

The program takes the following type of polling data where each row is the order of preference of a voter, where first position implies first preference.

For example, consider an election with five candidates whom we will call A, B, C, D and E. One voter might rank the candidates this way:
DABCE

Example of data input:

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D E C B A
A B C D E
D E C B A
A B C D E
E D C B A
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After accepting the input data, the program runs five different methods of polling, all algorithms of which run in $O(n)$ time, to conduct different type of polling analysis on the data.

A PLurality winner is the candidate with the most amount of first preference votes.

A Majority winner is the candidate who was able to achieve more than 50% of the first preference votes.

A broda winner is decided by assigning a weight to the preference ranking votes, adding them all up and then declaring a winner, which is the candidate with the most amount of points.

A Approval winner is decided where voters may vote for candidates that they approve off, here, ranking does not matter. The candidate with the most votes wins.

A condorcet winner is a candidate who would win a two candidate election against all the other candidates in a plurality vote.