

Summary Table of State Report Cards

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State	% Rural Primary Heating ¹	% Overall Primary Wood Heating ²	Outdoor wood Boiler Limits ³	Limits on exempt, unregulated stoves ⁴	State & Local Wood Heat Incentives ⁵	Stricter Emissions Standards ⁶	Educational Website/publications ⁷	Wood Stove Change-Out Programs ⁸	Grade
Alabama	2.1	1.1			xx				C
Alaska	11.6	4.4	x		x	xx	x		B-
Arizona	7.3	1.9	x		xx		x	x	B-
Arkansas	8.7	4.5					x		C-
California	12.3	1.8	x	xx		xxx	xxx		A-
Colorado	7	1.9	x	xx	x	x	xx	xx	A-
Connecticut	6	1.5	xx		x		xx		B-
Delaware	3	0.9							D
District of Columbia	-	0.1			x		x		C
Florida	0.9	0.2							D
Georgia	2.4	0.9			x				C-
Hawaii	3.6	0.5							D
Idaho	16.1	7.3			x		xx	xxx	B
Illinois	2.7	0.5	x					x	C
Indiana	5.3	1.9	x				x	x	C
Iowa	3.5	1.6	x				x	x	C
Kansas	4.6	1.7							D
Kentucky	5.4	2.5							D
Louisiana	2.3	0.8							D
Maine	13.3	8.7	xxx		x		xxx		B
Maryland	5	1.1	xx		x		x		B-
Massachusetts	6.7	1.2	xxx				xx		B-
Michigan	8.3	2.5	x				xx	xxx	B
Minnesota	6.9	2.3	x				xxx	x	B-
Mississippi	3.1	1.8							D
Missouri	10.3	3.6			x				C-
Montana	15	7.8			xxx		x	xx	B
Nebraska	3.9	1.5			x		xx	x	B-
Nevada	3.3	1.1						x	C-
New Hampshire	10.2	5.2	xxx		xxx		xxx	x	A
New Jersey	2.5	0.3	x		xx		xx		B-
New Mexico	18.1	6.1					x	x	C
New York	10.4	1.6	xxx		xx				B-
North Carolina	4.1	2.1			x				C-
North Dakota	1.2	0.6						x	C-
Ohio	6	1.7	x					x	C
Oklahoma	5.2	2							D
Oregon	22.4	7	x	xx	xxx		x	xxx	A
Pennsylvania	7.9	2.3	xxx		x			x	B-
Rhode Island	6.1	1.1	x		x				C
South Carolina	2	1.1							D
South Dakota	2.9	1.6			xx			x	C
Tennessee	4.5	1.9							D
Texas	1.7	0.4			x				C-
Utah	5.6	1.3					xx		C
Vermont	17.5	11.8	xxx		x		x	xx	B
Virginia	7.6	2.6			x		xx		C
Washington	15.2	4.6	xx	xx		xxx	xxx	xxx	A
West Virginia	10.3	6							D
Wisconsin	10.9	4.1	x		x		x	xx	B-
Wyoming	10.9	5							D

¹ U.S. Census Bureau, American Fact Finder, http://factfinder.census.gov/home/saff/main.html?_lang=en.
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³ Sets limitations on the installation of traditional outdoor wood boilers.
⁴ Limits sales and/or installation of stoves that are exempt from EPA regulation and are often more polluting.
⁵ Provides state or local incentives for purchase and installation of cleaner biomass stoves or fuel.
⁶ Adopts stricter emission standards than federal EPA regulations (4.1 g/hr for catalytic and 7.5 g/hr for non-catalytic wood stoves).
⁷ Provides educational web pages on use of wood stoves and impact of wood smoke.
⁸ Funds change-out programs to replace old, more polluting stoves with modern cleaner stoves.