

TABLE 11

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS

	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	Jun 2017	Jul 2017	Aug 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2017	Nov 2017	Dec 2017	Jan 2018	Feb 2018
BETTER OFF	55%	52%	54%	54%	54%	51%	56%	54%	56%	54%	52%	57%	56%
SAME	28	31	29	28	30	29	30	32	31	32	31	26	29
WORSE OFF	15	13	13	15	13	15	13	11	11	12	15	14	13
DK, NA	2	4	4	3	3	5	1	3	2	2	2	3	2
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	602	603	602	611	604	603	602	612	604	606	604	622	609
INDEX SCORE	140	139	141	139	141	136	143	143	145	142	137	143	143

**EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS - INDEX SCORE
THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES**

All	140	140	140	140	140	139	140	141	144	143	141	141	141
Age 18 to 44	169	168	166	169	169	169	168	168	171	172	172	171	171
Age 45 to 64	134	132	134	133	136	135	136	134	135	134	132	130	131
Age 65+	106	107	107	101	99	95	100	105	111	109	106	106	108
Income Bottom Third	137	136	133	134	132	129	130	132	136	137	135	135	131
Income Middle Third	144	143	144	142	146	142	143	139	144	143	144	144	147
Income Top Third	142	142	145	146	146	146	148	151	151	151	148	146	147

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?"

Index Score is the percent favorable minus the percent unfavorable plus 100