Carson, TX: Overall Prosperity 55.0 (5th 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	52.2	M	55.0	5	▼ 1	21
Inclusive Societies	52.2	M	56.3	5	1	27
Safety and Security	65.6	√	78.6	3	2	42
Personal Freedom	39.6		42.5	9		233
Governance	57.1	~	51.4	6	▼ 2	1
Social Capital	46.4		52.9	4	1	12
Open Economies	50.6	~~	50.9	5	▼ 3	124
Business Environment	47.5	1	38.2	9	▼ 5	221
[Infrastructure	48.6		49.8	5		67
Sconomic Quality	55.7	~~	64.7	1	1	82
Empowered People	53.7	~~~	57.7	5		17
Living Conditions	63.8	~	67.7	4	▼ 1	12
Health	51.0	~~~~	52.4	6	- .	63
	52.0		59.5	2	^ 2	16
Ratural Environment	48.2	~	51.0	7	1	169

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Carson, TX (5th decile*): Pillar ar	nd ele	ement	scores											
		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US:	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	№	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Safety and Security	Ì	65.6	√	78.6	3	▲ 2	42	Personal Freedom	39.6		42.5	9		233
Mass Killings and Injuries 15	%	100.0		100.0	1	- .	1	Agency 30%	54.3		56.7	6	A 1	1
Violent Crime 50	1%	46.2		79.4	3	A 6	62	Freedom of Association and Speech 15%	39.0	_	36.6	5	A 1	1
Property Crime 35	1%	78.4	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	68.5	3	▼ 1	34	Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	13.0		13.7	7		1
	İ							Social Tolerance 30%	47.5	~~/	55.1	10	- .	234
	İ								İ					
	4		Overall Prosperity		US	Counties Decile	TX Rank			Overall Prosperity		US C	ounties Decile	TX Rank
Governance	į	57.1	10-yr trend	51.4	6	10-yr decile chng.	2021	Social Capital	²⁰¹¹ 46.4	10-yr trend	52.9	4	10-yr decile chng.	12
Political Accountability 30	1%	52.2	~	55.4	7	▼ 3	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	68.0	<u></u>	79.8	1	A 1	4
Rule of Law 35		65.0		52.0	5	▼ 1	1	Social Networks 25%	17.7		28.9	7	▲ 3	40
Government Integrity 35	1%	53.3	1	47.4	6	▼ 2	1	Institutional Trust 20%	71.6	4	65.8	2		26
								Civic and Social Participation 30%	35.4	V	41.9	4	a 2	13
	Ì												•	
	_		Overall Prosperity		US	Counties Decile	TX Rank	800		Overall Prosperity		US C	ounties Decile	TX Rank
Business Environmer	nt	2011 47.5	10-yr trend	38.2	9	10-yr decile chng.	2021 221	Infrastructure	48.6	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹	2021	10-yr decile chng.	²⁰²¹ 67
Financing Ecosystems 40	Ì	35.2	1	12.8	9	▼ 4	221	Communications 40%	35.2	/	35.2	7		109
Domestic Market Contestability 30		49.8	—	51.6	4	<u>^</u> 2	1	Resources 25%	54.4	/ ~~	61.7	3	A 1	21
Burden of Regulation 10		43.5	<u></u>	37.1	4		1	Transport 35%	59.7	<i></i>	58.0	3	▼ 1	25
Labor Market Flexibility 10	%	74.4	1	74.2	2		1			₩				
Price Distortions 10	%	66.3	1	64.6	6	▼ 4	1		ļ					
	İ													
\$	İ	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021							
Economic Quality		55.7	~/	64.7	1	A 1	82							
Fiscal Sustainability 25		52.8		69.8	1	<u>^</u> 2	59							
Productivity and Competitiveness 25 Dynamism 20		78.5 44.8	210	92.3	1 10	- - 3	23							
Labor Force Engagement 30		46.4	VVL	56.2	4		37							
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	Ì													
	İ	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Countles Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	\sim	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Living Conditions		63.8	7/	67.7	4	▼ 1	12	Health	51.0	1	52.4	6		63
Material Resources 25		72.1		72.8	3	▼ 1	12	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	68.1	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	68.1	1	A 1	47
Nutrition 15		42.4	1	55.1	7	▼ 1 	35	Preventative Interventions 15%	31.6	/*W	36.8	8		46
Water Services 15 Shelter 15		88.5 52.7	. ~	86.6 57.0	7	▼ 1 ▼ 1	22 83	Care Systems 15% Mental Health 15%	28.4	~~	41.6	8	1	120
Connectedness 15		62.4		69.3	7	▼ 2	154	Physical Health 20%	51.9	~~/	49.9	5	<u> </u>	27
Protection from Harm 15		59.0	W	62.1	5	<u> </u>	57	Longevity 20%	55.1	m	55.7	7		158
			•											
	1	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US 2021	Counties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021	Ø	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	TX Rank 2021
Education		52.0	` کمر	59.5	2	^ 2	16	Natural Environment	48.2	\sim	51.0	7	^ 1	169
Pre-Primary Education 59	6	45.2	~~	30.2	9	▼ 2	171	Emissions 25%	38.4		43.4	7	2	132
Primary Education 20		50.9	~~~	67.2	3	4	20	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	76.3	~/_	75.6	3	v 1	55
Secondary Education 25		67.2	~	77.5	1	<u>2</u>	15	Forest, Land and Soil 20%	31.7		41.0	8	A 1	226
Tertiary Education 25 Adult Skills 25		38.4	17	37.0	6	▼ 1 ▲ 1	119	Freshwater 20% Preservation Efforts 10%	63.7		63.1 4.7	8		220
Z5		52.4	~	J3:1	2		14	10%	4.1		4.7			
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Carson, TA. Safety and Security	y (Siù de	che). Eleme	iii aiiu	lilulcati	il scores											
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Coun Decile	nties le		Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	itor contain	us Counties Decile
Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	2011 100.0	10-yr trend	2021 100.0	2011		Violent Crime (3rd)			50%	²⁰¹¹ 46.2	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 79.4	9
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	16.4	\mathcal{N}	0.0	10
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	population injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	32.8	1/	0.0	8
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	131.4	-1	489.4	5 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	VV	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 Coun Decik 2011	nties le 2021								
Property Crime (3rd)			35%	78.4	Μv	68.5	2	3								
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	180.7	\\-	219.4	2	3								
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	49.3		67.5	3	4								
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	525.5	1	607.5	3	4								
Identity theft	FTC	reports/100,000 population	0.5	93.3	~~	188.0	2	4								

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														Italics: Indica	ator contain.	imputed values
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value		US Cor Dec	tile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Agency (6th)			30%	54.3	10-yr trend	56.7	²⁰¹¹	2021	Freedom of Association and Speech (5th)			15%	39.0	10-yr trend	36.6	6 5
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	1.31		0.79	7	7	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	1,130.0		1,010.0	6	5	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.010		0.034	3 2
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 7
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	3.1		3.7	7	6								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cor Dec	unties		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%	²⁰¹¹ 47.5	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 55.1	10 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	144.3	W	135.0	10 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	29.3		29.3	9 9
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 4
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 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 Cor Dec 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US 2011
Political Accountability (7th)			30%	52.2		55.4	4		Rule of Law (5th)			35%	65.0		52.0	2011
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 Cor Dec 2011					•				
Government Integrity (6th)			35%	53.3	. A	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	1/	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	_1	82.0	1	3								

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	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	
Personal and Family Relationships (1st)			25%	68.0	W	79.8	2 1	Social Networks (7th)			25%	17.7	7 6	28.9	10	7
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	3.3		2.1	3 1	Favors between neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	26.9	لر	45.1	9	1
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	13.5	V-	21.6	1 3	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	55.1	/	32.6	7	10
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	30.2		14.5	3 3	Trust in people in neighborhood	0	percentage	1.5	37.8		41.4	10	10
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	0	percentage	0.5	80.1		88.8	10 4	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		88.2	4 2									
Close friends	0	average	1.0	7.1		7.1	1 1									
	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	
Institutional Trust (2nd)			20%	71.6		65.8	2 2	Civic and Social Participation (4th)			30%	35.4	1	41.9	6	4
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage	1.0	74.3		61.7	1 9	Statewide volunteer rate	Census	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.31	1	0.30	5	5
Confidence in the media	0	percentage	1.0	56.0		63.1	8 1	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	31.0	1	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	1	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	0.325		0.666	6	2
								Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	3.1		3.1	3	3
								Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	46.5	V	43.7	1	1
								Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	6.7	J	10.1	10	7
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Carson, TX: Business Environme	ant (2011)	decile). Liei	nent an	u muica	1101 300163	,								Italics: Indica	tor contain	imputed
Financing Ecosystems (9th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011 35.2	Value 10-yr trend	2021 12.8	US Countie Decile 2011 20		Domestic Market	Source	Unit	Weight	²⁰¹¹	Value 10-yr trend	2021 51.6	US Count Decile 2011 2
enture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	18.0	1	0.0	4		Contestability (4th) Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	37.0		37.0	2
		number	1.0		7											
lumber of venture capital deals	NVCA	/1,000,000		3.5	7	0.0	5		Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	\$	1.0	253.0		253.0	6
Assets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	64.8	Λ	0.0	4		Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	341.0		341.0	4
Venture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	2.0		0.0	4		Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	10.0	~	10.0	3
New foreign direct investment Bank branch access	BEA FDIC	\$ /capita number /square	1.0	0.003		720.8	9	2	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	-0.028		-0.021	8
		mile														
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021		021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Deci 2011
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 nterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.11	~/_	1.18	6	6	Statewide collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	5.6	M.	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	7,11	5,455.0	6
									Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.4		0.7	7
Price Distortions (6th)			Unit 10%	2011 66.3	Value 10-yr trend	2021 64.6	US Countie Decile 2011 20	021								
Statewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.12	N	0.08	1	1								
Statewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	Index score	1.0	4.68	V	3.95	6	8								

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Distance to airport

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Communications (7th) Source Unit Weight Value 2011 Value 2021	Carson, TX. IIII astructure (Stri	ueche)	. Element an	u muica	tor sco	n es									Italics: Indica	tor contain	ns imputed
Mean dournload speed 1894 1897 1897 1897 1897 1898 18		Source	Unit	Weight	2011		2021	Der			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value		US Cor Dec 2011
Mean continuous special contin	Communications (7th)			40%	35.2		35.2	7	7	Resources (3rd)			25%	54.4	~~	61.7	4
Fact internet access 188	Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	32.4		32.4	7	7	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee		0.5	0.23	~~~	0.03	7
Internet providers (Basiness) FOR Insumery Provide	Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	56.5		56.5	2	2	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0155	M	0.0166	4
Source Control Contr	Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	60.2		60.2	8	8	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	3.232		5.196	2
Source Cust Weight Source Source Cust Weight Source Sourc	Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	92.0	-	123.5	3
Transport (3rd) Statewide number of airports BTS number /square mile 0.5 0.0 0.0 0.0 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1										Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	0.94	W	1.11	4
Transport (3rd) 35% 59.7 58.0 2 3 Statewide number of airports ers number Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare niles Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare nile niles Asquare niles Asquare nile niles Asquare niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles niles Asquare niles																	
Statewide railroad length AAR miles /square mile 1.5 0.0 0.0 1 1 Statewide railroad length AAR miles /square mile 10 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 0.3 0.3 8 8	Transport (3rd)	Source	Unit			10-yr trend		Der 2011	cile 2021								
Road condition BTS percent 15 0.0 0.0 1 1 Statewide railroad length AAR milks /square milks 1.0 0.0 0.0 7 7 Bus transit route mileage BTS milks /square milks 0.5 0.1 0.1 6 6 Public road density BTS milks /square milks 1.0 0.3 0.3 8 8	Statewide number of airports	BTS		0.5	0.0		0.0	3	3								
Bus transit route mileage Bus Transit route mil	Road condition	BTS		1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1								
Public road density BTS mile U.5 U.1 U.1 U.1 U.1 U.2 U.2 U.2 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3 U.3	Statewide railroad length	AAR		1.0	0.0		0.0	7	7								
rubilic road density bis mile 1.0 0.3 0.3 0 0	Bus transit route mileage	BTS		0.5	0.1		0.1	6	6								
Bridge condition BTS percent 0.5 0.00 5.71 1 6	Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	0.3		0.3	8	8								
	Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	0.00		5.71	1	6								

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	Source				Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 202		Source		Weight	2011			
Fiscal Sustainability (1st)			25%	52.8	\sim \sim \sim	69.8	3	Productivity and Competitiveness (1st)			25%	78.5	مرمر	92.3	1
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	7.0		8.0	5	1 Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	31,440.6		37,010.3	1
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	85.3	M	72.6	1	2 Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	1,428.0	<i></i>	1,767.6	2
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	0.91	$\overline{}$	1.00	9	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	66.5	اربر ا	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	0.47		0.44	3	4							
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Dynamiam (10th)			20%	2011 44.8	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 36.6	2011 202 7 1	Labor Force Engagement (4th)			30%	2011	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 56.2	2011 2021 4 4
Dynamism (10th)					VVL			Labor Force Engagement (4th)			30%	46.4	~		
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	109.7	\ <u></u>	90.9	4	1 Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	5.4	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	4.2	2
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	5.21	__\	5.61	3	4 Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	18.5	1	14.0	7
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	77.3		79.8	4	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	34.0	$\sqrt{}$	36.0	1 :
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	5.2	/_/	5.0	4
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	0.0	WV	0.0	10 1	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	60.3	$\sqrt{}$	63.8	6
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	160.3		0.0	4	7							
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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend				Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Material Resources (3rd)			25%	72.1		72.8		Nutrition (7th)			15%	42.4	V	55.1	6 7
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	17.0	M	15.7	1 2	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	85.8	1	88.8	4 4
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	7.2		8.3	1 2	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	93.6	~~/	95.1	8 8
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	3.23	~~	6.15	2 6	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage		55.29	$-\sqrt{}$	56.55	7 7
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	25.0		25.0	1 1	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	77.4	$\overline{}$	75.2	4 9
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	11.4		9.3	8 7								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Water Services (3rd)			15%	88.5	V	86.6	2 3	Shelter (7th)			15%	52.7	~~	57.0	6 7
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	93.8	1	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	1	57.7	6 8
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	99.61	7	99.56	2 2	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	0.55	W	0.61	1 1
								Availability of affordable housing	UI	units / 100 extremely low income tenants	1.0	5.0		8.0	9 9
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Connectedness (7th)			15%	2011 62.4	10-yr trend	69.3	2011 2021	Protection from Harm (5th)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 59.0	10-yr trend	62.1	6 5
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	72.0		63.6	6 9	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000 population		15.9	M		4 3
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	67.9		80.6	3 2	Traffic deaths	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	23.0		21.7	7 8
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Behavioral Risk Factors (1st)			15%	68.1	M	68.1	2	1	Preventative Interventions (8th)			15%	31.6	MW	36.8	8	8
Obesity	CDC	percentage	1.0	28.4	W	26.9	5	2	Adult dentist visits	BRFSS	percentage		55.8		59.2	9	
Smoking	CHR	percentage	1.5	13.2	-1	16.3	1	2	Adult doctor visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	69.2	-\	72.7	3	6
Alcohol use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	7.0	لر	4.8	8	4	Colorectal cancer screening	BRFSS	percentage		56.6		59.5	9	9
Illicit drug use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	2.39	\	2.53	5	4	Statewide child medical visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	85.6	7	64.8	6	Ę
Pain reliever misuse	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	4.2		4.2	7	7	Statewide HPV immunizations	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	32.9	7	48.4	8	ī
									Pap smear test	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	74.1		71.6	9	
									Statewide child immunization	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	58.6	M~	67.8	2	Ę
									Statewide child dentist visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	80.6		77.7	5	8
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 202						2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Coun Decile 2011	
Care Systems (8th)			15%	28.4	M	41.6	7	8	Mental Health (4th)			15%	69.2	~/	62.0	4	4
Statewide child mental health access	NSCH	percentage	1.0	62.0		52.2	7	8	Suicide	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population		13.3	1	17.3	5	6
Adults with no health care coverage	CHR	percentage	0.5	18.6	~VV	16.8	4	6	Drug overdose deaths	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	9.5	M	9.9	4	
Avoided medical care due to cost	BRFSS	percentage		20.7	-	19.6	8	9	Serious mental illness	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	1.0	4.70	/\	4.49	9	Ę
Hospital rating	HCA	percentage	0.5	81.6		79.3	2		Statewide disability weighted prevalence from mental illness	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	1.0	2,155.6		2,088.3	1	2
Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees	CHR	discharges / 100,000	1.0	6,368.1	W^	4,297.0	3	5	Self-reported mental health not good	CHR	percentage	1.0	8.4	7	13.1	2	4
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties Decile	S		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Coun Decile	ties
Physical Health (5th)			20%	51.9	10-yr trend	49.9	6	5	Longevity (7th)			20%	55.1	10-yr trend	55.7	7	2021
High blood pressure	BRFSS	percentage		33.2	/\	34.8	6		Under 5 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 under 5		146.6	1	140.6	4	ć
Diabetes	CDC	percentage	1.0	8.8		6.4	6		5-14 mortality	CDC	population deaths / 100,000 5-14 population	0.5	15.7	M	14.8	6	
Heart attack	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	5.21	_~^\	4.77	7	8	15-64 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 15-64 population	2.0	399.8	1	421.0	8	8
Statewide disability weighted prevalence of infectious diseases	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	0.5	410.9	~	428.2	5	5	Maternal mortality	IMHE	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	0.40		0.38	7	(
Self-reported poor physical health	CHR	percentage	1.0	8.5		10.9	2		Mortality risk 65-85	IMHE	percentage	1.0	53.2	//	51.5	4	
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30.2 7 67.2 5% 45.2 9 Primary Education (3rd) 20% 50.9 Pre-primary enrollment 5.04 Math grade 4 level Statewide state pre-K quality NIEER index score, 0-10 1.0 Statewide science grade 4 score NAEP scale score, 0-300 1.5 147.6 154.7 4.33 English, language and arts grade 4 level 4.40 SEDA grade level 2.0 95.0 10 90.3 Primary enrollment 1.0 67.2 77.5 3 Tertlary Education (6th) 38.4 37.0 5 25% 25% 9.34 31.2 21.9 Math grade 8 level SEDA grade level 1.5 9.03 College enrollment Census percentage 1.0 scale score, 0-500 Statewide college graduation rate 156.2 NCES 1.0 52.6 5 Statewide science grade 8 score NAEP 1.0 150.5 5 percentage 49.2 Statewide university quality for enrolled students English, language and arts grade 8 level 7.97 SEDA grade level QS Rank 0.222 0.224 High school graduation rate CHR 1.0 87.4 98.8 3 nmunity college graduation rate NCES 39.1 Secondary enrollment 100.0 63.7 Adult Skills (2nd) 25% Adult population with at least a high school 93.3 1.0 Adult population with bachelor's degree or 28.4 1.0

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25% 38.4 43.4 9 7 Exposure to Air Pollution (3rd) 25% 76.3 75.6 2 CO2 emissions Life expectancy loss from air pollution Nitrous oxide emissions EPA index, 0-1 0.38 0.48 9 PM2.5 emissions EPA ton / square mile 1.0 1.59 1.34 5 0.5 0.63 0.028 0.037 0.54 Lead emissions Carbon monoxide emissions EPA 0.5 EPA lb / square mile 7 0.827 0.911 0.80 4 Sulfur dioxide emissions EPA 0.5 Toxic air releases EPA lb / square mile 1.0 0.00 0.51 0.57 Ozone emissions EPA 0.5 6 41.0 9 8 31.7 8 Freshwater (8th) 63.1 20% 20% 63.7 57.7 EPA lb / square mile 57.30 4.27 percentage 57.7 Toxic land releases Statewide good quality rivers and streams Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas USDA 1.80 1.84 5 EPA percentage 0.5 56.4 56.4 3 percentage 1.0 Statewide compliant underground storage EPA 84.0 72.0 Total freshwater withdrawals per capita 13.01 14.09 Statewide exposure to pesticides CDC 1.0 39.4 31.3 3 Toxic water releases EPA lb / square mile 0.00 0.00 0.018 0.018 Tree canopy cover Wetlands and deepwater habitats 1.0 10% 4.7 4.7 7 0.8 Statewide GAP 1 protected areas USGS 2.0 5 7 Statewide GAP 2 protected areas USGS 1.5 0.8 8.0 Statewide GAP 3 protected areas 1.7 1.7

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