DSI project 1

: Standardized Test Analysis

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Problem statement

"Which Top 3 States

make a significant improvement in SAT Participation Rate



during 2017-2019?"



SAT and ACT is standardized test for high school juniors

Data source:

SAT 2017-2019



ACT 2017-2019



from https://blog.collegevine.com

from https://blog.prepscholar.com

St	ate Participation_Rate_SAT_2017	Participation_Rate_SAT_2018	Participation_Rate_SAT_2019	State	Participation_Rate_ACT_2017	Participation_Rate_ACT_2018	Participation_Rate_ACT_2
Alaba	ma 0.05	0.06	0.07	Alabama	1.00	1.00	1.00
Alask	a 0.38	0.43	0.41	Alaska	0.65	0.33	0.38
Arizo	a 0.30	0.29	0.31	Arizona	0.62	0.66	0.73
Arkan	sas 0.03	0.05	0.06	Arkansas	1.00	1.00	1.00
Califo	rnia 0.53	0.60	0.63	California	0.31	0.27	0.23

Tool:



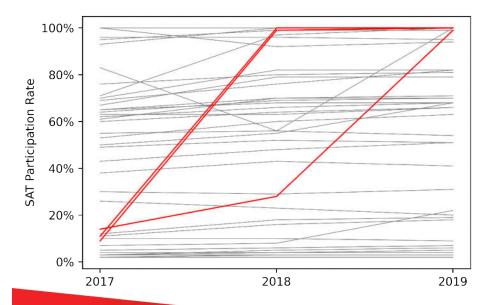






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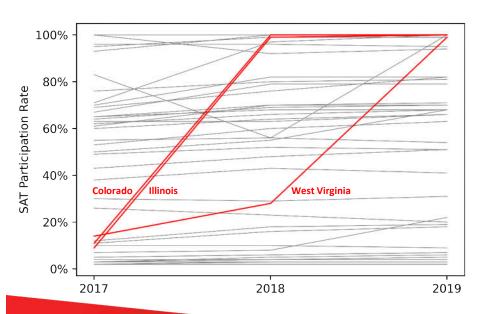


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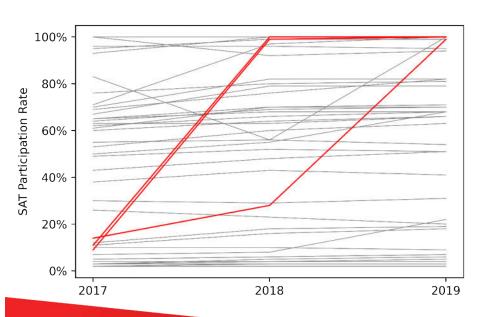


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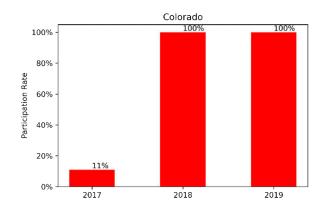
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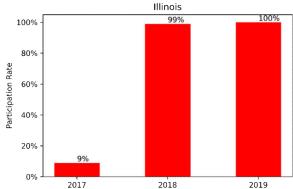


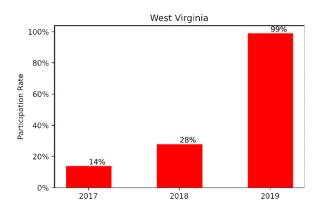
Colorado

Illinois

West Virginia







Ref: https://www.testive.com/colorado-sat-change-2017/

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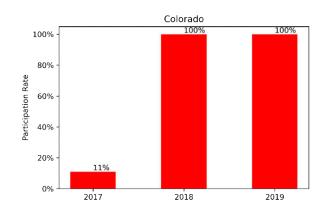


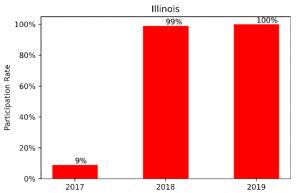
All **Colorado** high school juniors will take the SAT.

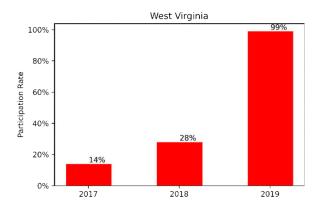
Illinois moves ahead with new testing plan, replacing ACT with SAT

West Virginia chooses SAT as new high school

standardized test for juniors







They change policy for using SAT as new standardized test for junior high schools

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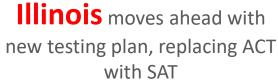
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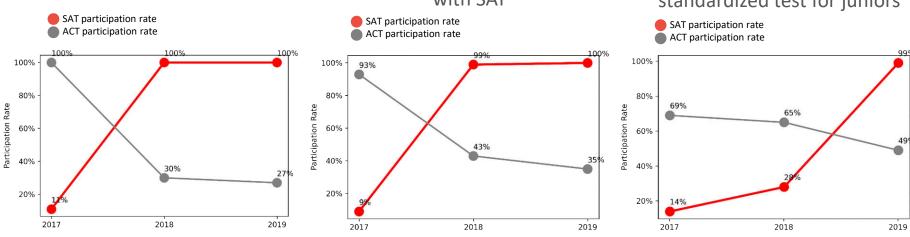
What's about ACT?











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Conclusion



Key takeaways:

- 1. Colorado, Illinois and West Virginia are the Top 3 states, which make a significant improvement in SAT Participation Rate during 2017-2019.
- 2. These states change policy for using SAT as new standardized test for junior high schools.
- 3. **ACT** participation rate has **significantly decreased** after the states changed the policy.

Conclusion:

States policy make a significant change in participation rate.

All students must check States policy before taking a Test.

Thank You