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CURRENT FINANCIAL SITUATION COMPARED WITH A YEAR AGO (Three Month Moving Averages)

The question was: "We are interested in how people are getting along financially these days. Would you say that you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?"

<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>
March 1978	57	16	26	1	100	132	1153
April 1978	57	15	27	1	100	130	1182
May 1978	59	14	27	0	100	132	1208
June 1978	60	15	25	0	100	135	1169
July 1978	60	17	24	0	100	136	1163
August 1978	57	18	25	0	100	131	996
September 1978	56	17	26	1	100	131	1015
October 1978	56	17	26	1	100	131	1008
November 1978	58	17	25	1	100	133	1137
December 1978	53	17	29	1	100	125	1130
January 1979	55	14	30	1	100	125	1183
February 1979	52	16	31	1	100	122	1232
March 1979	54	16	29	1	100	126	1234
April 1979	49	18	32	1	100	118	1274
May 1979	49	17	34	0	100	115	1250
June 1979	48	16	36	0	100	112	1392
July 1979	49	16	34	0	100	115	1473
August 1979	51	16	33	0	100	118	1438
September 1979	50	15	35	0	100	115	1377
October 1979	49	14	38	0	100	111	1380
November 1979	47	12	40	0	100	107	1451
December 1979	47	14	39	0	100	107	1440
January 1980	49	15	36	0	100	113	1278
February 1980	48	17	36	0	100	112	1149
March 1980	44	18	38	0	100	106	1044
April 1980	38	17	44	0	100	94	1019
May 1980	39	17	44	0	100	95	843
June 1980	43	14	43	0	100	100	877
July 1980	47	14	39	0	100	108	827
August 1980	48	14	38	0	100	110	820
September 1980	49	14	36	1	100	112	789
October 1980	49	16	34	1	100	115	816
November 1980	46	17	37	0	100	110	806
December 1980	44	16	40	0	100	105	789
January 1981	41	16	43	0	100	98	786
February 1981	41	16	43	0	100	98	804
March 1981	42	18	40	0	100	102	810
April 1981	43	18	39	0	100	104	805
May 1981	44	19	37	0	100	108	803
June 1981	44	20	36	0	100	109	802
July 1981	46	20	33	1	100	113	826
August 1981	47	20	32	1	100	115	811
September 1981	49	20	30	1	100	119	813
October 1981	48	21	30	1	100	117	819
November 1981	47	18	35	1	100	112	848
December 1981	45	18	37	1	100	108	841
January 1982	44	16	40	0	100	104	845
February 1982	43	16	40	0	100	103	828

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<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>
March 1982	43	14	43	0	100	100	853
April 1982	40	17	42	1	100	99	846
May 1982	42	18	40	1	100	102	857
June 1982	42	21	36	1	100	106	857
July 1982	46	19	35	1	100	111	876
August 1982	46	18	36	1	100	110	866
September 1982	45	16	39	0	100	106	858
October 1982	44	17	39	0	100	105	836
November 1982	42	17	40	0	100	102	843
December 1982	42	17	41	0	100	101	834
January 1983	43	17	40	0	100	102	834
February 1983	45	16	38	0	100	107	831
March 1983	45	17	38	0	100	107	831
April 1983	47	17	35	0	100	112	836
May 1983	45	21	33	0	100	112	844
June 1983	49	22	28	0	100	121	864
July 1983	52	21	26	0	100	126	823
August 1983	55	19	26	0	100	130	799
September 1983	56	18	26	0	100	130	797
October 1983	52	19	29	0	100	123	824
November 1983	53	19	28	0	100	125	837
December 1983	57	18	25	0	100	132	835
January 1984	61	17	21	0	100	140	801
February 1984	62	16	21	1	100	141	800
March 1984	62	15	22	1	100	139	808
April 1984	62	16	21	1	100	141	843
May 1984	63	16	21	0	100	142	827
June 1984	62	16	21	0	100	141	796
July 1984	61	17	22	0	100	140	751
August 1984	63	17	20	0	100	143	780
September 1984	62	19	19	0	100	143	799
October 1984	61	18	21	0	100	140	844
November 1984	61	17	21	0	100	140	800
December 1984	62	15	22	0	100	140	787
January 1985	62	16	21	0	100	141	736
February 1985	61	17	21	0	100	140	761
March 1985	59	18	22	0	100	137	739
April 1985	60	18	22	0	100	138	746
May 1985	60	19	21	0	100	138	704
June 1985	62	17	21	0	100	141	712
July 1985	60	17	23	0	100	137	696
August 1985	60	16	24	0	100	136	709
September 1985	59	15	24	1	100	135	687
October 1985	60	16	23	1	100	138	715
November 1985	59	18	22	1	100	137	717
December 1985	60	19	21	0	100	139	753
January 1986	62	17	21	0	100	141	754
February 1986	63	15	22	0	100	142	788
March 1986	63	15	21	0	100	142	750
April 1986	62	16	22	0	100	140	753
May 1986	62	17	22	0	100	140	739
June 1986	62	17	20	0	100	142	771

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July 1986	65	16	19	0	100	146	766
August 1986	66	15	19	0	100	147	761
September 1986	67	14	19	0	100	148	732
October 1986	62	17	20	0	100	142	712
November 1986	64	18	18	0	100	145	698
December 1986	59	20	21	0	100	138	709
January 1987	61	18	20	0	100	141	724
February 1987	60	16	23	0	100	137	740
March 1987	64	15	21	0	100	143	730
April 1987	63	15	22	0	100	141	723
May 1987	64	14	22	0	100	141	699
June 1987	62	14	23	0	100	139	706
July 1987	64	15	21	0	100	143	692
August 1987	63	17	19	0	100	144	716
September 1987	63	18	19	0	100	144	698
October 1987	61	18	20	0	100	141	649
November 1987	60	18	22	0	100	138	566
December 1987	60	18	21	0	100	139	542
January 1988	61	19	20	0	100	142	529
February 1988	63	17	19	0	100	144	563
March 1988	65	16	19	0	100	146	545
April 1988	63	17	19	1	100	144	554
May 1988	61	18	21	1	100	140	528
June 1988	59	20	21	1	100	138	548
July 1988	59	19	21	0	100	138	565
August 1988	63	18	19	0	100	145	586
September 1988	65	16	19	0	100	147	575
October 1988	65	14	21	0	100	144	555
November 1988	62	16	22	0	100	140	537
December 1988	60	17	23	0	100	137	533
January 1989	60	19	20	0	100	140	559
February 1989	62	18	20	0	100	143	561
March 1989	62	19	19	0	100	143	552
April 1989	62	16	21	0	100	141	551
May 1989	61	18	21	0	100	140	549
June 1989	61	18	21	0	100	140	559
July 1989	61	18	20	0	100	141	556
August 1989	64	16	20	0	100	145	522
September 1989	65	16	19	0	100	146	511
October 1989	65	16	19	0	100	146	493
November 1989	60	20	20	0	100	140	517
December 1989	57	19	24	0	100	133	514
January 1990	57	19	24	0	100	134	516
February 1990	58	18	24	1	100	134	497
March 1990	59	17	23	1	100	136	502
April 1990	61	16	22	1	100	139	492
May 1990	63	16	20	1	100	143	493
June 1990	65	16	18	1	100	147	483
July 1990	62	18	20	0	100	143	506
August 1990	58	19	23	0	100	135	530
September 1990	55	20	25	0	100	130	537
October 1990	52	19	29	0	100	122	508

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November 1990	51	16	32	1	100	118	479
December 1990	49	16	34	1	100	116	473
January 1991	52	18	30	0	100	122	506
February 1991	49	19	32	0	100	117	539
March 1991	49	20	31	0	100	118	546
April 1991	45	22	33	0	100	112	512
May 1991	50	23	28	0	100	122	484
June 1991	51	20	28	0	100	123	485
July 1991	53	18	29	0	100	124	497
August 1991	52	18	30	0	100	122	532
September 1991	52	20	28	0	100	125	510
October 1991	54	19	26	1	100	128	525
November 1991	52	17	30	0	100	122	509
December 1991	50	16	34	0	100	115	530
January 1992	46	17	37	0	100	109	526
February 1992	47	19	34	0	100	113	525
March 1992	47	20	32	0	100	115	511
April 1992	47	23	30	0	100	117	517
May 1992	47	23	30	0	100	116	525
June 1992	48	22	31	0	100	117	534
July 1992	49	21	30	0	100	120	510
August 1992	49	20	31	0	100	118	505
September 1992	50	21	29	0	100	121	500
October 1992	47	21	32	0	100	115	507
November 1992	49	22	29	0	100	120	499
December 1992	48	23	29	0	100	118	491
January 1993	54	20	26	0	100	127	476
February 1993	51	24	25	0	100	126	466
March 1993	53	21	26	0	100	127	480
April 1993	51	25	24	0	100	127	485
May 1993	53	21	26	0	100	127	489
June 1993	54	22	23	1	100	131	477
July 1993	58	18	23	1	100	134	460
August 1993	58	17	24	1	100	134	454
September 1993	54	16	29	1	100	126	447
October 1993	51	18	32	0	100	119	464
November 1993	50	19	30	0	100	120	466
December 1993	54	19	26	0	100	128	470
January 1994	56	20	24	0	100	133	467
February 1994	60	18	22	0	100	138	476
March 1994	58	19	22	0	100	136	453
April 1994	60	17	22	1	100	138	451
May 1994	59	17	23	1	100	136	441
June 1994	59	15	24	1	100	135	463
July 1994	58	18	23	1	100	135	481
August 1994	59	18	23	0	100	136	496
September 1994	58	18	24	0	100	133	496
October 1994	56	16	28	0	100	128	483
November 1994	54	16	29	0	100	125	475
December 1994	54	17	28	0	100	126	476
January 1995	58	17	24	0	100	134	491

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February 1995	60	16	24	0	100	137	484
March 1995	59	17	24	0	100	136	488
April 1995	57	20	23	0	100	134	478
May 1995	55	23	23	0	100	132	488
June 1995	60	19	21	0	100	139	482
July 1995	59	18	23	0	100	136	490
August 1995	63	15	22	0	100	142	478
September 1995	59	17	24	0	100	135	478
October 1995	61	17	22	0	100	139	459
November 1995	56	18	26	0	100	130	464
December 1995	59	17	24	0	100	135	454
January 1996	57	18	25	0	100	132	481
February 1996	59	18	23	0	100	136	462
March 1996	56	19	25	0	100	130	481
April 1996	57	19	23	1	100	134	434
May 1996	56	20	23	1	100	133	443
June 1996	58	18	23	1	100	135	422
July 1996	58	17	25	0	100	132	455
August 1996	60	18	23	0	100	137	456
September 1996	59	19	22	0	100	136	467
October 1996	57	19	23	0	100	134	421
November 1996	57	17	25	0	100	132	418
December 1996	61	16	23	0	100	139	407
January 1997	63	16	21	0	100	141	453
February 1997	59	17	24	0	100	136	473
March 1997	56	17	27	0	100	129	476
April 1997	62	14	24	0	100	138	448
May 1997	67	14	19	0	100	148	433
June 1997	70	15	15	0	100	156	415
July 1997	69	18	13	0	100	156	428
August 1997	67	17	16	0	100	151	410
September 1997	66	17	17	0	100	149	421
October 1997	63	17	20	1	100	143	407
November 1997	65	16	18	1	100	146	421
December 1997	63	18	18	1	100	145	395
January 1998	65	17	18	1	100	147	390
February 1998	66	18	16	0	100	150	353
March 1998	69	14	17	0	100	153	386
April 1998	67	17	16	0	100	151	395
May 1998	66	17	17	0	100	149	415
June 1998	66	18	17	0	100	149	404
July 1998	70	15	15	0	100	155	402
August 1998	70	14	16	0	100	154	390
September 1998	68	16	16	0	100	151	413
October 1998	66	15	18	0	100	148	410
November 1998	66	17	16	0	100	150	417
December 1998	66	16	18	0	100	148	416
January 1999	66	16	18	0	100	148	423
February 1999	65	16	19	0	100	146	439
March 1999	67	16	17	0	100	150	439
April 1999	68	14	18	0	100	151	443
May 1999	69	11	19	0	100	150	422

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June 1999	67	13	20	0	100	147	410
July 1999	66	14	20	0	100	146	391
August 1999	66	16	18	0	100	148	406
September 1999	69	14	18	0	100	151	412
October 1999	67	17	16	0	100	151	412
November 1999	67	16	16	0	100	151	397
December 1999	66	19	15	0	100	151	387
January 2000	68	16	15	0	100	153	387
February 2000	68	15	16	0	100	152	384
March 2000	70	13	17	0	100	153	377
April 2000	67	15	17	0	100	150	380
May 2000	69	17	15	0	100	154	396
June 2000	68	16	16	0	100	152	409
July 2000	70	14	16	0	100	154	416
August 2000	69	11	20	0	100	149	412
September 2000	66	13	21	0	100	146	382
October 2000	68	12	20	0	100	148	364
November 2000	69	13	18	0	100	151	350
December 2000	70	13	17	0	100	153	368
January 2001	68	13	19	0	100	149	373
February 2001	64	15	20	1	100	144	370
March 2001	62	16	21	1	100	141	352
April 2001	63	16	20	1	100	143	348
May 2001	63	18	19	0	100	144	347
June 2001	65	17	18	0	100	147	354
July 2001	62	21	16	0	100	146	341
August 2001	63	19	18	1	100	145	357
September 2001	60	18	21	1	100	139	332
October 2001	60	15	23	1	100	137	345
November 2001	57	16	26	1	100	131	335
December 2001	56	16	27	1	100	130	367
January 2002	52	20	27	0	100	125	361
February 2002	52	21	27	0	100	125	371
March 2002	53	20	27	0	100	126	361
April 2002	58	15	27	0	100	132	352
May 2002	60	14	26	0	100	134	356
June 2002	58	14	27	0	100	131	362
July 2002	55	15	30	0	100	125	368
August 2002	54	14	31	0	100	123	357
September 2002	53	18	29	0	100	124	335
October 2002	55	18	27	0	100	128	328
November 2002	54	18	27	0	100	127	340
December 2002	59	16	25	1	100	134	358
January 2003	57	18	24	1	100	133	373
February 2003	56	18	26	1	100	130	344
March 2003	52	20	28	0	100	125	337
April 2003	56	17	27	0	100	129	336
May 2003	55	20	25	0	100	130	340
June 2003	53	21	27	0	100	126	348
July 2003	48	22	30	0	100	119	351
August 2003	50	20	30	0	100	120	335
September 2003	55	18	27	0	100	128	322

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October 2003	57	18	25	0	100	133	324
November 2003	59	17	24	0	100	136	346
December 2003	56	16	28	0	100	128	351
January 2004	57	16	27	0	100	130	337
February 2004	59	16	25	0	100	133	327
March 2004	61	16	23	0	100	138	315
April 2004	61	15	24	0	100	137	323
May 2004	60	14	26	0	100	134	332
June 2004	60	15	25	0	100	135	323
July 2004	61	15	25	0	100	136	300
August 2004	64	13	23	0	100	142	282
September 2004	66	13	22	0	100	144	293
October 2004	65	12	23	0	100	142	302
November 2004	60	15	25	0	100	136	296
December 2004	56	14	29	1	100	126	295
January 2005	56	17	25	1	100	131	292
February 2005	61	13	24	1	100	137	292
March 2005	67	15	18	0	100	148	276
April 2005	64	17	19	0	100	145	275
May 2005	59	20	22	0	100	137	287
June 2005	60	19	21	0	100	138	321
July 2005	62	18	20	0	100	142	315
August 2005	65	16	19	0	100	146	299
September 2005	60	16	25	0	100	135	251
October 2005	55	14	30	0	100	125	251
November 2005	55	16	29	0	100	126	263
December 2005	63	13	24	0	100	138	285
January 2006	66	13	21	0	100	145	272
February 2006	66	16	18	0	100	148	256
March 2006	66	14	19	1	100	146	230
April 2006	67	12	20	1	100	148	240
May 2006	63	12	24	1	100	139	251
June 2006	58	15	27	0	100	132	270
July 2006	60	13	26	0	100	134	263
August 2006	65	11	23	0	100	142	241
September 2006	66	9	25	0	100	141	221
October 2006	63	10	27	0	100	135	229
November 2006	62	10	28	0	100	134	235
December 2006	62	12	27	0	100	135	238
January 2007	61	15	24	0	100	137	233
February 2007	59	18	23	0	100	137	224
March 2007	62	18	20	0	100	142	228
April 2007	65	15	19	0	100	146	223
May 2007	65	14	21	0	100	144	247
June 2007	65	13	22	0	100	143	239
July 2007	62	14	24	0	100	138	234
August 2007	63	13	24	0	100	139	218
September 2007	62	14	23	0	100	139	217
October 2007	66	11	22	0	100	144	204
November 2007	63	13	24	0	100	140	211
December 2007	59	14	27	0	100	132	221

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January 2008	53	15	32	0	100	121	229
February 2008	54	14	32	0	100	121	215
March 2008	56	13	31	0	100	125	208
April 2008	56	14	30	0	100	126	206
May 2008	53	13	33	0	100	120	201
June 2008	47	12	41	0	100	105	210
July 2008	47	13	40	0	100	108	216
August 2008	48	10	42	0	100	106	209
September 2008	49	10	41	1	100	108	213
October 2008	41	9	49	1	100	92	211
November 2008	35	13	52	1	100	83	213
December 2008	31	16	53	0	100	79	196
January 2009	34	18	48	0	100	86	185
February 2009	40	16	45	0	100	95	180
March 2009	40	15	45	0	100	96	195
April 2009	42	12	46	0	100	96	200
May 2009	34	16	50	0	100	84	195
June 2009	33	17	50	0	100	84	169
July 2009	27	22	50	0	100	77	161
August 2009	30	19	51	0	100	79	173
September 2009	30	20	50	0	100	80	174
October 2009	31	15	53	0	100	78	181
November 2009	28	18	54	0	100	73	173
December 2009	28	20	52	0	100	77	181
January 2010	28	24	48	0	100	80	176
February 2010	34	28	38	0	100	96	191
March 2010	40	26	33	0	100	107	177
April 2010	41	27	32	0	100	109	176
May 2010	41	23	36	0	100	105	177
June 2010	35	24	41	0	100	94	190
July 2010	41	22	38	0	100	103	179
August 2010	44	20	35	0	100	109	177
September 2010	52	18	30	0	100	122	162
October 2010	49	24	28	0	100	121	173
November 2010	46	24	30	0	100	116	161
December 2010	40	25	35	0	100	105	175
January 2011	42	20	38	0	100	105	170
February 2011	45	20	35	0	100	110	164
March 2011	47	22	32	0	100	115	157
April 2011	44	25	31	0	100	113	155
May 2011	41	24	34	0	100	107	162
June 2011	39	27	34	0	100	106	171
July 2011	38	25	37	0	100	100	169
August 2011	39	24	37	0	100	102	160
September 2011	43	18	39	0	100	104	153
October 2011	48	20	32	0	100	116	156
November 2011	50	24	26	0	100	124	156
December 2011	48	25	28	0	100	120	160
January 2012	46	23	31	0	100	115	155
February 2012	47	20	33	0	100	114	162
March 2012	53	17	30	0	100	124	151
April 2012	53	16	31	0	100	123	155

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May 2012	49	23	29	0	100	120	144
June 2012	40	31	29	0	100	111	133
July 2012	41	31	28	0	100	112	125
August 2012	46	23	30	0	100	116	143
September 2012	45	18	37	0	100	108	162
October 2012	52	12	36	0	100	116	174
November 2012	52	10	38	0	100	114	169
December 2012	57	11	31	0	100	126	168
January 2013	48	17	35	0	100	113	166
February 2013	43	25	32	0	100	110	181
March 2013	43	28	29	0	100	114	186
April 2013	50	26	24	0	100	126	199
May 2013	55	20	25	0	100	130	207
June 2013	55	19	25	0	100	130	214
July 2013	56	17	26	0	100	130	213
August 2013	56	19	24	0	100	132	216
September 2013	56	21	24	0	100	132	231
October 2013	53	23	24	0	100	128	229
November 2013	49	23	27	0	100	122	226
December 2013	52	22	27	0	100	125	210
January 2014	55	21	24	0	100	131	219
February 2014	57	20	22	0	100	135	207
March 2014	55	21	24	0	100	132	219
April 2014	56	21	23	0	100	134	231
May 2014	55	23	23	0	100	132	239
June 2014	58	20	22	0	100	137	230
July 2014	55	22	23	0	100	131	217
August 2014	58	19	22	0	100	136	217
September 2014	58	21	21	0	100	137	239
October 2014	62	19	19	0	100	143	262
November 2014	61	23	16	0	100	145	281
December 2014	61	23	15	0	100	146	281
January 2015	63	22	15	0	100	149	291
February 2015	68	17	15	0	100	153	294
March 2015	66	16	17	0	100	149	320
April 2015	64	18	18	0	100	146	325
May 2015	61	20	19	0	100	142	358
June 2015	63	19	17	1	100	146	347
July 2015	64	18	17	1	100	147	346
August 2015	69	14	16	1	100	154	349
September 2015	68	14	17	0	100	151	375
October 2015	66	16	19	0	100	147	382
November 2015	62	18	21	0	100	141	366
December 2015	63	14	23	0	100	140	338
January 2016	64	14	21	0	100	143	332
February 2016	64	13	22	0	100	142	337
March 2016	65	17	18	0	100	147	353
April 2016	65	16	19	0	100	146	360
May 2016	67	16	17	0	100	149	363
June 2016	66	15	19	0	100	147	354
July 2016	68	15	16	1	100	152	358
August 2016	65	18	16	0	100	149	348

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September 2016	61	21	17	0	100	144	356
October 2016	56	22	22	0	100	134	366
November 2016	58	19	23	0	100	136	393
December 2016	62	18	20	0	100	142	414
January 2017	66	17	17	0	100	150	410
February 2017	66	19	14	0	100	152	405
March 2017	62	22	16	0	100	146	390
April 2017	63	21	15	0	100	148	383
May 2017	64	19	17	0	100	146	395
June 2017	67	16	17	0	100	150	423
July 2017	66	18	17	0	100	149	434
August 2017	66	18	16	0	100	149	419
September 2017	67	18	15	0	100	151	386
October 2017	67	18	15	0	100	152	373
November 2017	66	19	15	0	100	151	385
December 2017	65	17	18	0	100	147	392
January 2018	64	16	20	0	100	144	420
February 2018	63	14	23	0	100	140	403
March 2018	65	16	20	0	100	145	397
April 2018	66	15	19	0	100	147	377
May 2018	67	18	15	0	100	151	358
June 2018	67	17	16	0	100	151	361
July 2018	65	17	17	0	100	148	352
August 2018	67	14	18	1	100	149	385
September 2018	68	14	18	1	100	150	390
October 2018	67	14	19	0	100	148	388
November 2018	67	13	19	0	100	148	358
December 2018	65	15	20	0	100	145	367
January 2019	67	15	17	0	100	150	368
February 2019	64	16	20	0	100	143	377
March 2019	66	14	19	0	100	147	352
April 2019	65	15	20	0	100	145	369
May 2019	67	16	17	0	100	151	376
June 2019	65	17	18	0	100	147	382
July 2019	65	16	19	0	100	146	359
August 2019	65	16	19	0	100	145	349
September 2019	65	16	18	0	100	147	337
October 2019	68	17	15	0	100	153	369
November 2019	70	16	14	0	100	157	362
December 2019	69	15	16	0	100	154	374
January 2020	70	14	16	0	100	154	348
February 2020	66	15	18	0	100	148	350
March 2020	66	16	17	0	100	149	365
April 2020	60	18	21	1	100	139	386
May 2020	57	20	22	1	100	135	416
June 2020	54	22	24	0	100	130	397
July 2020	55	20	25	0	100	130	386
August 2020	54	19	27	0	100	127	377
September 2020	52	16	31	0	100	121	371
October 2020	53	16	31	0	100	121	371
November 2020	52	17	30	0	100	122	363
December 2020	55	18	27	0	100	128	385

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January 2021	52	21	27	0	100	126	389
February 2021	53	19	28	0	100	125	392
March 2021	53	19	27	0	100	126	370
April 2021	55	20	25	0	100	130	365
May 2021	56	25	19	0	100	137	365
June 2021	56	26	17	0	100	139	395
July 2021	56	25	20	0	100	136	414
August 2021	55	23	22	0	100	133	402
September 2021	57	22	21	0	100	135	371
October 2021	58	23	18	0	100	140	351
November 2021	61	21	18	0	100	143	349
December 2021	60	20	20	0	100	140	376
January 2022	58	19	22	0	100	136	372
February 2022	53	21	25	0	100	128	364
March 2022	49	23	28	0	100	121	336
April 2022	50	21	29	0	100	121	340
May 2022	54	17	29	0	100	126	357
June 2022	57	14	29	0	100	128	366
July 2022	54	12	35	0	100	119	359
August 2022	50	14	36	0	100	114	332
September 2022	46	16	38	0	100	108	339
October 2022	46	17	37	0	100	109	359
November 2022	47	15	38	0	100	109	395
December 2022	48	13	38	0	100	110	384
January 2023	52	14	34	0	100	118	351
February 2023	53	15	32	0	100	120	322
March 2023	54	16	30	0	100	125	323
April 2023	53	16	31	0	100	122	336
May 2023	49	17	33	0	100	116	364
June 2023	49	17	35	0	100	114	366
July 2023	50	15	35	0	100	115	368
August 2023	49	17	33	0	100	116	348
September 2023	47	18	35	0	100	112	336
October 2023	44	17	39	1	100	105	342
November 2023	43	17	39	0	100	104	345
December 2023	44	17	38	0	100	106	355
January 2024	45	20	34	0	100	111	354
February 2024	51	17	31	0	100	120	356
March 2024	53	17	30	0	100	123	348
April 2024	52	17	30	1	100	122	367
May 2024	47	22	31	0	100	116	410
June 2024	41	25	33	0	100	108	414
July 2024	41	26	33	0	100	107	340
August 2024	35	26	39	0	100	96	276
September 2024	37	27	37	0	100	100	244
October 2024	38	27	34	0	100	104	250
November 2024	37	27	36	0	100	101	228
December 2024	35	24	41	0	100	95	208
January 2025	30	28	42	0	100	88	219
February 2025	34	29	37	0	100	97	223
March 2025	30	33	37	0	100	93	265

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April 2025	27	33	40	0	100	87	279
May 2025	23	35	42	0	100	80	278
June 2025	25	36	39	0	100	86	268
July 2025	28	36	37	0	100	91	262
August 2025	29	32	39	0	100	90	269
September 2025	29	30	42	0	100	87	253
October 2025	30	26	44	0	100	87	252
November 2025	29	26	45	0	100	84	239
December 2025	29	24	47	0	100	81	234
January 2026	23	27	49	0	100	74	239
February 2026	29	26	45	0	100	84	253