



# At A Glance

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## Population



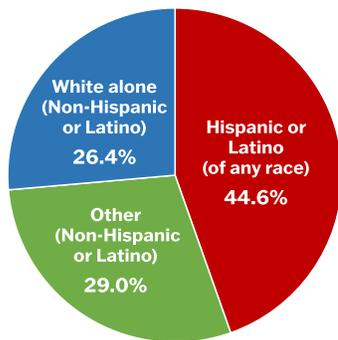
**3rd**  
Most Populous  
County in the US



**4.84 MILLION**  
Total Population

## Diversity

### Ethnicity



**26.6%**  
Foreign Born



**111**  
Spoken  
Languages

## Global Presence



**1 SPACEPORT**



**2 INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS**  
with 190+ Nonstop Destinations



**1 MAJOR PORT (SEAPORT)**  
with ≈200+ Industrial Terminals  
(Public & Private)

## Economic Indicators



**#1** COUNTY IN EXPORTED GOODS IN THE U.S.



**#1** GDP GROWTH IN TEXAS  
#3 in the U.S.



**24**  
**FORTUNE 500**  
Headquarters



**NO**  
State OR  
Local Income Tax

## Education



**40.9%**  
of Bachelor's degrees are  
in Science and Engineering

## Labor Force



**2.6 MILLION**  
Total Employees



**\$81,506**  
Average Annual Wage



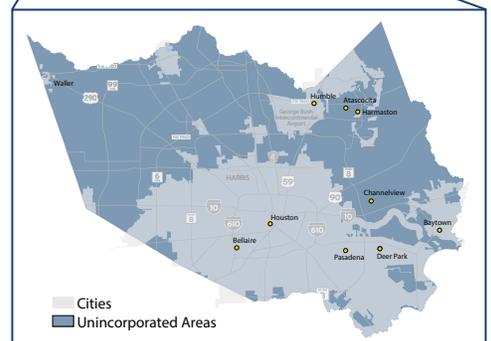
**334,475**  
Employees in Health  
Care & Social  
Assistance Industry  
Sector

**55,852**  
Employees in Mining/  
Quarrying /Oil & Gas  
(4x the U.S. Avg.  
at the end of 2023)



**59,359**  
Engineers &  
Architects

## Location



Largely unincorporated areas and 34 cities including Houston, our county seat.