



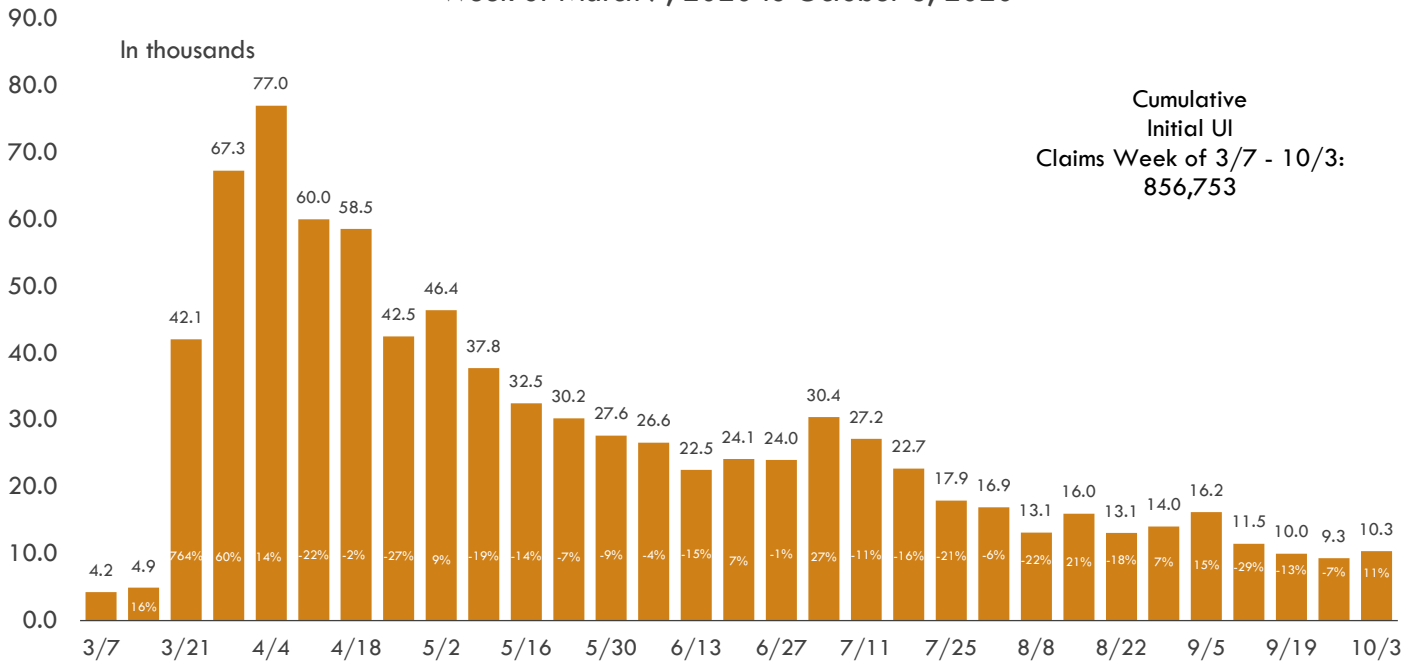
COVID-19-Related Labor Market Information

Updated: October 16, 2020

Workforce Solutions is an affiliate of the Gulf Coast Workforce Board, which manages a regional system that helps employers solve their workforce problems and residents build careers so both can compete in the global economy. The workforce system serves the City of Houston and the surrounding 13 Texas Gulf Coast counties including: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, and Wharton

Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance

13-County Gulf Coast Region Initial Weekly Claims
Week of March 7, 2020 to October 3, 2020

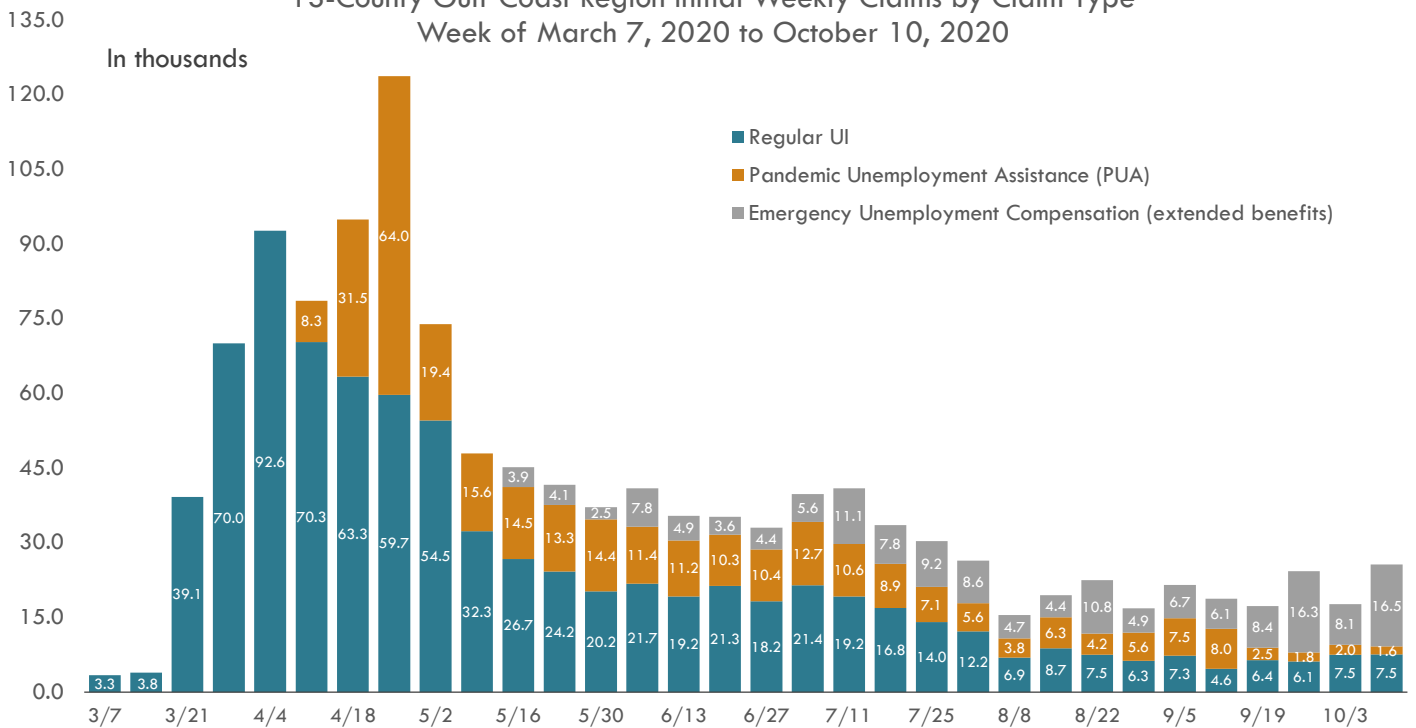


Source: Texas Workforce Commission

Note: Data shown does not include initial filings under Pandemic/Disaster Unemployment Assistance (PUA/DUA).



13-County Gulf Coast Region Initial Weekly Claims by Claim Type
Week of March 7, 2020 to October 10, 2020

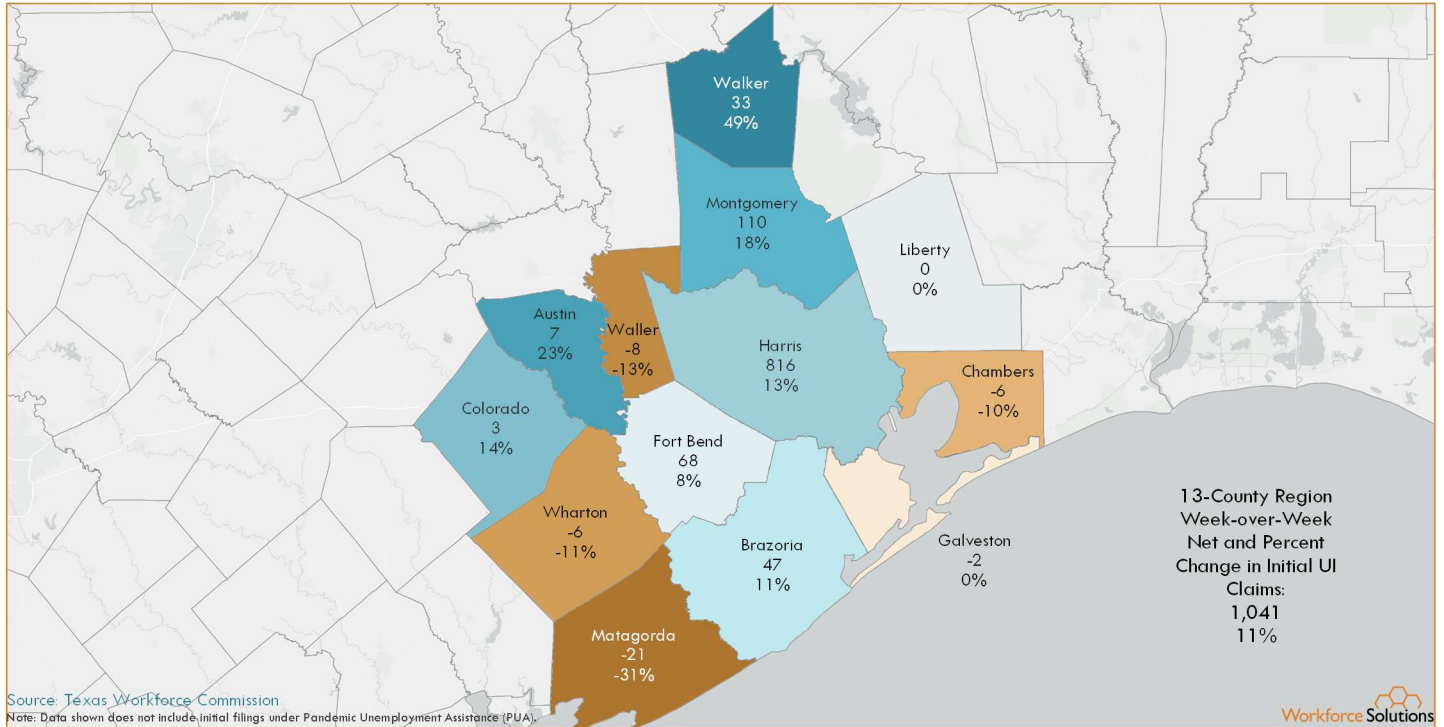


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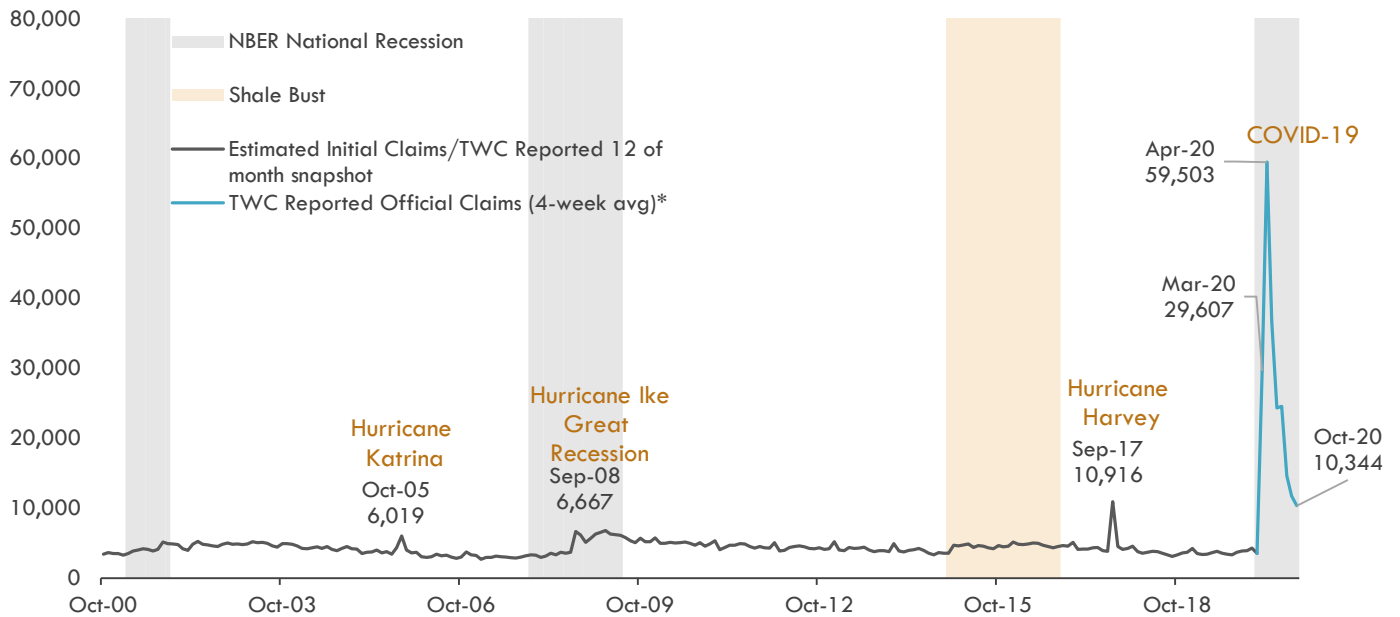
Note: Regular UI claims data found in this chart may differ from values shown elsewhere in this document and/or from other Federal or State sources. Claimants filing multiple times within or across the 3 categories of claims shown above are counted only once, typically by the type of claim filed most recently.



13-County Gulf Coast Region Net and Percent Change in Initial Claims for Unemployment Insurance Week of September 26, 2020 compared to Week of October 3, 2020



Gulf Coast Region - Initial UI Claims Historical Estimates and Actual October 2000 to October 2020 (monthly averages)



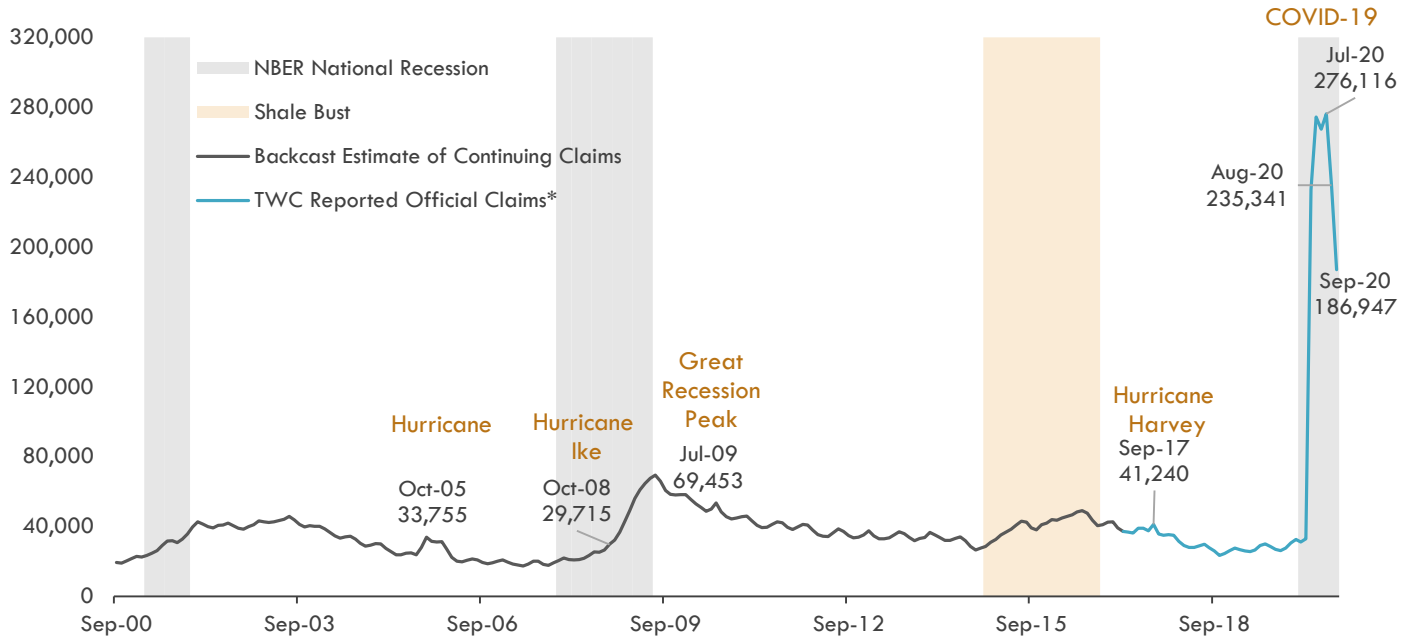
Source: Texas Workforce Commission and author's calculations

*Note: Data reflect four-week averages except October which reflects the week of 10/3 only. Data subject to revision and do not include Pandemic or Emergency Compensation claims.



Continuing Claims for Unemployment Insurance

Gulf Coast Region - Continuing UI Claims Historical Estimates and Actual
September 2000 to September 2020



Source: Texas Workforce Commission, DOLETA, and author's calculations

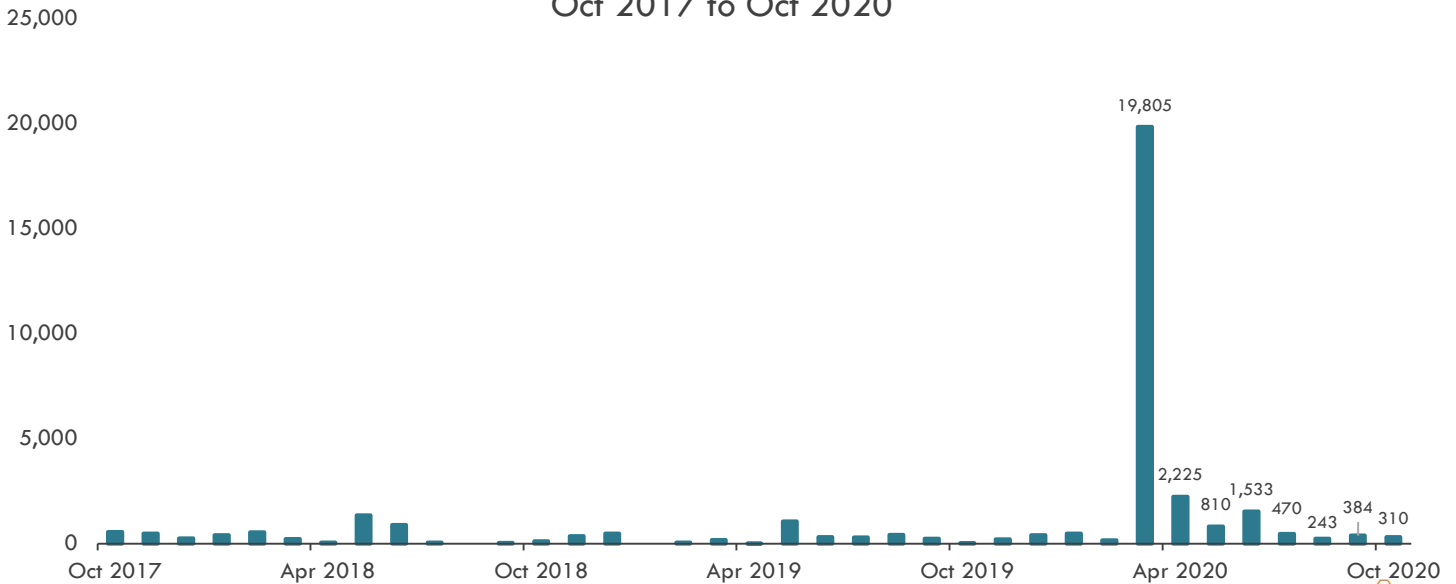
*Note: All values from April 2017 to June 2020 are actual continuing claims as of the 12th of the month issued at the time of release of monthly CES and LAUS estimates.



WARN Notices

(last update: 10/16/20)

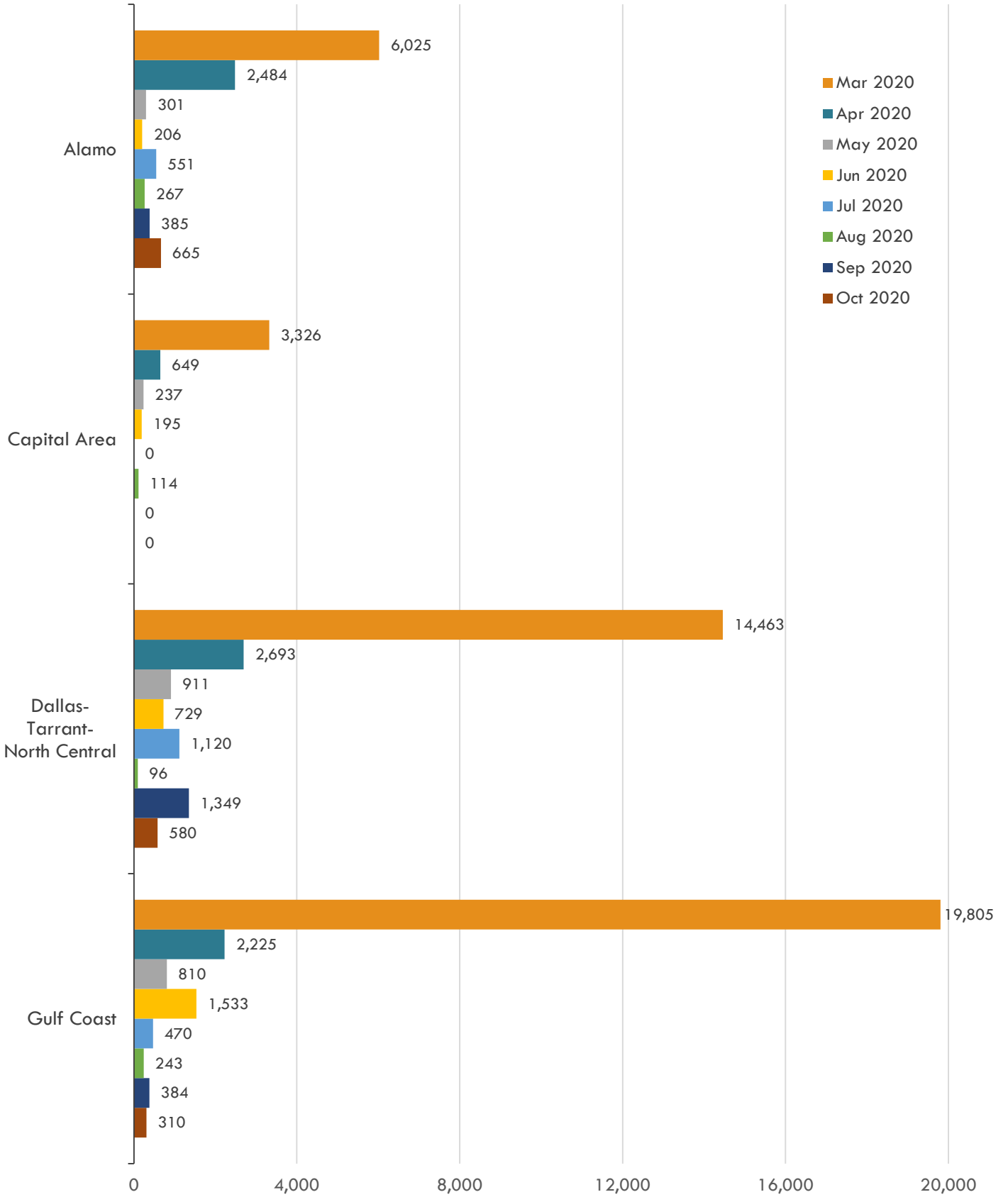
Gulf Coast WDA WARN Notice Total Reported Layoffs by Month
Oct 2017 to Oct 2020



Source: Texas Workforce

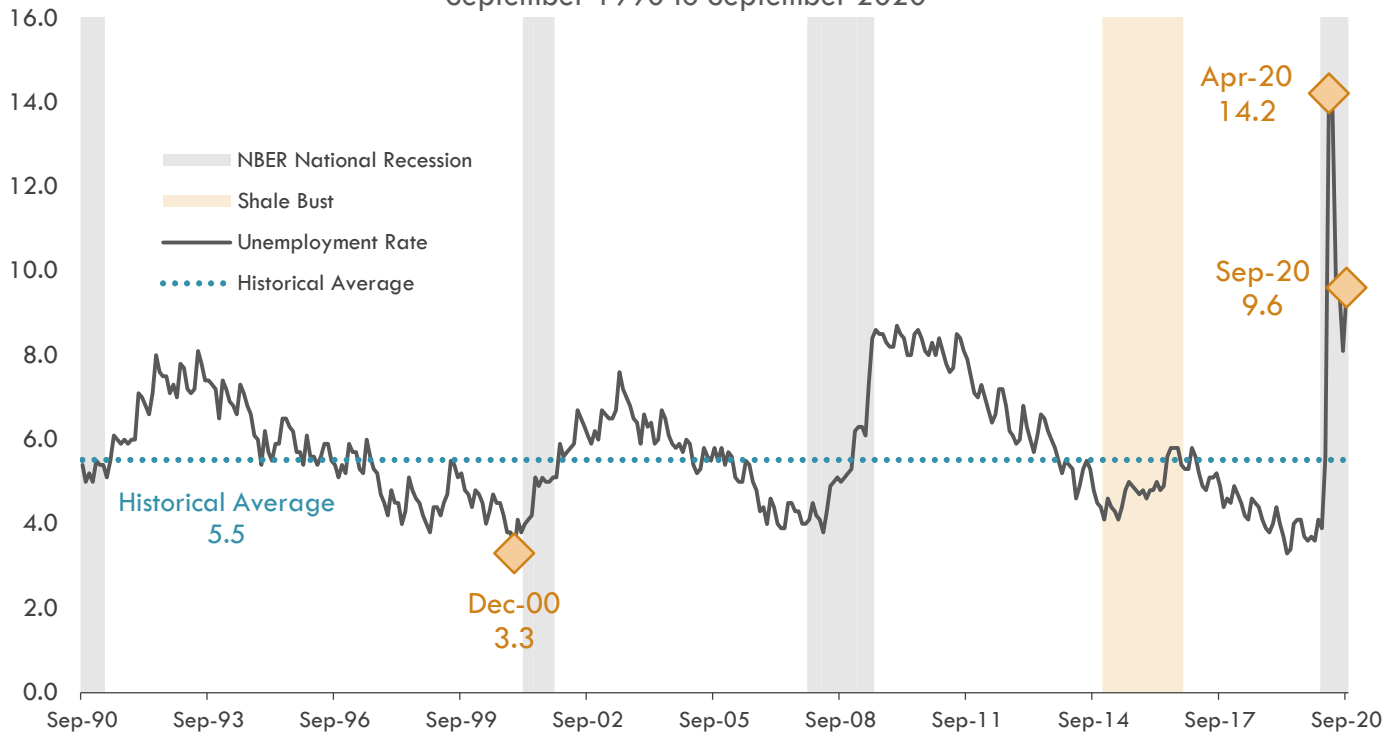


Major Texas Metro WDAs WARN Notice Total Reported Layoffs by Month
March-Oct 2020



Unemployment Rates

Gulf Coast Region: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 1990 to September 2020

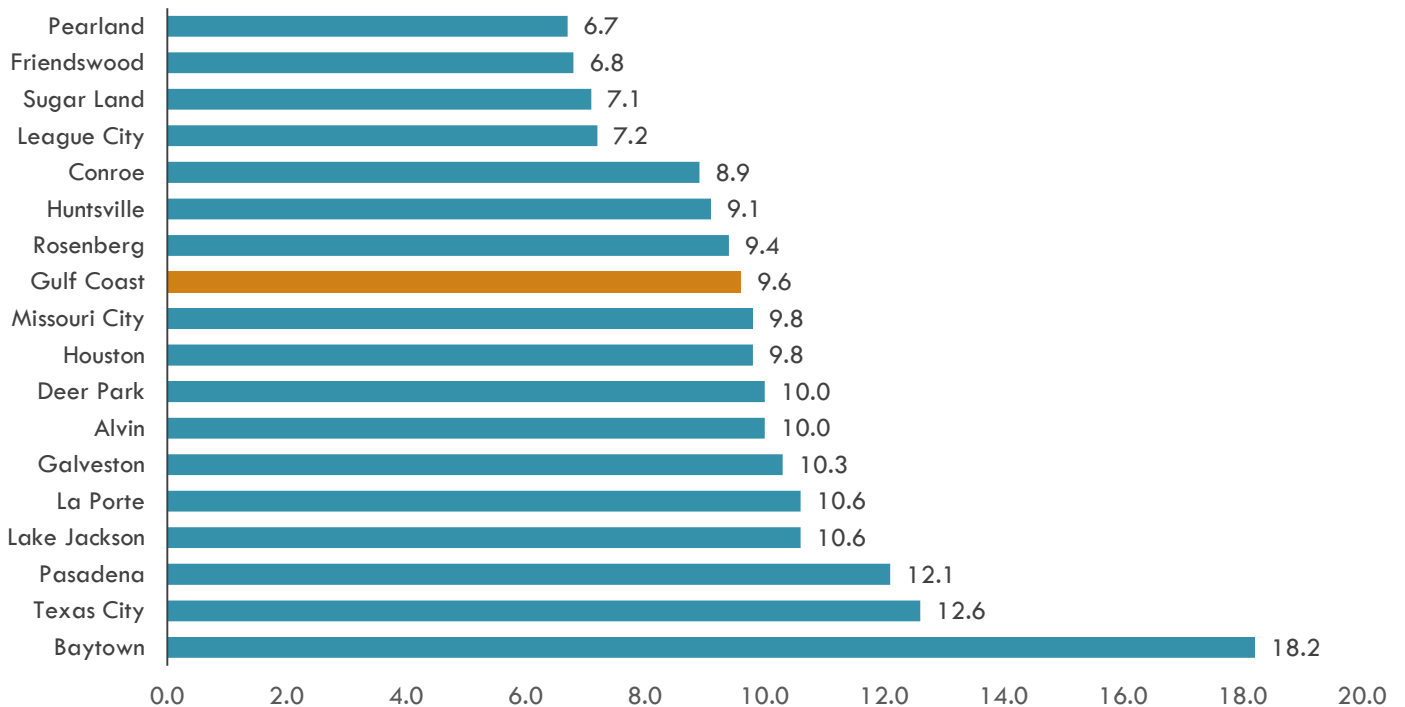


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Unemployment Rates: Cities

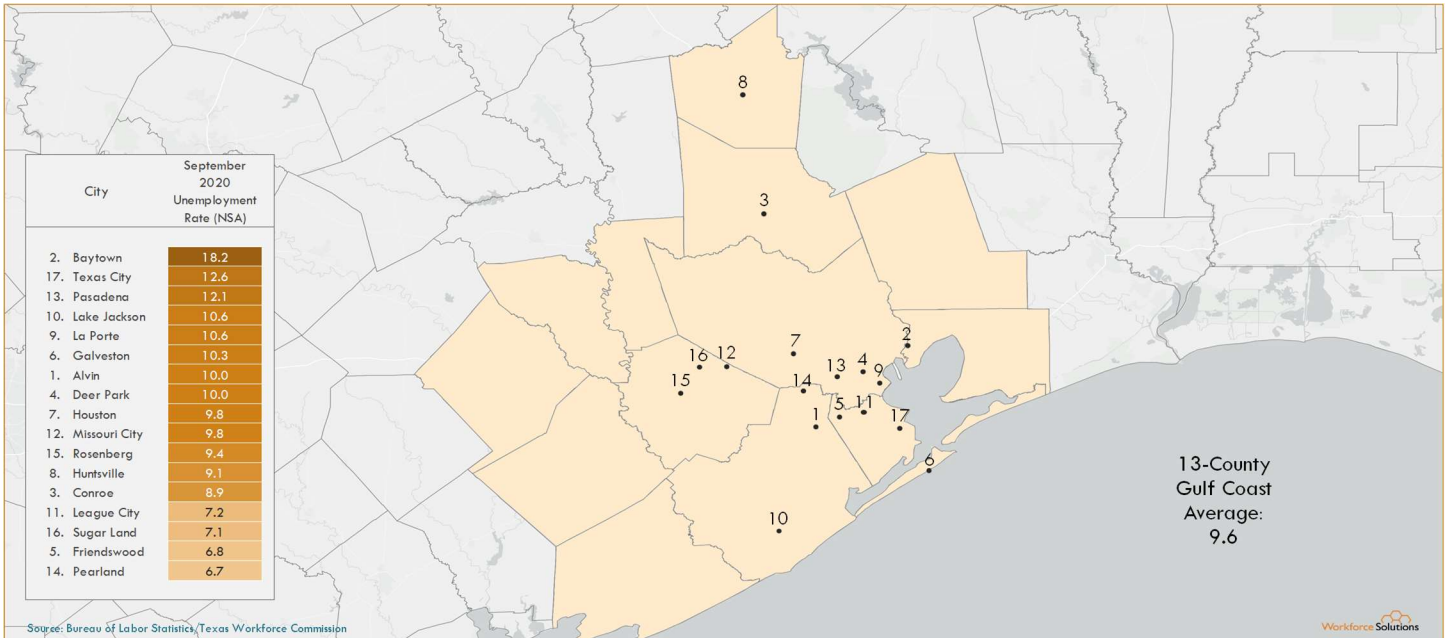
13-County Gulf Coast Region Cities Unemployment Rates
September 2020 (NSA)



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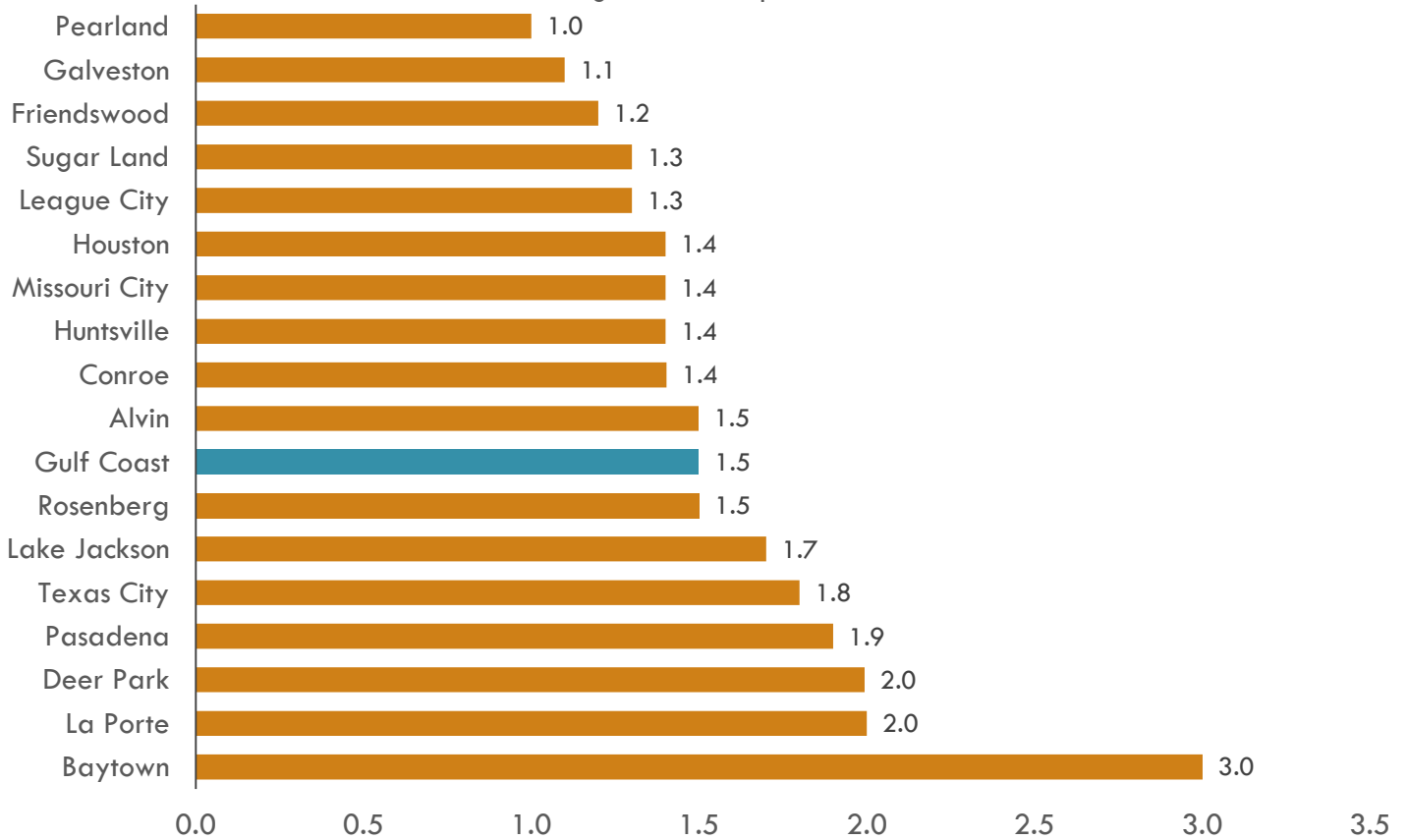


13-County Gulf Coast Region Cities Unemployment Rates September 2020 (same information as preceding bar chart)



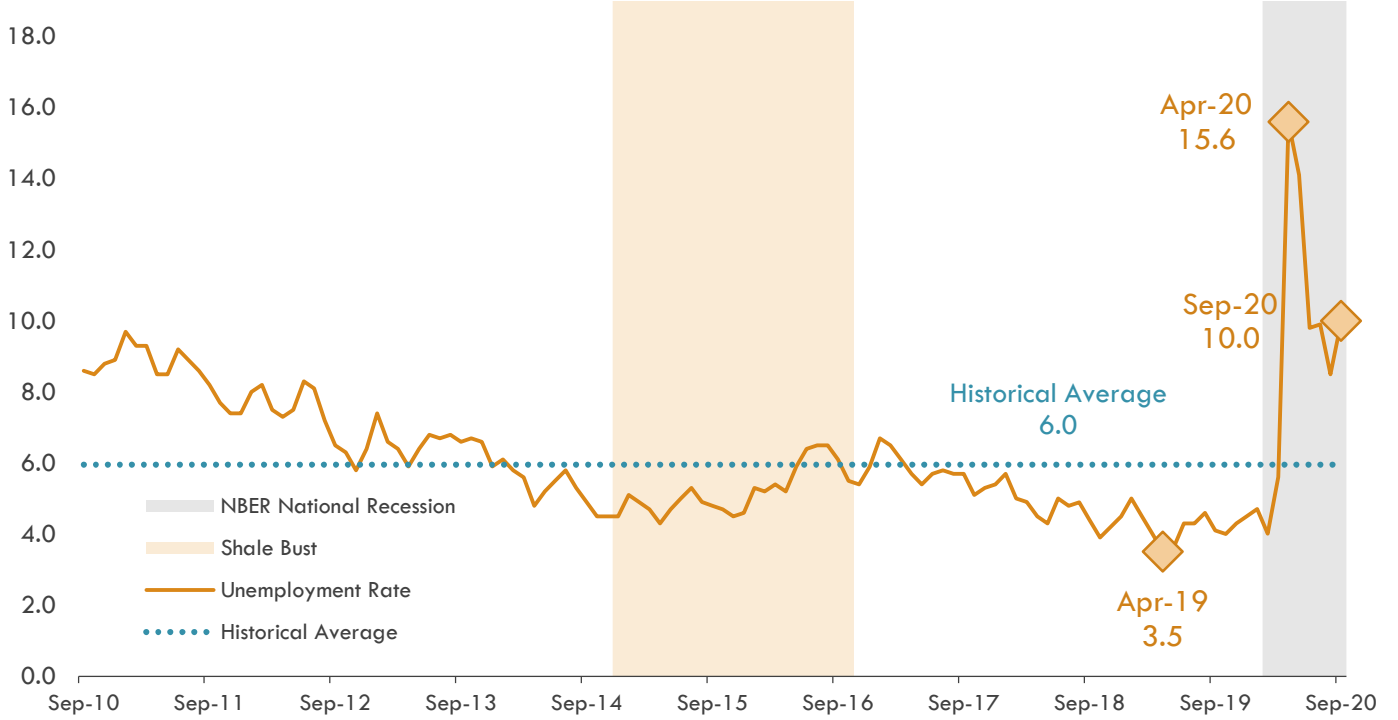
13-County Gulf Coast Region Cities Over-the-month Change in Unemployment Rate (NSA)

Aug 2020 to Sep 2020



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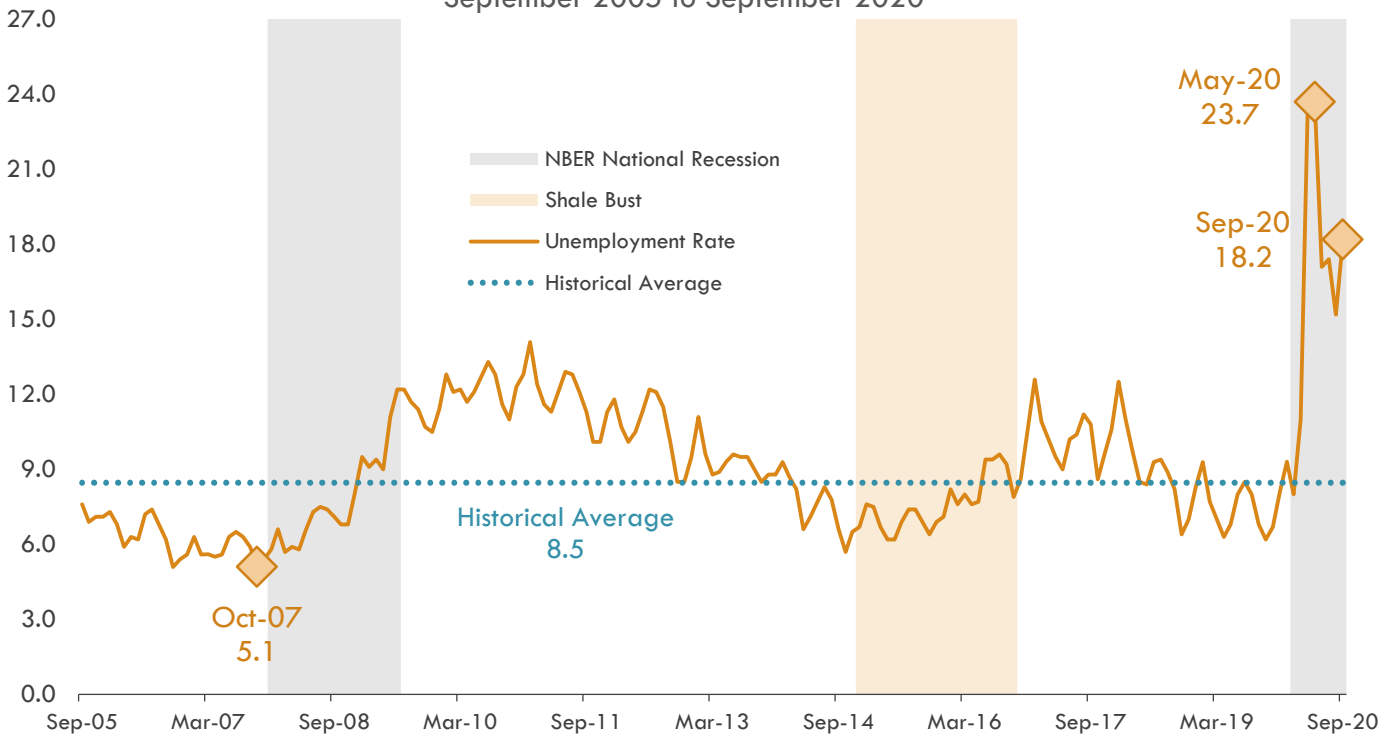
Alvin City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2010 to September 2020



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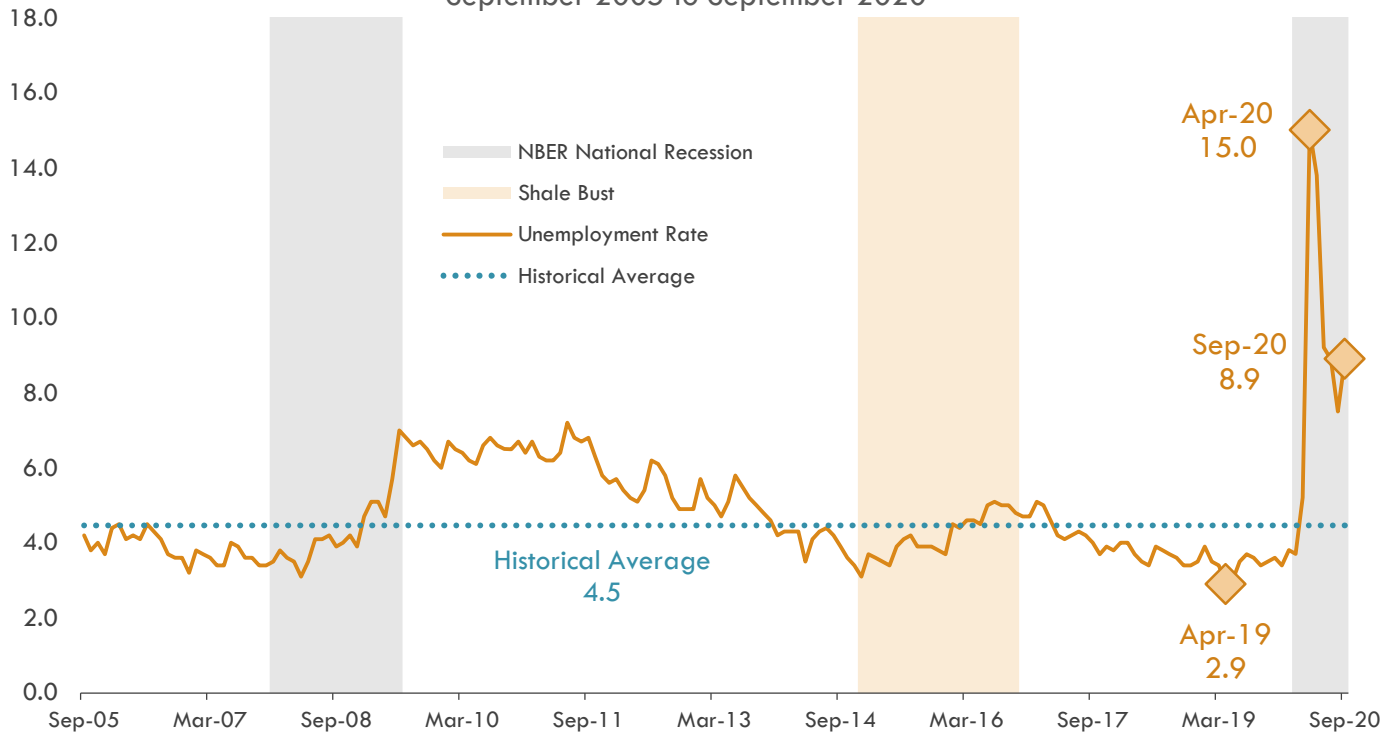
Baytown City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2005 to September 2020



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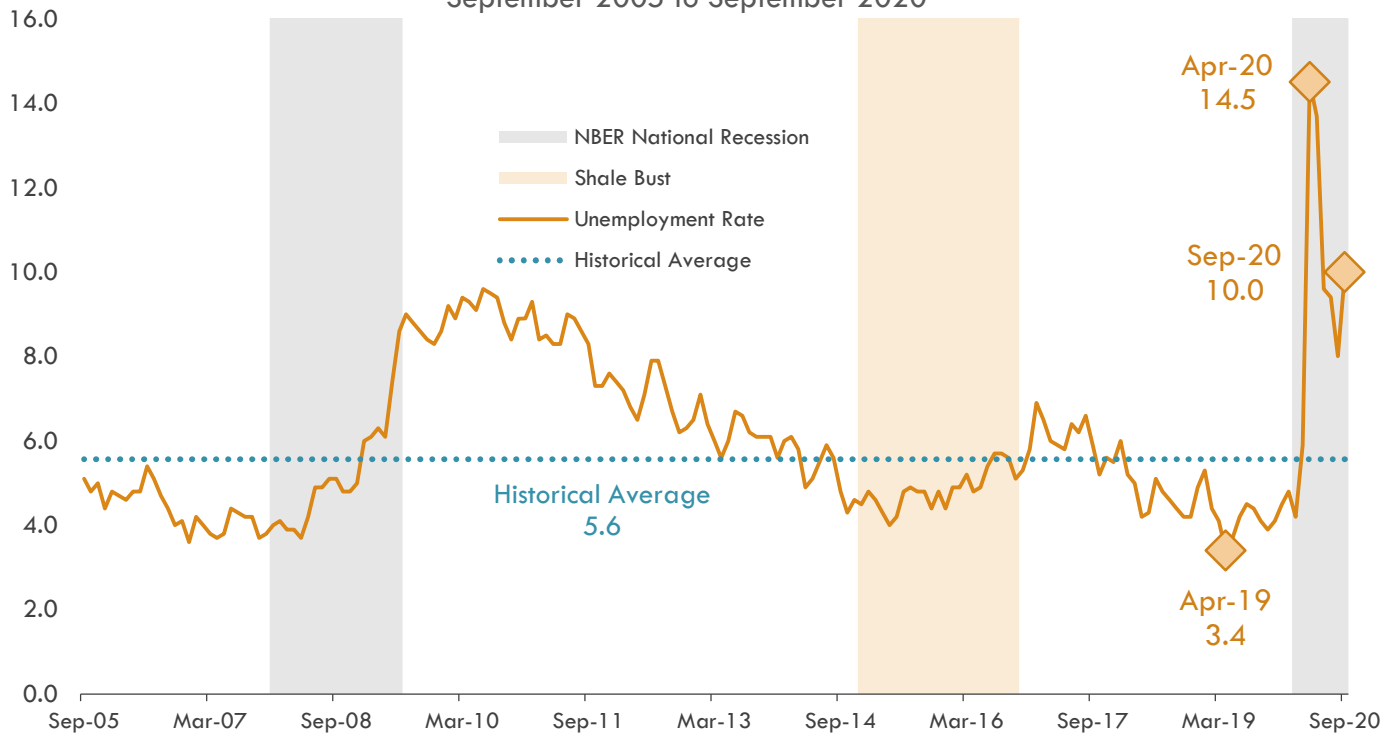
Conroe City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2005 to September 2020



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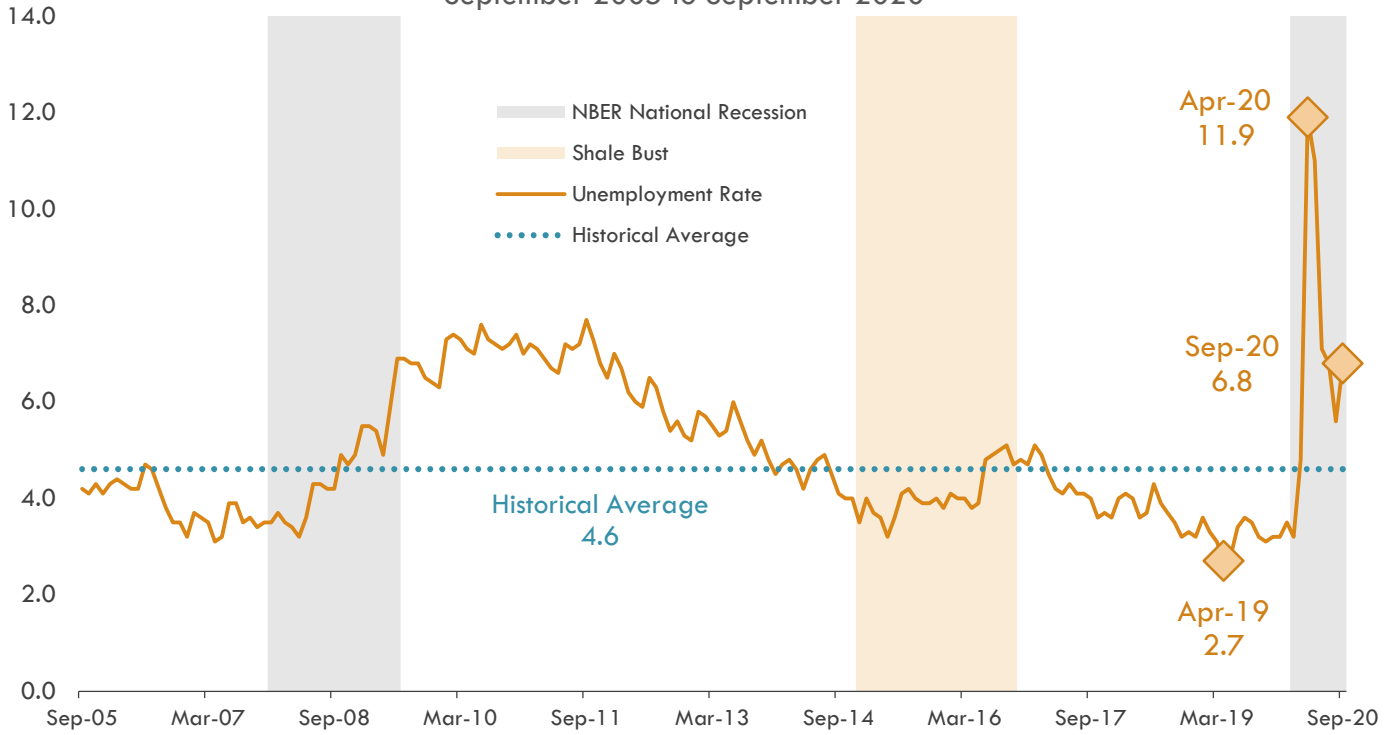
Deer Park City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2005 to September 2020



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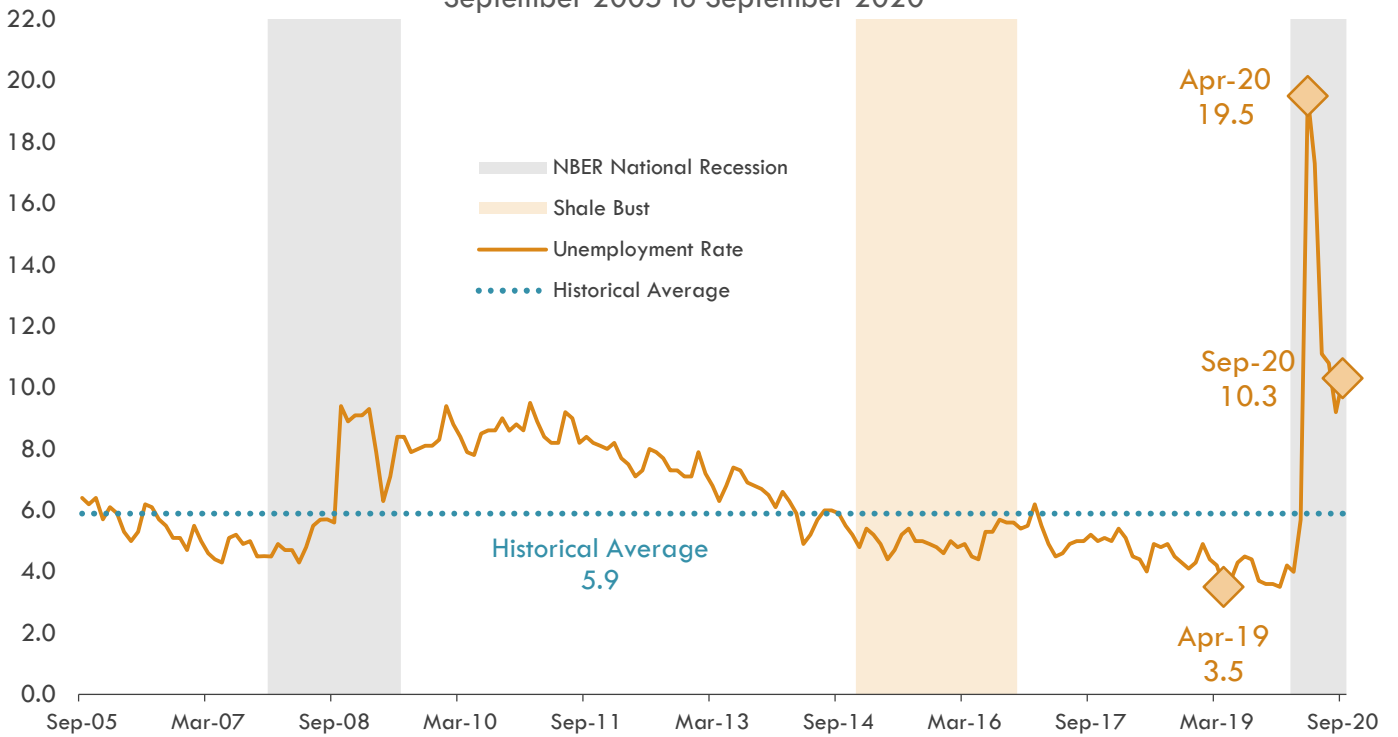
Friendswood City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2005 to September 2020



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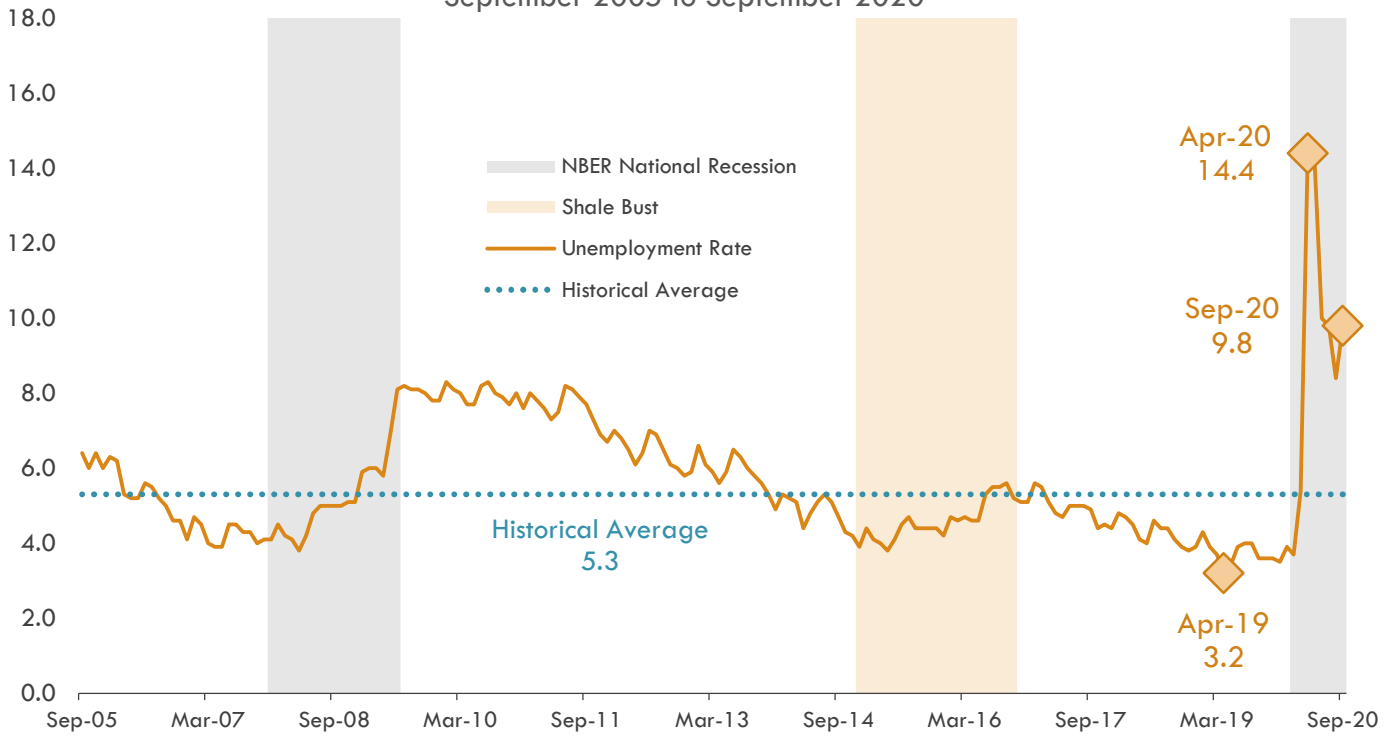
Galveston City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 2005 to September 2020



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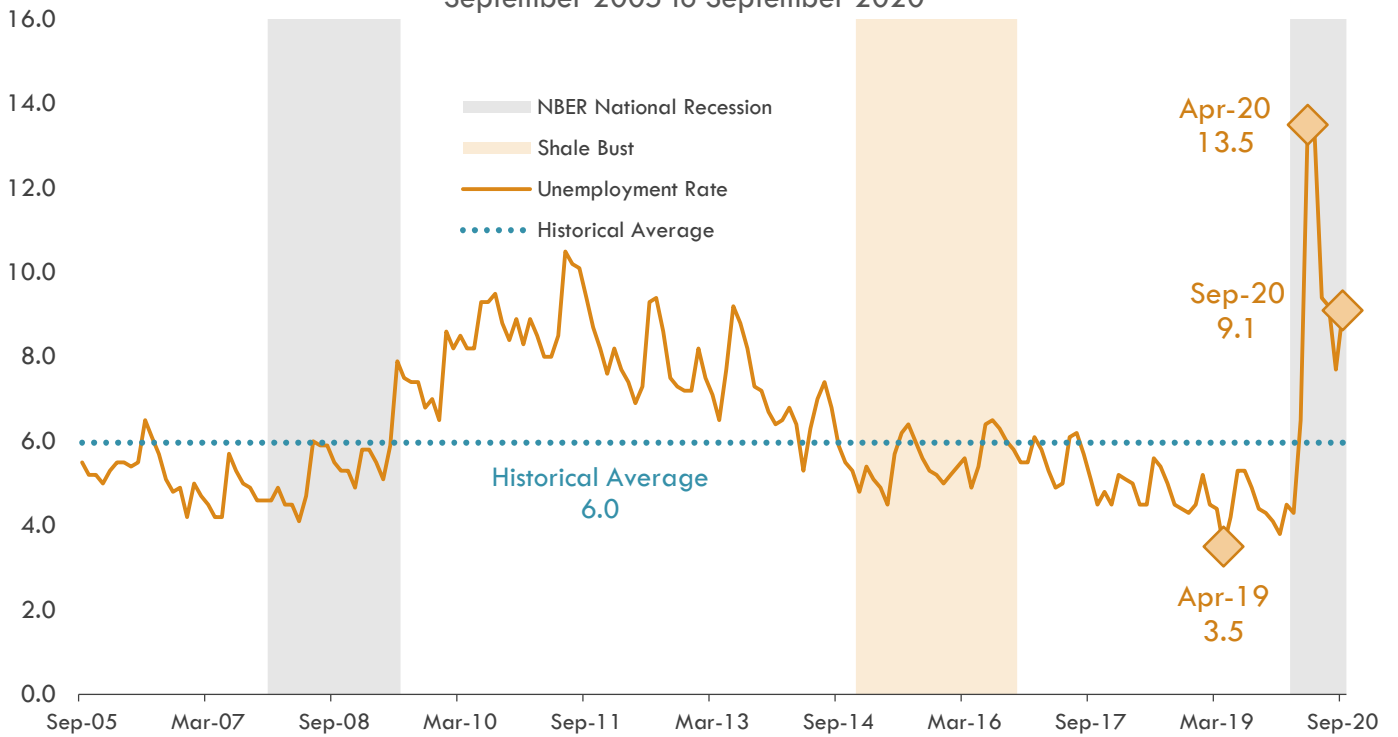
Houston City: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 2005 to September 2020



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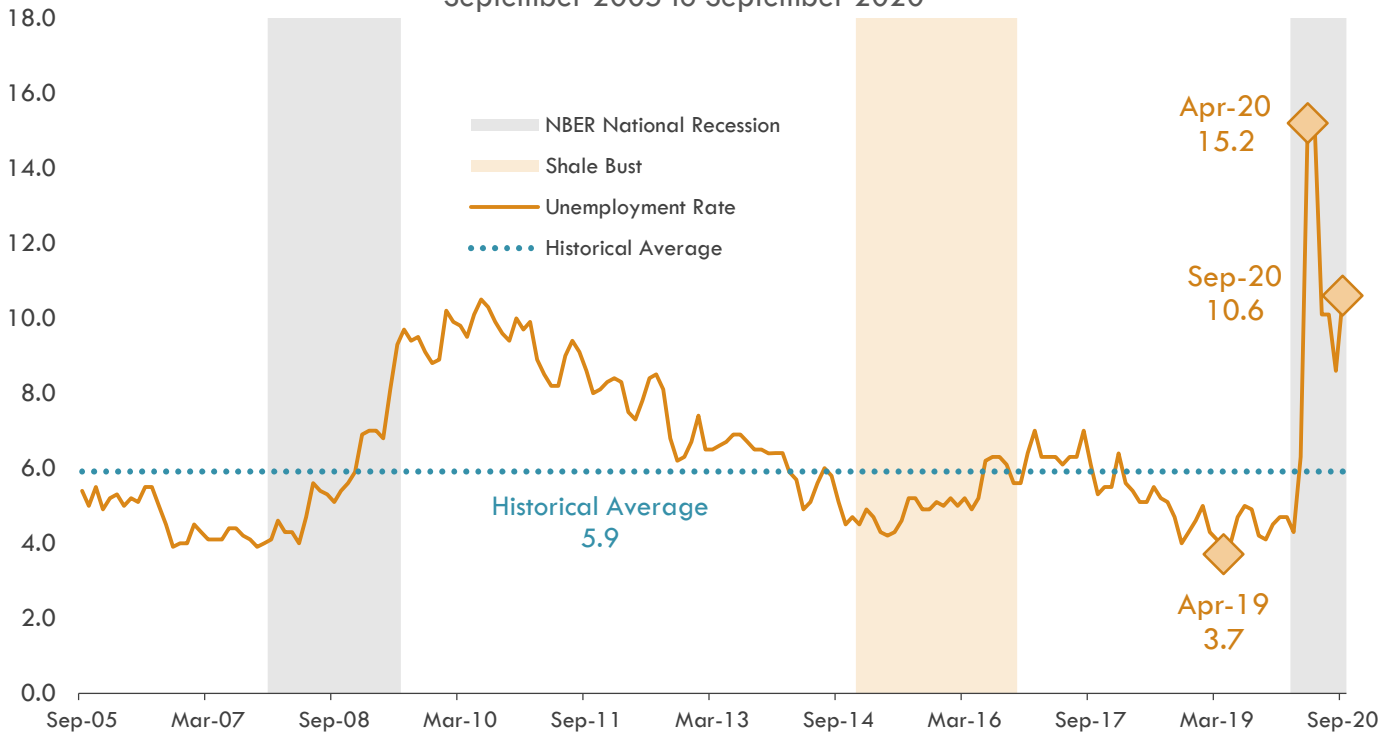
Huntsville City: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 2005 to September 2020



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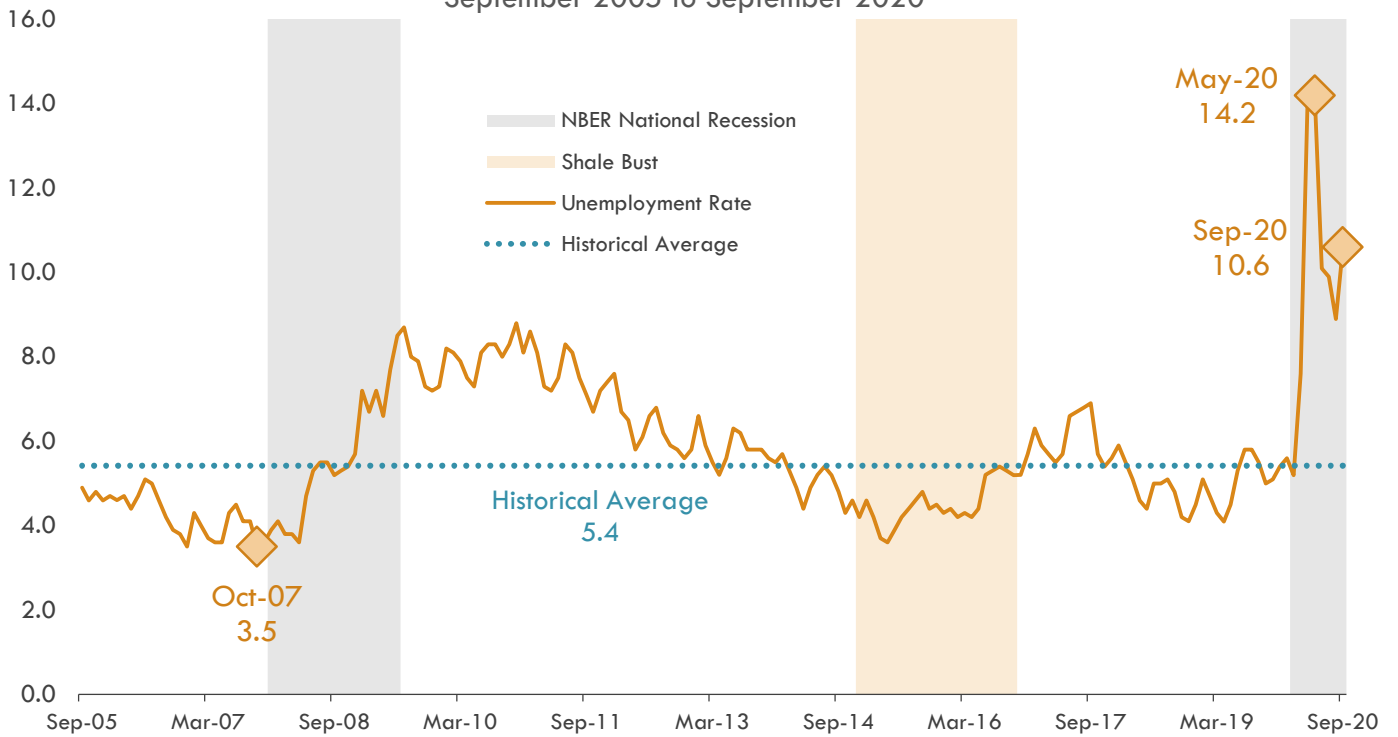
La Porte City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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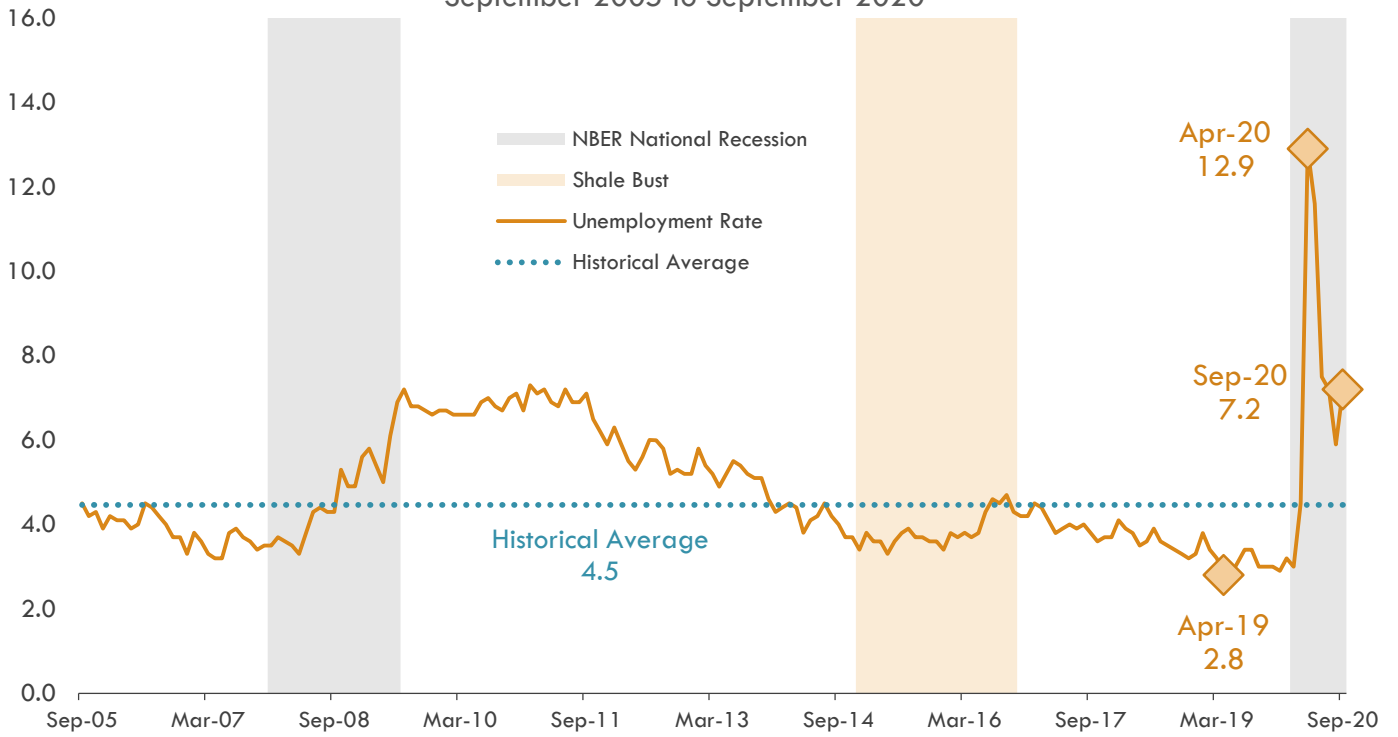
Lake Jackson City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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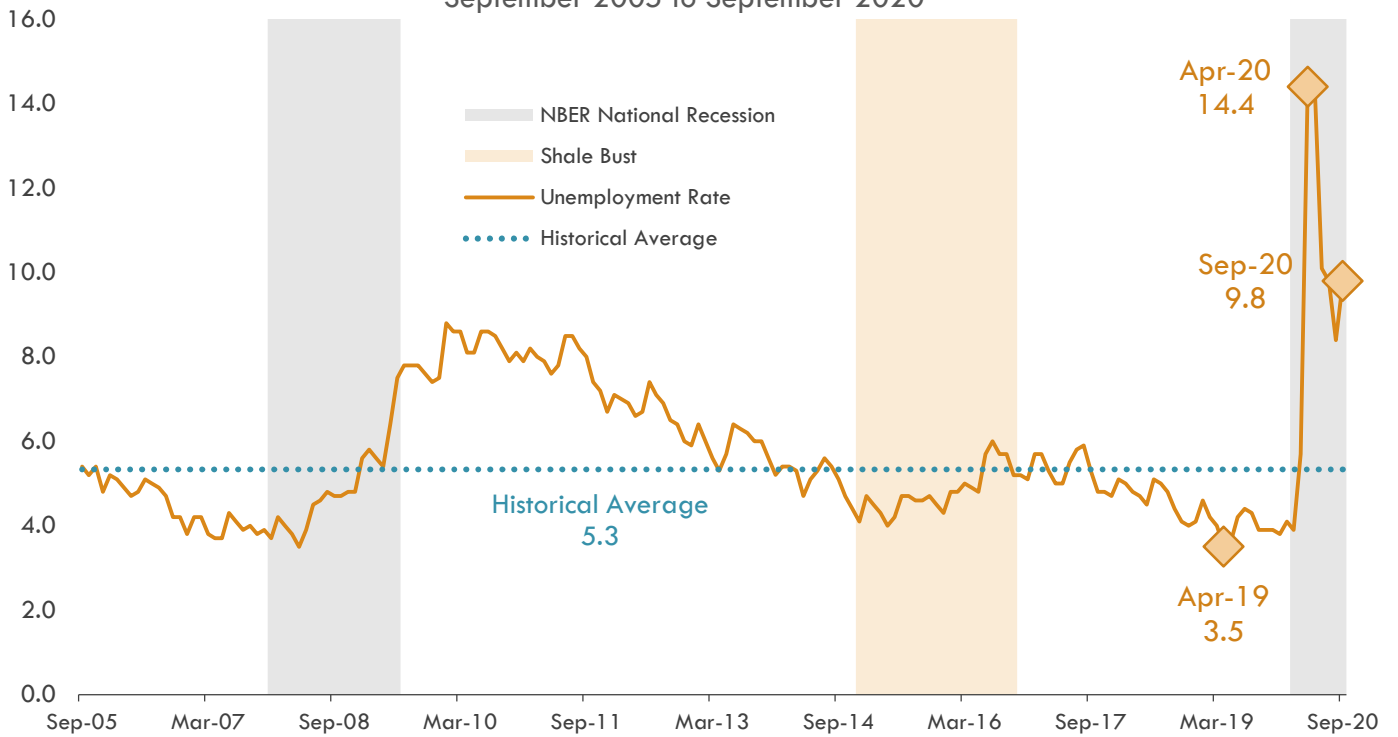
League City City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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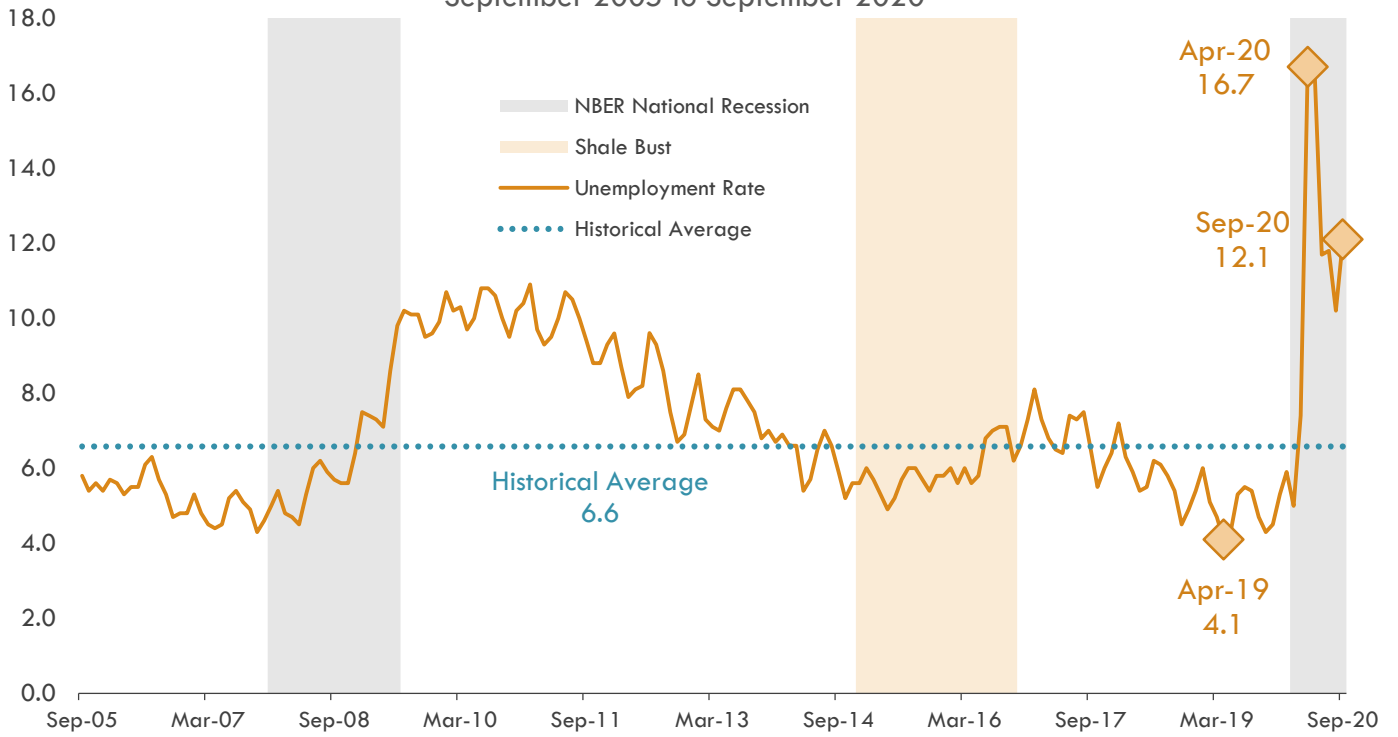
Missouri City City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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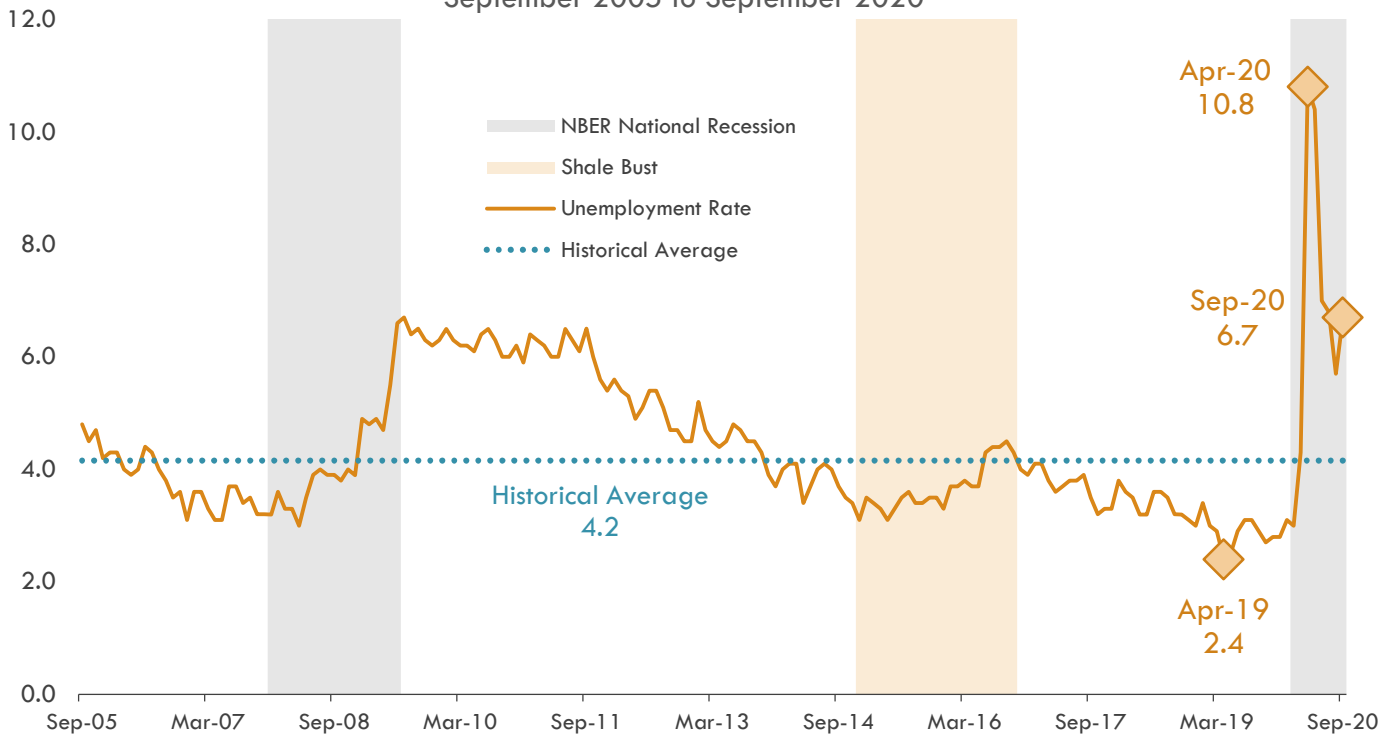
Pasadena City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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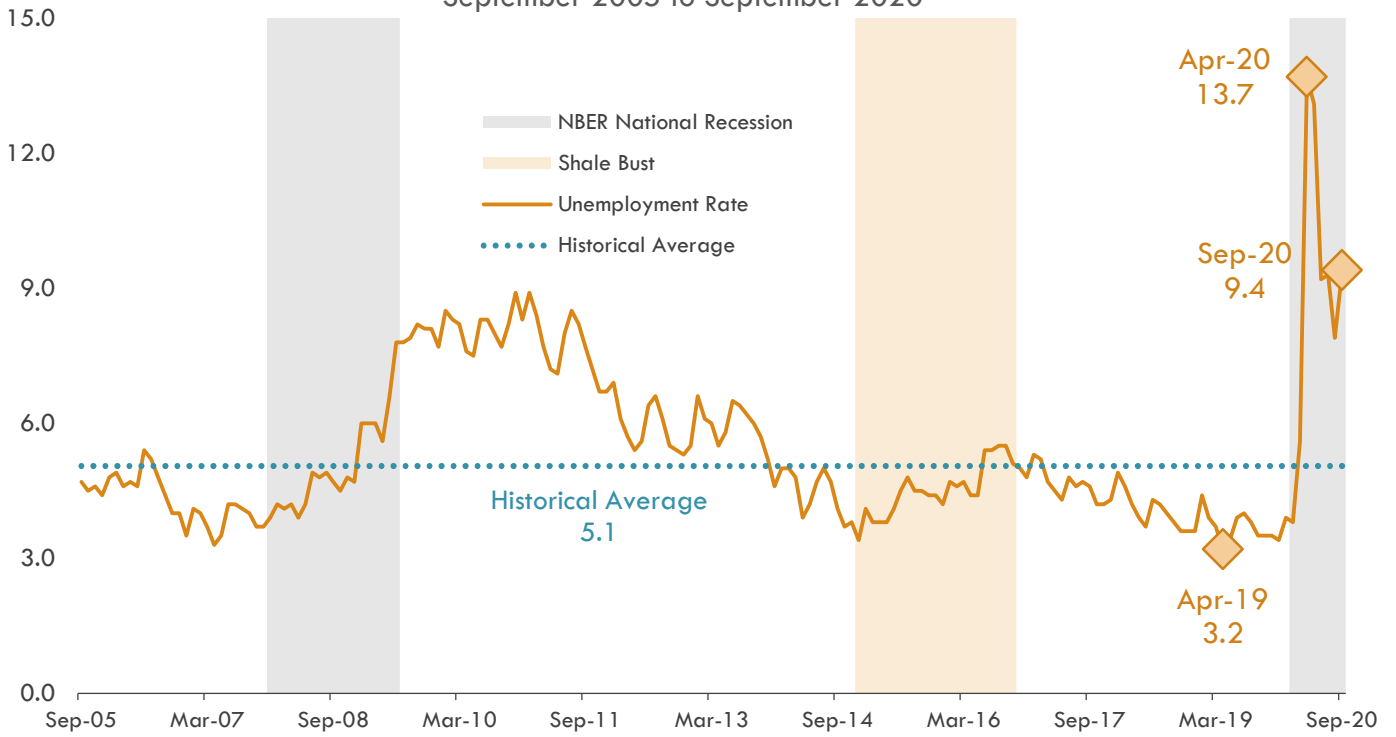
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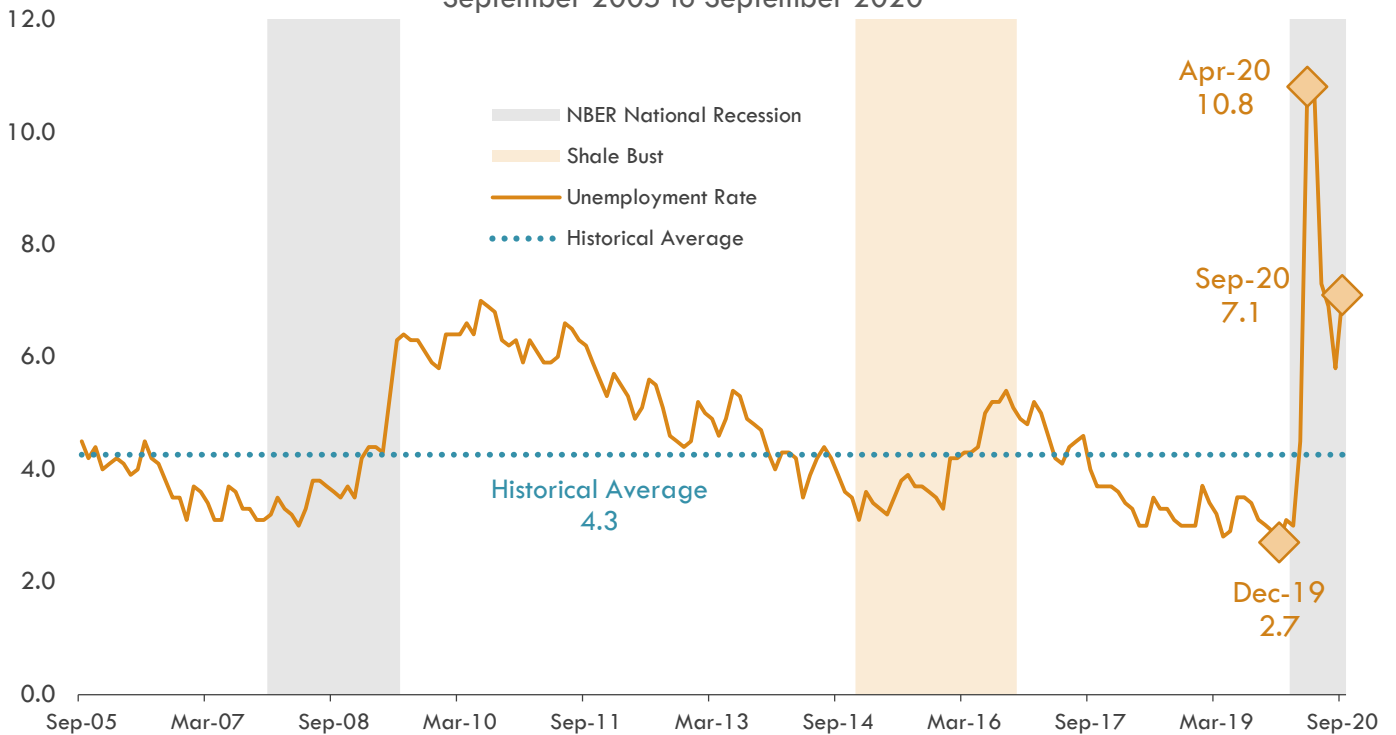
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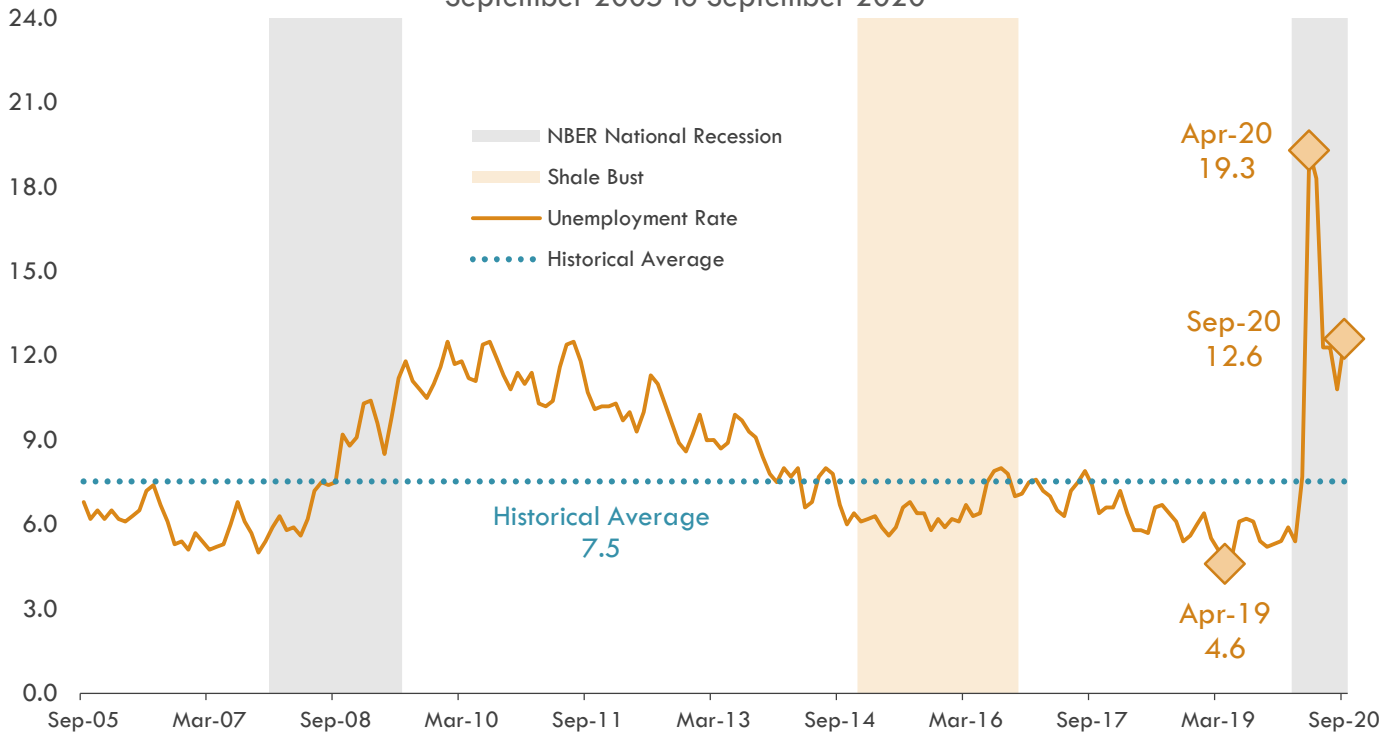
Sugar Land City: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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Texas City City: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 2005 to September 2020

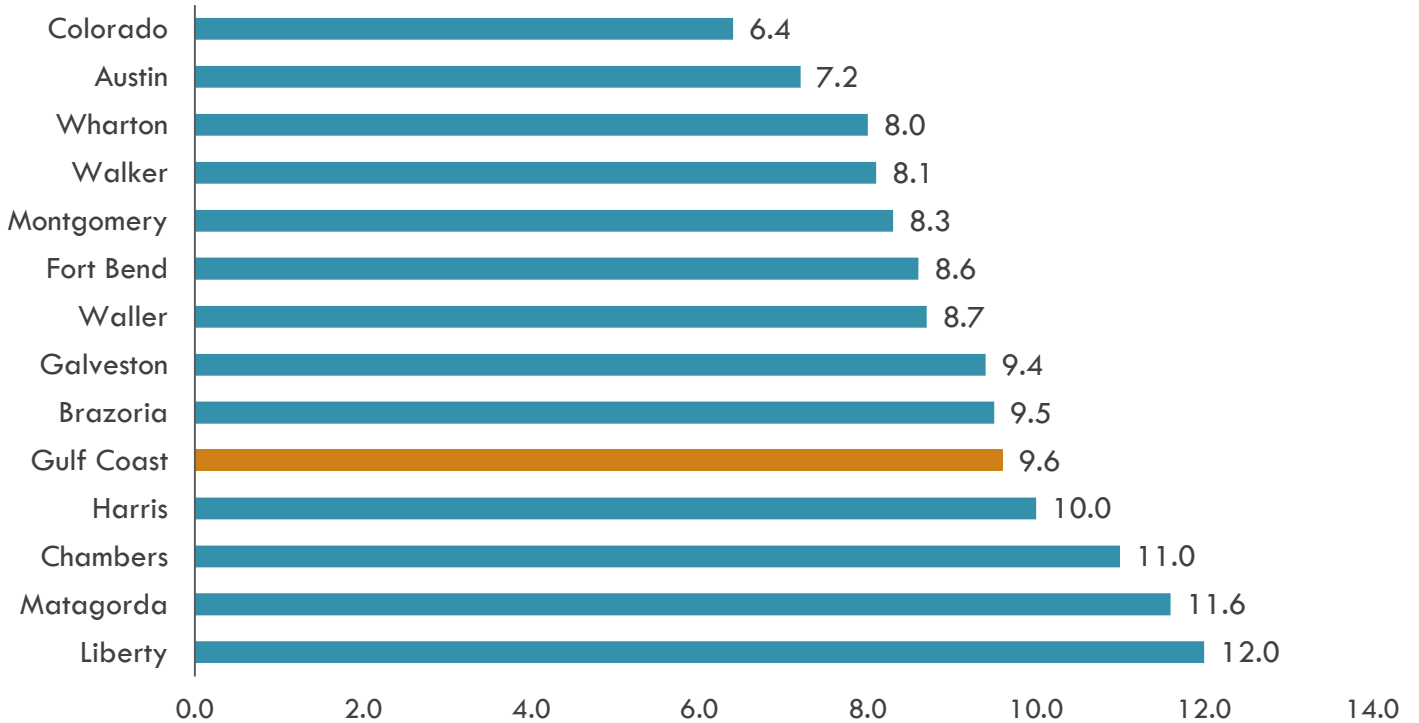


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Unemployment Rates: Counties

13-County Gulf Coast Region Unemployment Rates September 2020 (NSA)

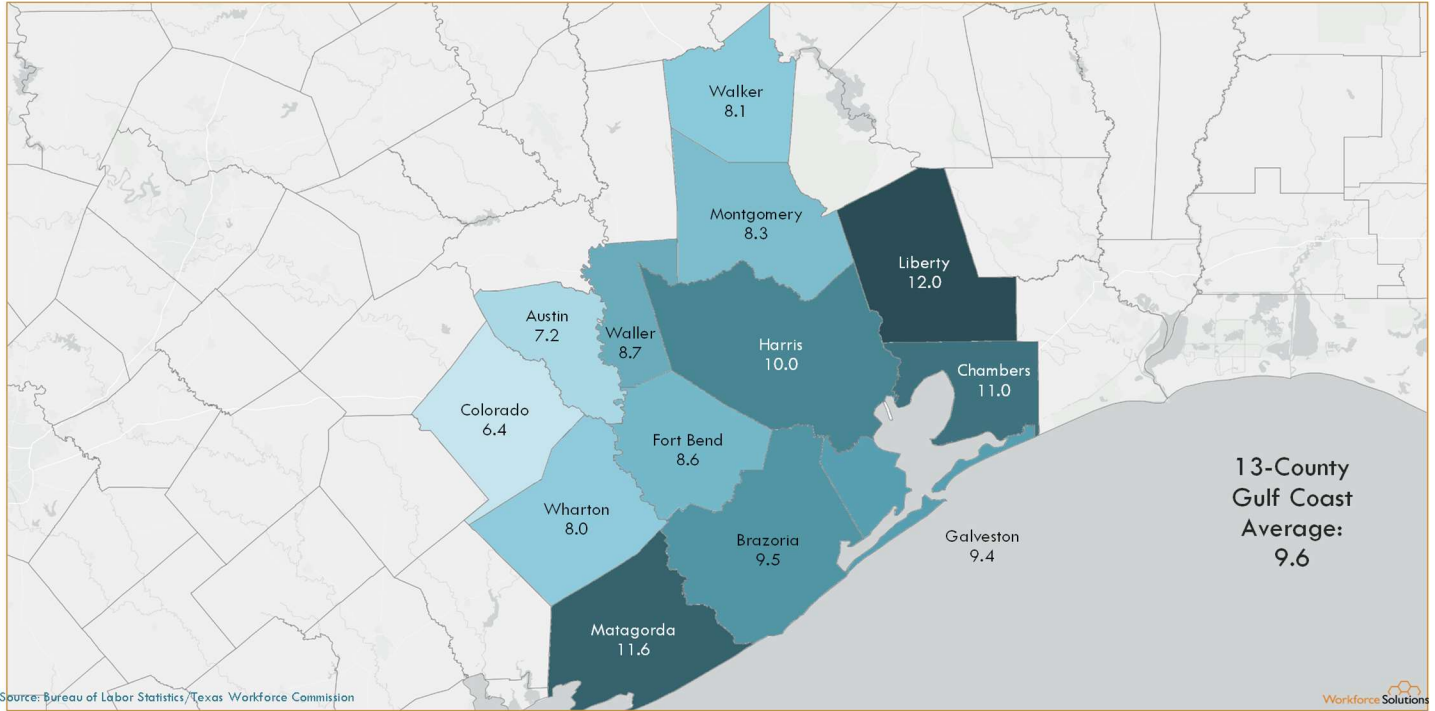


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13-County Gulf Coast Region Unemployment Rates September 2020

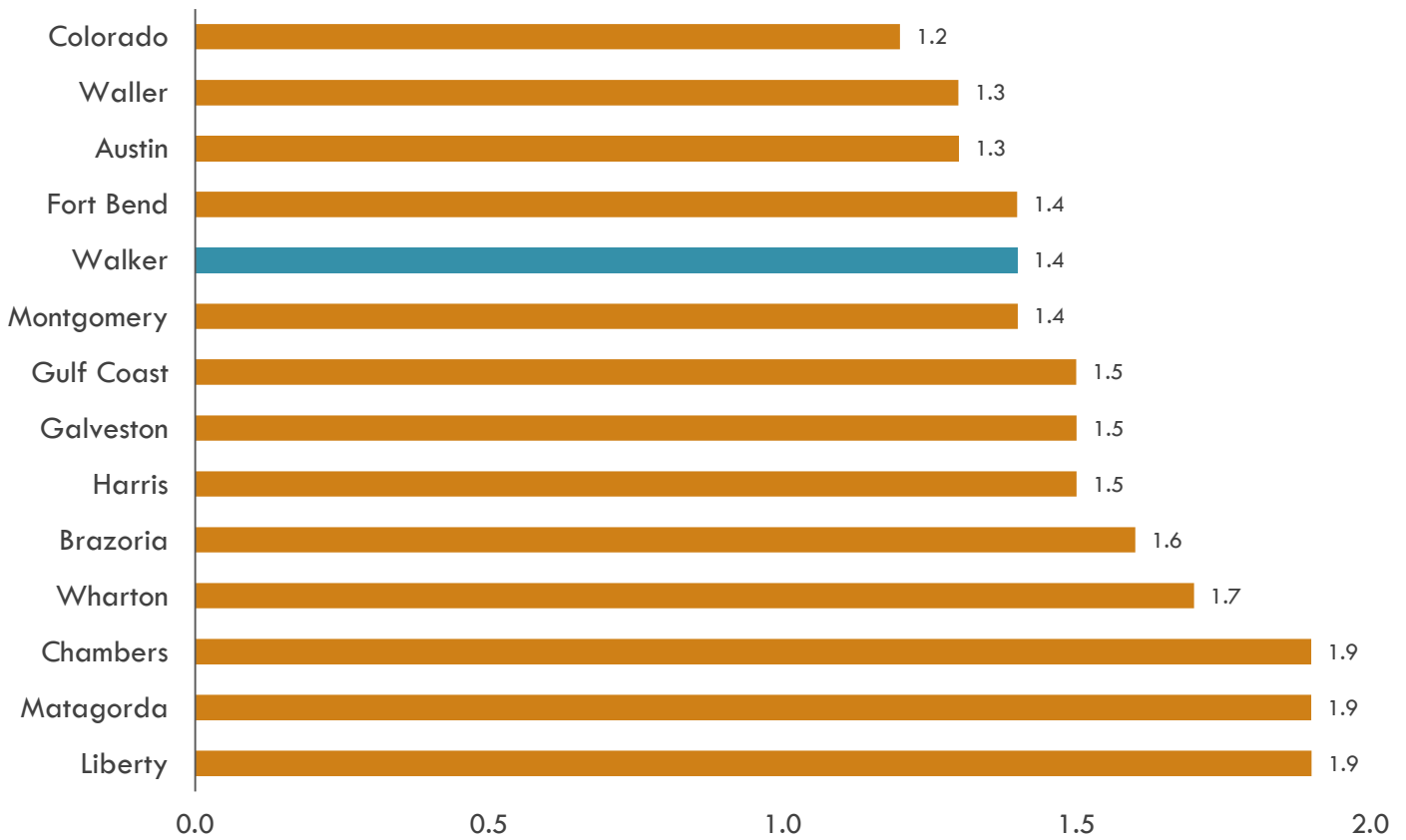
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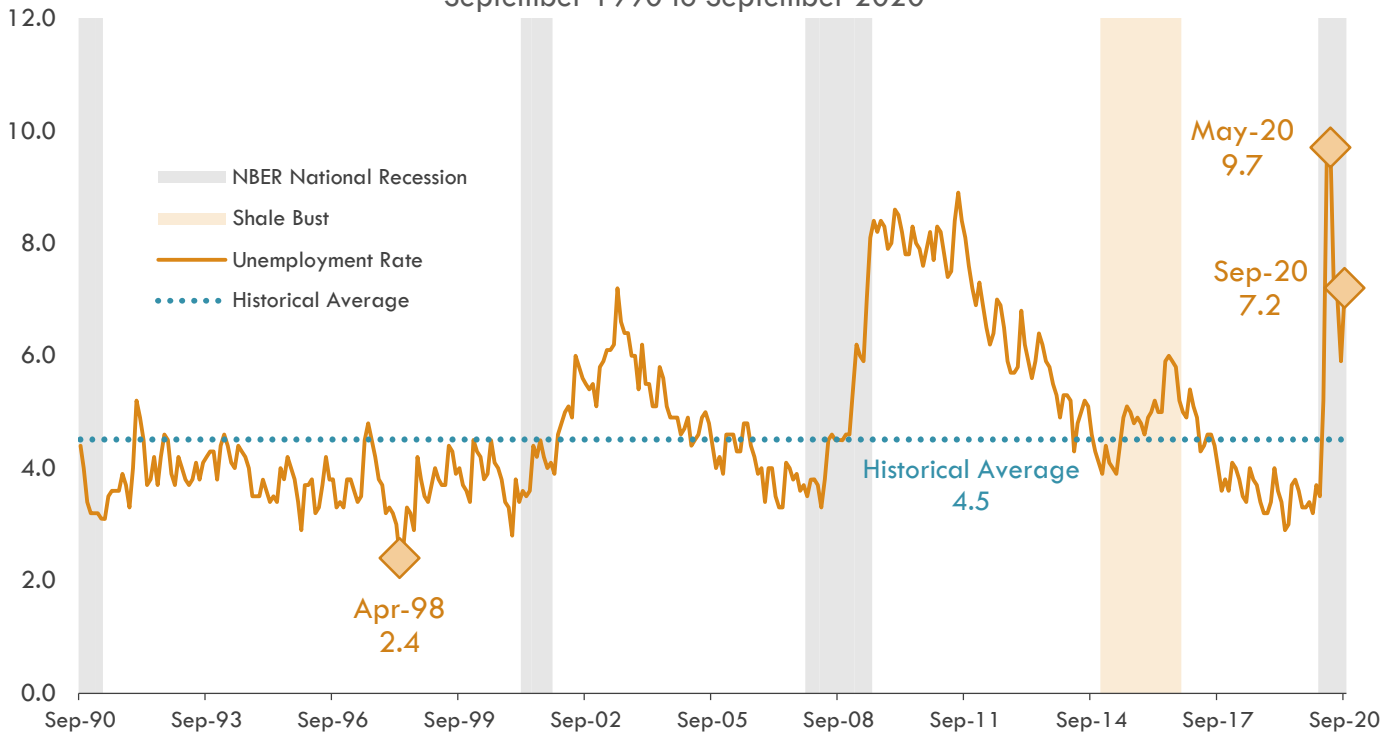
13-County Gulf Coast Region Over-the-month Change in Unemployment Rate (NSA) Aug 2020 to Sep 2020



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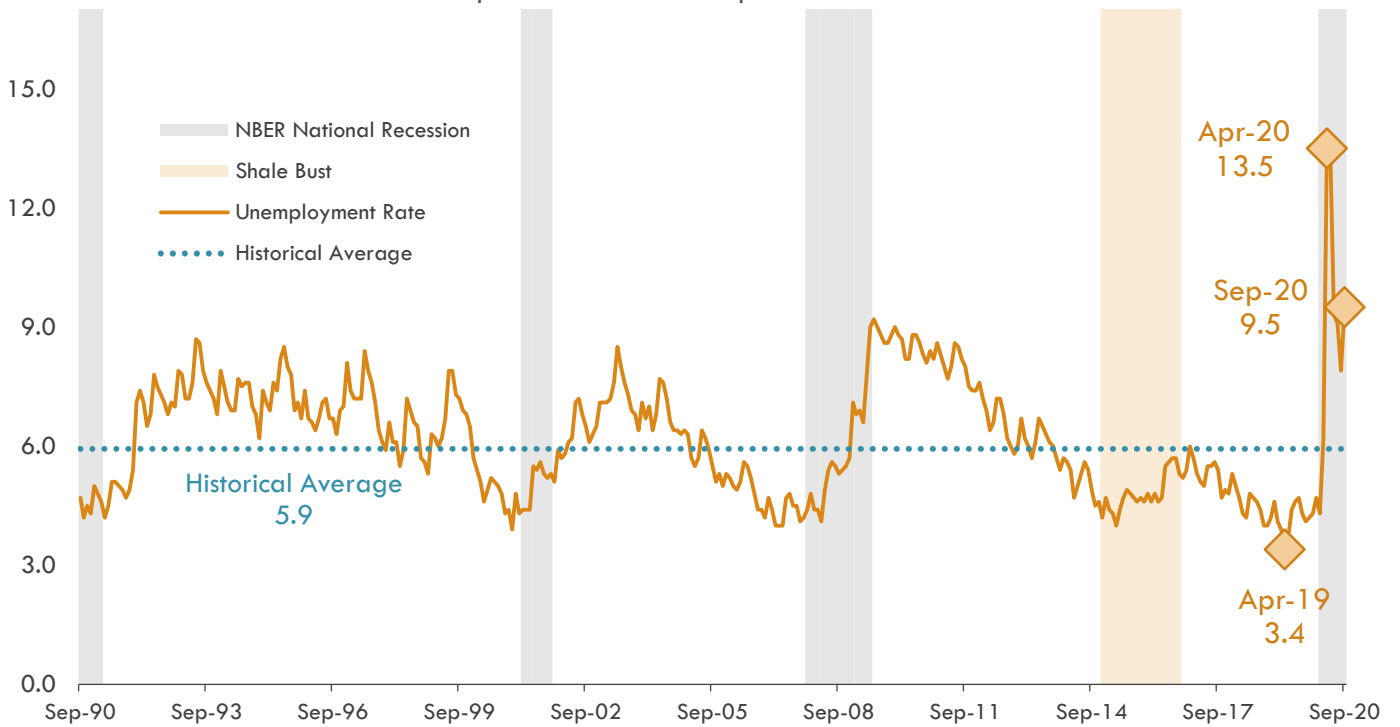
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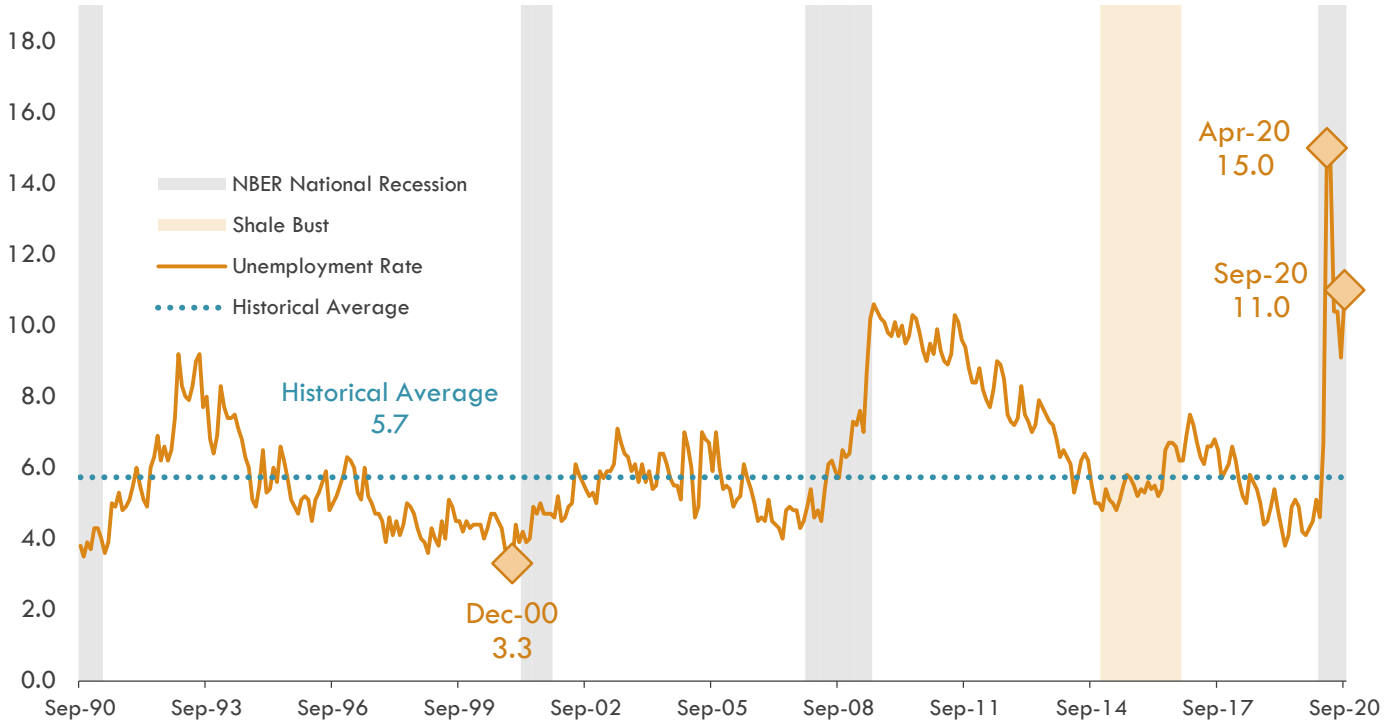
Brazoria County: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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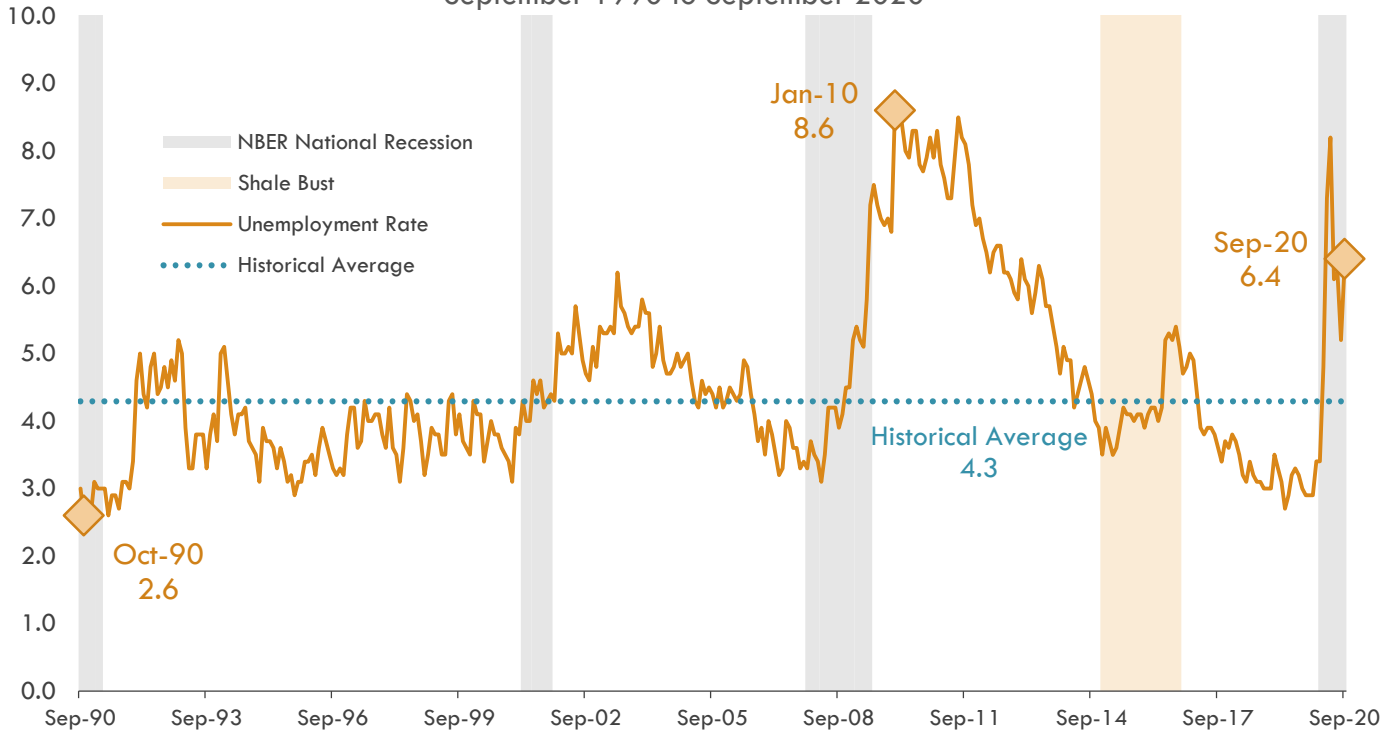
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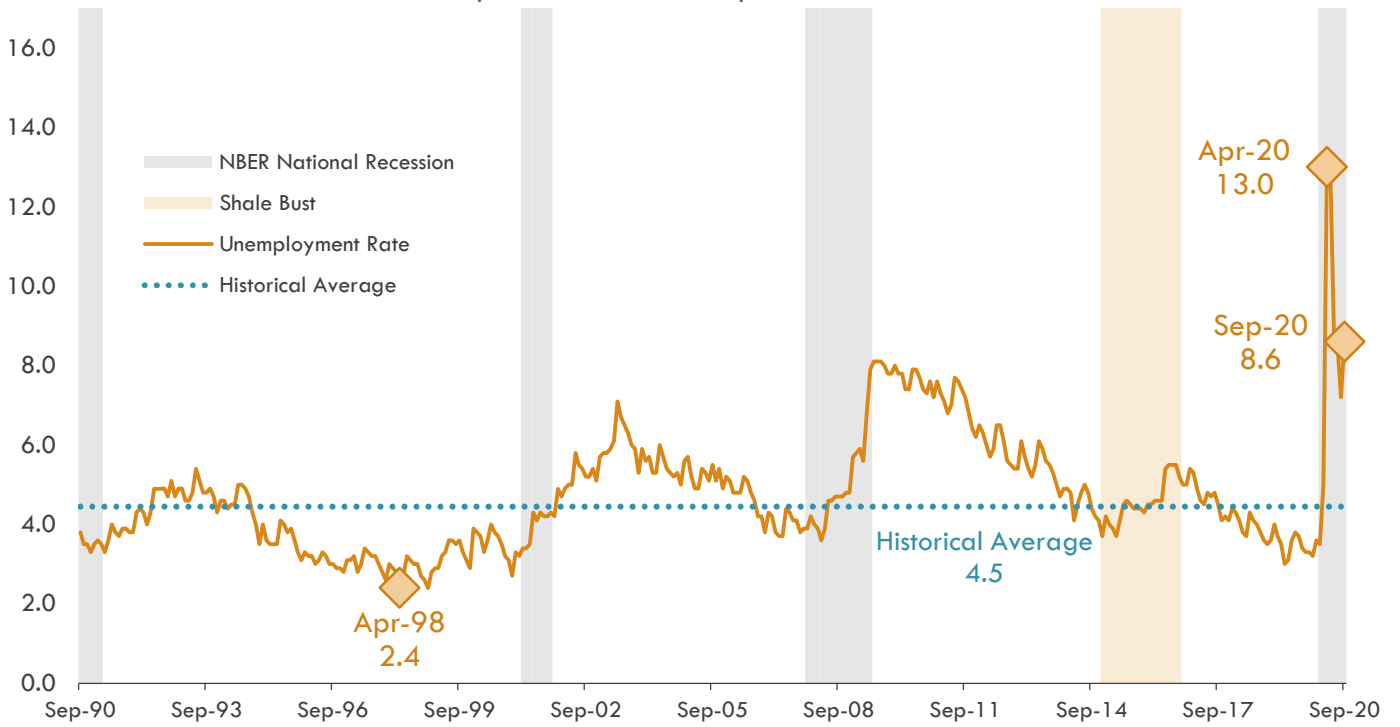
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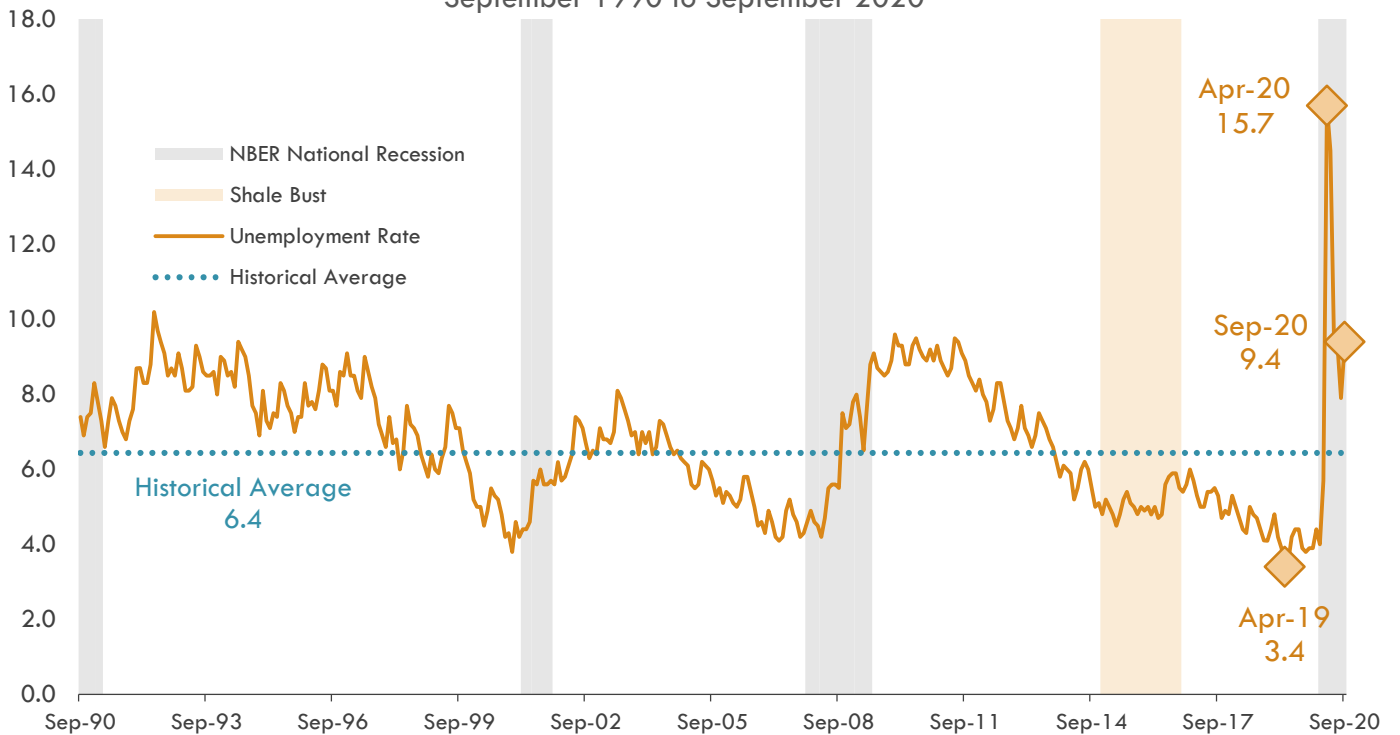
Fort Bend County: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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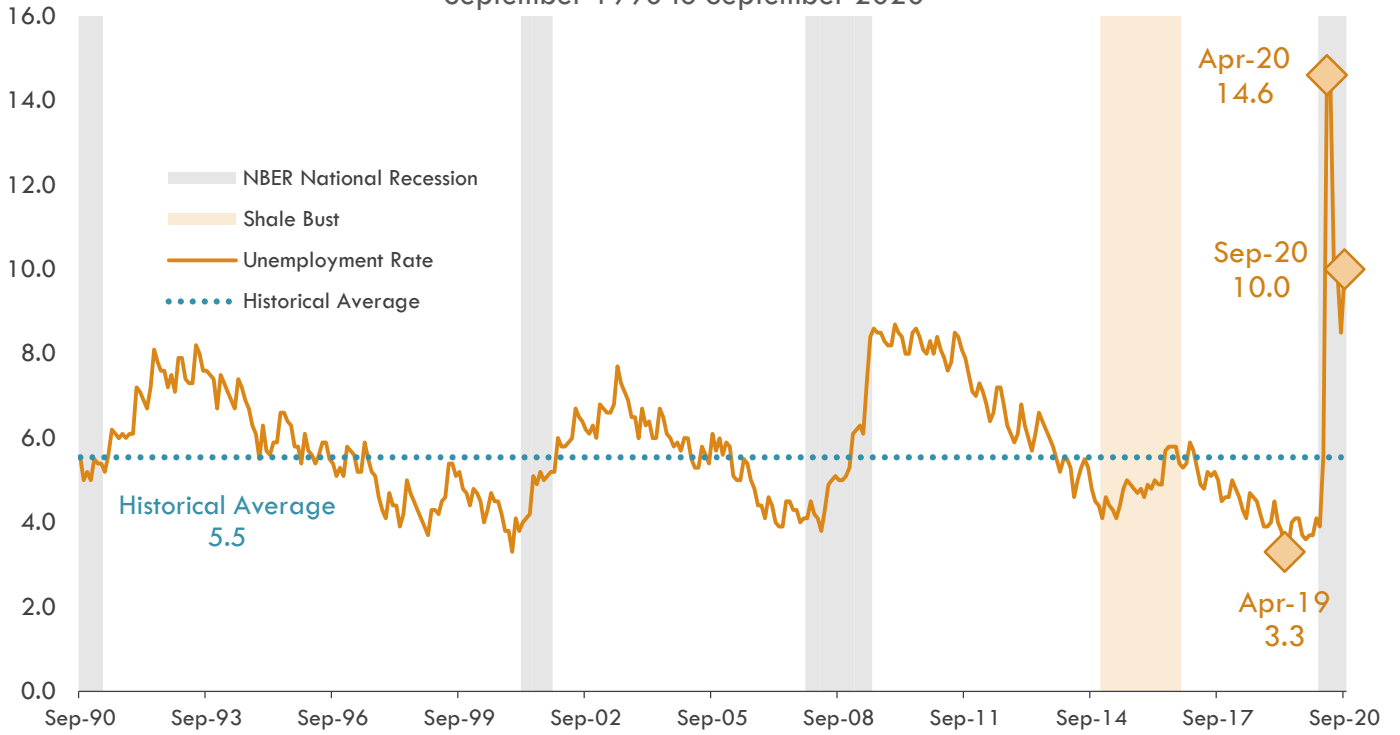
Galveston County: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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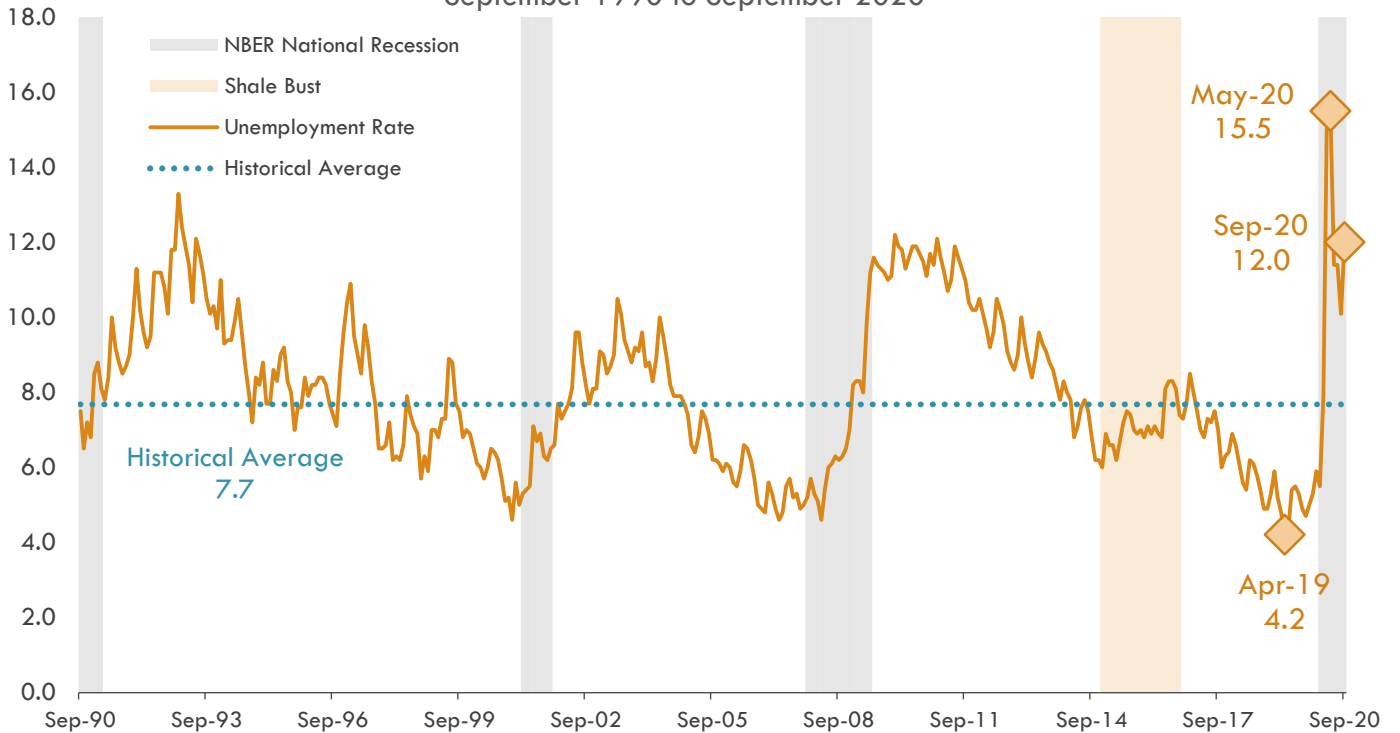
Harris County: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 1990 to September 2020



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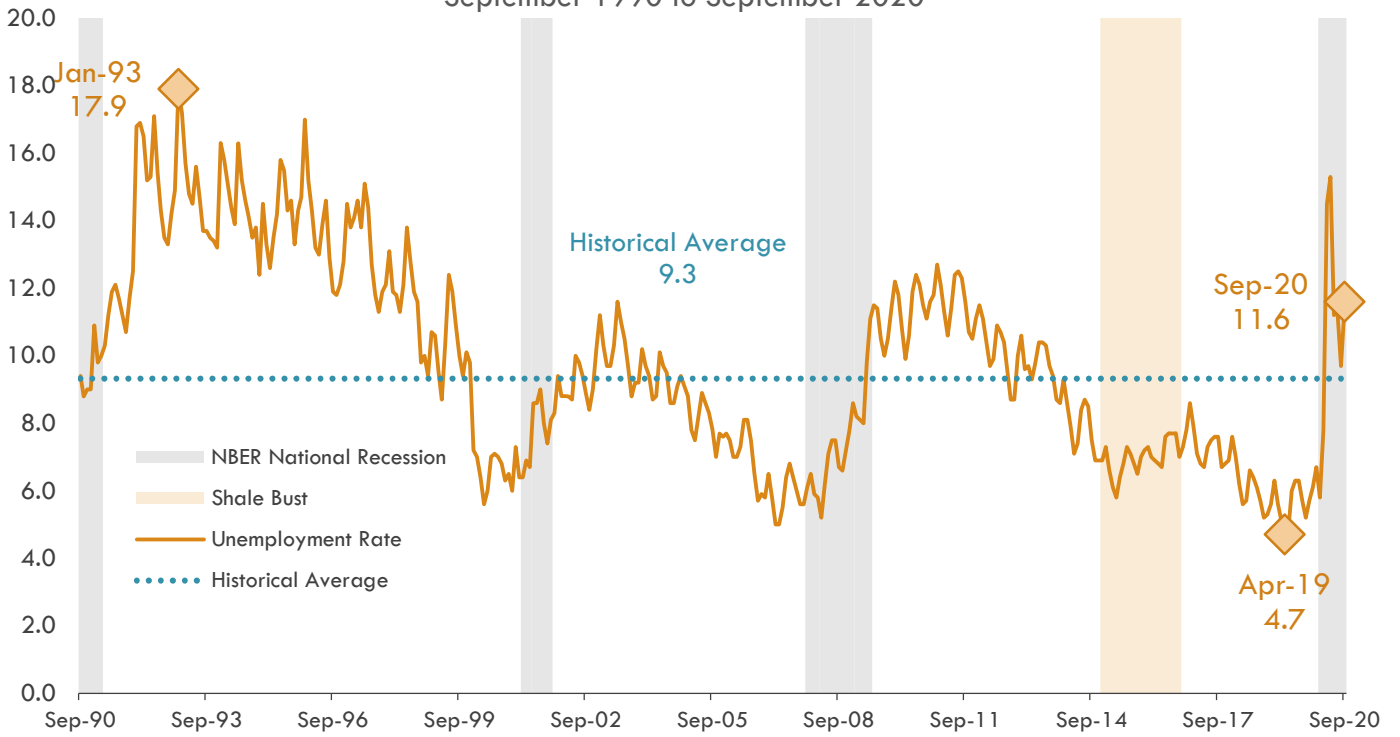
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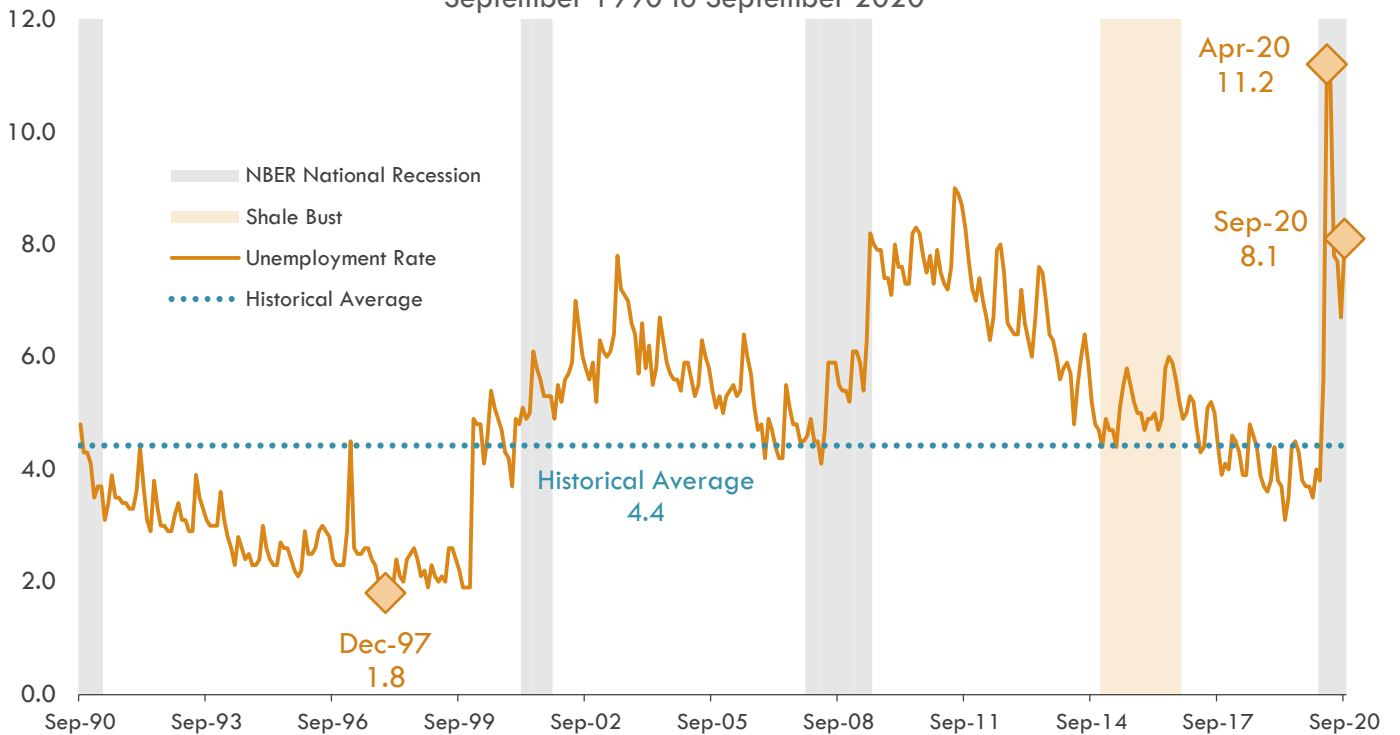
Matagorda County: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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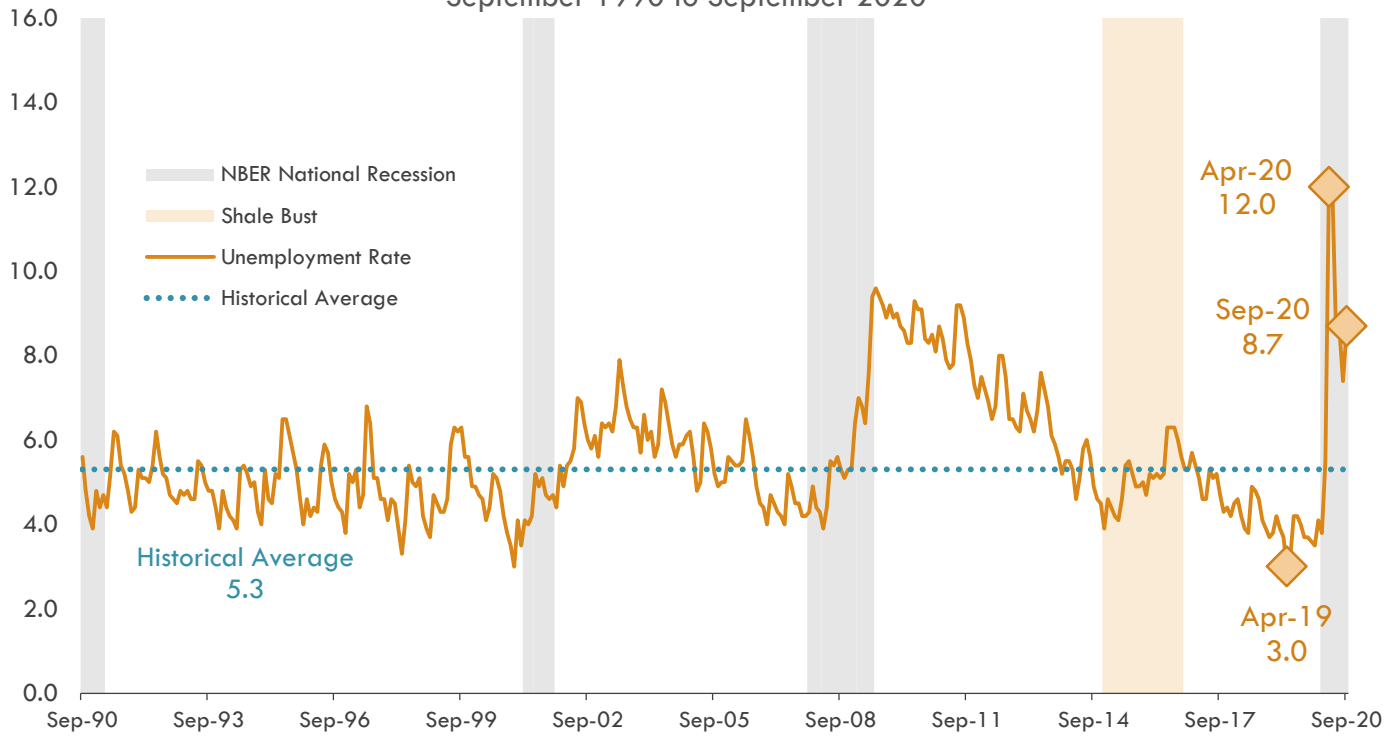
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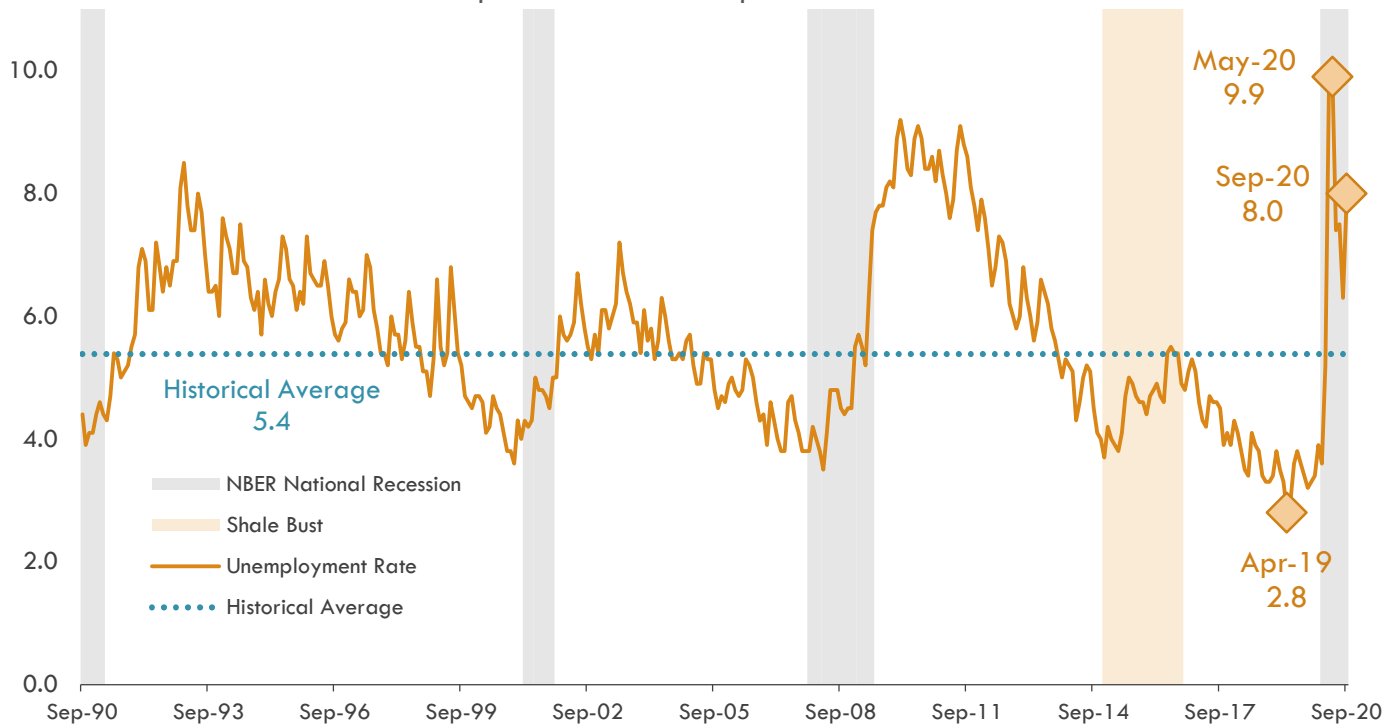
Waller County: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 1990 to September 2020



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Wharton County: Unemployment Rate (NSA) September 1990 to September 2020

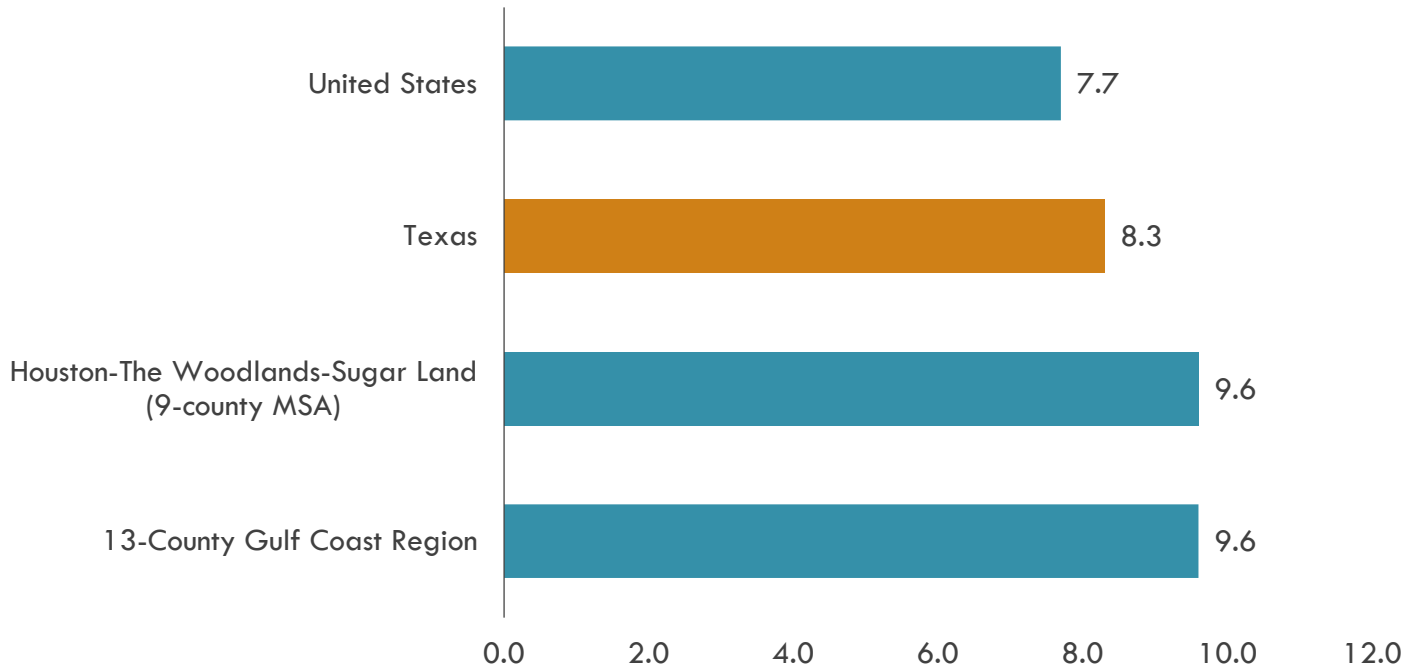


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Unemployment Rates: Houston MSA, Texas, U.S.

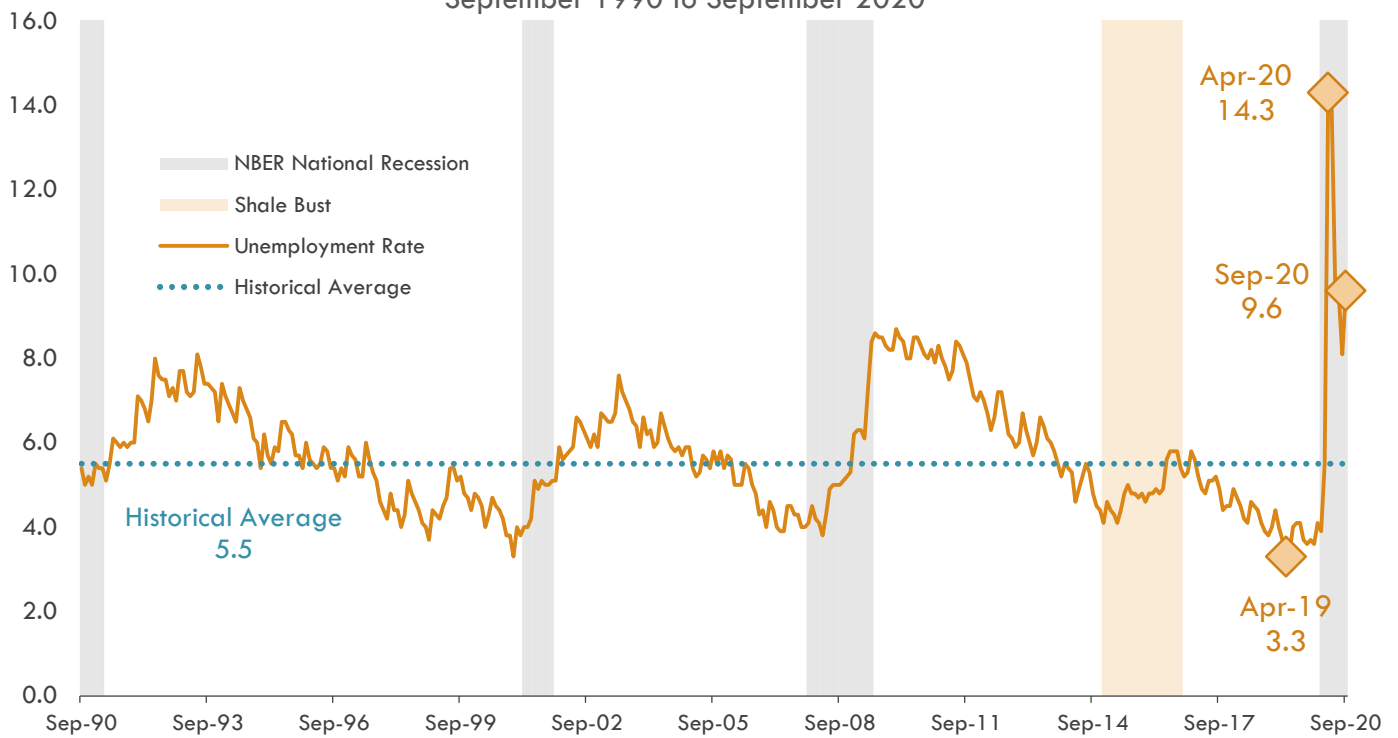
United States, Texas, 13-County Gulf Coast Region & Houston MSA Unemployment Rates
September 2020 (NSA)



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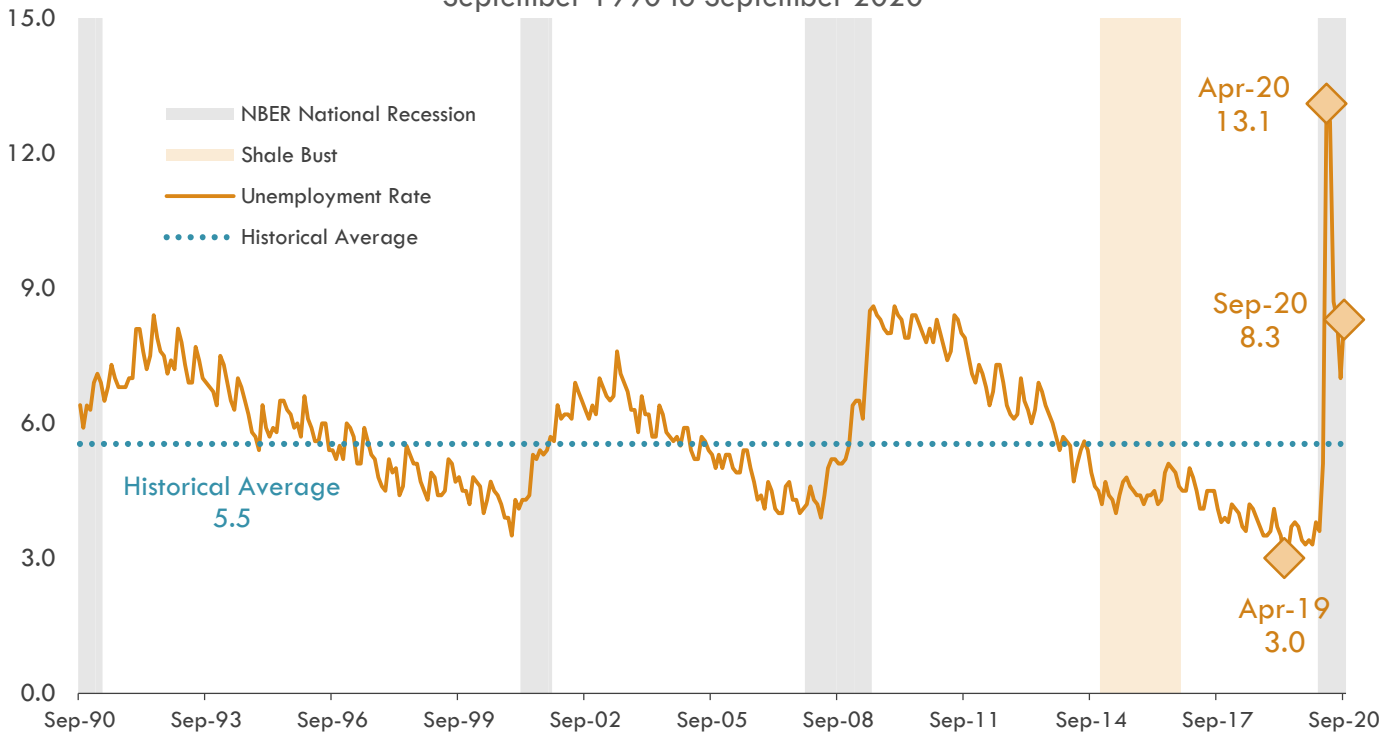
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land MSA: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
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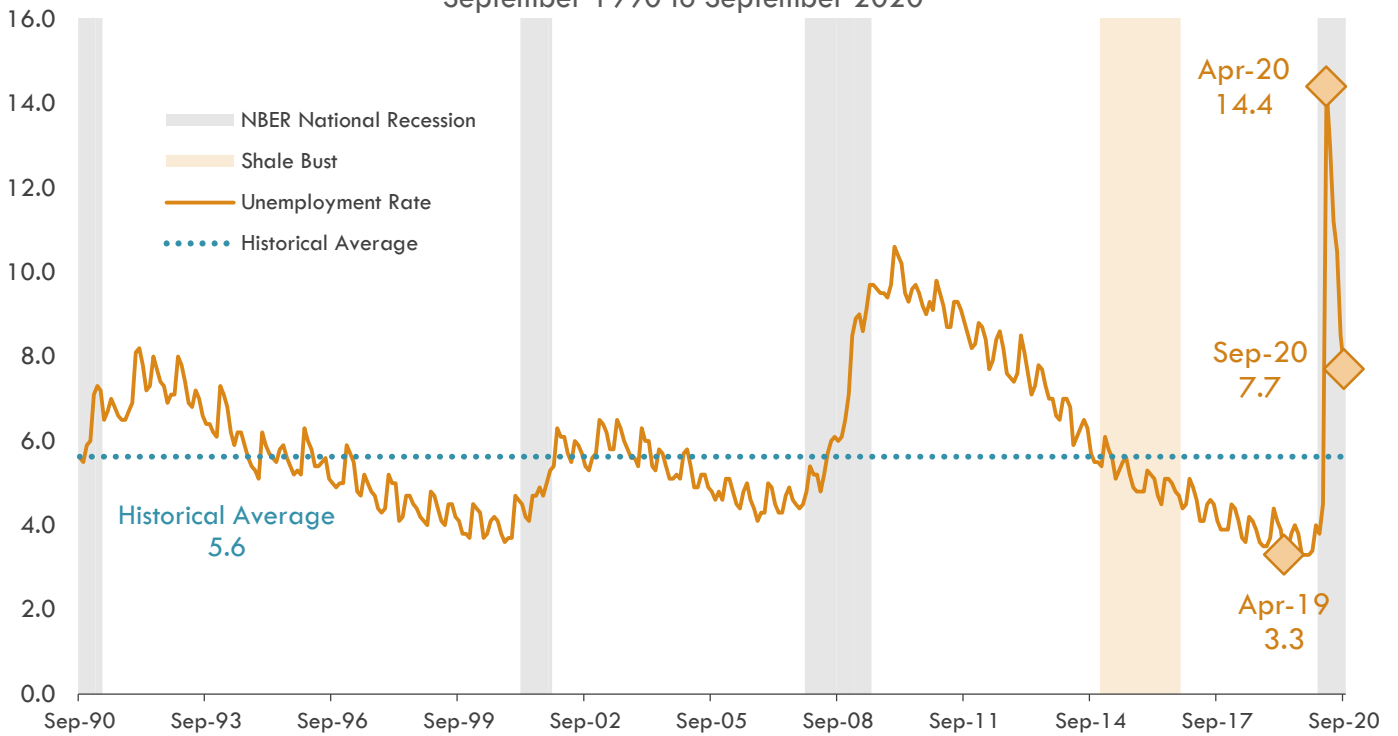
Texas Statewide: Unemployment Rate (NSA)
September 1990 to September 2020



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