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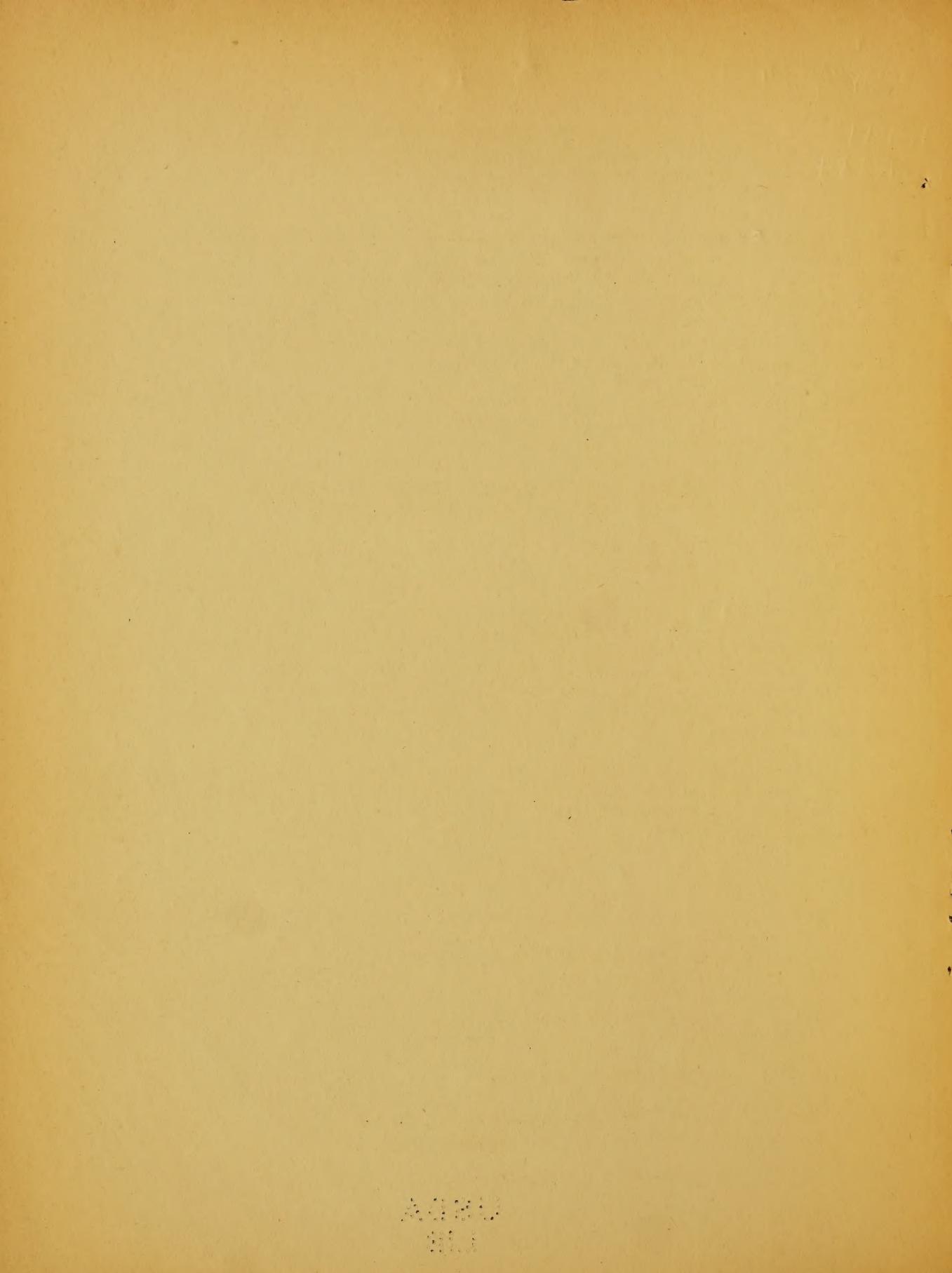
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The planning of agricultural programs calls for recognition of the wide differences within the country - differences in levels of living as well as differences in agricultural resources and in types of farming. To meet the needs of agencies concerned with differences in levels of living of rural people, several indexes of level of living were developed during the last decade. These indexes were an attempt to indicate in some simple form the relative level of living in each county of the United States for families on farms, as well as for other rural families not living on farms. They have combined into one composite measure data provided by the 1930 Census on various items which represent goods, services, or other sorts of satisfactions available to rural families. These indexes have served to indicate areas where programs for adjustment of population to agricultural resources are needed. They have afforded a means of investigating the relationship of level of living not only to type of farming and physical resources, but also to population characteristics such as migration, fertility, and mortality.

To provide a more current measure of this important component of rural welfare for wartime and post-war planning, as well as for scientific analyses, data from the 1940 Censuses of Population, Housing, and Agriculture have been combined into an index of average level of living for the rural-farm families of each county of the United States and into a similar index for the rural-nonfarm families. These indexes are based on the principle of using information on a few items which are representative of many others. From a larger number of items available for countie from the 1940 Census, five items were selected for the rural-farm index and five for the rural-nonfarm index on the basis of an analysis of the relationships among the various items.

For certain States, and for a national sample of 200 counties, the correlations of 12 items were analyzed to indicate a satisfactory grouping of items and the appropriate weights for combining them. The items included in the indexes and the index formulas are as follows:

Rural-farm index

Percentage of occupied dwellings units with fewer than 1.51 persons per room* — H
Percentage of dwelling units with radios* — R
Percentage of farms with gross income of more than $600* — I
Percentage of farms reporting autos of 1936 or later models — A
Median grade of school completed by persons 25 years of age and over* — S

* Number reporting used as base

The formula for combining data on those items into the rural-farm level of living index is as follows:

$$I_{RF} = .467H + .281R + .226I + .403A + 4.351S - 11.6.$$

Percentage of occupied dwelling units with fewer than 1.51 persons
per room* —— H

Percentage of dwelling units with radios* —— R

Percentage of dwelling units with running water* —— W

Percentage of rural-nonfarm occupied dwelling units with mechanical
refrigeration* —— M

Median grade of school completed by persons 25 years of age and
over* —— S

* Number reporting used as base

The formula for combining data on these items into the rural-nonfarm
level of living index is as follows:

$$L_{RNF} = .718H + .462R + .342W + .565M + 6.104S - 77.6$$

Use of the items listed to form indexes of level of living does not mean that the concept of level of living of rural families involves only these items. However, the definition of level of living implied by the indexes is more restricted than some of the current concepts of level of living which involve intangible values, often varying from one region to another. The level of living measured by these indexes is a composite of many characteristics - some of them measurable, some perhaps not measurable - which tend to be present when the index items are present. For example in a county where the median grade of school completed by rural persons 25 years of age and over is relatively high, the proportion completing college will likely be high also, probably the proportion of time spent by persons in reading will be high, and we should expect to find greater than average degree of participation in the various organizations of the rural communities of the county. Similarly, in a county where a relatively great proportion of the rural-nonfarm dwelling units have running water, there will likely be a relatively great proportion with electricity, telephones, and other facilities, and the health conditions of the people are likely to be relatively good. The numerous associated characteristics will not be found invariably, but on the average, many other elements making for a higher level of living tend to occur in the same counties which have high values on the items included in the index.

Data on the items included in the index have been weighted and combined in such a way as to form an index of the composite characteristic which the group of items selected can measure "best," that is, can most satisfactorily discriminate between low and high counties. This composite characteristic is assumed to be "level of living." Stated in other terms, "level of living" is defined as that composite characteristic for which data on these items afford an approximate measure, when combined by the indicated formulas, developed in such a way as to insure that counties receiving the same index value will be as similar as possible with respect to each of the items included. Because the items chosen are representative of a very much larger group, counties which receive the same, or nearly the same, index value will tend to be alike with respect to the much larger group of items related to the items chosen. Weights for the items (expressed in standard deviation units) were determined by the principal component solution of the matrix of their intercorrelations for a series of 200 sample counties. [1]

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[1] For an account of the development of the indexes, see "Development of a 1940 Rural-Farm Level of Living Index for Counties," by Margaret Jarman Hagood in Rural Sociology, Vol. 8, No. 2, June 1943, pp. 171-180 and "Rural Level of Living Indexes, 1940" in Notes, Rural Sociology, September 1943.

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF COUNTIES OF THE UNITED STATES BY RURAL LEVEL OF LIVING INDEXES, 1940

PERCENT OF COUNTIES

RURAL-FARM
(3,055 COUNTIES)

RURAL-NONFARM
(3,056 COUNTIES)

RURAL
(3,057 COUNTIES)

RURAL LEVEL OF LIVING INDEX VALUES

Figure 1
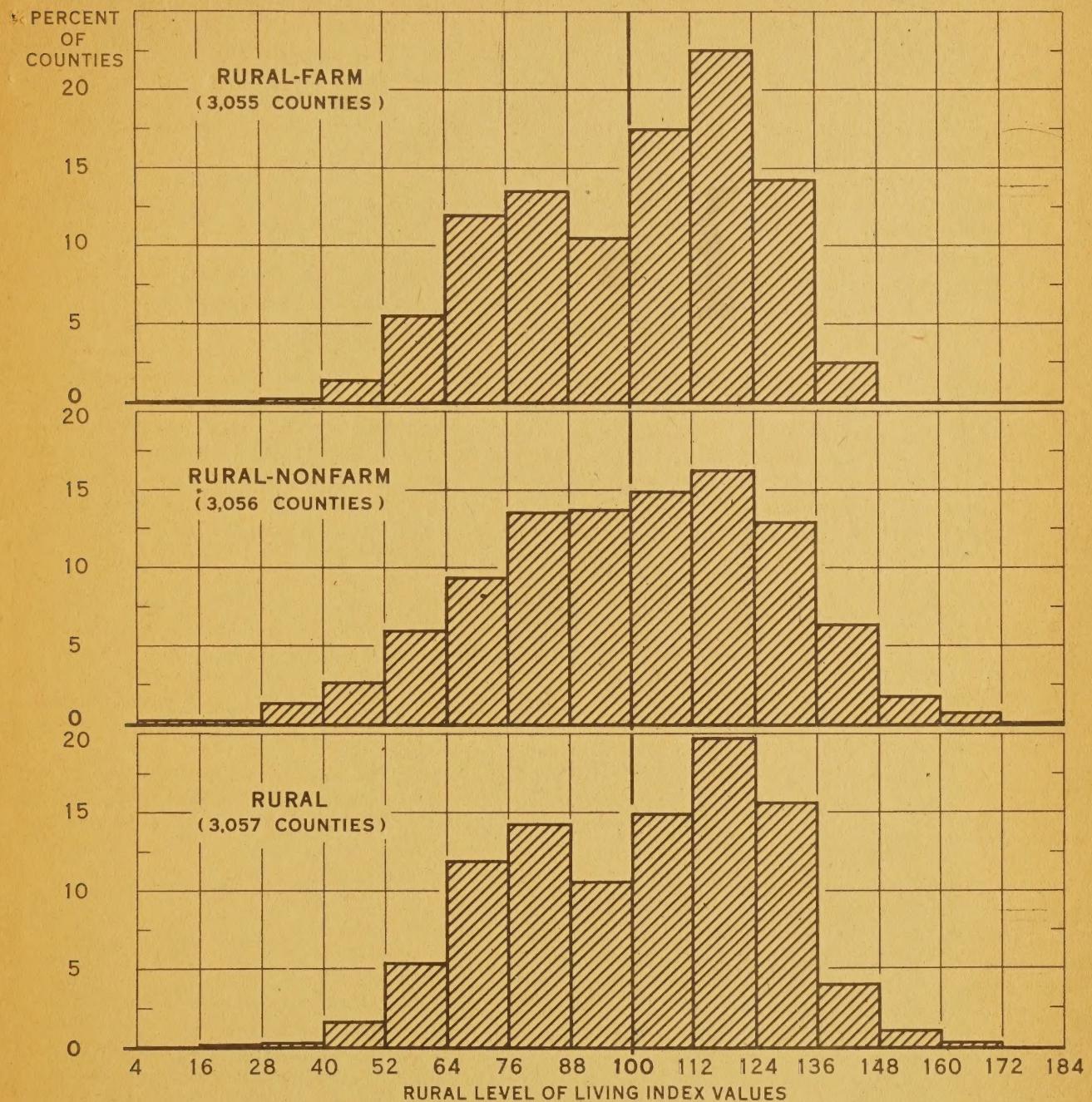
The index values shown for counties in the table following are relative rather than absolute measures of level of living. They show each county's position only in relation to the mean of all counties of the United States, and not in relation to any norm or accepted standard. For both the rural-farm index and the rural-nonfarm index, the scales have been set so that the average for all counties of the United States is 100. The units of the scale have been determined so that a unit on one scale is comparable to a unit on the other in terms of the variation of all counties about the mean value of 100 for each series of index values. 2/ The scales have been chosen so as not to give negative values for any counties. On the rural-farm index, counties vary from a low of 3 to a high of 166, and on the rural-nonfarm index, from a low of 4 to a high of 188.

The indexes were developed for counties and are strictly appropriate only for counties. However, values are shown also for States, these values being simply the arithmetic mean of the corresponding indexes for the counties of each State. Because counties vary in size, the index value for a State or for the United States is not necessarily equal to the value which would be obtained by entering the appropriate State or national data for the equation.

The scales for the rural-farm and rural-nonfarm indexes were made comparable so that for each county the two values could be combined to form a composite index for the total rural population of the county. The composite index for each county is an average of the two indexes weighted together according to the proportions rural-farm and rural-nonfarm persons comprise of the total rural population of the county. For States and for the United States, the composite rural index shown, as in the case of the other two indexes, is simply the arithmetic mean of the corresponding index values for all counties in the State or the Nation.

Counties of the United States differ widely in the average level of living attained by their rural families. Even though county averages vary less than do individual rural families, nevertheless, county variation is striking with respect to items which have been used to indicate rural level of living. As many as 97 percent of the farms of certain counties had gross incomes of $600 or more in 1939, whereas fewer than 5 percent reached this level in other counties. Over 95 percent of the rural-farm homes of some counties had radios in 1940; fewer than 10 percent had them in others. The median grade of school completed by rural persons 25 years of age and over varied from as low as 1 to more than 12 in the counties of the United States. Such differences reflect the marked inequalities existing among areas with respect to level of living.

County variation with respect to level of living is indicated in the accompanying chart. The distribution of counties of the United States by their values on the rural-farm level of living index indicates a definitely bimodal form, with the larger peak centered at about 118 and the smaller peak at about 82. This is due primarily to the great difference between the South and the rest of the Nation with respect to rural-farm level of living, the mean for the counties in the three southern Census divisions being 82 and the mean for the counties in the other divisions being 115. The distribution of counties by rural-nonfarm level of living shows an extended flat top, which is likewise the result of combining Southern counties which have a mean of 83 with those of the rest of the Nation, which have a mean of 114.

2/ One standard deviation unit is equal to 24 points on the scale for the rural-farm and on that for the rural-nonfarm index.

Rural level of living index values presented here for counties are not directly
comparable with those computed on the basis of 1930 data. Several reasons prevent
comparisons of absolute values, the chief reason being a difference in the principle
of combining data on items and of choosing an index scale. In previous indexes of
a similar nature, the principle generally used has been that of averaging relatives
(weighted or unweighted) formed as the ratio of a county's value to that of the
United States. The method used here for the rural-farm and rural-nonfarm indexes
actually combines measures in their "standard score" form, whereas the scaling
adopted is likewise determined with regard to the variation of counties so that the
standard score of a county is equal to 1/24 of the difference between its index
value and 100. Other differences make noncomparable even the ranks of counties on
these indexes and on the 1930 indexes. In the 1930 rural-farm indexes, various
data on facilities and equipment were used from the Census of Agriculture, which
provided such information only about operator's dwellings rather than about all
rural-farm dwellings. This would tend to give counties with relatively large propor-
tions of dwellings of farm laborers a higher position in a ranking of counties than
does the 1940 index, which includes housing and facilities information for all rural-
farm dwelling units. However, a comparison of the areas which were low on the 1930
index with those which are low on the 1940 index indicates a striking similarity of
pattern, which is not obscured by the differences in the two indexes.

RURAL-FARM LEVEL OF LIVING INDEX, 1940

INDEX VALUES

Under 52
52 – 63
64 – 75
76 – 87
88 – 99
100–111
112–123
124–135
136 and over

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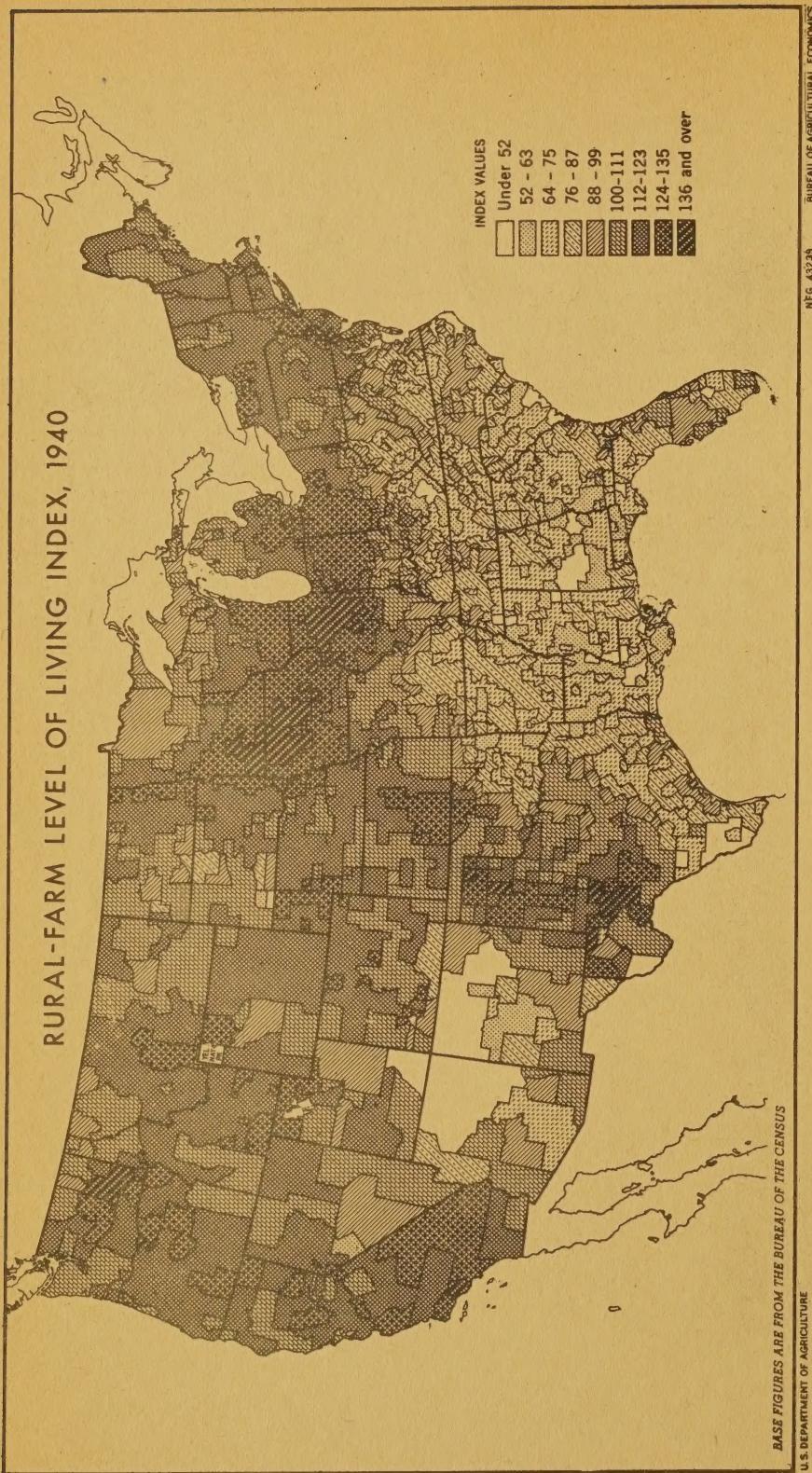
Figure 2.—Most of the counties of the United States that fall below the national average in rural-farm level of living are in 12 southeastern States and bordering areas of Maryland, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Texas. The two other areas with below-average counties are in Arizona and New Mexico, and in the Lake States Cut-over area. The highest rural-farm level of living is found in the Corn Belt States and in scattered irrigated or specialized crop areas, with the Pacific and Northeastern States generally well above the national average.

RURAL-NONFARM LEVEL OF LIVING INDEX, 1940

INDEX VALUES

Under 52
52- 63
64- 75
76- 87
88- 99
100-111
112-123
124-135
136-147
148 and over
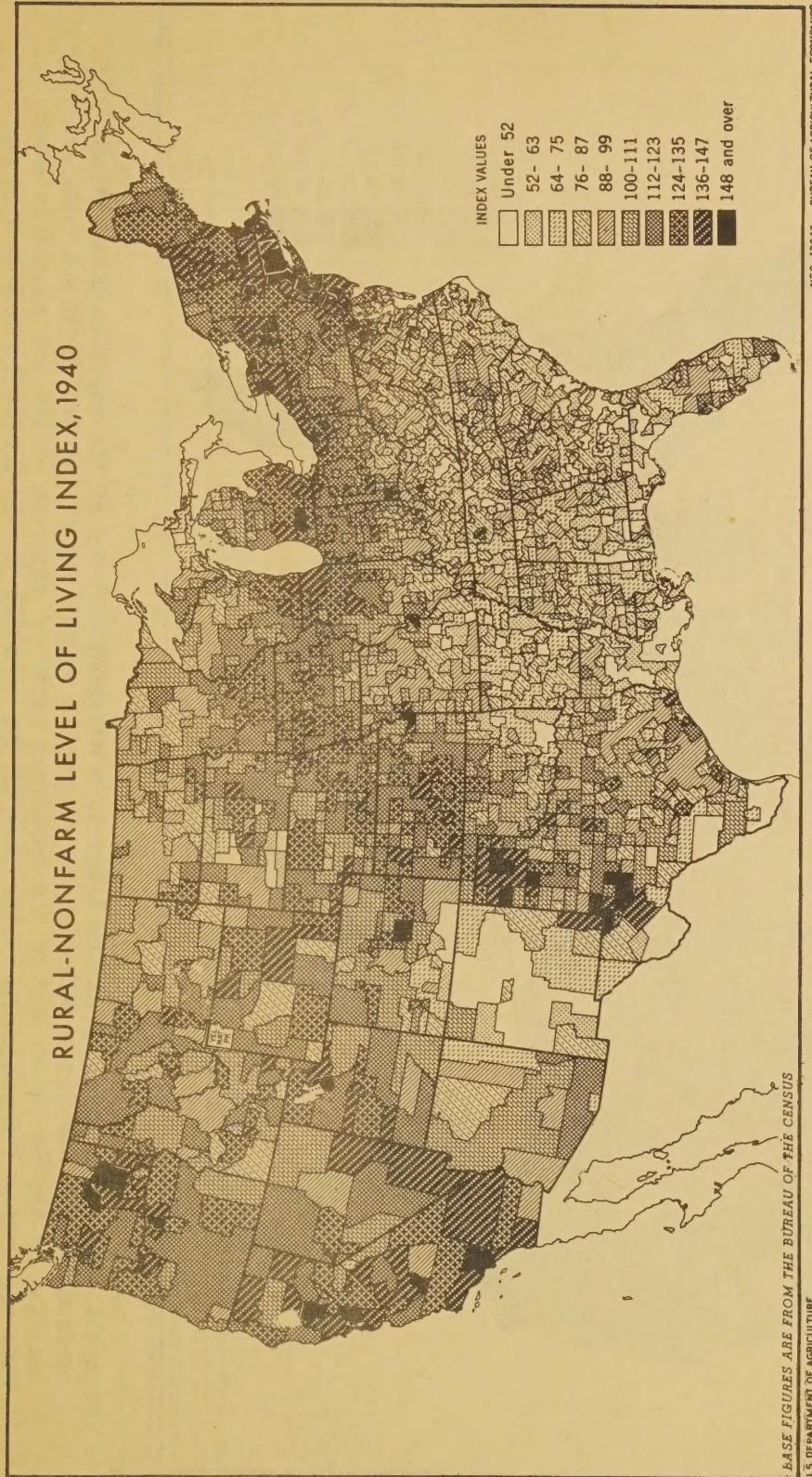
Figure 3.--As in the case of the rural-farm index, the Southeast, along with parts of the
   Southwest, contains most of the counties with values on the rural-nonfarm level of living
   index lower than the national average. Subregions are less homogeneous in the rural-nonfarm
   level of living indexes than in the case of rural-farm indexes, however, because this index
   is so greatly affected by the presence of villages and by the type of villages. The
   Northeastern and Pacific States contain most of the counties in the two highest intervals,
   with the Corn Belt States and West Texas having counties generally above the national
   average. The index values are generally high in the nonfarm areas near the larger cities,
   in some industrial areas and in some sparsely settled rural areas.

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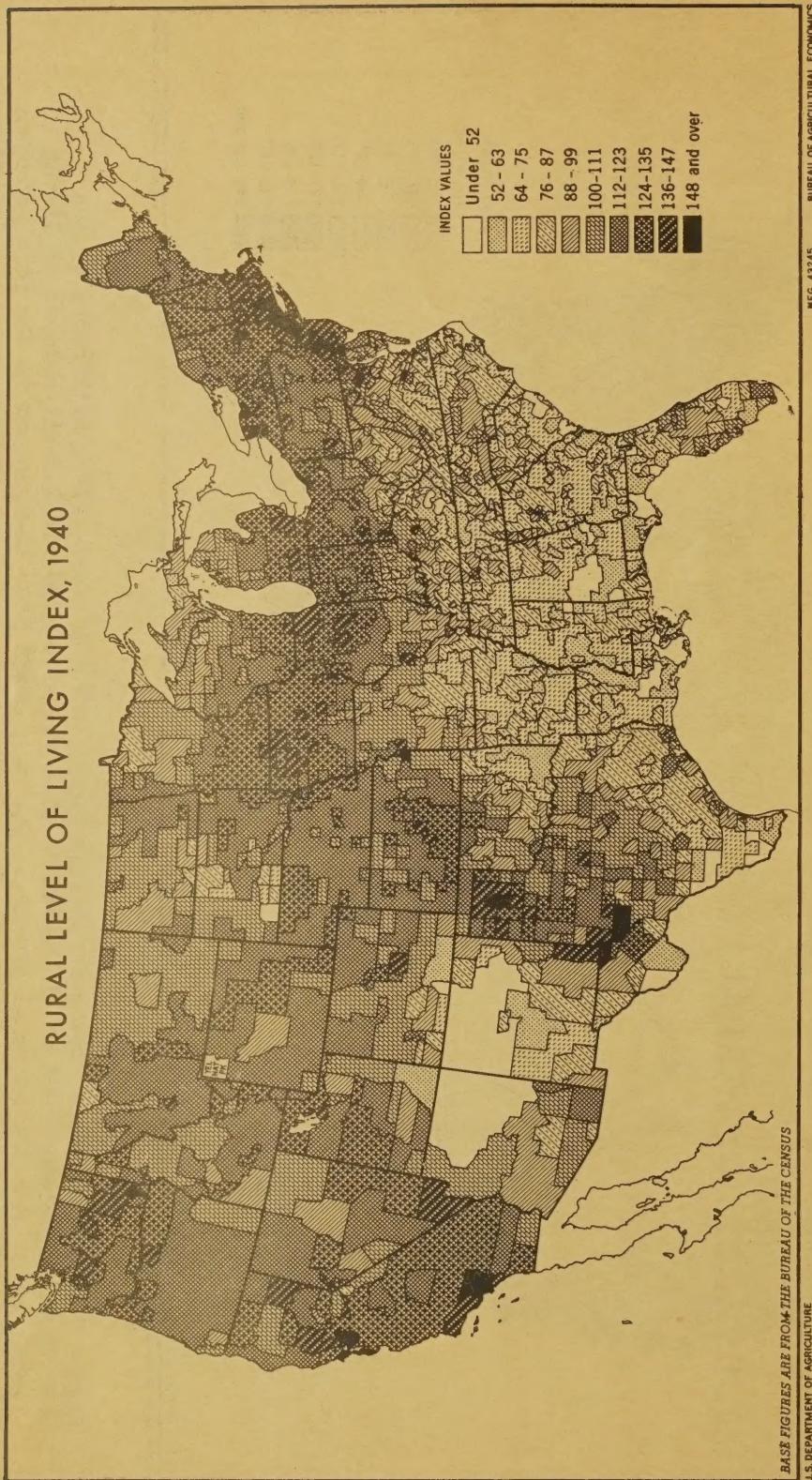
Figure 4.—The rural level of living index is a weighted average of the rural-farm and rural-nonfarm indexes and hence reflects the geographic variations of its two component indexes. Counties of the Southeast and of the bordering parts of adjacent States are generally lower than the national average, as is the case of the counties in the Southwest with a high percentage of Indian population. The Northeastern States, the Corn Belt, California, Washington, and parts of the High Plains are the areas that contain most of the counties with highest rural level of living indexes.

Rural Level of Living Indexes, 1940

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
UNITED STATES	100	100	101				
				Alabama (Continued)			
Alabama	64	73	66	Lowndes	38	54	40
Autauga	58	53	57	Macon	50	98	56
Baldwin	84	73	78	Madison	70	69	70
Barbour	54	66	57	Marengo	41	61	44
Bibb	62	80	71	Marion	65	96	73
Blount	77	84	78	Marshall	80	107	84
Bullock	43	58	45	Mobile	81	76	77
Butler	61	47	57	Monroe	58	76	63
Calhoun	72	72	72	Montgomery	55	78	63
Chambers	62	90	75	Morgan	78	69	76
Cherokee	88	86	88	Perry	42	67	48
Chilton	71	60	69	Pickens	59	82	64
Choctaw	55	45	53	Pike	66	82	69
Clarke	55	71	61	Randolph	67	74	68
Clay	71	90	75	Russell	39	58	43
Cleburne	63	68	64	St. Clair	70	77	73
Coffee	72	83	74	Shelby	72	70	71
Colbert	69	81	73	Sumter	40	74	48
Conecuh	58	66	60	Talladega	59	69	63
Coosa	66	70	67	Tallapoosa	66	99	78
Covington	69	62	68	Tuscaloosa	68	64	66
Crenshaw	68	75	70	Walker	69	65	67
Cullman	83	77	82	Washington	61	35	50
Dale	73	76	73	Wilcox	42	62	46
Dallas	41	73	45	Winston	62	101	72
De Kalb	82	90	83				
Elmore	69	86	74	Arizona	75	98	87
Escambia	64	46	55	Apache	5	67	26
Etowah	80	71	77	Cochise	111	119	117
Fayette	70	89	72	Coconino	19	87	40
Franklin	65	75	67	Gila	69	104	97
Geneva	71	83	74	Graham	97	110	105
Greene	40	68	44	Greenlee	101	120	116
Hale	43	84	50	Maricopa	96	100	99
Henry	66	85	70	Mohave	83	106	102
Houston	74	76	74	Navajo	14	95	44
Jackson	67	56	64	Pima	70	113	107
Jefferson	84	89	88	Pinal	69	92	85
Lamar	71	88	74	Santa Cruz	111	66	78
Lauderdale	68	64	67	Yavapai	105	106	106
Lawrence	67	62	66	Yuma	101	90	94
Lee	54	56	54				
Limestone	66	41	63				

Rural Level of Living Indexes, 1940 (Continued)

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	:Rural-:farm	:Rural-:nonfarm	:Com-:posite:rural		:Rural-:farm	:Rural-:nonfarm	:Com-:posite:rural
Arkansas	75	70	74	Arkansas (Continued)			
Arkansas	84	87	85	Marion	74	68	73
Ashley	68	80	71	Miller	73	62	70
Baxter	71	82	74	Mississippi	79	73	78
Benton	89	99	91	Monroe	70	49	67
Boone	85	61	81	Montgomery	72	69	71
Bradley	80	63	72	Nevada	78	77	78
Calhoun	76	64	73	Newton	61	60	61
Carroll	83	112	92	Ouachita	73	76	75
Chicot	60	72	63	Perry	67	57	64
Clark	79	80	79	Phillips	60	60	60
Clay	86	84	85	Pike	75	77	76
Cleburne	78	82	79	Poinsett	75	76	75
Cleveland	75	67	73	Polk	74	86	77
Columbia	77	84	78	Pope	75	59	70
Conway	73	50	69	Prairie	84	69	79
Craighead	88	74	85	Pulaski	78	73	75
Crawford	75	55	68	Randolph	86	52	82
Crittenden	63	67	64	St. Francis	61	57	60
Cross	69	59	68	Saline	80	77	79
Dallas	79	52	69	Scott	77	71	74
Desha	58	75	62	Searcy	63	71	65
Drew	70	65	69	Sebastian	84	71	77
Faulkner	83	62	80	Sevier	74	69	73
Franklin	80	72	77	Sharp	78	73	78
Fulton	74	74	74	Stone	66	67	66
Garland	77	82	80	Union	76	88	83
Grant	78	78	78	Van Buren	71	66	70
Greene	83	51	79	Washington	83	78	82
Hempstead	76	65	74	White	84	72	81
Hot Spring	76	52	68	Woodruff	74	74	74
Howard	77	77	77	Yell	80	78	79
Independence	81	48	73				
Izard	76	74	76	California	119	131	127
Jackson	79	58	75	Alameda	120	137	132
Jefferson	64	50	60	Alpine	131	73	85
Johnson	76	48	67	Amador	115	141	137
Lafayette	68	84	73	Butte	118	122	121
Lawrence	84	81	83	Calaveras	113	127	124
Lee	60	59	60	Colusa	132	153	145
Lincoln	63	69	64	Contra Costa	120	163	154
Little River	67	76	70	Del Norte	107	114	112
Logan	81	76	79	El Dorado	111	111	111
Lonoke	77	102	83	Fresno	120	142	130
Madison	70	74	70	Glenn	127	155	141

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
California (Continued)				Colorado	111	101	106
Humboldt	117	125	123	Adams	114	109	112
Imperial	105	94	100	Alamosa	110	79	97
Inyo	124	124	124	Arapahoe	116	118	118
Kern	120	134	131	Archuleta	91	57	74
Kings	117	151	134	Baca	103	92	98
Lake	118	147	136	Bent	116	88	103
Lassen	121	142	139	Boulder	123	113	117
Los Angeles	127	159	156	Chaffee	110	96	102
Madera	115	114	115	Cheyenne	113	120	116
Marin	101	163	157	Clear Creek	109	123	122
Mariposa	109	115	113	Conejos	85	56	70
Mendocino	111	114	113	Costilla	81	24	50
Merced	121	137	128	Crowley	111	112	111
Modoc	131	117	122	Custer	109	88	100
Mono	116	110	111	Delta	107	108	107
Monterey	126	123	124	Dolores	98	75	87
Napa	122	147	139	Douglas	125	125	125
Nevada	109	133	129	Eagle	122	106	111
Orange	126	141	136	Elbert	115	101	111
Placer	117	132	126	El Paso	111	150	138
Plumas	125	123	123	Fremont	106	101	103
Riverside	113	127	122	Garfield	113	128	122
Sacramento	117	135	129	Gilpin	103	97	98
San Benito	128	125	127	Grand	121	102	108
San Bernardino	124	137	134	Gunnison	116	109	111
San Diego	120	144	135	Hinsdale	128	73	89
San Joaquin	117	133	124	Huerfano	78	55	63
San Luis Obispo	120	130	126	Jackson	125	80	100
San Mateo	122	159	155	Jefferson	120	135	121
Santa Barbara	129	146	140	Kiowa	112	115	113
Santa Clara	123	142	135	Kit Carson	100	124	110
Santa Cruz	119	140	132	Lake	107	98	98
Shasta	109	105	106	La Plata	98	70	85
Sierra	116	124	123	Larimer	121	111	117
Siskiyou	123	136	134	Las Animas	85	51	62
Solano	115	162	148	Lincoln	109	130	119
Sonoma	121	141	130	Logan	118	98	113
Stanislaus	125	131	128	Mesa	110	107	109
Sutter	128	105	119	Mineral	113	92	95
Tehama	117	146	127	Moffat	105	117	112
Trinity	102	104	103	Montezuma	101	87	94
Tulare	124	95	112	Montrose	110	84	102
Tuolumne	110	140	135	Morgan	117	111	115
Ventura	136	139	138	Otero	114	97	106
Yola	126	126	126	Ouray	116	127	123
Yuba	119	84	93	Park	110	95	100

Rural Level of Living Indexes, 1940 (Continued)

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Colorado (Continued)				**Florida (Continued)**			
Phillips	128	132	130	Dade	103	121	119
Pitkin	121	110	114	De Soto	95	69	80
Prowers	111	99	106	Dixie	72	45	47
Pueblo	112	107	109	Duval	99	105	104
Rio Blanco	121	112	116	Escambia	80	93	91
Rio Grande	125	66	96	Flagler	96	63	71
Routt	116	104	108	Franklin	82	49	50
Saguache	111	69	86	Gadsden	65	48	60
San Juan	--	119	119	Gilchrist	83	55	74
San Miguel	103	100	101	Glades	79	60	66
Sedgwick	123	136	129	Gulf	73	63	64
Summitt	128	95	100	Hamilton	70	55	63
Teller	101	121	119	Hardee	91	66	83
Washington	110	111	110	Hendry	87	68	70
Weld	123	109	117	Hernando	85	92	89
Yuma	121	119	120	Highlands	98	97	97
				Hillsborough	95	117	109
Connecticut	120	151	145	Holmes	66	53	62
Fairfield	122	165	161	Indian River	102	69	79
Hartford	125	161	155	Jackson	60	53	58
Litchfield	123	150	143	Jefferson	52	57	54
Middlesex	119	151	145	Lafayette	86	59	77
New Haven	120	162	157	Lake	100	96	97
New London	115	145	138	Lee	103	99	100
Tolland	116	141	129	Leon	48	53	50
Windham	116	137	130	Levy	78	53	62
				Liberty	71	39	49
Delaware	116	130	126	Madison	68	38	61
Kent	111	112	112	Manatee	100	98	99
New Castle	124	153	148	Marion	84	74	79
Sussex	114	124	119	Martin	83	96	95
				Monroe	76	81	80
Florida	84	72	77	Nassau	87	57	68
Alachua	79	78	78	Okaloosa	68	74	72
Baker	65	40	50	Okeechobee	84	80	81
Bay	82	67	68	Orange	106	108	108
Bradford	77	83	79	Osceola	99	98	98
Brevard	104	102	102	Palm Beach	75	66	68
Broward	78	79	79	Pasco	96	92	93
Calhoun	66	48	55	Pinellas	110	135	131
Charlotte	92	101	100	Polk	99	89	92
Citrus	87	75	77	Putnam	94	66	74
Clay	86	86	86	St. Johns	103	53	63
Collier	82	52	56	St. Lucie	89	93	91
Columbia	74	30	60	Santa Rosa	72	50	59

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural		Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural
Florida (Continued)				**Georgia** (Continued)			
Sarasota	102	104	104	Coffee	76	48	70
Seminole	106	68	78	Colquitt	81	60	76
Sumter	87	75	80	Columbia	64	75	67
Suwannee	75	47	68	Cook	93	64	82
Taylor	70	46	53	Coweta	67	78	71
Union	74	57	64	Crawford	65	57	63
Volusia	101	103	103	Crisp	74	73	74
Wakulla	71	47	52	Dade	74	58	68
Walton	63	48	56	Dawson	65	92	68
Washington	63	57	60	Decatur	66	43	59
				De Kalb	91	116	109
Georgia	72	74	73	Dodge	67	50	64
Appling	76	29	69	Dooly	74	80	75
Atkinson	83	67	77	Dougherty	59	76	67
Bacon	80	71	77	Douglas	77	72	76
Baker	57	58	57	Early	64	53	62
Baldwin	65	72	69	Echols	85	15	44
Banks	74	68	73	Effingham	84	57	72
Barrow	85	90	86	Elbert	78	88	79
Bartow	78	83	80	Emanuel	76	60	73
Ben Hill	83	37	76	Evans	83	81	82
Berrien	84	66	79	Fannin	63	96	74
Bibb	83	102	98	Fayette	69	77	70
Bleckley	72	81	74	Floyd	83	105	94
Brantley	81	50	69	Forsyth	78	90	79
Brooks	68	58	67	Franklin	80	99	85
Bryan	76	40	52	Fulton	84	123	115
Bulloch	86	58	82	Gilmer	61	74	65
Burke	62	64	62	Glascock	82	61	77
Butts	72	94	80	Glynn	76	104	98
Calhoun	52	79	60	Gordon	84	84	84
Camden	60	55	57	Grady	79	52	75
Candler	82	88	83	Greene	66	87	75
Carroll	78	98	82	Gwinnett	79	91	82
Catoosa	87	118	101	Habersham	72	98	85
Charlton	66	47	53	Hall	75	96	84
Chatham	88	88	88	Hancock	55	78	59
Chattahoochee	56	79	76	Haralson	76	115	90
Chattooga	87	80	84	Harris	62	73	65
Cherokee	75	91	80	Hart	80	114	86
Clarke	76	80	78	Heard	65	82	67
Clay	57	66	60	Henry	73	117	82
Clayton	79	91	84	Houston	64	85	69
Clinch	92	43	53	Irwin	83	67	79
Cobb	83	104	93	Jackson	77	81	78

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Georgia (Continued)				**Georgia** (Continued)			
Jasper	70	91	76	Screven	66	48	63
Jeff Davis	79	72	77	Seminole	67	69	68
Jefferson	74	87	78	Spalding	78	92	85
Jenkins	68	51	67	Stephens	75	83	77
Johnson	74	81	76	Stewart	55	65	58
Jones	65	64	65	Sumter	67	87	69
Lamar	73	69	72	Talbot	57	49	54
Lanier	84	52	72	Taliaferro	62	77	66
Laurens	69	73	69	Tattnall	86	81	84
Lee	58	81	62	Taylor	67	75	69
Liberty	57	54	56	Telfair	68	66	67
Lincoln	70	93	73	Terrell	60	90	63
Long	74	38	57	Thomas	75	79	76
Lowndes	76	58	71	Tift	89	43	73
Lumpkin	59	82	66	Toombs	77	67	75
McDuffie	70	64	69	Towns	67	75	68
McIntosh	66	50	52	Treutlen	73	51	66
Macon	62	80	67	Troup	63	51	59
Madison	75	81	76	Turner	77	82	78
Marion	65	68	66	Twiggs	54	70	56
Meriwether	63	85	68	Union	65	68	65
Miller	63	79	66	Upson	68	50	61
Mitchell	62	52	61	Walker	85	94	89
Monroe	68	67	68	Walton	84	89	85
Montgomery	71	50	64	Ware	85	52	71
Morgan	71	90	76	Warren	67	90	72
Murray	77	91	80	Washington	67	61	66
Muscogee	71	82	79	Wayne	85	32	67
Newton	77	79	78	Webster	63	79	65
Oconee	78	108	83	Wheeler	75	56	70
Oglethorpe	71	78	72	White	71	74	72
Paulding	74	88	77	Whitfield	80	86	82
Peach	73	72	73	Wilcox	73	72	73
Pickens	68	102	80	Wilkes	64	76	65
Pierce	86	69	81	Wilkinson	69	58	64
Pike	74	82	75	Worth	67	66	67
Polk	75	57	68				
Pulaski	66	35	64	**Idaho**	116	112	115
Putnam	58	87	68	Ada	120	132	126
Quitman	56	47	54	Adams	112	91	102
Rabun	72	86	77	Bannock	112	122	116
Randolph	59	61	59	Bear Lake	119	110	115
Richmond	77	98	89	Benewah	104	113	109
Rockdale	75	87	80	Bingham	119	109	116
Schley	73	83	75	Blaine	117	123	121

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	:Rural-:farm	:Rural-:nonfarm	:Com-:posite:rural		:Rural-:farm	:Rural-:nonfarm	:Com-:posit:rura
Idaho (Continued)				**Illinois (Continued)**			
Boise	105	87	93	Calhoun	106	88	100
Bonner	96	102	99	Carroll	133	135	134
Bonneville	128	112	125	Cass	125	105	116
Boundary	101	122	111	Champaign	143	124	133
Butte	116	106	112	Christian	131	103	116
Camas	127	110	119	Clark	108	101	106
Canyon	123	103	119	Clay	106	96	103
Caribou	113	137	128	Clinton	115	98	105
Cassia	124	119	123	Coles	129	97	118
Clark	115	133	125	Cook	124	141	138
Clearwater	103	102	102	Crawford	108	105	106
Custer	117	91	102	Cumberland	112	100	107
Elmore	106	130	122	De Kalb	144	143	144
Franklin	128	133	129	De Witt	135	114	126
Fremont	122	106	115	Douglas	135	120	127
Gem	113	85	105	Du Page	128	142	139
Gooding	119	137	124	Edgar	132	104	122
Idaho	113	109	111	Edwards	111	97	103
Jefferson	114	105	110	Effingham	111	110	111
Jerome	128	109	125	Fayette	106	92	101
Kootenai	105	114	109	Ford	142	139	141
Latah	117	131	122	Franklin	96	80	86
Lemhi	116	95	103	Fulton	124	109	116
Lewis	131	134	133	Gallatin	107	74	91
Lincoln	112	135	123	Greene	119	102	112
Madison	115	104	113	Grundy	141	129	135
Minidoka	126	105	121	Hamilton	92	70	89
Nez Perce	116	116	116	Hancock	125	107	116
Oneida	119	74	112	Hardin	83	84	83
Owyhee	104	87	97	Henderson	133	96	116
Payette	119	100	113	Henry	138	131	135
Power	118	127	122	Iroquois	140	127	134
Shoshone	107	130	128	Jackson	102	88	96
Teton	116	106	111	Jasper	110	104	108
Twin Falls	131	111	123	Jefferson	98	82	93
Valley	107	115	113	Jersey	114	86	105
Washington	116	102	113	Jo Daviess	128	128	128
				Johnson	91	84	89
Illinois	122	108	116	Kane	135	137	136
Adams	120	96	110	Kankakee	135	130	132
Alexander	83	53	66	Kendall	143	141	142
Bond	111	87	102	Knox	133	111	123
Boone	135	132	134	Lake	130	139	137
Brown	115	103	110	La Salle	140	126	134
Bureau	140	129	134	Lawrence	110	105	108

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural		Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural
Illinois (Continued)				Illinois (Continued)			
Lee	139	131	135	Wayne	101	78	96
Livingston	142	134	138	White	111	86	101
Logan	140	118	130	Whiteside	134	111	124
McDonough	133	102	122	Will	134	129	130
McHenry	134	141	138	Williamson	93	76	83
McLean	139	122	131	Winnebago	132	128	129
Macon	135	114	123	Woodford	137	141	139
Macoupin	117	98	107				
Madison	119	120	120	Indiana	117	111	115
Marion	102	87	95	Adams	129	127	128
Marshall	140	134	137	Allen	128	128	128
Mason	130	112	121	Bartholomew	117	94	107
Massac	99	79	91	Benton	145	141	143
Menard	128	107	120	Blackford	126	112	120
Mercer	136	116	127	Boone	129	121	126
Monroe	110	110	110	Brown	90	78	87
Montgomery	120	92	108	Carroll	133	123	128
Morgan	125	109	118	Cass	129	106	119
Moultrie	129	106	120	Clark	103	105	104
Ogle	135	137	136	Clay	108	89	98
Peoria	128	137	135	Clinton	133	109	123
Perry	100	83	92	Crawford	84	107	91
Piatt	142	115	129	Daviess	104	95	101
Pike	117	97	108	Dearborn	111	122	115
Pope	90	87	89	Decatur	118	86	107
Pulaski	88	82	84	De Kalb	125	120	123
Putnam	138	110	122	Delaware	133	127	129
Randolph	107	95	100	Dubois	102	93	99
Richland	107	86	102	Elkhart	119	123	121
Rock Island	128	120	123	Fayette	125	99	116
St. Clair	115	121	120	Floyd	100	113	105
Saline	97	82	89	Fountain	124	108	116
Sangamon	128	116	121	Franklin	108	114	110
Schuyler	120	105	113	Fulton	127	121	125
Scott	124	106	115	Gibson	110	101	106
Shelby	120	98	112	Grant	128	125	126
Stark	139	129	134	Greene	100	101	100
Stephenson	134	122	129	Hamilton	129	120	125
Tazewell	133	136	135	Hancock	130	122	127
Union	100	90	96	Harrison	99	108	102
Vermilion	129	102	113	Hendricks	125	130	127
Wabash	117	85	107	Henry	130	123	126
Warren	138	113	130	Howard	131	113	123
Washington	109	102	106	Huntington	129	120	125

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural–farm	Rural–nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural–farm	Rural–nonfarm	Composite rural
Indiana (Continued)				**Indiana (Continued)**			
Jackson	103	102	103	Union	134	125	130
Jasper	123	112	120	Vanderburgh	114	128	125
Jay	124	115	121	Vermillion	112	88	95
Jefferson	105	93	101	Vigo	110	102	104
Jennings	98	85	94	Wabash	131	115	125
Johnson	124	117	121	Warren	129	113	123
Knox	115	94	106	Warrick	99	93	97
Kosciusko	127	126	127	Washington	102	93	100
Lagrange	118	131	123	Wayne	130	133	132
Lake	123	132	129	Wells	129	111	124
La Porte	122	119	121	White	132	117	126
Lawrence	96	75	87	Whitley	125	121	124
Madison	127	129	128				
Marion	124	139	136	**Iowa**	131	119	127
Marshall	125	129	127	Adair	130	122	127
Martin	88	96	91	Adams	125	124	125
Miami	128	112	121	Allamakee	124	112	120
Monroe	95	81	89	Appanoose	111	82	97
Montgomery	128	111	121	Audubon	131	125	129
Morgan	110	101	106	Benton	141	121	135
Newton	129	141	135	Black Hawk	135	109	124
Noble	127	121	125	Boone	135	117	129
Ohio	117	116	117	Bremer	132	122	129
Orange	95	111	103	Buchanan	133	113	125
Owen	97	108	102	Buena Vista	140	130	136
Parke	116	100	108	Butler	134	127	131
Perry	85	85	85	Calhoun	140	128	134
Pike	98	98	98	Carroll	137	131	135
Porter	124	138	132	Cass	131	125	129
Posey	111	92	103	Cedar	139	134	137
Pulaski	121	121	121	Cerro Gordo	137	118	131
Putnam	116	108	113	Cherokee	139	130	136
Randolph	126	114	122	Chickasaw	129	112	124
Ripley	106	106	106	Clarke	122	94	117
Rush	135	108	125	Clay	141	116	134
St. Joseph	119	127	124	Clayton	130	122	126
Scott	101	111	106	Clinton	135	128	132
Shelby	128	96	115	Crawford	130	127	129
Spencer	103	96	100	Dallas	132	121	127
Starke	106	117	111	Davis	116	85	111
Steuben	126	120	124	Decatur	117	111	114
Sullivan	102	85	93	Delaware	133	116	128
Switzerland	109	103	107	Des Moines	127	119	124
Tippecanoe	132	113	124	Dickinson	139	138	138
Tipton	135	103	123	Dubuque	128	119	124

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Iowa (Continued)				**Iowa (Continued**			
Emmet	138	129	136	Pocahontas	141	136	139
Fayette	130	127	129	Polk	127	117	121
Floyd	136	121	131	Pottawattamie	127	133	129
Franklin	140	117	134	Poweshiek	139	130	136
Fremont	130	120	125	Ringgold	124	113	120
Greene	139	131	137	Sac	139	137	138
Grundy	145	136	141	Scott	132	117	126
Guthrie	129	124	127	Shelby	131	116	127
Hamilton	139	131	137	Sioux	130	121	126
Hancock	138	133	136	Story	140	128	135
Hardin	141	126	135	Tama	135	131	133
Harrison	123	119	121	Taylor	123	113	119
Henry	128	115	122	Union	124	112	120
Howard	130	116	127	Van Buren	121	102	113
Humboldt	142	121	134	Wapello	116	113	115
Ida	135	136	135	Warren	122	102	116
Iowa	135	133	134	Washington	131	116	126
Jackson	129	118	125	Wayne	123	107	115
Jasper	133	117	127	Webster	135	111	126
Jefferson	124	93	116	Winnebago	134	120	129
Johnson	132	123	129	Winneshiek	128	110	124
Jones	134	118	129	Woodbury	124	120	122
Keokuk	130	118	125	Worth	134	128	132
Kossuth	139	128	136	Wright	140	126	135
Lee	117	99	112				
Linn	129	125	127	**Kansas**	115	120	118
Louisa	132	115	124	Allen	107	116	111
Lucas	117	97	112	Anderson	108	108	108
Lyon	134	118	129	Atchison	114	101	111
Madison	126	109	122	Barber	128	130	129
Mahaska	128	108	123	Barton	123	123	123
Marion	125	90	111	Bourbon	105	92	102
Marshall	139	122	133	Brown	122	111	119
Mills	128	121	126	Butler	119	125	122
Mitchell	134	117	129	Chase	121	113	120
Monona	126	122	125	Chautauqua	104	114	109
Monroe	115	85	108	Cherokee	107	83	98
Montgomery	133	127	131	Cheyenne	116	127	120
Muscatine	132	123	128	Clark	123	133	128
O'Brien	140	134	137	Clay	124	126	124
Osceola	139	127	134	Cloud	120	124	121
Page	129	106	121	Coffey	108	119	113
Palo Alto	137	126	134	Comanche	129	130	130
Plymouth	131	130	131	Cowley	120	112	117

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Kansas (Continued)				**Kansas (Continued)**			
Crawford	106	100	102	Montgomery	110	95	105
Decatur	107	126	115	Morris	117	106	114
Dickinson	128	123	126	Morton	108	123	117
Doniphan	111	104	108	Nemaha	117	128	122
Douglas	116	138	123	Neosho	107	101	105
Edwards	119	132	126	Ness	108	119	113
Elk	109	119	114	Norton	102	106	103
Ellis	101	107	103	Osage	111	120	115
Ellsworth	117	138	128	Osborne	121	130	125
Finney	111	87	107	Ottawa	126	132	129
Ford	112	130	120	Pawnee	126	119	123
Franklin	111	108	110	Phillips	107	113	110
Geary	123	126	125	Pottawatomie	116	124	120
Gove	105	109	106	Pratt	132	126	130
Graham	100	98	99	Rawlins	117	123	119
Grant	113	131	121	Reno	126	133	129
Gray	102	134	116	Republic	117	108	115
Greeley	108	117	113	Rice	130	145	138
Greenwood	110	122	115	Riley	122	114	120
Hamilton	107	123	116	Rooks	114	128	121
Harper	130	126	129	Rush	111	128	119
Harvey	125	145	133	Russell	118	118	118
Haskell	116	137	125	Saline	124	116	122
Hodgeman	104	131	113	Scott	115	134	125
Jackson	110	94	107	Sedgwick	126	129	128
Jefferson	108	108	108	Seward	115	130	118
Jewell	114	116	115	Shawnee	114	129	123
Johnson	117	167	152	Sheridan	107	120	111
Kearny	108	113	110	Sherman	112	120	113
Kingman	128	119	126	Smith	106	120	111
Kiowa	124	139	131	Stafford	133	140	136
Labette	111	107	109	Stanton	111	115	113
Lane	115	115	115	Stevens	113	123	118
Leavenworth	111	109	110	Sumner	130	125	128
Lincoln	117	123	119	Thomas	116	143	131
Linn	103	111	106	Trego	108	125	115
Logan	99	138	119	Wabaunsee	113	108	111
Lyon	111	104	109	Wallace	106	127	115
McPherson	126	139	131	Washington	118	119	118
Marion	123	128	125	Wichita	112	119	115
Marshall	120	121	120	Wilson	109	94	104
Meade	119	139	129	Woodson	105	122	113
Miami	111	102	110	Wyandotte	106	135	127
Mitchell	122	116	120				

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Kentucky	84	79	83	Kentucky (Continued)			
Adair	77	82	78	Hancock	85	91	87
Allen	79	77	79	Hardin	88	89	88
Anderson	101	116	105	Harlan	60	74	72
Ballard	99	77	91	Harrison	108	71	101
Barren	89	73	87	Hart	85	81	84
Bath	93	75	87	Henderson	100	72	92
Bell	51	31	37	Henry	110	87	101
Boone	110	111	110	Hickman	98	99	98
Bourbon	121	76	106	Hopkins	84	65	75
Boyd	85	74	78	Jackson	60	36	56
Boyle	100	84	93	Jefferson	109	139	131
Bracken	112	105	110	Jessamine	112	82	102
Breathitt	44	78	49	Johnson	68	87	77
Breckinridge	81	83	82	Kenton	105	155	141
Bullitt	93	86	90	Knott	47	50	48
Butler	65	52	62	Knox	54	69	59
Caldwell	83	61	78	Larue	92	94	93
Calloway	90	97	91	Laurel	68	75	70
Campbell	102	140	123	Lawrence	69	80	72
Carlisle	92	92	92	Lee	60	62	61
Carroll	106	84	100	Leslie	41	41	41
Carter	68	68	68	Letcher	57	66	62
Casey	68	55	66	Lewis	79	81	80
Christian	85	72	81	Lincoln	84	75	81
Clark	108	74	101	Livingston	85	63	78
Clay	49	50	49	Logan	89	89	89
Clinton	69	62	68	Lyon	83	102	91
Crittenden	85	85	85	McCracken	95	90	93
Cumberland	66	63	65	McCreary	54	72	62
Daviess	96	88	94	McLean	95	83	90
Edmonson	61	55	60	Madison	91	100	94
Elliott	60	35	58	Magoffin	57	65	58
Estill	59	73	63	Marion	88	56	83
Fayette	123	153	143	Marshall	82	92	86
Fleming	100	91	97	Martin	45	45	45
Floyd	55	75	66	Mason	117	85	104
Franklin	108	109	108	Meade	93	74	87
Fulton	96	79	89	Menifee	61	56	60
Gallatin	97	88	93	Mercer	107	83	102
Garrard	101	85	96	Metcalfe	80	56	77
Grant	102	95	100	Monroe	77	76	77
Graves	90	73	86	Montgomery	102	45	84
Grayson	68	82	71	Morgan	65	71	66
Green	84	80	83	Muhlenberg	72	60	65
Greenup	72	104	90	Nelson	101	81	95

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Kentucky (Continued)				Louisiana (Continued)			
Nicholas	107	98	104	Claiborne	64	115	75
Ohio	79	76	78	Concordia	52	58	54
Oldham	108	103	105	De Soto	53	73	57
Owen	103	90	100	East Baton Rouge	79	113	106
Owsley	60	50	59	East Carroll	60	30	58
Pendleton	106	108	107	East Feliciana	50	84	56
Perry	50	60	55	Evangeline	49	50	49
Pike	54	66	59	Franklin	61	79	62
Powell	61	52	58	Grant	64	67	66
Pulaski	71	71	71	Iberia	67	44	58
Robertson	105	93	103	Iberville	60	39	49
Rockcastle	57	59	58	Jackson	69	82	75
Rowan	65	90	76	Jefferson	97	105	105
Russell	72	54	69	Jefferson Davis	69	60	65
Scott	113	81	106	Lafayette	48	58	50
Shelby	120	89	113	Lafourche	61	34	46
Simpson	101	57	99	La Salle	77	76	76
Spencer	102	93	100	Lincoln	77	90	79
Taylor	90	104	95	Livingston	74	55	67
Todd	78	77	78	Madison	57	35	55
Trigg	80	70	78	Morehouse	56	79	60
Trimble	101	91	100	Natchitoches	54	49	53
Union	107	82	94	Ouachita	67	98	80
Warren	90	82	88	Plaquemines	65	58	60
Washington	100	107	102	Pointe Coupee	55	66	58
Wayne	62	54	60	Rapides	66	61	64
Webster	86	75	80	Red River	58	89	64
Whitley	60	61	60	Richland	60	91	66
Wolfe	59	62	59	Sabine	66	62	64
Woodford	119	73	101	St. Bernard	91	69	71
				St. Charles	67	68	68
Louisiana	64	66	64 *	St. Helena	61	62	61
Acadia	61	48	57	St. James	68	38	49
Allen	68	63	65	St. John the			
Ascension	61	44	54	Baptist	62	42	46
Assumption	69	35	53	St. Landry	44	39	43
Avoyelles	61	58	60	St. Martin	41	26	36
Beauregard	78	50	70	St. Mary	63	47	54
Bienville	69	94	76	St. Tammany	74	58	63
Bossier	58	107	76	Tangipahoa	69	82	73
Caddo	59	109	82	Tensas	51	66	54
Calcasieu	82	79	80	Terrebonne	60	31	44
Caldwell	74	79	76	Union	74	97	79
Cameron	70	76	72	Vermilion	66	34	55
Catahoula	58	68	61	Vernon	73	51	64

* The value for the State in each case is the mean of the values for the counties.
The composite rural index of a State may be higher or lower than, or equal to,
the State rural-farm or rural-nonfarm index because of weighting introduced at
the county level.

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Louisiana (Continued)				**Maryland (Continued)**			
Washington	73	92	77	Queen Annes	112	79	95
Webster	69	103	80	St. Marys	97	60	81
West Baton Rouge	53	75	62	Somerset	101	73	83
West Carroll	73	79	74	Talbot	116	93	104
West Feliciana	39	51	41	Washington	110	116	114
Winn	73	36	60	Wicomico	104	100	102
				Worcester	102	97	99
Maine	111	121	118				
Androscoggin	112	130	123	**Massachusetts**	121	148	142
Aroostook	117	93	102	Barnstable	113	152	145
Cumberland	118	134	129	Berkshire	119	141	136
Franklin	111	129	124	Bristol	120	135	131
Hancock	109	119	117	Dukes	111	150	145
Kennebec	113	125	120	Essex	124	148	144
Knox	111	121	118	Franklin	121	149	136
Lincoln	110	131	122	Hampden	120	147	141
Oxford	110	122	118	Hampshire	122	144	132
Penobscot	112	123	120	Middlesex	130	148	146
Piscataquis	107	127	122	Norfolk	130	162	159
Sagadahoc	113	111	111	Plymouth	120	155	146
Somerset	108	124	118	Worcester	123	143	139
Waldo	106	110	108				
Washington	104	100	101	**Michigan**	112	115	114
York	116	136	133	Alcona	111	106	109
				Alger	93	69	80
Maryland	108	109	110*	Allegan	121	137	126
Allegany	94	118	114	Alpena	101	75	96
Anne Arundel	109	131	126	Antrim	105	112	108
Baltimore	117	149	143	Arenac	110	115	112
Calvert	92	92	92	Baraga	95	101	98
Caroline	106	114	110	Barry	119	128	121
Carroll	115	119	117	Bay	120	133	125
Cecil	116	118	117	Benzie	104	130	118
Charles	96	97	96	Berrien	118	136	126
Dorchester	106	75	89	Branch	124	127	125
Frederick	114	108	111	Calhoun	122	148	137
Garrett	95	98	96	Cass	118	119	118
Harford	120	127	124	Charlevoix	104	120	112
Howard	120	120	120	Cheboygan	97	103	101
Kent	122	80	97	Chippewa	100	74	88
Montgomery	114	188	174	Clare	111	125	117
Prince Georges	105	146	137	Clinton	130	126	129

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the State rural-farm or rural-nonfarm index because of weighting introduced at
the county level.

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite Rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Michigan (Continued)				Michigan (Continued)			
Crawford	103	104	104	Ogemaw	109	109	109
Delta	99	79	88	Ontonagon	92	115	105
Dickinson	100	107	105	Osceola	111	129	118
Eaton	127	126	127	Oscoda	115	92	103
Emmet	101	106	103	Otsego	101	108	105
Genesee	123	134	130	Ottawa	122	136	128
Gladwin	114	121	116	Presque Isle	100	93	97
Gogebic	91	108	102	Roscommon	105	107	106
Grand Traverse	111	103	109	Saginaw	122	125	123
Gratiot	124	120	123	St. Clair	121	137	128
Hillsdale	123	126	124	St. Joseph	121	132	126
Houghton	90	116	110	Sanilac	127	128	127
Huron	127	127	127	Schoolcraft	101	73	85
Ingham	127	129	128	Shiawassee	127	127	127
Ionia	124	125	124	Tuscola	122	132	125
Iosco	110	127	120	Van Buren	115	131	121
Iron	97	112	108	Washtenaw	130	143	138
Isabella	121	108	118	Wayne	122	139	136
Jackson	124	134	130	Wexford	101	110	104
Kalamazoo	122	152	143				
Kalkaska	100	89	95	Minnesota	121	112	118
Kent	120	137	132	Aitkin	101	97	100
Keweenaw	76	100	98	Anoka	112	107	111
Lake	101	86	95	Becker	106	76	98
Lapeer	126	123	125	Beltrami	94	61	83
Leelanau	106	114	109	Benton	116	108	114
Lenawee	130	137	133	Big Stone	127	126	126
Livingston	127	135	130	Blue Earth	134	121	130
Luce	97	51	60	Brown	135	125	132
Mackinac	99	81	88	Carlton	103	107	104
Macomb	127	131	130	Carver	122	119	126
Manistee	103	109	105	Cass	96	82	90
Marquette	97	96	96	Chippewa	134	115	128
Mason	113	113	113	Chisago	118	123	120
Mecosta	114	105	112	Clay	122	111	118
Menominee	105	98	103	Clearwater	97	81	93
Midland	114	112	113	Cook	98	81	85
Missaukee	108	110	109	Cottonwood	133	114	130
Monroe	123	123	126	Crow Wing	99	94	97
Montcalm	118	122	119	Dakota	125	127	126
Montmorency	99	81	91	Dodge	129	129	129
Muskegon	112	121	118	Douglas	118	110	116
Newaygo	108	114	109	Faribault	139	128	135
Oakland	125	145	142	Fillmore	126	123	125
Oceana	111	123	115	Freeborn	133	112	127

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Minnesota (Continued)				**Minnesota (Continued)**			
Goodhue	129	128	129	Sherburne	115	117	116
Grant	129	123	127	Sibley	134	126	131
Hennepin	123	138	132	Stearns	122	108	116
Houston	126	119	123	Steele	131	130	131
Hubbard	98	80	94	Stevens	130	123	128
Isanti	113	123	116	Swift	129	119	126
Itasca	94	114	104	Todd	116	103	112
Jackson	138	121	134	Traverse	133	126	130
Kanabec	108	116	110	Wabasha	128	126	127
Kandiyohi	128	105	120	Wadena	105	92	102
Kittson	117	103	112	Waseca	134	124	131
Koochiching	93	76	85	Washington	121	127	124
Lac qui Parle	132	126	130	Watonwan	135	124	131
Lake	105	89	98	Wilkin	127	111	123
Lake of the Woods	92	92	92	Winona	125	124	125
Le Sueur	131	127	129	Wright	121	122	121
Lincoln	131	115	126	Yellow Medicine	133	121	128
Lyon	134	112	127				
McLeod	131	123	128	**Mississippi**	69	80	70
Mahnomen	102	77	92	Adams	47	49	48
Marshall	114	109	113	Alcorn	74	90	78
Martin	139	129	136	Amite	70	86	73
Meeker	127	119	125	Attala	71	63	71
Mille Lacs	111	99	106	Benton	61	83	63
Morrison	108	97	106	Bolivar	64	70	65
Mower	132	121	128	Calhoun	77	90	80
Murray	138	122	133	Carroll	64	91	67
Nicollet	138	117	135	Chickasaw	67	96	75
Nobles	138	106	128	Choctaw	72	93	76
Norman	118	119	118	Claiborne	61	59	61
Olmsted	127	114	123	Clarke	66	67	66
Otter Tail	114	102	111	Clay	63	56	62
Pennington	112	78	106	Coahoma	63	70	64
Pine	107	112	109	Copiah	72	62	70
Pipestone	136	116	130	Covington	75	91	78
Polk	119	105	116	De Soto	60	93	64
Pope	124	113	121	Forrest	85	73	79
Ramsey	116	138	132	Franklin	71	58	66
Red Lake	112	109	111	George	74	63	70
Redwood	136	121	131	Greene	72	48	61
Renville	137	128	133	Grenada	60	70	62
Rice	127	105	123	Hancock	83	66	71
Rock	136	112	131	Harrison	86	87	84
Roseau	106	93	102	Hinds	60	91	68
St. Louis	97	109	103	Holmes	58	36	62
Scott	128	121	124	Humphreys	61	77	62

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| Area | Level of living index value | | | Area | Level of living index value | | |
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Mississippi (Continued)				Mississippi (Continued)			
Issaquena	54	71	55	Walthall	72	120	77
Itawamba	71	103	74	Warren	63	46	56
Jackson	89	68	74	Washington	59	62	59
Jasper	72	83	74	Wayne	64	56	62
Jefferson	53	66	55	Webster	79	83	80
Jefferson Davis	73	102	76	Wilkinson	51	59	54
Jones	79	68	77	Winston	70	71	70
Kemper	60	69	62	Yalobusha	67	107	71
Lafayette	69	77	70	Yazoo	59	69	60
Lamar	78	73	76				
Lauderdale	71	61	69	Missouri	98	91	96
Lawrence	71	80	72	Adair	104	73	97
Leake	73	80	74	Andrew	116	113	115
Lee	74	86	77	Atchison	129	121	126
Leflore	65	83	67	Audrain	111	91	106
Lincoln	76	49	72	Barry	89	91	89
Lowndes	61	38	66	Barton	104	92	101
Madison	54	78	57	Bates	104	88	99
Marion	73	64	72	Benton	91	98	93
Marshall	50	74	52	Bollinger	82	79	82
Monroe	70	70	71	Boone	100	98	99
Montgomery	73	81	74	Buchanan	109	121	114
Neshoba	77	73	77	Butler	67	33	62
Newton	76	107	84	Caldwell	113	104	109
Noxubee	44	86	51	Callaway	93	93	97
Oktibbeha	58	107	63	Camden	81	81	81
Panola	60	97	68	Cape Girardeau	102	80	98
Pearl River	86	66	77	Carroll	112	95	107
Perry	71	60	67	Carter	73	61	68
Pike	73	69	71	Cass	111	110	111
Pontotoc	75	105	80	Cedar	92	95	93
Prentiss	72	95	77	Chariton	103	102	106
Quitman	67	99	72	Christian	93	94	93
Rankin	72	74	72	Clark	108	94	102
Scott	76	33	77	Clay	117	126	122
Sharkey	67	94	72	Clinton	114	105	110
Simpson	77	97	82	Cole	99	100	99
Smith	79	101	82	Cooper	105	34	100
Stone	85	74	79	Crawford	82	84	83
Sunflower	68	105	72	Dade	100	105	101
Tallahatchie	65	90	69	Dallas	87	85	87
Tate	62	100	68	Daviess	108	98	104
Tippah	74	102	80	De Kalb	114	103	110
Tishomingo	71	85	74	Dent	87	42	80
Tunica	62	92	65	Douglas	79	78	79
Union	77	70	76	Dunklin	91	75	87

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural		Rural- farm	Rural- nonfarm	Com- posite rural
Missouri (Continued)				Missouri (Continued)			
Franklin	97	107	101	Phelps	85	87	86
Gasconade	94	122	107	Pike	106	94	102
Gentry	113	112	113	Platte	114	109	112
Greene	104	99	102	Polk	99	83	96
Grundy	108	84	102	Pulaski	87	87	87
Harrison	112	86	105	Putnam	100	93	98
Henry	102	101	102	Ralls	107	93	102
Hickory	94	84	92	Randolph	102	94	99
Holt	122	104	114	Ray	108	88	102
Howard	105	110	107	Reynolds	72	53	66
Howell	83	93	85	Ripley	75	89	78
Iron	76	74	75	St. Charles	106	96	103
Jackson	112	145	137	St. Clair	94	88	92
Jasper	105	100	103	St. Francois	91	95	94
Jefferson	98	109	103	St. Louis	112	149	145
Johnson	106	96	103	Ste. Genevieve	95	80	91
Knox	108	98	105	Saline	112	99	107
Laclede	84	60	81	Schuyler	113	99	108
Lafayette	111	101	107	Scotland	111	102	108
Lawrence	100	106	102	Scott	98	86	93
Lewis	112	105	109	Shannon	77	53	69
Lincoln	103	101	102	Shelby	110	103	107
Linn	111	90	104	Stoddard	87	79	85
Livingston	110	82	104	Stone	81	87	83
McDonald	83	94	86	Sullivan	108	89	102
Macon	103	97	101	Taney	76	92	81
Madison	85	57	77	Texas	87	83	86
Maries	83	87	84	Vernon	98	85	94
Marion	110	115	112	Warren	100	109	103
Mercer	107	99	105	Washington	79	36	53
Miller	88	86	88	Wayne	76	71	74
Mississippi	78	60	74	Webster	90	96	92
Moniteau	100	89	97	Worth	114	100	110
Monroe	110	109	110	Wright	84	90	86
Montgomery	102	99	101				
Morgan	86	89	87	Montana	114	110	113
New Madrid	86	65	79	Beaverhead	123	98	113
Newton	94	86	92	Big Horn	110	99	105
Nodaway	118	96	111	Blaine	106	109	107
Oregon	78	93	82	Broadwater	124	104	112
Osage	87	87	87	Carbon	115	117	116
Ozark	75	61	74	Carter	108	87	103
Pemiscot	88	66	84	Cascade	116	112	114
Perry	99	80	95	Chouteau	119	127	122
Pettis	106	91	103	Custer	109	106	108

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Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Montana (Continued)			
Daniels	118	106	113
Dawson	108	90	105
Deer Lodge	115	115	115
Fallon	113	128	120
Fergus	118	98	111
Flathead	107	114	110
Gallatin	125	119	123
Garfield	95	78	90
Glacier	95	82	87
Golden Valley	122	110	117
Granite	121	119	120
Hill	113	93	106
Jefferson	117	124	122
Judith Basin	128	118	124
Lake	110	119	114
Lewis and Clark	117	110	113
Liberty	122	116	120
Lincoln	97	117	110
McCone	106	90	101
Madison	121	109	115
Meagher	124	114	119
Mineral	102	120	116
Missoula	105	127	119
Musselshell	110	104	107
Park	125	98	114
Petroleum	107	113	110
Phillips	110	103	106
Pondera	121	126	123
Powder River	103	90	100
Powell	117	85	103
Prairie	113	102	106
Ravalli	113	123	117
Richland	110	95	106
Roosevelt	106	110	108
Rosebud	104	102	103
Sanders	102	114	108
Sheridan	112	101	107
Silver Bow	109	138	137
Stillwater	120	119	120
Sweet Grass	118	133	125
Teton	123	123	123
Toole	122	126	124
Treasure	111	127	116
Valley	114	97	103

Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Montana (Continued)			
Wheatland	123	140	135
Wibaux	118	103	113
Yellowstone	118	117	118
Nebraska	118	119	119*
Adams	114	110	112
Antelope	121	123	122
Arthur	122	62	110
Banner	123	78	120
Blaine	118	110	116
Boone	106	134	117
Box Butte	118	116	118
Boyd	111	109	110
Brown	113	125	119
Buffalo	114	129	120
Burt	130	131	130
Butler	109	119	113
Cass	123	125	124
Cedar	125	126	125
Chase	123	120	122
Cherry	123	125	124
Cheyenne	126	127	126
Clay	112	127	119
Colfax	115	119	116
Cuming	124	131	126
Custer	115	122	117
Dakota	124	105	118
Dawes	124	124	124
Dawson	122	125	123
Deuel	126	145	135
Dixon	124	126	125
Dodge	125	129	127
Douglas	122	126	125
Dundy	121	107	115
Fillmore	113	132	122
Franklin	105	119	111
Frontier	110	130	117
Furnas	110	131	121
Gage	122	125	123
Garden	126	107	119
Garfield	107	122	113
Gosper	106	131	112
Grant	136	129	132
Greeley	108	125	115

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	:Rural- :farm	:Rural- :nonfarm	:Com- :posite :rural		:Rural- :farm	:Rural- :nonfarm	:Com- :posite :rural
Nebraska (Continued)				**Nebraska** (Continued)			
Hall	114	123	116	Thayer	115	126	120
Hamilton	115	135	123	Thomas	114	112	113
Harlan	110	131	119	Thurston	110	97	104
Hayes	124	82	117	Valley	109	129	117
Hitchcock	118	120	119	Washington	124	125	124
Holt	118	111	116	Wayne	126	120	125
Hooker	113	133	125	Webster	104	123	112
Howard	110	120	114	Wheeler	113	96	110
Jefferson	121	111	118	York	118	119	118
Johnson	119	128	123				
Kearney	118	136	126	**Nevada**	110	122	121
Keith	128	104	120	Churchill	115	133	124
Keya Paha	116	97	112	Clark	103	144	138
Kimball	120	143	133	Douglas	132	122	126
Knox	111	115	112	Elko	113	107	109
Lancaster	116	112	114	Esmeralda	98	104	104
Lincoln	120	100	113	Eureka	115	88	95
Logan	117	103	112	Humboldt	102	123	119
Loup	116	98	112	Lander	110	97	99
McPherson	111	81	106	Lincoln	111	139	134
Madison	116	128	120	Lyon	120	126	123
Merrick	120	132	126	Mineral	56	105	98
Morrill	118	117	118	Nye	95	119	115
Nance	110	131	119	Ormsby	123	167	165
Nemaha	127	111	122	Pershing	121	112	114
Nuckolls	110	115	112	Storey	133	144	143
Otoe	123	129	125	Washoe	116	114	115
Pawnee	120	120	120	White Pine	111	136	134
Perkins	128	136	131				
Phelps	120	120	120	**New Hampshire**	116	130	126
Pierce	120	121	120	Belknap	116	127	124
Platte	111	117	112	Carroll	117	125	123
Polk	118	136	125	Cheshire	115	128	124
Redwillow	111	100	107	Coos	115	137	131
Richardson	123	111	119	Grafton	116	138	132
Rock	117	104	112	Hillsborough	117	135	129
Saline	116	129	121	Merrimack	116	126	123
Sarpy	122	137	131	Rockingham	117	130	126
Saunders	118	126	121	Strafford	118	131	128
Scotts Bluff	125	107	119	Sullivan	113	122	117
Seward	113	116	114				
Sheridan	125	123	124	**New Jersey**	124	146	143
Sherman	100	116	106	Atlantic	113	136	131
Sioux	120	125	121	Bergen	126	163	161
Stanton	114	130	119	Burlington	125	145	142

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
New Jersey (Continued)				New Mexico (Continued)			
Camden	112	151	147	Santa Fe	62	33	47
Cape May	119	134	132	Sierra	72	58	64
Cumberland	117	130	125	Socorro	63	34	52
Essex	127	170	168	Taos	41	29	35
Gloucester	122	141	136	Torrance	73	45	61
Hudson	—	141	141	Union	99	63	91
Hunterdon	125	145	137	Valencia	53	14	32
Mercer	129	153	150				
Middlesex	125	143	140	New York	121	138	132
Monmouth	123	150	146	Albany	121	159	151
Morris	125	152	149	Allegany	119	144	134
Ocean	118	146	144	Broome	116	149	140
Passaic	129	150	149	Cattaraugus	117	140	130
Salem	126	143	138	Cayuga	123	135	128
Somerset	125	149	144	Chautauqua	121	143	132
Sussex	127	136	133	Chemung	117	147	138
Union	131	163	162	Chenango	119	142	130
Warren	126	130	129	Clinton	114	112	113
				Columbia	122	138	132
New Mexico	73	57	67	Cortland	124	134	128
Bernalillo	71	78	76	Delaware	123	134	129
Catron	83	45	64	Dutchess	131	149	145
Chaves	105	70	94	Erie	122	156	148
Colfax	99	69	79	Essex	115	129	125
Curry	119	85	107	Franklin	108	109	108
De Baca	100	77	86	Fulton	109	120	116
Dona Ana	89	41	69	Genesee	126	130	128
Eddy	101	78	88	Greene	121	136	131
Grant	109	77	83	Hamilton	104	130	124
Guadalupe	51	34	39	Herkimer	121	130	125
Harding	90	48	71	Jefferson	121	132	128
Hidalgo	107	87	98	Lewis	119	122	121
Lea	117	142	136	Livingston	126	142	136
Lincoln	89	72	78	Madison	122	141	132
Luna	107	54	82	Monroe	129	167	157
McKinley	3	57	25	Montgomery	122	138	132
Mora	40	8	29	Nassau	129	169	162
Otero	96	69	82	Niagara	125	146	136
Quay	105	76	97	Oneida	121	142	135
Rio Arriba	41	7	26	Onondaga	124	146	139
Roosevelt	106	78	102	Ontario	128	135	132
Sandoval	39	9	21	Orange	126	143	138
San Juan	29	103	50	Orleans	124	119	122
San Miguel	40	12	28	Oswego	117	130	123

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
New York (Continued)				**North Carolina (Continued)**			
Otsego	121	133	127	Clay	68	63	67
Putnam	128	152	148	Cleveland	89	106	93
Rensselaer	118	147	138	Columbus	86	66	81
Rockland	131	153	152	Craven	89	61	79
St. Lawrence	118	116	117	Cumberland	81	78	79
Saratoga	116	133	127	Currituck	92	55	77
Schenectady	122	160	155	Dare	98	83	84
Schoharie	120	126	123	Davidson	100	96	98
Schuyler	117	128	122	Davie	89	107	96
Seneca	124	122	123	Duplin	86	87	86
Steuben	117	132	125	Durham	89	116	104
Suffolk	131	144	142	Edgecombe	77	61	75
Sullivan	117	135	128	Forsyth	99	114	108
Tioga	117	130	123	Franklin	84	86	85
Tompkins	120	152	138	Gaston	92	101	99
Ulster	119	132	128	Gates	88	68	84
Warren	105	133	126	Graham	62	55	60
Washington	123	128	126	Granville	83	72	81
Wayne	122	133	127	Greene	96	123	99
Westchester	128	173	171	Guilford	103	111	107
Wyoming	124	139	132	Halifax	64	64	64
Yates	120	123	121	Harnett	91	90	91
				Haywood	74	73	74
North Carolina	84	85	85*	Henderson	87	106	95
Alamance	100	106	104	Hertford	85	99	90
Alexander	81	96	85	Hoke	75	96	79
Alleghany	79	82	79	Hyde	83	57	74
Anson	74	78	75	Iredell	92	98	94
Ashe	73	80	74	Jackson	66	83	71
Avery	72	71	72	Johnston	92	76	88
Beaufort	90	66	83	Jones	86	69	82
Bertie	83	82	83	Lee	94	90	93
Bladen	80	68	77	Lenoir	93	78	90
Brunswick	75	58	67	Lincoln	95	88	93
Buncombe	89	109	100	McDowell	71	72	72
Burke	73	76	75	Macon	72	79	74
Cabarrus	96	118	111	Madison	69	95	73
Caldwell	77	74	76	Martin	87	87	87
Camden	97	64	85	Mecklenburg	94	125	112
Carteret	95	62	74	Mitchell	72	88	77
Caswell	80	90	81	Montgomery	81	97	89
Catawba	94	107	100	Moore	87	96	91
Chatham	87	101	91	Nash	83	85	83
Cherokee	63	101	77	New Hanover	102	125	121
Chowan	88	65	87	Northampton	72	74	73

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North Carolina (Continued)				North Dakota (Continued)			
Onslow	83	71	80	Cavalier	115	100	110
Orange	91	97	93	Dickey	117	124	120
Pamlico	92	54	70	Divide	108	104	106
Pasquotank	95	69	85	Dunn	96	94	96
Pender	79	54	70	Eddy	119	113	116
Perquimans	91	77	86	Emmons	98	81	92
Person	85	86	85	Foster	120	111	116
Pitt	90	85	89	Golden Valley	118	124	121
Polk	80	119	96	Grand Forks	127	106	121
Randolph	90	104	96	Grant	97	90	95
Richmond	73	81	77	Griggs	119	107	115
Robeson	80	77	79	Hettinger	104	117	109
Rockingham	93	92	92	Kidder	109	89	103
Rowan	98	112	106	La Moure	114	107	111
Rutherford	84	98	90	Logan	101	79	94
Sampson	90	66	87	McHenry	111	97	106
Scotland	64	57	62	McIntosh	93	76	86
Stanly	90	99	95	McKenzie	103	89	99
Stokes	91	110	93	McLean	107	98	104
Surry	85	72	81	Mercer	99	88	94
Swain	60	86	68	Morton	106	94	102
Transylvania	80	82	81	Mountrail	105	99	103
Tyrrell	88	67	81	Nelson	121	105	115
Union	91	106	93	Oliver	107	86	103
Vance	84	69	79	Pembina	130	95	114
Wake	94	112	102	Pierce	114	99	108
Warren	70	88	75	Ramsey	122	97	114
Washington	83	79	81	Ransom	122	127	124
Watauga	78	117	87	Renville	116	112	115
Wayne	92	71	87	Richland	126	113	122
Wilkes	67	78	69	Rolette	88	98	91
Wilson	90	77	88	Sargent	124	113	120
Yadkin	95	92	94	Sheridan	112	97	108
Yancey	65	74	66	Sioux	84	69	77
				Slope	111	125	115
North Dakota	112	100	108	Stark	104	86	99
Adams	106	115	110	Steele	122	96	114
Barnes	120	94	113	Stutsman	115	86	104
Benson	116	87	104	Towner	128	105	119
Billings	87	105	90	Traill	128	112	121
Bottineau	117	99	110	Walsh	122	97	115
Bowman	110	125	116	Ward	112	99	107
Burke	107	99	103	Wells	122	113	118
Burleigh	111	84	104	Williams	101	91	98
Cass	132	107	122				

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Ohio	119	117	119*	Ohio (Continued)			
Adams	101	94	98	Licking	121	131	126
Allen	128	122	125	Logan	124	117	121
Ashland	123	134	128	Lorain	126	137	132
Ashtabula	116	142	128	Lucas	121	142	138
Athens	103	82	91	Madison	125	112	121
Auglaize	128	126	127	Mahoning	121	144	137
Belmont	106	101	103	Marion	131	112	123
Brown	109	107	108	Medina	127	141	132
Butler	124	117	120	Meigs	97	89	94
Carroll	114	109	112	Mercer	128	118	124
Champaign	131	110	122	Miami	131	134	132
Clark	131	129	130	Monroe	97	97	97
Clermont	112	120	117	Montgomery	128	144	140
Clinton	128	112	121	Morgan	107	124	114
Columbiana	116	119	118	Morrow	122	116	120
Coshocton	116	106	112	Muskingum	112	122	117
Crawford	132	114	127	Noble	104	100	103
Cuyahoga	122	155	148	Ottawa	126	136	132
Darke	126	123	125	Paulding	128	114	121
Defiance	126	112	124	Perry	103	103	105
Delaware	125	113	121	Pickaway	123	95	114
Erie	125	134	130	Pike	90	82	87
Fairfield	122	116	119	Portage	122	134	128
Fayette	127	91	117	Preble	128	120	125
Franklin	127	131	130	Putnam	132	127	130
Fulton	129	138	133	Richland	124	127	126
Gallia	97	78	91	Ross	103	90	97
Geauga	118	145	129	Sandusky	128	128	128
Greene	132	136	134	Scioto	92	84	87
Guernsey	105	95	100	Seneca	130	116	125
Hamilton	118	149	143	Shelby	129	107	121
Hancock	133	118	128	Stark	121	139	133
Hardin	128	116	123	Summit	120	141	135
Harrison	112	119	116	Trumbull	120	127	125
Henry	131	121	128	Tuscarawas	114	117	116
Highland	117	95	110	Union	128	109	121
Hocking	99	85	92	Van Wert	131	110	125
Holmes	112	126	117	Vinton	94	92	93
Huron	125	130	127	Warren	125	111	118
Jackson	97	73	85	Washington	98	111	104
Jefferson	105	114	112	Wayne	125	125	125
Knox	123	128	125	Williams	130	123	128
Lake	123	158	148	Wood	132	124	128
Lawrence	88	80	84	Wyandot	129	108	123

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Oklahoma	91	89	91*	Oklahoma (Continued)			
Adair	63	69	65	Logan	103	100	102
Alfalfa	126	113	122	Love	76	95	81
Atoka	61	31	54	McClain	90	68	84
Beaver	110	116	112	McCurtain	60	53	58
Beckham	101	93	99	McIntosh	68	89	74
Blaine	106	107	106	Major	106	111	107
Bryan	80	64	76	Marshall	78	55	73
Caddo	96	101	98	Mayes	79	55	71
Canadian	112	112	112	Murray	85	84	85
Carter	78	101	89	Muskogee	76	67	72
Cherokee	59	31	55	Noble	115	121	117
Choctaw	64	47	59	Nowata	89	76	84
Cimarron	109	106	108	Okfuskee	73	78	74
Cleveland	94	95	94	Oklahoma	98	122	111
Coal	70	77	73	Okmulgee	77	75	77
Comanche	97	83	90	Osage	100	118	111
Cotton	101	110	104	Ottawa	89	81	84
Craig	89	66	80	Pawnee	95	85	92
Creek	81	103	88	Payne	97	106	100
Custer	113	100	110	Pittsburg	77	70	74
Delaware	71	63	69	Pontotoc	81	89	84
Dewey	100	98	99	Pottawatomie	87	103	93
Ellis	109	115	111	Pushmataha	64	29	52
Garfield	126	125	126	Roger Mills	97	95	96
Garvin	82	87	84	Rogers	81	84	82
Grady	90	87	89	Seminole	72	110	92
Grant	130	125	128	Sequoyah	56	69	60
Greer	106	107	106	Stephens	85	84	85
Harmon	103	112	104	Texas	111	130	121
Harper	108	105	107	Tillman	116	111	115
Haskell	70	73	71	Tulsa	95	99	98
Hughes	78	81	79	Wagoner	75	55	70
Jackson	110	96	106	Washington	97	89	93
Jefferson	94	96	95	Washita	113	102	111
Johnston	72	73	73	Woods	115	108	113
Kay	119	108	114	Woodward	106	82	97
Kingfisher	116	117	116				
Kiowa	107	100	105	Oregon	119	124	122
Latimer	68	64	66	Baker	120	118	119
Le Flore	69	57	63	Benton	118	131	123
Lincoln	87	102	92	Clackamas	113	142	130

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Oregon (Continued)				**Pennsylvania** (Continued)			
Clatsop	118	129	126	Cambria	103	114	112
Columbia	107	129	119	Cameron	107	125	122
Coos	113	112	112	Carbon	111	118	117
Crook	128	120	123	Centre	116	118	117
Curry	113	107	109	Chester	128	143	137
Deschutes	114	121	118	Clarion	114	117	116
Douglas	114	117	116	Clearfield	101	107	105
Gilliam	134	149	142	Clinton	115	124	122
Grant	127	114	119	Columbia	114	119	117
Harney	120	127	123	Crawford	116	137	125
Hood River	120	124	121	Cumberland	120	125	123
Jackson	113	114	114	Dauphin	116	140	135
Jefferson	117	116	116	Delaware	130	161	159
Josephine	105	90	99	Elk	105	117	114
Klamath	124	119	120	Erie	117	143	132
Lake	118	121	120	Fayette	105	112	111
Lane	116	122	119	Forest	105	120	116
Lincoln	102	120	115	Franklin	123	107	115
Linn	117	111	115	Fulton	110	102	107
Malheur	106	107	106	Greene	108	112	111
Marion	118	127	122	Huntingdon	111	105	107
Morrow	129	142	135	Indiana	109	109	109
Multnomah	116	150	143	Jefferson	109	107	108
Polk	118	130	124	Juniata	115	112	113
Sherman	145	146	145	Lackawanna	113	126	122
Tillamook	125	125	125	Lancaster	121	132	128
Umatilla	121	131	125	Lawrence	121	127	125
Union	123	127	125	Lebanon	123	131	128
Wallowa	124	133	128	Lehigh	118	122	121
Wasco	120	116	118	Luzerne	108	120	119
Washington	117	135	126	Lycoming	115	119	117
Wheeler	116	124	121	McKean	113	147	141
Yamhill	118	128	122	Mercer	120	129	125
				Mifflin	112	115	114
				Monroe	114	131	125
Pennsylvania	114	123	121	Montgomery	123	155	149
Adams	115	123	119	Montour	114	99	105
Allegheny	116	139	137	Northampton	119	129	126
Armstrong	109	116	114	Northumberland	116	119	118
Beaver	112	133	128	Perry	116	124	121
Bedford	110	100	104	Pike	110	133	127
Berks	116	136	130	Potter	114	125	120
Blair	113	116	115	Schuylkill	109	122	120
Bradford	117	125	120	Snyder	111	112	112
Bucks	125	145	138	Somerset	113	104	107
Butler	113	127	122	Sullivan	111	108	109

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Pennsylvania (Continued)				**South Carolina** (Continued)			
Susquehanna	115	131	122	Kershaw	62	53	60
Tioga	120	127	124	Lancaster	76	84	79
Union	120	124	123	Laurens	80	84	81
Venango	107	127	120	Lee	67	65	67
Warren	109	129	122	Lexington	85	97	90
Washington	115	122	121	McCormick	58	72	62
Wayne	116	124	120	Marion	75	45	69
Westmoreland	115	117	117	Marlboro	64	59	63
Wyoming	115	131	124	Newberry	80	77	79
York	118	135	129	Oconee	74	94	81
				Orangeburg	69	83	72
Rhode Island	123	137	135	Pickens	82	110	94
Kent	122	131	130	Richland	65	93	81
Newport	124	141	138	Saluda	79	115	84
Providence	123	138	135	Spartanburg	84	98	92
Washington	124	138	136	Sumter	63	57	61
				Union	63	90	76
South Carolina	69	78	72	Williamsburg	62	85	64
Abbeville	75	82	77	York	72	81	75
Aiken	71	81	76				
Allendale	60	84	67	**South Dakota**	111	103	108
Anderson	85	100	91	Armstrong	89	–	89
Bamberg	70	71	70	Aurora	111	121	114
Barnwell	62	78	67	Beadle	113	115	113
Beaufort	46	44	45	Bennett	94	57	79
Berkeley	49	52	50	Bon Homme	112	111	112
Calhoun	71	91	75	Brookings	130	107	124
Charleston	51	82	72	Brown	124	122	123
Cherokee	76	80	77	Brule	117	124	120
Chester	63	99	77	Buffalo	111	38	74
Chesterfield	71	77	72	Butte	118	126	122
Clarendon	61	86	66	Campbell	100	83	95
Colleton	67	41	61	Charles Mix	102	116	107
Darlington	76	56	70	Clark	117	114	116
Dillon	78	59	74	Clay	126	110	123
Dorchester	69	56	64	Codington	122	102	118
Edgefield	68	95	75	Corson	87	79	84
Fairfield	60	73	64	Custer	111	94	100
Florence	79	83	80	Davison	116	118	116
Georgetown	53	34	45	Day	119	112	116
Greenville	88	114	105	Deuel	126	109	121
Greenwood	75	102	89	Dewey	85	75	80
Hampton	60	76	66	Douglas	113	122	116
Horry	83	76	82	Edmunds	112	102	108
Jasper	50	51	50	Fall River	110	120	114

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
South Dakota (Continued)				Tennessee	78	74	77
Faulk	120	133	125	Anderson	71	80	76
Grant	127	96	119	Bedford	96	100	97
Gregory	111	115	113	Benton	73	63	69
Haakon	109	120	113	Bledsoe	71	67	70
Hamlin	123	111	118	Blount	85	96	89
Hand	120	128	122	Bradley	84	80	82
Hanson	121	117	120	Campbell	66	57	61
Harding	109	83	102	Cannon	71	74	71
Hughes	115	99	110	Carroll	80	93	85
Hutchinson	117	110	114	Carter	77	70	74
Hyde	117	125	120	Cheatham	84	86	85
Jackson	109	105	107	Chester	73	72	76
Jerauld	116	122	118	Claiborne	71	82	74
Jones	113	118	115	Clay	68	64	67
Kingsbury	122	122	122	Cocke	69	45	65
Lake	129	109	125	Coffee	77	94	81
Lawrence	115	122	120	Crockett	88	90	88
Lincoln	130	109	124	Cumberland	71	68	70
Lyman	115	101	110	Davidson	101	145	134
McCook	121	114	118	Decatur	76	63	71
McPherson	100	88	96	De Kalb	76	84	78
Marshall	116	111	114	Dickson	76	65	73
Meade	108	99	106	Dyer	89	79	87
Mellette	86	56	76	Fayette	50	73	53
Miner	117	142	119	Fentress	57	43	53
Minnehaha	130	122	127	Franklin	85	89	85
Moody	134	128	132	Gibson	88	90	89
Pennington	110	95	101	Giles	83	83	83
Perkins	101	115	106	Grainger	71	53	69
Potter	116	110	113	Greene	91	75	89
Roberts	115	97	111	Grundy	74	44	53
Sanborn	117	116	117	Hamblen	88	61	83
Shannon	50	53	51	Hamilton	84	113	105
Spink	120	141	130	Hancock	67	26	64
Stanley	110	136	121	Hardeman	67	80	72
Sully	111	128	116	Hardin	72	64	69
Todd	91	45	70	Hawkins	79	86	81
Tripp	112	122	115	Haywood	61	52	60
Turner	122	115	119	Henderson	80	36	69
Union	127	124	126	Henry	84	66	79
Walworth	107	102	105	Hickman	79	70	76
Washabaugh	82	20	66	Houston	76	83	78
Washington	57	22	51	Humphreys	77	81	78
Yankton	116	83	104	Jackson	70	76	71
Ziebach	89	49	75	Jefferson	84	83	84

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Tennessee (Continued)				Tennessee (Continued)			
Johnson	73	68	72	Washington	94	74	87
Knox	91	104	98	Wayne	63	76	67
Lake	90	88	89	Weakley	86	90	87
Lauderdale	74	81	75	White	70	35	62
Lawrence	69	70	69	Williamson	85	81	84
Lewis	74	73	74	Wilson	94	82	92
Lincoln	88	80	87				
Loudon	82	65	78	Texas	98	100	99
McMinn	82	87	83	Anderson	74	96	80
McNairy	71	69	70	Andrews	118	149	140
Macon	77	72	76	Angelina	82	78	80
Madison	76	93	81	Aransas	87	101	98
Marion	89	70	75	Archer	110	131	124
Marshall	98	95	97	Armstrong	140	145	141
Maury	93	75	87	Atascosa	66	69	67
Meigs	80	80	80	Austin	79	102	86
Monroe	70	85	73	Bailey	117	100	112
Montgomery	82	63	79	Bandera	108	96	104
Moore	89	95	90	Bastrop	68	88	75
Morgan	69	68	69	Baylor	104	90	102
Obion	101	78	93	Bee	77	98	83
Overton	59	55	58	Bell	101	106	102
Perry	82	56	73	Bexar	82	126	115
Pickett	63	50	61	Blanco	107	120	111
Polk	69	94	82	Borden	124	78	117
Putnam	68	59	65	Bosque	105	127	113
Rhea	79	92	86	Bowie	79	80	79
Roane	75	68	72	Brazoria	83	114	99
Robertson	90	84	89	Brazos	74	137	89
Rutherford	86	84	86	Brewster	104	35	62
Scott	59	52	55	Briscoe	112	127	118
Sequatchie	68	68	68	Brooks	44	36	39
Sevier	71	91	76	Brown	106	107	106
Shelby	78	91	83	Burleson	69	90	75
Smith	89	85	88	Burnet	106	109	107
Stewart	76	68	74	Caldwell	60	112	73
Sullivan	86	94	90	Calhoun	93	91	92
Sumner	86	77	84	Callahan	103	128	114
Tipton	76	56	74	Cameron	74	40	61
Trousdale	95	88	93	Camp	81	85	81
Unicoi	66	60	63	Carson	138	158	152
Union	70	52	68	Cass	77	92	82
Van Buren	66	28	52	Castro	130	141	133
Warren	80	59	77	Chambers	100	110	108

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Texas (Continued)				Texas (Continued)			
Cherokee	81	72	79	Gaines	100	99	99
Childress	110	102	109	Galveston	98	124	117
Clay	104	110	106	Garza	118	135	125
Cochran	101	84	94	Gillespie	102	58	99
Coke	112	96	107	Glasscock	138	154	145
Coleman	110	108	110	Goliad	73	88	77
Collin	109	111	109	Gonzales	76	91	79
Collingsworth	114	108	113	Gray	122	144	139
Colorado	79	93	86	Grayson	106	102	105
Comal	93	66	81	Gregg	78	116	108
Comanche	103	114	106	Grimes	71	99	76
Concho	118	111	115	Guadalupe	69	80	71
Cooke	106	115	107	Hale	126	120	124
Coryell	101	100	101	Hall	103	98	105
Cottle	111	80	110	Hamilton	107	105	107
Crane	134	158	157	Hansford	132	144	138
Crockett	155	100	108	Hardeman	112	110	111
Crosby	122	116	120	Hardin	78	94	87
Culberson	126	85	90	Harris	99	120	114
Dallam	109	124	113	Harrison	62	81	66
Dallas	105	117	113	Hartley	121	145	130
Dawson	124	87	120	Haskell	114	106	112
Deaf Smith	124	102	121	Hays	77	95	82
Delta	103	74	99	Hemphill	121	140	132
Denton	109	107	108	Henderson	80	88	84
De Witt	79	91	82	Hidalgo	78	24	58
Dickens	107	127	115	Hill	102	108	104
Dimmit	75	28	43	Hockley	122	89	117
Donley	113	137	127	Hood	95	110	100
Duval	40	102	71	Hopkins	94	88	93
Eastland	93	111	100	Houston	73	96	77
Ector	129	136	136	Howard	117	121	119
Edwards	127	104	116	Hudspeth	79	72	76
Ellis	101	110	103	Hunt	104	101	103
El Paso	83	69	73	Hutchinson	135	172	164
Erath	98	84	96	Irion	131	97	108
Falls	81	78	80	Jack	97	121	108
Fannin	103	103	103	Jackson	89	95	91
Fayette	76	98	81	Jasper	76	77	76
Fisher	110	101	107	Jeff Davis	117	68	76
Floyd	129	127	129	Jefferson	103	136	129
Foard	120	112	117	Jim Hogg	65	67	67
Fort Bend	69	98	78	Jim Wells	79	61	74
Franklin	91	110	96	Johnson	103	118	108
Freestone	73	100	79	Jones	108	120	113
Frio	70	48	63	Karnes	61	84	66

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural– farm	Rural– nonfarm	Com- posite rural		Rural– farm	Rural– nonfarm	Com- posite rural
Texas (Continued)				**Texas (Continued)**			
Kaufman	91	83	89	Navarro	91	95	92
Kendall	104	100	102	Newton	63	73	67
Kenedy	87	17	59	Nolan	123	116	120
Kent	98	94	97	Nueces	94	91	93
Kerr	109	105	107	Ochiltree	137	143	140
Kimble	123	103	113	Oldham	127	155	145
King	121	100	114	Orange	100	81	91
Kinney	111	67	84	Palo Pinto	101	100	100
Kleberg	83	79	81	Panola	75	93	79
Knox	110	110	110	Parker	94	78	90
Lamar	88	77	86	Parmer	128	124	127
Lamb	121	111	119	Pecos	103	140	125
Lampasas	113	100	110	Polk	74	91	83
La Salle	74	17	49	Potter	121	136	131
Lavaca	74	97	79	Presidio	41	4	14
Lee	74	100	81	Rains	87	69	83
Leon	71	109	80	Randall	132	144	133
Liberty	75	94	86	Reagan	166	172	171
Limestone	87	107	92	Real	107	62	85
Lipscomb	128	130	129	Red River	84	75	82
Live Oak	76	106	87	Reeves	38	87	88
Llano	117	78	108	Refugio	91	126	109
Loving	139	149	148	Roberts	128	161	146
Lubbock	132	114	127	Robertson	67	90	73
Lynn	128	122	126	Rockwall	96	107	100
McCulloch	114	90	107	Runnels	115	115	115
McLennan	95	108	100	Rusk	79	119	99
McMullen	111	82	98	Sabine	74	86	78
Madison	77	99	83	San Augustine	70	95	75
Marion	63	64	63	San Jacinto	61	53	59
Martin	114	119	115	San Patricio	89	103	95
Mason	122	103	113	San Saba	107	68	96
Matagorda	81	92	86	Schleicher	132	103	116
Maverick	72	23	48	Scurry	115	103	113
Medina	86	66	77	Shackelford	116	109	112
Menard	127	98	110	Shelby	80	75	79
Midland	115	108	114	Sherman	132	140	136
Milam	79	87	81	Smith	79	107	88
Mills	107	120	111	Somervell	87	93	91
Mitchell	110	119	112	Starr	24	27	26
Montague	89	93	92	Stephens	107	120	114
Montgomery	78	81	79	Sterling	140	120	128
Moore	133	147	145	Stonewall	104	111	106
Morris	74	87	78	Sutton	124	4	98
Motley	112	97	105	Swisher	125	152	137
Nacogdoches	77	68	74				

Rural Level of Living Indexes, 1940 (Continued)

Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Texas (Continued)				**Utah (Continued)**			
Tarrant	108	114	112	Garfield	105	93	95
Taylor	108	108	108	Grand	94	114	108
Terrell	133	73	83	Iron	117	112	114
Terry	115	111	115	Juab	98	143	135
Throckmorton	110	119	114	Kane	100	122	116
Titus	81	101	86	Millard	116	132	128
Tom Green	115	81	97	Morgan	129	139	134
Travis	93	78	88	Piute	117	115	116
Trinity	79	90	84	Rich	130	116	122
Tyler	76	86	80	Salt Lake	118	151	143
Upshur	82	95	85	San Juan	30	101	56
Upton	144	162	159	Sanpete	110	127	124
Uvalde	110	72	90	Sevier	117	114	115
Val Verde	108	78	98	Summit	126	138	133
Van Zandt	91	116	99	Tooele	107	121	117
Victoria	83	82	86	Uintah	96	105	100
Walker	63	66	64	Utah	119	119	119
Waller	73	99	83	Wasatch	106	110	108
Ward	68	131	113	Washington	102	114	108
Washington	69	66	69	Wayne	113	102	106
Webb	50	100	69	Weber	121	139	128
Wharton	78	92	82				
Wheeler	106	118	110	**Vermont**	117	134	127
Wichita	114	110	111	Addison	121	137	129
Wilbarger	114	141	122	Bennington	119	136	131
Willacy	79	49	71	Caledonia	116	141	129
Williamson	94	106	97	Chittenden	122	133	128
Wilson	66	76	69	Essex	110	139	128
Winkler	139	151	151	Franklin	120	125	123
Wise	98	98	98	Grand Isle	119	116	118
Wood	86	104	91	Lamoille	115	140	128
Yoakum	103	102	102	Orange	114	141	126
Young	103	104	103	Orleans	119	137	127
Zapata	25	11	15	Rutland	120	131	128
Zavala	58	42	54	Washington	115	132	124
				Windham	114	126	120
Utah	109	121	117	Windsor	118	143	133
Beaver	114	138	133				
Box Elder	128	134	130	**Virginia**	86	88	88*
Cache	127	127	127	Accomac	96	83	88
Carbon	95	133	125	Albemarle	90	76	85
Daggett	99	79	91	Alleghany	95	103	101
Davis	122	150	137	Amelia	79	87	80
Duchesne	96	104	99	Amherst	78	95	85
Emery	97	120	113	Appomattox	84	95	87

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Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Virginia (Continued)			
Augusta	106	96	102
Bath	102	105	103
Bedford	84	74	82
Bland	92	89	91
Botetourt	95	88	92
Brunswick	75	116	83
Buchanan	53	62	58
Buckingham	72	55	68
Campbell	86	81	84
Caroline	80	76	79
Carroll	74	70	73
Charles City	81	13	46
Charlotte	73	86	75
Chesterfield	99	129	119
Clarke	111	96	103
Craig	96	101	97
Culpeper	95	105	99
Cumberland	70	84	72
Dickenson	60	73	65
Dinwiddie	83	73	81
Elizabeth City	103	147	144
Essex	79	97	84
Fairfax	112	134	129
Fauquier	98	99	98
Floyd	84	82	84
Fluvanna	81	110	85
Franklin	79	98	83
Frederick	101	94	98
Giles	88	108	98
Gloucester	83	69	78
Goochland	75	69	75
Grayson	82	71	79
Greene	69	52	67
Greensville	66	49	61
Halifax	77	62	75
Hanover	88	94	90
Henrico	106	162	153
Henry	78	85	82
Highland	99	99	99
Isle of Wight	89	82	87
James City	97	80	86
King and Queen	82	55	78
King George	87	76	83
King William	80	99	90
Lancaster	92	72	80

Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Virginia (Continued)			
Lee	69	61	65
Loudoun	112	106	109
Louisa	79	80	79
Lunenburg	81	122	90
Madison	88	58	81
Mathews	101	68	88
Mecklenburg	78	103	84
Middlesex	82	77	80
Montgomery	92	105	100
Nansemond	91	53	73
Nelson	77	85	79
New Kent	83	51	70
Norfolk	96	128	121
Northampton	100	94	97
Northumberland	92	80	87
Nottoway	80	119	94
Orange	93	103	97
Page	87	89	88
Patrick	68	85	70
Pittslvania	82	83	82
Powhatan	81	80	81
Prince Edward	74	75	74
Prince George	80	110	96
Prince William	94	116	109
Princess Anne	96	106	102
Pulaski	85	72	79
Rappahannock	77	70	75
Richmond	87	74	83
Roanoke	99	137	128
Rockbridge	96	82	91
Rockingham	105	101	104
Russell	74	84	78
Scott	74	83	76
Shenandoah	103	115	109
Smyth	83	63	74
Southampton	77	69	75
Spotsylvania	91	96	93
Stafford	98	91	95
Surry	88	72	83
Sussex	74	82	76
Tazewell	89	83	85
Warren	92	108	100
Warwick	94	152	140
Washington	87	82	85
Westmoreland	81	82	81

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Area	Level of living index value			Area	Level of living index value		
	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Virginia (Continued)				West Virginia (Continued			
Wise	64	67	66	Brooke	106	114	113
Wythe	95	72	86	Cabell	84	111	95
York	96	83	86	Calhoun	77	111	83
				Clay	62	72	66
Washington	116	129	124	Doddridge	86	112	94
Adams	144	149	147	Fayette	83	98	96
Asotin	116	144	133	Gilmer	78	97	83
Benton	112	143	125	Grant	89	99	93
Chelan	121	135	129	Greenbrier	91	105	99
Clallam	108	112	110	Hampshire	93	107	97
Clark	112	130	119	Hancock	104	142	138
Columbia	127	103	122	Hardy	90	92	91
Cowlitz	106	133	123	Harrison	99	94	95
Douglas	124	152	136	Jackson	89	109	94
Ferry	98	98	98	Jefferson	113	99	105
Franklin	123	132	126	Kanawha	77	97	93
Garfield	138	161	150	Lewis	97	92	95
Grant	124	136	133	Lincoln	60	67	62
Grays Harbor	110	118	115	Logan	54	85	82
Island	112	121	116	McDowell	54	90	85
Jefferson	108	103	105	Marion	92	112	107
King	114	144	139	Marshall	98	115	107
Kitsap	110	141	131	Mason	85	77	82
Kittitas	124	126	125	Mercer	84	86	85
Klickitat	113	132	124	Mineral	94	93	93
Lewis	110	120	115	Mingo	54	66	62
Lincoln	139	148	144	Monongalia	97	95	96
Mason	102	113	109	Monroe	95	90	94
Okanogan	110	134	123	Morgan	96	107	102
Pacific	112	117	116	Nicholas	77	61	72
Pend Oreille	101	120	114	Ohio	114	120	119
Pierce	111	135	128	Pendleton	95	92	94
San Juan	112	120	115	Pleasants	95	133	114
Skagit	117	119	118	Pocahontas	89	100	94
Skamania	109	121	119	Preston	91	98	95
Snohomish	109	127	119	Putnam	80	92	84
Spokane	114	134	124	Raleigh	78	95	91
Stevens	105	118	111	Randolph	90	85	87
Thurston	110	129	120	Ritchie	90	114	100
Wahkiakum	121	128	125	Roane	85	110	93
Walla Walla	125	143	134	Summers	77	70	75
Whatcom	116	129	121	Taylor	92	85	88
Whitman	137	144	140	Tucker	81	118	106
Yakima	119	114	116	Tyler	89	109	96
				Upshur	85	69	81
West Virginia	85	97	92	Wayne	68	77	71
Barbour	89	93	91	Webster	67	87	76
Berkeley	107	96	101	Wetzel	85	106	96
Boone	72	82	80	Wirt	85	93	87
Braxton	75	99	82	Wood	95	123	113
				Wyoming	64	82	75

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	Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural		Rural-farm	Rural-nonfarm	Composite rural
Wisconsin	117	113	116	Wisconsin (Continued)			
Adams	106	115	109	Racine	127	133	130
Ashland	100	102	101	Richland	126	101	119
Barron	118	118	118	Rock	130	131	130
Bayfield	100	111	105	Rusk	105	97	103
Brown	123	120	122	St. Croix	126	131	128
Buffalo	123	116	120	Sauk	124	117	122
Burnett	106	93	102	Sawyer	95	88	91
Calumet	131	128	130	Shawano	119	94	110
Chippewa	113	117	114	Sheboygan	126	127	126
Clark	117	122	118	Taylor	100	116	104
Columbia	127	123	125	Trempealeau	119	117	118
Crawford	121	95	113	Vernon	122	102	116
Dane	130	139	135	Vilas	102	99	100
Dodge	130	127	129	Walworth	132	142	137
Door	117	106	114	Washburn	105	91	101
Douglas	100	84	95	Washington	128	126	127
Dunn	121	108	118	Waukesha	130	137	134
Eau Claire	114	114	114	Waupaca	123	108	118
Florence	97	100	99	Waushara	114	106	111
Fond du Lac	128	127	128	Winnebago	130	114	123
Forest	88	87	87	Wood	116	128	121
Grant	128	120	125				
Green	130	131	130	Wyoming	116	116	117
Green Lake	126	119	123	Albany	120	85	107
Iowa	128	117	123	Big Horn	115	143	131
Iron	94	110	104	Campbell	112	124	117
Jackson	114	94	108	Carbon	118	119	119
Jefferson	129	135	131	Converse	116	142	131
Juneau	112	113	112	Crook	109	90	102
Kenosha	130	132	131	Fremont	93	79	89
Kewaunee	125	104	121	Goshen	118	127	122
La Crosse	126	117	121	Hot Springs	108	120	117
Lafayette	130	124	127	Johnson	118	131	125
Langlade	110	79	100	Laramie	123	126	125
Lincoln	104	85	101	Lincoln	119	121	120
Manitowoc	129	117	125	Natrona	117	138	133
Marathon	114	118	110	Niobrara	118	114	116
Marinette	105	107	112	Park	124	122	123
Marquette	118	106	113	Platte	115	136	126
Milwaukee	123	130	129	Sheridan	118	105	112
Monroe	118	106	115	Sublette	121	102	112
Oconto	113	105	111	Sweetwater	103	126	123
Oneida	100	90	94	Teton	121	114	117
Outagamie	125	108	119	Uinta	119	79	100
Ozaukee	128	140	134	Washakie	122	105	119
Pepin	116	117	116	Weston	118	112	114
Pierce	124	115	121				
Polk	118	123	120				
Portage	111	105	109				
Price	97	96	97				

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