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2022-2023 IDAHO LEGISLATURE

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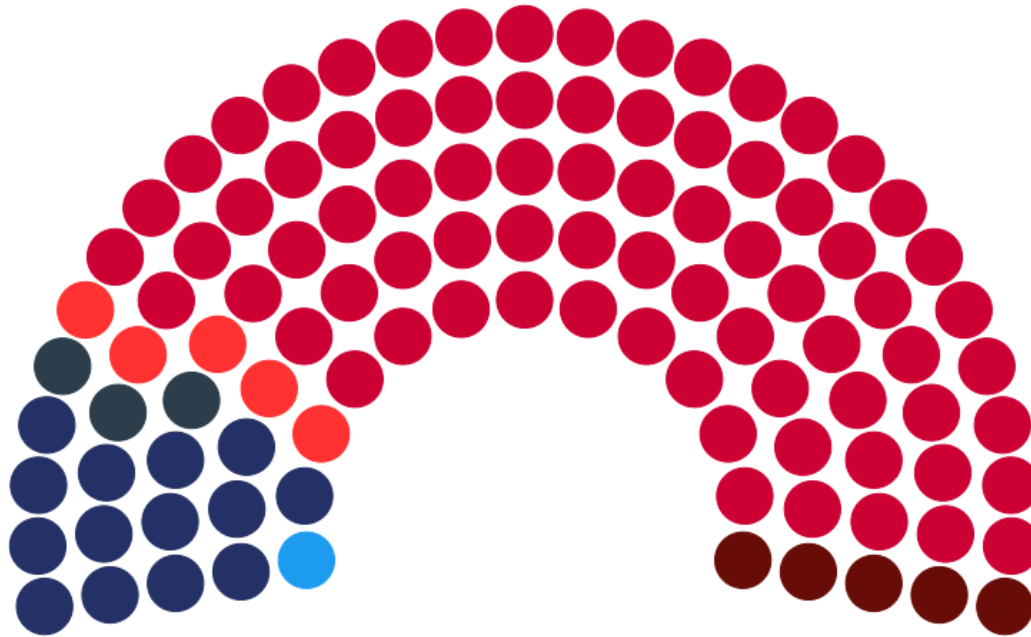
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Title: 2022-2023 Idaho Legislature

2022-2023 Idaho Legislature

Number of Legislators	105
Number of Legislators in dataset	105 (100% complete) *0 Vacant*
Average Age of Legislators	55.80 years
Number of Legislators \leq 35 Years of Age	6 (5.71%)
Youngest Legislator	Rep. Antonio Felipe Male Born 1994 White Republican Party
Number Female Legislators	32 (30.48%)
Average Age Female Legislators	53.10 years
Number of Male Legislators	73 (69.52%)
Average Age Male Legislators	56.96 years
Number of Democrat Legislators	18 (17.14%)
Average Age Democrat Legislators	54.67 years
Number of Republican Legislators	87 (82.86%)
Average Age Republican Legislators	56.01 years

Idaho Legislature 2023-2024



Party

● Democratic YELs	1
● Democratic Party	14
● Missing Democrats	3
● Republican YELs	5
● Republican Party	77
● Missing Republicans	5

Source: Young Elected Leaders Project 2023 • YEL is a legislator ≤ 35 years of age

Idaho State Legislature, 2022-2023

Generational Composition

Count

Silent Generation (1928-1945)

1

Baby Boomers (1946-1964)

26

Gen X (1965-1980)

15

Millennials (1981-1996)

16

Gen Z (1997-2012)

0

Missing

1

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Representative of legislators elected, Nov. 2021

Idaho State Legislature, 2022-2023 Race/Ethnicity Composition, All Legislators

Count



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Idaho State Legislature, 2022-2023 Race/Ethnicity Composition, Young Elected Leaders

Count

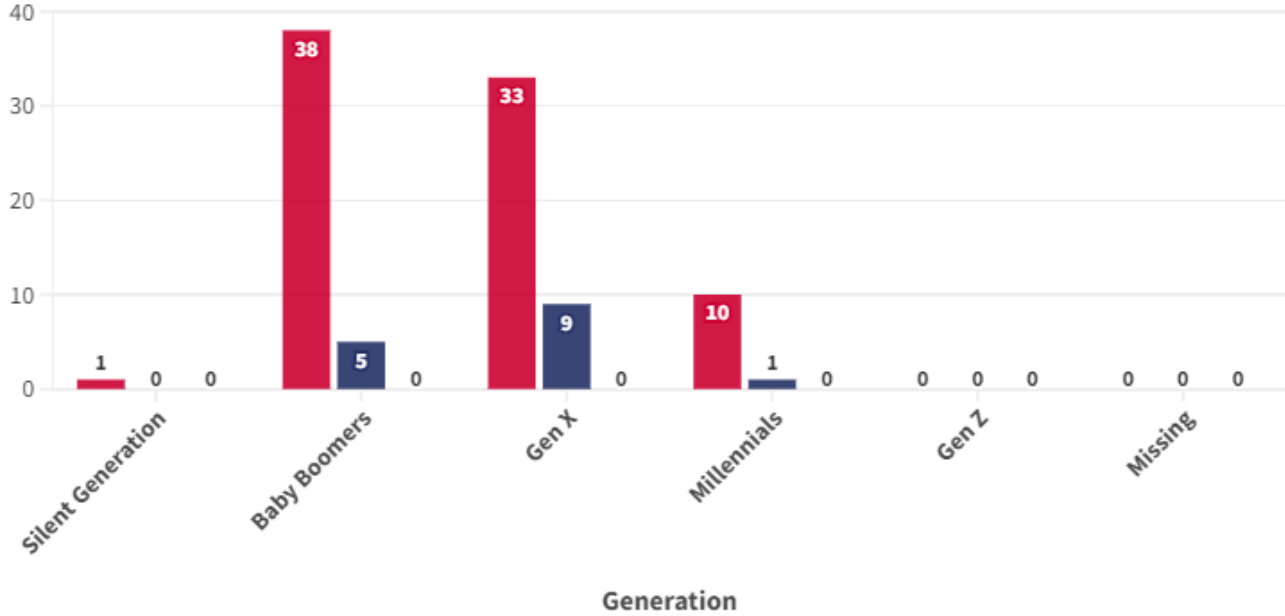


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Idaho State Legislature, 2022-2023

Generation by Party

Count



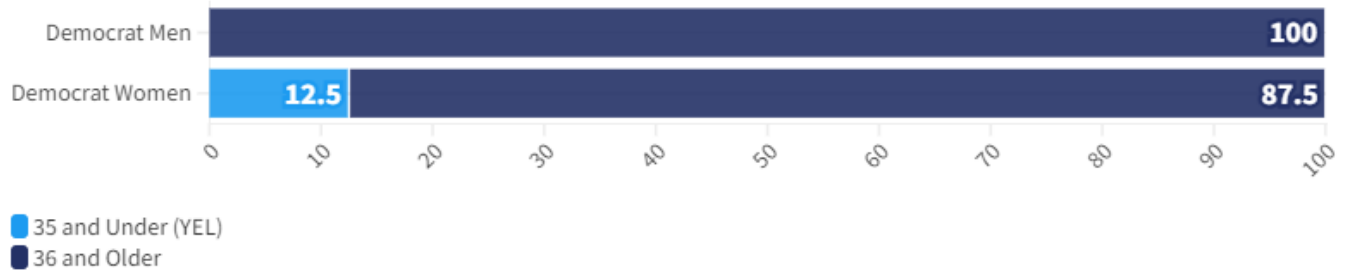
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Proportion of YELs by Party and Gender

Proportion

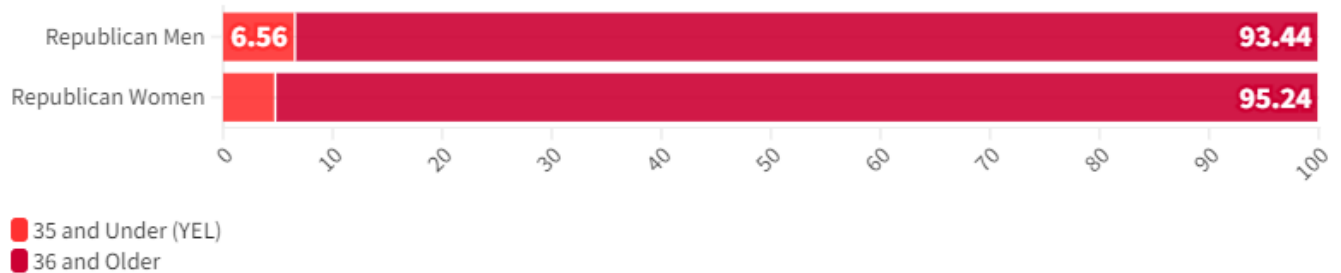


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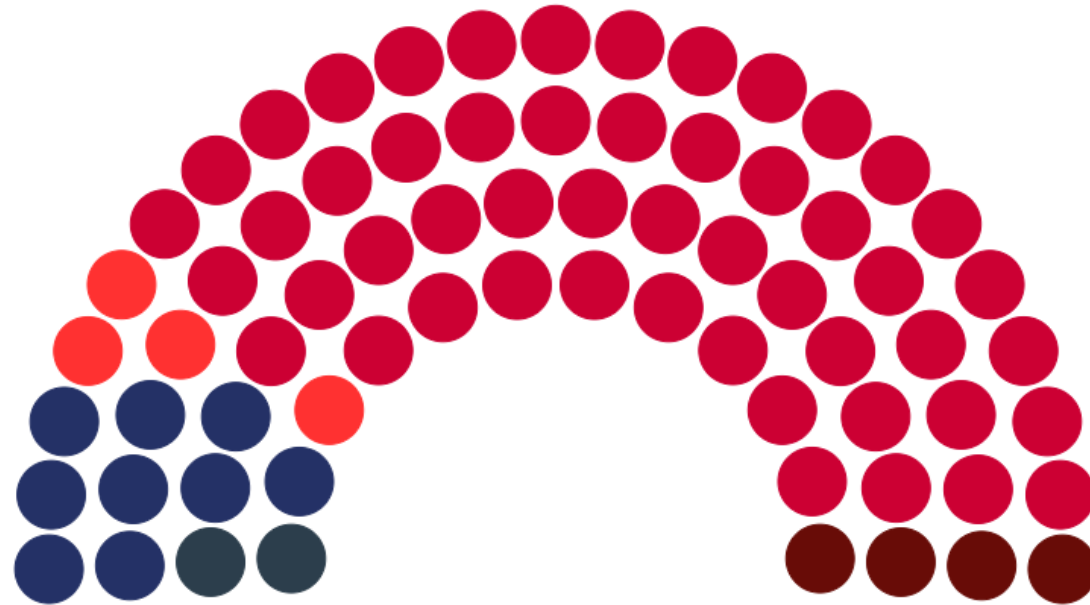
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Representative of legislators elected November, 2021

2022-2023 Idaho House of Representatives

Number of Representatives	70
Number of Representatives in dataset	70 (100% complete) *0 Vacant Seat*
Average Age of Representatives	55.88 years
Number of Representatives \leq 35 Years of Age	4 (5.71%)
Youngest Representative	Rep. James Pitske Male Born 1994 White Republican Party
Number Female Representatives	21 (30.00%)
Average Age Female Representatives	52.61 years
Number of Male Representatives	49 (70.00%)
Average Age Male Representatives	57.15 years
Number of Democrat Representatives	11 (15.71%)
Average Age Democrat Representatives	54.22 years
Number of Republican Representatives	59 (84.29%)
Average Age Republican Representatives	56.14 years

Idaho House of Representatives

2022-2023



Party	2023
● Missing Democrats (age)	2
● Democratic YELs	0
● Democrats	9
● Republican YELs	4
● Republicans	51
● Missing Republicans (age)	4
● No Party/Independents YELs	0
● No Party/Independents	0
● Vacant	0
● Missing Party	0

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 Representative of legislators elected November, 2021

Idaho House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Generational Composition

Count

Silent Generation (1928-1945)

1

Baby Boomers (1946-1964)

29

Gen X (1965-1980)

26

Millennials (1981-1996)

8

Gen Z (1997-2012)

0

Missing

6

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Representative of legislators elected, Nov. 2021

Idaho House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Race/Ethnicity Composition, All Legislators

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native

0

Asian

1

Black/African American

0

Hispanic/Latinx

1

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

0

Two or more ethnicities

0

Other race/ethnicity

0

White

68

Missing

0

- American Indian/Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black/African American
- Hispanic/Latinx
- Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
- Two or more ethnicities
- Other race/ethnicity
- White
- Missing

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Idaho House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Race/Ethnicity Composition, Young Elected Leaders

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native

0

Asian

0

Black/African American

0

Hispanic/Latinx

0

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

0

Two or more ethnicities

0

Other race/ethnicity

0

White

4

Missing

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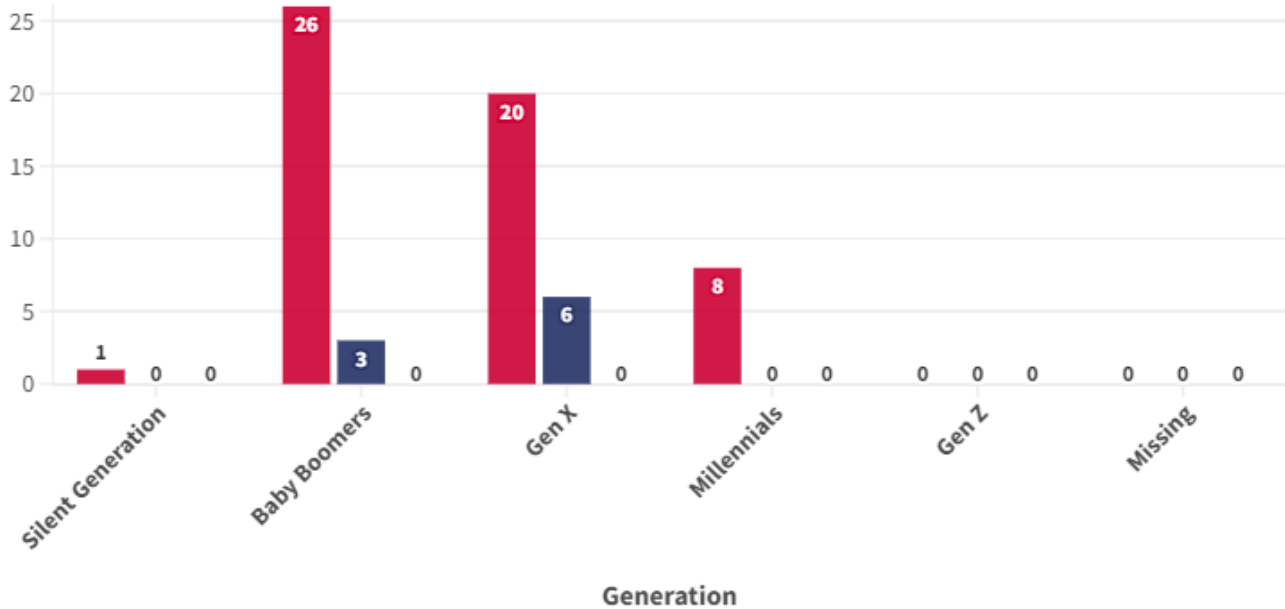
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- Missing

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Idaho House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Generation by Party

Count



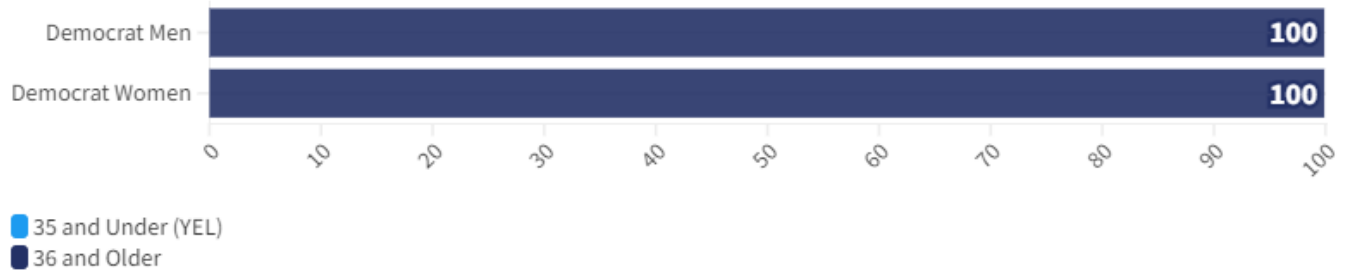
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Idaho House of Representatives, 2022-2023

Proportion of YELs by Party and Gender

Proportion

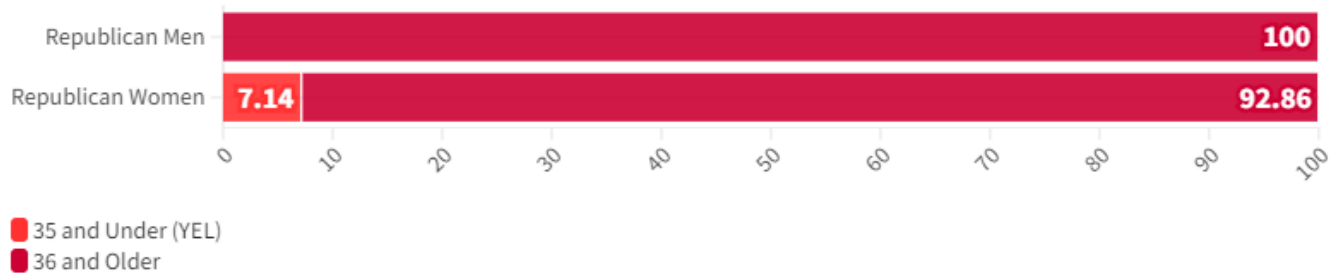


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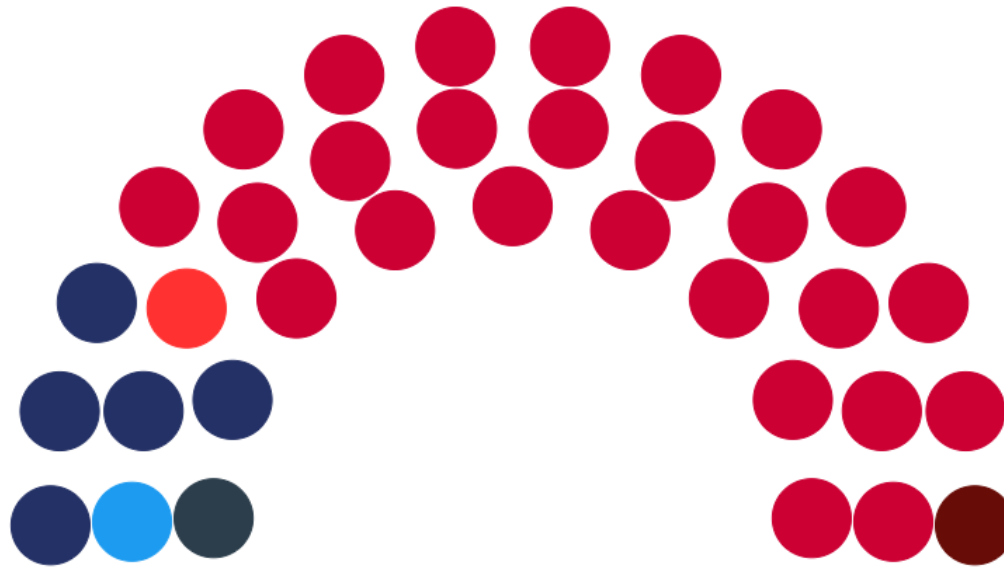


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Representative of legislators elected November, 2021

2022-2023 Idaho Senate

Number of Senators	35
Number of Senators in dataset	35 (100% complete)
Average Age of Senators	55.67
Number of Senators \leq 35 Years of Age	2 (5.71%)
Youngest Senator	Sen. Benjamin Adams Male Born 1989 White Republican Party
Number Female Senators	11 (31.43%)
Average Age Female Senators	53.91 years
Number of Male Senators	24 (68.57%)
Average Age Male Senators	56.55 years
Number of Democrat Senators	7 (20.00%)
Average Age Democrat Senators	55.33 years
Number of Republican Senators	28 (80.00%)
Average Age Republican Senators	55.74 years

Idaho Senate
2022-2023



Party	2023
● Missing Democrats (age)	1
● Democratic YELs	1
● Democrats	5
● Republican YELs	1
● Republicans	26
● Missing Republicans (age)	1
● No Party/Independents YELs	0
● No Party/Independents	0
● Vacant	0
● Missing Party	0

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Millennials (1981-1996)

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Gen Z (1997-2012)

0

Missing

2

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Idaho Senate, 2022-2023

Race/Ethnicity Composition, All Legislators

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native

0

Asian

1

Black/African American

0

Hispanic/Latinx

0

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

0

Two or more ethnicities

0

Other race/ethnicity

0

White

33

Missing

1

American Indian/Alaska Native

Asian

Black/African American

Hispanic/Latinx

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

Two or more ethnicities

Other race/ethnicity

White

Missing

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Idaho Senate, 2022-2023

Race/Ethnicity Composition, Young Elected Leaders

Count

American Indian/Alaska Native

0

Asian

0

Black/African American

0

Hispanic/Latinx

0

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander

0

Two or more ethnicities

0

Other race/ethnicity

0

White

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Hispanic/Latinx

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Two or more ethnicities

Other race/ethnicity

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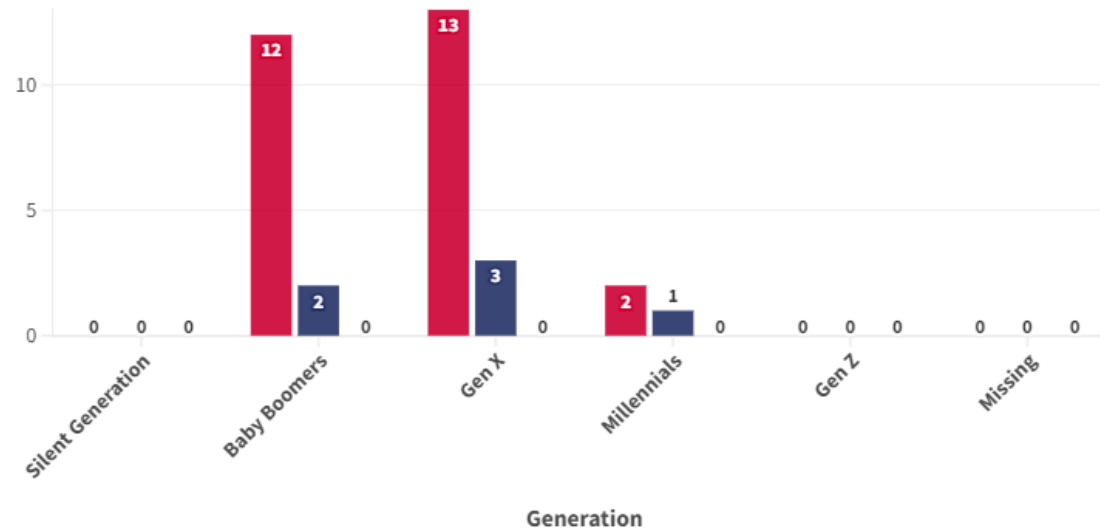
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Idaho Senate, 2022-2023

Generation by Party

Count



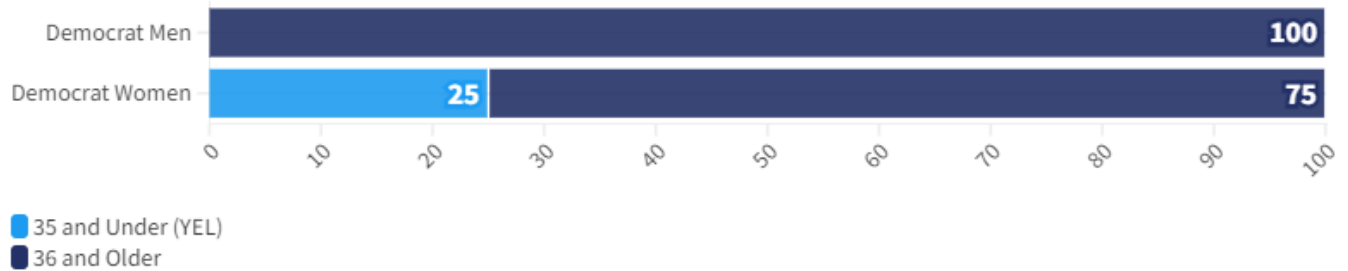
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