

Peer City Characteristics Summary

COTPA Oklahoma City Fixed Guideway Study

Peer City	System Length (miles)	Project Phase	Percent Population Growth 1990-2000	Population 20-year Projected Growth 2005-2025 unless noted	# of Counties in the Metro Area	Land Area (sq.mi.)	Population Density (persons per sq.mi)	Mean Travel Time to Work (minutes)	Persons per HH	Median HH Income (1999)	Non-Hispanic White Population	Minority Population	Persons below poverty, percent 1999
Oklahoma Co., OK		FS	10.1%	27.1% (2000-2030)	1	709	931.4	20.9	2.41	\$35,063	67.1%	32.9%	15.3%
City of Oklahoma City, OK		FS	13.8%	32.0% (2000-2030)	city	607	833.8	20.8	2.41	\$34,947	68.4%	31.6%	16.0%
Phoenix, AZ (Maricopa County)	20	C	44.8%	48.6%	1	9,203	333.8	26.1	2.67	\$45,358	66.2%	33.8%	11.7%
City of Phoenix, AZ		C	34.4%	38.4%	city	484.5	2,835.7	N/A	2.79	\$55,408	55.8%	44.2%	15.8%
Denver, CO Region	15.8	OP	29.9%	29.2%	8	635	3802.6	26.1	2.51	\$54,932	80.6%	19.4%	NA
Denver County, CO			18.6%	22.1%	1	153	3,616.8	24.5	2.27	\$39,500	51.9%	48.1%	14.3%
Minneapolis, MN Region	12.0	C	15.4%	20.7% (2010-2030)	7	2,813	939.2	23.0	2.56	\$54,332	86.4%	13.6%	6.7%
Minneapolis, MN		C	3.6%	6.0% (2010-2030)	city	54.9	6,970	21.7	2.25	\$37,974	62.5%	37.5%	NA
Hennepin County, MN		C	8.1%	14.7% (2010-2030)	1	557	2,005.3	22.2	2.39	\$51,711	78.9%	21.1%	8.3%
St. Louis, MO Region	38	OP	3.9%	6.6%	7+city	1,777	553.4	25.4	2.5	\$45,090	77%	23%	10.3%
St. Louis City, MO		OP	-12.2%	1.5%	city	62	5,622.9	25.1	2.30	\$27,156	42.9%	57.1%	24.6%
St. Louis County, MO		OP	2.3%	-2.8%	1	508	2,001.4	24.0	2.5	\$50,532	76.0%	24.0%	6.9%
St. Clair County, IL		OP	-2.6%	6.1%	1	664	385.8	24.7	2.6	\$39,148	66.8%	37.2%	14.5%
Dallas/Fort Worth, TX Region	44	OP	29.1%	43.9% (2010-2030)	10	1,407	2,946	27.5	2.7	\$47,418	59.3%	40.7%	10.8%
City of Dallas, TX		OP	18.0%	11.0%	city	342	3,471	26.9	2.58	\$37,628	34.6%	65.4%	17.8%
Dallas County, TX		OP	19.8%	14.9%	1	880	2,522.6	26.9	2.71	\$43,324	44.3%	55.7%	13.4%
Houston, TX (Harris County)	7.5	OP	20.7%	44% (2007-2025)	1	1,729	1,967.0	28.1	2.79	\$42,598	42.1%	57.9%	15.0%

System length indicates number of fixed guideway transit route miles planned or in operation. The number is given only once for each transit system in a region, since the system generally goes into multiple jurisdictions.

Phase: Feasibility Study (FS), Alternatives Analysis (AA), Operation (OP), Under Construction (C)

Household (HH)

Minority Population defined as non-white, including white Hispanic.