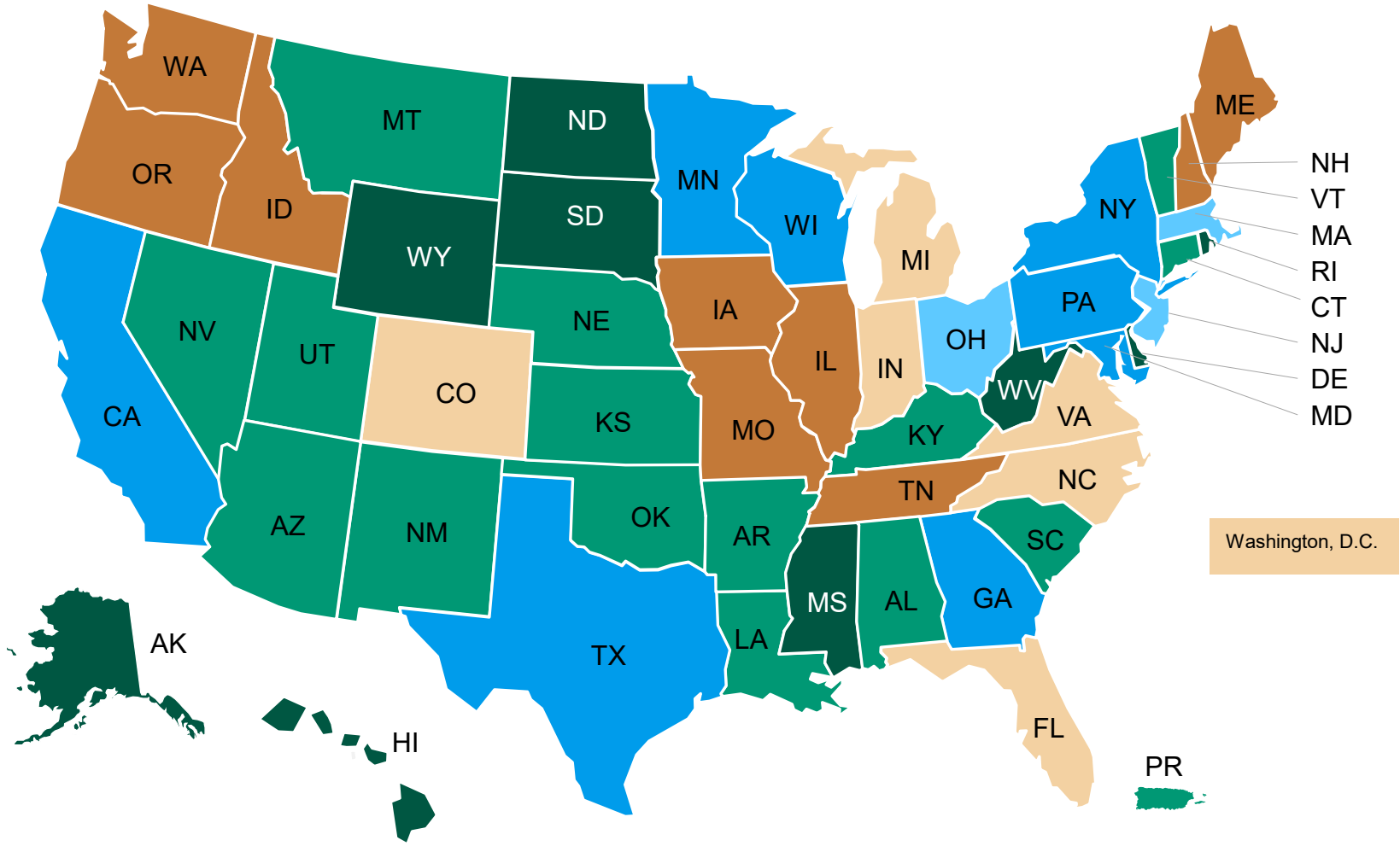
Animals used in experiments by state (2025)*

*Numbers only include animals covered by the Animal Welfare Act. Non-covered animals include “purpose-bred” mice, rats, and birds (mice, rats and birds bred specifically to be used in experiments), frogs, octopuses, fish, turtles, and crabs. These animals are not counted in annual U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) statistics and are not afforded the minimal protections provided under the Animal Welfare Act. Birds not bred for use in research have been included in statistics since 2024. Additionally, some laboratories compile annual animal data from their facilities across the U.S. and report it in one USDA annual report. This makes it impossible to know exactly how many animals are being used in each state.

- 50,001+
- 20,001-50,000
- 10,001-20,000
- 5,001-10,000
- 1,001-5,000
- 1-1,000



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