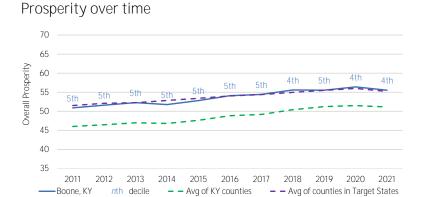
Boone, KY: Overall Prosperity 55.5 (4th decile*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - KY (1 to 120) 2021
Overall Prosperity	50.9		55.5	4	1	5
Inclusive Societies	47.3		55.8	5	A 3	91
Safety and Security	56.3	_/_	63.5	6	^ 2	92
Personal Freedom	48.8		53.8	6		118
Governance	36.4		55.6	4	4	1
Social Capital	47.8	~~~	50.3	5		24
Open Economies	49.1	~~~	53.6	3		3
Business Environment	45.0	~~~	47.5	5	1	5
Infrastructure	60.5	$\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{M}}$	59.9	2	▼ 1	9
Economic Quality	41.7	~~~	53.5	7		5
Empowered People	56.2		57.1	5	▼ 1	11
Living Conditions	74.7	~~~	75.9	1		2
Health	51.7	~~~	51.9	6	▼ 1	8
☆ Education	57.3		60.2	2		5
Natural Environment	41.2		40.5	10		109

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Boone, KY (4th decile*): Pillar and el	ement	scores												
Safety and Security	²⁰¹¹ 56.3	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	63.5	2021 6	10-yr deci		KY Rank 2021 92	Personal Freedom	2011 48.8	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 53.8	0S C 2021 6	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	KY Rank 2021 118
Mass Killings and Injuries 15%	100.0		100.0	1	-		1	Agency 30%	64.7	~	61.8	4		1
Violent Crime 50%	52.6		57.4	7	_	1	97	Freedom of Association and Speech 15%	40.0		40.0	3	^ 2	1
Property Crime 35%	42.8	/	56.7	5	_	1	82	Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	27.6		47.6	4	A 1	1
		·						Social Tolerance 30%	54.9		57.9	10	▼ 2	119
Governance	²⁰¹¹ 36.4	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 55.6	2021 4	Counties Dec 10-yr deci	ille le chng.	KY Rank 2021	Social Capital	2011 47.8	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US C 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	KY Rank 2021 24
11111								000		MM				
Political Accountability 30%	36.3	·	51.9	9	_	-	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	53.0		61.8	7	▼ 1	15
Rule of Law 35%	26.5	·····/	64.0	2		6	1	Social Networks 25%	48.8		50.2	4	- .	7
Government Integrity 35%	46.4	~ _	50.4	5	A	3	1	Institutional Trust 20%	65.2		65.2	2	= .	5
								Civic and Social Participation 30%	31.2	··w	30.8	9	<u> </u>	84
	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US (2021	Counties Dec 10-yr deci		KY Rank 2021	Ħ	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US C	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	KY Rank 2021
Business Environment	45.0	4	47.5	5	•	1	5	Infrastructure	60.5	_\\\	59.9	2	▼ 1	9
Financing Ecosystems 40%	39.3	W	41.0	4	•	1	5	Communications 40%	71.3		71.3	1		8
Domestic Market Contestability 30%	48.6	\	47.2	8	-	-	1	Resources 25%	52.2	WM	49.7	7	▼ 1	80
Burden of Regulation 10%	14.6		18.4	10	=	-	1	Transport 35%	54.2	_/\	54.0	4		16
Labor Market Flexibility 10%	70.9	~~	67.6	5	-	-	1							
Price Distortions 10%	61.5	~	82.9	2	_	4	1							
Economic Quality	2011 41.7	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021 53.5	2021 7	Counties Dec 10-yr deci	iile le chng. -	KY Rank 2021 5							
Fiscal Sustainability 25%	32.2	M	28.2	10	•	1	105							
Productivity and Competitiveness 25%	46.4		55.6	7	~	1	6							
Dynamism 20%	30.7	M	55.0	6	_	4	20							
Labor Force Engagement 30%	53.1		71.8	1	•	1	1							
A the form Consultations	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Counties Dec 10-yr deci	le chng.	KY Rank 2021	CO HAND	2011	10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	KY Rank 2021
Living Conditions	74.7	<u>~~</u>	75.9	1	_	-	2	Health	51.7	1 ~	51.9	6	▼ 1	8
Material Resources 25%	77.0	7	73.6	3	•	2	2	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	58.5	~ \	56.1	5	= .	4
Nutrition 15%	52.2	\sim	64.1	5		1	5	Preventative Interventions 15%	43.6	~~	57.1	3	^ 2	14
Water Services 15%	89.2	1	87.6	3		1	30	Care Systems 15%	40.1	~~~	59.9	4	▲ 1	33
Shelter 15%	72.6	~	66.1	4	•	3	107	Mental Health 15%	55.0	1	45.6	8		5
Connectedness 15%	87.6		93.9	1	_		4	Physical Health 20%	55.7	1	38.7	7	▼ 2	9
Protection from Harm 15%	68.2	~ `	71.8	3		1	4	Longevity 20%	54.6	J	57.0	7		28
\Diamond	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	Counties Dec 10-yr deci		KY Rank 2021	Ø	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	
Education	57.3	√	60.2	2	_	-	5	Natural Environment	41.2	1	40.5	10		109
Pre-Primary Education 5%	67.5		57.8	4	•	2	31	Emissions 25%	58.7		48.1	6	▼ 4	85
Primary Education 20%	68.1	~ / /	64.6	4	•	2	44	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	34.4	<u> </u>	35.0	10	- .	115
Secondary Education 25%	69.1	V~,	71.5	3	•	1	23	Forest, Land and Soil 20%	21.6	-	30.7	10	= .	114
Tertiary Education 25%	31.9	~~	38.9	6	A	2	13	Freshwater 20%	65.7	1	65.3	7		105
Adult Skills 25%	60.0		66.9	2	_	-	4	Preservation Efforts 10%	5.0		5.0	6		1
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cour Decil 2011	e		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	
Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	100.0		100.0	1	1	Violent Crime (7th)			50%	52.6	~^	
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	3.2	_/_	
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	24.3		
errorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	205.8		
Ferrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	54.3	\\-	
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1							
							US Cour								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decil								
Property Crime (5th)			35%	42.8	~//	56.7	6	5							
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	468.3		250.0	6	4							
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	135.3		119.8	8	7							
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	1,814.2	\\\ \\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	1,502.5	8	8							
dentity theft	FTC	reports /100,000 population	0.5	182.0		182.0	6	4							

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Co Der 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Agency (4th)			30%	64.7	- To-yi tidib	61.8	4	4	Freedom of Association and Speech (3rd)			15%	40.0		40.0	5 3
Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Statewide free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.80	~\\	0.69	4	6	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		1.0	7
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	950.0		1,080.0	5	8	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.000	1	0.313	1
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	93.4		47.2	5	6	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	1
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	2.7	······	3.0	2	2								
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr frend	2021	US Co Der	tile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile
Absence of Legal Discrimination (4th)	Source	Unit	Weight 25%	²⁰¹¹ 27.6	Value 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 47.6	US Co Dec 2011	unties tile 2021 4	Social Tolerance (10th)	Source	Unit	Weight	²⁰¹¹ 54.9	Value 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 57.9	Decile 2011 2021
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Discrimination (4th) Statewide religious freedom restoration act		coding,	25%	27.6		47.6	2011 5	tile 2021			number /100,000	30%	54.9		57.9	Decile 2011 2021 8 10
Discrimination (4th) Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted Statewide employment anti-discrimination	Cato	coding, 0-1 coding,	25%	27.6 0.0		47.6 0.8	2011 5	1 1	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	30%	54.9 0.8		57.9 0.7	Decile 2011 2021 8 10
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co Dec	tile	
Political Accountability (9th)			30%	36.3	10-yr trend	51.9	2011	2021	Rule of Law (2nd)
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.62		0.71	8	4	Statewide Justice Index
Statewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	18.8	~	26.8	9	6	Statewide judicial integrity
Statewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.7	5	9	
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding.	0.5	0.0		0.0	4	4	
Government Integrity (5th)	Source	Unit	Weight	²⁰¹¹	Value 10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 50.4	US Co Dec 2011	unties tile 2021	
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	13.0		13.0	10	10	
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	9.5	_/_	11.0	9	10	
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.2584	1	0.0797	3	1	
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	19.0		9.0	3	1	
Statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	38.2		38.2	7	7	
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	83.0		85.0	6	2	

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Cor Dec 2011			Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 202
Personal and Family Relationships (7th)			25%	53.0	~	61.8	6		Social Networks (4th)			25%	48.8	^	50.2	4
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	4.6	مرير	3.4	9	8	Favors between neighbors		percentage	1.0	43.3		43.3	1
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	19.9	1	26.2	2	5	Frequently talk with neighbors	О	percentage	1.0	57.0		57.0	5
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	33.3		15.7	4	3	Trust in people in neighborhood		percentage		52.8			6
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	88.7		95.1	10	5	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	57.3	^	59.0	4
Shared meals with household members	0	percentage					9		Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	4
Frequently hear from family and friends	0	percentage	1.0	84.3		84.3	6	6								
Close friends		average		5.7		5.7	7									
							US Cor	unties								US Counties
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Dec 2011		Chile and Coolel Deatheleastles	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011 202
Institutional Trust (2nd)			20%	65.2		65.2	2	2	Civic and Social Participation (9th)			30%	31.2	WW	30.8	9
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage		72.9		72.9			Statewide volunteer rate	Census	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.30	M	0.28	7
Confidence in the media	0	percentage	1.0	56.5		56.5	5	4	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	30.0	M	20.7	7 1
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	8	8	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	28.8	M	62.3	8
									Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	20.0	7	17.5	9 1
									Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	2.41	M_	1.90	3
									Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	1.7		8.9	1
									(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.352	$\sqrt{\mathcal{N}}$	0.371	5
									Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	0.6		0.6	10 1
									Religious organization participation		percentage	0.5	25.4		25.4	2
									Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	12.9		12.9	2
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Boone, KY: Business Environme	nt (5th d	decile*): Eler	nent an	d indica	ator score	S									E	-
		11-16	144-7-6-8		Value		US Counties			Unit			Italics: Indica	tor contain.	US Cour	nties
					10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021	Domestic Market			Weight		10-yr trend		Decil 2011	2021
Financing Ecosystems (4th)			40%	39.3	γιν	41.0	3 4	Contestability (8th)			30%	48.6	√	47.2	8	8
Venture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	26.9	my	98.4	3 3	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	37.0		37.0	2	2
Number of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	7.5	V	8.7	2 3	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	s	1.0	240.0		240.0	5	5
Assets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	70.2	7	10.9	4 6	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	466.0		466.0	8	8
Venture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0	$\Lambda \Lambda \Lambda$	0.0	6 6	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	13.0		13.0	8	8
New foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	89.4		88.9	7 8	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	0.000	\	-0.006	4	5
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.170	⁴⁴ ر	0.191	1 1									
Burden of Regulation (10th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011 14.6	Value 10-yr trend	2021 18.4	US Counties	Labor Market Flexibility (5th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011 70.9	Value 10-yr trend	2021 67.6	US Cour Decil 2011	
Statewide Federal Regulation and State	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.23	^/_	1.19	8 8	Statewide collective bargaining agreement	FI	percent	1.0	9.6	7	11.4	6	7
Enterprise Index Statewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.916		1.903		coverage Statewide employee health insurance cost	ник	S	0.5	4,042.0	7~	4,910.0	2	1
Statewide State regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.710	Å	1.703	10 10		State OR		0.5	2.3		0.8	5	,
								Workers Compensation Premium Rate Statewide minimum wage	DOL	\$ per \$100 \$	1.0	7.3		7.3	3	3
					Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021									
Price Distortions (2nd)			10%	61.5	1	82.9	6 2									
Statewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.17	1	0.10	6 6									
Statewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	5.11	~	5.45	5 4									

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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Cor Dec 2011	unties tile 2021		Source				Value 10-yr trend	
Communications (1st)			40%	71.3		71.3	1	1	Resources (7th)			25%	52.2	M	
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	153.6		153.6	1	1	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.11	N	
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	61.6		61.6	2	2	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0207	~~	
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	99.2		99.2	3	3	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.050		
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	103.6		١
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	0.91	$\neg \mathbb{A}$	
							US Cor								
T	Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021							
Transport (4th)		number/square	35%	54.2	(54.0	4	4							
Statewide number of airports	BTS	mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6							
Road condition	BTS	percent miles /square	1.5	9.6		9.6	10	10							
Statewide railroad length	AAR	mile miles/square	1.0	0.1		0.1	3	3							
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	mile miles/square	0.5	0.1		0.1	5	5							
Public road density	BTS	mile	1.0	3.10	/\	3.82	5	5							
Bridge condition	BTS	percent km	0.5	10.2		10.2	1	1							
Distance to airport	BTS	KIII	1.0	10.2		10.2									



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		Weight													US Counties Decile 2011 2021
		25%	32.2	2	28.2	9	10	Productivity and Competitiveness (7th)			25%	46.4	\sim	55.6	6 7
Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	5.0		3.0	9	10	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	5,765.8		6,903.7	3 3
0	days	1.0	3.5	M	12.6	9	10	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	2,666.3		2,640.0	1 1
Census	ratio	1.0	1.09	$-\mathcal{M}$	1.04	3	4	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	47.5	\sim	52.4	10 9
0	\$ /capita	1.0	-493.9		-319.2	1	8								
FR	percent	1.0	41.0	N	32.6	10	10								
Census	percent	1.0	3.02		5.82	5	6								
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															US Counties Decile 2011 2021
		20%	30.7	1	55.0	10		Labor Force Engagement (1st)			30%	53.1	~	71.8	2 1
Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	87.4	\	76.3	8	6	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	8.9		5.4	6 4
Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	4.04	M	4.06	8	8	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	9.2	7	7.9	2 3
Kauffman	percent	0.5	77.0	~~	79.8	6	3	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	32.0	$\sqrt{}$	37.0	3 1
Kauffman	percent	1.0	42.7	M	100.0	10	1	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	5.0	~~~^	2.8	3 1
Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	111.2	MV	205.2	10	9	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	73.8		70.2	1 1
USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	221.8	~	419.2	3	2								
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	Ballotpedia O Census FR Census Source Kauffman Kauffman Kauffman Kauffman Kauffman	Ballotpedia rating 0 days Census ratio 0 \$/capita FR percent Census percent Census percent Kauffman number/1,000 population Kauffman percent Kauffman percent Kauffman percent Kauffman percent Kauffman percent	Ballotpedia	2011 225% 32.2	25% 32.2 3	25% 32.2	Source	2011 10 yr trend 2021 2011 2021	Source Content Weight 2011 10 by frond 2021	Correct Christ Weight 251% 32.2 258.2 251 2011	Description Description	Decidence Common	Decision Companies Compa	Company Comp	Common C

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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Material Resources (3rd)			25%	77.0	7	73.6	1 3	Nutrition (5th)			15%	52.2	W	64.1	4 5
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	13.9	$\neg \checkmark$	12.5	1 1	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	88.2	~~	91.2	2
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	8.3	$\overline{}$	7.2	1 1	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	95.0	W	95.2	3
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	3.09		3.25	1 2	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	56.60	/\	56.00	6
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	25.6		25.6	1 1	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	73.6		81.1	10 :
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	8.9		11.4	7 10								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Water Services (3rd)			15%	2011 89.2	10-yr trend	2021 87.6	2011 2021	Shelter (4th)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 72.6	10-yr trend	66.1	2011 2021 1 4
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	93.3		94.6		Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000	0.5	9.7		6.6	3
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score,	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	population percentage	0.5	15.3	\	29.3	3
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	0 or 1 percentage	1.0	99.83	~	99.32	1 3		HUD	percentage	1.0	0.93	7)	1.03	2
complete intuition and prantomy racinities		F			V.			Availability of affordable housing	UI	units / 100 extremely low	1.0	32.7		21.4	2
								Availability of anortable nousing		income tenants		02.7	ļ	2	
	Source		Unit		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Connectedness (1st)			15%	87.6	/	93.9		Protection from Harm (3rd)			15%	68.2		71.8	4 3
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	99.2		99.2	1 2	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	14.8	~	12.3	3
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	77.3		84.0	1 1	Traffic deaths	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	17.6		17.6	6

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit			Value 10-yr trend		
Behavioral Risk Factors (5th)			15%	58.5	~	56.1	5 5	Preventative Interventions (3rd)			15%	43.6	~~~	57.1	5
Obesity	CDC	percentage	1.0	28.9	M	36.6	6 8	Adult dentist visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	68.8		69.3	2
Smoking	CHR	percentage	1.5	19.4	~~~	18.2	5 3	Adult doctor visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	69.5	N	76.5	3
Alcohol use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	5.7	أر	4.8	2 3	Colorectal cancer screening	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	66.9	أر	70.5	5
Illicit drug use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	2.70		2.76	8 6	Statewide child medical visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	88.1	7	77.1	3
Pain reliever misuse	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	4.1		4.1	6 6	Statewide HPV immunizations	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	34.0		54.9	7
								Pap smear test	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	82.9		80.0	4
								Statewide child immunization	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	51.8	M-	71.0	7
								Statewide child dentist visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	80.6	-	79.6	5
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr_trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 202
Care Systems (4th)			15%	40.1		59.9	5 4	Mental Health (8th)			15%	55.0	my	45.6	8
Statewide child mental health access	NSCH	percentage	1.0	31.4		38.6	2 4	Suicide	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	17.4		18.2	9
Adults with no health care coverage	CHR	percentage	0.5	18.7	~	5.1	4 1	Drug overdose deaths	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	16.5	M_/	27.4	8
Avoided medical care due to cost	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	17.0		13.4	5 6	Serious mental illness	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	1.0	4.79	-1	5.29	9
Hospital rating	HCA	percentage	0.5	76.0		76.0	4 5	Statewide disability weighted prevalence from mental illness	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	1.0	2,298.6		2,205.5	8
Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees	CHR	discharges / 100,000	1.0	9,045.6		4,929.0	7 6	Self-reported mental health not good	CHR	percentage	1.0	10.5	1	13.7	6
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Physical Health (7th)			20%	2011 55.7	10-yr trend	38.7	2011 2021	Longevity (7th)			20%	²⁰¹¹ 54.6	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 57.0	2011 202 7
High blood pressure	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	30.6	~~	33.9		Under 5 mortality	CDC	deaths / 100,000 under 5		241.5		241.5	10
Diabetes	CDC	percentage	1.0	8.4	1	11.0	5 7		CDC	population deaths / 100.000	0.5	16.5	.Λ. Λ	17.3	8
Heart attack	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	4.00	"W	5.40		15-64 mortality	CDC	5-14 population deaths / 100,000	20	272.0	141V	280.9	4
Statewide disability weighted prevalence of	IMHE	years / 100,000	0.5	412.9	1	430.6		Maternal mortality	IMHE	15-64 population deaths / 100,000		0.26	Α,	0.26	3
infectious diseases Self-reported poor physical health	CHR	population percentage	1.0	11.0	-1	12.1		Mortality risk 65-85	IMHE	population percentage	1.0	58.4		53.4	
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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend										
Pre-Primary Education (4th)			5%	67.5	TO-yr trend	57.8		Primary Education (4th)			20%	68.1	~~	64.6	2
re-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	51.6	~~~	45.4	3 5	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	4.58	1	4.15	2
tatewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	index score, 0-10	1.0	9.0		8.0	1 1	Statewide science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-300	1.5	160.7		160.2	1
								English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	4.74	~	4.57	2
								Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	93.5	W	94.1	8
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight	<u> </u>	Value		US Count Decile
Cocondary Education (2rd)				²⁰¹¹ 69.1	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 71.5	2011 2021	Tortion, Education (4th)				2011 21 O	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 38.9	2011
Secondary Education (3rd)			25%		~~ ·			Tertiary Education (6th)			25%	31.9	~		
fath grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	8.62		7.94	3 6	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	34.6	~ \	35.4	3
tatewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.0	156.4		157.2	2 4	Statewide college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	46.6	لمدر	52.3	8
nglish, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	8.62	-1	8.68	2 2	Statewide university quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.085		0.085	9
ligh school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	89.5	V.	94.3	3 3	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	32.4	~~	46.0	8
econdary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	95.6	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	97.9	7 4								
							US Counties								
	Source		Unit		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021								
Adult Skills (2nd)			25%	60.0		66.9	2 2								
dult population with at least a high school iploma	Census	percentage	1.0	90.5		93.1	2 2								
dult population with bachelor's degree or	Census	percentage	1.0	28.2		32.1	2 2								

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Boone, KY: Natural Environme	nt (10th	decile*): Ele	ment ar	nd indic	ator scor	es										Ø
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Coun Decile			Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica	ator contain.	US Counties
Emissions (6th)			25%	²⁰¹¹ 58.7	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹	2011	2021	Exposure to Air Pollution			25%	34.4	10-yr trend	35.0	10 10
		index,				•			(10th)					V		
CO2 emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	2.0	0.86		0.35	2		Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	7
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.69		0.77	3		PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	5.30	m/_ ,	3.87	10 9
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.77		0.82	1	2	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.625	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	0.930	9 10
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	0-1 index,	0.5	0.682	==	0.723	9	9	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	3,825.03		2,542.83	10 10
Ozone emissions	EPA	0-1	0.5	0.83	7	0.83	1	1								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Coun Decile 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value _10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Forest, Land and Soil (10th)			20%	21.6		30.7	10		Freshwater (7th)			20%	65.7		65.3	7 7
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	2,315.35		2,315.35	10	10	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	32.8		32.8	6 6
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	1.23		1.19	8	9	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	59.9		59.9	2 2
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	49.0	~	68.0	10	4	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.09		0.15	1 2
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	57.4		41.8	9	9	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	25.82		25.82	10 10
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	percentage	1.0	33.525		33.328	4	4								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	6.0	-	6.0	4	4								
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							US Coin	rties								
	Source	Unit	Unit	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011	2021								
Preservation Efforts (6th)			10%	5.0		5.0	6	6								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.7		0.7	7	7								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	0.7		0.7	9	9								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	3.8		3.8	4	4								

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AAR	Association of American Railroads
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union
ANES	American National Election Studies
ATRF	American Tort Reform Association
Ballotpedia	Ballotpedia
BBN BEA	BroadbandNow
BIEM	United States Bureau of Economic Analysis Brookings Institution Export Monitor
BJS	United States Bureau of Justice Statistics
BLS	United States Bureau of Labour Statistics United States Bureau of Labour Statistics
BRFSS	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System
BTS	United States Bureau of Transportation Statistics
Cato	Cato - Freedom in the 50 States
CAWP	Center for American Women and Politics
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CDC	CDC National Environmental Public Health Tracking Network
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention - Diabetes Atlas
Census	Center for Disease Control (WONDER) United States Census Bureau
Census	United States Certists Bureau US Census Bureau
Census	United States Census Bureau, American Community Survey
CHR	County Health Rankings
CJRP	Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement
CNCS	Corporation for National and Community Service, Volunteering & Civil Life in America
CPI	Center for Public Integrity
CPS	Current Population Survey, Civic Engagement Supplement
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DOL DUH Nat Srvy	United States Department of Labor Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, The National Survey on Drug Use and Health
EIA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, The National Survey on Drug Use and Health United States Energy Information Administration
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
FA	Feeding America
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FDIC	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FI	Fraser Institute
FR	Federal Reserve
FTC Gallup	Federal Trade Commission, Consumer Sentinel Network
Google	Gallup Google Trends
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
GVA	Gun Violence Archive
HCA	Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems
HJK	Henry J Kaiser Family Foundation
HUD	United States Department of Housing and Urban Development
ICS	Institute for Corruption Studies
IMHE	Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation
Inst Just JBEN	Institute for Justice Bennett et al. 2019. "Particulate matter air pollution and national and county life expectancy loss in the USA: A spatiotemporal analysis".
Kauffman	Rauffman Foundation
MAP	Movement Advancement Project
MIT	MIT Election and Data Science Lab coding of state policies
Mukherjee	Mukherjee et al.
NAACP	National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
NACJD	National Archive Of Criminal Justice Data
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress National Content for Assessment of Educations
NCAJ NCES	National Center for Access to Justice National Center for Education Statistics
NCIRD	National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases
NCSL	National Conference of State Legislatures
NIEER	National Institute for Early Education Research
NIMP	National Institute on Money in Politics
NLCD	National Land Cover Database
NSCH	National Survey of Children's Health
NVCA POL	National Venture Capital Association
Pros Now	Polaris Project Prosperity Now Scorecard
PRRI	Public Religion Research Institute
QS Rank	OS World University Rankings
QuantGov	QuantGov
SEDA	Stanford Education Data Archive
SPLC	Southern Poverty Law Center
State OR	State of Oregon
Talk Pov	Talk Poverty
Tax Found UI	Tax Foundation Urban Institute
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Survey
USPFT	United States Press Freedom Tracker
USPIRG	United States Public Interest Research Group
USPTO	United States Patent and Trademark Office
USRC	United States Religious Census
WaPo	Washington Post
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