IN WHICH STATES Drinks the Most Soda Drinks the Least Soda Outdated/Insufficient Data 20 ND WA 33 MT NH T MN ME 9 SD WI OR 34*MI* 3) ID 39 NY WY -**®**MA **M**IA 23 NE **30**PA ₩RI 19 ОН 21 IL MNJ WCT 28 NV **32** *UT* **29**co WV 27 VA 15 MO 16 KS 25DE **2** KY **35MD** 22 CA **6** TN 10 NC **8** OK 4 AR **WN** B_{SC} 18 AZ **5** 3 AL GA **12** TX 26 AK **24** *FL* **3**6HI The states where children drink the most soda were determined using data from the CDC's Youth Risk Behavior Survey. The survey asked high school students how often they drank regular soda METHODOLOGY: or pop (such as Coke, Pepsi, or Sprite) during the seven days leading up to the survey, excluding diet soda or pop. The percentages from all three response options were considered to determine where children drink the most soda. The survey results are from 2021, unless otherwise noted with an asterisk, in which case the results are from 2019. 1. Drank a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop two or more times per day. The survey provided the following response options: 2. Drank a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop one or more times per day. 3. Did not drink a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop. 31,0% US AVERAGE 22,5% 31,3% 20,2% WEST VIRGINIA 18,5% 27,6% 22,18 KENTUCKY 17,18 24,5% 23,7% MISSISSIPPI 15,0% 22,4% ARKANSAS 14,1% 20,5% 22,5% ALABAMA* 14,0% 21,4% TENNESSEE 13,5% 21,3% LOUISIANA 11,8% 18,8% 24,1% **OKLAHOMA** 10,8% 19,3% SOUTH DAKOTA 12,4% 21,0% 28.9% NORTH CAROLINA 10,5% 19,0% **NEW MEXICO** 10,6% 20,0% 26,0% TEXAS 12,4% 19,0% 26,6% SOUTH CAROLINA 10,6% 17,8% 28.8% IOWA 10,2% 14,7% 25,1% MISSOURI 10,0% 16 17,0% 27,0% KANSAS 10,3% 20,0% 31,8% INDIANA 8,0% 18 14,9% 25,2% ARIZONA 9,4% 19 17,0% 30,0% OHIO 8,3% 16,6% 27.7% NORTH DAKOTA 7,7% 18,3% 30,1% ILLINOIS 9,0% 14,5% 31,5% CALIFORNIA* 7,48 23 14,0% 29,48 NEBRASKA 8.7% 17,5% 33,1% FLORIDA 7,2% 18,3% 31,8% DELAWARE 8,5% 13,6% 32,2% ALASKA* 8,6% 15,6% 34,6% **VIRGINIA** 7,3% 13,1% 29.9% **NEV** AD A 7,3% 12,5% 31.7% COLORADO 12,6% 32,2% PENNSYLVANIA 4,4% 13,5% 30,0% **IDAHO** 6,7% 13,1% 32,2% UTAH 6,0% 12,1% 30,7% MONTANA 6,8% 11.5% 32,4% MICHIGAN 6,7% 11,5% 33,3% MARYLAND 6,1% 13,4% 38,7% HAWAII 7,6% 12,7% 35,7% CONNECTICUT* 6,5% 11,3% 37,7% RHODE ISLAND 6,7% //_/% 39,0% NEW YORK 6,0% 9.78 40,8% NEW JERSEY 5,9% 9,4% 39.7% NEW HAMPSHIRE 8,9% 39.6% **MASSACHUSETTS** The following states were excluded from the study due to outdated or insufficient data: Georgia, Maine, Minnesota, Oregon, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin, and Wyoming. SOURCES: CDC Youth Risk Behavior Survey Explorer PARequirements.com

https://yrbs-explorer.services.cdc.gov/#/

https://www.americashealthrankings.org/explore/measures/soda_consumption

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