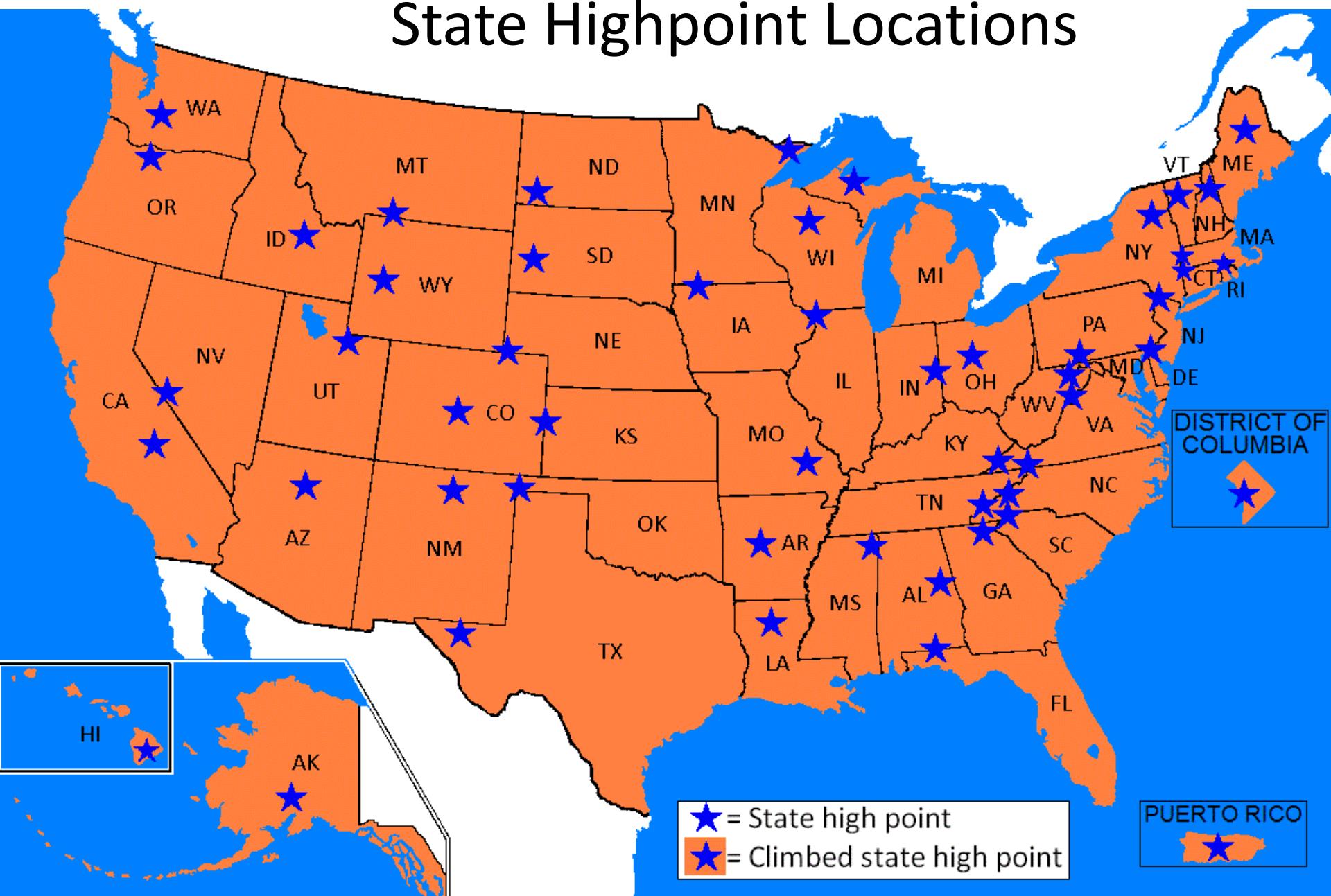


# Quest for the 50 US State Highpoints

Eric and Matthew  
Gilbertson



# State Highpoint Locations



# About us



- Course II (MechE), class of 2008
- Currently Course II PhD students
- From Berea, KY
- 1<sup>st</sup> hi pt: Clingmans Dome (TN) - 1996

# Acknowledgements

- Our parents
- MITOC
- NDSEG Fellowship
- Grad student stipend
- Our advisors

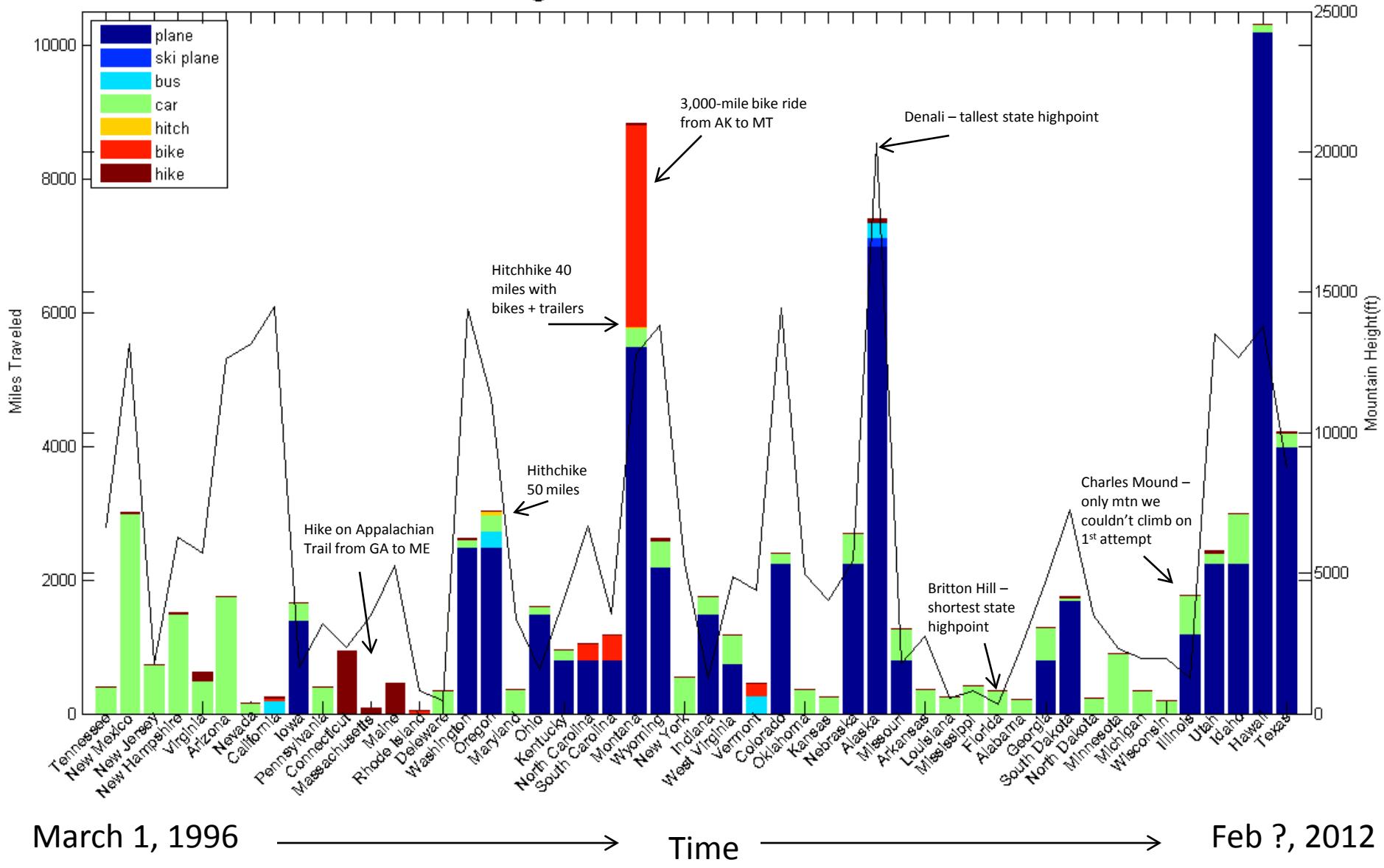


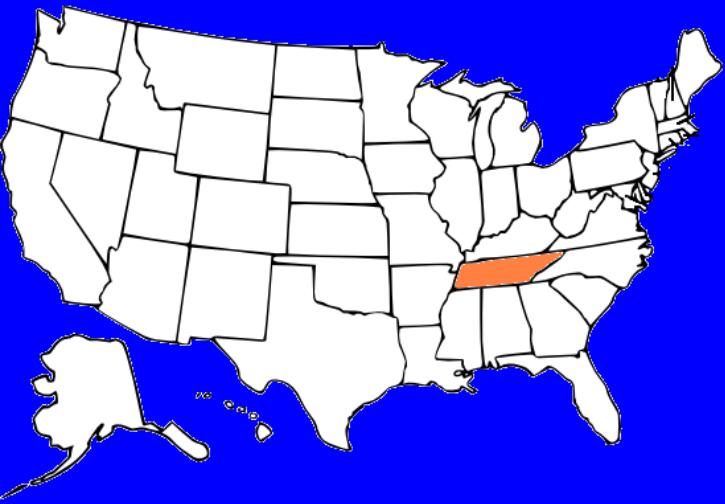
A photograph of a person standing on a snowy mountain peak, looking out over a vast expanse of clouds. The person is wearing a backpack and climbing gear. The sky is clear blue above the clouds.

**50 States  
15.7 years**

**83,625 miles by plane  
23,900 miles by car  
3,779 miles by bike  
2,490 miles by foot**

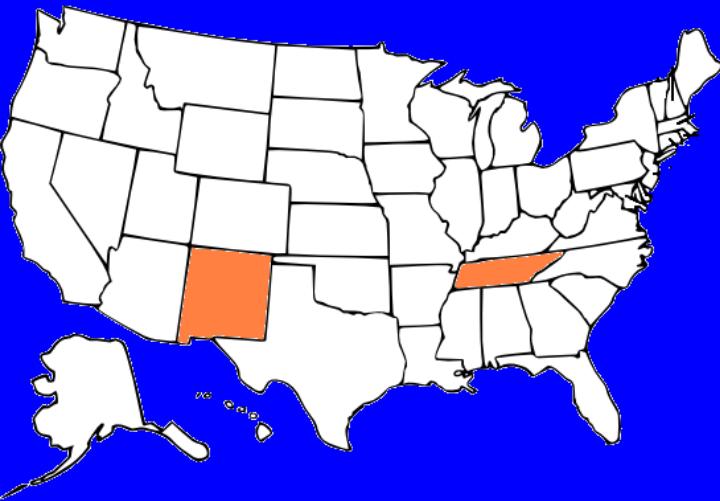
# US State High Points - Eric and Matthew Gilbertson





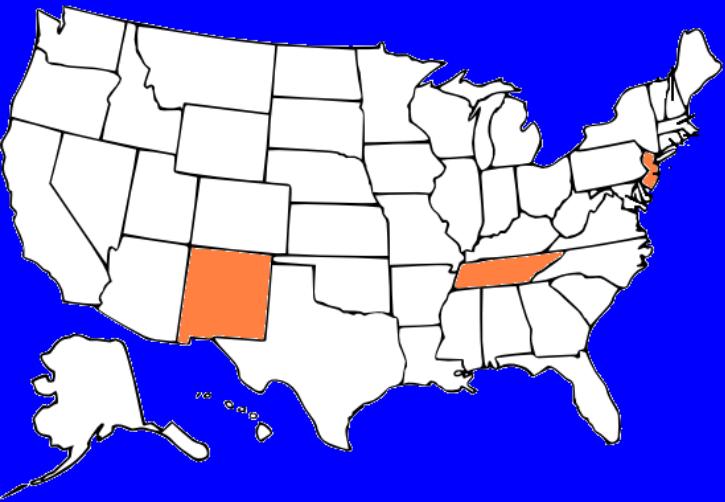
# Tennessee Clingmans Dome





# New Mexico Wheeler Peak



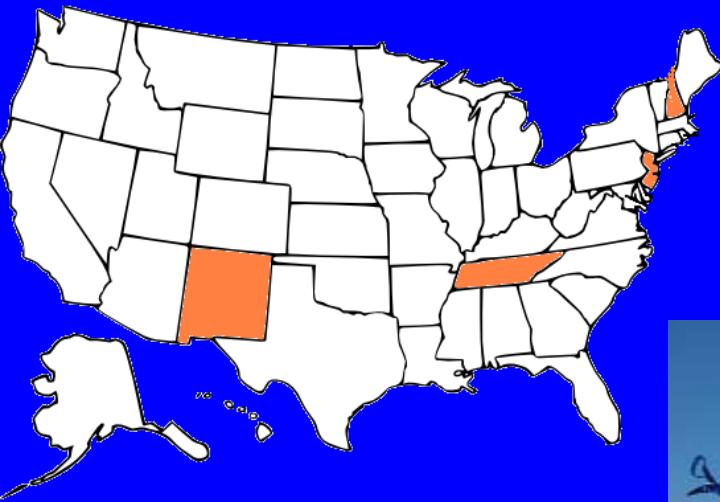


July 2006: 2<sup>nd</sup> visit

# New Jersey Highpoint

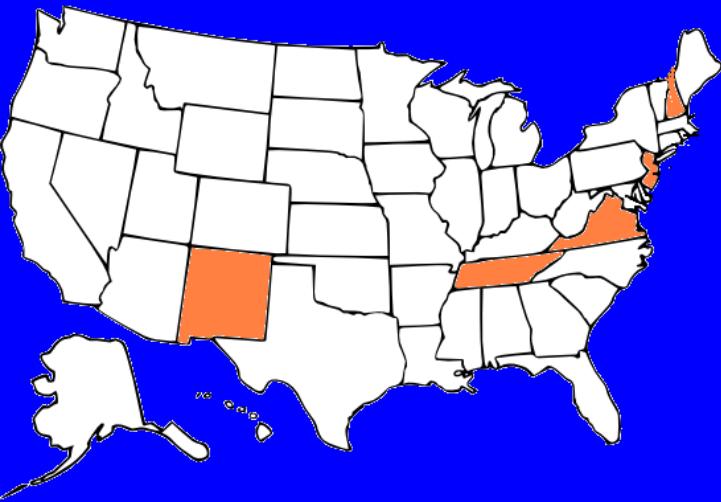


Feb 2012: 3<sup>rd</sup> visit



# New Hampshire Mount Washington

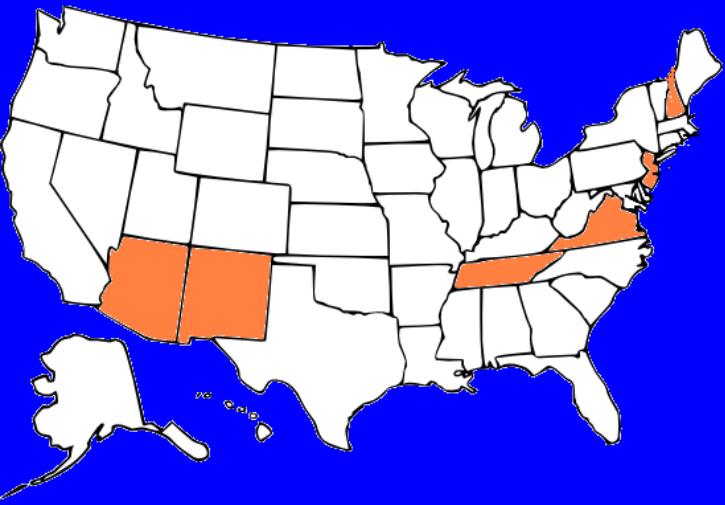




# Virginia

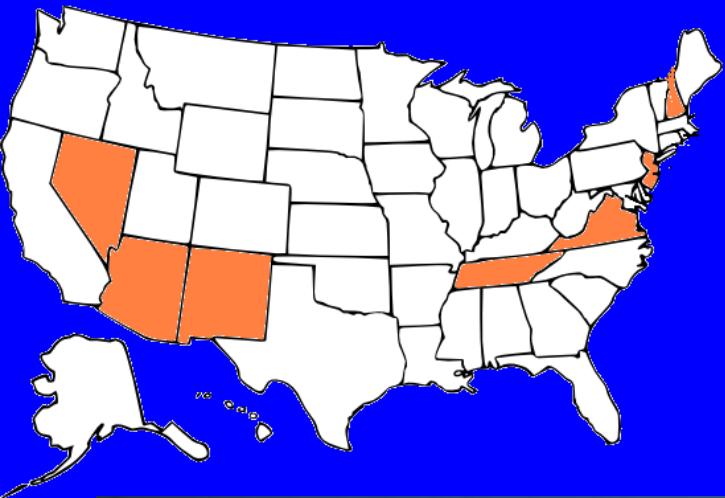
# Mount Rogers





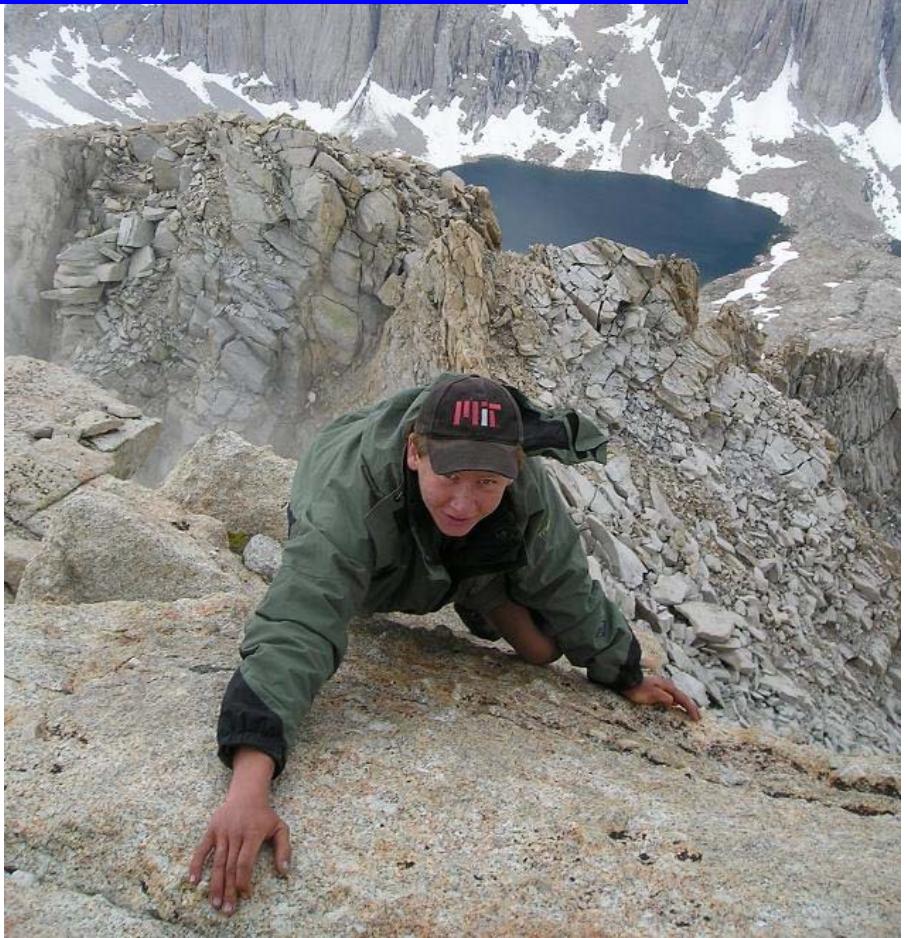
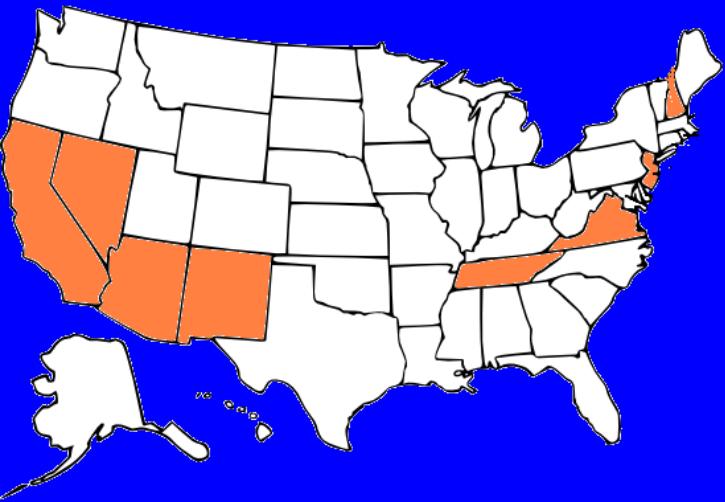
# Arizona Humphreys Peak





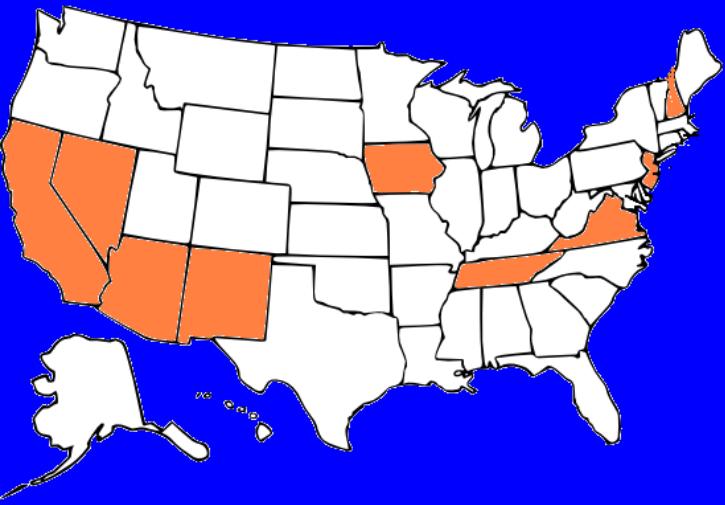
# Nevada Boundary Peak





# California Mount Whitney



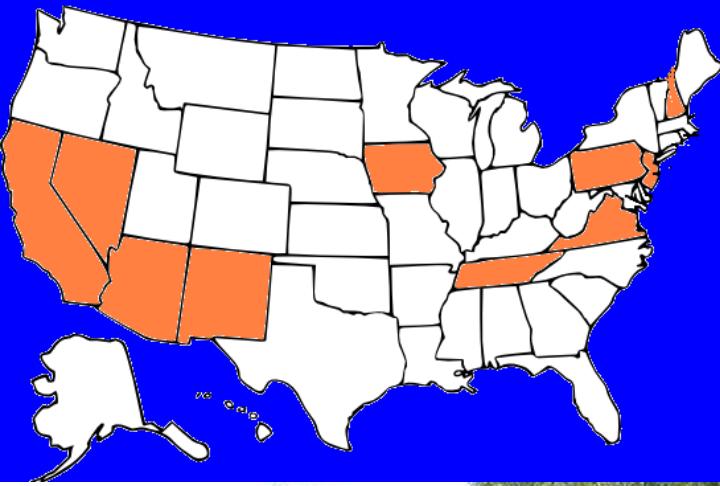


# Iowa

## Hawkeye Point

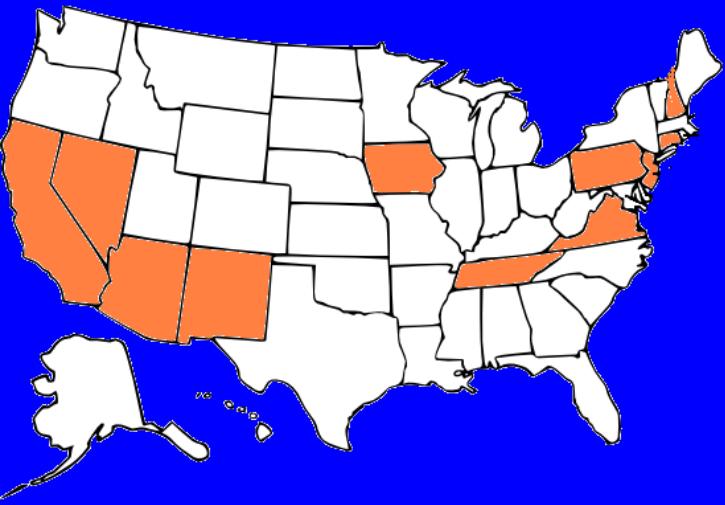


Dec 2011

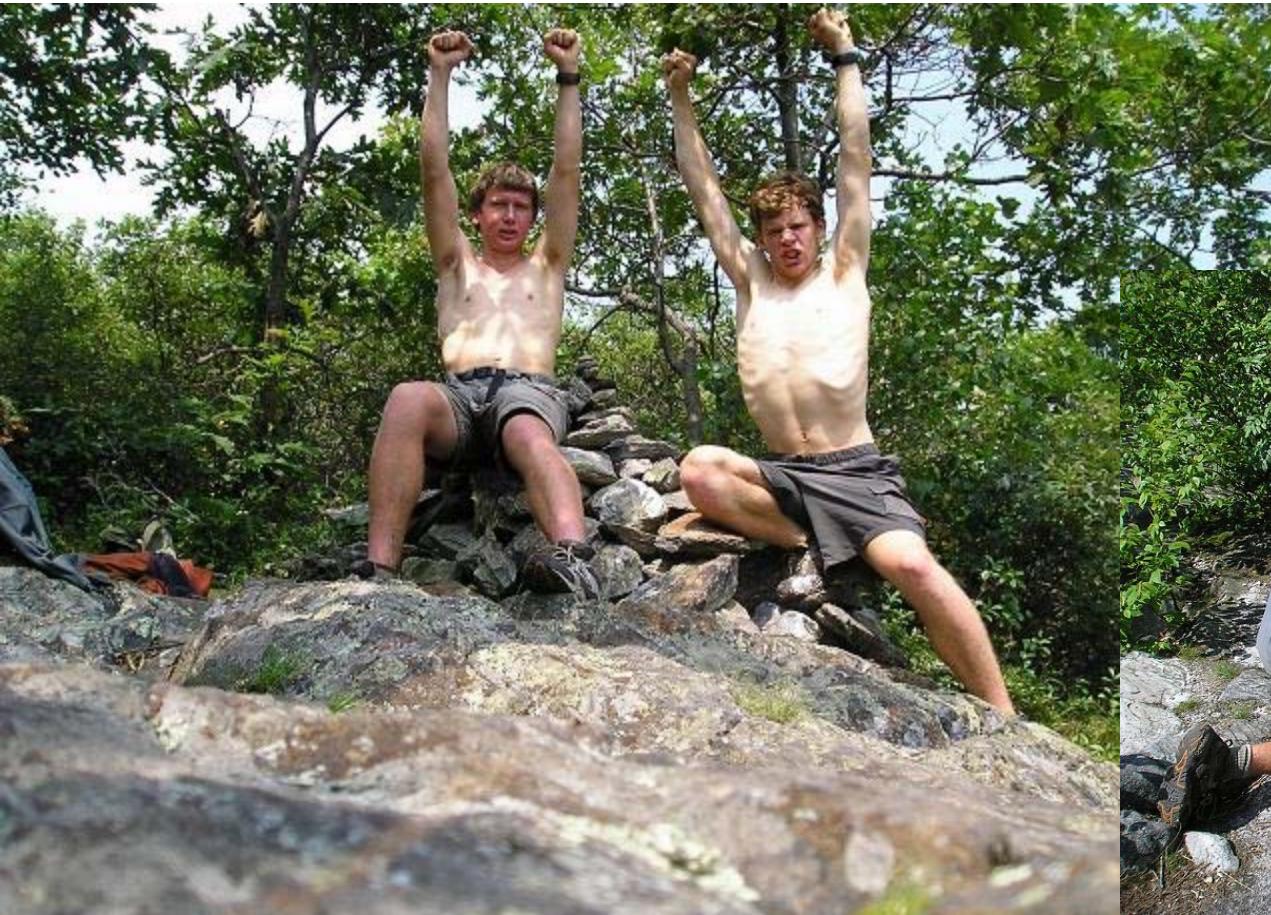


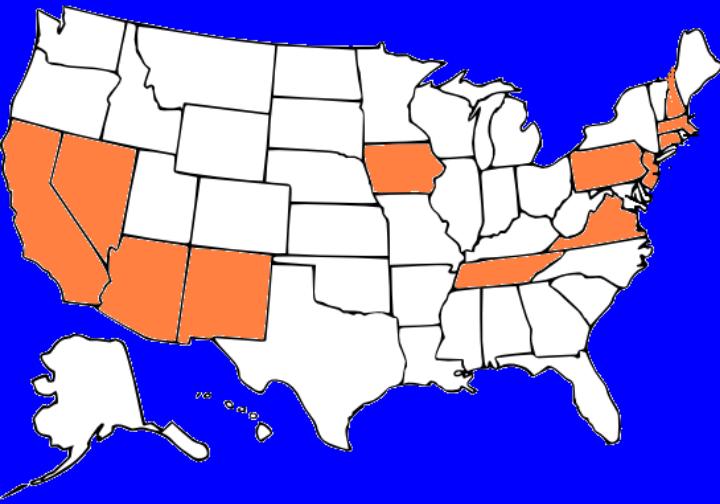
# Pennsylvania Mount Davis





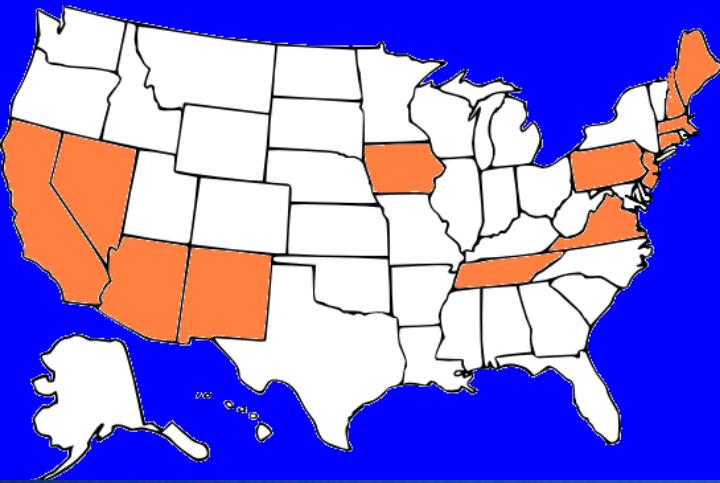
# Connecticut (side of) Mount Frissell





# Massachusetts Mount Greylock

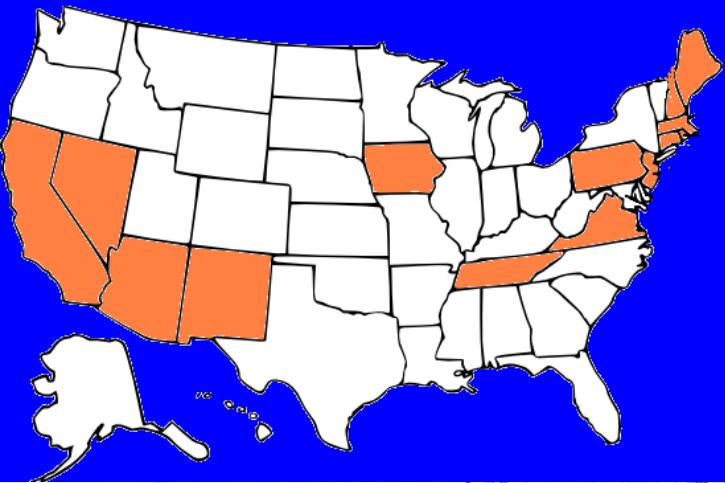




# Maine

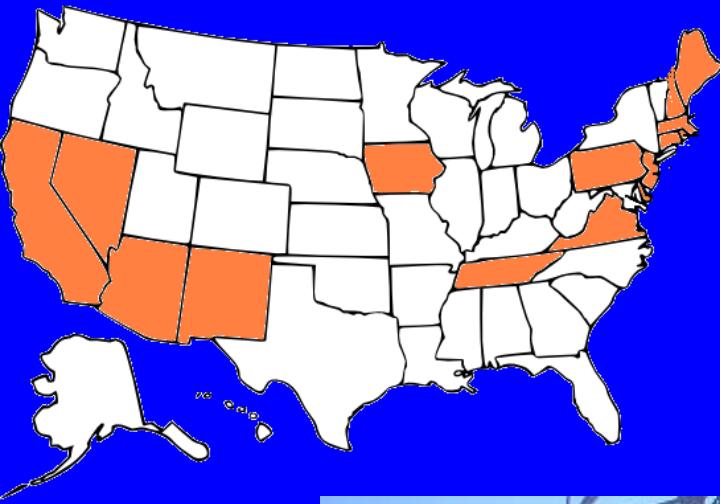
## Katahdin – Baxter Peak





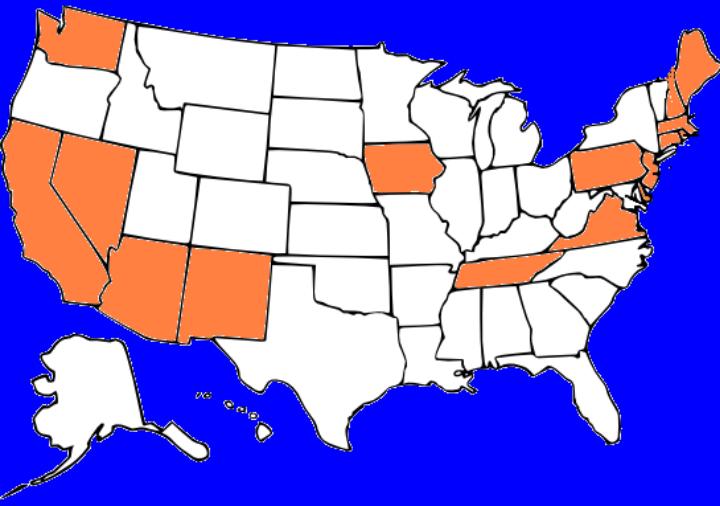
# Rhode Island Jerimoth Hill





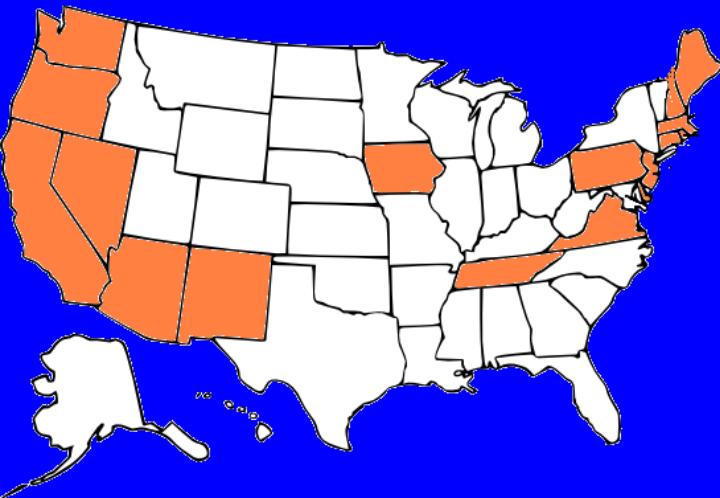
# Delaware Ebright Azimuth





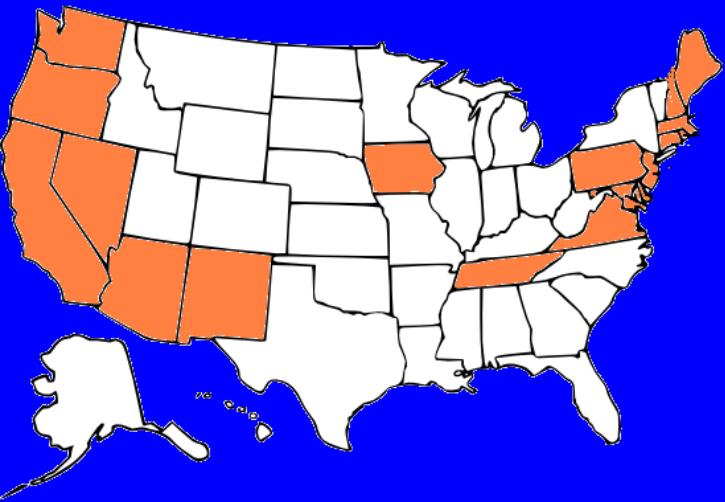
# Washington Mount Rainier





# Oregon Mount Hood

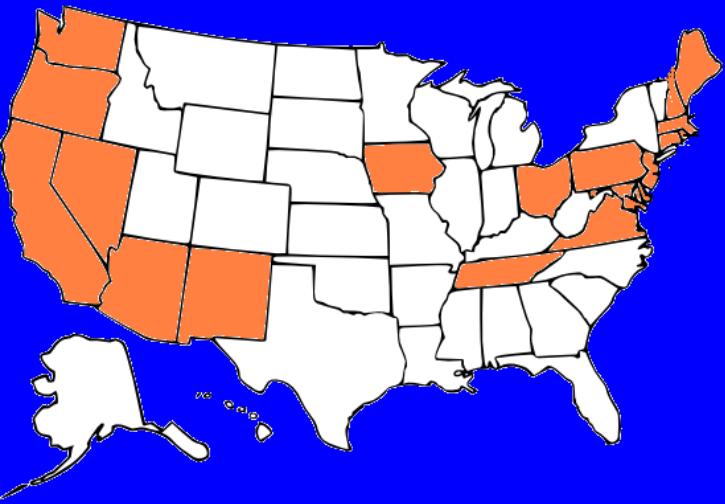




# Maryland

## Backbone Mountain

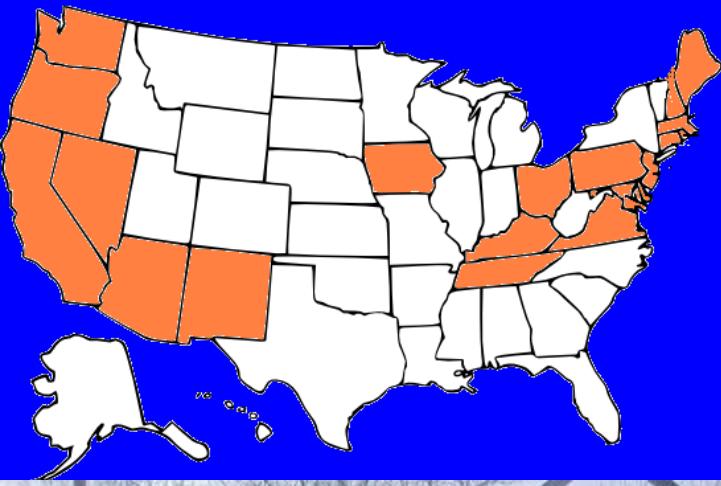




# Ohio

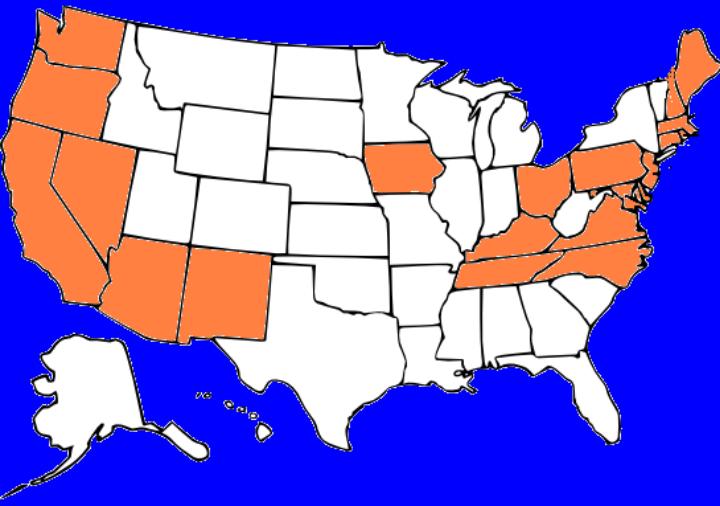
## Campbell Hill





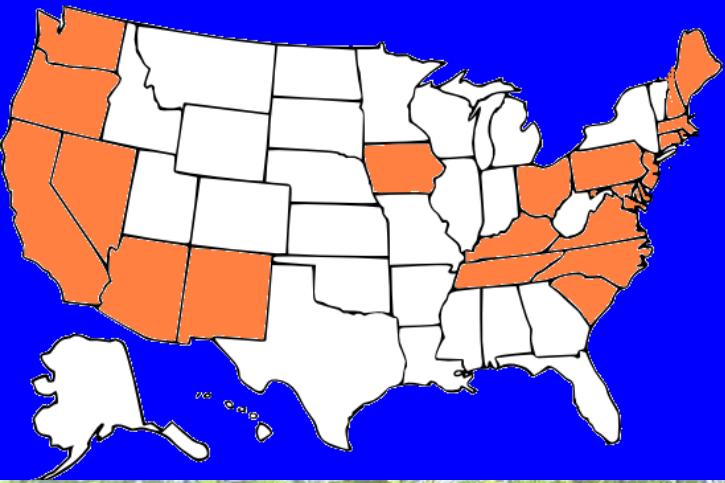
# Kentucky Black Mountain





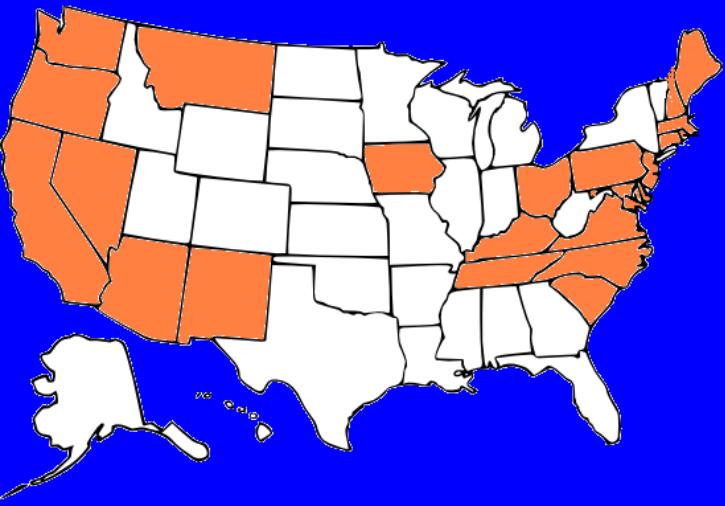
# North Carolina Mount Mitchell



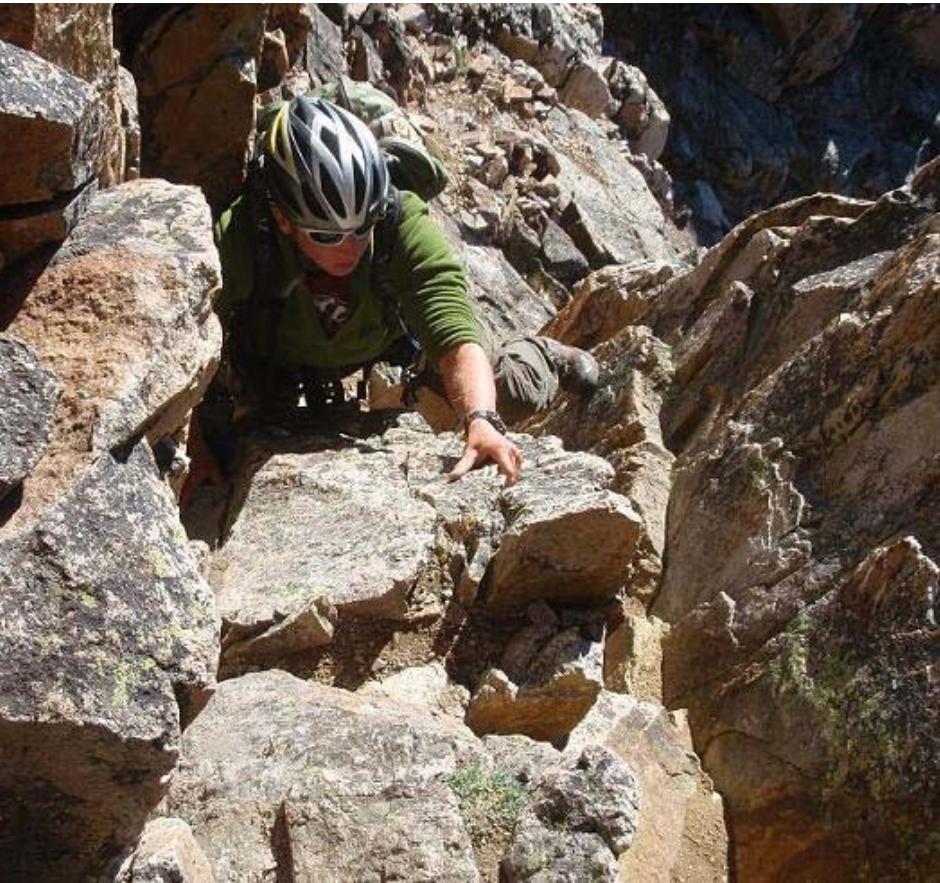


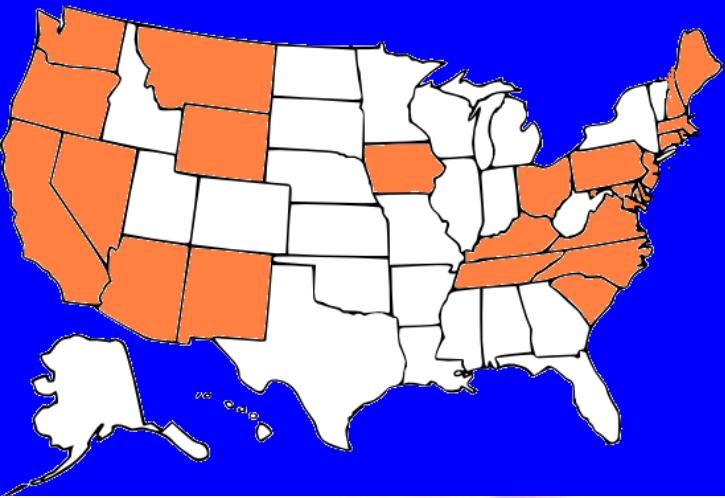
# South Carolina Sassafras Mountain





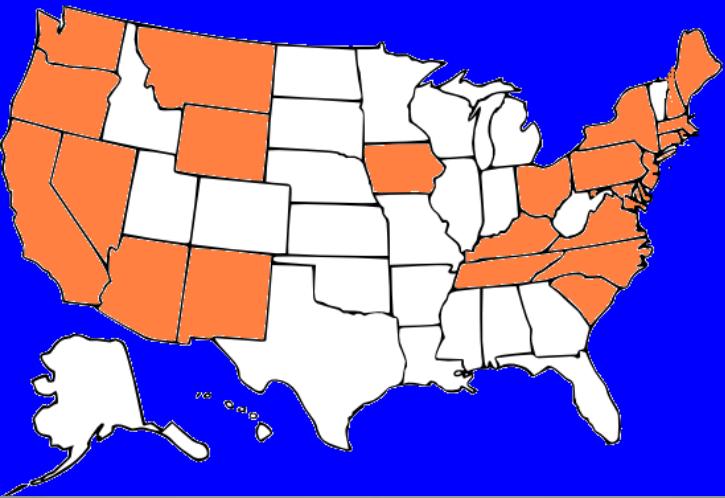
# Montana Granite Peak





# Wyoming Gannett Peak

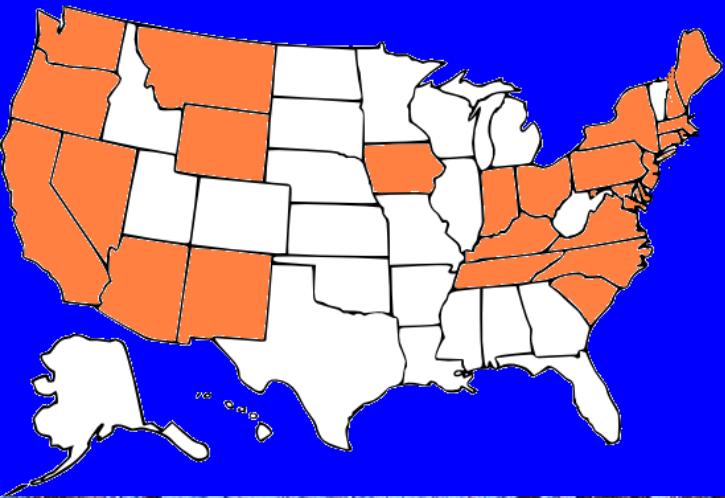




# New York

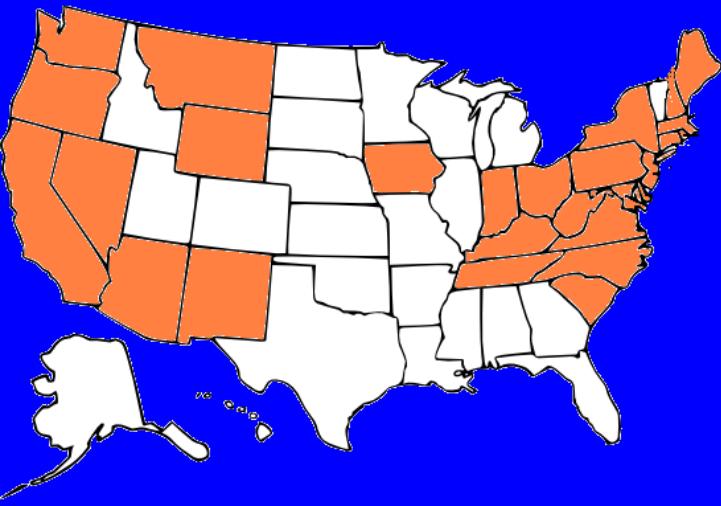
## Mount Marcy





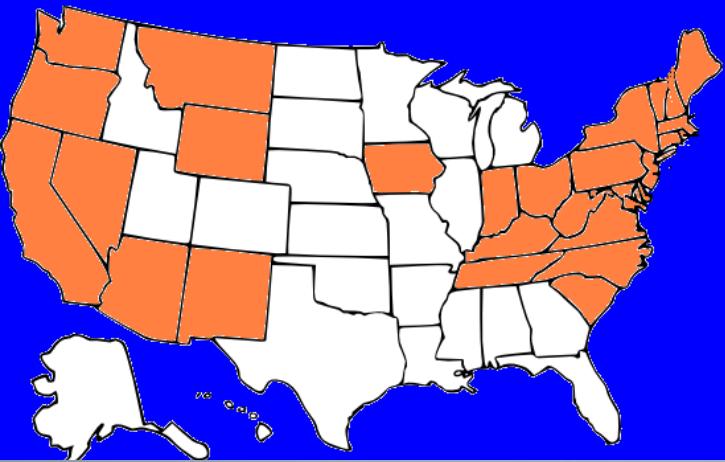
# Indiana Hoosier Hill





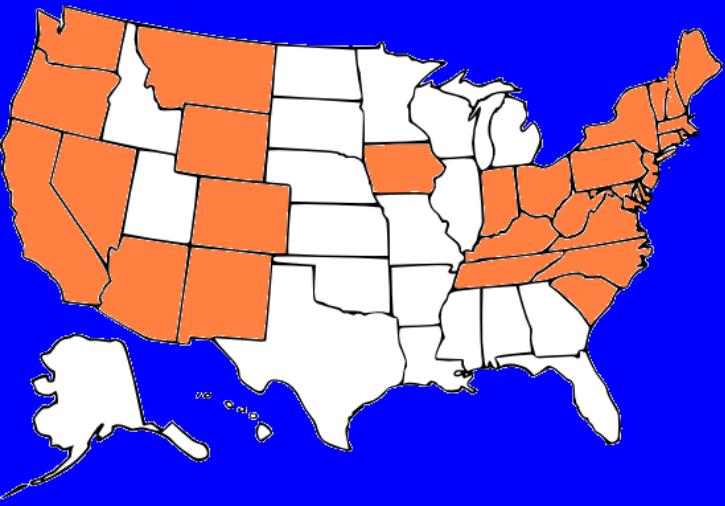
# West Virginia Spruce Knob





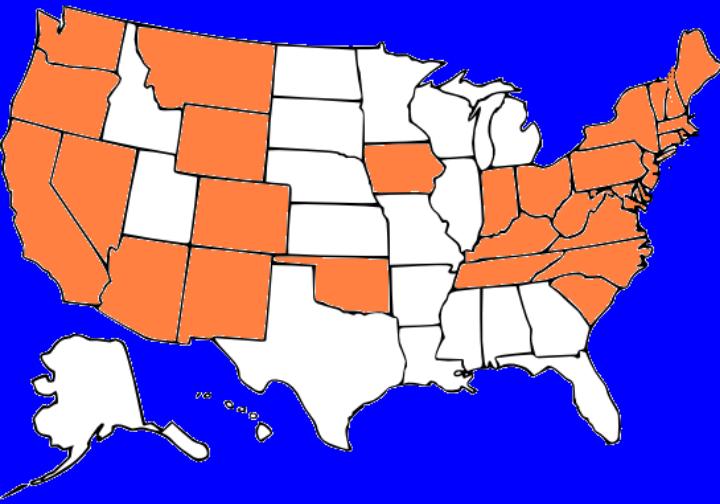
# Vermont Mount Mansfield





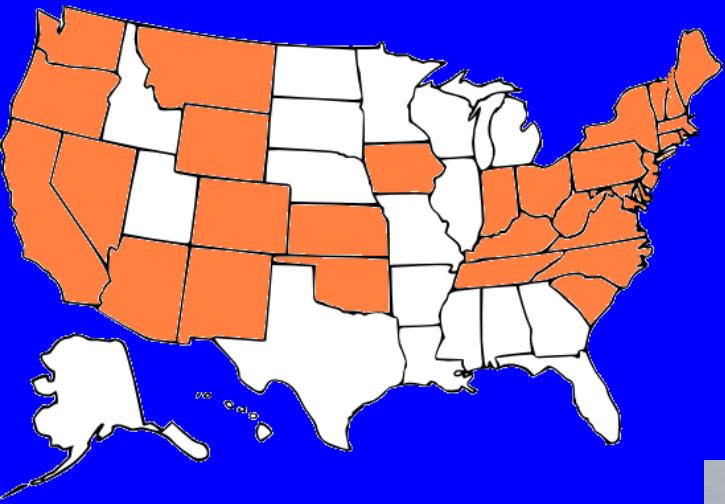
# Colorado Mount Elbert





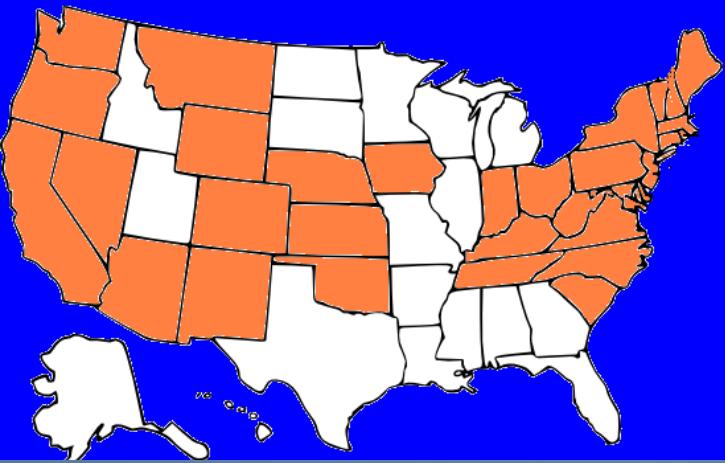
# Oklahoma Black Mesa





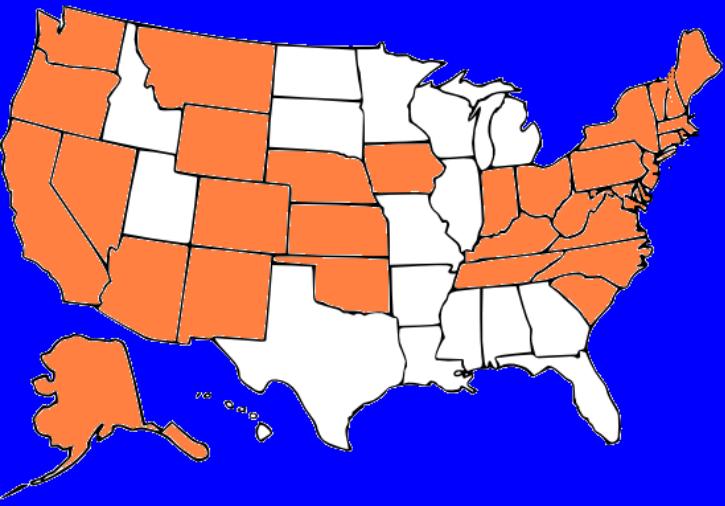
# Kansas Mount Sunflower





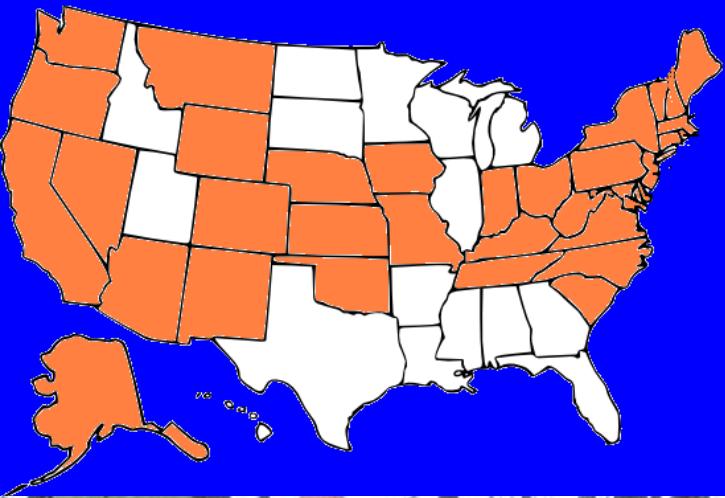
# Nebraska Panorama Point





# Alaska Denali

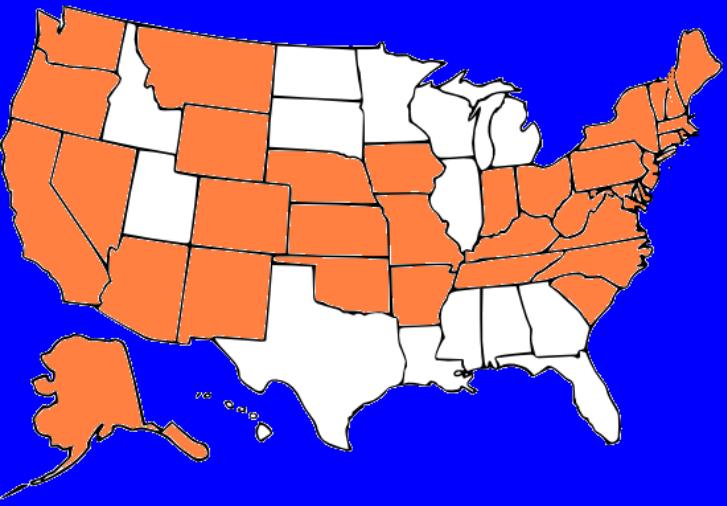




# Missouri

## Taum Sauk Mountain

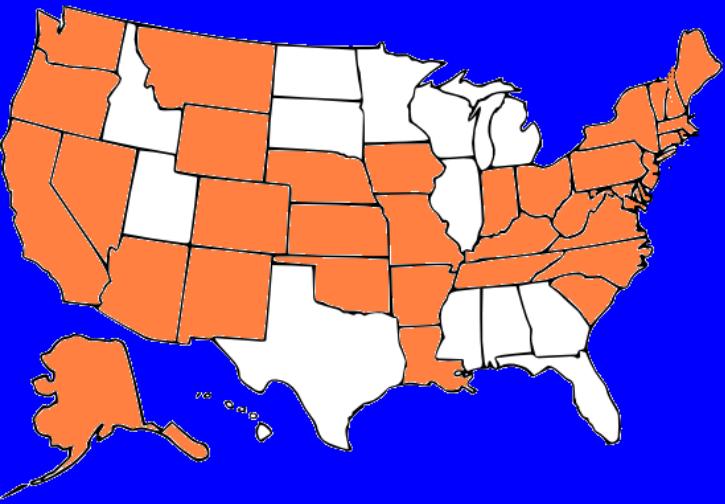




# Arkansas

# Magazine Mountain

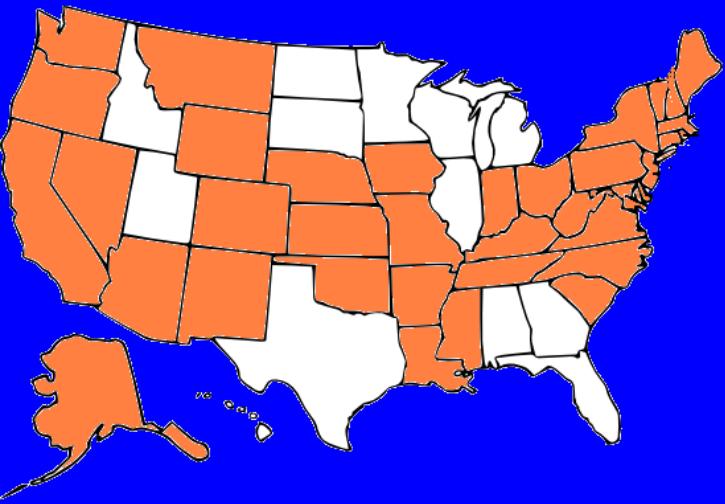




# Louisiana

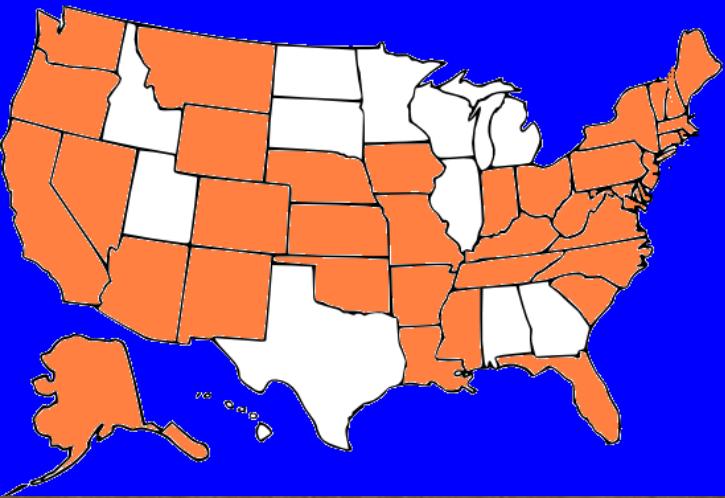
## Driskill Mountain





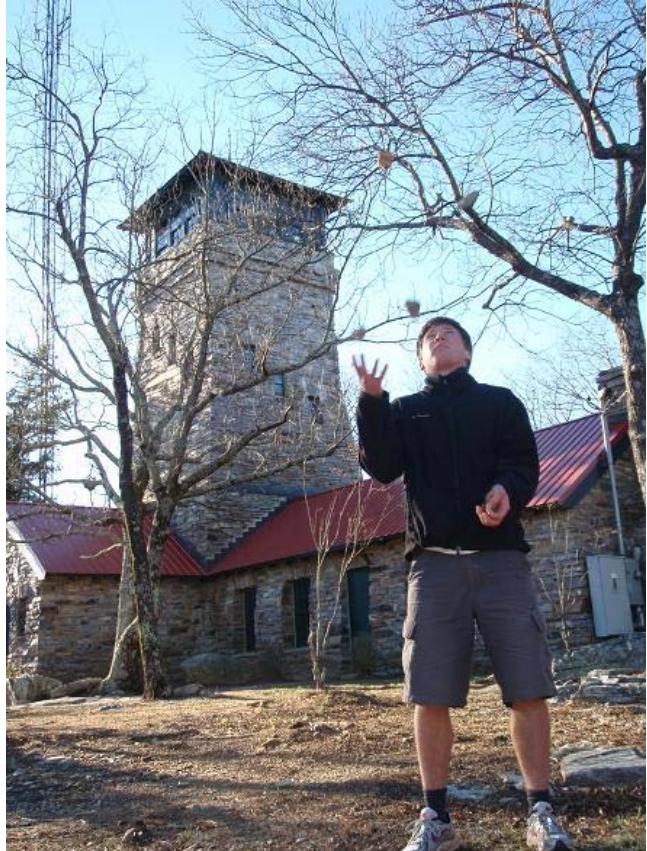
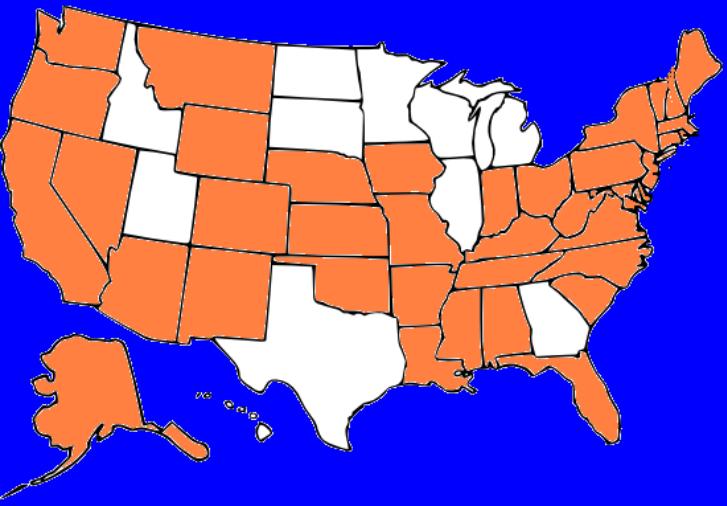
# Mississippi Woodall Mountain



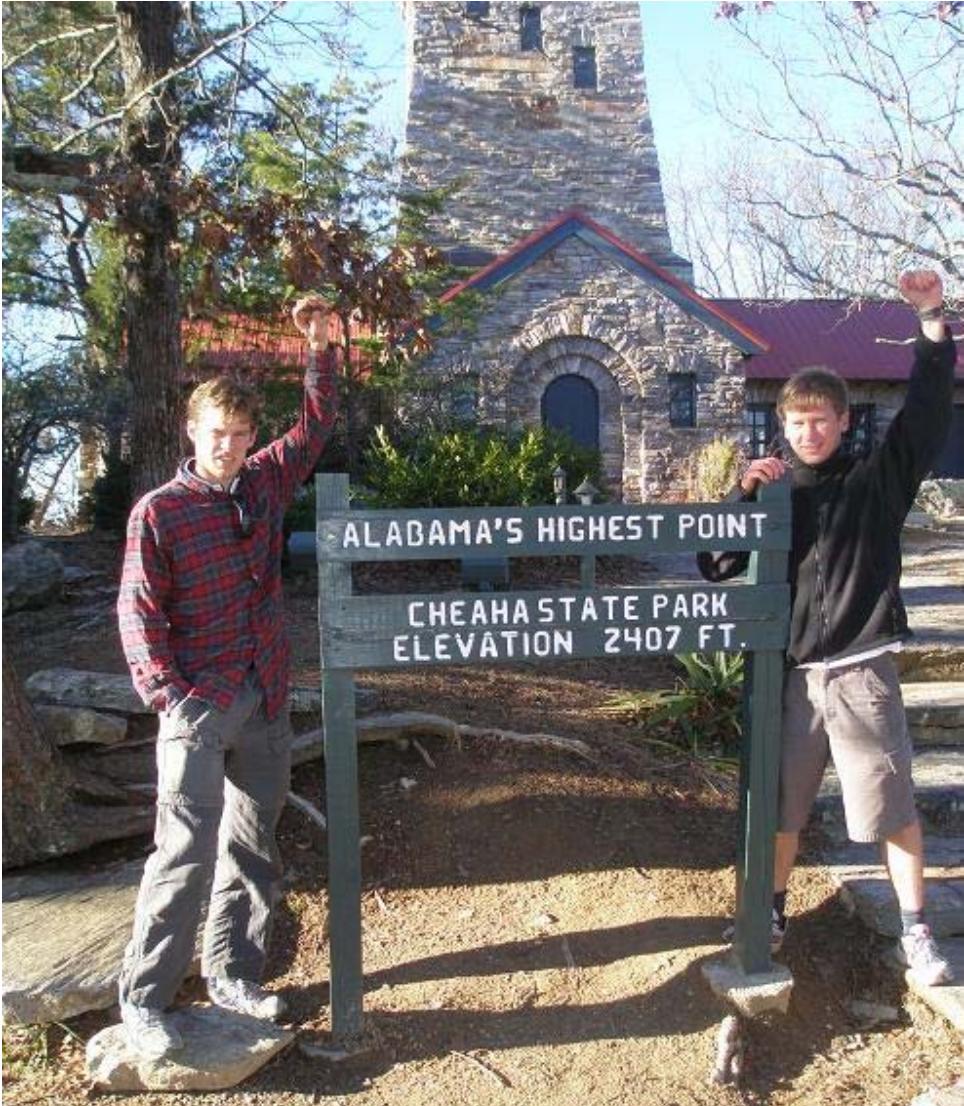


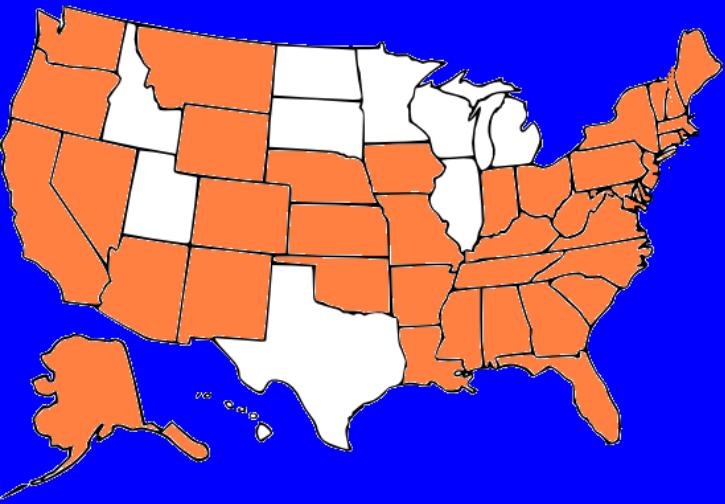
# Florida Britton Hill





# Alabama Mount Cheaha

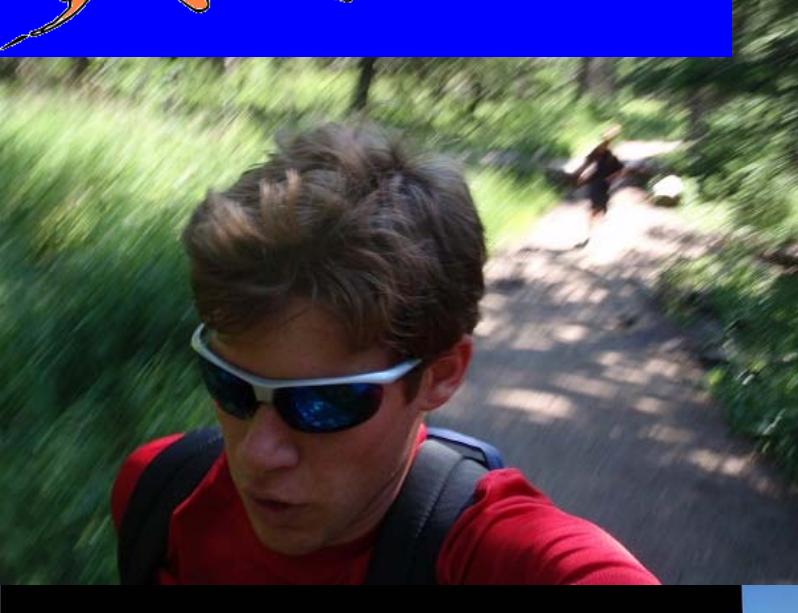
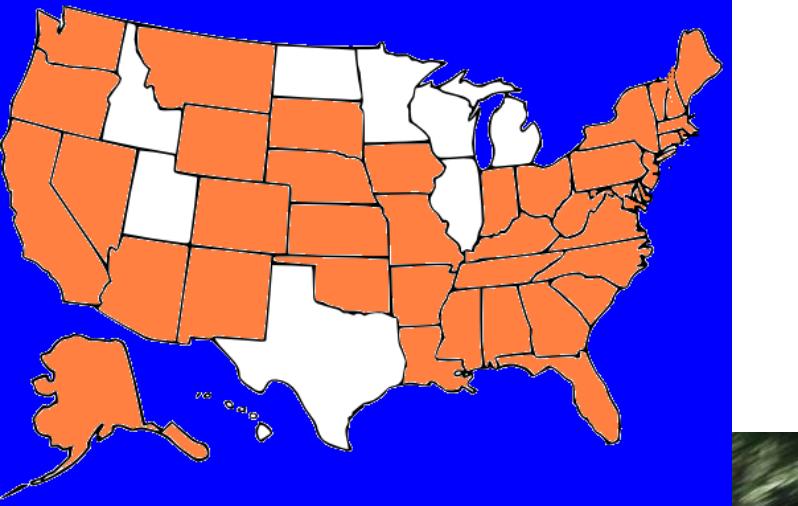




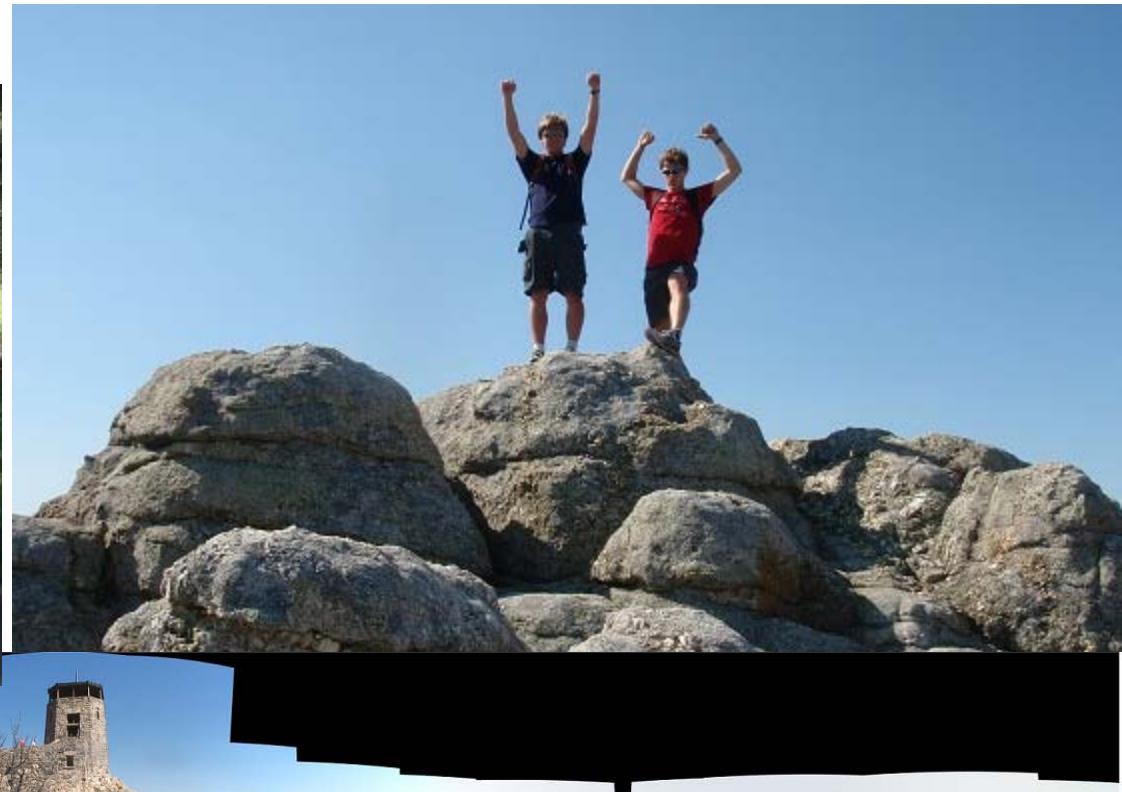
# Georgia

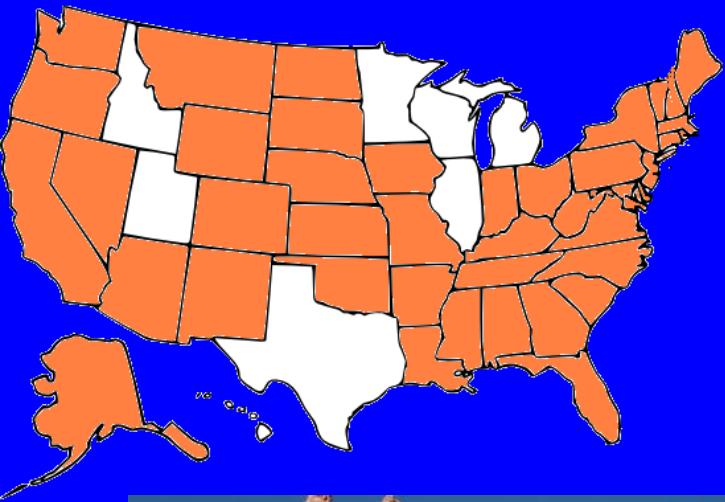
## Brasstown Bald





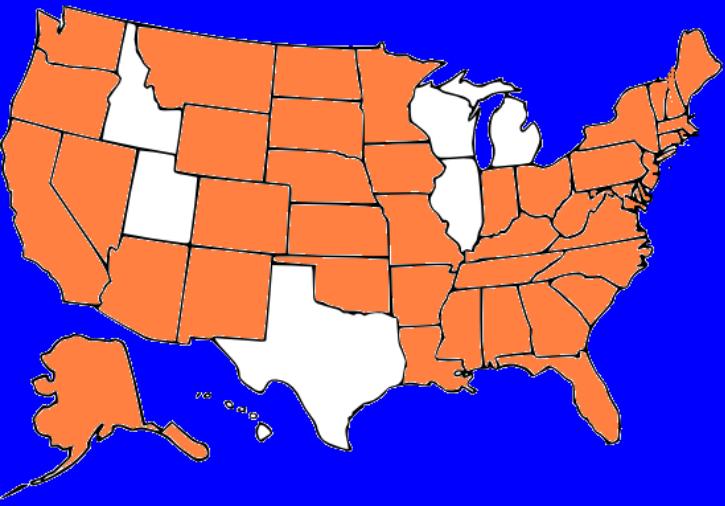
# South Dakota Harney Peak





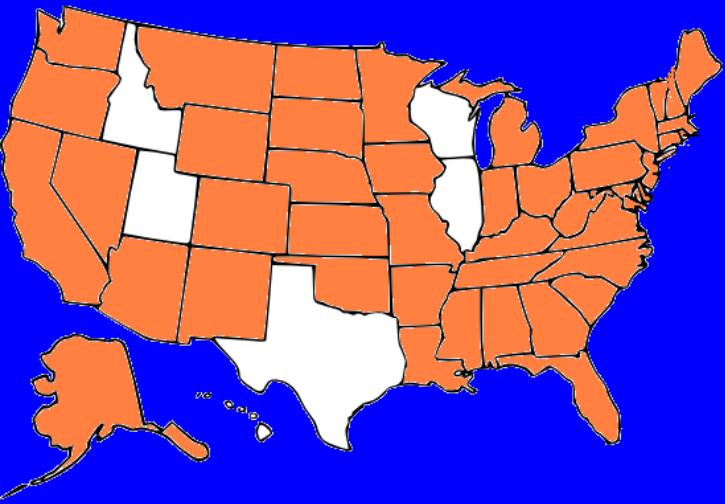
# North Dakota White Butte





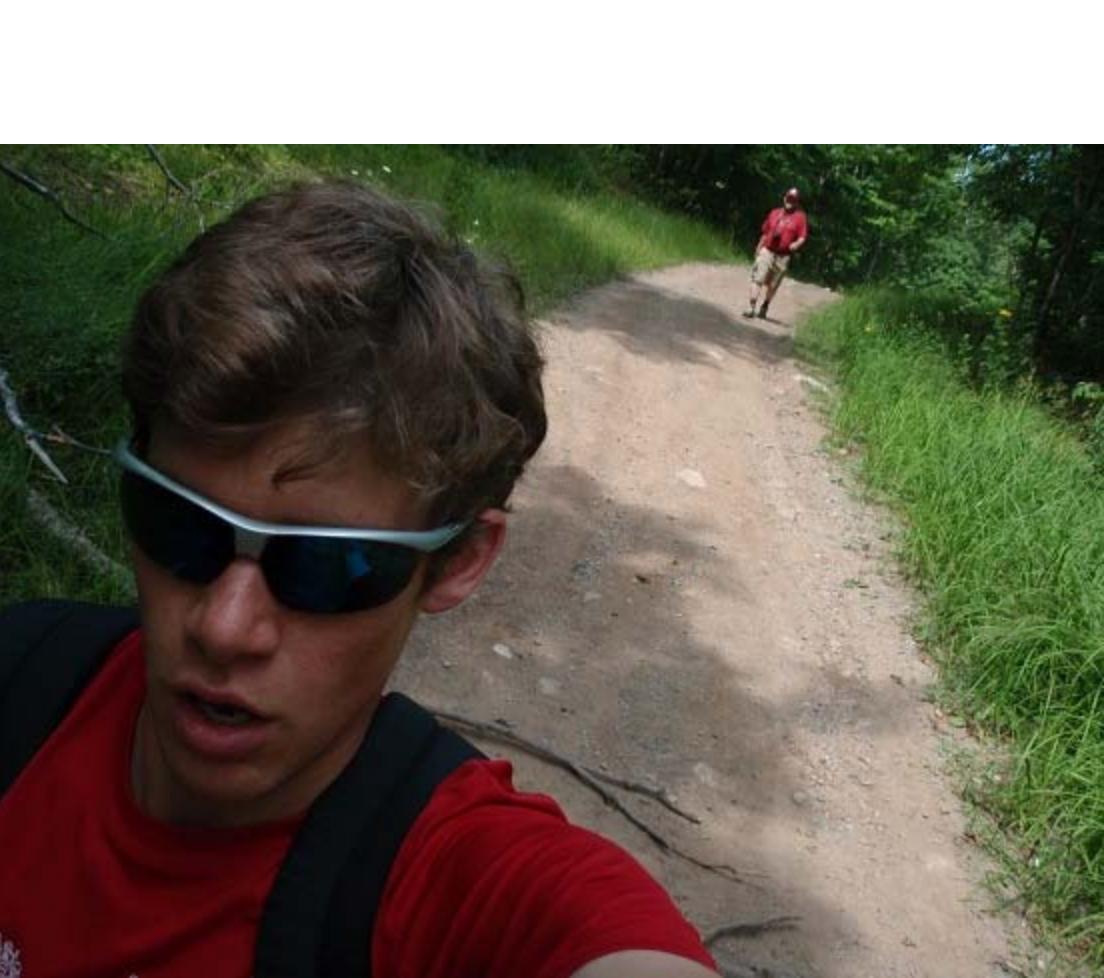
# Minnesota Eagle Mountain

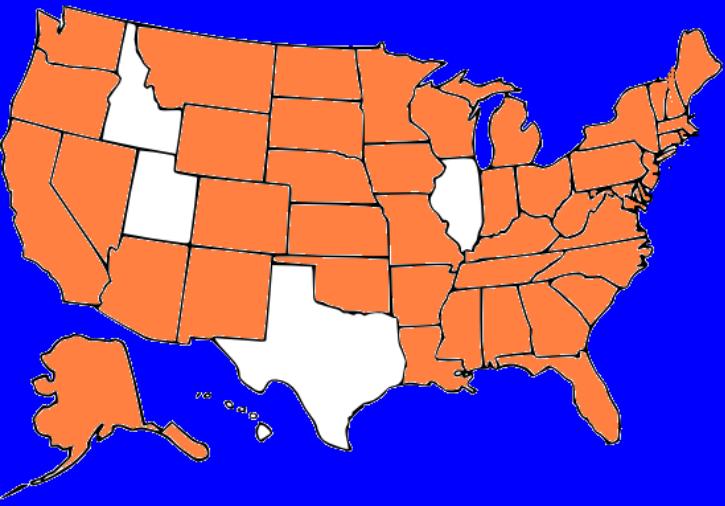




# Michigan

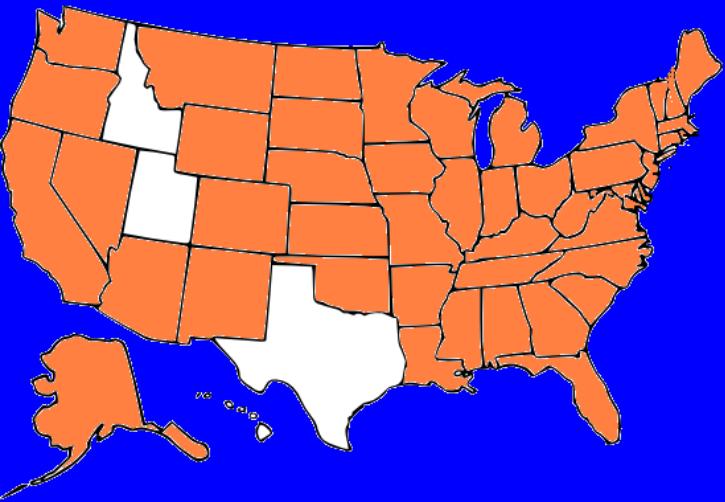
# Mount Arvon





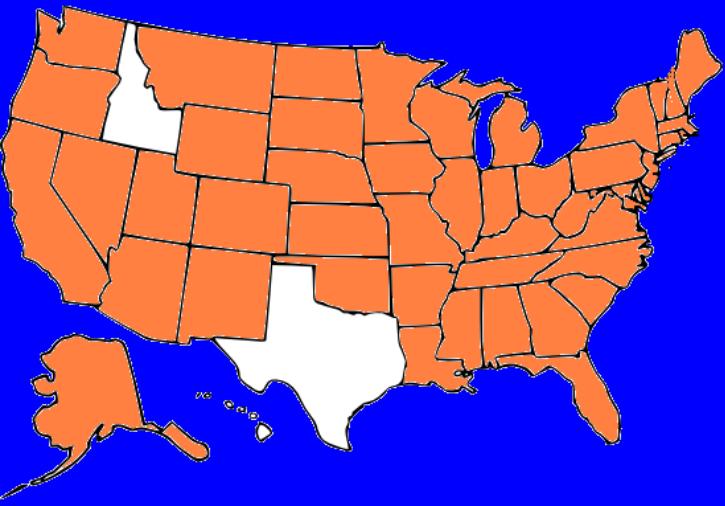
# Wisconsin Timms Hill





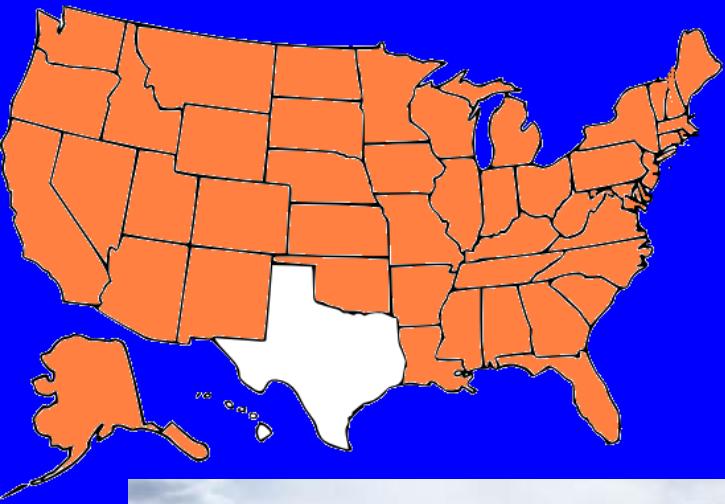
# Illinois Charles Mound





# Utah Kings Peak

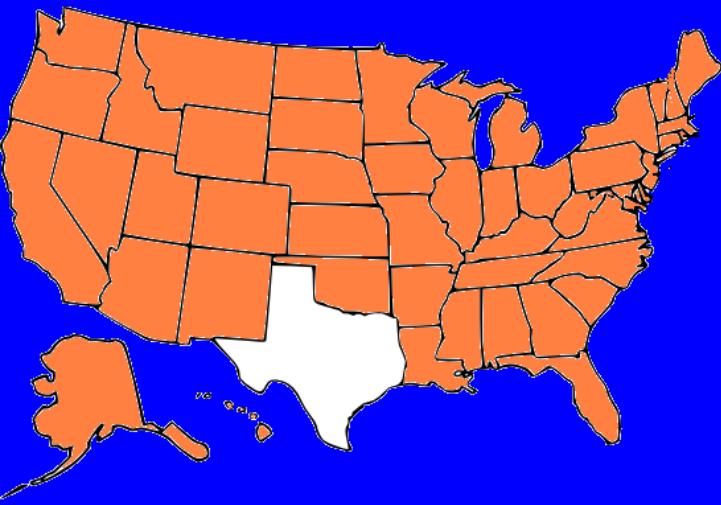




# Idaho

# Borah Peak

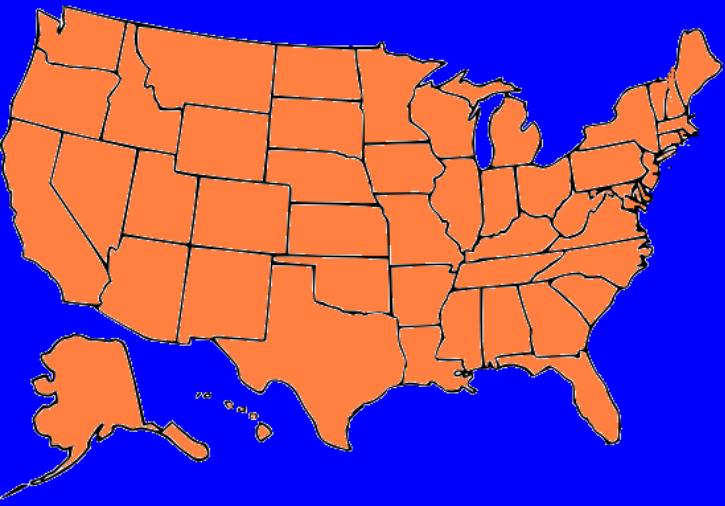




# Hawaii

# Mauna Kea

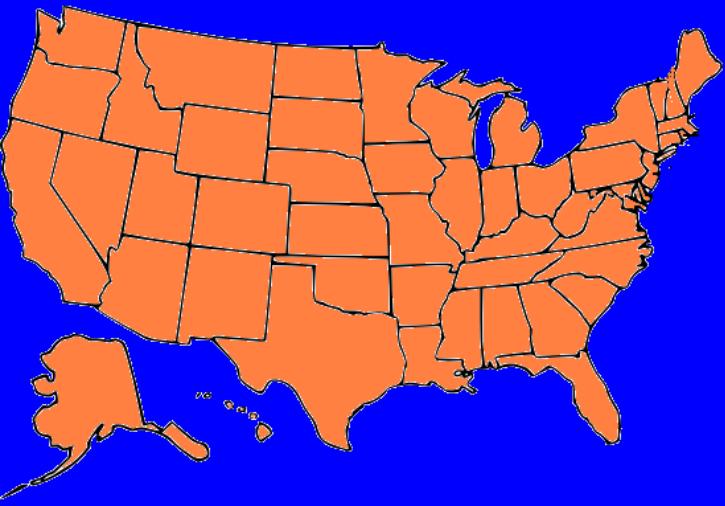




# Texas Guadalupe Peak

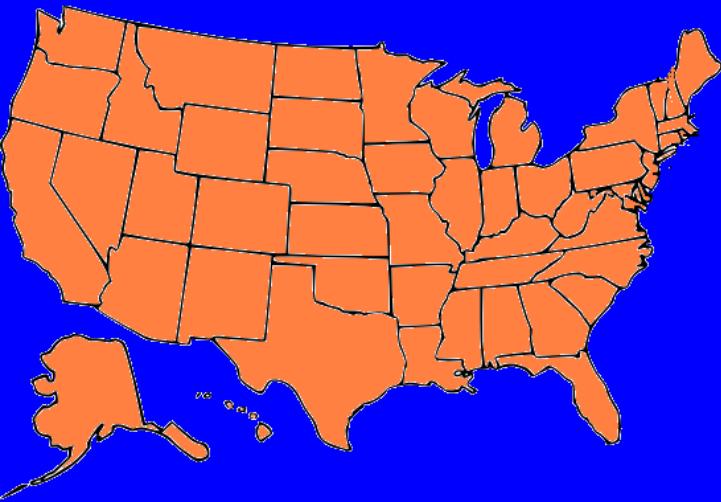
Sat 12:30pm Feb 25, 2012





DC  
Point Reno  
(Just in case)



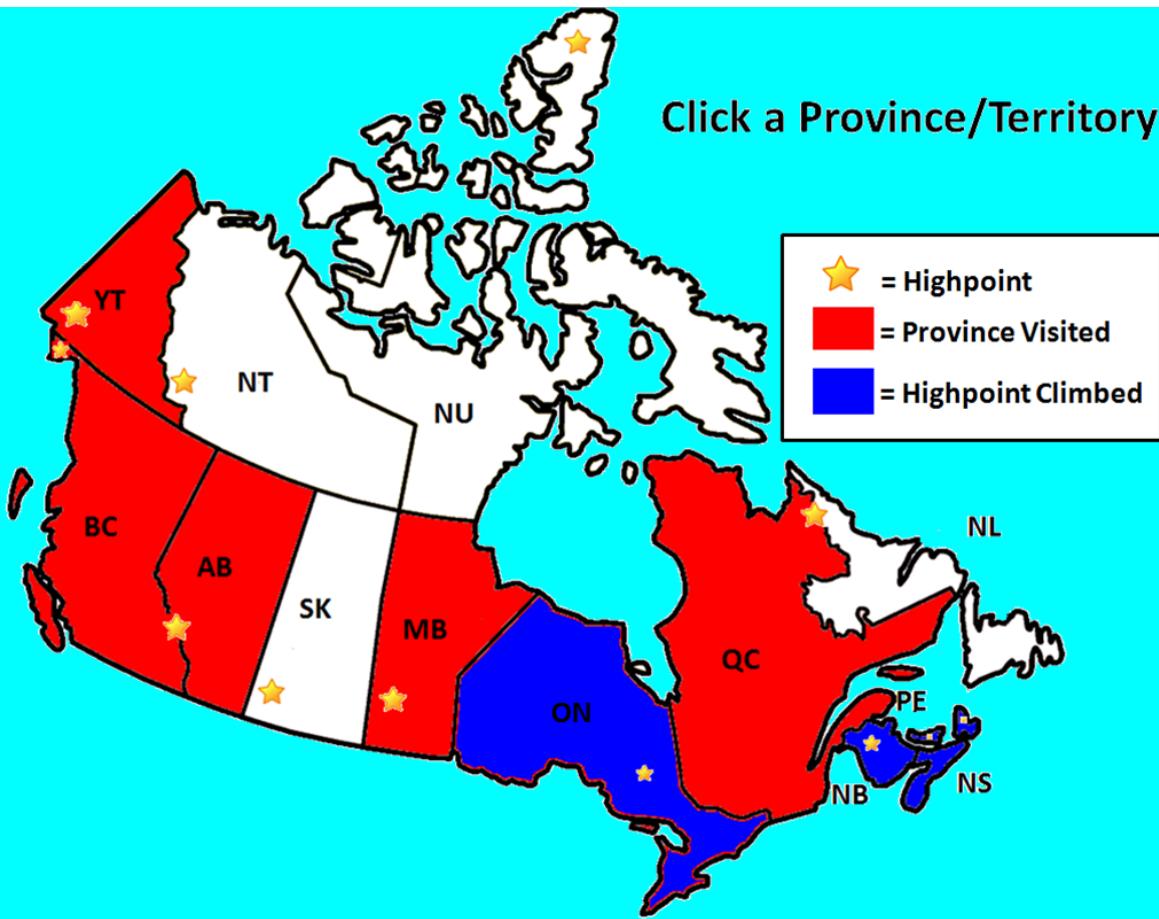


# Puerto Rico Cerro de Punta (Just in case)



# What's Next?

# Canada



Highpoints  
Climbed:

4



Logan



Barbeau



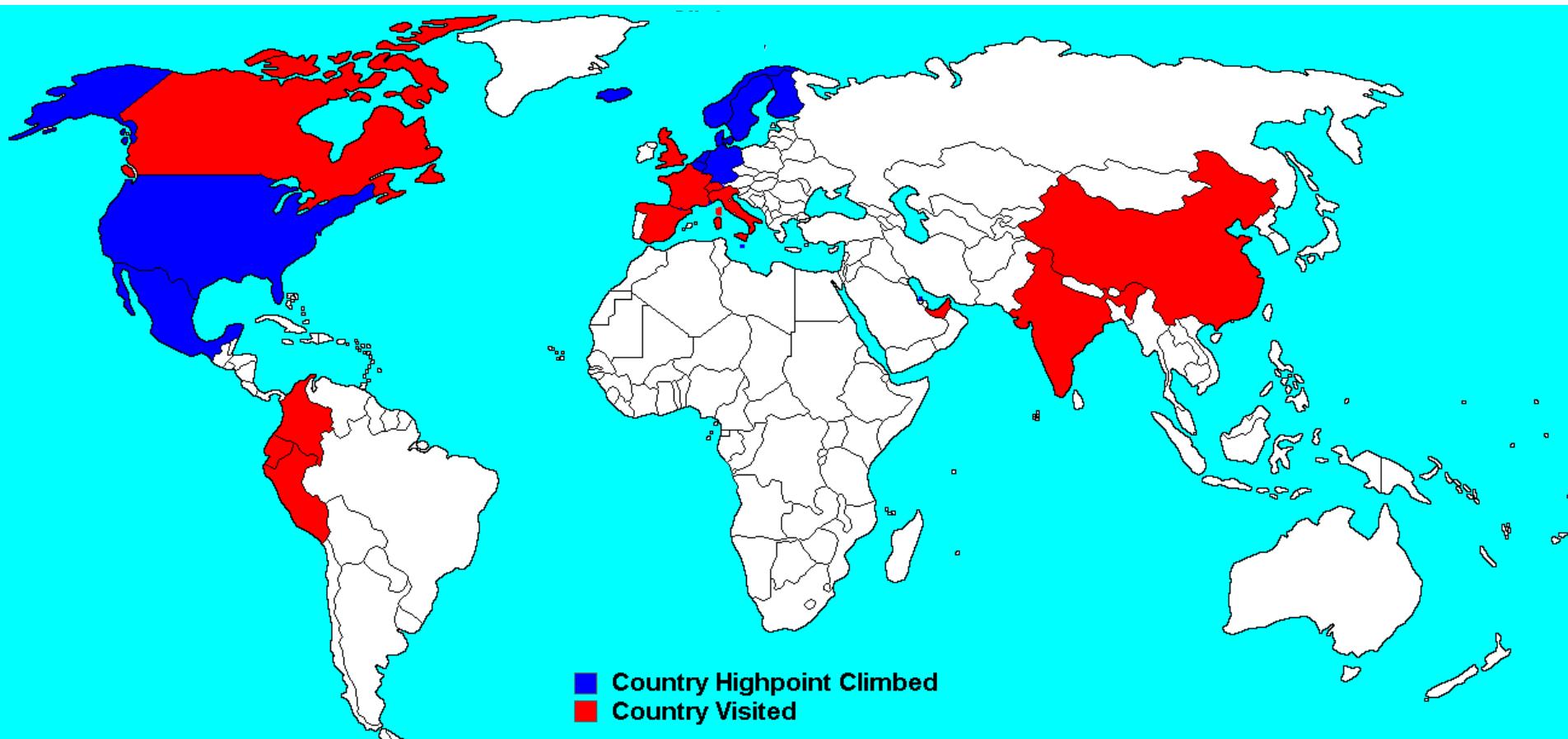
Nirvana

Glen Valley

Carleton

White Hill

# Countries



# Countries

Norway



Andorra



Mexico



Iceland



Bahrain



Malta



Liechtenstein



# Questions?

