

Tables and Figures

Table 1: Changes in Racial Demography across Geographies, 1990-2010

	<i>State</i>			<i>State legislative Districts</i>			<i>Counties/School Boards</i>			<i>Cities</i>		
<i>Year</i>	<i>% Black</i>	<i>% White</i>	<i>% Hisp</i>	<i>% Black</i>	<i>% White</i>	<i>% Hisp</i>	<i>% Black</i>	<i>% White</i>	<i>% Hisp</i>	<i>% Black</i>	<i>% White</i>	<i>% Hisp</i>
1990	30.6	65.8	2.2				30.3	67.3	1.5	26.6	71.5	1.7
2000	32.8	63.2	2.4	32.5	62.3	2.4	31.1	65.2	1.7	30.1	65.4	1.7
2010	32	62.6	4.2	34.2	57.8	4.3	31.9	64.2	2.8	29.3	62.6	3.3

Table 2: Race of Louisiana Candidates for Elected Office, 1990-2010

<i>Candidate Race</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Percent</i>
White	80,812	69.7
Black	18,776	16.19
Other	702	0.63
Unreported	15,658	13.5
Total	115,948	100

Table 3: % Black Candidates, by Election Year, 1990-2010

Election Year	Total # Candidates	% Black Candidates
1990	7,325	16.05
1991	7,811	12.01
1992	8,161	13.34
1993	1,021	27.82
1994	4,966	21.69
1995	8,118	15.50
1996	9,812	10.12
1997	718	26.88
1998	4,774	24.49
1999	6,618	14.87
2000	6,499	12.28
2001	778	19.54
2002	6,936	20.40
2003	6,956	14.03
2004	6,852	14.14
2005	668	32.04
2006	5,080	23.23
2007	6,730	15.57
2008	9,396	14.22
2009	622	28.94
2010	6,107	22.06
Total	115,948	16.19

Figure 1: Black Candidates, Louisiana Elections, 1990-2010

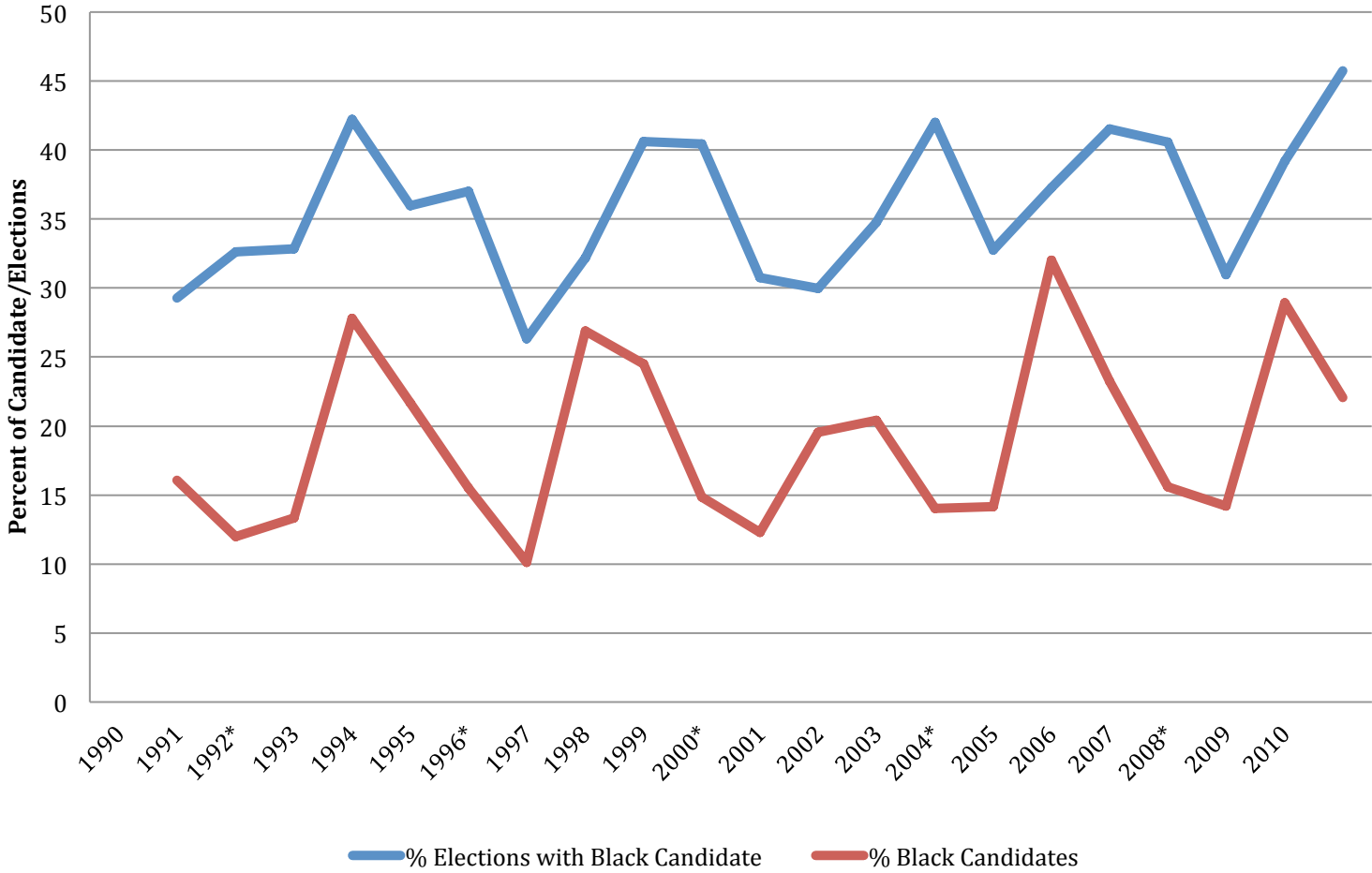


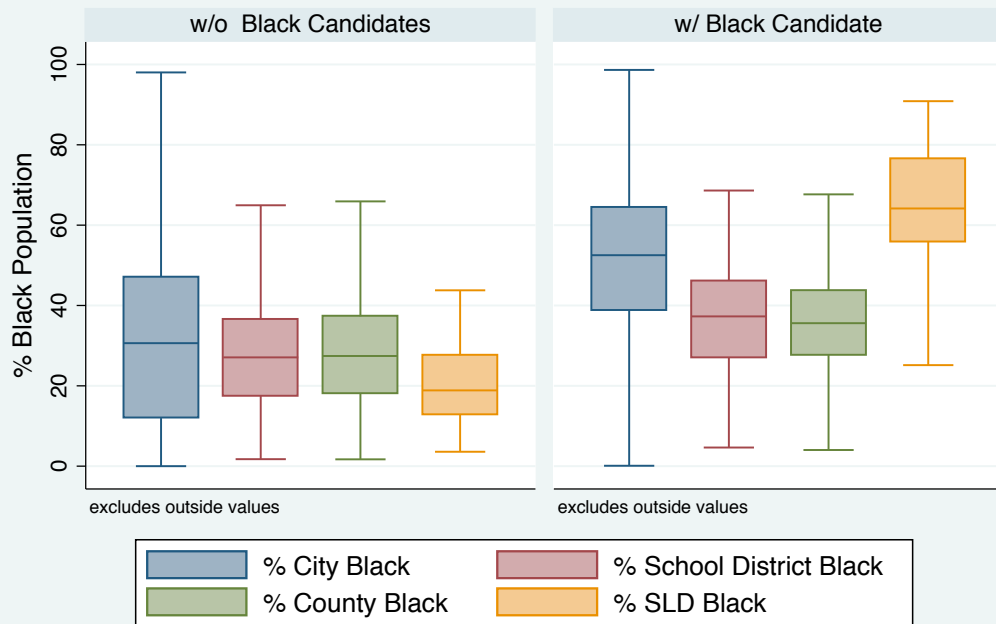
Table 4: Number and Proportion of Black Candidates by Office-type

<i>Office Type</i>	<i>Number of Black Candidates</i>	<i>% All Candidates</i>	<i>% All Black candidates</i>
Legislative	13721	55.33	73.08
Executive	2967	16.81	15.80
Judicial	1481	10.32	7.89
Administrative	419	4.73	2.23
Other	188	12.80	1.00
Total	18,776	100.00	100.00

Table 5: Number and Proportion of Black Candidates by Level of Office

<i>Type of Office</i>	<i># Elections with Black Candidate</i>	<i>% with Black Candidate</i>
School District	1,548	34
Municipal	3,327	35
County	990	24
State	584	28
Federal	36	27
Other	473	22
Total	6,958	31

Figure 2: Box Plot of Elections by Black Candidate Presence



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Note: The bottom and top of the box represent the 25th and 75th percentile (the lower and upper quartiles, respectively), and the band near the middle of the box is the 50th percentile (the median). The ends (“whiskers”) represent the minimum and maximum values of the data.