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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?"

Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
December	1979	16	46	37	1	100	80	1125
January	1980	16	46	36	1	100	80	908
February	1980	18	47	33	2	100	85	724
March	1980	17	45	36	1	100	81	644
April	1980	15	42	41	2	100	73	671
May	1980	13	39	45	3	100	68	594
June	1980	17	38	40	4	100	77	583
July	1980	23	41	32	4	100	91	529
August	1980	28	40	28	4	100	100	515
September	1980	30	44	23	3	100	106	536
October	1980	32	44	20	3	100	112	589
November	1980	36	46	16	2	100	120	620
December	1980	34	45	18	3	100	117	585
January	1981	35	45	18	2	100	118	557
February	1981	31	49	19	1	100	111	531
March	1981	35	48	17	1	100	118	513
April	1981	35	45	19	1	100	116	493
May	1981	37	42	20	1	100	118	491
June	1981	37	41	21	0	100	116	488
July	1981	36	43	21	0	100	115	498
August	1981	39	41	20	0	100	120	418
September	1981	38	44	17	1	100	120	412
October	1981	36	45	17	2	100	119	311
November	1981	28	49	21	2	100	107	300
December	1981	27	45	26	2	100	100	361
January	1982	31	42	25	2	100	106	548
February	1982	35	39	25	2	100	110	733
March	1982	35	41	22	2	100	114	814
April	1982	31	43	24	2	100	107	847
May	1982	33	42	24	2	100	109	852
June	1982	36	38	24	2	100	112	837
July	1982	38	38	23	1	100	115	810
August	1982	37	40	21	2	100	115	718
September	1982	34	44	20	1	100	114	645
October	1982	36	43	19	2	100	117	640
November	1982	38	41	19	1	100	119	740
December	1982	39	41	19	1	100	120	803
January	1983	38	44	17	1	100	120	802
February	1983	40	44	16	0	100	124	721
March	1983	44	44	11	1	100	133	723
April	1983	49	41	9	1	100	140	719
May	1983	51	41	6	1	100	145	727
June	1983	51	42	6	1	100	145	730
July	1983	52	44	4	0	100	148	703
August	1983	49	45	5	0	100	144	756
September	1983	48	45	6	1	100	142	752
October	1983	46	45	8	1	100	138	771
November	1983	47	44	8	1	100	138	766
December	1983	48	43	8	1	100	140	760

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
January	1984	46	45	7	1	100	139	766
February	1984	44	47	8	2	100	136	755
March	1984	39	49	10	1	100	129	726
April	1984	35	52	11	1	100	124	713
May	1984	32	54	13	1	100	120	713
June	1984	31	56	12	1	100	119	717
July	1984	32	54	12	1	100	120	700
August	1984	32	53	12	3	100	120	693
September	1984	32	51	13	4	100	120	706
October	1984	34	49	12	4	100	122	749
November	1984	34	49	14	3	100	120	654
December	1984	35	48	15	3	100	120	668
January	1985	30	54	14	2	100	116	627
February	1985	31	56	12	1	100	118	629
March	1985	28	59	11	1	100	117	588
April	1985	30	57	12	1	100	119	621
May	1985	29	57	13	1	100	116	691
June	1985	29	56	14	1	100	115	701
July	1985	28	58	14	1	100	114	657
August	1985	28	58	13	1	100	114	680
September	1985	26	59	14	1	100	113	692
October	1985	27	57	15	1	100	112	723
November	1985	24	58	16	1	100	108	717
December	1985	24	59	15	2	100	109	635
January	1986	25	59	15	1	100	110	608
February	1986	27	58	14	1	100	113	615
March	1986	28	56	15	1	100	114	695
April	1986	29	57	14	0	100	115	669
May	1986	28	59	13	0	100	115	557
June	1986	26	62	12	0	100	114	506
July	1986	23	64	12	1	100	112	516
August	1986	26	60	14	0	100	113	574
September	1986	25	58	17	0	100	108	565
October	1986	25	57	18	0	100	107	548
November	1986	21	61	18	0	100	103	583
December	1986	20	62	17	1	100	103	591
January	1987	17	63	18	1	100	99	586
February	1987	19	59	21	1	100	98	544
March	1987	22	58	19	1	100	103	544
April	1987	24	58	18	1	100	106	557
May	1987	22	62	14	1	100	108	555
June	1987	22	60	17	1	100	105	552
July	1987	24	59	16	2	100	108	529
August	1987	26	55	17	2	100	110	549
September	1987	26	57	15	2	100	110	552
October	1987	23	57	18	2	100	105	533
November	1987	21	55	23	1	100	98	472
December	1987	21	52	26	1	100	94	438
January	1988	20	54	25	1	100	95	419
February	1988	20	56	22	1	100	98	447
March	1988	19	63	17	1	100	102	444

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
April	1988	19	63	16	2	100	102	457
May	1988	22	62	13	3	100	110	442
June	1988	24	59	14	3	100	110	444
July	1988	25	57	14	4	100	111	446
August	1988	22	57	18	3	100	105	445
September	1988	23	57	16	4	100	107	430
October	1988	22	61	15	3	100	107	433
November	1988	21	62	14	3	100	108	438
December	1988	20	61	16	3	100	104	440
January	1989	21	60	16	3	100	105	428
February	1989	21	60	16	3	100	105	423
March	1989	24	60	14	2	100	110	442
April	1989	25	57	17	1	100	108	466
May	1989	25	55	19	1	100	106	482
June	1989	23	57	19	1	100	104	461
July	1989	22	61	15	2	100	107	463
August	1989	21	65	13	1	100	107	451
September	1989	22	62	15	1	100	106	470
October	1989	22	60	16	1	100	106	453
November	1989	23	60	15	2	100	107	445
December	1989	22	59	17	2	100	105	439
January	1990	21	60	17	2	100	105	436
February	1990	23	57	19	1	100	104	454
March	1990	22	59	18	1	100	104	455
April	1990	22	55	22	2	100	100	463
May	1990	21	56	20	3	100	101	453
June	1990	22	56	20	2	100	102	447
July	1990	19	59	20	2	100	100	425
August	1990	17	59	23	1	100	94	435
September	1990	15	54	29	2	100	87	450
October	1990	14	47	38	1	100	76	466
November	1990	14	42	42	1	100	72	467
December	1990	15	41	43	1	100	72	451
January	1991	18	43	38	1	100	79	479
February	1991	21	43	33	3	100	88	473
March	1991	30	42	25	3	100	105	483
April	1991	35	43	18	4	100	117	461
May	1991	36	46	16	3	100	120	464
June	1991	31	50	17	2	100	114	451
July	1991	32	50	16	2	100	116	453
August	1991	33	51	14	1	100	119	453
September	1991	33	52	13	1	100	120	456
October	1991	29	55	15	1	100	115	438
November	1991	26	55	18	1	100	108	429
December	1991	23	52	23	2	100	100	437
January	1992	24	48	26	2	100	98	444
February	1992	27	45	25	2	100	102	457
March	1992	30	45	23	2	100	107	451
April	1992	31	45	21	3	100	110	463
May	1992	33	46	19	2	100	114	445
June	1992	32	48	17	3	100	115	459
July	1992	30	52	16	2	100	114	446

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
August	1992	27	56	14	3	100	112	434
September	1992	25	56	17	3	100	108	427
October	1992	26	54	17	3	100	108	429
November	1992	27	51	19	2	100	108	443
December	1992	34	48	16	2	100	118	446
January	1993	37	46	15	2	100	122	474
February	1993	40	44	14	2	100	126	470
March	1993	36	45	17	2	100	120	473
April	1993	34	46	18	3	100	117	452
May	1993	29	49	20	3	100	109	469
June	1993	29	48	21	3	100	109	461
July	1993	27	49	22	2	100	105	468
August	1993	28	45	24	3	100	103	467
September	1993	22	51	24	2	100	98	468
October	1993	20	54	25	1	100	96	460
November	1993	18	58	23	1	100	95	472
December	1993	21	57	20	2	100	101	467
January	1994	26	53	18	3	100	108	460
February	1994	32	50	15	2	100	117	459
March	1994	31	50	16	3	100	115	447
April	1994	30	52	16	2	100	114	456
May	1994	27	53	18	1	100	109	434
June	1994	26	54	18	2	100	108	445
July	1994	24	56	19	2	100	105	455
August	1994	22	58	18	2	100	104	483
September	1994	22	59	17	1	100	105	521
October	1994	22	60	17	2	100	105	533
November	1994	23	59	15	2	100	108	502
December	1994	24	58	15	3	100	109	459
January	1995	26	57	14	3	100	111	445
February	1995	27	57	14	2	100	113	442
March	1995	25	58	16	2	100	109	449
April	1995	25	56	19	1	100	106	429
May	1995	22	58	19	2	100	103	446
June	1995	22	58	19	1	100	103	461
July	1995	19	61	19	1	100	101	485
August	1995	21	61	18	0	100	103	478
September	1995	22	64	14	0	100	108	475
October	1995	22	63	14	1	100	108	484
November	1995	19	63	16	2	100	103	482
December	1995	19	61	18	2	100	101	461
January	1996	20	59	19	2	100	100	445
February	1996	23	56	20	1	100	102	463
March	1996	25	53	20	2	100	105	477
April	1996	24	56	17	3	100	107	451
May	1996	23	59	15	3	100	108	453
June	1996	20	62	15	3	100	105	434
July	1996	23	61	14	2	100	110	454
August	1996	24	60	14	2	100	110	434
September	1996	25	59	14	2	100	111	441
October	1996	24	60	13	2	100	111	450
November	1996	24	61	13	2	100	111	454

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
December	1996	23	62	13	2	100	110	468
January	1997	23	61	14	2	100	109	458
February	1997	24	60	15	1	100	109	447
March	1997	24	60	14	2	100	110	437
April	1997	23	61	14	2	100	110	429
May	1997	25	61	12	2	100	112	440
June	1997	28	59	11	2	100	118	439
July	1997	27	63	9	2	100	118	453
August	1997	28	61	10	2	100	118	461
September	1997	29	61	9	1	100	120	457
October	1997	30	60	9	1	100	121	443
November	1997	29	63	8	0	100	121	429
December	1997	26	63	11	0	100	115	418
January	1998	24	65	11	1	100	113	406
February	1998	24	64	11	1	100	113	411
March	1998	28	64	7	1	100	121	428
April	1998	32	60	7	1	100	125	451
May	1998	31	60	8	1	100	123	449
June	1998	24	62	12	2	100	112	454
July	1998	21	64	13	2	100	109	441
August	1998	22	64	13	1	100	109	458
September	1998	24	62	12	2	100	112	467
October	1998	25	56	16	2	100	109	458
November	1998	22	57	19	2	100	103	455
December	1998	23	54	22	1	100	100	434
January	1999	24	55	20	1	100	104	439
February	1999	28	55	16	1	100	111	436
March	1999	25	61	13	1	100	112	480
April	1999	26	61	12	1	100	113	507
May	1999	24	62	14	1	100	110	519
June	1999	26	60	13	1	100	113	506
July	1999	23	63	12	1	100	111	490
August	1999	22	65	12	1	100	110	477
September	1999	22	66	12	0	100	110	465
October	1999	23	63	13	0	100	110	479
November	1999	26	58	15	1	100	111	475
December	1999	25	59	15	1	100	110	468
January	2000	26	62	12	0	100	114	483
February	2000	24	67	9	1	100	115	481
March	2000	26	65	8	1	100	118	480
April	2000	25	64	10	1	100	115	474
May	2000	26	62	10	1	100	116	476
June	2000	24	65	10	2	100	114	467
July	2000	22	63	12	3	100	111	445
August	2000	21	63	12	3	100	109	436
September	2000	22	63	13	3	100	109	454
October	2000	23	64	11	2	100	113	461
November	2000	25	62	11	2	100	113	453
December	2000	24	58	16	2	100	108	439
January	2001	22	57	19	3	100	103	444
February	2001	24	51	24	2	100	100	461

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
March	2001	26	48	23	2	100	103	475
April	2001	30	45	23	2	100	107	471
May	2001	29	47	21	2	100	108	470
June	2001	28	49	21	1	100	107	449
July	2001	26	52	21	1	100	105	452
August	2001	29	50	20	1	100	109	468
September	2001	29	49	20	2	100	110	496
October	2001	37	40	21	3	100	116	504
November	2001	40	39	19	2	100	122	501
December	2001	45	37	16	3	100	129	482
January	2002	47	37	14	3	100	133	481
February	2002	49	37	12	2	100	137	478
March	2002	56	33	10	1	100	145	484
April	2002	54	35	10	1	100	145	477
May	2002	49	40	10	1	100	139	480
June	2002	44	43	12	1	100	131	474
July	2002	39	48	12	1	100	127	474
August	2002	40	45	14	1	100	126	456
September	2002	37	48	14	1	100	123	450
October	2002	34	49	16	1	100	119	454
November	2002	34	47	17	2	100	117	465
December	2002	34	47	17	2	100	117	489
January	2003	35	44	19	2	100	116	493
February	2003	33	43	21	3	100	112	504
March	2003	30	42	24	4	100	105	495
April	2003	33	40	24	3	100	109	498
May	2003	37	41	20	2	100	117	474
June	2003	46	37	16	1	100	130	476
July	2003	47	38	14	1	100	132	459
August	2003	43	41	15	1	100	128	470
September	2003	38	43	18	1	100	121	470
October	2003	38	45	17	1	100	121	469
November	2003	40	44	16	1	100	124	456
December	2003	42	43	14	1	100	128	453
January	2004	42	44	12	2	100	130	465
February	2004	41	46	12	1	100	129	480
March	2004	37	51	11	1	100	126	485
April	2004	33	53	12	1	100	121	478
May	2004	30	55	14	1	100	116	476
June	2004	32	52	15	1	100	117	485
July	2004	33	49	14	3	100	119	500
August	2004	35	48	14	4	100	121	491
September	2004	35	48	13	4	100	121	469
October	2004	33	49	15	3	100	119	492
November	2004	34	49	15	2	100	119	510
December	2004	33	49	17	1	100	116	517
January	2005	34	48	17	0	100	117	488
February	2005	32	47	21	1	100	111	487
March	2005	28	50	22	1	100	106	491
April	2005	23	50	26	1	100	98	503
May	2005	20	54	25	1	100	95	528
June	2005	20	54	25	1	100	96	532

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
July	2005	23	54	23	1	100	100	531
August	2005	23	52	24	1	100	99	492
September	2005	19	51	29	1	100	91	493
October	2005	19	49	31	1	100	88	488
November	2005	20	47	31	2	100	90	517
December	2005	23	49	27	1	100	95	534
January	2006	24	50	25	1	100	99	514
February	2006	23	53	23	1	100	100	477
March	2006	22	53	25	1	100	97	447
April	2006	17	54	28	1	100	90	451
May	2006	15	53	31	1	100	85	455
June	2006	16	54	29	1	100	86	469
July	2006	15	56	28	1	100	87	458
August	2006	13	57	28	2	100	85	464
September	2006	13	57	28	1	100	85	460
October	2006	17	55	28	1	100	89	481
November	2006	18	59	23	0	100	95	478
December	2006	18	62	19	1	100	99	470
January	2007	20	62	17	1	100	102	464
February	2007	20	62	17	2	100	103	491
March	2007	21	58	19	1	100	102	496
April	2007	18	60	21	1	100	97	478
May	2007	17	60	22	1	100	95	463
June	2007	17	60	22	1	100	95	450
July	2007	16	63	20	1	100	96	478
August	2007	17	60	21	1	100	96	477
September	2007	16	61	21	1	100	95	495
October	2007	17	56	25	1	100	92	471
November	2007	16	57	26	1	100	90	483
December	2007	18	53	30	0	100	88	479
January	2008	18	53	28	1	100	90	480
February	2008	19	51	28	2	100	91	465
March	2008	18	51	28	3	100	89	479
April	2008	18	46	33	3	100	85	493
May	2008	16	43	39	3	100	77	500
June	2008	15	41	42	2	100	72	482
July	2008	13	44	42	1	100	71	492
August	2008	15	49	35	1	100	79	504
September	2008	19	51	28	2	100	92	527
October	2008	24	48	24	4	100	100	524
November	2008	26	43	27	4	100	99	512
December	2008	26	44	27	3	100	99	506
January	2009	28	44	27	1	100	100	484
February	2009	25	45	27	3	100	99	461
March	2009	27	41	29	3	100	99	437
April	2009	28	41	28	3	100	100	448
May	2009	36	39	24	1	100	111	459
June	2009	36	39	23	1	100	113	471
July	2009	35	39	25	1	100	110	474
August	2009	35	41	22	2	100	112	493
September	2009	37	43	19	1	100	118	484
October	2009	40	43	16	1	100	124	486

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
November	2009	37	45	17	1	100	120	480
December	2009	35	45	18	2	100	117	502
January	2010	35	45	17	2	100	118	514
February	2010	38	42	18	2	100	119	519
March	2010	40	41	18	1	100	121	517
April	2010	38	40	21	1	100	117	506
May	2010	34	43	21	2	100	113	484
June	2010	33	45	20	2	100	112	478
July	2010	29	47	22	2	100	107	468
August	2010	28	48	22	2	100	106	488
September	2010	25	46	27	2	100	99	478
October	2010	27	48	24	2	100	103	511
November	2010	30	48	21	1	100	109	496
December	2010	33	50	17	1	100	116	500
January	2011	35	50	15	1	100	120	468
February	2011	34	49	16	1	100	118	487
March	2011	31	49	18	1	100	113	492
April	2011	27	52	20	1	100	107	500
May	2011	25	51	22	1	100	103	483
June	2011	26	52	21	1	100	105	489
July	2011	26	50	22	1	100	104	488
August	2011	23	50	26	1	100	97	485
September	2011	20	49	30	1	100	90	482
October	2011	19	50	31	1	100	88	491
November	2011	18	54	27	1	100	91	501
December	2011	20	54	24	1	100	96	488
January	2012	23	55	20	2	100	103	472
February	2012	26	54	19	1	100	107	477
March	2012	29	53	16	2	100	113	475
April	2012	28	53	16	3	100	112	485
May	2012	29	51	16	4	100	113	471
June	2012	28	52	16	4	100	112	467
July	2012	29	49	17	4	100	112	468
August	2012	29	49	18	4	100	112	473
September	2012	32	48	17	4	100	115	486
October	2012	31	48	15	5	100	116	499
November	2012	33	49	15	4	100	118	483
December	2012	31	47	19	3	100	112	482
January	2013	31	48	20	1	100	111	471
February	2013	31	46	23	0	100	108	475
March	2013	33	46	20	1	100	113	476
April	2013	31	47	20	2	100	111	467
May	2013	31	49	17	2	100	114	478
June	2013	27	54	17	2	100	110	477
July	2013	29	53	17	1	100	112	485
August	2013	29	52	18	1	100	111	482
September	2013	26	49	24	1	100	102	461
October	2013	25	47	27	1	100	98	468
November	2013	22	45	32	1	100	90	472
December	2013	25	46	28	1	100	97	482
January	2014	26	45	28	1	100	98	462

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
February	2014	25	48	26	1	100	100	467
March	2014	24	49	26	1	100	98	482
April	2014	22	53	25	0	100	98	496
May	2014	22	55	22	1	100	99	497
June	2014	23	56	20	1	100	102	491
July	2014	21	55	22	2	100	99	489
August	2014	21	55	22	2	100	99	491
September	2014	21	54	24	1	100	98	489
October	2014	24	55	20	1	100	103	483
November	2014	24	56	18	1	100	106	478
December	2014	24	59	17	1	100	107	490
January	2015	29	55	15	1	100	114	493
February	2015	31	52	16	1	100	115	498
March	2015	31	50	18	1	100	113	480
April	2015	27	53	19	1	100	108	484
May	2015	27	54	18	1	100	109	479
June	2015	29	55	15	0	100	114	485
July	2015	30	53	17	0	100	112	492
August	2015	27	53	19	1	100	107	510
September	2015	23	52	24	1	100	99	515
October	2015	22	54	23	2	100	99	509
November	2015	21	55	22	3	100	99	483
December	2015	22	57	17	3	100	105	483
January	2016	23	56	17	4	100	106	472
February	2016	24	57	16	3	100	108	481
March	2016	24	55	17	4	100	107	494
April	2016	23	54	20	4	100	103	512
May	2016	23	52	22	3	100	101	525
June	2016	21	53	22	4	100	99	518
July	2016	19	55	22	4	100	97	510
August	2016	20	54	21	4	100	99	506
September	2016	22	52	21	4	100	101	525
October	2016	27	51	17	5	100	109	541
November	2016	29	46	19	6	100	110	572
December	2016	36	40	20	4	100	116	577
January	2017	43	34	21	3	100	122	580
February	2017	47	29	22	2	100	125	571
March	2017	47	27	24	2	100	122	585
April	2017	44	30	24	2	100	119	607
May	2017	44	34	21	1	100	123	609
June	2017	41	37	21	1	100	120	577
July	2017	37	39	22	2	100	114	556
August	2017	32	41	25	2	100	108	535
September	2017	30	43	26	1	100	105	561
October	2017	32	40	27	1	100	105	587
November	2017	32	41	26	1	100	105	607
December	2017	33	41	25	1	100	108	610
January	2018	32	42	25	1	100	108	600
February	2018	37	39	23	1	100	114	588
March	2018	39	37	23	1	100	116	578
April	2018	38	39	22	1	100	116	557
May	2018	32	45	22	1	100	111	569

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June	2018	32	45	21	2	100	111	575
July	2018	32	41	25	2	100	107	578
August	2018	36	35	27	2	100	109	564
September	2018	37	35	27	2	100	110	554
October	2018	38	37	23	2	100	115	570
November	2018	32	42	24	2	100	108	583
December	2018	29	44	25	2	100	104	602
January	2019	26	45	27	2	100	99	605
February	2019	27	45	27	2	100	100	602
March	2019	29	43	27	2	100	102	586
April	2019	31	43	24	1	100	107	577
May	2019	33	43	23	1	100	110	603
June	2019	34	44	21	1	100	113	609
July	2019	31	47	21	1	100	111	623
August	2019	30	47	22	2	100	108	616
September	2019	26	47	26	1	100	101	598
October	2019	27	44	28	1	100	98	608
November	2019	29	44	26	1	100	104	594
December	2019	28	46	24	2	100	104	634
January	2020	29	46	21	3	100	108	600
February	2020	30	45	21	5	100	109	592
March	2020	36	40	19	5	100	117	578
April	2020	45	31	21	3	100	124	588
May	2020	52	22	23	2	100	129	581
June	2020	57	17	23	2	100	134	590
July	2020	56	19	23	2	100	134	574
August	2020	55	24	19	2	100	135	602
September	2020	53	26	17	4	100	136	573
October	2020	50	28	14	7	100	136	568
November	2020	48	29	16	8	100	132	545
December	2020	48	24	21	6	100	127	560
January	2021	50	23	23	4	100	127	576
February	2021	52	21	25	2	100	127	582
March	2021	51	23	25	1	100	127	567
April	2021	52	23	24	1	100	127	571
May	2021	50	22	27	1	100	123	575
June	2021	51	22	26	1	100	125	565
July	2021	49	25	24	2	100	124	572
August	2021	45	29	24	3	100	121	574
September	2021	40	33	25	3	100	115	622
October	2021	36	34	28	2	100	107	619
November	2021	36	32	30	1	100	106	615
December	2021	36	30	33	1	100	104	580
January	2022	37	30	32	1	100	105	599
February	2022	36	31	32	1	100	104	587
March	2022	34	30	35	1	100	98	599
April	2022	30	31	38	1	100	91	573
May	2022	27	32	40	1	100	87	583
June	2022	24	33	41	1	100	83	571
July	2022	21	32	45	2	100	76	578
August	2022	20	35	44	2	100	76	584
September	2022	22	37	39	2	100	83	591

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Date of Survey		Better	Same	Worse	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
October	2022	23	40	35	2	100	88	577
November	2022	23	39	36	2	100	86	567
December	2022	21	39	40	1	100	81	570
January	2023	20	41	38	1	100	82	592
February	2023	19	44	36	1	100	84	600
March	2023	19	46	35	1	100	84	594
April	2023	18	45	37	0	100	82	590
May	2023	17	44	38	1	100	79	575
June	2023	17	44	38	1	100	79	573
July	2023	19	47	32	2	100	86	568
August	2023	21	46	31	2	100	90	597
September	2023	22	45	31	2	100	91	601
October	2023	19	44	36	1	100	83	610
November	2023	17	46	36	1	100	81	590
December	2023	20	43	36	1	100	85	586
January	2024	23	42	33	2	100	91	587
February	2024	28	41	29	2	100	99	591
March	2024	27	46	24	3	100	103	583
April	2024	28	48	21	4	100	107	657
May	2024	26	48	23	4	100	103	781
June	2024	26	44	27	3	100	99	900
July	2024	26	41	31	2	100	96	906
August	2024	29	39	30	2	100	99	952
September	2024	30	40	29	1	100	101	945
October	2024	31	41	27	1	100	103	993
November	2024	30	41	28	1	100	102	913
December	2024	34	34	32	1	100	102	897
January	2025	35	25	39	0	100	96	909
February	2025	35	18	47	0	100	88	953
March	2025	31	15	54	0	100	77	1157
April	2025	27	14	59	0	100	67	1181
May	2025	24	14	62	0	100	62	1250
June	2025	23	16	61	0	100	61	1124
July	2025	24	17	60	0	100	64	1179
August	2025	24	17	59	0	100	65	1140
September	2025	21	18	61	0	100	60	1206
October	2025	19	18	63	0	100	56	1210
November	2025	18	17	64	0	100	54	1228
December	2025	19	18	63	0	100	56	1194
January	2026	18	21	61	0	100	57	1197
February	2026	19	21	60	0	100	59	1235
March	2026	18	21	60	0	100	58	1361
April	2026	19	19	61	0	100	58	1316
May	2026	17	19	63	0	100	54	1285
June	2026	16	19	65	0	100	52	1237
July	2026	16	21	62	0	100	54	1284