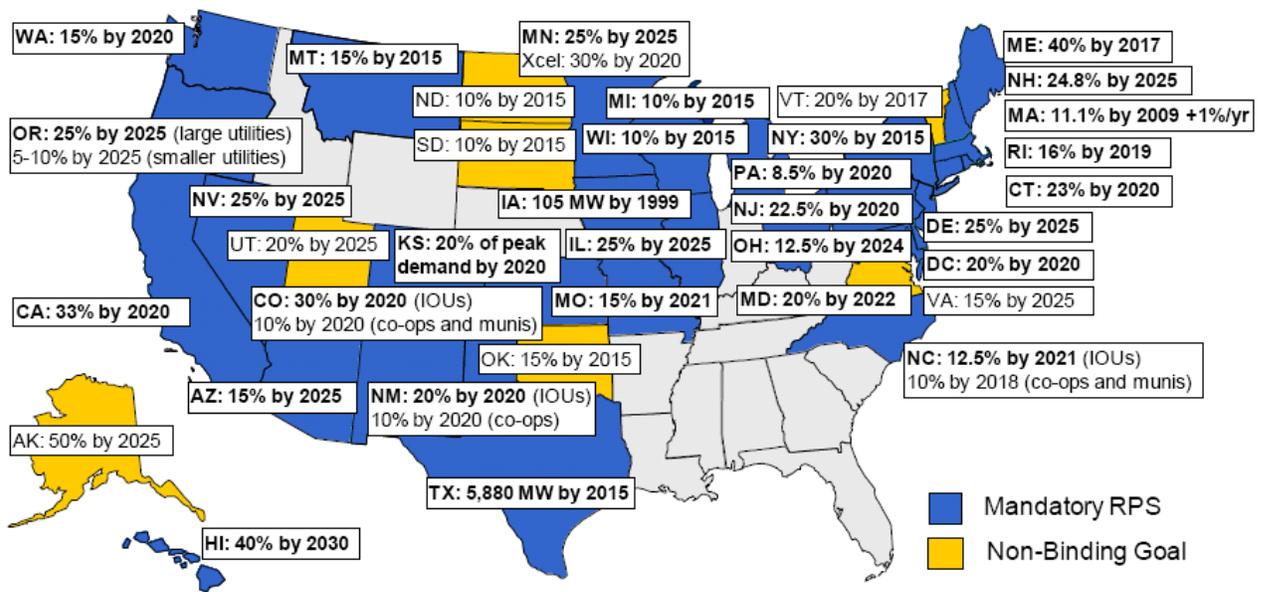


33. How does Michigan's renewable capacity compare with other states as a percentage of total electric load?

For states that have implemented a standard legislatively, Michigan appears to rank lower than other states, but obviously above many states that have not adopted a standard. Other states that also have a 10% standard or goal include Wisconsin, North Dakota, and South Dakota. Among states that have enacted an RPS or non-binding goal, only Pennsylvania has set a standard below 10%. Maine has the most aggressive mandatory RPS at 40% by 2017. The following is a RPS map with specific standards for each state:



Source: Berkeley Lab

Notes: Compliance years are designated by the calendar year in which they begin. Mandatory standards or non-binding goals also exist in US territories (American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, US Virgin Islands)