

# MATES Data Visualization Health Risk Data

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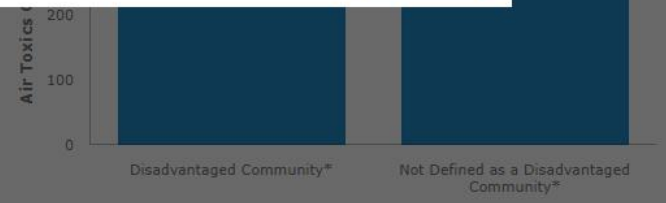
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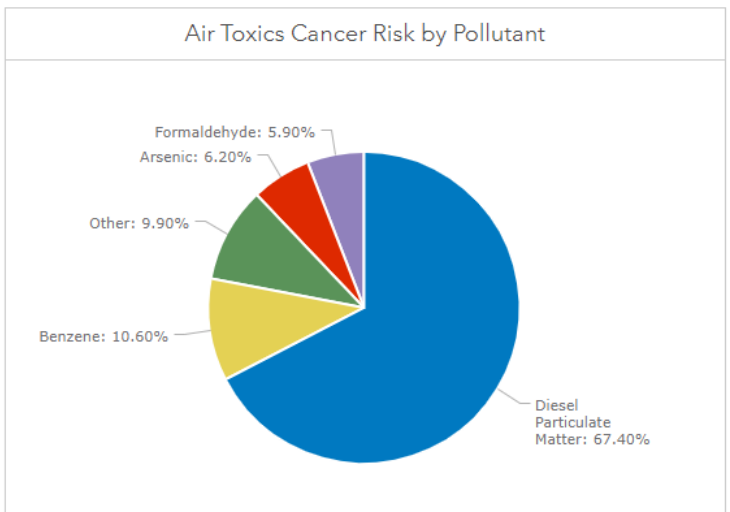
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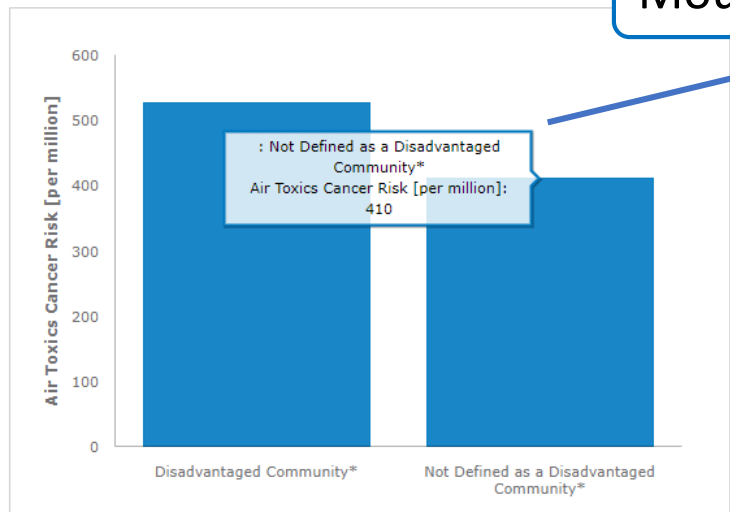


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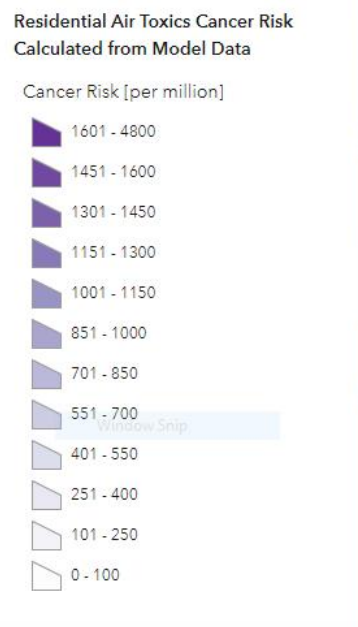
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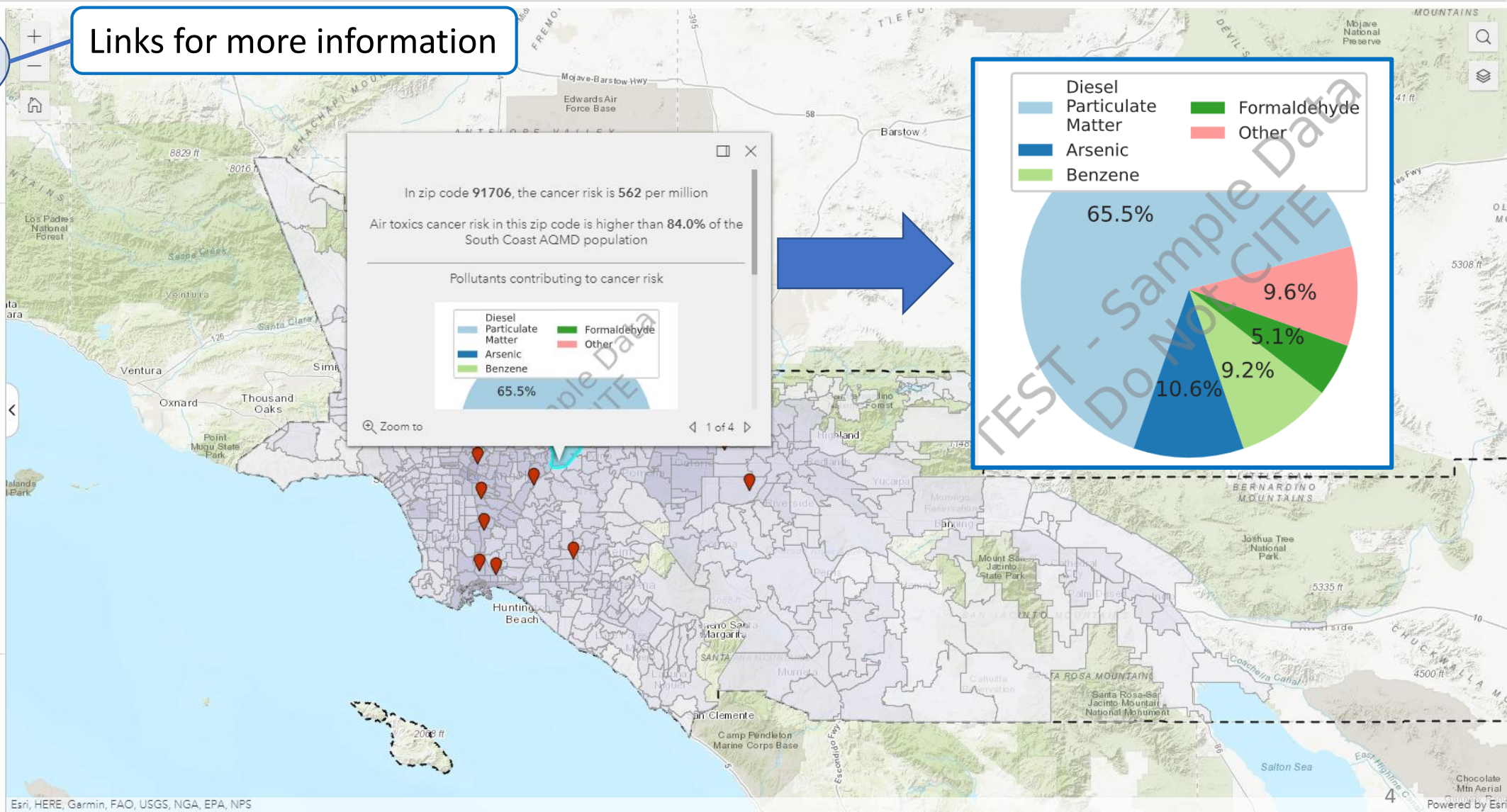
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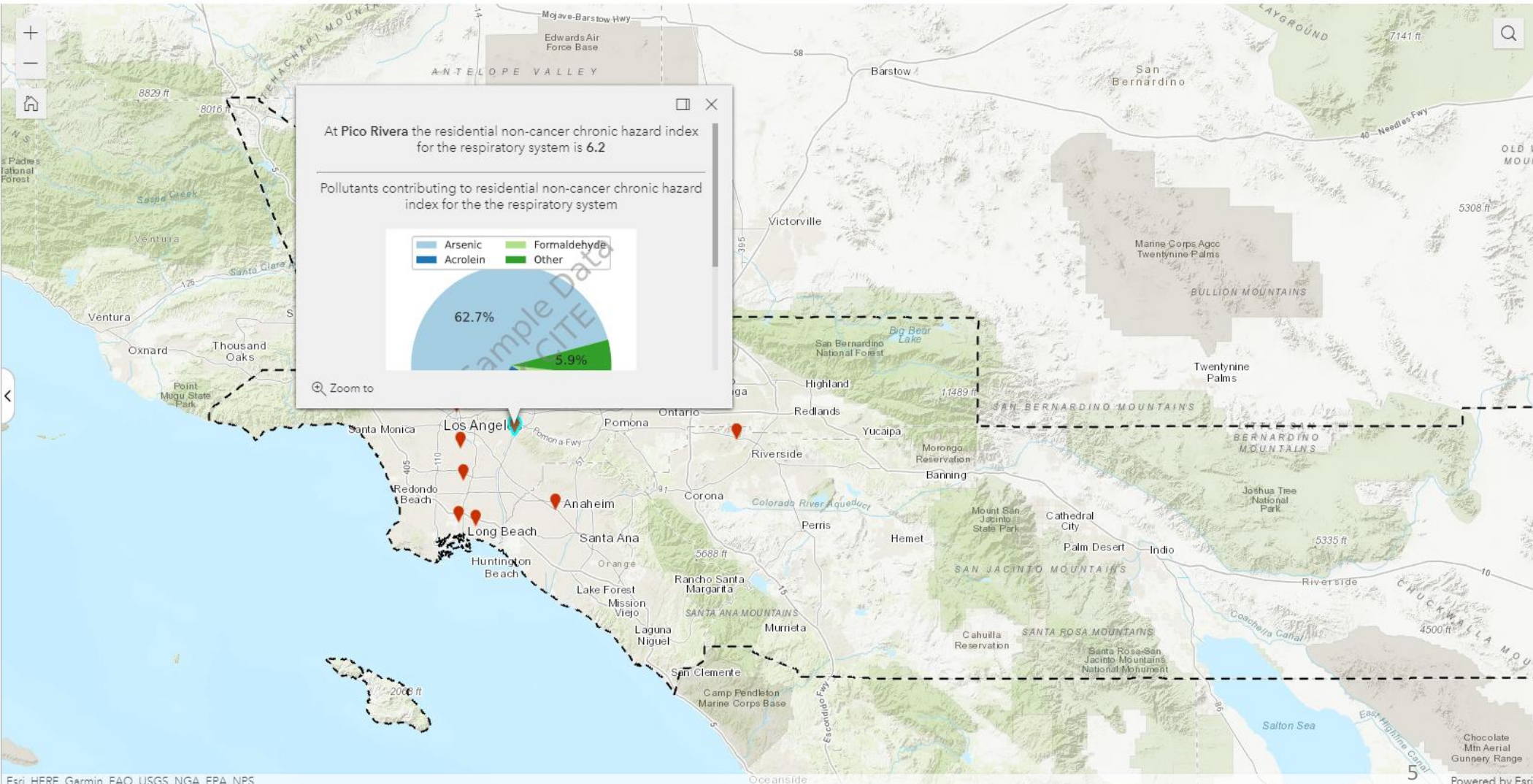
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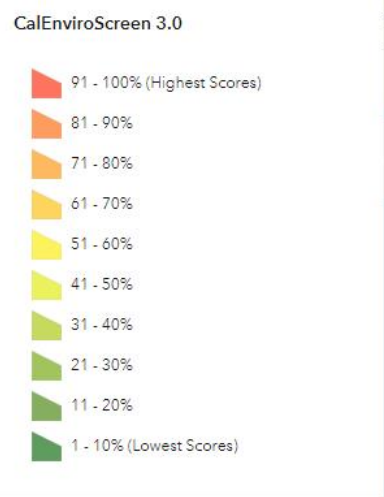


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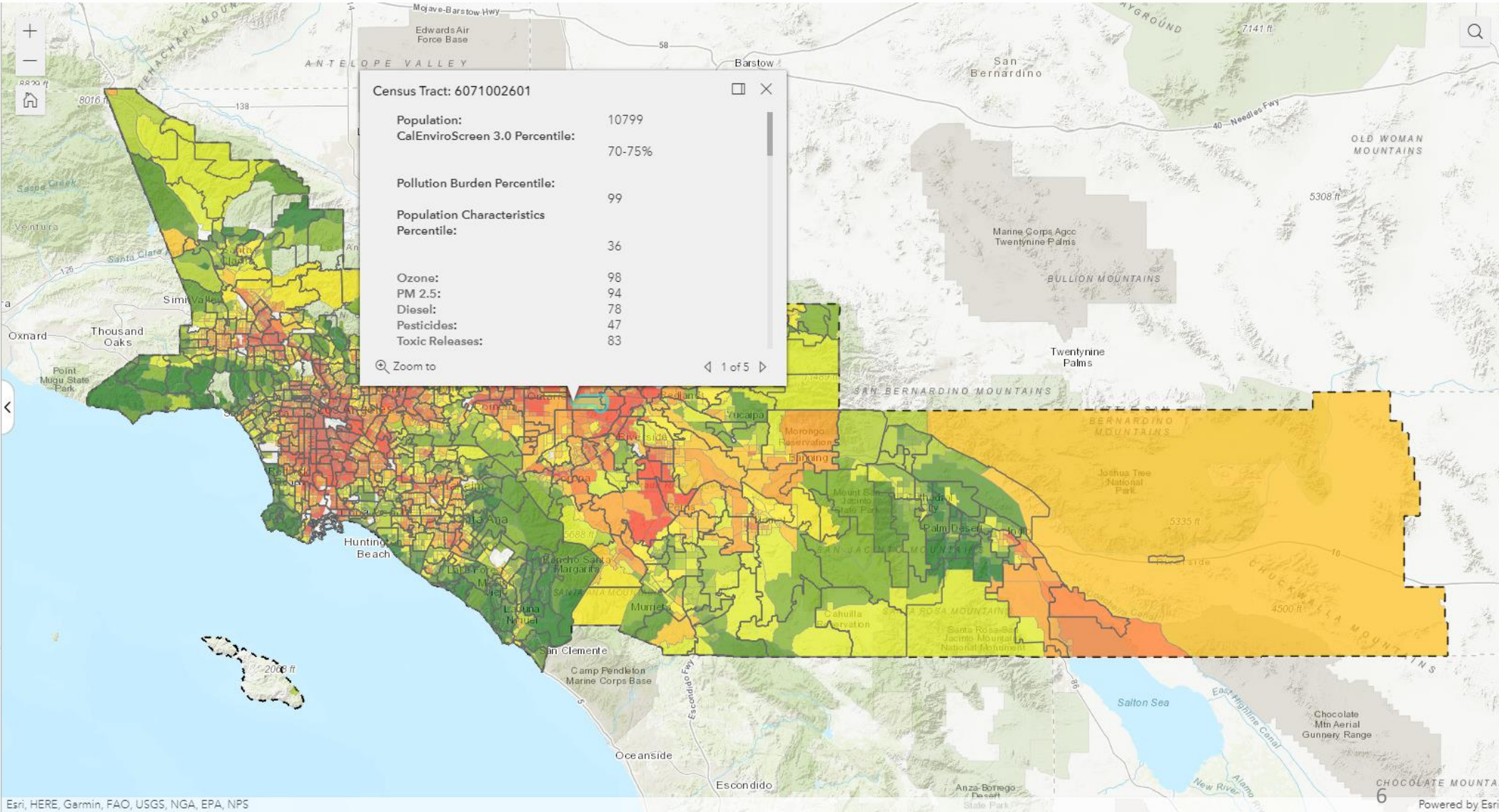
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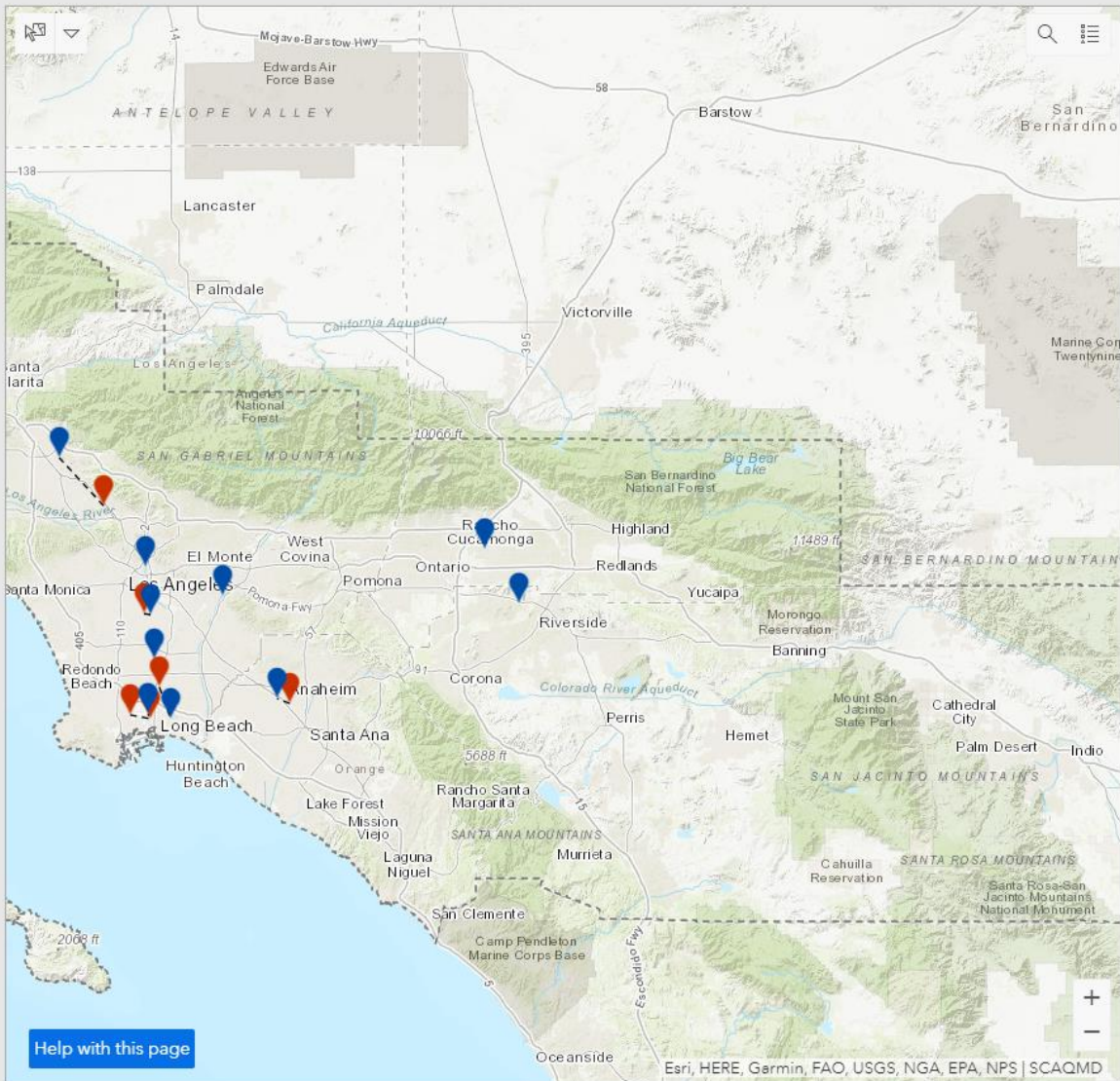
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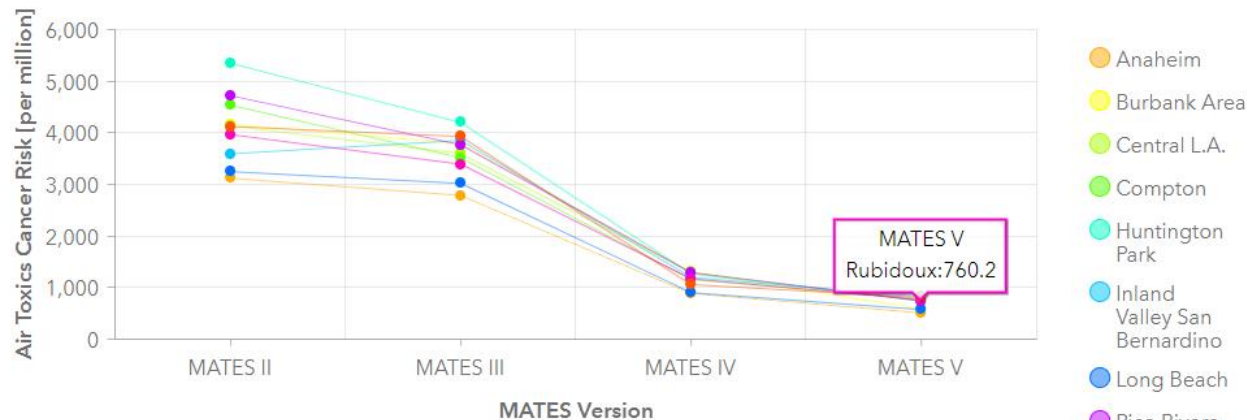
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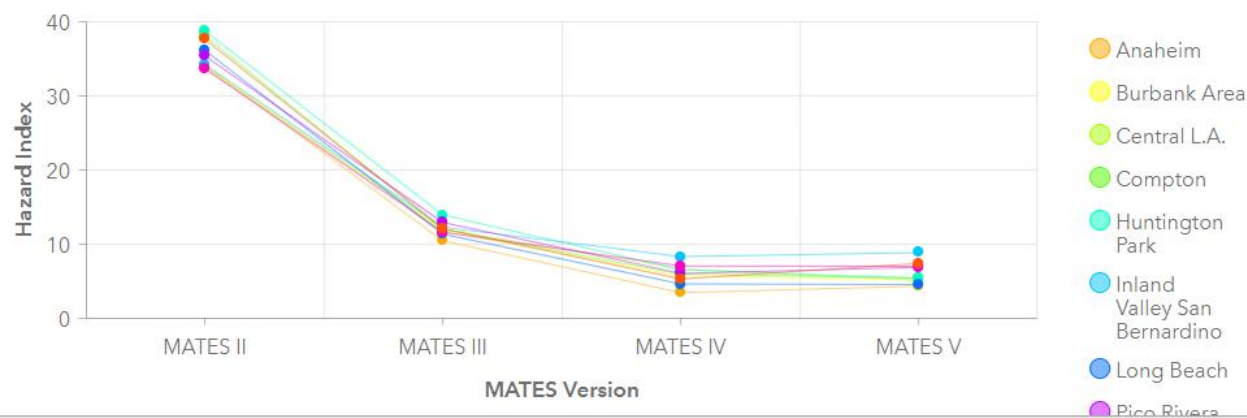


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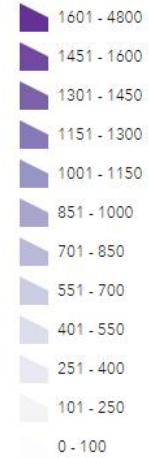
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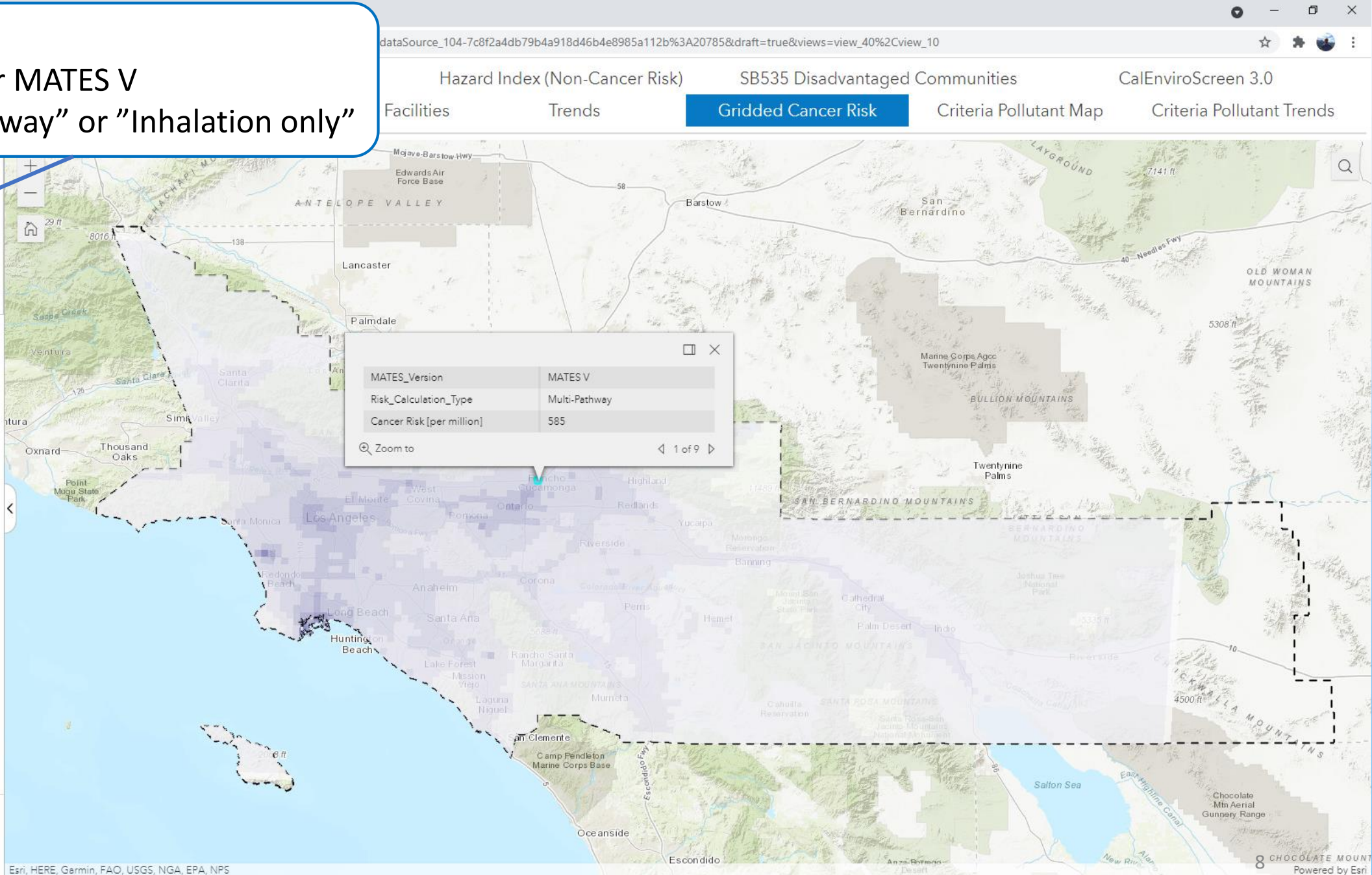
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**PM<sub>2.5</sub> NAAQS: 35 µg m<sup>-3</sup>**  
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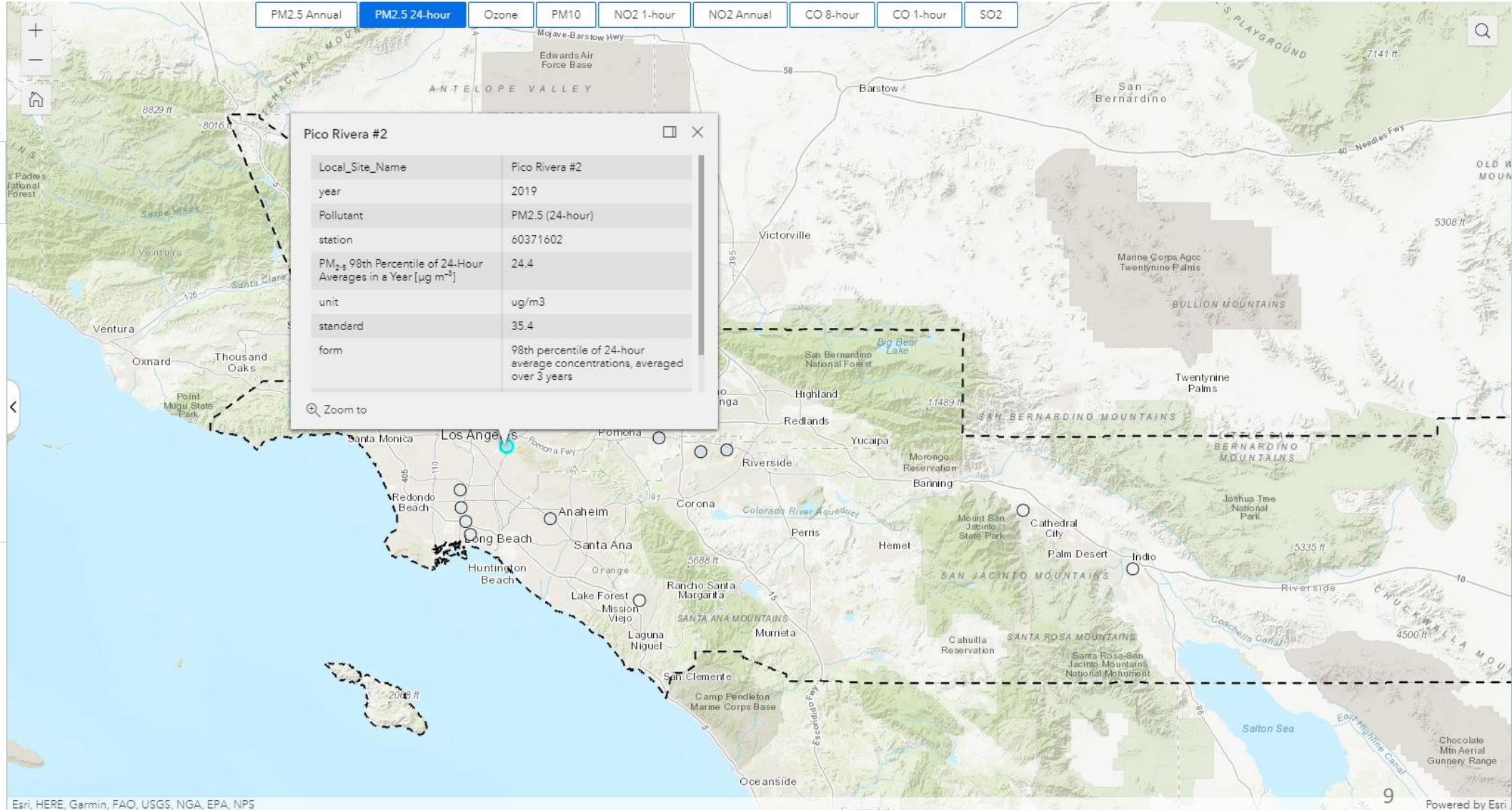
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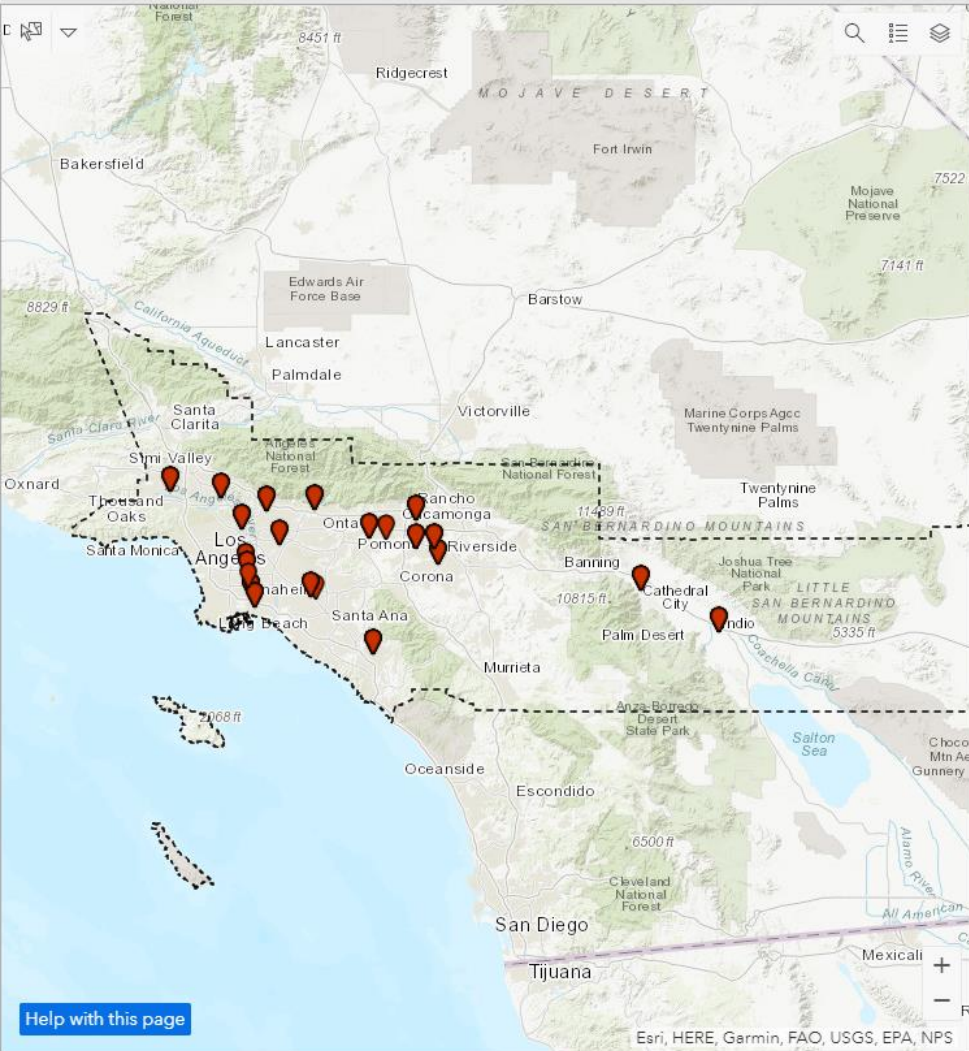
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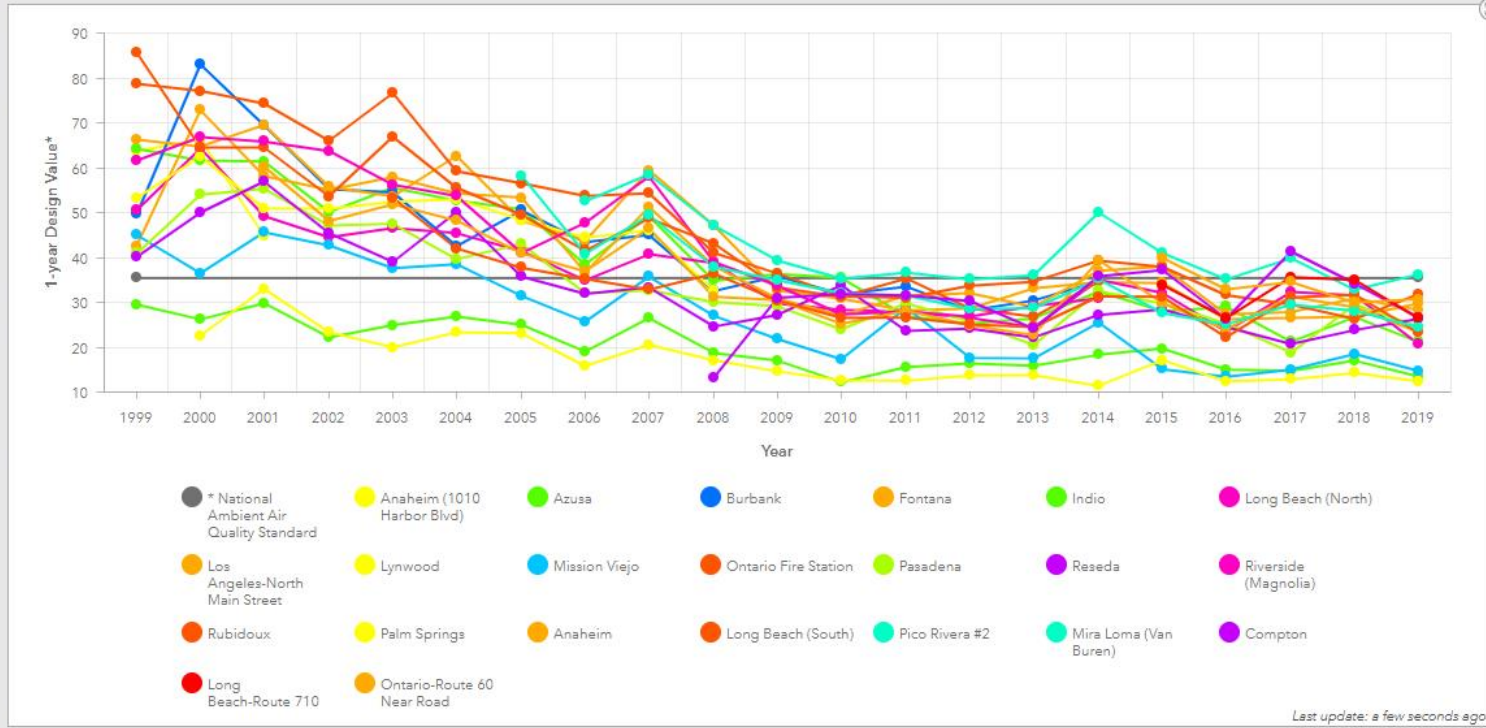
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- CO (1-hour)
- CO (8-hour)
- NO2 (1-hour)
- NO2 (1-year)
- O3
- PM10
- PM2.5 (1-year)
- PM2.5 (24-hour)
- SO2



PM2.5 (24-hour) [ug/m3]  
 (98th percentile of 24-hour average concentrations, averaged over 3 years)  
 Year of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard: 2006



\*The 1-year design values shown in this graph are 1-year statistics that are based on the form of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS). The design value for PM10 shown on this graph is the second highest concentration in the year. Attainment of the NAAQS is based on the three-year average of the 1-year design value.

Exceptional events were not removed from the concentration data before calculating the 1-year statistics. Determination of attainment will be based on three-year design values calculated without exceptional events.

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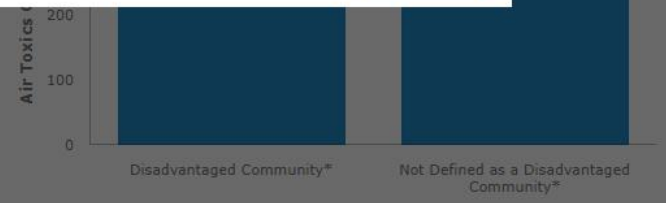
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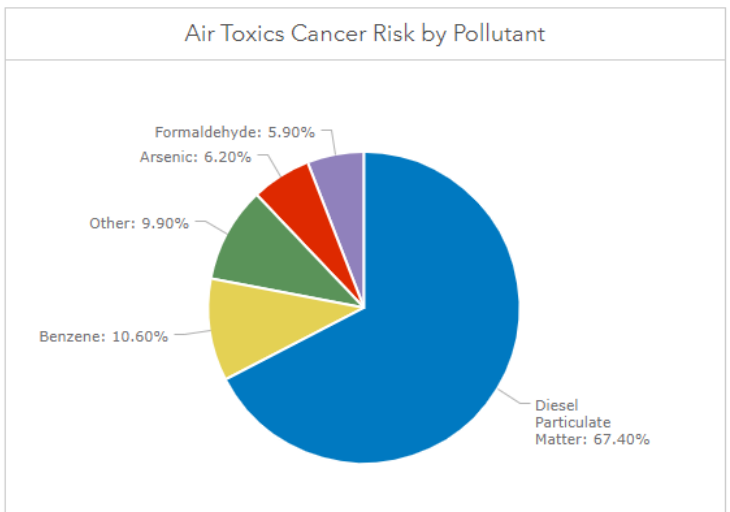
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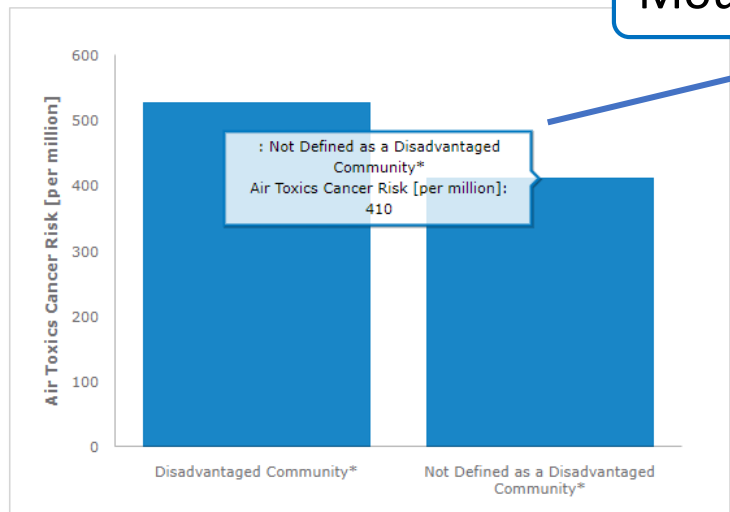


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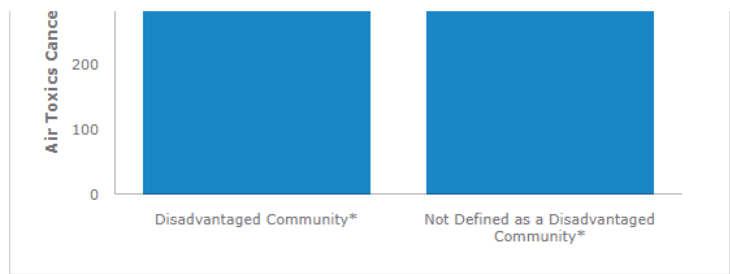
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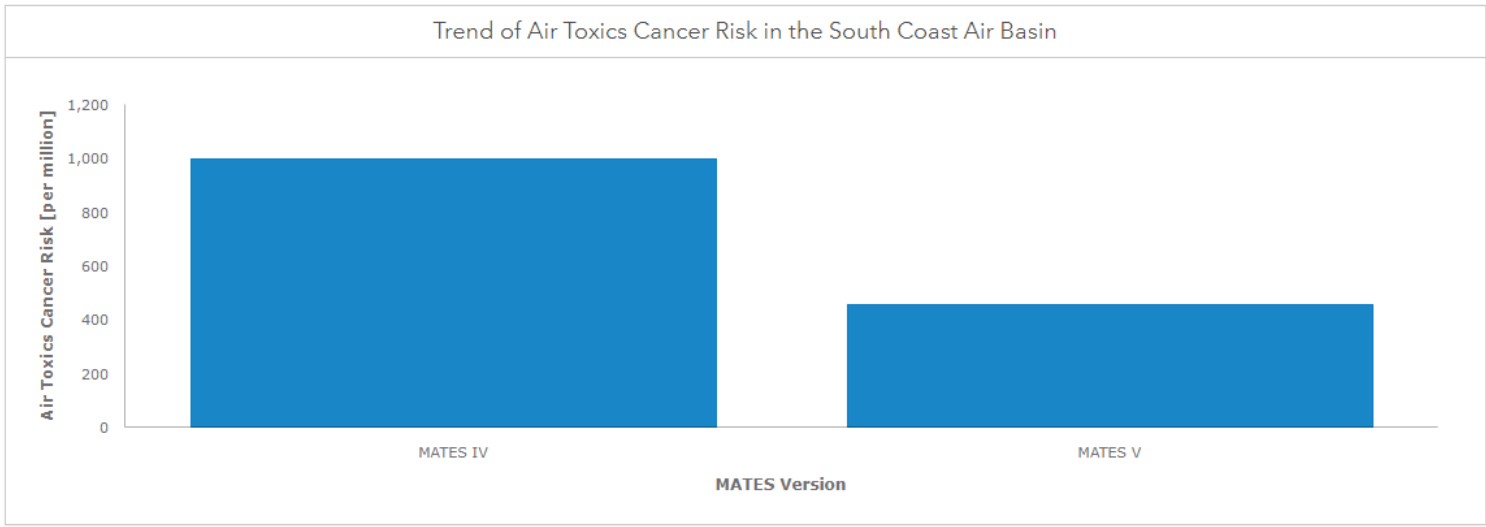
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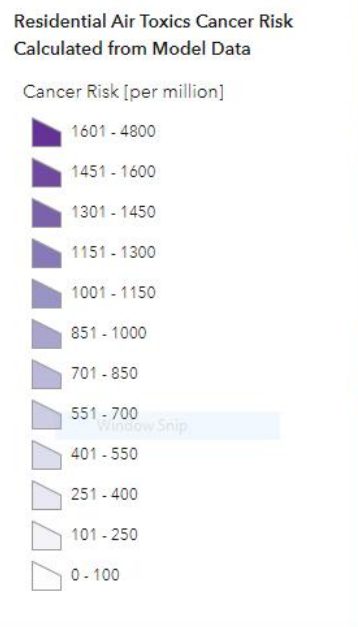


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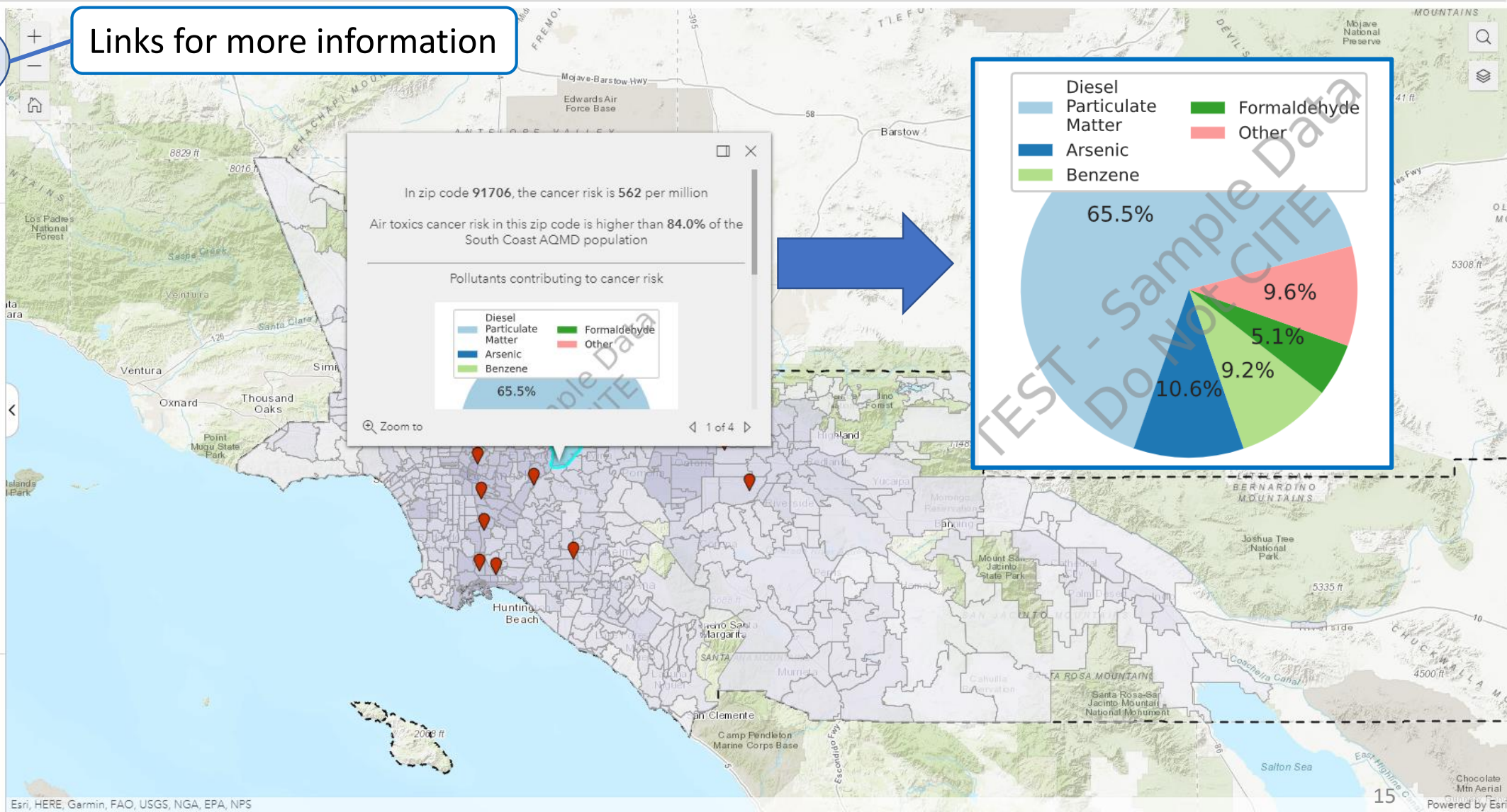


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## What is Cancer Risk?

Cancer risk is expressed as the number of extra cancer cases occurring over a 70 year lifetime per one million people exposed to toxic air contaminants.

## How is Cancer Risk Determined?

Cancer risk is determined by a method called health risk assessment. Between 2019 and 2020 the South Coast AQMD conducted a comprehensive health risk assessment, as part of MATES V, involving widespread measurements and air pollution modeling.

## Why are Measured and Modeled Risks Not Exactly the Same?

Modelled cancer risks are calculated from simulations of toxics concentrations for every hour of the year in the entire South Coast AQMD jurisdiction. These simulations depend on weather models, emissions, and chemistry, which have uncertainties. Measured cancer risks are calculated from air toxics measurements at 10 sites, which are conducted for a 24-hour period every 6th day for the entire year. There are also uncertainties in these measurements, which arise when the levels of some species are too small to accurately measure with modern measurement techniques.

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Pollutant Map Criteria Pollutant Trends

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# About Community Profile Statistics

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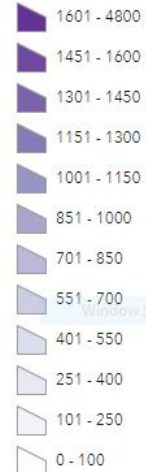
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## CalEnviroScreen 3.0 Score

The CalEnviroScreen 3.0 score in the community profile statistics shows the range from the minimum to the maximum of the CalEnviroScreen 3.0 scores for census tracts that are inside the zip code.

## SB535 Community

The SB535 community designation in the community profile statistics indicates if the census tracts inside the zip code are designated SB535 disadvantaged communities.

- "Yes" - all census tracts are SB535 disadvantaged communities
- "No" - no census tracts are SB535 disadvantaged communities
- "Partially" some but not all census tracts are SB535 disadvantaged communities.

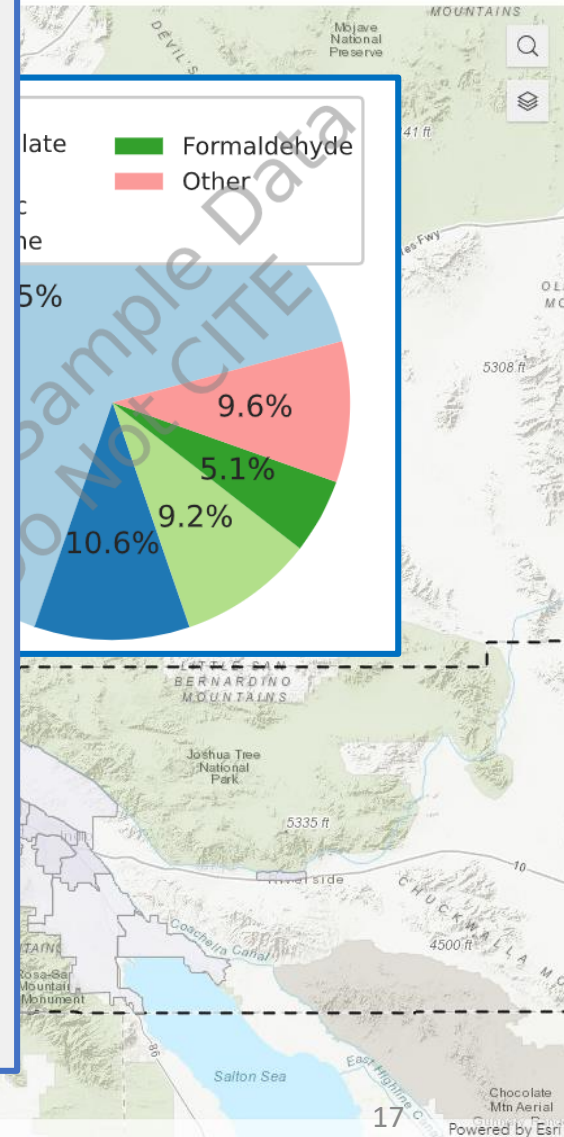
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# About Emission Sources

## About Major Emission Sources

**Diesel Particulate Matter** - Exhaust from trucks, buses, trains, ships, and other equipment with diesel engines contains a mixture of gases and solid particles. These solid particles are known as diesel particulate matter (diesel PM). The highest levels of diesel PM are near ports, rail yards and freeways. <https://oehha.ca.gov/calenviroscreen/indicator/diesel-particulate-matter>

**Benzene and 1,3-Butadiene** - Benzene and 1,3-butadiene are emitted predominantly from gasoline-powered mobile sources. Development of newer vehicles and use of reformulated gasoline has likely reduced emissions of these pollutants.

**Arsenic** - Sources of arsenic include paved road dust, construction dust, mineral processes, metal processes, refineries and fuel combustion

**Formaldehyde** - Formaldehyde is emitted from mobile sources - and is also formed as a secondary pollutant through chemical reactions of VOCs in the atmosphere.

**Carbon Tetrachloride** - While uses of carbon tetrachloride as a solvent, in fire extinguishers and in other applications such as cleaning agents has largely been eliminated, some local emissions from industrial sources remain. In addition, long atmospheric lifetime of 85 years and previous widespread use results in a global background concentration of approximately 0.1 mg/m3.

**Hexavalent Chromium** - Localized increases in hexavalent chromium can occur near facilities using hexavalent chromium-containing materials, such as metal platers, facilities using chromate paints, or cement manufacturing and batch plants.

**Acrolein** - Acrolein is formed from combustion processes and reaction of other VOCs in the atmosphere.

**Bromomethane (Methyl Bromide)** - Higher concentrations are often observed along the port complexes as a result of bromomethane being used as a fumigant for agricultural goods being transported in shipping containers.

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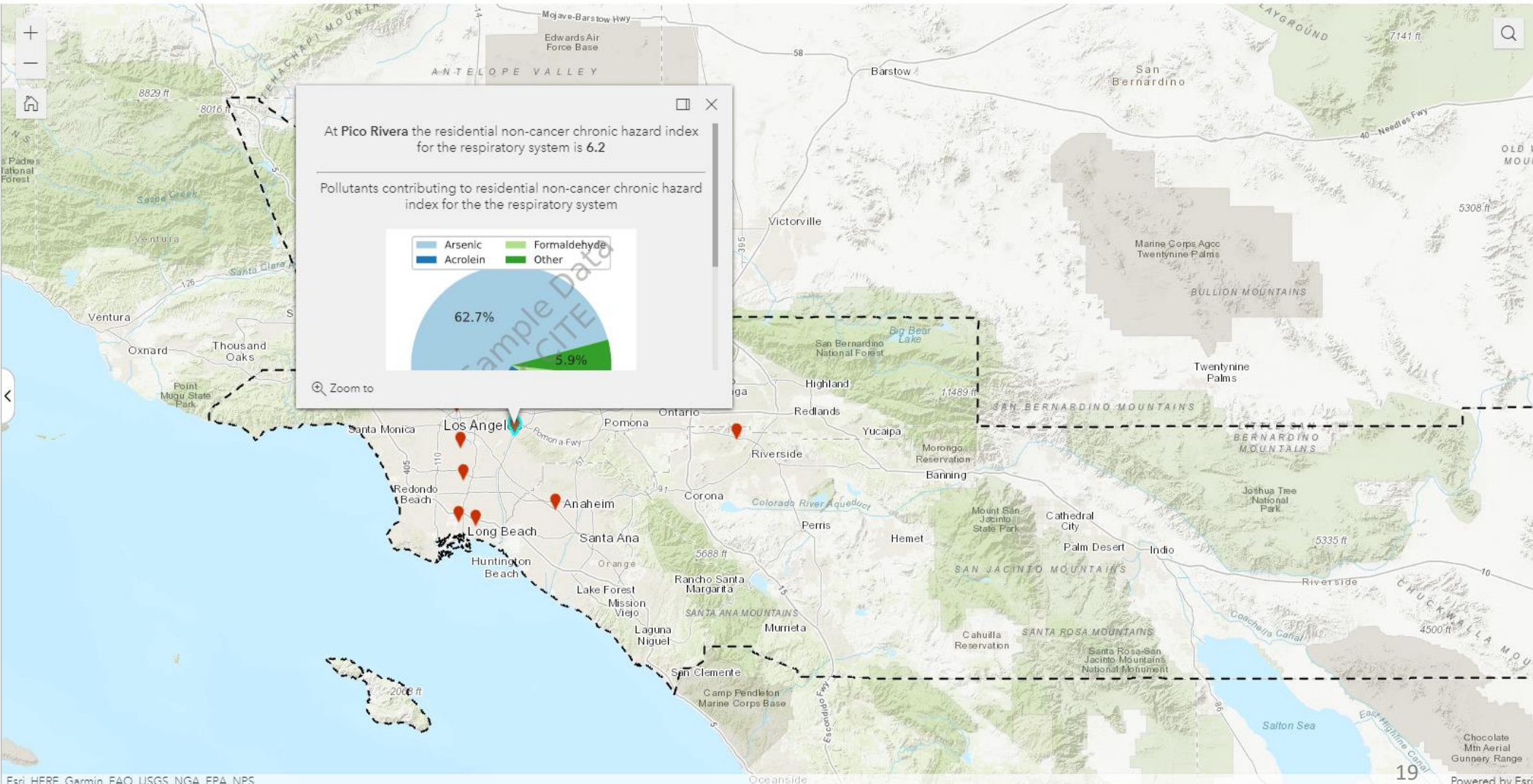
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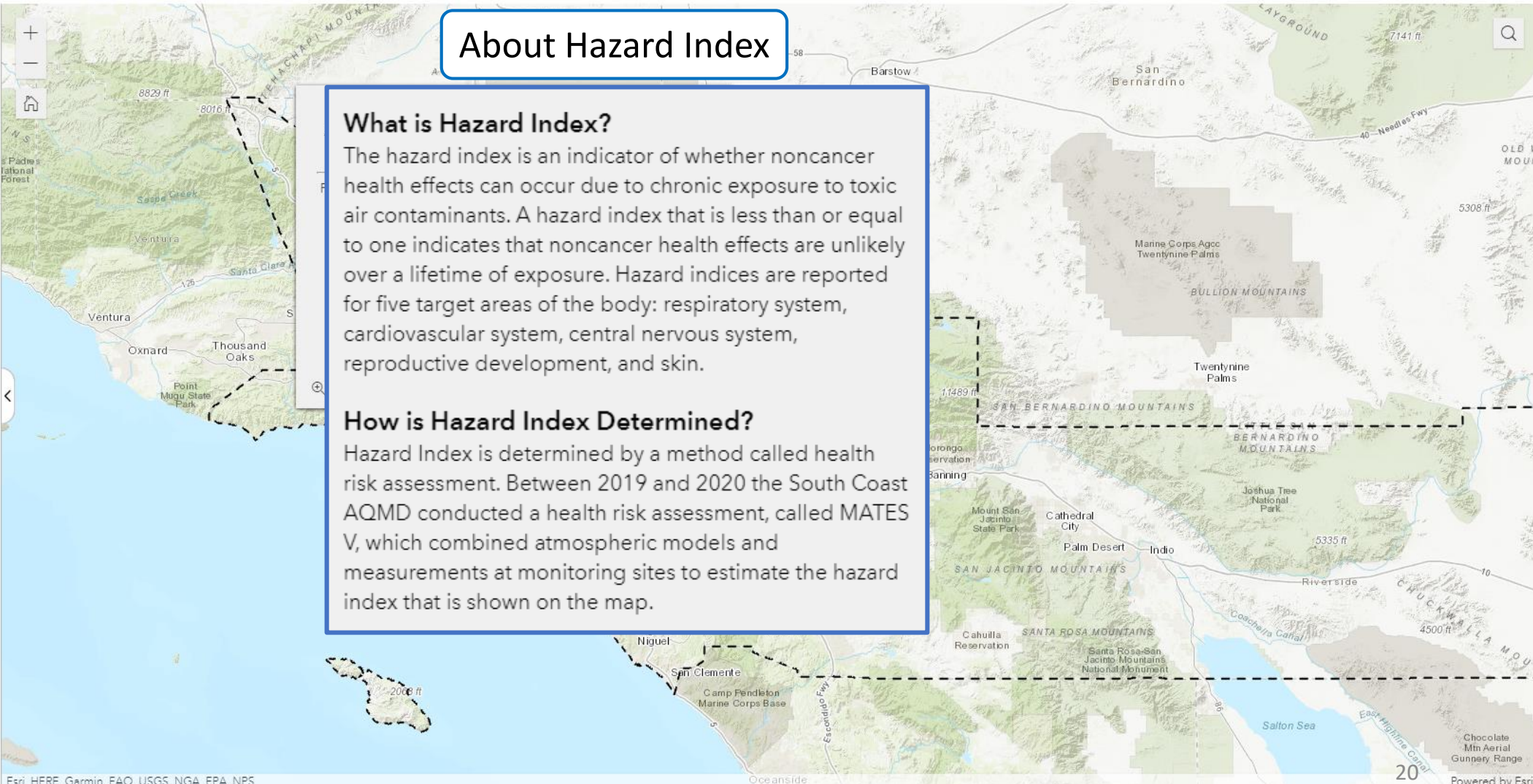
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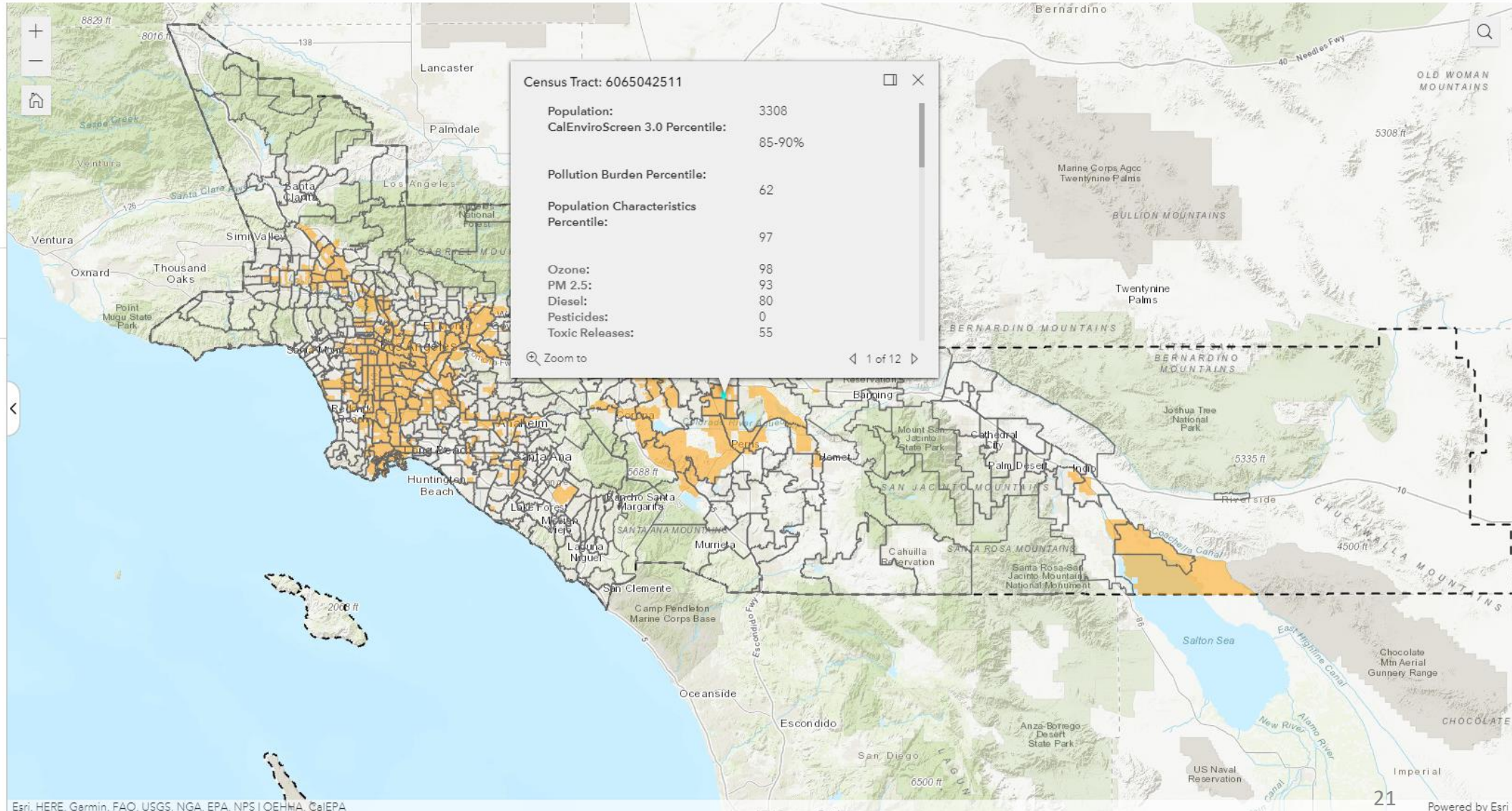
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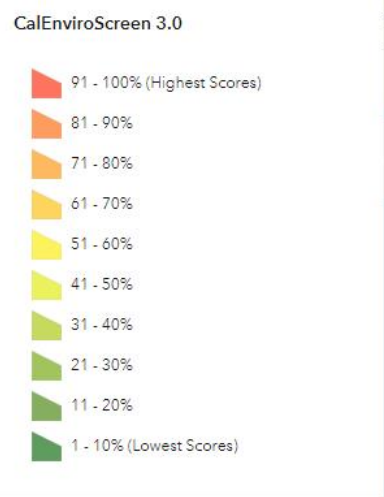


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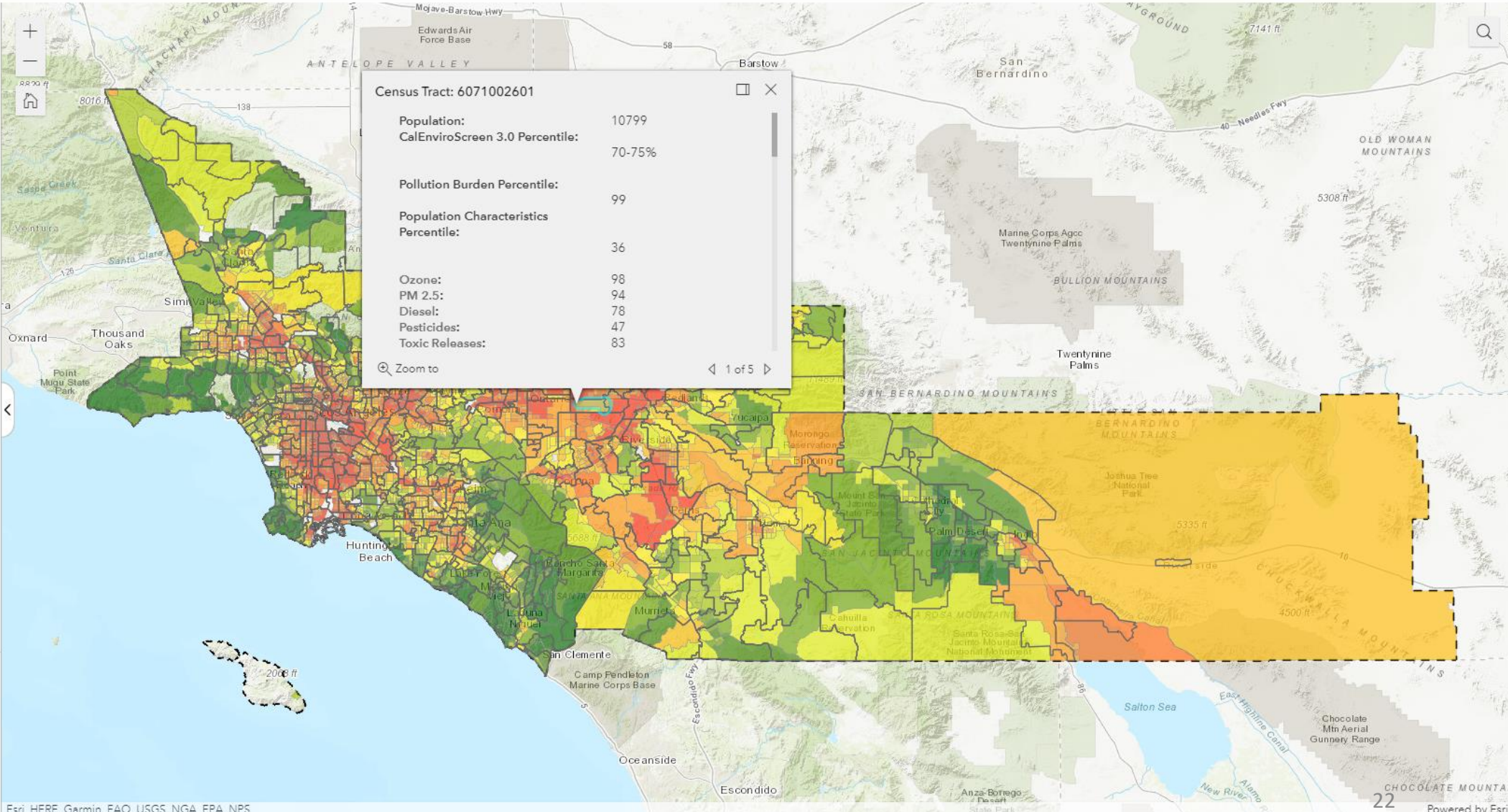
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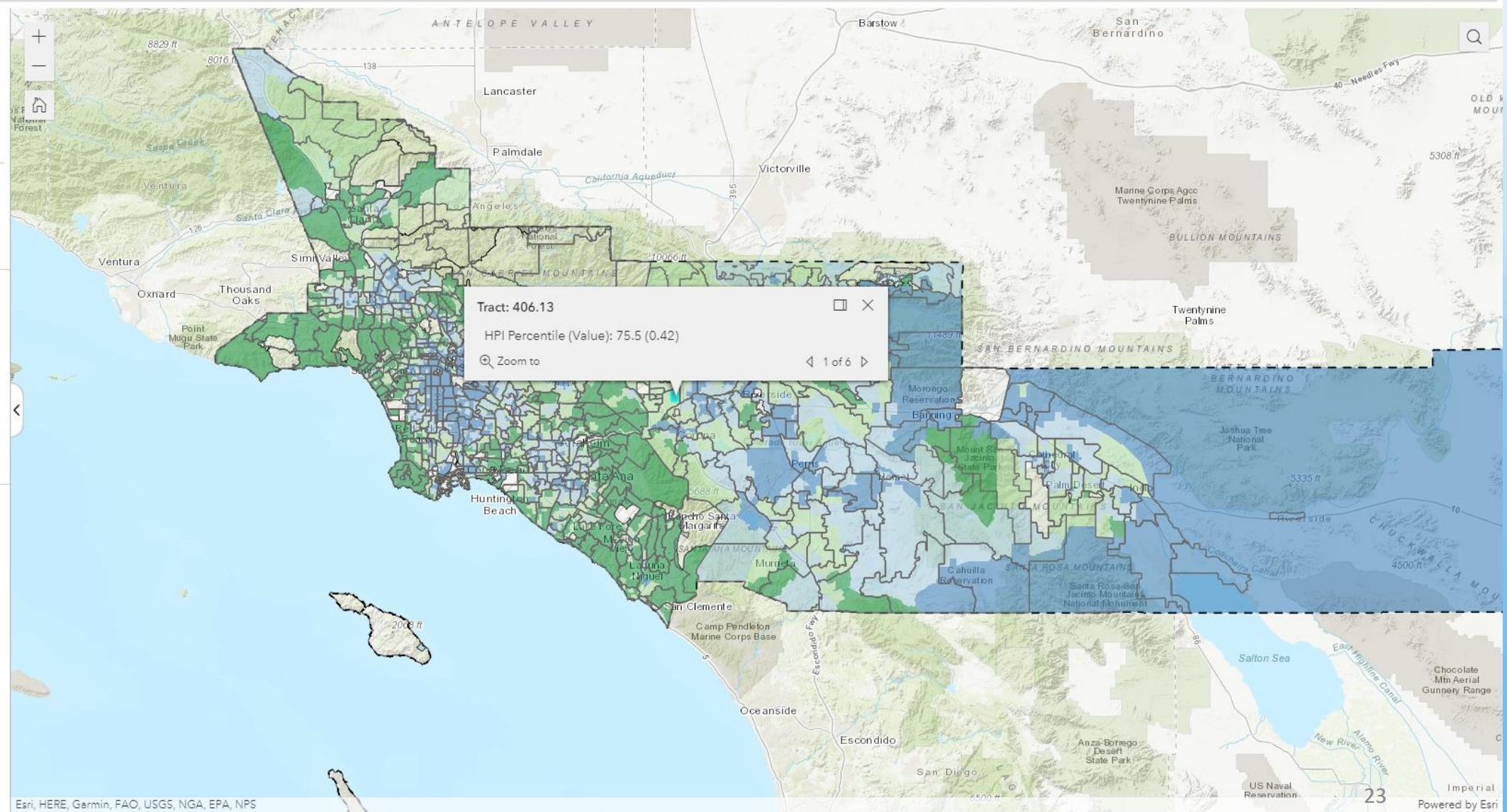
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- 75 - 100
- 50 - 75
- 25 - 50
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Green space, also called open space, "is any open piece of land that is undeveloped (has no buildings or other built structures) and is accessible to the public" (EPA). Open space is associated with lower pollution emissions than areas with roads or stationary sources. This map depicts the California Protected Areas Database (CPAD), "a GIS dataset depicting lands that are ... protected for open space purposes by over 1,000 public agencies or non-profit organizations." (<https://www.calands.org/>)

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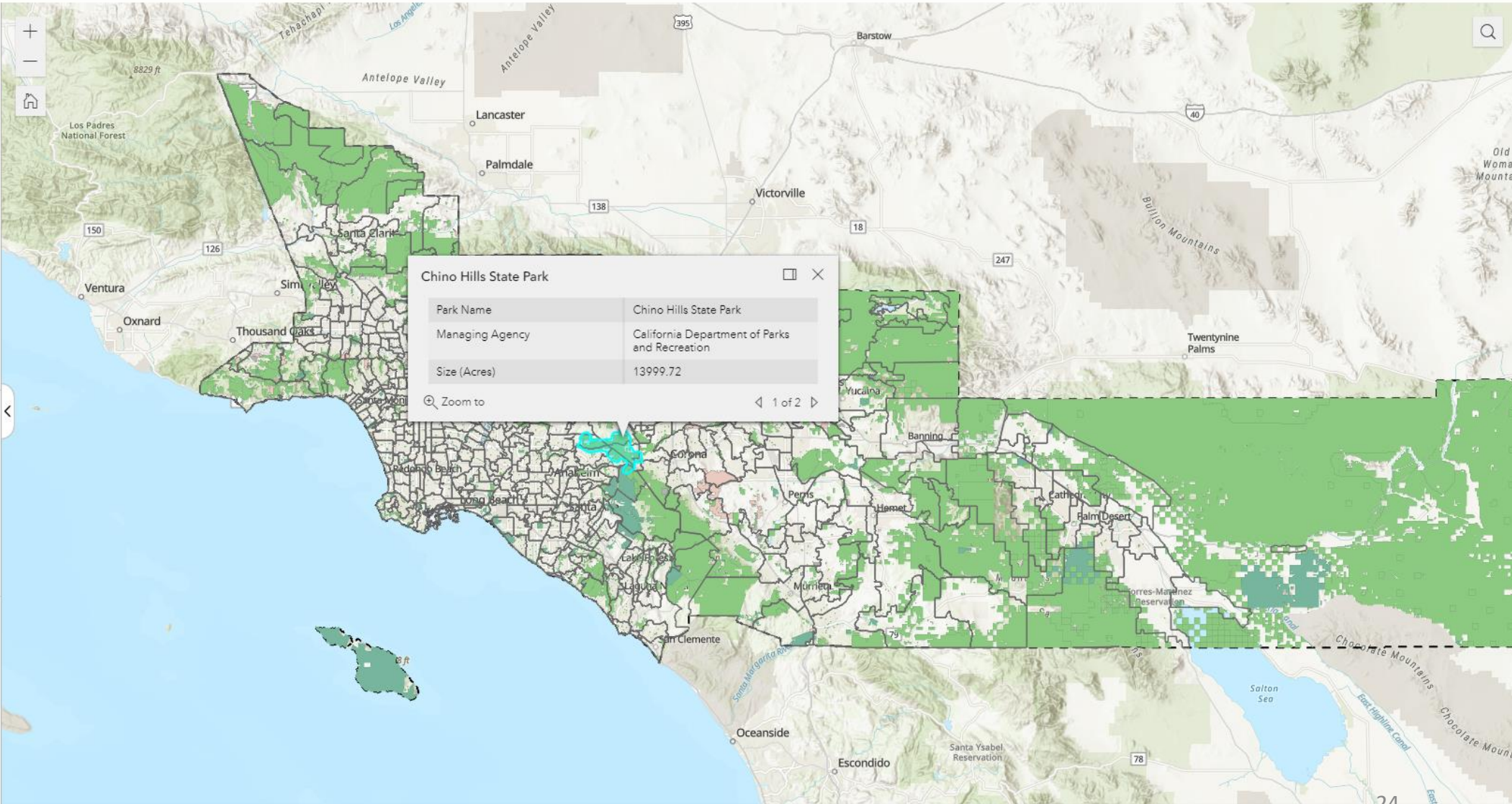
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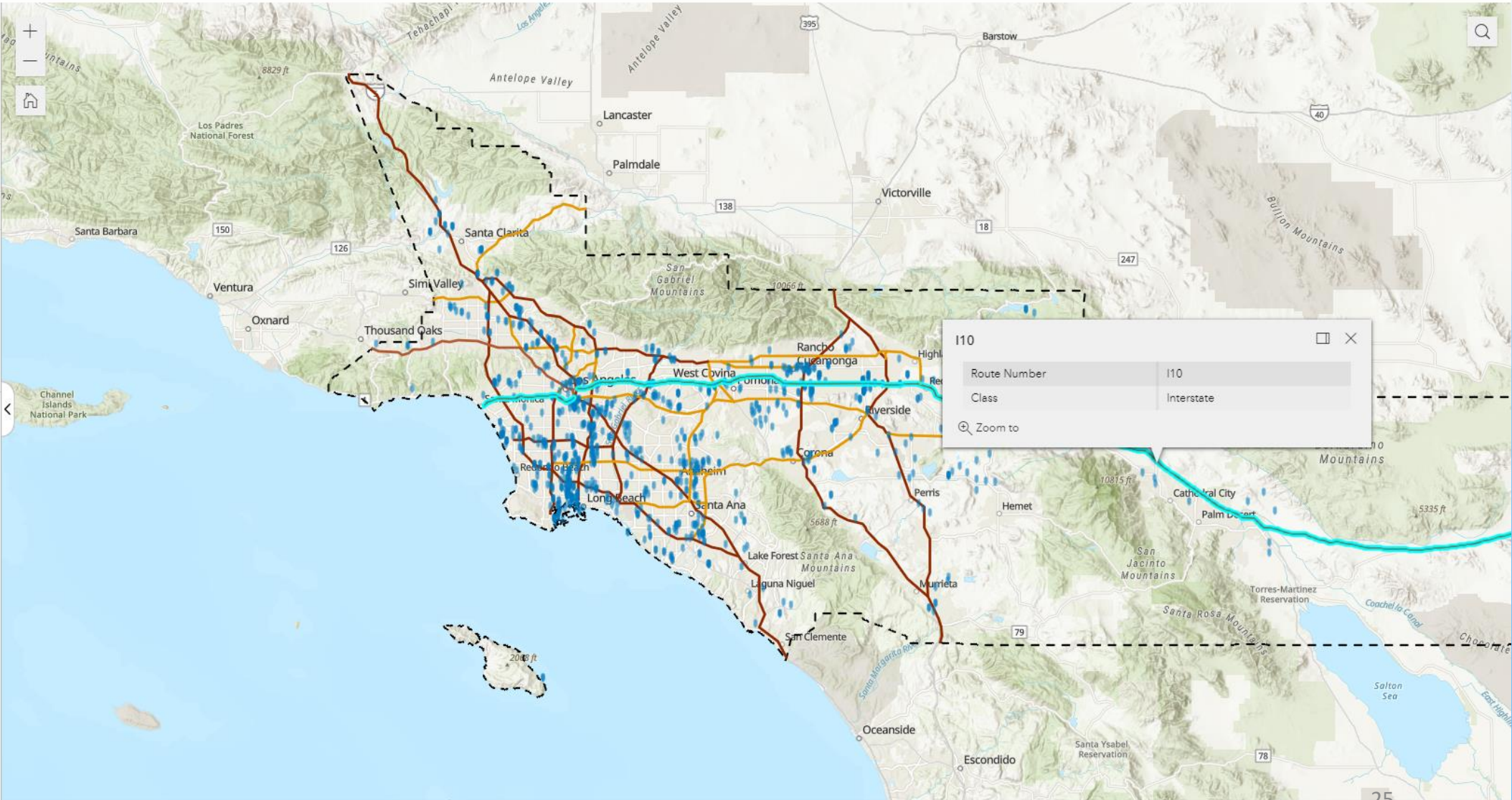
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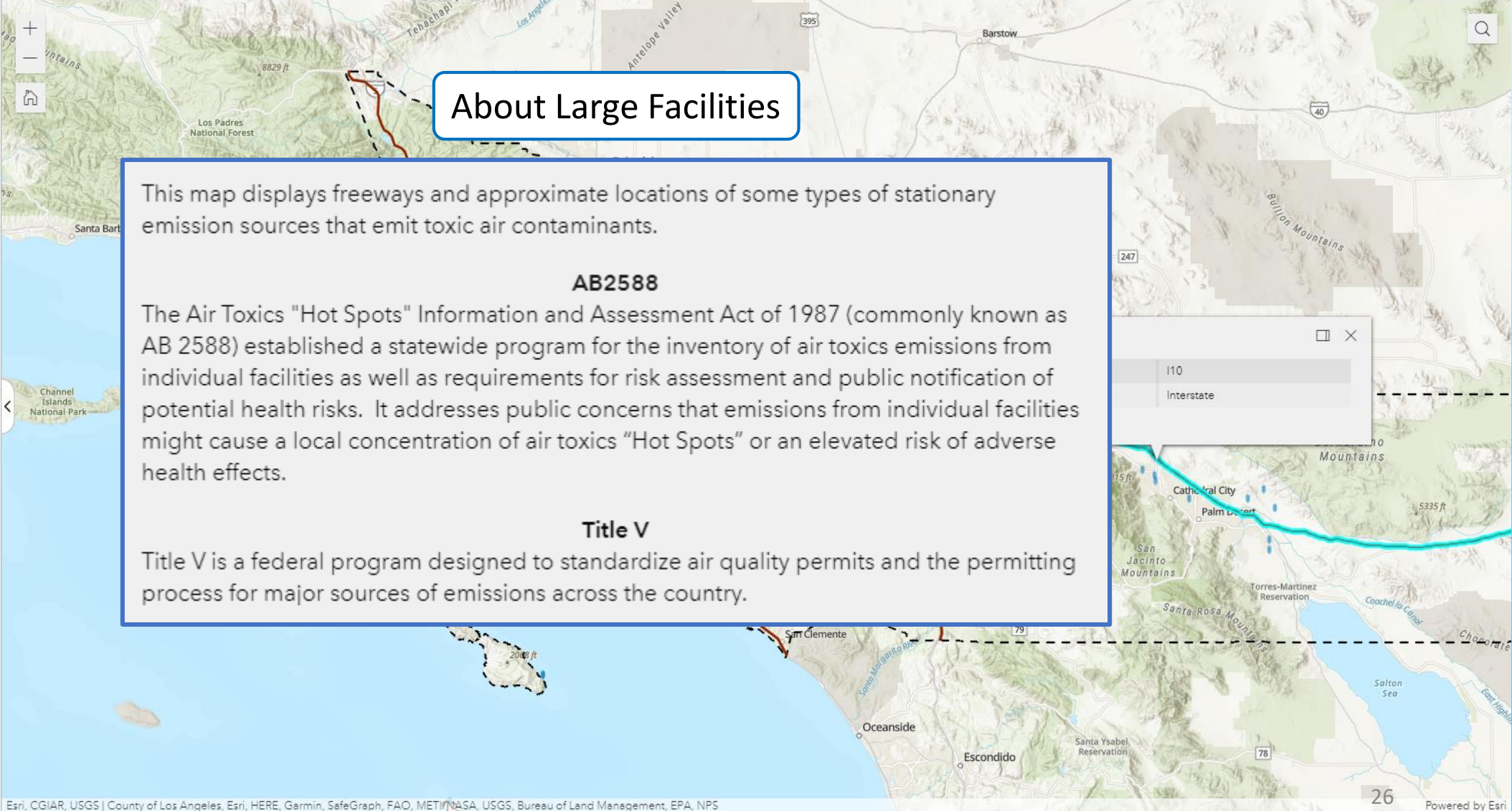
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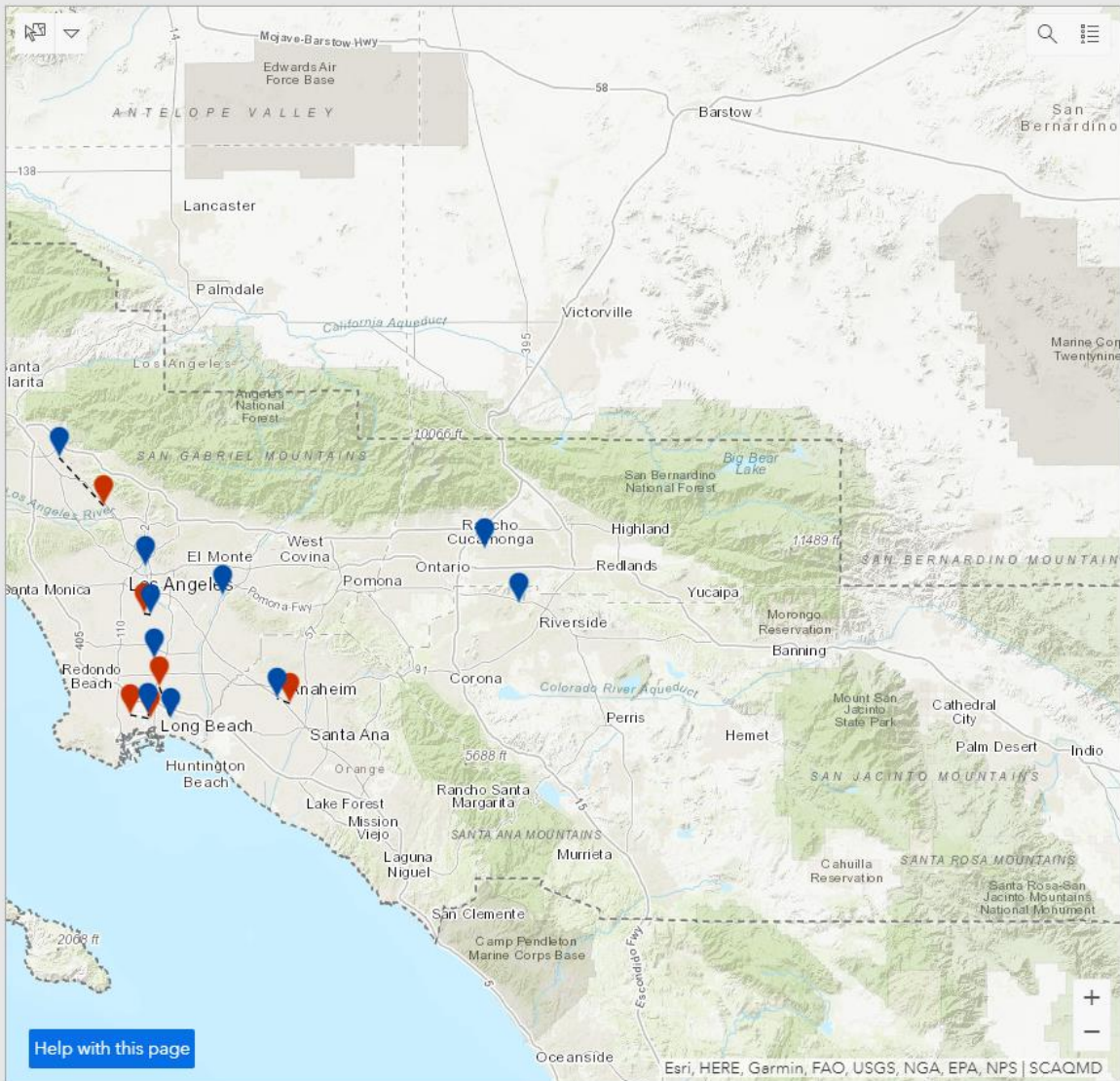
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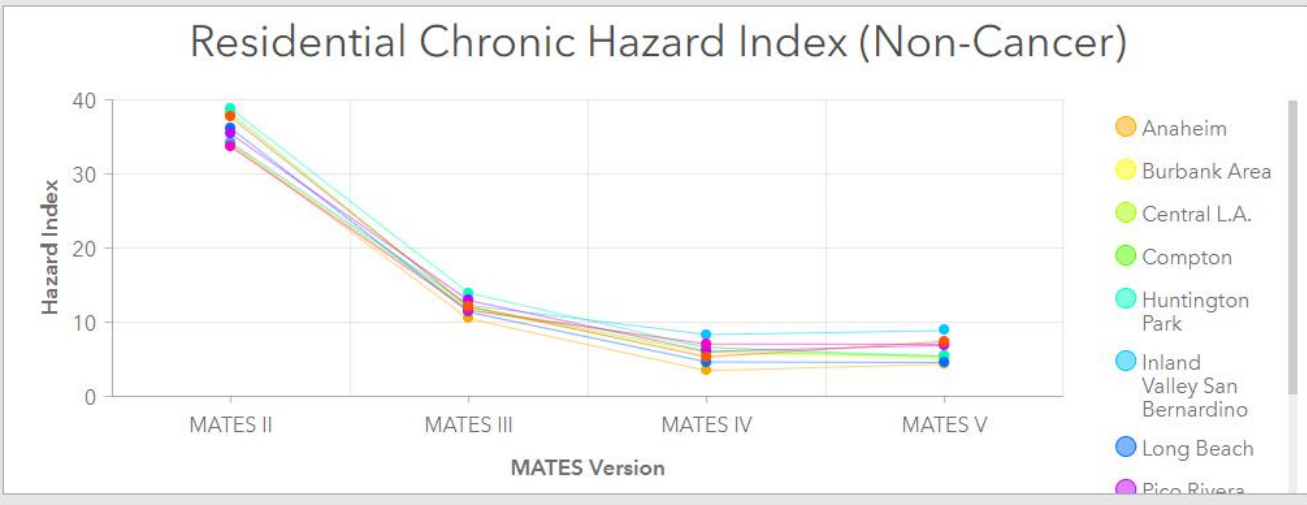
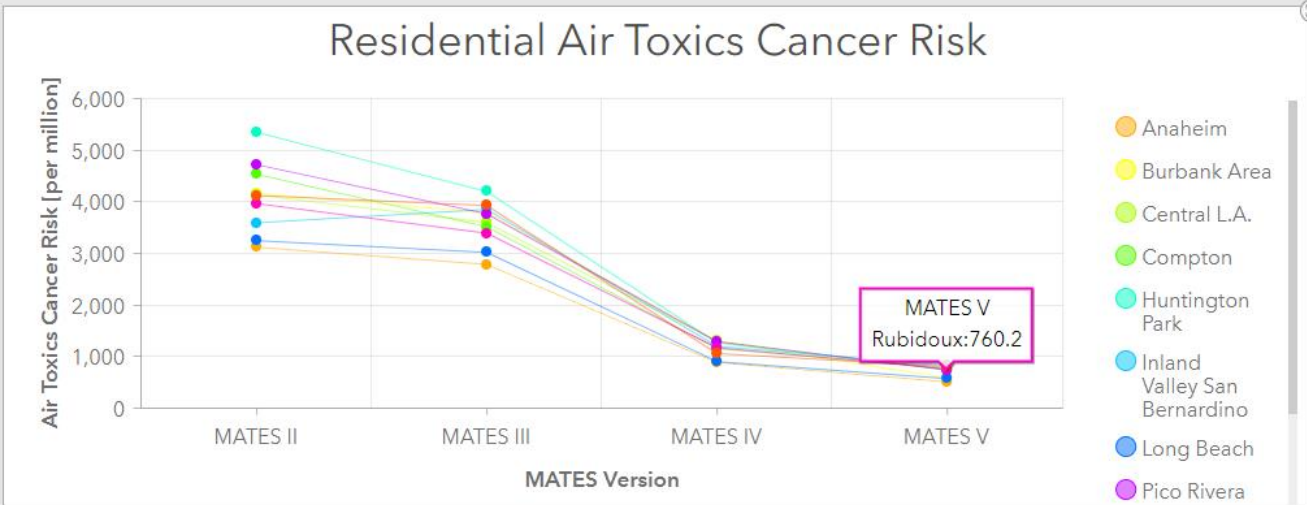


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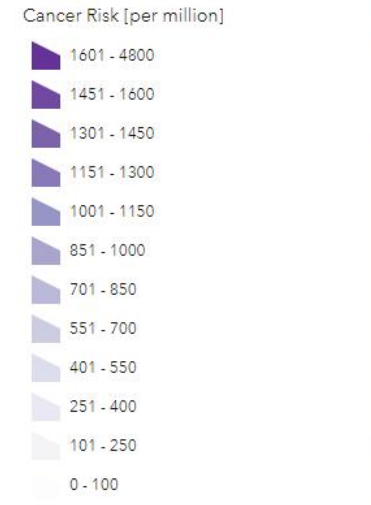
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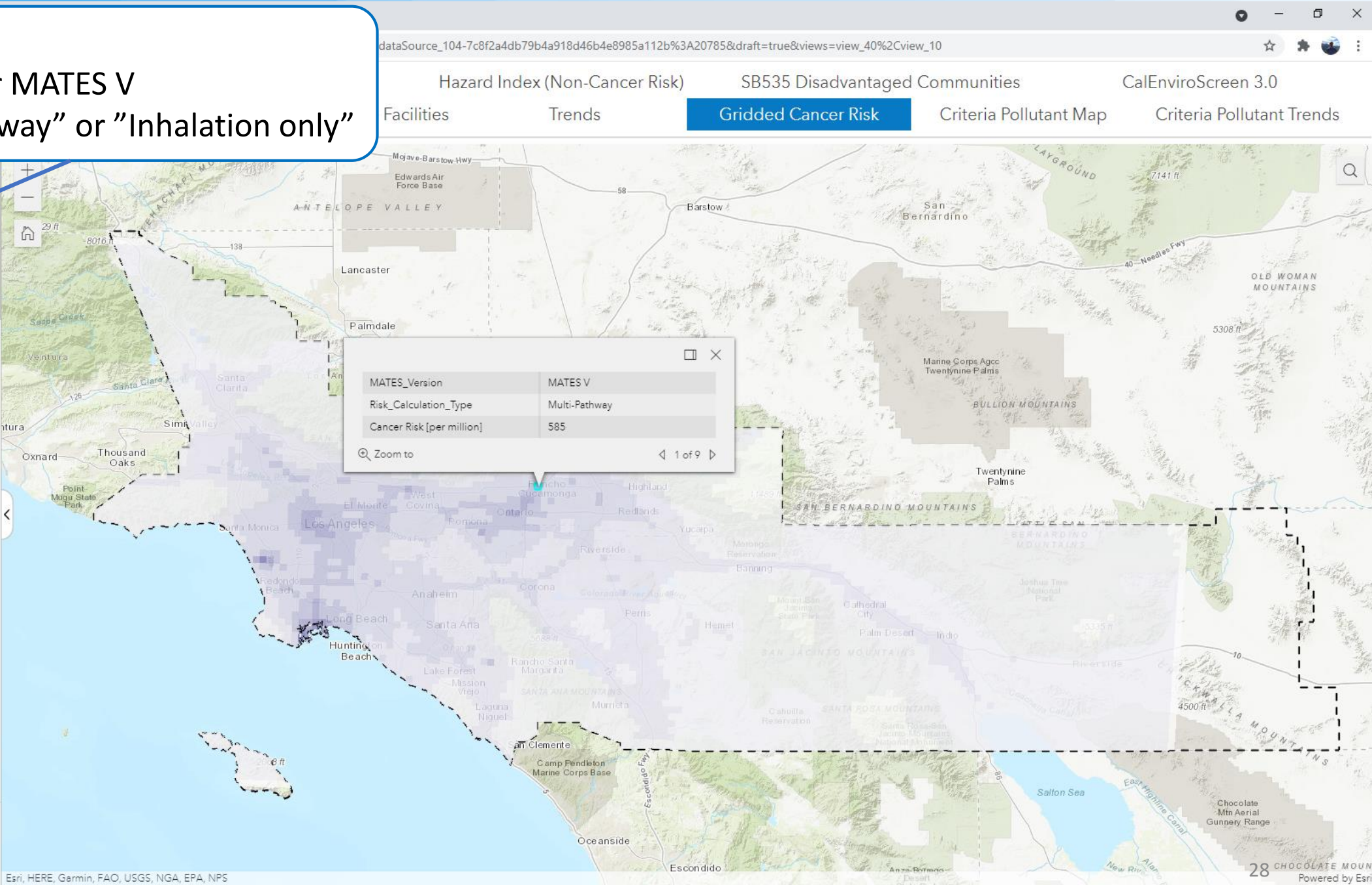
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MATES V

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## Residential Air Toxics Cancer Risk Calculated from Model Data in Grid Cells



## South Coast AQMD Boundary



Overview

Cancer Risk

Hazard Index (Non-Cancer Risk)

SB535 Disadvantaged Communities

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Healthy Places Index

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Gridded Cancer Risk

Criteria Pollutant Map

Criteria Pollutant Trends

About Criteria Pollutants

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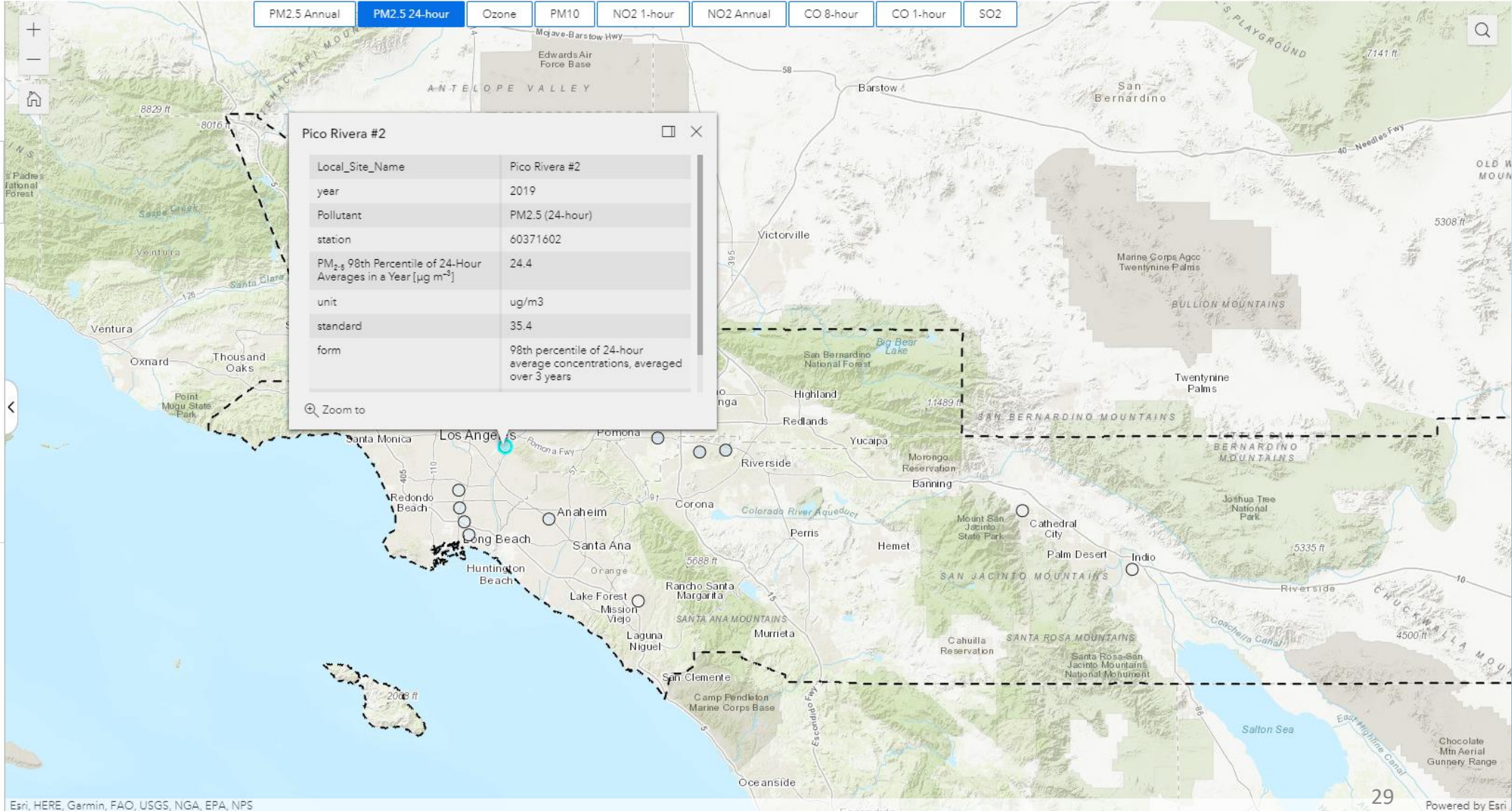
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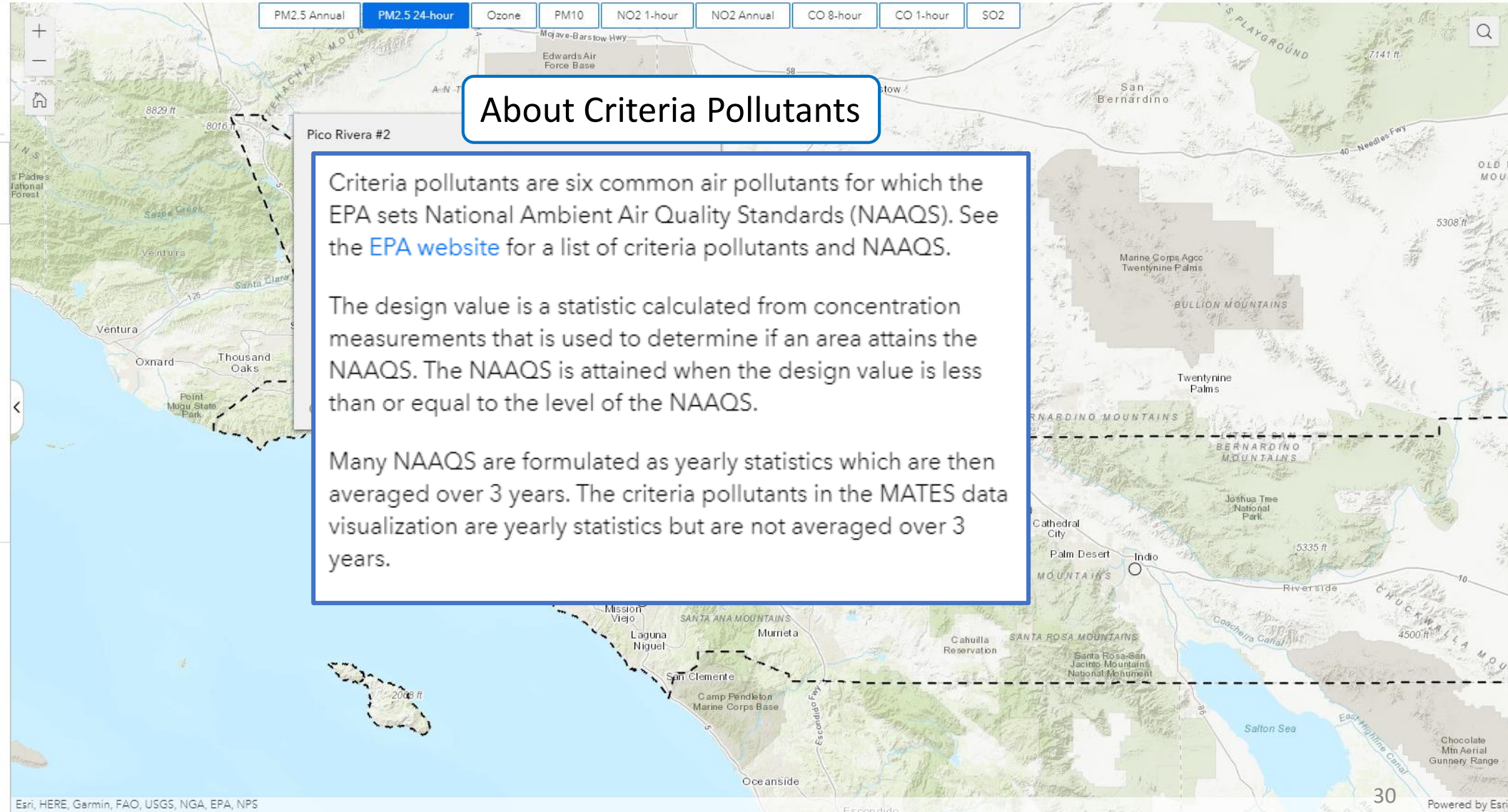
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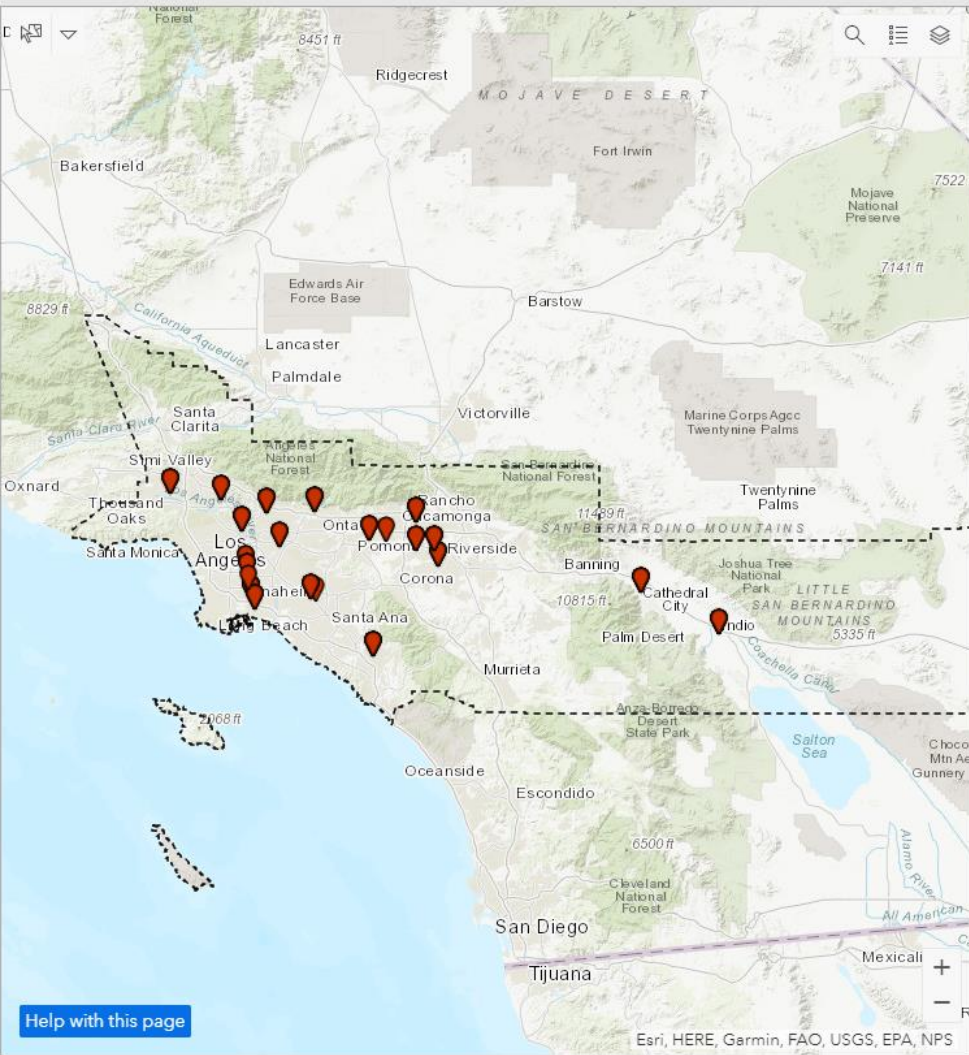
Criteria pollutants are six common air pollutants for which the EPA sets National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS). See the [EPA website](#) for a list of criteria pollutants and NAAQS.

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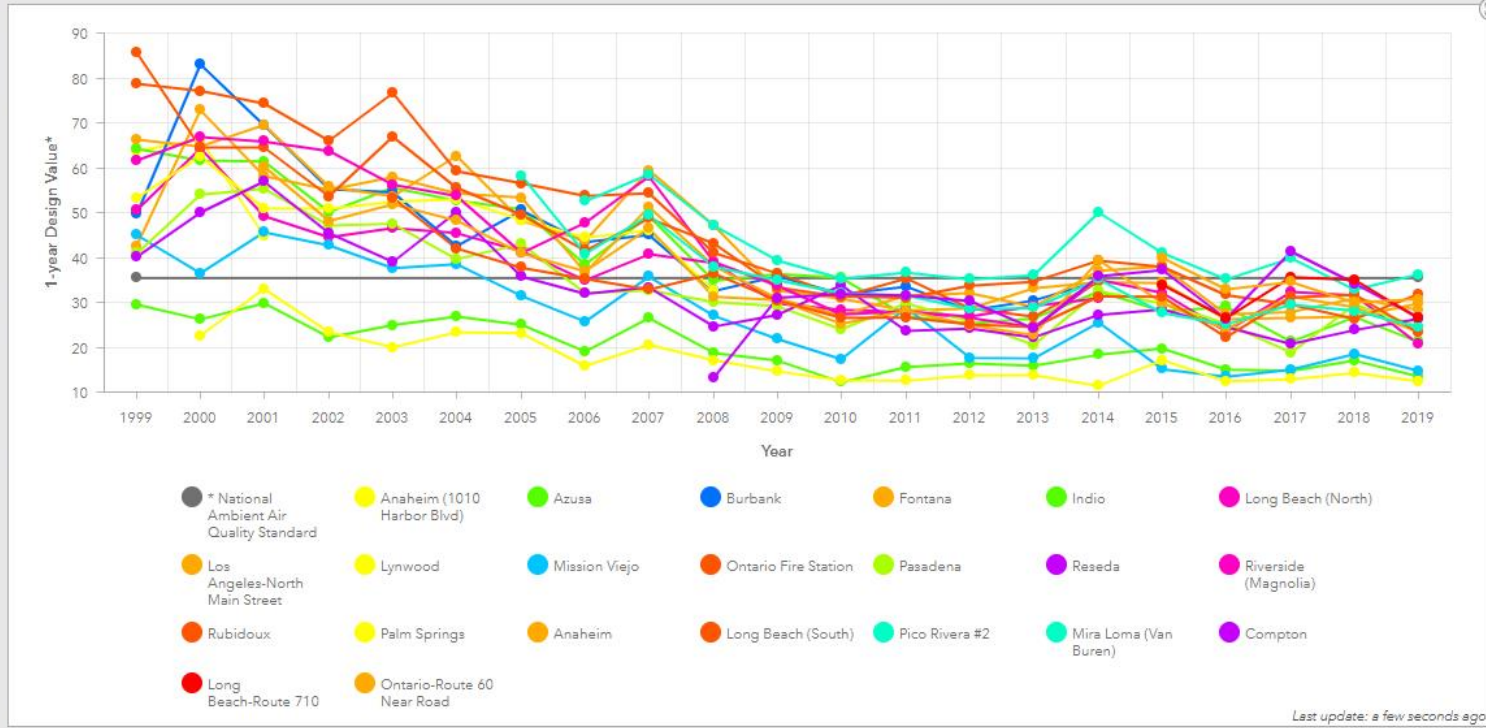
Many NAAQS are formulated as yearly statistics which are then averaged over 3 years. The criteria pollutants in the MATES data visualization are yearly statistics but are not averaged over 3 years.



CO (1-hour) | CO (8-hour) | NO2 (1-hour) | NO2 (1-year) | O3 | PM10 | PM2.5 (1-year) | **PM2.5 (24-hour)** | SO2



**PM2.5 (24-hour) [ug/m3]**  
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 Year of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard: 2006



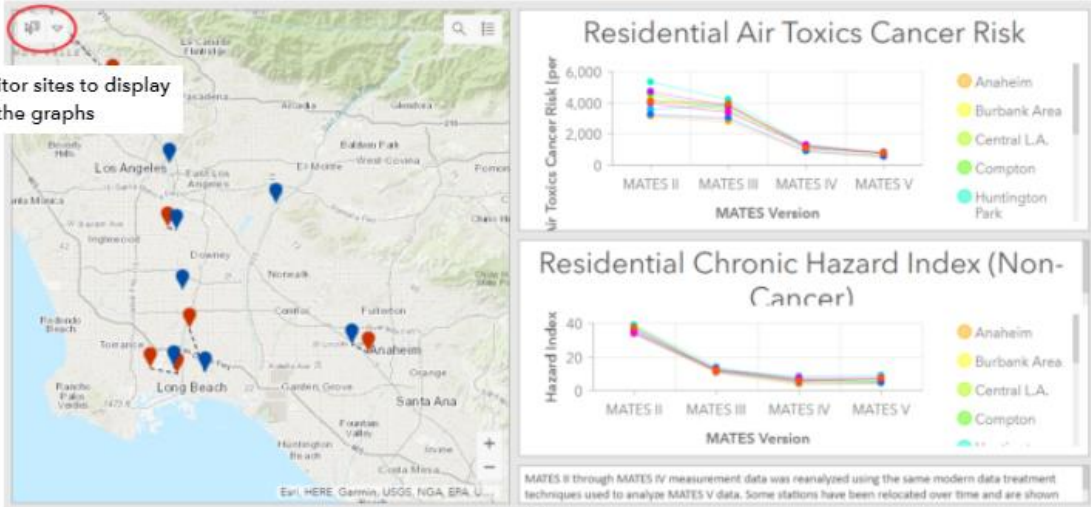
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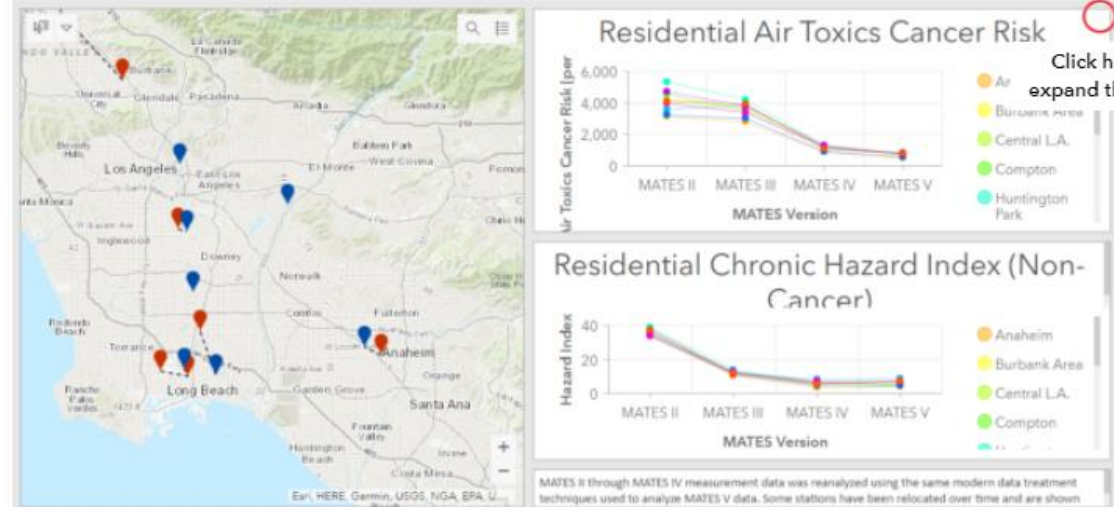


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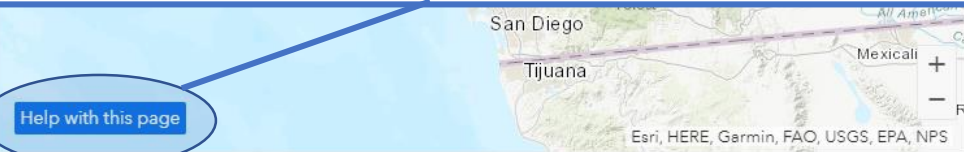
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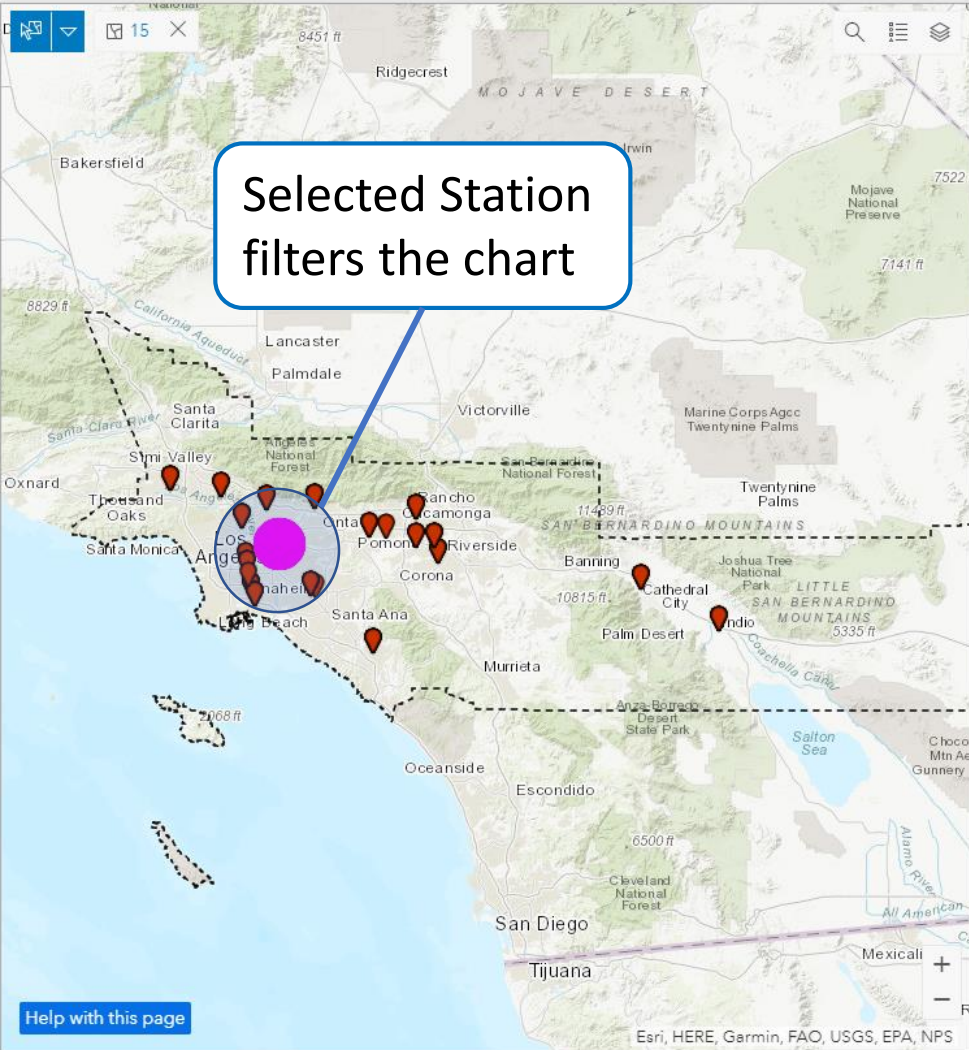
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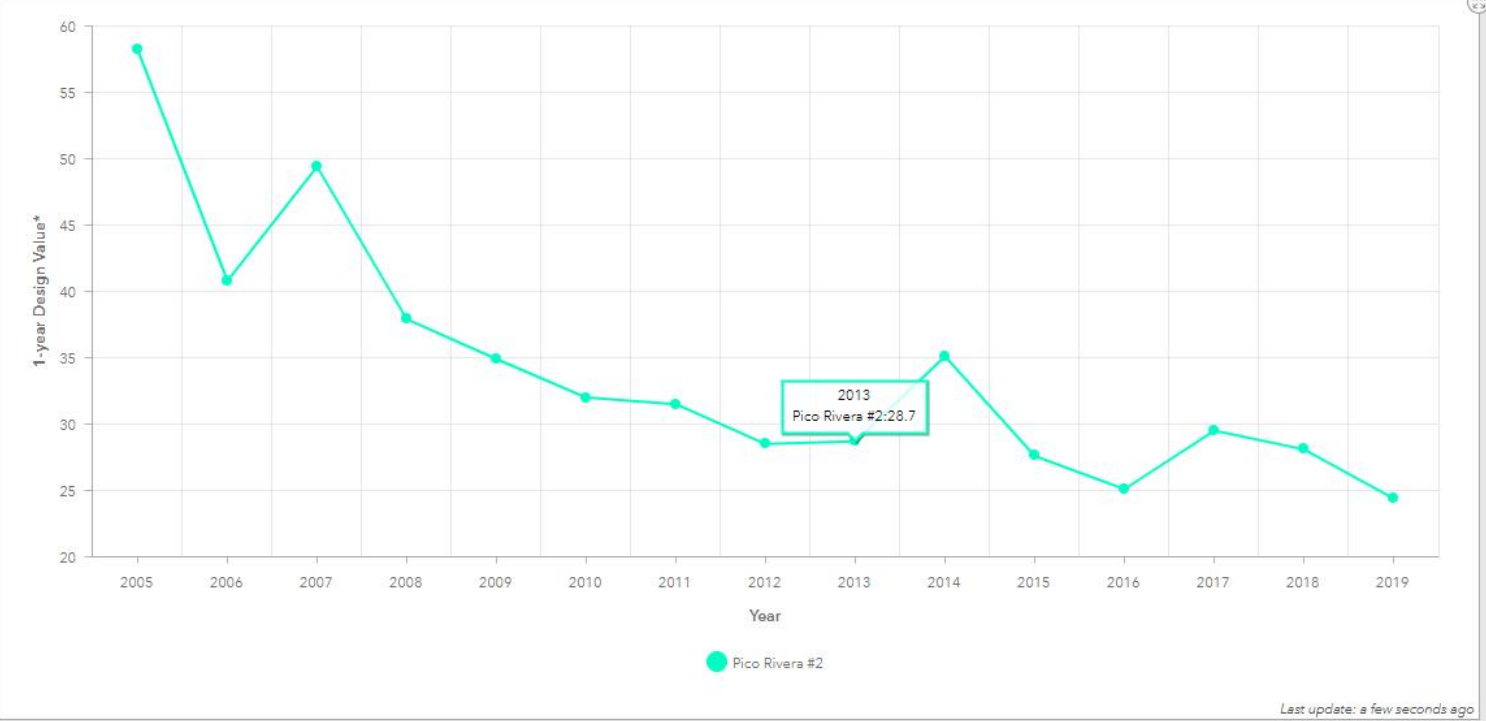
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