

TABLE 11

EXPECTED CHANGE IN FINANCIAL SITUATION IN 5 YEARS

	Jul 2020	Aug 2020	Sep 2020	Oct 2020	Nov 2020	Dec 2020	Jan 2021	Feb 2021	Mar 2021	Apr 2021	May 2021	Jun 2021	Jul 2021
BETTER OFF	55%	58%	55%	56%	52%	55%	52%	51%	51%	51%	50%	52%	53%
SAME	30	28	33	32	31	29	30	29	32	31	27	28	30
WORSE OFF	12	10	9	7	11	12	14	18	13	16	18	15	13
DK, NA	3	4	3	5	6	4	4	2	4	2	5	5	4
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	603	660	601	605	604	601	603	604	604	601	606	608	604
INDEX SCORE	143	148	146	149	141	143	138	133	138	135	132	137	140

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

All	146	147	146	148	145	144	141	138	136	135	135	135	136
Age 18 to 44	173	174	174	175	173	174	173	172	167	166	165	166	166
Age 45 to 64	139	141	139	144	143	140	133	131	132	134	133	132	133
Age 65+	116	116	112	112	109	106	99	94	95	92	92	89	93
Income Bottom Third	142	140	140	143	140	140	133	131	132	133	136	133	134
Income Middle Third	149	152	147	150	146	146	144	141	136	133	132	135	136
Income Top Third	150	151	151	152	152	149	146	143	141	140	136	137	139
Educ High School or Less	134	137	137	138	135	133	132	124	125	118	124	121	125
Educ Some College	151	148	149	150	149	144	137	131	133	137	141	139	137
Educ College Degree	148	151	147	149	147	149	146	146	142	141	136	138	140

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