

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

PPIC Statewide Survey, May 2013

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't know
All adults		31%	62%	6%
Registered voters		22	72	6
Likely voters		19	77	5
Party	Democrats	28	65	8
	Republicans	19	79	3
	Independents	19	76	5
Political ideology	Liberals	28	67	5
	Moderates	28	64	8
	Conservatives	36	59	4
Gender	Men	27	68	5
	Women	35	58	7
Race/Ethnicity	Asians	47	49	4
	Blacks	30	62	8
	Latinos	48	46	6
	Whites	15	78	7
Household income	Under \$40,000	45	48	8
	\$40,000 to under \$80,000	25	67	7
	\$80,000 or more	18	79	3
Age	18–34	42	52	6
	35–54	28	67	5
	55 and older	22	69	9
Education	High school or less	39	53	8
	Some college	26	69	5
	College graduate	26	69	5
Region	Central Valley	28	65	7
	San Francisco Bay Area	28	65	8
	Los Angeles	42	52	6
	Orange/San Diego	31	63	6
	Inland Empire	24	68	8
Children age 18 or younger	Yes	35	58	6
	No	28	65	6
Home	Own	24	69	7
	Rent	37	56	7
Direction of state?	Right direction	44	49	7
	Wrong direction	19	77	4
California economy during next 12 months?	Good times	37	56	7
	Bad times	25	71	4

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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