

If Texas Were a Country ...

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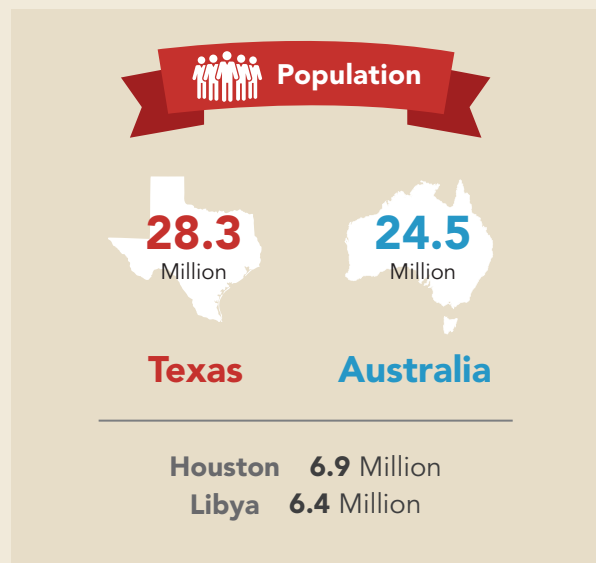
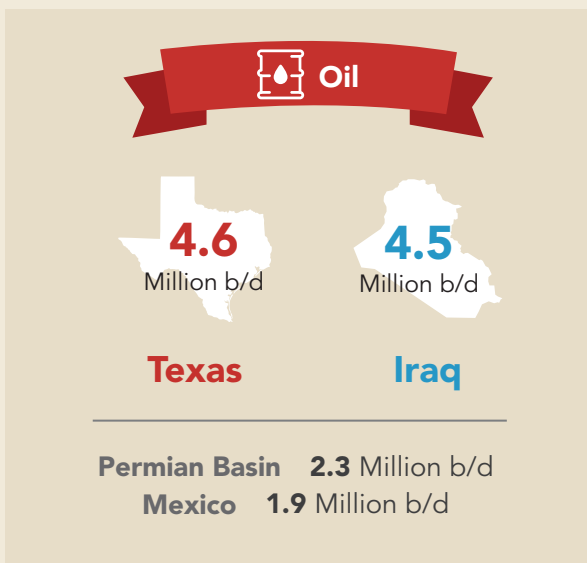
State conducts business on an international scale

18th largest world economy*

4th largest oil producer

19th largest global exporter

Texas is comparable to entire countries—and so are some of its local areas.



*Ranking based on purchasing-power-parity adjusted gross domestic product, a way of comparing economically differing nations.
 NOTES: State data are as of 2017 except oil production, which is as of May 2018. Metro and regional data are as of 2017 for population, as of fourth quarter 2017 for oil production and as of 2016 for gross domestic product (GDP) and exports. The abbreviation b/d refers to barrels per day. Permian Basin calculation covers 55 counties in West Texas and encompasses the cities of Midland, Odessa and Lubbock.
 SOURCES: GDP—Bureau of Economic Analysis and International Monetary Fund World Economic Outlook Database; exports—U.S. Department of Commerce International Trade Administration and International Monetary Fund; oil production—Texas Railroad Commission and International Energy Agency; population—Census Bureau and United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs.