## State-Level Regulatory Restrictions

## California has the most regulatory restrictions in its regulations, while South Dakota has the fewest.



Note: State RegData includes data on 46 states and the District of Columbia that were gathered and analyzed between June 2015 and August 2019. Uncolored states are those for which the number of regulatory restrictions has not been calculated. Source: Patrick A. McLaughlin, Oliver Sherouse, Daniel Francis, Jonathan Nelson, Thurston Powers, Walter Stover, and James Broughel, State RegData (dataset), QuantGov, Mercatus Center at George Mason University, Arlington, VA, accessed September 9, 2019, https://quantgov.org/state-regdata/; Bing Maps (data), © GeoNames, HERE, MSFT. Produced by the Mercatus Center at George Mason University, September 2019.


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