

Project - Analyze Election Disbursement *Follow the Money*



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Wait, What! WOW! 😞 -



Trump received \$1.6 million from Secret Service

The agency pays to travel with all presidential nominees, but in Trump's case, that money went to one of his companies.

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Federal Election Commission records show that the U.S. Secret Service has paid the Trump campaign about \$1.6 million to cover the cost of flying its agents with the candidate on a plane owned and operated by one of his companies.

Trump's campaign paid his businesses \$8.2 million

The GOP presidential candidate draws on his own companies to an unprecedented degree.

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Financial Summary for Trump & Pence

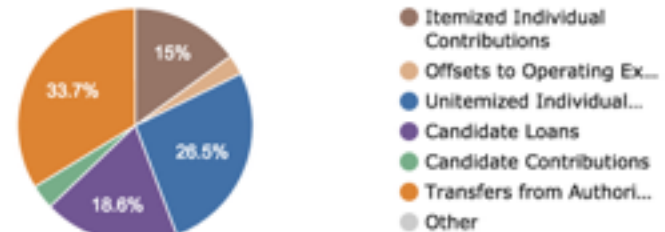
FINANCIAL SUMMARY - TRUMP, DONALD J. / MICHAEL R. PENCE

From: 04/02/2015 To: 10/19/2016 ?

I. RECEIPTS

Federal Funds	\$0
<u>Itemized Individual Contributions</u>	\$38,152,988
Unitemized Individual Contributions	\$67,646,891
Total Individual Contributions	\$105,799,882
<u>Party Committees Contributions</u>	\$4,832
<u>Other Committees Contributions</u>	\$87,905
<u>Candidate Contributions</u>	\$8,599,568
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS	\$114,492,189
<u>Transfers from Authorized Committees</u>	\$85,958,458
<u>Candidate Loans</u>	\$47,508,505
Other Loans	\$0
TOTAL LOANS	\$47,508,505
<u>Offsets to Operating Expenditures</u>	\$6,998,041
Fundraising Offsets	\$0
Legal and Accounting Offsets	\$0
TOTAL OFFSETS	\$6,998,041
Other Receipts	\$0
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$254,957,194

Receipts



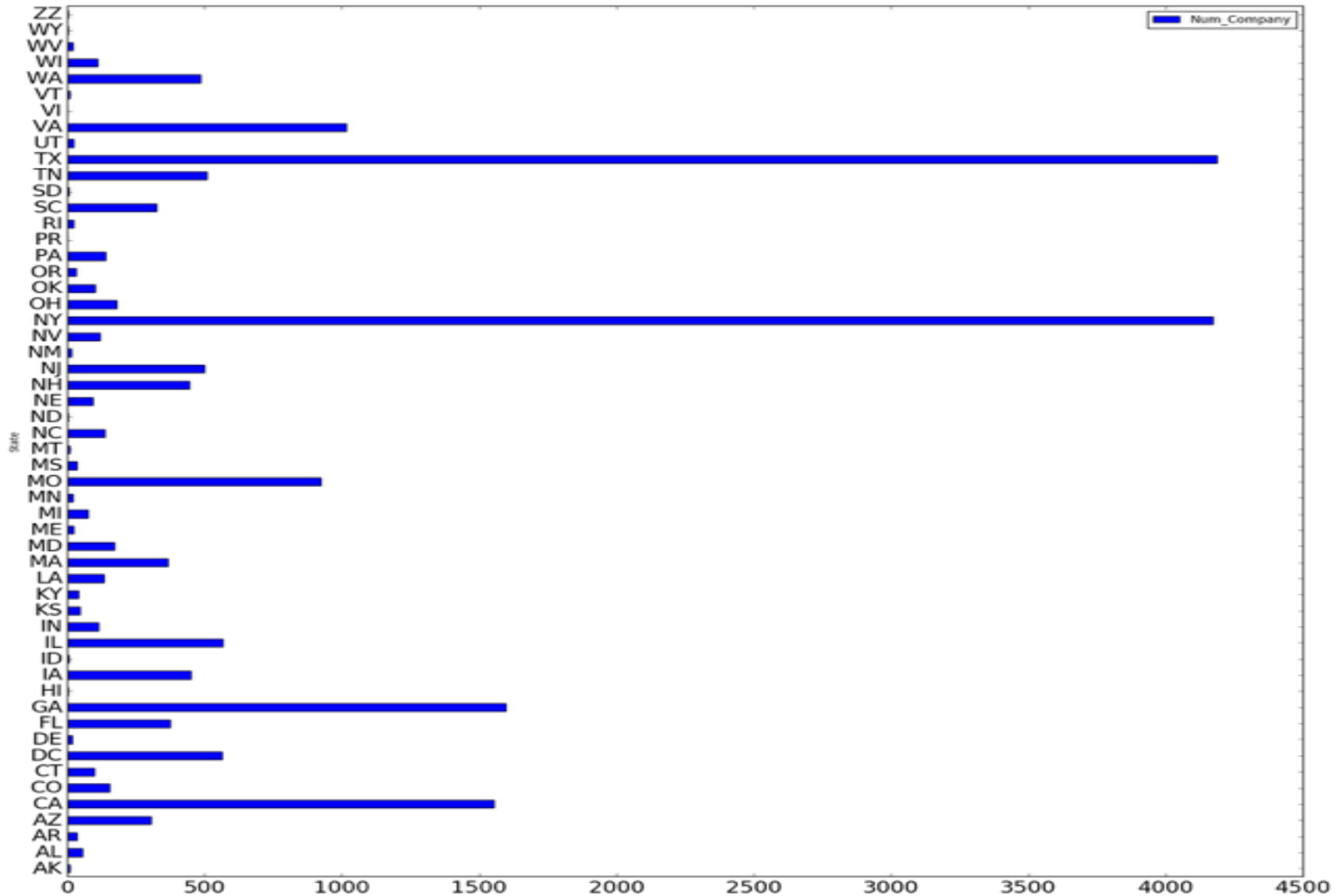
II. DISBURSEMENTS

<u>Operating Expenditures</u>	\$238,374,891
<u>Transfers To Authorized Committees</u>	\$181,073
Fundraising	\$0
Exempt Legal and Accounting	\$0
Candidate Loan Repayments	\$0
Other Loan Repayments	\$0
TOTAL LOAN REPAYMENTS	\$0
<u>Individual Refunds</u>	\$404,776
Political Party Refunds	\$0
<u>Other Committee Refunds</u>	\$2,000
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION REFUNDS	\$406,776
Other Disbursements	\$0

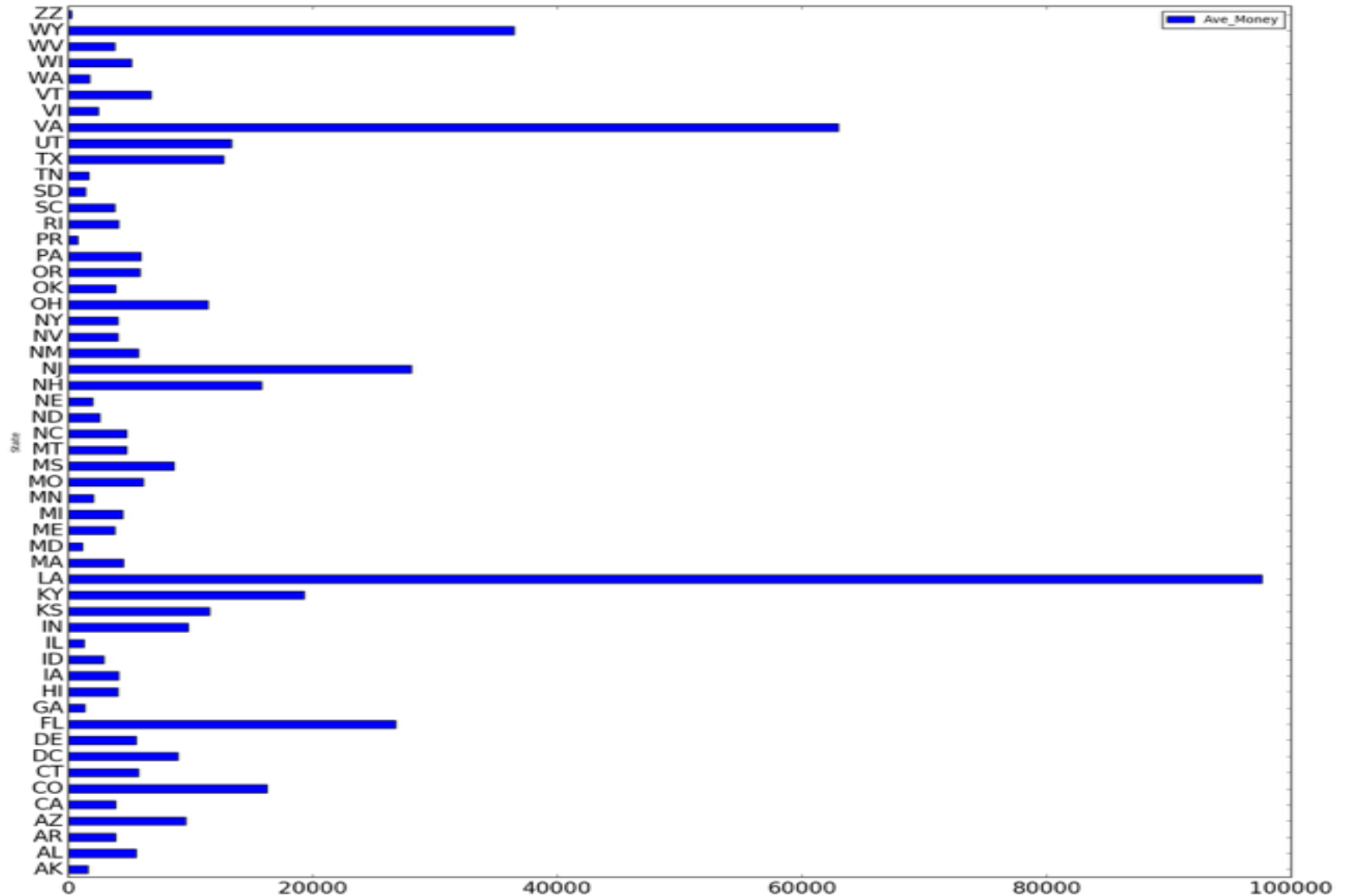
Disbursements



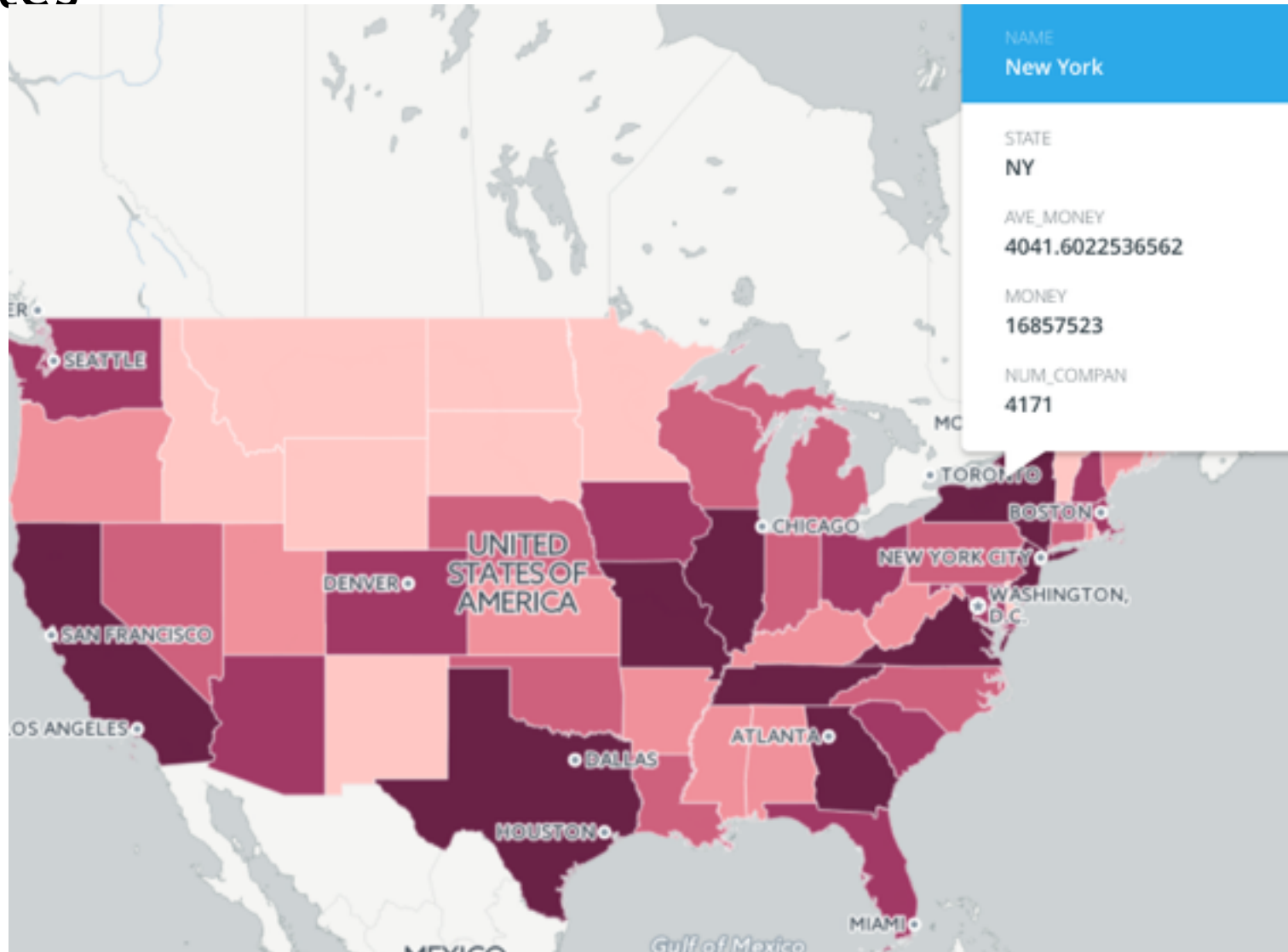
Money disbursed to number of companies in different US States



Average Money disbursed across the different US States



Presidential Campaign Disbursement across the US States



Next Steps -

- Time-series analysis to understand at what point of time in the Election Cycle, how much money is disbursed across the US states.
- Influence of money spent in the US states and the desired outcome for the Presidential Candidate.

Data Sources -

- Federal Election Commission Data for Presidential Elections
<http://www.fec.gov/data/CandidateSummary.do?format=html>
- 270 to Win
<http://www.270towin.com/>

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