

TABLE 16

PROBABILITY OF REAL INCOME GAINS DURING THE NEXT 5 YEARS

The question was: "What do you think the chances are that your (family) income will increase by more than the rate of inflation in the next five years or so?"

Date of Survey	0%	1-24%	25-49%	50%	51-74%	75-99%	100%	DK,NA	Total	Mean	Cases
December 1997	21	23	10	18	5	12	7	4	100	36.9	500
January 1998	19	25	9	18	7	11	7	4	100	37.5	500
February 1998	13	24	7	26	4	15	6	5	100	41.7	496
March 1998	15	24	14	17	7	13	7	3	100	39.1	503
April 1998	15	22	13	18	7	15	6	4	100	40.3	500
May 1998	16	27	8	20	8	12	6	3	100	38.6	500
June 1998	15	24	13	19	7	12	6	4	100	38.3	500
July 1998	10	25	14	23	8	14	4	2	100	41.5	500
August 1998	11	21	13	19	7	19	6	4	100	44.9	500
September 1998	12	27	10	18	7	17	5	4	100	41.7	508
October 1998	11	27	10	22	7	16	3	4	100	40.0	500
November 1998	15	24	11	19	8	16	5	2	100	40.6	503
December 1998	13	22	12	22	10	14	4	3	100	42.1	501
January 1999	9	26	11	20	7	14	7	6	100	42.4	497
February 1999	12	26	12	19	4	20	4	3	100	41.7	500
March 1999	11	23	11	21	7	15	8	4	100	44.1	500
April 1999	14	24	11	20	8	14	6	3	100	41.3	500
May 1999	9	27	14	20	8	14	6	2	100	41.8	500
June 1999	14	25	12	19	8	11	8	3	100	40.4	500
July 1999	9	28	11	17	9	16	6	4	100	43.2	500
August 1999	9	27	13	23	7	14	4	3	100	41.4	501
September 1999	12	21	14	22	7	14	5	5	100	42.0	500
October 1999	9	29	16	17	5	15	5	4	100	40.8	500
November 1999	9	23	14	25	6	14	5	4	100	43.2	492
December 1999	12	28	9	19	8	13	7	4	100	41.5	505
January 2000	10	26	13	18	7	19	4	3	100	42.7	506
February 2000	10	21	11	20	9	18	7	4	100	46.0	503
March 2000	11	26	12	19	7	17	5	3	100	41.7	500
April 2000	11	24	12	20	7	15	7	4	100	42.5	502
May 2000	11	26	9	22	8	16	5	3	100	41.9	501
June 2000	10	27	12	19	8	12	7	5	100	40.8	500
July 2000	12	26	12	16	6	18	6	4	100	41.4	502
August 2000	11	24	10	19	8	18	5	5	100	42.8	505
September 2000	14	26	11	19	7	16	4	3	100	40.0	501
October 2000	13	28	10	17	7	16	5	4	100	40.2	500
November 2000	12	24	11	18	9	16	7	3	100	43.2	500
December 2000	14	20	12	21	7	15	6	5	100	42.3	500
January 2001	12	25	13	18	7	16	5	4	100	40.9	500
February 2001	11	26	12	16	7	17	5	6	100	41.4	501
March 2001	11	26	11	21	8	13	6	4	100	41.0	500
April 2001	13	24	15	19	8	14	5	2	100	39.6	500
May 2001	13	24	12	16	5	17	8	5	100	42.4	501
June 2001	13	24	13	18	7	14	7	4	100	41.0	500
July 2001	14	25	12	20	7	14	6	2	100	40.4	501
August 2001	12	25	11	16	9	17	5	5	100	42.3	500
September 2001	12	28	11	19	6	17	5	2	100	40.2	500
October 2001	14	22	13	22	7	12	5	5	100	39.7	506
November 2001	12	26	11	21	7	12	7	4	100	40.7	504
December 2001	12	24	11	17	9	17	6	4	100	42.7	500
January 2002	12	20	10	20	10	19	6	3	100	45.7	500
February 2002	11	22	12	21	8	18	5	3	100	44.2	500
March 2002	13	23	12	19	6	16	6	5	100	42.1	500
April 2002	14	22	12	20	8	16	4	4	100	41.2	502

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May 2002	14	23	12	18	10	14	6	3	100	41.5	500
June 2002	12	21	13	24	7	14	5	4	100	42.2	501
July 2002	12	21	12	21	8	17	6	3	100	43.4	501
August 2002	15	24	12	19	7	14	6	3	100	40.1	500
September 2002	12	25	12	21	8	12	5	5	100	39.8	501
October 2002	12	25	10	20	7	17	5	4	100	42.3	502
November 2002	11	24	14	19	7	16	6	3	100	42.8	504
December 2002	11	24	12	21	6	18	5	3	100	42.7	500
January 2003	12	26	9	21	7	17	5	3	100	41.6	501
February 2003	14	25	13	19	7	15	5	2	100	40.1	501
March 2003	11	28	12	18	8	15	6	2	100	41.2	504
April 2003	12	23	14	20	7	16	6	2	100	42.5	500
May 2003	11	25	11	23	8	12	8	2	100	41.9	500
June 2003	16	22	11	20	8	15	6	2	100	40.6	500
July 2003	9	25	12	21	7	17	5	4	100	43.1	502
August 2003	13	25	13	17	8	15	5	4	100	40.7	501
September 2003	11	30	12	18	6	16	6	1	100	40.3	500
October 2003	12	27	10	23	7	14	5	2	100	40.3	500
November 2003	12	26	12	19	7	16	7	1	100	42.1	505
December 2003	10	30	16	18	7	12	6	1	100	38.9	500
January 2004	12	26	14	20	5	18	4	1	100	40.3	509
February 2004	12	28	12	17	9	13	7	2	100	40.2	500
March 2004	14	26	10	20	7	15	5	3	100	40.1	501
April 2004	9	31	14	20	5	15	4	2	100	39.4	500
May 2004	14	28	12	18	5	17	5	1	100	39.3	500
June 2004	11	30	12	18	6	17	5	1	100	40.6	514
July 2004	13	25	15	19	5	15	7	1	100	40.7	509
August 2004	13	26	11	20	10	13	5	2	100	40.0	502
September 2004	13	28	12	16	9	16	5	1	100	40.2	500
October 2004	14	29	12	17	7	15	4	2	100	38.6	502
November 2004	13	27	11	19	6	14	9	1	100	41.2	502
December 2004	15	25	10	19	8	17	5	1	100	41.4	501
January 2005	15	27	11	19	6	15	6	1	100	40.2	494
February 2005	13	26	10	23	6	18	3	1	100	39.7	497
March 2005	11	26	16	21	7	12	5	2	100	39.5	496
April 2005	13	34	10	15	7	13	5	3	100	36.9	499
May 2005	16	28	13	18	8	12	5	0	100	37.5	502
June 2005	15	29	12	16	7	16	4	1	100	38.4	501
July 2005	16	24	10	19	7	16	6	2	100	41.0	506
August 2005	15	31	11	17	7	14	3	2	100	36.1	505
September 2005	16	27	12	20	7	12	5	1	100	37.5	513
October 2005	16	34	11	15	6	13	3	2	100	34.4	510
November 2005	14	31	12	18	6	12	6	1	100	37.9	503
December 2005	16	27	12	18	6	14	6	1	100	38.3	503
January 2006	17	26	13	20	5	15	3	1	100	36.9	500
February 2006	15	33	11	17	6	11	5	2	100	34.8	500
March 2006	15	30	13	16	7	11	7	1	100	37.9	496
April 2006	15	29	12	20	5	12	4	3	100	35.8	498
May 2006	16	33	10	17	8	10	4	2	100	34.7	497
June 2006	16	30	13	16	5	13	4	3	100	35.7	510
July 2006	15	30	14	16	7	11	5	2	100	36.7	500
August 2006	14	30	14	16	7	12	5	2	100	36.3	501
September 2006	10	33	13	18	8	12	4	2	100	37.5	507
October 2006	10	28	14	17	7	16	6	2	100	41.4	504
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December 2006	10	28	12	18	8	17	5	2	100	41.4	510

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January 2007	13	26	13	22	7	14	3	2	100	38.8	505
February 2007	13	28	15	17	7	13	5	2	100	37.7	508
March 2007	14	27	16	17	7	13	5	1	100	38.0	503
April 2007	14	28	11	18	8	14	4	3	100	38.4	508
May 2007	16	26	14	19	5	14	4	2	100	37.5	500
June 2007	15	31	11	16	7	15	3	2	100	36.3	502
July 2007	13	32	9	17	9	15	3	2	100	38.4	507
August 2007	16	27	11	19	7	14	4	2	100	37.9	505
September 2007	15	28	16	18	7	12	2	2	100	35.0	504
October 2007	15	31	13	18	6	11	4	2	100	36.1	500
November 2007	13	30	11	20	7	13	4	2	100	37.4	501
December 2007	17	33	10	17	7	11	4	1	100	34.7	502
January 2008	15	32	12	18	6	11	5	1	100	35.8	504
February 2008	14	32	13	20	6	10	3	2	100	34.6	500
March 2008	16	31	12	20	8	9	3	1	100	34.4	504
April 2008	16	33	15	16	6	8	4	2	100	32.7	505
May 2008	17	33	14	14	6	11	4	1	100	33.5	504
June 2008	20	32	12	16	5	11	3	1	100	32.7	505
July 2008	18	32	12	16	7	11	3	1	100	32.9	506
August 2008	13	36	14	17	6	9	4	1	100	33.2	502
September 2008	13	33	12	19	6	11	4	2	100	35.5	497
October 2008	17	30	16	20	4	9	3	1	100	32.4	508
November 2008	16	32	13	17	6	10	4	2	100	33.9	500
December 2008	16	36	9	20	7	9	2	1	100	31.6	509
January 2009	14	35	14	16	7	9	3	2	100	33.1	504
February 2009	15	32	12	18	8	9	3	3	100	33.6	500
March 2009	17	29	15	18	9	8	3	1	100	32.8	509
April 2009	15	35	14	16	5	11	3	1	100	33.2	501
May 2009	15	36	13	18	5	8	3	2	100	32.0	510
June 2009	15	33	15	17	5	11	3	1	100	33.4	508
July 2009	16	34	17	13	5	10	3	2	100	31.7	505
August 2009	17	31	17	15	8	7	3	2	100	32.0	506
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November 2009	17	34	13	20	4	8	3	1	100	32.0	508
December 2009	17	31	15	16	7	9	4	1	100	34.0	502
January 2010	18	29	12	19	6	10	3	3	100	33.6	503
February 2010	18	31	13	18	6	8	4	2	100	32.0	502
March 2010	18	35	11	17	6	8	3	2	100	31.6	505
April 2010	15	36	14	14	7	10	2	2	100	31.9	506
May 2010	19	34	12	15	5	9	4	2	100	31.7	509
June 2010	18	36	11	15	6	10	2	2	100	31.0	501
July 2010	21	31	13	18	4	8	3	2	100	30.4	503
August 2010	18	34	12	14	5	12	4	1	100	33.0	513
September 2010	17	33	15	17	6	8	3	1	100	31.5	500
October 2010	18	31	17	17	5	9	2	1	100	31.2	509
November 2010	19	34	13	14	5	9	5	1	100	32.5	508
December 2010	18	36	10	14	8	10	3	1	100	31.8	508
January 2011	18	33	13	19	4	9	2	2	100	30.4	505
February 2011	21	36	9	14	5	11	2	2	100	29.6	504
March 2011	21	35	11	16	6	7	2	2	100	28.0	504
April 2011	20	35	12	15	4	9	3	2	100	29.8	502
May 2011	20	35	11	17	7	7	2	1	100	29.5	502
June 2011	20	34	15	16	4	8	2	1	100	29.4	504
July 2011	20	36	11	15	5	9	2	2	100	29.6	480
August 2011	19	33	11	15	6	11	3	2	100	32.1	506
September 2011	22	37	12	15	4	7	2	1	100	27.2	506

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October 2011	19	36	12	16	3	8	5	1	100	30.9	502
November 2011	20	33	13	16	7	7	2	2	100	29.7	502
December 2011	21	33	11	17	5	9	3	1	100	30.3	496
January 2012	16	35	15	16	5	9	3	1	100	31.8	501
February 2012	20	39	11	14	6	8	1	1	100	27.6	501
March 2012	18	32	11	19	7	10	2	1	100	33.0	505
April 2012	20	35	13	13	7	7	3	2	100	29.7	505
May 2012	19	31	14	15	7	9	3	2	100	31.9	501
June 2012	19	34	16	16	3	7	3	2	100	29.7	495
July 2012	20	34	12	15	5	8	4	2	100	30.2	510
August 2012	20	34	13	17	5	6	3	2	100	29.3	510
September 2012	18	34	13	17	5	9	2	2	100	30.8	511
October 2012	15	33	15	15	7	9	4	2	100	33.4	512
November 2012	17	35	13	15	5	9	4	2	100	31.7	501
December 2012	20	37	11	15	6	8	2	1	100	28.8	502
January 2013	17	37	10	14	7	11	4	0	100	32.8	502
February 2013	18	31	13	18	7	11	1	1	100	32.7	499
March 2013	20	31	12	16	4	10	4	3	100	32.0	501
April 2013	18	33	13	16	7	9	3	1	100	32.1	505
May 2013	16	33	12	17	6	10	4	2	100	34.1	504
June 2013	18	31	13	18	7	10	2	1	100	33.4	502
July 2013	16	29	13	15	9	11	5	2	100	36.5	505
August 2013	19	31	13	15	7	10	4	1	100	33.7	505
September 2013	22	29	11	18	6	10	3	1	100	32.6	503
October 2013	20	33	11	14	5	11	5	1	100	32.5	502
November 2013	21	31	11	16	5	10	5	1	100	32.1	504
December 2013	18	31	13	16	6	11	4	1	100	33.9	504
January 2014	17	31	12	16	7	11	5	1	100	34.6	505
February 2014	18	33	11	15	6	11	5	1	100	33.2	506
March 2014	20	32	12	15	4	13	3	1	100	32.6	504
April 2014	20	28	11	16	7	13	4	1	100	34.9	506
May 2014	22	31	14	13	6	8	6	0	100	32.1	503
June 2014	18	31	10	13	8	14	5	1	100	35.7	506
July 2014	18	31	13	11	10	11	5	1	100	34.4	502
August 2014	18	34	12	13	6	12	4	1	100	34.1	500
September 2014	18	32	8	16	7	13	5	1	100	35.1	509
October 2014	16	35	11	16	6	11	5	0	100	34.4	502
November 2014	13	31	13	18	7	13	4	1	100	36.8	501
December 2014	16	27	12	17	8	12	7	1	100	37.8	503
January 2015	15	27	12	15	8	15	7	1	100	39.5	506
February 2015	15	28	12	18	8	13	5	1	100	38.0	505
March 2015	16	24	15	16	10	14	5	0	100	39.0	503
April 2015	14	27	12	17	10	14	6	0	100	40.2	500
May 2015	18	26	9	19	8	12	7	1	100	38.6	503
June 2015	13	28	11	17	9	15	6	1	100	40.1	506
July 2015	15	26	12	16	8	17	5	1	100	40.2	501
August 2015	15	26	15	15	8	15	6	0	100	39.8	564
September 2015	14	28	14	17	6	15	5	1	100	39.2	500
October 2015	16	28	9	16	7	17	7	0	100	40.3	503
November 2015	14	25	14	17	10	15	5	0	100	40.3	508
December 2015	13	26	16	14	10	15	5	1	100	40.1	508
January 2016	17	24	12	16	6	17	7	1	100	40.6	503
February 2016	17	25	11	17	11	13	6	0	100	38.7	505
March 2016	17	27	11	16	8	15	5	1	100	38.3	545
April 2016	17	28	11	17	8	15	4	0	100	37.5	528
May 2016	17	27	9	18	8	14	6	1	100	38.5	547

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June 2016	15	25	11	16	9	16	7	1	100	41.4	510
July 2016	17	29	10	15	8	14	6	1	100	37.9	538
August 2016	17	28	11	16	10	13	4	1	100	36.2	550
September 2016	15	30	10	13	9	17	6	0	100	39.7	580
October 2016	14	29	14	16	8	14	5	0	100	38.2	575
November 2016	13	30	12	14	8	16	7	0	100	40.0	610
December 2016	15	28	10	16	7	16	7	1	100	39.9	602
January 2017	13	28	10	16	11	16	5	1	100	40.6	601
February 2017	16	26	11	16	8	16	6	1	100	39.5	602
March 2017	13	25	13	17	10	14	7	1	100	41.4	603
April 2017	14	29	12	15	8	13	8	1	100	39.9	602
May 2017	15	24	10	19	8	17	6	1	100	41.9	611
June 2017	15	24	11	19	8	16	7	0	100	41.8	604
July 2017	16	25	12	17	8	17	5	0	100	40.3	603
August 2017	13	27	11	17	9	14	8	1	100	41.6	602
September 2017	15	27	11	17	9	14	7	0	100	39.9	612
October 2017	11	26	11	19	8	19	6	0	100	44.0	604
November 2017	12	26	11	15	10	19	6	1	100	43.0	606
December 2017	15	25	11	15	9	17	8	0	100	42.4	604
January 2018	16	20	11	18	9	19	7	0	100	43.2	622
February 2018	12	26	12	17	11	15	7	0	100	42.1	609
March 2018	12	30	11	16	8	18	5	0	100	41.2	619
April 2018	13	27	14	16	8	15	6	1	100	39.9	604
May 2018	14	27	10	18	8	16	7	0	100	41.6	601
June 2018	12	25	12	15	10	18	6	2	100	42.2	608
July 2018	12	26	11	18	9	18	6	0	100	43.1	600
August 2018	12	29	10	18	8	17	6	0	100	41.4	605
September 2018	13	28	11	16	8	17	6	1	100	40.9	618
October 2018	12	27	12	17	8	18	5	1	100	41.4	601
November 2018	15	23	12	19	7	17	6	1	100	41.3	604
December 2018	11	25	12	18	10	16	7	1	100	43.6	602
January 2019	11	25	13	17	9	17	7	1	100	43.2	601
February 2019	16	26	9	14	8	21	5	1	100	42.1	601
March 2019	12	25	11	16	10	16	8	2	100	44.2	600
April 2019	12	22	13	19	9	18	6	1	100	43.4	601
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June 2019	14	25	11	18	9	16	6	1	100	41.3	602
July 2019	11	25	14	14	8	20	8	0	100	44.9	602
August 2019	15	24	14	14	8	18	6	1	100	41.1	601
September 2019	13	26	13	16	7	18	6	1	100	41.0	601
October 2019	11	23	13	17	8	18	8	2	100	44.5	650
November 2019	13	27	10	16	9	16	8	1	100	42.6	631
December 2019	12	27	10	16	9	16	9	1	100	43.4	634
January 2020	11	26	13	17	8	17	7	1	100	42.6	621
February 2020	15	22	11	14	11	19	7	1	100	43.5	620
March 2020	12	25	10	18	8	19	7	1	100	43.7	692
April 2020	13	25	10	18	8	20	6	0	100	43.7	620
May 2020	12	30	10	19	8	14	6	1	100	40.2	645
June 2020	14	25	12	16	9	17	6	1	100	41.1	615
July 2020	12	25	11	17	9	18	6	2	100	42.5	603
August 2020	13	23	11	17	11	19	6	0	100	44.1	660
September 2020	14	26	12	16	10	15	7	0	100	41.1	601
October 2020	10	23	12	18	10	17	9	1	100	46.3	605
November 2020	11	28	10	18	8	16	7	2	100	42.8	604
December 2020	15	24	11	16	9	17	7	1	100	42.5	601
January 2021	14	26	11	15	9	17	7	1	100	42.0	603

TABLE 16

PROBABILITY OF REAL INCOME GAINS DURING THE NEXT 5 YEARS

<u>Date of Survey</u>		<u>0%</u>	<u>1-24%</u>	<u>25-49%</u>	<u>50%</u>	<u>51-74%</u>	<u>75-99%</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>DK,NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Cases</u>
February	2021	13	25	14	14	10	17	6	1	100	41.5	604
March	2021	15	28	9	18	8	15	7	0	100	40.2	604
April	2021	16	22	12	16	9	16	8	1	100	42.5	601
May	2021	14	29	10	17	8	15	6	1	100	39.6	606
June	2021	17	22	11	15	9	17	7	2	100	41.3	608
July	2021	14	24	13	17	8	16	5	3	100	40.3	604