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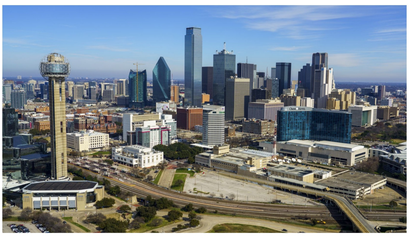

Dallas-Fort Worth accounts for 87 of the 250 Texas companies, including the top two firms in Inc.'s Texas ranking. (Smiley N. Pool / Staff Photographer)

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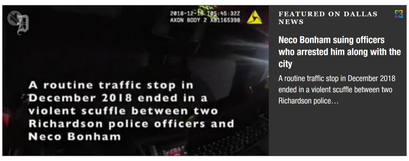
Inc. magazine's annual ranking of America's fastest growing companies is a badge of honor for entrepreneurs looking to validate their success.

Now, the magazine is spinning off its list of 5,000 companies into state editions, releasing its first compilation of Texas companies ranked by largest revenue increase from 2016 to 2018.



Dallas-Fort Worth accounts for 87 of the 250 Texas companies, including No. 1 ranked Case Energy Partners, a Dallas energy investment firm that buys and manages oil and gas interests. *Inc.* said the company grew revenue 11,654% over the two-year period.

See the full Texas list here.

Case Energy, founded in 2012 by **Charlie Matter**, went from $229,000 in revenue in 2016 to $27 million in 2018, **according to *Inc.***. It invests funds from several large family investment offices in Dallas.

It topped Dallas-based IT firm **Allata**, which was the top North Texas company when the ***Inc. 5000* list came out last fall**.

Inc.'s ranking shines a spotlight on the startup economy. The magazine said the 250 privately owned Texas companies employed 36,000 people and added $11 billion in revenue to the state's economy in 2018.

Other North Texas companies in the new state list also show the region's financial diversity, ranging from Richardson-based **Good Faith Energy**, a solar and electric firm that helps customers lower their carbon footprint and electric bills, to **Bailey's Blossoms**, a children's apparel company founded in a garage that now tops $6 million in annual sales.

Texas' 25 fastest growing companies

Inc. magazine ranked 250 Texas-based private companies according to revenue growth from 2016 to 2018. These are the top 25.

Rank	Company	Growth	Industry	City
1	Case Energy Partners	11,654%	Energy	Dallas
2	Allata	5,885%	IT systems	Dallas
3	Everlywell	3,967%	Health	Austin
4	Revely	2,396%	Retail	Austin
5	Instafuel	1,353%	Energy	Bellaire
6	Bellatorum Resources	1,261%	Energy	Spring
7	FactoryPure	1,079%	Retail	San Antonio
8	Sarvicus	1,048%	Telecommunications	Houston
9	SIA SOLUTIONS	1,030%	Environmental services	Houston
10	Good Faith Energy	943%	Energy	Richardson
11	SPOTIO	872%	Software	Dallas
12	Citizen Home Solutions	846%	Business services	Dallas
13	CieloIT	832%	IT Management	Lubbock
14	Zahroof Valves	824%	Energy	Houston
15	Eagle Pipe	806%	Energy	Houston
16	Standard Freight	775%	Logistics	Tomball
17	Restore Hyper Wellness	742%	Health	Austin
18	Nationwide Pharmaceutical	724%	Government services	San Antonio
19	Pathway Vet Alliance	645%	Health	Austin
20	Embark	566%	Financial services	Dallas
21	Simply NUC	477%	Computer hardware	Round Rock
22	Dropoff	464%	Logistics	Austin
23	Asset Panda	454%	Software	Frisco
24	Sriven Systems of TX	440%	IT management	Southlake
25	Ad Results Media	434%	Advertising/marketing	Houston

SOURCE: Inc.

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