

General Direction of Things in California
PPIC Statewide Survey, September 2009

		Right Direction	Wrong Direction	Don't Know
All Adults		22%	72%	6%
Registered Voters		20	74	6
Likely Voters		18	77	5
Party	Democrat	23	69	8
	Republican	16	80	4
	Independent	19	78	3
Political Ideology	Liberal	24	70	6
	Moderate	23	70	7
	Conservative	19	75	6
Gender	Men	23	72	5
	Women	20	72	8
Race/Ethnicity	Latino	28	64	8
	White	18	77	5
Household Income	Under \$40,000	23	68	9
	\$40,000 to under \$80,000	24	71	5
	\$80,000 or more	19	77	4
Age	18-34	29	66	5
	35-54	21	73	6
	55 and older	15	77	8
Education	High school or less	26	67	7
	Some college	21	74	5
	College graduate	19	75	6
Region	Central Valley	22	70	8
	San Francisco Bay Area	25	68	7
	Los Angeles	22	73	5
	Other Southern California	20	74	6
Children Age 18 or Younger	Yes	22	73	5
	No	22	71	7
Home	Own	19	74	7
	Rent	25	71	4
Approve of Governor Schwarzenegger?	Approve	40	55	5
	Disapprove	13	81	6
Approve of the State Legislature?	Approve	55	41	4
	Disapprove	12	83	5

PPIC Statewide Survey: *Californians and Their Government, September 2009*. Includes 2,006 adults, 1,689 registered voters, and 1,291 likely voters. Interviews took place August 26–September 2, 2009. Numbers in above table are for all adults. Margin of error $\pm 2\%$.

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