

Thursday, October 30, 2025

Statistics included in this report are as of a specific date and time and are derived from data provided to VoteCal from each of California's 58 counties. The Secretary of State continually works with each of California's counties to provide accuracy.

Field Category	Field	Field definitions
	County	This is the county designation for this row of data.
	County Type	This indicates the county type as a Voters Choice Act (VCA) county, a mail-only county, or a traditional polling place model county.
VBM Issued	Total voters Issued VBM ballots	This is the total count of distinct voters issued a VBM ballot. It includes voters who have moved, been inactivated, canceled, or otherwise updated since receiving their VBM. As a result, the count of issued ballots may be larger than the County's current registration totals. This count excludes any second or third ballots issued to a voter. Mailing the VBM ballot occurs after its initial issuance.
VBM Returned	Drop Box	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot at any designated unattended county drop box, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
	Drop Off Location	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot at the county office or any designated attended county drop-off location, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
	Vote Center Drop Off	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot at any SB 450 Vote Center drop-off location, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
	Mail	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot via mail, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County
	FAX	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot via fax, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
	Other	This is a count of voters who return their VBM ballot using means other than the standard options listed above, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
	Total Returned VBM Ballots	This is the total number of VBM ballots returned to the County by voters who intended to vote, excluding VBM ballots returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County.
VBM Accepted	Total Accepted VBM ballots	This is the number of VBM ballots accepted by the County.
	Total VBM Ballots in Review	This is a count of VBM ballots that counties have indicated are under review for potential acceptance.
	Accepted % of Voter-returned Ballots	This is the number of accepted VBM ballots / the number of voter returned VBM ballots (i.e. this excludes VBM's returned as undeliverable, for deceased voters, or canceled (i.e., voided or suspended) by the County).
In-Person Cast	Regular Ballots	This is a count of regular polling place and vote center ballots cast by voters and accepted by the County. This includes regular ballots cast at County Election Offices.
	Provisional Ballots (Non-CVR)	This is a count of the provisional (non-CVR) ballots cast by voters.
	Conditional (CVR)	This is a count of the Conditional Voter Registration (CVR) provisional ballots cast by voters.
	Conditional ("Instant" CVR)	This is a count of non-provisional (or "Instant") Conditional Voter Registrations (CVRs) accepted by a County. Voters can complete an "instant CVR" when election workers at the given voting location can confirm their eligibility, verify that they haven't already voted in the election, and are able to update their Voter record to record their voter participation.
	Total Cast In-Person Ballots	This count indicates the total number of non-VBM ballots cast, including regular ballots, provisional ballots (non-CVR), conditional ballots (CVR), and "instant" CVR ballots.
In-Person Accepted	Total Accepted In-Person Ballots	This count indicates the total number of accepted non-VBM ballots including regular ballots, provisional ballots (non-CVR), conditional ballots (CVR), and "instant" CVR ballots.
	Total In-Person Ballots in Review	This is a count of provisional and CVR provisional ballots that counties have indicated are in review for potential acceptance.
	Accepted % of Registration	This is regular, provisional, and CVR ballots accepted (includes at polling place/vote centers and election offices)" / "Registration" totals.
TOTAL BALLOTS CAST		This count indicates the total number of ballots accepted including VBM ballots, regular ballots, provisional ballots (non-CVR), conditional ballots (CVR), and "instant" CVR ballots.