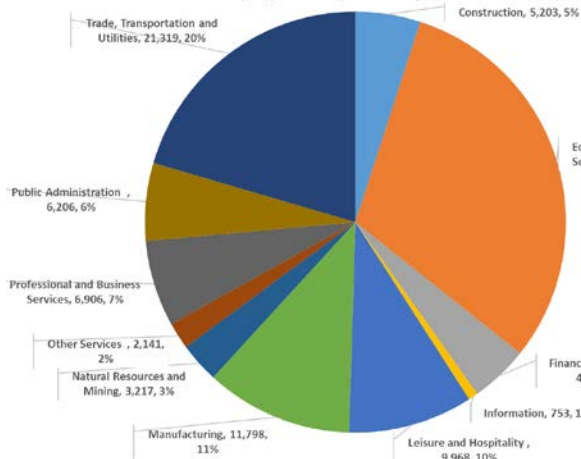


Percent Change in Employment by Industry

■ % Quarterly Change Q3 vs Q2 2020 ■ % Yearly Change Q3 2020 vs Q3 2019



Employment by Industry Q3 2020



Average Weekly Wage



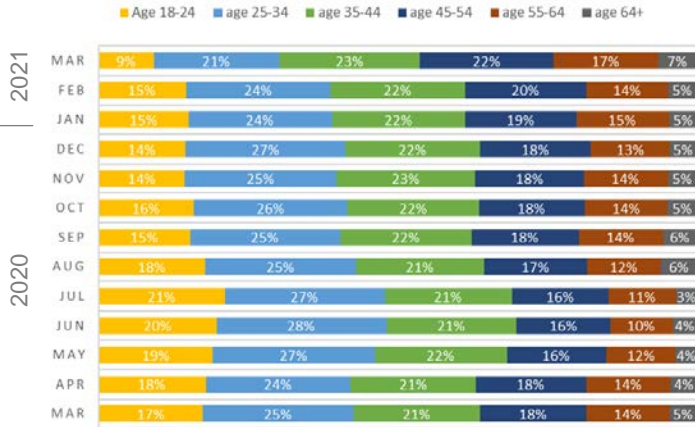
As Deep East Texas began reopening during the COVID-19 pandemic in July-September 2020, Financial Activities, Public Administration and Trade, Transportation and Utilities were the only industries to add jobs when compared to the same time period in 2019.

Education and Health Services suffered the largest number of job losses year over year (-1,471), but increased employment from the previous quarter by 891 jobs. Leisure and Hospitality followed with a year over year employment loss (-1,251) and a 719 job increase from previous quarter.

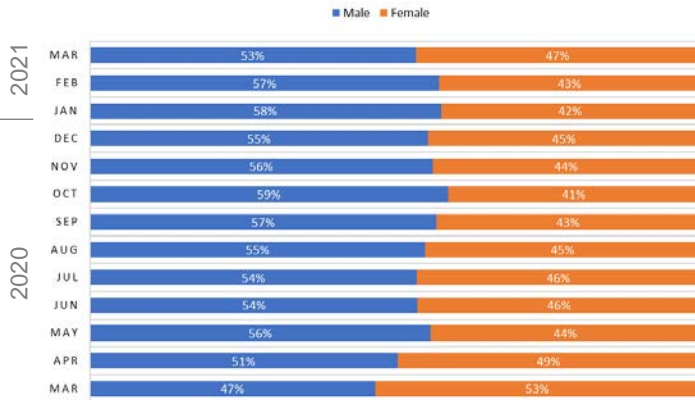
## Unemployment Insurance Claims Snapshot

March 1, 2020 – March 28, 2021

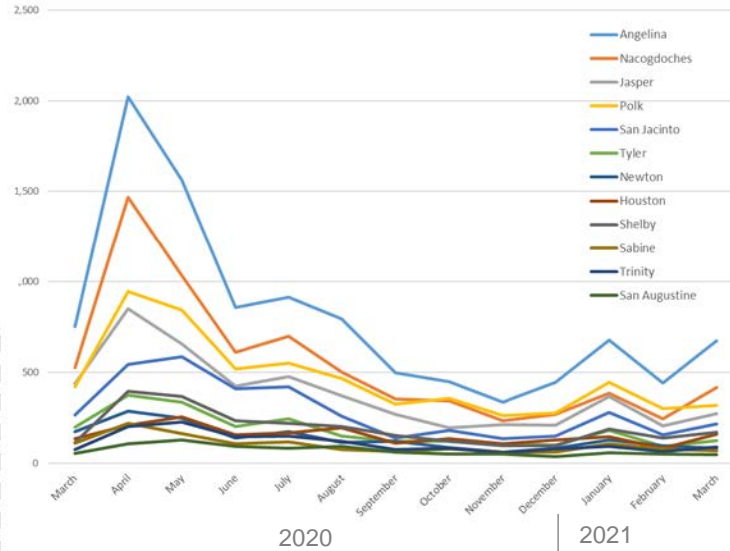
### AGE GROUPS



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### County UI Claims by Month



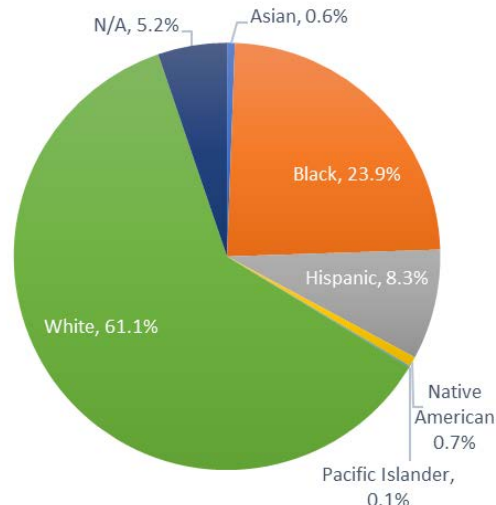
**44,500**

**Unemployment Insurance Claims**  
March 1, 2020 - March 28, 2021

### UI Claims by County

Angelina	10,423
Houston	1,982
Jasper	4,946
Nacogdoches	7,084
Newton	1,788
Polk	6,027
Sabine	1,315
San Augustine	908
San Jacinto	3,733
Shelby	2,493
Trinity	1,451
Tyler	2,350

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