

Table 13.13-- PERFORMANCE RANKINGS FOR METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS, URBAN HONOLULU AND PROVO- OREM, UTAH: 2020 AND 2021

Category and location	2020		2021	
	Period	Rank 1/	Period	Rank 1/
Urban Honolulu				
Overall	2020	167	2021	196
Job growth (5-year)	2013 to 2018	157	2014 to 2019	173
Job growth (1-year)	2017 to 2018	183	2018 to 2019	192
Wage growth (5-year)	2012 to 2017	117	2014 to 2019	135
Wage growth (1-year)	2016 to 2017	161	2018 to 2019	157
Short-term job growth	Aug.: 2018 to 2019	136	Oct.: 2019 to 2020	200
High tech GDP growth (5-year)	2013 to 2018	120	2014 to 2019	114
High tech GDP growth (1-year)	2017 to 2018	95	2018 to 2019	198
High-tech GDP concentration 2/	2018	168	2019	171
Number of high-tech GDP industries with location quotients over 1 2/	2018	151	2019	136
Households with broadband access	(NA)	(NA)	2019	61
Households with affordable housing costs	(NA)	(NA)	2014 to 2018	189
Households with affordable housing costs	(NA)	(NA)	2019	193
Provo- Orem, Utah				
Overall	2020	2	2021	1
Job growth (5-year)	2013 to 2018	1	2014 to 2019	1
Job growth (1-year)	2017 to 2018	2	2018 to 2019	4
Wage growth (5-year)	2012 to 2017	3	2014 to 2019	1
Wage growth (1-year)	2016 to 2017	9	2018 to 2019	1
Short-term job growth	Aug.: 2018 to 2019	29	Oct.: 2019 to 2020	11
High tech GDP growth (5-year)	2013 to 2018	5	2014 to 2019	4
High tech GDP growth (1-year)	2017 to 2018	10	2018 to 2019	8
High-tech GDP concentration 2/	2018	14	2019	12
Number of high-tech GDP industries with location quotients over 1 2/	2018	25	2019	19
Households with broadband access	(NA)	(NA)	2019	73
Households with affordable housing costs	(NA)	(NA)	2014 to 2018	93
Households with affordable housing costs	(NA)	(NA)	2019	61

1/ Rank of 1 indicates most favorable.

2/ Measures the number of highly concentrated high-tech industries or those with a location quotient (LQ) compared to the U.S. average of 1.0.

Source: Milken Institute, *Best Performing Cities: 2020, Where America's Jobs Are Created and Sustained* (March 2, 2020) <<https://milkeninstitute.org/reports/best-performing-cities-2020>> accessed March 2, 2020; and *Best-Performing Cities 2021: Foundations for Growth and Recovery* (April 13, 2021) <<https://milkeninstitute.org/reports/best-performing-cities-2021>> accessed June 4, 2021.