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Stop at the following table. Open seats are those for which the current candidate isn't running in 2022. Assume that the last margin of victory of less than 4% indicates a vulnerable seat. This gives us democrats to protect: Kelly AZ, Warnock GA, Masto NV, Hassan NH. The GOP seats that might be flipped blue: Blunt (Missouri), Johnson WI. Also, the margins of Senators seeking re-election after a full six years are pretty old data – they have had lots of time to get more or less popular.

2022 Senate elections				
State	Pre-election incumbent	Year first elected	Last election margin of victory	Open seat in 2022
Alabama	 Richard Shelby	1987	28.1	Yes
Alaska	 Lisa Murkowski	2002	15.2	No
Arizona	 Mark Kelly	2020	2.4	No
Arkansas	 John Boozman	2011	23.6	No
California	 Alex Padilla <sup>[1]</sup>	2021	--	No
Colorado	 Michael Bennet	2009	5.7	No
Connecticut	 Richard Blumenthal	2011	28.6	No
Florida	 Marco Rubio	2011	7.7	No
Georgia	 Raphael Warnock	2021	2.1	No
Hawaii	 Brian Schatz	2012	51.4	No
Idaho	 Mike Crapo	1999	38.4	No
Illinois	 Tammy Duckworth	2017	15.1	No

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State	Pre-election incumbent	Year first elected	Last election margin of victory	Open seat in 2022
Indiana	 Todd Young	2017	9.7	No
Iowa	 Chuck Grassley	1981	24.4	No
Kansas	 Jerry Moran	2011	30.0	No
Kentucky	 Rand Paul	2011	14.6	No
Louisiana	 John Neely Kennedy	2017	21.4	No
Maryland	 Chris Van Hollen	2017	25.2	No
Missouri	 Roy Blunt	2011	2.8	Yes
Nevada	 Catherine Cortez Masto	2017	2.4	No
New Hampshire	 Maggie Hassan	2017	0.1	No
New York	 Charles Schumer	1999	43.6	No
North Carolina	 Richard Burr	2005	5.7	Yes
North Dakota	 John Hoeven	2011	61.5	No
Ohio	 Rob Portman	2011	20.8	Yes
Oklahoma	 James Lankford	2015	43.1	No
Oregon	 Ron Wyden	1996	23.3	No
Pennsylvania	 Pat Toomey	2011	1.5	Yes
South Carolina	 Tim Scott	2013	23.7	No

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State	Pre-election incumbent	Year first elected	Last election margin of victory	Open seat in 2022
South Dakota	 John Thune	2005	43.6	No
Utah	 Mike Lee	2011	41.0	No
Vermont	 Patrick Leahy	1975	28.3	No
Washington	 Patty Murray	1993	18.0	No
Wisconsin	 Ron Johnson	2011	3.4	Yes