

# Texas

## No other state...

musical flavor and flair of Texas. Home to the Austin City Limits Music Festival and South by Southwest (among many other events), the Lone Star State's contributions to music – including artists, genres, and influence – is unparalleled.

## Music Venues & Festivals

1107 Dragon	Mavericks
502 Bar	McGonigel's Mucky Duck
ACL Music Festival	Medusa
Alley Theatre	Mohawk
Antone's Nightclub	Moody Theater
Arena Theatre	Neon Desert Festival
Arts Mission Oak Cliff	Old Quarter Acoustic Cafe
AT&T Center	Old Settler's Music Festival
Austin360 Amphitheater	One-2-One Bar
Barracuda	One World
Billy Bob's	Paper Tiger
Black Sparrow Music Parlor	Parade of Flesh
Brackenridge Park Conservancy	Paramount Theatre
Brass Hall	Perot Theatre
Brewster Street Icehouse	Poodies Roadhouse
Cactus Theater	Prophet Bar
Canton Hall	Quiet Valley Ranch
Carousel Lounge	ReToX Bar

**\$27.3B**

Music industry  
contribution to state GDP  
(Economists Inc.)

**210,595**

Jobs Supported  
(Economists Inc.)

**11,398**

Music Establishments  
(A2IM/Economists Inc./NIVA)

**14,290**

Royalty Recipients  
(SAG-AFTRA/SoundExchange)

**111,619**

Songwriters  
(ASCAP/BMI/GMR/SESAC)

Carson Creek Ranch	Ridglea Theater
Cedar Street Courtyard	Riley's Tavern
Cine El Rey	River City Rockfest Festival
Club DaDa	Roundup Music Venue
Club Here I Love You	Ruins
ColdTowne Theater	Sam's Burger Joint Music Hall
Coliseo	Scottie's Grill
Concrete Street Amphitheater	Shipping and Receiving Bar
Coupland Dancehall	Sixth Street Live
Cowboys Dance Hall	South By Southwest (SXSW) Festival
Dan's Silver Leaf	Speakeasy
Deep Ellum Art Company	Spider House Cafe and ballroom
Dirty Dog Bar	Stanley's Famous Pit BBQ
Dos Equis Pavilion	Stay Gold
Double Wide	Stereo Live
Elysium	The Amp Room
Emo's	The Bomb Factory
Empire Control Room	The Bugle Boy
Fannin Studios	The Coliseum
Faust	The Ector Theatre
Firehouse Saloon	The Far Out Lounge
Fitzgerald's Bar & Live Music Venue	The Heights Theater
Flamingo Cantina	The Holding Cell
Float Fest Festival	The Hole in the Wall
Floore's Country Store	The Kessler Theater
Gas Monkey Bar N Grill	The Lowbrow Palace
Gas Monkey Live!	The Marc On The Square
Giddy Ups	The Mix
Half Step	The Museum of Human Achievement
Happy Cow	The North Door

Haute Spot Venue	The Nothing Song
Hitones	The Parish
Hotel Vegas Austin	The Rock Box Live Music Venue
House of Rock	The Sanctuary Music & Events Center
Intelligent Grind	The Secret Group
Last Concert Cafe	The Texas Theatre
Leftwoods Pub	The Tobin Center for the Performing Arts
Levitation	The Venue ATX
Levitation Festival	The White Horse
Levitt Pavilion	Three Links
Lighthouse Lounge	Trees Dallas
Lights All Night Festival	Tulips Fort Worth
Limelight	Ubbi Dubbi Festival
Lola's Saloon	Unit 108
Lonesome Rose	Vulcan Gas Company
Long Center for the Performing Arts	Warehouse Live
Magnolia Motor Lounge	White Oak Music Hall
Main At South Side	Whitewater Amphitheater
Main Street Crossing	Yaga's Cafe
Majestic Theatre	

## Notable Musicians

Beyoncé Knowles	Meat Loaf (Michael Lee Aday)
Boz Scaggs	Miranda Lambert
Buddy Holly	Norah Jones
Ciara	Pantera
The Chicks	Roy Orbison
Don Henley	Stephen Stills
George Strait	Stevie Ray Vaughn

Janis Joplin

Usher

Kelly Clarkson

Willie Nelson

Kris Kristofferson

ZZ Top