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# Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act

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## 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA), 42 U.S.C. § 15301 *et seq.*, mandates that for each regularly scheduled general election for Federal office, the Election Assistance Commission (EAC) shall collect comprehensive data from the States on all of the ballots sent and received by voters covered by the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act of 1986 (UOCAVA), 42 U.S.C. § 1973ff.

This is the third report from the EAC to Congress regarding UOCAVA voting. It is based on information gathered from a survey of 55 States and territories, asking for data at the county (or equivalent) level regarding the November 4, 2008, election and the 2-year period leading up to it.

Response rates to the 2008 EAC survey were markedly better than in 2006, continuing a trend that allows better monitoring of compliance with the mandated requirements of UOCAVA.<sup>1</sup> Some States do not track all the data items and some States are unable to provide data at the county (or equivalent) level. Consistency across the States in the way terms are defined and data collected remains uneven. Readers should be aware of these limitations as they review this report and use the data presented here and in the complete dataset available on the EAC Website at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

The EAC's 2008 Election Administration and Voting Survey remains the primary tool by which Congress, Federal agencies, and the public can monitor compliance with UOCAVA. Among the highlights of the 2008 survey:

1. States transmitted nearly 1 million ballots to UOCAVA-covered voters for the 2008 election, with nearly half (48.6%) going to uniformed services members. Another 37.9 percent went to civilian citizens living overseas.
2. Of the ballots transmitted, 69 percent (682,341) were returned and submitted for counting.
3. States reported transmitting 231,324 ballots automatically to voters who had cast UOCAVA ballots in previous elections. Voters returned 64.9 percent of these ballots.
4. States reported counting 637,216 UOCAVA ballots, or 93.6% of the total submitted for counting.

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 1 Response rates improved in many areas of the survey in addition to UOCAVA. See "The Impact of the National Voter Registration Act on Federal Elections, 2007-2008" and "The 2008 Election Administration and Voting Survey" at the EAC Web site, <http://www.eac.gov>.

5. States reported rejecting 39,533 ballots. The most common reason given for rejecting a UOCAVA ballot was that the ballot missed a deadline; States reported that 43.7 percent of ballots rejected were rejected for this reason.
6. States reported that 28,131 voters submitted a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB). Challenges in tracking FWABs as a separate ballot category means actual usage may have been higher.

## 2. INTRODUCTION

The United States Election Assistance Commission (EAC) is an independent, bipartisan commission created by the Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA). Its mission is to assist State and local election officials with the administration of Federal elections. The EAC provides assistance by disbursing, administering, and auditing Federal funds for States to implement HAVA requirements; conducting studies and other activities to promote the effective administration of Federal elections; and serving as a source of information regarding election administration.

Since 2004, the EAC has collected data on voting, elections, and election administration in the United States. Much of these data support two biennial reports, on voter registration and on voting by uniformed and overseas citizens.

In 1986, Congress passed the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, (UOCAVA), 42 U.S.C. § 1973ff. UOCAVA covers voting by members of the seven uniformed services and their eligible dependents; members of the U.S. Merchant Marine and their eligible dependents; Commissioned Corps of the U.S. Public Health Service and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; and U.S. citizens residing outside the United States. Under UOCAVA, State and territories are to provide a means for these citizens to register and to vote in elections for Federal office using absentee procedures.

UOCAVA also provides for the use of a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot, which can be cast under certain conditions by voters who have applied for but who have not yet received their absentee ballot. The FWAB is intended as a fail-safe for voters who might encounter problems receiving their ballot from local election offices in time to cast their vote.

Section 703(a) of the Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA), amended section 102 of UOCAVA by adding the following requirement:

Not later than 90 days after the date of each regularly scheduled general election for Federal office,

each State and unit of local government which administered the election shall (through the State, in the case of a unit of local government) submit a report to the Election Assistance Commission (established under the Help America Vote Act of 2002) on the combined number of absentee ballots transmitted to absent uniformed services voters and overseas voters for the election and the combined number of such ballots which were returned by such voters and cast in the election, and shall make such a report available to the general public.

Section 703(b) of HAVA further required that the EAC work with two of its statutory Federal Advisory Committees, the Board of Advisors and the Standards Board, to develop a standardized format for reports submitted by States and units of local government and provide the standardized format to these jurisdictions.<sup>2</sup>

This report contains the EAC's third collection of UOCAVA data. The first report was based on data collected for the 2004 Federal Election. During this first data collection effort, it was determined that many States and local jurisdictions did not track the specific data required by HAVA, and that significant variation occurred across the States in the way the data were tracked. Similar variations affected data collection in 2006.<sup>3</sup> In addition, there currently is not a consistent means to accurately assess the number of overseas and uniformed services voters who may be covered by the Act. Unlike the data from the U.S. Census, there is no similar mechanism for measuring the number of civilian Americans living abroad. Further, it is difficult to gauge the number of domestic uniformed services voters who do not use UOCAVA's provisions for voting and instead vote at polling places on Election Day. Consequently, readers should use caution when analyzing and presenting the data contained in this report.

### 3. SURVEY METHODOLOGY

The 2008 edition of the Election Administration and Voting Survey was the result of discussions with State and local election officials, political scientists, researchers, members of election administration and advocacy groups, and the general public. Revisions to a draft survey were made following review by the EAC's Standards Board and Board of

Advisors.<sup>4</sup> Notice of the 2008 survey was published in the Federal Register on March 20, 2008, and public comments solicited (73 FR 14974 (2000-03-20)). Final revisions were then made based on these comments, and the revised draft of the questionnaire was distributed to State officials in August and September 2008 for planning purposes.

The 2008 Election Administration and Voting Survey was approved by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) on September 25, 2008 (OMB Control No. 3265-0006, exp. 3/31/2009). The final, approved version of the survey contained 51 questions in the quantitative section, 20 of which related to implementation of UOCAVA. In addition, in 2008, for the first time, States were asked to report on their State laws, definitions, and procedures in the Statutory Overview. Responses to this portion of the survey are the basis of a separate report available from the EAC, and help to provide a better understanding of the data analyzed in this report.

Section B of the quantitative section of the 2008 survey (see Appendix A) covered questions relating to UOCAVA voters and ballots, and was significantly revised from the 2006 survey:

- Questions B1 and B2 asked for information about the number and type of UOCAVA absentee ballots transmitted;
- Question B3 asked for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots returned and submitted for counting;
- Questions B4 through B7 asked for the information on the type of UOCAVA ballot returned by type of UOCAVA voter;
- Question B8 asked for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots counted;
- Questions B9 through B12 asked for information on the type of UOCAVA ballot counted by type of UOCAVA voter;
- Question B13 asked for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots rejected;
- Question B14 asked for information on the reasons UOCAVA ballots were rejected;

2 See 42 U.S.C. §§ 15341-46 for more information on the Board of Advisors and Standards Board.

3 See U.S. EAC, *Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, Survey Report Findings*, September 2007.

4 The Standards Board is comprised of 110 State and local election officials, and the Board of Advisors is comprised of 37 members who represent various national associations, government agencies, and congressional leadership.

- Questions B15 through B18 asked for information on the type of UOCAVA ballot rejected by type of UOCAVA voter;
- Question B19 asked for information on how ballots were transmitted to UOCAVA voters; and
- Question B20 asked for information on the status of ballots automatically transmitted to UOCAVA voters.

#### *Changes From 2006*

The 2008 Election Administration and Voting Survey was substantially different from the 2006 version. New questions in 2008 included requests for information on automatically transmitted UOCAVA ballots, including the disposition of those ballots. The EAC also asked for more detailed breakdowns of both the type of ballots used by UOCAVA voters and the type of UOCAVA voter.

#### *Guide to Terms*

For the purposes of the survey, the EAC provided the following definitions within the questionnaire and in supplemental instructions distributed to State election officials:

- **Automatically transmitted ballots** are those ballots that are transmitted to voters without a specific, one-time request; for example, ballots mailed to voters for the next two election cycles after a voters uses the Federal Post Card Application (FPCA).
- **Spoiled ballots** are ballots that, under the applicable State law, are incorrectly marked or impaired in some way by the voter and turned in by the voter at the polling place or mailed in absentee, with a replacement ballot issued so that the voter can correctly mark the ballot; also referred to in some States as a “voided” ballot.
- **Ballots returned and submitted for counting** include all ballots returned by voters that were submitted to the counting process regardless of whether the ballots were later counted or rejected. Spoiled ballots, replaced ballots, and absentee ballots returned as undeliverable are discounted before the counting process and by this definition are not considered to be submitted for counting. Previous surveys and reports have referred to these as “ballots cast.”
- **Counted ballots** are ballots that have been processed and the votes included in the candidates’ vote totals.
- **Rejected ballots** are ballots that States determine do not meet the requirements of eligibility.
- **Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB)** is an emergency ballot available to uniformed services and overseas citizens (including those located at APO and FPO addresses) when they have properly requested but have not received a regular absentee ballot from their local jurisdiction in time to return it before the States’ deadline.

#### *States’ Collection of UOCAVA Information*

For 2008, the EAC continued its efforts to present the survey to State officials earlier in the election cycle, and to facilitate the task of responding by providing improved survey instruments and increased technical assistance. The primary survey instrument designed to assist the States in collecting and reporting their statistical data was a Microsoft Excel-based template, preloaded with each State’s jurisdictions. Most States chose to submit their data using this instrument. States were also offered a Microsoft Word-based template that could be distributed to their local jurisdictions, and States with single jurisdictions could report their totals through this instrument. Data were collected through uploads via the project Web site; other data were obtained via e-mail or fax. States were asked to send their responses to the EAC by February 13, 2009. Data collection continued through March and early April 2009, as States reviewed and corrected the data they had submitted. In some cases, States updated their responses with further information. Upon completion of the tables which accompany this report, States were invited to review and correct the tables and the comments following each table.

Election data collection varied significantly in the 55 States and territories that responded to the 2008 survey. Most States relied at least to some degree on centralized voter registration databases (VRDs) and voter history databases, which allowed State election officials to respond to the survey at the local level for each question. Other States, conversely, collected relatively little election data at the State level, and instead relied on cooperation from county election offices to complete the survey. Some States did not collect data in all the categories requested in the survey, and others did not have data for all their local jurisdictions for all variables. Many respondents used the “other” categories provided in the survey instrument when their data coding did not match precisely with definitions offered by the survey. In these cases, readers are encouraged to reference the footnotes of the tables and the individual comments submitted by the States.

**Table 1. Selected Response Rates on UOCAVA Questions, 2008 and 2006**

UOCAVA question	2008 Response rate		2006 Response rate	Increase in percentage points
	Jurisdictions responding (out of 4,517)	Percent	Percent	
Overseas citizen ballots transmitted	4,131	91	64	+27
Overseas citizen ballots cast	3,764	83	62	+21
Overseas citizen ballots counted	3,717	82	62	+20
Uniformed services ballots transmitted	4,217	93	56/65*	+37/+28
Uniformed services ballots cast	3,793	84	54/62*	+30/+22
Uniformed services ballots counted	3,806	84	54/62*	+30/+22
Overseas citizen FWABs cast	3,003	66	47	+19
Uniformed services FWABs cast	3,077	68	41/49*	+27/+19

\*In 2006, the survey asked States to separate domestic and overseas uniformed services ballots. Both figures are given in the table. Also, the 2006 response rate listed for ballots transmitted is the response rate for the questions that asked for the number of ballots requested.

The results of the UOCAVA questions in the 2008 Election Administration and Voting Survey are presented in the tables at the end of this report and are summarized in Section 4. Complete results at the local level are also available on the EAC’s Web site at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

Caution is necessary when interpreting the survey data, particularly when comparing the data from year to year or State to State, due to changes in State data collection practices across time and the varying levels of completeness in many States’ responses. Even in States with centralized VRDs, some data may be kept only at the local level, and the level of integration of information between local and State election offices varies across the country.<sup>5</sup>

*Response Rates*

The 2008 survey instrument instructed States to check “N/A” if data were not available or if a question was not applicable to a State or county. If a State entered a “0,” that response was treated as a valid response equaling “0.” A “blank” response was treated as a nonresponse.

State data collection and reporting of UOCAVA data markedly improved from the 2006 survey, but are still incomplete. Table 1 summarizes how many of the 4,517 ju-

risdictions<sup>6</sup> surveyed were able to provide data for selected questions. In most cases, response rates improved generally by more than 20 percentage points in absolute terms, and by as much as 50 percent in relative terms.<sup>7</sup>

**4. SURVEY RESULTS**

The process by which UOCAVA voters vote varies by State, and even within States. For the purposes of reporting the results of the 2008 survey, the process of voting under UOCAVA is presented as having 4 basic steps:

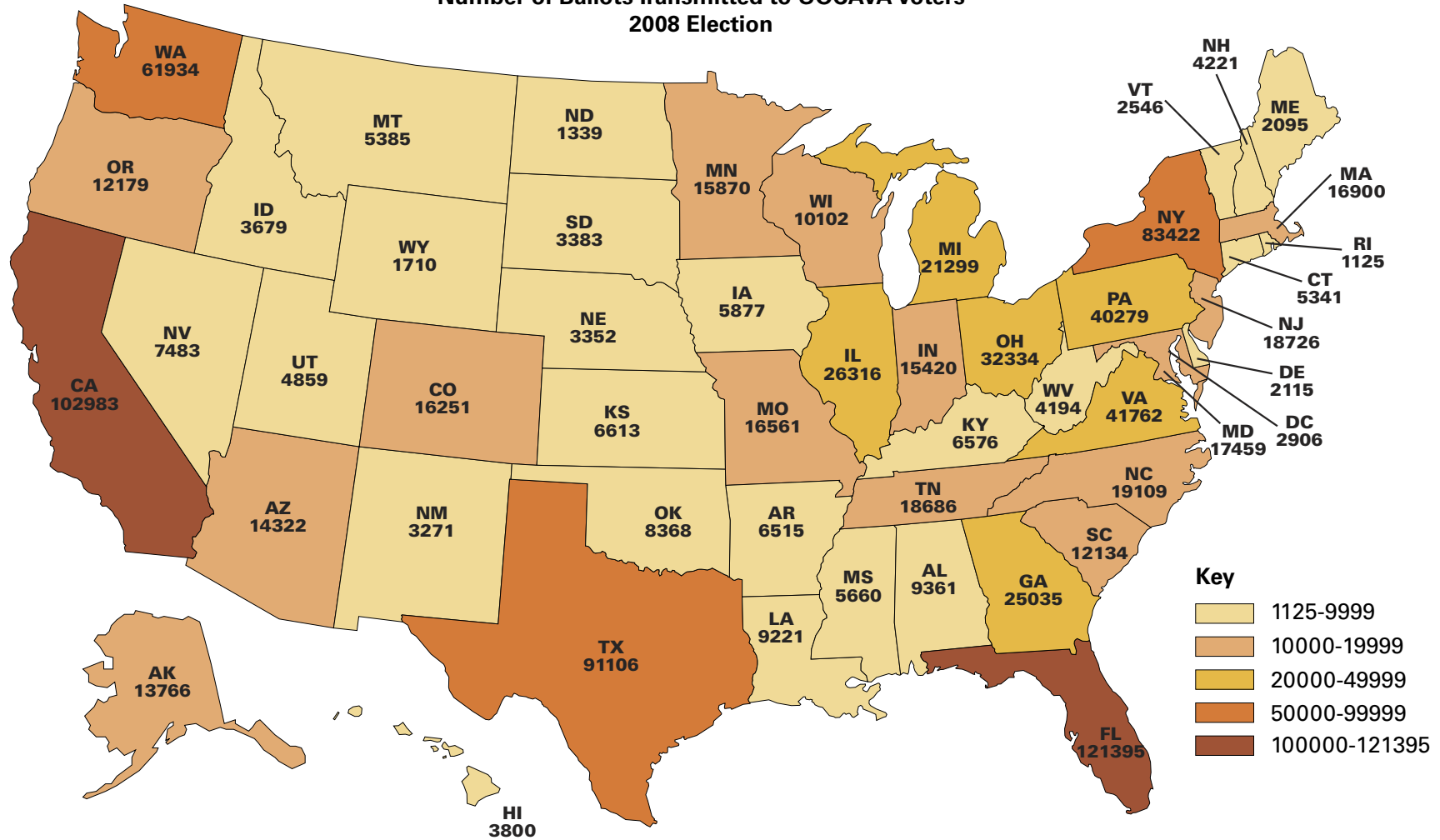
- the voter requests a ballot,
- the ballot is transmitted to the voter,
- the ballot is returned by the voter to the election office,
- the ballot is accepted and counted, or the ballot is rejected.

5 Users should also note that there may be slight discrepancies between totals that would appear to be the same; this occurs when, for example, States reported totals for a data element but had non-responses when breaking down the data element into subcategories, or when States provided different responses to questions asked more than once in the questionnaire.

6 States were asked to provide data at the county, township or equivalent level. Some States reported statewide totals, either because of the lack of lower-scale jurisdictions or because of incomplete data reporting.

7 For example, while an improvement from a 60% response rate in 2006 to 90% in 2008 would represent a 30 percentage point increase in absolute terms, it would also mean that 50% more jurisdictions responded.

**Number of Ballots Transmitted to UOCAVA Voters  
2008 Election**



### I. Ballot Requests

UOCAVA voters may receive their ballots in several ways. UOCAVA provides for the automatic transmission of ballots for two election cycles to voters who register an overseas address using the Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) *See* 42 U.S.C. § 1973ff-3(a). Overseas voters may also request a ballot by applying to their local election office before a specific election and then they receive a ballot for each election over the next two Federal election cycles.

In 2008, just under 1 million ballots were reported as being transmitted to UOCAVA voters. Of this number, 345,772 (or 35.0%) were transmitted as a result of a one-time request by the voter (see Table 7). Another 231,324 (or 23.4%) were automatically transmitted under the FPCA requirements of UOCAVA.<sup>8</sup>

Tracking of the source of ballot requests remains incomplete across the country. Roughly one-third of States did not report breakdowns of the sources of their ballots requests, and 29.4 percent of ballots were not categorized with a source.

Seventeen States, 3 territories and the District of Columbia had a plurality or majority of ballot requests come from one-time requests from voters in 2008. Another 13 States reported that a majority of their ballot requests came from voters who were automatically sent their ballots as part of the two Federal election cycle provisions of UOCAVA. This was the first year that the EAC asked specifically about automatically requested ballots.

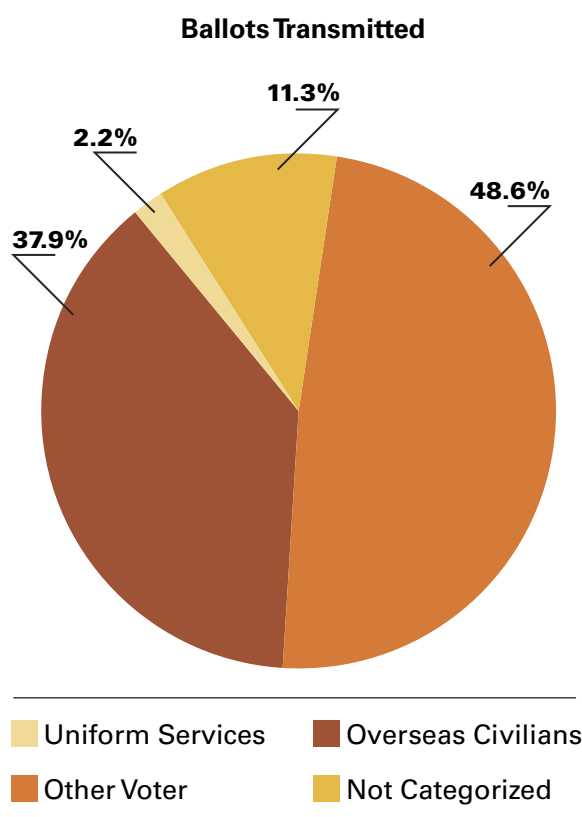
### II. Ballots Transmitted

States reported transmitting 989,208 ballots, spread unevenly over the 55 States, territories, and the District of Columbia, with five States reporting transmitting more than 60,000 ballots. Together, Florida, California, Texas, New York, and Washington accounted for nearly half of all UOCAVA ballots transmitted in the United States.

Florida	121,395
California	102,983
Texas	91,106
New York	83,422
Washington	61,934

About half of ballots transmitted (480,757, or 48.6%) were sent to members of the uniformed services (see Table

8). Another 37.9 percent of the ballots were sent to civilians living overseas. At the State level, more than half of the States reported that uniformed services voters made up a majority of their UOCAVA ballots transmitted, although the proportions varied by State. In California, for example, UOCAVA ballots were split about evenly between uniformed services and civilian voters, while in Florida, members of the uniformed services were sent more than 70 percent of UOCAVA ballots. Of the 25 States that transmitted more than 10,000 UOCAVA ballots, 8 reported sending more to civilian voters than uniformed services voters: Colorado, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Jersey, New York, Oregon, and Virginia.



The 2008 survey found that nearly all States were able to provide data concerning the UOCAVA ballots transmitted by type of voter. Three States did not report data on the type of voter, and two States had a majority of their transmitted ballots uncategorized as to the type of voter.

### III. Ballots Submitted for Counting

The disposition of ballots transmitted is detailed in Table 9. States reported that 682,341 ballots, or 69.0 percent, were returned and submitted for counting. Although four States

8 The number of automatically-transmitted ballots far exceeds usage of the FPCA, suggesting that States may extend automatic ballot transmission to UOCAVA voters regardless of whether they use the FPCA.



did not report any disposition of their transmitted ballots, UOCAVA voters are concentrated in large States and States with large uniformed services installations.

The rate of return was generally consistent across the States. In addition to the ballots returned and submitted for counting, another 14.1 percent of ballots were reported to have an unknown status, which may have included ballots not received or returned. 11.3 percent of the ballots transmitted were unable to be categorized as to their disposition. Smaller percentages of ballots were returned as undeliverable (1.9%) or represented spoiled or replaced ballots (1.4%); although fewer States were able to provide data for these last 2 categories.

Twenty-nine States provided data on the disposition of those UOCAVA ballots transmitted automatically (see Table 10). Of the 231,324 automatically transmitted ballots, 64.9 percent were returned for counting, and one fifth (20.8%) were not returned or their status was unknown. The data suggest that automatically transmitted ballots appeared to have slightly higher rates of non-return than UOCAVA ballots generally.

The proportion of ballots submitted for counting between members of the uniformed services and civilian voters was roughly the same as for ballots transmitted (see Table 11). Members of the uniformed services comprised 47.2 percent (320,950 ballots) of the ballots submitted for counting, while civilians comprised 40.2 percent (273,408 ballots) of the 680,460 total ballots submitted. Among the States with the most UOCAVA voters, New York and California reported having more civilian than uniformed services ballots submitted, while the opposite was true for Texas and Florida. Overall, 30 States and 1 territory reported more uniformed services ballots submitted than civilian, while 12 States, the District of Columbia and 1 territory had more civilian ballots than uniformed services ballots submitted.

The rate of return of UOCAVA ballots in 2008 was significantly greater than in the midterm election in 2006. In 2006, the EAC survey results indicated that only one quarter of UOCAVA ballots requested were returned for counting.<sup>9</sup> This may be a function of typically higher voter turnout in Presidential elections compared with voter turnout in non-Presidential Federal elections. In addition, lower voter turnout in 2006 likely resulted in fewer automatic requests. The data do not provide sufficient

information to determine the degree to which any improvements in the overseas balloting process may have contributed to higher return rates.

#### *Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots*

Section 103 of UOCAVA generally provides a mechanism for overseas uniformed services and civilian voters to cast a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB) as a kind of “backup” ballot. See 42 U.S.C. § 1973ff-2. These ballots are available to uniformed services voters and voters living outside the United States who requested but did not receive the regular absentee ballots after having made a timely application for the ballot. The FWAB allows voters to cast a ballot for Federal offices only (President/Vice-President as applicable, U.S. Senator, U.S. Representative, Delegate or Resident Commissioner). Some States allow members of the uniformed services and overseas citizens to use the FWAB for other offices or for elections other than Federal elections.

The use of the FWAB is allowed only under certain conditions. The FWAB is available through Voting Assistance Officers (VAOs) at military installations or at U.S. embassies or consulates. The absentee uniformed services voter must:

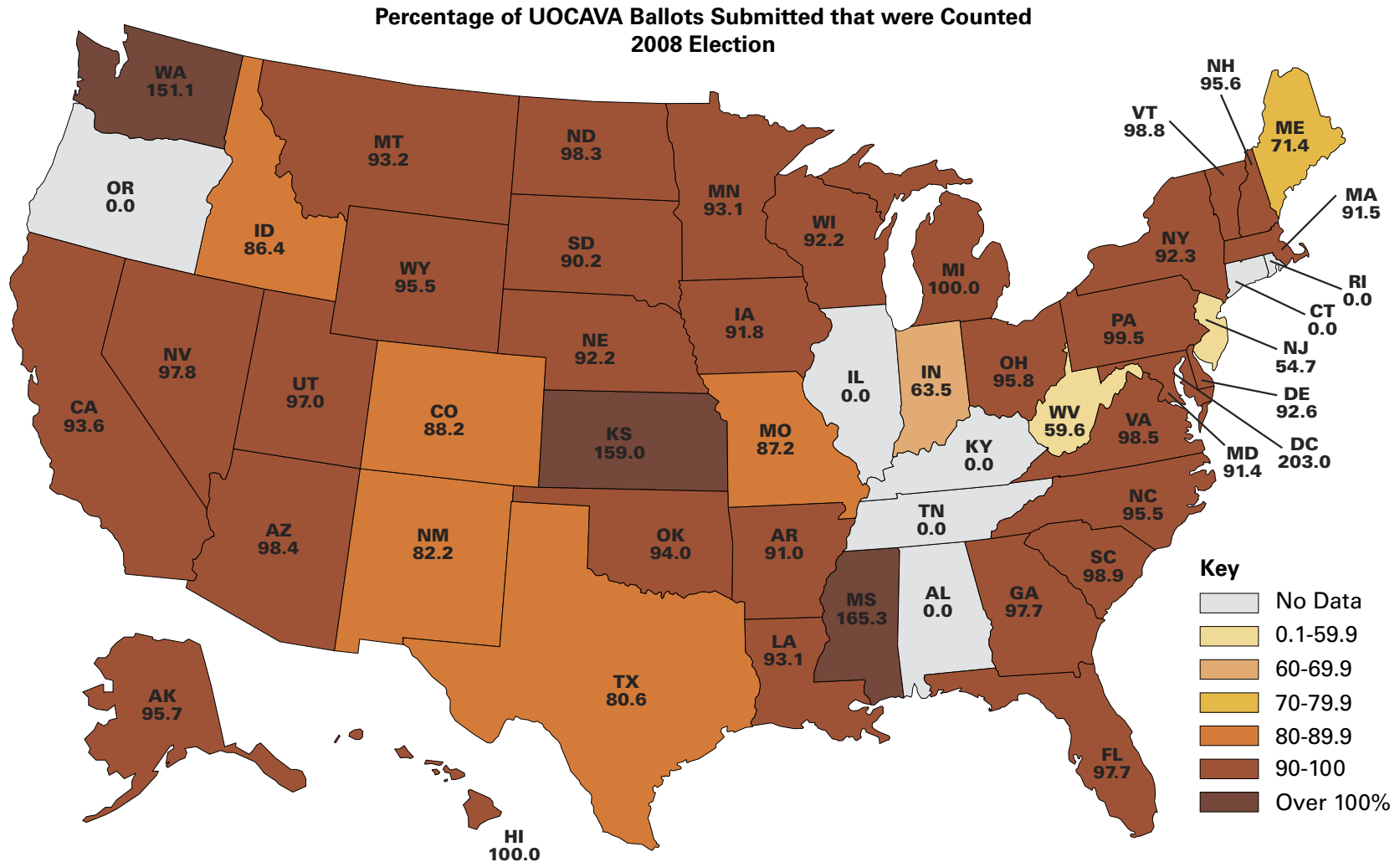
- be absent from his or her voting residence;
- have applied for a regular ballot early enough so that the request is received by the appropriate local election officer not later than the State deadline; or the date that is 30 days before the general election; AND
- have not received the requested regular absentee ballot from the State.

The citizen outside the United States must:

- be located outside the United States (including those located at APO/FPO addresses);
- have applied for a regular ballot early enough so that the request is received by the appropriate local election officer not later than the State deadline; or the date that is 30 days before the general election; AND
- have not received the requested regular absentee ballot from the State (42 U.S.C. § 1973ff).

Most of the ballots submitted by UOCAVA voters were absentee ballots issued by the local election office (see Table 12), rather than through the use of the FWAB. States reported that 72.9 percent of the ballots submitted were regular absentee ballots issued by the jurisdiction. States

<sup>9</sup> In 2006, the survey asked States to report how many ballots were requested, not transmitted. There is no indication that State and local offices do not act on requests; therefore, the numbers should be equivalent.



**Note:** Reports of 0% or more than 100% are the result of inconsistencies in data collection; for example, reporting UOCAVA ballots counted but not ballots submitted, or not reporting data for ballots counted. In these cases, reference to the States' county-level data will be necessary.

also reported that 28,131 FWABs were submitted, which accounted for 4.1 percent of the total number of UOCAVA ballots submitted for counting. Texas reported the highest use of the FWAB, with 5,013 such ballots, or 7.2 percent of the total UOCAVA ballots submitted for counting in all States. Five States and D.C. reported that more than 10 percent of their absentee ballots were FWAB ballots. Eleven States were unable to provide the type of ballot used by UOCAVA voters, and the detailed data from other States and territories tallied to more than their reported totals.

FWAB usage remains a relatively small proportion of UOCAVA voting for both uniformed services and civilian voters. FWABs were 4.1 percent of the total ballots submitted for counting by uniformed services voters, and 3.4 percent by civilian UOCAVA voters. Tables 13 and 14 break down the type of ballot submitted by members of the uniformed services and civilian UOCAVA voters, respectively.

#### IV. Ballots Counted and Rejected

Of the 680,463 total ballots submitted by UOCAVA voters, 637,216, or 93.6 percent, were counted by the States (see Table 19).<sup>10</sup> Military voters made up a larger share of the votes counted than civilian voters, 48.6 to 41.2 percent (see Table 15). Use of the FWAB resulted in at least 25,538 ballots being counted in the 2008 election; this figure may be higher due to some States' lack of data on the breakdown of their UOCAVA ballots (see Table 16).

Forty-eight States or territories reported the total number of UOCAVA ballots counted, and the rates varied among States (see Table 19), with most States in the range of 90 to 100 percent. However, New Jersey and West Virginia reported that less than 60 percent of UOCAVA ballots were counted. Five States and 1 territory reported zeros for the number of UOCAVA ballots that were counted. Some States' UOCAVA data was insufficient or incomplete, indicating a continuing difficulty in collecting and reporting UOCAVA

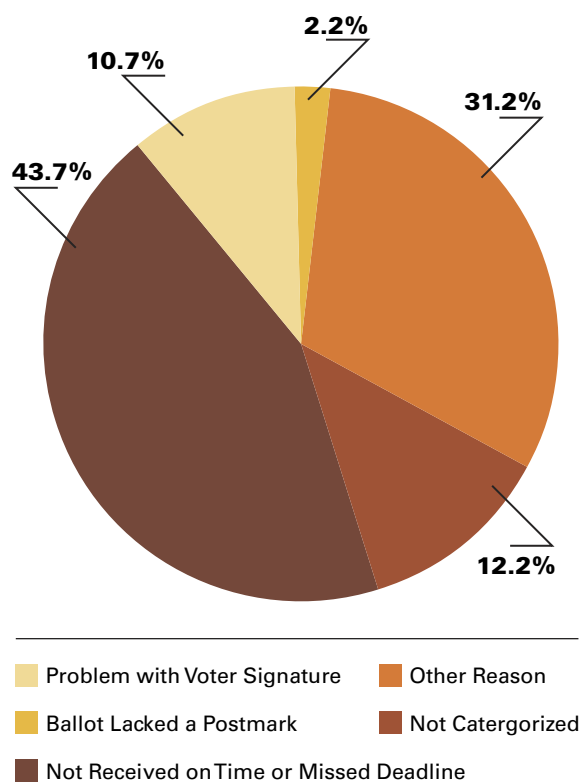
data. As an example, 3 States and the District of Columbia reported more ballots counted than cast.

In the 2008 Federal election, 44 States reported rejecting 39,533 UOCAVA ballots that had been submitted for counting. Data on these rejections are presented in Tables 21 through 25.

Uniformed services and civilian voters made up approximately the same percentage of rejected ballots as they did ballots cast and ballots counted (47.4% were uniformed services and 36.1% were civilian). Thirty-nine States, the District of Columbia, and 3 territories reported breakdowns of their rejected ballots into these two categories.

Notably, and consistent with past survey data, FWABs faced a higher rejection rate than regular State absentee ballots. FWABs made up 15.8 percent of rejected UOCAVA ballots, although they were only 4.0 percent of the ballots submitted for counting. States reported receiving 28,131 FWABs and rejecting 6,227, or 22.1%, although the actual percentage rejected may be higher. The EAC received data from 36 States and the District of Columbia on the number of FWABs submitted for counting, but only 30 States provided data on the number of FWABs they rejected.

**UOCAVA Rejected Ballots – Reasons**



<sup>10</sup> The reported percentages of UOCAVA ballots that were counted does not take into account whether the same number of cases (generally, counties) were used in both the numerator and denominator. For example, nationwide, Table 19 reports 94.6 percent of UOCAVA ballots counted as a percentage of those cast. However, AL, IL, and KY did not report any data on UOCAVA ballots counted. If these three States are removed, then the percentage of ballots counted increases to 99.6 percent. However, sometimes these differences are not apparent--AR, CA, NM, NV, OH, SD, TX, WA, and WV report ballots counted from fewer jurisdictions than they do for ballots cast, while KS, RI, and TN do the opposite. Differences in the response rates within States for individual data items appear throughout the NVRA, UOCAVA, and Election Administration and Voting Survey. Data for all three studies are available on the EAC's Web site at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

Of particular interest is the reason UOCAVA ballots were rejected. Data on this topic are presented in Table 25. The most common reason for the rejection of UOCAVA ballots was missed deadlines: 43.7 percent of the 39,530 rejected ballots were not counted for this reason.

Another 4,230 ballots (or 10.7%) were rejected because of problems with a required voter signature; for example, the signature may not have matched the signature on file, or it may have been missing altogether. States reported a wide variety of other reasons for rejecting UOCAVA ballots; these are listed in the county-level data available from the EAC's Web site at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

Several States rejected UOCAVA ballots at higher rates when compared to other States' data, as measured by the ratio of rejected to counted UOCAVA ballots (see Tables 26 through 28). The District of Columbia rejected 1,556 UOCAVA ballots while counting 2,740. Nearly all of the rejected ballots in the District of Columbia were not counted because of missed deadlines. Indiana rejected 3,980 UOCAVA ballots and counted 5,167. Idaho rejected 394 ballots while counting 2,665.

## 5. CONCLUSIONS

States reported transmitting nearly 1 million UOCAVA ballots to overseas civilian and uniformed services voters in 2008, and more than 680,000 of these ballots were returned and submitted for counting by voters. The fate of the other, more than 300,000 ballots is difficult to discern; unless ballots are returned as undeliverable or spoiled, States have few means to track them.

States' collecting and reporting UOCAVA data is improving. For the 2008 Federal election, in key categories, nearly all States were able to report totals, generally at the county level. For example, all 55 States and Territories and the District of Columbia were able to report the number of UOCAVA ballots transmitted, and 50 were able to report the number of UOCAVA ballots submitted for counting. At more detailed levels, however, the need for improvements in data collection remains. For example, nearly half the States and territories surveyed were not able to provide sufficient data on the number of FWABs rejected, and more complete data may provide a clearer picture of the reasons for the nearly four times higher rejection rate for FWABs than for other UOCAVA ballots.

The analysis presented here is a high level analysis of the results of the UOCAVA data provided by States for the 2008 Federal election. Valuable lessons can be learned from a careful examination not only of the State totals presented in the tables accompanying this report, but from an analysis of the county- (or equivalent) level data available on the EAC Web site at [www.eac.gov](http://www.eac.gov).

## 6. MOVING FORWARD

The quality of information regarding UOCAVA ballots is improving, and the 2008 survey yielded a more complete picture of UOCAVA balloting than past surveys. States in general are making significant strides in designing their data management systems to produce the necessary data on UOCAVA voters. Gaps in State tracking of UOCAVA voters remain, however, and continued attention to data collection on UOCAVA voters and ballots is needed. The EAC will continue to work with States to seek ways to distinguish UOCAVA ballots from domestic civilian absentee ballots; refine their categorizations, particularly for the reasons ballots are rejected; and improve tracking of FWABs.

Recent research, including this report, is beginning to provide a more complete picture of UOCAVA voting. Overseas eligible voters are harder to reach and study than those living in the United States. Consequently, very little is known about why the number of UOCAVA ballots cast is so much lower than the number of eligible voters overseas. The EAC is committed to facilitating State and local efforts to collect and report complete EAC survey data on overseas and military voting in an effort to increase compliance with statutory reporting requirements and provide an even better picture of UOCAVA voting over time. To this end, the EAC has discussed with the Federal Voting Assistance Program (FVAP) the possibility of working collaboratively to make the States' collection of data on UOCAVA voting more efficient in the future.

## Footnotes to Tables

### General Notes:

*State:* In the interest of consistency in these tables, the term State includes the District of Columbia and the four territories of American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

*Jurisdictions in the Survey.* For the 2008 survey, information was requested for each local election administration jurisdiction. Generally this would be the county or county equivalent. The following exceptions may apply (exceptions are noted by an asterisk below the State name in Table 1a):

- a) in some states the information was initially compiled by town/city or township;
- b) in some states independent cities were treated as counties;
- c) in some states the only response was one record for the state, and;
- d) in some states the information collected from the towns/cities or townships but was summarized by county.

States in which the town/city or township is the initial unit of collection include the six states in New England and a handful of states in the Midwest. Independent cities were treated as county-level reporting units for the states of Maryland, Virginia, Missouri and Nevada. Selected Election Boards in Illinois and Missouri were also treated as county jurisdictions. State-level information was provided for Alaska which does not have counties. Coverage for the territories varied. See Table 6 for more detail.

*Missing Data:* Information for several items remains unavailable for several reasons. When information is missing this status may be reflected in various ways but generally by a blank data cell or a zero value. Note that a zero value may also indicate that the jurisdiction Does Not Know, or Does Not Collect, the information. The count of cases, included for most tables but not for all variables, generally reflects the presence of a response from the jurisdiction. For many questions, 0 is a valid response but there is also inconsistency in the entry for the Not Available option. Researchers should consult the jurisdiction-level dataset for more detail. If a calculation is impossible because of missing information, a separate symbol may be indicated, e.g., a series of periods (.....).

*Sum of Above:* The information listed in the tables below the state detail is, for most columns, simply the addition of the information listed in the table. The number of states providing information is indicated as the count of states with information greater than, or in some cases, less than, 0. The percentages indicated on this line are generally the result of a simple division based upon the appropriate numbers from this line. For the Not Categorized columns, the number and percentage in the Sum of Above line will generally reflect a calculation of the appropriate fields listed on this line.

**Specific Notes for Tables:** Notes specific to each table appear following each table or group of sub-tables.

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- Table 22. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Ballot, All Voters
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**Table 7. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Source of Request**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Total Ballots Transmitted		Source of Ballot Request									Not Categorized	
				One-time Request for 2008 Elections			Automatic Request for Two-Election Cycle			Other Source (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	9,361	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9,361	100.0
Alaska	1	13,766	1	12,823	1	93.1	943	1	6.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	14,322	15	2,423	10	16.9	7,169	10	50.1	4,730	14	33.0	0	0.0
Arkansas	75	6,515	68	25,615	48	393.2	985	41	15.1	22	2	0.3	(20,107)	(308.6)
California	58	102,983	58	33,375	38	32.4	60,422	44	58.7	5,742	9	5.6	3,444	3.3
Colorado	64	16,251	64	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	16,251	64	100.0	0	0.0
Connecticut	169	5,341	169	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	5,341	100.0
Delaware	3	2,115	3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,115	100.0
District of Columbia	1	2,906	1	2,906	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	121,395	67	54,415	66	44.8	28,586	67	23.5	1,286	66	1.1	37,108	30.6
Georgia	159	25,035	159	25,035	159	100.0	0	159	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	3,800	4	19	1	0.5	2,525	2	66.4	0	0	0.0	1,256	33.1
Idaho	44	3,679	44	1,047	44	28.5	2,632	44	71.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	26,316	1	7,943	1	30.2	16,159	1	61.4	0	0	0.0	2,214	8.4
Indiana	92	15,420	92	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	15,420	100.0
Iowa	99	5,877	99	0	0	0.0	5,877	99	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	6,613	101	1,233	98	18.6	5,412	98	81.8	0	0	0.0	(32)	(0.5)
Kentucky	120	6,576	120	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,576	100.0
Louisiana	64	9,221	64	7,331	64	79.5	1,890	64	20.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	2,095	499	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,095	499	100.0	0	0.0
Maryland	24	17,459	24	11,042	24	63.2	6,396	24	36.6	23	24	0.1	(2)	(0.0)
Massachusetts	351	16,900	351	10,568	351	62.5	6,272	351	37.1	0	0	0.0	60	0.4
Michigan	83	21,299	83	17,269	83	81.1	4,030	83	18.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	15,869	87	3,462	87	21.8	12,407	87	78.2	0	87	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	5,660	44	645	32	11.4	1,465	25	25.9	4	7	0.1	3,546	62.7
Missouri	116	16,561	116	3,929	89	23.7	8,354	86	50.4	1	1	0.0	4,277	25.8
Montana	56	5,385	55	0	0	0.0	5,385	55	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	3,352	93	2,956	93	88.2	396	93	11.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nevada	17	7,483	17	773	9	10.3	963	9	12.9	5,747	17	76.8	0	0.0
New Hampshire	323	4,221	323	2,785	323	66.0	1,436	323	34.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	18,725	21	17,507	21	93.5	1,218	21	6.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	3,271	22	766	15	23.4	906	15	27.7	0	4	0.0	1,599	48.9
New York	1	83,422	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	83,422	1	100.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	19,109	100	18,350	100	96.0	759	100	4.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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**Table 7. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Source of Request**

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				One-time Request for 2008 Elections			Automatic Request for Two-Election Cycle			Other Source (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,339	53	1,339	53	100.0	0	53	0.0	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	32,334	87	16,341	71	50.5	10,105	71	31.3	721	29	2.2	5,167	16.0
Oklahoma	77	8,368	77	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	8,368	100.0
Oregon	36	12,179	36	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	12,179	100.0
Pennsylvania	67	40,279	67	40,250	67	99.9	29	67	0.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Rhode Island	39	1,125	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,125	100.0
South Carolina	46	12,134	46	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	12,134	100.0
South Dakota	66	3,383	59	1,210	32	35.8	576	28	17.0	546	6	16.1	1,051	31.1
Tennessee	95	18,686	95	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	18,686	100.0
Texas	254	91,106	248	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	91,106	100.0
Utah	29	4,859	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	4,859	100.0
Vermont	246	2,546	246	0	246	0.0	2,539	245	99.7	0	0	0.0	7	0.3
Virginia	134	41,762	134	12,858	133	30.8	28,904	128	69.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	61,934	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	61,934	100.0
West Virginia	55	4,194	40	877	17	20.9	702	17	16.7	628	19	15.0	1,987	47.4
Wisconsin	72	10,102	72	5,565	72	55.1	4,537	72	44.9			0.0	0	0.0
Wyoming	23	1,710	23	403	23	23.6	1,315	23	76.9	0	0	0.0	(8)	(0.5)
American Samoa	1	310	1	280	1	90.3	30	1	9.7	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	337	1	337	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	2,095	1	2,095	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	122	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	122	100.0
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>989,207</b>	<b>4,427</b>	<b>345,772</b>	<b>2,475</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>231,324</b>	<b>2,608</b>	<b>23.4</b>	<b>121,218</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>290,893</b>	<b>29.4</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>55</b>		<b>35</b>			<b>33</b>			<b>14</b>			<b>30</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B1a</b>		<b>B19a</b>			<b>B19b</b>			<b>B19c</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Table 7. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Source of Request****Questions B1, B19. Number of UOCAVA ballots transmitted and the source of the request.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

California --- One county automatically categorizes all stateside military, overseas military, and civilian military as permanent absentee voters.

Colorado --- Due to migration of county data in 2007 as the state transitioned from independent county VR systems to a centralized state system, Colorado cannot produce consistent statistics on UOCAVA absentee request dates over a two year period.

Maryland --- Data in B19a includes: (1) requests for the 2008 election only; and (2) requests for 2008 election and automatic request for 2010 election.

Missouri --- Two counties reported that every UOCAVA absentee request is for two years. Another reported that most 1 time requests have been moved to automatic 2 year requests. One county could not separate 1 time requests and automatic.

Oklahoma --- Oklahoma treats all UOCAVA ballot transmissions as automatic.

Washington --- One county included replacement ballots sent in B1a.

Puerto Rico --- Puerto Rico only conducts federal elections every four years with the General Elections. Voters must request an absentee ballot every election. CEE sends a letter to the voters that requested an absentee ballot the prior election asking them to certify their status.

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**Table 8. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Type of Voter**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Total Ballots Transmitted		UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted to Voters by Type of Voter									Not Categorized	
				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance ( See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	9,361	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9,361	100.0
Alaska	1	13,766	1	11,882	1	86.3	1,884	1	13.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	14,322	15	7,727	15	54.0	6,560	15	45.8	35	14	0.2	0	0.0
Arkansas	75	6,515	68	4,338	69	66.6	1,172	66	18.0	29	2	0.4	976	15.0
California	58	102,983	58	50,886	55	49.4	48,820	55	47.4	1,957	8	1.9	1,320	1.3
Colorado	64	16,251	64	5,104	55	31.4	9,257	48	57.0	1,890	40	11.6	0	0.0
Connecticut	169	5,341	169	1,161	169	21.7	4,180	169	78.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Delaware	3	2,115	3	1,205	3	57.0	910	3	43.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	2,906	1	260	1	8.9	2,646	1	91.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	121,395	67	86,926	67	71.6	34,424	67	28.4	45	67	0.0	0	0.0
Georgia	159	25,035	159	16,215	159	64.8	8,820	159	35.2	0	159	0.0	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	3,800	4	1,837	4	48.3	1,963	4	51.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	3,679	44	2,577	44	70.0	1,102	44	30.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	26,316	1	9,858	1	37.5	5,469	1	20.8	10,989	1	41.8	0	0.0
Indiana	92	15,420	92	9,623	92	62.4	5,014	92	32.5	0	0	0.0	783	5.1
Iowa	99	5,877	99	3,180	99	54.1	2,697	99	45.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	6,613	101	3,587	105	54.2	2,178	98	32.9	0	0	0.0	848	12.8
Kentucky	120	6,576	120	4,723	120	71.8	1,853	120	28.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Louisiana	64	9,221	64	6,796	64	73.7	2,425	64	26.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	2,095	499	762	499	36.4	1,333	499	63.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maryland	24	17,459	24	5,556	24	31.8	11,903	24	68.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	16,900	351	2,711	351	16.0	14,402	351	85.2	0	0	0.0	(213)	(1.3)
Michigan	83	21,299	83	12,840	83	60.3	8,459	83	39.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	15,869	87	5,745	87	36.2	10,124	87	63.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	5,660	44	1,748	42	30.9	318	34	5.6	623	2	11.0	2,971	52.5
Missouri	116	16,561	116	10,177	116	61.5	5,090	108	30.7	5	1	0.0	1,289	7.8
Montana	56	5,385	55	4,175	55	77.5	1,210	55	22.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	3,352	93	2,119	93	63.2	1,233	93	36.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nevada	17	7,483	17	4,919	17	65.7	2,562	17	34.2	2	3	0.0	0	0.0
New Hampshire	323	4,221	323	2,640	323	62.5	1,581	323	37.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	18,725	21	4,453	21	23.8	8,936	21	47.7	59	21	0.3	5,277	28.2
New Mexico	33	3,271	22	743	19	22.7	291	19	8.9	0	1	0.0	2,237	68.4
New York	1	83,422	1	22,900	1	27.5	60,522	1	72.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	19,109	100	13,508	100	70.7	5,601	100	29.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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Table 8. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Type of Voter

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Total Ballots Transmitted		UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted to Voters by Type of Voter									Not Categorized	
				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance ( See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,339	53	913	53	68.2	426	53	31.8	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	32,334	87	13,317	85	41.2	13,134	85	40.6	5,854	24	18.1	29	0.1
Oklahoma	77	8,368	77	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	8,368	100.0
Oregon	36	12,179	36	5,951	36	48.9	6,228	36	51.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Pennsylvania	67	40,279	67	23,100	67	57.3	17,184	67	42.7	0	0	0.0	(5)	(0.0)
Rhode Island	39	1,125	39	1,087	39	96.6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	38	3.4
South Carolina	46	12,134	46	8,935	46	73.6	3,199	46	26.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	3,383	59	2,776	52	82.1	472	43	14.0	8	5	0.2	127	3.8
Tennessee	95	18,686	95	14,454	95	77.4	4,232	95	22.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Texas	254	91,106	248	53,058	243	58.2	23,200	242	25.5	0	0	0.0	14,848	16.3
Utah	29	4,859	29	2,146	29	44.2	2,713	29	55.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vermont	246	2,546	246	830	246	32.6	1,716	246	67.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	41,762	134	20,738	134	49.7	21,024	134	50.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	61,934	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	61,934	100.0
West Virginia	55	4,194	40	2,053	39	49.0	321	35	7.7	0	0	0.0	1,820	43.4
Wisconsin	72	10,102	72	5,565	72	55.1	4,537	72	44.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Wyoming	23	1,710	23	1,376	23	80.5	334	23	19.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	310	1	259	1	83.5	51	1	16.5	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	337	1	170	1	50.4	167	1	49.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	2,095	1	1,031	1	49.2	1,064	1	50.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	122	1	117	1	95.9	14	1	11.5	0	1	0.0	(9)	(7.4)
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>989,207</b>	<b>4,427</b>	<b>480,757</b>	<b>4,217</b>	<b>48.6</b>	<b>374,955</b>	<b>4,131</b>	<b>37.9</b>	<b>21,496</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>111,999</b>	<b>11.3</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>55</b>		<b>52</b>			<b>51</b>			<b>12</b>			<b>19</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B1a</b>		<b>B1b</b>			<b>B1c</b>			<b>B1d+e</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Table 8. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Type of Voter****Question B1. Number of UOCAVA ballots transmitted and type of voter.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

California --- One county only reported the total of UOCAVA ballots automatically transmitted, not those by request. Two counties included second ballots in their totals.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions in Illinois did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas they were seemingly lumped in a "UOCAVA" file that is now B1d.

Mississippi --- One county grouped both military and non-military under uniformed.

South Dakota --- One county transmitted 2 additional ballots that were not reported in the numbers.

Washington --- One county included replacement ballots sent in B1a.

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**Table 9. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Disposition of Ballots**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted to Voters and Disposition																		Not Categorized	
		Total Ballots Transmitted		Returned and Submitted for Counting			Returned as Undeliverable			Spoiled or Replaced Ballots			Status Unknown (Not Returned)			Other Disposition (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)		
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.	
Alabama	67	9,361	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9,361	100.0	
Alaska	1	13,766	1	11,637	1	84.5	244	1	1.8	268	1	1.9	1,617	1	11.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Arizona	15	14,322	15	9,081	15	63.4	376	12	2.6	58	12	0.4	3,400	13	23.7	1,407	15	9.8	0	0.0	
Arkansas	75	6,515	68	4,549	67	69.8	178	59	2.7	70	51	1.1	1,315	55	20.2	35	8	0.5	368	5.6	
California	58	102,983	58	64,514	57	62.6	3,054	49	3.0	640	34	0.6	19,285	52	18.7	4,161	11	4.0	11,329	11.0	
Colorado	64	16,251	64	11,987	59	73.8	224	21	1.4	916	40	5.6	3,124	52	19.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Connecticut	169	5,341	169	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	5,341	100.0	
Delaware	3	2,115	3	1,638	3	77.4	4	3	0.2	0	0	0.0	473	3	22.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
District of Columbia	1	2,906	1	1,350	1	46.5	222	1	7.6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,334	1	45.9	0	0.0	
Florida	67	121,395	67	95,144	67	78.4	2,064	67	1.7	5,619	67	4.6	18,525	67	15.3	43	67	0.0	0	0.0	
Georgia	159	25,035	159	17,193	159	68.7	483	159	1.9	16	159	0.1	0	0	0.0	7,343	159	29.3	0	0.0	
Hawaii	4	3,800	4	2,386	2	62.8	5	1	0.1	5	1	0.1	3	1	0.1	0	0	0.0	1,401	36.9	
Idaho	44	3,679	44	2,843	44	77.3	91	44	2.5	20	44	0.5	725	44	19.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Illinois	1	26,316	1	17,372	1	66.0	481	1	1.8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	8,463	32.2	
Indiana	92	15,420	92	8,145	92	52.8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	7,275	47.2	
Iowa	99	5,877	99	4,408	99	75.0	70	99	1.2	0	0	0.0	1,399	99	23.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Kansas	105	6,613	101	5,231	103	79.1	225	90	3.4	360	84	5.4	1,712	97	25.9	0	0	0.0	(915)	(13.8)	
Kentucky	120	6,576	120	4,933	120	75.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,645	120	25.0	0	0	0.0	(2)	(0.0)	
Louisiana	64	9,221	64	6,538	64	70.9	207	64	2.2	0	64	0.0	2,466	64	26.7	10	64	0.1	0	0.0	
Maine	499	2,095	499	1,493	499	71.3	18	499	0.9	243	499	11.6	341	499	16.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Maryland	24	17,459	24	14,419	24	82.6	228	24	1.3	0	0	0.0	2,812	24	16.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Massachusetts	351	16,900	351	12,498	351	74.0	347	351	2.1	123	351	0.7	3,845	351	22.8	0	0	0.0	87	0.5	
Michigan	83	21,299	83	15,476	83	72.7	370	83	1.7	345	83	1.6	3,945	83	18.5	1,163	83	5.5	0	0.0	
Minnesota	87	15,869	87	11,460	87	72.2	399	87	2.5	43	87	0.3	3,980	87	25.1	0	0	0.0	(13)	(0.1)	
Mississippi	82	5,660	44	1,329	40	23.5	54	27	1.0	3	24	0.1	410	30	7.2	4	2	0.1	3,860	68.2	
Missouri	116	16,561	116	13,400	116	80.9	371	103	2.2	449	98	2.7	1,733	88	10.5	58	8	0.4	550	3.3	
Montana	56	5,385	55	3,638	55	67.5	582	55	10.8	68	55	1.3	1,097	55	20.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Nebraska	93	3,352	93	2,721	93	81.2	72	93	2.1	22	93	0.7	537	93	16.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Nevada	17	7,483	17	4,681	17	62.6	480	17	6.4	77	16	1.0	2,245	17	30.0	0	17	0.0	0	0.0	
New Hampshire	323	4,221	323	3,462	323	82.0	91	323	2.2	0	0	0.0	668	323	15.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
New Jersey	21	18,725	21	12,811	21	68.4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	5,914	21	31.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
New Mexico	33	3,271	22	1,654	20	50.6	39	11	1.2	1	9	0.0	47	11	1.4	259	2	7.9	1,271	38.9	
New York	1	83,422	1	54,220	1	65.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	4,155	1	5.0	25,047	30.0	
North Carolina	100	19,109	100	12,811	100	67.0	485	100	2.5	454	100	2.4	4,935	100	25.8	424	100	2.2	0	0.0	



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				Returned and Submitted for Counting			Returned as Undeliverable			Spoiled or Replaced Ballots			Status Unknown (Not Returned)			Other Disposition (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,339	53	1,026	53	76.6	1	53	0.1	8	53	0.6	304	53	22.7	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	32,334	87	26,114	86	80.8	460	72	1.4	834	68	2.6	3,781	80	11.7	677	23	2.1	468	1.4
Oklahoma	77	8,368	77	6,048	77	72.3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,320	27.7
Oregon	36	12,179	36	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	12,179	100.0
Pennsylvania	67	40,279	67	31,970	67	79.4	288	67	0.7	85	67	0.2	7,935	67	19.7	0	67	0.0	1	0.0
Rhode Island	39	1,125	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,125	100.0
South Carolina	46	12,134	46	8,943	46	73.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,191	26.3
South Dakota	66	3,383	59	2,785	49	82.3	134	37	4.0	0	27	0.0	287	41	8.5	36	7	1.1	141	4.2
Tennessee	95	18,686	95	15,434	95	82.6	673	94	3.6	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,579	13.8
Texas	254	91,106	248	63,169	244	69.3	4,656	241	5.1	1,728	237	1.9	21,556	238	23.7	0	0	0.0	(3)	(0.0)
Utah	29	4,859	29	3,343	29	68.8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,516	29	31.2	0	0.0
Vermont	246	2,546	246	2,151	246	84.5	8	244	0.3	3	246	0.1	301	246	11.8	88	246	3.5	(5)	(0.2)
Virginia	134	41,762	134	29,258	134	70.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	12,504	134	29.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	61,934	39	44,463	39	71.8	483	18	0.8	1,294	15	2.1	4,122	16	6.7	0	0	0.0	11,572	18.7
West Virginia	55	4,194	40	2,547	36	60.7	81	33	1.9	31	29	0.7	302	30	7.2	3	1	0.1	1,230	29.3
Wisconsin	72	10,102	72	6,982	72	69.1	341	72	3.4			0.0			0.0	0	0	0.0	2,779	27.5
Wyoming	23	1,710	23	1,310	23	76.6	34	4	2.0	0	0	0.0	366	18	21.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	310	1	278	1	89.7	0	1	0.0	1	1	0.3	31	1	10.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	337	1	226	1	67.1	15	1	4.5	0	1	0.0	96	1	28.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	2,095	1	1,224	1	58.4	20	1	1.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0	851	40.6
Virgin Islands	1	122	1	48	1	39.3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	74	60.7
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>989,207</b>	<b>4,427</b>	<b>682,341</b>	<b>4,084</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>18,658</b>	<b>3,382</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>13,784</b>	<b>2,717</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>139,783</b>	<b>3,376</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>22,716</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>111,925</b>	<b>11.3</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>55</b>		<b>51</b>			<b>41</b>			<b>29</b>			<b>39</b>			<b>18</b>			<b>31</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B1a</b>		<b>B2a</b>			<b>B2b</b>			<b>B2c</b>			<b>B2d</b>			<b>B2e+f+g</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Table 9. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted: Disposition of Ballots****Question B2. Number of UOCAVA ballots transmitted and disposition of the ballot.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

Arizona --- One county reported the number counted as the number returned.

Arkansas --- 2 transmitted absentee ballots were not counted in the breakout of B2 because both voters submitted a FWAB.

California --- One county reported partial numbers for B2b, returned undeliverable. One county could only provide estimates for the total number of ballots returned undeliverable and spoiled or replaced ballots. One county reported 11 additional ballots were challenged, but status is not determined. Three counties included spoiled or replacement ballots as part of B1a and were broken out among the other B2 options.

Michigan --- 'Other' total are ballots returned by voter after election.

Missouri --- One county reported 10 transmitted FWABs being returned.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA absentee ballots transmissions. B2a also includes FWAB ballots.

South Dakota --- One county included 1 FWAB ballot received.

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**Table 10. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted Automatically: Disposition of Ballots**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted to Voters Automatically and Disposition																		Not Categorized	
		Automatic Ballots Transmitted		Returned and Submitted for Counting			Returned as Undeliverable			Spoiled or Replaced Ballots			Status Unknown (Not Returned)			Other Disposition (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)		
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.	
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Alaska	1	943	1	446	1	47.3	155	1	16.4	31	1	3.3	311	1	33.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Arizona	15	7,169	10	841	9	11.7	40	7	0.6	0	7	0.0	640	9	8.9	2	10	0.0	5,646	78.8	
Arkansas	75	985	41	2,619	49	265.9	92	43	9.3	3	37	0.3	371	36	37.7	7	4	0.7	(2,107)	(213.9)	
California	58	60,422	44	31,569	41	52.2	1,384	35	2.3	556	28	0.9	15,934	40	26.4	3,903	8	6.5	7,076	11.7	
Colorado	64	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Delaware	3	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
District of Columbia	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Florida	67	28,586	67	21,634	67	75.7	565	67	2.0	956	67	3.3	6,112	67	21.4	16	67	0.1	(697)	(2.4)	
Georgia	159	0	159	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Hawaii	4	2,525	2	1,543	2	61.1	1	1	0.0	5	1	0.2	0	1	0.0	0	0	0.0	976	38.7	
Idaho	44	2,632	44	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,632	44	100.0	0	0.0	
Illinois	1	16,159	1	13,323	1	82.4	334	1	2.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,578	1	9.8	924	5.7	
Indiana	92	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Iowa	99	5,877	99	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	5,877	100.0	
Kansas	105	5,412	98	4,374	97	80.8	171	83	3.2	302	79	5.6	1,225	89	22.6	0	0	0.0	(660)	(12.2)	
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Louisiana	64	1,890	64	6,538	64	345.9	207	64	11.0	0	64	0.0	2,466	64	130.5	10	64	0.5	(7,331)	(387.9)	
Maine	499	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Maryland	24	6,396	24	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,396	100.0	
Massachusetts	351	6,272	351	4,354	351	69.4	214	351	3.4	43	351	0.7	1,673	351	26.7	0	0	0.0	(12)	(0.2)	
Michigan	83	4,030	83	2,540	83	63.0	163	83	4.0	62	83	1.5	1,149	83	28.5	116	83	2.9	0	0.0	
Minnesota	87	12,407	87	9,299	87	74.9	354	87	2.9	33	87	0.3	2,721	87	21.9	0	87	0.0	0	0.0	
Mississippi	82	1,465	25	2,212	30	151.0	114	21	7.8	3	18	0.2	118	19	8.1	0	3	0.0	(982)	(67.0)	
Missouri	116	8,354	86	6,494	82	77.7	238	67	2.8	403	60	4.8	1,301	59	15.6	21	4	0.3	(103)	(1.2)	
Montana	56	5,385	55	3,638	55	67.5	582	55	10.8	68	55	1.3	1,097	55	20.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Nebraska	93	396	93	288	37	72.7	45	19	11.4	2	2	0.5	61	9	15.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Nevada	17	963	9	712	9	73.9	24	9	2.5	17	9	1.8	206	9	21.4	4	8	0.4	0	0.0	
New Hampshire	323	1,436	323	1,103	323	76.8	48	323	3.3	0	0	0.0	285	323	19.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
New Jersey	21	1,218	21	931	21	76.4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	271	21	22.2	16	21	1.3	0	0.0	
New Mexico	33	906	15	744	16	82.1	3	12	0.3	0	11	0.0	13	12	1.4	0	4	0.0	146	16.1	
New York	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
North Carolina	100	759	100	206	100	27.1	166	100	21.9	2	100	0.3	0	100	0.0	385	100	50.7	0	0.0	

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**Table 10. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted Automatically: Disposition of Ballots**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted to Voters Automatically and Disposition																		Not Categorized	
		Automatic Ballots Transmitted		Returned and Submitted for Counting			Returned as Undeliverable			Spoiled or Replaced Ballots			Status Unknown (Not Returned)			Other Disposition (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)		
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.	
North Dakota	53	0	53	0	53	...	0	53	...	0	53	...	0	53	...	0	53	...	0	...	
Ohio	88	10,105	71	7,746	62	76.7	292	59	2.9	32	51	0.3	1,831	55	18.1	62	23	0.6	142	1.4	
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Pennsylvania	67	29	67	23	67	79.3	0	67	0.0	0	67	0.0	6	67	20.7	0	67	0.0	0	0.0	
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
South Carolina	46	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
South Dakota	66	576	28	606	31	105.2	56	22	9.7	0	12	0.0	46	22	8.0	0	4	0.0	(132)	(22.9)	
Tennessee	95	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Texas	254	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Utah	29	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Vermont	246	2,539	245	2,130	245	83.9	14	245	0.6	3	245	0.1	294	245	11.6	87	217	3.4	11	0.4	
Virginia	134	28,904	128	19,300	128	66.8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9,604	134	33.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
West Virginia	55	702	17	440	18	62.7	11	15	1.6	0	14	0.0	71	15	10.1	0	0	0.0	180	25.6	
Wisconsin	72	4,537	72	3,513	72	77.4	264	72	5.8			0.0			0.0	0	0	0.0	760	16.8	
Wyoming	23	1,315	23	977	23	74.3	29	3	2.2	0	0	0.0	309	15	23.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
American Samoa	1	30	1	0	1	0.0	12	1	40.0	0	1	0.0	18	1	60.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0	
Guam	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Puerto Rico	1	0	1	0	1	...	0	1	...	0	1	...	0	1	...	0	0	...	0	...	
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...	
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	231,324	2,608	150,143	2,226	64.9	5,578	1,967	2.4	2,521	1,504	1.1	48,133	2,043	20.8	8,839	873	3.8	16,110	7.0	
<b>States Included</b>		33		29			27			17			26			14			20		
<b>Question</b>		B19b		B20a			B20b			B20c			B20d			B20e+f+g			calc		

**Table 10. UOCAVA Ballots Transmitted Automatically: Disposition of Ballots****Question B20. Number of UOCAVA ballots transmitted automatically and disposition of the ballot.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

California --- One county provided only estimates for B20b and B20c, one county did not report on state-side military, and one county included replacement ballots in their totals.

Colorado --- Due to migration of county data in 2007 as the state transitioned from independent county VR systems to a centralized state system, Colorado cannot produce consistent statistics on UOCAVA absentee request dates over a two year period.

Iowa --- Iowa considered all of our UOCAVA's as transmitted automatically

Michigan --- 'Other' total are ballots returned by voter after election.

Missouri --- One county included 10 FWAB ballots that were transmitted.

Montana --- MT does not track these separately, but most if not all UOCAVA ballots are sent through automatic process

Puerto Rico --- Puerto Rico only conducts federal elections every four years with the General Elections. Voters must request an absentee ballot every election. CEE sends a letter to the voters that requested an absentee ballot the prior election asking them to certify their status.

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**Table 11. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Voter**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting		UOCAVA Ballots Received from Voters, by Type of Voter, for All Ballots									Not Categorized	
				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	6,486	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,486	100.0
Alaska	1	12,103	1	10,489	1	86.7	1,614	1	13.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	9,171	15	4,470	10	48.7	4,284	10	46.7	417	14	4.5	0	0.0
Arkansas	75	4,028	65	2,560	61	63.6	1,203	56	29.9	11	4	0.3	254	6.3
California	58	69,823	57	25,181	53	36.1	38,331	51	54.9	4,237	13	6.1	2,074	3.0
Colorado	64	13,289	60	3,331	55	25.1	6,011	51	45.2	3,947	38	29.7	0	0.0
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	1,722	3	861	3	50.0	861	3	50.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,350	1	109	1	8.1	1,241	1	91.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	97,278	67	66,668	67	68.5	25,111	67	25.8	166	67	0.2	5,333	5.5
Georgia	159	17,229	159	10,693	159	62.1	6,536	159	37.9	0	159	0.0	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	998	2	42.0	1,377	2	58.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	3,085	44	2,089	44	67.7	996	44	32.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	17,372	1	7,276	1	41.9	4,374	1	25.2	5,722	1	32.9	0	0.0
Indiana	92	8,145	92	4,745	92	58.3	3,400	92	41.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	4,760	99	2,409	99	50.6	2,351	99	49.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	3,158	85	2,698	104	85.4	1,318	94	41.7	0	0	0.0	(858)	(27.2)
Kentucky	120	5,236	120	3,591	120	68.6	1,645	120	31.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Louisiana	64	6,538	64	4,635	64	70.9	1,903	64	29.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	2,092	499	761	499	36.4	1,331	499	63.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maryland	24	14,419	24	3,526	24	24.5	9,253	24	64.2	1,640	24	11.4	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	13,931	351	2,449	350	17.6	11,402	351	81.8	0	0	0.0	80	0.6
Michigan	83	16,444	83	10,483	83	63.7	5,961	83	36.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	12,091	87	3,702	87	30.6	8,389	87	69.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	1,232	36	1,343	38	109.0	568	29	46.1	0	8	0.0	(679)	(55.1)
Missouri	116	13,785	116	8,101	111	58.8	4,368	104	31.7	23	6	0.2	1,293	9.4
Montana	56	3,638	55	2,667	54	73.3	961	54	26.4	0	0	0.0	10	0.3
Nebraska	93	2,713	93	1,639	93	60.4	1,074	93	39.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nevada	17	4,675	17	2,828	15	60.5	1,812	15	38.8	35	16	0.7	0	0.0
New Hampshire	323	3,462	323	2,112	323	61.0	1,350	323	39.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	12,811	21	0	0	0.0	6,541	21	51.1	44	21	0.3	6,226	48.6
New Mexico	33	1,706	17	593	18	34.8	270	17	15.8	0	4	0.0	843	49.4
New York	1	54,220	1	12,879	1	23.8	41,341	1	76.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	13,137	100	8,891	100	67.7	4,246	100	32.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,018	53	646	53	63.5	372	53	36.5	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	27,469	86	13,094	85	47.7	12,953	85	47.2	34	36	0.1	1,388	5.1
Oklahoma	77	6,672	77	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,672	77	100.0	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	31,970	67	17,523	67	54.8	14,447	67	45.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	8,943	46	6,306	46	70.5	2,637	46	29.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,794	48	2,159	44	77.3	356	35	12.7	1	7	0.0	278	9.9
Tennessee	95	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Texas	254	69,837	242	42,015	233	60.2	17,662	232	25.3	0	0	0.0	10,160	14.5
Utah	29	3,219	29	1,337	29	41.5	1,882	29	58.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vermont	246	2,155	246	670	246	31.1	1,362	246	63.2	0	0	0.0	123	5.7
Virginia	134	29,258	134	14,107	134	48.2	15,151	134	51.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	30,389	38	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	30,389	100.0
West Virginia	55	2,606	32	1,717	31	65.9	265	29	10.2	0	0	0.0	624	23.9
Wisconsin	72	7,570	72	4,177	72	55.2	3,393	72	44.8			0.0	0	0.0
Wyoming	23	1,328	22	1,038	18	78.2	290	17	21.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	278	1	240	1	86.3	38	1	13.7	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	226	1	113	1	50.0	113	1	50.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	1,031	1	84.2	1,064	1	86.9	0	0	0.0	(871)	(71.2)
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Sum of Above	4,517	680,460	4,020	320,950	3,793	47.2	273,408	3,764	40.2	22,949	549	3.4	63,153	9.3
States Included		50		46			47			13			18	
Question		B3		B4a			B4b			B4c			calc	

**Table 11. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Voter****Questions B3, B4. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) returned by the voter and submitted for counting by type of voter.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

**Question B3:**

Arizona --- Two counties did not include a total of 305 ballots that were later rejected for late delivery.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Florida --- Two counties reported a total of 52 FWABs being returned but were never requested.

Idaho --- B3 includes Spoiled Ballots but does not include Undeliverable Ballots.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Ohio --- One county did not include 3 FWAB ballots that were later rejected.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B2a and B3 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

South Dakota --- B2 and B3 are the same number.

**Question B4:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas they were seemingly lumped in a "UOCAVA" file, that is now B4c.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B4a and B4b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B4c is the number of FWABs. B5a and B5b are the same as B4a and B4b.

Missouri --- One county only had data on absentee ballots, not FWAB.

Ohio --- One county did not include 4 uniformed FWAB ballots in the breakout.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B4 and B5 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.



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				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	6,486	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,486	100.0
Alaska	1	12,103	1	11,637	1	96.1	466	1	3.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	9,171	15	5,706	7	62.2	268	7	2.9	5	5	0.1	3,192	34.8
Arkansas	75	4,028	65	2,600	46	64.5	345	35	8.6	424	8	10.5	659	16.4
California	58	69,823	57	57,857	45	82.9	2,562	33	3.7	149	15	0.2	9,255	13.3
Colorado	64	13,289	60	11,750	54	88.4	1,538	37	11.6	174	11	1.3	(173)	(1.3)
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	1,722	3	1,630	3	94.7	92	3	5.3	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,350	1	1,350	1	100.0	1,390	1	103.0	0	0	0.0	(1,390)	(103.0)
Florida	67	97,278	67	77,590	66	79.8	2,219	66	2.3	4	67	0.0	17,465	18.0
Georgia	159	17,229	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	17,229	100.0
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	2,293	2	96.5	80	2	3.4	2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Idaho	44	3,085	44	2,863	44	92.8	222	44	7.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	17,372	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	17,372	100.0
Indiana	92	8,145	92	6,821	92	83.7	368	32	4.5	0	0	0.0	956	11.7
Iowa	99	4,760	99	4,419	99	92.8	341	98	7.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	3,158	85	2	1	0.1	341	87	10.8	0	0	0.0	2,815	89.1
Kentucky	120	5,236	120	4,931	120	94.2	305	120	5.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Louisiana	64	6,538	64	6,538	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	2,092	499	1,855	499	88.7	59	499	2.8	177	499	8.5	1	0.0
Maryland	24	14,419	24	12,779	24	88.6	1,640	24	11.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	13,931	351	12,364	351	88.8	1,539	351	11.0	0	0	0.0	28	0.2
Michigan	83	16,444	83	15,401	83	93.7	1,043	83	6.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	12,091	87	11,468	87	94.8	632	87	5.2	0	0	0.0	(9)	(0.1)
Mississippi	82	1,232	36	833	24	67.6	24	8	1.9	0	2	0.0	375	30.4
Missouri	116	13,785	116	9,829	90	71.3	884	52	6.4	59	11	0.4	3,013	21.9
Montana	56	3,638	55	3,368	54	92.6	260	55	7.2	0	0	0.0	10	0.3
Nebraska	93	2,713	93	0	0	0.0	96	93	3.5	0	0	0.0	2,617	96.5
Nevada	17	4,675	17	4,154	14	88.9	362	10	7.7	0	0	0.0	159	3.4
New Hampshire	323	3,462	323	3,258	323	94.1	204	323	5.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	12,811	21	9,090	21	71.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,721	29.0
New Mexico	33	1,706	17	552	11	32.4	12	3	0.7	1	1	0.1	1,141	66.9
New York	1	54,220	1	54,220	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	13,137	100	11,687	100	89.0	1,450	100	11.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting		UOCAVA Ballots Submitted by Voters, by Type of Ballot, for All Ballots									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,018	53	1,018	53	100.0	35	53	3.4	0	53	0.0	(35)	(3.4)
Ohio	88	27,469	86	25,441	80	92.6	1,683	70	6.1	0	36	0.0	345	1.3
Oklahoma	77	6,672	77	5,960	77	89.3	624	77	9.4	88	77	1.3	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	31,970	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	31,970	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	8,943	46	8,943	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,794	48	2,467	39	88.3	83	24	3.0	366	9	13.1	(122)	(4.4)
Tennessee	95	0	0	14,587	95	...	1,360	95	...	0	0	...	(15,947)	...
Texas	254	69,837	242	53,294	231	76.3	5,013	230	7.2	0	0	0.0	11,530	16.5
Utah	29	3,219	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,219	100.0
Vermont	246	2,155	246	2,122	245	98.5	36	245	1.7	0	0	0.0	(3)	(0.1)
Virginia	134	29,258	134	29,259	134	100.0	512	134	1.7	28,746	134	98.3	(29,259)	(100.0)
Washington	39	30,389	38	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	30,389	100.0
West Virginia	55	2,606	32	28	2	1.1	25	2	1.0	0	0	0.0	2,553	98.0
Wisconsin	72	7,570	72	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	7,570	100.0
Wyoming	23	1,328	22	1,328	18	100.0	18	6	1.4	0	0	0.0	(18)	(1.4)
American Samoa	1	278	1	278	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	226	1	226	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	2,095	1	171.2	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	(871)	(71.2)
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>680,460</b>	<b>4,020</b>	<b>495,891</b>	<b>3,350</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>28,131</b>	<b>3,351</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>30,195</b>	<b>934</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>126,243</b>	<b>18.6</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>50</b>		<b>43</b>			<b>37</b>			<b>12</b>			<b>35</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B3</b>		<b>B5a+b+c</b>			<b>B6a+b+c</b>			<b>B7a+b+c</b>			<b>calc</b>	

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**Table 13. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Ballot, Uniformed Services Voters**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Submitted by These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Submitted by Voters, by Type of Ballot, for Uniformed Services Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	10,489	1	10,147	1	96.7	342	1	3.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	4,470	10	3,077	7	68.8	90	7	2.0	3	5	0.1	1,300	29.1
Arkansas	75	2,560	61	1,941	46	75.8	238	35	9.3	424	8	16.6	(43)	(1.7)
California	58	25,181	53	22,539	45	89.5	705	33	2.8	1	15	0.0	1,936	7.7
Colorado	64	3,331	55	3,200	54	96.1	118	37	3.5	4	9	0.1	9	0.3
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	861	3	838	3	97.3	23	3	2.7	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	109	1	109	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	66,668	67	57,961	66	86.9	1,261	66	1.9	0	67	0.0	7,446	11.2
Georgia	159	10,693	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	10,693	100.0
Hawaii	4	998	2	961	2	96.3	37	2	3.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	2,089	44	2,007	44	96.1	82	44	3.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	7,276	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	7,276	100.0
Indiana	92	4,745	92	4,568	92	96.3	239	32	5.0	0	0	0.0	(62)	(1.3)
Iowa	99	2,409	99	2,238	99	92.9	171	98	7.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	2,698	104	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,698	100.0
Kentucky	120	3,591	120	3,388	120	94.3	203	120	5.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Louisiana	64	4,635	64	4,635	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	761	499	674	499	88.6	19	499	2.5	67	499	8.8	1	0.1
Maryland	24	3,526	24	3,526	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	2,449	350	2,273	351	92.8	758	351	31.0	0	0	0.0	(582)	(23.8)
Michigan	83	10,483	83	9,778	83	93.3	705	83	6.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	3,702	87	3,590	87	97.0	112	87	3.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	1,343	38	713	24	53.1	20	8	1.5	0	2	0.0	610	45.4
Missouri	116	8,101	111	6,328	90	78.1	412	52	5.1	40	11	0.5	1,321	16.3
Montana	56	2,667	54	2,478	54	92.9	189	55	7.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	1,639	93	0	0	0.0	42	93	2.6	0	0	0.0	1,597	97.4
Nevada	17	2,828	15	2,586	14	91.4	144	10	5.1	0	0	0.0	98	3.5
New Hampshire	323	2,112	323	2,046	323	96.9	66	323	3.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	0	0	2,505	21	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	(2,505)	...
New Mexico	33	593	18	397	11	66.9	2	2	0.3	0	0	0.0	194	32.7
New York	1	12,879	1	12,879	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	8,891	100	7,996	100	89.9	895	100	10.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Submitted by These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Submitted by Voters, by Type of Ballot, for Uniformed Services Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	646	53	646	53	100.0	23	53	3.6	0	53	0.0	(23)	(3.6)
Ohio	88	13,094	85	12,466	80	95.2	771	70	5.9	0	36	0.0	(143)	(1.1)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	17,523	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	17,523	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	6,306	46	6,306	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,159	44	2,080	39	96.3	53	24	2.5	357	8	16.5	(331)	(15.3)
Tennessee	95	0	0	11,087	95	...	1,360	95	...	0	0	...	(12,447)	...
Texas	254	42,015	233	37,774	231	89.9	3,825	230	9.1	0	0	0.0	416	1.0
Utah	29	1,337	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,337	100.0
Vermont	246	670	246	672	245	100.3	12	245	1.8	0	0	0.0	(14)	(2.1)
Virginia	134	14,107	134	14,107	134	100.0	213	50	1.5	13,894	134	98.5	(14,107)	(100.0)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	1,717	31	25	2	1.5	20	2	1.2	0	0	0.0	1,672	97.4
Wisconsin	72	4,177	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	4,177	100.0
Wyoming	23	1,038	18	1,038	18	100.0	7	6	0.7	0	0	0.0	(7)	(0.7)
American Samoa	1	240	1	240	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	113	1	113	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,031	1	1,031	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>320,950</b>	<b>3,793</b>	<b>262,963</b>	<b>3,272</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>13,157</b>	<b>3,077</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>14,790</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>30,040</b>	<b>9.4</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>46</b>		<b>41</b>			<b>33</b>			<b>8</b>			<b>29</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B4a</b>		<b>B5a</b>			<b>B6a</b>			<b>B7a</b>			<b>calc</b>	

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**Table 14. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Ballot, Non-military/Civilian Voters**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Submitted by These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Submitted by Voters, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	1,614	1	1,490	1	92.3	124	1	7.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	4,284	10	2,541	7	59.3	66	7	1.5	2	5	0.0	1,675	39.1
Arkansas	75	1,203	56	648	35	53.9	107	20	8.9	0	6	0.0	448	37.2
California	58	38,331	51	33,436	43	87.2	1,370	30	3.6	0	15	0.0	3,525	9.2
Colorado	64	6,011	51	5,743	49	95.5	383	36	6.4	3	9	0.0	(118)	(2.0)
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	861	3	792	3	92.0	69	3	8.0	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,241	1	1,241	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	25,111	67	19,473	66	77.5	813	66	3.2	4	67	0.0	4,821	19.2
Georgia	159	6,536	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,536	100.0
Hawaii	4	1,377	2	1,332	2	96.7	43	2	3.1	2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Idaho	44	996	44	856	44	85.9	140	44	14.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	4,374	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	4,374	100.0
Indiana	92	3,400	92	2,253	92	66.3	119	30	3.5	0	0	0.0	1,028	30.2
Iowa	99	2,351	99	2,181	99	92.8	170	98	7.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	1,318	94	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,318	100.0
Kentucky	120	1,645	120	1,543	120	93.8	102	120	6.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Louisiana	64	1,903	64	1,903	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,331	499	1,181	499	88.7	40	499	3.0	110	499	8.3	0	0.0
Maryland	24	9,253	24	9,253	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	11,402	351	10,091	351	88.5	781	351	6.8	0	0	0.0	530	4.6
Michigan	83	5,961	83	5,623	83	94.3	338	83	5.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	8,389	87	7,870	87	93.8	520	87	6.2	0	0	0.0	(1)	(0.0)
Mississippi	82	568	29	120	13	21.1	4	5	0.7	0	1	0.0	444	78.2
Missouri	116	4,368	104	3,495	75	80.0	472	31	10.8	16	3	0.4	385	8.8
Montana	56	961	54	890	54	92.6	71	55	7.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	1,074	93	0	0	0.0	54	93	5.0	0	0	0.0	1,020	95.0
Nevada	17	1,812	15	1,549	14	85.5	218	10	12.0	0	0	0.0	45	2.5
New Hampshire	323	1,350	323	1,212	323	89.8	138	323	10.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	6,541	21	6,541	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	270	17	155	8	57.4	10	3	3.7	1	1	0.4	104	38.5
New York	1	41,341	1	41,341	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	4,246	100	3,691	100	86.9	555	100	13.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Submitted by These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Submitted by Voters, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	372	53	372	53	100.0	12	53	3.2	0	53	0.0	(12)	(3.2)
Ohio	88	12,953	85	12,974	80	100.2	885	59	6.8	0	34	0.0	(906)	(7.0)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	14,447	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	14,447	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	2,637	46	2,637	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	356	35	367	36	103.1	30	17	8.4	5	9	1.4	(46)	(12.9)
Tennessee	95	0	0	3,500	95	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	(3,500)	...
Texas	254	17,662	232	15,520	230	87.9	1,188	229	6.7	0	0	0.0	954	5.4
Utah	29	1,882	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,882	100.0
Vermont	246	1,362	246	1,450	245	106.5	24	245	1.8	0	0	0.0	(112)	(8.2)
Virginia	134	15,151	134	15,152	134	100.0	299	134	2.0	14,852	134	98.0	(15,152)	(100.0)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	265	29	3	2	1.1	5	2	1.9	0	0	0.0	257	97.0
Wisconsin	72	3,393	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	3,393	100.0
Wyoming	23	290	17	290	17	100.0	11	6	3.8	0	0	0.0	(11)	(3.8)
American Samoa	1	38	1	38	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	113	1	113	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,064	1	1,064	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>273,408</b>	<b>3,764</b>	<b>221,924</b>	<b>3,220</b>	<b>81.2</b>	<b>9,161</b>	<b>3,003</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>14,995</b>	<b>842</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>27,328</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>47</b>		<b>41</b>			<b>32</b>			<b>9</b>			<b>28</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B4b</b>		<b>B5b</b>			<b>B6b</b>			<b>B7b</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Tables 12, 13, 14. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian****Questions B3, B4, B5, B6, B7. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) returned by the voter and submitted for counting by type of ballot by type of voter.**

*General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting. For Montana: The balance column indicates an over-count as Absentee ballots included the count of FWABs.*

**Question B4:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas they were seemingly lumped in a "UOCAVA" file, that is now B4c.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B4a and B4b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B4c is the number of FWABs. B5a and B5b are the same as B4a and B4b.

Missouri --- One county only had data on absentee ballots, not FWAB.

Ohio --- One county did not include 4 uniformed FWAB ballots in the breakout.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B4 and B5 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

**Question B5:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. One county included FWABs in their reporting of UOCAVA absentee.

Ohio --- One county included FWABs in their reported breakout.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B4 and B5 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

**Tables 12, 13, 14. UOCAVA Ballots Submitted for Counting: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian (continued)****Question B6:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Florida --- One county reported 10 day UOCAVA voters.

Missouri --- One county reported that they had 1 FWAB for uniformed service that was not included in their reported numbers.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

**Question B7:**

Colorado --- Several counties included "Special" Write-In Absentee Ballots (SWAB).

Missouri --- One county reported 2 e-mail ballots that were both for uniformed service.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.



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				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	11,583	1	10,101	1	87.2	1,482	1	12.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	9,022	15	4,484	12	49.7	4,280	12	47.4	258	13	2.9	0	0.0
Arkansas	75	3,667	58	1,745	56	47.6	871	50	23.8	14	2	0.4	1,037	28.3
California	58	65,518	56	24,115	53	36.8	37,159	51	56.7	3,638	11	5.6	606	0.9
Colorado	64	11,719	60	3,298	55	28.1	5,821	51	49.7	2,656	38	22.7	(56)	(0.5)
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	1,595	3	828	3	51.9	767	3	48.1	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	2,740	1	109	1	4.0	1,241	1	45.3	0	0	0.0	1,390	50.7
Florida	67	95,014	67	66,007	67	69.5	25,325	67	26.7	0	66	0.0	3,682	3.9
Georgia	159	16,840	159	10,486	159	62.3	6,354	159	37.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	998	2	42.0	1,377	2	58.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	2,665	44	1,874	44	70.3	791	44	29.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	0	0	7,147	1	...	4,284	1	...	5,315	1	...	(16,746)	...
Indiana	92	5,169	92	3,563	92	68.9	1,606	92	31.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	4,368	99	2,160	99	49.5	2,208	99	50.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	5,021	103	2,260	103	45.0	1,247	96	24.8	0	0	0.0	1,514	30.2
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	6,086	64	4,298	64	70.6	1,788	64	29.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,494	499	478	499	32.0	1,016	499	68.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maryland	24	13,184	24	3,439	24	26.1	8,984	24	68.1	761	24	5.8	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	12,753	351	2,415	351	18.9	10,394	351	81.5	0	0	0.0	(56)	(0.4)
Michigan	83	16,444	83	10,483	83	63.7	5,961	83	36.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	11,322	87	3,396	87	30.0	7,926	87	70.0	0	87	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	2,037	36	912	32	44.8	188	25	9.2	0	5	0.0	937	46.0
Missouri	116	12,020	116	7,765	113	64.6	4,154	100	34.6	24	4	0.2	77	0.6
Montana	56	3,391	55	2,469	54	72.8	912	54	26.9	0	0	0.0	10	0.3
Nebraska	93	2,501	93	1,498	93	59.9	1,003	93	40.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nevada	17	4,574	16	2,811	16	61.5	1,763	15	38.5	19	16	0.4	(19)	(0.4)
New Hampshire	323	3,311	323	2,028	323	61.3	1,283	323	38.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	7,009	21	1,281	21	18.3	4,103	21	58.5	19	21	0.3	1,606	22.9
New Mexico	33	1,403	14	265	12	18.9	172	13	12.3	0	3	0.0	966	68.9
New York	1	50,065	1	11,582	1	23.1	38,483	1	76.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	12,540	100	8,442	100	67.3	4,098	100	32.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,001	53	634	53	63.3	367	53	36.7	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	26,319	85	8,473	84	32.2	16,348	84	62.1	136	31	0.5	1,362	5.2
Oklahoma	77	6,275	77	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,275	77	100.0	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	31,818	67	17,450	67	54.8	14,368	67	45.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Rhode Island	39	894	39	704	39	78.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	190	21.3
South Carolina	46	8,667	46	6,124	46	70.7	2,543	46	29.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,521	42	1,775	41	70.4	357	33	14.2	0	5	0.0	389	15.4
Tennessee	95	14,494	95	10,944	95	75.5	3,051	95	21.1	499	20	3.4	0	0.0
Texas	254	56,274	234	37,683	230	67.0	15,813	228	28.1	0	0	0.0	2,778	4.9
Utah	29	3,122	29	1,300	29	41.6	1,822	29	58.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Vermont	246	2,129	246	673	246	31.6	1,456	246	68.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	28,816	134	13,770	134	47.8	15,046	134	52.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	45,929	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	45,929	100.0
West Virginia	55	1,554	27	1,566	28	100.8	212	27	13.6	0	0	0.0	(224)	(14.4)
Wisconsin	72	6,977	72	3,923	72	56.2	3,065	72	43.9			0.0	(11)	(0.2)
Wyoming	23	1,268	23	1,004	18	79.2	264	18	20.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	278	1	240	1	86.3	38	1	13.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	226	1	113	1	50.0	113	1	50.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	516	1	42.2	708	1	57.8	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Sum of Above	4,517	637,216	3,954	309,629	3,806	48.6	262,612	3,717	41.2	19,614	481	3.1	45,361	7.1
States Included		49		48			47			12			21	
Question		B8		B9a			B9b			B9c			calc	

**Table 15. UOCAVA Ballots Counted: Type of Voter****Questions B8, B9. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) counted by type of voter.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

**Question B8:**

Colorado --- One county included "Special" Write-In Absentee Ballots (SWAB).

Mississippi --- One county reported 1 ballot actually not being counted even though they reported it counting.

Ohio --- One county had 59 ballots counted but did not report it in the table.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B8 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted. Once challenged, these ballots are no longer tracked as a UOCAVA ballot; they would be tracked simply as provisional ballots. Also, when reporting results, UOCAVA results are reported in an absentee precinct with all the other absentee ballots.

**Question B9:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B9a: 68%. B9b: 32%.

California --- Two counties did not include returns of stateside military ballots. Two counties had a total of 116 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county double counted their 56 FWAB votes by counting them in B9a and B9b while also adding them as a third category of B9c.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B9a and B9b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B9c is the number of FWABs counted. B9a and B9b are the same as B10a and B10b.

Ohio --- One county wrote, "The difference in our official count and the total number who participated in the November 2008 General Election is due to the situation where we credited the voters for voting in this election, although their vote was not included as counting in the official count."

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- This number represents the total returned before the deadline. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted after receiving them.

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				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	11,583	1	11,464	1	99.0	119	1	1.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	9,022	15	5,606	7	62.1	252	7	2.8	5	5	0.1	3,159	35.0
Arkansas	75	3,667	58	1,884	44	51.4	408	36	11.1	0	3	0.0	1,375	37.5
California	58	65,518	56	55,379	46	84.5	1,840	31	2.8	1	16	0.0	8,298	12.7
Colorado	64	11,719	60	10,187	52	86.9	1,019	36	8.7	166	9	1.4	347	3.0
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	1,595	3	1,547	3	97.0	48	3	3.0	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	2,740	1	0	0	0.0	1,390	1	50.7	0	0	0.0	1,350	49.3
Florida	67	95,014	67	73,020	66	76.9	1,790	67	1.9	4	67	0.0	20,200	21.3
Georgia	159	16,840	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	16,840	100.0
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	2,293	2	96.5	80	2	3.4	2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Idaho	44	2,665	44	2,539	44	95.3	126	44	4.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Indiana	92	5,169	92	5,003	92	96.8	166	28	3.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	4,368	99	4,125	99	94.4	243	98	5.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	5,021	103	2	1	0.0	275	88	5.5	0	0	0.0	4,744	94.5
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	6,086	64	6,086	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,494	499	1,398	499	93.6	42	499	2.8	54	499	3.6	0	0.0
Maryland	24	13,184	24	12,423	24	94.2	761	24	5.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	12,753	351	11,716	351	91.9	1,211	351	9.5	0	0	0.0	(174)	(1.4)
Michigan	83	16,444	83	15,401	83	93.7	1,043	83	6.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	11,322	87	10,714	87	94.6	608	87	5.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	2,037	36	533	19	26.2	54	13	2.7	0	4	0.0	1,450	71.2
Missouri	116	12,020	116	8,952	85	74.5	744	56	6.2	59	13	0.5	2,265	18.8
Montana	56	3,391	55	3,148	54	92.8	233	55	6.9	0	0	0.0	10	0.3
Nebraska	93	2,501	93	0	0	0.0	82	93	3.3	0	0	0.0	2,419	96.7
Nevada	17	4,574	16	4,049	15	88.5	382	8	8.4	0	0	0.0	143	3.1
New Hampshire	323	3,311	323	3,126	323	94.4	185	323	5.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	7,009	21	5,403	21	77.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,606	22.9
New Mexico	33	1,403	14	172	8	12.3	12	3	0.9	1	2	0.1	1,218	86.8
New York	1	50,065	1	23,211	1	46.4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	26,854	53.6
North Carolina	100	12,540	100	11,472	100	91.5	1,068	99	8.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,001	53	1,001	53	100.0	35	53	3.5	0	53	0.0	(35)	(3.5)
Ohio	88	26,319	85	24,910	80	94.6	912	71	3.5	89	36	0.3	408	1.6
Oklahoma	77	6,275	77	5,708	77	91.0	487	77	7.8	80	77	1.3	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	31,818	67	0	0	0.0	1,511	59	4.7	0	0	0.0	30,307	95.3
Rhode Island	39	894	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	894	100.0
South Carolina	46	8,667	46	8,667	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,521	42	2,308	38	91.6	63	21	2.5	362	7	14.4	(212)	(8.4)
Tennessee	95	14,494	95	0	0	0.0	1,696	93	11.7	0	0	0.0	12,798	88.3
Texas	254	56,274	234	49,491	228	87.9	4,029	229	7.2	0	0	0.0	2,754	4.9
Utah	29	3,122	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,122	100.0
Vermont	246	2,129	246	2,093	245	98.3	36	245	1.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	28,816	134	28,816	134	100.0	512	134	1.8	0	0	0.0	(512)	(1.8)
Washington	39	45,929	39	0	0	0.0	1,915	30	4.2	0	0	0.0	44,014	95.8
West Virginia	55	1,554	27	141	2	9.1	161	8	10.4	0	0	0.0	1,252	80.6
Wisconsin	72	6,977	72	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,977	100.0
Wyoming	23	1,268	23	1,268	18	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	278	1	278	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	226	1	226	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	1,224	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	637,216	3,954	416,984	3,115	65.4	25,538	3,317	4.0	823	797	0.1	193,871	30.4
<b>States Included</b>		49		40			37			11			29	
<b>Question</b>		B8		B10a+b+c			B11a+b+c			B12a+b+c			calc	

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				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	10,101	1	10,015	1	99.1	86	1	0.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	4,484	12	3,031	7	67.6	83	7	1.9	3	5	0.1	1,367	30.5
Arkansas	75	1,745	56	1,169	44	67.0	315	36	18.1	0	3	0.0	261	15.0
California	58	24,115	53	21,816	46	90.5	499	31	2.1	1	16	0.0	1,799	7.5
Colorado	64	3,298	55	2,954	52	89.6	84	35	2.5	4	7	0.1	256	7.8
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	828	3	808	3	97.6	20	3	2.4	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	109	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	109	100.0
Florida	67	66,007	67	54,945	66	83.2	1,010	67	1.5	0	67	0.0	10,052	15.2
Georgia	159	10,486	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	10,486	100.0
Hawaii	4	998	2	961	2	96.3	37	2	3.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	1,874	44	1,827	44	97.5	47	44	2.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	7,147	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	7,147	100.0
Indiana	92	3,563	92	3,426	92	96.2	137	28	3.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	2,160	99	2,030	99	94.0	130	98	6.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	2,260	103	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,260	100.0
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	4,298	64	4,298	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	478	499	448	499	93.7	16	499	3.3	14	499	2.9	0	0.0
Maryland	24	3,439	24	3,439	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	2,415	351	2,405	351	99.6	221	351	9.2	0	0	0.0	(211)	(8.7)
Michigan	83	10,483	83	9,778	83	93.3	705	83	6.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	3,396	87	3,290	87	96.9	106	87	3.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	912	32	441	19	48.4	46	13	5.0	0	4	0.0	425	46.6
Missouri	116	7,765	113	5,694	85	73.3	353	56	4.5	43	13	0.6	1,675	21.6
Montana	56	2,469	54	2,293	54	92.9	176	55	7.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	1,498	93	0	0	0.0	51	93	3.4	0	0	0.0	1,447	96.6
Nevada	17	2,811	16	2,553	14	90.8	141	8	5.0	0	0	0.0	117	4.2
New Hampshire	323	2,028	323	1,973	323	97.3	55	323	2.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	1,281	21	1,281	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	265	12	109	8	41.1	2	2	0.8	0	1	0.0	154	58.1
New York	1	11,582	1	9,367	1	80.9	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,215	19.1
North Carolina	100	8,442	100	7,797	100	92.4	645	99	7.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	634	53	634	53	100.0	23	53	3.6	0	53	0.0	(23)	(3.6)
Ohio	88	8,473	84	8,612	80	101.6	283	71	3.3	2	36	0.0	(424)	(5.0)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	17,450	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	17,450	100.0
Rhode Island	39	704	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	704	100.0
South Carolina	46	6,124	46	6,124	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	1,775	41	1,965	38	110.7	40	21	2.3	357	6	20.1	(587)	(33.1)
Tennessee	95	10,944	95	0	0	0.0	1,696	93	15.5	0	0	0.0	9,248	84.5
Texas	254	37,683	230	34,478	228	91.5	3,243	229	8.6	0	0	0.0	(38)	(0.1)
Utah	29	1,300	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,300	100.0
Vermont	246	673	246	661	245	98.2	12	245	1.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	13,770	134	13,770	134	100.0	213	50	1.5	0	0	0.0	(213)	(1.5)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	1,566	28	107	2	6.8	123	8	7.9	0	0	0.0	1,336	85.3
Wisconsin	72	3,923	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	3,923	100.0
Wyoming	23	1,004	18	1,004	18	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	240	1	240	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	113	1	113	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	516	1	516	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>309,629</b>	<b>3,806</b>	<b>226,372</b>	<b>3,036</b>	<b>73.1</b>	<b>10,598</b>	<b>2,952</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>715</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>72,235</b>	<b>23.3</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>48</b>		<b>38</b>			<b>31</b>			<b>7</b>			<b>27</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B9a</b>		<b>B10a</b>			<b>B11a</b>			<b>B12a</b>			<b>calc</b>	

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Counted from These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Counted, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	1,482	1	1,449	1	97.8	33	1	2.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	4,280	12	2,487	7	58.1	57	7	1.3	2	5	0.0	1,734	40.5
Arkansas	75	871	50	715	32	82.1	82	24	9.4	0	3	0.0	74	8.5
California	58	37,159	51	32,682	44	88.0	1,131	29	3.0	0	16	0.0	3,346	9.0
Colorado	64	5,821	51	4,870	48	83.7	319	36	5.5	3	7	0.1	629	10.8
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	767	3	739	3	96.3	28	3	3.7	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,241	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,241	100.0
Florida	67	25,325	67	16,435	66	64.9	765	67	3.0	4	67	0.0	8,121	32.1
Georgia	159	6,354	159	0	0	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,354	100.0
Hawaii	4	1,377	2	1,332	2	96.7	43	2	3.1	2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Idaho	44	791	44	712	44	90.0	79	44	10.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	4,284	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	4,284	100.0
Indiana	92	1,606	92	1,577	92	98.2	29	26	1.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	2,208	99	2,095	99	94.9	113	98	5.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	1,247	96	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,247	100.0
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	1,788	64	1,788	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,016	499	950	499	93.5	26	499	2.6	40	499	3.9	0	0.0
Maryland	24	8,984	24	8,984	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	10,394	351	9,311	351	89.6	990	351	9.5	0	0	0.0	93	0.9
Michigan	83	5,961	83	5,623	83	94.3	338	83	5.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	7,926	87	7,424	87	93.7	502	87	6.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	188	25	92	13	48.9	8	6	4.3	0	3	0.0	88	46.8
Missouri	116	4,154	100	3,258	68	78.4	390	26	9.4	16	4	0.4	490	11.8
Montana	56	912	54	856	54	93.9	56	55	6.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	1,003	93	0	0	0.0	31	93	3.1	0	0	0.0	972	96.9
Nevada	17	1,763	15	1,477	14	83.8	241	8	13.7	0	0	0.0	45	2.6
New Hampshire	323	1,283	323	1,153	323	89.9	130	323	10.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	4,103	21	4,103	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	172	13	63	7	36.6	10	3	5.8	1	2	0.6	98	57.0
New York	1	38,483	1	13,844	1	36.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	24,639	64.0
North Carolina	100	4,098	100	3,675	100	89.7	423	99	10.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0



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				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	367	53	367	53	100.0	12	53	3.3	0	53	0.0	(12)	(3.3)
Ohio	88	16,348	84	16,275	80	99.6	603	62	3.7	0	36	0.0	(530)	(3.2)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	14,368	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	14,368	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	2,543	46	2,543	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	357	33	339	32	95.0	23	16	6.4	5	7	1.4	(10)	(2.8)
Tennessee	95	3,051	95	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,051	100.0
Texas	254	15,813	228	15,013	228	94.9	786	228	5.0	0	0	0.0	14	0.1
Utah	29	1,822	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,822	100.0
Vermont	246	1,456	246	1,432	245	98.4	24	245	1.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	15,046	134	15,046	134	100.0	299	134	2.0	0	0	0.0	(299)	(2.0)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	212	27	34	2	16.0	38	7	17.9	0	0	0.0	140	66.0
Wisconsin	72	3,065	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	3,065	100.0
Wyoming	23	264	18	264	18	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	38	1	38	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	113	1	113	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	708	1	708	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>262,612</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>179,866</b>	<b>2,988</b>	<b>68.5</b>	<b>7,609</b>	<b>2,876</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>75,064</b>	<b>28.6</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>47</b>		<b>38</b>			<b>30</b>			<b>8</b>			<b>26</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B9b</b>		<b>B10b</b>			<b>B11b</b>			<b>B12b</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Tables 16, 17, 18. UOCAVA Ballots Counted: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian****Questions B8, B9, B10, B11, B12. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) counted by type of ballot by type of voter.**

*General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting. For Montana: The balance column indicates an over-count as Absentee ballots included the count of FWABs.*

**Question B9:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B9a: 68%. B9b: 32%.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. Two counties had a total of 116 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county double counted their 56 FWAB votes by counting them in B9a and B9b while also adding them as a third category of B9c.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B9a and B9b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B9c is the number of FWABs counted. B9a and B9b are the same as B10a and B10b.

Ohio --- One county wrote, "The difference in our official count and the total number who participated in the November 2008 General Election is due to the situation where we credited the voters for voting in this election, although their vote was not included as counting in the official count."

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B9 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted.

**Question B10:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B10a: 66%. B10b: 29%.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. One county included FWAB ballots in their answers.

Maryland --- Maryland included FWABs in their totals for B10, Absentee ballots counted breakout.

Ohio --- For one county, Federal write-ins were counted with Absentee not separately.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

**Tables 16, 17, 18. UOCAVA Ballots Counted: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian (continued)****Question B11:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B11a: 2%. B11b: 3%.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. One county had a total of 32 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county counted all 5 FWABs in B11b, because they were unable to separate.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

**Question B12:**

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

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		Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted	Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted	Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases			Total	Cases	Total	Cases			Total	Cases	Total	Cases		
Alabama	67	6,486	67	0	0	0.0	6,486	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
Alaska	1	12,103	1	11,583	1	95.7	520	10,489	1	10,101	1	96.3	388	1,614	1	1,482	1	91.8	132
Arizona	15	9,171	15	9,022	15	98.4	149	4,470	10	4,484	12	100.3	(14)	4,284	10	4,280	12	99.9	4
Arkansas	75	4,028	65	3,667	58	91.0	361	2,560	61	1,745	56	68.2	815	1,203	56	871	50	72.4	332
California	58	69,823	57	65,518	56	93.8	4,305	25,181	53	24,115	53	95.8	1,066	38,331	51	37,159	51	96.9	1,172
Colorado	64	13,289	60	11,719	60	88.2	1,570	3,331	55	3,298	55	99.0	33	6,011	51	5,821	51	96.8	190
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
Delaware	3	1,722	3	1,595	3	92.6	127	861	3	828	3	96.2	33	861	3	767	3	89.1	94
District of Columbia	1	1,350	1	2,740	1	203.0	(1,390)	109	1	109	1	100.0	0	1,241	1	1,241	1	100.0	0
Florida	67	97,278	67	95,014	67	97.7	2,264	66,668	67	66,007	67	99.0	661	25,111	67	25,325	67	100.9	(214)
Georgia	159	17,229	159	16,840	159	97.7	389	10,693	159	10,486	159	98.1	207	6,536	159	6,354	159	97.2	182
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	2,375	2	100.0	0	998	2	998	2	100.0	0	1,377	2	1,377	2	100.0	0
Idaho	44	3,085	44	2,665	44	86.4	420	2,089	44	1,874	44	89.7	215	996	44	791	44	79.4	205
Illinois	1	17,372	1	0	0	0.0	17,372	7,276	1	7,147	1	98.2	129	4,374	1	4,284	1	97.9	90
Indiana	92	8,145	92	5,169	92	63.5	2,976	4,745	92	3,563	92	75.1	1,182	3,400	92	1,606	92	47.2	1,794
Iowa	99	4,760	99	4,368	99	91.8	392	2,409	99	2,160	99	89.7	249	2,351	99	2,208	99	93.9	143
Kansas	105	3,158	85	5,021	103	159.0	(1,863)	2,698	104	2,260	103	83.8	438	1,318	94	1,247	96	94.6	71
Kentucky	120	5,236	120	0	0	0.0	5,236	3,591	120	0	0	0.0	3,591	1,645	120	0	0	0.0	1,645
Louisiana	64	6,538	64	6,086	64	93.1	452	4,635	64	4,298	64	92.7	337	1,903	64	1,788	64	94.0	115
Maine	499	2,092	499	1,494	499	71.4	598	761	499	478	499	62.8	283	1,331	499	1,016	499	76.3	315
Maryland	24	14,419	24	13,184	24	91.4	1,235	3,526	24	3,439	24	97.5	87	9,253	24	8,984	24	97.1	269
Massachusetts	351	13,931	351	12,753	351	91.5	1,178	2,449	350	2,415	351	98.6	34	11,402	351	10,394	351	91.2	1,008
Michigan	83	16,444	83	16,444	83	100.0	0	10,483	83	10,483	83	100.0	0	5,961	83	5,961	83	100.0	0
Minnesota	87	12,091	87	11,322	87	93.6	769	3,702	87	3,396	87	91.7	306	8,389	87	7,926	87	94.5	463
Mississippi	82	1,232	36	2,037	36	165.3	(805)	1,343	38	912	32	67.9	431	568	29	188	25	33.1	380
Missouri	116	13,785	116	12,020	116	87.2	1,765	8,101	111	7,765	113	95.9	336	4,368	104	4,154	100	95.1	214
Montana	56	3,641	55	3,391	55	93.2	249	2,667	54	2,469	54	92.6	198	961	54	913	54	95.0	48
Nebraska	93	2,713	93	2,501	93	92.2	212	1,639	93	1,498	93	91.4	141	1,074	93	1,003	93	93.4	71
Nevada	17	4,675	17	4,574	16	97.8	101	2,828	15	2,811	16	99.4	17	1,812	15	1,763	15	97.3	49
New Hampshire	323	3,462	323	3,311	323	95.6	151	2,112	323	2,028	323	96.0	84	1,350	323	1,283	323	95.0	67
New Jersey	21	12,811	21	7,009	21	54.7	5,802	0	0	1,281	21	...	(1,281)	6,541	21	4,103	21	62.7	2,438
New Mexico	33	1,706	17	1,403	14	82.2	303	593	18	265	12	44.7	328	270	17	172	13	63.7	98
New York	1	54,220	1	50,065	1	92.3	4,155	12,879	1	11,582	1	89.9	1,297	41,341	1	38,483	1	93.1	2,858
North Carolina	100	13,137	100	12,540	100	95.5	597	8,891	100	8,442	100	94.9	449	4,246	100	4,098	100	96.5	148

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		Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted	Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted	Ballots Cast		Ballots Counted		Counted % Cast	Not Counted
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases			Total	Cases	Total	Cases			Total	Cases	Total	Cases		
North Dakota	53	1,018	53	1,001	53	98.3	17	646	53	634	53	98.1	12	372	53	367	53	98.7	5
Ohio	88	27,469	86	26,319	85	95.8	1,150	13,094	85	8,473	84	64.7	4,621	12,953	85	16,348	84	126.2	(3,395)
Oklahoma	77	6,672	77	6,275	77	94.0	397	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
Pennsylvania	67	31,970	67	31,818	67	99.5	152	17,523	67	17,450	67	99.6	73	14,447	67	14,368	67	99.5	79
Rhode Island	39	0	0	894	39	...	(894)	0	0	704	39	...	(704)	0	0	0	0	...	0
South Carolina	46	8,943	46	8,667	46	96.9	276	6,306	46	6,124	46	97.1	182	2,637	46	2,543	46	96.4	94
South Dakota	66	2,794	48	2,521	42	90.2	273	2,159	44	1,775	41	82.2	384	356	35	357	33	100.3	(1)
Tennessee	95	0	0	14,494	95	...	(14,494)	0	0	10,944	95	...	(10,944)	0	0	3,051	95	...	(3,051)
Texas	254	69,837	242	56,274	234	80.6	13,563	42,015	233	37,683	230	89.7	4,332	17,662	232	15,813	228	89.5	1,849
Utah	29	3,219	29	3,122	29	97.0	97	1,337	29	1,300	29	97.2	37	1,882	29	1,822	29	96.8	60
Vermont	246	2,155	246	2,129	246	98.8	26	670	246	673	246	100.4	(3)	1,362	246	1,456	246	106.9	(94)
Virginia	134	29,258	134	28,816	134	98.5	442	14,107	134	13,770	134	97.6	337	15,151	134	15,046	134	99.3	105
Washington	39	30,389	38	45,929	39	151.1	(15,540)	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
West Virginia	55	2,606	32	1,554	27	59.6	1,052	1,717	31	1,566	28	91.2	151	265	29	212	27	80.0	53
Wisconsin	72	7,570	72	6,977	72	92.2	593	4,177	72	3,923	72	93.9	254	3,393	72	3,065	72	90.3	328
Wyoming	23	1,328	22	1,268	23	95.5	60	1,038	18	1,004	18	96.7	34	290	17	264	18	91.0	26
American Samoa	1	278	1	278	1	100.0	0	240	1	240	1	100.0	0	38	1	38	1	100.0	0
Guam	1	226	1	226	1	100.0	0	113	1	113	1	100.0	0	113	1	113	1	100.0	0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	1,224	1	100.0	0	1,031	1	516	1	50.0	515	1,064	1	708	1	66.5	356
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	0	0	0	...	0
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>680,463</b>	<b>4,020</b>	<b>637,216</b>	<b>3,954</b>	<b>93.6</b>	<b>43,246</b>	<b>320,950</b>	<b>3,793</b>	<b>309,629</b>	<b>3,806</b>	<b>96.5</b>	<b>11,321</b>	<b>273,408</b>	<b>3,764</b>	<b>262,613</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>96.1</b>	<b>10,795</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>50</b>		<b>49</b>				<b>46</b>		<b>48</b>				<b>47</b>		<b>47</b>			
<b>Question</b>		<b>B3</b>		<b>B8</b>		<b>calc</b>	<b>calc</b>	<b>B4a</b>		<b>B9a</b>		<b>calc</b>	<b>calc</b>	<b>B4b</b>		<b>B9b</b>		<b>calc</b>	<b>calc</b>

**Table 19. UOCAVA Ballots: Counted as Percentage of Cast, by Type of Voter****Questions B3, B4, B8, B9. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) submitted for counting (cast) and counted by type of voter.****Question B3:**

Arizona --- Two counties did not include a total of 305 ballots that were later rejected for late delivery.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Florida --- Two counties reported a total of 52 FWABs being returned but were never requested.

Idaho --- B3 includes Spoiled Ballots but does not include Undeliverable Ballots.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Ohio --- One county did not include 3 FWAB ballots that were later rejected.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B2a and B3 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

South Dakota --- B2 and B3 are the same number.

**Question B4:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas; they were seemingly lumped in a "UOCAVA" file, that is now B4c.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B4a and B4b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B4c is the number of FWABs. B5a and B5b are the same as B4a and B4b.

Missouri --- One county only had data on absentee ballots, not FWAB.

Ohio --- One county did not include 4 uniformed FWAB ballots in the breakout.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B4 and B5 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

**Table 19. UOCAVA Ballots: Counted as Percentage of Cast, by Type of Voter (continued)****Question B8:**

Colorado --- One county included "Special" Write-In Absentee Ballots (SWAB).

Mississippi --- One county reported 1 ballot actually not being counted even though they reported it counting.

Ohio --- One county had 59 ballots counted but did not report it in the table.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B8 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted. Once challenged, these ballots are no longer tracked as a UOCAVA ballot; they would be tracked simply as provisional ballots. Also, when reporting results, UOCAVA results are reported in an absentee precinct with all the other absentee ballots.

**Question B9:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B9a: 68%. B9b: 32%.

California --- Two counties did not include returns of stateside military ballots. Two counties had a total of 116 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county double counted their 56 FWAB votes by counting them in B9a and B9b while also adding them as a third category of B9c.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B9a and B9b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B9c is the number of FWABs counted. B9a and B9b are the same as B10a and B10b.

Ohio --- One county wrote, "The difference in our official count and the total number who participated in the November 2008 General Election is due to the situation where we credited the voters for voting in this election, although their vote was not included as counting in the official count."

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- This number represents the total returned before the deadline. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted after receiving them.

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**Table 20. UOCAVA Ballots: Counted by Type of Ballot**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	All UOCAVA Ballots		Absentees			FWAB			Other Ballots			Balance	
		Ballots Counted		Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted Total	% All UOCAVA Counted
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases		Total	Cases		Total	Cases			
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	11,583	1	11,464	1	99.0	119	1	1.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	9,022	15	5,606	7	62.1	252	7	2.8	5	5	0.1	3,159	35.0
Arkansas	75	3,667	58	1,884	36	51.4	408	24	11.1	0	3	0.0	1,375	37.5
California	58	65,518	56	55,379	44	84.5	1,840	29	2.8	1	16	0.0	8,298	12.7
Colorado	64	11,719	60	10,187	48	86.9	1,019	36	8.7	166	9	1.4	347	3.0
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	1,595	3	1,547	3	97.0	48	3	3.0	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	2,740	1	0	0	0.0	1,390	1	50.7	0	0	0.0	1,350	49.3
Florida	67	95,014	67	73,020	67	76.9	1,790	67	1.9	4	67	0.0	20,200	21.3
Georgia	159	16,840	159	0	159	0.0	0	159	0.0	0	0	0.0	16,840	100.0
Hawaii	4	2,375	2	2,293	2	96.5	80	2	3.4	2	1	0.1	0	0.0
Idaho	44	2,665	44	2,539	44	95.3	126	44	4.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Indiana	92	5,169	92	5,003	92	96.8	166	26	3.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	4,368	99	4,125	99	94.4	243	98	5.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	5,021	103	2	1	0.0	275	88	5.5	0	0	0.0	4,744	94.5
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	6,086	64	6,086	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,494	499	1,398	499	93.6	42	499	2.8	54	499	3.6	0	0.0
Maryland	24	13,184	24	12,423	24	94.2	761	24	5.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	12,753	351	11,716	351	91.9	1,211	351	9.5	0	0	0.0	(174)	(1.4)
Michigan	83	16,444	83	15,401	83	93.7	1,043	83	6.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	11,322	87	10,714	87	94.6	608	87	5.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	2,037	36	533	13	26.2	54	6	2.7	0	3	0.0	1,450	71.2
Missouri	116	12,020	116	8,952	68	74.5	744	26	6.2	59	4	0.5	2,265	18.8
Montana	56	3,391	55	3,392	55	100.0	233	55	6.9	0	0	0.0	(234)	(6.9)
Nebraska	93	2,501	93	0	93	0.0	82	93	3.3	0	0	0.0	2,419	96.7
Nevada	17	4,574	16	4,049	15	88.5	382	8	8.4	0	0	0.0	143	3.1
New Hampshire	323	3,311	323	3,126	323	94.4	185	323	5.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	7,009	21	5,403	21	77.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,606	22.9
New Mexico	33	1,403	14	172	7	12.3	12	3	0.9	1	2	0.1	1,218	86.8
New York	1	50,065	1	23,211	1	46.4	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	26,854	53.6
North Carolina	100	12,540	100	11,472	100	91.5	1,068	99	8.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0



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Table 20. UOCAVA Ballots: Counted by Type of Ballot														
State	Election Juris. in Survey	All UOCAVA Ballots		Absentees			FWAB			Other Ballots			Balance	
		Ballots Counted		Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted		% All UOCAVA Counted	Ballots Counted Total	% All UOCAVA Counted
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases		Total	Cases		Total	Cases			
North Dakota	53	1,001	53	1,001	53	100.0	35	53	3.5	0	53	0.0	(35)	(3.5)
Ohio	88	26,319	85	24,910	80	94.6	912	62	3.5	89	36	0.3	408	1.6
Oklahoma	77	6,275	77	5,708	77	91.0	487	77	7.8	80	77	1.3	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	31,818	67	0	0	0.0	1,511	59	4.7	0	0	0.0	30,307	95.3
Rhode Island	39	894	39	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	894	100.0
South Carolina	46	8,667	46	8,667	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,521	42	2,308	32	91.6	63	16	2.5	362	7	14.4	(212)	(8.4)
Tennessee	95	14,494	95	0	93	0.0	1,696	0	11.7	0	0	0.0	12,798	88.3
Texas	254	56,274	234	49,491	229	87.9	4,029	228	7.2	0	0	0.0	2,754	4.9
Utah	29	3,122	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,122	100.0
Vermont	246	2,129	246	2,093	245	98.3	36	245	1.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	28,816	134	28,816	134	100.0	512	134	1.8	0	0	0.0	(512)	(1.8)
Washington	39	45,929	39	0	0	0.0	1,915	30	4.2	0	0	0.0	44,014	95.8
West Virginia	55	1,554	27	141	8	9.1	161	7	10.4	0	0	0.0	1,252	80.6
Wisconsin	72	6,977	72	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,977	100.0
Wyoming	23	1,268	23	1,268	18	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	278	1	278	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	226	1	226	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	1,224	1	1,224	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	637,216	3,954	417,228	3,425	65.5	25,538	3,155	4.0	823	787	0.1	193,627	30.4
<b>States Included</b>		49		40			37			11			29	
<b>Question</b>		B8		B10a+b+c		calc	B11a+b+c		calc	B12a+b+c		calc	calc	calc

**Table 20. UOCAVA Ballots: Counted by Type of Ballot****Questions B8, B10, B11, B12. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) counted by type of ballot.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

**Question B8:**

Colorado --- One county included "Special" Write-In Absentee Ballots (SWAB).

Mississippi --- One county reported 1 ballot actually not being counted even though they reported it counting.

Ohio --- One county had 59 ballots counted but did not report it in the table.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B8 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted. Once challenged, these ballots are no longer tracked as a UOCAVA ballot; they would be tracked simply as provisional ballots. Also, when reporting results, UOCAVA results are reported in an absentee precinct with all the other absentee ballots.

**Question B10:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B10a: 66%. B10b: 29%.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. One county included FWAB ballots in their answers.

Maryland --- Maryland included FWABS in their totals for B10, Absentee ballots counted breakout.

Ohio --- For one county, Federal write-ins were counted with Absentee not separately.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

**Question B11:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B11a: 2%. B11b: 3%.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. One county had a total of 32 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county counted all 5 FWABS in B11b, because they were unable to separate.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

**Question B12:**

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

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Table 21. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Voter

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Voter, for All Ballots									Not Categorized	
				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	520	1	388	1	74.6	132	1	25.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	175	15	74	12	42.3	68	12	38.9	33	14	18.9	0	0.0
Arkansas	75	285	62	274	42	96.1	56	33	19.6	0	1	0.0	(45)	(15.8)
California	58	3,956	55	1,443	48	36.5	1,460	49	36.9	1,575	12	39.8	(522)	(13.2)
Colorado	64	772	44	97	24	12.6	213	29	27.6	400	20	51.8	62	8.0
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	127	3	34	3	26.8	93	3	73.2	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,556	1	119	1	7.6	1,215	1	78.1	0	0	0.0	222	14.3
Florida	67	2,311	67	1,538	67	66.6	529	67	22.9	155	67	6.7	89	3.9
Georgia	159	389	158	207	159	53.2	182	159	46.8	0	158	0.0	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	17	1	14	1	82.4	3	1	17.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Idaho	44	394	44	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	394	44	100.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	497	1	149	1	30.0	95	1	19.1	253	1	50.9	0	0.0
Indiana	92	3,980	92	3,279	92	82.4	638	92	16.0	0	0	0.0	63	1.6
Iowa	99	387	99	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	387	100.0
Kansas	105	535	100	314	104	58.7	101	86	18.9	0	0	0.0	120	22.4
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	452	64	337	64	74.6	115	64	25.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	117	499	46	499	39.3	71	499	60.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maryland	24	1,235	24	87	24	7.0	269	24	21.8	879	24	71.2	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	1,029	351	195	351	19.0	711	351	69.1	0	0	0.0	123	12.0
Michigan	83	1,489	83	1,079	83	72.5	410	83	27.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	769	87	306	87	39.8	463	87	60.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	135	30	112	18	83.0	14	13	10.4	0	6	0.0	9	6.7
Missouri	116	635	115	535	73	84.3	279	50	43.9	7	3	1.1	(186)	(29.3)
Montana	56	247	55	198	55	80.2	49	55	19.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	213	93	133	93	62.4	79	93	37.1	0	0	0.0	1	0.5
Nevada	17	601	15	356	14	59.2	244	14	40.6	1	15	0.2	0	0.0
New Hampshire	323	151	323	86	323	57.0	66	323	43.7	0	0	0.0	(1)	(0.7)
New Jersey	21	377	21	76	21	20.2	173	21	45.9	3	21	0.8	125	33.2
New Mexico	33	36	17	15	12	41.7	8	12	22.2	0	9	0.0	13	36.1
New York	1	4,155	1	1,297	1	31.2	2,858	1	68.8	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	1,043	100	856	100	82.1	187	100	17.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Voter, for All Ballots									Not Categorized	
				Uniformed Services Domestic or Overseas			Non-military/Civilian Overseas			Other Voter (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	23	53	15	53	65.2	8	53	34.8	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	1,341	85	604	81	45.0	668	77	49.8	7	32	0.5	62	4.6
Oklahoma	77	397	77	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	397	77	100.0	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	213	67	103	67	48.4	99	67	46.5	11	67	5.2	0	0.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	276	46	182	46	65.9	94	46	34.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	106	33	89	24	84.0	30	20	28.3	0	6	0.0	(13)	(12.3)
Tennessee	95	830	95	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	830	100.0
Texas	254	4,503	235	2,470	127	54.9	1,200	124	26.6	0	1	0.0	833	18.5
Utah	29	136	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	136	100.0
Vermont	246	129	245	39	245	30.2	92	245	71.3	0	0	0.0	(2)	(1.6)
Virginia	134	2,275	134	1,320	134	58.0	955	134	42.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	171	25	41	10	24.0	4	5	2.3	0	0	0.0	126	73.7
Wisconsin	72	297	72	127	72	42.8	170	72	57.2			0.0	0	0.0
Wyoming	23	42	11	27	11	64.3	15	11	35.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	1	1	1	1	100.0	9	1	900.0	0	1	0.0	(9)	(900.0)
Guam	1	14	1	12	1	85.7	2	1	14.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	194	1	65	1	33.5	129	1	66.5	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	39,533	3,831	18,739	3,246	47.4	14,256	3,181	36.1	4,115	635	10.4	2,423	6.1
<b>States Included</b>		48		43			43			13			23	
<b>Question</b>		B13		B15a			B15b			B15c			calc	

**Table 21. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Voter**

Questions B13, B15. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) rejected by type of voter.

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

**Question B13:**

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as “Rejected” in SVRS is not necessarily a “Cast” ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk’s office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Dakota --- One ballot was rejected for missing the deadline but was not reported in the table.

**Question B15:**

California --- One county reported an unexplained “discrepancy” that is showing one more rejected voter in the breakout than in the reported total.

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as “Rejected” in SVRS is not necessarily a “Cast” ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B15a and B15b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B15c is the number of FWABs rejected. B15a and B15b are the same as B16a and B16b.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk’s office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Carolina --- For South Carolina, all UOCAVA ballots are “absentee.” FWAB ballots are not tracked separately. Therefore, B15 and B16 are the same.

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for All Voters											Not Categorized	
		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	520	1	173	1	33.3	347	1	66.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	175	15	118	9	67.4	21	9	12.0	0	7	0.0	36	20.6
Arkansas	75	285	62	522	29	183.2	82	20	28.8	0	6	0.0	(319)	(111.9)
California	58	3,956	55	2,244	38	56.7	496	26	12.5	1,157	16	29.2	59	1.5
Colorado	64	772	44	369	26	47.8	388	11	50.3	8	2	1.0	7	0.9
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	127	3	83	3	65.4	44	3	34.6	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,556	1	1,334	1	85.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	222	14.3
Florida	67	2,311	67	1,104	66	47.8	341	66	14.8	0	67	0.0	866	37.5
Georgia	159	389	158	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	389	100.0
Hawaii	4	17	1	28	2	164.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	(11)	(64.7)
Idaho	44	394	44	291	44	73.9	103	44	26.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Illinois	1	497	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	497	100.0
Indiana	92	3,980	92	3,917	92	98.4	63	28	1.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Iowa	99	387	99	294	99	76.0	93	98	24.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Kansas	105	535	100	0	1	0.0	73	81	13.6	0	0	0.0	462	86.4
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	452	64	452	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	117	499	67	499	57.3	15	499	12.8	35	499	29.9	0	0.0
Maryland	24	1,235	24	356	24	28.8	879	24	71.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	1,029	351	819	351	79.6	88	351	8.6	0	0	0.0	122	11.9
Michigan	83	1,489	83	1,087	83	73.0	402	83	27.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	769	87	745	87	96.9	6	87	0.8	0	87	0.0	18	2.3
Mississippi	82	135	30	96	12	71.1	2	5	1.5	0	3	0.0	37	27.4
Missouri	116	635	115	415	43	65.4	157	12	24.7	0	5	0.0	63	9.9
Montana	56	247	55	214	55	86.6	33	54	13.4	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	213	93	0	0	0.0	5	3	2.3	0	0	0.0	208	97.7
Nevada	17	601	15	379	14	63.1	198	6	32.9	0	0	0.0	24	4.0
New Hampshire	323	151	323	145	323	96.0	7	323	4.6	0	0	0.0	(1)	(0.7)
New Jersey	21	377	21	252	21	66.8	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	125	33.2
New Mexico	33	36	17	1	5	2.8	11	4	30.6	0	2	0.0	24	66.7
New York	1	4,155	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	4,155	100.0
North Carolina	100	1,043	100	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,043	100.0

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		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	23	53	23	53	100.0	0	53	0.0	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	1,341	85	938	72	69.9	347	59	25.9	6	36	0.4	50	3.7
Oklahoma	77	397	77	252	77	63.5	137	77	34.5	8	77	2.0	0	0.0
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	213	67	0	0	0.0	605	57	284.0	0	0	0.0	(392)	(184.0)
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	276	46	276	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	106	33	116	19	109.4	21	11	19.8	0	6	0.0	(31)	(29.2)
Tennessee	95	830	95	0	0	0.0	307	94	37.0	0	0	0.0	523	63.0
Texas	254	4,503	235	1,932	117	42.9	954	111	21.2	0	0	0.0	1,617	35.9
Utah	29	136	29	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	136	100.0
Vermont	246	129	245	129	245	100.0	2	245	1.6	0	0	0.0	(2)	(1.6)
Virginia	134	2,275	134	2,275	134	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	171	25	34	3	19.9	0	2	0.0	26	2	15.2	111	64.9
Wisconsin	72	297	72	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	297	100.0
Wyoming	23	42	11	42	11	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	1	1	1	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	14	1	14	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	194	1	194	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	39,533	3,831	21,731	2,772	55.0	6,227	2,548	15.8	1,240	872	3.1	10,335	26.1
<b>States Included</b>		48		38			30			6			30	
<b>Question</b>		B13		B16a+b+c			B17a+b+c			B18a+b+c			calc	

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for Uniformed Services Voters											Not Categorized	
		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	388	1	132	1	34.0	256	1	66.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	74	12	64	9	86.5	9	9	12.2	0	7	0.0	1	1.4
Arkansas	75	274	42	140	29	51.1	57	20	20.8	0	6	0.0	77	28.1
California	58	1,443	48	1,198	38	83.0	168	26	11.6	0	16	0.0	77	5.3
Colorado	64	97	24	80	21	82.5	22	7	22.7	0	0	0.0	(5)	(5.2)
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	34	3	31	3	91.2	3	3	8.8	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	119	1	119	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	1,538	67	854	66	55.5	184	66	12.0	0	66	0.0	500	32.5
Georgia	159	207	159	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	207	100.0
Hawaii	4	14	1	23	2	164.3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	(9)	(64.3)
Idaho	44	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Illinois	1	149	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	149	100.0
Indiana	92	3,279	92	3,279	92	100.0	25	28	0.8	0	0	0.0	(25)	(0.8)
Iowa	99	0	0	208	99	...	40	98	...	0	0	...	(248)	...
Kansas	105	314	104	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	314	100.0
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	337	64	337	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	46	499	35	499	76.1	2	499	4.3	9	499	19.6	0	0.0
Maryland	24	87	24	87	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	195	351	180	351	92.3	15	350	7.7	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Michigan	83	1,079	83	808	83	74.9	271	83	25.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	306	87	300	87	98.0	6	87	2.0	0	87	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	112	18	81	12	72.3	1	5	0.9	0	3	0.0	30	26.8
Missouri	116	535	73	290	43	54.2	77	12	14.4	0	5	0.0	168	31.4
Montana	56	198	55	173	55	87.2	25	54	12.6	0	0	0.0	0	0.2
Nebraska	93	133	93	0	0	0.0	4	3	3.0	0	0	0.0	129	97.0
Nevada	17	356	14	231	13	64.9	109	6	30.6	0	0	0.0	16	4.5
New Hampshire	323	86	323	85	323	98.8	1	323	1.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	76	21	76	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	15	12	1	5	6.7	2	4	13.3	0	2	0.0	12	80.0
New York	1	1,297	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,297	100.0
North Carolina	100	856	100	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	856	100.0



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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for Uniformed Services Voters											Not Categorized	
		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	15	53	15	53	100.0	0	53	0.0	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	604	81	474	72	78.5	133	59	22.0	0	35	0.0	(3)	(0.5)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	103	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	103	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	182	46	182	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	89	24	87	19	97.8	12	11	13.5	0	6	0.0	(10)	(11.2)
Tennessee	95	0	0	0	0	...	307	94	...	0	0	...	(307)	...
Texas	254	2,470	127	1,323	116	53.6	466	111	18.9	0	0	0.0	681	27.6
Utah	29	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Vermont	246	39	245	39	245	100.0	0	245	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	1,320	134	1,320	134	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	41	10	34	3	82.9	0	2	0.0	4	2	9.8	3	7.3
Wisconsin	72	127	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	127	100.0
Wyoming	23	27	11	27	11	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	1	1	1	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Guam	1	12	1	12	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	65	1	65	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Sum of Above	4,517	18,739	3,246	12,391	2,643	66.1	2,195	2,260	11.7	13	791	0.1	4,140	22.1
States Included		43		36			24			2			26	
Question		B15a		B16a			B17a			B18a			calc	

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 Table 24. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Ballot, Non-military/Civilian Voters

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters											Not Categorized	
		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	132	1	41	1	31.1	91	1	68.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	68	12	54	9	79.4	12	9	17.6	0	7	0.0	2	2.9
Arkansas	75	56	33	382	21	682.1	25	15	44.6	0	6	0.0	(351)	(626.8)
California	58	1,460	49	1,031	37	70.6	262	25	17.9	0	15	0.0	167	11.4
Colorado	64	213	29	168	26	78.9	36	11	16.9	0	0	0.0	9	4.2
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	93	3	52	3	55.9	41	3	44.1	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,215	1	1,215	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	529	67	172	66	32.5	80	66	15.1	0	66	0.0	277	52.4
Georgia	159	182	159	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	182	100.0
Hawaii	4	3	1	5	2	166.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	(2)	(66.7)
Idaho	44	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Illinois	1	95	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	95	100.0
Indiana	92	638	92	638	92	100.0	28	26	4.4	0	0	0.0	(28)	(4.4)
Iowa	99	0	0	86	99	...	53	98	...	0	0	...	(139)	...
Kansas	105	101	86	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	101	100.0
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	115	64	115	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	71	499	32	499	45.1	13	499	18.3	26	499	36.6	0	0.0
Maryland	24	269	24	269	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	711	351	639	351	89.9	73	351	10.3	0	0	0.0	(1)	(0.1)
Michigan	83	410	83	279	83	68.0	131	83	32.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	463	87	445	87	96.1	18	87	3.9	0	87	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	14	13	15	7	107.1	1	4	7.1	0	3	0.0	(2)	(14.3)
Missouri	116	279	50	125	25	44.8	80	11	28.7	0	4	0.0	74	26.5
Montana	56	49	55	41	55	83.7	8	54	16.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	79	93	0	0	0.0	1	1	1.3	0	0	0.0	78	98.7
Nevada	17	244	14	147	13	60.2	89	6	36.5	0	0	0.0	8	3.3
New Hampshire	323	66	323	60	323	90.9	6	323	9.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	173	21	173	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	8	12	0	4	0.0	9	4	112.5	0	2	0.0	(1)	(12.5)
New York	1	2,858	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,858	100.0
North Carolina	100	187	100	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	187	100.0

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		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	8	53	8	53	100.0	0	53	0.0	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	668	77	463	66	69.3	214	52	32.0	0	36	0.0	(9)	(1.3)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	99	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	99	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	94	46	94	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	30	20	29	17	96.7	9	10	30.0	0	6	0.0	(8)	(26.7)
Tennessee	95	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Texas	254	1,200	124	609	117	50.8	488	111	40.7	0	0	0.0	103	8.6
Utah	29	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Vermont	246	92	245	90	245	97.8	2	245	2.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	955	134	955	134	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	4	5	0	2	0.0	0	2	0.0	22	2	550.0	(18)	(450.0)
Wisconsin	72	170	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	170	100.0
Wyoming	23	15	11	15	11	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	9	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9	100.0
Guam	1	2	1	2	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	129	1	129	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>14,256</b>	<b>3,181</b>	<b>8,578</b>	<b>2,606</b>	<b>60.2</b>	<b>1,770</b>	<b>2,151</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>3,860</b>	<b>27.1</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>43</b>		<b>33</b>			<b>24</b>			<b>2</b>			<b>26</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B15b</b>		<b>B16b</b>			<b>B17b</b>			<b>B18b</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Tables 22, 23, 24. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian****Questions B13, B15, B16, B17, B18. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) rejected by type of ballot.**

*General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting. For Montana: The balance column indicates an over-count as Absentee ballots included the count of FWABs.*

**Question B13:**

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Dakota --- One ballot was rejected for missing the deadline but was not reported in the table.

**Question B15:**

California --- One county reported an unexplained "discrepancy" that is showing one more rejected voter in the breakout than in the reported total.

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B15a and B15b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B15c is the number of FWABs rejected. B15a and B15b are the same as B16a and B16b.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Carolina --- For South Carolina, all UOCAVA ballots are absentee. FWAB ballots are not tracked separately. Therefore, B15 and B16 are the same.

**Tables 22, 23, 24. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Type of Ballot for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian (continued)****Question B16:**

California --- One county included FWABs in their reporting of UOCAVA absentee.

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

**Question B17:**

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

**Question B18:**

Indiana --- Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

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 Table 25. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Reason for Rejection

State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	132	1	41	1	31.1	91	1	68.9	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Arizona	15	68	12	54	9	79.4	12	9	17.6	0	7	0.0	2	2.9
Arkansas	75	56	33	382	21	682.1	25	15	44.6	0	6	0.0	(351)	(626.8)
California	58	1,460	49	1,031	37	70.6	262	25	17.9	0	15	0.0	167	11.4
Colorado	64	213	29	168	26	78.9	36	11	16.9	0	0	0.0	9	4.2
Connecticut	169	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Delaware	3	93	3	52	3	55.9	41	3	44.1	0	3	0.0	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	1,215	1	1,215	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Florida	67	529	67	172	66	32.5	80	66	15.1	0	66	0.0	277	52.4
Georgia	159	182	159	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	182	100.0
Hawaii	4	3	1	5	2	166.7	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	(2)	(66.7)
Idaho	44	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Illinois	1	95	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	95	100.0
Indiana	92	638	92	638	92	100.0	28	26	4.4	0	0	0.0	(28)	(4.4)
Iowa	99	0	0	86	99	...	53	98	...	0	0	...	(139)	...
Kansas	105	101	86	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	101	100.0
Kentucky	120	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Louisiana	64	115	64	115	64	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	71	499	32	499	45.1	13	499	18.3	26	499	36.6	0	0.0
Maryland	24	269	24	269	24	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	711	351	639	351	89.9	73	351	10.3	0	0	0.0	(1)	(0.1)
Michigan	83	410	83	279	83	68.0	131	83	32.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Minnesota	87	463	87	445	87	96.1	18	87	3.9	0	87	0.0	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	14	13	15	7	107.1	1	4	7.1	0	3	0.0	(2)	(14.3)
Missouri	116	279	50	125	25	44.8	80	11	28.7	0	4	0.0	74	26.5
Montana	56	49	55	41	55	83.7	8	54	16.3	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	79	93	0	0	0.0	1	1	1.3	0	0	0.0	78	98.7
Nevada	17	244	14	147	13	60.2	89	6	36.5	0	0	0.0	8	3.3
New Hampshire	323	66	323	60	323	90.9	6	323	9.1	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	173	21	173	21	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New Mexico	33	8	12	0	4	0.0	9	4	112.5	0	2	0.0	(1)	(12.5)
New York	1	2,858	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	2,858	100.0
North Carolina	100	187	100	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	187	100.0

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	UOCAVA Ballots Rejected from These Voters		UOCAVA Ballots Rejected, by Type of Ballot, for Non-military/Civilian Voters									Not Categorized	
				Absentee Ballots			Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB)			Other Ballot (See Comments)			Balance (See Notes)	
				Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	8	53	8	53	100.0	0	53	0.0	0	53	0.0	0	0.0
Ohio	88	668	77	463	66	69.3	214	52	32.0	0	36	0.0	(9)	(1.3)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Pennsylvania	67	99	67	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	99	100.0
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	94	46	94	46	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	30	20	29	17	96.7	9	10	30.0	0	6	0.0	(8)	(26.7)
Tennessee	95	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Texas	254	1,200	124	609	117	50.8	488	111	40.7	0	0	0.0	103	8.6
Utah	29	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Vermont	246	92	245	90	245	97.8	2	245	2.2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Virginia	134	955	134	955	134	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	4	5	0	2	0.0	0	2	0.0	22	2	550.0	(18)	(450.0)
Wisconsin	72	170	72			0.0			0.0			0.0	170	100.0
Wyoming	23	15	11	15	11	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
American Samoa	1	9	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	9	100.0
Guam	1	2	1	2	1	100.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Puerto Rico	1	129	1	129	1	100.0	0	1	0.0	0	1	0.0	0	0.0
Virgin Islands	1	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>14,256</b>	<b>3,181</b>	<b>8,578</b>	<b>2,606</b>	<b>60.2</b>	<b>1,770</b>	<b>2,151</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>3,860</b>	<b>27.1</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>43</b>		<b>33</b>			<b>24</b>			<b>2</b>			<b>26</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B15b</b>		<b>B16b</b>			<b>B17b</b>			<b>B18b</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Table 25. UOCAVA Ballots Rejected: Reason for Rejection****Questions B13, B14. Number of UOCAVA ballots (regular plus FWAB) rejected by reason for rejection.**

General note: The Balance/Not Categorized column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

**Question B13:**

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Dakota --- One ballot was rejected for missing the deadline but was not reported in the table.

**Question B14:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percentages. B14a: 23%. B14c: 33%. B14e: 44%.

California --- One county reported an unexplained "discrepancy" that is showing more rejected voters in the breakout than in the reported total. One county reported that 1 ballot was rejected because no voter declaration with ballot. For B14b, no signature, one county included ballots rejected for not having a cover sheet, and one county included ballots rejected for signatures that do not match.

Iowa --- Several counties rejected a total of 32 additional FWABs because they submitted their UOCAVA ballot.

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Ohio --- One county only reported on Absentee ballots, not FWAB rejections.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C5a:v.



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**Table 26. UOCAVA Ballots: Cast as % of Transmitted; Counted, Rejected as % of Cast, All Voters**

State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Transmitted & FWABs		Ballots Submitted from All Voters		% of Transmitted & FWABs	Ballots Counted from All Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Ballots Rejected from All Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Balance of Submitted-Counted or Rejected (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	9,361	67	6,486	67	69.3	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	6,486	100.0
Alaska	1	14,232	1	12,103	1	85.0	11,583	1	95.7	520	1	4.3	0	0.0
Arizona	15	14,590	15	9,171	15	62.9	9,022	15	98.4	175	15	1.9	(26)	(0.2)
Arkansas	75	6,860	68	4,028	65	58.7	3,667	58	91.0	285	62	7.1	76	1.1
California	58	105,545	58	69,823	57	66.2	65,518	56	93.8	3,956	55	5.7	349	0.3
Colorado	64	17,789	64	13,289	60	74.7	11,719	60	88.2	772	44	5.8	798	4.5
Connecticut	169	5,341	169	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Delaware	3	2,207	3	1,722	3	78.0	1,595	3	92.6	127	3	7.4	0	0.0
District of Columbia	1	4,296	1	1,350	1	31.4	2,740	1	203.0	1,556	1	115.3	(2,946)	(68.6)
Florida	67	123,614	67	97,278	67	78.7	95,014	67	97.7	2,311	67	2.4	(47)	(0.0)
Georgia	159	25,035	159	17,229	159	68.8	16,840	159	97.7	389	158	2.3	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	3,880	4	2,375	2	61.2	2,375	2	100.0	17	1	0.7	(17)	(0.4)
Idaho	44	3,901	44	3,085	44	79.1	2,665	44	86.4	394	44	12.8	26	0.7
Illinois	1	26,316	1	17,372	1	66.0	0	0	0.0	497	1	2.9	16,875	64.1
Indiana	92	15,788	92	8,145	92	51.6	5,169	92	63.5	3,980	92	48.9	(1,004)	(6.4)
Iowa	99	6,218	99	4,760	99	76.6	4,368	99	91.8	387	99	8.1	5	0.1
Kansas	105	6,954	101	3,158	85	45.4	5,021	103	159.0	535	100	16.9	(2,398)	(34.5)
Kentucky	120	6,881	120	5,236	120	76.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	5,236	76.1
Louisiana	64	9,221	64	6,538	64	70.9	6,086	64	93.1	452	64	6.9	0	0.0
Maine	499	2,154	499	2,092	499	97.1	1,494	499	71.4	117	499	5.6	481	22.3
Maryland	24	19,099	24	14,419	24	75.5	13,184	24	91.4	1,235	24	8.6	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	18,439	351	13,931	351	75.6	12,753	351	91.5	1,029	351	7.4	149	0.8
Michigan	83	22,344	83	16,444	83	73.6	16,444	83	100.0	1,489	83	9.1	(1,489)	(6.7)
Minnesota	87	16,501	87	12,091	87	73.3	11,322	87	93.6	769	87	6.4	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	5,684	44	1,232	36	21.7	2,037	36	165.3	135	30	11.0	(940)	(16.5)
Missouri	116	17,445	116	13,785	116	79.0	12,020	116	87.2	635	115	4.6	1,130	6.5
Montana	56	5,645	55	3,638	55	64.4	3,391	55	93.2	247	55	6.8	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	3,448	93	2,713	93	78.7	2,501	93	92.2	213	93	7.9	(1)	(0.0)
Nevada	17	7,845	17	4,675	17	59.6	4,574	16	97.8	601	15	12.9	(500)	(6.4)
New Hampshire	323	4,425	323	3,462	323	78.2	3,311	323	95.6	151	323	4.4	0	0.0
New Jersey	21	18,725	21	12,811	21	68.4	7,009	21	54.7	377	21	2.9	5,425	29.0
New Mexico	33	3,283	22	1,706	17	52.0	1,403	14	82.2	36	17	2.1	267	8.1
New York	1	83,422	1	54,220	1	65.0	50,065	1	92.3	4,155	1	7.7	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	20,559	100	13,137	100	63.9	12,540	100	95.5	1,043	100	7.9	(446)	(2.2)

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Transmitted & FWABs		Ballots Submitted from All Voters		% of Transmitted & FWABs	Ballots Counted from All Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Ballots Rejected from All Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Balance of Submitted-Counted or Rejected (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	1,374	53	1,018	53	74.1	1,001	53	98.3	23	53	2.3	(6)	(0.4)
Ohio	88	34,017	87	27,469	86	80.8	26,319	85	95.8	1,341	85	4.9	(191)	(0.6)
Oklahoma	77	8,992	77	6,672	77	74.2	6,275	77	94.0	397	77	6.0	0	0.0
Oregon	36	12,179	36	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Pennsylvania	67	40,279	67	31,970	67	79.4	31,818	67	99.5	213	67	0.7	(61)	(0.2)
Rhode Island	39	1,125	39	0	0	0.0	894	39	...	0	0	...	(894)	(79.5)
South Carolina	46	12,134	46	8,943	46	73.7	8,667	46	96.9	276	46	3.1	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	3,466	59	2,794	48	80.6	2,521	42	90.2	106	33	3.8	167	4.8
Tennessee	95	20,046	95	0	0	0.0	14,494	95	...	830	95	...	(15,324)	(76.4)
Texas	254	96,119	248	69,837	242	72.7	56,274	234	80.6	4,503	235	6.4	9,060	9.4
Utah	29	4,859	29	3,219	29	66.2	3,122	29	97.0	136	29	4.2	(39)	(0.8)
Vermont	246	2,582	246	2,155	246	83.5	2,129	246	98.8	129	245	6.0	(103)	(4.0)
Virginia	134	42,274	134	29,258	134	69.2	28,816	134	98.5	2,275	134	7.8	(1,833)	(4.3)
Washington	39	61,934	39	30,389	38	49.1	45,929	39	151.1	0	0	0.0	(15,540)	(25.1)
West Virginia	55	4,219	40	2,606	32	61.8	1,554	27	59.6	171	25	6.6	881	20.9
Wisconsin	72	10,102	72	7,570	72	74.9	6,977	72	92.2	297	72	3.9	296	2.9
Wyoming	23	1,728	23	1,328	22	76.9	1,268	23	95.5	42	11	3.2	18	1.0
American Samoa	1	310	1	278	1	89.7	278	1	100.0	1	1	0.4	(1)	(0.3)
Guam	1	337	1	226	1	67.1	226	1	100.0	14	1	6.2	(14)	(4.2)
Puerto Rico	1	2,095	1	1,224	1	58.4	1,224	1	100.0	194	1	15.8	(194)	(9.3)
Virgin Islands	1	122	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	1,017,340	4,427	680,460	4,020	66.9	637,216	3,954	93.6	39,533	3,831	5.8	3,711	0.4
<b>States Included</b>		55		50			49			48			41	
<b>Question</b>		B1a+B6a:c		B3			B8			B13			calc	

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Transmitted & FWABs		Ballots Submitted from All Voters		% of Transmitted & FWABs	Ballots Counted from These Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Ballots Rejected from These Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Balance of Submitted-Counted or Rejected (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	12,224	1	10,489	1	85.8	10,101	1	96.3	388	1	3.7	0	0.0
Arizona	15	7,817	15	4,470	10	57.2	4,484	12	100.3	74	12	1.7	(88)	(1.1)
Arkansas	75	4,576	69	2,560	61	55.9	1,745	56	68.2	274	42	10.7	541	11.8
California	58	51,591	55	25,181	53	48.8	24,115	53	95.8	1,443	48	5.7	(377)	(0.7)
Colorado	64	5,222	55	3,331	55	63.8	3,298	55	99.0	97	24	2.9	(64)	(1.2)
Connecticut	169	1,161	169	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Delaware	3	1,228	3	861	3	70.1	828	3	96.2	34	3	3.9	(1)	(0.1)
District of Columbia	1	260	1	109	1	41.9	109	1	100.0	119	1	109.2	(119)	(45.8)
Florida	67	88,187	67	66,668	67	75.6	66,007	67	99.0	1,538	67	2.3	(877)	(1.0)
Georgia	159	16,215	159	10,693	159	65.9	10,486	159	98.1	207	159	1.9	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	1,874	4	998	2	53.3	998	2	100.0	14	1	1.4	(14)	(0.7)
Idaho	44	2,659	44	2,089	44	78.6	1,874	44	89.7	0	0	0.0	215	8.1
Illinois	1	9,858	1	7,276	1	73.8	7,147	1	98.2	149	1	2.0	(20)	(0.2)
Indiana	92	9,862	92	4,745	92	48.1	3,563	92	75.1	3,279	92	69.1	(2,097)	(21.3)
Iowa	99	3,351	99	2,409	99	71.9	2,160	99	89.7	0	0	0.0	249	7.4
Kansas	105	3,587	105	2,698	104	75.2	2,260	103	83.8	314	104	11.6	124	3.5
Kentucky	120	4,926	120	3,591	120	72.9	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	3,591	72.9
Louisiana	64	6,796	64	4,635	64	68.2	4,298	64	92.7	337	64	7.3	0	0.0
Maine	499	781	499	761	499	97.4	478	499	62.8	46	499	6.0	237	30.3
Maryland	24	5,556	24	3,526	24	63.5	3,439	24	97.5	87	24	2.5	0	0.0
Massachusetts	351	3,469	351	2,449	350	70.6	2,415	351	98.6	195	351	8.0	(161)	(4.6)
Michigan	83	13,547	83	10,483	83	77.4	10,483	83	100.0	1,079	83	10.3	(1,079)	(8.0)
Minnesota	87	5,858	87	3,702	87	63.2	3,396	87	91.7	306	87	8.3	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	1,768	42	1,343	38	76.0	912	32	67.9	112	18	8.3	319	18.0
Missouri	116	10,589	116	8,101	111	76.5	7,765	113	95.9	535	73	6.6	(199)	(1.9)
Montana	56	4,364	55	2,667	54	61.1	2,469	54	92.6	198	55	7.4	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	2,161	93	1,639	93	75.8	1,498	93	91.4	133	93	8.1	8	0.4
Nevada	17	5,063	17	2,828	15	55.9	2,811	16	99.4	356	14	12.6	(339)	(6.7)
New Hampshire	323	2,706	323	2,112	323	78.0	2,028	323	96.0	86	323	4.1	(2)	(0.1)
New Jersey	21	4,453	21	0	0	0.0	1,281	21	...	76	21	...	(1,357)	(30.5)
New Mexico	33	745	19	593	18	79.6	265	12	44.7	15	12	2.5	313	42.0
New York	1	22,900	1	12,879	1	56.2	11,582	1	89.9	1,297	1	10.1	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	14,403	100	8,891	100	61.7	8,442	100	94.9	856	100	9.6	(407)	(2.8)

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		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	936	53	646	53	69.0	634	53	98.1	15	53	2.3	(3)	(0.3)
Ohio	88	14,088	85	13,094	85	92.9	8,473	84	64.7	604	81	4.6	4,017	28.5
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	5,951	36	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Pennsylvania	67	23,100	67	17,523	67	75.9	17,450	67	99.6	103	67	0.6	(30)	(0.1)
Rhode Island	39	1,087	39	0	0	0.0	704	39	...	0	0	...	(704)	(64.8)
South Carolina	46	8,935	46	6,306	46	70.6	6,124	46	97.1	182	46	2.9	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	2,829	52	2,159	44	76.3	1,775	41	82.2	89	24	4.1	295	10.4
Tennessee	95	15,814	95	0	0	0.0	10,944	95	...	0	0	...	(10,944)	(69.2)
Texas	254	56,883	243	42,015	233	73.9	37,683	230	89.7	2,470	127	5.9	1,862	3.3
Utah	29	2,146	29	1,337	29	62.3	1,300	29	97.2	0	0	0.0	37	1.7
Vermont	246	842	246	670	246	79.6	673	246	100.4	39	245	5.8	(42)	(5.0)
Virginia	134	20,951	134	14,107	134	67.3	13,770	134	97.6	1,320	134	9.4	(983)	(4.7)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	2,073	39	1,717	31	82.8	1,566	28	91.2	41	10	2.4	110	5.3
Wisconsin	72	5,565	72	4,177	72	75.1	3,923	72	93.9	127	72	3.0	127	2.3
Wyoming	23	1,383	23	1,038	18	75.1	1,004	18	96.7	27	11	2.6	7	0.5
American Samoa	1	259	1	240	1	92.7	240	1	100.0	1	1	0.4	(1)	(0.4)
Guam	1	170	1	113	1	66.5	113	1	100.0	12	1	10.6	(12)	(7.1)
Puerto Rico	1	1,031	1	1,031	1	100.0	516	1	50.0	65	1	6.3	450	43.6
Virgin Islands	1	117	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
<b>Sum of Above</b>	4,517	493,917	4,217	320,950	3,793	65.0	309,629	3,806	96.5	18,739	3,246	5.8	(7,418)	(1.5)
<b>States Included</b>		52		46			48			43			41	
<b>Question</b>		B1b+B6a		B4a			B9a			B15a			calc	

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State	Election Juris. in Survey	Ballots Transmitted & FWABs		Ballots Submitted from All Voters		% of Transmitted & FWABs	Ballots Counted from These Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Ballots Rejected from These Voters		% of Submitted (Cast)	Balance of Submitted-Counted or Rejected (See Notes)	
		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
Alabama	67	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Alaska	1	2,008	1	1,614	1	80.4	1,482	1	91.8	132	1	8.2	0	0.0
Arizona	15	6,626	15	4,284	10	64.7	4,280	12	99.9	68	12	1.6	(64)	(1.0)
Arkansas	75	1,279	66	1,203	56	94.1	871	50	72.4	56	33	4.7	276	21.6
California	58	50,190	55	38,331	51	76.4	37,159	51	96.9	1,460	49	3.8	(288)	(0.6)
Colorado	64	9,640	48	6,011	51	62.4	5,821	51	96.8	213	29	3.5	(23)	(0.2)
Connecticut	169	4,180	169	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Delaware	3	979	3	861	3	87.9	767	3	89.1	93	3	10.8	1	0.1
District of Columbia	1	2,646	1	1,241	1	46.9	1,241	1	100.0	1,215	1	97.9	(1,215)	(45.9)
Florida	67	35,237	67	25,111	67	71.3	25,325	67	100.9	529	67	2.1	(743)	(2.1)
Georgia	159	8,820	159	6,536	159	74.1	6,354	159	97.2	182	159	2.8	0	0.0
Hawaii	4	2,006	4	1,377	2	68.6	1,377	2	100.0	3	1	0.2	(3)	(0.1)
Idaho	44	1,242	44	996	44	80.2	791	44	79.4	0	0	0.0	205	16.5
Illinois	1	5,469	1	4,374	1	80.0	4,284	1	97.9	95	1	2.2	(5)	(0.1)
Indiana	92	5,133	92	3,400	92	66.2	1,606	92	47.2	638	92	18.8	1,156	22.5
Iowa	99	2,867	99	2,351	99	82.0	2,208	99	93.9	0	0	0.0	143	5.0
Kansas	105	2,178	98	1,318	94	60.5	1,247	96	94.6	101	86	7.7	(30)	(1.4)
Kentucky	120	1,955	120	1,645	120	84.1	0	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	1,645	84.1
Louisiana	64	2,425	64	1,903	64	78.5	1,788	64	94.0	115	64	6.0	0	0.0
Maine	499	1,373	499	1,331	499	96.9	1,016	499	76.3	71	499	5.3	244	17.8
Maryland	24	11,903	24	9,253	24	77.7	9,253	24	100.0	269	24	2.9	(269)	(2.3)
Massachusetts	351	15,183	351	11,402	351	75.1	10,394	351	91.2	711	351	6.2	297	2.0
Michigan	83	8,797	83	5,961	83	67.8	5,961	83	100.0	410	83	6.9	(410)	(4.7)
Minnesota	87	10,644	87	8,389	87	78.8	7,926	87	94.5	463	87	5.5	0	0.0
Mississippi	82	322	34	568	29	176.4	188	25	33.1	14	13	2.5	366	113.7
Missouri	116	5,562	108	4,368	104	78.5	4,154	100	95.1	279	50	6.4	(65)	(1.2)
Montana	56	1,281	55	961	54	75.0	912	54	94.9	49	55	5.1	0	0.0
Nebraska	93	1,287	93	1,074	93	83.4	1,003	93	93.4	79	93	7.4	(8)	(0.6)
Nevada	17	2,780	17	1,812	15	65.2	1,763	15	97.3	244	14	13.5	(195)	(7.0)
New Hampshire	323	1,719	323	1,350	323	78.5	1,283	323	95.0	66	323	4.9	1	0.1
New Jersey	21	8,936	21	6,541	21	73.2	4,103	21	62.7	173	21	2.6	2,265	25.3
New Mexico	33	301	19	270	17	89.7	172	13	63.7	8	12	3.0	90	29.9
New York	1	60,522	1	41,341	1	68.3	38,483	1	93.1	2,858	1	6.9	0	0.0
North Carolina	100	6,156	100	4,246	100	69.0	4,098	100	96.5	187	100	4.4	(39)	(0.6)

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		Total	Cases	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Cases	Pct.	Total	Pct.
North Dakota	53	438	53	372	53	84.9	367	53	98.7	8	53	2.2	(3)	(0.7)
Ohio	88	14,019	85	12,953	85	92.4	16,348	84	126.2	668	77	5.2	(4,063)	(29.0)
Oklahoma	77	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
Oregon	36	6,228	36	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
Pennsylvania	67	17,184	67	14,447	67	84.1	14,368	67	99.5	99	67	0.7	(20)	(0.1)
Rhode Island	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
South Carolina	46	3,199	46	2,637	46	82.4	2,543	46	96.4	94	46	3.6	0	0.0
South Dakota	66	502	43	356	35	70.9	357	33	100.3	30	20	8.4	(31)	(6.2)
Tennessee	95	4,232	95	0	0	0.0	3,051	95	...	0	0	...	(3,051)	(72.1)
Texas	254	24,388	242	17,662	232	72.4	15,813	228	89.5	1,200	124	6.8	649	2.7
Utah	29	2,713	29	1,882	29	69.4	1,822	29	96.8	0	0	0.0	60	2.2
Vermont	246	1,740	246	1,362	246	78.3	1,456	246	106.9	92	245	6.8	(186)	(10.7)
Virginia	134	21,323	134	15,151	134	71.1	15,046	134	99.3	955	134	6.3	(850)	(4.0)
Washington	39	0	0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	...
West Virginia	55	326	35	265	29	81.3	212	27	80.0	4	5	1.5	49	15.0
Wisconsin	72	4,537	72	3,393	72	74.8	3,065	72	90.3	170	72	5.0	158	3.5
Wyoming	23	345	23	290	17	84.1	264	18	91.0	15	11	5.2	11	3.2
American Samoa	1	51	1	38	1	74.5	38	1	100.0	9	1	23.7	(9)	(17.6)
Guam	1	167	1	113	1	67.7	113	1	100.0	2	1	1.8	(2)	(1.2)
Puerto Rico	1	1,064	1	1,064	1	100.0	708	1	66.5	129	1	12.1	227	21.3
Virgin Islands	1	14	1	0	0	0.0	0	0	...	0	0	...	0	0.0
<b>Sum of Above</b>	<b>4,517</b>	<b>384,116</b>	<b>4,131</b>	<b>273,408</b>	<b>3,764</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>262,881</b>	<b>3,717</b>	<b>96.1</b>	<b>14,256</b>	<b>3,181</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>(3,729)</b>	<b>(1.0)</b>
<b>States Included</b>		<b>51</b>		<b>47</b>			<b>47</b>			<b>43</b>			<b>41</b>	
<b>Question</b>		<b>B1c+B6b</b>		<b>B4b</b>			<b>B9b</b>			<b>B15b</b>			<b>calc</b>	

**Tables 26, 27, 28. UOCAVA Ballots: Cast as a Percentage of Transmitted; Counted, or Rejected as a Percentage of Cast for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian**

Questions B1, B3, B4, B8, B9, B13, B15. Number of UOCAVA ballots submitted for counting as a percentage of transmitted ballots; counted, or rejected as a percentage of submitted ballots by type of voter.

General note: The Balance of Submitted-Counted or Rejected column on the table compares the sum of all the categorical responses with the total indicated. If the balance is a positive number the difference is treated as uncategorized responses. If the balance is a negative number (indicated by the parentheses) the difference indicates the sum of the responses is greater than the total indicated; this could occur by an error in data entry or by the inability to correctly categorize some responses, resulting in some over-counting.

Note: The “Ballots Transmitted” in this table includes the numbers from B1 and the numbers from B6, as appropriate, to include the FWABs.

**Question B1:**

California --- One county only reported the total of UOCAVA ballots automatically transmitted, not those by request. Two counties included second ballots in their totals.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions in Illinois did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas they were seemingly lumped in a “UOCAVA” file that is now B1d.

Mississippi --- One county grouped both military and non-military under uniformed.

South Dakota --- One county transmitted 2 additional ballots that were not reported in the numbers.

Washington --- One county included replacement ballots sent in B1a.

**Question B3:**

Arizona --- Two counties did not include a total of 305 ballots that were later rejected for late delivery.

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Florida --- Two counties reported a total of 52 FWABs being returned but were never requested.

Idaho --- B3 includes Spoiled Ballots but does not include Undeliverable Ballots.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as “Accepted (Counted)” or “Rejected (Not Counted).” If the county marked the status of the ballot as “Accepted” or “Rejected” before marking it as “Received” those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as “Rejected” in SVRS is not necessarily a “Cast” ballot.

Ohio --- One county did not include 3 FWAB ballots that were later rejected.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B2a and B3 are the same because South Carolina cannot breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

South Dakota --- B2 and B3 are the same number.

**Tables 26, 27, 28. UOCAVA Ballots: Cast as a Percentage of Transmitted; Counted, or Rejected as a Percentage of Cast for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian (continued)****Question B4:**

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots.

Illinois --- Some jurisdictions did not segregate out between uniformed services and civilian overseas they were seemingly lumped in a "UOCAVA" file, that is now B4c.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B4a and B4b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B4c is the number of FWABs. B5a and B5b are the same as B4a and B4b.

Missouri --- One county only had data on absentee ballots, not FWAB.

Ohio --- One county did not include 4 uniformed FWAB ballots in the breakout.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C1b.

South Carolina --- B4 and B5 are the same because South Carolina can not breakout FWAB and UOCAVA.

**Question B8:**

Colorado --- One county included "Special" Write-In Absentee Ballots (SWAB).

Mississippi --- One county reported 1 ballot actually not being counted even though they reported it counting.

Ohio --- One county had 59 ballots counted but did not report it in the table.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B8 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted. Once challenged, these ballots are no longer tracked as a UOCAVA ballot; they would be tracked simply as provisional ballots. Also, when reporting results, UOCAVA results are reported in an absentee precinct with all the other absentee ballots.

**Question B9:**

Arkansas --- One county only could provide percents. B9a 68% B9b. 32%

California --- One county did not include returns of stateside military ballots. Two counties had a total of 116 FWAB ballots counted but could not breakout.

Colorado --- One county double counted their 56 FWAB votes by counting them in B9a and B9b while also adding them as a third category of B9c.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B9a and B9b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B9c is the number of FWABs counted. B9a and B9b are the same as B10a and B10b.



**Tables 26, 27, 28. UOCAVA Ballots: Cast as a Percentage of Transmitted; Counted, or Rejected as a Percentage of Cast for All Voters; Uniformed; Civilian (continued)**

Ohio --- One county wrote, "The difference in our official count and the total number who participated in the November 2008 General Election is due to the situation where we credited the voters for voting in this election, although their vote was not included as counting in the official count."

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4a.

South Carolina --- B9 is the best possible estimation available. It is possible that some of these ballots could have been challenged and not counted.

**Question B13:**

Michigan --- Decisions on rejected absentee ballots & FWABs are made in the clerk's office before the ballots are submitted to the appropriate precinct board for counting.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Dakota --- One ballot was rejected for missing the deadline but was not reported in the table.

**Question B15:**

California --- One county reported an unexplained "discrepancy" that is showing one more rejected voter in the breakout than in the reported total.

Indiana --- a) Absentee ballots were counted as Cast in this survey if the county user placed the ballot in Received status within the Indiana SVRS prior to marking the ballot as "Accepted (Counted)" or "Rejected (Not Counted)." If the county marked the status of the ballot as "Accepted" or "Rejected" before marking it as "Received" those ballot statistics were not added to the total number of Cast ballot, so that Cast ballot counts were not inflated. b) Indiana was not able to collect rejected FWAB statistics from all counties, which makes the total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected incomplete. The total number of Indiana UOCAVA ballots rejected is missing some FWAB counts. Also note that a ballot is marked as Rejected in the Indiana SVRS for two reasons; (1) if the ballot was received and not counted or (2) if the ballot was not received back from the voter. Therefore, a ballot marked as "Rejected" in SVRS is not necessarily a "Cast" ballot.

Maryland --- Maryland was unable to break down FWABs into UOCAVA and non-military overseas. B15a and B15b are the breakdowns of UOCAVA absentee ballots, and B15c is the number of FWABs rejected. B15a and B15b are the same as B16a and B16b.

Oregon --- Unable to separate UOCAVA voters from all absentee voters. See C4b.

South Carolina --- For South Carolina, all UOCAVA ballots are "absentee." FWAB ballots are not tracked separately. Therefore, B15 and B16 are the same.

# Appendix B – Questionnaire (UOCAVA Questions Only)

## U.S. ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

### 2008 Election Administration & Voting Survey

The ongoing process of improving America's election systems relies in part on having accurate data about the way Americans cast their ballots. In 2002, Congress chartered the U.S. Election Assistance Commission to collect information on the state of American elections and make it widely available to policy makers, advocates, scholars, journalists and the general public. Since 2004, the Commission has sponsored an Election Day Survey as its primary tool for fulfilling that mission. We are pleased to present the 2008 Election Day Survey, and we ask for your help in making it the most complete and accurate survey in its history.

The questions below ask for information about ballots cast; voter registration; overseas and military voting; Election Day activities; voting technology; and other important issues. Many of these questions are mandated by the Help America Vote Act and other federal laws, while other questions were included at the request of the research community or policy makers. The EAC recognizes the burden that asking for this data places on state and local election officials, and we have worked to minimize that burden as much as possible.

In advance, we thank you for your cooperation and look forward to answering any questions you might have.

Information supplied by:

Name		Title	
Office/Agency name			
Address 1			
Address 2			
City		State	Zip Code
E-mail address			
Telephone (area code and number)	Extension	Fax number (area code and number)	

**SECTION B UNIFORMED & OVERSEAS CITIZENS ABSENTEE VOTING ACT (UOCAVA)**

**Roadmap to Section B:**

- **B1 and B2** ask for information about the number and type of UOCAVA absentee ballots transmitted.
- **B3** asks for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots returned and submitted for counting.
- **B4, B5, B6, and B7** asks for information on the type of UOCAVA ballot returned by type of UOCAVA voter.
- **B8** asks for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots counted.
- **B9, B10, B11, and B12** asks for information on the type of UOCAVA ballot counted by type of UOCAVA voter.
- **B13** asks for the number and type of all UOCAVA ballots rejected.
- **B14** asks for the information on reasons why UOCAVA ballots were rejected.
- **B15, B16, B17, and B18** asks for information on the type of UOCAVA ballot rejected by type of UOCAVA voter.
- **B19** asks for information on how ballots were transmitted to UOCAVA voters.
- **B20** asks for information on the status of ballots automatically transmitted to UOCAVA voters.

**B1. Enter the total number of absentee ballots transmitted to UOCAVA voters for the November 2008 general election.**

**B1a.** Total .....  .....  Data not available

Next, divide the total number of absentee ballots transmitted to UOCAVA voters (as entered in B1a) into the following categories. The amounts should sum to the total provided in B1a.

	Data not available ▼
<b>B1b.</b> Uniformed services voters – domestic or foreign .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B1c.</b> Non-military/civilian overseas voters .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B1d.</b> Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>
<b>B1e.</b> Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>B1a</b>

**B1 Comments**

**B2. Of the UOCAVA absentee ballots transmitted (as entered in B1a) how many were:**

Data not available  
▼

B2a. Returned by voter and submitted for counting (include both those that were counted and those that were rejected) .....		.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B2b. Returned as undeliverable .....		.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B2c. Spoiled or replaced ballots .....		.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B2d. Status unknown (neither returned undeliverable nor returned from voter) ...		.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
B1e. Other → comments: .....		.....	
B2f. Other → comments: .....		.....	
B1g. Other → comments: .....		.....	
TOTAL .....	<b>B1a</b>	.....	

**B2 Comments**

**B3. Enter the total number of all UOCAVA ballots (including regular UOCAVA absentee ballots and FWAB) returned by UOCAVA voters and submitted for counting for the November 2008 general election. Please include both those ballots that were later counted and those that were rejected. Do not include ballots that were returned undeliverable.**

Total.....  .....  Data not available

**B3 Comments**

**B4a thru B4c.** Divide the total number of UOCAVA ballots returned by UOCAVA voters and submitted for counting (as entered in B3), into each category of UOCAVA voter below.

Next, for each type of UOCAVA voter, enter the number of:

- B5a thru B5c: Regular UOCAVA absentee ballots returned and submitted for counting.
- B6a thru B6c: Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB) returned and submitted for counting.
- B7a thru B7c: Other type of ballots returned and submitted for counting.

	Of the total UOCAVA ballots returned (as entered in B3), how many were ballots of each of the following ballot types:			
	B4. All UOCAVA ballots	B5. Absentee ballots	B6. FWAB	B7. Other type of ballot →
	NA	NA	NA	NA
	▼	▼	▼	▼
<b>Type of UOCAVA voter:</b>				
a. Uniform services voters – domestic or foreign .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
b. Non-military/civilian overseas voters.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
c. Other type of voter→ comments: .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
TOTAL .....	<input type="text" value="B3"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**B4 Comments**

**B5 Comments**

**B6 Comments**

**B7 Comments**

**B8. Enter the total number of all UOCAVA ballots (including regular UOCAVA absentee ballots and FWAB) counted in the November 2008 general election.**

Total.....  .....  Data not available

**B8 Comments**

**B9a thru B9c. Divide the total number of UOCAVA ballots counted (as entered in B8) into each category of UOCAVA voter below.**

**Next, for each type of UOCAVA voter, enter the number of:**

- B10a thru B10c: Regular UOCAVA absentee ballots counted.
- B11a thru B11c: Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB) counted.
- B12a thru B12c: Other type of ballots counted.

	<i>Of the total UOCAVA ballots counted (as entered in B8), how many were ballots of each of the following ballot types:</i>			
	B9. All UOCAVA ballots	B10. Absentee ballots	B11. FWAB	B12. Other type of ballot →
	NA ▼	NA ▼	NA ▼	NA ▼
<b>Type of UOCAVA voter:</b>				
a. Uniform services voters – domestic or foreign .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
b. Non-military/civilian overseas voters.....	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
c. Other type of voter → comments: .....	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>B8</b>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**B9 Comments**

**B10 Comments**

**B11 Comments**

**B12 Comments**

**B13. Enter the total number of UOCAVA ballots (including regular UOCAV absentee ballots and FWAB) rejected in the November 2008 general election.**

Total.......... Data not available

**B13 Comments**

**B14. Please divide the total number of all UOCAVA ballots rejected (as entered in B13a) into the following categories indicating the reason why the absentee ballots were rejected. The amounts should sum to the total provided in B13a.**

Data not available  
▼

<b>B14a.</b> Ballot not received on time/missed deadline.....	<input type="text"/>	.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B14b.</b> Problem with voter signature .....	<input type="text"/>	.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B14c.</b> Ballot lacked a postmark.....	<input type="text"/>	.....	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B14d.</b> Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>		
<b>B14e.</b> Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>		
<b>B14f.</b> Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>		
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<input type="text" value="B13a"/>		

**B14 Comments**



**B15a thru B15c.** Divide the total number of UOCAVA ballots rejected (as entered in B13a), into each category of UOCAVA voter below.

Next, for each type of UOCAVA voter, enter the number of:

- B16a thru B16c: Regular UOCAVA absentee ballots rejected.
- B17a thru B17c: Federal Write-in Absentee Ballots (FWAB) rejected.
- B18a thru B18c: Other type of ballots rejected.

				Of the total UOCAVA ballots rejected (as entered in B13), how many were ballots of each of the following ballot types:				
B15. All UOCAVA ballots		B16. Absentee ballots		B17. FWAB		B18. Other type of ballot →		
	NA ▼		NA ▼		NA ▼		NA ▼	
<b>Type of UOCAVA voter:</b>								
a. Uniform services voters – domestic or foreign .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Non-military/civilian overseas voters.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. . Other type of voter → comments: _____	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL .....	<b>B13a</b>		.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	.....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**B15 Comments**

**B16 Comments**

**B17 Comments**

**B18 Comments**

**B19. Returning back to UOCAVA ballots transmitted, divide the total number UOCAVA ballots that were transmitted for the November 2008 general election (as entered in B1a) into the following categories. The amounts should sum to the total provided in B1a.**

		Data not available ▼
B19a. In response to a one-time request by the voter for the November 2008 general election .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B19b. As part of the two-election cycle of <u>automatic</u> requests .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B19c. Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>	
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<input type="text" value="B1a"/>	

**B19 Comments**

**B20. Of the UOCAVA ballots automatically transmitted (as entered in B19b), how many were:**

		Data not available ▼
B20a. Returned by voter and submitted for counting .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20b. Returned as undeliverable .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20c. Spoiled or replaced ballots .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20d. Status unknown (neither returned undeliverable nor returned from voter) .....	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B20e. Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>	
B20f. Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>	
B20g. Other → comments: .....	<input type="text"/>	
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<input type="text" value="B19b"/>	

**B20 Comments**

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