

Appendix 6: Responses by Party Affiliation

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T=Total
R=Republican
D=Democrat
I=Independent
O=Other

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1	To begin with, all in all, on a 0 to 10 scale, where 0 is "extremely poorly", 10 is "extremely well," and 5 is exactly in the middle, how well or poorly would you say the system of democracy in California works these days?	Well	21%	12%	26%	25%	5.6%	38%	35%	42%	40%	19%
		Undecided	18%	24%	18%	8%	22%	15%	11%	15%	19%	19%
		Not well	61%	64%	55%	68%	72%	47%	55%	44%	42%	63%
2a	Creating a formal review process to allow an initiative's proponents to amend an initiative following public input	Desirable	60%	54%	63%	64%	50%	76%	72%	80%	74%	63%
		Undecided	19%	25%	18%	13%	20%	9%	11%	7%	10%	5%
		Undesirable	21%	21%	19%	23%	30%	16%	18%	13%	16%	32%
2b	Allowing the Legislature to remove an initiative from the ballot by enacting it into law	Desirable	37%	33%	42%	34%	35%	34%	31%	41%	25%	22%
		Undecided	14%	11%	16%	10%	25%	17%	16%	17%	20%	6%
		Undesirable	49%	56%	43%	56%	40%	49%	53%	42%	55%	72%
2c	Allowing a simple majority of the State Legislature to place a countermeasure to an already qualified initiative on the ballot next to that initiative	Desirable	32%	29%	38%	26%	26%	30%	25%	32%	33%	26%
		Undecided	17%	22%	17%	15%	0%	13%	19%	12%	4%	16%
		Undesirable	50%	50%	45%	58%	74%	58%	56%	56%	63%	58%
2d	Allowing the Legislature to amend an initiative that has already passed, subject to a public review and the agreement of the initiative's proponents	Desirable	43%	33%	51%	40%	42%	37%	30%	45%	28%	53%
		Undecided	13%	15%	14%	10%	11%	12%	14%	14%	7%	5%
		Undesirable	44%	51%	36%	51%	47%	51%	57%	41%	65%	42%
2e	Allowing the Legislature to amend an initiative that has already passed, subject to a two-thirds vote, even if an initiative's proponents do not agree with the amendment	Desirable	25%	16%	33%	20%	22%	18%	14%	22%	15%	11%
		Undecided	15%	16%	14%	16%	11%	9%	7%	11%	7%	16%
		Undesirable	61%	68%	53%	65%	67%	73%	79%	67%	78%	74%
2f	Allowing an initiative's proponents to withdraw it after it qualifies for the ballot	Desirable	47%	40%	54%	46%	37%	57%	59%	59%	50%	47%
		Undecided	21%	29%	17%	17%	26%	17%	19%	15%	20%	5%
		Undesirable	32%	32%	29%	38%	37%	26%	22%	25%	31%	47%
2g	Allowing an initiative's proponents to withdraw it after it qualifies for the ballot	Desirable	88%	87%	90%	91%	78%	84%	86%	83%	84%	82%
		Undecided	6%	9%	6%	3%	11%	7%	5%	9%	7%	0%
		Undesirable	5%	5%	5%	7%	11%	9%	9%	8%	10%	18%
2h	Requiring all ballot measures that require new expenditures to indicate how they will be paid for	Desirable	87%	84%	87%	88%	95%	91%	92%	92%	92%	67%
		Undecided	7%	9%	7%	7%	0%	5%	3%	5%	4%	17%
		Undesirable	6%	7%	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	17%
2i	Requiring the ballot pamphlet to provide an analysis by the Legislative Analyst of how new initiative programs will likely be paid for	Desirable	67%	59%	74%	62%	65%	67%	59%	71%	70%	78%
		Undecided	20%	25%	19%	17%	24%	19%	17%	21%	22%	11%
		Undesirable	13%	16%	8%	21%	12%	13%	24%	9%	9%	11%
2j	Making the vote threshold needed to pass an initiative the same as any vote threshold that the initiative itself requires of the public in the future	Desirable	82%	77%	87%	78%	85%	91%	87%	94%	91%	89%
		Undecided	9%	14%	6%	11%	0%	4%	4%	5%	3%	0%
		Undesirable	8%	9%	6%	11%	15%	5%	9%	1%	7%	11%

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2k	Increasing the number of Assembly districts from 80 to 120	Desirable	61%	54%	63%	62%	71%		62%	56%	68%	55%	78%
		Undecided	17%	13%	21%	17%	0%		17%	15%	18%	21%	0%
		Undesirable	23%	33%	16%	22%	29%		21%	30%	14%	25%	22%
2l	Expanding the size of districts and electing more than one legislative representative from each district	Desirable	48%	36%	52%	50%	71%		49%	36%	53%	51%	71%
		Undecided	19%	21%	19%	19%	6%		17%	21%	17%	14%	6%
		Undesirable	33%	43%	29%	31%	24%		34%	43%	30%	34%	24%
2m	Replacing the current State Senate and Assembly with a single house of 120 members	Desirable	32%	31%	34%	30%	31%		42%	36%	47%	42%	39%
		Undecided	25%	22%	25%	30%	25%		15%	17%	16%	8%	17%
		Undesirable	43%	47%	41%	40%	44%		43%	48%	37%	50%	44%
2n	Making the State Legislature part-time and paying legislators	Desirable	45%	59%	33%	52%	44%		26%	39%	18%	30%	18%
		Undecided	13%	13%	14%	15%	6%		9%	10%	10%	5%	12%
		Undesirable	42%	28%	54%	33%	50%		64%	51%	72%	64%	71%
2o	Reducing the length of the state legislative session and requiring legislators to spend more time in their districts	Desirable	57%	68%	49%	57%	65%		46%	60%	39%	45%	33%
		Undecided	19%	15%	22%	22%	12%		18%	17%	18%	21%	11%
		Undesirable	24%	17%	30%	22%	24%		36%	23%	43%	34%	56%
2p	Allowing voters to rank the candidates in order of preference, so that the winner can be decided without a second election	Desirable	61%	49%	67%	63%	68%		57%	43%	63%	62%	61%
		Undecided	13%	19%	10%	10%	11%		13%	22%	10%	8%	6%
		Undesirable	26%	32%	23%	27%	21%		30%	35%	27%	30%	33%
2q	Lengthening Assembly terms from 2 years to 4, and Senate terms from 4 years to 6	Desirable	46%	36%	58%	30%	56%		81%	77%	87%	74%	84%
		Undecided	14%	13%	16%	14%	0%		8%	10%	7%	10%	5%
		Undesirable	40%	51%	26%	56%	44%		11%	14%	6%	16%	11%
2r	Requiring economic impact analyses of major legislation before passage	Desirable	89%	86%	87%	92%	100%		90%	89%	91%	89%	83%
		Undecided	8%	11%	10%	3%	0%		5%	4%	6%	4%	6%
		Undesirable	3%	3%	3%	5%	0%		5%	7%	3%	7%	11%
2s	Establishing clear goals for each government program and assessing whether progress is being made toward these goals at least once every ten years	Desirable	86%	77%	89%	92%	85%		90%	91%	90%	89%	79%
		Undecided	8%	14%	7%	3%	5%		6%	4%	8%	1%	16%
		Undesirable	6%	9%	3%	5%	10%		5%	4%	3%	9%	5%
2t	Requiring the Governor and the Legislature to adopt two-year instead of one-year budgets	Desirable	57%	59%	59%	49%	59%		73%	71%	75%	66%	88%
		Undecided	25%	20%	28%	26%	29%		15%	15%	17%	11%	0%
		Undesirable	18%	21%	13%	25%	12%		13%	14%	8%	23%	12%
2u	Requiring the Governor and the Legislature to publish three and five year budget projections prior to the budget vote each year	Desirable	81%	81%	81%	80%	78%		83%	84%	80%	88%	89%
		Undecided	12%	10%	13%	11%	11%		9%	11%	11%	5%	0%
		Undesirable	8%	8%	6%	8%	11%		7%	5%	9%	7%	11%
2v	Transferring from the state to local governments control and financing of services provided at the local level <i>and</i> requiring minimum standards for delivering them	Desirable	66%	65%	65%	69%	74%		73%	74%	74%	73%	58%
		Undecided	16%	19%	17%	13%	5%		14%	15%	13%	14%	16%
		Undesirable	17%	15%	18%	18%	21%		13%	11%	13%	14%	26%
2w	Allowing local governments to raise taxes for local services in exchange for increased coordination of service delivery and public reporting of performance	Desirable	55%	42%	63%	52%	65%		63%	63%	69%	49%	53%
		Undecided	15%	15%	14%	18%	6%		16%	15%	14%	21%	16%
		Undesirable	30%	43%	23%	30%	29%		22%	22%	17%	30%	32%
2x	Creating a stable source of funds for regional priorities by dedicating a portion of tax revenue from economic growth to those priorities	Desirable	67%	56%	72%	68%	75%		67%	54%	75%	70%	61%
		Undecided	22%	28%	18%	23%	13%		21%	32%	17%	19%	11%
		Undesirable	12%	16%	10%	10%	13%		11%	14%	8%	11%	28%

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2y	Direct any savings resulting from successful local management of state resources to those local governments, in exchange for monitoring their own performance and being accountable and innovative in their operations	Desirable	75%	73%	75%	77%	78%		76%	84%	72%	78%	67%
		Undecided	13%	15%	13%	12%	0%		12%	12%	15%	7%	6%
		Undesirable	12%	12%	12%	11%	22%		12%	4%	14%	15%	28%
2z	Requiring state and local governments to identify policy goals and publish their progress toward meeting them	Desirable	89%	86%	92%	86%	89%		92%	96%	90%	91%	89%
		Undecided	7%	7%	7%	7%	0%		5%	3%	6%	8%	0%
		Undesirable	4%	6%	2%	7%	11%		3%	1%	4%	1%	11%
2aa	Requiring legislation creating new programs that cost \$25 million or more to indicate how they will be paid for	Desirable	91%	92%	88%	95%	90%		90%	96%	87%	89%	83%
		Undecided	5%	3%	7%	5%	0%		5%	2%	9%	4%	0%
		Undesirable	4%	5%	5%	0%	10%		5%	3%	4%	7%	17%
2ab	Requiring legislation creating tax cuts that cost \$25 million or more to indicate how they will be paid for	Desirable	84%	75%	90%	82%	80%		84%	81%	90%	78%	72%
		Undecided	6%	8%	7%	3%	0%		8%	10%	6%	11%	0%
		Undesirable	10%	17%	3%	15%	20%		8%	9%	4%	11%	28%
2ac	Requiring legislation creating new programs or tax cuts that cost \$25 million or more to indicate how they will be paid for	Desirable	84%	76%	89%	84%	84%		88%	88%	90%	83%	78%
		Undecided	8%	14%	7%	4%	0%		7%	6%	6%	11%	0%
		Undesirable	8%	10%	4%	12%	16%		6%	5%	4%	7%	22%
2ad	Requiring that one-time revenue spikes only be spent on one-time projects, paying off debt, and filling the state rainy-day fund	Desirable	80%	77%	81%	82%	79%		84%	89%	83%	81%	84%
		Undecided	12%	13%	14%	6%	11%		7%	6%	7%	9%	0%
		Undesirable	8%	11%	5%	12%	11%		9%	4%	11%	9%	16%
2ae	Increasing the size of the State's rainy-day fund from 5% to 10% of the State budget	Desirable	66%	64%	67%	67%	60%		67%	75%	67%	55%	76%
		Undecided	21%	20%	20%	19%	33%		19%	14%	20%	26%	6%
		Undesirable	13%	16%	13%	13%	7%		14%	12%	14%	19%	18%
2af	Applying the sales tax to services as well as goods while reducing the sales tax rate	Desirable	38%	30%	44%	39%	35%		45%	38%	51%	41%	39%
		Undecided	17%	21%	17%	16%	12%		14%	15%	14%	17%	6%
		Undesirable	45%	50%	40%	46%	53%		41%	47%	35%	42%	56%
2ag	Applying the sales tax to services as well as goods while keeping the current sales tax rate	Desirable	23%	14%	32%	22%	12%		20%	12%	25%	16%	28%
		Undecided	16%	15%	17%	14%	6%		10%	10%	13%	7%	0%
		Undesirable	61%	71%	51%	64%	82%		70%	79%	62%	77%	72%
2ah	Limiting the current California state income tax deduction for home mortgage interest payments to \$25,000 per year	Desirable	43%	35%	52%	35%	47%		44%	29%	52%	49%	37%
		Undecided	21%	22%	20%	21%	20%		17%	19%	19%	10%	11%
		Undesirable	36%	43%	29%	44%	33%		40%	52%	29%	41%	53%
2ai	Reassessing non-residential property more frequently than now	Desirable	53%	30%	65%	58%	56%		72%	54%	86%	65%	67%
		Undecided	20%	23%	22%	12%	17%		13%	18%	9%	12%	17%
		Undesirable	27%	47%	13%	29%	28%		16%	28%	5%	23%	17%
2aj	Reassessing all property values more frequently while adjusting the current property tax exemption for inflation to about \$28,000 <i>and</i> allowing the exemption to rise with property values going forward	Desirable	35%	23%	44%	30%	46%		33%	22%	42%	32%	24%
		Undecided	25%	21%	29%	27%	8%		20%	16%	23%	15%	29%
		Undesirable	40%	56%	27%	43%	46%		47%	62%	36%	53%	47%
2ak	Allowing local electorates to raise the property tax rate above the current 1% rate cap	Desirable	28%	11%	43%	16%	42%		28%	16%	40%	21%	21%
		Undecided	11%	8%	14%	9%	16%		13%	8%	19%	4%	16%
		Undesirable	61%	81%	43%	76%	42%		59%	76%	41%	75%	63%

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2a	Lowering local vote requirement to adopt taxes dedicated to specific purposes, to a simple majority so that it is the same as the vote requirement to adopt taxes for general purposes										
	Desirable	46%	27%	62%	38%	44%	42%	22%	59%	29%	50%
	Undecided	17%	19%	17%	13%	17%	16%	20%	14%	20%	6%
	Undesirable	38%	54%	22%	49%	39%	41%	58%	27%	51%	44%
2am	Decreasing the super-majority vote required in the Legislature to raise taxes (about 67%) to 55%										
	Desirable	32%	10%	49%	25%	30%	50%	21%	67%	49%	50%
	Undecided	9%	10%	9%	11%	5%	8%	8%	10%	3%	6%
	Undesirable	59%	80%	42%	64%	65%	43%	71%	23%	48%	44%
3	If the Legislature is allowed to amend an initiative that has already passed, by what sort of majority should it be able to do so?										
	A simple majority (50% plus 1)	13%	4%	19%	14%	6%	9%	7%	12%	6%	0%
	55%	18%	11%	25%	14%	24%	27%	23%	33%	21%	11%
	A two-thirds majority	69%	85%	57%	71%	71%	65%	70%	55%	73%	89%
4	Some people think that the Legislature should contain fewer Legislators, even if that means that each Legislator represents more people. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that each Legislator should represent fewer people, even if that means that the Legislature contains more Legislators. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4, and of course other people have opinions at other points between 1 and 7. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?										
	Fewer legislators	20%	27%	15%	21%	11%	10%	17%	6%	9%	5%
	Exactly in the middle	23%	22%	23%	25%	21%	20%	25%	17%	24%	11%
	More legislators	57%	51%	62%	54%	68%	70%	58%	78%	67%	84%
5	On a 0 to 10 scale, where 0 is "not at all", 10 is "as much as could reasonably be expected," and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much or little would you say the California State Legislature is able to get important things done?										
	Not at all	67%	75%	63%	66%	68%	69%	73%	65%	73%	78%
	Exactly in the middle	16%	13%	17%	18%	26%	10%	14%	9%	8%	11%
	As could be expected	17%	13%	21%	16%	5%	21%	13%	26%	19%	11%
6	On another 0 to 10 scale, where 0 is "not at all", 10 is "completely", and 5 is exactly in the middle, to what extent is the ability of the State Legislature to get things done affected by tensions between the political parties?										
	Not at all	27%	38%	19%	27%	37%	21%	25%	15%	26%	37%
	Exactly in the middle	8%	11%	6%	9%	5%	6%	10%	4%	5%	0%
	Completely	65%	52%	75%	64%	58%	73%	65%	81%	69%	63%
7	And, on another 0 to 10 scale, where 0 is completely at the local level, 10 is completely at the State level, and 5 is exactly in the middle, how much decision-making authority should there be at the local level versus the State level?										
	Local level	42%	47%	34%	49%	47%	43%	50%	39%	38%	61%
	Exactly in the middle	32%	30%	32%	34%	32%	29%	25%	29%	37%	22%
	State level	27%	23%	34%	18%	21%	27%	25%	31%	25%	17%
8	And, on the same scale, how much taxation power should there be at the local level versus State level?										
	Local level	34%	37%	30%	31%	53%	32%	37%	29%	29%	50%
	Exactly in the middle	40%	36%	42%	43%	24%	33%	36%	33%	32%	17%
	State level	27%	27%	27%	26%	24%	35%	27%	38%	39%	33%
9	On the same scale, where would you say the most important public policy decisions should be made?										
	Local level	25%	32%	16%	32%	39%	25%	31%	16%	32%	53%
	Exactly in the middle	30%	35%	26%	33%	33%	26%	32%	27%	16%	24%
	State level	44%	32%	58%	36%	28%	49%	37%	57%	53%	24%
10	On another 0 to 10 scale, where 0 is "completely by voters in referendums", 10 is "completely by the State Legislature", and 5 is exactly in the middle, how many of the State's major decisions should be made by voters in referendums versus by the State Legislature?										
	By voters in referendums	31%	36%	25%	35%	35%	29%	35%	21%	37%	33%
	Exactly in the middle	25%	31%	18%	28%	29%	26%	34%	24%	24%	17%
	By the State Legislature	45%	33%	57%	37%	35%	45%	31%	55%	39%	50%

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11	Some people think that decisions made at the local level reflect the will of the local community more closely than decisions made at the state level. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that decisions made at the local level are more dominated by powerful special interests than decisions made at the state level. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4, and of course other people have opinions at other points between 1 and 7. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?										
	Reflect local community	47%	57%	40%	44%	61%	56%	65%	52%	53%	63%
	Exactly in the middle	25%	23%	27%	27%	22%	23%	23%	23%	26%	13%
	Dominated by special interests	28%	20%	34%	30%	17%	21%	13%	25%	22%	25%
13a	Replacing the current State Senate and Assembly with a single house would make it easier to pass important legislation										
	Agree strongly	17%	17%	16%	20%	24%	24%	20%	26%	23%	33%
	Agree somewhat	35%	35%	40%	26%	18%	39%	37%	39%	41%	44%
	Neither agree nor disagree	20%	15%	21%	23%	29%	15%	15%	15%	16%	11%
	Disagree somewhat	16%	17%	16%	13%	24%	13%	19%	13%	8%	0%
	Disagree strongly	12%	15%	8%	17%	6%	9%	9%	7%	12%	11%
13b	Replacing the current State Senate and Assembly with a single house would deprive the system of important checks and balances										
	Agree strongly	31%	36%	26%	36%	44%	29%	33%	27%	26%	32%
	Agree somewhat	26%	24%	30%	23%	19%	30%	28%	32%	27%	32%
	Neither agree nor disagree	20%	21%	20%	16%	25%	14%	17%	12%	18%	0%
	Disagree somewhat	13%	13%	15%	10%	6%	18%	16%	23%	11%	16%
	Disagree strongly	9%	6%	9%	14%	6%	10%	7%	7%	19%	21%
14a	Part-time legislators will tend to represent their districts more closely										
	Agree strongly	16%	26%	6%	23%	21%	10%	16%	4%	15%	11%
	Agree somewhat	27%	29%	24%	26%	37%	22%	28%	22%	14%	16%
	Neither agree nor disagree	18%	17%	19%	19%	16%	16%	18%	15%	18%	16%
	Disagree somewhat	20%	14%	27%	17%	5%	26%	19%	28%	31%	16%
	Disagree strongly	19%	13%	23%	16%	21%	27%	19%	31%	23%	42%
14b	Part-time legislators will be less likely to be career politicians.										
	Agree strongly	30%	42%	17%	41%	39%	25%	35%	21%	20%	28%
	Agree somewhat	41%	35%	48%	30%	50%	42%	39%	40%	49%	50%
	Neither agree nor disagree	12%	10%	14%	13%	6%	12%	11%	13%	11%	6%
	Disagree somewhat	10%	5%	13%	11%	6%	11%	6%	15%	11%	6%
	Disagree strongly	7%	8%	8%	6%	0%	10%	9%	11%	9%	11%
14c	Part-time legislators will tend to be more open to corruption.										
	Agree strongly	10%	10%	12%	6%	7%	11%	12%	13%	7%	6%
	Agree somewhat	17%	10%	21%	19%	13%	20%	16%	21%	26%	11%
	Neither agree nor disagree	34%	33%	32%	39%	33%	34%	27%	40%	29%	44%
	Disagree somewhat	22%	21%	25%	14%	27%	21%	27%	18%	19%	28%
	Disagree strongly	18%	26%	11%	22%	20%	13%	19%	8%	19%	11%
14d	Part-time legislators will tend to be less well informed about policy issues.										
	Agree strongly	15%	9%	19%	14%	12%	25%	15%	34%	23%	11%
	Agree somewhat	30%	25%	36%	26%	24%	29%	31%	24%	33%	39%
	Neither agree nor disagree	20%	21%	18%	22%	12%	20%	18%	20%	17%	39%
	Disagree somewhat	20%	23%	18%	18%	35%	16%	20%	16%	11%	6%
	Disagree strongly	15%	22%	9%	19%	18%	11%	16%	6%	16%	6%
15a	Increasing State Legislators' terms will make them less responsive to their districts.										
	Agree strongly	12%	17%	5%	17%	15%	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%
	Agree somewhat	29%	32%	25%	31%	35%	13%	17%	8%	17%	21%
	Neither agree nor disagree	21%	21%	20%	24%	15%	17%	17%	15%	20%	21%
	Disagree somewhat	26%	21%	33%	21%	15%	39%	35%	45%	32%	26%
	Disagree strongly	12%	8%	17%	7%	20%	27%	25%	29%	28%	26%
15b	Increasing State Legislators' terms will let them spend less time fundraising and campaigning and more time legislating.										
	Agree strongly	26%	19%	28%	26%	41%	43%	35%	49%	40%	47%
	Agree somewhat	42%	42%	43%	40%	41%	39%	45%	36%	37%	42%
	Neither agree nor disagree	13%	15%	12%	15%	0%	9%	9%	8%	15%	0%
	Disagree somewhat	11%	14%	11%	8%	12%	5%	8%	3%	5%	5%
	Disagree strongly	8%	10%	6%	10%	6%	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%

Appendix 6: Responses by Party Affiliation

(#)	Question	T	R	D	I	O	T	R	D	I	O
16a	Arnold Schwarzenegger										
	Extremely dissatisfied	76%	65%	81%	77%	83%	75%	61%	83%	78%	74%
	Exactly in the middle	12%	17%	11%	8%	11%	14%	24%	9%	8%	21%
	Extremely satisfied	12%	18%	7%	15%	6%	11%	15%	8%	14%	5%
16b	Jerry Brown										
	Extremely dissatisfied	30%	55%	11%	43%	22%	25%	47%	8%	34%	38%
	Exactly in the middle	20%	27%	17%	16%	28%	21%	31%	16%	18%	13%
	Extremely satisfied	49%	18%	73%	40%	50%	54%	22%	76%	48%	50%
16c	California State Senate										
	Extremely dissatisfied	69%	82%	60%	73%	67%	68%	78%	62%	71%	61%
	Exactly in the middle	19%	15%	22%	16%	13%	14%	16%	21%	14%	22%
	Extremely satisfied	12%	3%	18%	11%	20%	13%	6%	17%	14%	17%
16d	California State Assembly										
	Extremely dissatisfied	68%	78%	60%	73%	60%	71%	74%	70%	68%	67%
	Exactly in the middle	19%	18%	22%	15%	13%	16%	17%	15%	15%	17%
	Extremely satisfied	13%	4%	17%	12%	27%	13%	8%	14%	17%	17%
16e	California State Legislature										
	Extremely dissatisfied	72%	81%	63%	74%	76%	70%	77%	70%	61%	74%
	Exactly in the middle	18%	18%	21%	14%	12%	18%	15%	18%	23%	11%
	Extremely satisfied	10%	1%	16%	12%	12%	12%	8%	13%	16%	16%
16f	California's initiative/referendum process										
	Extremely dissatisfied	50%	44%	56%	48%	50%	37%	25%	49%	26%	42%
	Exactly in the middle	22%	22%	21%	23%	21%	19%	23%	17%	20%	0%
	Extremely satisfied	28%	34%	23%	30%	29%	44%	52%	33%	54%	58%
16g	California's State government										
	Extremely dissatisfied	72%	83%	64%	72%	74%	64%	75%	55%	71%	63%
	Exactly in the middle	15%	9%	21%	10%	16%	19%	18%	23%	11%	16%
	Extremely satisfied	13%	8%	14%	17%	11%	17%	7%	22%	19%	21%
16h	Your city/town and county's government										
	Extremely dissatisfied	37%	34%	35%	40%	61%	28%	31%	24%	29%	42%
	Exactly in the middle	20%	20%	23%	14%	17%	20%	20%	21%	17%	11%
	Extremely satisfied	43%	46%	43%	46%	22%	52%	49%	54%	53%	47%
16i	California's local governments generally										
	Extremely dissatisfied	39%	38%	34%	45%	67%	30%	30%	27%	35%	50%
	Exactly in the middle	29%	33%	33%	19%	13%	32%	34%	31%	32%	25%
	Extremely satisfied	32%	29%	33%	36%	20%	38%	36%	42%	32%	25%
18	Some people think that local communities should be able to decide their own taxes and services, even if that means big differences between communities. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that taxes and services should be the same throughout the state, even if that means less local control. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?										
	Local communities decide	39%	50%	30%	41%	40%	42%	52%	37%	37%	53%
	Exactly in the middle	21%	27%	20%	14%	20%	20%	25%	17%	21%	21%
	Same throughout the state	41%	24%	50%	45%	40%	38%	24%	46%	42%	26%
19	Some people think that government should provide certain benefits and services, even if that means higher taxes. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that government should lower taxes, even if that means reduced benefits and services. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?										
	Provide benefits and services, even if that means higher taxes	46%	16%	67%	40%	47%	57%	27%	78%	48%	56%
	Exactly in the middle	18%	20%	15%	20%	16%	15%	23%	11%	17%	6%
	Lower taxes, even if that means reducing benefits and services	37%	64%	18%	40%	37%	28%	50%	11%	35%	39%

Appendix 6: Responses by Party Affiliation

(#)	Question	T	R	D	I	O	T	R	D	I	O
20	<p>Some people think that majorities should always have their way no matter how big the minorities are or how strongly they feel. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that minorities should have their way when they are large enough or feel strongly enough. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?</p>										
	Majorities always have their way	34%	39%	34%	28%	37%	37%	35%	37%	40%	28%
	Exactly in the middle	33%	33%	31%	39%	26%	33%	37%	31%	30%	33%
	Minorities have their way	33%	28%	35%	33%	37%	31%	28%	32%	30%	39%
21	<p>Some people think that the best society is one in which nobody can tell anybody else what to do, even if there is a cost to others. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that the best society is one in which the community can decide together what people can and cannot do, even if some people object. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?</p>										
	Nobody can tell anybody else what to do	18%	22%	11%	24%	30%	20%	25%	11%	29%	37%
	Exactly in the middle	19%	20%	17%	19%	25%	22%	24%	21%	24%	26%
	Community can decide	64%	58%	72%	57%	45%	58%	51%	68%	47%	37%
22	<p>Some people think that the best government is one in which everyone gets to vote directly on making the laws. Suppose these people are at one end of a 1-to-7 scale, at point 1. Other people think that the best government is one in which everyone gets to vote for representatives who then vote on making the laws. Suppose these people are at the other end of the scale, at point 7. People who are exactly in the middle are at point 4. Where would you place yourself on this scale, or wouldn't you have any opinion about that?</p>										
	Everyone votes on laws	34%	36%	28%	39%	60%	34%	39%	30%	38%	26%
	Exactly in the middle	20%	17%	24%	18%	10%	16%	20%	14%	16%	26%
	Representatives vote on laws	46%	47%	48%	43%	30%	50%	41%	57%	46%	47%