Table 4. Estimates of the Percent Casting Votes for Presidential Electors and U.S. Representatives, by State: November 1960 to 1978

(Total votes cast as a percent of the population of voting age. For years prior to 1972, population of voting age includes persons 18 years old and over in Georgia and Kentucky, 19 and over in Alaska, 20 and over in Hawaii, and 21 and over in all other States. Beginning 1972 comprises persons 18 years old and over in each State.

Region, division, and State	Percent casting votes for Presidential electors[1]					Percent casting votes for U.S. Representatives[1]									
	1976	1972	1968	1964	1960	1978	1976	1974	1972	1970	1968	1966	1964	1962	1960
United States	54.4	55.4	60.7	61.8	63.1	35.1	49.6	36.1	50.9	43.8	55.2	45.4	57.8	46.3	58.7
Regions:															
Northeast	55.9	58.5	63.7	66.7	70.4	38.5	52.0	41.0	54.9	48.8	59.0	51.8	63.0	54.1	67.7
North Central	60.3	60.7	67.1	70.0	73.4	41.1	56.8	41.7	58.0	50.1	63.4	50.9	67.6	53.7	70.5
South	48.4	46.1	52.0	47.6	44.7	24.7	40.6	24.6	38.2	30.2	42.2	29.9	40.8	26.1	32.5
West	54.1	59.4	61.7	65.9	66.6	40.3	51.5	41.7	57.1	50.4	59.3	54.6	64.1	52.5	63.5
Northeast:															
New England	61.7	63.1	67.7	70.0	75.4	43.6	58.5	45.0	58.4	52.9	62.5	54.8	66.3	58.2	71.6
Middle Atlantic	54.0	57.1	62.4	65.8	68.9	36.9	49.9	39.7	53.8	47.6	57.9	50.8	62.1	52.8	66.4
North Central:															
East North Central	59.4	60.3	66.8	70.0	73.3	39.3	55.5	40.6	57.0	50.3	62.9	51.2	67.4	55.1	70.5
West North Central	62.5	61.8	67.7	70.1	73.6	45.4	59.8	44.3	60.4	49.7	64.7	50.0	68.0	50.3	70.6
South:															
South Atlantic	47.6	45.9	51.8	48.3	44.9	26.0	39.9	25.6	38.9	31.6	44.9	30.5	41.2	26.1	39.6
East South Central	48.8	45.0	52.7	45.0	44.1	27.7	41.0	27.0	41.9	32.1	42.6	34.5	40.6	25.0	32.6
West South Central	49.4	47.0	52.0	48.4	45.0	20.8	41.6	21.5	34.6	26.5	37.5	25.8	40.4	25.9	35.0
West:															
Mountain	57.4	59.1	63.0	66.0	67.0	39.8	55.9	45.6	57.4	50.0	60.5	53.2	65.1	53.6	66.6
Pacific	53.0	59.6	61.3	65.6	66.5	40.5	50.1	40.4	57.0	50.5	59.0	55.0	63.8	52.1	63.1
New England:															
Maine	65.0	61.1	66.4	65.1	71.7	47.9	63.6	49.5	60.5	52.9	64.9	53.1	63.2	48.0	69.5
New Hampshire	58.8	64.2	69.5	71.8	78.7	41.6	56.2	39.8	60.6	47.4	66.2	56.1	70.1	56.5	75.7
Vermont	55.7	60.8	64.0	70.4	72.4	35.0	56.0	44.5	60.8	57.5	62.3	56.7	70.5	52.0	71.8
Massachusetts	61.6	62.0	67.4	70.0	75.6	42.9	56.7	41.9	54.4	50.9	59.5	53.4	63.0	59.1	69.2
Rhode Island	61.4	62.0	67.2	71.6	75.2	45.3	58.2	46.5	57.8	54.6	63.7	57.9	68.5	58.1	72.7
Connecticut	62.6	66.3	68.8	70.7	76.1	44.8	60.9	50.2	64.7	56.8	66.1	56.6	70.2	61.5	75.8
Middle Atlantic:															
New York	51.8	56.6	59.3	63.4	67.3	34.0	46.6	38.5	52.2	47.2	53.3	48.3	59.7	49.4	64.0
New Jersey	58.1	60.0	66.0	68.7	70.8	36.6	54.2	41.1	56.7	46.6	61.9	49.6	65.7	47.9	67.8
Pennsylvania	54.7	56.0	65.3	67.9	70.3	41.3	52.4	40.6	54.5	48.7	62.9	55.4	63.7	61.0	69.6
East North Central:															
Ohio	55.4	57.5	63.3	66.6	70.7	36.6	51.8	40.4	53.9	47.4	58.2	46.0	62.6	50.1	65.3
Indiana	60.8	60.8	70.7	73.5	76.3	38.4	57.6	48.4	60.4	55.7	67.9	57.9	72.9	63.2	75.8
Illinois	60.6	62.7	69.3	73.2	75.5	38.3	56.0	37.3	58.2	51.3	66.3	57.1	71.2	55.9	73.1
Michigan	58.7	59.5	65.7	67.9	72.2	42.2	55.2	41.5	55.8	49.3	60.5	48.5	64.8	57.3	70.1
Wisconsin	65.8	62.0	66.5	69.5	72.9	43.6	61.4	38.7	60.2	50.7	64.5	46.5	67.7	51.3	70.1
West North Central:															
Minnesota	71.4	68.4	73.8	75.8	76.4	53.4	65.7	46.3	66.4	59.4	71.2	58.6	74.2	58.4	75.1
Iowa	63.7	63.3	69.8	72.9	76.5	39.2	61.9	46.1	61.8	45.5	67.2	53.6	70.3	48.3	73.6
Missouri	57.7	57.3	64.3	67.1	71.5	44.2	56.2	36.6	56.8	41.1	61.2	38.0	65.6	44.5	68.1
North Dakota	67.2	68.0	70.1	71.4	77.9	48.2	65.5	54.9	65.1	58.4	64.8	55.0	68.8	60.3	71.8
South Dakota	63.9	68.7	73.2	74.1	77.6	53.0	62.7	59.4	67.3	60.4	70.7	58.4	72.8	62.3	76.3
Nebraska	56.0	55.9	60.9	66.4	70.6	44.3	55.5	42.4	55.2	49.5	59.3	54.6	63.8	49.9	66.9
Kansas	58.4	59.0	64.8	65.1	69.7	39.7	55.5	49.0	56.5	52.2	60.7	50.2	61.7	46.3	65.3
South Atlantic:															
Delaware	58.4	62.4	68.3	69.0	72.2	38.0	53.3	41.1	59.8	49.2	64.0	54.2	68.1	54.0	71.7
Maryland	49.6	50.3	54.4	54.1	56.5	31.1	45.6	31.4	45.3	37.3	44.9	35.2	49.0	36.6	52.5
District of Columbia	33.3	30.8	34.4	38.7	-	19.6	31.5	21.0	29.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Virginia	47.7	45.5	50.1	41.1	32.8	28.4	41.1	27.4	39.7	32.0	46.7	26.2	36.6	18.2	27.2
West Virginia	58.1	62.4	71.1	75.5	78.0	33.4	52.1	33.5	59.0	40.7	67.1	47.1	73.4	58.4	76.3
North Carolina	44.1	43.4	54.3	52.3	52.9	25.8	41.3	26.9	38.6	30.6	47.9	32.7	47.9	30.9	50.4
South Carolina	41.7	38.6	46.7	39.4	30.4	28.7	40.7	28.1	36.1	28.7	44.0	26.5	32.9	20.3	25.8
Georgia	43.1	37.9	43.4	43.3	29.2	16.7	36.9	25.3	28.8	29.5	33.1	31.3	31.7	13.1	22.9
Florida[2]	51.5	49.3	53.0	51.2	48.6	24.9	34.0	18.1	36.9	28.1	42.9	27.5	39.1	27.3	39.3
East South Central:															
Kentucky	49.1	48.4	51.2	53.3	57.6	19.4	41.6	29.7	44.7	22.2	41.9	33.9	48.6	32.4	46.8
Tennessee	49.6	43.6	53.7	51.7	49.8	34.4	42.1	31.5	40.0	41.0	43.6	35.5	46.8	28.0	30.5
Alabama	47.2	43.5	52.7	35.9	30.8	24.6	39.3	23.4	42.0	36.3	45.7	35.8	32.2	23.8	23.7
Mississippi	49.5	45.0	53.2	33.9	25.3	32.3	41.0	20.3	41.0	24.9	36.5	31.6	29.9	13.4	21.9
West South Central:															
Arkansas[2]	52.2	47.9	53.3	50.6	40.8	19.2	22.9	29.8	13.8	14.7	26.1	26.1	11.7	16.7	36.0
Louisiana[2]	49.8	44.3	54.8	47.3	44.6	4.9	39.5	22.4	28.6	17.6	31.4	28.0	31.7	18.6	28.7
Oklahoma[2]	55.6	56.9	61.2	63.4	63.1	28.8	54.4	27.0	45.2	42.1	52.6	42.7	57.1	42.3	58.6
Texas	47.3	45.3	48.7	44.6	41.2	24.0	42.6	18.4	37.7	27.5	37.9	20.8	44.4	25.8	36.4
Mountain:															
Montana	63.7	67.8	68.0	69.4	70.3	52.0	62.2	51.4	67.2	60.8	65.3	64.2	68.9	61.7	69.0
Idaho	61.0	63.1	73.3	77.2	79.7	47.5	61.1	47.4	61.5	56.0	69.6	65.6	75.1	66.1	77.0
Wyoming	58.2	63.8	67.1	74.2	72.7	43.2	56.5	51.7	63.8	58.6	65.0	64.7	72.4	60.5	69.8
Colorado	60.3	60.2	64.5	68.0	69.7	40.7	57.0	45.9	57.6	48.0	62.4	54.7	66.3	53.1	67.7
New Mexico	54.3	57.5	60.7	61.9	61.7	34.8	52.3	44.1	55.7	50.2	57.5	49.8	65.9	52.1	59.8
Arizona	48.6	50.5	49.9	54.8	52.4	31.4	47.7	37.7	45.9	38.1	47.5	39.7	52.5	41.7	49.6
Utah	69.4	68.4	76.7	78.2	78.2	45.1	69.7	55.8	71.7	63.9	75.5	57.9	77.3	62.7	77.1
Nevada	47.5	51.0	54.4	52.1	58.3	38.5	47.0	43.1	50.4	45.4	50.9	47.8	50.3	41.3	56.3
Pacific:															
Washington	61.1	63.8	66.0	71.7	71.9	35.6	56.0	40.6	56.5	49.2	61.0	51.2	68.2	49.7	65.1
Oregon	62.1	61.7	66.4	68.9	71.8	49.0	55.9	47.6	57.9	49.9	63.9	56.1	67.3	56.8	70.6
California	50.9	59.1	60.4	65.4	65.8	40.3	48.6	39.4	57.3	51.1	58.5	55.9	63.3	52.3	62.7
Alaska	48.2	48.2	49.9	43.9	43.7	47.4	46.1	45.1	48.2	44.9	48.3	41.8	43.9	40.9	42.5
Hawaii	48.2	50.4	53.8	51.3	49.7	40.2	48.6	45.2	51.3	44.0	55.3	49.9	56.9	49.9	49.2

- Represents zero.

[1]Based on votes cast as shown in U.S. Congress, Clerk of the House, Statistics of the Presidential and Congressional Election and Statistics of the Congressional Election.

[2]State law does not require tabulation of votes in uncontested elections.