

# My Travels in the US and Canada

Years ago, I built my first simulation model of population dynamics the United States. I resolved to see the population centers I knew so well though data. I drafted my first list of places to visit before I could say that I had truly and thoroughly traveled the country. Since then, I have traveled over 25,000 miles and my list has grown to include 128 metropolitan areas in all 50 states, plus DC, Puerto Rico, and adjacent areas of Canada.

This information dashboard tracks my past progress towards achieving that goal, and provides planning information for my future efforts.

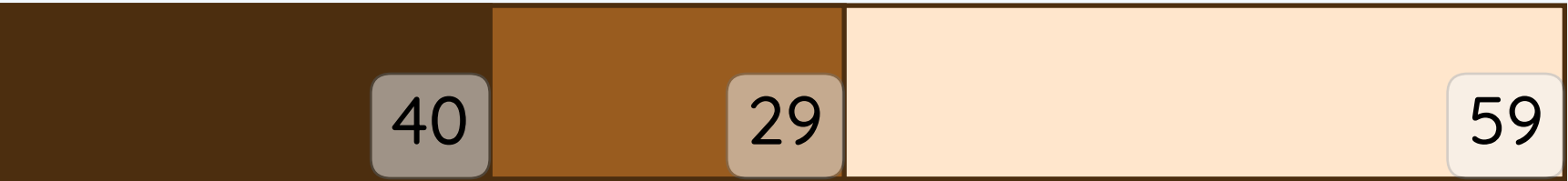
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## Progress Toward Goal

States

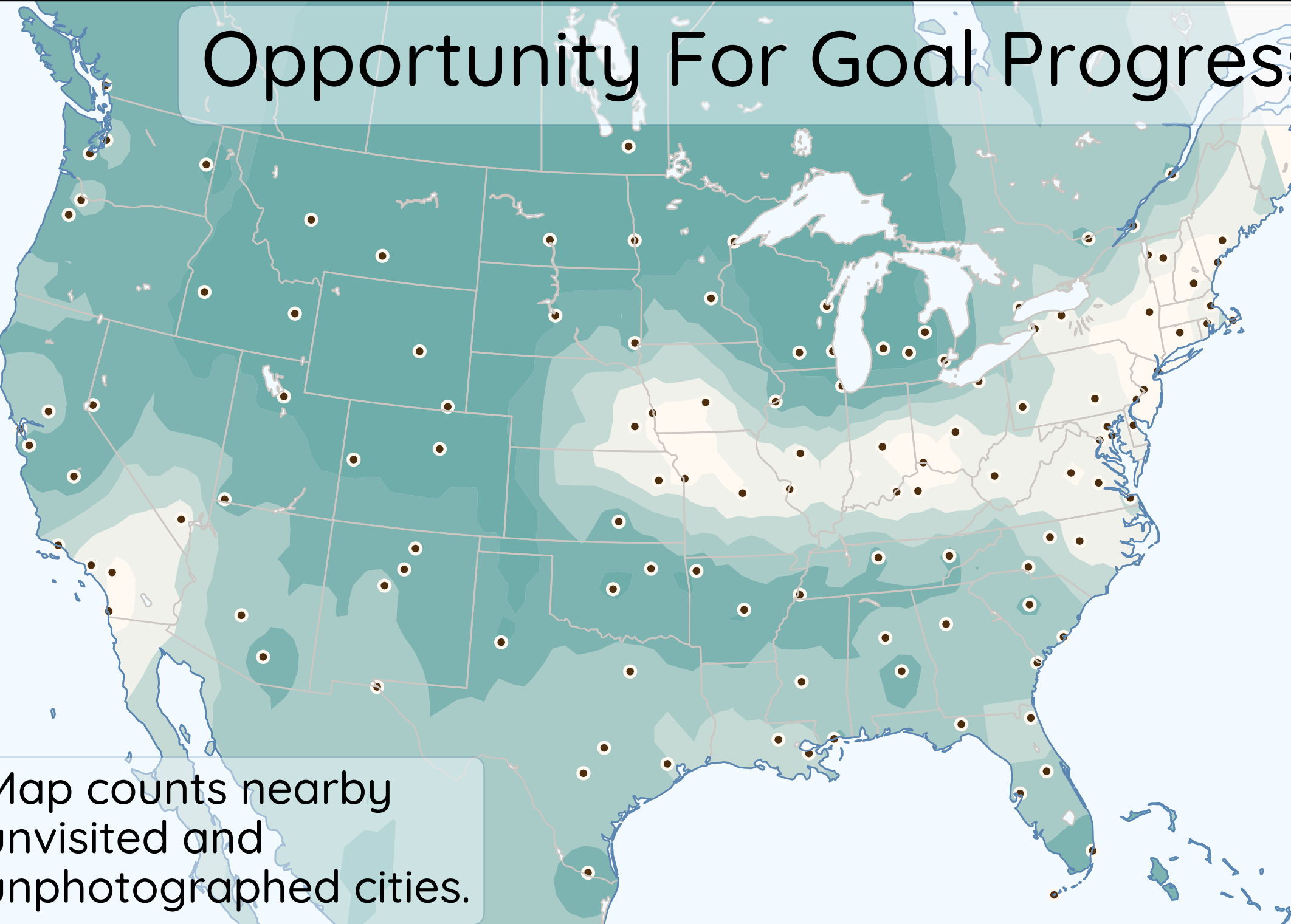


Metropolitan Areas

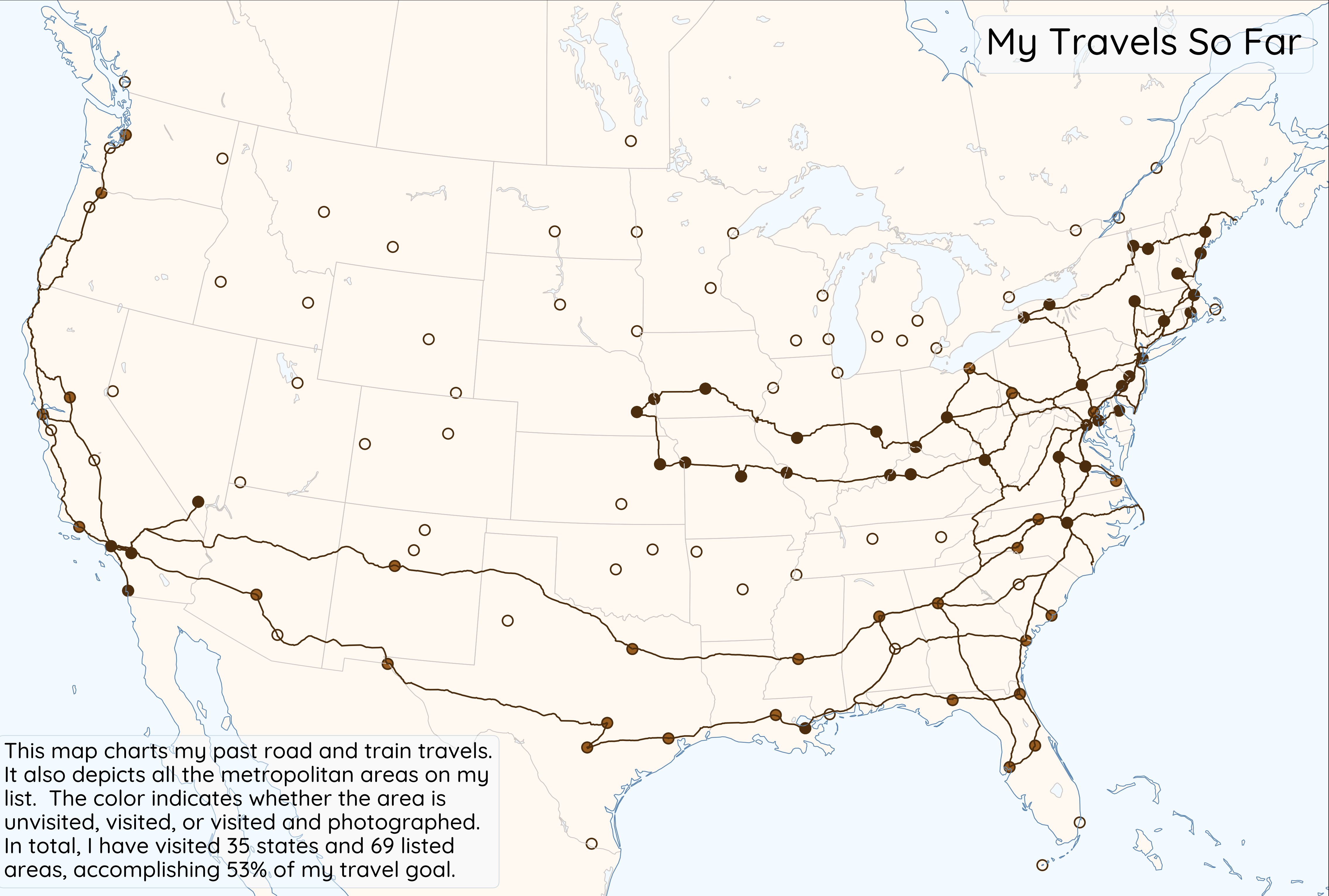


These bar charts measure progress towards visiting (and taking pictures) each metropolitan area and state on my list. I consider an area “visited” if I have walked in it for at least an hour.

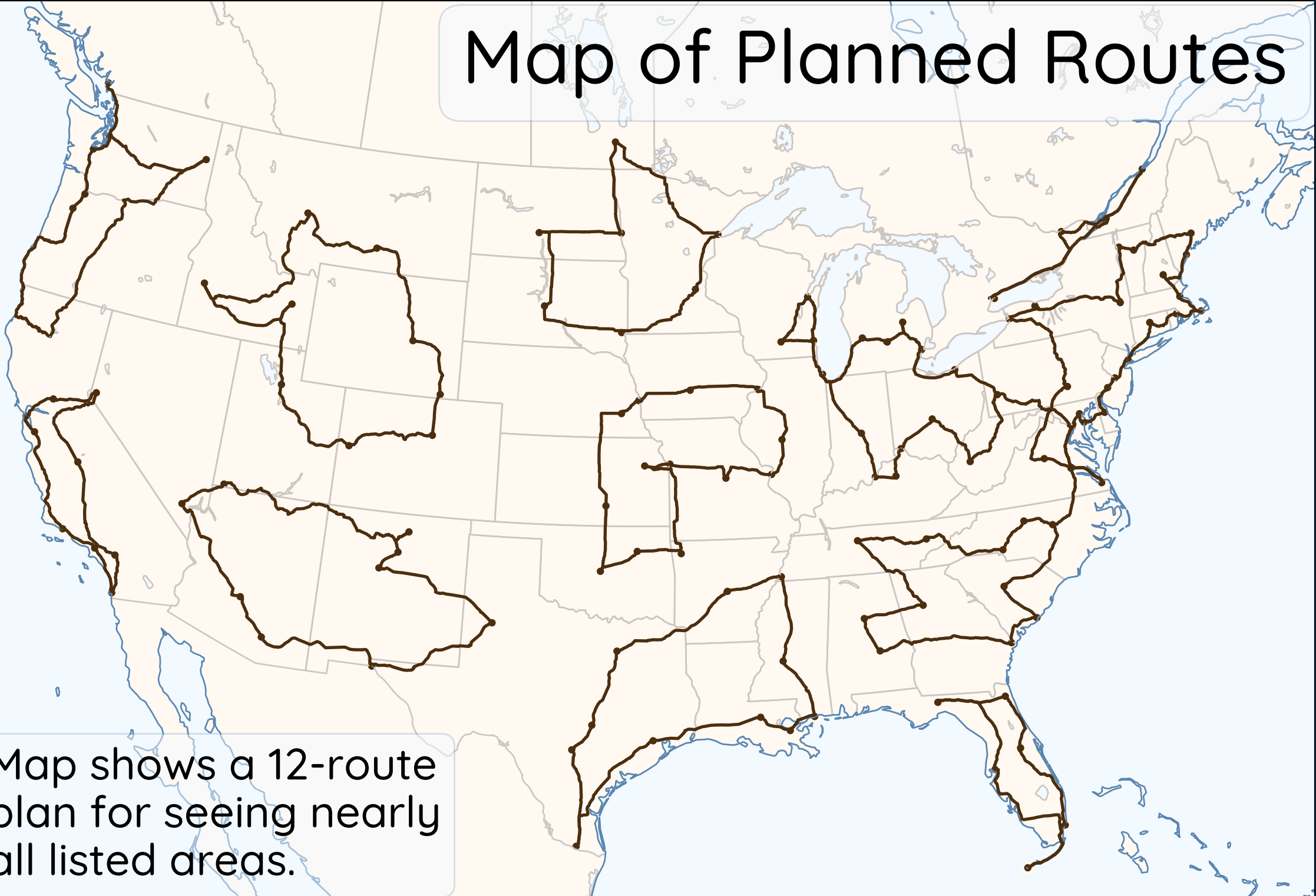
## Opportunity For Goal Progress



# My Travels So Far



## Map of Planned Routes



## Planned Route Information

Planned Route	Driving Miles	Trip Days	Best Weather Q1-Q2	Q3-Q4	Goal Contrib.	Pre-Travel States (And Equivalent)
Alaska State	700	13	Jun	Jul-Aug	4	SEA > ANC AK
East Canada	1050	10	Jun	Jul-Aug	8	YYZ CAN
Minnesota Plus	1600	11	May-Jun	Sep-Oct	14	MSP MN, ND, SD, CAN
Wyoming Plus	2200	14	May	Sep	18	DEN CO, ID, MT, UT, WY
Oregon Plus	1950	12	May-Jun	Sep-Oct	10	SEA CA, OR, WA, CAN
Northeast Plus	2400	14	May-Jun	Sep-Oct	4	None Northeast + DC, DE, MD, VA
Indiana Plus	2650	14	May	Sep-Oct	18	None IL, IN, KY, MI, OH, PA, WI, WV
Missouri Plus	1950	12	Apr	Oct	8	STL AR, IA, IL, KS, MO, NE, OK
Georgia Plus	2350	12	Apr	Oct	14	None AL, GA, NC, SC, TN
New Mexico Plus	2350	14	Mar-Apr	Oct	13	LAS AZ, NM, NV, TX, UT
California Plus	1450	10	Feb-Jun	Oct-Nov	9	LAX CA, NV
Louisiana Plus	2250	14	Mar-Apr	Nov	16	DFW AR, LA, MS, TN, TX
Hawaii State	0	9	Jan-Mar	Dec	2	SFO > HNL HI
Puerto Rico	0	5	Jan-Mar	Dec	1	SJU PR
Florida State	1400	9	Jan-Feb	Dec	8	Autotrain FL