

General Elections Statistics from the Records

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1	Sep 03 1867	82	173	6	215,722	159,323	73.86 %	Open Voting - No Ballots	Open Voting - No Ballots	159,323	73.86 %	76
2	Mar 21 1871	82	159	15	207,717	130,711	62.93 %	Open Voting - No Ballots	Open Voting - No Ballots	130,711	62.93 %	67
3	Jan 18 1875	88	181	9	283,856	190,966	67.28 %	-	0.00 %	190,966	67.28 %	79
4	Jun 05 1879	88	189	2	392,085	247,857	63.22 %	-	0.00 %	247,857	63.22 %	86
5	Feb 27 1883	88	185	5	384,255	259,376	67.50 %	1,722	0.66 %	261,098	67.95 %	82
6	Dec 28 1886	90	182	3	463,025	316,606	68.38 %	2,197	0.69 %	318,803	68.85 %	80
7	Jun 05 1890	91	186	4	485,672	326,671	67.26 %	1,877	0.57 %	328,548	67.65 %	78
8	Jun 26 1894	94	209	-	539,358	375,277	69.58 %	2,521	0.67 %	377,798	70.05 %	92
9	Mar 01 1898	94	201	2	550,805	427,823	77.67 %	2,493	0.58 %	430,316	78.12 %	90
10	May 29 1902	98	216	1	595,381	434,767	73.02 %	2,458	0.57 %	437,225	73.44 %	95
11	Jan 25 1905	98	210	-	604,666	445,184	73.62 %	2,019	0.45 %	447,203	73.96 %	94
12	Jun 08 1908	106	232	6	622,751	450,469	72.34 %	6,740	1.50 %	457,209	73.42 %	92
13	Dec 11 1911	106	207	17	583,909	369,408	63.26 %	4,394	1.19 %	373,802	64.02 %	81
14	Jun 29 1914	111	240	4	697,935	497,138	71.23 %	7,304	1.47 %	504,442	72.28 %	98
15 ¹	Oct 20 1919	111	288	4	1,378,721	1,176,541	85.34 %	47,902	4.07 %	1,224,443	88.81 %	96
16	Jun 25 1923	111	292	2	1,655,312	953,092	57.58 %	13,600	1.43 %	966,692	58.40 %	97
17	Dec 01 1926	112	241	3	1,792,757	1,146,502	63.95 %	6,785	0.59 %	1,153,287	64.33 %	108
18	Oct 30 1929	112	236	8	1,804,932	1,014,310	56.20 %	7,809	0.77 %	1,022,119	56.63 %	104
19	Jun 19 1934	90	261	-	2,130,420	1,561,826	73.31 %	17,267	1.11 %	1,579,093	74.12 %	-
20	Oct 06 1937	90	266	-	2,228,230	1,571,133	70.51 %	17,271	1.10 %	1,588,404	71.29 %	-
21	Aug 04 1943	90	282	-	2,269,895	1,313,939	57.89 %	10,746	0.82 %	1,324,685	58.36 %	-
22	Jun 04 1945	90	317	-	2,469,960	1,765,793	71.49 %	17,597	1.00 %	1,783,390	72.20 %	-
23	Jun 07 1948	90	289	-	2,623,281	1,758,037	67.02 %	16,894	0.96 %	1,774,931	67.66 %	-
24	Nov 22 1951	90	271	-	2,750,709	1,776,616	64.59 %	19,744	1.11 %	1,796,360	65.31 %	-
25 ²	Jun 09 1955	98	314	-	2,905,760	1,761,525	60.62 %	22,622	1.28 %	1,784,147	61.40 %	-
26 ²	Jun 11 1959	98	296	-	3,196,801	1,882,573	58.89 %	21,272	1.13 %	1,903,845	59.55 %	-
27 ²	Sep 25 1963	108	337	-	3,437,834	2,165,773	63.00 %	18,305	0.85 %	2,184,078	63.53 %	-
28 ²	Oct 17 1967	117	366	-	3,685,755	2,419,710	65.65 %	19,528	0.81 %	2,439,238	66.18 %	-
29 ³	Oct 21 1971	117	384	-	4,503,142	3,292,717	73.12 %	18,059	0.55 %	3,310,776	73.52 %	-
30	Sep 18 1975	125	456	-	4,901,837	3,306,397	67.45 %	17,937	0.54 %	3,324,334	67.82 %	-
31	Jun 09 1977	125	472	-	5,123,768	3,341,833	65.22 %	19,600	0.59 %	3,361,433	65.60 %	-

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32	Mar 19 1981	125	436	-	5,519,204	3,182,484	57.66 %	20,797	0.65 %	3,203,281	58.04 %	-
33	May 02 1985	125	442	-	5,950,295	3,635,699	61.10 %	26,434	0.73 %	3,662,133	61.55 %	-
34	Sep 10 1987	130	495	-	6,067,378	3,777,311	62.26 %	26,658	0.71 %	3,803,969	62.70 %	-
35	Sep 06 1990	130	615	-	6,315,949	4,018,079	63.62 %	52,575	1.31 %	4,070,654	64.45 %	-
36	Jun 08 1995	130	651	-	6,667,798	4,158,370	62.36 %	42,152	1.01 %	4,200,522	63.00 %	-
37	Jun 03 1999	103	568	-	7,598,407	4,390,207	57.78 %	40,404	0.92 %	4,430,611	58.31 %	-
38	Oct 02 2003	103	522	-	7,962,607	4,497,244	56.48 %	30,923	0.69 %	4,528,167	56.87 %	-
39	Oct 10 2007	107	599	-	8,557,653	4,423,898	51.70 %	33,931	0.77 %	4,457,829	52.09 %	-
40	Oct 06 2011	107	655	-	9,000,375	4,316,382	47.96 %	20,435	0.47 %	4,336,817	48.18 %	-
41	Jun 12 2014	107	615	-	9,526,031	4,820,547	50.60 %	64,946	1.35 %	4,885,493	51.29 %	-
42	Jun 07 2018	124	823	-	10,246,066	5,744,860	56.07 %	61,426	1.07 %	5,806,286	56.67 %	-
43	Jun 02 2022	124	897	-	10,740,426	4,701,959	43.78 %	30,517	0.65 %	4,732,476	44.06 %	-
44	Feb 27 2025	124	768	-	11,183,586	5,022,142	44.91 %	34,791	0.69 %	5,056,933	45.22 %	-

¹ Women enfranchised

² No record kept of declined ballots

³ Voting age lowered to 18 / No record kept of declined ballots

List figures incomplete or included districts where multiple voting was in effect