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## BUYING CONDITIONS FOR LARGE HOUSEHOLD DURABLES

	Feb 2022	Mar 2022	Apr 2022	May 2022	Jun 2022	Jul 2022	Aug 2022	Sep 2022	Oct 2022	Nov 2022	Dec 2022	Jan 2023	Feb 2023
GOOD TIME TO BUY	37%	37%	37%	34%	30%	33%	32%	34%	42%	34%	36%	41%	42%
UNCERTAIN, DEPENDS	4	6	6	3	5	7	5	5	6	5	5	5	6
BAD TIME TO BUY	59	57	57	63	65	60	63	61	52	61	59	54	52
TOTAL	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
CASES	600	602	600	601	602	601	602	601	600	602	600	600	602
INDEX SCORE	78	80	80	71	65	73	69	73	90	73	77	87	90

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

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

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