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 23,000 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.

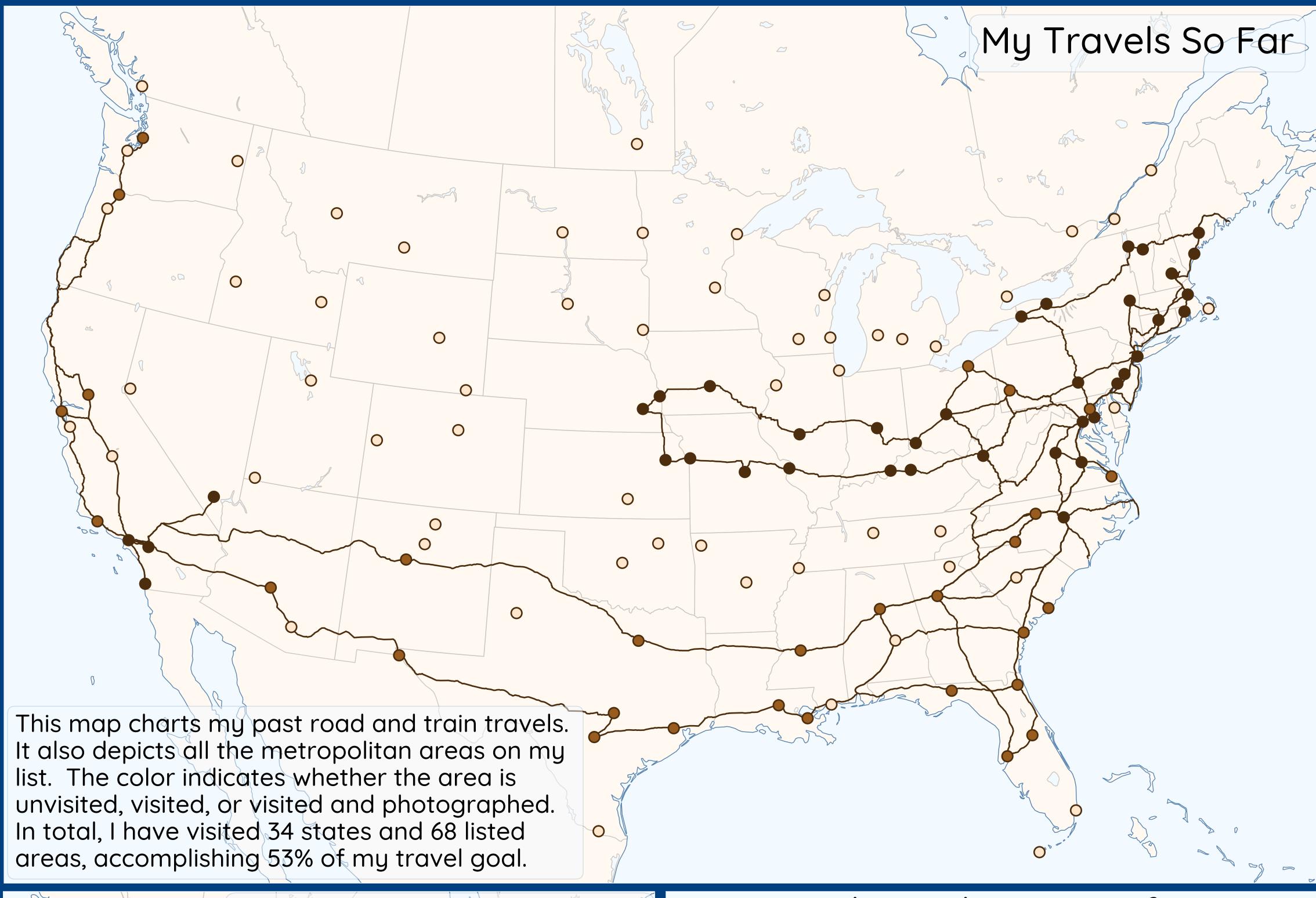


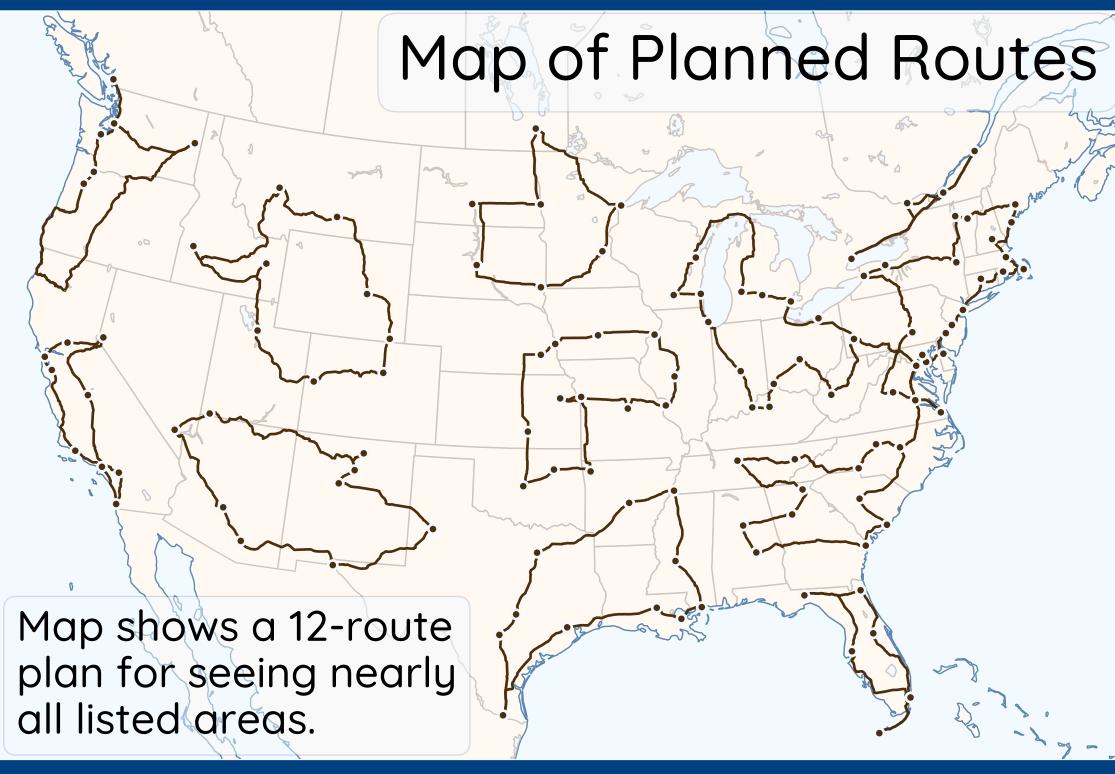
These bar charts measure progress towards visiting (and photographing) each metropolitan area and state on my list. I consider an area "visited" if I have walked in it for at least an hour.

States 23 11 16

Metropolitan Areas 38 30 60

Opportunities For Goal Progress Map counts nearby unvisited and unphotographed cities.





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Route	Pre-Travel	Miles	Days	Temperate	In	Value	States And Equiv.
Alaska State	SEA > ANC	700	13	Jul	Sep	4	AK
East Canada	YYZ	1050	10	Jul	Sep	8	CAN
Minnesota Plus	MSP	1600	11	Jul	Sep	14	MN, ND, SD, CAN
Indiana Plus	None	2750	16	Jun	Sep	16	IL, IN, KY, MI, OH, PA, WI, WV
Oregon Plus	SEA	1950	12	Jul	Oct	10	CA, OR, WA, CAN
Wyoming Plus	DEN	2200	14	Jun	Oct	18	CO, ID, MT, UT, WY
Northeast Plus	None	2400	16	Jun	Oct	6	Northeast + MD, DE, VA
Missouri Plus	STL	1950	12	Jun	Oct	8	AR, IA, IL, KS, MO, NE, OK
California Plus	LAX	1450	10	May	Nov	9	CA, NV
Georgia Plus	None	2500	15	May	Nov	16	AL, GA, NC, SC, TN
New Mexico Plu	sLAS	2350	14	Apr	Nov	13	AZ, NM, NV, TX, UT
Louisiana Plus	DFW	2250	14	Apr	Dec	17	AR, LA, MS, TN, TX
Hawaii State	SFO > HNL	0	9	Mar	Jan	2	HI
Puerto Rico	SJU	0	5	Mar	Jan	1	PR
Florida State	Autotrain	1400	9	Feb	Jan	8	FL