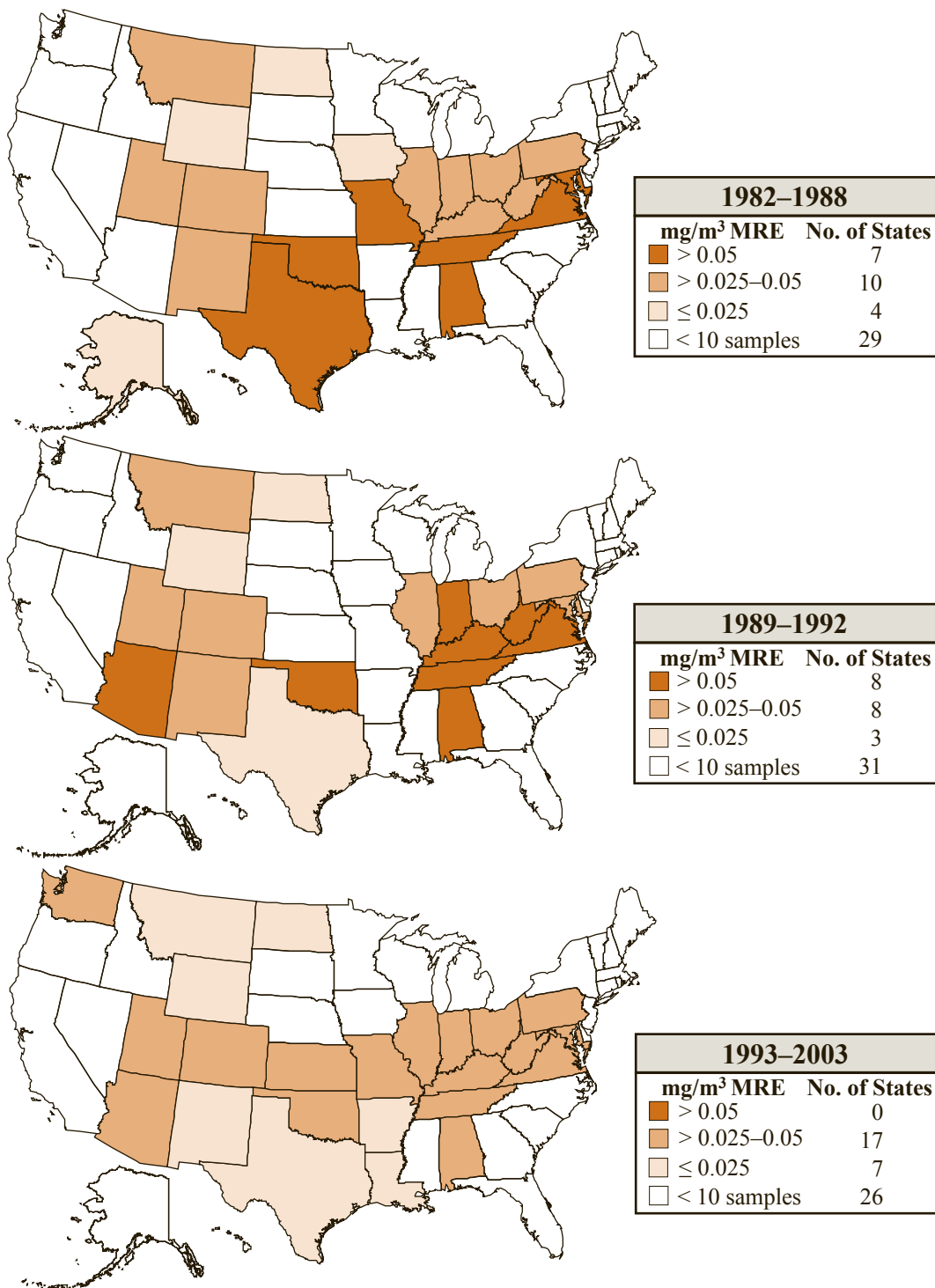


Respirable quartz: Geometric mean coal mining exposures by state, MSHA inspector and mine operator samples, 1982–2003



mg/m³ - milligrams per cubic meter MRE - Mining Research Establishment

MSHA - Mine Safety and Health Administration

NOTE: See appendices for source description, methods, and agents.

SOURCE: MSHA coal mine inspector and operator quartz data.