

Job Approval Ratings for **California State Legislature**

PPIC Statewide Survey, September 2011

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't Know
<b>All Adults</b>		26%	56%	18%
<b>Registered Voters</b>		20	66	13
<b>Likely Voters</b>		17	71	12
<b>Party</b>	<b>Democrats</b>	28	56	16
	<b>Republicans</b>	10	80	10
	<b>Independents</b>	21	67	12
<b>Political Ideology</b>	<b>Liberals</b>	31	53	16
	<b>Moderates</b>	28	51	21
	<b>Conservatives</b>	19	66	15
<b>Gender</b>	<b>Men</b>	23	60	17
	<b>Women</b>	28	53	19
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>Asians</b>	23	45	32
	<b>Latinos</b>	40	42	18
	<b>Whites</b>	16	69	16
<b>Household Income</b>	<b>Under \$40,000</b>	33	44	23
	<b>\$40,000 to under \$80,000</b>	24	62	14
	<b>\$80,000 or more</b>	15	73	12
<b>Age</b>	<b>18–34</b>	37	45	18
	<b>35–54</b>	20	62	17
	<b>55 and older</b>	20	61	19
<b>Education</b>	<b>High school or less</b>	35	45	21
	<b>Some college</b>	23	63	14
	<b>College graduate</b>	14	68	18
<b>Region</b>	<b>Central Valley</b>	22	58	20
	<b>San Francisco Bay Area</b>	16	59	25
	<b>Los Angeles</b>	33	52	15
	<b>Other Southern California</b>	28	58	15
<b>Children Age 18 or Younger</b>	<b>Yes</b>	26	58	17
	<b>No</b>	25	56	19
<b>Home</b>	<b>Own</b>	19	65	16
	<b>Rent</b>	32	47	21
<b>Direction of State?</b>	<b>Right direction</b>	48	32	20
	<b>Wrong direction</b>	14	71	16
<b>California Economy During Next 12 Months?</b>	<b>Good times</b>	51	36	13
	<b>Bad times</b>	17	66	17

PPIC Statewide Survey: *Californians and Their Government, September 2011*. Includes 2,002 adults, 1,305 registered voters, and 958 likely voters. Interviews took place September 6–13, 2011. Numbers in above table are for all adults. Margin of error  $\pm 3.6\%$ . Numbers may not add to 100 due to rounding.

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