

Official Election Participation Statistics | May 19, 1998  
Biennial Primary

County	Total Registration	Total Number of Votes Cast	Percent of Total Participation	Absentee Ballots Issued	Absentee Ballots Returned	Percent of Absentee Voter Participation
Baker	9,999	4,253	42.53%	5,019	2,905	57.88%
Benton	45,128	15,054	33.36%	11,224	6,325	56.35%
Clackamas	196,947	65,673	33.35%	90,238	45,439	50.35%
Clatsop	21,160	7,641	36.11%	8,677	4,828	55.64%
Columbia	25,773	10,721	41.60%	12,872	7,924	61.56%
Coos	37,865	11,982	46.22%	7,111	3,910	46.22%
Crook	9,965	3,406	34.18%	2,845	1,596	56.10%
Curry	14,401	7,349	51.03%	6,109	4,435	72.60%
Deschutes	65,130	26,591	40.83%	19,571	12,483	63.78%
Douglas	59,867	18,175	30.36%	13,665	7,582	55.48%
Gilliam	1,293	527	40.76%	344	217	63.08%
Grant	4,981	2,252	45.21%	1,797	1,210	67.33%
Harney	4,452	2,178	48.92%	1,766	1,195	67.67%
Hood River	10,103	2,317	22.93%	1,375	691	50.25%
Jackson	102,328	35,223	34.42%	17,686	9,517	53.81%
Jefferson	8,924	3,620	40.56%	1,848	1,128	61.04%
Josephine	46,392	18,553	39.99%	13,366	8,140	60.90%

Klamath	34,818	10,421	29.93%	8,144	4,729	58.07%
Lake	4,679	2,220	47.45%	605	450	74.38%
Lane	189,718	66,855	35.24%	87,320	46,691	53.47%
Lincoln	28,195	12,605	44.71%	19,615	11,412	58.18%
Linn	58,806	17,196	29.24%	11,824	6,181	52.28%
Malheur	13,945	4,106	29.44%	2,618	1,405	53.67%
Marion	144,730	56,411	38.98%	82,996	46,541	56.08%
Morrow	4,754	1,953	41.08%	817	429	52.51%
Multnomah	379,902	126,667	33.34%	191,379	97,216	50.80%
Polk	34,532	12,519	36.25%	7,877	4,102	52.08%
Sherman	1,328	792	59.64%	267	189	70.79%
Tillamook	15,002	6,890	45.93%	7,272	4,808	66.12%
Umatilla	32,038	6,670	20.82%	5,344	2,294	42.93%
Union	14,687	6,061	41.27%	8,007	4,729	59.06%
Wallowa	4,961	2,243	45.21%	2,688	1,687	62.76%
Wasco	13,633	7,179	52.66%	8,411	5,999	71.32%
Washington	222,054	73,647	33.17%	115,943	52,833	45.57%
Wheeler	1,006	534	53.08%	380	260	68.42%
Yamhill	43,181	14,856	34.40%	11,795	6,853	58.10%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,906,677</b>	<b>665,340</b>	<b>34.90%</b>	<b>788,815</b>	<b>418,333</b>	<b>53.03%</b>

Participation by party

County	Registered Democrats	Democrats Voting	% Democrat Participation	Registered Republicans	Republicans Voting	% Republican Participation	Registered NAVs	NAVs Voting	% NAV Participation	NAVs Voting Democratic	Other Registrations	Others Voting	% Other Participation
Baker	3,721	1,701	45.71%	4,342	2,254	51.91%	1,763	263	14.92%	52	173	35	20.23%
Benton	18,018	7,092	39.36%	16,173	6,098	37.70%	9,737	1,614	16.58%	537	1,200	250	20.83%
Clack.	76,246	30,280	39.71%	76,899	28,158	36.62%	39,624	5,229	13.20%	1,464	4,178	542	12.97%
Clatsop	9,396	3,827	40.73%	6,675	2,893	43.34%	4,556	668	14.66%	165	533	88	16.51%
Colum.	12,511	6,049	48.35%	7,669	3,545	46.23%	5,016	1027	20.47%	124	577	100	17.33%
Coos	17,733	6,438	36.31%	12,463	4,315	46.22%	6,844	1,097	46.22%	371	825	132	46.22%
Crook	3,834	1,458	38.03%	4,065	1,673	41.16%	1,760	234	13.30%	42	306	41	13.40%
Curry	5,455	3,055	56.00%	6,073	3,406	56.08%	2,520	765	30.36%	168	353	123	34.84%
Desch.	22,160	10,079	45.48%	27,194	12,984	47.75%	13,968	3,193	22.86%	761	1,808	319	17.64%
Douglas	22,732	7,497	32.98%	24,739	8,824	35.67%	10,691	1,729	16.17%	542	1,705	125	7.33%
Gilliam	517	232	44.87%	556	258	46.40%	204	34	16.67%	8	16	3	18.75%
Grant	1,780	875	49.16%	2,202	1,162	52.77%	905	200	22.10%	72	94	15	15.96%
Harney	1,585	710	44.79%	2,111	1,316	62.34%	716	144	20.11%	25	40	8	20.00%
Hood River	4,017	949	23.62%	3,563	1,172	32.89%	2,388	189	7.91%	125	135	7	5.19%
Jackson	36,161	13,423	37.12%	42,672	17,802	41.72%	21,316	3,724	17.47%	1,019	2,179	274	12.57%
Jeff.	3,305	1,454	43.99%	3,517	1,739	49.45%	1,846	377	20.42%	76	256	50	19.53%
Joseph.	14,844	6,233	41.99%	20,700	9,913	47.89%	9,519	2,112	22.19%	497	1,329	295	22.20%
Klam.	12,258	4,183	34.11%	15,422	5,438	35.26%	6,655	772	11.60%	94	483	28	5.80%
Lake	1,724	799	46.35%	2,242	1,243	55.44%	624	154	24.68%	45	89	24	26.97%

Lane	83,259	34,964	41.99%	61,245	23,798	38.86%	40,439	7,357	18.19%	2,110	4,775	736	15.41%
Lincoln	12,155	6,088	50.09%	9,100	4,590	50.44%	6,374	1,830	28.71%	516	566	97	17.14%
Linn	23,696	7,923	33.44%	22,104	7,863	35.57%	12,116	1,319	10.89%	487	890	91	10.22%
Malh.	4,239	1,191	28.10%	6,925	2,652	38.30%	2,531	243	9.60%	82	250	20	8.00%
Marion	53,562	23,689	44.23%	59,518	26,699	44.86%	29,212	5,697	19.50%	973	2,438	326	13.37%
Morrow	1,943	800	41.17%	1,763	916	51.96%	928	207	22.31%	96	120	30	25.00%
Mult.	189,810	74,449	39.22%	98,784	37,359	37.82%	79,672	12,812	16.08%	2,843	11,636	2,047	17.59%
Polk	12,736	5,185	40.71%	14,652	6,165	42.08%	6,550	1,116	17.04%	455	594	53	8.92%
Sherm.	523	321	61.38%	572	399	69.76%	211	69	32.70%	14	22	3	13.64%
Till.	6,883	3,679	53.45%	5,084	2,466	48.51%	2,747	680	24.75%	148	288	65	22.57%
Umatilla	11,497	2,921	25.41%	12,598	3,263	25.90%	7,064	457	6.47%	66	879	29	3.30%
Union	5,693	2,648	46.51%	6,176	2,911	47.13%	2,565	469	18.28%	159	253	33	13.04%
Wallowa	1,799	877	48.75%	2,319	1,195	51.53%	801	166	20.72%	40	42	5	11.90%
Wasco	5,840	3,319	56.83%	4,728	2,954	62.48%	2,727	816	29.92%	163	338	90	26.63%
Wash.	79,729	29,182	36.60%	90,589	35,111	38.76%	48,382	9,046	18.70%	1,773	3,354	308	9.18%
Wheeler	371	218	58.76%	429	259	60.37%	204	56	27.45%	36	2	1	50.00%
Yamhill	15,261	5,852	38.35%	18,027	7,105	39.41%	8,870	1,718	19.37%	336	1,023	181	17.69%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>776,993</b>	<b>309,640</b>	<b>39.85%</b>	<b>693,890</b>	<b>279,898</b>	<b>40.34%</b>	<b>392,045</b>	<b>67,583</b>	<b>17.24%</b>	<b>16,484</b>	<b>43,749</b>	<b>6,574</b>	<b>15.03%</b>