

Electoral System Chart

	Other Names	How do votes translate into seats?	M (SMD or MMD)	Candidate or Party Centered	Examples	Advantages	Disadvantages
Plurality							
Majority							
Open List PR – Italy/Belgium type							
Open List PR – Brazil type							
Closed List PR							
MMP (“Linked” mixed-member systems)							
MMM (“Unlinked” mixed-member systems)							
STV							
SNTV							

This chart was created by a former TA (Caitlin Milazzo) for the class. We won't go over it in class. However, as a study tool, we recommend that you try to fill in all the cells. Also, please feel free to ask questions at any point about the chart and filling in the cells.