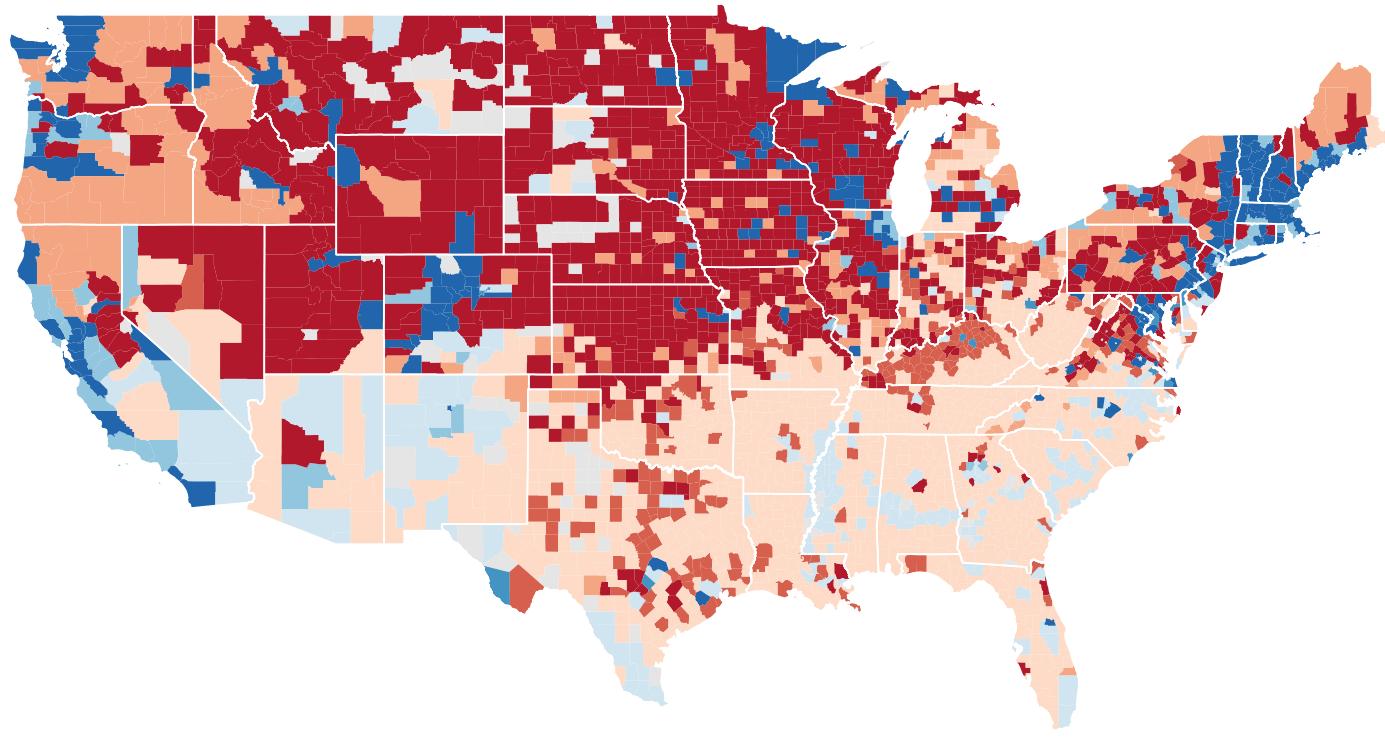


America's Divided Counties: A Typology

Classification based on credit access, social capital, and 2020 vote



County Type

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|---|--|
| Affluent Blue (High Credit, High EC, Democratic) | Struggling Red (Low Credit, Low EC, Republican) |
| Connected Blue (Low Credit, High EC, Democratic) | Suburban Red (High Credit, Low EC, Republican) |
| Prosperous Red (High Credit, High EC, Republican) | Urban Isolated (High Credit, Low EC, Democratic) |
| Rural Connected (Low Credit, High EC, Republican) | NA |
| Struggling Blue (Low Credit, Low EC, Democratic) | |

Source: Opportunity Insights, Chetty et al. (2022), MIT Election Lab.

Note: 'High' = above median. Grey = missing data.