

**REGION WEST**  
**TABLE 6**  
**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	36	33	29	2	100	107	551
April 1978	38	30	30	2	100	108	585
May 1978	39	26	33	1	100	106	562
June 1978	43	27	29	0	100	114	529
July 1978	44	28	28	0	100	116	515
August 1978	40	29	31	0	100	108	498
September 1978	41	24	34	0	100	107	499
October 1978	37	24	38	0	100	99	517
November 1978	41	25	33	1	100	108	555
December 1978	37	26	36	1	100	100	561
January 1979	38	24	36	1	100	102	574
February 1979	36	22	41	1	100	94	599
March 1979	36	24	39	1	100	97	612
April 1979	34	24	41	1	100	93	630
May 1979	34	26	40	1	100	94	588
June 1979	34	24	42	0	100	92	611
July 1979	34	23	42	1	100	93	624
August 1979	38	24	38	0	100	99	632
September 1979	37	25	38	0	100	99	640
October 1979	37	25	38	0	100	99	663
November 1979	32	24	44	0	100	88	682
December 1979	32	22	45	0	100	87	654
January 1980	32	25	43	0	100	88	567
February 1980	34	22	44	0	100	89	531
March 1980	32	25	43	0	100	89	522
April 1980	32	21	47	0	100	85	536
May 1980	30	21	48	1	100	82	467
June 1980	29	21	48	1	100	81	476
July 1980	32	22	45	2	100	87	439
August 1980	35	22	41	1	100	94	425
September 1980	41	20	38	1	100	102	402
October 1980	38	22	40	0	100	98	426
November 1980	37	22	41	0	100	95	421
December 1980	31	23	46	0	100	85	415
January 1981	30	24	46	0	100	84	388
February 1981	27	29	44	0	100	82	365
March 1981	30	31	39	0	100	91	355
April 1981	30	30	39	1	100	91	354
May 1981	35	29	35	1	100	100	362
June 1981	33	31	35	1	100	97	354
July 1981	35	32	33	0	100	102	372
August 1981	32	31	36	1	100	96	371
September 1981	36	27	36	1	100	100	387
October 1981	41	27	32	1	100	109	374
November 1981	41	26	34	0	100	107	381
December 1981	38	25	37	0	100	102	384
January 1982	35	26	39	0	100	95	409
February 1982	35	28	37	0	100	97	411
March 1982	36	28	36	0	100	99	427
April 1982	34	28	37	0	100	97	409
May 1982	36	27	37	0	100	99	414

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June 1982	34	30	36	0	100	99	408
July 1982	36	29	35	0	100	101	393
August 1982	35	29	36	0	100	99	400
September 1982	33	27	40	0	100	93	402
October 1982	33	27	40	0	100	93	401
November 1982	33	26	41	0	100	92	383
December 1982	38	26	36	0	100	101	364
January 1983	36	26	38	0	100	98	371
February 1983	35	28	37	0	100	99	381
March 1983	32	30	38	0	100	94	375
April 1983	37	28	34	0	100	103	368
May 1983	38	31	30	1	100	108	361
June 1983	42	29	28	1	100	114	375
July 1983	39	30	30	1	100	109	431
August 1983	40	29	30	0	100	110	438
September 1983	41	29	29	0	100	112	447
October 1983	39	31	31	0	100	108	400
November 1983	37	35	28	1	100	109	395
December 1983	36	36	27	1	100	109	369
January 1984	42	35	23	1	100	119	391
February 1984	43	32	24	0	100	119	399
March 1984	44	31	25	0	100	119	426
April 1984	43	33	24	0	100	120	404
May 1984	45	33	22	0	100	123	384
June 1984	44	35	21	0	100	123	351
July 1984	45	32	23	0	100	122	335
August 1984	47	28	25	1	100	122	321
September 1984	47	29	23	1	100	124	328
October 1984	47	30	22	1	100	126	340
November 1984	49	28	22	0	100	127	343
December 1984	49	26	25	0	100	124	339
January 1985	46	27	27	0	100	120	361
February 1985	43	29	28	0	100	115	395
March 1985	42	30	28	0	100	114	417
April 1985	43	30	27	0	100	116	429
May 1985	41	34	25	0	100	116	427
June 1985	43	32	25	0	100	118	412
July 1985	45	28	26	0	100	119	406
August 1985	47	25	27	0	100	120	412
September 1985	46	27	26	1	100	119	440
October 1985	42	31	27	0	100	115	457
November 1985	41	32	26	0	100	115	464
December 1985	41	34	26	0	100	115	440
January 1986	43	33	24	0	100	120	411
February 1986	45	31	23	0	100	122	385
March 1986	46	31	23	0	100	123	405
April 1986	45	31	24	0	100	120	422
May 1986	44	31	25	0	100	118	426
June 1986	46	29	25	0	100	121	417
July 1986	48	27	25	0	100	123	405
August 1986	49	28	23	0	100	125	420
September 1986	47	28	25	0	100	121	423
October 1986	45	29	26	0	100	119	414
November 1986	45	27	27	0	100	118	388
December 1986	45	28	26	0	100	119	397

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January 1987	44	27	29	0	100	115	418
February 1987	44	27	29	0	100	115	459
March 1987	43	28	28	1	100	114	470
April 1987	40	29	30	0	100	110	460
May 1987	38	33	29	0	100	109	439
June 1987	37	32	32	0	100	105	416
July 1987	40	32	27	0	100	113	410
August 1987	43	29	28	0	100	115	417
September 1987	43	30	27	0	100	116	423
October 1987	44	30	26	0	100	118	402
November 1987	41	31	28	0	100	113	370
December 1987	41	32	26	1	100	115	336
January 1988	40	31	28	0	100	112	319
February 1988	42	31	26	0	100	116	302
March 1988	47	28	25	0	100	121	289
April 1988	45	30	25	0	100	120	285
May 1988	47	28	26	0	100	121	282
June 1988	43	30	26	1	100	118	279
July 1988	46	29	24	1	100	122	268
August 1988	47	30	21	2	100	126	265
September 1988	49	29	20	1	100	129	257
October 1988	48	30	22	1	100	126	248
November 1988	47	28	25	0	100	121	238
December 1988	43	27	29	1	100	113	233
January 1989	45	27	27	1	100	118	246
February 1989	45	30	24	1	100	120	269
March 1989	46	31	23	0	100	123	289
April 1989	43	29	28	0	100	115	309
May 1989	43	29	28	0	100	115	295
June 1989	45	28	27	0	100	118	288
July 1989	46	31	23	0	100	123	284
August 1989	47	29	23	0	100	124	298
September 1989	48	29	24	0	100	124	292
October 1989	47	27	25	1	100	122	283
November 1989	46	28	26	1	100	120	262
December 1989	43	30	26	1	100	117	271
January 1990	46	28	26	0	100	119	282
February 1990	42	28	29	1	100	113	296
March 1990	46	24	28	2	100	118	290
April 1990	49	26	23	2	100	125	272
May 1990	54	26	19	1	100	135	254
June 1990	50	29	20	1	100	130	247
July 1990	46	30	23	1	100	123	259
August 1990	42	29	28	1	100	114	263
September 1990	42	33	25	0	100	117	275
October 1990	40	31	29	0	100	111	278
November 1990	38	30	32	0	100	106	285
December 1990	35	28	36	0	100	99	288
January 1991	35	30	35	1	100	100	306
February 1991	34	30	36	0	100	98	313
March 1991	36	29	34	1	100	101	314
April 1991	36	27	36	1	100	100	287
May 1991	38	29	32	1	100	107	289
June 1991	39	30	31	0	100	109	302

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July 1991	40	31	29	0	100	111	316
August 1991	38	32	30	0	100	109	322
September 1991	39	30	31	0	100	107	306
October 1991	37	30	31	1	100	106	294
November 1991	38	27	35	1	100	103	286
December 1991	34	26	39	1	100	95	298
January 1992	34	23	42	0	100	92	309
February 1992	32	24	44	0	100	88	315
March 1992	30	25	45	0	100	86	317
April 1992	31	27	42	0	100	88	317
May 1992	35	27	37	0	100	98	312
June 1992	39	25	35	0	100	104	314
July 1992	36	26	38	0	100	98	311
August 1992	32	27	41	0	100	91	322
September 1992	28	28	44	0	100	83	321
October 1992	28	28	43	0	100	85	328
November 1992	32	27	40	0	100	92	344
December 1992	35	29	36	0	100	100	359
January 1993	38	29	33	1	100	105	367
February 1993	34	34	32	0	100	101	360
March 1993	36	33	30	0	100	106	348
April 1993	38	31	30	0	100	108	328
May 1993	40	28	30	1	100	110	315
June 1993	39	29	31	1	100	108	318
July 1993	37	28	34	1	100	103	321
August 1993	34	30	35	1	100	100	319
September 1993	35	29	35	0	100	100	313
October 1993	34	32	34	0	100	100	315
November 1993	37	31	33	0	100	104	320
December 1993	41	29	30	0	100	111	314
January 1994	42	30	27	0	100	115	319
February 1994	43	30	26	1	100	117	318
March 1994	36	36	27	1	100	109	318
April 1994	38	34	27	1	100	111	314
May 1994	38	33	28	1	100	110	301
June 1994	40	28	31	0	100	109	304
July 1994	41	27	31	0	100	110	322
August 1994	45	26	29	0	100	115	325
September 1994	42	27	31	0	100	111	323
October 1994	38	30	32	0	100	105	300
November 1994	35	29	35	0	100	100	311
December 1994	39	27	33	0	100	106	307
January 1995	44	25	30	1	100	114	315
February 1995	45	26	28	1	100	116	309
March 1995	42	28	29	1	100	113	315
April 1995	40	32	28	0	100	112	326
May 1995	40	31	28	0	100	112	333
June 1995	40	31	28	0	100	112	320
July 1995	40	29	31	0	100	109	316
August 1995	42	28	29	0	100	113	307
September 1995	44	29	27	0	100	117	328
October 1995	44	29	27	0	100	117	315
November 1995	38	32	30	1	100	108	321
December 1995	39	31	30	0	100	108	304

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January 1996	37	32	29	1	100	108	305
February 1996	41	30	29	1	100	112	298
March 1996	39	31	29	1	100	111	299
April 1996	42	32	26	0	100	116	297
May 1996	42	35	24	0	100	118	299
June 1996	45	33	23	0	100	122	295
July 1996	42	32	26	0	100	116	302
August 1996	43	31	26	0	100	117	291
September 1996	40	31	28	0	100	112	299
October 1996	42	30	27	0	100	115	299
November 1996	44	29	28	0	100	116	311
December 1996	48	26	26	0	100	122	308
January 1997	45	28	27	0	100	119	307
February 1997	45	30	25	0	100	119	311
March 1997	41	31	28	0	100	114	318
April 1997	46	27	26	0	100	120	313
May 1997	48	25	28	0	100	120	307
June 1997	48	27	25	0	100	123	294
July 1997	46	30	24	0	100	121	299
August 1997	46	30	23	0	100	123	282
September 1997	47	28	24	0	100	123	293
October 1997	47	29	24	0	100	122	289
November 1997	47	29	24	1	100	123	311
December 1997	46	30	24	1	100	122	311
January 1998	45	31	24	0	100	122	308
February 1998	46	32	22	0	100	124	289
March 1998	46	33	20	0	100	126	281
April 1998	48	32	20	0	100	128	288
May 1998	47	32	21	0	100	126	300
June 1998	44	32	24	0	100	121	323
July 1998	45	31	24	0	100	122	325
August 1998	47	31	22	0	100	126	333
September 1998	49	31	19	1	100	130	321
October 1998	48	32	20	0	100	128	311
November 1998	46	32	22	0	100	125	298
December 1998	49	29	22	0	100	127	297
January 1999	51	26	23	0	100	128	318
February 1999	50	27	23	0	100	127	326
March 1999	50	26	24	0	100	126	325
April 1999	50	27	23	0	100	126	316
May 1999	51	26	23	0	100	129	319
June 1999	50	29	21	0	100	129	307
July 1999	49	30	21	0	100	128	310
August 1999	45	33	22	0	100	123	302
September 1999	47	31	22	0	100	126	307
October 1999	49	31	20	0	100	130	311
November 1999	53	26	19	1	100	134	312
December 1999	54	28	17	1	100	137	302
January 2000	55	25	19	1	100	136	287
February 2000	54	26	20	0	100	133	279
March 2000	50	27	23	0	100	128	287
April 2000	49	30	20	1	100	129	290
May 2000	50	31	18	1	100	133	304
June 2000	52	29	18	1	100	134	296
July 2000	53	27	19	0	100	134	302

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August 2000	55	22	22	0	100	133	293
September 2000	53	26	20	0	100	133	308
October 2000	53	27	20	0	100	133	308
November 2000	51	33	16	0	100	135	314
December 2000	51	29	20	0	100	132	305
January 2001	49	27	24	0	100	125	297
February 2001	49	25	25	0	100	124	291
March 2001	47	27	25	1	100	122	294
April 2001	45	28	26	1	100	119	294
May 2001	43	28	29	0	100	114	303
June 2001	44	25	30	0	100	114	308
July 2001	45	25	29	0	100	116	307
August 2001	43	26	30	0	100	113	307
September 2001	43	28	29	0	100	114	302
October 2001	41	30	29	0	100	112	301
November 2001	40	32	28	0	100	112	303
December 2001	38	32	30	1	100	108	306
January 2002	37	32	31	0	100	106	306
February 2002	36	29	34	0	100	102	299
March 2002	33	35	32	0	100	102	315
April 2002	33	35	32	0	100	101	305
May 2002	36	34	30	0	100	105	306
June 2002	34	33	33	0	100	101	291
July 2002	35	32	33	0	100	102	305
August 2002	32	35	34	0	100	98	301
September 2002	36	29	34	1	100	101	306
October 2002	35	29	36	1	100	99	298
November 2002	39	26	34	1	100	105	295
December 2002	38	26	35	1	100	103	295
January 2003	38	30	31	1	100	106	304
February 2003	35	28	36	1	100	99	325
March 2003	37	26	36	0	100	101	324
April 2003	40	23	37	0	100	103	309
May 2003	39	27	34	0	100	106	280
June 2003	40	26	34	0	100	106	288
July 2003	36	28	36	0	100	100	304
August 2003	37	28	35	0	100	102	336
September 2003	38	31	32	0	100	106	312
October 2003	42	31	27	0	100	115	311
November 2003	44	29	28	0	100	116	286
December 2003	42	29	29	0	100	112	307
January 2004	42	25	33	0	100	108	308
February 2004	42	24	35	0	100	107	319
March 2004	40	24	35	0	100	105	306
April 2004	39	28	33	0	100	106	312
May 2004	40	28	32	0	100	107	286
June 2004	40	30	30	0	100	110	291
July 2004	42	29	30	0	100	112	318
August 2004	44	27	29	1	100	115	335
September 2004	45	23	31	1	100	113	337
October 2004	46	19	35	1	100	111	303
November 2004	39	27	34	0	100	105	303
December 2004	40	28	31	0	100	109	305
January 2005	41	32	27	0	100	115	322

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February 2005	47	26	27	1	100	120	333
March 2005	49	23	28	0	100	121	332
April 2005	45	22	33	0	100	112	321
May 2005	43	24	33	0	100	110	313
June 2005	46	24	30	0	100	116	313
July 2005	50	24	26	0	100	124	301
August 2005	51	24	25	0	100	126	306
September 2005	48	26	26	0	100	122	301
October 2005	43	26	31	0	100	112	306
November 2005	40	27	34	0	100	106	301
December 2005	42	25	33	0	100	110	307
January 2006	47	25	27	0	100	120	310
February 2006	52	24	24	0	100	127	308
March 2006	51	22	27	0	100	124	301
April 2006	50	24	26	0	100	123	298
May 2006	46	25	29	0	100	118	298
June 2006	47	24	28	0	100	119	299
July 2006	48	25	28	0	100	120	298
August 2006	50	26	24	0	100	126	285
September 2006	47	28	26	0	100	121	293
October 2006	48	24	28	0	100	120	297
November 2006	48	25	27	0	100	121	301
December 2006	48	27	25	0	100	124	286
January 2007	51	30	19	0	100	131	274
February 2007	50	29	22	0	100	128	264
March 2007	54	22	24	0	100	130	281
April 2007	52	21	28	0	100	124	291
May 2007	51	22	28	0	100	123	302
June 2007	46	24	29	0	100	117	286
July 2007	44	25	31	0	100	113	273
August 2007	42	24	34	0	100	108	288
September 2007	42	27	32	0	100	110	299
October 2007	40	30	30	0	100	111	312
November 2007	37	32	30	0	100	107	294
December 2007	37	32	32	0	100	105	277
January 2008	34	27	38	0	100	96	265
February 2008	35	24	41	0	100	93	290
March 2008	33	23	44	0	100	89	309
April 2008	32	27	42	0	100	90	323
May 2008	30	26	44	0	100	86	313
June 2008	26	21	53	0	100	73	310
July 2008	25	16	58	1	100	66	298
August 2008	23	15	62	1	100	61	309
September 2008	25	19	55	1	100	70	307
October 2008	21	21	58	0	100	62	322
November 2008	21	22	56	0	100	65	320
December 2008	17	22	61	0	100	56	323
January 2009	22	21	57	0	100	65	318
February 2009	21	23	56	0	100	64	314
March 2009	23	26	51	0	100	72	309
April 2009	19	29	52	0	100	67	308
May 2009	21	29	50	0	100	70	302
June 2009	21	27	53	0	100	68	296
July 2009	20	26	53	0	100	67	290
August 2009	17	27	56	0	100	61	293

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September 2009	18	28	53	0	100	65	303
October 2009	21	29	50	0	100	71	310
November 2009	22	28	50	1	100	72	296
December 2009	19	24	56	1	100	63	278
January 2010	18	26	56	1	100	62	275
February 2010	21	28	51	0	100	71	295
March 2010	24	32	44	0	100	80	308
April 2010	24	33	43	0	100	81	322
May 2010	24	30	46	0	100	78	302
June 2010	24	29	47	0	100	77	293
July 2010	24	29	47	0	100	78	281
August 2010	24	33	43	0	100	81	293
September 2010	26	33	41	0	100	85	315
October 2010	27	32	41	0	100	86	324
November 2010	27	30	43	0	100	84	328
December 2010	23	33	43	1	100	80	305
January 2011	22	34	43	1	100	79	301
February 2011	24	33	42	1	100	82	303
March 2011	25	33	42	0	100	83	332
April 2011	27	30	43	0	100	84	332
May 2011	26	28	46	0	100	80	328
June 2011	28	24	49	0	100	79	311
July 2011	28	26	46	0	100	82	306
August 2011	25	26	48	0	100	77	325
September 2011	26	28	45	0	100	81	345
October 2011	24	30	46	0	100	78	334
November 2011	23	33	44	0	100	79	309
December 2011	23	35	42	0	100	81	293
January 2012	26	32	41	0	100	85	315
February 2012	30	30	40	0	100	90	339
March 2012	30	29	41	0	100	88	341
April 2012	28	33	39	0	100	89	321
May 2012	28	35	37	0	100	91	293
June 2012	28	37	36	0	100	92	292
July 2012	28	32	40	0	100	89	308
August 2012	29	31	40	0	100	89	316
September 2012	30	30	40	0	100	90	319
October 2012	33	32	35	0	100	99	314
November 2012	33	33	34	0	100	99	310
December 2012	33	33	34	0	100	100	316
January 2013	30	31	39	0	100	90	321
February 2013	31	32	37	0	100	94	334
March 2013	33	31	36	0	100	97	327
April 2013	36	31	33	0	100	102	311
May 2013	38	28	34	0	100	104	313
June 2013	37	30	33	0	100	104	313
July 2013	41	28	31	0	100	110	307
August 2013	44	25	30	0	100	114	300
September 2013	46	22	32	0	100	114	303
October 2013	40	24	35	0	100	105	322
November 2013	33	31	36	0	100	97	328
December 2013	32	35	33	0	100	99	318
January 2014	38	34	28	0	100	110	313
February 2014	37	32	31	0	100	105	289



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March 2014	36	29	35	0	100	101	299
April 2014	34	32	35	0	100	99	295
May 2014	37	32	31	0	100	106	321
June 2014	40	33	27	0	100	113	324
July 2014	40	31	29	0	100	110	333
August 2014	44	27	29	0	100	116	326
September 2014	44	25	30	0	100	114	320
October 2014	42	27	31	0	100	111	307
November 2014	40	29	31	0	100	109	315
December 2014	40	30	30	0	100	110	307
January 2015	46	26	28	0	100	118	334
February 2015	47	27	25	0	100	122	326
March 2015	46	30	24	0	100	123	315
April 2015	44	33	23	0	100	120	314
May 2015	41	32	26	0	100	115	316
June 2015	43	28	29	0	100	114	336
July 2015	44	27	29	0	100	115	325
August 2015	46	27	27	0	100	119	351
September 2015	44	30	26	0	100	118	360
October 2015	42	31	26	0	100	116	380
November 2015	41	30	29	0	100	111	359
December 2015	39	28	33	0	100	106	349
January 2016	40	24	36	0	100	105	313
February 2016	42	22	36	0	100	105	329
March 2016	46	24	30	0	100	116	365
April 2016	49	26	26	0	100	123	411
May 2016	50	28	22	0	100	128	412
June 2016	51	26	23	0	100	128	380
July 2016	48	29	22	1	100	127	353
August 2016	48	28	24	1	100	124	340
September 2016	46	28	25	1	100	122	360
October 2016	45	26	29	0	100	116	389
November 2016	48	24	28	0	100	119	421
December 2016	47	24	29	0	100	118	427
January 2017	50	24	26	0	100	123	430
February 2017	48	26	26	0	100	122	435
March 2017	48	30	23	0	100	125	450
April 2017	50	28	22	0	100	127	445
May 2017	48	31	21	0	100	127	435
June 2017	49	30	21	0	100	128	434
July 2017	49	30	21	0	100	128	456
August 2017	51	28	21	0	100	130	462
September 2017	52	26	22	0	100	130	464
October 2017	53	26	21	0	100	132	442
November 2017	50	28	22	0	100	129	429
December 2017	49	27	24	0	100	125	417
January 2018	48	26	26	0	100	122	418
February 2018	50	25	25	0	100	126	434
March 2018	54	27	19	0	100	135	436
April 2018	52	29	19	0	100	132	432
May 2018	52	31	17	0	100	135	422
June 2018	49	32	19	0	100	130	416
July 2018	52	29	19	0	100	133	409
August 2018	50	28	22	0	100	128	412
September 2018	54	26	21	0	100	133	422

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October 2018	53	27	20	0	100	133	417
November 2018	59	23	18	0	100	141	420
December 2018	56	22	22	0	100	135	411
January 2019	55	23	22	0	100	133	417
February 2019	48	28	24	0	100	124	411
March 2019	50	28	22	0	100	128	424
April 2019	49	27	24	0	100	125	437
May 2019	53	26	21	0	100	132	450
June 2019	51	29	21	0	100	130	449
July 2019	51	30	19	0	100	132	449
August 2019	50	29	21	0	100	129	443
September 2019	50	28	22	0	100	129	427
October 2019	52	28	20	0	100	132	424
November 2019	55	26	19	0	100	136	445
December 2019	56	27	17	0	100	138	466
January 2020	54	29	17	0	100	137	463
February 2020	54	30	16	0	100	138	440
March 2020	53	29	18	0	100	135	437
April 2020	51	28	21	0	100	131	436
May 2020	46	30	24	0	100	121	450
June 2020	41	32	27	0	100	113	439
July 2020	37	33	30	0	100	107	431
August 2020	35	34	31	0	100	104	419
September 2020	37	32	32	0	100	105	419
October 2020	38	30	32	0	100	106	451
November 2020	39	29	32	0	100	107	455
December 2020	39	32	29	0	100	110	460
January 2021	38	32	30	0	100	108	448
February 2021	40	31	30	0	100	110	450
March 2021	39	30	31	0	100	108	442
April 2021	43	31	26	0	100	117	456
May 2021	45	32	23	0	100	122	464
June 2021	46	32	22	0	100	124	465
July 2021	45	33	23	0	100	122	437
August 2021	40	34	26	0	100	114	414
September 2021	41	32	27	0	100	114	432
October 2021	43	31	26	0	100	118	442
November 2021	49	27	24	0	100	125	451
December 2021	49	26	25	0	100	124	424
January 2022	43	27	29	0	100	114	410
February 2022	39	27	33	0	100	106	394
March 2022	37	28	35	0	100	102	415
April 2022	39	25	36	0	100	104	431
May 2022	40	22	38	0	100	102	430
June 2022	37	20	43	0	100	94	418
July 2022	32	18	49	0	100	83	407
August 2022	28	23	49	0	100	78	403
September 2022	28	22	50	0	100	78	401
October 2022	29	22	49	0	100	80	418
November 2022	31	18	51	0	100	79	431
December 2022	29	18	52	0	100	77	433
January 2023	30	20	50	0	100	80	423
February 2023	27	23	50	0	100	77	416
March 2023	30	25	45	0	100	85	426

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April 2023	30	25	44	0	100	86	445
May 2023	31	26	43	0	100	89	458
June 2023	28	26	45	0	100	83	449
July 2023	31	25	43	0	100	88	410
August 2023	32	27	41	0	100	91	397
September 2023	35	26	39	0	100	96	419