



# Economic Overview

## Cisco, TX



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# Demographic Profile

The population in the Cisco city, TX was 3,926 per American Community Survey data for 2018-2022.

The region has a civilian labor force of 1,640 with a participation rate of 51.7%. Of individuals 25 to 64 in the Cisco city, TX, 33.0% have a bachelor's degree or higher which compares with 36.5% in the nation.

The median household income in the Cisco city, TX is \$57,138 and the median house value is \$105,500.

## Summary<sup>1</sup>

	Percent			Value		
	Cisco city, TX	Eastland County, Texas	West Central WDA	Cisco city, TX	Eastland County, Texas	West Central WDA
<b>Demographics</b>						
Population (ACS)	—	—	—	3,926	17,846	334,382
Male	50.5%	50.1%	51.3%	1,984	8,947	171,446
Female	49.5%	49.9%	48.7%	1,942	8,899	162,936
Median Age <sup>2</sup>	—	—	—	36.3	42.6	37.6
Under 18 Years	22.3%	21.4%	22.8%	877	3,824	76,287
18 to 24 Years	17.0%	10.3%	11.2%	669	1,845	37,322
25 to 34 Years	8.4%	10.2%	13.0%	331	1,823	43,562
35 to 44 Years	11.5%	10.9%	12.4%	452	1,947	41,422
45 to 54 Years	8.3%	11.2%	10.7%	325	1,991	35,776
55 to 64 Years	12.9%	14.0%	12.1%	505	2,506	40,609
65 to 74 Years	9.7%	12.8%	10.2%	382	2,281	34,253
75 Years and Over	9.8%	9.1%	7.5%	385	1,629	25,151
Race: White	79.9%	82.5%	73.2%	3,138	14,719	244,670
Race: Black or African American	1.8%	2.3%	5.6%	70	405	18,803
Race: American Indian and Alaska Native	0.3%	0.6%	0.5%	10	102	1,579
Race: Asian	0.8%	0.4%	1.3%	33	67	4,273
Race: Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0	5	274
Race: Some Other Race	2.9%	1.3%	5.4%	115	233	18,101
Race: Two or More Races	14.3%	13.0%	14.0%	560	2,315	46,682
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	20.9%	16.9%	25.6%	821	3,013	85,698
<b>Economic</b>						
Labor Force Participation Rate and Size (civilian population 16 years and over)	51.7%	56.8%	58.8%	1,640	8,161	153,750
Prime-Age Labor Force Participation Rate and Size (civilian population 25-54)	79.2%	77.5%	76.8%	877	4,467	90,371
Work from Home	4.4%	6.0%	6.4%	67	455	9,693
Armed Forces Labor Force	0.4%	0.1%	2.0%	13	13	5,218
Veterans, Age 18-64	1.9%	5.4%	5.5%	44	544	10,700
Veterans Labor Force Participation Rate and Size, Age 18-64	52.3%	75.4%	71.9%	23	410	7,689
Median Household Income <sup>2</sup>	—	—	—	\$57,138	\$51,741	\$61,600
Per Capita Income	—	—	—	\$24,812	\$31,650	\$31,951
Mean Commute Time (minutes)	—	—	—	27.8	24.8	19.5
Commute via Public Transportation	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	0	11	478
<b>Educational Attainment, Age 25-64</b>						
No High School Diploma	15.7%	13.9%	10.9%	254	1,147	17,640
High School Graduate	24.8%	32.6%	33.2%	400	2,694	53,635
Some College, No Degree	18.5%	22.8%	23.4%	298	1,884	37,753
Associate's Degree	7.9%	7.3%	9.5%	128	605	15,319
Bachelor's Degree	23.9%	17.5%	15.9%	386	1,447	25,705
Postgraduate Degree	9.1%	5.9%	7.0%	147	490	11,317

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	Cisco city, TX	Eastland County, Texas	West Central WDA	Cisco city, TX	Eastland County, Texas	West Central WDA
<b>Housing</b>						
Total Housing Units	—	—	—	1,589	9,391	153,540
Median House Value (of owner-occupied units) <sup>2,5</sup>	—	—	—	\$105,500	\$121,700	\$145,129
Homeowner Vacancy	0.0%	2.5%	1.5%	0	130	1,341
Rental Vacancy	0.0%	4.0%	4.4%	0	87	1,861
Renter-Occupied Housing Units (% of Occupied Units)	34.2%	28.9%	31.7%	484	2,069	39,895
Owner-Occupied Housing Units (% of Occupied Units)	65.8%	71.1%	68.3%	932	5,099	85,937
Occupied Housing Units with No Vehicle Available (% of Occupied Units)	2.4%	6.3%	4.8%	34	453	6,033
<b>Social</b>						
Poverty Level (of all people)	2.1%	14.6%	13.4%	75	2,485	42,183
Households Receiving Food Stamps/SNAP	12.4%	12.8%	11.4%	175	918	14,403
Enrolled in Grade 12 (% of total population)	2.8%	1.1%	1.6%	110	205	5,395
Disconnected Youth <sup>3</sup>	0.0%	3.1%	4.4%	0	28	853
Children in Single Parent Families (% of all children)	12.8%	25.5%	34.4%	108	863	24,152
Uninsured	15.3%	15.9%	16.2%	592	2,794	50,974
With a Disability, Age 18-64	9.6%	16.2%	14.0%	218	1,619	25,471
With a Disability, Age 18-64, Labor Force Participation Rate and Size	0.0%	41.9%	48.5%	0	679	12,343
Foreign Born	2.6%	5.0%	5.5%	101	892	18,455
Speak English Less Than Very Well (population 5 yrs and over)	3.3%	4.5%	4.0%	122	752	12,699

Source: [JobsEQ®](#)

1. American Community Survey 2019-2023, unless noted otherwise

2. Median values for certain aggregate regions (such as MSAs) may be estimated as the weighted averages of the median values from the composing counties.

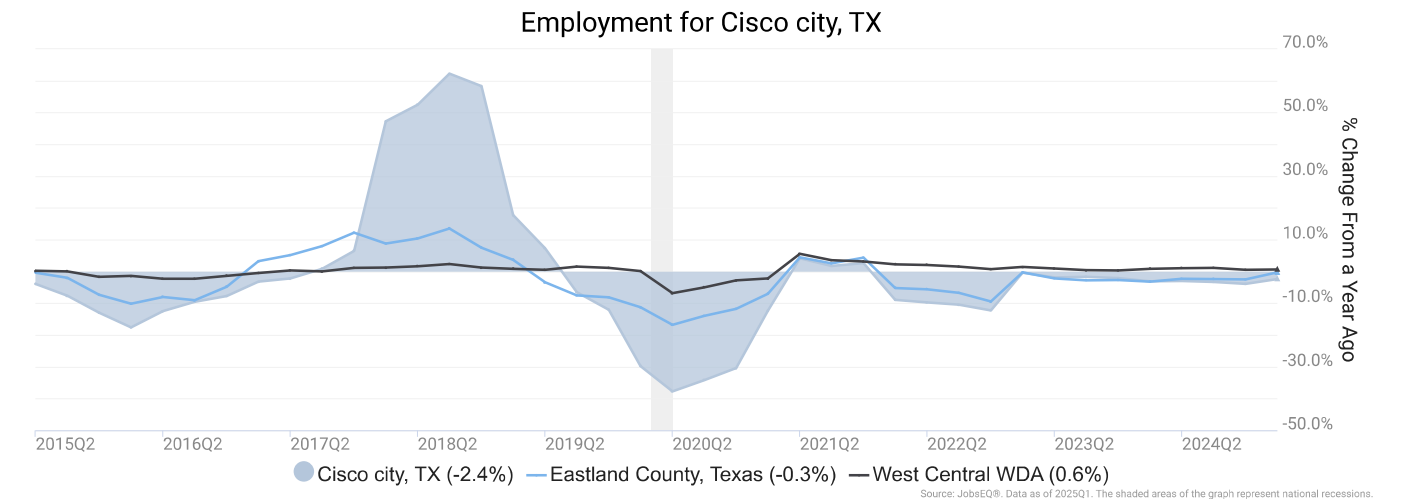
3. Disconnected Youth are 16-19 year olds who are (1) not in school, (2) not high school graduates, and (3) either unemployed or not in the labor force.

4. Census Population Estimate for 2023, annual average growth rate since 2013.

5. The Census's method for calculating median house values changed with the 2022 data set, so pre-2022 values are not directly comparable with later data.

# Employment Trends

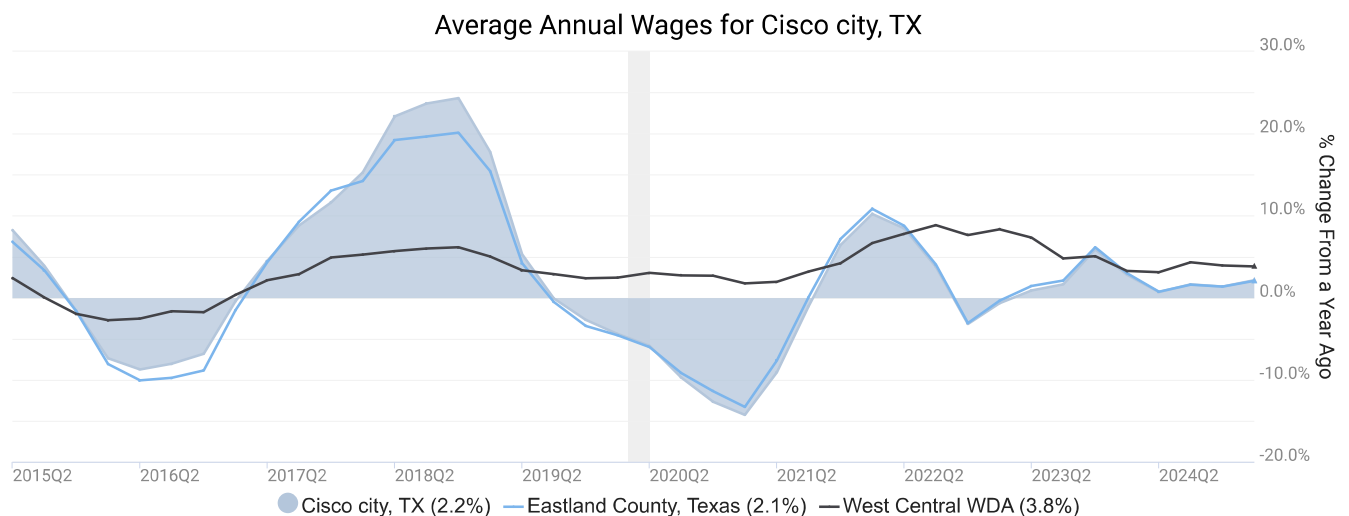
As of 2025Q1, total employment for the Cisco city, TX was 1,266 (based on a four-quarter moving average). Over the year ending 2025Q1, employment declined 2.4% in the region.



Employment data are derived from the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics and imputed where necessary. Data are updated through 2024Q4 with preliminary estimates updated to 2025Q1.

# Wage Trends

The average worker in the Cisco city, TX earned annual wages of \$49,661 as of 2025Q1. Average annual wages per worker increased 2.2% in the region over the preceding four quarters. For comparison purposes, annual average wages were \$74,181 in the nation as of 2025Q1.



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# Cost of Living Index

The Cost of Living Index estimates the relative price levels for consumer goods and services. When applied to wages and salaries, the result is a measure of relative purchasing power. The cost of living is 14.5% lower in Cisco city, TX than the U.S. average.

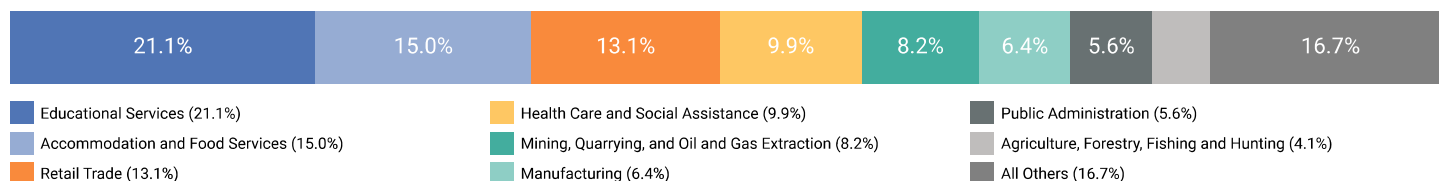
Cost of Living Information			
	Annual Average Salary	Cost of Living Index (Base US)	US Purchasing Power
Cisco city, TX	\$49,661	85.5	\$58,067
Eastland County, Texas	\$47,976	85.5	\$56,097
West Central WDA	\$52,840	87.6	\$60,291
USA	\$74,181	100.0	\$74,181

Source: [JobsEQ®](#)  
Data as of 2025Q1  
Cost of Living per [COLI](#) data as of 2025Q1, imputed by Chmura where necessary.

# Industry Snapshot

The largest sector in the Cisco city, TX is Educational Services, employing 268 workers. The next-largest sectors in the region are Accommodation and Food Services (190 workers) and Retail Trade (165). High location quotients (LQs) indicate sectors in which a region has high concentrations of employment compared to the national average. The sectors with the largest LQs in the region are Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction (LQ = 22.64), Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting (3.36), and Utilities (3.26).

Total Workers for Cisco city, TX by Industry



Source: JobsEQ®  
Data as of 2025Q1  
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Sectors in the Cisco city, TX with the highest average wages per worker are Management of Companies and Enterprises (\$143,519), Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction (\$108,202), and Utilities (\$98,267). Regional sectors with the best job growth (or most moderate job losses) over the last 5 years are Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting (+21 jobs), Retail Trade (+10), and Public Administration (+10).

Over the next 1 year, employment in the Cisco city, TX is projected to expand by 2 jobs. The fastest growing sector in the region is expected to be Utilities with a +1.6% year-over-year rate of growth. The strongest forecast by number of jobs over this period is expected for Educational Services (+1 jobs), Health Care and Social Assistance (+1), and Accommodation and Food Services (0).



### Cisco city, TX, 2025Q1<sup>1</sup>

NAICS	Industry	Current			5-Year History		1-Year Forecast				
		Empl	Avg Ann Wages	LQ	Empl Change	Ann %	Total Demand	Exits	Transfers	Empl Growth	Ann % Growth
61	Educational Services	268	\$42,056	2.61	-43	-3.0%	26	11	14	1	0.5%
72	Accommodation and Food Services	190	\$19,976	1.73	-9	-0.9%	34	14	19	0	0.2%
44	Retail Trade	165	\$34,976	1.35	10	1.3%	21	9	13	-1	-0.7%
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	125	\$30,937	0.65	-86	-9.9%	13	6	7	1	0.5%
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	103	\$108,202	22.64	-712	-33.8%	10	3	6	0	0.2%
31	Manufacturing	81	\$62,842	0.81	3	0.8%	8	3	5	0	0.2%
92	Public Administration	71	\$51,702	1.18	10	2.9%	6	3	4	0	0.0%
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	51	\$17,238	3.36	21	10.8%	6	3	3	0	-0.7%
54	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	48	\$52,556	0.52	-10	-3.7%	4	1	2	0	0.2%
23	Construction	38	\$52,995	0.50	4	2.2%	3	1	2	0	0.3%
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	37	\$31,601	0.68	3	1.9%	4	2	2	0	0.1%
52	Finance and Insurance	22	\$60,380	0.45	3	2.5%	2	1	1	0	0.3%
22	Utilities	21	\$98,267	3.26	7	7.6%	2	1	1	0	1.6%
48	Transportation and Warehousing	21	\$93,330	0.33	-6	-4.8%	2	1	1	0	0.2%
42	Wholesale Trade	10	\$82,642	0.21	1	2.5%	1	0	1	0	-0.1%
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	6	\$61,353	0.28	-3	-7.3%	1	0	0	0	0.1%
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	3	\$33,614	0.12	-1	-3.1%	0	0	0	0	0.7%
51	Information	2	\$69,358	0.07	-6	-25.9%	0	0	0	0	-0.7%
56	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	2	\$29,680	0.02	0	-3.0%	0	0	0	0	-0.2%
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises	1	\$143,519	0.03	1	n/a	0	0	0	0	0.5%
99	Unclassified	1	\$51,488	0.67	-1	-10.4%	0	0	0	0	0.0%
<b>Total - All Industries</b>		<b>1,266</b>	<b>\$49,661</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>-814</b>	<b>-9.5%</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.2%</b>

Source: [JobsEQ®](#)

Data as of 2025Q1

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1. All data based upon a four-quarter moving average

Exits and transfers are approximate estimates based upon occupation separation rates.

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# Occupation Snapshot

The largest major occupation group in the Cisco city, TX is Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations, employing 182 workers. The next-largest occupation groups in the region are Educational Instruction and Library Occupations (171 workers) and Management Occupations (134). High location quotients (LQs) indicate occupation groups in which a region has high concentrations of employment compared to the national average. The major groups with the largest LQs in the region are Educational Instruction and Library Occupations (LQ = 2.49), Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations (1.74), and Management Occupations (1.33).

Occupation groups in the Cisco city, TX with the highest average wages per worker are Legal Occupations (\$93,800), Management Occupations (\$88,600), and Architecture and Engineering Occupations (\$88,400). The unemployment rate in the region varied among the major groups from 3.2% among Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations to 17.0% among Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations.

Over the next 1 year, the fastest growing occupation group in the Cisco city, TX is expected to be Healthcare Support Occupations with a +0.9% year-over-year rate of growth. The strongest forecast by number of jobs over this period is expected for Educational Instruction and Library Occupations (+1 jobs) and Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations (0). Over the same period, the highest separation demand (occupation demand due to retirements and workers moving from one occupation to another) is expected in Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations (35 jobs) and Sales and Related Occupations (16).

## Cisco city, TX, 2025Q1<sup>1</sup>

SOC	Occupation	Current				5-Year History				1-Year Forecast				
		Empl	Mean Ann Wages <sup>2</sup>	LQ	Unempl	Unempl Rate	Online Job Ads	Empl Change	Ann %	Total Demand	Exits	Transfers	Empl Growth	Ann % Growth
35-0000	Food Preparation and Serving Related	182	\$27,400	1.74	18	12.9%	n/a	-9	-1.0%	35	15	20	0	0.2%
25-0000	Educational Instruction and Library	171	\$51,500	2.49	9	5.6%	n/a	-22	-2.4%	16	7	8	1	0.6%
11-0000	Management	134	\$88,600	1.33	6	3.4%	n/a	-43	-5.4%	11	5	6	0	0.1%
41-0000	Sales and Related	111	\$38,300	1.01	15	11.7%	n/a	-11	-1.8%	15	7	9	-1	-0.9%
43-0000	Office and Administrative Support	103	\$41,700	0.72	11	6.6%	n/a	-83	-11.1%	11	5	6	-1	-0.6%
53-0000	Transportation and Material Moving	79	\$41,500	0.73	11	12.2%	n/a	-93	-14.4%	11	4	6	0	0.3%
47-0000	Construction and Extraction	71	\$48,000	1.26	9	10.6%	n/a	-267	-26.8%	7	2	4	0	0.3%
51-0000	Production	66	\$44,000	0.97	7	10.6%	n/a	-54	-11.3%	7	3	5	0	0.0%
13-0000	Business and Financial Operations	48	\$72,100	0.59	4	6.1%	n/a	-23	-7.5%	4	1	3	0	0.4%
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	47	\$52,200	0.97	5	6.8%	n/a	-65	-15.8%	5	2	2	0	0.8%
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical	42	\$86,200	0.55	3	3.2%	n/a	-20	-7.5%	3	1	1	0	0.7%
31-0000	Healthcare Support	42	\$30,800	0.70	5	7.2%	n/a	-58	-15.8%	6	3	3	0	0.9%
33-0000	Protective Service	34	\$53,600	1.21	2	5.2%	n/a	2	1.4%	3	1	2	0	0.0%
37-0000	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	28	\$32,300	0.68	4	11.0%	n/a	0	0.0%	4	2	2	0	0.2%
21-0000	Community and Social Service	22	\$54,900	0.92	1	4.6%	n/a	-2	-1.9%	2	1	1	0	0.4%
39-0000	Personal Care and Service	21	\$31,200	0.65	5	12.6%	n/a	0	-0.2%	4	1	2	0	0.2%
15-0000	Computer and Mathematical	14	\$86,100	0.35	2	6.2%	n/a	-12	-11.2%	1	0	1	0	0.3%

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17-0000	Architecture and Engineering	13	\$88,400	0.64	1	6.2%	n/a	-31	-22.0%	1	0	1	0	0.5%
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media	12	\$55,600	0.53	1	7.5%	n/a	-3	-4.4%	1	0	1	0	0.2%
23-0000	Legal	10	\$93,800	0.93	0	n/a	n/a	-7	-10.6%	1	0	0	0	0.1%
19-0000	Life, Physical, and Social Science	8	\$68,600	0.72	1	7.4%	n/a	-18	-20.6%	1	0	1	0	0.5%
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	7	\$35,700	1.02	4	17.0%	n/a	5	25.2%	1	0	1	0	-0.6%
<b>Total - All Occupations</b>		<b>1,266</b>	<b>\$53,100</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>-814</b>	<b>-9.5%</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.2%</b>

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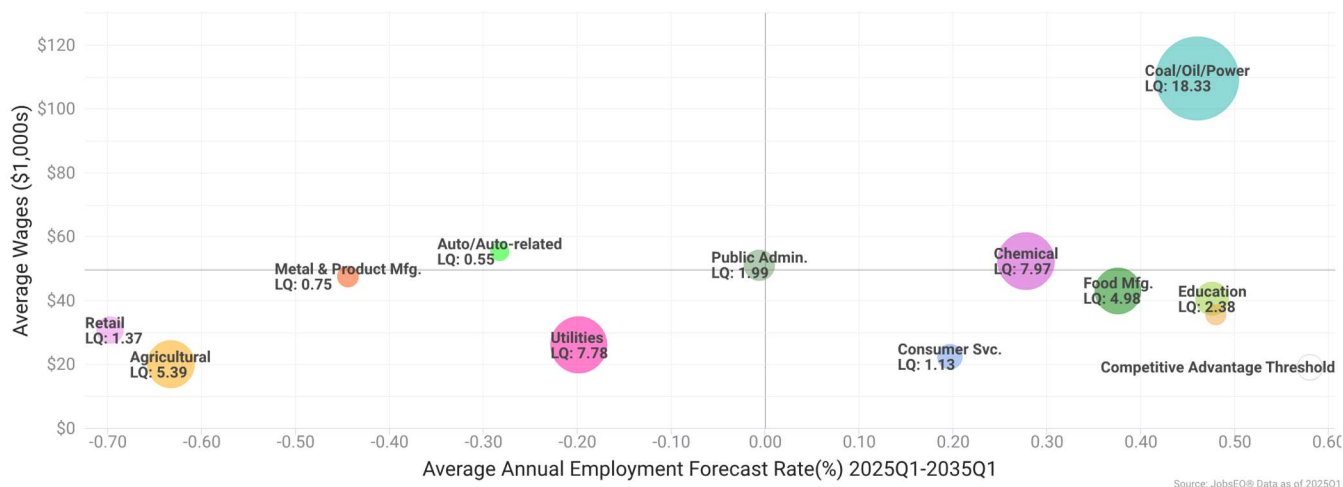
2. Wage data represent the average for all Covered Employment

Occupation employment data are estimated via industry employment data and the estimated industry/occupation mix. Industry employment data are derived from the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics and currently updated through 2024Q4, imputed where necessary with preliminary estimates updated to 2025Q1. Wages by occupation are as of 2025 provided by the BLS and imputed where necessary. Forecast employment growth uses national projections from the Bureau of Labor Statistics adapted for regional growth patterns.

# Industry Clusters

A cluster is a geographic concentration of interrelated industries or occupations. The industry cluster in the Cisco city, TX with the highest relative concentration is Coal/Oil/Power with a location quotient of 18.33. This cluster employs 130 workers in the region with an average wage of \$109,594. Employment in the Coal/Oil/Power cluster is projected to expand in the region about 0.5% per year over the next ten years.

Industry Clusters for Cisco city, TX as of 2025Q1

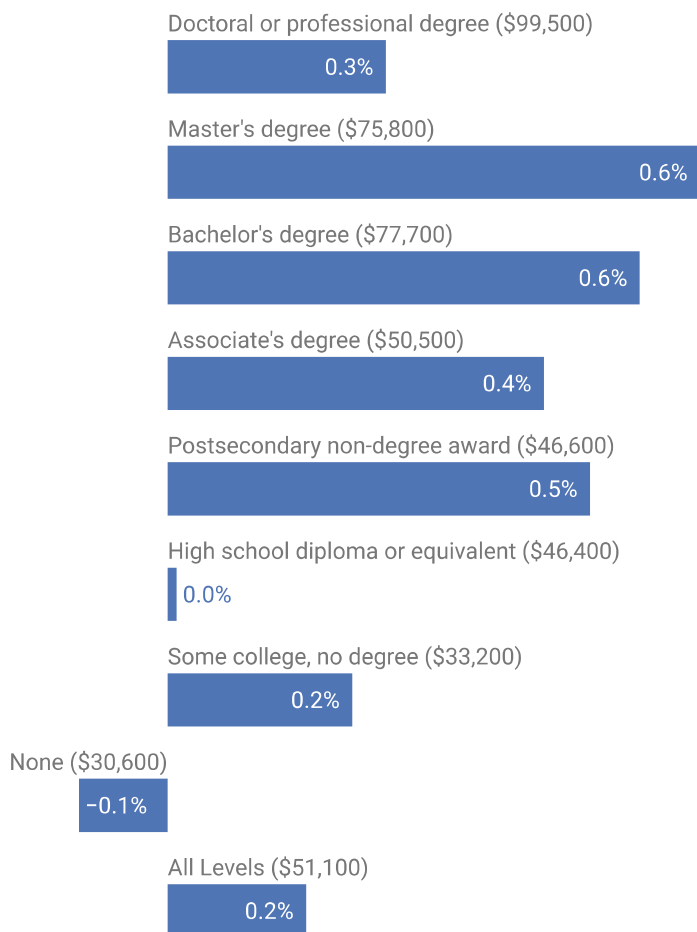


Location quotient and average wage data are derived from the Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages, provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, imputed where necessary, and updated through 2024Q4 with preliminary estimates updated to 2025Q1. Forecast employment growth uses national projections from the Bureau of Labor Statistics adapted for regional growth patterns.

# Education Levels

Expected growth rates for occupations vary by the education and training required. While all employment in the Cisco city, TX is projected to grow 0.2% over the next ten years, occupations typically requiring a postgraduate degree are expected to grow 0.3% per year, those requiring a bachelor's degree are forecast to grow 0.6% per year, and occupations typically needing a 2-year degree or certificate are expected to grow 0.4% per year.

## Annual Average Projected Job Growth by Education Levels



Source: JobsEQ®  
Data as of 2025Q1

Employment by occupation data are estimates as of 2025Q1. Education levels of occupations are based on BLS assignments. Forecast employment growth uses national projections from the Bureau of Labor Statistics adapted for regional growth patterns.

# Cisco, TX Regional Map



# Region Definition

West Central WDA is defined as the following counties:

Brown County, Texas
Callahan County, Texas
Coleman County, Texas
Comanche County, Texas
Eastland County, Texas
Fisher County, Texas
Haskell County, Texas
Jones County, Texas
Kent County, Texas
Knox County, Texas

Mitchell County, Texas
Nolan County, Texas
Runnels County, Texas
Scurry County, Texas
Shackelford County, Texas
Stephens County, Texas
Stonewall County, Texas
Taylor County, Texas
Throckmorton County, Texas

# FAQ

## What is a location quotient?

A location quotient (LQ) is a measurement of concentration in comparison to the nation. An LQ of 1.00 indicates a region has the same concentration of an industry (or occupation) as the nation. An LQ of 2.00 would mean the region has twice the expected employment compared to the nation and an LQ of 0.50 would mean the region has half the expected employment in comparison to the nation.

## What is separation demand?

Separation demand is the number of jobs required due to separations—labor force exits (including retirements) and turnover resulting from workers moving from one occupation into another. Note that separation demand does not include all turnover—it does not include when workers stay in the same occupation but switch employers. The total projected demand for an occupation is the sum of the separation demand and the growth demand (which is the increase or decrease of jobs in an occupation expected due to expansion or contraction of the overall number of jobs in that occupation).

## What is a cluster?

A cluster is a geographic concentration of interrelated industries or occupations. If a regional cluster has a location quotient of 1.25 or greater, the region is considered to possess a competitive advantage in that cluster.

## What is the difference between industry wages and occupation wages?

Industry wages and occupation wages are estimated via separate data sets, often the time periods being reported do not align, and wages are defined slightly differently in the two systems (for example, certain bonuses are included in the industry wages but not the occupation wages). It is therefore common that estimates of the average industry wages and average occupation wages in a region do not match exactly.

## What is NAICS?

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) is used to classify business establishments according to the type of economic activity. The NAICS Code comprises six levels, from the “all industry” level to the 6-digit level. The first two digits define the top level category, known as the “sector,” which is the level examined in this report.

## What is SOC?

The Standard Occupational Classification system (SOC) is used to classify workers into occupational categories. All workers are classified into one of over 804 occupations according to their occupational definition. To facilitate classification, occupations are combined to form 22 major groups, 95 minor groups, and 452 occupation groups. Each occupation group includes detailed occupations requiring similar job duties, skills, education, or experience.

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