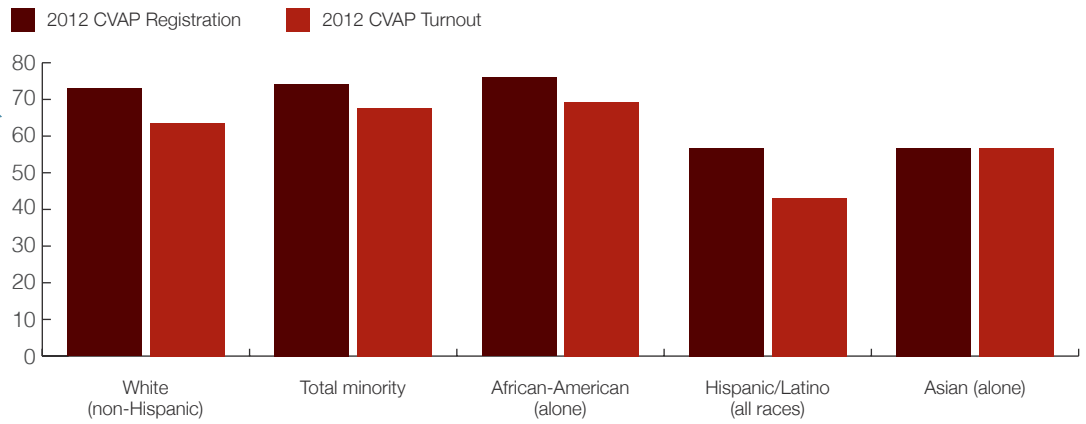
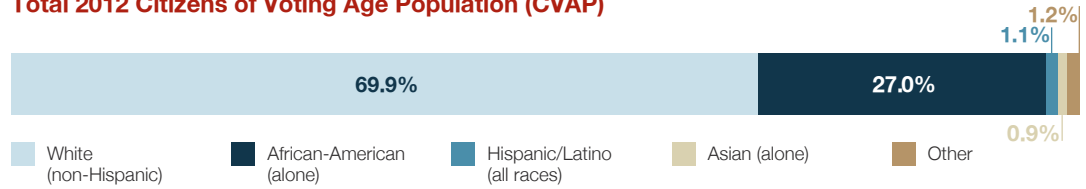




2012 Registration and Turnout Rates among Citizens of Voting Age Population (CVAP)

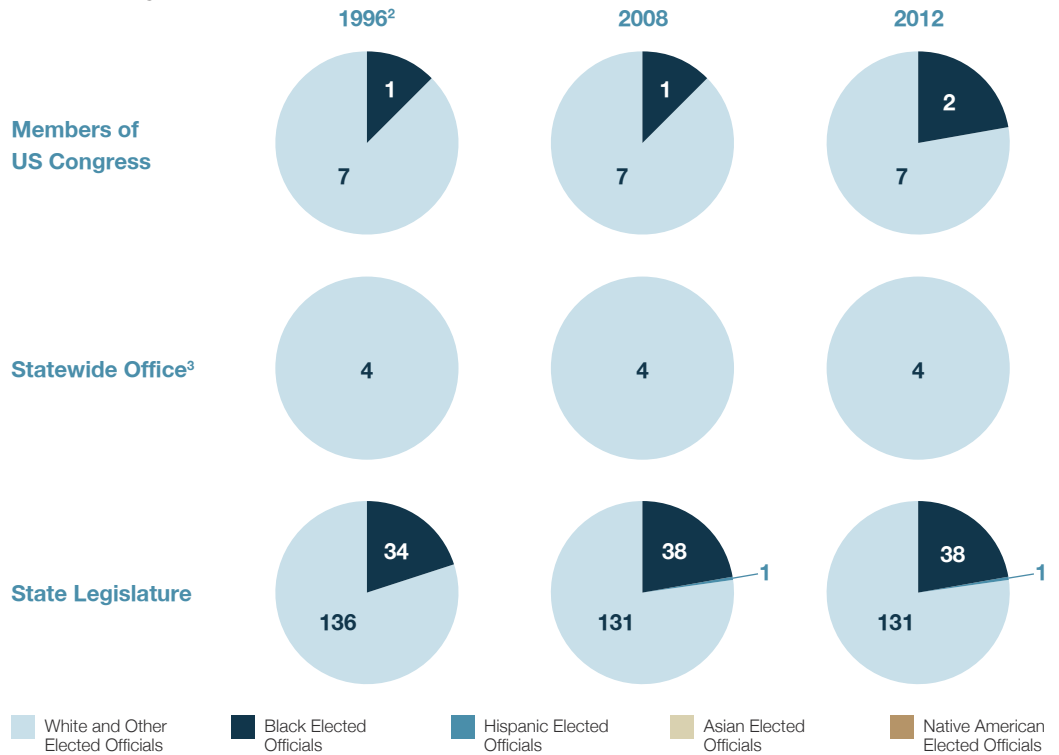


Total 2012 Citizens of Voting Age Population (CVAP)



Numbers of Minority Elected Officials¹

With the exception of 2008 data on Asian elected officials, these figures represent the results from the November election in the given year.



¹ Data on Native American elected officials is only available for 2012 state legislatures.

² Data on Asian elected officials is unavailable for 1996.

³ This category is limited to Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, and Secretary of State.

Prior Coverage Under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act

The entire state of South Carolina was covered by Section 5 at the time of the *Shelby County* decision.

Coverage 2011 to Present Under Section 203 of the Voting Rights Act

Currently, none of South Carolina is covered under Section 203.

Section 2 Cases (not including language assistance cases), 1995 to June 2014 (adjudicated in favor of plaintiffs or settled)

Subjurisdiction	Case	Method By Which Case Was Resolved	Was a Violation Found?	Challenged Voting Practice	Section 3 Remedy (preclearance and/or observers)?
Charleston County	United States v. Charleston County, 365 F.3d 341 (4th Cir. 2004), cert. denied 543 U.S. 999 (2004)	Court Decision	Yes	At-large method of election	Was covered under Section 4
Georgetown County School District	United States v. Georgetown County School District, No. 2:08-889 (D. S.C. 2008)	Consent Decree	Defendants admitted strong likelihood of Section 2 violation	At-large method of election	Was covered under Section 4
York County School District	Love v. York County School District No. 1 (2000)	Settlement	Unknown	At-large method of election	Was covered under Section 4

Language Assistance Cases, 1995 to June 2014 (adjudicated in favor of plaintiffs or settled)

None.

Department of Justice Objections and Court Denials of Preclearance (Sections 5 and 3 of the Voting Rights Act), 1995 to June 2014

Jurisdiction (submission no.)	Voting Change(s)	Action Date
Bennettsville (Marlboro Cty) (94-2216)	1994 redistricting plan	2/6/1995
Spartanburg County School District (Spartanburg Cty) (95-1979)	Section 19.67 of the 1995-96 State Government Appropriations Act which defunded the school district	11/20/1995
Gaffney Board of Public Works (Cherokee Cty) (95-2790)	Re-adoption of the at-large method of election	3/5/1996
State (97-0529)	1997 redistricting plan (Senate)	4/1/1997
Horry County (97-3787)	1997 redistricting plan	5/20/1998
Charleston (Berkeley and Charleston Ctys) (2001-1578)	2001 redistricting plan	10/12/2001
Greer (Greenville and Spartanburg Ctys) (2001-1777)	2001 redistricting plan	11/2/2001
Sumter County (2001-3865)	2001 redistricting plan	6/27/2002
Union County School District (Union Cty) (2002-2379)	2002 redistricting plan	9/3/2002
Clinton (Laurens Cty) (2002-1512) (2002-2706)	Annexations designation to Ward 1 (redistricting)	12/9/2002
Cherokee County School District No. 1 (Cherokee Cty) (2002-3457)	Reduction in the size of the school board	6/16/2003
North (Orangeburg Cty) (2002-5306)	Annexations	9/16/2003 (withdrawn 12-3-10 upon adoption of remedial change)

South Carolina: Section 5 Objections and District Court Preclearance Denials by County

From 1995 to 2013

With Percentage of the Non-White Voting Age Population

