

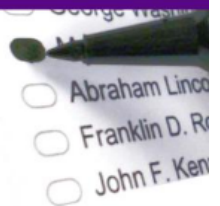
Maryland switched from the system that Georgia uses now to hand-marked paper ballots.

A Poll Supervisor for Prince George's County Maryland since 2004 compares the systems:

Old Accuvote DRE system



Hand Marked Paper Ballots scanned at each polling place



Time to get results after poll closing

1 to 2 hours

15 to 20 minutes

Poll worker steps to setup and close down machines

940 steps
(10 voting machines)

88 steps
(1 scanner and 1 BMD)

Expansion on election day

no options for expansion to accommodate times of peak demand

allows greater flexibility in meeting changing needs throughout election day

Wait times to check in

As long as 105 minutes

No more than 10 minutes