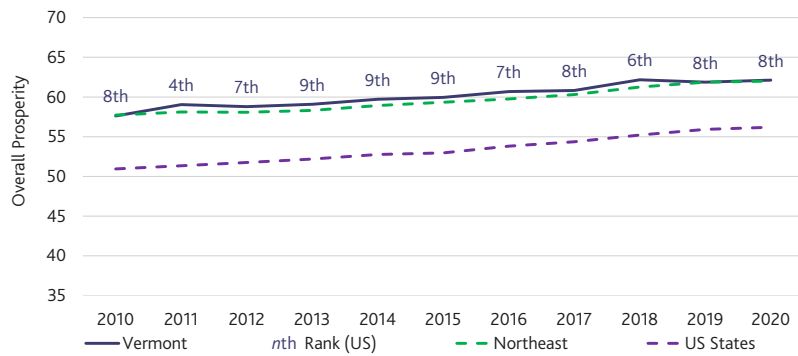


Vermont: Overall Prosperity 62.1 (8th)














Prosperity over time



Breakdown of performance

	2010	Score 10-year trend	2020	Rank - US States (1 to 51) 2020	10-year rank change	Rank - Northeast (1 to 9) 2020
Overall Prosperity	57.6		62.1	8	-	4
Inclusive Societies	64.8		65.9	5	▼ 1	4
Safety and Security	72.4		80.0	3	-	3
Personal Freedom	65.2		67.0	8	▼ 1	5
Governance	60.6		55.8	29	▼ 10	5
Social Capital	61.1		60.6	3	▲ 3	1
Open Economies	46.7		52.2	36	▼ 4	7
Business Environment	52.4		53.6	27	▼ 6	6
Market Access and Infrastructure	42.6		45.2	41	▲ 4	8
Economic Quality	45.0		57.6	26	▼ 10	3
Empowered People	61.3		68.4	6	-	5
Living Conditions	56.9		73.1	14	▲ 20	6
Health	63.6		65.3	15	▼ 1	7
Education	63.2		65.6	3	▼ 1	3
Natural Environment	61.7		69.4	1	▲ 2	1

 Safety and Security		<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>72.480.0</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>3-</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>3</div>	 Personal Freedom	<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>65.267.0</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>81</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>5</div>	
Terror-related Crime	15%	<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>100.090.8</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>109</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>4</div>	Agency	30%	<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>94.997.0</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>2-</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>2</div>
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Property Crime	35%	<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>58.184.6</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>27</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>2</div>	Absence of Legal Discrimination	25%	<div><div>2010</div><div>Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>37.841.5</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>US States Rank 10-yr rank change</div><div>2020</div></div> <div>294</div>	<div><div>2020</div><div>Northeast Rank 2020</div></div> <div>7</div>
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Terrorism										Violence									
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020			Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	
Terror-related Crime (10th)									Violent Crime (4th)										
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.5	0.0		1.3	1	10	Murder	FBI	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	2.7		1.6	13	4		
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	FBI	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	30.6		45.8	6	31		
Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Aggravated assaults	FBI	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	98.3		113.4	3	4		
Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Robbery	FBI	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	15.0		11.2	2	1		
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1											
Property Crime (2nd)																			
Burglary	FBI	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	565.8		234.2	22	9											
Motor vehicle theft	FBI	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	94.3		40.4	2	1											
Larceny theft	FBI	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	1,899.7		1,008.5	17	2											
Identity theft	FTC	victims /100,000 population	0.5	44.6		54.0	7	2											

	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Agency (2nd)			30%	94.9		97.0	2	2	Freedom of Association and Speech (46th)			15%	40.0		24.0	18	46
Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	7	7
Death row population	NAACP	prisoners /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Right-to-work	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	23	28
Adult Incarceration	BJS	prisoners /100,000 adult population	1.0	410.0		340.0	5	2	Press suppression	USFFT	number /100,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.2	1	51
Youth Incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	32.5		17.8	1	4	Invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1
Trafficking	POL	reports /100,000	1.0	3.8		3.8	10	10									
Absence of Legal Discrimination (29th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	Social Tolerance (1st)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	17	24	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.3		0.2	32	4
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	21.3		21.3	7	7
Government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	22	23	Same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	67.0		80.0	5	1
Affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding, 0-2	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	9	LGBT non-discrimination law support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	76.0		77.0	8	2
LGBT relationships and parenthood recognition	MAP	coding, 0-10	0.5	4.0		6.5	11	2									
LGBT non-discrimination laws	MAP	coding, -1-9	0.5	9.0		9.0	1	1									


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Political Accountability (13th)								Rule of Law (37th)							
Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.7	0.9	15	1	Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank, 1-51	1.5	34.0	43.0	34	43
Gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	37.2	40.0	2	5	Judicial integrity	ATRF	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0	1	1
State campaign disclosure	NIMP	index score, 0-1	1.0	0.8	0.8	18	31								
Term limits	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0	15	16								
Government Integrity (23rd)															
Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020								
Legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	4.0	7.0	2	7								
Illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	3.0	5.0	1	7								
Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.3	0.1	25	8								
State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-51	1.0	26.0	38.0	27	39								
Public record request compliance	Cullier	percentage	1.0	47.2	47.2	13	13								
Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	90.0	67.0	6	35								


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Personal and Family Relationships (6th)										Social Networks (5th)									
Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020			Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020		
Divorce	CDC	instances /1,000 population	1.0	3.6	3.1	26	31			Favors between neighbors	CPS	percentage	1.0	37.8	39.3	40	4		
Children in unmarried households	Census	percentage	1.0	29.0	28.9	28	21			Frequently talk with neighbors	CPS	percentage	1.0	69.7	60.1	36	8		
Teen births	CDC	instances /1,000 female 15-19 population	1.0	20.3	8.8	3	1			Trust in people in neighborhood	CPS	percentage	1.5	73.1	70.1	2	8		
Parent's attendance of children's activities	NSCH	percentage	0.5	95.9	92.8	4	2			Supportive neighborhood for a child	NSCH	percentage	1.0	60.4	60.1	15	17		
Shared meals with household members	CPS	percentage	0.5	92.2	91.4	28	8			Trust in people	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.6	0.6	1	5		
Frequently hear from family and friends	CPS	percentage	1.0	79.3	84.4	31	38												
Close friends	CPS	average	1.0	7.0	7.0	3	3												
Institutional Trust (15th)										Civic and Social Participation (4th)									
Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020			Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020		
Confidence in corporations	CPS	percentage	1.0	58.0	63.5	41	39			Volunteer rate	CNCS	instances /1,000 population	1.0	0.4	0.3	9	14		
Confidence in the media	CPS	percentage	1.0	65.9	62.0	11	5			Volunteering intensity	CNCS	hours, per capita	1.0	40.6	37.1	17	14		
Trust in federal government	ANES	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.4	0.4	30	24			Active in neighborhood	CNCS	percentage	1.0	12.5	13.4	3	4		
										Helping the community	CNCS	instances /1,000	1.0	3.3	3.9	3	5		
										(Non-religious) membership organizations	Census	number /1,000	1.0	0.8	0.8	4	5		
										Religious membership organizations	USRC	number /1,000	0.5	1.4	1.4	22	22		
										Religious organization participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	15.8	16.9	41	36		
										School, neighborhood or community association participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	19.2	18.2	12	9		
										Sport or recreation organization participation	CPS	percentage	0.5	17.5	18.0	4	1		

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	10-yr trend	2020	2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	10-yr trend	2020	2010	2020		
Financing Ecosystems (34th)				40%	37.5		39.1	30	34	Domestic Market Contestability (4th)				30%	66.4		73.7	6	4
Venture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	18.0		142.8	30	17	Low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	31.0		31.0	2	2		
Number of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	14.4		41.7	10	9	Occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	\$	1.0	193.0		193.0	14	14		
Assets under management	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	34.0		76.9	33	27	Occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	287.0		287.0	21	21		
Venture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0		0.0	24	29	Age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	9.0		9.0	22	22		
New foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	303.6		1.6	27	48	Regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	0.0		0.0	34	11		
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.0		0.0	43	45											
Burden of Regulation (9th)				10%	70.7		68.9	5	9	Labor Market Flexibility (41st)				10%	52.7		35.2	39	41
Federal Regulation and State Enterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	0.8		0.8	5	5	Collective bargaining agreement coverage	FI	percent	1.0	13.6		12.1	31	31		
State regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.5		1.5	24	23	Employee health insurance cost	HJK	\$	0.5	4,594.0		5,463.0	36	20		
									Workers compensation premium rate	State OR	\$ /\$100	0.5	2.2		1.2	34	43		
									Minimum wage	DOL	\$	1.0	8.1		11.0	46	39		
Price Distortions (40th)				10%	51.1		54.8	32	40										
Subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.2		0.1	27	24											
Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	4.6		4.2	41	46											

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Fiscal Sustainability (37th)			25%	47.3		53.1	18	37	Productivity and Competitiveness (43rd)			25%	20.0		28.3	41	43
Government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	7.0		7.0	12	15	Manufactured export value	Census	\$ /capita	1.0	2,940.0		3,517.3	11	18
State reserves capacity	Pew	days	1.0	19.2		31.0	24	36	Non-manufactured export value	Census	\$ /capita	0.5	114.6		120.2	42	43
Revenue to expenditure ratio	Pew	ratio	1.0	1.0		1.0	12	32	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ /hour	2.0	43.1		48.5	48	48
State budget balance	Pew	\$	1.0	91.1		213.1	24	33									
State pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	44.5		47.0	28	36									
Dynamism (20th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	Labor Force Engagement (3rd)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
			20%	55.6		53.3	15	20				30%	56.8		88.8	9	3
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	76.6		58.0	51	48	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	6.5		2.3	7	1
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /capita	1.0	4.8		4.3	33	30	Youth unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	9.4		3.9	16	1
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	75.7		80.5	43	10	Employee engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	28.0		34.0	32	17
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	81.1		78.7	26	44	Underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	4.3		2.4	10	20
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	percent	1.5	372.0		356.0	9	12	Labor force participation	BLS	percent	1.0	83.9		82.6	6	6
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000,000 population	1.0	722.2		722.8	1	5									


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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Behavioral Risk Factors (22nd)			15%	51.6		59.0	25	22	Preventative Interventions (10th)			15%	54.7		68.0	10	10
Obesity	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	25.4		27.5	14	9	Adult dentist visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	70.4		73.0	12	6
Smoking	BRFSS	percentage	1.5	20.1		14.3	16	11	Adult doctor visits	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	66.1		74.3	33	31
Alcohol use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	7.5		7.8	38	48	Colorectal cancer screening	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	70.6		71.8	12	16
Illicit drug use disorder	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	3.1		4.0	46	49	Child medical visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	91.3		84.9	14	16
Pain reliever misuse	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	0.5	4.9		3.9	40	20	HPV immunizations	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	55.7		62.0	6	8
									Pap smear test	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	85.8		77.0	8	37
									Child Immunization	NCIRD	percentage	1.0	23.0		74.0	50	15
									Child dentist visits	NSCH	percentage	0.5	89.6		85.6	1	11
Care Systems (8th)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	Mental Health (33rd)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
Child mental health access	NSCH	percentage	1.0	51.6		51.6	38	38	Suicide	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	14.1		18.8	37	34
Adults with no health care coverage	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	10.0		7.0	3	2	Drug overdose deaths	CDC	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	10.9		26.6	21	35
Avoided medical care due to cost	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	9.4		8.2	4	4	Serious mental illness	DUH Nat Srvy	percentage	1.0	5.5		5.4	51	40
Hospital rating	HCA	percentage	0.5	71.0		72.0	19	20	Disability weighted prevalence from mental illness	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	1.0	2,158.3		2,145.7	25	23
Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrollees	CMS	discharges / 100,000	1.0	3,966.0		3,455.0	12	12	Self-reported mental health not good	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	11.4		12.1	22	19
Physical Health (7th)	Source	Unit	Unit	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020	Longevity (22nd)	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	Value 10-yr trend	2020	US States Rank 2010	2020
High blood pressure	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	26.5		26.3	5	7	Under 5 death rate	CDC	deaths / 100,000 under 5 population	1.0	106.7		137.5	2	25
Diabetes	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	6.8		7.6	2	3	5-14 death rate	CDC	deaths / 100,000 5-14 population	0.5	26.9		26.9	50	50
Heart attack	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	3.8		3.5	18	11	15-64 death rate	CDC	deaths / 100,000 15-64 population	2.0	227.6		262.4	5	17
Disability weighted prevalence of infectious diseases	IMHE	years / 100,000 population	0.5	324.4		329.6	6	9	Maternal mortality	IMHE	deaths / 100,000 population	0.5	0.2		0.2	2	2
Self-reported poor physical health	BRFSS	percentage	1.0	11.3		12.0	17	24	Mortality risk 65-85	IMHE	percentage	1.0	52.7		48.0	21	16

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	Source	Unit	Weight	2010	10-yr trend	2020	2010	2020		Source	Unit	Weight	2010	10-yr trend	2020	2010	2020		
Pre-Primary Education (1st)				5%	41.7		84.7	35	1	Primary Education (16th)				20%	75.6		61.9	3	16
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	47.0		66.8	24	3	Math grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	2.0	247.8		238.9	4	31		
State pre-K quality	NIEER	index score, 0-10	1.0	4.0		7.0	37	20	Science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	2.0	163.1		163.1	2	3		
									Reading grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	2.0	228.7		221.8	5	16		
									Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	95.6		93.9	22	43		
Secondary Education (6th)				25%	76.9		68.0	1	6	Tertiary Education (12th)				25%	48.3		53.9	17	12
Math grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.5	292.9		286.6	3	8	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	46.9		49.4	7	5		
Science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.5	162.9		163.2	1	3	College graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	63.9		68.0	8	8		
Reading grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.5	272.3		268.5	3	4	University quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.3		0.3	24	21		
High school graduation rate	Dept Ed	percentage	1.0	87.0		89.1	2	8	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	0.5	14.6		21.7	47	48		
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	97.8		95.7	3	42											
Adult Skills (2nd)				25%	58.8		74.1	4	2										
Adult population with at least a high school diploma	Census	percentage	1.0	91.0		93.5	5	2											
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	33.6		38.7	8	8											


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Emissions (10th)			25%	77.1		81.3	7	10	Exposure to Air Pollution (3rd)			25%	70.9		86.9	4	3
Toxic air releases	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.9		0.9	2	2	Life years lost from air pollution	IMHE	DALYs / 100,000 population	2.0	340.7		202.0	4	4
CO2 emissions	EIA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.7		0.7	5	11	Fine particulate matter exposure	OECD	average	1.0	6.2		4.7	6	5
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.7		0.8	9	9									
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.5		0.6	29	31									
PM2.5 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.6		0.7	30	29									
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.8		0.9	7	6									
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.7		0.7	20	25									
Lead emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.9		0.9	7	16									
Forest, Land and Soil (6th)			20%	54.6		60.5	9	6	Freshwater (5th)			20%	61.5		69.1	10	5
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	6.4		4.0	4	4	Good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	91.1		91.1	2	2
Rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	5.6		6.0	21	21	Good quality lakes, reservoirs and ponds	EPA	percentage	0.5	13.0		13.0	29	29
Compliant underground storage tanks facilities	EPA	percentage	1.0	77.0		82.0	12	9	Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons per day per 1,000 population	1.0	0.8		0.1	18	4
Exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000 population	1.0	44.7		32.6	25	33	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	15.5		13.9	17	17
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	percentage	1.0	62.7		62.7	4	4									
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	9.0		9.0	24	24									
Preservation Efforts (25th)			10%	14.6		14.6	25	25									
GAP 1 Protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	2.1		2.1	18	18									
GAP 2 Protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	2.0		2.0	38	38									
GAP 3 Protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	10.5		10.5	19	19									

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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	BroadbandNow
BEA	United States Bureau of Economic Analysis
BJS	United States Bureau of Justice Statistics
BLS	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
Census	United States Census Bureau
Census	US Census Bureau, County Business Patterns
Census	US Census Bureau, American Community Survey
CJRP	Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement
CMS	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
CNCS	Corporation for National and Community Service, Volunteering & Civil Life in America
CPI	US Center for Public Integrity
CPS	Current Population Survey, Civic Engagement Supplement
Cuillier	Dave Cuillier
Dept Ed	United States Department of Education
DOL	United States Department of Labor
DUH Nat Srvy	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, The National Survey on Drug Use and Health
EIA	United States Energy Information Administration
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation Uniform Crime Reporting Statistics
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FDIC	Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FI	Fraser Institute
FR	Federal Reserve
FTC	Federal Trade Commission, Consumer Sentinel Network
Gallup	Gallup
Gallup	Gallup Dailies
Google	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	Institute for Justice
Kauffman	Kauffman Foundation
MAP	Movement Advancement Project
MIT	MIT Election and Data Science Lab coding of state policies
Mukherjee	Mukherjee et al.
NAACP	NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
NCAJ	National Center for Access to Justice
NCES	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
NLIHC	National Low Income Housing Coalition
NSCH	National Survey of Children's Health
NTIA	National Telecommunications and Information Administration
NVCA	National Venture Capital Association
OECD	Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development
Pew	Pew Research Center
POL	Polaris Project
Pros Now	Prosperity Now Scorecard
PRRI	Public Religion Research Institute
QS Rank	QS World University Rankings
QuantGov	QuantGov
SPLC	Southern Poverty Law Center
State OR	State of Oregon
Talk Pov	Talk Poverty
Tax Found	Tax Foundation
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture - Economic Research Service
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