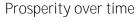
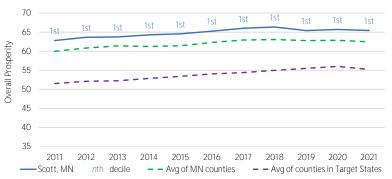
Scott, MN: Overall Prosperity 65.4 (1st decile*)









Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - MN (1 to 87) 2021
Overall Prosperity	62.8	✓	65.4	1		4
Inclusive Societies	67.0	√	67.0	2		47
Safety and Security	68.4	-	71.0	4	1	55
Personal Freedom	60.9		62.4	2	1	3
Governance	71.6		68.0	3	v 1	1
Social Capital	67.1	V	66.6	1	-	19
Open Economies	53.8		58.9	1		11
Business Environment	50.8	~~~	55.2	2	1	44
Infrastructure	63.2	~~~	64.1	1		5
Economic Quality	47.4	/	57.5	5		43
Empowered People	67.5	~~	70.3	1		2
Living Conditions	75.3	$ \sim $	83.4	1		4
Health	72.5		71.0	1		3
Seducation	66.7		68.7	1		4
Natural Environment	55.6	~	58.1	2	1	30

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Mass shooting deaths	Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%						Violent Crime (6th)			50%		W		5	
Area shooting riguries Cov. Pour Coccood 10 0.0 0.0 1 1 Rappe 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Mass shooting deaths	GVA	/1,000,000	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD		1.5	0.0	W	2.0	1	
Companison Com	Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	/100,000	1.0	32.6		34.9	8	
Perceptry Crime (3rd) Source Unit Weight 36% 52.9 71.5 5 3 Regulation NACID Proposition NACID Regulation NACID R	errorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000	1.0	94.0	_/_	47.6	4	
Company Comp	errorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000	0.5	15.5	M	16.8	6	
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Co De 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Countie Decile 2011 20	es 021
Agency (1st)			30%	90.8		93.4	1	1	Freedom of Association and Speech (10th)			15%	12.9		0.0		10
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	2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.00		0.00	1	1	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	7	8
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	380.0	$\neg $	370.0	1	1	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.071	$-\sqrt{}$	0.851	9	7
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	87.7		44.5	4	3	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding. 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	7	7
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	1.9		1.8	1	1									
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Co De	cile		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Countie Decile	
Absence of Legal Discrimination (6th)			25%	34.8	10-yr trend	38.5	2011 5	6	Social Tolerance (1st)			30%	²⁰¹¹ 76.9	10-yr trend	82.5	2011 20	1
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	5	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1	1	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index,	1.0	20.5		20.5	2	2
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited									 	9	0-100						
on sex prombited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	4	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	0-100 percentage	0.5	58.0	_/_	78.0	2	1
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding, 0-1 coding, 0-2	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	4	Statewide same sex marriage support Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law support			0.5 0.5		= \(78.0 72.0	2	3
Statewide affirmative action in public services		0-1 coding,						3	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	percentage		58.0				3
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood	Cato	0-1 coding, 0-2 coding,	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	3	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	percentage		58.0				3
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	Cato MAP	coding, 0-2 coding, 0-9 coding,	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	3	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law	PRRI	percentage		58.0				3
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MIT CAWP NIMP NCSL	index score, 0-1 percentage index, 0-1 coding, 0-1	Weight 30% 1.5 0.5 1.0 0.5	2011 53.6 0.77 31.3 0.5	Value 10-yr trond	77.1 0.88 35.8 1.0	Dec 2011 4 1 1 1 5 4 4	2021	Statewide Judicial integrity	
CAWP	0-1 percentage index, 0-1 coding,	1.5 0.5	0.77 31.3 0.5		0.88 35.8 1.0	1 1 5	1 1 2	Statewide Justice Index Statewide judicial integrity	
CAWP	0-1 percentage index, 0-1 coding,	0.5	31.3 0.5		35.8	1		1 Statewide judicial integrity 2	
NIMP	index, 0-1 coding,	1.0	0.5		1.0	5		2	
	0-1 coding,			-					
NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	4	4		
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		35%	61.7	10-yr trend	62.3	2011			
ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.0	···\	7.0	1	1	1	
ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.5	/_	5.0	3	1	1	
ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.3090	$\overline{\mathbb{A}}$	0.3088	4	6	5	
CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	25.0		28.0	4	6	5	
Cuillier	percentage	1.0	39.4		39.4	6	6	5	
USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	64.0		94.0	9	1	1	
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Personal and Family Relationships (1st)			25%	75.2	~	82.6	1 1	Social Networks (2nd)			25%	71.3	1	61.8	1 2
Statewide divorce	CDC	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	2.8		2.8	2 6	Favors between neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	38.2	7	27.7	2
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	14.4	M	16.0	1 1	Frequently talk with neighbors	0	percentage	1.0	71.0	7	61.2	1 :
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	16.0		5.4	1 1	Trust in people in neighborhood	0	percentage	1.5	68.9		69.6	3
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	93.0		97.0	3 1	Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	63.6		63.1	1
Shared meals with household members	0	percentage	0.5	89.5	1	86.0	4 6	Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.6		0.6	1
Frequently hear from family and friends	0	percentage	1.0	78.8	$\sqrt{}$	90.3	9 1								
Close friends	0	average	1.0	7.1		7.1	1 1								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Institutional Trust (1st)			20%	74.5	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 74.8	2011 2021 1 1	Civic and Social Participation (3rd)			30%	²⁰¹¹ 51.8	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 51.9	2011 2021
Confidence in corporations	0	percentage	1.0	69.5		73.2	5 2	Statewide volunteer rate	Census	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.46		0.43	1 :
Confidence in the media	0	percentage	1.0	63.6		59.9	1 1	Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	0.5	41.7	1	33.0	2 4
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	1 1	Statewide volunteering intensity (microdata)	Census	hours, per capita	0.5	39.0	1	56.1	6 10
								Statewide active in neighborhood	Census	percentage	1.0	25.1	$\sim \int$	30.6	1
								Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	0.5	2.89	W	3.43	2
								Statewide helping the community (microdata)	Census	percentage	0.5	2.8	Λ	4.5	1 9
								(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.529	$\neg \vee$	0.537	3
								Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	0.6		0.6	10 10
								Religious organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	24.3	7	29.6	4
								Sport or recreation organization participation	0	percentage	0.5	16.1	1	9.6	1 8
								School, neighborhood or community association participation	0	percentage	0.5	17.5	/	16.7	3

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Count Decile
nancing Ecosystems (3rd)			40%	31.6	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹	5 3	Domestic Market Contestability (1st)			30%	73.7	10-yr trend	78.1	2011
enture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	9.3	~	42.6	6 5	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	34.0		34.0	1
umber of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	2.2	~~	4.4	7 6	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	s	1.0	238.0		238.0	4
ssets under management	NVCA	\$/capita	1.0	53.8	~	37.9	5 5	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	300.0		300.0	3
enture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$/capita	1.0	0.0	M	9.3	6 3	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	5.0		5.0	1
ew foreign direct investment	BEA	\$/capita	1.0	478.2	-1	1,437.0	5 1	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	0.013	~	0.030	1
ank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.070		0.079	2 2								
urden of Regulation (3rd)	Source	Unit	Weight	2011 41.3	Value 10-yr trend	2021 40.1	US Counties	Labor Market Flexibility (9th)	Source	Unit	Weight	²⁰¹¹ 66.0	Value 10-yr trend	2021 35.9	US Cou Deci 2011
atewide Federal Regulation and State	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.02	_ _	1.04	5 3	Statewide collective bargaining agreement	FI	percent	1.0	17.0	~~	16.0	9
nterprise Index atewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.725	1	1.722	7 7	coverage Statewide employee health insurance cost	ник	S	0.5	4,042.0	/ _{\(\)}	5,455.0	2
atewide state regulation	Quantoov	pulsum	1.0	1.720		1.72.2	· <u> </u>	Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.3	7	1.1	5
								Statewide minimum wage	DOL	s	1.0	6.2		10.0	2
Price Distortions (9th)			Unit 10%	2011 53.3	Value 10-yr trend	2021 63.5	US Counties								
tatewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.16	1	0.10	5 5								
atewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	4.47	,	4.17	8 7								

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	Source				Value 10-yr trend			unties tile 2021		Source				Value 10-yr trend		US Co Der 2011
Communications (1st)			40%	68.4		68.4	1	1	Resources (4th)			25%	55.8	W.	59.4	4
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	104.6		104.6	2	2	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.00	J.M.	0.00	1
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	67.8		67.8	2	2	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0098	~~	0.0103	9
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	1	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.043		0.028	9
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	3.0		3.0	2	2	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	87.1	$ _ \mathcal{N} $	72.7	3
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	0.84	$\neg \checkmark^{\vee}$	0.69	3
							US Cor	untion								
	Source				Value 10-yr trend											
Transport (1st)			35%	62.5	$\overline{}$	62.7	1	1								
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number /square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6								
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	2.2		2.2	6	6								
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.1		0.1	4	4								
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.1		0.1	4	4								
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	2.1		2.1	1	1								
Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	1.65	-	0.79	3	2								
Distance to airport	BTS	km	1.0	35.9		35.9	2	2								
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	Source															
Fiscal Sustainability (5th)			25%	48.7	1	58.9	4	5	Productivity and Competitiveness (7th)			25%	45.8	~~~	56.8	6 7
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	8.0		8.0	1	1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	2,311.9		2,989.3	7 7
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	11.0	~~	57.7	8	5	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	905.3	M-	985.9	4 5
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	1.06	-N	0.91	4	9	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	58.1	~~	63.3	4 5
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$ /capita	1.0	-299.7	$\int \int$	217.4	1	5								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	49.5	NV	48.4	6	6								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	0.51	Y	0.81	3	4								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Cou Deci	inties		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile
Dynamism (8th)			20%	2011 44.3	10-yr trend	2021 44.1	²⁰¹¹	2021	Labor Force Engagement (2nd)			30%	²⁰¹¹ 49.7	10-yr trend	2021 65.7	3 2
Startup concentration													İ			
	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	93.3	\.	64.2	7	8	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	6.9	1	5.9	3 5
Startup early job creation	Kauffman Kauffman		0.5	93.3 3.73	1	64.2 3.80	7		Unemployment Youth unemployment	BLS Census	percent percent	1.0	6.9 15.5		5.9 8.4	3 5 5 4
Startup early job creation Startup early survival rate		businesses number /1,000			\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\									1		
	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	3.73	M	3.80	9	9	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	15.5	1	8.4	5 4
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman Kauffman	businesses number /1,000 population percent	1.0 0.5 1.0	3.73 72.6	M M	3.80	9	9	Youth unemployment Employee Engagement	Census Gallup	percent percent	1.0 0.5	15.5 26.0	7	8.4 31.0	5 4 8 9
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Material Resources (1st)			25%	89.6		93.6	1 1	Nutrition (1st)			15%	68.8		83.0	1 1
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	8.8		9.2	1 1	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	91.7	كرمي	95.1	1
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	5.2	\sim	5.5	1 1	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	95.9	~~~	96.6	1
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	1.96		2.06	1 1	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	61.70	/\	65.20	3
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	18.4		18.4	1 1	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	76.4		79.3	7 (
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	5.5		3.0	2 1								
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Water Services (1st)			15%	²⁰¹¹ 55.8	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 98.7	2011 2021 5 1	Shelter (7th)			15%	2011 67.6	10-yr trend	²⁰²¹ 58.4	2011 2021
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	96.9	7	98.2	1 1	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000	0.5	-6.1		-4.4	1
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score,	1.0	1.0	IVI	0.0	5 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	population percentage	0.5	9.0	~~	26.6	2 4
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	0 or 1 percentage	1.0	99.75	W	99.83	1 1	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	1.06	" my	1.92	3 !
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Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	95.3		95.3	3 4	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	20.0	N	25.9	7
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	80.6		86.9	1 1	Traffic deaths	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	9.0	1	7.9	1

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Preventative Interventions 52.6 69.5 69.7 2 15% 58.0 2 15% 29.0 74.9 Obesity percentage 28.9 Adult dentist visits 72.7 Smoking CHR 1.5 14.8 Adult doctor visits BRFSS 0.5 68.0 percentage Alcohol use disorder 6.0 5.1 4 5 Colorectal cancer screening BRFSS 72.9 74.6 DUH Nat Srvy 2.11 2.56 9 Illicit drug use disorder 0.5 1 Statewide child medical visits NSCH 0.5 83.6 73.8 percentage percentage Pain reliever misuse 4 Statewide HPV immunizations Pap smear test BRFSS percentage 0.5 86.9 83.9 52.5 1.0 66.1 NCIRD Statewide child immunization 15% 63.5 60.2 Mental Health (2nd) 15% 77.0 66.5 Statewide child mental health access Adults with no health care coverage CHR 0.5 9.7 4.5 6.7 10.3 3.83 4.37 10.3 BRFSS Avoided medical care due to cost Serious mental illness Statewide disability weighted prevalence from 80.3 80.3 years / 100,000 population 2,221.2 2,140.8 Hospital rating Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees CHR 1.0 6,057.9 5,591.0 3 8 Self-reported mental health not good 1.0 7.3 10.2 Physical Health (1st) 20% 85.4 77.7 1 Longevity (1st) 20% 79.9 86.3 1 High blood pressure 1.0 24.2 25.6 Diabetes 5.6 7.8 11.9 CDC percentage 1.0 2.70 166.8 15-64 mortality Statewide disability weighted prevalence of infectious diseases deaths / 100,000 population IMHE 0.5 314.7 330.8 Maternal mortality 0.5 0.16 0.14 8.5 44.3 Self-reported poor physical health CHR percentage 1.0 Mortality risk 65-85 IMHE 49.6

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Prince Communication Com	Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	53.7	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	47.7	3	4	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	5.32		5.54	1
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	Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit		2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Emissions (2nd)			25%	57.9		61.2	2 2	Exposure to Air Pollution (7th)			25%	61.5	V	61.5	6 7
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.79	_~\	0.76	3 3	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	1
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.73		0.83	2 2	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	4.49	\mathcal{L}	3.29	9
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.70	لسر	0.81	2 2	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.118		0.743	7
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.822		0.863	7 6	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	242.10	_//~	38.83	9
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.79	لبر	0.87	1 1								

	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-vr trend	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Forest, Land and Soil (2nd)			20%	47.5	1	55.6	3 2	Freshwater (6th)			20%	69.9		70.2	6 6
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.29		0.29	8 8	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	20.7		20.7	8 8
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	5.21	1	5.93	3 3	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	5.1		5.1	9 9
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	66.0	7	82.0	6 3		USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.14		0.09	2 1
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000	1.0	40.0	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	27.5	5 3	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	population percentage	1.0	10.591		10.591	7 6								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	19.0		19.0	2 2								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties Decile								
Preservation Efforts (3rd)			10%	2011		2021	3 3								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0				3 3								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	4.3		4.3	2 2								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	16.0		16.0	2 2								

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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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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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