



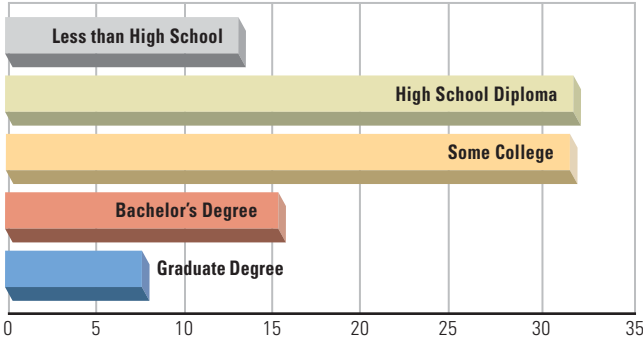
# OKLAHOMA

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*"Oklahoma's economy continues to outperform the national economy. People all across the country are noticing. Oklahoma stands as a testament to the fact that low taxes, limited government and fiscal discipline are a recipe for job creation."* — Gov. Mary Fallin, in her Feb. 6, 2012, State of the State Address

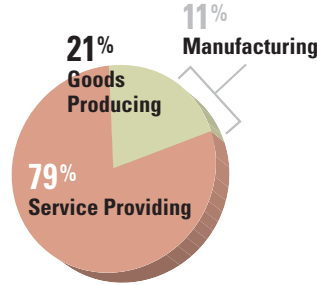
**Governor: Mary Fallin (R) okcommerce.gov**  
**Population 2011: 3791508 Population growth forecast 2012-2017: 3.97% Median household income: \$48,455**

## Work Force Education by Percentage



## Private Sector Employment

1,606,500 jobs



Mature firm tax index rank: **16**

New firm tax index rank: **5**

Manufacturing Capex

2011 (27): **\$1,715,311**

Manufacturing Capex on buildings and other structures (28): **\$278,786**

Avg. industrial retail electricity price (cents/kwh): **5.13**

Avg. annual pay in mfg.: **\$54,887**

Median age: **36.3**

Right-to-work state? **YES**

## Legislative Update

- In May, Gov. Fallin signed into law a bill that requires all state agencies and higher education institutions to improve their energy efficiency and energy conservation measures by 20 percent by the year 2020. If the goal is met, Oklahomans could save between \$300 million and \$500 million in energy costs over the next 10 years.
- Oklahoma passed the Oklahoma Energy Initiative, which will serve as a strategic program designed to create, advance and promote new and existing energy research and development efforts in Oklahoma.
- Oklahoma created and launched OKJobMatch.com, a one-stop-shop website for students and job-seekers to find job matches and for employers to find workers with the skill sets they need.
- Oklahoma passed the Water for 2060 Act, which establishes a statewide goal of consuming no more freshwater in 2060 than is consumed currently in the state. The bill also creates an advisory council that will recommend solutions for finding new sources of water and creating greater efficiencies in the use and storage of water.

## Did You Know?

- The total economic impact of Oklahoma's 38 American Indian tribes on the state is estimated at \$10.8 billion a year, according to a study by Oklahoma City University's Steven C. Agee Economic Research and Policy Institute. Gaming businesses account for \$7.6 billion of that total, the researchers found.
- Oklahoma ranked No. 1 in cost of living and No. 4 in cost of doing business in CNBC's Top States for Business in 2012.
- Oklahoma City ranked sixth among all large metros in the nation in job growth from 2010 to 2012, according to CareerBuilder.com. The city added nearly 29,000 jobs, ranking right above Dallas and San Francisco.
- According to the U.S. Census Bureau, Oklahoma had the highest rate of median household income growth in the nation last year. From 2010 to 2011, Oklahoma's median household income rose 12.4 percent.

## Selected Corporate Facility Projects 2012

Company	City	County	Type	New/ Exp.	Product	Investment (\$millions)	Employment	
Asco Inc.	Stillwater	Payne	MF	N	Aerospace Components (1)	\$60	250	
Baker Hughes	Claremore	Rogers	MF/DW	E	Oil Field Equipment	36		
Asco Inc.	Stillwater	Payne	MF	N	Aerospace Components (2)	30	600	
AG Equipment Co.	Broken Arrow	Wagoner	MF	E	Compression Equipment	1	268	
AT&T	Tulsa	Tulsa	CC	E	Telecommunications	1	60	
C3/	CustomerContactChannels	Tahlequah	Cherokee	CC	N	Call Center	1	200
capSpire Inc.	Tulsa	Tulsa	OR	E	Consulting	1	50	
Compass Manufacturing/ Chesapeake Energy	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma	MF	E	Gas Compression Units	1	81	
CSI Aerospace	Broken Arrow	Wagoner	MF	E	Aircraft Sensors	1	75	
D&L Manufacturing/ D&L Oil Tools	Tulsa	Tulsa	MF	E	Oilfield Equipment	1	100	
Gonzales Machine, Inc.	Davis	Murray	MF	E	Oilfield Equipment	1	60	
Google	Pryor	Mayer	CC	E	Data Center	1	50	
Grocery Supply Acquisition Corp./Nash Finch	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma	DW	E	Grocery Distribution	1	180	
Hitachi Computer Products	Norman	Cleveland	MF	E	Computer Peripherals	1	75	
HyPro, Inc.	Vinita	Craig	MF	E	Machine Shop	1	200	
J.A. Oil Field Mfg.	Oklahoma City	Oklahoma	MF	E	Stabilizers, Shock Absorbers	1	70	
OK Industries	Heavener	Le Flore	MF	E	Food Processing	1	72	
Pratt & Whitney/ United Technologies	Midwest City	Oklahoma	MF	E	Aircraft Engines	1	160	
QEP Resources Inc.	Tulsa	Tulsa	HQ	E	Oil & Natural Gas Explor.	1	50	
Select Energy Services	Stillwater	Payne	OF	E	Oilfield Services	1	76	
Summit ESP LLC	Tulsa	Tulsa	MF	E	Electric Submersible Pumps	1	30	
Team Oil Tools, LP	Tulsa	Tulsa	MF	E	Gas Field Equipment	1	200	

MF = Manufacturing OF = Office HQ = Headquarters RD = Research & Development CC = Contact Center DW = Distribution/Warehouse

N = New E = Expansion

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