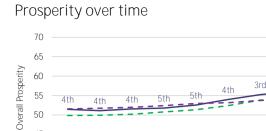
Santa Cruz, California: Overall Prosperity 57.9 (2nd decile*)

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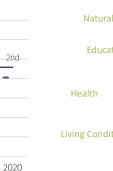
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Breakdown of performance	2010	Score 10-year trend	2020	Decile (1 to 10) 2020	10-year decile change	Rank - California (1 to 58) 2020
Overall Prosperity	51.4		57.9	2	2	10
Inclusive Societies	51.8		58.2	3	4 3	4
Safety and Security	46.5		52.7	9	1	28
Personal Freedom	56.9		58.4	4	-	27
<u> Governance</u>	48.9		61.7	2	4	1
క్లిస్తో Social Capital	54.9	~~	60.1	1	^ 2	1
Open Economies	43.1		52.1	3	4	11
Business Environment	37.9	~~	41.6	7	^ 2	16
Market Access and Infrastructure	47.1	V~	48.6	3	1	13
Economic Quality	44.3		66.1	2	^ 5	13
Empowered People	59.4		63.4	2		12
Living Conditions	57.4		63.2	5	v 1	26
C Health	62.6	~	66.7	2		18
	50.4	~~	54.5	4		13
Natural Environment	67.4	1	69.1	1		3

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Santa Cruz, California (2nd decile*)											
Safety and Security	²⁰¹⁰	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	²⁰²⁰ 52.7	2020 Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020 28	Personal Freedom	²⁰¹⁰ 56.9	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend 2020 58.4		Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020 27
Terror-related Crime 15%	87.3	-	94.5	9 🔺 1	35	Agency 30%	58.5	63.5	8	▼ 3	1
Violent Crime 50%	42.1	~/"	46.8	8 🔺 1	22	Freedom of Association and Speech 15%	33.1	32.8	9		1
Property Crime 35%	35.3	~	43.4	9 = -	38	Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	60.5	61.1	1		1
		, J.				Social Tolerance 30%	64.1	63.7	2	A 1	31
Governance	²⁰¹⁰ 48.9	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2020	2020 Decile 10-yr dec. change 2 4	California Rank 2020	Social Capital	2010 54.9	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend 2020 60.1	2020	Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020
Political Accountability 30%	56.3	200	63.8	3 🔻 2	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	75.3	75.6	1		2
Rule of Law 35%	42.5	\ / /	58.5	1 🔺 6	1	Social Networks 25%	71.2	52.9	3	▼ 1	2
Government Integrity 35%	49.1		63.1	3 4	1	Institutional Trust 20% Civic and Social Participation 30%	49.3 28.0	91.9	1 4	△ 9 △ 2	1 5
Business Environment	2010 37.9	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2020 41.6	2020 Decile 10-yr dec. change 7 2	California Rank 2020	Market Access and Infrastructure	2010 47.1	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend 2020 48.6	1	Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020
Financing Ecosystems 40%	65.3	~~~	73.7	1	16	Communications 40%	70.5	70.5	2		8
Domestic Market Contestability 30%	2.1	~	0.6	10	1	Resources 25%	39.5	45.2	9	1	53
Burden of Regulation 10%	38.1		41.9	7 🔺 1	1	Transport 35%	42.1	42.1	6		30
Labor Market Flexibility 10%	42.9	~_	24.1	9	1						
Price Distortions 10%	30.3	~~~	53.1	10 = -	1						
Economic Quality Fiscal Sustainability 25%	2010 44.3 24.2	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2020 66.1 49.3	Decile 2020 10-yr dec. change 2	California Rank 2020 13						
Productivity and Competitiveness 25%	60.8		80.3	2 = -	12						
Dynamism 20%	62.6	21	74.9	1	3						
Labor Force Engagement 30%	35.0		62.3	6 1	17						
Living Conditions	2010	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2020 10-yr dec. change	İ	Licalth	2010	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend 2020		Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020
Living Conditions	57.4		63.2	5 • 1	26	Health	62.6	~	2		18
Material Resources 25%	68.7		68.7	3 -	26	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	70.4	67.9	2	▼ 1	10
Nutrition 15%	64.6		73.9	3 🔻 2	18	Preventative Interventions 15%	41.1	53.5	3	2	15
Water Services 15%	39.0	~~	43.2	8 🔺 1	44	Care Systems 15%	44.5	54.3	5		23
Shelter 15%	28.1	~ >	23.0	10	50	Mental Health 15%	72.2	70.3	2		26
Connectedness 15% Protection from Harm 15%	58.8 77.7		89.2 77.3	2 -	16 27	Physical Health 20% Longevity 20%	67.9 74.2	70.1	2	1	19 21
Protection from Halfin 15%	11.1	/ \	77.3			Longevity 20%	74.2	7			
Education	2010 50.4	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2020 54.5	Decile 2020 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020	Natural Environment	2010 67.4	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend 2020 69.1		Decile 10-yr dec. change	California Rank 2020
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Pre-Primary Education 5%	54.6	1	41.0	8 • 4	39	Emissions 25%	74.0	78.1	1		4
Primary Education 20%	33.6	-1	38.1	10 -	31	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	63.0	66.9	2		15
Secondary Education 25% Tertiary Education 25%	48.2	1	54.6 56.5	8	16 7	Forest, Land and Soil 20% Freshwater 20%	63.7	62.0	7		4
Tertiary Education 25% Adult Skills 25%	53.1	NV	68.0	2 = -	12	Preservation Efforts 10%	70.3	70.3	1		1
25%	62.4		Jo.U		12	10%	70.3	70.3			(
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Santa Cruz, California: Safety and Security (9th decile*)

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decil 2010	le 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	
Terror-related Crime (9th)			15%	87.3		94.5	10	9	Violent Crime (8th)			50%	42.1	√ √	46.8	
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	4.0	~~	1.8	
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	31.4	~~	43.7	
Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	358.8		279.4	
Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	1.5		0.0	10	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	88.1		76.1	
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	1.5		0.7	10	10								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Deci	le								
Property Crime (9th)			35%	35.3	10-yr trend	43.4	2010	2020								
		incidents														
Burglary	NACJD	/100,000 population incidents	1.5	687.4	~	444.8	7	6								
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	/100,000 population	0.5	336.2	7	529.7	10	10								
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	2,571.8	1/1	2,480.9	9	10								
Identity theft	FTC	reports /100,000 population	0.5	118.4	~/_	105.0	9	7								
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Dec 2010	ile 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile	2020
Agency (8th)			30%	58.5	~~	63.5	5	8	Freedom of Association and Speech (9th)			15%	33.1		32.8	9	ς
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	1.0		1.0	1	
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	1.8	1	1.9	9	10	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	8	
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	750.0		670.0	2	2	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.0		0.0	5	,
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	139.2		62.8	9	7	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	6	
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	8.3		8.3	8	8									
	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Dec 2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010	2020
Absence of Legal Discrimination (1st)			25%	60.5		61.1	1	1	Social Tolerance (2nd)			30%	64.1	~~\	63.7	3	2
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	5	5	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	4.2	~	5.4	4	2
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1	1	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	30.5		30.5	5	
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.5	2	2	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	61.0		66.0	1	1
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding, 0-2	0.5	2.0		2.0	1	1	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	75.0		73.0	1	
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	MAP	coding, 0-9	0.5	8.0		6.3	1	1									
Statewide LGBT non-discrimination laws	MAP	coding, 0-11	0.5	4.1		7.0	3	3									
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Santa Cruz, California: Governance (2nd decile*)

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020		cile 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Deci 2010	ile 2020
Political Accountability (3rd)			30%	56.3	W	63.8	1	3	Rule of Law (1st)			35%	42.5		58.5	7	
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	Overall Prosperity, 0-1	1.5	0.5	V	0.6	10	9	Statewide Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank 1-51	1.5	31.0		12.0	7	
Statewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	26.7	$\sim $	31.7	1	2	Statewide judicial integrity	ATRF	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.5		1.0	6	
Statewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	0.9		0.8	4	7									
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1	1									
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value			cile									
Government Integrity (3rd)			35%	²⁰¹⁰ 49.1	10-yr trend	63.1	2010	2020									
Government integrity (ord)			0070	17.1	,		,	J									
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	9.5	\neg	8.0	7	2									
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	9.5		5.0	10	2									
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	Overall Prosperity, 0-1	0.5	0.4	J	0.3	6	6									
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	4.0		2.0	1	1									
Statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	36.3		36.3	7	7									
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	Overall Prosperity, 0-100	0.5	34.0		47.0	10	10									
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 202		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 20
Personal and Family Relationships (1st)			25%	75.3	M	75.6	1	1 Social Networks (3rd)			25%	71.2	L	52.9	2
Statewide divorce		instances, /1,000 population		2.9		2.9	2	7 Favors between neighbors	CPS	percentage	1.0	60.4	\-	43.1	1
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	25.5		24.5	5	Frequently talk with neighbors	CPS	percentage	1.0	86.2		61.4	1
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	28.2		7.9	3	1 Trust in people in neighborhood	CPS	percentage	1.5	73.9		61.7	1
Statewide parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	88.9		85.9	10	4 Statewide supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	45.4		53.2	10
Shared meals with household members	CPS	percentage	0.5	91.7	1	70.0	8	O Statewide trust in people	ANES	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.5	5
Frequently hear from family and friends	CPS	percentage	1.0	89.9	$\neg /$	100.0	1	1							
Close friends	CPS	average	1.0	10.0	Land	10.0	1	1							
	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 <u>202</u>)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 20
Institutional Trust (1st)			20%	49.3		91.9	10	Civic and Social Participation (4th)			30%	28.0	W-	32.1	6
Confidence in corporations	CPS	percentage	1.0	36.9		80.9	10	7 Statewide volunteer rate	CNCS	instances, /1,000 population	1.0	0.2	M	0.2	9
Confidence in the media	CPS	percentage	1.0	70.3		73.1	1	1 Statewide volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	1.0	31.6	My	29.9	9
Statewide trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4		0.4	4	4 Statewide active in neighborhood	CNCS	percentage	1.0	5.7	1	6.7	8
								Statewide helping the community	CNCS	instances, /1,000	1.0	1.6	/~-	2.1	3
								(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000 population	1.0	0.4	-\/	0.4	4
								Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000 population	0.5	0.7		0.7	10
								Religious organization participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	16.7	1	23.9	9
								Sport or recreation organization participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	12.0	V-	18.2	5
								School, neighborhood or community association participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	30.7	V	22.1	1

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Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010
		40%	65.3	~~~	73.7	1 1	Domestic Market Contestability (10th)			30%	2.1	-1	0.6	10
NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	171.7		785.6	1 1	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	76.0		76.0	10
NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	20.9	/	33.2	1 1	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	\$	1.0	486.0		486.0	10
NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	1,406.6	~~	2,294.1	1 1	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	827.0		827.0	10
NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	61.5	~~	333.5	1 1	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	15.0		15.0	10
FDIC	number/square mile	1.5	0.1		0.1	2 2	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	Overall Prosperity	1.0	0.0	~/	0.0	7
BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	62,613.0		62,613.0	1 1								
Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value _10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010
		10%	38.1		41.9		Labor Market Flexibility (9th)			10%	42.9	7	24.1	9
QuantGov	Overall Prosperity	1.0	1.0	\	0.9	2 1	Statewide collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	18.6	~~~	16.8	9
QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.9		1.9	10 10	Statewide employee health insurance cost	НЈК	\$	0.5	4,490.0	/	5,340.0	8
							Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	2.7	~	1.7	8
							Statewide minimum wage	DOL	s	1.0	8.0	/~	12.0	10
Source	Unit	Unit	2010	Value 10 us trond	2020	Decile 2010 2020								
- 1				10-yr trend	53.1	10 10								
		10%	30.3	~										
BEA	percent	10%	0.3	N W	0.2	10 10								
BEA Tax Found	Overall			W/		10 10								
		1.0	0.3	W/	0.2									
	Overall	1.0	0.3		0.2									
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Dec 2010	ile 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2
Communications (2nd)			40%	70.5		70.5	2		Resources (9th)			25%	39.5	1	4
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	161.2		161.2	1	1	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.1	N	
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	23.1		23.1	4	4	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh /capita	1.0	0.0	M	
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	1	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.1	1	
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	21.0		21.0	2	2	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	113.4	/	1.
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	1.0		
	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Dec 2010								
Transport (6th)			35%	42.1		42.1	6	6							
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number/square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	8	8							
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	11.4		11.4	10	10							
Statewide railroad length	AAR	miles /square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	8	8							
Bus transit route mileage	BTS	miles /square mile	0.5	0.2		0.2	2	2							
Public road density	BTS	miles /square mile	1.0	1.2		1.2	1	1							
Bridge condition	BTS	percent	0.5	12.5		12.5	9	9							
Distance to airport	BTS	km	1.0	34.7		34.7	2	2							

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	Source				10-yr trend			2020	Droductivity and			Weight	2010	10-yr trend		2010
Fiscal Sustainability (8th)			25%	24.2		49.3	10	8	Productivity and Competitiveness (2nd)			25%	60.8	_	80.3	2
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	2.0		5.0	10	10	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	2,802.2	~	3,868.4	5
Statewide state reserves capacity	Pew	days	1.0	-22.4		51.4	10	4	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	1,082.2		1,547.8	3
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	1.1	N	1.0	4	8	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	66.3	شمرسم	75.9	1
Statewide state budget balance	Pew	\$ /capita	1.0	-143.1		452.3	10	1								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	53.2	W	51.1	2	6								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	32.8		14.2	7	6								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value		Decil 2010	le 2020		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile 2010
Dynamism (1st)			20%	62.6	10-yr trend	74.9	1		Labor Force Engagement (6th)			30%	35.0	10-yr trend	62.3	2010 7
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses		112.5	1_	86.3	2	2	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	11.1		4.9	9
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	6.3	1	6.5	3	1	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	18.3	~~	13.9	7
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	77.1	1	81.1	10	1	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	29.0		34.0	5
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	72.6	~	86.4	7	3	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	8.1		3.4	10
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	426.6	1	412.9	2	5	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	66.1		63.7	3
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	1,953.1		2,472.2	1	1						- Span		

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Material Resources (3rd)			25%	68.7	V	68.7	3	3	Nutrition (3rd)			15%	64.6	~	73.9	1 3
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	23.9	~/	22.5	4	4	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	84.0		88.9	5 3
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	14.4		14.3	4	5	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	94.9		96.1	3 4
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	6.7	$\neg \bigvee$	6.7	6	6	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage		72.2	1	68.0	1 1
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	32.6		32.6	2	2	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	83.4		80.1	1 7
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	5.3	1	5.7	1	1								
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Deci	le .		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile
Water Services (8th)	Source		15%	39.0	10-yr trend	²⁰²⁰ 43.2		2020	Shelter (10th)			15%	2010 28.1	10-yr trend	2020	10 10
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Statewide clean and safe water	Gallup	percentage Score,	0.5	93.9	/~	94.0	6		Homelessness	HUD	population	0.5	87.1	7 ^	79.0	10 10
Public drinking water violations	CHR	0 or 1	1.0	1.0	~~	1.0	5		Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	67.8	7/2	78.4	8 10
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	98.4	_	98.9	9	6	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage units / 100 very	1.0	5.6		6.5	10 10
									Availability of affordable housing	UI	low income tenants	1.0	19.5		18.8	3 4
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		Deci			Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile
Connectedness (1st)			15%	²⁰¹⁰ 58.8	10-yr trend	2020 89.2	2010	2020	Protection from Harm (2nd)			15%	2010 77.7	10-yr trend	²⁰²⁰ 77.3	2010 2020
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	55.9		100.0	4	1	Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	deaths / 100,000	1.0	12.2	~	16.1	1 4
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	74.3	1	78.5	2	2	Traffic deaths	CDC	population number / 100,000	1.0	13.5	71~	9.6	2 1
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	74.5		70.5	-		manic deaths	CDC	population	1.0	10.0	1	7.0	ź
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Behavioral Risk Factors (2nd)			15%	70.4	~	67.9	1 2	Preventative Interventions (3rd)			15%	41.1	M	53.5	5
Obesity	CDC	percentage	1.0	18.5	1	18.6	1 1	Adult dentist visits	BRFSS	percentage		63.9		66.7	3
Smoking	CHR	percentage	1.5	10.1	·	11.4	1 1	Adult doctor visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	62.0	_	65.0	8
Alcohol use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	6.8		6.8	9 9	Colorectal cancer screening	BRFSS	percentage		66.9		70.0	4
Illicit drug use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	2.8		2.8	7 7	Statewide child medical visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	87.2		80.8	5
Pain reliever misuse	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	5.2		5.2	10 10	Statewide HPV immunizations	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	49.1	1	52.6	1
								Pap smear test	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	82.3		81.4	5
								Statewide child immunization	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	49.9	~~	68.6	1
								Statewide child dentist visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	76.2		81.9	10
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value _ 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 2020
Care Systems (5th)			15%	44.5		54.3	5 5	Mental Health (2nd)			15%	72.2	m	70.3	2
Statewide child mental health access	NSCH	percentage	1.0	63.6		63.6	10 10	Suicide	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	12.0	hy	14.5	4
Adults with no health care coverage	CHR	percentage	0.5	18.1		7.4	3 3	Drug overdose deaths	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	11.4	W	14.2	8
Avoided medical care due to cost	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	15.2		11.5	4 2	Serious mental illness	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	1.0	3.8		3.6	2
Hospital rating	HCA	percentage	0.5	67.1	^	68.3	8 8	Statewide disability weighted prevalence from mental illness	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	1.0	2,082.1		2,072.8	2
Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees	CHR	discharges / 100,000	1.0	2,690.0		2,792.0	2 2	Self-reported mental health not good	CHR	percentage	1.0	11.0		11.9	7
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Physical Health (2nd)			20%	67.9	10-yr trend	70.1	3 2	Longevity (1st)			20%	74.2	10-yr trend	²⁰²⁰ 78.9	2010 202
High blood pressure	BRFSS	percentage		28.2	_/\	28.3	2 3	Under 5 death rate	CDC	deaths / 100,000 under 5	1.0	148.6	_	148.6	4
Diabetes	CDC	percentage	1.0	6.0	~~~	6.2	1 2	5-14 death rate	CDC	population deaths / 100,000 5-14 population	0.5	10.7	W	9.6	7
Heart attack	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	3.5	1	2.7	2 2	15-64 death rate	CDC	deaths / 100,000 15-64 population	2.0	224.6	~~	209.3	2
Statewide disability weighted prevalence of	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	0.5	336.4		347.3	3 3	Maternal mortality	IMHE	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	0.2	1	0.2	1
infectious diseases Self-reported poor physical health	CHR	percentage	1.0	11.0	-	10.8	6 4	Mortality risk 65-85	IMHE	percentage	1.0	47.9	7-	43.0	1
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Santa Cruz, California: Educatio	on (4th d	lecile*)													
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile
Pre-Primary Education (8th)			5%	54.6	10-yr trend	41.0	4 8	Primary Education (10th)			20%	33.6	10-yr trend	38.1	10
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	55.2	1	41.0	2 7	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	2.6	Λ	2.9	10
Statewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	Overall Prosperity, 0-10	1.0	4.0	F	4.3	6 7	Statewide science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-300	1.5	136.3	_ /	140.5	10
		0-10			***************************************			English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	2.8		3.3	9
								Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	97.3		94.7	4
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile
Secondary Education (8th)			25%	²⁰¹⁰ 48.2	10-yr trend	54.6	8 8	Tertiary Education (1st)			25%	53.1	10-yr trend	56.5	2010 20
Secondary Education (oth)			2070	40.2			0 0	Tertiary Education (13t)			2070	55.1	NV		'
Math grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	7.6		7.6	6 7	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	61.6		65.9	1
Statewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.0	136.6		142.8	10 10	Statewide college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	64.3	V	64.0	1
English, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	7.2		7.7	7 6	Statewide university quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.3		0.3	2
High school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	86.4		81.7	5 9	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	23.3	M	30.3	10
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	96.3		98.0	6 4								
	Source	Unit	Unit	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	Decile 2010 2020		1	i	i	1			i
Adult Skills (2nd)			25%	62.4	10-yr trend	68.0	2 2								
Adult population with at least a high school				84.1		86.4									
diploma	Census	percentage	1.0				5 5								
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	37.3	_ </td <td>40.0</td> <td>1 1</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	40.0	1 1								

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Santa Cruz, California: Natural	l Environr	ment (1st de	cile*)												K
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Italics: Indica Value		Decile
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Emissions (1st)			25%	74.0		78.1	1 1	Exposure to Air Pollution (2nd)			25%	63.0	/	66.9	2
Toxic air releases	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	1.0		1.0	1 1	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1		0.1	2
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.9		0.9	1 1	Fine particulate matter exposure	OECD	micrograms per cubic meter	1.0	7.0	~	5.9	2
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.8		0.9	1 1								
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.7		0.9	2 1								
PM2.5 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.8		1.0	2 1								
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.9	T	1.0	3 1								
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.8		0.8	2 1								
Lead emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.9	-	0.9	6 5								
					minimal										
	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value	2020	Decile 2010 2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value	2020	Decile
Forest, Land and Soil (1st)			20%	63.7	10-yr trend	62.0		Freshwater (7th)			20%	66.7	10-yr trend	67.2	7
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	1 1	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	10.8		10.8	10
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	18.9		18.7	1 1	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	2.2		2.2	10
Statewide compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	70.0	my	60.0	6 6	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.3		0.2	4
Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	27.0	~//~	24.2	1 3	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.0		0.0	1
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	percentage	1.0	45.1	1	45.0	3 3								
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	1.6		1.6	10 10								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		Decile		<u> </u>						<u> </u>
Preservation Efforts (1st)			10%	²⁰¹⁰ 70.3	10-yr trend	70.3	2010 2020								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	15.9		15.9	1 1								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	6.5		6.5	1 1								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	28.4		28.4	1 1								
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