TABLE 11

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS

The question was: "And 5 years from now, do you expect that you (and your family living there) will be better off financially, worse off, or just about the same as now?"
(Note: Prior to 1972 a four year horizon was used)

Year	Better Off	Same	Worse Off	DK, NA	Total	Relative	Cases
1968	43	28	8	21	100	135	1322
1969	50	27	11	12	100	139	1517
1970	43	22	12	23	100	131	1402
1971	45	19	8	28	100	137	1268
1972	50	27	7	16	100	143	2514
1974	37	27	15	21	100	122	1421
1975	44	26	12	18	100	132	1374
1976	46	26	11	17	100	135	2626
1977	43	32	16	9	100	127	2650
1979	37	33	23	7	100	114	3746
1980	42	30	20	8	100	122	3027
1981	45	29	17	9	100	128	4138
1982	49	29	16	6	100	133	4171
1983	52	29	13	6	100	139	4144
1984	54	30	11	5	100	143	4106
1985	49	33	13	5	100	136	3240
2011	40	39	17	4	100	123	2992
2012	41	37	17	5	100	124	6054
2013	43	35	19	3	100	124	6036
2014	45	34	16	5	100	129	6047
2015	52	31	14	3	100	138	6107
2016	52	31	13	4	100	139	6593
2017	54	30	13	3	100	141	7254
2018	54	30	13	3	100	141	7294
2019	55	30	12	3	100	143	7326
2020	55	31	10	4	100	145	7487
2021	51	29	16	4	100	135	7251