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The Apportionment Problem and the Swedish Election Act

I shall start by explaining what the Apportionment Problem (Sw: mandatfördelningsproblemet) is and, in particular, why it is a problem. Then I shall describe the current Swedish Election Act and make a number of critical comments. Finally I shall analyse the causes why it failed miserably in connection with the 2010 election and also give some suggestions for improvement.

Welcome!