

TABLE 11

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS

The question was: "And 5 years from now, do you expect that you (and your family living there) will be better off financially, worse off, or just about the same as now?"

(Note: Prior to 1972 a four year horizon was used)

<u>Date of Survey</u>		<u>Better Off</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>Worse Off</u>	<u>DK, NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Relative</u>	<u>Cases</u>
August	1968	43	28	8	21	100	135	1322
May	1969	50	27	11	12	100	139	1518
November	1970	43	22	12	23	100	131	1402
November	1971	45	19	8	28	100	137	1303
May	1972	50	28	6	16	100	144	1297
August	1972	49	27	7	17	100	142	1218
August	1974	37	27	15	21	100	122	1421
February	1975	44	26	12	18	100	132	1374
August	1976	46	26	10	18	100	136	1372
November	1976	46	26	12	16	100	134	1254
May	1977	45	31	16	8	100	129	1370
November	1977	41	34	16	9	100	125	1280
February	1979	37	34	21	8	100	116	1361
July	1979	34	34	25	7	100	109	1173
August	1979	38	34	22	6	100	116	1212
February	1980	39	29	26	6	100	113	1019
July	1980	45	30	16	9	100	129	668
August	1980	41	34	16	9	100	125	658
September	1980	45	28	18	9	100	127	682
January	1981	41	30	18	11	100	123	697
February	1981	44	27	20	9	100	124	668
March	1981	46	26	19	9	100	127	703
July	1981	43	32	17	8	100	126	694
August	1981	51	27	16	6	100	135	696
September	1981	48	27	17	8	100	131	680
January	1982	50	30	14	6	100	136	704
February	1982	47	30	17	6	100	130	700
March	1982	48	31	17	4	100	131	684
July	1982	50	32	12	6	100	138	708
August	1982	49	29	15	7	100	134	680
September	1982	48	28	18	6	100	130	695
January	1983	47	30	17	6	100	130	682
February	1983	52	26	14	8	100	138	709
March	1983	57	24	14	5	100	143	696
July	1983	51	33	12	4	100	139	680
August	1983	55	27	12	6	100	143	673
September	1983	51	31	12	6	100	139	704
January	1984	51	32	11	6	100	140	681
February	1984	56	29	10	5	100	146	687
March	1984	54	30	11	5	100	143	700
July	1984	50	33	11	6	100	139	656
August	1984	57	28	10	5	100	147	692
September	1984	53	29	10	8	100	143	690

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January	1985	47	35	11	7	100	136	640
February	1985	50	32	14	4	100	136	655
July	1985	49	34	12	5	100	137	641
August	1985	47	36	12	5	100	135	650
September	1985	49	31	14	6	100	135	654
July	2011	40	39	17	4	100	123	480
August	2011	38	37	22	3	100	116	506
September	2011	41	37	18	4	100	123	506
October	2011	41	39	17	3	100	124	502
November	2011	40	41	15	4	100	125	502
December	2011	41	37	17	5	100	124	496
January	2012	44	37	14	5	100	130	501
February	2012	40	39	17	4	100	123	501
March	2012	44	37	15	4	100	129	505
April	2012	41	37	18	4	100	123	505
May	2012	42	37	16	5	100	126	501
June	2012	40	36	21	3	100	119	495
July	2012	41	37	17	5	100	124	510
August	2012	39	36	19	6	100	120	510
September	2012	44	35	16	5	100	128	511
October	2012	44	35	15	6	100	129	512
November	2012	45	33	16	6	100	129	501
December	2012	35	37	23	5	100	112	502
January	2013	39	39	19	3	100	120	502
February	2013	44	33	20	3	100	124	499
March	2013	42	34	20	4	100	122	501
April	2013	41	36	19	4	100	122	505
May	2013	44	36	16	4	100	128	504
June	2013	41	39	16	4	100	125	502
July	2013	44	36	17	3	100	127	505
August	2013	46	33	18	3	100	128	505
September	2013	44	32	20	4	100	124	503
October	2013	42	35	18	5	100	124	502
November	2013	42	33	20	5	100	122	504
December	2013	38	36	21	5	100	117	504
January	2014	41	40	15	4	100	126	505
February	2014	43	36	17	4	100	126	506
March	2014	45	31	17	7	100	128	504
April	2014	41	38	18	3	100	123	506
May	2014	46	31	19	4	100	127	503
June	2014	45	30	20	5	100	125	506
July	2014	42	34	19	5	100	123	502
August	2014	46	35	15	4	100	131	500
September	2014	48	31	15	6	100	133	509
October	2014	49	33	14	4	100	135	502
November	2014	47	34	14	5	100	133	501
December	2014	51	32	14	3	100	137	503
January	2015	54	30	14	2	100	140	506
February	2015	52	32	12	4	100	140	505
March	2015	53	30	14	3	100	139	503
April	2015	50	35	13	2	100	137	500
May	2015	53	31	14	2	100	139	503
June	2015	51	33	13	3	100	138	506
July	2015	50	31	15	4	100	135	501
August	2015	53	31	14	2	100	139	564
September	2015	50	32	14	4	100	136	500
October	2015	52	29	14	5	100	138	503

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November	2015	50	28	17	5	100	133	508
December	2015	51	33	13	3	100	138	508
January	2016	51	33	14	2	100	137	503
February	2016	55	30	11	4	100	144	505
March	2016	52	32	12	4	100	140	545
April	2016	50	34	12	4	100	138	528
May	2016	51	31	13	5	100	138	547
June	2016	53	27	15	5	100	138	510
July	2016	50	32	15	3	100	135	538
August	2016	51	30	14	5	100	137	550
September	2016	52	30	13	5	100	139	580
October	2016	57	27	13	3	100	144	575
November	2016	56	24	15	5	100	141	610
December	2016	53	31	12	4	100	141	602
January	2017	55	28	15	2	100	140	601
February	2017	55	28	15	2	100	140	602
March	2017	52	31	13	4	100	139	603
April	2017	54	29	13	4	100	141	602
May	2017	54	28	15	3	100	139	611
June	2017	54	30	13	3	100	141	604
July	2017	51	29	15	5	100	136	603
August	2017	56	30	13	1	100	143	602
September	2017	54	32	11	3	100	143	612
October	2017	56	31	11	2	100	145	604
November	2017	54	32	12	2	100	142	606
December	2017	52	31	15	2	100	137	604
January	2018	57	26	14	3	100	143	622
February	2018	56	29	13	2	100	143	609
March	2018	52	32	12	4	100	140	619
April	2018	52	32	13	3	100	139	604
May	2018	52	34	12	2	100	140	602
June	2018	51	31	14	4	100	137	608
July	2018	54	33	12	1	100	142	600
August	2018	53	29	13	5	100	140	605
September	2018	54	31	11	4	100	143	618
October	2018	56	29	12	3	100	144	601
November	2018	51	32	13	4	100	138	604
December	2018	53	30	13	4	100	140	602
January	2019	53	32	12	3	100	141	601
February	2019	54	31	11	4	100	143	601
March	2019	55	31	11	3	100	144	600
April	2019	60	28	10	2	100	150	601
May	2019	53	32	10	5	100	143	602
June	2019	56	30	10	4	100	146	602
July	2019	52	32	13	3	100	139	602
August	2019	53	29	14	4	100	139	601
September	2019	53	30	13	4	100	140	601
October	2019	57	29	10	4	100	147	650
November	2019	53	32	12	3	100	141	631
December	2019	55	30	12	3	100	143	634
January	2020	53	32	9	6	100	144	621
February	2020	53	34	11	2	100	142	620
March	2020	53	32	11	4	100	142	692
April	2020	57	32	8	3	100	149	620
May	2020	54	32	9	5	100	145	645
June	2020	58	31	7	4	100	151	615
July	2020	55	30	12	3	100	143	603

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August 2020	58	28	10	4	100	148	660
September 2020	55	33	9	3	100	146	601
October 2020	56	32	7	5	100	149	605
November 2020	52	31	11	6	100	141	604
December 2020	55	29	12	4	100	143	601
January 2021	52	30	14	4	100	138	603
February 2021	51	29	18	2	100	133	604
March 2021	51	32	13	4	100	138	604
April 2021	51	31	16	2	100	135	601
May 2021	50	27	18	5	100	132	606
June 2021	52	28	15	5	100	137	608
July 2021	53	30	13	4	100	140	604
August 2021	50	29	17	4	100	133	600
September 2021	44	35	15	6	100	129	612
October 2021	53	27	16	4	100	137	604
November 2021	48	30	17	5	100	131	602
December 2021	51	29	17	3	100	134	603
January 2022	54	27	15	4	100	139	602
February 2022	49	28	19	4	100	130	600
March 2022	48	29	18	5	100	130	602
April 2022	50	30	15	5	100	135	600
May 2022	52	28	15	5	100	137	601
June 2022	47	28	19	6	100	128	602
July 2022	50	28	16	6	100	134	601
August 2022	49	30	15	6	100	134	602
September 2022	47	29	18	6	100	129	601
October 2022	51	28	16	5	100	135	600
November 2022	55	26	14	5	100	141	602
December 2022	50	29	17	4	100	133	600
January 2023	51	31	14	4	100	137	600
February 2023	53	28	15	4	100	138	602
March 2023	48	32	16	4	100	132	603
April 2023	47	31	16	6	100	131	601
May 2023	51	27	17	5	100	134	605
June 2023	48	31	16	5	100	132	600
July 2023	49	29	15	7	100	134	601
August 2023	51	29	17	3	100	134	604
September 2023	47	31	16	6	100	131	603
October 2023	46	30	19	5	100	127	605
November 2023	50	28	18	4	100	132	600
December 2023	49	28	16	7	100	133	600
January 2024	54	27	14	5	100	140	601