

## The Election of 1876

Candidate	Popular votes received	Electoral votes received (Each state gets a certain number of electoral votes based on its population: the popular vote winner in that state usually wins the state's electoral votes)	Electoral votes needed to win	Disputed electoral votes from South Carolina, Florida, Louisiana and one from Oregon)	Membership of the Electoral Commission created to decide who won the disputed electoral votes	Disputed votes awarded by a straight party-line vote of the commission	Final electoral count:
Hayes (Republican)	4,034,311	165				20	185 <b>(winner)</b>
			185	20 ● →	Eight Republicans (initially seven, with one Independent) and seven Democrats: straight party- line vote		
Tilden (Democrat)	4,288,546 <b>(winner)</b>	184				0	184

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