

Job Approval Ratings for  
**Their Own State Legislators in the Assembly and Senate**

PPIC Statewide Survey, September 2010

		Approve	Disapprove	Don't Know
<b>All Adults</b>		31%	56%	13%
<b>Registered Voters</b>		30	60	10
<b>Likely Voters</b>		30	63	7
<b>Party</b>	<b>Democrat</b>	38	53	9
	<b>Republican</b>	21	69	10
	<b>Independent</b>	26	63	11
<b>Political Ideology</b>	<b>Liberal</b>	39	47	14
	<b>Moderate</b>	32	56	12
	<b>Conservative</b>	24	65	11
<b>Gender</b>	<b>Men</b>	32	57	11
	<b>Women</b>	30	56	14
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>Latino</b>	38	50	12
	<b>White</b>	28	59	13
<b>Household Income</b>	<b>Under \$40,000</b>	36	51	13
	<b>\$40,000 to under \$80,000</b>	26	63	11
	<b>\$80,000 or more</b>	31	57	12
<b>Age</b>	<b>18–34</b>	36	51	13
	<b>35–54</b>	32	56	12
	<b>55 and older</b>	26	62	12
<b>Education</b>	<b>High school or less</b>	35	50	15
	<b>Some college</b>	25	63	12
	<b>College graduate</b>	32	57	11
<b>Region</b>	<b>Central Valley</b>	26	61	13
	<b>San Francisco Bay Area</b>	33	54	13
	<b>Los Angeles</b>	29	58	13
	<b>Other Southern California</b>	32	55	13
<b>Children Age 18 or Younger</b>	<b>Yes</b>	31	58	11
	<b>No</b>	31	55	14
<b>Home</b>	<b>Own</b>	29	60	11
	<b>Rent</b>	33	52	15
<b>Direction of State?</b>	<b>Right direction</b>	55	33	12
	<b>Wrong direction</b>	23	66	11
<b>California Economy During Next 12 Months?</b>	<b>Good times</b>	48	41	11
	<b>Bad times</b>	23	65	12

PPIC Statewide Survey: *Californians and Their Government, September 2010*. Includes 2,004 adults, 1,563 registered voters, and 1,104 likely voters. Interviews took place September 19–26, 2010. Numbers in above table are for all adults. Margin of error taking design effects from weighting into consideration is  $\pm 3\%$ .

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