

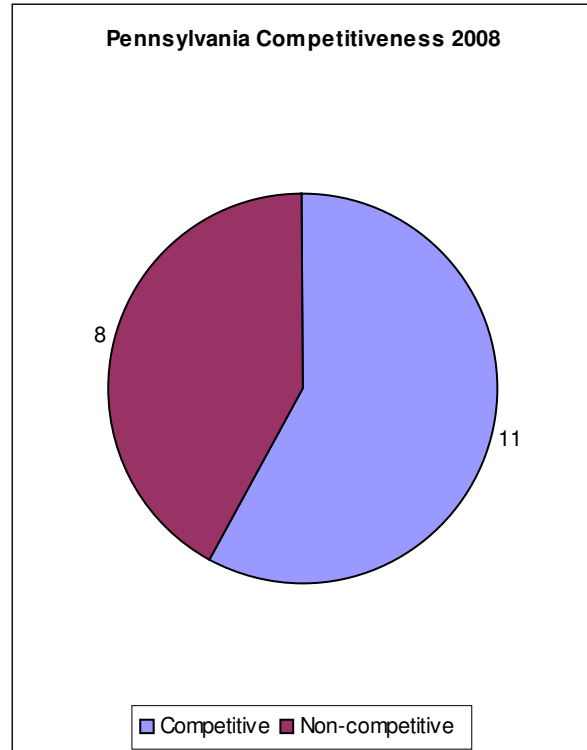
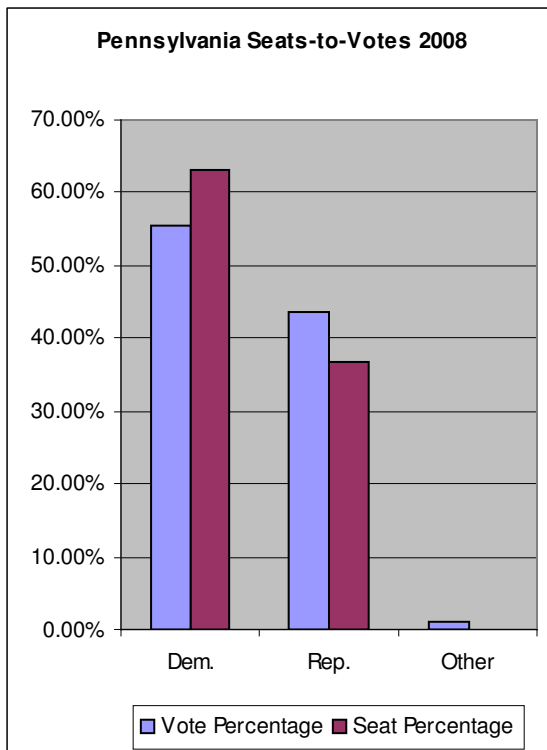
Pennsylvania Profile

19 Seats: 7R, 12D

Pennsylvania Rankings 2008

Democracy Index	7th (17)		Representation	39
Margin of Victory	28.4		Seats-to-Votes	7.2
Landslide Index	42.1		House Turnout	61.8

90% of Pennsylvania's US House winners in 2008 were uncontested in their party primary



	1992	1994	1996	1998	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008
Democracy Index	--	--	25.5	27.0	20.8	24.2	25.6	16.4	17
Voter Turnout	51%	37%	47%	32%	50%	35%	56%	42.7%	61.8%
Representation Index	34%	25%	30%	22%	34%	25%	40%	26.6%	39%
Wasted Votes	32%	31%	37%	31%	32%	30%	29%	37.7%	37%
% Of Wasted R / D Votes	33/27	34/25	36/36	32/28	25/35	19/39	12/43	44/32	48.7/26.6
Drop-Off Voters	7.4%	6%	4.2%	4.3%	7.2%	6.6%	10.7%	2.1%	3.7%
Avg Margin of Victory	40%	42%	29%	43%	42%	45%	48%	29.5%	28.4%
Votes for (R-D-O%)	51-47-2	54-44-2	47-52-1	51-48-1	49-50-1	56-41-3	50-48-2	43-56-1	43.6-55.4-1
Seats for (R-D-O%)	48-52-0	48-52-0	48-52-0	48-52-0	52-48-0	63-37-0	63-37-0	42-58-0	36.8-63.2-0
Seat Changes	--	2	1	2	1	3	0	4	1

Election Results and Analysis: 1996-2008

Results 1996-2008	1996	1998	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008
<i>U.S. House (R-D-O)</i>	10-11	10-11	11-10	12-7	12-7	8-11	7-12-0
<i>Landslide Index</i>	71%	81%	81%	74%	74%	52.6%	42.1%
Scale of Competitiveness							
<i>Tight: < 5</i>	2	2	0	3	1	3	3
<i>Competitive: 5-10</i>	1	1	3	0	0	1	0
<i>Comfortable: 10-20</i>	3	1	1	2	4	5	8
<i>Landslide: 20-40</i>	11	9	9	4	6	6	5
<i>No Contest: 40+</i>	4	4	4	4	2	2	2
<i>Uncontested</i>	0	4	4	6	6	2	1
Incumbents							
<i>Total Running / Total Seats</i>	19/21	19/21	19/21	17/19	16/19	19/19	18/19
<i>Re-Election / Total Incumbent</i>	19/19	18/19	19/19	17/17	16/16	15/19	17/18
<i>Landslide / Total Incumbent</i>	13/19	17/19	17/19	13/17	14/16	10/19	8/18
<i>R. Landslide / R. Incumbent</i>	6/8	8/9	8/9	8/10	8/10	3/8	3/6
<i>D. Landslide / D. Incumbent</i>	7/11	9/10	9/10	5/7	6/6	7/7	5/11
<i>Untouchable Repeat Landslide</i>	13	13	15	11	11	9	6
<i>Uncontested Primary</i>	11	4	6	4	--	--	17
<i>Elected Women</i>	0	0	1	1	2	1	2
<i>Elected Racial Minorities</i>	1B	1B	1B	1B	1B	1B	1B