

NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE on DEMOGRAPHIC RESEARCH and REAPPORTIONMENT

Introduction to Election and Enrollment Data for the 2020 redistricting cycle

The Task Force has released five spreadsheets containing election & enrollment data for 32 data sets encompassing 4 recent years (2016, 2017, 2018, 2020) at 5 geographic levels:

- State – “STATEVOTE”
- County – “CNTYVOTE”
- Minor Civil Division – “MCDVOTE”
- Voting Tabulation District – “VTDVOTE”
- Census Block – “BLKVOTE”

Please see the 4 documentation pages below that provide specific information relevant to understanding the terminology used in the above data release:

1. Master List of Election and Enrollment Data – displays the list of all years and offices for which data has been collected and dis/aggregated.
2. County Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) Codes – the code numbers assigned by the Census Bureau to identify the counties within the State of New York.
3. Task Force Election Codes – the codes used by the Task Force to identify the political offices or enrollment information contained within each column of the spreadsheets, along with an explanation of the column titles.
4. Party Names – Election and Enrollment – political party names and abbreviations.

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Master List of Election and Enrollment Data

2016

US President general election
US President Democratic primary
US President Republican primary
US Senate general election
US Congress general election
State Senate general election
State Assembly general election
Party Enrollment

2017

NYC Mayor general election
NYC Public Advocate general election
NYC Comptroller general election
NYC Council general election
NYC Borough President general election (Bronx)
NYC Borough President general election (Brooklyn)
NYC Borough President general election (Manhattan)
NYC Borough President general election (Queens)
NYC Borough President general election (Staten Island)
NYC District Attorney general election (Brooklyn)
NYC District Attorney general election (Manhattan)

2018

NY Governor general election
US Senate general election
US Congress general election
State Attorney General general election
State Comptroller general election
State Senate general election
State Assembly general election
Party Enrollment

2020

US President general election
US Congress general election
State Senate general election
State Assembly general election
Party Enrollment

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County Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) Codes

001	Albany
003	Allegany
005	Bronx
007	Broome
009	Cattaraugus
011	Cayuga
013	Chautauqua
015	Chemung
017	Chenango
019	Clinton
021	Columbia
023	Cortland
025	Delaware
027	Dutchess
029	Erie
031	Essex
033	Franklin
035	Fulton
037	Genesee
039	Greene
041	Hamilton
043	Herkimer
045	Jefferson
047	Kings
049	Lewis
051	Livingston
053	Madison
055	Monroe
057	Montgomery
059	Nassau
061	New
063	Niagara

065	Oneida
067	Onondaga
069	Ontario
071	Orange
073	Orleans
075	Oswego
077	Otsego
079	Putnam
081	Queens
083	Rensselaer
085	Richmond
087	Rockland
089	St.
091	Saratoga
093	Schenectady
095	Schoharie
097	Schuyler
099	Seneca
101	Steuben
103	Suffolk
105	Sullivan
107	Tioga
109	Tompkins
111	Ulster
113	Warren
115	Washington
117	Wayne
119	Westchester
121	Wyoming
123	Yates

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Task Force Election Codes

1 President
3 U.S. Senate
6 Congress
9 Party Enrollment
20 Mayor (NYC)
21 Governor
28 State Senate
30 State Assembly
31 Borough President (NYC)
32 City Council (NYC)
33 Comptroller (NYS or NYC)
34 Public Advocate (NYC)
40 District Attorney (NYC)
41 Attorney General

G General Election
E Party Enrollment

Note:

Column titles in the election results spreadsheets are formatted as follows:

AAA99B88

where

AAA = the Enrollment or Ballot Line political party

99 = the last two digits of the election year

B = either [G]eneral election or [E]nrollment data

88 = the public office / enrollment code

Example - IND16G1 - indicates that this column contains data for the INDependence party line in the 2016 General election for President (using the number "1" to represent that political office - see the Codes list above).

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Party Names – Election and Enrollment

TOT	Total votes or total enrollment
DEM	Democratic
REP	Republican
CON	Conservative
IND	Independence
WF	Working Families
OTH	Other parties
BLANK	Blank/Void/Missing/Scattered