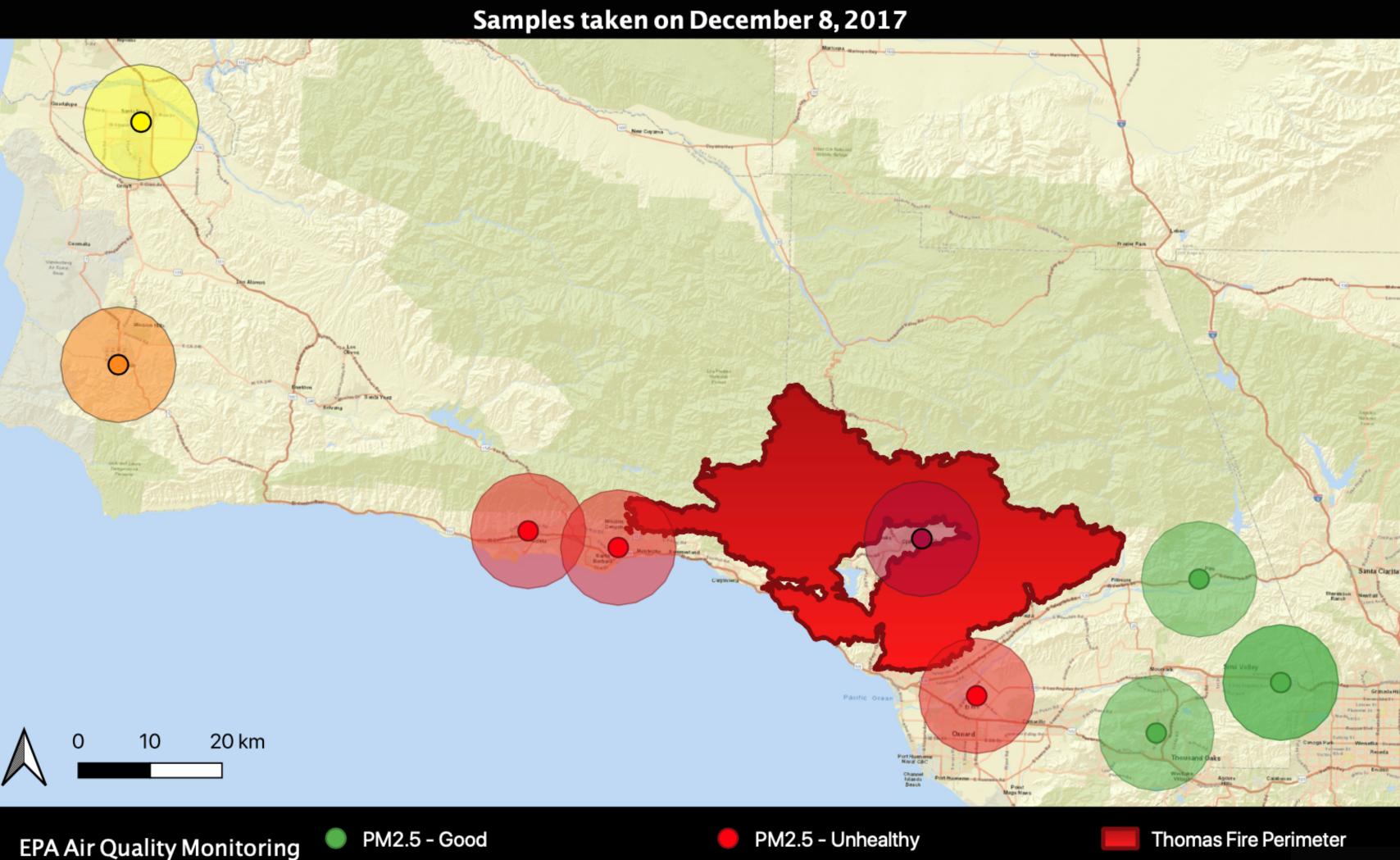
## Fine Particulate Matter (PM2.5) Monitoring During the Thomas Fire

Datum: WGS 84 / UTM Zone 11N



People Exposed to Different Levels of PM2.5 during the Thomas Fire in SB & Ventura Counties

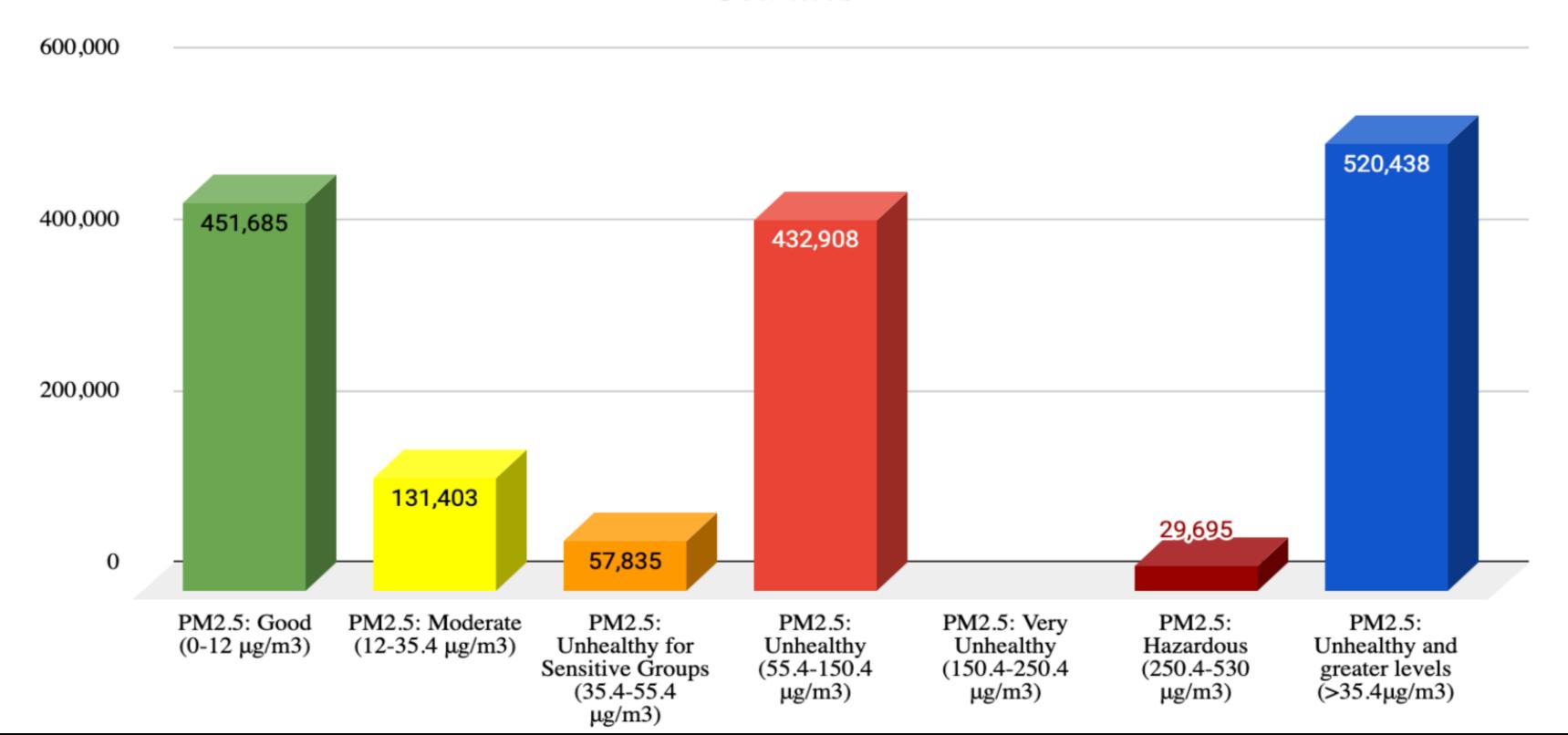
PM2.5 - Moderate

PM2.5 - Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups

**Stations** 

PM2.5 - Very Unhealthy

PM2.5 - Hazardous



Identifying where fires are, how a fire's air particulates travel throughout the atmosphere, and the concentration of PM2.5 is crucial in helping public health officials navigate how to protect human populations from inhaling harmful levels of fire smoke.