

THE CHRONICLE 100

Publicly traded companies in the Houston area are ranked using four performance criteria for 2016. The score is based on the average of the rankings for these criteria: total revenue, annual growth in earnings per share, annual revenue growth and one-year total return.

Rank	Company	Score	2016 REVENUES		EARNINGS FOR SHARE GROWTH		REVENUE GROWTH		TOTAL RETURN		Rank	Company	Score	2016 REVENUES		EARNINGS FOR SHARE GROWTH		REVENUE GROWTH		TOTAL RETURN		Rank
			(millions)	Rank	2016	Rank	2016	Rank	2016	Rank				(millions)	Rank	2016	Rank	2016	Rank	2016	Rank	
1	Kraton Corp.	10.75	\$1,744.1	31%	1,108.8	2	68.6%	1	71.5%	9	36	Main Street Capital Corp.	35.25	\$178.3	61	25.4%	38	8.4%	17	37.3%	25	
2	IES Holdings	15.75	737.4	45	514.4	4	25.3	7	73.0	7	37	Benchmark Electronics	35.25	2,310.4	24	-29.5	54	-9.1	45	47.6	18	
3	Huntsman Corp.	17.25	9,657.0	10	245.0	11	-6.2	43	73.4	5	38	Omega Protein Corp.	35.75	390.8	51	36.4	34	8.8	15	12.8	43	
4	Insperty	18.25	2,941.3	21	95.6	24	13.0	11	49.5	17	39	Weingarten Realty Investors	36.00	549.6	46	45.0	30	7.2	18	7.5	50	
5	Sysco Corp.	18.25	53,076.6	2	41.5	31	8.6	16	38.7	24	40	Crown Castle International Corp.	36.75	3,921.2	17	-34.0	56	7.0	19	4.4	55	
6	Quanta Services	19.00	7,651.3	11	103.2	22	1.0	35	72.1	8	41	Powell Industries	37.00	525.6	49	77.9	27	-20.3	61	54.3	11	
7	CenterPoint Energy	20.25	7,528.0	12	162.1	15	1.9	33	40.7	21	42	Buckeye Partners	37.50	3,248.4	18	18.2	41	-5.9	42	7.7	49	
8	Spark Energy	20.50	546.7	47	110.4	21	52.6	2	54.3	12	43	Whitestone REIT	38.25	104.9	66	8.3	44	11.9	13	31.3	30	
9	Waste Management	21.75	13,609.0	7	60.6	29	5.0	23	36.3	28	44	Service Corporation International	38.25	3,031.1	20	-21.1	52	1.5	34	11.3	47	
10	Kinder Morgan	22.25	13,058.0	8	150.0	16	-9.3	46	42.6	19	45	Enterprise Products Partners	38.75	23,022.3	4	-4.8	50	-14.8	57	12.3	44	
11	McDermott International	22.50	2,636.0	22	250.0	10	-14.1	55	120.6	3	46	Phillips 66 Partners	39.00	758.0	44	16.4	42	23.9	8	-17.7	62	
12	Western Gas Partners	23.75	1,804.3	28	292.3	9	3.0	29	32.9	29	47	LyondellBasell Industries	39.50	29,183.0	3	-4.7	49	-10.9	48	2.8	58	
13	Stewart Information Services Corp.	25.00	2,006.6	26	811.5	3	-1.3	38	27.0	33	48	Gulf Island Fabrication	40.25	286.3	55	113.7	20	-6.5	44	14.3	42	
14	Applied Optoelectronics	25.50	260.7	58	170.8	14	37.3	3	36.6	27	49	Francescas Holdings Corp.	40.25	487.2	50	19.8	40	10.9	14	3.6	57	
15	Western Gas Equity Partners	26.00	1,804.3	29	292.3	8	3.0	30	22.3	37	50	Spectra Energy Partners	40.25	2,533.0	23	-13.9	51	3.2	28	1.9	59	
16	USD Partners	26.75	111.1	64	27.7	37	35.9	4	145.7	2	51	Adams Resources & Energy	40.50	1,099.5	36	300.0	6	-43.4	68	5.6	52	
17	TC PipeLines	27.50	357.0	52	10,800.0	1	3.8	25	27.1	32	52	Calpine Corp.	41.25	6,716.0	13	-59.4	62	3.8	26	-21.0	64	
18	NCI Building Systems	28.00	1,706.6	33	103.1	23	6.0	21	26.1	35	53	Isramco	41.75	53.7	67	138.9	17	-18.0	60	39.2	23	
19	Stellus Capital Investment Corp.	28.25	39.5	68	204.9	13	12.3	12	42.4	20	54	Black Stone Minerals	42.50	260.8	57	80.4	26	-33.6	65	39.7	22	
20	Boardwalk Pipeline Partners	30.00	1,307.2	35	35.6	35	4.6	24	37.2	26	55	Phillips 66	42.50	70,898.0	1	-62.2	63	-16.8	58	8.9	48	
21	Evolution Petroleum Corp.	30.25	28.5	69	294.4	7	-5.5	41	115.0	4	56	Quanex Building Products Corp.	43.25	921.8	39	-85.3	67	28.2	6	-1.8	61	
22	LGI Homes	30.25	838.3	42	39.8	33	33.0	5	18.1	41	57	Carriage Services	44.00	248.2	59	0.0	47	2.4	32	19.6	38	
23	Group 1 Automotive	30.50	10,887.6	9	71.0	28	2.4	31	4.5	54	58	Westlake Chemical Partners	44.50	986.7	37	2.0	46	-2.0	39	3.8	56	
24	Natural Resource Partners	31.25	330.9	53	136.8	18	-13.6	53	188.9	1	59	Kirby Corp.	45.00	1,770.7	30	-36.3	57	-17.5	59	26.4	34	
25	Camden Property Trust	31.50	891.0	40	88.6	25	5.7	22	19.1	39	60	Penn Virginia Corp.	45.67	132.1	63	419.1	5	-56.7	69			
26	Plains All American Pipeline	31.50	20,182.0	5	-44.2	59	-12.8	52	55.3	10	61	CVR Energy	49.25	4,782.4	15	-85.6	66	-12.0	49	-28.0	67	
27	Allegiance Bancshares	31.75	108.0	65	22.4	39	16.4	9	52.9	14	62	Atwood Oceanics	49.50	870.4	41	-44.3	60	-35.6	66	29.9	31	
28	American National Insurance Co.	32.00	3,228.0	19	-25.6	53	7.0	20	25.3	36	63	Treco Resources	50.00	212.4	60	5.4	45	-12.2	50	11.8	45	
29	Plains GP Holdings	32.00	20,182.0	6	-33.4	55	-12.8	51	50.7	16	64	CVR Refining	52.25	4,431.3	16	-94.9	69	-14.2	56	-45.1	68	
30	DXP Enterprises	33.50	962.1	38	118.3	19	-22.9	62	52.4	15	65	Shell Midstream Partners	52.50	291.3	54	13.0	43	-10.8	47	-27.8	66	
31	Westlake Chemical Corp.	33.75	5,075.5	14	-37.0	58	13.7	10	4.7	53	66	Genesis Energy	52.50	1,712.5	32	-75.6	64	-23.8	63	6.4	51	
32	RCI Hospitality Holdings	34.25	135.1	62	38.6	32	0.3	37	73.0	6	67	Oceaneering International	55.50	2,271.6	25	-89.3	68	-25.8	64	-22.2	65	
33	Comfort Systems USA	34.25	1,634.3	34	32.3	36	3.4	27	18.2	40	68	Flotek Industries	56.00	262.8	56	-76.9	65	-2.6	40	-17.9	63	
34	Rowan Cos.	34.75	1,843.2	27	240.0	12	-13.7	54	11.4	46	69	Dril-Quip	59.00	538.7	48	-50.4	61	-36.2	67	1.4	60	
35	Prosperity Bancshares	35.00	794.2	43	-3.7	48	0.5	36	53.4	13												

Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence

Note: To be considered for the Chronicle 100, a company must have had 2016 revenue exceeding \$5 million and 2015 revenue exceeding \$2.5 million. It must have shown a profit in 2016 based on its diluted net income per share before extraordinary items, and it must have been trading for all of 2016. The company's stock price as of Dec. 31, 2016 must have exceeded \$1 per share, and it must have been above \$1 as of March 31, 2017.

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