**Major Employment Centers**

With Distance and Direction of Worker Commute

1. **ALLIANCE**
   - Total Jobs: 18,765
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 32.4%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 39.6%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.9%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 15.9%

2. **DOWNTOWN FORT WORTH**
   - Total Jobs: 28,926
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 30.6%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 40.2%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 15.3%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 13.9%

3. **DALLAS NORTH TOLLWAY**
   - Total Jobs: 150,901
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 30.9%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 30.4%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 16.3%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 12.4%

4. **LAS COLINAS**
   - Total Jobs: 121,551
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 32.7%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 34.8%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.5%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 11.1%

5. **DFW AIRPORT NORTH**
   - Total Jobs: 106,403
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 42.7%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 41.6%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.3%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 11.4%

6. **LBJ CORRIDOR**
   - Total Jobs: 87,765
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 32.4%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 39.6%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.9%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 15.9%

7. **GREAT SOUTHWEST**
   - Total Jobs: 92,852
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 32.6%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 40.1%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 12.3%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 13.9%

8. **DALLAS DOWNTOWN-UPTOWN**
   - Total Jobs: 163,427
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 30.1%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 43.8%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.3%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 15.2%

9. **TELECOM CORRIDOR**
   - Total Jobs: 95,841
   - Distance to Job:
     - Less than 10 miles: 30.1%
     - 10 to 24 miles: 43.6%
     - 25 to 50 miles: 11.1%
     - Greater than 50 miles: 15.1%

10. **SOUTHERN DALLAS INLAND PORT**
    - Total Jobs: 21,717
    - Distance to Job:
      - Less than 10 miles: 32.7%
      - 10 to 24 miles: 33.3%
      - 25 to 50 miles: 16.9%
      - Greater than 50 miles: 11.1%

Where People Live

**Population Density**

*Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Center for Economic Studies (data based on 2019 employment estimates)*

### Radar charts explained

The U.S. Census Bureau’s home/work census blocks to depict geographic patterns related to the workforce. Mapping commute flows, for example, can help employers determine where potential workers live, as well as how far they might be willing to travel for work. Radar images dynamically communicate several important aspects about worker commute patterns.

Using Dallas Downtown-Uptown as an employment center example, the radar indicates primary and secondary cardinal directions from which a worker travels to a job, and the distance traveled as determined by the color of each pie piece. The size of each pie piece indicates the volume of workers who commute from that direction and distance as indicated by the dashed concentric circles marked in hundreds of thousands of people. For instance, the greatest number of downtown workers live north of Dallas, while the greatest percentage (42 percent) reside between 10 and 24 miles away.

**Talent | Labor Supply**

Employers in Dallas and Fort Worth draw from a well-educated and skilled workforce throughout the 11-county region. A robust network of interstate highways, state highways, tollways, and public transit options makes it easy for workers to navigate the area, while keeping commute times low for major employment centers in and around the Dallas-Fort Worth central business districts.

The region’s relatively low cost of living allows employers to tap into a strong workforce, no matter where they base their operations. For employees, the wide distribution of jobs means they can select from a variety of communities in which to live and enjoy the lifestyle that best fits their needs—whether the preference is a well-established neighborhood, a new, fast-growing community, or a small town in a rural setting.

Approximately three-quarters of the region’s 7.8 million residents are working age. From this base, employers can tap into a civilian labor force of 4.3 million people, a workforce size surpassed only by the much larger Chicago, Los Angeles, and New York metro areas.