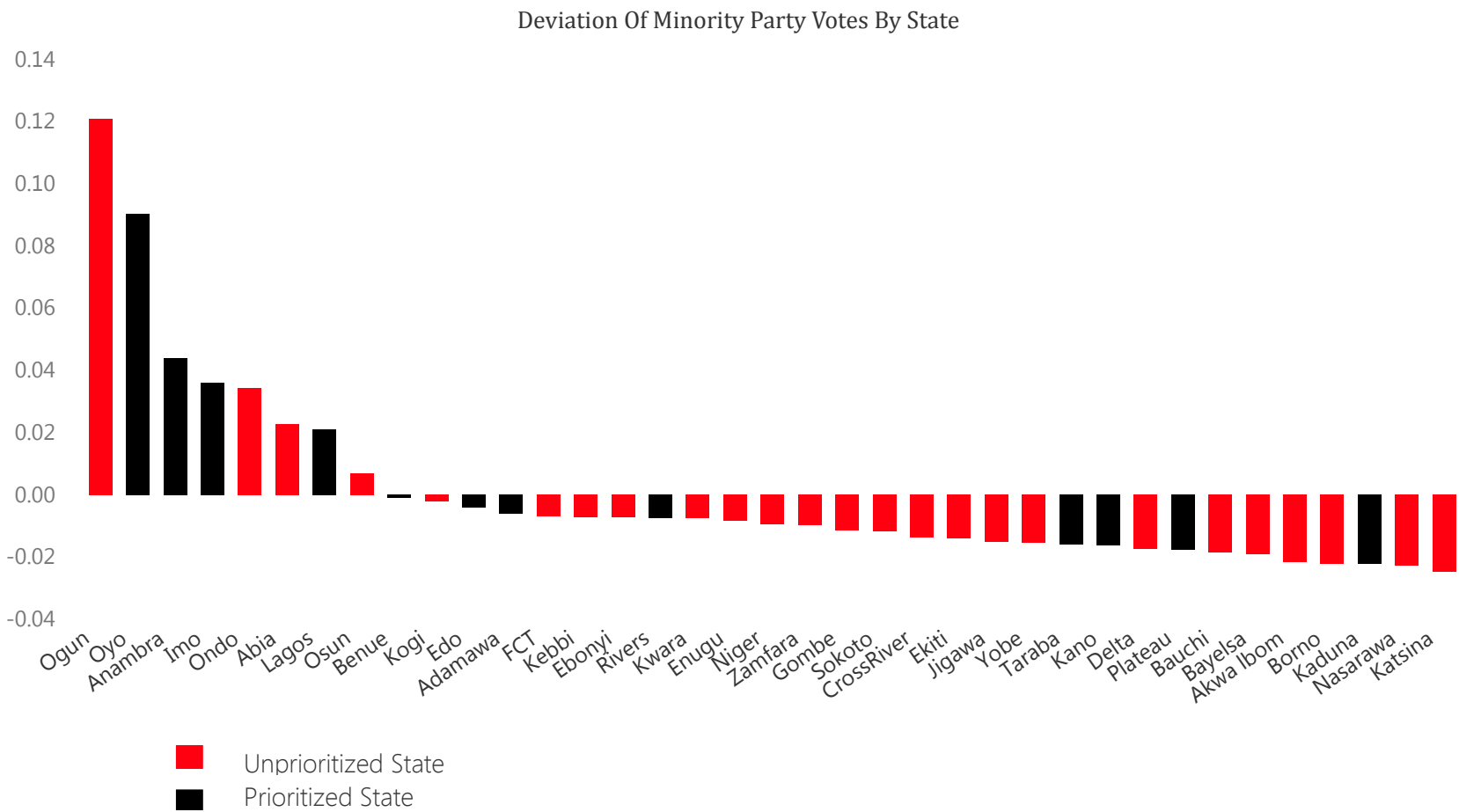
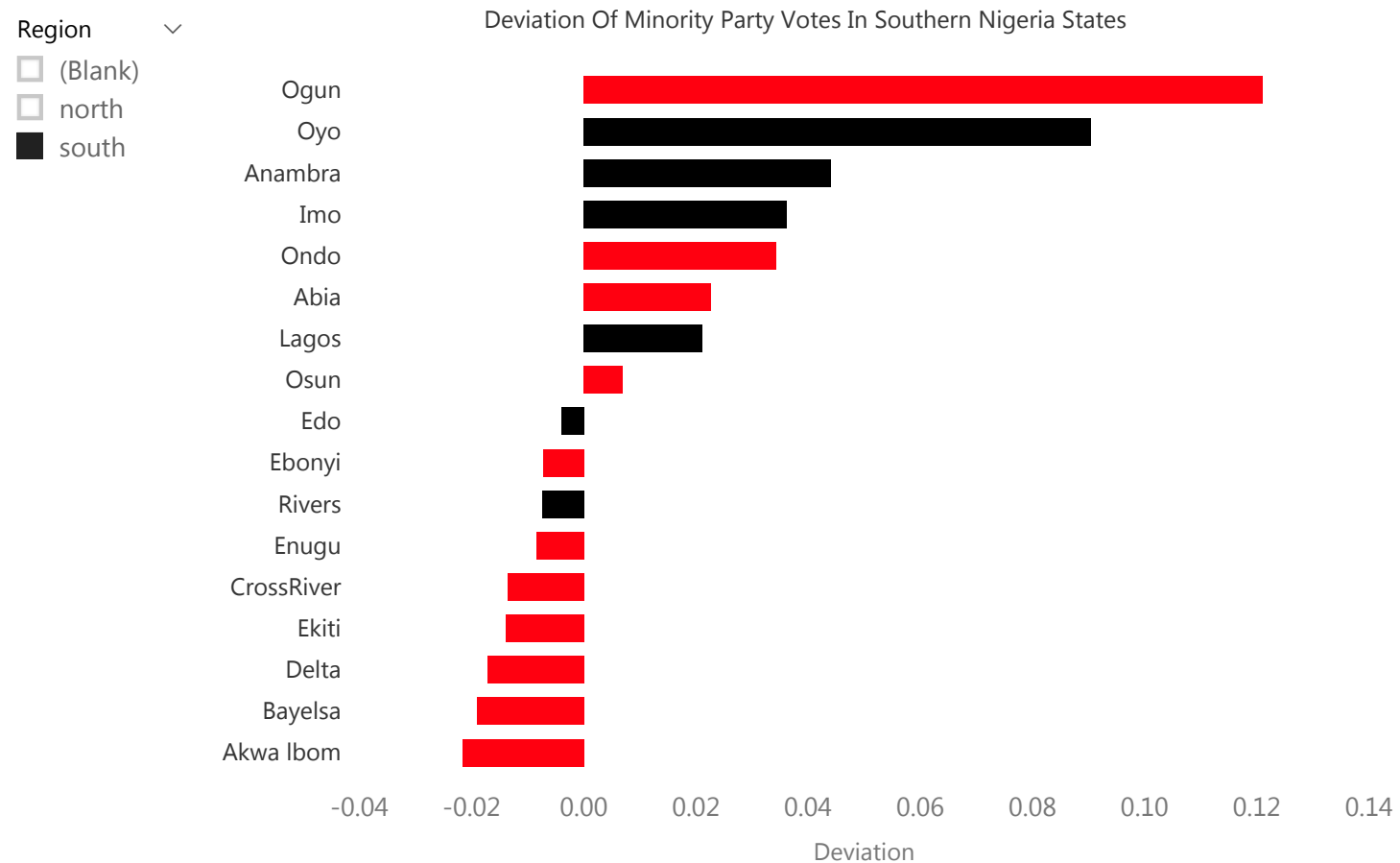


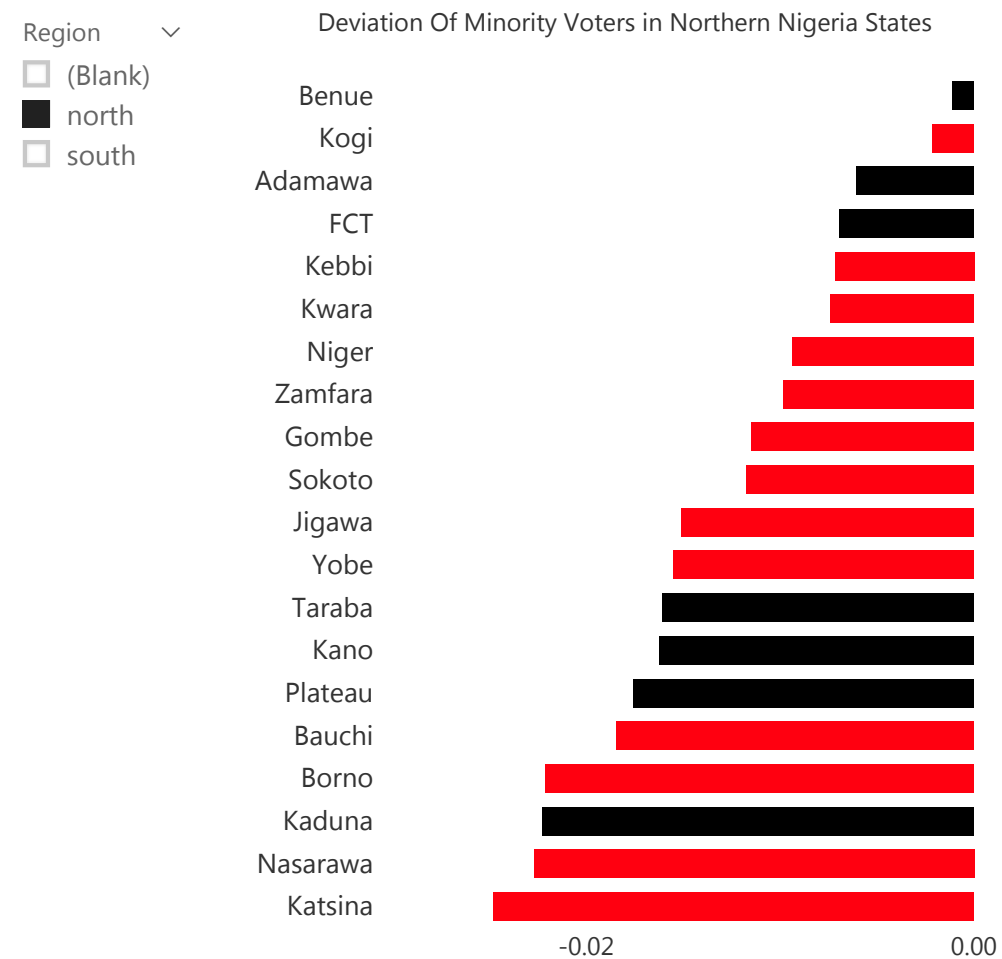
How Did the Minority Parties Fare in the Last Election?



The chart shows the deviation of each state from the tendency of voting for any of the minority parties in the last election. If the deviation is negative then it shows that the voters in such states had high tendency of voting for APC and PDP and if Positive ; it means the voters had a tendency of voting for minority parties. While there are many prioritized states that are negative, only a third of the prioritized states are in the positive region.

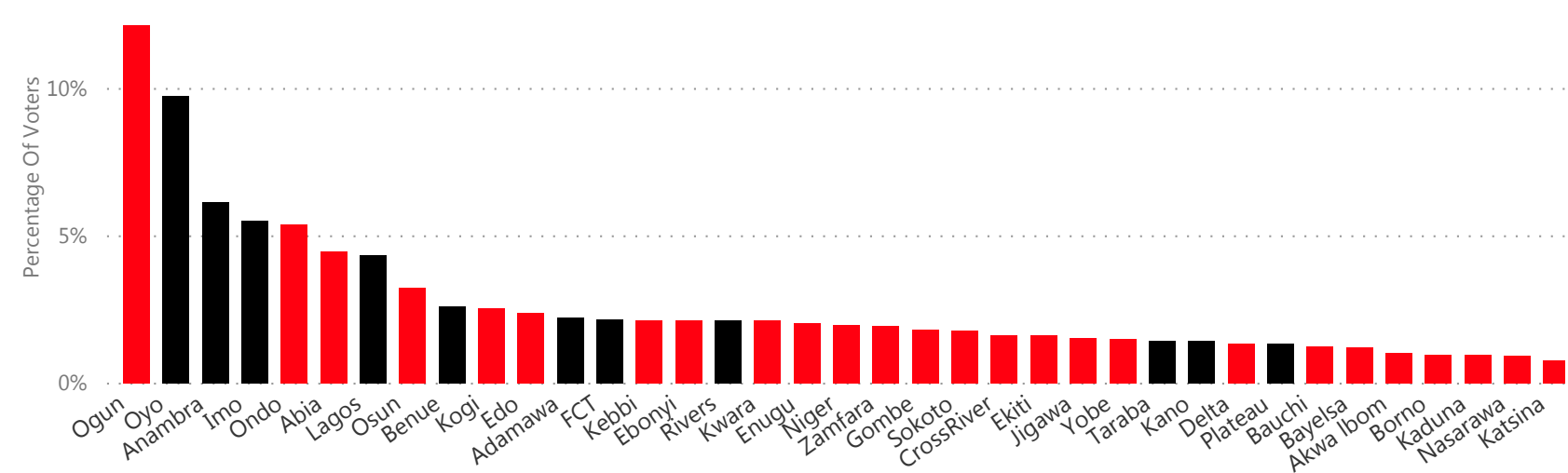


As for the southern states, there are a few number of states that have a negative deviation, but not as wide as the positive deviation; most notably out of the 6 southwestern states, 5 of them are positive with Ogun and Oyo state having a large difference. Meaning that Ogun and Oyo state has a largest percentage of those who DID NOT vote for either APC or PDP. Bayelsa and Akwa Ibom are negative, which means most of their votes are for either PDP or APC. Two-third of the prioritized states have a positive deviation which apparently looks encouraging.



As for the northern states,, the people of Borno , Kaduna Nasarawa and Katsina were very inclined to voting for PDP and APC since they have a high negative deviation from the mean value. One notable takehome is the fact that all Northern states has no positive deviation with only a slight difference in Benue and Kogi state that are close to the mid point.

Percentage Of those who Voted for Minority Parties

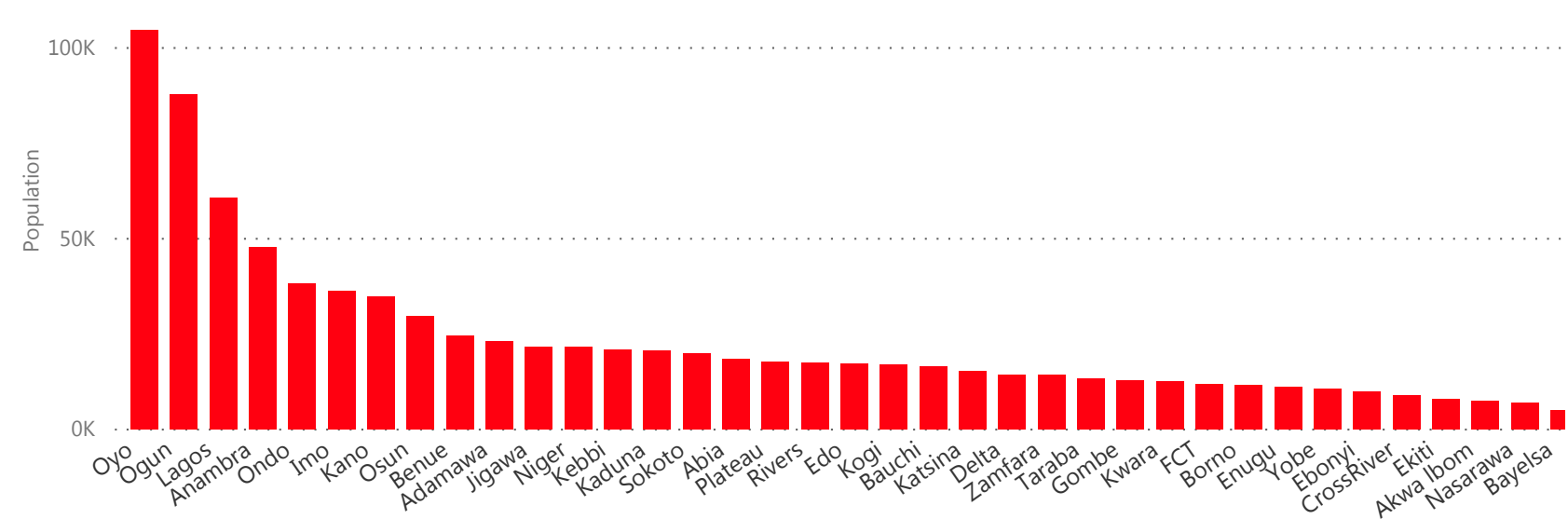


This shows the population in percentage of those who did not vote for either APC or PDP party in a state as related to total valid votes.

Up to 15% of the valid voters in Ogun state voted for the minority parties. This might be partly attributed to the fact that such people want a change.

Katsina, Nasarawa, Kaduna,Borno, AkwaIbom and some few other states as shown in the viz happened to be majorly overinfluenced by the major parties i.e APC and PDP

Minor Party Votes (MP) by State



This is a chart pictures the total votes accumulated by Minority Parties in a state relative to the total valid votes. This is often influenced by the state population and is not the best way to track minority voters.

As we can see Kano has up to 30k out of 1.8M+ valid voters and still lies in 7th position out of 37 states while Abia State has few more than 18k out of 324k valid votes and placed 16th on the chart.