What are the most populous counties per state?

county percentages of state populations

0.09% 0.17% 0.26% 0.35% 0.48% 0.66% 0.99% 1.59% 3.54%

d_0 d_1 d_2 d_3 d_4 d_5 d_6 d_7 d_8 d_9 d_{10}

nation-wide deciles

Cook Co. **40.7%** of IL pop.

Providence Co. **59.8%** of RI population

Clark Co. **72.7%** of NV population

Maricopa Co. **60.5%** of AZ population

Honolulu Co. **70.0%** of HI population
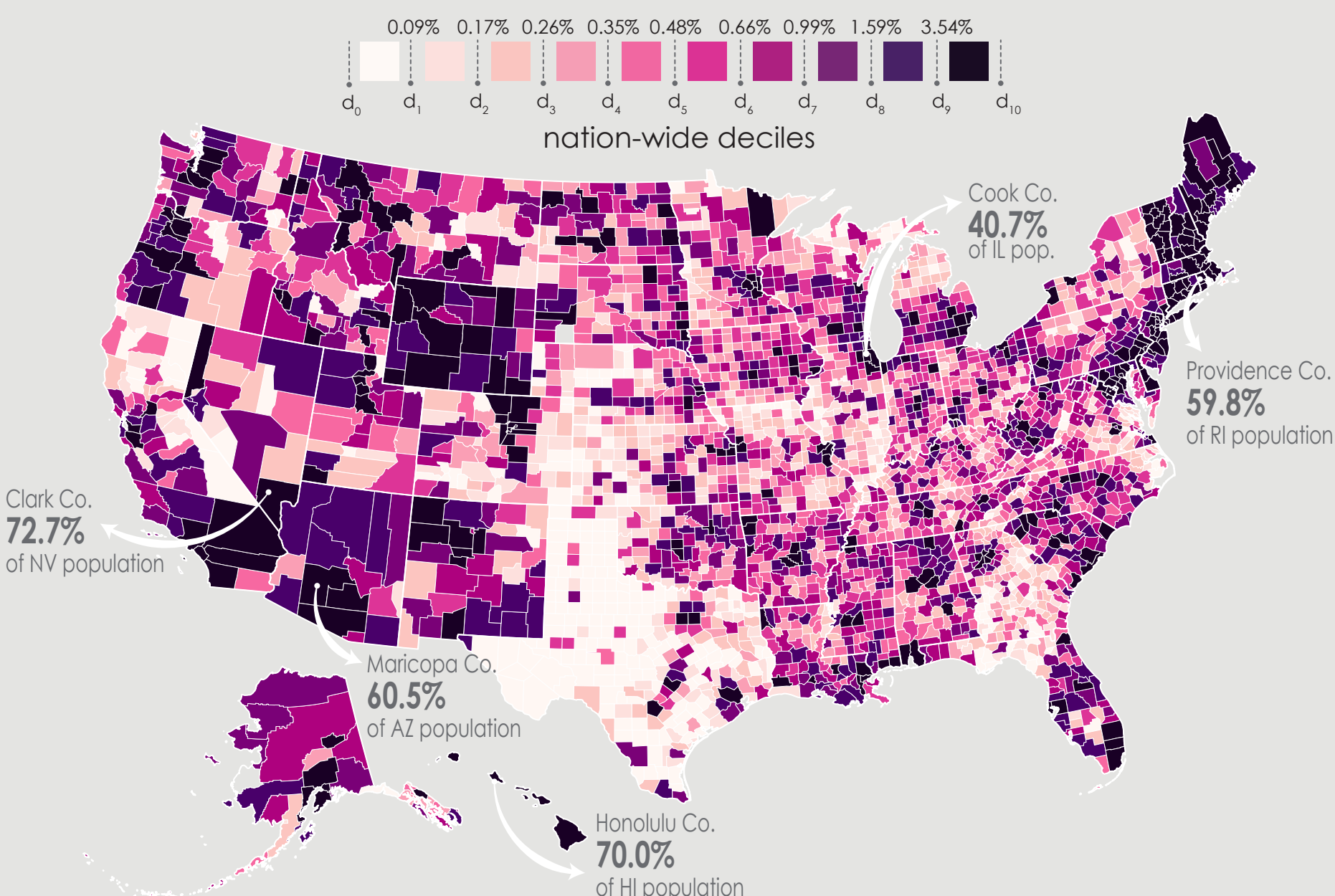
With color scales applied to national-scale deciles, states with wide urban-rural divides become apparent. 72% of Texas counties represent < 20th percentile of nation-wide county percentages of state population compared to 4.7% of counties > 80th percentiles. Alternatively, northeastern states show lower urban-rural divides. 100% of CT, DE, NH, and RI counties represent > 80th percentile of county percentages of state populatuons.

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state-wide quintiles
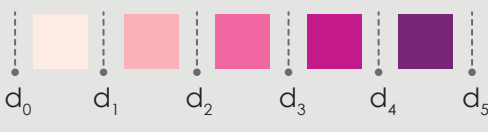
A closer look at state-wide population trends, with the most populous county per state pinned 📍

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