

At A Glance

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Population



3rd

Most Populous County in the U.S.



5+ MILLION

Total Population

Diversity





(of any race) (Non-Hispanic or Latino) 26.0%



27.3% Foreign Born



Spoken Languages

Global Presence



1 SPACEPORT

Hispanic or

Latino

44.1%



2 INTERNATIONAL

with 195+ Nonstop Destinations



1 MAJOR PORT (SEAPORT)

with ≈200+ Industrial Terminals (Public & Private)

Economic Indicators

COUNTY IN EXPORTED GOODS IN THE U.S.





FORTUNE 500

Headquarters



State OR **Local Income Tax**

Education



39.6%

of Bachelor's degrees are in Science and Engineering

Labor Force



2.6+ MILLION





346,062

Employees in Health Care & Social Assistance Industry Sector

63,786 Employees in Mining/ Quarrying /Oil & Gas (4x the U.S. Avg.

at the end of 2024)



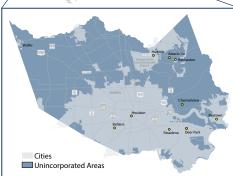


61,121 **Engineers &** Architects

*Note: Average Annual Wage based on average wages for

Location





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

Sources: Fortune Magazine, 2025 Fortune 500; Harris County; Houston Airport System, 2024 Annual Report; International Trade Administration, 2023 Metropolitan Export Series; JobsEQ 2024Q4 Labor & Wage Trends, 2024Q4 Occupation Snapshot; Port Houston, 2023-2024 Statistics; U.S. Census Bureau, 2023 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates, 2024 Population Estimates; U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2023 GDP Summary 2025 *Note: Average Annual Wage based on average wages for total, all industries.