

# Key House races in U.S. midterms

Democrats need to win 23 seats to retake the U.S. House of Representatives in November's midterm elections

## SEATS IN CONTENTION

Forecast as of Aug 17

64 most competitive

(leaning, toss-up)

12 likely Democratic

25 likely Republican

**181 Solid Democratic**

**Solid Republican 153**

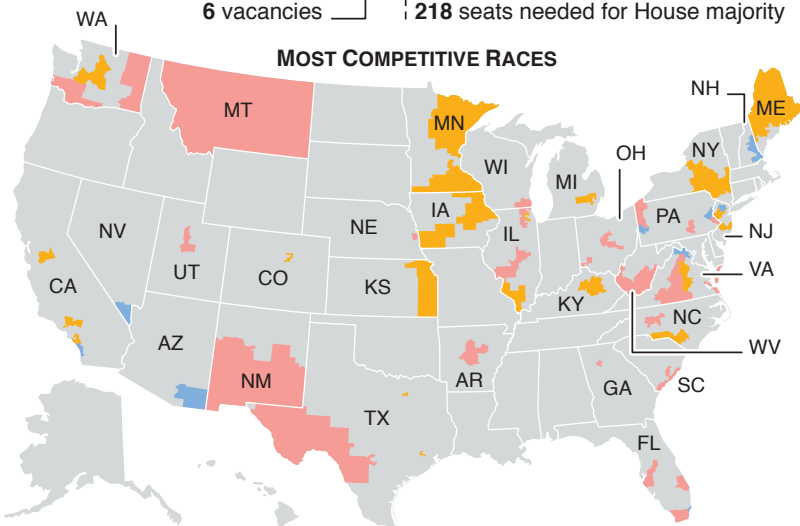
193 current Democratic seats

236 current Republican seats

6 vacancies

218 seats needed for House majority

## MOST COMPETITIVE RACES



**9 seats leaning Democratic**

Current control:  
2 Democratic,  
7 Republican

**29 toss-up seats**

Current control:  
2 Democratic,  
27 Republican

**26 seats leaning Republican**

Current control:  
0 Democratic,  
26 Republican