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The question was: "How about people out of work during the coming 12 months -- do you think that there will be more unemployment than now, about the same, or less?"

Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
March	1978	21	44	29	6	100	92	746
April	1978	22	45	27	6	100	95	745
May	1978	17	48	28	7	100	89	734
June	1978	15	52	28	5	100	87	732
July	1978	14	51	29	5	100	85	732
August	1978	13	54	29	3	100	84	787
September	1978	14	55	26	5	100	88	795
October	1978	14	54	27	5	100	86	788
November	1978	15	52	27	6	100	87	834
December	1978	14	47	32	7	100	82	837
January	1979	12	44	35	9	100	77	872
February	1979	11	43	38	7	100	73	800
March	1979	11	43	39	7	100	72	809
April	1979	12	42	40	7	100	72	837
May	1979	10	42	40	8	100	70	756
June	1979	10	42	41	7	100	69	816
July	1979	9	38	47	6	100	61	866
August	1979	8	32	56	4	100	51	893
September	1979	7	31	58	3	100	49	871
October	1979	8	34	54	3	100	54	894
November	1979	9	37	50	4	100	58	913
December	1979	9	33	54	4	100	56	861
January	1980	10	33	53	5	100	57	719
February	1980	12	32	52	5	100	60	631
March	1980	11	35	50	4	100	60	638
April	1980	9	33	55	4	100	54	642
May	1980	6	31	61	2	100	44	586
June	1980	9	27	61	2	100	48	546
July	1980	13	26	61	1	100	52	534
August	1980	17	29	50	4	100	67	525
September	1980	20	32	43	5	100	77	539
October	1980	20	40	33	7	100	87	556
November	1980	23	42	30	5	100	93	557
December	1980	21	44	29	6	100	92	563
January	1981	23	41	31	6	100	92	555
February	1981	19	39	36	6	100	82	557
March	1981	17	39	38	5	100	79	577
April	1981	16	38	41	5	100	75	594
May	1981	15	40	41	4	100	74	589
June	1981	17	39	41	3	100	76	567
July	1981	17	42	38	2	100	79	529
August	1981	18	42	37	3	100	81	570
September	1981	18	43	36	3	100	81	574
October	1981	16	40	41	3	100	75	603
November	1981	15	37	46	2	100	69	566
December	1981	13	30	55	3	100	58	582
January	1982	16	27	54	3	100	63	564
February	1982	17	28	52	3	100	65	596
March	1982	18	31	49	2	100	69	562

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
April	1982	16	33	49	2	100	68	578
May	1982	18	33	46	2	100	72	543
June	1982	19	33	45	3	100	74	568
July	1982	19	33	46	2	100	73	549
August	1982	19	30	47	3	100	72	544
September	1982	22	31	45	3	100	77	543
October	1982	22	33	40	4	100	82	554
November	1982	22	36	38	3	100	84	567
December	1982	22	39	36	3	100	85	553
January	1983	23	43	32	3	100	91	538
February	1983	27	42	28	2	100	99	524
March	1983	32	43	23	2	100	109	540
April	1983	39	39	20	2	100	118	564
May	1983	40	42	15	3	100	125	562
June	1983	41	43	13	3	100	128	552
July	1983	39	44	15	2	100	123	572
August	1983	40	41	16	3	100	123	577
September	1983	38	41	18	3	100	120	593
October	1983	38	42	18	3	100	120	574
November	1983	35	44	17	3	100	118	595
December	1983	34	45	17	4	100	116	609
January	1984	33	47	16	4	100	118	642
February	1984	31	49	17	4	100	114	628
March	1984	32	48	16	3	100	116	621
April	1984	28	50	18	3	100	110	588
May	1984	28	49	21	2	100	106	619
June	1984	22	50	27	2	100	95	618
July	1984	24	48	25	2	100	99	619
August	1984	22	50	25	3	100	97	585
September	1984	24	49	22	4	100	101	576
October	1984	21	49	26	5	100	95	568
November	1984	23	47	26	5	100	97	599
December	1984	20	49	28	3	100	92	580
January	1985	21	48	28	3	100	92	576
February	1985	20	47	31	3	100	89	549
March	1985	22	44	31	3	100	91	560
April	1985	21	45	31	3	100	90	575
May	1985	20	49	28	3	100	92	569
June	1985	16	53	28	3	100	89	553
July	1985	16	53	28	2	100	88	550
August	1985	14	51	32	3	100	83	573
September	1985	15	47	35	3	100	80	583
October	1985	16	45	36	3	100	80	568
November	1985	17	46	33	4	100	83	539
December	1985	16	49	32	3	100	84	524
January	1986	15	48	34	3	100	81	516
February	1986	18	45	35	2	100	83	516
March	1986	19	43	35	3	100	84	542
April	1986	20	43	34	3	100	86	535
May	1986	14	48	35	3	100	79	561
June	1986	15	48	33	4	100	82	532
July	1986	13	50	34	3	100	79	548

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
August	1986	15	46	36	3	100	79	528
September	1986	11	48	37	4	100	74	557
October	1986	11	47	39	4	100	72	569
November	1986	10	48	38	3	100	72	595
December	1986	12	45	41	2	100	71	585
January	1987	11	44	43	2	100	69	574
February	1987	13	43	42	2	100	71	543
March	1987	13	43	40	3	100	73	532
April	1987	16	45	36	3	100	80	523
May	1987	13	47	36	4	100	78	536
June	1987	13	50	33	4	100	80	562
July	1987	13	52	31	4	100	82	575
August	1987	15	51	30	5	100	85	565
September	1987	14	50	32	4	100	83	543
October	1987	16	48	31	5	100	86	485
November	1987	16	49	31	4	100	85	452
December	1987	16	48	32	4	100	84	410
January	1988	12	51	33	3	100	79	431
February	1988	12	51	34	3	100	79	429
March	1988	14	52	32	2	100	82	428
April	1988	15	51	31	3	100	84	424
May	1988	15	57	26	3	100	89	438
June	1988	14	55	29	3	100	85	440
July	1988	11	57	28	3	100	83	432
August	1988	13	51	31	5	100	81	409
September	1988	13	54	27	7	100	86	407
October	1988	15	53	27	6	100	88	409
November	1988	14	56	26	4	100	88	436
December	1988	13	55	29	3	100	84	450
January	1989	12	54	31	3	100	81	433
February	1989	13	52	32	4	100	81	402
March	1989	14	51	32	4	100	82	408
April	1989	16	50	29	5	100	87	407
May	1989	16	49	30	5	100	86	429
June	1989	14	52	30	4	100	84	417
July	1989	11	54	32	3	100	79	427
August	1989	9	56	33	3	100	76	427
September	1989	10	55	33	2	100	77	444
October	1989	11	53	34	2	100	78	449
November	1989	11	51	36	2	100	75	450
December	1989	10	48	39	2	100	71	437
January	1990	8	47	42	3	100	66	436
February	1990	7	44	46	3	100	61	434
March	1990	7	47	43	3	100	64	444
April	1990	8	50	41	2	100	67	469
May	1990	10	53	35	3	100	75	486
June	1990	10	50	38	2	100	72	475
July	1990	10	50	38	2	100	71	436
August	1990	9	45	43	3	100	66	404
September	1990	9	45	42	4	100	66	395
October	1990	7	39	50	4	100	57	436
November	1990	6	38	52	3	100	54	474

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
December	1990	5	32	60	2	100	45	474
January	1991	6	31	61	2	100	45	439
February	1991	8	28	62	2	100	47	391
March	1991	13	32	54	2	100	59	377
April	1991	16	33	50	1	100	67	414
May	1991	17	37	44	2	100	73	434
June	1991	18	36	44	2	100	73	443
July	1991	17	42	39	2	100	78	414
August	1991	16	44	38	3	100	78	389
September	1991	14	47	36	2	100	78	386
October	1991	13	44	40	3	100	73	385
November	1991	12	42	43	2	100	69	403
December	1991	12	36	48	4	100	64	416
January	1992	11	37	49	3	100	63	408
February	1992	14	34	48	3	100	66	397
March	1992	15	37	46	3	100	69	395
April	1992	15	36	45	4	100	70	389
May	1992	16	40	40	4	100	76	393
June	1992	15	43	38	4	100	77	392
July	1992	16	42	38	3	100	78	409
August	1992	15	42	40	3	100	75	406
September	1992	17	41	40	2	100	77	410
October	1992	18	40	40	2	100	78	412
November	1992	18	42	38	3	100	80	404
December	1992	23	41	32	4	100	91	394
January	1993	26	44	26	3	100	100	384
February	1993	27	43	26	4	100	100	386
March	1993	23	43	32	2	100	92	377
April	1993	20	43	35	2	100	86	391
May	1993	16	45	37	2	100	79	405
June	1993	13	49	35	3	100	77	410
July	1993	12	48	38	2	100	73	398
August	1993	14	44	39	3	100	75	399
September	1993	12	43	42	3	100	70	403
October	1993	10	44	43	3	100	68	410
November	1993	9	44	43	3	100	66	412
December	1993	14	41	41	4	100	74	407
January	1994	19	43	32	5	100	87	401
February	1994	21	46	29	4	100	92	394
March	1994	21	48	26	4	100	95	425
April	1994	19	47	30	3	100	89	435
May	1994	20	45	31	4	100	88	436
June	1994	16	47	32	5	100	84	416
July	1994	16	49	31	4	100	85	413
August	1994	15	52	29	4	100	86	405
September	1994	17	48	31	4	100	86	400
October	1994	15	52	29	4	100	86	389
November	1994	16	47	33	4	100	84	395
December	1994	17	49	31	3	100	86	409
January	1995	19	48	30	3	100	89	401
February	1995	18	51	28	4	100	90	399

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
March	1995	15	52	30	4	100	85	384
April	1995	13	50	34	3	100	78	385
May	1995	13	51	34	2	100	79	383
June	1995	12	52	35	1	100	77	391
July	1995	10	50	38	2	100	73	390
August	1995	9	49	40	2	100	69	406
September	1995	9	50	38	2	100	71	404
October	1995	11	48	39	2	100	71	415
November	1995	12	48	39	1	100	72	410
December	1995	11	47	41	1	100	70	420
January	1996	13	46	41	1	100	72	408
February	1996	11	45	44	1	100	67	432
March	1996	11	46	43	1	100	68	418
April	1996	9	50	39	2	100	70	445
May	1996	13	52	34	2	100	79	408
June	1996	15	48	35	2	100	80	420
July	1996	17	48	32	3	100	85	397
August	1996	16	48	33	3	100	83	415
September	1996	17	50	30	3	100	88	411
October	1996	15	54	29	3	100	86	436
November	1996	14	56	27	3	100	86	432
December	1996	11	60	26	3	100	85	412
January	1997	13	56	28	3	100	85	392
February	1997	15	55	28	2	100	87	375
March	1997	18	54	27	2	100	91	388
April	1997	17	54	28	1	100	89	403
May	1997	17	54	28	2	100	89	419
June	1997	13	54	30	3	100	84	420
July	1997	14	57	26	3	100	88	410
August	1997	13	58	25	3	100	88	429
September	1997	18	55	24	3	100	94	424
October	1997	20	51	25	4	100	95	426
November	1997	20	52	24	3	100	96	415
December	1997	18	48	31	3	100	87	421
January	1998	15	52	30	3	100	85	430
February	1998	15	52	30	3	100	85	439
March	1998	16	58	22	4	100	94	447
April	1998	16	59	20	5	100	96	439
May	1998	15	61	20	4	100	95	440
June	1998	16	57	24	3	100	92	442
July	1998	16	56	27	1	100	89	443
August	1998	16	54	29	1	100	87	432
September	1998	13	58	27	1	100	86	426
October	1998	12	53	32	3	100	81	446
November	1998	13	51	34	3	100	79	450
December	1998	11	45	41	2	100	70	439
January	1999	11	50	37	2	100	74	408
February	1999	13	50	35	2	100	78	404
March	1999	14	56	28	3	100	86	412
April	1999	14	55	28	3	100	87	422
May	1999	11	60	26	2	100	85	416
June	1999	13	60	24	3	100	90	412

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
July	1999	12	64	22	3	100	90	396
August	1999	13	62	22	4	100	91	401
September	1999	12	63	23	2	100	89	414
October	1999	13	61	23	3	100	90	445
November	1999	13	61	23	4	100	90	454
December	1999	12	61	22	5	100	90	457
January	2000	12	61	21	5	100	91	449
February	2000	12	61	22	4	100	90	455
March	2000	13	61	23	3	100	89	462
April	2000	13	60	23	4	100	90	476
May	2000	13	62	21	4	100	92	472
June	2000	13	61	21	4	100	92	467
July	2000	12	61	23	5	100	89	469
August	2000	12	58	24	6	100	88	475
September	2000	12	57	24	7	100	89	478
October	2000	13	55	27	5	100	86	473
November	2000	12	55	28	5	100	84	464
December	2000	9	52	35	4	100	75	462
January	2001	7	45	42	6	100	65	464
February	2001	8	36	52	4	100	56	489
March	2001	7	31	58	3	100	49	473
April	2001	8	33	57	2	100	50	465
May	2001	7	36	56	2	100	51	436
June	2001	8	41	49	2	100	59	452
July	2001	9	40	49	2	100	59	462
August	2001	9	39	51	2	100	58	467
September	2001	8	32	58	2	100	49	478
October	2001	9	30	58	3	100	51	486
November	2001	13	27	57	3	100	55	498
December	2001	16	29	51	4	100	66	473
January	2002	19	30	47	4	100	71	483
February	2002	19	33	45	3	100	74	460
March	2002	22	35	40	3	100	82	483
April	2002	22	39	36	3	100	86	481
May	2002	21	44	31	3	100	90	501
June	2002	17	49	32	2	100	84	482
July	2002	14	48	36	2	100	77	475
August	2002	12	48	38	2	100	74	467
September	2002	13	45	40	2	100	74	499
October	2002	14	41	42	3	100	72	510
November	2002	15	39	43	3	100	71	519
December	2002	15	37	44	3	100	71	501
January	2003	16	43	40	2	100	76	481
February	2003	15	41	42	2	100	74	478
March	2003	15	43	41	2	100	74	470
April	2003	14	42	41	2	100	73	476
May	2003	18	46	34	2	100	84	488
June	2003	20	45	34	2	100	86	503
July	2003	21	44	33	2	100	88	501
August	2003	20	42	36	2	100	84	496
September	2003	20	43	35	1	100	85	487
October	2003	23	42	35	0	100	88	473

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
November	2003	25	40	35	0	100	90	478
December	2003	26	39	35	0	100	92	470
January	2004	28	40	31	1	100	98	488
February	2004	26	42	31	1	100	95	502
March	2004	23	45	31	1	100	92	527
April	2004	22	47	30	1	100	92	531
May	2004	25	46	28	1	100	97	532
June	2004	29	42	28	2	100	101	548
July	2004	29	40	29	3	100	100	572
August	2004	26	42	30	2	100	96	576
September	2004	23	47	27	2	100	96	567
October	2004	22	49	28	1	100	95	560
November	2004	23	50	26	1	100	97	551
December	2004	24	48	26	1	100	98	562
January	2005	22	47	30	1	100	92	579
February	2005	19	47	33	1	100	86	580
March	2005	16	51	32	1	100	85	600
April	2005	17	51	31	1	100	87	582
May	2005	18	49	32	1	100	86	584
June	2005	19	45	36	0	100	83	555
July	2005	16	49	34	1	100	82	571
August	2005	14	51	33	2	100	81	596
September	2005	12	49	38	2	100	74	640
October	2005	11	42	45	1	100	66	634
November	2005	12	41	46	1	100	66	633
December	2005	14	40	45	1	100	68	602
January	2006	13	44	42	1	100	71	615
February	2006	14	42	44	1	100	70	606
March	2006	12	42	45	1	100	68	617
April	2006	10	44	45	1	100	65	614
May	2006	10	43	46	1	100	64	626
June	2006	9	46	44	1	100	65	634
July	2006	11	45	44	1	100	67	634
August	2006	11	46	42	1	100	69	640
September	2006	13	46	41	1	100	72	661
October	2006	12	50	37	1	100	74	683
November	2006	10	55	34	1	100	76	674
December	2006	10	56	34	1	100	76	671
January	2007	12	55	32	1	100	79	650
February	2007	12	53	35	1	100	77	676
March	2007	11	53	35	1	100	77	682
April	2007	9	53	37	1	100	72	701
May	2007	10	55	34	1	100	76	683
June	2007	9	56	35	1	100	74	667
July	2007	10	56	33	1	100	77	665
August	2007	9	51	39	1	100	70	687
September	2007	9	51	39	1	100	70	702
October	2007	7	51	41	1	100	66	712
November	2007	8	51	40	1	100	68	702
December	2007	8	48	43	1	100	65	705
January	2008	9	43	47	1	100	62	715

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
February	2008	9	40	50	1	100	59	712
March	2008	8	38	53	1	100	55	702
April	2008	8	36	56	0	100	52	695
May	2008	6	36	58	0	100	48	726
June	2008	6	36	58	0	100	48	730
July	2008	6	33	61	1	100	45	754
August	2008	6	32	61	1	100	45	734
September	2008	7	35	57	1	100	50	722
October	2008	6	36	56	2	100	51	694
November	2008	7	32	60	2	100	47	707
December	2008	7	25	67	1	100	40	718
January	2009	9	22	69	1	100	40	740
February	2009	10	21	68	1	100	41	729
March	2009	10	23	66	1	100	45	751
April	2009	10	28	61	1	100	49	742
May	2009	11	35	53	1	100	58	765
June	2009	13	38	48	1	100	65	771
July	2009	14	37	48	1	100	66	766
August	2009	15	38	46	1	100	69	759
September	2009	16	42	41	1	100	75	754
October	2009	16	45	38	1	100	78	782
November	2009	16	46	37	1	100	79	784
December	2009	17	44	38	1	100	80	801
January	2010	19	46	34	1	100	86	797
February	2010	22	48	30	1	100	92	798
March	2010	21	50	28	1	100	93	796
April	2010	23	48	29	1	100	94	809
May	2010	24	48	28	1	100	96	817
June	2010	25	47	28	1	100	97	801
July	2010	22	48	29	1	100	93	796
August	2010	21	45	33	1	100	88	803
September	2010	17	48	34	1	100	84	826
October	2010	16	50	33	1	100	83	819
November	2010	16	52	31	1	100	85	821
December	2010	19	52	28	1	100	91	809
January	2011	21	53	26	0	100	95	826
February	2011	23	53	23	1	100	99	840
March	2011	22	53	24	1	100	97	874
April	2011	22	50	25	2	100	97	856
May	2011	22	50	26	2	100	96	850
June	2011	23	49	26	2	100	96	830
July	2011	21	50	27	2	100	94	835
August	2011	17	47	35	1	100	82	841
September	2011	13	50	37	1	100	76	860
October	2011	11	49	39	1	100	72	860
November	2011	14	54	31	1	100	82	881
December	2011	17	52	30	1	100	88	878
January	2012	22	53	24	0	100	98	901
February	2012	26	49	24	1	100	102	862
March	2012	28	50	21	1	100	107	864
April	2012	27	49	23	1	100	104	838
May	2012	24	50	24	2	100	100	862

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
June	2012	24	48	27	2	100	97	865
July	2012	23	48	27	2	100	96	897
August	2012	22	50	26	2	100	96	886
September	2012	23	52	23	2	100	100	891
October	2012	26	51	21	2	100	105	873
November	2012	30	47	21	3	100	109	864
December	2012	27	42	28	2	100	99	869
January	2013	25	41	32	2	100	93	874
February	2013	23	42	34	1	100	89	862
March	2013	24	42	32	1	100	92	822
April	2013	25	42	31	2	100	93	825
May	2013	25	43	31	2	100	94	831
June	2013	23	47	27	2	100	96	851
July	2013	22	50	26	2	100	96	819
August	2013	23	49	26	2	100	97	816
September	2013	23	47	29	1	100	94	794
October	2013	22	45	31	2	100	91	833
November	2013	20	44	34	1	100	86	839
December	2013	20	47	32	1	100	88	867
January	2014	21	47	31	1	100	90	862
February	2014	21	48	30	1	100	91	885
March	2014	19	48	32	1	100	87	875
April	2014	17	52	30	1	100	86	858
May	2014	19	53	27	1	100	92	845
June	2014	21	53	25	1	100	96	857
July	2014	22	49	28	1	100	95	872
August	2014	20	50	28	2	100	91	867
September	2014	19	49	31	2	100	88	838
October	2014	21	51	27	1	100	94	801
November	2014	24	51	25	0	100	99	783
December	2014	28	50	22	0	100	106	789
January	2015	29	49	21	1	100	108	765
February	2015	28	48	23	1	100	105	753
March	2015	27	48	24	1	100	103	697
April	2015	26	48	26	1	100	100	691
May	2015	25	48	26	1	100	99	655
June	2015	26	48	25	2	100	101	684
July	2015	23	49	26	2	100	97	687
August	2015	22	49	27	2	100	95	733
September	2015	19	48	31	1	100	88	699
October	2015	18	47	34	1	100	83	687
November	2015	18	48	33	1	100	85	648
December	2015	19	50	30	1	100	88	657
January	2016	19	51	28	1	100	91	671
February	2016	18	50	31	1	100	88	667
March	2016	17	52	31	1	100	86	701
April	2016	16	51	32	1	100	84	718
May	2016	16	53	30	1	100	86	776
June	2016	16	53	31	1	100	85	752
July	2016	15	54	29	1	100	86	754
August	2016	16	53	29	2	100	87	728
September	2016	18	53	27	3	100	91	767

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Date of Survey		Less	Same	More	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
October	2016	20	51	26	3	100	94	789
November	2016	22	49	27	3	100	95	808
December	2016	25	48	25	2	100	101	796
January	2017	32	44	22	2	100	110	807
February	2017	37	42	20	2	100	117	811
March	2017	41	37	20	2	100	121	824
April	2017	41	37	20	1	100	121	835
May	2017	39	39	21	1	100	118	841
June	2017	35	43	21	1	100	114	819
July	2017	30	46	23	1	100	108	804
August	2017	31	47	22	0	100	110	799
September	2017	31	47	22	0	100	108	818
October	2017	32	47	21	0	100	111	839
November	2017	30	47	22	1	100	107	860
December	2017	30	47	22	1	100	107	863