REGIONAL SNAPSHOT

SOUTHEAST REGION



SOUTHEAST REGION COUNTIES:

ANGELINA HARDIN HOUSTON JASPER JEFFERSON NACOGDOCHES NEWTON ORANGE POLK SABINE SAN AUGUSTINE SAN JACINTO SHELBY TRINITY TYLER

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\$36.9 Billion

SOUTHEAST REGION GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT,

2020

ABOUT 2 PERCENT OF TEXAS' GDP OF \$1.8 TRILLION.

The 15-county Southeast region covers about 12,800 square miles, stretching from the Gulf of Mexico to Nacogdoches along the Louisiana border.

The region contains one metropolitan statistical area (MSA), the Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA. It comprises Hardin, Jefferson, Newton and Orange counties. In 2020, more than \$311 billion of goods were exported from the region's five official ports of entry.

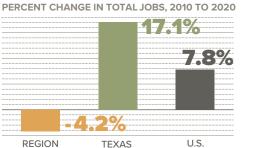
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POPULATION CHANGE

The region's population changed little between 2010 and 2020. Polk County saw the greatest percentage rise in population during this period at 10.4 percent.



DEDGENT CHANGE IN TOTAL LODG 2040 TO 2020



\$100.000

\$150,000

JOBS & WAGES

More than 280,000 people are employed in the region, with about 57 percent located in the Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA. Several of the most concentrated industries are related to manufacturing. These industries have a high location quotient or LQ (above 1.25), indicating the region may possess a competitive advantage in those industries.

TOP INDUSTRIES BY LOCATION QUOTIENT, 2020

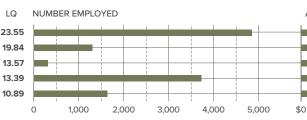
PETROLEUM AND COAL PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING 23.55 SUPPORT ACTIVITIES FOR RAIL TRANSPORTATION 19.84

- PIPELINE TRANSPORTATION OF CRUDE OIL 13.57
- BASIC CHEMICAL MANUFACTURING 13.39
- VENEER, PLYWOOD, AND ENGINEERED WOOD PRODUCT MANUFACTURING

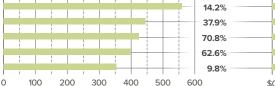
INDUSTRIES WITH LARGEST TOTAL JOBS GROWTH, 2015 TO 2020

SERVICES TO BUILDINGS AND DWELLINGS OUTPATIENT CARE CENTERS COURIERS AND EXPRESS DELIVERY SERVICES COMPUTER SYSTEMS DESIGN AND RELATED SERVICES INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY SERVICES

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PERCENT CHANGE AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGES

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AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGES

\$50.000

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Sources: JobsEQ; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages; U.S. Census Bureau; U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts 96-1779-5 (6-22)