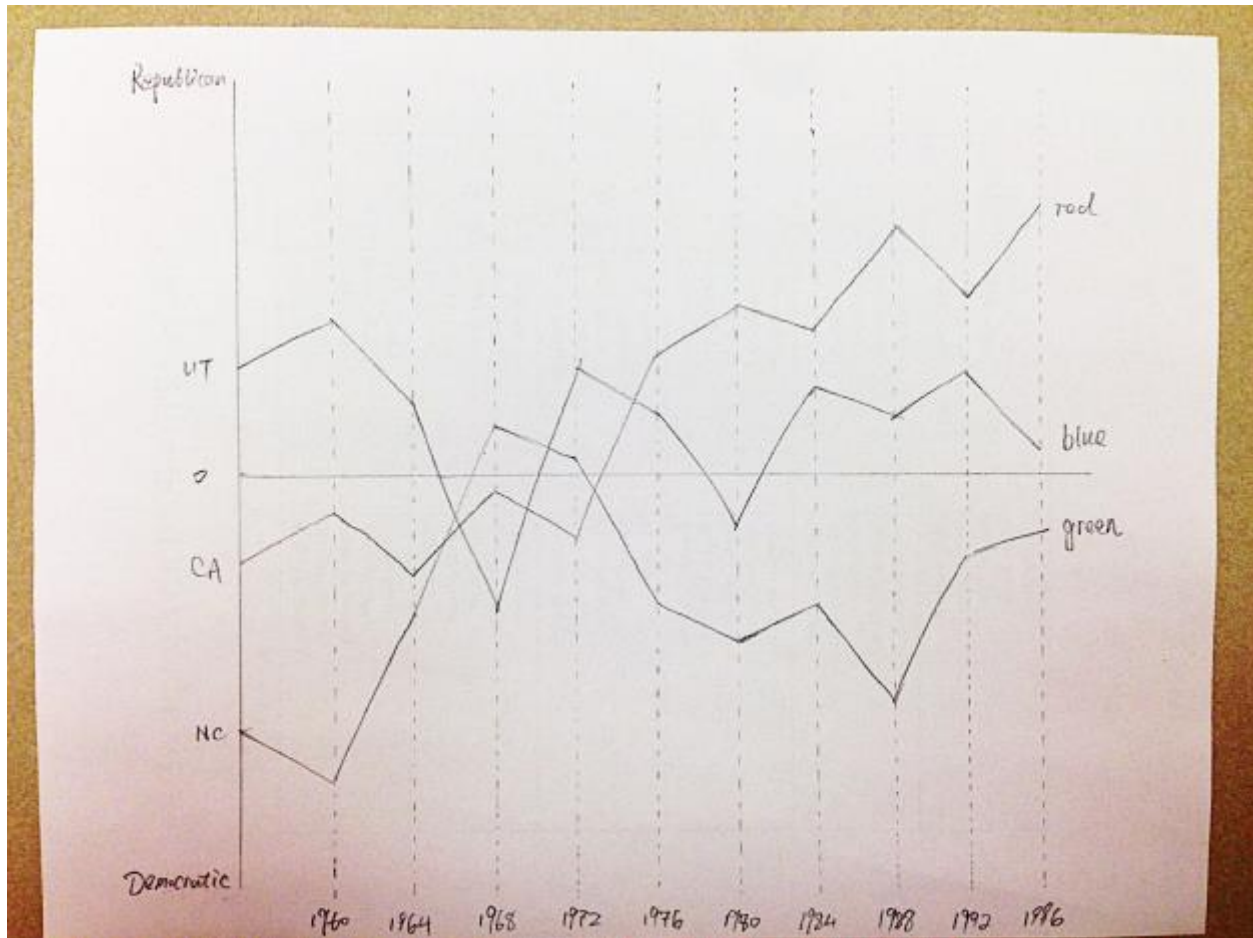
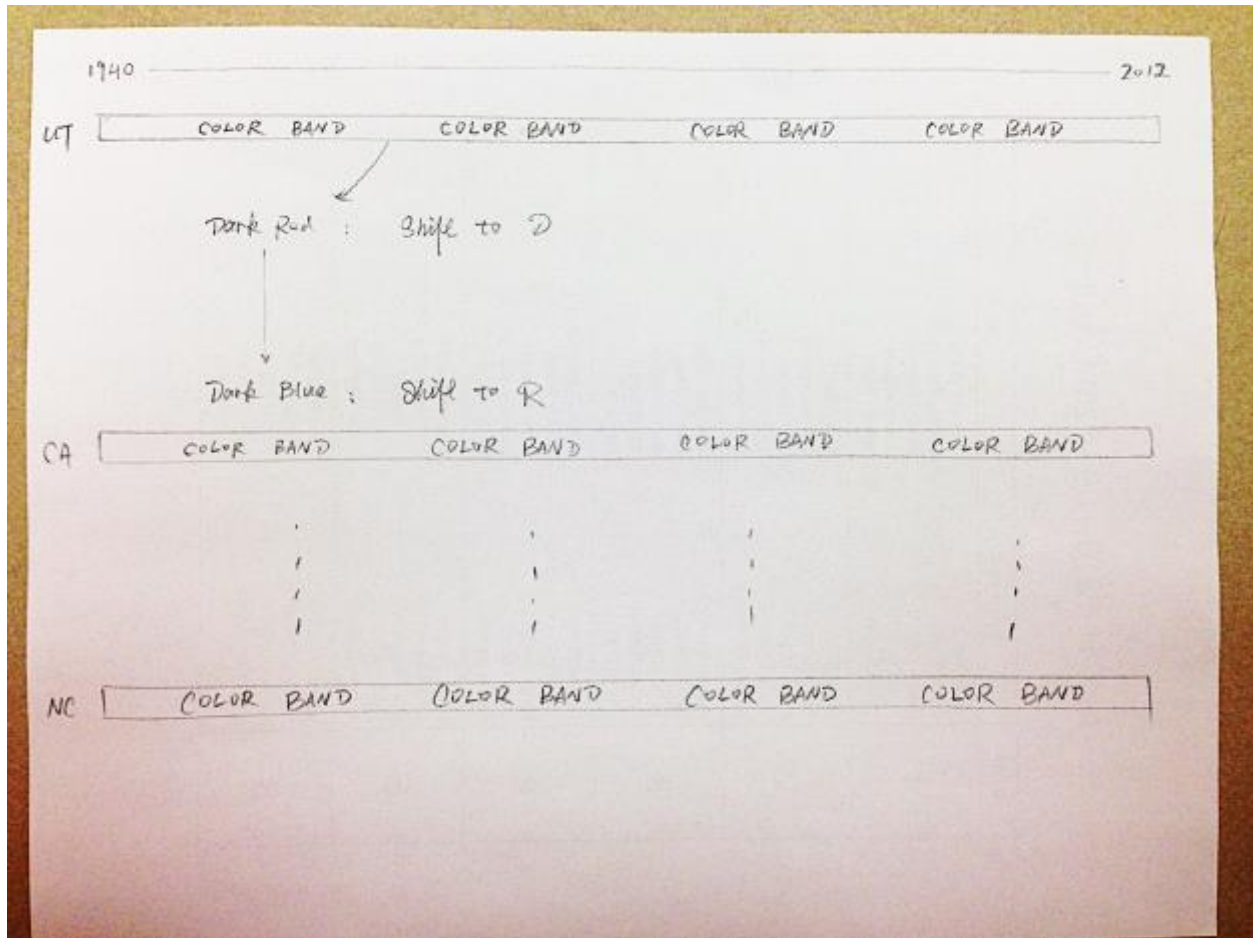


Design 1



1. It is very straightforward to compare a specific state in a specific electoral year with other states and/or other electoral years.
2. It is very easy to see the trends of the bias of a state.
3. It is also very accurate so that readers can read the quantitative information from the chart.

Design 2



1. It is very intuitive to see the change of shift by the change of color.
2. It won't take much space so that more states can be shown in this chart. As the number of states increases, the width of the band can be reduced in order to accommodate more states.
3. It is easy to get a quick view of the overall bias of a state by a glimpse of the overall color.