

The Florida Petroleum Cleanup Program needs maximum funding to protect Florida citizens. A fixed annual budget of \$160,000,000 would maintain momentum.

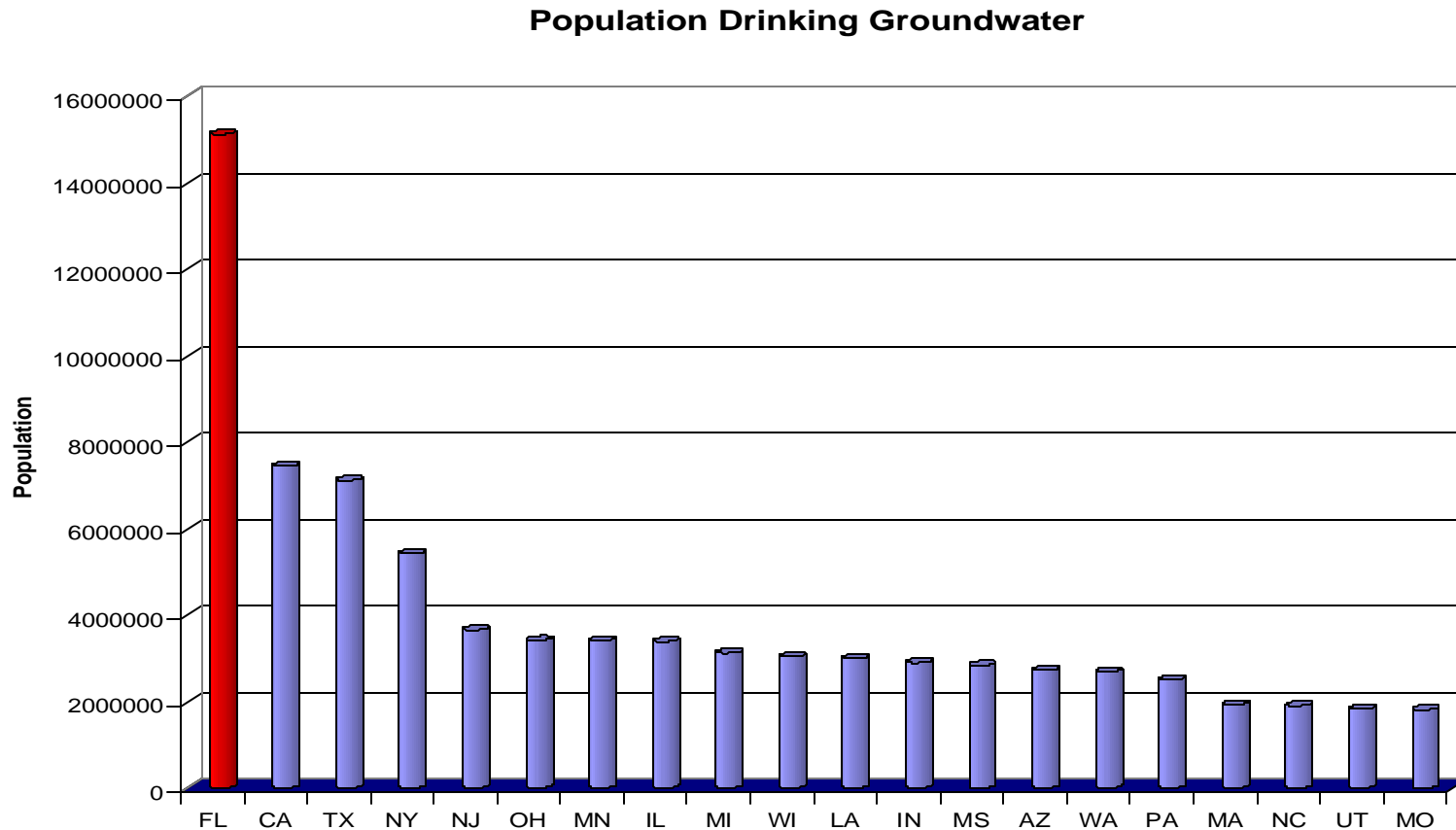
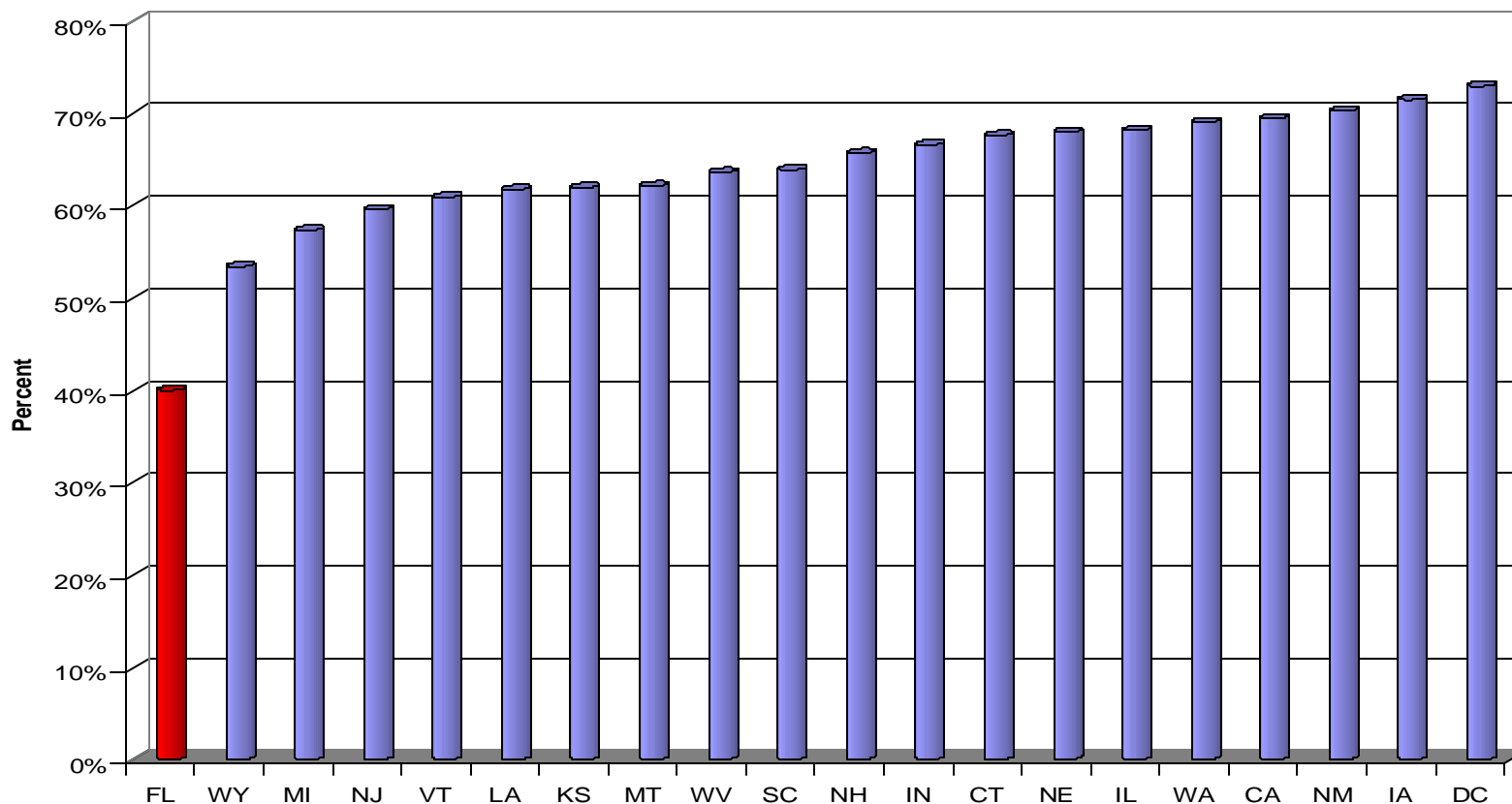


Figure 1. Florida ranks first in the number of people drinking groundwater.
(87% of population, over 15,000,000 residents)

<http://www.epa.gov/safewater/data/pivottables.html>, August 2007

Cleaned Up Contaminated Sites



**Figure 2. Florida ranks last among all states in clean up percentage (40%).
The national average is 74%.**

Cleanup Backlog

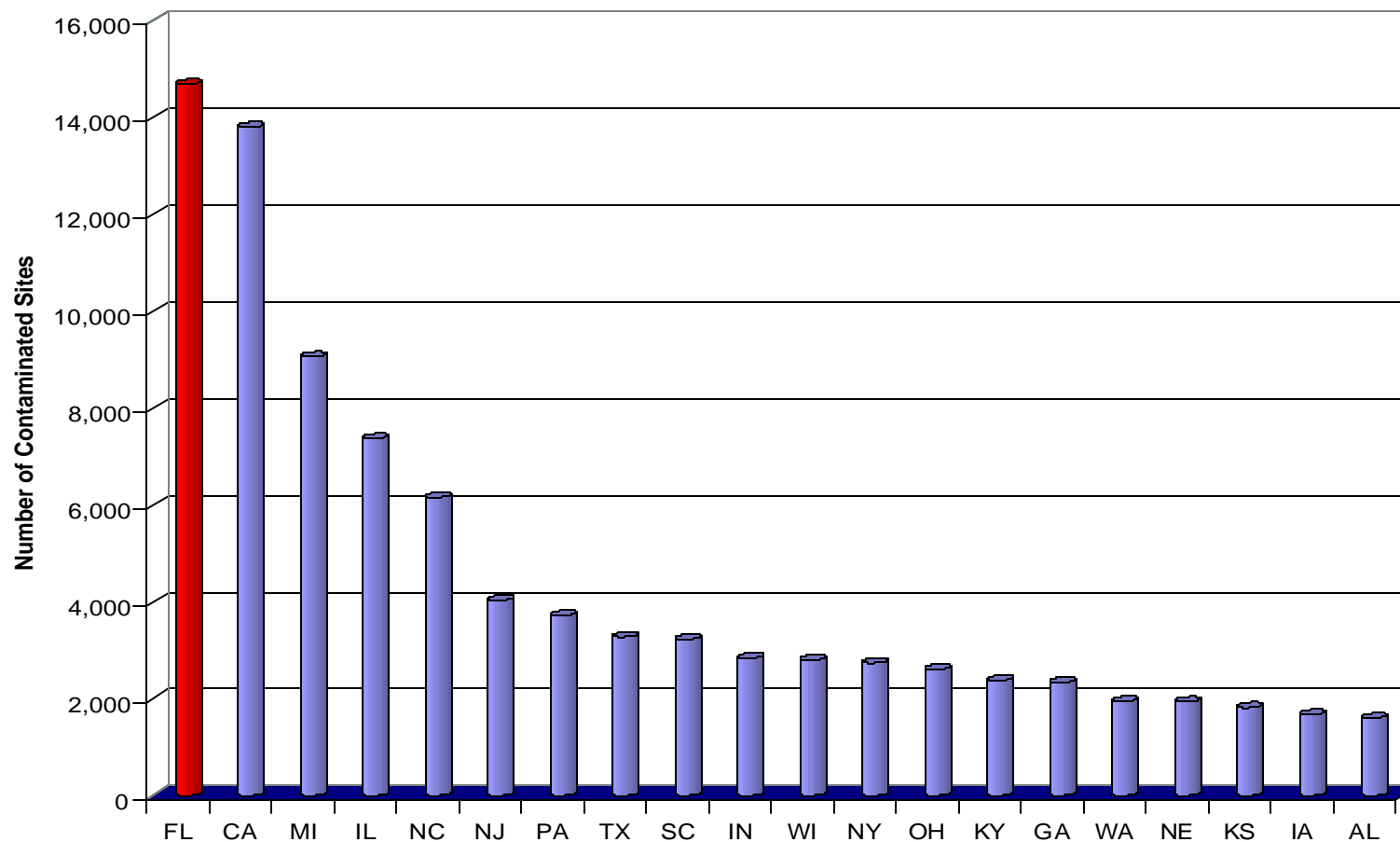


Figure 3. Florida has more contaminated petroleum sites to be cleaned up than any other state including California.

http://www.epa.gov/swrust1/cat/ca_07_12.pdf August 2007

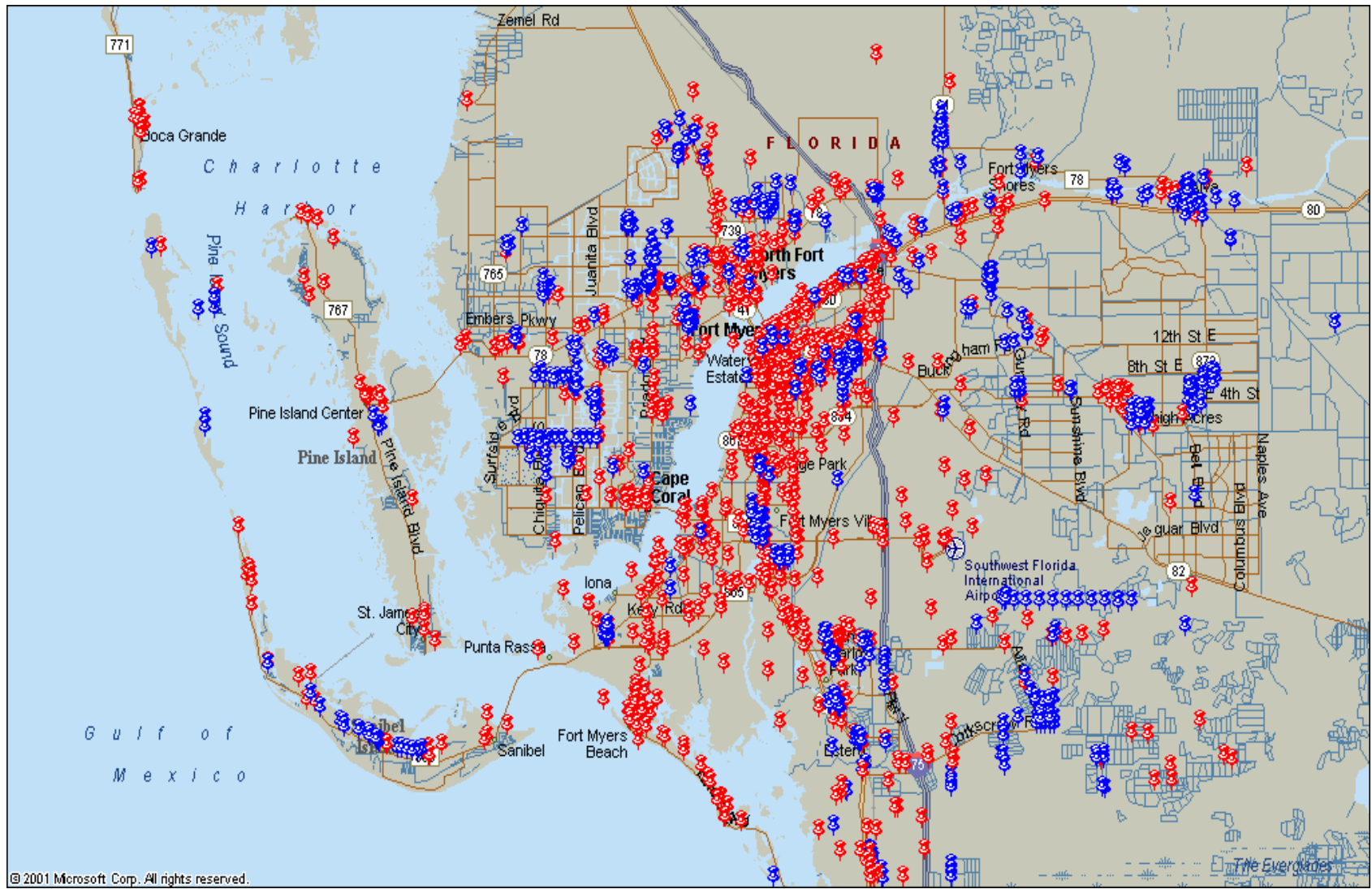


Figure 4. Wells and contaminated sites overlap.

Red markers are tanks and blue are wells.

Map of Lee County. Similar maps can be generated for other regions.

<http://www.doh.state.fl.us/ENVIRONMENT/water/petroleum/saindex.html>, August 2007