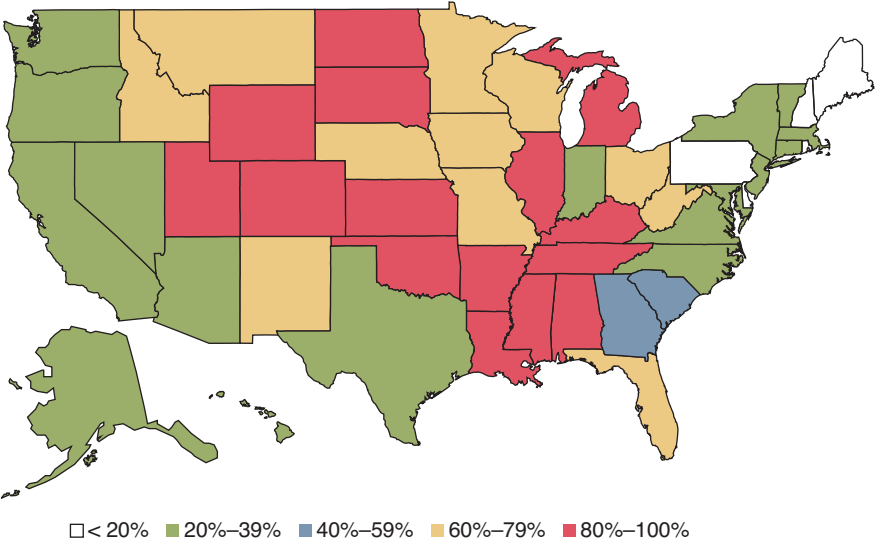


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**Percent of ACT-Tested
High School Graduates by State, 2012**



Percent of Graduates Who Took the ACT by State

At least 60% of all 2012 high school graduates took the ACT in 26 states. In 15 states, at least 80% of their high school graduates took the ACT.

In 2 states, between 40% and 59% of their 2012 high school graduates took the ACT during high school, while another 17 states saw between 20% and 39% of their high school graduates take the ACT. Less than 20% of 2012 graduates took the ACT in 5 states.

Graph reads: In 2012, less than 20% of the high school graduates in 5 states (e.g., Pennsylvania) took the ACT test at least once during their sophomore, junior, or senior year.