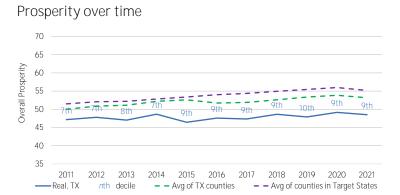
Real, TX: Overall Prosperity 48.5 (9th decile*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - TX (1 to 254) 2021
Overall Prosperity	47.2	MW	48.5	9	v 2	221
Inclusive Societies	58.2	Mm_	53.3	6	▼ 2	78
Safety and Security	91.3	\\ _	74.6	4	▼ 3	59
of Personal Freedom	40.3		43.0	9		218
	57.1	~	51.4	6	v 2	1
Social Capital	44.1		44.3	8	v 1	182
Open Economies	37.3		42.7	9	1	246
Business Environment	38.6		38.2	9	▼ 1	214
Infrastructure	31.5	~~~	33.5	9	1	208
Economic Quality	41.7		56.5	5	^ 2	219
Empowered People	46.0	~~~	49.5	8		173
Living Conditions	45.0	~	54.1	9		183
Health	45.3		48.1	7	1	139
Education	39.3	WW	41.3	9	▼ 1	204
Natural Environment	54.6		54.5	5	v 2	74

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Real, TX (9th decile*): Pillar and ele	ment scores					
	Overall Prosperity	US Counties Decile	TX Rank	۸٥	Overall Prosperity	US Counties Decile TX Rank
Safety and Security	91.3 10-yr trend 2021 74.6	2021 10-yr decile chng.	²⁰²¹	Personal Freedom	2011 10-yr trend 2021 40.3 43.0	2021 10-yr decille chng. 2021 9 218
	1 -				7	
Mass Killings and Injuries 15% Violent Crime 50%	100.0 100.0	2 7 1	1	Agency 30%	54.3 56.7	6 1 1
Violent Crime 50% Property Crime 35%	92.8 84.4	2 ▼ 1 6 ▼ 5	46 112	Freedom of Association and Speech 15% Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	39.0 36.6 13.0 13.7	
Property Crime 35%	65.5 49.7	0 • 5	112	Social Tolerance 30%	49.6	
				Social Iolerance 30%	49.6	10 1 219
	Overall Prosperity	US Counties Decile	TX Rank		Overall Prosperity	US Counties Decile TX Rank
Governance	57.1 10-yr trend 2021 51.4	2021 10-yr decile chng. 6 ▼ 2	2021	Social Capital	2011 10-yr trend 2021 44.1 44.3	2021 10-yr decile chng. 2021 8
Political Accountability 30%	52.2 55.4	7 🔻 3	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	53.3 57.8	8 🔻 2 196
Rule of Law 35%	65.0 52.0	5 🔻 1	1	Social Networks 25%	21.7 28.1	7 📤 2 45
Government Integrity 35%	53.3 47.4	6 ▼ 2	1	Institutional Trust 20%	62.1 62.1	4 39
				Civic and Social Participation 30%	43.1 34.7	6 🔻 2 79
4	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile 2021 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	~	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile TX Rank 2021 10-yr decile chng. 2021
Business Environment	38.6 38.2	9 • 1	214	Infrastructure	31.5 33.5	9 • 1 208
Financing Ecosystems 40%	13.1	9 — .	214	Communications 40%	12.2 — 12.2	9 195
Domestic Market Contestability 30%	49.8 51.6	4 📤 2	1	Resources 25%	38.3 46.3	8 2 159
Burden of Regulation 10%	43.5 37.1	4	1	Transport 35%	48.7 48.7	7 - 207
Labor Market Flexibility 10%	74.4 74.2	2 = .	1			
Price Distortions 10%	66.3 64.6	6 ▼ 4	1			
	<u> </u>					
· C	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile 2021 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021			
Economic Quality	41.7 56.5	5 📤 2	219			
Fiscal Sustainability 25%	35.5 48.9	8	241			
Productivity and Competitiveness 25%	56.8 74.9	3	177			
Dynamism 20%	61.0 58.6	4 ▼ 1	135			
Labor Force Engagement 30%	21.3 46.2	7 🔺 2	140			
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^	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile 2021 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	\sim	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile TX Rank 2021 10-yr decile chng. 2021
Living Conditions	45.0 54.1	9	183	Health	45.3 48.1	7 • 1 139
Material Resources 25%	44.0 44.4	9 = .	226	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	70.3 67.5	2 - 50
Nutrition 15%	37.3 40.6	10 🔻 2	243	Preventative Interventions 15%	31.6 36.8	8 46
Water Services 15%	77.6 80.1	5 ▼ 1	58	Care Systems 15%	17.2 41.4	8 1 50
Shelter 15%	50.4 53.7	8 🔻 1	120	Mental Health 15%	69.6 63.7	3 1 102
Connectedness 15%	2.4 50.0	9 📤 1	219	Physical Health 20%	46.8 42.4	6 \vartriangle 1 99
Protection from Harm 15%	59.0 62.1	5 🔺 1	57	Longevity 20%	38.4 40.9	10 - 246
\Diamond	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile 2021 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	Ø	Overall Prosperity 2011 10-yr trend 2021	US Counties Decile TX Rank 2021 10-yr decile chng. 2021
Education	39.3 41.3	9 🔻 1	204	Natural Environment	54.6	5 🔻 2 74
Pre-Primary Education 5%	24.9 66.4	2 📤 7	12	Emissions 25%	33.3 27.8	10 🔻 1 234
Primary Education 20%	45.1 36.9	10 🔻 2	227	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	80.1 80.6	2 - 10
Secondary Education 25%	47.0 46.6	10 ▼ 2	242	Forest, Land and Soil 20%	45.4 50.6	4 35
Tertiary Education 25%	33.4 34.9	8 = -	174	Freshwater 20%	83.4 84.0	1 48
Adult Skills 25%	35.6 40.8	7	124	Preservation Efforts 10%	4.7 4.7	7 1
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cour Decile 2011	le		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Con Dec 2011	unties ile
Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	100.0	10-yr trend	100.0	1		Violent Crime (2nd)			50%	92.8	~~~	84.4	1	202
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	0.0	\	0.0	1	
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	
Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	29.8		173.8	2	
Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1									
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cour Decil 2011	nties le 2021									
Property Crime (6th)			35%	85.5	7	49.7	1	6									
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	149.2		492.5	2	7									
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	29.8	\mathbb{V}	57.9	1	4									
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	119.3	Ty	579.4	1	3									
Identily theft	FTC	reports/100,000 population	0.5	495.4		495.4	8	7									

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co Der 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Agency (6th)			30%	54.3		56.7	7	6	Freedom of Association and Speech (5th)			15%	39.0	10-yr trend	36.6	6
Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Statewide free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	1.31		0.79	7	7	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	1,130.0		1,010.0	6	5	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.010	$\overline{}$	0.034	3
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	86.7		46.2	2	4	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	7
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	3.1		3.7	7	6								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co Der	ile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Absence of Legal Discrimination (7th)			25%	13.0	10-yr trend	13.7	2011	2021 7	Social Tolerance (10th)			30%	49.6	10-yr trend	56.9	9 10
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.5	1	2	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	233.2	W	231.7	10
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	6	6	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	23.0		23.0	4
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding. 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	4	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	48.0	/_	68.0	5
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding. 0-2	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	3	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	67.0	$\overline{}$	70.0	4
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	MAP	coding. 0-9	0.5	1.5		2.0	5	6								
Statewide LGBT non-discrimination laws	MAP	coding. 0-11	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6								

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co De 2011	unties cile 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US 201
Political Accountability (7th)			30%	52.2	V	55.4	4	7	Rule of Law (5th)			35%	65.0	-√	52.0	
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.63	~	0.71	5	5	Statewide Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank 1-51	1.5	16.0		33.0	
Statewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	21.0	/	26.5	7	7	Statewide judicial integrity	ATRF	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5	_/\/	0.0	
statewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	1.0		0.8	1	6								
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	4	4								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co De 2011			!	!	!	!			!
Government Integrity (6th)			35%	53.3	1	47.4	4	6								
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	9.0		11.5	4	6								
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	8.0	/_	7.0	5	4								
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.3943	V~	0.1966	5	4								
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	27.0		39.0	5	8								
Statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	41.4		41.4	4	4								
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	91.0	_/	82.0	1	3								

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Cou Deci 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Count Decile 2011	
Personal and Family Relationships (8th)			25%	53.3	7	57.8	6		Social Networks (7th)			25%	21.7		28.1	9	7
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	3.3	N	2.1	3	1	Favors between neighbors		percentage		29.8		29.8	5	5
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	25.4		34.8	5	8	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	48.9		48.9	8	7
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	54.6		42.6	7	9	Trust in people in neighborhood		percentage		45.8		45.8	7	7
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	90.2		94.4	6	7	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	46.8		54.7	8	4
Shared meals with household members		percentage		85.6		85.6	6	6	Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	8	8
Frequently hear from family and friends	0	percentage	1.0	85.6		85.6	4	5									
Close friends		average		5.7		5.7	6	6									
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou Deci	inties		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Count Decile	ties
Institutional Trust (4th)			20%	62.1	10-yr trend	62.1	2011	2021	Civic and Social Participation (6th)			30%	43.1	10-yr trend	34.7	2011	6
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage	1.0	64.3		64.3	7		Statewide volunteer rate	Census	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.31	1	0.30	5	5
Confidence in the media	О	percentage	1.0	56.5		56.5	5	5	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	31.0	Λ_{\sim}	26.3	5	7
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	1	1	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	42.1	~~~	64.3	2	2
									Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	20.7		17.8	5	7
									Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	1.83	1	1.56	8	8
									Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	1.8		6.9	1	2
									(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.903	7	0.294	1	6
									Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	3.3		3.3	3	3
									Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	20.2		20.2	6	6
									Sport or recreation organization participation	o	percentage	0.5	10.9		10.9	4	4
									School, neighborhood or community association participation	0	percentage	0.5	14.4		14.4	6	5

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Financing Ecosystems (9th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021 12.9	US Counties Decile 2011 2021 9 9	Domestic Market	Source	Unit	Weight	²⁰¹¹	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Countie Decile 2011 20
/enture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		0.0	9 9	Contestability (4th)	Inst Just	number	1.5	37.0		37.0	2
lumber of venture capital deals	NVCA	number	1.0	0.0		0.0		Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	S S	1.0	253.0		253.0	6
ussets under management	NVCA	/1,000,000 \$ /capita	1.0	0.0		0.0		Statewide occupational licensing training cost			1.0	341.0		341.0	4
/enture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		0.0		Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	days	1.0	10.0		10.0	3
lew foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	820.4	Λ,	720.8		Statewide age requirements for incerse Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	-0.028	~	-0.021	8
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square	1.5	0.004		0.004	9 9	Statewide regulation density index	Calo	ilidex scole	1.0	-0.028	اس	-0.021	0
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counti Decile 2011 2
Burden of Regulation (4th)			10%	43.5	W_	37.1	4 4	Labor Market Flexibility (2nd)			10%	74.4	√ √	74.2	2
tatewide Federal Regulation and State	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.11	\mathcal{M}	1.18	6 6	Statewide collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	5.6	W^	5.5	2
tatewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.535		1.539	3 3	Statewide employee health insurance cost	НЈК	\$	0.5	4,251.0		5,455.0	6
					•			Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.4	"لرب	0.7	7
								Statewide minimum wage	DOL	\$	1.0	7.3		7.3	3
							US Countles								
	Source		Unit		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021								
rice Distortions (6th)			10%	66.3	ン	64.6	2 6								
tatewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.12	~	0.08	1 1								
itatewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	4.68		3.95	6 8								

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co Der			Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	ator contain	US Coun Decile
				2011		2021	2011	2021	2 (211)				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011
Communications (9th)			40%	12.2		12.2	9	9	Resources (8th)			25%	38.3	<u>/' '</u>	46.3	10
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	26.6	—	26.6	8	8	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.23	\\\\-	0.03	7
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	14.4		14.4	5	5	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0155	M	0.0166	4
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	32.5		32.5	9	9	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.052		0.061	9
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	134.7	- /~	132.4	9
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	1.38		1.40	9
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Der	unties cile		<u> </u>			<u> </u>			<u> </u>
Transport (7th)			35%	²⁰¹¹ 48.7	10-yr trend	48.7	2011 7	7								
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number /square mile	0.5	0.0	—	0.0	3	3								
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1								
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	7	7								
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.1		0.1	6	6								
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	0.1		0.1	9	9								
Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	0.00		0.00	1	1								
Distance to airport	BTS	km	1.0	135.1		135.1	10	10								

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend					Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Fiscal Sustainability (8th)			25%	35.5	\\\\	48.9	8	8	Productivity and Competitiveness (3rd)			25%	56.8	مراتر	74.9	3 3
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	7.0		8.0	5	1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	2,868.8	M	4,062.3	6 !
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	85.3	V	72.6	1	2	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	445.4		550.3	9 8
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	0.90		0.90	9	10	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	66.5	الرمر _	75.4	2
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$ /capita	1.0	-472.7		891.5	1	1								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	58.3	\sqrt{V}	51.2	2	4								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	#####	#	#####	9	9								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou Deci	inties		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Dynamism (4th)			20%	2011 61.0	10-yr trend	58.6	2011	2021	Labor Force Engagement (7th)			30%	2011	10-yr trend	2021 46.2	9
		number /1,000			\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \									~~		
Startup concentration	Kauffman	businesses	0.5	109.7	\	90.9	4	1	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	9.1	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	6.7	6
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	5.21	V	5.61	3	4	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	33.7	/	0.0	10
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	77.3		79.8	4	4	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	34.0	$\sqrt{}$	36.0	1 :
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	94.1	$\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{L}}$	79.5	3	6	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	5.2	/_/	5.0	4
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	7.5	608.5	W.	564.1	1	7	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	46.7	\mathcal{N}	43.4	10 10
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	0.0		0.0	7	7								
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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021				Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Material Resources (9th)			25%	44.0		44.4		Nutrition (10th)			15%	37.3	W	40.6	8 10
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	35.4	-	39.7	9 10	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	82.7	W	80.1	7 10
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	21.3		24.7	8 10	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	93.6	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	95.1	8 8
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	9.65	\bot \wedge	9.35	9 9	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage		55.29	$-\sqrt{}$	56.55	7 7
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	41.5		41.5	7 7	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	77.4	~~	75.2	4 9
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	11.4		9.3	8 7								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Water Services (5th)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 77.6	10-yr trend	80.1	2011 2021	Shelter (8th)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 50.4	10-yr trend	53.7	7 8
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	93.8	4	93.1	6 8	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000 population	0.5	15.3	/	7.0	7 6
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score, 0 or 1	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	63.2		57.7	6 8
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	98.25	~/~	98.75	9 7	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	1.22	W	1.61	4 4
										income tenants					
					Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021						Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Connectedness (9th)			15%	2.4		50.0	10 9	Protection from Harm (5th)			15%	59.0	/V - V	62.1	6 5
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	2.0		73.4	10 8	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000 population number /	1.0	15.9) ~		4 3
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	48.8		53.8	10 10	Traffic deaths	CDC	100.000 population	1.0	23.0	//~	21.7	7 8

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Preventative Interventions 31.6 **M** 67.5 15% 70.3 2 15% 36.8 8 (8th) Obesity Smoking CHR 1.5 14.9 20.8 2 Adult doctor visits BRFSS 69.2 percentage DUH Nat Srvy 6.0 4.8 Alcohol use disorder 0.5 DUH Nat Srvy 5 2.41 2.22 Illicit drug use disorder 0.5 Statewide child medical visits NSCH percentage 0.5 85.6 64.8 6 3.9 48.4 Pain reliever misuse 0.5 3.9 4 4 Statewide HPV immunizations NCIRD percentage 1.0 32.9 BRFSS 74.1 Statewide child immunization 1.0 58.6 67.8 Statewide child dentist visits NSCH 41.4 9 17.2 69.6 63.7 15% Mental Health (3rd) 15% NSCH 1.0 62.0 52.2 Statewide child mental health access deaths / 100,00 9.9 CHR 0.5 37.4 27.0 10 9.5 Adults with no health care coverage percentage 3.47 Serious mental illness 4.14 Statewide disability weighted prevalence from Hospital rating 81.6 79.3 IMHE 1.0 2,155.6 2,088.3 Preventable hospitalizations for medicare CHR 7,892.7 3,214.0 Self-reported mental health not good 16.1 Longevity (10th) 40.9 20% 46.8 42.4 7 20% 38.4 10 Diabetes CDC 1.0 8.3 5.6 5 deaths / 100,000 15-64 population 15-64 mortality 620.9 620.9 10 Statewide disability weighted prevalence of years / 100,000 population deaths / 100,000 population 0.5 410.9 428.2 Maternal mortality 0.38 0.38 infectious diseases 53.8 Self-reported poor physical health CHR 11.5 15.4 Mortality risk 65-85 56.5 percentage

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Real, TX: Education (9th decile	*): Eleme	ent and indic	cator sco	res									Italies Indies	tor contain	s imputed values
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Pre-Primary Education (2nd)			5%	²⁰¹¹ 24.9	10-yr trend	66.4	9 2	Primary Education (10th)			20%	²⁰¹¹ 45.1	10-yr trend	36.9	8 10
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	32.8	~~	70.0	9 1	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	3.63	7/1-	2.52	7 10
Statewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	index score,	1.0	2.0	7	3.0	8 8		NAEP	scale score,	1.5	147.6	Y. Y.	154.7	7
		0-10						English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	0-300 grade level	2.0	3.86	The	1.30	6 10
								Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	90.5		98.8	10
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr_trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Secondary Education (10th)			25%	47.0	. A	46.6		Tertlary Education (8th)			25%	33.4	~~	34.9	8 8
Math grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	6.41		8.46	10 4	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	15.3	~~	15.3	9 9
Statewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.0	150.5		156.2	5 5	Statewide college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	49.2	~~~	52.6	5 4
English, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	7.90	-/\	4.45	5 10	Statewide university quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.224	$\neg \land$	0.222	5 4
High school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	53.8	1	74.4	10 10	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	39.1		39.1	5 5
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	100.0	hw	96.1	1 7								
							US Counties								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021								
Adult Skills (7th)			25%	35.6	Δ,	40.8	7 7								
Adult population with at least a high school diploma	Census	percentage	1.0	77.6	~~	83.3	8 7								
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	19.4	$\sqrt{}$	17.4	4 7								

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Real, TX: Natural Environment	Jan dec	. ne). Eleme r	rt ariu III	aicatui	-300,62								Italics: Indica	tor contain	s imputed va
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Count Decile 2011
missions (10th)			25%	33.3	lo-yr deid	27.8		Exposure to Air Pollution (2nd)			25%	80.1	- J	80.6	2
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.46		0.18	9 9	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	4
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.37		0.34	9 10	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	0.37	$-\sqrt{}$	0.27	1
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.35	/	0.44	10 10	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.010	7	0.015	2
iulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.833		0.833	7 7	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.19		0.26	10 10								
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Cour Decil
orest, Land and Soil (4th)			20%	²⁰¹¹ 45.4	10-yr trend	50.6	2011 2021	Freshwater (1st)			20%	83.4	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 84.0	2011
oxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	57.7		57.7	2
tatewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	1.80		1.84	5 5	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	56.4		56.4	3
tatewide compliant underground storage	EPA	percentage	1.0	72.0	~~~	84.0	3 1	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.31		0.22	5
statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000	1.0	39.4	·	31.3	3 4	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00	essel.	0.00	1
ree canopy cover	NLCD	population percentage	1.0	40.539	4	40.084	3 3								
Vetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	1.5		1.5	9 9								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties Decile					l			<u> </u>
Preservation Efforts (7th)			10%	2011 4.7	10-yr trend	2021 4.7	2011 2021 7 7								
statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.8		0.8	5 5								
tatewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	0.8		0.8	7 7								
statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	1.7		1.7	6 6								

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