

TABLE 7

SELECTED REASONS FOR OPINIONS ABOUT HOUSEHOLD FINANCIAL SITUATION

Responses to the query: "Why do you say so?" following the question on Table 6.

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

Year	BETTER OFF THAN YEAR AGO			WORSE OFF THAN YEAR AGO			
	Income Higher	Assets Higher	Debt Lower	Income Lower	Prices Higher	Assets Lower	Debt Higher
1961	41	9	0	34	8	4	0
1962	43	10	0	25	5	4	0
1963	44	10	0	21	6	3	0
1964	43	10	0	19	4	3	0
1965	47	10	0	19	4	3	0
1966	38	3	4	12	11	1	1
1967	37	3	6	12	15	1	2
1968	39	3	6	12	16	1	2
1969	38	4	5	12	20	1	2
1970	33	3	6	14	22	1	2
1971	28	3	5	18	20	1	2
1972	36	3	5	13	17	1	1
1973	34	3	4	15	28	1	1
1974	31	2	3	13	39	1	1
1975	29	2	4	19	30	1	1
1976	31	2	5	17	23	1	1
1977	33	2	4	15	26	1	1
1978	32	3	3	15	29	1	1
1979	30	3	4	14	42	1	2
1980	29	3	4	16	41	1	2
1981	28	3	4	17	36	1	3
1982	28	3	4	22	28	1	3
1983	30	3	4	21	18	1	1
1984	36	3	5	16	14	1	1
1985	33	2	4	17	14	2	1
1986	35	4	6	17	11	2	1
1987	34	3	5	17	11	2	1
1988	37	3	5	17	11	1	1
1989	33	3	5	17	14	1	2
1990	30	3	5	17	17	1	2
1991	28	3	5	24	16	2	2
1992	26	3	5	27	15	5	3
1993	30	3	6	24	13	3	2
1994	33	3	6	21	10	3	3
1995	33	4	6	20	9	2	3
1996	32	4	6	18	10	1	3
1997	35	4	6	15	8	1	2
1998	38	4	7	13	6	1	2
1999	42	4	7	14	6	0	2
2000	41	3	8	14	8	0	2
2001	34	2	6	20	9	2	3
2002	30	2	7	24	7	5	2
2003	30	4	7	25	10	5	3
2004	35	5	6	22	13	2	2
2005	34	6	7	20	18	2	3
2006	33	6	6	19	20	1	3
2007	31	8	7	21	21	1	3
2008	22	3	5	25	35	7	3
2009	15	2	4	35	21	13	4

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	<u>Income Higher</u>	<u>Assets Higher</u>	<u>Debt Lower</u>	<u>Income Lower</u>	<u>Prices Higher</u>	<u>Assets Lower</u>	<u>Debt Higher</u>
2010	17	4	4	35	17	7	4
2011	19	4	4	31	25	5	3
2012	22	4	6	28	23	4	3
2013	25	6	5	27	18	2	3
2014	30	7	6	24	16	2	3
2015	35	6	6	23	12	2	3
2016	36	5	7	21	10	2	3
2017	38	9	7	16	7	1	3
2018	42	10	6	16	8	2	3
2019	42	9	7	16	7	2	3
2020	35	9	5	24	5	4	2
2021	34	10	4	20	14	1	1
2022	30	4	4	19	40	7	2
2023	28	5	4	20	39	6	3