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BUYING CONDITIONS FOR LARGE HOUSEHOLD DURABLES

	Oct 2021	Nov 2021	Dec 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022	Jul 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2022	Oct 2022
GOOD TIME TO BUY	40%	37%	39%	37%	37%	37%	37%	34%	30%	33%	32%	34%	42%
UNCERTAIN, DEPENDS	5	5	4	5	4	6	6	3	5	7	5	5	6
BAD TIME TO BUY	55	58	57	58	59	57	57	63	65	60	63	61	52
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	604	602	603	602	600	602	600	601	602	601	602	601	600
INDEX SCORE	85	79	82	79	78	80	80	71	65	73	69	73	90

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	90	85	82	80	80	79	79	77	72	70	69	72	77
Age 18 to 44	92	89	86	85	82	77	75	76	75	73	73	73	76
Age 45 to 64	80	71	72	68	68	70	74	73	64	61	60	63	70
Age 65+	98	95	89	87	92	94	93	83	78	77	78	84	89
Income Bottom Third	99	93	95	94	100	97	98	92	83	72	74	76	90
Income Middle Third	96	90	81	76	76	77	76	73	72	74	73	75	76
Income Top Third	73	69	69	68	64	63	65	64	60	62	63	66	68
Educ High School or Less	99	98	96	91	93	90	91	88	83	74	69	69	79
Educ Some College	95	90	88	81	82	82	87	84	75	73	74	77	83
Educ College Degree	84	77	73	75	73	73	71	68	66	66	67	71	74
Democrat	89	86	86	85	82	78	78	79	75	72	69	74	85
Independent	91	88	86	86	81	83	81	80	72	72	73	77	81
Republican	87	75	69	63	74	72	77	65	64	59	61	62	65

The question was: "About the big things people buy for their homes -- such as furniture, a refrigerator, stove, television, and things like that. Generally speaking, do you think now is a good time or a bad time for people to buy major household items?"

*: Less than half of one percent. Index Score is the percent favorable minus the percent unfavorable plus 100