

TABLE 39

## EXPECTED CHANGE IN GASOLINE PRICES DURING THE NEXT YEAR

	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
INCREASE	63%	76%	46%	52%	61%	42%	35%	36%	51%	50%	40%	44%	47%
REMAIN THE SAME	31	17	37	33	24	36	36	42	38	37	48	45	43
DECREASE	6	7	16	15	14	20	28	21	10	13	12	11	9
DK, NA	*	*	1	*	1	2	1	1	1	*	*	*	1
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
MEDIAN INCREASE (¢)	14.7	49.6	0.4	9.6	25.3	0.3	0.1	0.2	5.2	1.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
MEAN INCREASE (¢)	23.8	50.2	21.3	24.3	41.2	21.0	8.8	15.4	28.6	25.5	20.9	22.1	18.9

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THREE MONTH MOVING AVERAGES

All	9.1	24.6	21.6	19.9	11.8	11.7	8.6	0.2	1.8	2.2	2.3	0.7	0.4
Age 18 to 44	5.2	13.5	12.0	8.8	7.1	7.0	7.0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Age 45 to 64	13.6	26.7	23.3	23.4	23.2	23.2	16.7	0.2	4.6	11.1	11.2	7.5	2.1
Age 65+	6.1	22.6	22.5	16.9	8.5	8.5	8.2	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Income Bottom Third	6.7	19.9	16.9	17.0	13.8	13.8	10.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Income Middle Third	13.3	26.4	23.2	20.1	11.9	12.0	8.6	0.3	6.8	13.3	13.4	6.8	3.6
Income Top Third	8.2	21.7	21.6	16.8	8.5	8.4	8.3	0.1	3.3	3.4	3.4	0.3	0.3
Educ High School or Less	11.8	26.5	23.2	23.3	16.8	16.8	10.2	0.4	0.3	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0
Educ Some College	11.6	23.3	20.9	20.2	21.7	21.7	16.8	0.3	6.9	10.1	10.1	3.5	2.5
Educ College Degree	5.3	21.7	20.0	16.8	7.0	6.9	6.7	0.0	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.3
Democrat	0.2	8.4	8.4	8.3	0.1	0.1	-0.1	-0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
Independent	10.3	26.6	23.3	20.1	12.1	12.0	8.7	0.3	0.9	1.9	1.9	1.2	0.3
Republican	23.3	30.1	31.8	35.0	38.1	36.5	26.7	6.9	8.8	25.1	33.4	29.0	19.1

The question was:

"Now thinking only about the next twelve months, do you think that the price of gasoline will go up during the next twelve months, will gasoline prices go down, or will they stay about the same as they are now?"

"About how many cents per gallon do you think gasoline prices will (increase/decrease) during the next twelve months compared to now?"