# Relative College Completion Rates in Appalachia, 1990

## (County Rates as a Percentage of the U.S. Average)



WISCONSIN

MICHIGAN

NEW YORK

ILLINOIS

INDIANA

OHIO

PENNSYLVANIA

NJ

MARYLAND

DE

WEST VIRGINIA

KENTUCKY

VIRGINIA

TENNESSEE

NORTH CAROLINA

SOUTH CAROLINA

GEORGIA

MISSISSIPPI

ALABAMA

0   50   100
Miles
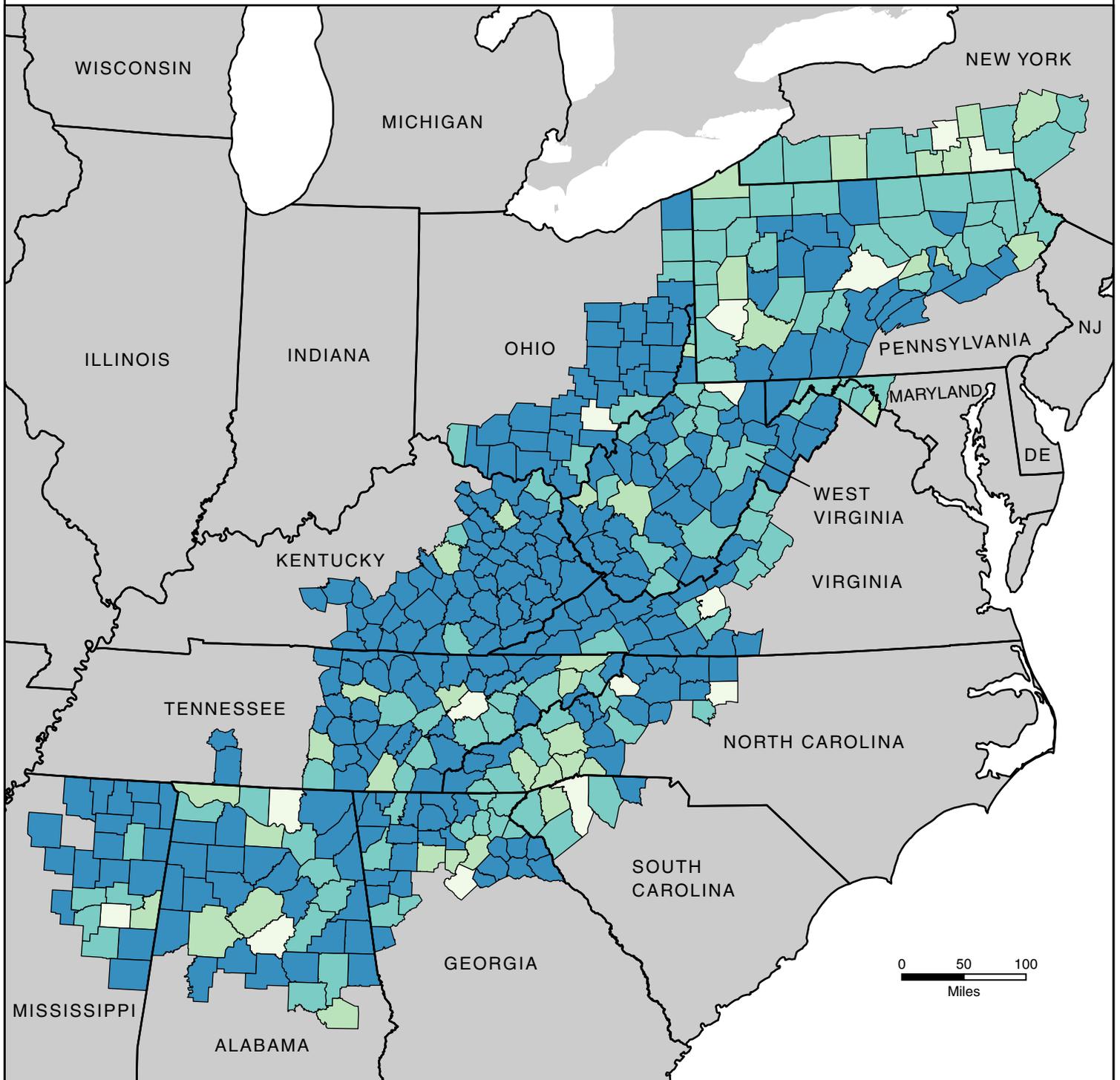
A college completion rate is the percentage of adults, 25 years and over, completing 4 years of college or more. The percent of the U.S. average is computed by dividing the county college completion rate by the national average and multiplying by 100. The map uses critical breaks such as the national average to organize the data into groups of common values.

U.S. average = 20.3%
Appalachian average = 14.2%

### Percent of the U.S. Average

- 18.1% - 49.9%
- 50.0% - 74.9%
- 75.0% - 99.9%
- 100.0% - 205.2%

*(Critical Breaks Classification)*

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Map Created: October 2009.
Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 1990 Census, STF3A.