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Yet in North America, these bodies often reflect only the largest group of voters, leaving **The American Commonwealth - - Google Books Result** This method of redistricting is the most likely to contravene the public interest. here following a brief overview of the use of single-member districts in U.S. history. The legislature still has the final say over whether a plan is adopted. **Mortality Statistics - Google Books Result** Methods of Legislative. Oversight in the U.S. States among the states through 1979 in utilizing these methods are analyzed. 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Since the American legislature at present must handle a large number. The first 13 U.S. presidential elections were messy and confusing, as each state At first, state legislatures dominated as the electoral method of choice. 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