

	State	<u>Cost of Business</u>	<u>Workforce</u>	<u>Quality of Life</u>	<u>Economy</u>	<u>Transportation</u>
1	<a href="#">Texas</a>	30	16	29	1	1
2	<a href="#">Virginia</a>	26	9	18	11	12
3	<a href="#">Colorado</a>	25	10	2	8	36
4	<a href="#">North Carolina</a>	15	3	32	37	10
5	<a href="#">Massachusetts</a>	39	23	6	17	39
6	<a href="#">Iowa</a>	1	20	17	10	32
7	<a href="#">South Dakota</a>	4	15	11	4	27
8 (tie)	<a href="#">Minnesota</a>	31	34	12	5	11
8 (tie)	<a href="#">Utah</a>	7	7	5	23	32
10	<a href="#">Georgia</a>	20	3	35	37	2
11	<a href="#">Kansas</a>	22	13	27	7	8
12	<a href="#">North Dakota</a>	15	23	13	3	20
13	<a href="#">Nebraska</a>	18	18	21	14	18
14	<a href="#">Wyoming</a>	13	12	10	9	24
15	<a href="#">Washington</a>	33	30	8	18	35
16	<a href="#">Tennessee</a>	10	5	49	36	4
17	<a href="#">Missouri</a>	5	29	39	29	7
18	<a href="#">Arizona</a>	23	2	29	41	23
19	<a href="#">New Hampshire</a>	34	38	4	12	47
20	<a href="#">Pennsylvania</a>	40	42	25	15	16
21	<a href="#">Indiana</a>	9	42	44	41	6
22	<a href="#">New Jersey</a>	44	32	14	28	32
23	<a href="#">Oregon</a>	19	33	22	33	15
24	<a href="#">New York</a>	50	49	18	2	22
25	<a href="#">Oklahoma</a>	3	22	41	6	41
26	<a href="#">Idaho</a>	8	8	18	39	29
27	<a href="#">Maryland</a>	43	36	28	18	43
28	<a href="#">Florida</a>	41	1	31	48	21
29	<a href="#">Wisconsin</a>	24	46	23	31	14
30	<a href="#">Illinois</a>	35	39	24	29	12
31	<a href="#">South Carolina</a>	6	5	45	46	8
32 (tie)	<a href="#">Arkansas</a>	2	11	43	27	36
32 (tie)	<a href="#">California</a>	48	31	15	18	16
34	<a href="#">Ohio</a>	29	48	38	34	2
35	<a href="#">Connecticut</a>	47	40	9	32	40
36	<a href="#">Montana</a>	26	28	15	15	24
37	<a href="#">Vermont</a>	42	36	3	12	46
38	<a href="#">New Mexico</a>	26	27	34	21	18
39	<a href="#">Maine</a>	38	47	6	25	41
40	<a href="#">Kentucky</a>	12	25	46	44	4
41	<a href="#">Michigan</a>	32	41	36	47	24

42	<a href="#">Delaware</a>	36	17	47	45	44
43	<a href="#">Alabama</a>	14	14	48	40	27
44	<a href="#">Louisiana</a>	21	34	50	25	30
45	<a href="#">Mississippi</a>	11	21	42	35	45
46	<a href="#">West Virginia</a>	15	44	40	24	38
47	<a href="#">Nevada</a>	37	19	37	49	31
48	<a href="#">Hawaii</a>	49	50	1	22	49
49	<a href="#">Rhode Island</a>	45	25	33	49	48
50	<a href="#">Alaska</a>	46	45	26	41	50

	State	<u>Technology &amp; Innovation</u>	<u>Education</u>	<u>Business Friendliness</u>	<u>Access to Capital</u>	<u>Cost of Living</u>
1	<a href="#">Texas</a>	4	30	19	7	8
2	<a href="#">Virginia</a>	10	13	2	9	27
3	<a href="#">Colorado</a>	12	29	4	15	35
4	<a href="#">North Carolina</a>	11	26	13	10	23
5	<a href="#">Massachusetts</a>	3	1	14	2	41
6	<a href="#">Iowa</a>	29	16	12	36	17
7	<a href="#">South Dakota</a>	49	21	3	40	5
8 (tie)	<a href="#">Minnesota</a>	16	9	20	19	15
8 (tie)	<a href="#">Utah</a>	25	48	10	39	17
10	<a href="#">Georgia</a>	17	28	17	13	9
11	<a href="#">Kansas</a>	31	11	18	33	5
12	<a href="#">North Dakota</a>	47	18	10	40	17
13	<a href="#">Nebraska</a>	37	22	8	40	5
14	<a href="#">Wyoming</a>	50	22	20	27	27
15	<a href="#">Washington</a>	5	22	34	5	35
16	<a href="#">Tennessee</a>	23	41	6	35	1
17	<a href="#">Missouri</a>	24	15	25	20	9
18	<a href="#">Arizona</a>	19	45	5	25	34
19	<a href="#">New Hampshire</a>	27	6	9	16	39
20	<a href="#">Pennsylvania</a>	6	4	32	11	30
21	<a href="#">Indiana</a>	22	16	6	26	13
22	<a href="#">New Jersey</a>	9	2	35	4	47
23	<a href="#">Oregon</a>	20	38	28	14	37
24	<a href="#">New York</a>	2	2	45	3	43
25	<a href="#">Oklahoma</a>	36	40	25	32	1
26	<a href="#">Idaho</a>	39	47	22	28	11
27	<a href="#">Maryland</a>	8	10	16	12	45
28	<a href="#">Florida</a>	13	35	23	17	30
29	<a href="#">Wisconsin</a>	21	12	27	30	17
30	<a href="#">Illinois</a>	14	26	39	6	17
31	<a href="#">South Carolina</a>	26	43	30	34	24
32 (tie)	<a href="#">Arkansas</a>	44	33	39	40	3
32 (tie)	<a href="#">California</a>	1	31	49	1	49
34	<a href="#">Ohio</a>	15	18	38	24	15
35	<a href="#">Connecticut</a>	17	8	23	8	45
36	<a href="#">Montana</a>	44	18	42	36	32
37	<a href="#">Vermont</a>	40	4	37	40	43
38	<a href="#">New Mexico</a>	31	44	45	28	29
39	<a href="#">Maine</a>	41	7	28	40	39
40	<a href="#">Kentucky</a>	35	37	39	38	3
41	<a href="#">Michigan</a>	7	35	35	18	24

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47	<a href="#">Nevada</a>	37	50	15	40	37
48	<a href="#">Hawaii</a>	43	38	42	31	49
49	<a href="#">Rhode Island</a>	28	14	48	23	41
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