

§ REGIONAL COMPARISON

Greater Cleveland vs North Birmingham

United States · United Kingdom

UNITED STATES

Greater Cleveland

OPPORTUNITY SCORE

71

GDP GROWTH	2.4%
EMPLOYMENT	94.1%
MEDIAN INCOME	\$58,200
NEW FIRMS YTD	1,240
LABOR PART.	62.7%

UNITED KINGDOM

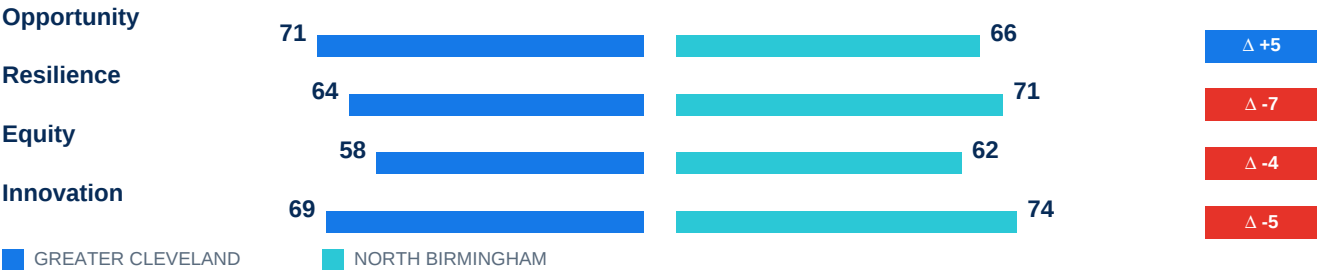
North Birmingham

OPPORTUNITY SCORE

66

GDP GROWTH	1.9%
EMPLOYMENT	92.6%
MEDIAN INCOME	\$41,300
NEW FIRMS YTD	980
LABOR PART.	60.4%

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GAP ANALYSIS

Greater Cleveland

Middle-skill jobs	HIGH
Δ -12.4%	
Small business capital access	MEDIUM
Δ -6.1%	
Broadband coverage (rural corridor)	MEDIUM
Δ -8.3%	

North Birmingham

Youth apprenticeship supply	HIGH
Δ -14.7%	
Advanced manufacturing capital	MEDIUM
Δ -5.8%	

READING

Greater Cleveland leads on Opportunity (71). North Birmingham leads on Resilience (71). Highest-severity gaps are marked HIGH. Prioritize those first when allocating capital or programs. Scores use the Newkirklytics v3.2 methodology. Comparable across regions and time.