

# Senate 2020 races

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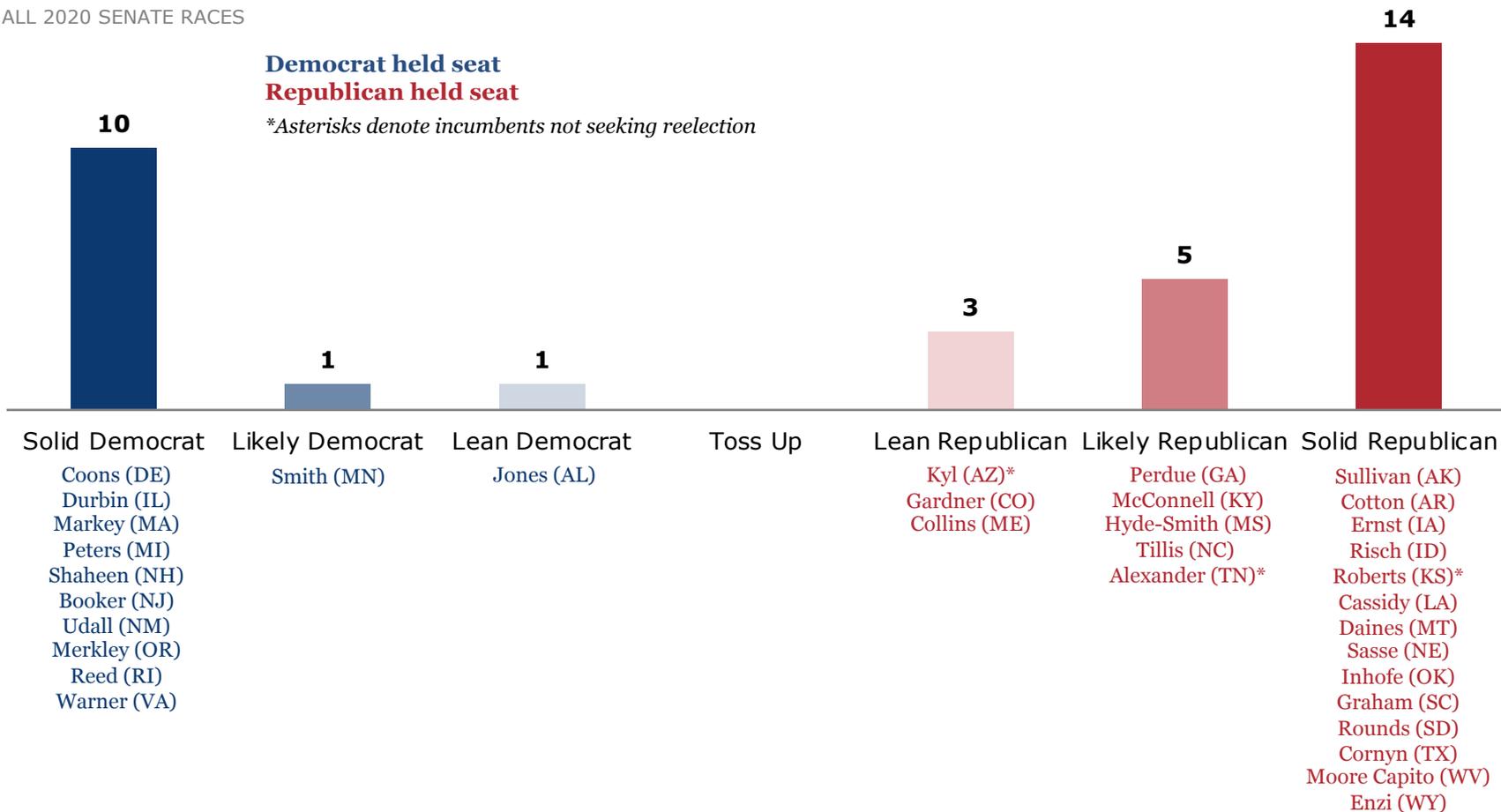
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# Republicans have more seats up for re-election in 2020 than Democrats do

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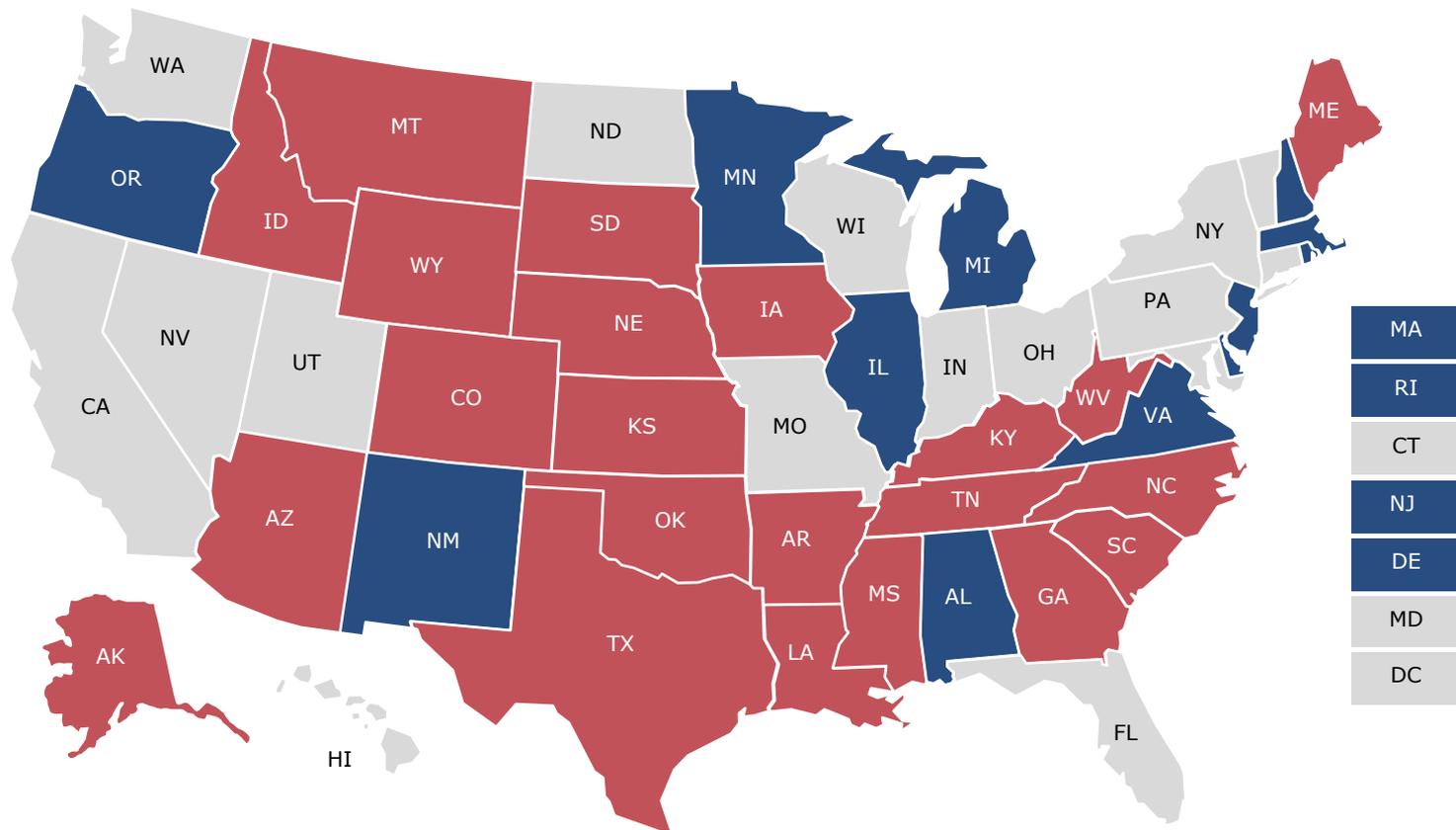


Source: The Cook Political Report, 2018.

# Out of the 35 Senate seats up for reelection in 2020, 22 seats are held by Republicans

States with U.S. Senate seats up for election

■ Democratic-held seat ■ Republican held seat



Sources: Charlie Cook, "Will History Hold in 2018 Midterms?" The Cook Political Report, January 9, 2017, National Journal Research, 2018.

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# 2020 Senate races by 2016 presidential performance

## Senate seats in play, by election year

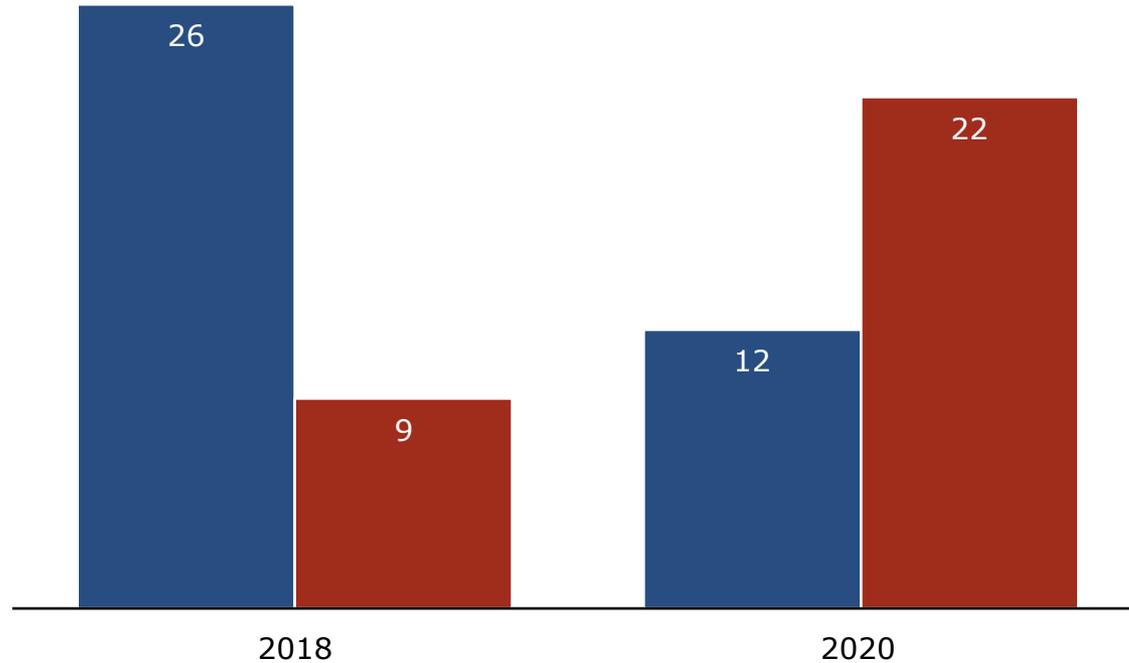
| Clinton + 15 or greater                                                                          | Clinton +5 to +14.9                      | Clinton +4.9 to Trump +4.9                                                      | Trump +5 to +14.9                                                            | Trump +15 or greater                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| <b>DEMOCRATS (12)</b>                                                                            |                                          |                                                                                 |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Coons (DE) +11.5<br>Booker (NJ) +13.2<br>Reed (RI) +15.6<br>Durbin (IL) +16<br>Markey (MA) +27.3 | T. Udall (NM) +8.3<br>Merkley (OR) +10.6 | Peters (MI) R+0.3<br>Smith (MN) +1.5<br>Shaheen (NH) +0.4<br>Warner (VA) D+4.9  |                                                                              | Jones (AL) R+28.3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>REPUBLICANS (22)</b>                                                                          |                                          |                                                                                 |                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
|                                                                                                  |                                          | Collins (ME) D+2.7<br>Gardner (CO) D+2.8<br>Kyl (AZ) R+4.1<br>Tillis (NC) R+3.8 | Perdue (GA) +5.7<br>Cornyn (TX) +9.2<br>Ernst (IA) +9.6<br>Graham (SC) +14.1 | Hyde-Smith (MS) +18.6<br>Cassidy (LA) +19.7<br>Daines (MT) +20.5<br>OPEN (KS) +21<br>McConnell (KY) +29.8<br>Sasse (NE) +26.3<br>OPEN (TN) +26.2<br>Cotton (AR) +26.6<br>Sullivan (AK) +15.2<br>Rounds (SD) +29.8<br>Risch (ID) +31.6<br>Inhofe (OK) +36.4<br>Capito (WV) +42.2<br>Enzi (WY) +47.6 |

Source: "2016 Senate election results," Politico, December 13, 2016.

# Democrats, Republicans took turns playing defense in 2018 and 2020

## Senate seats in play, by election year

■ Republican seats ■ Democrat seats



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