

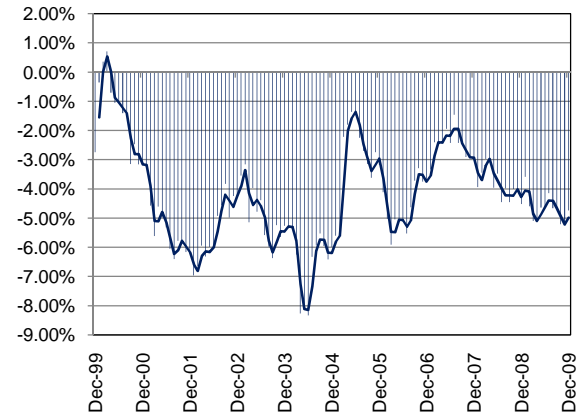
TEXAS INDUSTRY PROFILE

Plastics and Rubber Manufacturing
NAICS 326 (Private Industry Only)

Industry Description

Industries in the Plastics and Rubber Products Manufacturing subsector make goods by processing plastics materials and raw rubber. The core technology employed by establishments in this subsector is that of plastics or rubber product production. Plastics and rubber are combined in the same subsector because plastics are increasingly being used as a substitute for rubber; however the subsector is generally restricted to the production of products made of just one material, either solely plastics or rubber. Many manufacturing activities use plastics or rubber, for example, the manufacturing of footwear, or furniture. *NAICS 3391 (Medical Equipment and Supplies Manufacturing) NAICS 3399 (Other Miscellaneous Manufacturing).

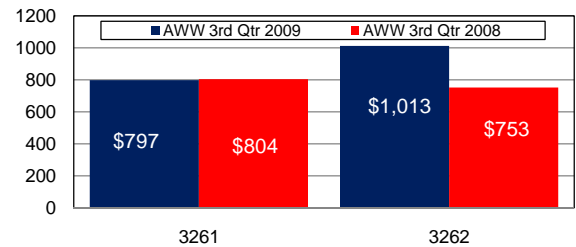
Total Nonagricultural Annual Employment Growth Rate 1999-2009



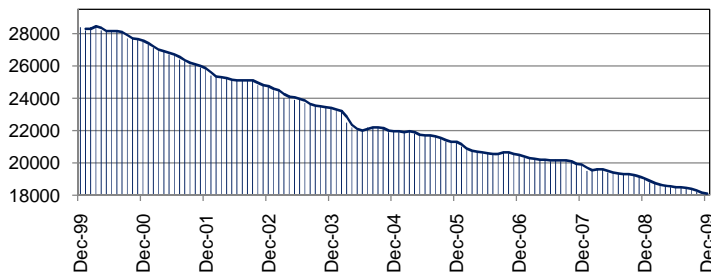
Size Class Data for Plastics and Rubber Manufacturing

Size Class	Units	Employment	% of NAICS
0-4 employees	207	507	1.7%
5-9 employees	82	560	1.8%
10-19 employees	126	1748	5.7%
20-49 employees	138	4369	14.4%
50-99 employees	89	6145	20.2%
100-249 employees	73	11320	37.2%
250-499 employees	17	5788	19.0%
500+ employees	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total	732	30437	100.0%

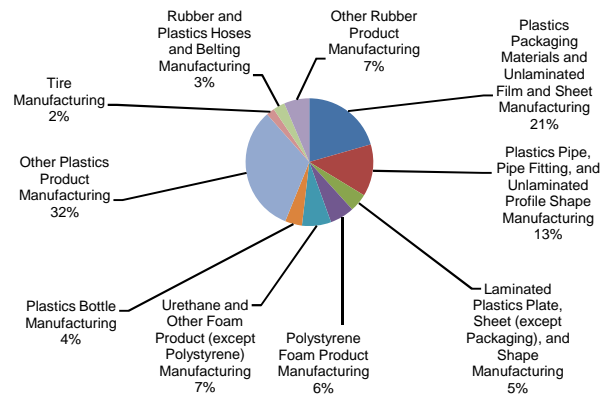
Average Weekly Wage



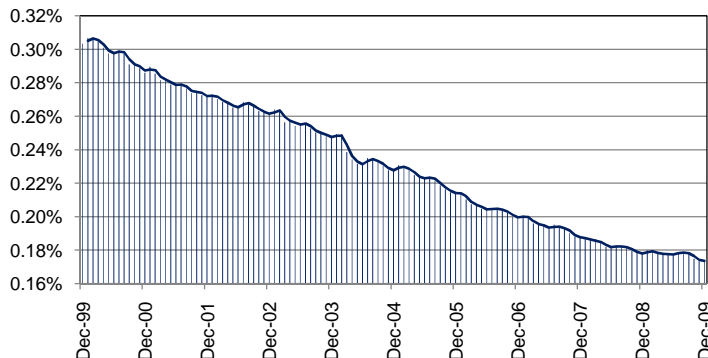
Total Nonagricultural Employment Levels for Plastics and Rubber Manufacturing



Component Breakout 3rd Quarter 2009



Percentage of Plastics and Rubber Manufacturing in TX Nonagricultural Employment



Historical Covered Employment for Plastics and Rubber Manufacturing 3rd Qtr

NAICS*	2009	2008	Numerical	Percent
3261	34181	38505	-4,324	-11.2%
3262	4455	4988	-533	-10.7%