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**TABLE 26**  
**EXPECTED CHANGE IN BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN A YEAR**  
**(Three Month Moving Averages)**

The question was: "And how about a year from now, do you expect that in the country as a whole business conditions will be better, or worse than they are at present, or just about the same?"

<u>Date of Survey</u>	<u>Better</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>Worse</u>	<u>DK, NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Relative</u>	<u>Cases</u>
March 1978	28	50	19	3	100	109	1169
April 1978	27	48	21	4	100	107	1194
May 1978	25	50	23	2	100	103	1215
June 1978	24	50	23	2	100	101	1190
July 1978	22	51	25	2	100	97	1220
August 1978	22	50	26	2	100	96	1407
September 1978	21	51	26	2	100	95	1422
October 1978	23	50	24	3	100	100	1425
November 1978	22	49	26	3	100	95	1548
December 1978	21	44	31	4	100	90	1549
January 1979	20	42	34	4	100	86	1594
February 1979	19	43	33	4	100	86	1349
March 1979	17	46	33	4	100	83	1386
April 1979	14	46	35	4	100	79	1394
May 1979	14	44	38	4	100	76	1337
June 1979	15	43	39	3	100	76	1448
July 1979	14	40	44	2	100	70	1576
August 1979	15	39	45	2	100	70	1539
September 1979	16	40	43	2	100	73	1497
October 1979	18	41	40	2	100	78	1456
November 1979	19	42	37	2	100	82	1529
December 1979	20	40	38	2	100	82	1496
January 1980	21	41	36	3	100	85	1346
February 1980	23	43	31	3	100	91	1195
March 1980	21	45	32	2	100	89	1112
April 1980	20	41	38	1	100	82	1056
May 1980	20	36	43	1	100	77	898
June 1980	26	33	40	2	100	86	884
July 1980	33	33	31	2	100	102	901
August 1980	35	36	26	3	100	110	901
September 1980	38	39	20	3	100	118	884
October 1980	39	41	17	3	100	121	862
November 1980	44	39	14	3	100	129	865
December 1980	42	40	15	3	100	127	870
January 1981	45	38	15	3	100	130	895
February 1981	42	40	15	3	100	127	896
March 1981	45	38	14	2	100	131	917
April 1981	42	39	17	2	100	126	896
May 1981	44	37	18	1	100	126	886
June 1981	45	37	17	1	100	128	859
July 1981	47	36	16	1	100	132	858
August 1981	47	37	16	1	100	131	875
September 1981	43	39	17	1	100	126	882
October 1981	40	39	19	1	100	121	905
November 1981	36	39	22	2	100	114	903
December 1981	37	37	24	2	100	114	908
January 1982	41	33	24	2	100	117	909
February 1982	43	31	24	1	100	119	923
March 1982	41	31	26	2	100	115	915
April 1982	38	33	27	2	100	112	895
May 1982	42	33	23	2	100	119	911
June 1982	46	32	21	1	100	125	924

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July 1982	47	31	21	1	100	126	942
August 1982	43	33	23	1	100	120	927
September 1982	41	36	22	1	100	120	930
October 1982	45	35	19	1	100	126	903
November 1982	46	36	17	1	100	129	873
December 1982	49	34	17	1	100	132	850
January 1983	47	37	16	0	100	131	884
February 1983	50	36	14	0	100	136	922
March 1983	53	35	11	1	100	143	950
April 1983	57	34	8	1	100	150	942
May 1983	61	33	6	0	100	155	921
June 1983	60	32	7	1	100	154	907
July 1983	59	33	7	1	100	152	909
August 1983	56	34	8	2	100	149	895
September 1983	55	36	8	1	100	147	916
October 1983	55	35	9	2	100	146	916
November 1983	54	35	9	2	100	145	947
December 1983	54	36	8	2	100	146	922
January 1984	53	37	8	2	100	146	906
February 1984	48	40	10	1	100	138	890
March 1984	45	41	12	2	100	133	899
April 1984	41	44	13	2	100	127	920
May 1984	38	46	14	2	100	124	919
June 1984	34	48	17	1	100	118	913
July 1984	32	50	16	2	100	117	891
August 1984	35	47	16	3	100	119	904
September 1984	36	45	15	4	100	121	919
October 1984	35	45	17	3	100	118	944
November 1984	36	43	18	3	100	119	933
December 1984	38	41	19	2	100	120	931
January 1985	38	43	18	1	100	121	884
February 1985	37	46	16	1	100	122	873
March 1985	34	50	14	2	100	120	859
April 1985	35	49	13	2	100	122	905
May 1985	32	49	17	3	100	115	909
June 1985	31	50	16	2	100	115	886
July 1985	30	51	17	2	100	114	843
August 1985	31	52	15	1	100	116	822
September 1985	28	54	16	2	100	112	842
October 1985	27	53	18	2	100	109	880
November 1985	25	54	18	2	100	107	897
December 1985	28	52	18	1	100	110	884
January 1986	28	54	17	1	100	110	877
February 1986	30	52	17	1	100	113	868
March 1986	31	52	16	1	100	115	897
April 1986	33	51	15	1	100	118	889
May 1986	31	53	14	1	100	117	901
June 1986	31	54	14	2	100	117	892
July 1986	30	56	12	2	100	118	900
August 1986	32	54	13	1	100	118	898
September 1986	29	53	16	1	100	113	901
October 1986	28	53	18	2	100	110	871
November 1986	24	55	18	2	100	106	858
December 1986	24	57	17	2	100	107	842

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January 1987	26	54	18	1	100	108	840
February 1987	27	51	21	1	100	107	857
March 1987	28	52	19	1	100	108	858
April 1987	26	55	19	0	100	107	864
May 1987	25	56	18	1	100	107	851
June 1987	26	54	20	1	100	106	853
July 1987	27	53	19	1	100	108	852
August 1987	30	53	16	1	100	114	844
September 1987	29	53	16	2	100	113	830
October 1987	28	53	17	2	100	110	775
November 1987	27	51	19	2	100	108	731
December 1987	27	50	21	2	100	105	700
January 1988	25	52	22	2	100	103	686
February 1988	23	53	22	2	100	102	654
March 1988	22	57	18	2	100	104	623
April 1988	23	56	18	3	100	105	645
May 1988	23	55	18	4	100	105	671
June 1988	26	51	20	3	100	106	707
July 1988	27	48	21	4	100	107	703
August 1988	26	49	20	4	100	106	687
September 1988	28	48	19	5	100	109	656
October 1988	27	53	16	4	100	111	661
November 1988	26	55	16	3	100	110	677
December 1988	22	58	16	3	100	106	687
January 1989	24	54	19	3	100	105	667
February 1989	26	53	18	3	100	108	662
March 1989	27	52	18	2	100	109	657
April 1989	26	54	19	1	100	107	664
May 1989	25	52	22	1	100	102	669
June 1989	26	52	20	1	100	106	659
July 1989	25	55	18	2	100	107	651
August 1989	24	58	16	1	100	108	652
September 1989	21	58	19	2	100	102	673
October 1989	24	55	18	2	100	106	668
November 1989	24	55	18	3	100	107	655
December 1989	27	54	16	2	100	111	640
January 1990	25	56	17	2	100	107	654
February 1990	24	53	21	2	100	103	687
March 1990	22	54	22	2	100	100	684
April 1990	24	52	22	2	100	102	690
May 1990	24	55	19	2	100	105	659
June 1990	25	53	19	2	100	106	679
July 1990	23	55	20	2	100	103	687
August 1990	22	51	26	2	100	96	694
September 1990	18	48	32	1	100	86	670
October 1990	16	41	41	2	100	76	672
November 1990	16	41	41	2	100	75	664
December 1990	19	41	38	2	100	80	685
January 1991	23	42	32	3	100	91	703
February 1991	29	39	29	3	100	100	717
March 1991	38	36	22	3	100	116	702
April 1991	45	36	16	3	100	129	691
May 1991	48	37	12	2	100	136	695
June 1991	43	41	15	2	100	128	714
July 1991	41	42	16	1	100	126	698

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August 1991	41	43	14	2	100	126	695
September 1991	40	45	13	2	100	127	684
October 1991	36	47	15	2	100	121	706
November 1991	31	49	19	1	100	112	698
December 1991	29	46	23	2	100	107	704
January 1992	30	42	25	3	100	106	681
February 1992	35	39	23	4	100	112	691
March 1992	39	37	21	3	100	118	702
April 1992	41	38	19	2	100	123	706
May 1992	43	38	17	2	100	126	684
June 1992	40	41	17	2	100	123	675
July 1992	38	43	16	3	100	122	673
August 1992	34	44	18	4	100	117	700
September 1992	34	46	16	4	100	118	695
October 1992	35	44	17	4	100	118	692
November 1992	36	45	16	3	100	120	671
December 1992	42	39	15	4	100	126	663
January 1993	44	38	14	3	100	130	672
February 1993	48	35	15	3	100	133	683
March 1993	44	37	17	2	100	127	700
April 1993	41	39	18	2	100	123	708
May 1993	34	45	19	2	100	115	693
June 1993	33	45	21	2	100	112	670
July 1993	29	45	24	2	100	105	672
August 1993	27	43	27	3	100	100	694
September 1993	25	46	27	2	100	98	722
October 1993	24	48	26	2	100	99	719
November 1993	25	49	24	1	100	101	708
December 1993	27	49	22	1	100	105	698
January 1994	32	47	19	1	100	113	693
February 1994	37	47	16	1	100	121	683
March 1994	36	45	17	2	100	119	670
April 1994	35	46	18	1	100	117	662
May 1994	33	48	19	1	100	114	679
June 1994	32	48	19	1	100	112	685
July 1994	29	51	20	1	100	109	712
August 1994	27	53	19	1	100	108	694
September 1994	28	53	17	1	100	111	683
October 1994	30	53	15	3	100	115	640
November 1994	31	52	15	3	100	116	648
December 1994	33	51	14	3	100	119	660
January 1995	33	50	15	2	100	118	699
February 1995	36	47	15	2	100	121	723
March 1995	34	50	14	2	100	119	713
April 1995	33	51	15	2	100	118	672
May 1995	28	55	15	2	100	113	663
June 1995	26	55	17	2	100	109	686
July 1995	26	54	19	2	100	107	718
August 1995	27	53	18	2	100	109	721
September 1995	28	55	15	2	100	113	719
October 1995	27	57	14	2	100	113	702
November 1995	26	56	16	2	100	110	689
December 1995	29	52	18	2	100	111	679
January 1996	27	52	19	2	100	108	690

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February	1996	29	51	19	1	100	110	700
March	1996	26	56	16	2	100	110	698
April	1996	27	56	15	2	100	112	686
May	1996	27	57	14	3	100	113	669
June	1996	26	54	17	3	100	109	658
July	1996	28	51	18	3	100	110	675
August	1996	28	51	17	3	100	111	690
September	1996	29	54	15	3	100	114	694
October	1996	28	57	12	2	100	116	680
November	1996	30	57	12	1	100	117	677
December	1996	30	56	13	1	100	117	657
January	1997	29	55	14	2	100	115	667
February	1997	30	56	13	2	100	117	670
March	1997	29	55	15	1	100	114	719
April	1997	28	56	15	1	100	113	729
May	1997	25	57	17	2	100	108	723
June	1997	26	58	14	2	100	113	661
July	1997	26	60	12	2	100	114	642
August	1997	30	58	10	2	100	120	646
September	1997	32	56	10	2	100	122	694
October	1997	35	53	11	1	100	124	688
November	1997	33	55	11	1	100	122	691
December	1997	30	54	14	1	100	116	659
January	1998	28	56	13	2	100	115	639
February	1998	27	58	13	3	100	114	636
March	1998	29	59	10	2	100	119	660
April	1998	30	58	9	2	100	121	676
May	1998	29	60	9	2	100	119	686
June	1998	26	60	12	1	100	114	689
July	1998	26	60	12	1	100	114	680
August	1998	27	57	14	2	100	113	651
September	1998	27	54	16	2	100	111	658
October	1998	24	51	22	2	100	102	685
November	1998	25	50	23	1	100	102	720
December	1998	26	51	23	0	100	103	704
January	1999	28	53	18	1	100	109	688
February	1999	27	56	16	1	100	111	659
March	1999	24	59	16	1	100	107	669
April	1999	24	60	15	1	100	108	672
May	1999	23	60	16	1	100	107	677
June	1999	29	56	14	1	100	115	679
July	1999	26	57	15	2	100	111	674
August	1999	25	57	16	1	100	109	674
September	1999	23	61	15	1	100	108	657
October	1999	24	59	15	2	100	109	681
November	1999	24	58	16	2	100	109	660
December	1999	26	57	15	2	100	112	683
January	2000	27	58	13	2	100	115	661
February	2000	28	60	9	3	100	119	676
March	2000	27	60	11	3	100	116	652
April	2000	27	60	11	2	100	116	674
May	2000	28	59	12	1	100	116	678
June	2000	27	61	11	1	100	116	685
July	2000	27	59	12	1	100	115	668
August	2000	27	59	12	2	100	114	672

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September 2000	26	61	11	2	100	115	659
October 2000	28	56	13	3	100	114	658
November 2000	27	55	14	4	100	113	666
December 2000	28	49	19	4	100	109	678
January 2001	26	49	22	3	100	104	680
February 2001	30	43	25	2	100	106	667
March 2001	32	44	22	2	100	110	672
April 2001	35	43	20	2	100	116	657
May 2001	34	43	20	2	100	114	683
June 2001	37	40	20	2	100	117	662
July 2001	39	40	19	2	100	120	667
August 2001	39	40	20	1	100	119	647
September 2001	38	39	22	2	100	116	676
October 2001	41	35	22	2	100	119	660
November 2001	45	33	20	2	100	125	666
December 2001	50	32	16	2	100	134	631
January 2002	54	30	14	3	100	140	657
February 2002	56	30	11	2	100	145	650
March 2002	59	29	10	2	100	149	686
April 2002	57	31	10	2	100	147	681
May 2002	54	34	10	2	100	144	684
June 2002	49	37	13	1	100	136	671
July 2002	43	42	14	1	100	129	673
August 2002	44	40	15	1	100	129	656
September 2002	42	40	16	1	100	126	659
October 2002	42	39	16	2	100	126	666
November 2002	42	37	18	2	100	124	680
December 2002	43	36	19	2	100	125	675
January 2003	43	35	21	1	100	122	673
February 2003	38	38	22	2	100	116	666
March 2003	37	38	24	2	100	113	655
April 2003	40	37	21	1	100	119	648
May 2003	48	35	16	1	100	132	653
June 2003	51	33	15	1	100	136	663
July 2003	51	34	14	1	100	137	670
August 2003	47	36	16	1	100	131	674
September 2003	45	38	16	0	100	129	676
October 2003	44	38	18	0	100	126	656
November 2003	45	36	18	1	100	127	666
December 2003	47	36	16	1	100	131	678
January 2004	50	37	12	1	100	138	694
February 2004	48	41	10	1	100	138	668
March 2004	45	43	11	1	100	135	668
April 2004	44	42	13	1	100	131	652
May 2004	43	40	15	2	100	128	687
June 2004	44	38	16	3	100	128	703
July 2004	43	37	15	4	100	128	715
August 2004	43	39	14	4	100	130	680
September 2004	44	40	13	3	100	131	654
October 2004	43	41	14	2	100	129	653
November 2004	43	41	13	2	100	130	700
December 2004	42	42	15	1	100	127	711
January 2005	41	41	16	1	100	125	703
February 2005	38	43	18	1	100	120	661

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March 2005	35	43	20	1	100	115	630
April 2005	32	45	22	1	100	111	652
May 2005	30	46	23	1	100	107	676
June 2005	29	47	23	1	100	106	674
July 2005	29	47	23	0	100	106	667
August 2005	29	46	24	0	100	105	654
September 2005	26	45	28	0	100	98	664
October 2005	24	43	32	1	100	91	671
November 2005	23	43	32	1	100	91	664
December 2005	27	44	27	1	100	100	655
January 2006	28	49	22	1	100	106	655
February 2006	29	50	20	1	100	109	654
March 2006	26	51	23	0	100	104	661
April 2006	23	49	28	0	100	96	653
May 2006	21	48	31	0	100	90	668
June 2006	19	50	30	1	100	89	674
July 2006	18	53	27	1	100	91	669
August 2006	18	55	26	1	100	91	648
September 2006	20	53	25	1	100	95	660
October 2006	24	52	23	1	100	101	672
November 2006	26	51	21	2	100	105	701
December 2006	24	53	20	2	100	104	710
January 2007	23	55	20	2	100	102	701
February 2007	22	57	20	2	100	102	686
March 2007	22	56	21	1	100	101	666
April 2007	21	56	22	1	100	99	682
May 2007	19	56	25	1	100	94	670
June 2007	20	54	25	1	100	95	686
July 2007	19	55	25	1	100	94	678
August 2007	21	54	25	0	100	96	702
September 2007	19	55	26	0	100	93	684
October 2007	18	54	28	0	100	90	685
November 2007	17	52	30	1	100	86	664
December 2007	17	50	33	1	100	84	654
January 2008	20	46	33	0	100	87	636
February 2008	23	45	30	1	100	93	650
March 2008	24	45	29	2	100	95	678
April 2008	22	44	32	2	100	90	681
May 2008	19	42	37	2	100	82	661
June 2008	18	41	40	2	100	78	632
July 2008	17	43	39	2	100	78	626
August 2008	21	43	34	1	100	87	639
September 2008	28	43	28	1	100	99	666
October 2008	31	41	26	2	100	105	670
November 2008	28	42	27	3	100	101	648
December 2008	27	44	26	3	100	101	627
January 2009	27	45	25	2	100	102	616
February 2009	29	42	26	3	100	102	630
March 2009	31	38	28	3	100	103	661
April 2009	35	34	29	2	100	106	680
May 2009	41	35	24	1	100	117	672
June 2009	42	36	22	1	100	120	640
July 2009	41	36	23	0	100	118	614
August 2009	41	35	24	1	100	117	619
September 2009	42	35	22	1	100	119	639

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October 2009	41	39	19	1	100	122	654
November 2009	38	43	18	1	100	120	682
December 2009	38	43	17	2	100	121	670
January 2010	41	40	16	2	100	125	665
February 2010	44	37	16	2	100	128	622
March 2010	42	38	18	2	100	124	633
April 2010	40	40	19	1	100	120	658
May 2010	37	41	21	1	100	117	694
June 2010	38	40	22	0	100	116	686
July 2010	36	41	23	1	100	113	667
August 2010	34	43	23	1	100	111	629
September 2010	30	46	23	1	100	108	610
October 2010	29	50	19	1	100	110	638
November 2010	32	50	17	1	100	114	674
December 2010	35	49	15	1	100	120	723
January 2011	37	46	15	1	100	122	694
February 2011	40	43	16	1	100	124	675
March 2011	36	43	19	1	100	117	640
April 2011	33	45	21	1	100	111	641
May 2011	30	47	23	1	100	107	641
June 2011	32	47	21	0	100	111	649
July 2011	31	47	22	0	100	108	629
August 2011	26	46	28	1	100	98	637
September 2011	21	46	31	1	100	90	627
October 2011	19	46	33	2	100	86	646
November 2011	19	50	30	2	100	89	645
December 2011	24	48	26	2	100	97	645
January 2012	27	49	22	2	100	106	641
February 2012	31	48	19	2	100	112	649
March 2012	32	48	18	2	100	114	665
April 2012	33	48	16	3	100	117	687
May 2012	34	47	15	4	100	119	687
June 2012	33	49	14	4	100	119	684
July 2012	34	48	15	3	100	119	673
August 2012	32	47	17	3	100	115	669
September 2012	34	45	18	3	100	115	687
October 2012	33	44	18	4	100	115	697
November 2012	36	42	17	5	100	119	702
December 2012	33	40	23	4	100	110	698
January 2013	33	39	26	2	100	106	708
February 2013	31	41	27	1	100	105	714
March 2013	35	41	22	1	100	113	725
April 2013	34	44	21	1	100	114	715
May 2013	34	44	20	2	100	114	706
June 2013	32	47	19	2	100	113	687
July 2013	32	47	19	2	100	113	705
August 2013	29	49	20	2	100	109	732
September 2013	27	48	24	2	100	103	757
October 2013	24	48	27	1	100	97	772
November 2013	24	44	30	1	100	94	769
December 2013	25	45	29	1	100	96	784
January 2014	28	42	28	2	100	100	797
February 2014	28	43	27	1	100	101	817
March 2014	30	43	26	1	100	104	811



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**TABLE 26**  
**EXPECTED CHANGE IN BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN A YEAR**  
**(Three Month Moving Averages)**

<u>Date of Survey</u>		<u>Better</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>Worse</u>	<u>DK, NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Relative</u>	<u>Cases</u>
April	2014	28	46	26	0	100	102	800
May	2014	27	50	22	1	100	105	784
June	2014	26	51	22	1	100	104	792
July	2014	25	50	24	1	100	101	812
August	2014	24	49	26	1	100	98	833
September	2014	25	48	26	1	100	99	865
October	2014	27	49	23	1	100	103	880
November	2014	29	49	21	2	100	108	900
December	2014	30	50	18	2	100	111	895
January	2015	35	49	15	1	100	120	902
February	2015	35	49	15	1	100	120	919
March	2015	35	47	16	1	100	119	918
April	2015	33	49	17	1	100	116	930
May	2015	32	49	18	1	100	114	920
June	2015	32	52	16	1	100	116	925
July	2015	30	51	19	1	100	111	899
August	2015	29	53	18	0	100	112	962
September	2015	27	50	22	1	100	106	943
October	2015	25	52	22	1	100	104	969
November	2015	24	51	23	2	100	101	913
December	2015	25	54	19	2	100	105	957
January	2016	26	53	19	2	100	108	930
February	2016	28	52	18	2	100	109	942
March	2016	28	50	19	3	100	109	938
April	2016	26	52	19	3	100	107	971
May	2016	25	53	19	3	100	107	1001
June	2016	26	53	18	3	100	108	997
July	2016	26	51	20	3	100	106	1014
August	2016	27	50	19	4	100	107	1000
September	2016	27	49	19	4	100	108	1049
October	2016	28	49	19	4	100	109	1056
November	2016	30	45	20	5	100	111	1126
December	2016	36	41	20	3	100	116	1126
January	2017	45	34	19	3	100	126	1152
February	2017	49	29	20	2	100	129	1120
March	2017	50	27	21	2	100	129	1101
April	2017	48	28	21	2	100	127	1105
May	2017	48	30	20	1	100	128	1117
June	2017	44	34	21	1	100	124	1155
July	2017	41	37	22	1	100	119	1148
August	2017	38	40	22	1	100	116	1141
September	2017	36	43	20	1	100	116	1127
October	2017	37	43	20	1	100	117	1128
November	2017	38	43	18	1	100	119	1123
December	2017	40	41	17	1	100	123	1122
January	2018	42	40	17	2	100	125	1139
February	2018	43	38	18	1	100	125	1136
March	2018	41	38	19	1	100	122	1126
April	2018	39	40	19	1	100	120	1100
May	2018	36	42	20	1	100	116	1097
June	2018	38	41	20	1	100	118	1096
July	2018	37	38	23	1	100	114	1091
August	2018	39	35	25	1	100	115	1100
September	2018	37	35	26	2	100	112	1115
October	2018	37	36	23	3	100	114	1112

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November 2018	33	41	22	4	100	111	1112
December 2018	31	44	22	3	100	109	1111
January 2019	29	44	25	3	100	104	1117
February 2019	28	44	26	2	100	103	1112
March 2019	28	44	26	2	100	103	1117
April 2019	30	47	22	2	100	108	1132
May 2019	33	45	20	1	100	113	1123
June 2019	35	44	21	1	100	114	1126
July 2019	35	44	20	1	100	115	1114
August 2019	31	42	24	2	100	107	1123
September 2019	31	42	25	2	100	106	1106
October 2019	30	40	28	2	100	102	1185
November 2019	32	41	26	1	100	106	1208
December 2019	32	42	24	2	100	108	1254
January 2020	34	42	21	3	100	113	1207
February 2020	33	44	20	4	100	113	1209
March 2020	36	42	19	3	100	117	1212
April 2020	46	33	18	3	100	127	1212
May 2020	55	24	18	3	100	137	1226
June 2020	60	19	18	2	100	142	1187
July 2020	58	20	20	2	100	138	1169
August 2020	55	23	19	3	100	136	1151
September 2020	55	22	18	5	100	136	1125
October 2020	55	23	15	7	100	140	1127
November 2020	53	24	16	7	100	137	1122
December 2020	51	24	18	7	100	133	1129
January 2021	48	25	22	5	100	126	1108
February 2021	49	24	24	3	100	125	1086
March 2021	48	23	27	1	100	121	1096
April 2021	47	23	28	1	100	119	1118
May 2021	48	24	27	1	100	121	1140
June 2021	48	25	26	1	100	122	1155
July 2021	46	27	25	2	100	121	1155
August 2021	40	31	27	2	100	112	1140