

# Californians and Their Government—May 2022

## Full Crosstabs—Likely Voters Only

### Methodology Note:

Findings are based on a survey of 1,702 California adult residents, with 74 percent interviewed on cell phone (1,267 interviews) and 26 percent interviewed on landline telephones (435 interviews). Live landline and cell phone interviews were conducted in English and Spanish according to the respondents' preferences. The sample included 556 respondents reached by calling back respondents who had previously completed an interview in PPIC Statewide Surveys in the last six months. Interviews took an average of 20 minutes to complete. Interviewing took place on weekdays and weekday nights from May 12–22, 2022.

These crosstabs are based on a subgroup of 1,179 California adult likely voters. The sampling error, taking design effects from weighting into consideration, is  $\pm 4.9$  percent at the 95 percent confidence level for the unweighted sample of 1,179 likely voters. The sampling error for unweighted likely voter subgroups is larger. Sampling error is only one type of error to which surveys are subject. Results may also be affected by factors such as question wording, question order, and survey timing.

If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this survey, please contact [surveys@ppic.org](mailto:surveys@ppic.org)

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**PPIC Statewide Survey  
Californians and Their Government - Likely Voters - May 2022**

	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q1. First, thinking about the state as a whole, what do you think is the most important issue facing people in California today?</b>	jobs, economy, inflation	24%	20%	27%	32%	20%	26%	28%	22%	32%	16%	26%	28%
	housing costs, availability	13%	16%	7%	11%	17%	13%	7%	8%	8%	17%	13%	12%
	homelessness	11%	13%	6%	14%	9%	15%	7%	8%	13%	14%	7%	13%
	water, drought	7%	7%	7%	7%	9%	5%	7%	12%	5%	6%	7%	7%
	environment, pollution, climate change	6%	8%	0%	3%	13%	2%	1%	3%	8%	6%	2%	7%
	gasoline prices, oil prices	6%	5%	6%	10%	5%	7%	6%	8%	7%	4%	11%	1%
	crime, gangs, drugs	5%	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%	6%	7%	2%	9%	5%	3%
	government in general, problems with elected officials, political parties	5%	4%	8%	5%	3%	2%	10%	5%	5%	2%	5%	4%
	state budget, deficit, taxes	4%	2%	8%	4%	2%	4%	8%	3%	5%	6%	6%	3%
	abortion	2%	3%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%
	electricity costs, energy supply, energy crisis	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	5%	0%	3%	0%	3%	5%	1%
	immigration, illegal immigration	2%	1%	7%	2%	1%	1%	6%	2%	5%	1%	3%	2%
	COVID-19, coronavirus	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	3%
	other (specify)	10%	11%	13%	5%	11%	8%	12%	14%	6%	10%	7%	14%
	government regulations	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
(VOL) don't know	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%	0%	0%	
Unweighted n	1179	541	317	268	431	338	391	229	139	251	203	247	

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**PPIC Statewide Survey  
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	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q1. First, thinking about the state as a whole, what do you think is the most important issue facing people in California today?</b>	jobs, economy, inflation	25%	21%	28%	27%	21%	23%	23%	26%	20%	26%	23%	27%
	housing costs, availability	15%	7%	17%	10%	15%	14%	8%	24%	21%	8%	11%	17%
	homelessness	12%	8%	22%	11%	11%	11%	11%	10%	9%	12%	11%	9%
	water, drought	7%	11%	4%	8%	7%	6%	9%	4%	6%	8%	9%	3%
	environment, pollution, climate change	6%	7%	1%	5%	6%	2%	6%	6%	3%	7%	7%	3%
	gasoline prices, oil prices	4%	9%	3%	4%	7%	9%	5%	4%	8%	5%	5%	9%
	crime, gangs, drugs	5%	3%	8%	5%	5%	8%	3%	8%	5%	5%	4%	9%
	government in general, problems with elected officials, political parties	4%	9%	2%	5%	4%	2%	7%	3%	5%	5%	5%	3%
	state budget, deficit, taxes	4%	5%	2%	5%	3%	8%	4%	1%	4%	4%	5%	2%
	abortion	2%	0%	2%	0%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	electricity costs, energy supply, energy crisis	1%	5%	0%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	6%	0%	2%	4%
	immigration, illegal immigration	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	3%	1%
	COVID-19, coronavirus	2%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	other (specify)	9%	12%	9%	11%	10%	7%	13%	6%	7%	12%	10%	10%
	government regulations	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
(VOL) don't know	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	
<b>Unweighted n</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>945</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>248</b>	

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**PPIC Statewide Survey  
Californians and Their Government - Likely Voters - May 2022**

	Education			Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
	High school only	Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q1. First, thinking about the state as a whole, what do you think is the most important issue facing people in California today?</b>	jobs, economy, inflation	30%	25%	21%	22%	23%	25%	23%	32%	24%	23%
	housing costs, availability	15%	11%	14%	9%	15%	17%	14%	8%	8%	21%
	homelessness	8%	11%	12%	13%	13%	9%	11%	11%	11%	10%
	water, drought	8%	9%	6%	5%	7%	9%	8%	4%	9%	5%
	environment, pollution, climate change	1%	2%	11%	2%	3%	9%	5%	11%	6%	6%
	gasoline prices, oil prices	7%	5%	6%	8%	7%	4%	6%	6%	8%	2%
	crime, gangs, drugs	7%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	5%	7%	5%	5%
	government in general, problems with elected officials, political parties	2%	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	5%	1%	5%	5%
	state budget, deficit, taxes	3%	6%	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%	5%	3%
	abortion	0%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%
	electricity costs, energy supply, energy crisis	0%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	0%	2%	3%
	immigration, illegal immigration	2%	4%	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	COVID-19, coronavirus	2%	3%	1%	4%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	other (specify)	10%	10%	10%	15%	10%	7%	11%	9%	11%	10%
	government regulations	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
(VOL) don't know	5%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	
<b>Unweighted n</b>	170	301	703	239	280	533	1043	136	812	332	

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Gavin Newsom is handling his job as governor of California?</b>	approve	52%	80%	9%	45%	83%	47%	16%	40%	49%	51%	48%	63%
	disapprove	40%	12%	85%	47%	12%	38%	78%	51%	46%	40%	43%	29%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	9%	6%	7%	5%	14%	6%	9%	5%	9%	9%	8%
	Unweighted n	1173	538	317	266	429	336	390	229	138	250	202	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Gavin Newsom is handling his job as governor of California?</b>	approve	55%	44%	46%	45%	59%	62%	47%	59%	58%	49%	54%	48%
	disapprove	37%	54%	46%	47%	33%	30%	48%	29%	32%	44%	38%	44%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	3%	9%	8%	8%	8%	5%	12%	10%	7%	8%	8%
	Unweighted n	943	203	165	620	552	201	740	194	231	941	923	247

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Gavin Newsom is handling his job as governor of California?</b>	approve	44%	41%	65%	50%	50%	57%	50%	67%	47%	59%
	disapprove	42%	50%	30%	35%	45%	38%	42%	27%	45%	34%
	(VOL) don't know	14%	9%	5%	15%	5%	5%	8%	5%	8%	7%
	Unweighted n	170	299	699	238	279	529	1038	135	809	329

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q3. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the California Legislature is handling its job?</b>	approve	47%	71%	8%	39%	74%	41%	16%	36%	46%	39%	43%	61%
	disapprove	44%	18%	84%	56%	17%	48%	78%	50%	47%	49%	50%	34%
	(VOL) don't know	9%	11%	7%	5%	9%	11%	6%	14%	7%	12%	7%	6%
	Unweighted n	1175	540	317	265	430	336	390	229	137	251	203	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q3. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the California Legislature is handling its job?</b>	approve	49%	36%	38%	41%	52%	56%	41%	54%	57%	41%	48%	42%
	disapprove	41%	57%	54%	51%	38%	33%	50%	38%	36%	49%	42%	52%
	(VOL) don't know	10%	6%	8%	8%	10%	11%	9%	8%	7%	10%	10%	7%
	Unweighted n	946	203	165	622	552	200	742	195	232	942	925	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q3. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that the California Legislature is handling its job?</b>	approve	37%	36%	59%	44%	44%	52%	44%	59%	40%	56%
	disapprove	50%	53%	35%	41%	50%	42%	46%	36%	51%	37%
	(VOL) don't know	13%	11%	6%	15%	6%	6%	10%	4%	10%	7%
	Unweighted n	169	299	702	237	280	532	1041	134	809	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q4. Do you think things in California are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	45%	69%	9%	36%	76%	38%	12%	33%	30%	41%	46%	61%
	wrong direction	52%	27%	90%	61%	22%	57%	87%	65%	69%	53%	52%	35%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	4%	0%	3%	3%	6%	1%	3%	1%	5%	1%	4%
	Unweighted n	1174	538	317	266	428	336	391	229	139	250	202	245

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q4. Do you think things in California are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	48%	32%	47%	40%	50%	46%	43%	53%	55%	40%	46%	43%
	wrong direction	49%	63%	48%	57%	46%	49%	54%	45%	43%	56%	51%	54%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%
	Unweighted n	944	203	164	622	551	202	739	195	232	941	923	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q4. Do you think things in California are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	40%	36%	55%	37%	44%	51%	43%	57%	42%	49%
	wrong direction	57%	60%	43%	58%	54%	47%	53%	43%	55%	48%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	4%	2%	5%	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	4%
	Unweighted n	170	299	700	238	279	530	1039	135	808	331

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q5. Thinking about your own personal finances. Would you say that you and your family are financially better off, worse off, or just about the same as a year ago?	better off	15%	18%	9%	15%	16%	18%	8%	9%	13%	13%	17%	18%
	worse off	36%	23%	63%	38%	21%	32%	61%	41%	48%	36%	33%	29%
	same	49%	59%	28%	47%	62%	50%	31%	49%	39%	51%	50%	53%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Unweighted n	1176	539	317	267	430	336	391	229	139	249	203	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q5. Thinking about your own personal finances. Would you say that you and your family are financially better off, worse off, or just about the same as a year ago?	better off	15%	7%	18%	12%	18%	24%	14%	8%	21%	12%	14%	17%
	worse off	33%	50%	33%	43%	30%	36%	37%	33%	25%	42%	35%	38%
	same	52%	42%	49%	46%	52%	41%	49%	60%	54%	46%	51%	45%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Unweighted n	946	203	164	622	553	202	742	193	233	942	925	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q5. Thinking about your own personal finances. Would you say that you and your family are financially better off, worse off, or just about the same as a year ago?	better off	8%	14%	18%	12%	16%	17%	15%	13%	13%	18%
	worse off	35%	40%	33%	43%	31%	33%	35%	42%	39%	32%
	same	57%	45%	50%	45%	53%	50%	50%	45%	48%	49%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Unweighted n	170	300	701	238	280	533	1040	136	810	331

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q6. Have recent price increases caused any financial hardships for you or others in your household, or not? IF YES ASK: Has that been a serious hardship, or not?	yes, serious	33%	23%	52%	37%	18%	36%	47%	45%	30%	34%	37%	24%
	yes, not serious	27%	29%	24%	27%	33%	18%	28%	26%	33%	24%	26%	29%
	no	40%	48%	23%	36%	49%	46%	24%	28%	35%	42%	36%	48%
	(VOL) don't know	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
	Unweighted n	1178	541	316	268	431	338	390	228	139	251	203	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q6. Have recent price increases caused any financial hardships for you or others in your household, or not? IF YES ASK: Has that been a serious hardship, or not?	yes, serious	31%	42%	35%	33%	33%	36%	34%	27%	27%	36%	33%	31%
	yes, not serious	26%	31%	30%	28%	26%	26%	25%	34%	28%	26%	25%	32%
	no	42%	25%	35%	38%	42%	38%	40%	39%	44%	38%	42%	35%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	Unweighted n	949	202	165	622	555	202	742	195	233	944	927	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q6. Have recent price increases caused any financial hardships for you or others in your household, or not? IF YES ASK: Has that been a serious hardship, or not?	yes, serious	35%	46%	20%	54%	30%	21%	34%	25%	30%	39%
	yes, not serious	31%	22%	30%	20%	29%	29%	25%	38%	24%	32%
	no	34%	31%	49%	26%	40%	49%	40%	37%	46%	28%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
	Unweighted n	170	300	703	239	280	533	1042	136	811	332

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Q7. Some people think that California is divided into economic groups, the haves and have-nots, while others think it is not divided that way. Do you think that California is divided into haves and have-nots, or do you think that California is not divided?	divided into haves and have-nots	74%	78%	66%	79%	82%	67%	69%	71%	71%	70%	77%	81%
	not divided that way	23%	20%	29%	18%	16%	27%	28%	24%	24%	28%	21%	15%
	[VOL] don't know	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	6%	3%	5%	4%	2%	2%	4%
	Unweighted n	1169	536	315	266	426	336	388	228	138	248	201	244

		Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
		Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
Q7. Some people think that California is divided into economic groups, the haves and have-nots, while others think it is not divided that way. Do you think that California is divided into haves and have-nots, or do you think that California is not divided?	divided into haves and have-nots	74%	72%	81%	71%	76%	73%	73%	78%	79%	71%	74%	74%
	not divided that way	23%	25%	18%	24%	22%	26%	24%	19%	18%	26%	23%	23%
	[VOL] don't know	3%	3%	1%	5%	1%	1%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%
	Unweighted n	941	201	165	615	553	202	736	193	233	935	921	245

		High school only	Education	College Graduate	Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership	
			Some college education		<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent
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	not divided that way	23%	23%	24%	16%	22%	30%	24%	18%	29%	13%
	[VOL] don't know	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%
	Unweighted n	169	300	695	239	278	526	1035	134	805	329

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q8. If you had to choose, which of these groups are you in; the haves or have-nots?	haves	49%	57%	42%	40%	60%	42%	43%	36%	43%	49%	54%	54%
	have-nots	36%	34%	38%	41%	29%	40%	40%	43%	48%	38%	29%	32%
	[VOL] neither	10%	7%	12%	14%	7%	14%	10%	16%	6%	11%	8%	9%
	[VOL] don't know	5%	2%	9%	5%	4%	4%	8%	5%	4%	2%	9%	4%
	Unweighted n	1155	532	308	264	426	330	381	229	135	243	197	242

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q8. If you had to choose, which of these groups are you in; the haves or have-nots?	haves	48%	53%	44%	45%	52%	36%	55%	45%	52%	47%	51%	44%
	have-nots	36%	38%	40%	35%	37%	51%	31%	36%	37%	35%	34%	42%
	[VOL] neither	11%	6%	15%	14%	7%	9%	9%	13%	7%	12%	9%	13%
	[VOL] don't know	5%	3%	1%	6%	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	6%	6%	2%
	Unweighted n	929	200	157	614	540	201	729	189	232	923	913	239

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q8. If you had to choose, which of these groups are you in; the haves or have-nots?	haves	39%	37%	63%	22%	47%	67%	50%	39%	58%	32%
	have-nots	47%	44%	24%	60%	45%	16%	35%	42%	24%	56%
	[VOL] neither	10%	14%	7%	12%	7%	11%	9%	16%	12%	7%
	[VOL] don't know	5%	5%	5%	7%	1%	6%	5%	4%	6%	4%
	Unweighted n	168	293	689	236	276	525	1023	132	796	325

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q9. Do you think the state budget situation in California—that is, the balance between government spending and revenues—is a big problem, somewhat of a problem, or not a problem for the people of California today?</b>	big problem	39%	19%	74%	44%	14%	40%	71%	56%	38%	39%	45%	24%
	somewhat of a problem	35%	44%	20%	34%	44%	34%	22%	27%	45%	36%	29%	42%
	not a problem	22%	31%	5%	17%	36%	21%	5%	15%	13%	20%	20%	31%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	6%	1%	5%	6%	6%	3%	3%	4%	6%	7%	3%
	Unweighted n	1176	539	316	268	431	338	388	228	139	250	202	247

	Congressional district	Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household			
			Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No
<b>Q9. Do you think the state budget situation in California—that is, the balance between government spending and revenues—is a big problem, somewhat of a problem, or not a problem for the people of California today?</b>	big problem	35%	52%	40%	42%	36%	36%	42%	34%	32%	43%	36%	47%
	somewhat of a problem	36%	31%	43%	31%	38%	46%	30%	35%	45%	29%	36%	32%
	not a problem	24%	11%	13%	24%	20%	16%	21%	29%	16%	25%	22%	20%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	5%	4%	3%	6%	2%	7%	3%	7%	3%	6%	1%
	Unweighted n	946	203	165	621	554	201	742	194	233	942	925	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q9. Do you think the state budget situation in California—that is, the balance between government spending and revenues—is a big problem, somewhat of a problem, or not a problem for the people of California today?</b>	big problem	45%	49%	27%	40%	36%	36%	41%	27%	44%	32%
	somewhat of a problem	36%	31%	38%	43%	37%	31%	34%	39%	29%	45%
	not a problem	15%	15%	29%	11%	21%	30%	20%	32%	24%	18%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%	3%	5%	2%	4%	5%
	Unweighted n	168	301	702	236	280	533	1040	136	811	331

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region				
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area
<b>Q10. The state is projected to have a budget surplus of several billion dollars. In general, how would you prefer to use this extra money?</b>  pay down debt and build up the reserve increase state funding for education, health and human services one-time state spending for transportation, water, infrastructure refund some of the money to the people of California (VOL) other (VOL) don't know Unweighted n	15%	9%	27%	14%	8%	15%	23%	18%	13%	16%	16%	13%
	32%	46%	13%	24%	49%	28%	13%	25%	21%	33%	32%	37%
	24%	21%	20%	28%	28%	24%	19%	26%	26%	20%	20%	26%
	26%	19%	38%	29%	13%	27%	41%	26%	36%	28%	32%	18%
	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	0%	1%
	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	0%	0%	3%	1%	0%	4%
	1176	539	317	268	431	337	389	228	139	251	201	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
<b>Q10. The state is projected to have a budget surplus of several billion dollars. In general, how would you prefer to use this extra money?</b>  pay down debt and build up the reserve increase state funding for education, health and human services one-time state spending for transportation, water, infrastructure refund some of the money to the people of California (VOL) other (VOL) don't know Unweighted n	15%	16%	24%	17%	14%	12%	16%	17%	11%	18%	17%	11%
	32%	29%	27%	26%	37%	33%	29%	35%	43%	25%	28%	41%
	25%	19%	16%	26%	21%	23%	23%	25%	24%	23%	25%	19%
	24%	33%	30%	28%	24%	31%	27%	19%	22%	28%	26%	28%
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%	3%	2%	1%
	2%	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%
	946	203	165	621	554	201	742	194	233	942	926	247

		Education			Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership	
		High school only	Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent
<b>Q10. The state is projected to have a budget surplus of several billion dollars. In general, how would you prefer to use this extra money?</b>	pay down debt and build up the reserve	15%	18%	13%	17%	12%	17%	16%	14%	18%	12%
	increase state funding for education, health and human services	40%	28%	30%	30%	33%	34%	31%	34%	24%	41%
	one-time state spending for transportation, water, infrastructure	16%	22%	28%	16%	28%	26%	23%	26%	27%	16%
	refund some of the money to the people of California	24%	30%	24%	34%	24%	20%	26%	23%	25%	29%
	(VOL) other	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%
	(VOL) don't know	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	170	301	700	237	280	532	1040	136	809	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q11. As part of the May Revision to the state budget, Governor Newsom has proposed spending \$18 billion in funding in funding to address inflation with most of the money going towards tax rebates for vehicle owners and making public transportation free for three months. Overall, do you favor or oppose this plan?</b>	favor	54%	69%	30%	51%	71%	48%	37%	43%	64%	54%	53%	57%
	oppose	41%	26%	66%	41%	26%	40%	61%	56%	35%	44%	40%	33%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	5%	4%	8%	3%	11%	2%	2%	1%	2%	7%	9%
	Unweighted n	1066	490	284	244	384	310	357	203	123	231	189	221

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q11. As part of the May Revision to the state budget, Governor Newsom has proposed spending \$18 billion in funding in funding to address inflation with most of the money going towards tax rebates for vehicle owners and making public transportation free for three months. Overall, do you favor or oppose this plan?</b>	favor	55%	42%	42%	49%	58%	67%	48%	56%	64%	49%	57%	44%
	oppose	39%	54%	50%	45%	38%	32%	46%	36%	33%	45%	39%	48%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	5%	8%	6%	4%	1%	5%	8%	3%	6%	4%	8%
	Unweighted n	858	183	153	563	502	185	673	173	205	860	841	222

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q11. As part of the May Revision to the state budget, Governor Newsom has proposed spending \$18 billion in funding in funding to address inflation with most of the money going towards tax rebates for vehicle owners and making public transportation free for three months. Overall, do you favor or oppose this plan?</b>	favor	63%	47%	56%	60%	58%	47%	53%	61%	46%	64%
	oppose	34%	48%	38%	35%	39%	47%	42%	33%	47%	34%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	4%	6%	5%	3%	6%	5%	6%	7%	2%
	Unweighted n	156	274	631	224	255	474	940	126	730	304

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q12. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling his job as president?</b>	approve	48%	73%	8%	43%	73%	44%	19%	35%	30%	53%	43%	65%
	disapprove	49%	25%	91%	55%	26%	49%	81%	63%	69%	45%	54%	30%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	8%	0%	3%	1%	2%	3%	5%
	Unweighted n	1179	541	317	268	431	338	391	229	139	251	203	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
<b>Q12. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling his job as president?</b>	approve	51%	32%	47%	42%	54%	47%	48%	52%	46%	49%	47%
	disapprove	46%	67%	49%	54%	44%	52%	51%	41%	51%	48%	52%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	0%	4%	4%	2%	1%	1%	7%	3%	3%	1%
	Unweighted n	949	203	165	623	555	202	743	195	233	945	928

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q12. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling his job as president?</b>	approve	42%	40%	57%	43%	46%	53%	46%	59%	49%	48%
	disapprove	56%	56%	40%	51%	53%	46%	51%	40%	48%	50%
	(VOL) don't know	2%	4%	2%	6%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%
	Unweighted n	170	301	703	239	280	533	1043	136	812	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q13. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling Russia's invasion of Ukraine?	approve	50%	72%	15%	48%	70%	49%	25%	36%	38%	57%	44%	62%
	disapprove	41%	20%	78%	46%	21%	40%	70%	54%	56%	40%	41%	30%
	(VOL) don't know	9%	8%	8%	6%	9%	11%	5%	10%	6%	4%	15%	8%
	Unweighted n	1176	539	317	267	430	336	391	229	138	250	203	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q13. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling Russia's invasion of Ukraine?	approve	54%	29%	48%	49%	51%	56%	44%	60%	47%	51%	51%	48%
	disapprove	38%	62%	43%	42%	41%	37%	48%	29%	39%	43%	41%	43%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	9%	9%	9%	9%	7%	7%	11%	14%	6%	9%	9%
	Unweighted n	946	203	165	621	554	201	742	194	232	943	925	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q13. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way that Joe Biden is handling Russia's invasion of Ukraine?	approve	44%	40%	61%	38%	47%	60%	47%	69%	52%	47%
	disapprove	48%	51%	30%	48%	43%	35%	43%	29%	43%	40%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	9%	9%	13%	10%	5%	10%	2%	5%	13%
	Unweighted n	170	301	700	238	278	533	1040	136	810	331

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q14. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?</b>	approve	20%	26%	8%	20%	20%	24%	15%	17%	10%	22%	21%	23%
	disapprove	74%	66%	89%	76%	74%	68%	82%	78%	86%	73%	74%	68%
	(VOL) don't know	6%	7%	2%	4%	6%	8%	3%	5%	4%	4%	5%	9%
	Unweighted n	1177	539	317	268	430	337	391	229	139	251	203	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
<b>Q14. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?</b>	approve	21%	12%	22%	16%	24%	31%	15%	23%	25%	17%	27%
	disapprove	73%	82%	70%	79%	70%	63%	81%	67%	69%	77%	66%
	(VOL) don't know	6%	6%	8%	5%	6%	6%	4%	10%	6%	6%	7%
	Unweighted n	947	203	165	623	553	202	741	195	233	943	927

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q14. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way the U.S. Congress is handling its job?</b>	approve	20%	17%	22%	25%	22%	18%	18%	31%	19%	23%
	disapprove	74%	77%	73%	67%	74%	78%	76%	64%	74%	74%
	(VOL) don't know	6%	6%	5%	8%	4%	5%	6%	5%	7%	3%
	Unweighted n	169	301	702	238	279	533	1041	136	810	332

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q15. Do you think things in the United States are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	23%	34%	7%	19%	30%	27%	9%	18%	13%	24%	18%	35%
	wrong direction	73%	61%	91%	79%	64%	68%	90%	81%	78%	71%	80%	61%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	5%	3%	1%	6%	5%	2%	1%	9%	5%	2%	4%
	Unweighted n	1166	531	317	265	422	336	390	228	135	248	202	244

	Congressional district	Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household			
			Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No
<b>Q15. Do you think things in the United States are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	26%	12%	37%	20%	26%	32%	18%	29%	26%	21%	23%	24%
	wrong direction	70%	85%	60%	75%	70%	62%	78%	67%	69%	74%	73%	70%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%
	Unweighted n	939	200	164	618	547	200	734	193	232	933	918	245

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q15. Do you think things in the United States are generally going in the right direction or the wrong direction?</b>	right direction	32%	21%	21%	25%	24%	20%	21%	33%	22%	24%
	wrong direction	63%	76%	74%	67%	73%	76%	75%	61%	73%	70%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	3%	5%	7%	3%	4%	4%	6%	5%	5%
	Unweighted n	166	300	695	235	276	529	1031	135	802	329

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q16. Turning to economic conditions, do you think that during the next 12 months the United States will have good times financially or bad times?	good times	20%	28%	10%	14%	28%	19%	11%	17%	11%	28%	14%	22%
	bad times	75%	65%	88%	84%	67%	75%	87%	79%	83%	65%	84%	72%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	7%	3%	2%	6%	7%	2%	4%	6%	7%	2%	7%
	Unweighted n	1169	534	314	268	427	337	387	228	137	248	203	245

		Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
		Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
Q16. Turning to economic conditions, do you think that during the next 12 months the United States will have good times financially or bad times?	good times	22%	11%	21%	19%	21%	30%	19%	15%	21%	19%	19%	22%
	bad times	73%	87%	75%	76%	75%	66%	74%	84%	78%	74%	75%	76%
	(VOL) don't know	6%	3%	4%	6%	5%	5%	7%	1%	1%	7%	6%	2%
	Unweighted n	939	203	163	618	550	201	738	192	232	936	920	246

		High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership	
			Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent
Q16. Turning to economic conditions, do you think that during the next 12 months the United States will have good times financially or bad times?	good times	28%	18%	17%	19%	22%	19%	19%	23%	19%	22%
	bad times	64%	78%	78%	75%	73%	76%	76%	73%	75%	74%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	6%	4%
	Unweighted n	170	300	695	238	279	528	1034	135	803	332

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q17. How much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government in Washington today to do what is right—just about always, most of the time, or only some of the time?	just about always	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	1%	3%
	most of the time	18%	27%	4%	16%	23%	21%	8%	12%	9%	24%	19%	23%
	only some of the time	63%	65%	55%	68%	68%	64%	57%	60%	72%	60%	63%	58%
	(VOL) none of the time	15%	4%	39%	13%	5%	10%	34%	26%	15%	11%	17%	11%
	(VOL) don't know	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	4%
	Unweighted n	1175	538	317	267	428	338	391	229	138	251	202	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q17. How much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government in Washington today to do what is right—just about always, most of the time, or only some of the time?	just about always	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%	7%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	4%
	most of the time	20%	11%	33%	15%	22%	27%	16%	18%	20%	18%	19%	16%
	only some of the time	63%	62%	44%	61%	65%	56%	62%	72%	67%	61%	62%	67%
	(VOL) none of the time	13%	26%	20%	19%	11%	9%	19%	7%	11%	17%	15%	14%
	(VOL) don't know	2%	0%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%
	Unweighted n	945	203	165	621	553	201	741	194	233	941	925	247

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q17. How much of the time do you think you can trust the federal government in Washington today to do what is right—just about always, most of the time, or only some of the time?	just about always	8%	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%
	most of the time	21%	15%	19%	18%	16%	22%	18%	23%	18%	18%
	only some of the time	59%	60%	67%	59%	69%	64%	62%	68%	62%	63%
	(VOL) none of the time	12%	21%	10%	18%	13%	12%	17%	5%	15%	15%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%
	Unweighted n	170	301	699	238	278	533	1041	134	809	331

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q18. Would you say the federal government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all of the people?</b>	a few big interests benefit of all of the people	83%	73%	91%	89%	78%	82%	89%	91%	88%	79%	81%	76%
	(VOL) don't know	14%	23%	6%	9%	20%	13%	8%	7%	8%	18%	18%	18%
		3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	4%	3%	1%	6%
	Unweighted n	1168	536	315	265	427	335	387	226	138	248	202	244

	Congressional district	Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household			
			Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No
<b>Q18. Would you say the federal government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all of the people?</b>	a few big interests benefit of all of the people	83%	85%	81%	84%	81%	76%	83%	87%	82%	83%	82%	85%
	(VOL) don't know	14%	13%	18%	12%	17%	21%	15%	8%	16%	13%	15%	14%
		3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	5%	2%	4%	4%	1%
	Unweighted n	942	199	164	614	553	199	735	195	232	935	919	246

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q18. Would you say the federal government is pretty much run by a few big interests looking out for themselves, or that it is run for the benefit of all of the people?</b>	a few big interests benefit of all of the people	73%	87%	83%	80%	87%	81%	83%	81%	83%	81%
	(VOL) don't know	25%	11%	12%	17%	12%	15%	15%	13%	13%	17%
		2%	2%	5%	3%	0%	3%	3%	6%	4%	2%
	Unweighted n	169	299	695	237	277	528	1033	135	801	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q19. Do you think the people in the federal government waste a lot of the money we pay in taxes, waste some of it, or don't waste very much of it?</b>	a lot	59%	47%	83%	62%	44%	56%	82%	61%	76%	53%	61%	57%
	some	32%	38%	15%	32%	44%	31%	15%	28%	22%	37%	32%	32%
	don't waste very much	7%	11%	1%	5%	9%	10%	2%	8%	2%	7%	6%	10%
	(VOL) don't know	2%	4%	0%	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	0%	3%	1%	1%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	1170	534	316	267	427	334	391	229	137	248	203	245

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q19. Do you think the people in the federal government waste a lot of the money we pay in taxes, waste some of it, or don't waste very much of it?</b>	a lot	57%	62%	62%	60%	57%	54%	59%	62%	58%	59%	58%	60%
	some	33%	32%	30%	29%	34%	36%	33%	25%	33%	31%	33%	28%
	don't waste very much	7%	4%	6%	9%	6%	9%	5%	12%	7%	7%	6%	11%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	4%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	943	201	164	620	549	201	740	193	231	938	921	247

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q19. Do you think the people in the federal government waste a lot of the money we pay in taxes, waste some of it, or don't waste very much of it?</b>	a lot	54%	70%	51%	66%	56%	55%	59%	59%	56%	61%
	some	35%	25%	37%	24%	33%	37%	33%	26%	34%	30%
	don't waste very much	7%	4%	9%	9%	7%	8%	6%	12%	8%	6%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	1%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	170	301	695	237	279	530	1034	136	805	331

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q20. Thinking about Russia's invasion of Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the U.S. admitting thousands of refugees into the U.S.?</b>	favor	72%	81%	54%	70%	88%	68%	56%	67%	55%	72%	71%	82%
	oppose	24%	16%	39%	26%	10%	25%	41%	26%	42%	24%	25%	14%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	3%	7%	4%	2%	7%	3%	7%	3%	4%	5%	3%
	Unweighted n	1174	541	314	266	431	336	388	227	138	250	202	247

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q20. Thinking about Russia's invasion of Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the U.S. admitting thousands of refugees into the U.S.?</b>	favor	73%	73%	71%	71%	73%	61%	76%	77%	75%	71%	72%	72%
	oppose	23%	24%	26%	26%	21%	37%	20%	19%	22%	24%	24%	23%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	3%	4%	3%	6%	2%	5%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%
	Unweighted n	947	201	165	621	552	201	740	195	232	941	924	248

	High school only	Education	College Graduate	Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education		<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q20. Thinking about Russia's invasion of Ukraine, would you favor or oppose the U.S. admitting thousands of refugees into the U.S.?</b>	favor	69%	66%	79%	64%	74%	78%	71%	77%	72%	71%
	oppose	27%	28%	19%	33%	24%	18%	24%	18%	23%	25%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	6%	2%	4%	2%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%
	Unweighted n	169	300	701	238	279	531	1040	134	808	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q21. Thinking about undocumented immigrants brought to the U.S. as children, do you favor or oppose the protections given by 'DACA' 'Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals', which includes protection from deportation and a work permit?	favor	78%	92%	52%	77%	93%	81%	53%	64%	67%	84%	81%	81%
	oppose	18%	6%	42%	19%	4%	12%	43%	27%	32%	10%	18%	13%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	2%	5%	4%	2%	8%	4%	8%	2%	6%	1%	6%
	Unweighted n	1176	540	315	268	430	338	389	229	139	251	202	245

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q21. Thinking about undocumented immigrants brought to the U.S. as children, do you favor or oppose the protections given by 'DACA' 'Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals', which includes protection from deportation and a work permit?	favor	80%	69%	73%	73%	82%	87%	73%	85%	91%	70%	76%	82%
	oppose	16%	27%	23%	22%	14%	11%	22%	12%	7%	23%	18%	17%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	2%	5%	3%	1%	6%	6%	1%
	Unweighted n	946	203	164	622	553	202	741	195	232	943	926	247

	High school only	Education	College Graduate	Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education		<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q21. Thinking about undocumented immigrants brought to the U.S. as children, do you favor or oppose the protections given by 'DACA' 'Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals', which includes protection from deportation and a work permit?	favor	74%	71%	85%	73%	82%	82%	76%	88%	75%	83%
	oppose	18%	24%	12%	22%	15%	15%	19%	11%	20%	13%
	(VOL) don't know	7%	5%	3%	5%	3%	3%	5%	1%	5%	4%
	Unweighted n	169	301	701	239	279	531	1041	135	809	332

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q22. Would you favor or oppose providing a path to citizenship for undocumented immigrants in the U.S. if they met certain requirements including a waiting period, paying fines and back taxes, and passing criminal background checks?	favor	80%	90%	54%	89%	92%	87%	59%	70%	76%	87%	74%	89%
	oppose	16%	7%	39%	10%	6%	11%	37%	25%	22%	11%	24%	7%
	(VOL) don't know	3%	2%	7%	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	2%	2%	2%	4%
	Unweighted n	1173	538	316	266	429	336	389	229	139	248	202	245

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q22. Would you favor or oppose providing a path to citizenship for undocumented immigrants in the U.S. if they met certain requirements including a waiting period, paying fines and back taxes, and passing criminal background checks?	favor	81%	78%	71%	79%	82%	85%	76%	88%	91%	75%	81%	79%
	oppose	16%	19%	23%	18%	15%	15%	19%	9%	8%	21%	15%	21%
	(VOL) don't know	4%	3%	6%	4%	3%	0%	5%	3%	1%	5%	4%	0%
	Unweighted n	944	203	165	618	554	202	741	193	230	942	926	244

	High school only	Education	College Graduate	Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education		<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q22. Would you favor or oppose providing a path to citizenship for undocumented immigrants in the U.S. if they met certain requirements including a waiting period, paying fines and back taxes, and passing criminal background checks?	favor	82%	78%	81%	79%	84%	83%	80%	82%	77%	86%
	oppose	16%	18%	15%	16%	14%	15%	16%	17%	20%	12%
	(VOL) don't know	1%	4%	4%	5%	3%	2%	4%	1%	4%	2%
	Unweighted n	169	301	698	239	278	529	1038	135	809	329

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q23. If the 2022 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] [1] the Republican candidate [OR] [2] the Democratic candidate] in your district?	Republican/lean Republican	35%	6%	87%	38%	8%	30%	76%	45%	52%	27%	39%	26%
	Democrat/lean Democrat	55%	88%	5%	44%	89%	52%	13%	42%	44%	59%	52%	67%
	(VOL) don't know	10%	6%	9%	18%	3%	17%	11%	13%	4%	14%	9%	7%
	Unweighted n	1162	534	314	264	426	330	388	225	137	247	202	244

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q23. If the 2022 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] [1] the Republican candidate [OR] [2] the Democratic candidate] in your district?	Republican/lean Republican	33%	50%	40%	41%	29%	31%	42%	18%	26%	40%	35%	33%
	Democrat/lean Democrat	59%	40%	49%	48%	62%	60%	48%	71%	63%	51%	57%	51%
	(VOL) don't know	9%	9%	10%	12%	9%	10%	9%	11%	11%	10%	8%	16%
	Unweighted n	939	197	164	612	549	201	735	188	231	930	915	244

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q23. If the 2022 election for U.S. House of Representatives were being held today, would you vote for [ROTATE] [1] the Republican candidate [OR] [2] the Democratic candidate] in your district?	Republican/lean Republican	44%	40%	27%	43%	38%	26%	37%	20%	40%	29%
	Democrat/lean Democrat	49%	47%	65%	49%	57%	62%	52%	72%	50%	60%
	(VOL) don't know	7%	13%	8%	8%	6%	12%	10%	9%	10%	11%
	Unweighted n	167	295	695	232	279	525	1031	131	801	326

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q24. In general, are you more likely to support a candidate who [ROTATE 1 and 2] [1] wants Roe v Wade kept in place [OR] [2] wants Roe v Wade overturned [3] or does a candidate's position not matter much?	wants Roe v Wade kept in place	58%	79%	27%	53%	89%	51%	22%	44%	39%	59%	62%	70%
	wants Roe v Wade overturned	14%	3%	38%	8%	2%	7%	38%	22%	22%	9%	9%	10%
	a candidate's position does not matter much	23%	13%	26%	34%	8%	34%	31%	26%	35%	23%	25%	17%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	4%	9%	4%	1%	8%	9%	8%	5%	9%	4%	3%
	Unweighted n	1166	539	310	266	431	335	382	228	137	248	200	245

		Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
		Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
Q24. In general, are you more likely to support a candidate who [ROTATE 1 and 2] [1] wants Roe v Wade kept in place [OR] [2] wants Roe v Wade overturned [3] or does a candidate's position not matter much?	wants Roe v Wade kept in place	60%	50%	59%	48%	66%	43%	59%	70%	60%	56%	60%	53%
	wants Roe v Wade overturned	12%	23%	15%	15%	13%	16%	16%	6%	9%	16%	14%	14%
	a candidate's position does not matter much	23%	21%	19%	29%	17%	31%	20%	22%	25%	22%	21%	28%
	(VOL) don't know	5%	5%	7%	7%	4%	10%	5%	3%	5%	6%	5%	5%
	Unweighted n	941	201	163	616	549	200	737	192	231	934	918	245

		Education			Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership	
		High school only	Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent
Q24. In general, are you more likely to support a candidate who [ROTATE 1 and 2] [1] wants Roe v Wade kept in place [OR] [2] wants Roe v Wade overturned [3] or does a candidate's position not matter much?	wants Roe v Wade kept in place	45%	52%	69%	48%	58%	67%	58%	58%	55%	61%
	wants Roe v Wade overturned	12%	16%	12%	14%	12%	11%	15%	6%	15%	13%
	a candidate's position does not matter much	34%	26%	15%	30%	26%	19%	22%	28%	24%	20%
	(VOL) don't know	8%	6%	4%	8%	4%	2%	5%	8%	6%	5%
	Unweighted n	168	295	698	235	276	529	1031	135	803	329

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q25. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year— extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, not at all enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic? (VOL) don't know Unweighted n	extremely enthusiastic	17%	14%	23%	16%	18%	10%	22%	24%	20%	15%	14%	16%
	very enthusiastic	21%	20%	27%	16%	21%	14%	27%	21%	20%	16%	25%	18%
	somewhat enthusiastic	34%	39%	22%	34%	41%	34%	26%	35%	38%	32%	21%	39%
	not too enthusiastic	15%	16%	12%	19%	12%	23%	10%	7%	8%	21%	21%	16%
	not at all enthusiastic	12%	10%	15%	15%	8%	17%	14%	13%	13%	16%	17%	8%
	(VOL) don't know	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	3%
	Unweighted n	1178	541	317	268	430	338	391	229	139	251	203	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q25. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year— extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, not at all enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic? (VOL) don't know Unweighted n	extremely enthusiastic	17%	19%	17%	15%	18%	12%	20%	12%	7%	22%	17%	15%
	very enthusiastic	19%	28%	19%	24%	17%	16%	26%	12%	17%	23%	21%	18%
	somewhat enthusiastic	35%	34%	27%	34%	35%	42%	31%	36%	42%	30%	35%	33%
	not too enthusiastic	15%	9%	23%	11%	19%	16%	11%	23%	19%	13%	13%	21%
	not at all enthusiastic	12%	10%	13%	15%	10%	13%	10%	15%	15%	11%	12%	13%
	(VOL) don't know	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	0%
	Unweighted n	948	203	165	623	554	202	742	195	233	944	927	248

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q25. How enthusiastic would you say you are about voting for Congress this year— extremely enthusiastic, very enthusiastic, somewhat enthusiastic, not too enthusiastic, not at all enthusiastic, or not at all enthusiastic? (VOL) don't know Unweighted n	extremely enthusiastic	12%	17%	18%	13%	14%	17%	17%	12%	19%	13%
	very enthusiastic	18%	18%	24%	15%	22%	22%	21%	20%	22%	20%
	somewhat enthusiastic	33%	34%	36%	32%	40%	35%	33%	41%	36%	33%
	not too enthusiastic	25%	13%	12%	17%	13%	17%	14%	19%	13%	18%
	not at all enthusiastic	11%	16%	9%	23%	11%	7%	13%	7%	9%	15%
	(VOL) don't know	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	Unweighted n	170	301	702	239	280	533	1042	136	811	332

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	Likely voters	Party			Ideology			Region					
		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q26. Given Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you support or oppose the United States and its European allies imposing economic sanctions on Russia?	support, even if higher energy prices	63%	66%	54%	63%	73%	60%	54%	57%	56%	67%	58%	68%
	support, but not if higher energy prices	10%	9%	12%	14%	7%	11%	12%	13%	5%	11%	16%	6%
	support, but don't know	7%	8%	10%	2%	5%	8%	7%	9%	13%	5%	7%	5%
	oppose	14%	11%	17%	16%	9%	14%	21%	14%	21%	14%	10%	11%
	(VOL) don't know	6%	6%	8%	5%	5%	7%	5%	6%	5%	4%	9%	9%
	Unweighted n	1168	540	311	265	431	335	384	225	137	250	201	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q26. Given Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you support or oppose the United States and its European allies imposing economic sanctions on Russia?	support, even if higher energy prices	65%	65%	61%	66%	61%	52%	71%	59%	57%	67%	63%	64%
	support, but not if higher energy prices	9%	12%	13%	7%	12%	11%	8%	13%	12%	9%	10%	11%
	support, but don't know	6%	4%	5%	7%	6%	13%	4%	5%	8%	6%	7%	6%
	oppose	13%	16%	12%	14%	14%	17%	12%	17%	17%	12%	14%	13%
	(VOL) don't know	7%	3%	9%	6%	7%	8%	5%	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
	Unweighted n	943	200	165	617	550	201	737	192	231	936	919	246

	Education			Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
	High school only	Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q26. Given Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you support or oppose the United States and its European allies imposing economic sanctions on Russia?	support, even if higher energy prices	50%	58%	73%	54%	64%	71%	63%	61%	69%	57%
	support, but not if higher energy prices	15%	11%	7%	13%	13%	6%	10%	7%	9%	12%
	support, but don't know	5%	8%	5%	6%	9%	4%	6%	11%	5%	8%
	oppose	20%	16%	10%	18%	11%	15%	14%	14%	11%	17%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	7%	4%	9%	3%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%
	Unweighted n	168	297	698	235	279	530	1033	135	804	329

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q27. When it comes to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you think that the U.S. is providing ...?	too much support	13%	6%	21%	19%	3%	16%	24%	11%	20%	10%	19%	11%
	not enough support	21%	20%	23%	17%	20%	23%	19%	27%	19%	20%	15%	27%
	about the right amount of support	41%	49%	28%	33%	56%	32%	32%	32%	39%	44%	42%	39%
	Not sure	25%	24%	27%	31%	20%	29%	25%	29%	22%	27%	24%	23%
	Unweighted n	1174	539	315	267	429	338	388	228	139	249	203	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
Q27. When it comes to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you think that the U.S. is providing ...?	too much support	13%	15%	18%	15%	11%	17%	14%	9%	13%	14%	12%	16%
	not enough support	21%	19%	17%	22%	19%	18%	23%	19%	22%	20%	19%	24%
	about the right amount of support	41%	43%	43%	43%	39%	37%	42%	40%	36%	43%	43%	34%
	Not sure	24%	22%	22%	20%	31%	28%	21%	33%	29%	24%	26%	25%
	Unweighted n	944	203	165	619	554	202	743	192	232	941	925	246

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
Q27. When it comes to Russia's invasion of Ukraine, do you think that the U.S. is providing ...?	too much support	10%	19%	10%	14%	15%	11%	14%	10%	15%	12%
	not enough support	25%	20%	19%	26%	21%	18%	22%	13%	18%	22%
	about the right amount of support	39%	34%	48%	35%	36%	49%	38%	54%	41%	42%
	Not sure	25%	28%	23%	25%	27%	22%	26%	23%	26%	24%
	Unweighted n	169	300	702	239	278	532	1039	135	811	329

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
Q31. Overall, do you think public policy decisions made through the initiative process by California voters are probably better or probably worse than public policy decisions made by the governor and state legislature?	probably better	55%	47%	65%	65%	50%	55%	63%	56%	53%	55%	60%	54%
	probably worse	29%	38%	20%	24%	34%	30%	23%	24%	33%	34%	28%	33%
	(VOL) same	4%	2%	3%	6%	3%	5%	5%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	13%	12%	5%	13%	10%	9%	18%	11%	7%	7%	8%
	Unweighted n	1165	532	315	265	424	335	387	227	138	249	202	242

		Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household	
		Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes
Q31. Overall, do you think public policy decisions made through the initiative process by California voters are probably better or probably worse than public policy decisions made by the governor and state legislature?	probably better	55%	56%	55%	56%	54%	63%	55%	52%	63%	51%	52%	65%
	probably worse	30%	28%	39%	31%	28%	27%	29%	32%	23%	33%	32%	23%
	(VOL) same	4%	4%	1%	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%	3%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	12%	5%	9%	13%	6%	13%	11%	9%	12%	12%	10%
	Unweighted n	936	203	161	617	547	198	737	194	230	934	919	243

		Education			Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership	
		High school only	Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent
Q31. Overall, do you think public policy decisions made through the initiative process by California voters are probably better or probably worse than public policy decisions made by the governor and state legislature?	probably better	63%	59%	49%	54%	59%	52%	56%	52%	53%	59%
	probably worse	24%	27%	33%	31%	32%	32%	28%	35%	31%	26%
	(VOL) same	3%	5%	4%	4%	0%	6%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	9%	13%	12%	8%	10%	12%	8%	12%	11%
	Unweighted n	168	298	694	237	277	526	1032	133	802	328

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q32. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 11 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	53%	56%	46%	61%	60%	51%	47%	52%	48%	52%	55%	62%
	mostly a bad thing	19%	17%	24%	16%	11%	20%	27%	26%	22%	19%	16%	12%
	(VOL) mixed	3%	1%	5%	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%	0%	0%	6%	3%
	(VOL) don't know	25%	26%	25%	18%	27%	25%	24%	19%	30%	29%	23%	23%
	Unweighted n	1167	534	314	267	429	334	387	227	136	249	202	244

	Congressional district	Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household			
			Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No
<b>Q32. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 11 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	55%	48%	58%	54%	52%	61%	51%	54%	56%	51%	54%	49%
	mostly a bad thing	18%	22%	19%	22%	16%	18%	21%	13%	15%	21%	20%	16%
	(VOL) mixed	3%	1%	4%	4%	3%	0%	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%
	(VOL) don't know	25%	28%	18%	20%	29%	20%	24%	29%	27%	24%	23%	32%
	Unweighted n	938	202	162	615	551	201	738	190	232	934	918	246

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q32. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 11 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	60%	50%	53%	51%	55%	54%	52%	60%	51%	52%
	mostly a bad thing	20%	20%	17%	27%	15%	18%	20%	11%	21%	17%
	(VOL) mixed	2%	2%	4%	4%	1%	5%	4%	0%	5%	1%
	(VOL) don't know	17%	28%	26%	18%	29%	24%	24%	29%	23%	30%
	Unweighted n	168	298	697	237	278	529	1032	135	804	329

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q33. Overall, do you feel passing Proposition 13 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	64%	56%	75%	70%	56%	64%	75%	75%	45%	65%	60%	64%
	mostly a bad thing	21%	29%	13%	15%	30%	19%	13%	12%	31%	20%	27%	26%
	(VOL) mixed	2%	2%	0%	5%	2%	3%	0%	0%	1%	2%	5%	2%
	(VOL) don't know	12%	13%	12%	10%	12%	13%	12%	13%	23%	13%	8%	9%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	1176	539	316	268	430	336	391	229	139	250	202	246

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q33. Overall, do you feel passing Proposition 13 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	67%	64%	78%	64%	65%	63%	69%	57%	55%	70%	65%	64%
	mostly a bad thing	22%	17%	14%	24%	19%	20%	20%	25%	24%	19%	22%	17%
	(VOL) mixed	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	5%
	(VOL) don't know	10%	18%	7%	10%	14%	15%	9%	15%	18%	9%	11%	14%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	946	203	163	623	552	202	741	194	233	942	926	247

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q33. Overall, do you feel passing Proposition 13 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	66%	70%	60%	64%	67%	61%	65%	61%	72%	53%
	mostly a bad thing	20%	16%	26%	20%	20%	26%	20%	27%	17%	25%
	(VOL) mixed	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	0%	3%	1%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	13%	11%	15%	12%	10%	12%	13%	8%	21%
	<b>Unweighted n</b>	169	299	703	237	279	533	1040	136	810	331

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		Dem	Rep	Ind	Lib	Mod	Con	Central Valley	Inland Empire	Los Angeles	Orange/San Diego	SF Bay Area	
<b>Q34. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 14 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	62%	67%	49%	67%	70%	66%	48%	53%	53%	64%	72%	61%
	mostly a bad thing	25%	19%	35%	27%	15%	26%	38%	32%	36%	27%	14%	24%
	(VOL) mixed	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	(VOL) don't know	12%	14%	15%	5%	15%	8%	14%	12%	11%	9%	13%	14%
	Unweighted n	1167	533	315	266	427	333	388	229	136	247	202	244

	Congressional district		Competitive CD	Gender		Race/Ethnicity			Age		Children in Household		
	Democratic district	Republican district	Competitive	Male	Female	Latinos	Whites	Other	18-44	45+	No	Yes	
<b>Q34. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 14 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	64%	59%	65%	59%	64%	69%	59%	69%	71%	57%	61%	65%
	mostly a bad thing	25%	23%	25%	29%	21%	22%	27%	18%	17%	29%	26%	22%
	(VOL) mixed	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	(VOL) don't know	11%	17%	9%	11%	14%	8%	13%	13%	12%	12%	12%	13%
	Unweighted n	939	201	161	617	549	200	738	192	231	935	917	247

	High school only	Education		Annual Household Income			Nativity		Home Ownership		
		Some college education	College Graduate	<\$40k	\$40k-\$79k	\$80k+	Native	Naturalized	Own	Rent	
<b>Q34. Overall, do you feel that passing Proposition 14 turned out to be mostly a good thing for California or mostly a bad thing?</b>	mostly a good thing	64%	59%	64%	58%	55%	73%	61%	65%	57%	68%
	mostly a bad thing	26%	28%	22%	29%	29%	16%	26%	18%	30%	19%
	(VOL) mixed	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	(VOL) don't know	10%	12%	13%	11%	15%	11%	12%	17%	13%	12%
	Unweighted n	165	300	697	236	279	529	1031	136	804	328

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