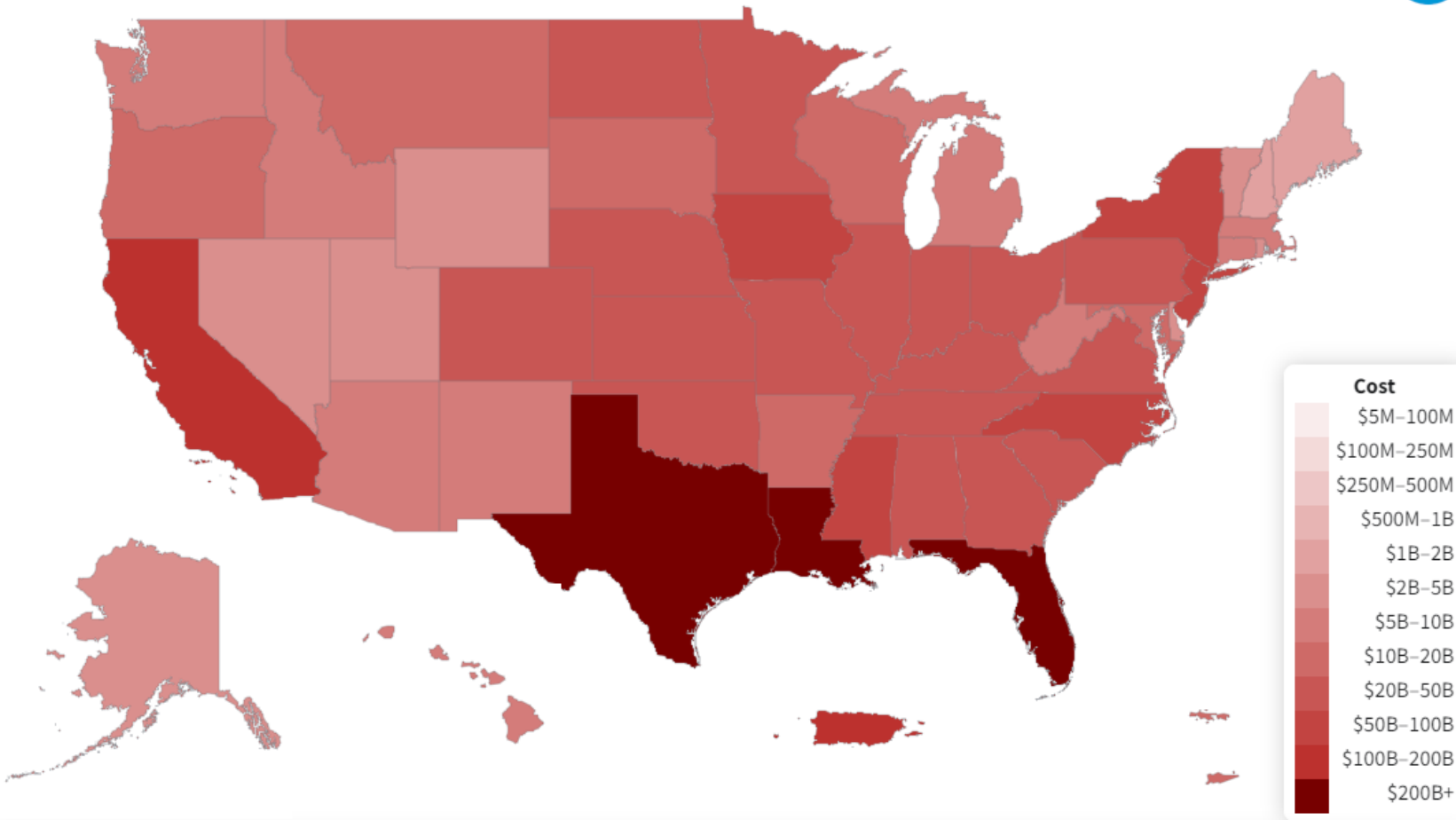




From 1980–2021, the U.S. **South, Central** and **Southeast** regions experienced a higher cost from billion-dollar disaster events. CA, NY, NJ, PR and V.I. as well.

1980-2021 Billion-Dollar Weather and Climate Disaster Cost (CPI-Adjusted)



- Reflects the **severity** and **vulnerability** of weather & climate events impacting different regions
- The **top 3 most impacted states:**
  - Texas** (\$349 billion)
  - Louisiana** (\$278 billion)
  - Florida** (\$249 billion)
- The relative costs are more acute in Louisiana, as its population and economic size is much smaller than Texas or Florida.
- Louisiana also has a high frequency of disaster events, which can lead to compounding, cascading socioeconomic impacts.

**United States**

Drought:	\$250B+	Flooding:	\$100B-200B	Freeze:	\$20B-50B	Severe Storm:	\$250B+
Tropical Cyclone:	\$1.1T+	Wildfire:	\$100B-200B	Winter Storm:	\$50B-100B	All Disasters:	\$2.2T+