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# **EJScreen Community Report**

This report provides environmental and socioeconomic information for user-defined areas, and combines that data into environmental justice and supplemental indexes.

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# Example Radiusbased report

1 mile Ring Centered at 29.768103,-95.333004 Population: 11,682 Area in square miles: 3.14



### **COMMUNITY INFORMATION**



#### **LANGUAGES SPOKEN AT HOME**

LANGUAGE	PERCENT
English	61%
Spanish	35%
Other Indo-European	2%
Korean	1%
Other and Unspecified	2%
Total Non-English	39%

#### **BREAKDOWN BY RACE**



From Ages 1 to 4	7%
From Ages 1 to 18	22%
From Ages 18 and up	78%
From Ages 65 and up	10%

### LIMITED ENGLISH SPEAKING BREAKDOWN



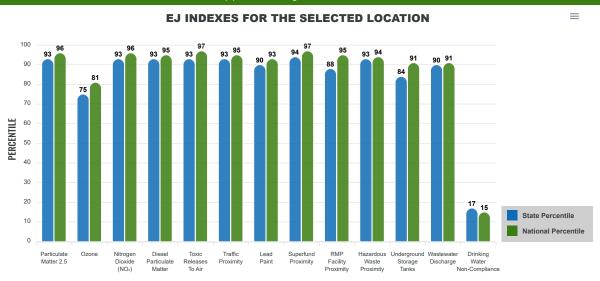
Notes: Numbers may not sum to totals due to rounding. Hispanic population can be of any race. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey (ACS) 2017-2021. Life expectancy data comes from the Centers for Disease Control.

### **Environmental Justice & Supplemental Indexes**

The environmental justice and supplemental indexes are a combination of environmental and socioeconomic information. There are thirteen EJ indexes and supplemental indexes in EJScreen reflecting the 13 environmental indicators. The indexes for a selected area are compared to those for all other locations in the state or nation. For more information and calculation details on the EJ and supplemental indexes, please visit the EJScreen website.

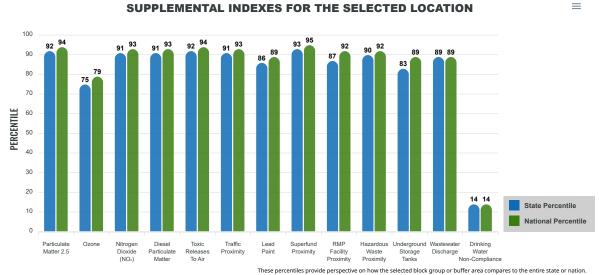
### **EJ INDEXES**

The EJ indexes help users screen for potential EJ concerns. To do this, the EJ index combines data on low income and people of color populations with a single environmental indicator.



### **SUPPLEMENTAL INDEXES**

The supplemental indexes offer a different perspective on community-level vulnerability. They combine data on percent low-income, percent linguistically isolated, percent less than high school education, percent unemployed, and low life expectancy with a single environmental indicator.



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### **EJScreen Environmental and Socioeconomic Indicators Data**

SELECTED VARIABLES	VALUE	STATE AVERAGE	PERCENTILE IN STATE	USA AVERAGE	PERCENTILE IN USA		
ENVIRONMENTAL BURDEN INDICATORS							
Particulate Matter 2.5 (µg/m³)	10.5	8.86	99	8.45	90		
Ozone (ppb)	36.5	40.4	22	41	22		
Nitrogen Dioxide (NO <sub>2</sub> ) (ppbv)	17	9.5	97	7.8	98		
Diesel Particulate Matter (µg/m³)	0.353	0.151	99	0.191	88		
Toxic Releases to Air (RSEI score)	48,000	12,000	93	4,600	98		
Traffic Proximity (daily traffic count/distance to road)	4,600,000	1,000,000	99	1,700,000	90		
Lead Paint (% Pre-1960 Housing)	0.44	0.16	86	0.3	70		
Superfund Proximity (site count/km distance)	4.6	0.11	99	0.39	98		
RMP Facility Proximity (facility count/km distance)	1.5	0.95	81	0.57	89		
Hazardous Waste Proximity (facility count/km distance)	6.4	1.5	97	3.5	84		
Underground Storage Tanks (count/km²)		2.3	66	3.6	67		
Wastewater Discharge (toxicity-weighted concentration/m distance)		3,800	82	700,000	61		
Drinking Water Non-Compliance (score)		2.3	0	2.2	0		
SOCIOECONOMIC INDICATORS							
Demographic Index USA	1.33	N/A	N/A	0	90		
Supplemental Demographic Index USA	0.75	N/A	N/A	0	86		
Demographic Index State	0.96	0	82	N/A	N/A		
Supplemental Demographic Index State	0.61	0	81	N/A	N/A		
People of Color	92%	58%	81	40%	90		
Low Income	52%	34%	76	30%	83		
Unemployment Rate	11%	5%	85	6%	85		
Limited English Speaking Households		8%	72	5%	83		
Less Than High School Education		16%	68	11%	81		
Under Age 5	6%	11%	73	6%	83		
Over Age 64	10%	15%	38	18%	25		

\*Diesel particulate matter index is from the EPA's Air Toxics Data Update, which is the Agency's ongoing, comprehensive evaluation of air toxics in the United States. This effort aims to prioritize air toxics, emissio sources, and locations of interest for further study. It is important to remember that the air toxics data presented here provide broad estimates of health risks over geographic areas of the country, not definitive risks to specific individuals or locations. More information on the Air Toxics Data Update can be found at: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/haps/air-toxics-data-update">https://www.epa.gov/haps/air-toxics-data-update</a>.

### Sites reporting to EPA within defined area:

Superfund	1
Hazardous Waste, Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Facilities	1
Water Dischargers	50
Air Pollution	3
Brownfields	9
Toxic Release Inventory	5

### Other community features within defined area:

Hospitals		
Places of Worship		
Other environmental data:		
Air Non-attainment	Ye	S

Selected location contains American Indian Reservation Lands*	No
Selected location contains a "Justice40 (CEJST)" disadvantaged community	Yes
Selected location contains an EPA IRA disadvantaged community	Yes

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## **EJScreen Environmental and Socioeconomic Indicators Data**

HEALTH INDICATORS					
INDICATOR	VALUE	STATE AVERAGE	STATE PERCENTILE	US AVERAGE	US PERCENTILE
Low Life Expectancy	26%	20%	95	20%	93
Heart Disease	6.6	5.4	73	5.8	69
Asthma	11.7	9.8	95	10.3	85
Cancer	4.5	5.5	29	6.4	14
Persons with Disabilities	13.6%	12.6%	61	13.7%	55

CLIMATE INDICATORS							
INDICATOR	VALUE STATE AVERAGE STATE PERCENTILE US AVERAGE US PERCENTILE						
Flood Risk	6%	10%	57	12%	46		
Wildfire Risk	0%	30%	0	14%	0		

CRITICAL SERVICE GAPS							
INDICATOR VALUE STATE AVERAGE STATE PERCENTILE US AVERAGE US PERCENTILE							
Broadband Internet	23%	13%	79	13%	83		
Lack of Health Insurance	25%	18%	75	9%	96		
Housing Burden	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Transportation Access Burden	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
Food Desert	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		

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