

Job Approval Ratings for **U.S. Congress**

PPIC Statewide Survey, March 2012

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't Know
All Adults		24%	68%	8%
Registered Voters		19	75	6
Likely Voters		17	79	4
Party	Democrats	23	73	4
	Republicans	16	80	5
	Independents	16	72	11
Political Ideology	Liberals	29	65	6
	Moderates	19	73	7
	Conservatives	27	65	8
Gender	Men	24	70	7
	Women	25	65	10
Race/Ethnicity	Asians	32	60	8
	Latinos	37	52	11
	Whites	12	81	7
Household Income	Under \$40,000	29	60	11
	\$40,000 to under \$80,000	19	77	5
	\$80,000 or more	19	78	4
Age	18-34	30	57	12
	35-54	26	68	6
	55 and older	14	79	7
Education	High school or less	35	56	9
	Some college	16	74	10
	College graduate	18	77	6
Region	Central Valley	19	71	10
	San Francisco Bay Area	23	68	8
	Los Angeles	30	62	8
	Other Southern California	25	66	9
Children Age 18 or Younger	Yes	28	61	10
	No	21	72	7
Home	Own	21	72	7
	Rent	27	63	10
Direction of State?	Right direction	37	56	7
	Wrong direction	18	76	6
California Economy During Next 12 Months?	Good times	35	58	7
	Bad times	18	75	7

PPIC Statewide Survey: *Californians and Their Government, March 2012*. Includes 2,001 adults, 1,334 registered voters, and 859 likely voters. Interviews took place February 21-28, 2012. Numbers in above table are for all adults. Margin of error $\pm 3.4\%$. Numbers may not add to 100 due to rounding.

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