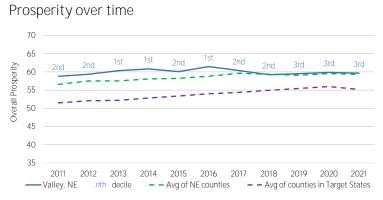
Valley, NE: Overall Prosperity 59.6 (3rd decile*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - NE (1 to 93) 2021
Overall Prosperity	58.8	M~	59.6	3	▼ 1	59
Inclusive Societies	73.5	~	69.8	1		48
Safety and Security	97.2		83.8	2	▼ 1	51
Personal Freedom	61.1		62.6	1	1	4
Governance	74.2	M	70.1	1		1
Social Capital	61.3	\	62.6	2		50
Open Economies	45.7	<u></u>	48.8	6		66
Business Environment	46.0	~_	42.1	7	▼ 2	73
Infrastructure	41.6		42.4	7		49
Economic Quality	49.4	<i></i>	61.8	3	1	53
Empowered People	57.2	~~ <u></u>	60.4	3		35
Living Conditions	60.6		72.7	2	^ 2	22
Health	63.7	/m	65.4	2		29
	58.0	1	57.5	3	▼ 1	48
Natural Environment	46.6		46.2	9		64

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Valley, NE (3rd decile*): Pillar and	elemer	nt scores											
	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021	^0	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US Co.	intles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021
Safety and Security	97.2	2	83.8	2	▼ 1	51	Personal Freedom	61.1		62.6	1	1	4
Mass Killings and Injuries 15%	100.0		100.0	1		1	Agency 30%	65.2		68.0	3	△ 1	1
Violent Crime 509	100.0	, ,,,,	87.2	2	▼ 1	45	Freedom of Association and Speech 15%	60.0		40.0	3	▼ 2	1
Property Crime 359	91.9		71.9	3	▼ 2	57	Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	46.3		51.5	2	▲ 1	1
	İ						Social Tolerance 30%	69.9	/	77.7	2	1	4
	j												
				110	Counties Decile	NE Rank					110.0	estles Deelle	NE Rank
←	2011	. 1	2021	2021	10-yr decile chng.	2021	PRS Carried Country	2011	10-yr trend	2021		10-yr decile chng.	2021
Governance	74.2	7 1	70.1	1		1	Social Capital	61.3		62.6	2		50
Political Accountability 309			76.9	3	▼ 1 ▼ 1	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	69.9	~~,	76.4	1	1	8
Rule of Law 359 Government Integrity 359		~ ~ ~	73.3	3	▼ 1 	1	Social Networks 25% Institutional Trust 20%	57.2 64.9		59.7 64.9	3		1
Government integrity 357	00.2	٠	70.0			·	Civic and Social Participation 30%	55.2	1~	51.8	3	▼ 2	85
									~				
4	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021	m m	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US Coi 2021	intles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021
Business Environmen	46.0	$^{\circ}$ $^{\sim}$	42.1	7	▼ 2	73	Infrastructure	41.6	M	42.4	7		49
Financing Ecosystems 409	20.8	\sim	8.0	10	▼ 2	73	Communications 40%	20.9		20.9	8		50
Domestic Market Contestability 309	69.5		72.9	1		1	Resources 25%	79.8	M	81.8	1		32
Burden of Regulation 109	33.2	~_	35.4	7	<u>^</u> 2	1	Transport 35%	38.1		38.8	10		68
Labor Market Flexibility 109	70.4		57.9	7	▼ 1	1							
Price Distortions 109	65.1	\checkmark	77.1	5		1							
	-	Overall Prosperity		US	Counties Decile	NE Rank		<u> </u>					
Economic Quality	49.4	10-yr trend	61.8	3	10-yr decile chng.	²⁰²¹ 53							
Fiscal Sustainability 259			62.6	3	▼ 2	39							
Productivity and Competitiveness 259		- 4	64.4	5		44							
Dynamism 209	39.1	1	41.9	9		58							
Labor Force Engagement 309	47.0		72.4	1	<u>^</u> 2	24							
\triangle	2011			2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.		\sim	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	intles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	
Living Conditions	60.6	السميد ف	72.7	2	^ 2	22	Health	63.7	J.M.	65.4	2		29
Material Resources 259			70.7	4		48	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	66.6	1	63.0	3	= .	28
Nutrition 15%			63.3	5	▼ 2	54	Preventative Interventions 15%	43.6	~~V	53.6	4	A 1	10
Water Services 15% Shelter 15%		-	94.2 74.2	1 2	A 9	7 37	Care Systems 15% Mental Health 15%	53.6 73.9	~~~	71.9	3	- - 1	19 77
Connectedness 15%		7	67.7	7	▼ 1	46	Physical Health 20%	67.6	1 M	64.1	3		54
Protection from Harm 15%		W	67.2	4	▼ 2	16	Longevity 20%	72.8	M	73.8	2		24
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	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021	Ø	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021		intles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	NE Rank 2021
Education	58.0		57.5	3	▼ 1	48	Natural Environment	46.6	\sim	46.2	9		64
Pre-Primary Education 5%	38.5	1	39.3	8		77	Emissions 25%	53.8		44.5	7	▼ 3	50
Primary Education 209	64.5	~\\^\	66.9	3		48	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	71.1	W	71.1	4		63
Secondary Education 259	80.4	m	71.5	3	▼ 2	55	Forest, Land and Soil 20%	28.4	~~~	35.0	10		63
Tertiary Education 259	41.6	ha	38.5	6	▼ 2	31	Freshwater 20%	46.7		49.8	9	1	56
Adult Skills 259	50.4	~~	58.5	3		39	Preservation Efforts 10%	3.1		3.1	10		1
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Deci 2011	ile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Dec 2011	
Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	100.0		100.0	1		Violent Crime (2nd)			50%	100.0		87.2	1	
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	
errorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		96.2	1	
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									
							US Cou										
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021		2021									
Property Crime (3rd)			35%	91.9		71.9	1	3									
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	0.0		216.5	1	3									
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	0.0	\ <u></u>	72.2	1	4									
arceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		505.1	1	3									
Identity theft	FTC	reports /100,000 population	0.5	134.9		134.9	4	2									

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Cor Dec 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Agency (3rd)			30%	65.2	✓	68.0	4	3	Freedom of Association and Speech (3rd)			15%	60.0	io-yi delid	40.0	1 3
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 2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.60	~~	0.62	4	5	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1 1
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	600.0		640.0	3	3	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.000		0.465	1 7
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	129.8	1	87.2	10	10	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	1 1
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	3.4		3.2	9	5								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cor Dec	ile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Absence of Legal Discrimination (2nd)			25%	²⁰¹¹ 46.3	10-yr trend	51.5	2011	2021	Social Tolerance (2nd)			30%	²⁰¹¹ 69.9	10-yr trend	77.7	3 2
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	5	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding,	1.0	1.0												
		0-1		1.0		1.0	1	1	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	24.6		24.6	6 6
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.5	2		Ethnic slur google traffic Statewide same sex marriage support	Google PRRI	index, 0-100 percentage	1.0 0.5	24.6 54.0	/	24.6 69.0	6 6
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato Cato	coding,									0-100					
sex prohibited Statewide affirmative action in public services	Cato	coding, 0-1 coding,	1.0	0.5		0.5	2		Statewide same sex marriage support Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	0-100 percentage	0.5	54.0		69.0	4 2
sex prohibited Statewide affirmative action in public services banned Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	Cato	coding, 0-1 coding, 0-2	1.0 0.5	0.5 2.0		0.5	2		Statewide same sex marriage support Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	0-100 percentage	0.5	54.0		69.0	4 2
sex prohibited Statewide affirmative action in public services banned Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood	Cato	coding. 0-1 coding. 0-2 coding. 0-9 coding.	1.0 0.5 0.5	0.5 2.0 1.5		0.5 2.0 2.0	2 1 5		Statewide same sex marriage support Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	0-100 percentage	0.5	54.0		69.0	4 2
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Dec 2011	tile 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	2011
Political Accountability (3rd)			30%	56.4	V	76.9	2	3	Rule of Law (3rd)			35%	80.5		61.0	
tatewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.69	V-V	0.84	4	3	Statewide Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank 1-51	1.5	14.0		27.0	
itatewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	22.4	~/^	26.5	5	7	Statewide judicial integrity	ATRF	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	
tatewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.7	7	9								
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1	1								
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Dec 2011									
Government Integrity (1st)			35%	83.2	74	73.3	1	1								
tatewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.0		8.0	1	3								
ratewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.0		7.0	1	4								
atewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.2120	V/-	0.1282	2	2								
atewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	5.0		10.0	1	2								
tatewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	58.7		58.7	1	1								

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Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-vr trend	2021	Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value	2021	Deci	
		25%	69.9	~	76.4	2	Social Networks (3rd)			25%	57.2		59.7	3	3
CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	3.4		2.7	5	Favors between neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	26.7		26.7	9	9
Census	percentage	1.0	14.7	7	10.3	1	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	56.9		56.9	6	5
CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	24.0		11.5	2	? Trust in people in neighborhood		percentage		70.9	—	70.9	1	1
NSCH	percentage	0.5	94.2		95.7	2	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	63.1	/	66.3	2	1
	percentage		92.9		92.9	1	Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	4	4
0	percentage	1.0	86.1		86.1	3									
	average		5.4	—	5.4	9									
Source	Unit	Weight		Valuo		US Counties		Source	Unit	Weight		Valuo		US Cou	
			2011 6.4.0	10-yr trend	2021 6.4. O	2011 202	Civic and Social Participation				2011 E.E. 2	10-yr trend	2021 E1 O	2011	2021
		20%	04.7		04.9	3	(3rd)		instances	30%	33.2	V,	31.0	'	3
0	percentage	1.0	71.0			3	Statewide volunteer rate	Census	/1,000 population	1.0	0.44	W	0.46	2	1
0	percentage	1.0	57.7		57.7	3	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	51.8	\ <u>\</u>	37.9	1	1
ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4	—	0.4	6	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	38.5	~~ /	56.3	6	9
							Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	23.5	\sim	24.2	3	2
							Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	2.02		2.15	6	3
							Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	2.3		6.8	1	4
							(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.703		0.238	2	8
							Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	3.1		3.1	3	3
							Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	23.8		23.8	4	4
							Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	15.6		15.6	1	1
							School, neighborhood or community	0		0.5	17.2		17.2	3	
	CDC Census CDC NSCH 0 0 Source	CDC Instances, 7,000 population Census percentage instances 7,000 female 15-19 population NSCH percentage 0 percentage 0 percentage Unit to percentage percentage percentage percentage percentage percentage percentage percentage percentage coding,	25% 25%	2011 25% 69.9	25% 69.9 1.0	25% 69.9 76.4 CDC Instances, 71.00 10 3.4 2.7 Census percentage 1.0 14.7 10.3 CDC female 15.19 10 24.0 11.5 NSCH percentage 0.5 94.2 95.7 0 percentage 0.5 94.2 95.7 0 percentage 1.0 86.1 86.1 Source Unit Weight 2011 Value 10-yr trend 2021 20% 64.9 64.9 0 percentage 1.0 71.0 71.0 0 percentage 1.0 75.7 57.7	25% 69.9 76.4 2 1 CDC Instances, 71.00 10 3.4 2.7 5 5 5 6 69.9 76.4 2 1 Census percentage 1.0 14.7 10.3 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1.5 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Source Unit Weight 2011 1991 broad 2021 2021 2021 2021 2021 2021 2021 202	Source Christ Weight 2001 100 14.7 10.3 1 11 20 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	Description	Decision Decision	Use Wedge 2011 Wedge 2021 Column	Source Control Contr	Chief Visign 201 Visign 20	

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 202	1	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	ator contain. 2021	US Counti Decile 2011 2
Financing Ecosystems (10th)			40%	20.8	1	8.0	8 1	Domestic Market			30%	69.5	1	72.9	1
enture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	2.7	W	0.0	8	9 Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	63.0		63.0	8
lumber of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	3.3		0.0	5	9 Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	\$	1.0	76.0		76.0	1
ssets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	3.3	7	0.0	8	8 Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	118.0	—	118.0	1
enture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.5	\setminus	0.0	5	6 Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	6.0		6.0	2
ew foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	69.3		48.1	8	9 Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	0.003	1	0.016	2
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.011		0.011	6	7							
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 202	1	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10_yr trend	2021	US Coun Decile 2011
urden of Regulation (7th)			10%	33.2	A / \	35.4		7 Labor Market Flexibility (7th)			10%	70.4	7	57.9	6
atewide Federal Regulation and State sterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.35	ML	1.33	10	9 Statewide collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	10.7	~~	8.0	7
atewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.336	1	1.326	2	2 Statewide employee health insurance cost	НЈК	\$	0.5	4,104.0	-	5,094.0	4
					***************************************			Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.0	~	1.0	2
								Statewide minimum wage	DOL	s	1.0	7.3	***	9.0	3
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	Source	Unit	Unit		Velue		US Counties								
origa Distortions (Eth)	Source		10%	2011 4 F 1	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 202	5							
rice Distortions (5th)				65.1	V	77.1									
atewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.14	1	0.09		3							
tatewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	4.82	~ `	4.87	6	6							

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cor Dec			Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	itor contain	ns imputed US Cou Dec
Communications (8th)			40%	2011 20.9		20.9	²⁰¹¹	2021	Resources (1st)			25%	²⁰¹¹ 79.8	10-yr trend	2021 81.8	2011
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	37.9		37.9	7	7	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.07		0.00	6
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	0.0		0.0	8	8	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0185	M	0.0192	3
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	53.7		53.7	8	8	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	12.028		6.944	1
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	65.8		65.8	2
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year		0.58		0.58	1
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Coi Dec									
Transport (10th)			35%	²⁰¹¹ 38.1	10-yr trend	38.8	2011 10	10								
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number /square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	9	9								
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	7.0		7.0	9	9								
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	6	6								
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	9	9								
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	0.3		0.3	8	8								
Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	3.42	لر	0.88	5	2								

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	Source			2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight	2011			US Coun Decile 2011	
Fiscal Sustainability (3rd)			25%	59.7	\wedge		1 3	Productivity and Competitiveness (5th)			25%	50.2	مسمسم	64.4	5	5
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	8.0		8.0	1 1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	6,952.4	<u>/</u>	7,728.7	2	i
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	84.2	$\sqrt{}$	74.3	3 1	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	1,549.6	\bigcap	1,852.7	2	
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	1.07	-\/	1.05	3 4	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	49.8	مرمر	58.2	8	
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$ /capita	1.0	-103.1	M	26.1	1 8	3								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	51.4	\\\	52.8	5 3	3								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	0.14	Λ	0.11	3 2									
	Source				Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Coun Decile 2011	inties ile 2021
Dynamism (9th)			20%	39.1	1	41.9	9 9	Labor Force Engagement (1st)			30%	47.0	/	72.4	3	1
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	83.2	_	61.7	9 9	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	4.4	/~	2.8	1	
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	4.07	M~	5.07	7 7	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	28.7	<u></u>	4.6	10	
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	79.8	M	78.9	1 7	7 Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	29.0	$\sqrt{}$	34.0	5	
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	64.2	1	80.4	8 5	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	3.2	$\sqrt{}$	3.0	1	
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	319.6	W	305.2	6 8	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	62.1	/	65.5	6	
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	0.0	A	0.0	7 7	,								
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			Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Material Resources (4th)			25%	67.7	√ √	70.7		Nutrition (5th)			15%	57.0	V	63.3	3 5
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	25.9	/	17.8	5 2	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	87.8	$\sqrt{}$	87.6	2
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	14.0	~/	9.4	4 2	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	95.2	W	95.7	2 5
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	2.61	$\overline{}$	4.27	1 3	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage		59.50	$-\int_{-\infty}^{\infty}$	61.07	4 3
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	38.2		38.2	5 5	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	76.6		80.0	6 5
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	6.9		7.4	4 5								
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2021	0. 1. (0. 1)				2011	10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2021
Water Services (1st)			15%	37.6	^	94.2	10 1	Shelter (2nd)			15%	67.8	~	74.2	2 2
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	95.0	/	95.9	4 2	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000 population	0.5	13.2	1	4.4	5
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score, 0 or 1	1.0	1.0		0.0	5 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	37.2		4.0	5
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	97.95		99.79	10 1	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	0.21	Ч	0.72	1
								Availability of affordable housing	UI	units / 100 extremely low income tenants	1.0	26.7		26.7	3 4
							US Countles								US Counties
					Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021						Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Connectedness (7th)			15%	56.1		67.7	6 7	Protection from Harm (4th)			15%	72.8	M,	67.2	2 4
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	73.8		73.8	6 8	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000 population		11.8	MM	22.5	1 3
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	60.1		72.3	7 6	Traffic deaths	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	17.5	W	10.1	5 2
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Preventative Interventions 43.6 53.6 15% 63.0 3 15% 5 66.6 (4th) Obesity Smoking CHR 1.5 15.0 18.0 3 Adult doctor visits BRFSS 58.5 69.0 10 percentage DUH Nat Srvy 5.8 9 Alcohol use disorder 7.2 0.5 DUH Nat Srvy 2.29 2.32 3 84.8 8 Illicit drug use disorder 0.5 Statewide child medical visits NSCH percentage 0.5 70.6 3.5 60.5 Pain reliever misuse 0.5 3.5 Statewide HPV immunizations NCIRD percentage 1.0 45.9 BRFSS 79.5 Statewide child immunization 1.0 66.3 77.9 Statewide child dentist visits NSCH 80.5 71.9 2 63.4 53.6 Mental Health (3rd) 73.9 15% 15% NSCH 1.0 20.8 32.6 Statewide child mental health access deaths / 100,00 9.1 CHR 0.5 18.3 12.0 3 Adults with no health care coverage percentage 4.54 Serious mental illness 4.48 Statewide disability weighted prevalence from Hospital rating HCA 0.5 80.0 80.0 3 IMHE 1.0 2,169.6 2,096.4 Preventable hospitalizations for medicare CHR 2,021.0 Self-reported mental health not good 12.1 Longevity (2nd) 20% 67.6 64.1 3 20% 72.8 73.8 Diabetes CDC 1.0 6.5 8.8 2 15.4 Statewide disability weighted prevalence of years / 100,000 population deaths / 100,000 population 0.5 369.0 0.31 352.3 Maternal mortality 0.28 infectious diseases 44.6 Self-reported poor physical health CHR 10.4 Mortality risk 65-85 48.5 percentage

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Valley, NE: Education (3rd decile*): Element and indicator scores															
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	ator contain	US Counties Decile
	Source			2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021		Source	Oill		2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021
Pre-Primary Education (8th)			5%	38.5	7~~	39.3	8 8	Primary Education (3rd)			20%	64.5	-W \	66.9	3 3
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	33.0	7 /	27.3	9 9	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	4.22		4.07	4 5
Statewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	index score, 0-10	1.0	6.0		8.0	6 1	Statewide science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-300	1.5	161.8		161.8	1 1
								English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	5.64	M	3.98	1 5
								Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	87.8	/	98.5	10 2
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Secondary Education (3rd)			25%	80.4	10-yr trend	71.5	2011 2021	Tertlary Education (6th)			25%	41.6	10-yr trend	38.5	2011 2021
Math grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	9.45	7/	8.83	1 3	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	43.1	7 /	28.7	2 5
Statewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.0	156.7	1	160.2	2 2	Statewide college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	56.0	\mathcal{I}	58.9	3 3
English, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	8.30	M	8.64	3 2	Statewide university quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.192		0.192	8 8
High school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	100.0	1	96.0	1 2		NCES	percentage	1.0	30.9		30.9	8 8
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	100.0	7	93.8	1 9								
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	Source	Unit	Unit		Velve		US Counties		<u> </u>						
Adult Chille (2rd)	Source			2011 EO 4	Value 10-yr trend	2021 E.O. E	Decile 2011 2021								
Adult Skills (3rd) Adult population with at least a high school			25%	50.4	<i></i>	58.5	3 3								
diploma	Census	percentage	1.0	91.2	1	92.3	2 3								
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	17.1	~~ [′]	24.2	5 3								

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Valley, NE: Natural Environme	nt (9th d	lecile*): Elem	nent and	d indica	tor scores								Italics: Indica	ntor contain	s imputed value
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value		US Counties Decile 2011 202
Emissions (7th)			25%	53.8	10-yr trend	44.5	2011 2021	Exposure to Air Pollution (4th)			25%	71.1	10-yr trend	71.1	4
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.78		0.42	3 8	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1	—	0.1	2
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.59	7	0.55	6 8	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	1.38	$-\sqrt{}$	1.04	4
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.66		0.67	4 5	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.021		0.069	3
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.935		0.897	2 5	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	27.18	M	35.73	6
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.55		0.60	5 5								
					100										
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Forest, Land and Soil (10th)			20%	28.4	10-yr trend	35.0	10 10	Freshwater (9th)			20%	²⁰¹¹ 46.7	10-yr trend	49.8	10
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	8 8	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	39.7		39.7	5
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	0.73		0.80	10 10	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	9.4		9.4	9
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	50.0	1	65.0	9 6	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	28.17		19.08	10 1
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000	1.0	49.5	·/~	39.5	6 8	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	population percentage	1.0	1.377	1	1.378	9 9								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	0.0		0.0	10 10								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties								
Preservation Efforts (10th)				2011 2 1	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 2021								
			10%	3.1		3.1	10 10								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.5		0.5	8 8								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	0.5		0.5	10 10								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	1.2		1.2	8 8								

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