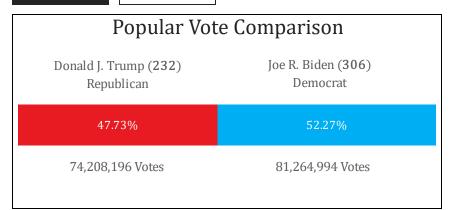
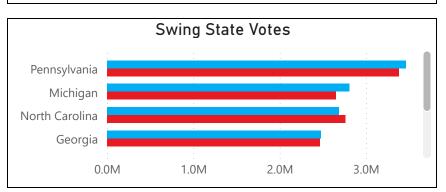
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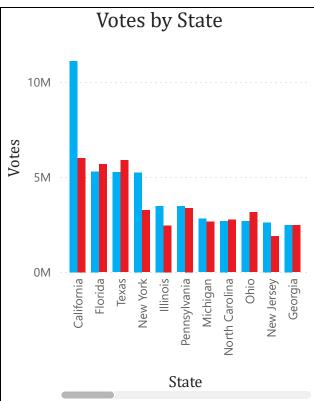
## 2020 Presidential Election Results



American's are not typically interested in changing who they vote for every four years. However, there are a handful of states, known as swing-states or battle-ground states, that can be won by either candidate. Recourses (including advertising and \$\$\$) in recent years have been poured into seven such states: Arizona, Georgia, Michigan, Nevada, North Carolina, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin. Due to America's obsession with a winner-takes-all attitude, the candidate who wins the popular vote in the swing state wins all of that state's electoral votes. These swing states typically determine the result of the election and are, by far-and-away, the most important electoral college votes available.



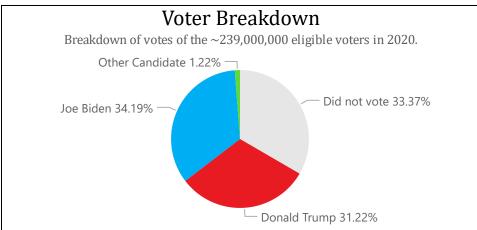




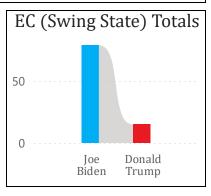


The winner of the election is the candidate who receives a majority of the electoral college (EC) votes (270 or more out of 538). Each state is assigned a proportional number of electoral votes based on its number of Senators (2) and Representatives (according to population) in the Senate and House of Representatives, respectively.

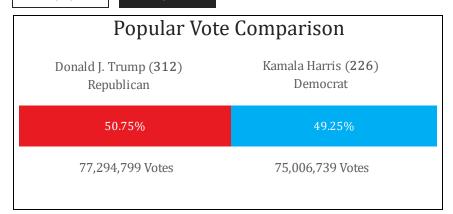
After one of the "biggest upsets in political history" four years prior, Joe Biden defeated Donald Trump in emphatic fashion in November of 2020. Biden delivered 6 out of 7 of the all-important swing states and thus the majority of the electoral votes needed to claim victory. Never admitting defeat, Trump to this day claims the election was "stolen" and "rigged". The results for the 2024 election are quite fascinating in this sense and, when compared to the results of this election, allow us to gain some insight into where it all went wrong for the Democrats.



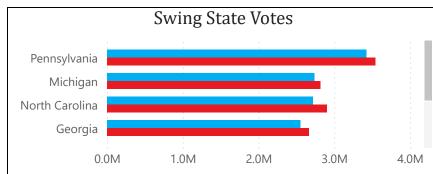
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Arizona	11
Georgia	16
Michigan	16
Nevada	6
North Carolina	15
Pennsylvania	20
Wisconsin	10

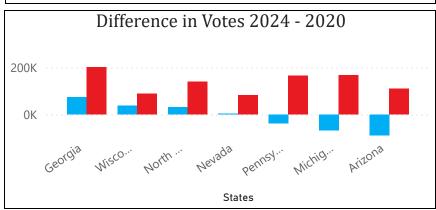


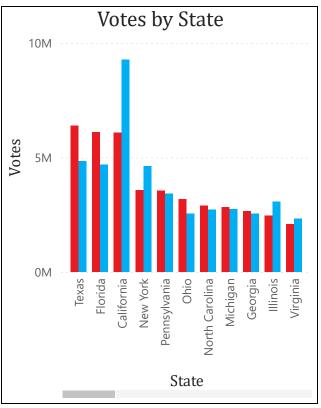
## 2024 Presidential Election Results



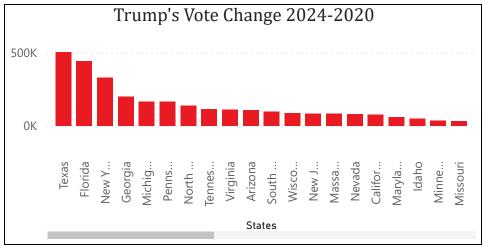


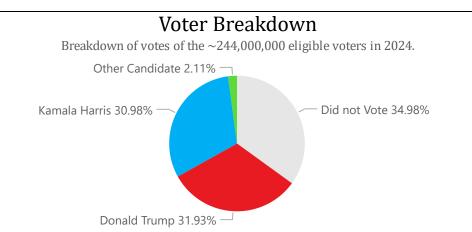












State	Electoral College Votes
Nevada	6
Wisconsin	10
Arizona	11
Michigan	15
Georgia	16
North Carolina	16
Pennsylvania	19

