

# TEXAS



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**Governor: Rick Perry (R)** [governor.state.tx.us](http://governor.state.tx.us)

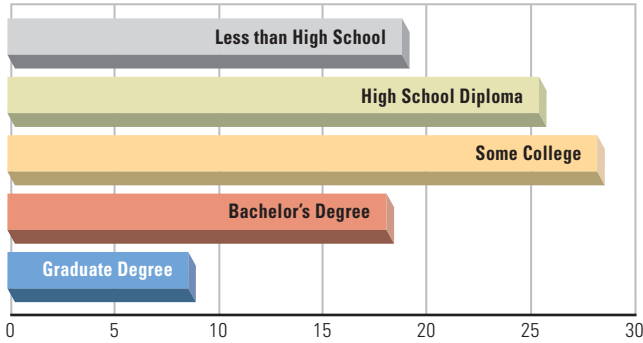
**Population 2010:** 25,028,293 **Population growth forecast 2010-2014:** 9.71% **Median household income:** \$54,591

## 2010 New Economy Index Rankings

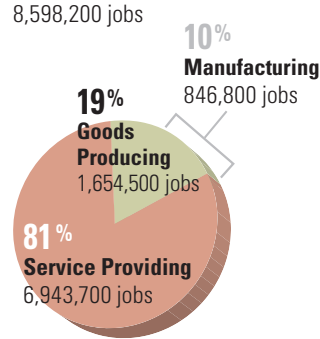
Overall: **18**  
 Immigration of Domestic and Foreign Knowledge Workers: **44**  
 Manufacturing Value-Added: **10**  
 Export Focus of Manufacturing and Services: **1**  
 Industry Investment in R&D: **17**

Median Hourly Wage for Production Occupations: **\$13.33**  
 Right-to-work state? **YES**

## Work Force Education by Percentage



## Private Sector Employment



## Legislative Update

- The biennial legislature convenes in January. In 2009, it passed new incentives for the film, television, video and digital interactive industries. The Texas Economic Development Act was extended to allow school districts to give property tax incentives to lure new jobs and projects to the area until 2015. Other measures established incentives for new advanced clean energy projects; authorized the state's General Land

Office to study the feasibility of offshore carbon storage and identify sites; and provide grants for clean energy, advanced emission reduction technology, and renewable energy storage projects via the Texas Emission Reduction Program, which was extended from 2013 to 2019.

- Visit [www.txbiz.org](http://www.txbiz.org) to read a comprehensive outline of 2011 legislative priorities of the Texas Association of Business.

# Cedar Hill is...



### Cedar Hill:

- Has a median household income of \$66,206
- Is less than 20 minutes from Downtown Dallas
- Has 3 million SF of retail including the 800,000 SF Uptown Village

### Office Locations in Cedar Hill:

- Are convenient to the new 115,000 SF Government Center
- Serve a population base of 738,000 within a 20 minute drive time

Cedar Hill also offers incentives for office development!



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