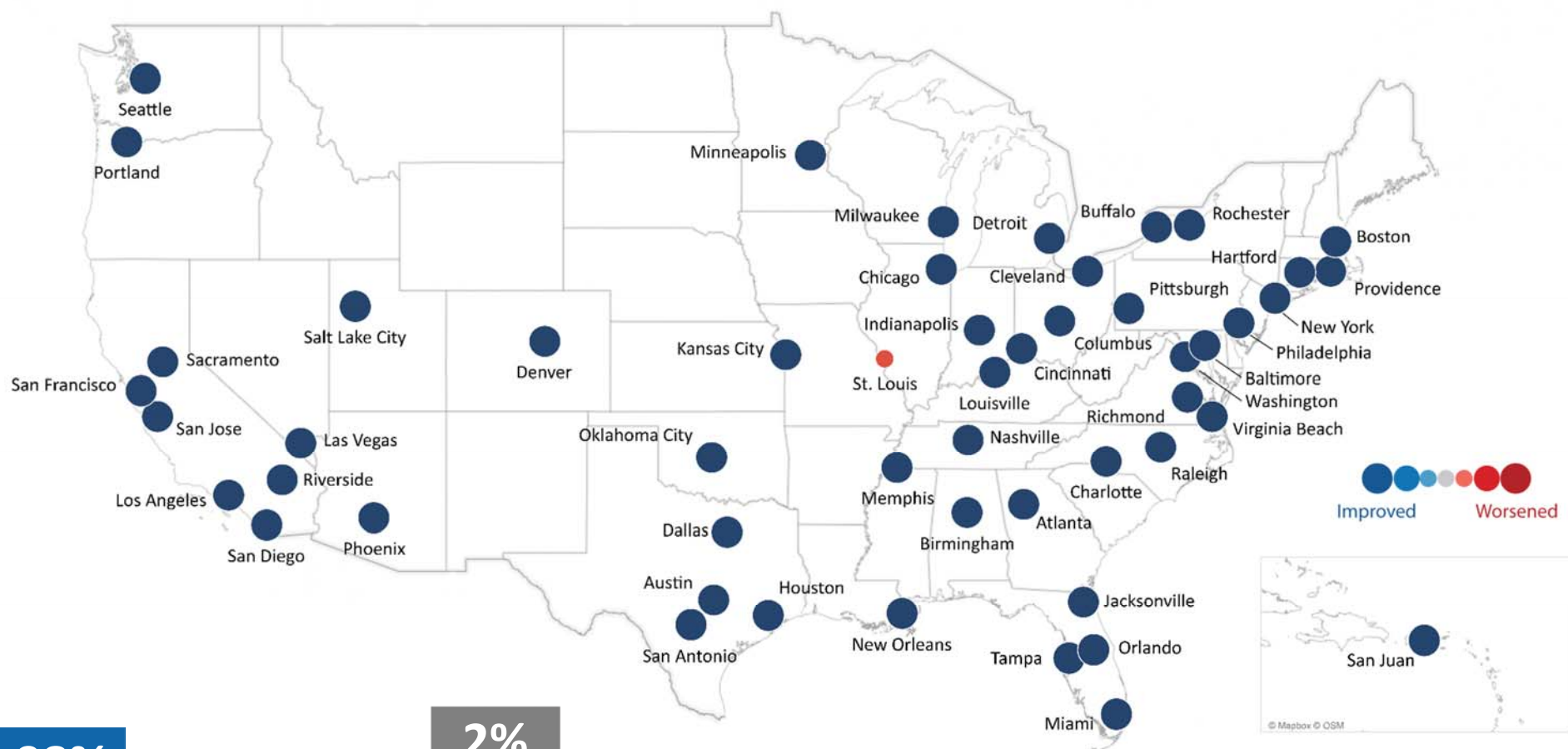




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98%

All three measures improved



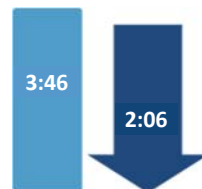
All three measures worsened

0%

2%

Measures had no change or mixed results

CONGESTED HOURS



-100 minutes

Average duration of daily congestion

TRAVEL TIME INDEX



-21 points

Peak period vs. off-peak travel times

PLANNING TIME INDEX



-54 points

Unreliability (variability) of travel

Each symbol () represents a metropolitan statistical area (MSA).



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City (MSA)	Congested Hours		Travel Time Index		Planning Time Index		% Complete Data
	2020	Change from 2019	2020	Change from 2019	2020	Change from 2019	
Atlanta, GA	2:28	-1:54	1.08	-26	1.58	-54	96%
Austin, TX	2:23	-1:34	1.10	-27	1.55	-58	90%
Baltimore, MD	2:59	-2:25	1.08	-19	1.45	-59	93%
Birmingham, AL	0:57	-1:01	1.02	-10	1.21	-37	95%
Boston, MA	2:02	-2:35	1.07	-27	1.36	-68	93%
Buffalo, NY	2:11	-2:00	1.06	-9	1.27	-42	84%
Charlotte, NC	1:19	-1:21	1.05	-13	1.34	-43	98%
Chicago, IL	3:20	-1:52	1.13	-23	1.54	-60	97%
Cincinnati, OH	1:56	-1:24	1.08	-14	1.45	-49	98%
Cleveland, OH	0:46	-1:10	1.02	-10	1.21	-31	96%
Columbus, OH	0:47	-1:40	1.03	-12	1.21	-45	90%
Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	2:25	-1:20	1.11	-16	1.58	-45	92%
Denver, CO	3:52	-2:34	1.13	-24	1.62	-64	95%
Detroit, MI	1:25	-1:50	1.04	-15	1.31	-59	95%
Hartford, CT	1:21	-1:09	1.03	-9	1.23	-34	92%
Houston, TX	2:53	-1:41	1.11	-18	1.57	-56	89%
Indianapolis, IN	1:17	-1:21	1.05	-9	1.35	-37	93%
Jacksonville, FL	2:03	-0:52	1.05	-10	1.34	-41	96%
Kansas City, MO	1:24	-1:04	1.04	-10	1.28	-35	91%
Las Vegas, NV	1:38	-1:26	1.05	-12	1.35	-33	96%
Los Angeles, CA	4:04	-3:51	1.21	-44	1.74	-90	96%
Louisville, KY	0:42	-1:02	1.03	-7	1.24	-31	93%
Memphis, TN	1:12	-1:54	1.05	-8	1.33	-20	96%
Miami, FL	2:13	-2:10	1.08	-19	1.51	-59	94%
Milwaukee, WI	1:43	-1:28	1.05	-13	1.27	-43	96%
Minn.-St. Paul, MN	1:55	-2:17	1.06	-20	1.29	-64	93%

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New Orleans, LA	2:38	-0:52	1.08	-12	1.46	-40	94%
New York, NY	4:34	-1:31	1.18	-15	1.69	-42	91%
Oklahoma City, OK	1:16	-0:43	1.05	-7	1.30	-20	94%
Orlando, FL	1:32	-1:57	1.06	-15	1.44	-42	94%
Philadelphia, PA	3:22	-0:49	1.09	-15	1.47	-38	93%
Phoenix, AZ	0:44	-1:40	1.04	-19	1.22	-50	98%
Pittsburgh, PA	2:33	-0:42	1.06	-9	1.28	-31	90%
Portland, OR	3:40	-2:56	1.15	-30	1.63	-75	96%
Providence, RI	2:49	-0:58	1.06	-8	1.34	-31	93%
Raleigh, NC	0:48	-1:26	1.03	-14	1.26	-52	97%
Richmond, VA	1:04	-0:37	1.03	-3	1.23	-17	95%
Riverside-San Bern., CA	3:15	-1:06	1.16	-13	1.56	-32	99%
Rochester, NY	1:23	-0:56	1.04	-5	1.19	-27	91%
Sacramento, CA	2:01	-2:00	1.06	-21	1.39	-54	97%
Salt Lake City, UT	1:12	-1:23	1.04	-12	1.30	-45	98%
San Antonio, TX	1:31	-1:41	1.06	-16	1.38	-46	97%
San Diego, CA	1:03	-2:26	1.04	-27	1.32	-70	96%
San Francisco, CA	2:43	-3:25	1.12	-36	1.57	-82	96%
San Jose, CA	1:36	-3:35	1.06	-42	1.35	-100	97%
San Juan, PR	3:30	-1:31	1.23	-31	1.43	-46	17%
Seattle, WA	4:16	-2:34	1.18	-27	1.69	-67	90%
St. Louis, MO	0:34	+0:06	1.03	+1	1.15	-6	92%
Tampa, FL	1:18	-1:28	1.05	-16	1.36	-53	95%
Virginia Beach, VA	3:17	-0:51	1.10	-8	1.57	-26	95%
Washington, DC	4:32	-2:13	1.13	-27	1.61	-66	89%

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