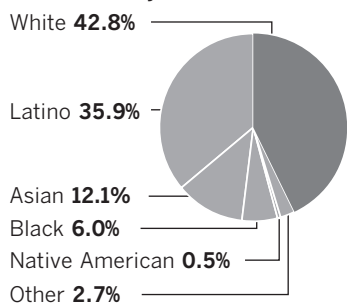


# California: Super Tuesday's big prize

California and 23 other states will hold presidential nominating contests on Tuesday. States with Democratic contests that day will send 2,064 delegates to the national Democratic convention, where a candidate will need 2,025 votes to win the nomination. States with Republican contests will send 1,081 delegates to the Republican convention, where the winner will need 1,191. For both parties' candidates, California's delegates are the biggest prize.

## Race/ethnicity



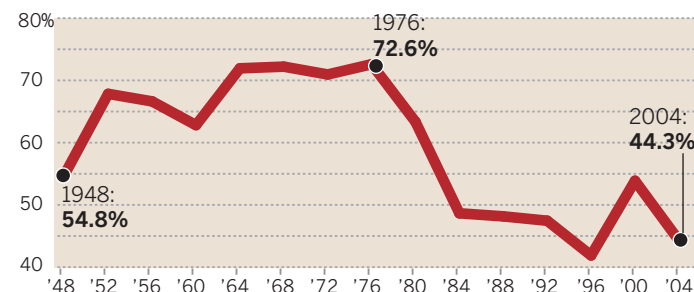
## Population

Statewide	36.5 million
Urban residents	94.4%
Residents 65 and older	10.8%
Median household income	\$56,645
Families below poverty line	9.7%
<b>Party affiliation, Dec. 7</b>	
Registered Republicans	33.55%
Registered Democrats	42.66%
Independents/minor parties	23.79%

## Occupation

Management/professional	34.7%
Sales/office	26.0%
Service	16.7%
Production/transportation of goods	11.7%
Construction	9.6%
Farming, fishing and forestry	1.3%

## California turnout as % of registered voters in presidential primary elections 1948-2004



## California's 441 Democratic delegates

Number of Democratic delegates elected in each congressional district (**bold number**):

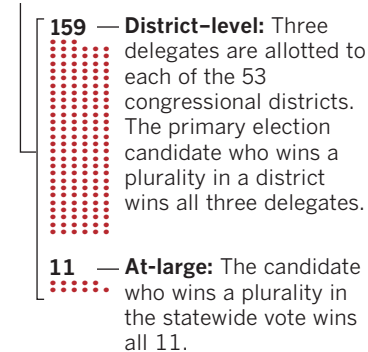


## Democratic presidential primary history (percent of vote)

<b>1976</b>		Jesse Jackson	18.4	<b>1996</b>	
Jerry Brown	59.0	John Glenn	3.3	Bill Clinton	92.8
Jimmy Carter	20.4	George McGovern	2.4	Lyndon LaRouche	6.9
Frank Church	7.3	Other	1.8	Other	0.3
Morris Udall	5.0	<b>1988</b>		<b>2000</b>	
George Wallace	3.0	Michael Dukakis	60.9	Al Gore	81.2
Henry Jackson	1.1	Jesse Jackson	35.1	Bill Bradley	18.2
Other	4.2	Al Gore	1.8	Lyndon LaRouche	0.6
<b>1980</b>		Paul Simon	1.4	<b>2004</b>	
Edward M. Kennedy	44.8	Other	0.8	John Kerry	64.4
Jimmy Carter	37.6	<b>1992</b>		John Edwards	19.8
Jerry Brown	4.0	Bill Clinton	47.5	Dennis Kucinich	4.7
Lyndon LaRouche	2.1	Jerry Brown	40.2	Howard Dean	4.2
Other	11.5	Paul Tsongas	7.4	Al Sharpton	1.9
<b>1984</b>		Bob Kerrey	1.2	Joe Lieberman	1.7
Gary Hart	38.9	Other	3.8	Wesley Clark	1.6
Walter Mondale	35.3	Other	1.7	Other	1.7

## California's 173 Republican delegates

California's 170 pledged delegates are of two kinds:



California also has **3** unpledged delegates:

Two Republican National Committee members and the state party chairman.

## Republican presidential primary history (percent of vote)

<b>1976</b>		Ronald Reagan	65.5	<b>1996</b>	
Gerald Ford	34.5	Pat Buchanan	18.4	Steve Forbes	7.5
<b>1980</b>		Steve Forbes	7.5	Alan Keyes	3.8
Ronald Reagan	80.3	Lamar Alexander	1.8	Other	2.4
John Anderson	13.6	Other	2.4	<b>2000</b>	
George H.W. Bush	4.9	George W. Bush	60.6	John McCain	34.7
Other	1.2	John McCain	34.7	Alan Keyes	4.0
<b>1984</b>		Other	0.7	<b>2004</b>	
Ronald Reagan	100	George W. Bush	100	George W. Bush	100
George H.W. Bush	82.9	Pat Robertson	4.2	Pat Buchanan	26.4
Bob Dole	12.9	<b>1992</b>			
Pat Robertson	4.2	George H.W. Bush	73.6		
<b>1992</b>		Pat Buchanan	26.4		
George H.W. Bush	73.6				
Pat Buchanan	26.4				

Note: Vote percentages may not add up to 100% because of rounding.

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