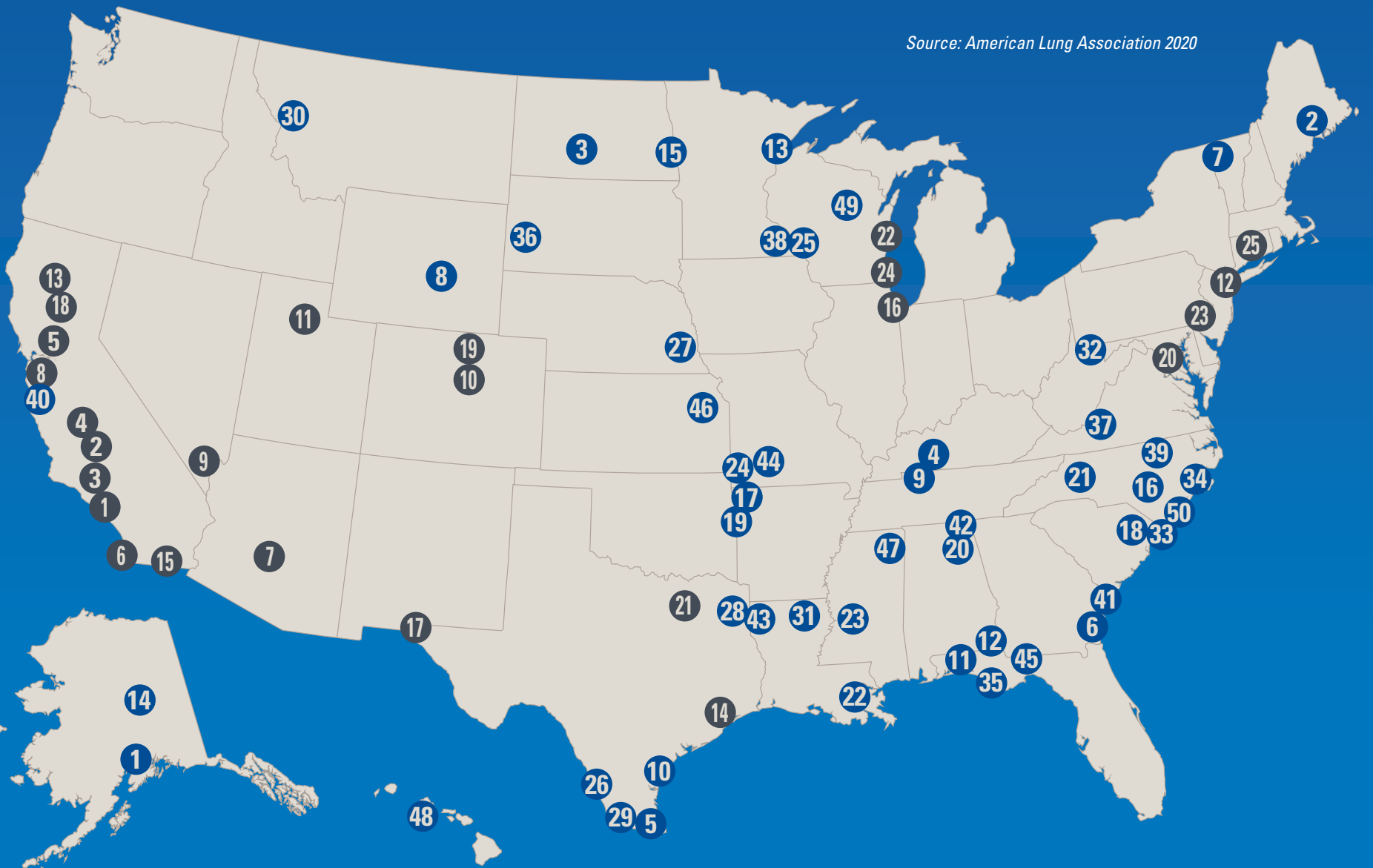


BEST & WORST CITIES FOR OZONE POLLUTION

Cleanest Ozone Cities

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| 1. Anchorage, AK | 11. Crestview, FL | 21. Hickory, NC | 31. Monroe, LA | 41. Savannah, GA |
| 2. Bangor, ME | 12. Dothan, AL | 22. Thibodaux, LA | 32. Morgantown, WV | 42. Scottsboro, AL |
| 3. Bismarck, ND | 13. Duluth, MN | 23. Jackson, MS | 33. Myrtle Beach, SC | 43. Shreveport, LA |
| 4. Bowling Green, KY | 14. Fairbanks, AK | 24. Joplin, MO | 34. New Bern, NC | 44. Springfield, MO |
| 5. Brownsville, TX | 15. Fargo, ND | 25. La Crosse, WI | 35. Panama City, FL | 45. Tallahassee, FL |
| 6. Brunswick, GA | 16. Fayetteville, NC | 26. Laredo, TX | 36. Rapid City, SD | 46. Topeka, KS |
| 7. Burlington, VT | 17. Fayetteville, AR | 27. Lincoln, NE | 37. Roanoke, VA | 47. Tupelo, MS |
| 8. Casper, WY | 18. Florence, SC | 28. Longview, TX | 38. Rochester, MN | 48. Honolulu, HI |
| 9. Clarksville, TN | 19. Fort Smith, AR | 29. McAllen, TX | 39. Rocky Mount, NC | 49. Wausau, WI |
| 10. Corpus Christi, TX | 20. Gadsden, AL | 30. Missoula, MT | 40. Salinas, CA | 50. Wilmington, NC |

Source: American Lung Association 2020



Most Ozone Polluted Cities

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| 1. Los Angeles, CA | 6. San Diego, CA | 11. Salt Lake City, UT | 16. Chicago, IL | 21. Dallas, TX |
| 2. Visalia, CA | 7. Phoenix, AZ | 12. New York, NY | 17. El Paso, TX | 22. Sheboygan, WI |
| 3. Bakersfield, CA | 8. San Jose, CA | 13. Redding, CA | 18. Chico, CA | 23. Philadelphia, PA |
| 4. Fresno, CA | 9. Las Vegas, NV | 14. Houston, TX | 19. Fort Collins, CO | 24. Milwaukee, WI |
| 5. Sacramento, CA | 10. Denver, CO | 15. El Centro, CA | 20. Washington, DC | 25. Hartford, CT |

What Is Ozone Pollution?

Bad or ground-level ozone pollution is created when vehicle and other emissions mix with pollutants and are heated by the sun. Warmer weather increases ground-level ozone pollution.

Protect Your Lungs from Ozone Pollution

- Watch local air quality advisories.
- Stay indoors as much as possible and when ozone/pollution levels are high.
- Keep windows closed.
- Take medications exactly as prescribed.
- Use the circulate setting on your home thermostat to keep polluted air out.
- Exercise or be outside in the morning when ozone levels are lowest.
- Call your doctor if symptoms increase or if you need more medication.

Facemasks are highly encouraged to limit COVID-19 infection risk but provide no protection against ozone.