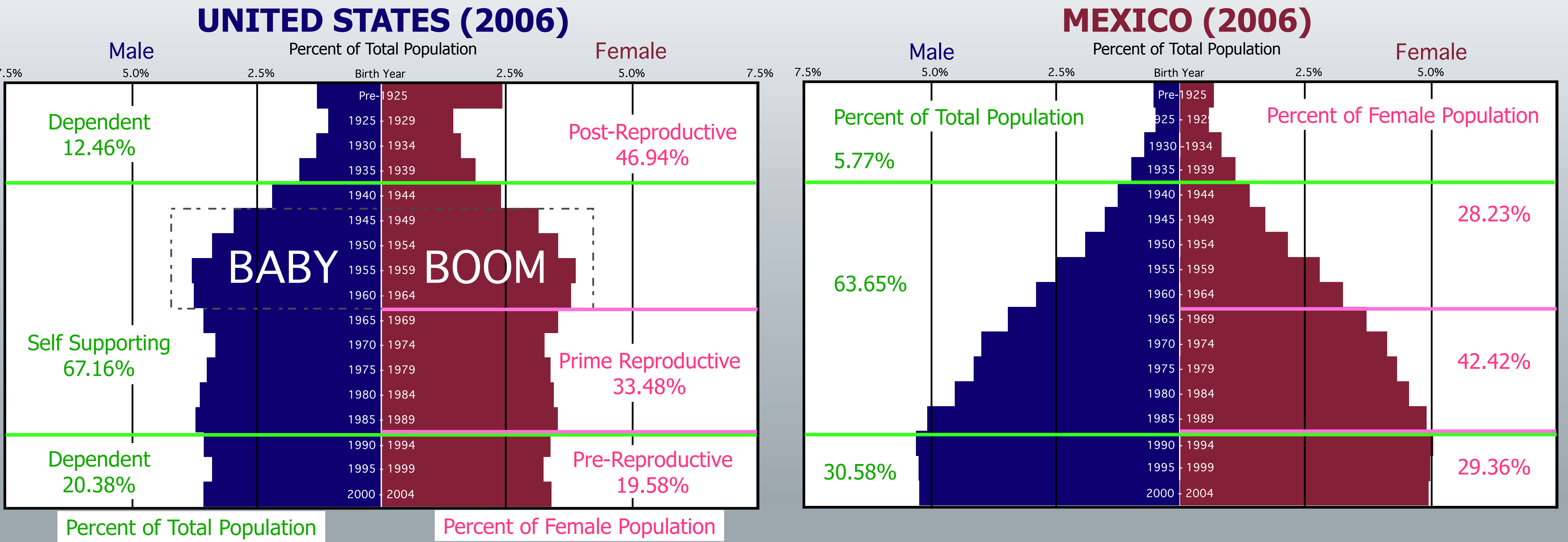


BASICS OF DEMOGRAPHY

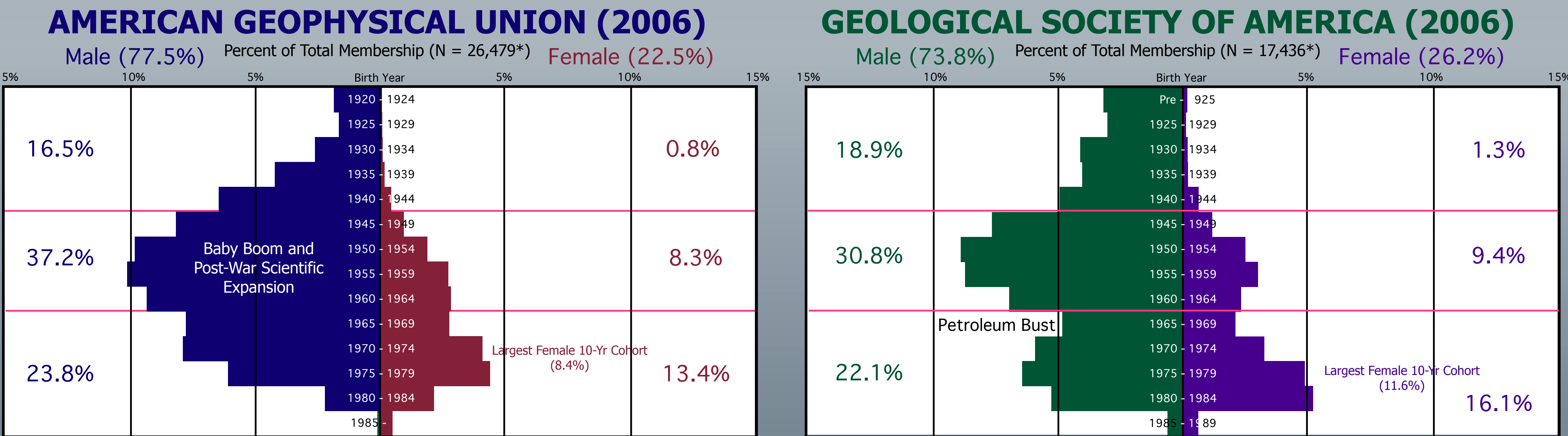
Growth Rate = Birth Rate - Death Rate +/- Migration



Columnar Shape = Stable Population

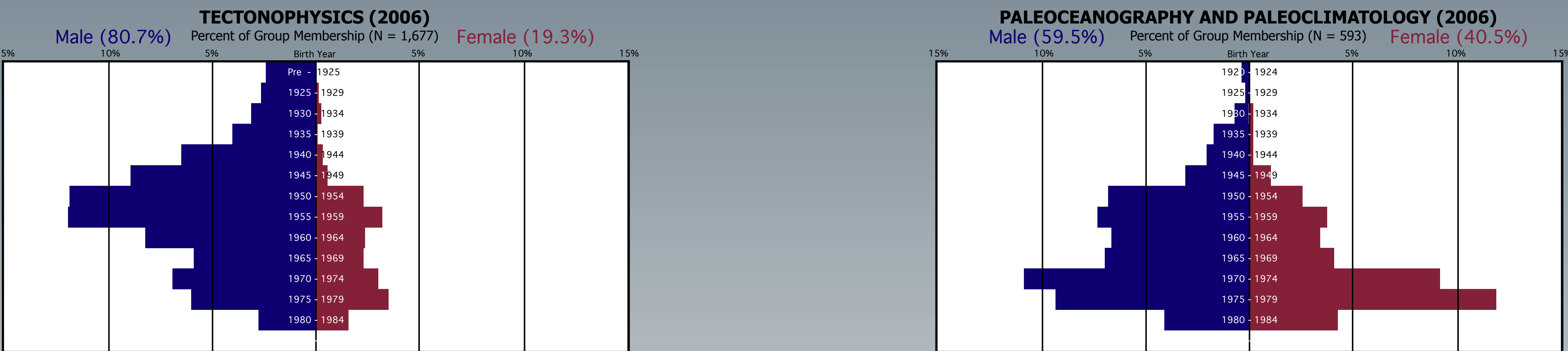
Pyramidal Shape = Expanding Population

DEMOGRAPHY OF GEOSCIENCE SOCIETIES



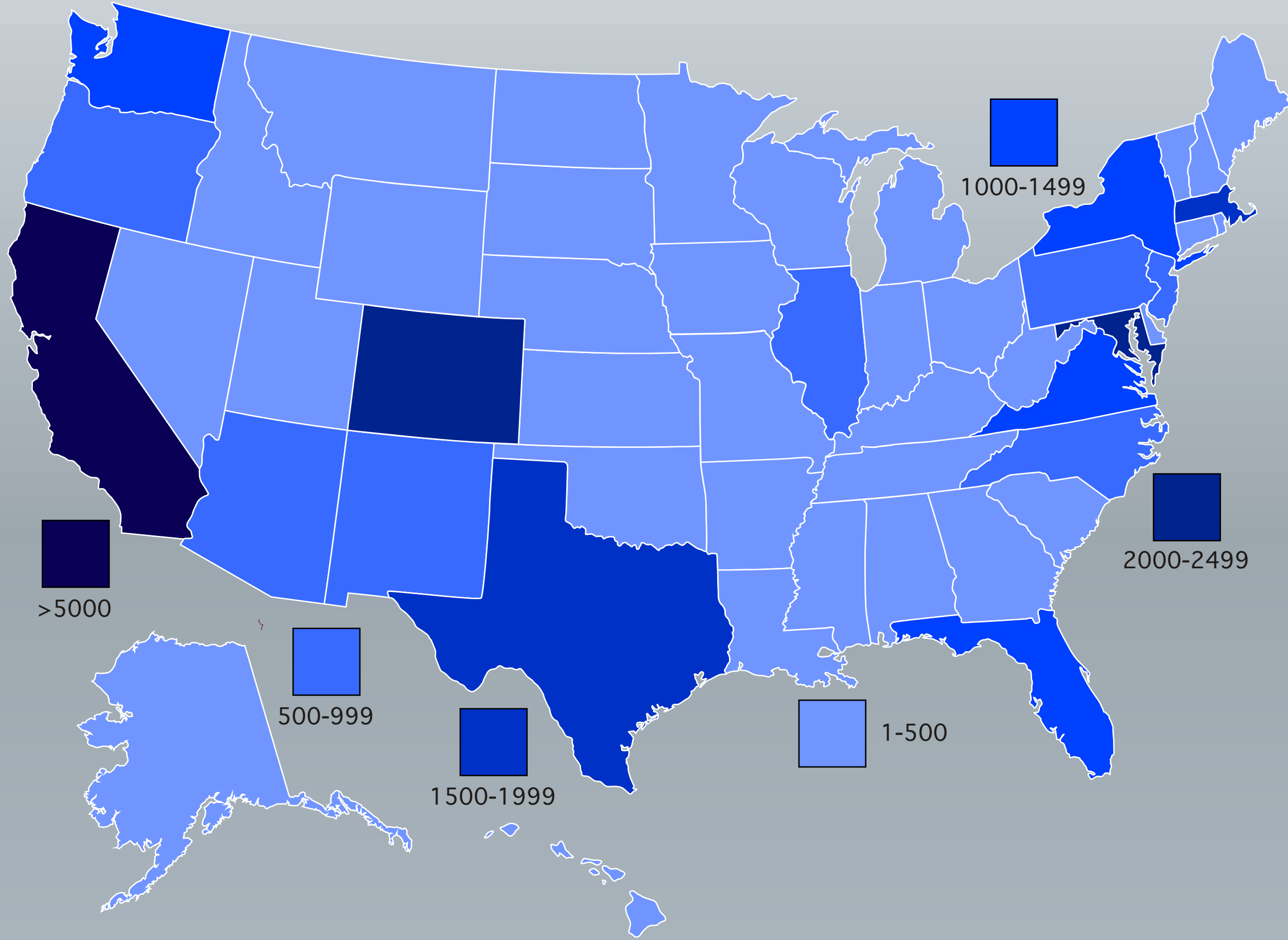
(* Includes only those members for whom both gender and birth year are recorded.)

DEMOGRAPHY OF GEOSCIENCE SPECIALTIES (AGU INTEREST GROUPS)

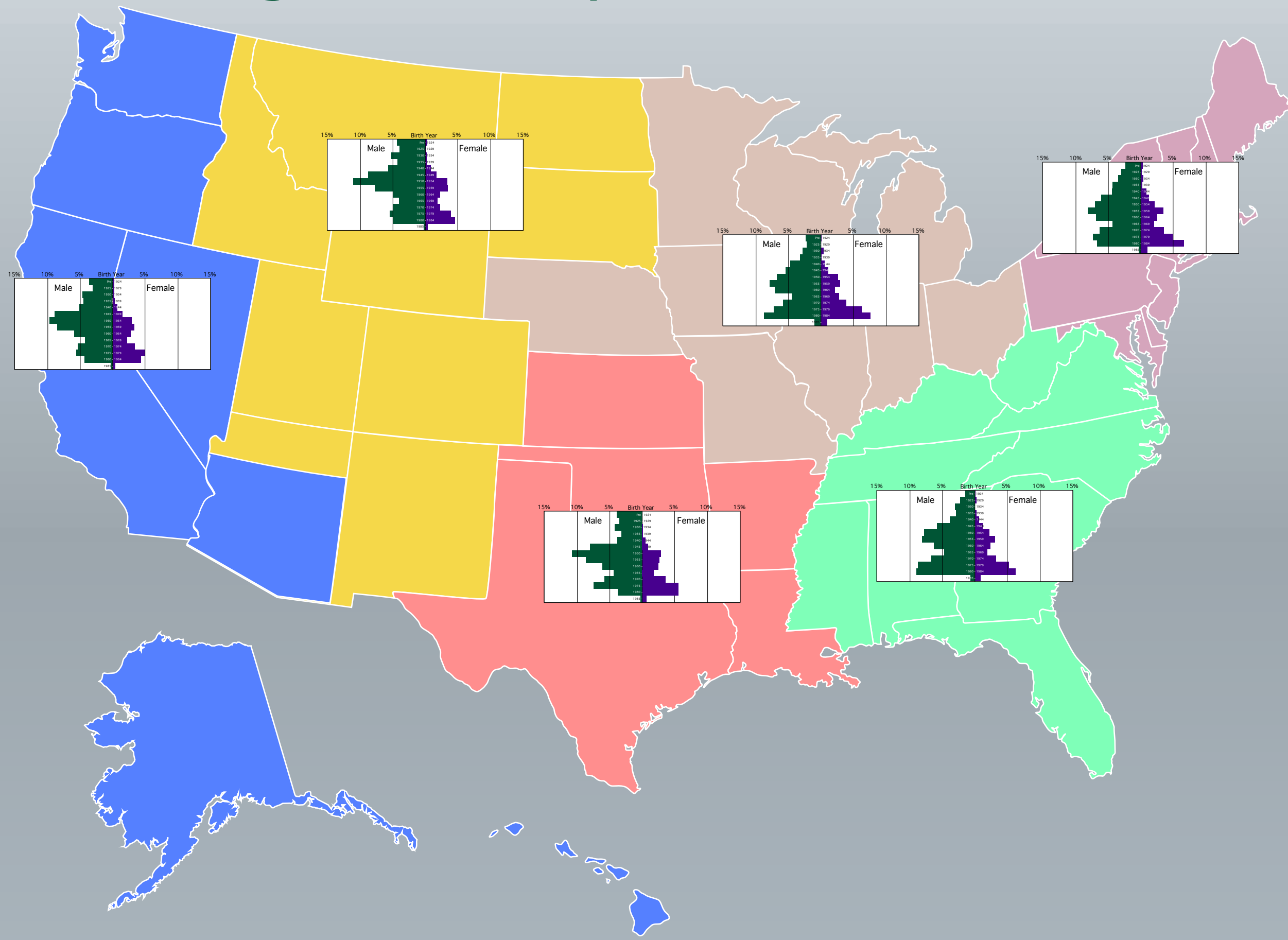


SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION OF GEOSCIENTISTS IN THE UNITED STATES

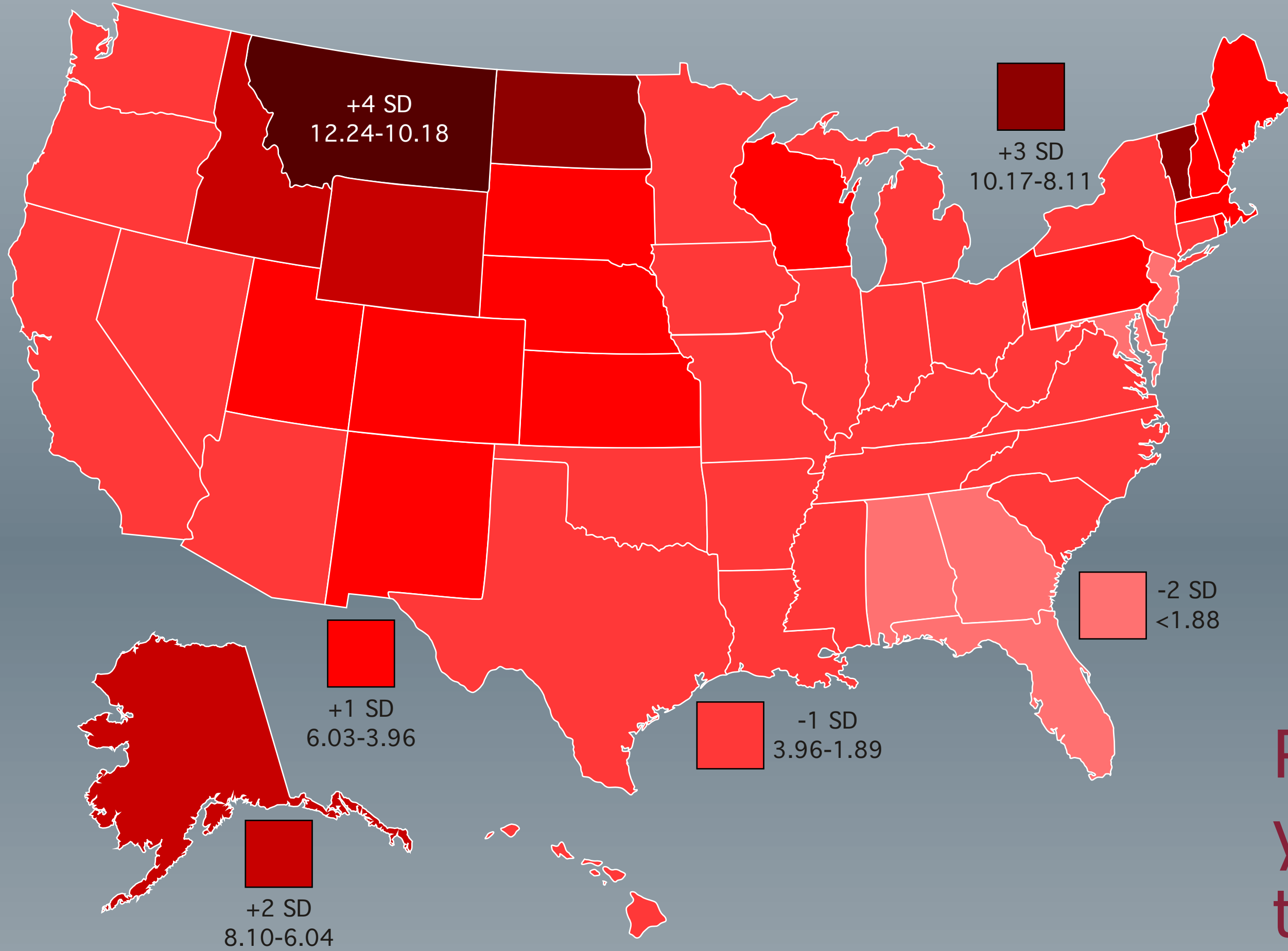
Number of American Geophysical Union Members (Equal Interval Units)



Population Structure of Geological Society of America Sections



Number of Geoscience Degree Programs Per Million Population



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29% of all science and engineering degree holders are age 50 or older

44% of doctorate degree holders are age 50 or older

50% of doctorate degree holders leave full-time employment by age 66

National Science Foundation Science and Engineering Indicators 2006 (<http://www.nsf.gov/statistics/seind06/c3/c3h.htm>)

Remember, in China when you are one in a million -- there are 1,300 other people just like you.

--Thomas Friedman
The World is Flat