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BUSINESS CONDITIONS EXPECTED DURING THE NEXT YEAR

	Jun 2021	Jul 2021	Aug 2021	Sep 2021	Oct 2021	Nov 2021	Dec 2021	Jan 2022	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022
GOOD TIMES	55%	50%	32%	37%	37%	32%	36%	29%	29%	21%	26%	19%	14%
UNCERTAIN	3	2	3	2	3	2	2	3	3	4	4	2	2
BAD TIMES	36	41	58	53	56	59	56	62	63	70	64	73	79
DON'T KNOW	2	3	3	4	1	3	1	2	2	3	3	3	2
NA	4	4	4	4	3	4	5	4	3	2	3	3	3
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	608	604	600	612	604	602	603	602	600	602	600	601	602
INDEX SCORE	119	109	74	84	81	73	80	67	66	51	62	46	35

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	115	113	101	89	80	79	78	73	71	61	60	53	48
Age 18 to 44	119	117	105	95	88	87	82	73	71	64	63	55	49
Age 45 to 64	111	110	100	87	75	73	71	68	66	54	55	47	45
Age 65+	113	109	95	82	74	76	81	80	77	69	62	58	50
Income Bottom Third	105	102	90	80	76	72	74	65	66	58	61	56	50
Income Middle Third	111	111	102	89	77	75	74	69	66	57	59	54	49
Income Top Third	129	126	110	99	86	90	86	86	79	67	59	50	45
Educ High School or Less	87	94	83	77	65	64	59	55	56	48	49	45	46
Educ Some College	105	99	83	71	63	65	66	62	58	50	50	48	41
Educ College Degree	130	128	117	102	94	92	91	86	83	72	68	58	51
Democrat	158	157	145	127	117	119	125	118	114	99	100	91	84
Independent	107	104	90	84	75	77	72	69	63	53	49	44	39
Republican	66	67	58	51	42	36	32	26	33	30	29	21	18

The question was: "Now turning to business conditions in the country as a whole -- do you think that during the next 12 months we'll have good times financially, or bad times or what?"

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