# NEW FINDINGS ON VOTER TURNOUT AND EXPERIENCES

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### **Current Picture: Key States Vote Tracking**

CITIZEN DATA	Last Updated	Registered	Ballot Requests	Ballot Returns	% Returned	% of 2016 vote	Total Projected VBM
Florida (VBM)	10/23 AM	14,441,869	5,919,910	3,363,855	57%	36%	5,118,024
Florida (IP)	10/23 AM	14,441,869	N/A	1,365,611	N/A	15%	
Pennsylvania (VBM)	10/22 PM	8,897,739	2,904,555	1,329,840	46%	22%	2,616,849
North Carolina (VBM)	10/23 AM	7,242,242	1,420,665	727,586	51%	16%	895,689
North Carolina (IP)	10/23 AM	7,242,242	N/A	1,970,315	N/A	43%	
Iowa (VBM + IP)	10/22 PM	2,214,508	860,393	649,483	75%	41%	634,522
Michigan (VBM + IP)	10/22 PM	8,063,702	3,011,118	1,900,512	63%	40%	2,371,452
Wisconsin (VBM)	10/23 AM	3,476,347	1,632,452	1,010,881	62%	34%	1,552,517
Wisconsin (IP)	10/23 AM	3,476,347	N/A	209,665	N/A	7%	
Ohio (VBM)	10/23 AM	7,774,767	2,675,403	1,582,981	59%	29%	2,019,696
Georgia (VBM)	10/23 AM	7,002,328	1,938,394	871,831	45%	21%	1,304,862
Georgia (IP)	10/23 AM	7,002,328	N/A	1,458,419	N/A	36%	
Texas (VBM)	10/23 AM	16,955,519	N/A	787,388	N/A	9%	
Texas (IP)	10/23 AM	16,955,519	N/A	5,593,296	N/A	62%	





### **Current Picture: Key States Breakdown by Party**

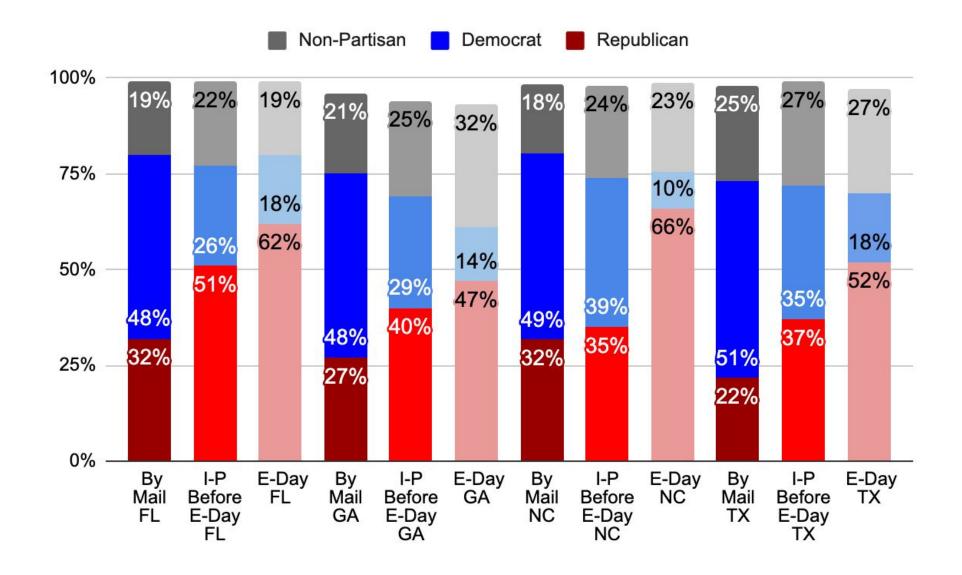
	Ballot Returns	Dem Returns	Rep Returns	% Dem	% Rep	% NP	Non-Partisan Returns
Florida (VBM)	3,363,855	1,603,659	1,037,586	48%	31%	21%	722,610
Florida (IP)	1,365,611	491,102	631,024	36%	46%	18%	243,485
Pennsylvania (VBM)	1,329,840	946,662	262,838	71%	20%	9%	120,340
North Carolina (VBM)	727,586	351,166	139,472	48%	19%	33%	236,948
North Carolina (IP)	1,970,315	774,062	644,865	39%	33%	28%	551,388
lowa (VBM + IP)	649,483	336,780	199,586	52%	31%	17%	113,117



#### **Survey overview: October 17-20**

- Citizen Data surveyed n=1,000 likely voters in 7 key states between October 17-20 via IVR/P2P on their voting experience thus far and intentions through November 3. GA, FL, NC, TX, PA, MI, OH
- This survey data has been matched to Citizen's voter file of all registered voters, weighted, and balanced to represent the partisanship and demographics of each state.

### Republicans are more likely to vote in-person on Election Day, while Southern Democrats make up half of mail voters.

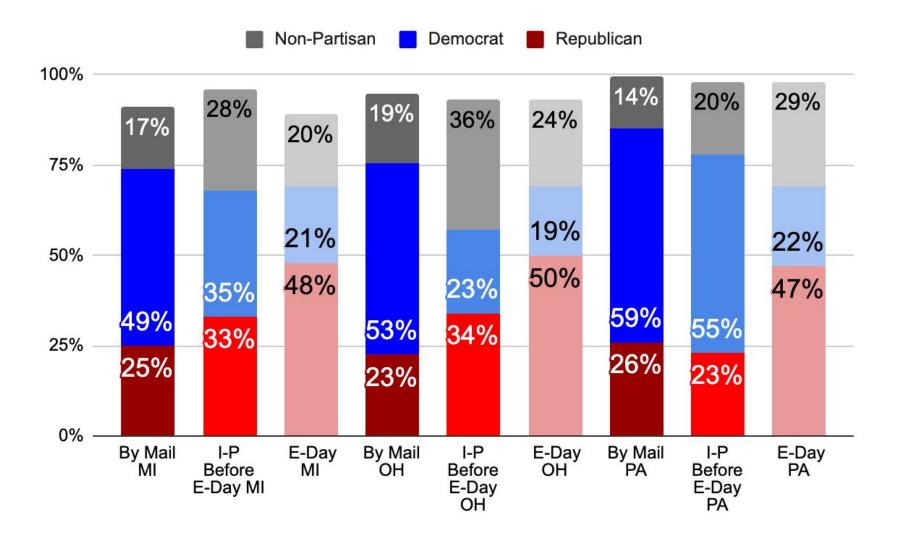






# Rust belt Democrats are more likely to vote on Election Day but still comprise only a % of Election Day voters,

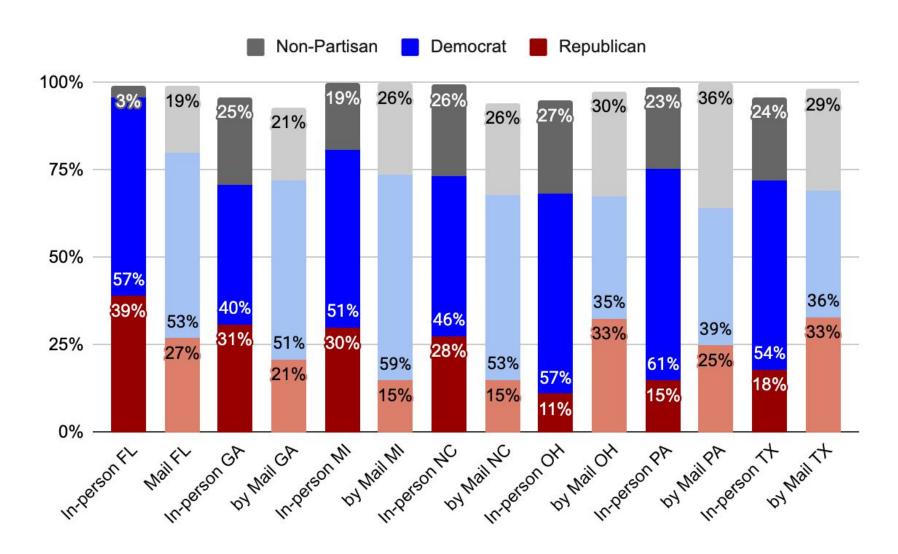
compared to Republicans making up nearly half.





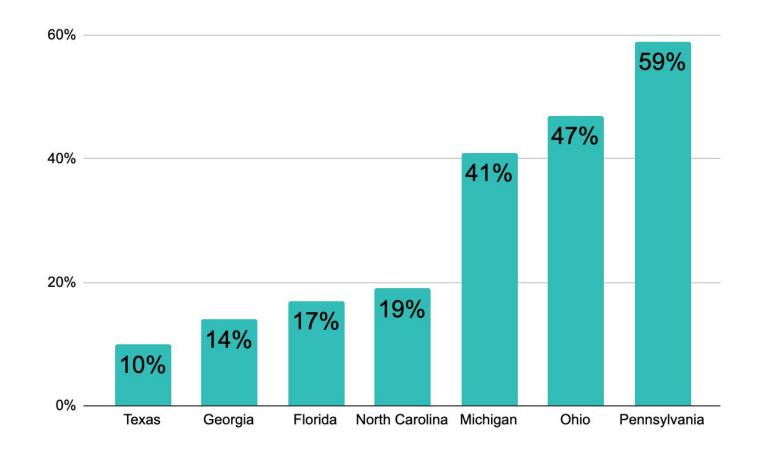


### Of those who already voted, Democrats are more likely to make up half of early in-person voters.





### Most battleground states will see fewer than half voting on Election Day, with some much less so.

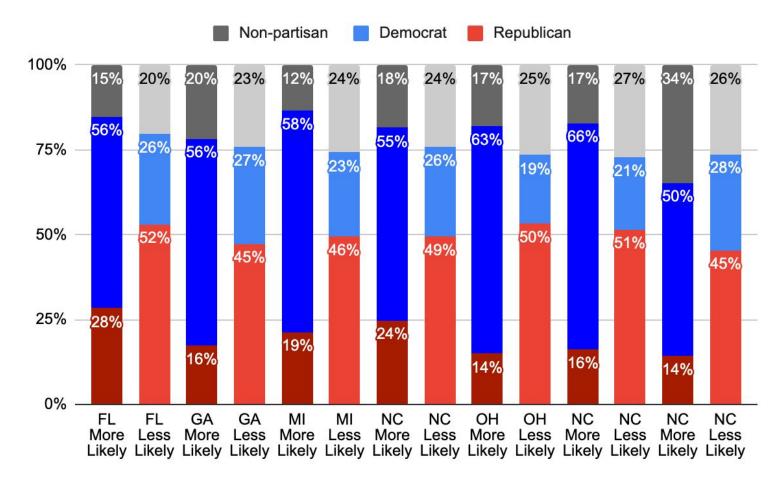


Southern states with extensive early voting have dramatically cut down on their Election Day vote whereas midwest states and PA especially will still likely see a big November 3 turnout.





### Across all states, Republicans were more likely to have seen or heard information that that made them less likely to vote by mail.

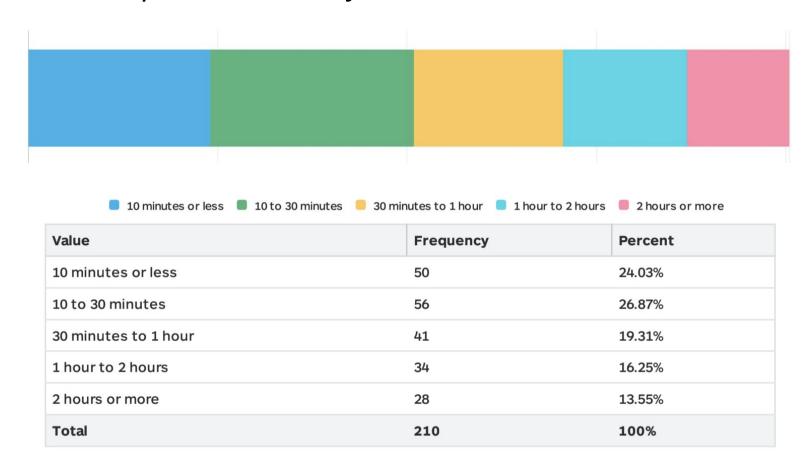


Half of voters that had seen or heard information about voting by mail that made them more likely to to cast a mail ballot were Democrats, while half of those less likely to vote by mail were Republicans.



#### Half of Georgia Voters waited more than 30 minutes,

though about a quarter waited for less than 10 minutes.

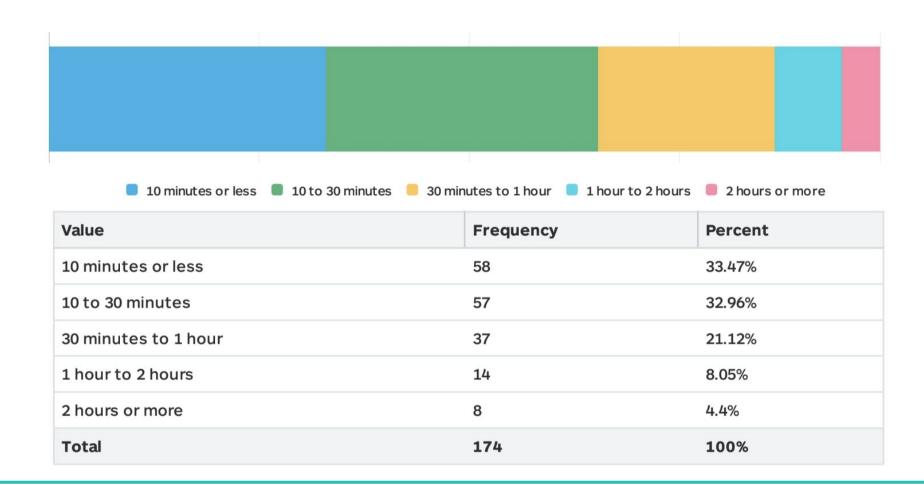


Among states surveyed, Georgia voters had the greatest proportion of respondents reporting wait times over an hour. Almost 30% of respondents reported waited in line more than an hour.



#### Wait times were lower in North Carolina,

with more than half of early voters waited less than a half hour.

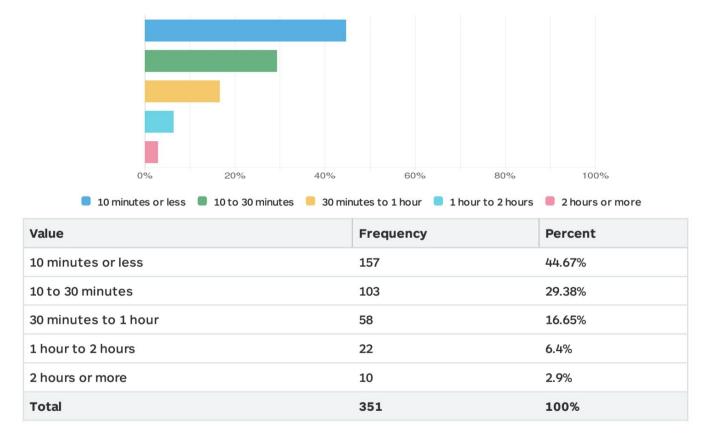


Still a large percentage of respondents in North Carolina report waiting greater than 30 minutes, but far fewer report waiting over an hour.



#### Wait times have been lowest in Texas,

with the fewest respondents reporting wait times over 30 minutes.



Texas respondents report the lowest wait times. The lowest percentage of respondents report wait times over 30 minutes and features the highest percentage of reports under 10 minutes.



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