

# Civilian Labor Force

## Houston, Dallas and Austin Metros

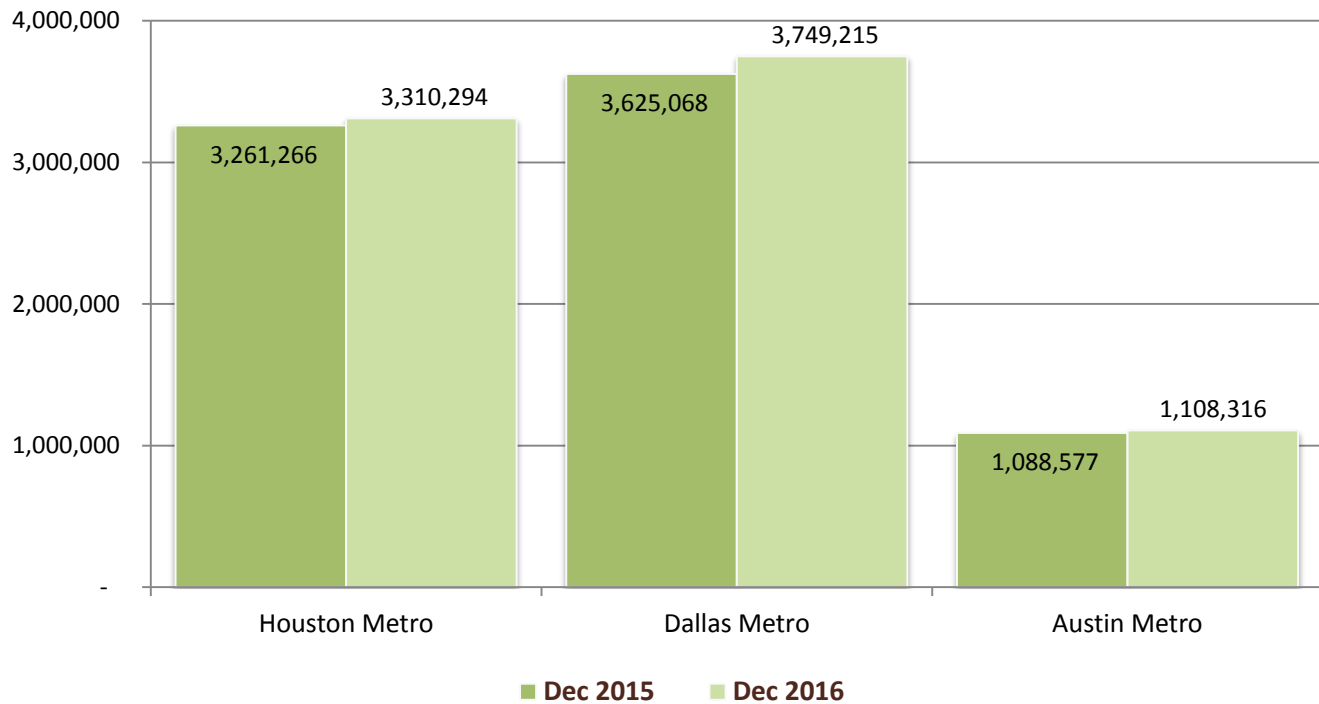


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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

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- The total Labor Force in Houston Metro for December 2016 was 3,310,294, which is an increase of 49,028 persons from December 2015.
- Houston Metro's unemployment rate was 5.3% in December 2016 (175,315 persons).
- The unemployment rate for Dallas and Austin Metros was 3.7% and 3.2% respectively.
- *Note: The data is for Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land MSA, Dallas-Fort Worth-Arlington MSA and Austin-Round Rock MSA and the data refer to place of residence. Data refer to place of residence.*
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