

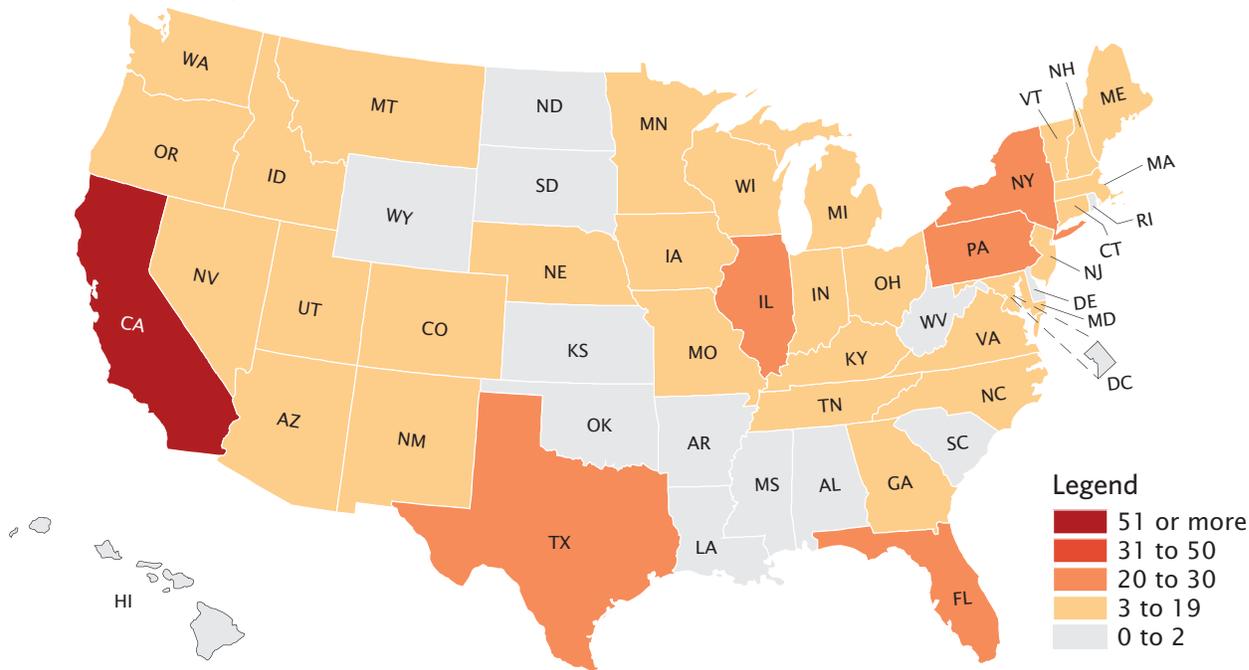


# Minute Challenge: Toy Makers by State

## Warm-Up Activity



Total Number of Doll, Toy, and Game Manufacturing Establishments  
Located in the United States: **509**



Source: 2017 County Business Patterns

Imagine you just received money to start a toy manufacturing company anywhere in the United States!

1. Based on the map at the top, and what you already know about the 50 states, write a paragraph explaining where you want to start your company and why. (Your answer should take into account the number of manufacturers already located in that state.)
2. Write down two questions that you could ask to help you make your decision.

*Note: Toy manufacturers make dolls, games, and other fun stuff. Those toys go to toy stores across the country, and those stores then sell the toys to you!*