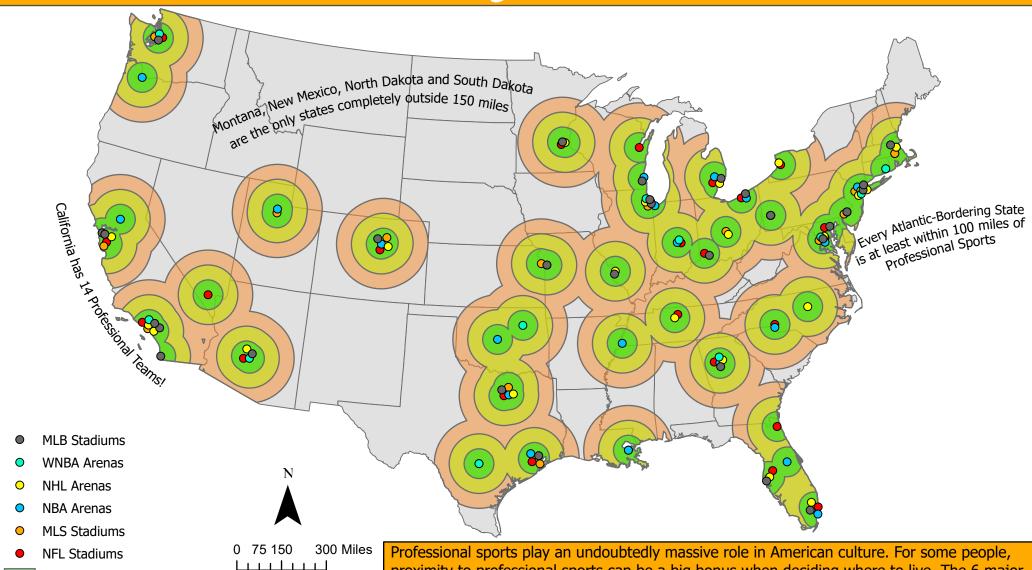
## Wanna Catch a Game?

Areas within 50, 100, and 150 miles of Professional Sports Venues in the Contiguous United States



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Areas Over 150 Miles from a Stadium

50 Mile Stadium Buffer

100 Mile Stadium Buffer

150 Mile Stadium Buffer

Professional sports play an undoubtedly massive role in American culture. For some people, proximity to professional sports can be a big bonus when deciding where to live. The 6 major professional sports leagues (Major League Baseball, Women's National Basketball, The National Hockey League, The National Basketball Association, Major League Soccer, and the National Football League) combine for 139 American teams. These teams are not spread out equally though. Some areas such as California, Florida, or the Eastern Seaboard have an over-abundance of teams while other areas of the Country like Iowa and New Mexico are well over 150 Miles from the nearest team. This map shows how far you might have to travel, just to see your favorite sport played at the highest level.