

Appendix D: U.S. EPA Regional Designations for National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS)



Areas of the country where air pollution levels persistently exceed the national ambient air quality [standards](#) may be designated "nonattainment." To view a list of areas designated nonattainment, select one of the pollutants below:

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Questions concerning the status of nonattainment areas, their classification and EPA policy should be directed to the appropriate [Regional Office](#). EPA [Headquarters](#) should be contacted only when the Regional Office is unable to answer a question. If you have questions for State or Local Air Pollution Agencies contact: [State and Territorial Air](#)

[Pollution Program Administrators - Members \[Outside EPA\]](#)  or [Assoc. of Local Air Pollution Control Officials - Members \[Outside EPA\]](#).  State and Local Agency Web pages and other contacts are available at the [Government Partners Web Page](#).

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Classifications of Ozone Nonattainment Areas

As of January 29, 2001

EXTREME (2010)

[Los Angeles South Coast Air Basin, CA](#)

SEVERE (2007)

[Chicago-Gary-Lake County, IL-IN](#)

[Houston-Galveston-Brazoria, TX](#)

[Milwaukee-Racine, WI](#)

[New York-N. New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT](#)

[Southeast Desert Modified AQMA, CA](#)

SEVERE (2005)

[Baltimore, MD](#)

[Philadelphia-Wilmington-Trenton, PA-NJ-DE-MD](#)

[Sacramento Metro, CA](#)

[Ventura Co, CA](#)

SERIOUS (1999)

[Atlanta, GA](#)

[Baton Rouge, LA](#)

[Boston-Lawrence-Worcester \(E. MA\), MA-NH](#)

[Dallas-Fort Worth, TX](#)

[El Paso, TX](#)

[Greater Connecticut, CT](#)

[Phoenix, AZ](#)

[Portsmouth-Dover-Rochester, NH](#)

[Providence \(All RI\), RI](#)

[San Diego, CA](#)

[San Joaquin Valley, CA](#)

[Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Lompoc, CA](#)

[Springfield \(Western MA\), MA](#)

[Washington, DC-MD-VA](#)

MODERATE (1996)

[Atlantic City, NJ](#)

[Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX](#)

[Knox & Lincoln Co.s, ME](#)

[Lewiston-Auburn, ME](#)

[Louisville, KY-IN](#)

[Manitowoc Co, WI](#)

[Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley, PA](#)

[Portland, ME](#)

[Poughkeepsie, NY](#)

[St Louis, MO-IL](#)

MARGINAL (1993)

[Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY](#)

[Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ](#)

[Altoona, PA](#)

[Birmingham, AL](#)

[Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY](#)

[Door Co, WI](#)

[Erie, PA](#)
[Essex Co, NY](#)
[Harrisburg-Lebanon-Carlisle, PA](#)
[Jefferson Co, NY](#)
[Johnstown, PA](#)
[Kent & Queen Anne's Co.s, MD](#)
[Lancaster, PA](#)
[Manchester, NH](#)
[Reno, NV](#)
[Scranton-Wilkes-Barre, PA](#)
[Smyth Co, VA \(White Top Mtn\)](#)
[Sunland Park, NM \(New Area 1995\)](#)
[Sussex Co, DE](#)
[York, PA](#)
[Youngstown-Warren-Sharon, PA portion](#)

OTHER

[San Francisco Bay Area, CA](#)

Section 185A and Incomplete Areas Not Included. "Section 185A" was previously called "Transitional". Dates in parenthesis are when the ozone

standard must be met.

This is NOT an official list of ozone nonattainment areas. See the Code of

Federal Regulations (40 CFR Part 81) and pertinent Federal Register notices

for legal lists and boundaries.

Section 185A and incomplete data areas are not included. Dates in parenthesis are when the ozone standard must be met. On July 10, 1998 (63 FR 37258), EPA published the final rule redesignating the San Francisco

Bay Area to nonattainment with the federal 1-hour ozone NAAQS.

EPA did not assign the Bay Area a classification. Then on July 22, 1999 (64 FR 39416) EPA published a final rule assigning the area a nonattainment

classification on moderate for purposes of funding appropriation under the

Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA 21), Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality improvement Program (CMAQ) only. This is NOT an

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Classifications of CO Nonattainment Areas

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SERIOUS

[Anchorage, AK](#)
[Denver-Boulder, CO](#)
[Fairbanks, AK](#)
[Las Vegas, NV](#)
[Los Angeles South Coast Air Basin, CA](#)
[Phoenix, AZ](#)
[Spokane, WA](#)

MODERATE > 12.7PPM

[New York-N. New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT \(NY-NJ portion\)](#)
[Provo, UT](#)

MODERATE <= 12.7PPM

[El Paso, TX](#)
[Fort Collins, CO](#)
[Klamath Falls, OR](#)
[Medford, OR](#)
[Missoula, MT](#)
[Ogden, UT](#)
[Reno, NV](#)

NOT CLASSIFIED

[Billings, MT](#)
[Boise-Northern Ada County, ID](#)
[Great Falls, MT](#)
[Lake Tahoe, NV](#)
[Lowell, MA](#)
[Pittsburgh, PA](#)
[Salem, OR](#)
[Springfield, MA](#)
[Waltham, MA](#)
[Worcester, MA](#)
[Yakima, WA](#)

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SERIOUS

[Clark Co, NV](#)
[Coachella Valley, CA](#)
[Los Angeles South Coast Air Basin, CA](#)
[Owens Valley, CA](#)
[Phoenix, AZ](#)
[San Joaquin Valley, CA](#)

MODERATE

[Ajo \(Pima County\), AZ](#)
[Anthony, NM](#)
[Aspen, CO](#)
[Bonner Co \(Sandpoint\), ID](#)
[Butte, MT](#)
[Clairton & 4 Boroughs, PA](#)
[Columbia Falls, MT](#)
[Denver Metro, CO](#)
[Douglas \(Cochise County\), AZ](#)
[Eagle River, AK](#)
[East Chicago, IN](#)
[El Paso Co, TX](#)
[Eugene-Springfield, OR](#)
[Flathead County; Whitefish and vicinity, MT](#)
[Follansbee, WV](#)
[Fort Hall Reservation, ID](#)
[Grants Pass, OR](#)
[Hayden/Miami, AZ](#)
[Imperial Valley, CA](#)
[Juneau, AK](#)
[Kalispell, MT](#)
[Kent, WA](#)
[King Co, WA](#)
[Klamath Falls, OR](#)
[LaGrande, OR](#)
[Lake Co, OR](#)
[Lamar, CO](#)
[Lame Deer, MT](#)
[Lane Co, OR](#)
[Libby, MT](#)
[Lyons Twsp., IL](#)
[Medford-Ashland, OR](#)
[Missoula, MT](#)
[Mohave Co, AZ](#)
[Mono Basin, CA](#)
[Mun. of Guaynabo, PR](#)
[New Haven Co, CT](#)
[New York Co, NY](#)
[Nogales, AZ](#)
[Ogden, UT](#)
[Pagosa Springs, CO](#)
[Paul Spur, AZ](#)

[Payson, AZ](#)
[Pierce Co, WA](#)
[Pinehurst, ID](#)
[Polson, MT](#)
[Portneuf Valley, ID](#)
[Ramsey Co, MN](#)
[Rillito, AZ](#)
[Ronan, MT](#)
[Sacramento Co, CA](#)
[Salt Lake Co, UT](#)
[San Bernardino Co, CA](#)
[Sanders County \(part\);Thompson Falls and vicinity,MT](#)
[Searles Valley, CA](#)
[Sheridan, WY](#)
[Shoshone Co, ID](#)
[Southeast Chicago, IL](#)
[Spokane Co, WA](#)
[Steamboat Springs](#)
[Telluride, CO](#)
[Utah Co, UT](#)
[Wallula, WA](#)
[Washoe Co, NV](#)
[Weirton, WV](#)
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[Yuma, AZ](#)

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