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**TABLE 36**  
**SELECTED REASONS FOR OPINIONS ABOUT BUYING CONDITIONS FOR LARGE**  
**HOUSEHOLD DURABLES**  
**(Three Month Moving Averages)**

Response to the query: "Why do you say so?" following the question on Table 35.

May add to more than 100% due to multiple mentions.

		GOOD TIME TO BUY						BAD TIME TO BUY				
		Prices Low; Good Buys Available	Prices Won't Come Down	Interest Rate Low Credit Easy	Borrow in Advance Rising Rates	Times Good Prosperity	Supply Adequate	Prices High	Interest Rates High; Credit Tight	Can't Afford To Buy	Uncertain Future	Supply Inadequate
March	1978	16	41	2	0	4	0	13	2	5	3	0
April	1978	13	44	1	0	4	0	14	3	4	1	0
May	1978	13	45	1	1	5	0	14	3	4	0	0
June	1978	12	44	0	1	6	0	13	4	4	0	0
July	1978	10	44	0	1	7	0	16	3	3	1	0
August	1978	11	44	1	1	5	0	19	4	3	1	0
September	1978	11	46	1	1	3	1	18	3	3	2	0
October	1978	12	48	1	1	2	1	15	4	3	2	0
November	1978	10	48	1	1	2	0	13	3	3	2	0
December	1978	10	43	0	2	2	0	18	5	2	1	0
January	1979	10	39	0	2	2	1	21	6	4	2	0
February	1979	13	40	0	2	2	1	22	6	4	2	0
March	1979	12	44	1	1	2	1	18	5	5	2	0
April	1979	9	47	1	2	2	0	15	4	5	3	0
May	1979	8	46	1	2	2	1	15	5	5	3	0
June	1979	9	45	1	3	2	0	16	7	4	3	0
July	1979	10	44	0	2	2	1	19	9	3	3	0
August	1979	10	43	0	3	2	0	20	8	4	4	0
September	1979	12	42	0	2	2	0	20	9	6	5	0
October	1979	12	42	0	3	2	0	18	9	8	4	0
November	1979	12	41	1	3	2	0	19	12	9	4	0
December	1979	12	37	0	3	2	0	22	13	10	5	0
January	1980	14	35	1	2	2	0	25	15	10	6	0
February	1980	17	37	1	3	3	0	23	15	10	5	0
March	1980	17	40	1	3	3	0	21	15	8	5	0
April	1980	15	34	0	3	2	0	21	19	8	7	0
May	1980	10	30	0	3	2	0	26	27	8	8	0
June	1980	10	25	1	2	1	0	31	31	8	8	0
July	1980	12	23	4	3	2	0	28	29	9	8	0
August	1980	15	25	4	2	1	0	26	20	7	6	0
September	1980	19	27	4	3	1	0	21	14	6	5	0
October	1980	21	30	2	3	1	0	21	12	7	3	0
November	1980	20	32	1	3	1	0	19	15	8	3	0
December	1980	19	30	1	2	1	0	22	19	7	3	0
January	1981	19	27	0	2	1	0	22	22	7	3	0
February	1981	20	23	1	1	2	0	25	25	8	4	0
March	1981	20	22	1	1	1	0	24	25	9	5	0
April	1981	19	24	1	1	1	0	24	23	8	6	0
May	1981	19	29	1	2	1	0	23	19	7	4	0
June	1981	18	29	1	2	1	0	21	18	7	3	0
July	1981	18	29	0	2	1	0	22	19	7	2	0
August	1981	20	27	0	1	1	0	19	21	7	2	0
September	1981	20	27	1	1	1	0	22	21	5	2	0
October	1981	19	25	1	0	3	0	21	20	7	3	0

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November 1981	17	22	1	1	2	0	25	20	7	3	0	
December 1981	19	22	1	1	2	0	25	20	9	4	0	
January 1982	23	22	1	2	1	0	24	20	7	5	0	
February 1982	26	22	2	2	1	0	21	19	7	6	0	
March 1982	28	21	1	1	1	0	19	19	8	6	0	
April 1982	26	17	1	1	2	0	22	21	12	6	0	
May 1982	27	16	1	1	1	0	23	26	13	6	0	
June 1982	24	16	1	1	1	0	25	27	12	5	0	
July 1982	23	19	1	1	1	0	21	28	10	7	0	
August 1982	21	18	1	2	1	0	21	26	10	7	0	
September 1982	22	17	2	2	1	0	18	25	12	8	0	
October 1982	22	13	3	1	1	0	20	23	14	8	0	
November 1982	25	13	4	1	1	0	19	21	16	8	0	
December 1982	27	11	5	1	1	0	17	18	15	8	0	
January 1983	28	13	6	1	2	0	16	15	14	9	0	
February 1983	29	11	6	2	2	0	16	13	13	9	0	
March 1983	29	12	9	1	2	0	18	14	11	8	0	
April 1983	30	11	12	2	3	0	16	16	10	8	0	
May 1983	30	13	13	2	4	0	16	13	9	9	0	
June 1983	31	13	13	3	4	0	12	10	9	7	0	
July 1983	29	14	11	2	4	0	13	8	9	5	0	
August 1983	28	16	11	2	4	0	14	7	8	4	0	
September 1983	27	19	11	2	3	0	15	7	8	4	0	
October 1983	30	21	10	2	3	0	15	7	9	4	0	
November 1983	31	21	8	2	3	0	14	7	9	3	0	
December 1983	35	18	6	1	4	0	15	5	8	3	0	
January 1984	36	17	9	1	5	0	13	5	6	3	0	
February 1984	36	15	10	2	5	0	13	6	6	3	0	
March 1984	36	19	10	2	5	0	11	6	7	3	0	
April 1984	32	20	9	4	6	0	13	6	8	2	0	
May 1984	29	22	8	5	6	1	13	5	6	2	0	
June 1984	27	19	8	5	7	0	13	6	5	2	0	
July 1984	30	19	7	5	7	1	12	7	4	2	0	
August 1984	31	19	6	4	5	0	12	8	5	1	0	
September 1984	30	20	6	3	5	0	11	7	6	0	0	
October 1984	28	22	6	3	5	0	12	5	6	2	0	
November 1984	26	21	7	4	6	0	12	5	5	2	0	
December 1984	27	20	8	4	7	0	13	5	5	3	0	
January 1985	30	17	9	3	7	0	12	6	6	3	0	
February 1985	35	18	9	2	6	1	12	5	6	3	0	
March 1985	38	19	8	2	5	1	11	5	6	2	0	
April 1985	35	19	9	3	5	1	12	4	5	1	0	
May 1985	33	19	9	2	5	0	10	4	6	2	0	
June 1985	36	20	11	2	6	0	8	5	6	3	0	
July 1985	37	21	11	1	6	0	8	4	7	3	0	
August 1985	36	21	14	1	7	0	10	5	6	2	0	

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September 1985	35	19	13	1	6	0	13	3	6	1	0	
October 1985	34	17	13	1	5	0	14	4	4	1	0	
November 1985	35	16	10	2	6	0	13	4	5	3	0	
December 1985	36	15	11	2	6	0	14	4	4	3	0	
January 1986	38	17	12	1	8	0	12	3	4	3	0	
February 1986	37	16	16	1	7	0	10	3	5	1	0	
March 1986	36	16	18	1	6	0	7	3	5	2	0	
April 1986	32	14	23	2	5	1	8	3	5	3	0	
May 1986	30	13	26	2	7	1	9	3	5	3	0	
June 1986	29	13	29	1	8	0	7	3	6	3	0	
July 1986	31	12	29	0	10	0	7	4	6	2	0	
August 1986	36	12	26	1	8	0	7	4	6	2	0	
September 1986	36	12	25	1	6	0	9	3	6	2	0	
October 1986	37	13	25	2	3	0	8	2	7	3	0	
November 1986	33	15	26	1	4	0	8	1	6	2	0	
December 1986	34	14	24	1	5	1	6	2	5	2	0	
January 1987	36	13	22	1	6	1	6	2	5	2	0	
February 1987	36	13	18	1	6	0	6	3	5	3	0	
March 1987	34	13	18	2	7	0	7	3	7	3	0	
April 1987	29	16	18	2	7	0	8	4	6	3	0	
May 1987	31	17	18	3	6	0	7	2	6	2	0	
June 1987	33	20	15	3	5	1	7	2	5	2	0	
July 1987	36	20	14	2	4	0	8	2	4	2	0	
August 1987	35	19	12	3	4	0	9	3	3	2	0	
September 1987	35	20	12	3	4	0	8	3	4	1	0	
October 1987	34	19	10	4	6	0	9	4	6	2	0	
November 1987	33	19	9	3	5	0	9	5	6	4	0	
December 1987	32	18	8	2	4	0	9	5	6	6	0	
January 1988	34	19	7	2	3	0	7	5	6	7	0	
February 1988	36	19	8	1	4	0	7	5	6	5	0	
March 1988	36	14	10	1	4	0	8	6	8	3	0	
April 1988	33	15	11	1	5	0	9	6	7	2	0	
May 1988	31	17	8	2	6	0	10	4	6	2	0	
June 1988	29	20	7	3	7	0	9	3	5	2	0	
July 1988	29	19	8	4	8	1	9	3	4	2	0	
August 1988	32	19	9	4	7	1	8	3	4	2	0	
September 1988	34	21	9	5	6	1	9	2	3	3	0	
October 1988	33	21	8	5	4	0	9	2	3	3	0	
November 1988	31	22	9	5	5	1	11	2	3	2	0	
December 1988	28	21	6	6	7	1	10	4	3	1	0	
January 1989	30	20	5	6	7	1	10	4	4	2	0	
February 1989	29	19	4	7	8	1	8	4	6	2	0	
March 1989	32	19	6	6	7	0	9	3	6	2	0	
April 1989	31	20	6	7	8	0	9	5	5	1	0	
May 1989	30	22	6	6	8	1	7	4	5	1	0	
June 1989	27	21	6	5	8	1	7	5	4	2	0	

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July	1989	28	23	7	3	6	1	7	4	4	2	0
August	1989	32	19	7	3	5	0	8	5	2	3	0
September	1989	35	19	7	2	5	0	8	3	4	2	0
October	1989	35	15	7	3	7	0	9	3	4	2	0
November	1989	34	16	7	3	7	0	12	2	5	1	0
December	1989	34	15	6	3	5	0	14	3	5	2	0
January	1990	36	15	5	1	3	0	14	3	3	2	0
February	1990	38	14	5	2	2	0	10	2	4	2	0
March	1990	39	15	6	2	3	0	9	2	4	1	0
April	1990	39	16	6	3	3	0	9	2	5	1	0
May	1990	35	19	5	3	5	0	10	3	3	1	0
June	1990	32	19	5	3	4	0	11	3	2	1	0
July	1990	32	19	5	3	5	0	11	4	2	1	0
August	1990	32	22	5	2	2	0	11	4	3	3	0
September	1990	29	24	4	2	2	0	12	3	3	7	0
October	1990	25	24	3	2	1	0	13	2	5	9	0
November	1990	25	21	2	2	1	0	15	4	8	11	0
December	1990	29	18	2	1	1	0	13	5	9	12	0
January	1991	29	15	3	1	1	0	11	7	9	16	0
February	1991	30	12	3	0	2	0	10	7	11	16	0
March	1991	34	11	5	0	2	1	8	6	11	15	0
April	1991	36	13	5	0	2	0	9	5	11	12	0
May	1991	36	14	8	0	2	0	10	6	10	12	0
June	1991	34	14	7	0	2	0	10	4	11	11	0
July	1991	38	13	9	0	3	0	9	5	9	11	0
August	1991	39	12	9	0	4	0	10	4	8	8	0
September	1991	39	14	10	0	4	0	10	5	9	8	0
October	1991	37	14	8	0	3	0	9	4	11	8	0
November	1991	37	14	8	0	2	0	8	4	12	12	0
December	1991	34	11	8	0	1	0	8	6	13	16	0
January	1992	34	8	11	0	1	0	8	7	13	19	0
February	1992	33	7	11	1	1	0	8	8	14	22	0
March	1992	35	10	12	1	2	0	7	5	13	21	0
April	1992	33	12	11	1	2	1	9	3	14	20	0
May	1992	31	12	14	1	3	1	8	3	13	14	0
June	1992	33	12	15	0	2	1	8	3	11	12	0
July	1992	36	12	18	0	3	0	7	4	10	11	0
August	1992	40	11	16	0	3	0	8	4	11	13	0
September	1992	35	10	15	1	3	0	11	6	13	13	0
October	1992	33	7	18	1	3	0	11	5	13	14	0
November	1992	32	9	20	1	3	0	9	4	11	13	0
December	1992	35	10	21	2	4	0	7	2	11	11	0
January	1993	40	10	17	2	5	0	7	2	11	9	0
February	1993	39	10	15	2	6	0	8	2	11	7	0
March	1993	38	11	15	1	7	0	8	2	10	7	0
April	1993	35	12	15	1	7	0	7	3	8	7	0

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May	1993	34	13	17	1	7	1	6	3	8	7	0
June	1993	34	13	17	1	6	1	7	2	8	7	0
July	1993	34	13	16	1	5	1	8	3	9	9	0
August	1993	37	13	18	0	6	1	6	3	8	9	0
September	1993	34	13	20	0	7	0	5	3	9	11	0
October	1993	31	13	22	0	7	0	5	3	10	9	0
November	1993	30	13	23	0	6	1	6	4	10	8	0
December	1993	30	13	22	0	6	1	8	3	8	5	0
January	1994	31	11	22	1	8	0	7	3	7	6	0
February	1994	33	10	24	1	9	0	7	3	5	5	0
March	1994	35	11	25	1	10	0	7	4	5	4	0
April	1994	35	12	25	2	11	0	7	3	4	4	0
May	1994	33	12	22	3	11	0	7	3	5	5	0
June	1994	33	12	20	3	11	0	7	2	4	5	0
July	1994	32	13	16	3	9	1	7	2	3	3	0
August	1994	33	14	13	3	10	1	6	2	2	1	0
September	1994	34	15	12	3	10	1	5	2	3	2	0
October	1994	35	14	14	3	10	0	5	3	3	2	0
November	1994	34	15	16	3	8	0	5	3	5	3	0
December	1994	34	15	16	5	9	0	6	4	4	3	0
January	1995	36	17	14	5	11	0	6	4	3	3	0
February	1995	38	19	11	5	12	0	6	3	4	3	0
March	1995	39	18	12	4	13	0	4	3	4	2	0
April	1995	36	15	10	5	14	0	6	4	4	2	0
May	1995	38	12	11	3	14	0	7	5	3	1	0
June	1995	37	11	13	2	13	0	8	4	3	1	0
July	1995	39	11	13	1	11	0	9	2	3	2	0
August	1995	37	10	13	0	10	0	8	2	3	3	0
September	1995	36	13	13	0	11	0	7	3	3	3	0
October	1995	35	13	14	1	11	0	6	3	3	2	0
November	1995	39	14	15	1	11	0	5	2	3	2	0
December	1995	39	11	15	1	7	0	6	2	5	3	0
January	1996	41	11	15	1	6	0	6	2	5	3	0
February	1996	38	10	15	1	5	0	7	2	7	5	0
March	1996	38	13	16	1	7	0	6	3	6	4	0
April	1996	37	13	15	1	9	0	7	3	6	3	0
May	1996	38	14	15	1	8	0	7	3	5	3	0
June	1996	39	12	12	1	8	0	6	3	5	3	0
July	1996	41	12	12	1	7	0	6	3	4	3	0
August	1996	36	14	12	2	9	0	6	4	4	2	0
September	1996	35	14	13	2	8	0	8	4	3	2	0
October	1996	33	13	13	2	8	0	9	4	4	2	0
November	1996	35	9	14	1	7	0	10	3	5	2	0
December	1996	39	8	14	1	9	0	10	3	5	1	0
January	1997	40	9	14	1	11	0	8	3	4	1	0
February	1997	41	10	15	1	13	0	6	3	4	1	0

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<u>Date of Survey</u>		<u>Available</u>	<u>Down</u>	<u>Credit Easy</u>	<u>Rising Rates</u>	<u>Prosperity</u>	<u>Adequate</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Credit Tight</u>	<u>To Buy</u>	<u>Future</u>	<u>Inadequate</u>
March	1997	37	12	14	1	14	1	6	2	6	1	0
April	1997	34	13	14	2	13	1	5	3	5	1	0
May	1997	35	13	12	3	14	1	5	3	3	1	0
June	1997	35	11	13	3	14	0	2	3	2	2	0
July	1997	34	8	13	2	16	0	3	1	3	2	0
August	1997	33	8	13	1	13	1	3	1	3	2	0
September	1997	36	11	12	1	12	1	4	0	2	1	0
October	1997	34	13	11	1	9	1	5	1	2	1	0
November	1997	35	12	14	0	8	1	4	1	1	1	0
December	1997	35	10	14	0	7	0	5	2	1	1	0
January	1998	42	8	15	0	8	0	4	1	1	1	0
February	1998	40	9	13	1	11	0	5	1	1	1	0
March	1998	38	9	15	1	12	0	5	0	2	1	0
April	1998	32	9	14	0	13	0	5	0	2	0	0
May	1998	32	7	15	0	12	0	5	1	2	0	0
June	1998	35	6	15	0	13	0	4	1	1	0	0
July	1998	33	7	18	0	12	0	5	2	1	1	0
August	1998	32	8	17	0	14	0	5	2	1	1	0
September	1998	29	8	18	0	14	0	4	2	1	2	0
October	1998	31	8	19	0	13	0	3	2	2	2	0
November	1998	32	8	23	0	12	0	4	2	1	2	0
December	1998	31	8	24	0	13	0	4	1	2	2	0
January	1999	31	8	23	1	15	0	4	1	2	1	0
February	1999	31	9	22	0	17	0	3	2	2	1	0
March	1999	34	9	20	1	18	0	3	1	2	1	0
April	1999	33	9	18	0	19	0	4	1	1	1	0
May	1999	35	8	16	0	17	0	4	0	1	0	0
June	1999	32	10	17	0	18	0	4	1	0	0	0
July	1999	33	9	17	1	18	0	3	1	0	0	0
August	1999	32	10	17	1	20	0	5	1	1	1	0
September	1999	31	8	15	1	17	1	5	2	1	1	0
October	1999	28	10	14	2	16	1	4	1	1	2	0
November	1999	28	10	14	1	12	1	3	1	2	2	0
December	1999	30	9	13	1	13	1	4	1	3	1	0
January	2000	35	7	12	1	13	0	4	2	3	1	0
February	2000	33	7	11	2	19	0	3	2	1	1	0
March	2000	31	9	13	2	19	0	4	2	0	1	0
April	2000	26	11	12	4	21	0	4	2	1	1	0
May	2000	29	12	12	3	20	0	5	2	1	1	0
June	2000	30	11	11	3	18	0	4	3	2	1	0
July	2000	32	9	11	1	18	1	5	4	1	1	0
August	2000	32	9	10	1	16	1	6	3	1	1	0
September	2000	30	9	12	1	16	0	6	3	1	1	0
October	2000	30	11	13	1	16	0	5	2	1	1	0
November	2000	29	11	12	1	18	0	3	3	1	2	0
December	2000	33	10	10	0	17	0	2	3	3	2	0

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January	2001	34	7	9	0	15	0	2	2	4	3	0
February	2001	33	6	12	0	9	0	3	2	5	3	0
March	2001	32	7	13	0	8	1	4	2	5	4	0
April	2001	30	8	14	0	7	1	5	3	8	6	0
May	2001	30	9	13	0	8	1	4	3	8	6	0
June	2001	29	9	11	1	8	1	5	2	9	5	0
July	2001	32	8	13	1	8	0	5	3	6	6	0
August	2001	33	5	13	0	7	0	6	3	8	6	0
September	2001	32	6	14	0	6	0	4	3	7	9	0
October	2001	30	5	17	0	6	0	3	2	6	12	0
November	2001	33	5	19	0	5	0	2	1	4	16	0
December	2001	34	3	22	0	3	0	3	1	5	15	0
January	2002	37	3	21	0	4	0	2	2	9	11	0
February	2002	36	3	21	1	4	0	2	2	11	9	0
March	2002	34	4	22	1	5	0	3	2	9	8	0
April	2002	30	6	23	1	5	0	4	1	7	10	0
May	2002	29	7	21	0	7	1	4	1	5	9	0
June	2002	31	6	20	0	6	1	2	1	6	9	0
July	2002	35	5	18	0	6	1	2	2	6	7	0
August	2002	36	5	19	1	3	0	3	2	8	7	0
September	2002	34	4	21	0	4	0	4	2	8	7	0
October	2002	31	5	24	1	4	0	5	2	10	6	0
November	2002	30	4	26	0	4	0	4	3	8	8	0
December	2002	35	4	27	0	4	0	4	3	9	6	0
January	2003	37	4	27	0	4	0	3	3	9	8	0
February	2003	37	3	25	0	4	0	3	3	9	9	0
March	2003	33	4	23	0	2	0	4	4	9	12	0
April	2003	28	4	22	0	4	0	4	3	8	12	0
May	2003	27	5	21	0	5	0	5	4	8	12	0
June	2003	29	4	21	0	5	1	4	3	8	9	0
July	2003	33	4	23	0	4	1	4	2	8	8	0
August	2003	34	4	28	0	4	1	3	1	7	6	0
September	2003	32	6	28	0	4	0	4	1	8	5	0
October	2003	30	6	28	0	4	0	4	1	7	5	0
November	2003	29	5	25	0	5	0	3	2	8	7	0
December	2003	33	4	23	0	5	0	4	2	8	7	0
January	2004	38	4	24	1	7	0	3	2	7	5	0
February	2004	38	5	24	1	6	0	4	2	7	4	0
March	2004	35	5	26	1	7	0	3	1	6	3	0
April	2004	28	6	25	1	9	0	4	1	6	5	0
May	2004	26	8	25	2	9	0	3	2	5	5	0
June	2004	27	10	26	2	9	1	3	3	5	6	0
July	2004	29	9	25	2	7	1	3	3	5	4	0
August	2004	32	9	25	2	8	0	3	4	4	4	0
September	2004	30	8	24	1	7	0	4	4	4	4	0
October	2004	30	10	23	1	7	0	4	4	4	5	0
November	2004	32	11	23	1	7	0	5	3	4	4	0

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December 2004	36	12	20	1	8	0	5	2	4	4	0
January 2005	38	11	19	2	8	0	5	2	3	3	0
February 2005	37	11	18	2	9	0	5	2	4	2	0
March 2005	35	10	17	2	9	0	5	2	4	3	0
April 2005	35	13	18	2	9	0	5	3	4	2	0
May 2005	33	13	16	3	8	0	6	2	4	2	0
June 2005	33	13	18	2	6	0	6	3	4	2	0
July 2005	32	11	17	1	7	0	5	2	4	1	0
August 2005	32	10	18	1	6	0	5	2	5	2	0
September 2005	31	14	16	2	6	0	6	2	6	2	0
October 2005	27	16	13	2	5	1	9	3	8	3	0
November 2005	27	15	13	3	6	0	8	3	7	4	0
December 2005	32	12	14	2	6	0	7	3	7	3	0
January 2006	37	11	13	2	6	0	7	3	4	4	0
February 2006	36	12	13	1	5	1	8	2	5	3	0
March 2006	33	12	11	1	6	1	7	3	5	3	0
April 2006	29	15	12	1	6	1	5	3	7	2	0
May 2006	28	14	11	2	8	0	6	3	7	3	0
June 2006	27	17	9	2	7	0	7	2	6	4	0
July 2006	28	14	9	3	6	1	8	4	5	4	0
August 2006	28	16	10	3	4	1	8	4	5	4	0
September 2006	29	13	11	3	6	1	7	4	5	4	0
October 2006	31	12	13	2	7	1	7	3	6	3	0
November 2006	39	9	11	1	7	1	5	3	6	3	0
December 2006	44	8	11	1	7	1	5	3	5	2	0
January 2007	45	7	11	0	6	0	5	3	5	2	0
February 2007	41	8	14	0	7	0	6	2	4	3	0
March 2007	37	9	14	0	7	0	5	2	5	4	0
April 2007	34	9	12	0	6	0	5	3	7	4	0
May 2007	34	9	11	1	6	0	6	4	7	3	0
June 2007	33	10	12	1	7	0	7	4	8	4	0
July 2007	35	10	12	1	7	0	7	3	9	3	0
August 2007	36	9	12	1	7	0	6	2	9	3	0
September 2007	34	8	13	1	5	1	6	4	8	3	0
October 2007	35	6	12	1	4	1	7	5	8	4	0
November 2007	35	6	11	0	4	1	7	6	8	5	0
December 2007	42	5	9	0	4	1	8	5	9	5	0
January 2008	41	5	9	0	3	1	6	4	9	5	0
February 2008	39	6	9	0	2	0	7	4	11	7	0
March 2008	34	6	9	0	3	0	6	5	15	9	0
April 2008	31	4	9	0	3	0	9	7	18	11	0
May 2008	28	5	7	0	3	0	11	7	19	13	0
June 2008	26	6	4	1	1	0	12	6	20	14	0
July 2008	27	7	4	1	1	0	11	5	19	14	0
August 2008	29	6	4	1	1	0	8	5	20	13	0
September 2008	32	7	5	0	1	0	7	5	19	13	0



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October	2008	29	6	4	0	1	0	6	8	20	16	0
November	2008	30	6	4	0	1	0	8	8	20	20	0
December	2008	33	3	4	0	1	0	8	8	21	20	0
January	2009	38	3	5	0	1	0	7	6	21	21	0
February	2009	41	2	6	0	1	0	7	7	19	20	0
March	2009	39	2	5	0	1	0	7	7	17	23	0
April	2009	39	2	5	0	1	0	7	6	17	22	0
May	2009	42	3	5	0	0	0	6	5	15	20	0
June	2009	45	4	4	0	1	0	6	4	15	19	0
July	2009	45	3	4	0	1	0	6	5	15	19	0
August	2009	42	3	6	0	1	0	5	5	17	20	0
September	2009	41	3	8	0	1	0	4	5	18	20	0
October	2009	40	4	8	0	1	0	4	5	17	19	0
November	2009	40	5	8	0	1	0	4	6	18	18	0
December	2009	44	4	7	0	1	0	4	6	18	16	0
January	2010	45	4	8	0	1	0	5	5	18	16	0
February	2010	46	3	7	0	1	0	5	4	17	13	0
March	2010	44	4	7	0	1	1	5	4	18	12	0
April	2010	44	4	6	0	1	0	4	5	17	11	0
May	2010	40	4	7	0	1	0	5	5	17	12	0
June	2010	38	3	6	0	1	0	4	4	18	12	0
July	2010	35	2	6	0	1	1	5	3	16	14	0
August	2010	37	2	6	0	2	1	6	4	17	15	0
September	2010	36	3	6	0	1	0	6	4	18	16	0
October	2010	39	4	6	0	1	0	7	4	20	15	0
November	2010	40	5	7	0	1	0	6	3	20	15	0
December	2010	44	4	10	0	2	0	6	4	19	12	0
January	2011	43	4	9	1	3	0	6	5	18	13	0
February	2011	44	5	8	1	4	0	7	4	17	11	0
March	2011	40	6	7	0	3	0	6	4	16	12	0
April	2011	40	8	8	0	2	0	6	3	14	12	0
May	2011	42	8	7	0	2	0	8	5	14	12	0
June	2011	42	7	6	0	3	0	9	4	17	12	0
July	2011	42	4	6	0	3	0	8	6	21	11	0
August	2011	39	5	6	0	2	0	9	7	22	11	0
September	2011	38	5	6	0	1	0	9	7	20	12	0
October	2011	39	7	6	0	1	0	9	6	19	14	0
November	2011	39	5	7	0	1	0	7	3	19	16	0
December	2011	41	5	8	0	2	0	6	5	23	14	0
January	2012	42	4	7	0	3	0	6	6	21	12	0
February	2012	42	5	5	0	3	0	5	6	20	9	0
March	2012	41	7	5	0	3	0	7	5	17	9	0
April	2012	38	6	7	0	4	0	8	5	19	9	0
May	2012	37	5	9	0	4	0	9	4	18	12	0
June	2012	36	5	10	0	5	0	7	4	18	13	0
July	2012	38	6	9	0	4	0	7	4	16	12	0

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August	2012	40	7	9	0	3	0	6	4	15	10	0
September	2012	41	7	10	0	3	0	6	5	15	10	0
October	2012	40	7	11	0	3	0	5	5	16	12	0
November	2012	38	6	11	0	3	0	5	5	17	13	0
December	2012	38	6	11	0	3	0	6	4	16	13	0
January	2013	40	7	12	0	4	0	6	4	15	13	0
February	2013	37	8	11	0	3	0	7	4	16	11	0
March	2013	34	9	12	0	4	0	6	4	16	10	0
April	2013	33	8	12	0	5	0	8	4	15	9	0
May	2013	37	8	12	0	7	0	6	3	14	9	0
June	2013	36	8	11	1	10	0	7	3	13	8	0
July	2013	36	9	9	1	10	0	5	4	12	11	0
August	2013	36	11	9	1	9	0	6	4	10	10	0
September	2013	39	11	10	1	7	1	7	5	9	12	0
October	2013	39	11	10	0	7	0	8	4	9	10	0
November	2013	39	10	9	0	6	0	6	4	9	12	0
December	2013	42	9	10	0	8	0	5	4	8	10	0
January	2014	42	8	10	0	7	0	6	3	10	10	0
February	2014	42	7	12	1	7	0	7	3	9	8	0
March	2014	37	8	10	1	7	0	7	2	9	8	0
April	2014	36	7	11	1	8	0	5	2	11	8	0
May	2014	35	9	9	0	9	0	5	3	12	9	0
June	2014	34	9	10	0	9	0	6	4	12	9	0
July	2014	32	12	9	1	9	0	8	4	10	9	0
August	2014	32	11	8	1	10	0	9	3	10	7	0
September	2014	34	12	8	1	10	0	8	3	10	6	0
October	2014	35	11	7	0	10	0	8	3	9	6	0
November	2014	37	12	9	0	10	0	6	3	9	6	0
December	2014	39	11	8	0	10	0	6	2	9	5	0
January	2015	42	10	11	1	12	0	7	2	9	4	0
February	2015	44	8	11	0	14	0	6	2	8	4	0
March	2015	41	8	13	0	16	0	7	2	7	4	0
April	2015	36	9	14	1	16	0	6	3	6	5	0
May	2015	31	9	13	2	14	0	8	3	7	6	0
June	2015	32	9	15	2	14	0	6	3	5	7	0
July	2015	34	8	14	1	13	0	5	3	6	7	0
August	2015	36	7	16	1	13	0	5	2	5	7	0
September	2015	36	7	16	1	11	0	7	2	6	8	0
October	2015	37	6	17	1	11	0	9	2	6	7	0
November	2015	40	7	16	2	11	0	8	3	6	7	0
December	2015	46	7	15	2	11	0	6	2	5	5	0
January	2016	48	7	12	2	11	1	5	2	5	4	0
February	2016	49	7	14	1	11	1	5	2	5	4	0
March	2016	42	8	15	1	12	0	7	2	6	5	0
April	2016	36	9	16	1	13	0	9	3	6	6	0
May	2016	34	10	15	2	15	0	8	3	6	5	0

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June	2016	36	9	17	2	15	0	8	3	6	4	0
July	2016	38	8	18	1	16	1	5	2	5	6	0
August	2016	39	7	17	1	17	1	7	2	5	7	0
September	2016	37	7	15	1	18	0	6	1	6	9	0
October	2016	36	8	13	2	16	0	8	1	6	7	0
November	2016	35	9	15	2	14	1	7	2	6	6	0
December	2016	39	9	14	2	14	1	7	1	4	5	0
January	2017	41	9	14	2	15	0	6	2	4	5	0
February	2017	40	11	11	2	15	0	5	2	4	4	0
March	2017	33	15	9	2	16	1	7	2	5	4	0
April	2017	31	14	10	2	15	1	6	2	4	4	0
May	2017	31	12	11	2	16	1	6	1	4	5	0
June	2017	34	9	12	2	15	1	5	2	4	5	0
July	2017	35	10	12	1	16	0	6	2	4	3	0
August	2017	35	9	12	1	15	0	7	3	4	4	0
September	2017	36	11	11	1	16	1	7	3	4	4	0
October	2017	37	12	11	2	16	1	7	2	5	4	0
November	2017	40	13	10	1	18	0	6	2	4	4	0
December	2017	42	10	10	1	17	0	7	2	4	4	0
January	2018	41	9	8	1	17	0	8	2	3	5	0
February	2018	36	9	9	1	17	0	8	2	3	6	0
March	2018	31	13	9	1	17	0	7	1	3	5	0
April	2018	29	16	10	1	18	1	7	1	3	6	0
May	2018	30	16	8	2	18	1	7	2	3	4	0
June	2018	31	14	9	2	20	1	7	2	2	5	0
July	2018	33	14	7	2	19	0	7	2	3	5	0
August	2018	33	15	7	1	20	0	7	2	3	4	0
September	2018	33	17	6	2	20	0	9	2	5	3	0
October	2018	32	17	5	2	22	0	10	2	5	2	0
November	2018	34	15	7	3	21	1	10	2	5	2	0
December	2018	39	13	5	2	19	1	8	2	4	3	0
January	2019	43	10	6	1	18	1	7	1	3	3	0
February	2019	43	8	5	1	19	1	8	2	2	4	0
March	2019	38	8	7	1	21	1	10	3	3	4	0
April	2019	35	8	8	1	21	0	11	3	3	4	0
May	2019	34	11	9	1	21	0	11	3	3	3	0
June	2019	34	13	9	1	22	1	11	2	3	4	0
July	2019	37	15	10	0	21	1	11	2	3	4	0
August	2019	33	14	11	0	20	0	12	2	3	4	0
September	2019	30	14	11	0	20	0	11	2	3	5	0
October	2019	27	13	10	0	20	0	13	2	2	5	0
November	2019	31	12	9	0	20	0	11	2	2	4	0
December	2019	40	8	9	0	20	0	11	1	2	3	0
January	2020	45	7	8	0	21	0	9	1	3	3	0
February	2020	43	8	9	0	21	1	9	1	3	3	0
March	2020	38	8	10	0	20	1	9	2	5	7	0

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April	2020	33	7	10	0	14	1	7	3	11	17	1
May	2020	34	3	9	0	9	1	6	3	15	25	2
June	2020	37	3	9	0	3	0	7	3	17	29	2
July	2020	37	4	8	0	3	0	7	3	14	27	3
August	2020	35	5	8	0	3	0	9	3	14	25	4
September	2020	32	4	8	0	5	0	10	3	15	24	7
October	2020	32	3	10	0	6	1	11	3	16	21	7
November	2020	32	3	11	0	7	1	10	2	16	20	7
December	2020	33	3	11	0	6	1	8	2	17	18	6
January	2021	32	4	12	0	7	1	8	2	15	17	5
February	2021	30	5	9	1	8	0	7	3	14	17	5
March	2021	28	8	9	1	12	1	8	2	11	16	5
April	2021	25	9	8	1	14	1	10	2	11	14	7
May	2021	22	11	10	1	16	2	13	2	10	11	10
June	2021	21	11	8	1	15	2	18	2	8	10	13
July	2021	20	10	7	1	13	2	23	2	8	8	13
August	2021	20	9	5	0	10	3	26	2	6	8	16
September	2021	17	9	5	0	9	2	28	2	7	8	21
October	2021	17	10	4	0	6	2	28	2	5	8	27
November	2021	16	10	4	0	5	2	32	3	6	6	31
December	2021	17	10	4	0	4	3	35	2	7	6	30
January	2022	15	10	3	0	4	2	40	2	7	5	31
February	2022	15	12	4	1	3	2	39	3	6	6	30
March	2022	13	11	3	1	2	2	39	2	4	6	32
April	2022	14	12	3	1	2	2	38	2	4	7	30
May	2022	14	12	3	1	3	2	40	2	5	7	29
June	2022	14	10	2	1	3	2	43	3	6	9	26
July	2022	12	10	1	1	3	2	45	6	7	12	24
August	2022	13	9	1	1	3	3	47	7	7	13	20
September	2022	13	10	1	1	3	3	44	8	7	13	20
October	2022	17	10	1	0	3	3	43	6	8	11	17
November	2022	17	10	1	1	2	3	41	6	9	10	15
December	2022	19	10	1	1	1	5	42	7	9	10	12
January	2023	19	10	1	1	1	4	40	8	9	11	12
February	2023	21	9	1	1	2	5	36	8	10	10	10
March	2023	19	10	1	1	3	4	34	9	12	11	10
April	2023	19	9	1	1	5	4	33	11	11	11	8
May	2023	17	10	1	1	6	4	35	13	11	12	7
June	2023	19	9	2	1	7	5	35	12	12	9	5
July	2023	21	10	3	1	5	5	34	11	12	9	4
August	2023	23	10	3	1	4	4	33	11	11	7	3
September	2023	23	9	2	1	4	4	34	11	10	7	3
October	2023	25	9	2	0	3	3	33	10	9	7	3
November	2023	25	9	1	0	3	2	34	11	10	7	4
December	2023	26	11	1	0	2	3	32	10	8	6	4