

## **Speed Limit Laws**

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State	Rural Interstates	Urban Interstates	Other Limited Access Roads	Other Roads
Alabama	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 65
Alaska	Cars: 55*	Cars: 55*	Cars: 55*	Cars: 55
Arizona	Cars: 75	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 65
Arkansas <sup>1</sup>	Cars: 70 Trucks: 65	Cars:55	Cars: 60*	Cars: 65
California	Cars: 70 Trucks: 55	Cars: 65 Trucks: 55	Cars: 70 Trucks: 55	Cars: 65 Trucks: 55
Colorado	Cars: 75	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 65
Connecticut	Cars: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Delaware	Cars: 55*	Cars: 55	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
D.C.	N/A	Cars: 55	N/A	Cars: 25
Florida	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Georgia	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 65
Hawaii	Cars: 60	Cars: 60	Cars: 55	Cars: 45
Idaho	Cars: 75* Trucks: 70	Cars: 75* Trucks: 65	Cars: 70*	Cars: 70*
Illinois	Cars: 65*	Cars: 55	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Indiana	Cars: 70 Trucks: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 60	Cars: 55
Iowa	Cars: 70	Cars: 55	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Kansas	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 65
Kentucky	Cars: 65*	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Louisiana	Cars: 75	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Maine	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 60
Maryland	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 55
Massachusetts	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Michigan	Cars: 70 Trucks: 65	Cars: 70 Trucks: 60	Cars: 70 Trucks: 60	Cars: 55
Minnesota	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 60
Mississippi	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Missouri	Cars: 70	Cars: 60	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Montana	Cars: 80 Trucks: 65	Cars: 65	Cars Day: 70 Cars Night: 65	Cars Day: 70 Cars Night: 65
Nebraska	Cars: 75	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 60
Nevada	Cars: 80	Cars: 65	Cars: 70	Cars: 70
New Hampshire	Cars: 65*	Cars: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 55
New Jersey	Cars: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
New Mexico	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
New York	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 55

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In Arkansas, the speed limit may be raised on a controlled-access highway to 75 mph if based on traffic and engineering studies; on other roads, the speed limit can be raised from 60 to 65 mph for motor vehicles.



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<b>North Carolina</b>	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 55
<b>North Dakota</b>	Cars: 75	Cars: 75	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Ohio	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Oklahoma <sup>2</sup>	Cars: 75	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70
Oregon	Cars: 65 Trucks: 55*	Cars: 55	Cars: 65	Cars: 65
Pennsylvania	Cars: 65*	Cars: 65*	Cars: 65*	Cars: 55
Rhode Island	Cars: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 55	Cars: 55
<b>South Carolina</b>	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 60	Cars: 55
<b>South Dakota</b>	Cars: 80	Cars: 80	Cars: 70	Cars: 70
Tennessee	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 65
Texas	Cars: 75*	Cars: 75*	Cars: 75*	Cars: 75
Utah	Cars: 75*	Cars: 65	Cars: 75	Cars: 65
Vermont	Cars: 65	Cars: 55	Cars: 50	Cars: 50
Virginia	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Washington	Cars: 70* Trucks: 60	Cars: 60	Cars: 60	Cars: 60
West Virginia	Cars: 70	Cars: 65	Cars: 65	Cars: 55
Wisconsin	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 70	Cars: 55
Wyoming	Cars: 75*	Cars: 75*	Cars: 65	Cars: 65

<sup>\*</sup> In Alaska and Delaware, 65 on some interstates; In Arkansas, 65 on some limited access roads; In Idaho, 80 for passenger vehicles and 70 for trucks on some roads; In Kentucky, Illinois, and Pennsylvania, 70 on some roads; In New Hampshire, 70 on some roads; In Oregon, 70 for cars and 65 for trucks on some roads; In Michigan, 75 on some roads; In Texas, 80 or 85 on some roads; In Utah, 80 on some roads; In Washington, 75 on specified roadways; In Wyoming, 80 on some roads.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In Oklahoma, DOT may increase the speed limit beyond 75 mph on any highway or part of a highway based on an engineering and traffic investigation.