

# Evaluation of Jimmy Carter



# Carter's Approval Ratings

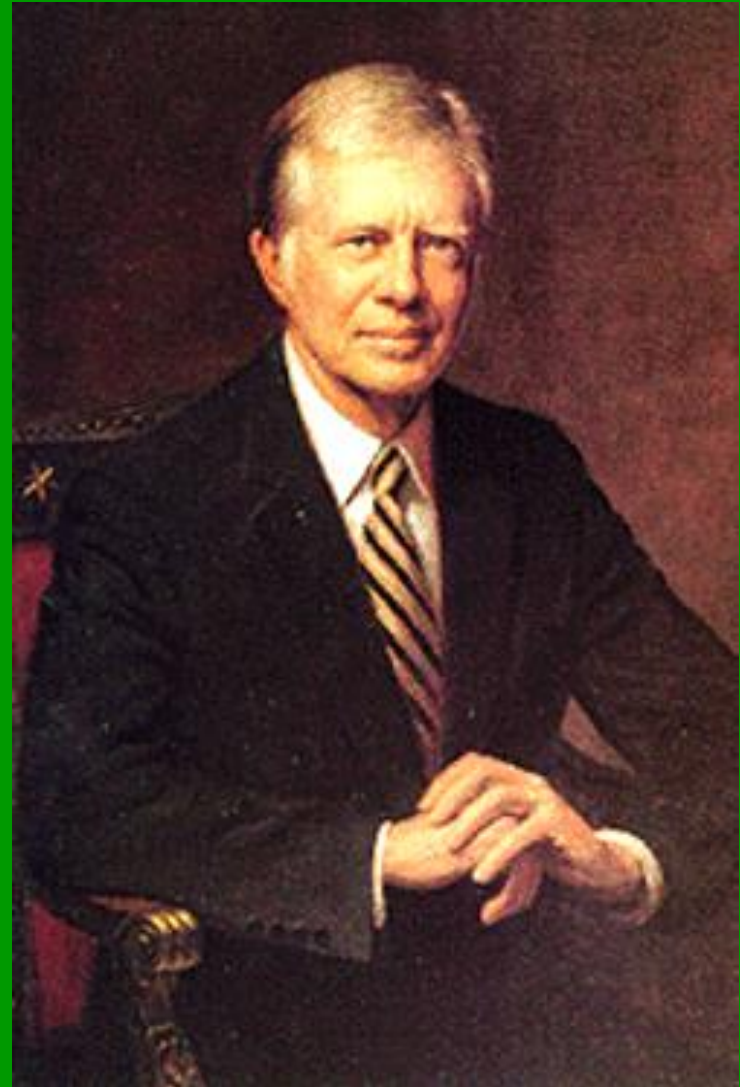
June 1979

28%

(4<sup>th</sup> lowest ever)

Foreign Policy:

17%



# Empire Shock



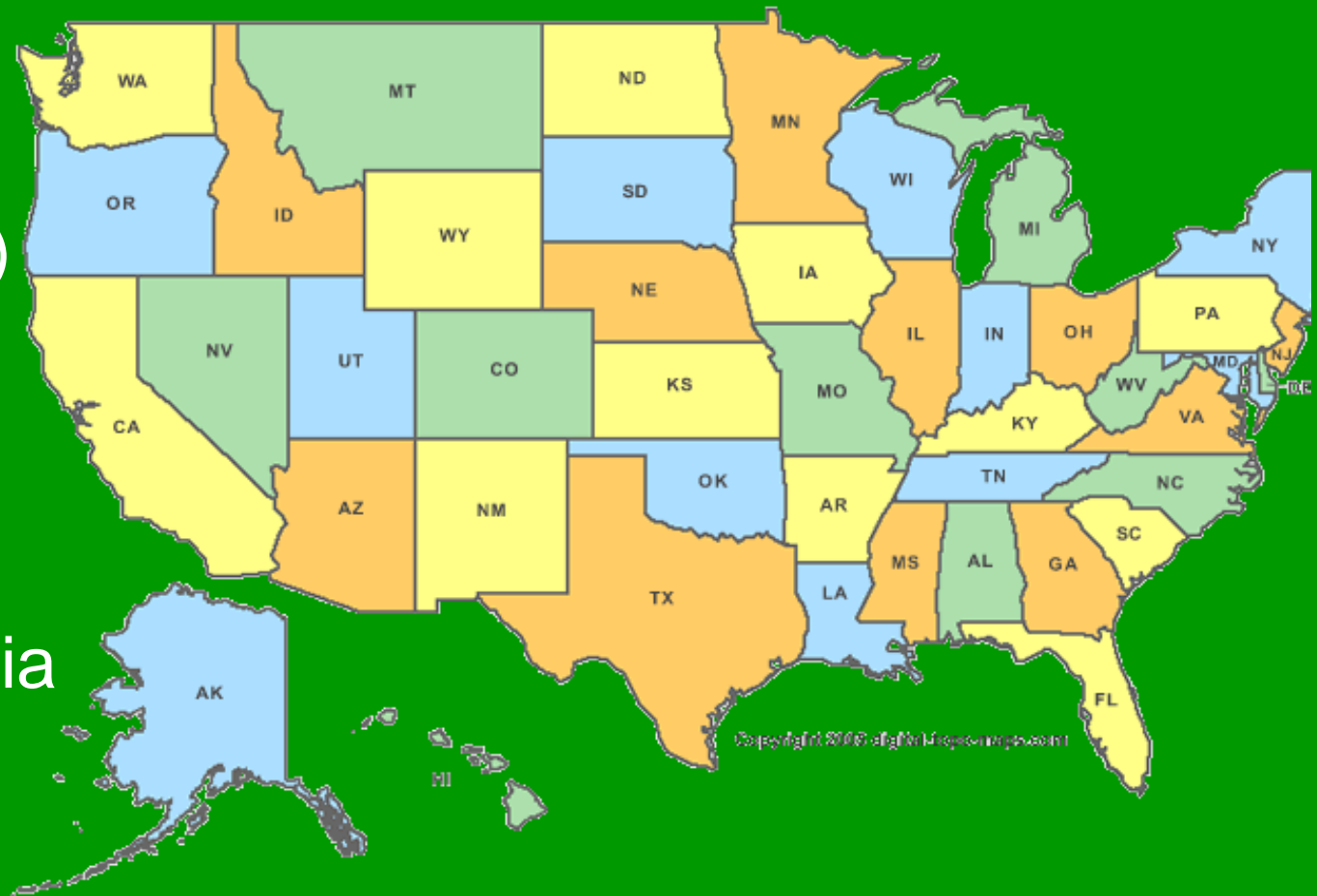
America's Foreign Power is slipping

# Carter (7) and Empire Shock

1. South Africa kept Apartheid
2. Panama Canal Treaties
3. Recognition of China
4. Cut ties with Taiwan
5. Soviet invasion of Afghanistan
6. OPEC embargo (1979)
7. Iran-Hostage Crisis

# United States (6)

1. Alaska
2. California (2)
3. Georgia
4. Michigan
5. Nebraska
6. Pennsylvania



# Nixon Legacy

## Domestic

- **Watergate**
- **“E” Challenges**

## Foreign

- **Détente**
- **Vietnam Policies**

# Ford Legacy

## Foreign and Domestic

- **Failure**

# Carter Legacy

## Domestic

- Inflation: 13.3%
- “E” Challenges

## Foreign

- Empire Shock



# See Ya, Seventies!

