

## Texas — State Of Texas

Texas is the 28th American state which is situated in the south of the country and could be denoted as the southeast continental part of the USA. Texas has border with other USA states Arkansas Oklahoma New Mexico and Louisiana. The State is washed by the Gulf of Mexico. Certainly this state has its nickname the Lone Star State. The origin of states name comes from a word used by the Caddo Indians meaning friends. Texas became an American State on December 28 1845 after the War with Mexicans. Its agricultural sector produces cotton dairy products poultry corn and wheat. If we speak about Texas industry we should mention chemical industry machinery electric equipment mining extracting of natural gas and petroleum. Texas geographic centre is McCulloch 15 miles northeast of Brady. The highest point in Texas is Guadalupe Peak is 8749 feet. Largest Cities are Houston Dallas San Antonio Austin and El Paso. The population of Texas is about 20 852 000 people in 2001. Comparing the density of population of all American States Texas occupies the second place. It is the motherland for the following presidents Dwight David Eisenhower 1953-1961, the 34th President of the USA who was born in 1890 in Denison Texas 1963-1969 Lyndon Baines Johnson the 36th President of the USA who was born in 1908 near Johnson City Texas Present Governor of Texas is Rick Perry 2003. Texas Texas is the 28th U.S. state located in the southern part of the country and may be designated as the southeastern continental United States. Texas is bordered by other US States state Arkansas state Oklahoma state new Mexico and Louisiana. The state is washed by the waters of the Gulf of Mexico. Of course the state has the nickname the lone STA state the Lone Star State. The name comes from the word used by Caddo Indians and refers friends. Texas became a U.S. state on December 28, 1845, after the war with the Mexicans. Its agricultural sector produces cotton dairy products poultry grain and wheat. If we are talking about industry, Texas, and we should mention chemical industry mechanical engineering manufacture of electronic equipment mining extraction of natural gas and oil. The geographical center of Texas is a place of Mak-Culloch McCulloch 15 miles 20 miles northeast of Brady. The highest point in Texas Guadalupe Peak 8 749 ft 2 900m. Largest cities Houston Dallas San Antonio Austin El Paso. The population of Texas is approximately 20 852 000 people in 2001. If you compare the population density of the United States by state then Texas ranks second. Texas is the birthplace of the next President Dwight David Eisenhower years 1953-1961 34th President of the United States who was born in 1890 in Denison Texas, Baines Lyndon Johnson 1963-1969: the 36th U.S. President was born in 1908 near Johnson city Texas. Current Texas Governor Rick Perry in 2003. Questions 1. Texas Is an American state 2. When did Texas become the state of the USA 3. What is the origin.of the word Texas 4. How many presidents of the USA were born in Texas 5. What is the nickname for Texas 6. Where is Texas situated 7. What part of the country does Texas occupy 8. What are the biggest Texas cities Vocabulary to denote to denote the border border nickname nickname nickname origin origin meaning the value of dairy dairy poultry poultry corn grain wheat wheat to mention to mention machinery machinery equipment equipment to extract

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