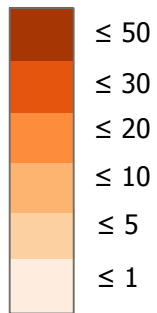


How much money was allocated to state arts agencies in 2020?

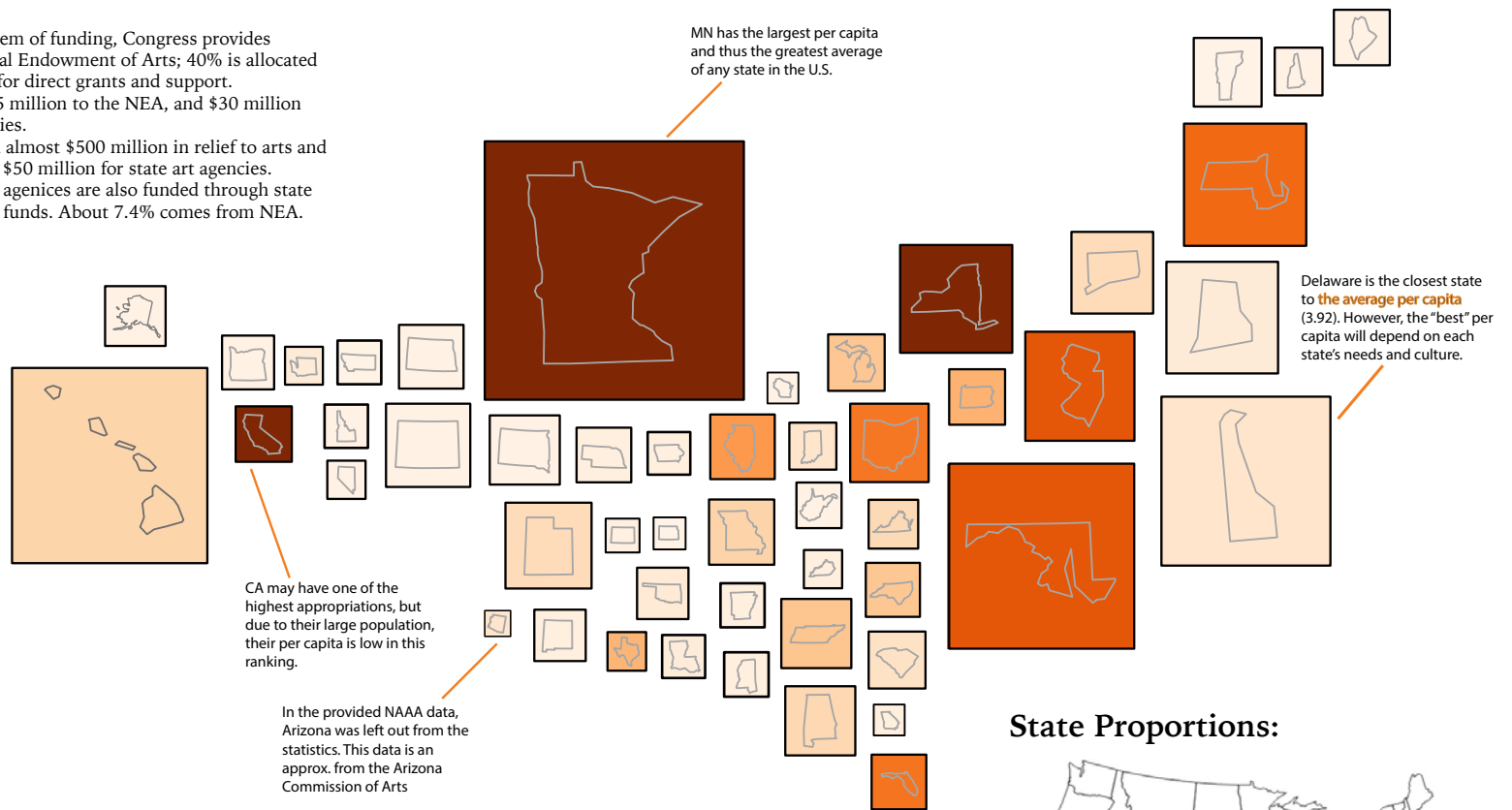
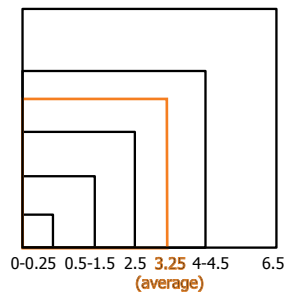
Quick Facts:

- > While each state has their own system of funding, Congress provides federal grant dollars to the National Endowment of Arts; 40% is allocated to the states and 60% is set aside for direct grants and support.
- > The CARES Act (2020) granted \$75 million to the NEA, and \$30 million was distributed to state arts agencies.
- > The recent ARP Act (2021) granted almost \$500 million in relief to arts and cultural organizations, with about \$50 million for state art agencies.
- > In addition to government support, agencies are also funded through state taxes, private donations and misc. funds. About 7.4% comes from NEA.

State Appropriations by Millions (\$)



State Appropriations Per Capita



State Proportions:



Why the size difference?

While some states may have more funding than others (portrayed through color), others may have a better *per capita*. This calculation shows how evenly distributed arts funding is relative to the state's population, which creates some interesting situations in a few areas.

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DATASETS

<https://www.naturalearthdata.com/>

RESEARCH

For the appropriations and per capita data, I had to create my own spreadsheet, which I accomplished with the following sources:

<https://nasaa-arts.org/research/funding/>

<https://azarts.gov/about-us/who-we-are/budget/>

https://nasaa-arts.org/nasaa_research/per-capita-spending-ranking-faq/

State	Leg. Approps	Per Capita Shading	
Alabama	5,978,528	1.21	*unsure of proper calculations for per capita
Alaska	697,100	0.95	Arizona Commission of Arts Data
Arizona	0	0.00	4,799,859 N/A*
Arkansas	1,501,853	0.50	
California	32,781,000	0.83	
Colorado	1,300,000	0.22	
Conneticut	5,424,552	1.53	
Delaware	3,866,700	3.92	
Florida	17,212,000	0.79	
Georgia	1,502,217	0.14	
Hawaii	6,530,067	4.64	
Idaho	874,800	0.48	
Illinios	13,271,800	1.05	
Indiana	3,920,491	0.58	
Iowa	1,467,188	0.46	
Kansas	500,000	0.17	
Kentucky	1,537,900	0.34	
Louisiana	2,180,683	0.47	
Maine	966,180	0.72	
Maryland	26,410,253	4.36	
Massachus	18,180,000	2.64	
Michigan	8,350,000	0.84	
Minnesota	36,044,000	6.37	
Mississippi	1,507,834	0.51	
Missouri	6,630,106	1.08	
Montana	528,036	0.49	
Nebraska	1,530,353	0.79	
Nevada	1,075,797	0.34	
New Hampr	816,615	0.60	
New Jersey	20,263,000	2.28	
New Mexico	1,482,600	0.70	
New York	45,174,000	2.34	
North Carc	8,277,787	0.78	
North Dako	809,342	1.06	
Ohio	16,815,913	1.44	

Oklahoma	2,796,030	0.70
Oregon	3,084,853	0.73
Pennsylvania	10,474,000	0.82
Rhode Island	2,487,857	2.35
South Carolina	4,366,187	0.84
South Dakota	1,082,628	1.21
Tennessee	8,431,000	1.22
Texas	10,214,538	0.35
Utah	5,377,100	1.65
Vermont	718,589	1.15
Virginia	5,638,134	0.66
Washington	2,574,000	0.33
West Virginia	933,815	0.52
Wisconsin	813,097	0.14
Wyoming	929,217	1.60