## More than 12.6 million votes cast ten days before election day

## Early voting reports from battleground states

State	Leading Party	Overview
Arizona	Republicans	Registered Republicans are leading by about 11,500, but this is behind their pace set in 2012. There have been 682,000 votes cast so far and nearly two-thirds of AZ voters voted early in 2012.
Colorado	Democrats	Colorado conducts its elections almost entirely by mail. Over 420,000 have voted already and Democrats are leading by almost 24,000 votes.
Florida	Republicans	Republicans are leading by about 6,000 votes, but they have had much larger leads in previous elections, leading by 73,000 votes at the same point in 2008.
Georgia	Unknown	Georgia does not register voters by party so it's impossible to know whether more Democrats or Republicans have voted. The percentage of Black early voters has dropped by 4 points when compared to 2012, which could spell trouble for Clinton.
lowa	Democrats	Early turnout is down so far this year by over 70,000 votes. Democrats hold a lead of about 40,000 votes, but this is down from around 55,000 at the same point in 2012.
Nevada	Democrats	Democrats lead Republicans by almost 23,000 votes, which is ahead of their edge in 2012. Early voting is especially important here as 69% of the state's electorate voted early in 2012.
North Carolina	Democrats	The percentage of Black early voters has dropped by 6 points when compared to 2012. This is especially worrying for Clinton as Democrats are overall behind their 2012 pace: leading the GOP by 149,000 votes compared to 167,000 at this point in 2012.

Early voting reports only disclose demographics of voters such as party registration, race, and age, not the contents of the vote itself.

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