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Shapes

DRA 2020 has 2020 Shapes. For most states, maps that use 2020 Shapes allow you to work with *Precincts* (*Voting Districts* or *VTDs*), as the main unit for making redistricting maps. For four states (CA, HI, OR and WV), you use *Block Groups* instead. For all states, you can *shatter* a precinct or block group into census blocks, and work with them individually.

DRA 2020 also has 2010 Shapes. These are *Precincts* for most states, and *Block Groups* for CA, MT, OR and RI. Census block editing is **not** available with 2010 Shapes. Maps that use 2010 Shapes can be converted to 2020 Shapes, yielding an approximation of the source map.

Precinct-level demographic and election data can be downloaded from our public repository [vtd_data](#).

Demographic Data

DRA 2020 has demographic data from the 2020 and 2010 Censuses and from the 2019, 2020 and 2022 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates (ACS). The 2020 and 2010 Census data include total population and voting age population data (VAP), and was obtained directly from the Census Bureau. The 2019, 2020 and 2022 data include total population and citizen voting age population data (CVAP). 2020 and 2022 CVAP data (except for DC and PR), and 2022 ACS data was obtained from [Redistricting Data Hub](#). All 2019 ACS and CVAP, 2020 ACS and 2020 CVAP (DC and PR) data was obtained directly from the Census Bureau.

For 2020 Shapes, 2010 Census data, and 2019, 2020 and 2022 ACS data was disaggregated using [Voting and Election Science Team's](#) method as described [here](#). 2020 and 2022 CVAP data (except for DC and PR) was disaggregated by Redistricting Data Hub. More detail is in the