



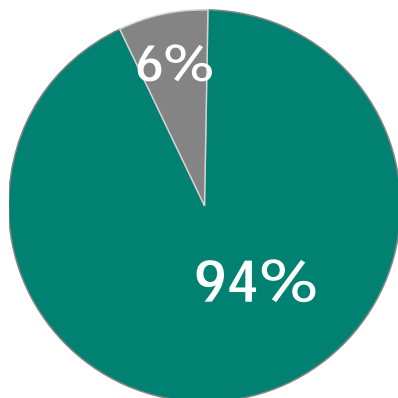
## City/County Metros

### ECONOMIC GAINS

Over the past seven years, the majority of new jobs in the high-tech and business services segments have been created in metro areas.

#### New Business Services Jobs 1992 — 1999

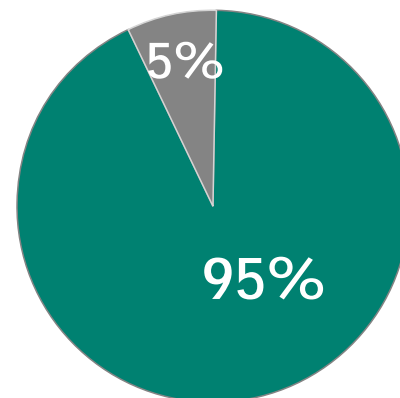
Rest of U.S. (285,000)



City/County Metros\*  
(4.6 million jobs)

#### New High-Tech Jobs 1992 — 1999

Rest of U.S. (75,600)



City/County Metros\*  
(1.5 million jobs)

\*City/County Metros are the 319 metropolitan areas defined by U.S.O.M.B.

Source: Standard & Poor's DRI