



Utah Republican Party 2016 Preference Caucus

Online voting

Achievements

89% online turnout

Average online voting time **73**
seconds

Enfranchised Republican voters in **45**
countries

31% of the voters cast
their ballot online

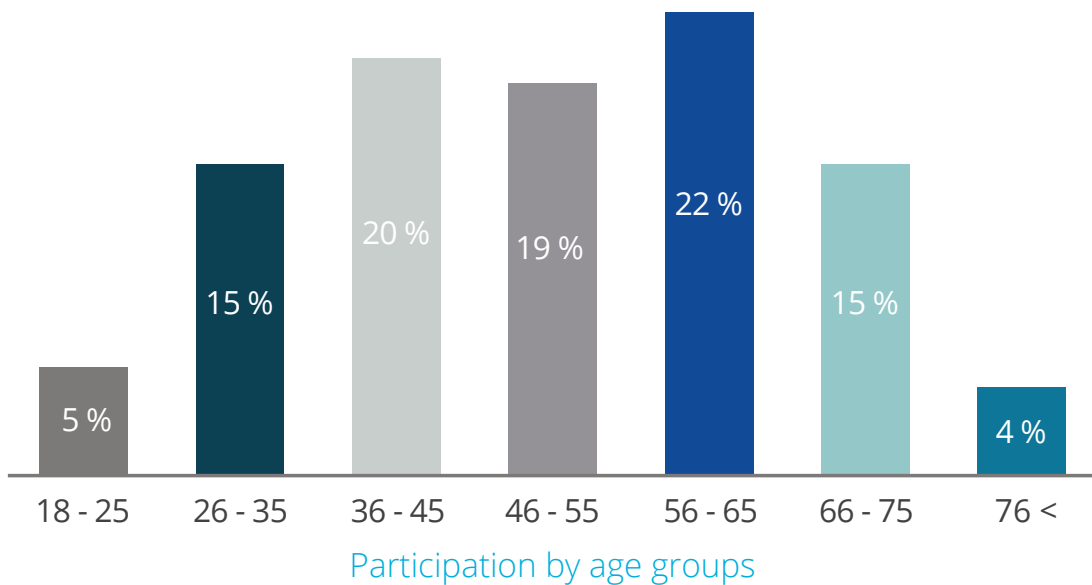
24,486 voters cast an
online ballot

Election results available only **40**
minutes after polls closing

Context

On March 22, 2016, Smartmatic provided its proven online voting technology to allow 24,486 registered Utah Republican Party members to vote from anywhere in the world. Voters from over 45 countries, including places as far away as French Polynesia, South Africa and Japan, voiced their opinion.

Nearly 90% of voters the 27,490 voters who had registered to vote online participated, marking an extremely high turnout rate. Voters of all ages, from millennials right through to people in their 80s, chose to cast their vote online.

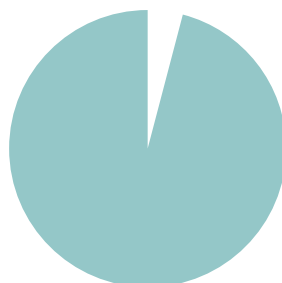


After making their selections, online voting participants were asked to provide feedback on their experience. This is what they said:



94 %

Described the experience as "good"



97 %

Would vote online in a future election



82 %

Thinks online voting should be available nationwide

Smartmatic's Internet voting

The Smartmatic Internet voting solution offers remote voters a secure, accessible and verifiable means of casting their ballot from any location, using an internet enabled device.

This proven solution can be introduced to replace existing forms of remote voting (such as postal voting), or seamlessly integrated into the traditional in-person voting arrangements to offer an additional remote voting channel.

Key benefits

Accessible

Regardless of physical location, registered voters with a smartphone, tablet or a PC/laptop, accessed the platform and voted. To minimize language barriers, the Internet voting application was available in both English and Spanish.

Verifiable

After casting their ballot, voters received a personal voting receipt showing a number and their selection. When results were published, voters were able to verify that their vote was recorded accurately by checking the Utah Republican Party's Bulletin Board and entering their receipt number.

Informative

Ballots were presented with a link next to each one of the participating candidates to provide information about them. Online support was available to answer questions and solve issues. Smartmatic provided training videos on how to vote.

Secure

The Online Voting Portal is a highly secure environment, which protects the voting process and the ballots.

Easy to use

The intuitive user interface assisted voters in marking their ballot correctly.

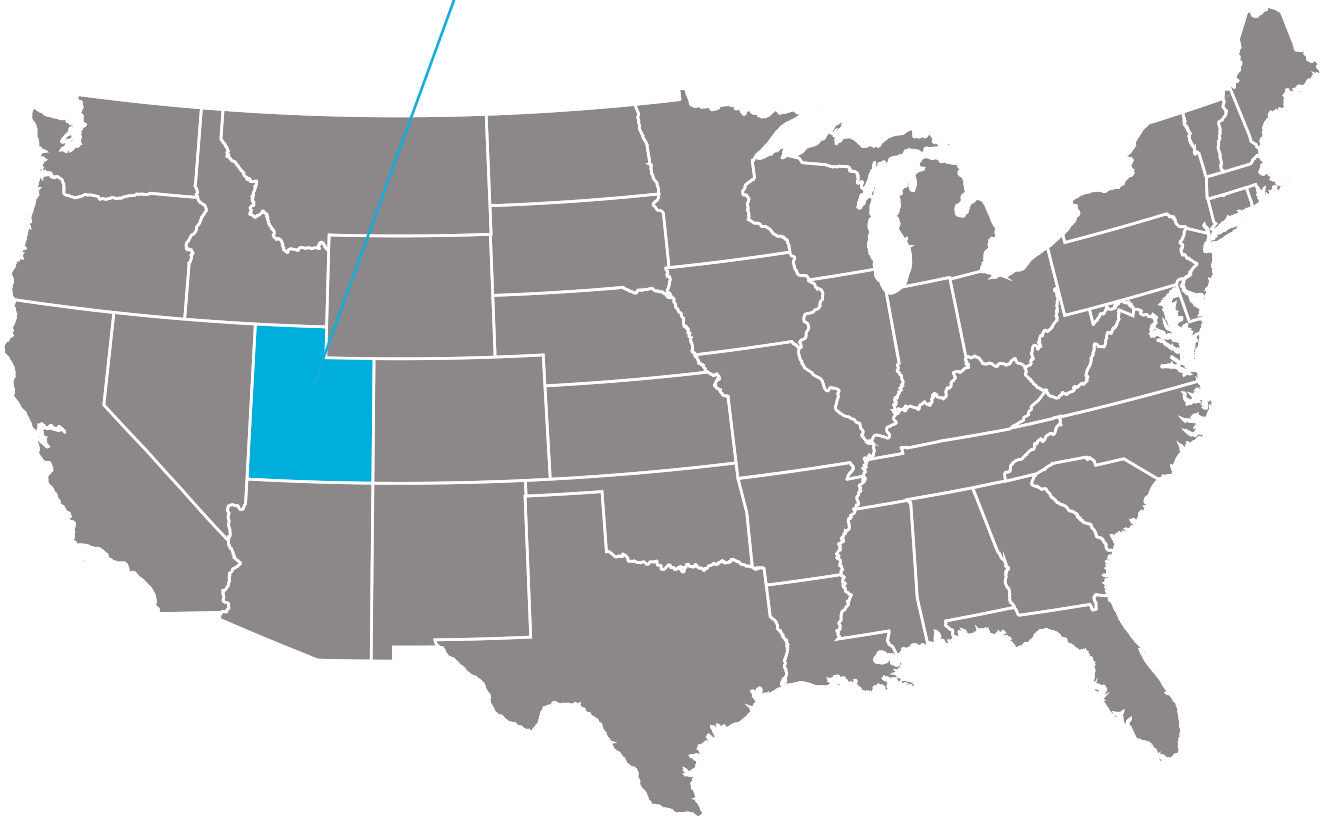


Continent: North America

Country: United States

Capital: Utah

Estimated population: 3,101,833



About Smartmatic

Smartmatic is the world's leading elections and voting technology company. Since forming in 2000, it has developed and implemented technology solutions that help authorities run efficient and transparent elections.

Today, Smartmatic offers a comprehensive portfolio of unique and innovative technologies and services to improve every stage of the process.

Its technology has processed over 3.7 billion votes in election projects on five continents.

Smartmatic is headquartered in the UK and serves its customers through an organisation of more than 600 employees working in 16 offices around the world.

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