

Job Approval Ratings for California State Legislature

PPIC Statewide Survey, May 2013

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't know
All adults		35%	50%	16%
Registered voters		31	54	15
Likely voters		29	59	12
Party	Democrats	39	46	15
	Republicans	18	71	11
	Independents	27	56	16
Political ideology	Liberals	46	39	15
	Moderates	28	52	20
	Conservatives	31	59	10
Gender	Men	32	55	13
	Women	37	44	19
Race/Ethnicity	Asians	42	37	21
	Blacks	43	48	9
	Latinos	43	40	17
	Whites	26	59	15
Household income	Under \$40,000	41	43	16
	\$40,000 to under \$80,000	29	53	19
	\$80,000 or more	31	56	13
Age	18–34	42	42	16
	35–54	32	53	14
	55 and older	29	54	17
Education	High school or less	37	44	19
	Some college	30	58	12
	College graduate	35	49	15
Region	Central Valley	29	55	16
	San Francisco Bay Area	36	45	19
	Los Angeles	43	41	16
	Orange/San Diego	30	52	18
	Inland Empire	32	59	9
Children age 18 or younger	Yes	34	49	17
	No	34	50	15
Home	Own	30	52	18
	Rent	38	47	15
Direction of state?	Right direction	62	22	16
	Wrong direction	11	78	11
California economy during next 12 months?	Good times	50	34	16
	Bad times	20	67	14

PPIC Statewide Survey: Californians and Their Government, May 2013. Includes 1,704 adults, 1,450 registered voters, and 1,129 likely voters. Interviews took place May 14–20, 2013. Numbers in above table are among all adults. The margin of error for all adults is $\pm 3.8\%$. The margin of error for subgroups is larger. Numbers may not add to 100 due to rounding.

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