

TABLE 18

**PROBABILITY THAT SOCIAL SECURITY AND PENSIONS
WILL PROVIDE ADEQUATE RETIREMENT INCOME**

	May 2023	Jun 2023	Jul 2023	Aug 2023	Sep 2023	Oct 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2023	Jan 2024	Feb 2024	Mar 2024	Apr 2024	May 2024
0%	24%	22%	19%	21%	18%	22%	21%	22%	18%	19%	18%	23%	26%
1 - 24%	22	21	27	23	24	24	27	24	22	24	20	20	22
25 - 49%	11	13	10	13	12	12	11	10	11	14	10	12	10
50%	13	14	13	15	13	14	12	11	12	13	15	13	11
51 - 74%	7	6	7	7	7	7	7	8	8	9	9	6	5
75 - 99%	15	16	14	13	16	13	15	15	18	15	19	17	15
100%	6	5	8	6	7	6	5	7	9	4	7	6	6
DK, NA	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	2	3	5
TOTAL CASES	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	605	600	601	604	602	605	600	600	601	602	602	801	991
MEAN	36	38	38	36	40	35	36	38	42	38	43	38	35

**PROBABILITY THAT SOCIAL SECURITY AND PENSIONS
WILL PROVIDE ADEQUATE RETIREMENT INCOME - MEAN
THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES**

All	38	38	37	37	38	37	37	36	38	39	41	40	39
Age 18 to 44	34	33	32	33	33	32	32	33	34	35	35	34	32
Age 45 to 64	37	38	37	38	37	37	36	35	35	36	38	38	37
Age 65+	46	44	45	44	46	44	45	43	47	47	50	49	49
Income Bottom Third	34	35	32	32	31	32	31	31	31	32	35	35	33
Income Middle Third	37	37	39	37	38	36	38	37	40	39	40	39	37
Income Top Third	44	43	43	44	45	44	42	41	44	45	47	45	45
Educ High School or Less	34	34	32	33	33	33	32	32	32	34	35	36	33
Educ Some College	34	34	32	33	33	34	33	33	34	33	35	34	34
Educ College Degree	43	42	43	41	43	41	41	40	43	43	46	44	43
Democrat	43	44	44	44	46	44	45	44	46	46	48	47	44
Independent	36	37	35	35	34	34	32	33	34	36	37	37	36
Republican	36	34	34	34	36	35	36	34	36	35	37	36	36

The question was: "What do you think the chances are that when you retire, your income from Social Security and job pensions will be adequate to maintain your living standards?"