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EXPECTED CHANGE IN HOUSEHOLD INCOME DURING THE NEXT YEAR

The questions were: "During the next 12 months, do you expect your (family) income to be higher or lower than during the past year?" and "By about what percent do you expect your (family) income to increase during the next 12 months?"

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		1-2%	3-4%	5%	6-9%	10-24%	25% +	DK Up						
Jan.-Mar.	1968	0	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Jul.-Sep.	1976	NA	NA	6	5	10	4	4	34	7	6	100	0.2	1372
Oct.-Dec.	1976	NA	NA	8	6	12	6	11	31	13	4	100	0.5	1254
Jan.-Mar.	1977	NA	NA	10	7	13	7	9	29	10	6	100	2.6	1203
Apr.-June	1977	NA	NA	11	11	15	7	8	26	9	2	100	4.5	1370
Jul.-Sep.	1977	NA	NA	9	11	17	6	8	29	9	3	100	3.3	1214
Oct.-Dec.	1977	NA	NA	8	11	16	7	8	32	7	3	100	2	1280
Jan.-Mar.	1978	2	3	7	9	13	5	12	33	11	5	100	2.8	1276
Apr.-June	1978	5	3	9	13	16	8	9	25	7	5	100	5.2	1298
Jul.-Sep.	1978	1	3	10	11	19	8	10	26	9	3	100	5.3	1185
Oct.-Dec.	1978	2	3	9	10	14	7	11	31	9	4	100	4.7	1459
Jan.-Mar.	1979	3	3	10	14	16	7	9	25	10	3	100	5.3	1361
Apr.-June	1979	2	3	7	15	18	8	8	26	9	4	100	6.3	1251
Jul.-Sep.	1979	2	3	7	17	19	6	8	27	8	3	100	6.2	1212
Oct.-Dec.	1979	2	3	8	14	19	6	9	28	8	3	100	5.4	1327
Jan.-Mar.	1980	2	4	8	14	20	9	7	24	10	2	100	5.4	1019
Apr.-June	1980	2	3	7	13	24	7	8	23	11	2	100	5.5	2110
Jul.-Sep.	1980	3	3	8	14	21	5	10	21	13	2	100	5.2	2008
Oct.-Dec.	1980	3	3	8	13	23	7	9	22	9	3	100	5.4	2062
Jan.-Mar.	1981	3	4	8	10	21	7	9	23	12	3	100	5	2068
Apr.-June	1981	3	3	9	11	25	7	8	22	10	2	100	5.4	2032
Jul.-Sep.	1981	3	3	8	10	23	7	6	26	11	3	100	5	2070
Oct.-Dec.	1981	2	3	10	10	23	7	6	23	14	2	100	5.1	2103
Jan.-Mar.	1982	3	3	9	11	21	7	5	24	15	2	100	4.8	2088
Apr.-June	1982	2	4	10	10	20	7	6	23	16	2	100	4.8	2096
Jul.-Sep.	1982	3	5	8	11	18	7	5	27	15	1	100	3.8	2083
Oct.-Dec.	1982	3	3	9	9	20	8	6	25	15	2	100	4.7	2051
Jan.-Mar.	1983	3	5	9	9	15	8	5	28	17	1	100	2.6	2087
Apr.-June	1983	3	6	11	10	18	8	4	26	12	2	100	4.6	2121
Jul.-Sep.	1983	5	6	11	8	15	8	5	27	13	2	100	3.1	2057
Oct.-Dec.	1983	4	7	9	10	17	7	6	25	12	3	100	4	2091
Jan.-Mar.	1984	5	9	11	8	18	8	5	25	9	2	100	4.3	2068
Apr.-June	1984	4	7	11	9	19	8	4	24	13	1	100	4.5	2075
Jul.-Sep.	1984	6	9	11	10	18	7	3	23	11	2	100	4.3	2038
Oct.-Dec.	1984	4	7	10	8	18	8	6	24	13	2	100	3.9	2120
Jan.-Mar.	1985	5	8	10	7	16	7	3	27	16	1	100	2.7	1948
Apr.-June	1985	5	8	10	6	16	8	4	28	14	1	100	2.9	1988
Jul.-Sep.	1985	4	9	10	8	15	6	4	28	14	2	100	2.8	1945
Oct.-Dec.	1985	4	10	9	8	16	6	5	27	13	2	100	2.9	1955
Jan.-Mar.	1986	5	10	11	7	15	7	3	27	14	1	100	2.9	1970
Apr.-June	1986	6	8	10	8	17	7	3	25	14	2	100	3.1	1971
Jul.-Sep.	1986	6	10	12	7	16	7	4	24	13	1	100	3.2	1977

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Oct.-Dec. 1986	7	9	12	8	16	6	4	25	12	1	100	3.2	1960
Jan.-Mar. 1987	7	10	11	6	15	5	5	27	13	1	100	2.7	1964
Apr.-June 1987	8	10	9	8	15	6	4	26	14	0	100	2.7	1957
Jul.-Sep. 1987	7	10	11	6	15	6	5	27	11	2	100	2.8	1955
Oct.-Dec. 1987	6	12	10	8	16	5	4	23	15	1	100	3.2	1501
Jan.-Mar. 1988	6	10	13	7	17	6	3	26	10	2	100	3.3	1502
Apr.-June 1988	6	9	10	7	14	7	5	28	13	1	100	2.6	1504
Jul.-Sep. 1988	5	11	11	9	16	6	6	25	10	1	100	3.5	1501
Oct.-Dec. 1988	7	12	11	8	15	6	5	23	12	1	100	3.4	1509
Jan.-Mar. 1989	7	9	12	8	14	7	5	25	13	0	100	3.1	1503
Apr.-June 1989	7	10	10	7	15	7	5	26	12	1	100	3.1	1510
Jul.-Sep. 1989	5	10	11	7	16	6	5	26	13	1	100	2.9	1509
Oct.-Dec. 1989	6	13	12	7	14	8	5	23	11	1	100	3.7	1502
Jan.-Mar. 1990	5	11	12	8	15	5	4	27	12	1	100	3.1	1514
Apr.-June 1990	6	10	11	8	16	8	4	26	11	0	100	3.4	1508
Jul.-Sep. 1990	7	10	11	8	15	7	3	26	12	1	100	3.1	1502
Oct.-Dec. 1990	7	10	13	5	13	6	4	25	17	0	100	2.6	1508
Jan.-Mar. 1991	7	9	12	6	13	7	5	26	14	1	100	2.7	1539
Apr.-June 1991	5	10	11	5	15	7	4	27	16	0	100	2.6	1502
Jul.-Sep. 1991	8	11	11	6	12	6	4	29	12	1	100	2.4	1502
Oct.-Dec. 1991	6	13	10	6	12	7	4	26	15	1	100	2.7	1510
Jan.-Mar. 1992	6	10	11	5	11	8	3	28	18	0	100	1.8	1518
Apr.-June 1992	7	12	10	5	13	8	4	25	14	2	100	2.7	1501
Jul.-Sep. 1992	7	10	10	7	10	8	4	28	15	1	100	2.3	1513
Oct.-Dec. 1992	8	13	11	5	14	8	3	25	12	1	100	3	1508
Jan.-Mar. 1993	7	13	10	5	12	8	3	26	14	2	100	2.6	1512
Apr.-June 1993	5	12	9	5	12	8	3	30	15	1	100	2.3	1507
Jul.-Sep. 1993	7	12	10	5	12	7	2	29	15	1	100	2.1	1513
Oct.-Dec. 1993	8	12	10	5	13	8	3	27	13	1	100	2.6	1526
Jan.-Mar. 1994	8	12	8	5	12	9	3	27	15	1	100	2.3	1515
Apr.-June 1994	7	11	11	5	12	8	4	27	14	1	100	2.6	1509
Jul.-Sep. 1994	9	12	10	5	13	7	3	28	13	0	100	2.2	1541
Oct.-Dec. 1994	8	14	10	5	12	6	5	28	11	1	100	2.6	1504
Jan.-Mar. 1995	10	13	12	4	11	7	4	27	11	1	100	2.6	1510
Apr.-June 1995	9	13	10	5	13	6	4	27	13	0	100	2.5	1503
Jul.-Sep. 1995	8	12	10	4	14	7	4	26	14	1	100	2.5	1504
Oct.-Dec. 1995	11	13	11	4	12	5	4	26	13	1	100	2.4	1507
Jan.-Mar. 1996	9	13	10	4	13	8	4	25	13	1	100	2.7	1505
Apr.-June 1996	8	14	10	4	11	6	4	31	11	1	100	2.2	1500
Jul.-Sep. 1996	9	12	11	5	13	8	4	26	11	1	100	2.7	1501
Oct.-Dec. 1996	11	15	11	4	13	6	3	26	10	1	100	2.6	1502
Jan.-Mar. 1997	9	12	11	5	14	7	4	26	11	1	100	2.8	1501
Apr.-June 1997	10	13	11	5	14	6	4	25	11	1	100	2.7	1501
Jul.-Sep. 1997	10	15	11	4	11	7	3	30	9	0	100	2.5	1500
Oct.-Dec. 1997	11	13	11	4	13	8	5	25	9	1	100	2.7	1500

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Jan.-Mar. 1998	10	14	10	4	14	7	5	28	7	1	100	2.8	1499
Apr.-June 1998	10	13	10	5	11	7	6	28	9	1	100	2.6	1500
Jul.-Sep. 1998	9	13	11	5	12	9	4	25	10	2	100	2.9	1508
Oct.-Dec. 1998	13	13	11	6	13	6	4	24	10	0	100	2.7	1504
Jan.-Mar. 1999	10	14	10	5	14	7	3	26	10	1	100	2.8	1497
Apr.-June 1999	11	13	11	5	15	7	4	23	10	1	100	2.9	1500
Jul.-Sep. 1999	11	15	12	6	15	7	3	21	10	0	100	3.1	1501
Oct.-Dec. 1999	12	14	11	7	12	7	4	23	9	1	100	2.9	1497
Jan.-Mar. 2000	9	15	12	6	15	8	3	22	10	0	100	3.2	1509
Apr.-June 2000	11	15	11	5	16	6	4	21	10	1	100	3	1503
Jul.-Sep. 2000	9	14	12	6	15	7	3	23	10	1	100	3.1	1508
Oct.-Dec. 2000	11	16	12	6	14	6	2	22	10	1	100	3	1500
Jan.-Mar. 2001	8	17	13	6	13	5	3	23	11	1	100	3	1501
Apr.-June 2001	9	14	9	6	12	8	4	24	13	1	100	2.7	1501
Jul.-Sep. 2001	10	14	9	5	11	6	4	28	12	1	100	2.3	1501
Oct.-Dec. 2001	9	13	9	4	14	6	4	27	13	1	100	2.4	1510
Jan.-Mar. 2002	9	13	11	6	12	7	3	25	12	2	100	2.7	1500
Apr.-June 2002	10	14	11	4	13	7	3	24	12	2	100	2.8	1503
Jul.-Sep. 2002	10	15	10	5	13	7	4	22	13	1	100	2.8	1502
Oct.-Dec. 2002	10	12	12	4	13	7	3	24	14	1	100	2.6	1506
Jan.-Mar. 2003	11	12	12	4	10	8	3	24	15	1	100	2.4	1506
Apr.-June 2003	9	15	9	4	12	8	3	25	14	1	100	2.6	1500
Jul.-Sep. 2003	11	13	11	4	14	7	3	22	14	1	100	2.7	1503
Oct.-Dec. 2003	12	15	10	4	11	7	4	24	13	0	100	2.5	1505
Jan.-Mar. 2004	11	15	9	4	14	8	3	23	12	1	100	2.7	1510
Apr.-June 2004	12	15	9	4	12	8	2	24	13	1	100	2.5	1514
Jul.-Sep. 2004	14	15	9	5	11	8	3	22	13	0	100	2.5	1511
Oct.-Dec. 2004	12	15	10	4	12	8	3	24	11	1	100	2.6	1505
Jan.-Mar. 2005	12	16	11	4	11	8	3	23	12	0	100	2.6	1487
Apr.-June 2005	14	15	10	4	9	7	2	25	14	0	100	2	1502
Jul.-Sep. 2005	12	14	10	4	11	7	3	24	14	1	100	2.3	1524
Oct.-Dec. 2005	13	18	10	4	12	6	2	22	13	0	100	2.6	1516
Jan.-Mar. 2006	14	16	9	3	11	6	2	24	14	1	100	2.2	1496
Apr.-June 2006	14	14	10	5	11	6	2	24	14	0	100	2.2	1505
Jul.-Sep. 2006	13	15	9	5	12	5	2	25	14	0	100	2.1	1508
Oct.-Dec. 2006	11	19	10	5	12	6	2	21	13	1	100	2.8	1506
Jan.-Mar. 2007	13	17	11	3	12	7	2	22	12	1	100	2.6	1516
Apr.-June 2007	13	17	11	4	9	6	2	23	14	1	100	2.4	1510
Jul.-Sep. 2007	12	17	11	4	11	5	2	24	14	0	100	2.4	1516
Oct.-Dec. 2007	14	18	11	4	10	5	2	21	15	0	100	2.4	1503
Jan.-Mar. 2008	12	18	9	4	11	5	2	23	16	0	100	2.3	1508
Apr.-June 2008	11	16	10	4	8	4	2	25	20	0	100	1.6	1514
Jul.-Sep. 2008	11	17	9	4	12	5	1	23	17	1	100	2.2	1505
Oct.-Dec. 2008	10	16	9	3	8	4	2	25	22	1	100	1	1517
Jan.-Mar. 2009	9	13	6	3	9	4	1	26	28	1	100	0.3	1513
Apr.-June 2009	9	11	5	3	9	5	2	27	29	0	100	0.3	1519

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Jul.-Sep.	2009	10	11	5	3	7	5	2	28	28	1	100	0.3	1515
Oct.-Dec.	2009	11	11	7	2	8	5	1	30	25	0	100	0.3	1507
Jan.-Mar.	2010	11	10	7	2	7	4	1	33	24	1	100	0.3	1510
Apr.-June	2010	12	8	6	3	9	5	1	33	23	0	100	0.3	1516
Jul.-Sep.	2010	12	10	7	1	7	5	2	33	22	1	100	0.3	1516
Oct.-Dec.	2010	12	10	7	2	9	5	1	31	23	0	100	0.4	1525
Jan.-Mar.	2011	10	9	6	2	7	4	1	36	24	1	100	0.2	1513
Apr.-June	2011	11	10	6	1	8	5	2	32	24	1	100	0.3	1508
Jul.-Sep.	2011	10	8	6	2	8	5	1	34	26	0	100	0.2	1492
Oct.-Dec.	2011	12	11	5	2	7	5	1	35	22	0	100	0.3	1500
Jan.-Mar.	2012	12	12	7	2	7	5	1	33	20	1	100	0.4	1507
Apr.-June	2012	12	10	7	3	8	4	1	34	21	0	100	0.4	1501
Jul.-Sep.	2012	13	11	5	2	7	5	2	34	20	1	100	0.4	1531
Oct.-Dec.	2012	15	11	7	2	8	5	2	29	20	1	100	0.5	1515
Jan.-Mar.	2013	12	9	7	2	10	4	2	31	21	2	100	0.4	1502
Apr.-June	2013	12	10	7	3	8	5	2	35	18	0	100	0.4	1511
Jul.-Sep.	2013	13	11	8	2	9	6	1	30	19	1	100	0.6	1513
Oct.-Dec.	2013	17	10	6	3	7	6	1	30	19	1	100	0.5	1510
Jan.-Mar.	2014	15	10	7	3	8	7	1	30	18	1	100	0.7	1515
Apr.-June	2014	16	8	6	3	9	7	2	31	17	1	100	0.6	1515
Jul.-Sep.	2014	16	10	7	3	9	6	1	28	19	1	100	0.7	1511
Oct.-Dec.	2014	16	11	8	3	11	7	1	27	15	1	100	1.3	1506
Jan.-Mar.	2015	14	11	9	2	12	7	1	28	15	1	100	1.4	1514
Apr.-June	2015	14	11	8	3	12	8	1	25	17	1	100	1.5	1509
Jul.-Sep.	2015	13	11	8	3	12	7	2	28	15	1	100	1.4	1565
Oct.-Dec.	2015	15	11	8	3	13	7	1	25	16	1	100	1.6	1519
Jan.-Mar.	2016	11	10	9	3	13	8	1	29	15	1	100	1.5	1553
Apr.-June	2016	13	12	8	4	12	7	1	26	17	0	100	1.4	1585
Jul.-Sep.	2016	14	12	8	4	11	7	1	27	15	1	100	1.4	1668
Oct.-Dec.	2016	13	11	9	3	14	7	1	25	16	1	100	1.6	1787
Jan.-Mar.	2017	15	13	7	3	12	8	2	26	13	1	100	1.9	1806
Apr.-June	2017	15	11	9	3	13	8	1	26	14	0	100	1.8	1817
Jul.-Sep.	2017	15	12	8	3	13	7	2	26	14	0	100	1.8	1817
Oct.-Dec.	2017	16	11	9	4	14	7	1	24	13	1	100	2.1	1814
Jan.-Mar.	2018	14	13	9	3	12	7	2	25	14	1	100	2	1850