

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

PPIC Statewide Survey, October 2010

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't Know
All Adults		31%	64%	5%
Registered Voters		30	66	4
Likely Voters		26	71	3
Party	Democrats	41	53	6
	Republicans	13	85	2
	Independents	29	67	4
Political Ideology	Liberals	40	55	5
	Moderates	34	61	5
	Conservatives	22	74	4
Gender	Men	29	68	3
	Women	32	60	8
Race/Ethnicity	Latinos	41	52	7
	Whites	23	73	4
Household Income	Under \$40,000	37	58	5
	\$40,000 to under \$80,000	26	68	6
	\$80,000 or more	28	69	3
Age	18–34	40	54	6
	35–54	30	65	5
	55 and older	21	74	5
Education	High school or less	36	57	7
	Some college	27	68	5
	College graduate	29	67	4
Region	Central Valley	34	61	5
	San Francisco Bay Area	27	68	5
	Los Angeles	35	59	6
	Other Southern California	27	67	6
Children Age 18 or Younger	Yes	34	60	6
	No	28	67	5
Home	Own	27	68	5
	Rent	34	59	7
Direction of State?	Right direction	51	45	4
	Wrong direction	25	71	4
Direction of the U.S.?	Right direction	55	39	6
	Wrong direction	15	81	4

PPIC Statewide Survey: *Californians and Their Government, October 2010*. Includes 2,002 adults, 1,582 registered voters, and 1,067 likely voters. Interviews took place October 10–17, 2010. Numbers in above table are for all adults. Margin of error taking design effects from weighting into consideration is $\pm 3.1\%$.

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