Votes

113th Congress

How the 113th Congress divides when it is called to vote. 1,862 roll calls, 1,858 of them recording a position from every member present.

69.8% split along party lines

On 1,296 of 1,858 recorded votes, a majority of Democrats and a majority of Republicans landed on opposite sides. Across every vote cast, members broke with their own side 7.1% of the time, and 68.9% of the questions put to a vote carried.

Roll calls by month — Jan 2013 to Dec 2014

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Roll calls	Party-line	Crossing rate	Carried
1,862	**69.8%**	**7.1%**	**68.9%**
Every recorded vote	Votes splitting the two parties	Votes cast against a member's own majority	Passed, agreed or confirmed

Sections

House	Chamber	1,201 votes, 70.4% party-line
Senate	Chamber	657 votes, 68.5% party-line
Bills and resolutions	Question put	1,304 votes, 71.7% party-line
Nominations	Question put	366 votes, 68.0% party-line
Other questions	Question put	188 votes, 59.6% party-line

The twelve closest roll calls

Chamber	Vote	Question	Yea	Nay	Margin	Party gap
Senate	268	On the Motion to Table S.Amdt. 3852 to S.Amdt. 3851 to H.J.Res....	50	50	0	90.6%
House	291	On Agreeing to the Amendment	213	213	0	88.3%
Senate	56	On the Amendment S.Amdt. 651 to S.Con.Res. 8 (No short title on...	49	50	1	90.4%
Senate	87	On the Motion (Motion to Waive CBA Re: Lee Amdt. No. 673)	50	49	1	86.2%
Senate	92	On the Resolution S.Con.Res. 8	50	49	1	92.3%
Senate	18	On the Amendment S.Amdt. 2700 to S. 1926 (No short title on fil...	49	50	1	90.1%
Senate	229	On the Motion (Motion to Waive All Applicable Budgetary Discipl...	48	49	1	92.2%
House	301	On Agreeing to the Amendment	209	210	1	91.4%
House	290	On Agreeing to the Amendment	210	209	1	82.4%
Senate	27	On Cloture on the Motion to Proceed S. 388	51	49	2	92.5%
Senate	35	On the Motion to Table S.Amdt. 33 to S.Amdt. 26 to H.R. 933 (De...	48	50	2	92.2%
Senate	171	On the Cloture Motion S. 1238	51	49	2	96.2%

96.1% of all available votes were cast; of the 524 members who served the full period, half missed 2.4% of their votes or fewer. Party gap is the distance between each party's rate of voting yes. Quorum calls and Speaker elections are not counted, because they record a name rather than a position.

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