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**TABLE 30**  
**EXPECTED CHANGE IN UNEMPLOYMENT DURING THE NEXT YEAR**  
**(Three Month Moving Averages)**

The question was: "How about people out of work during the coming 12 months -- do you think that there will be more unemployment than now, about the same, or less?"

<u>Date of Survey</u>		<u>Less</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>More</u>	<u>DK, NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Relative</u>	<u>Cases</u>
March	1978	24	45	27	4	100	97	733
April	1978	22	50	25	3	100	98	751
May	1978	19	50	26	6	100	93	754
June	1978	16	50	28	6	100	89	749
July	1978	12	51	30	7	100	82	750
August	1978	10	52	32	5	100	78	734
September	1978	12	52	31	5	100	82	753
October	1978	14	52	30	4	100	83	765
November	1978	13	52	30	5	100	84	859
December	1978	12	45	37	6	100	76	879
January	1979	12	41	42	6	100	70	942
February	1979	11	42	42	5	100	69	915
March	1979	10	45	39	5	100	71	939
April	1979	11	45	39	6	100	72	996
May	1979	11	43	40	6	100	70	948
June	1979	10	40	45	5	100	66	1024
July	1979	9	36	52	3	100	57	1045
August	1979	7	30	60	3	100	46	1077
September	1979	7	30	60	2	100	47	1061
October	1979	8	32	58	3	100	50	1123
November	1979	9	34	55	3	100	54	1127
December	1979	8	32	57	3	100	52	1066
January	1980	9	33	54	4	100	55	886
February	1980	10	35	51	4	100	60	831
March	1980	11	37	49	3	100	61	821
April	1980	9	35	53	2	100	56	839
May	1980	6	31	61	2	100	46	721
June	1980	7	29	63	1	100	43	694
July	1980	7	30	62	1	100	45	666
August	1980	13	33	51	2	100	62	659
September	1980	19	36	43	3	100	76	670
October	1980	24	39	34	3	100	90	687
November	1980	26	41	32	2	100	94	697
December	1980	24	43	31	3	100	93	700
January	1981	20	43	34	3	100	87	707
February	1981	17	42	38	3	100	80	705
March	1981	14	43	40	3	100	74	708
April	1981	13	40	43	3	100	70	692
May	1981	12	41	44	3	100	68	669
June	1981	15	40	43	2	100	72	642
July	1981	17	42	39	1	100	78	651
August	1981	17	44	37	2	100	80	662
September	1981	16	46	36	2	100	80	670
October	1981	13	43	42	2	100	71	675
November	1981	11	38	49	2	100	62	680
December	1981	10	29	58	2	100	52	690
January	1982	12	28	58	2	100	54	666
February	1982	15	27	56	2	100	60	658
March	1982	17	31	51	1	100	65	621

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April	1982	16	32	51	1	100	65	649
May	1982	15	33	51	1	100	64	654
June	1982	15	34	50	1	100	65	686
July	1982	16	35	50	0	100	66	672
August	1982	17	34	48	1	100	69	653
September	1982	18	37	44	1	100	73	649
October	1982	20	37	42	2	100	78	642
November	1982	21	38	39	2	100	82	650
December	1982	22	37	39	2	100	83	645
January	1983	23	39	35	2	100	88	633
February	1983	26	39	33	2	100	93	674
March	1983	30	41	28	1	100	103	704
April	1983	36	40	23	1	100	113	730
May	1983	40	42	16	1	100	124	704
June	1983	40	45	14	1	100	125	681
July	1983	36	46	17	1	100	120	648
August	1983	38	45	16	1	100	121	657
September	1983	40	41	17	2	100	123	666
October	1983	42	41	15	2	100	127	701
November	1983	38	43	17	2	100	122	698
December	1983	37	44	17	2	100	120	697
January	1984	36	45	17	2	100	119	678
February	1984	32	47	18	3	100	114	651
March	1984	34	46	18	2	100	116	623
April	1984	30	49	18	3	100	111	624
May	1984	32	49	18	1	100	114	654
June	1984	27	53	19	1	100	108	678
July	1984	29	52	17	2	100	112	683
August	1984	27	52	18	3	100	108	662
September	1984	27	51	19	3	100	108	645
October	1984	23	54	21	2	100	103	628
November	1984	24	54	20	2	100	104	668
December	1984	23	53	23	1	100	100	688
January	1985	22	52	25	1	100	97	710
February	1985	21	48	30	1	100	91	662
March	1985	21	46	32	1	100	89	651
April	1985	23	45	32	1	100	91	628
May	1985	23	47	29	1	100	94	633
June	1985	22	53	24	1	100	98	601
July	1985	20	52	27	1	100	93	598
August	1985	19	54	26	2	100	93	572
September	1985	17	51	30	2	100	87	625
October	1985	17	52	30	2	100	87	630
November	1985	13	52	32	2	100	81	661
December	1985	14	54	30	2	100	84	604
January	1986	15	53	30	2	100	85	588
February	1986	17	51	30	2	100	88	550
March	1986	17	49	31	2	100	86	605
April	1986	17	47	35	2	100	82	648
May	1986	16	48	34	1	100	82	702
June	1986	18	47	33	2	100	85	641
July	1986	19	53	27	2	100	92	591

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August	1986	19	53	26	2	100	93	530
September	1986	14	57	27	2	100	87	581
October	1986	14	53	31	2	100	83	625
November	1986	14	53	32	2	100	82	685
December	1986	16	50	33	1	100	83	648
January	1987	16	50	33	1	100	83	614
February	1987	17	50	32	1	100	85	582
March	1987	17	50	31	2	100	86	623
April	1987	17	50	31	2	100	85	664
May	1987	16	51	31	2	100	85	693
June	1987	16	53	29	2	100	87	688
July	1987	15	55	28	1	100	87	669
August	1987	16	54	28	2	100	88	662
September	1987	16	56	27	2	100	89	669
October	1987	18	55	25	2	100	92	632
November	1987	16	57	26	1	100	89	583
December	1987	17	55	26	2	100	91	512
January	1988	15	56	27	2	100	88	494
February	1988	16	56	27	2	100	89	477
March	1988	14	59	26	2	100	88	478
April	1988	15	58	26	1	100	89	503
May	1988	15	61	22	1	100	93	525
June	1988	17	58	24	1	100	93	532
July	1988	15	58	25	2	100	90	509
August	1988	15	54	28	3	100	87	489
September	1988	16	55	26	3	100	90	463
October	1988	17	54	25	3	100	92	475
November	1988	19	54	25	2	100	94	485
December	1988	19	53	26	2	100	93	506
January	1989	18	55	26	1	100	92	479
February	1989	16	57	26	2	100	90	468
March	1989	14	57	27	2	100	87	454
April	1989	14	56	26	4	100	89	465
May	1989	15	54	29	3	100	86	469
June	1989	14	56	28	2	100	86	477
July	1989	12	59	28	1	100	84	471
August	1989	11	59	28	2	100	83	473
September	1989	11	58	29	2	100	82	484
October	1989	13	54	31	2	100	83	496
November	1989	12	54	31	2	100	81	501
December	1989	12	54	32	2	100	79	492
January	1990	11	55	33	1	100	78	492
February	1990	13	52	35	1	100	78	503
March	1990	13	52	34	1	100	79	505
April	1990	11	52	35	1	100	76	497
May	1990	11	53	35	1	100	77	482
June	1990	10	52	37	1	100	73	491
July	1990	10	52	37	1	100	74	502
August	1990	10	50	38	2	100	72	519
September	1990	10	49	39	2	100	71	519
October	1990	8	42	48	2	100	61	513
November	1990	7	38	54	1	100	53	494

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December	1990	6	33	61	1	100	45	497
January	1991	7	31	61	1	100	46	507
February	1991	9	33	56	2	100	53	511
March	1991	13	40	45	2	100	67	510
April	1991	14	42	43	1	100	71	498
May	1991	14	45	40	1	100	74	485
June	1991	15	41	43	1	100	72	481
July	1991	14	47	38	2	100	76	478
August	1991	13	47	38	2	100	76	485
September	1991	11	52	36	2	100	75	469
October	1991	11	46	41	1	100	70	464
November	1991	11	47	41	1	100	70	468
December	1991	10	41	48	1	100	63	481
January	1992	10	40	50	1	100	60	503
February	1992	11	34	54	2	100	57	508
March	1992	12	36	50	2	100	63	494
April	1992	15	36	45	3	100	70	483
May	1992	19	40	39	3	100	80	467
June	1992	19	40	38	2	100	81	471
July	1992	19	42	38	1	100	81	483
August	1992	16	44	39	1	100	77	498
September	1992	15	43	40	2	100	75	498
October	1992	16	43	39	2	100	76	478
November	1992	18	43	36	2	100	82	474
December	1992	22	43	34	2	100	88	479
January	1993	24	46	29	1	100	95	500
February	1993	25	43	31	1	100	95	511
March	1993	23	42	34	1	100	89	508
April	1993	22	38	39	1	100	83	505
May	1993	19	41	40	1	100	79	500
June	1993	18	41	40	1	100	78	512
July	1993	16	42	40	2	100	76	515
August	1993	16	41	41	2	100	76	522
September	1993	14	42	42	2	100	71	517
October	1993	13	41	45	1	100	68	506
November	1993	10	41	48	1	100	62	505
December	1993	15	42	42	2	100	73	514
January	1994	17	44	36	3	100	81	522
February	1994	21	49	28	2	100	94	517
March	1994	21	49	29	2	100	92	517
April	1994	20	52	28	0	100	92	519
May	1994	19	47	32	1	100	87	518
June	1994	17	51	30	1	100	87	514
July	1994	17	49	32	2	100	85	514
August	1994	15	52	31	2	100	83	510
September	1994	15	49	33	3	100	82	515
October	1994	14	50	34	2	100	80	515
November	1994	13	51	34	2	100	80	517
December	1994	15	52	32	1	100	82	519
January	1995	15	53	31	1	100	83	519
February	1995	15	53	31	2	100	84	521

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March	1995	13	52	33	2	100	80	519
April	1995	13	51	33	2	100	80	510
May	1995	11	54	33	1	100	78	502
June	1995	9	61	30	0	100	79	508
July	1995	9	59	32	0	100	77	510
August	1995	11	56	32	0	100	79	511
September	1995	12	54	33	1	100	80	492
October	1995	11	54	34	1	100	77	498
November	1995	10	54	35	1	100	76	488
December	1995	11	49	40	1	100	71	495
January	1996	13	47	40	0	100	73	492
February	1996	12	46	41	1	100	70	528
March	1996	11	49	39	1	100	72	530
April	1996	10	52	37	1	100	74	536
May	1996	11	52	35	1	100	76	507
June	1996	10	52	36	2	100	74	515
July	1996	12	51	35	2	100	76	501
August	1996	14	50	35	2	100	79	519
September	1996	16	52	31	2	100	85	501
October	1996	14	53	31	2	100	83	507
November	1996	14	56	28	2	100	86	492
December	1996	14	58	27	2	100	87	496
January	1997	16	57	26	1	100	90	501
February	1997	17	55	27	1	100	90	506
March	1997	18	53	29	0	100	90	505
April	1997	16	54	30	1	100	86	495
May	1997	15	53	30	2	100	85	496
June	1997	15	54	29	2	100	86	496
July	1997	18	56	25	1	100	92	506
August	1997	16	58	26	1	100	90	525
September	1997	16	56	26	1	100	90	528
October	1997	18	55	25	2	100	93	520
November	1997	18	56	24	2	100	95	488
December	1997	19	56	24	1	100	95	505
January	1998	17	55	26	1	100	91	513
February	1998	21	55	23	1	100	98	551
March	1998	22	55	21	3	100	101	558
April	1998	21	59	18	3	100	103	566
May	1998	19	60	18	3	100	101	539
June	1998	18	59	22	1	100	96	526
July	1998	16	56	27	1	100	89	517
August	1998	17	53	29	1	100	88	531
September	1998	16	54	29	1	100	87	526
October	1998	17	52	29	2	100	88	542
November	1998	13	52	33	2	100	80	538
December	1998	13	51	34	2	100	79	542
January	1999	12	54	33	1	100	79	521
February	1999	15	56	28	1	100	87	527
March	1999	14	59	25	1	100	89	528
April	1999	17	58	24	1	100	93	531
May	1999	16	57	26	1	100	90	518
June	1999	16	59	24	1	100	93	517

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July	1999	14	63	22	1	100	92	518
August	1999	14	64	21	2	100	93	523
September	1999	14	61	23	2	100	90	534
October	1999	13	60	26	1	100	88	527
November	1999	13	60	26	1	100	87	525
December	1999	12	61	25	2	100	87	515
January	2000	16	61	22	1	100	94	531
February	2000	16	62	21	2	100	95	547
March	2000	16	61	20	2	100	96	553
April	2000	15	60	22	3	100	93	550
May	2000	15	62	21	2	100	94	530
June	2000	16	59	23	2	100	94	525
July	2000	17	58	23	2	100	94	519
August	2000	16	55	25	3	100	91	535
September	2000	14	59	24	3	100	89	517
October	2000	12	57	28	3	100	84	503
November	2000	10	59	28	3	100	82	496
December	2000	11	55	32	2	100	79	522
January	2001	9	49	38	3	100	71	529
February	2001	9	42	46	3	100	64	536
March	2001	8	42	47	2	100	61	518
April	2001	9	44	46	1	100	63	537
May	2001	8	45	45	1	100	63	530
June	2001	9	42	47	2	100	62	535
July	2001	11	41	46	2	100	65	526
August	2001	12	40	47	1	100	65	520
September	2001	12	37	50	1	100	61	533
October	2001	11	34	54	1	100	57	544
November	2001	12	31	56	2	100	56	559
December	2001	12	35	52	1	100	60	525
January	2002	14	38	47	1	100	67	505
February	2002	15	41	43	1	100	71	500
March	2002	19	39	39	2	100	80	522
April	2002	22	40	37	1	100	85	544
May	2002	22	44	32	2	100	90	550
June	2002	20	49	30	2	100	90	548
July	2002	17	47	34	2	100	83	545
August	2002	16	45	37	1	100	79	533
September	2002	15	44	40	1	100	75	543
October	2002	13	44	41	1	100	72	554
November	2002	13	46	40	1	100	72	572
December	2002	13	44	41	1	100	72	560
January	2003	14	45	40	1	100	73	537
February	2003	13	44	42	1	100	72	510
March	2003	12	43	44	1	100	69	520
April	2003	15	42	42	1	100	73	532
May	2003	19	42	39	0	100	80	553
June	2003	20	44	36	1	100	84	538
July	2003	19	46	33	2	100	86	527
August	2003	18	45	35	2	100	82	494
September	2003	19	45	34	1	100	85	521
October	2003	19	44	36	0	100	83	521

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November	2003	23	45	32	0	100	91	534
December	2003	25	45	30	0	100	96	526
January	2004	30	47	23	1	100	107	540
February	2004	27	48	24	1	100	103	538
March	2004	27	47	24	1	100	103	542
April	2004	24	48	27	1	100	97	532
May	2004	23	49	27	1	100	95	542
June	2004	24	48	27	1	100	98	537
July	2004	28	47	23	1	100	105	545
August	2004	29	47	23	1	100	106	543
September	2004	25	49	25	1	100	100	533
October	2004	24	48	28	1	100	96	537
November	2004	24	47	28	1	100	96	543
December	2004	26	47	26	1	100	100	534
January	2005	23	49	27	1	100	96	525
February	2005	20	52	28	0	100	93	523
March	2005	17	55	28	0	100	89	516
April	2005	17	54	29	0	100	88	497
May	2005	19	52	30	0	100	89	498
June	2005	19	50	32	0	100	87	522
July	2005	16	51	32	0	100	84	541
August	2005	14	54	31	1	100	83	548
September	2005	11	51	36	1	100	75	540
October	2005	12	45	42	1	100	70	541
November	2005	11	43	45	1	100	67	540
December	2005	14	43	42	1	100	72	542
January	2006	14	48	37	1	100	77	545
February	2006	14	46	38	2	100	75	532
March	2006	13	46	39	2	100	74	516
April	2006	12	47	39	2	100	74	500
May	2006	13	47	38	2	100	74	505
June	2006	12	49	38	2	100	74	516
July	2006	12	49	38	1	100	74	518
August	2006	12	49	39	0	100	73	520
September	2006	12	50	38	0	100	75	525
October	2006	12	51	36	1	100	76	520
November	2006	11	56	32	1	100	79	516
December	2006	12	58	30	1	100	82	524
January	2007	12	61	26	1	100	86	522
February	2007	12	61	27	1	100	85	531
March	2007	9	62	28	1	100	81	523
April	2007	9	56	34	0	100	75	519
May	2007	10	57	33	0	100	77	515
June	2007	10	57	33	0	100	78	504
July	2007	10	60	29	0	100	81	538
August	2007	10	56	34	1	100	76	539
September	2007	10	53	36	1	100	75	549
October	2007	11	48	40	1	100	70	517
November	2007	11	50	38	1	100	73	512
December	2007	10	49	39	2	100	70	512
January	2008	8	50	40	1	100	68	549

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February	2008	8	44	47	1	100	61	543
March	2008	8	43	48	0	100	60	542
April	2008	7	41	52	0	100	55	511
May	2008	4	41	55	0	100	49	526
June	2008	4	37	59	0	100	45	524
July	2008	5	36	59	0	100	45	531
August	2008	5	37	57	0	100	48	516
September	2008	5	41	53	1	100	52	505
October	2008	5	42	52	1	100	52	509
November	2008	5	36	58	1	100	47	510
December	2008	6	29	65	0	100	41	524
January	2009	8	21	69	1	100	39	524
February	2009	11	20	68	1	100	42	522
March	2009	11	21	66	1	100	45	510
April	2009	12	26	62	0	100	51	513
May	2009	13	32	54	0	100	59	513
June	2009	15	37	48	0	100	67	525
July	2009	15	40	44	1	100	71	507
August	2009	14	42	44	0	100	70	517
September	2009	15	44	40	1	100	75	504
October	2009	15	48	36	0	100	79	503
November	2009	17	47	36	1	100	81	511
December	2009	19	43	38	1	100	81	515
January	2010	21	40	38	1	100	83	526
February	2010	23	44	33	1	100	90	509
March	2010	21	48	30	0	100	91	510
April	2010	21	47	31	0	100	90	500
May	2010	21	47	32	0	100	89	508
June	2010	21	45	33	0	100	88	499
July	2010	22	44	33	1	100	89	504
August	2010	18	45	36	1	100	82	504
September	2010	16	47	36	1	100	80	496
October	2010	15	50	34	1	100	81	497
November	2010	19	48	32	0	100	87	478
December	2010	19	50	30	0	100	89	496
January	2011	21	51	27	0	100	94	494
February	2011	23	52	24	0	100	99	495
March	2011	26	48	26	0	100	100	483
April	2011	23	48	28	1	100	95	482
May	2011	22	49	28	1	100	94	493
June	2011	19	54	25	1	100	94	498
July	2011	19	52	28	1	100	91	509
August	2011	16	49	34	1	100	81	489
September	2011	14	48	37	1	100	77	488
October	2011	12	49	38	2	100	74	473
November	2011	12	55	32	2	100	80	486
December	2011	14	52	33	1	100	82	482
January	2012	19	51	30	0	100	89	495
February	2012	23	46	31	0	100	92	487
March	2012	26	45	28	1	100	98	488
April	2012	27	46	26	1	100	101	477
May	2012	27	47	25	1	100	101	501

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June	2012	28	43	28	1	100	101	496
July	2012	29	43	27	1	100	102	513
August	2012	27	45	27	1	100	99	506
September	2012	26	49	24	1	100	102	521
October	2012	26	48	25	2	100	101	520
November	2012	27	45	25	2	100	102	523
December	2012	26	43	30	2	100	96	518
January	2013	24	42	33	1	100	91	500
February	2013	21	46	32	1	100	90	486
March	2013	19	47	33	2	100	86	500
April	2013	19	48	31	2	100	88	521
May	2013	21	45	32	1	100	89	525
June	2013	22	49	27	2	100	95	509
July	2013	22	49	28	1	100	94	499
August	2013	23	50	26	1	100	97	503
September	2013	23	49	27	1	100	95	501
October	2013	21	52	27	1	100	94	516
November	2013	18	49	32	0	100	86	511
December	2013	19	48	32	0	100	87	511
January	2014	22	44	34	0	100	88	511
February	2014	22	46	32	1	100	90	527
March	2014	20	49	31	1	100	89	540
April	2014	20	50	29	0	100	91	520
May	2014	21	52	27	0	100	95	496
June	2014	22	51	27	0	100	95	490
July	2014	19	53	27	1	100	92	515
August	2014	17	52	29	2	100	88	527
September	2014	16	51	31	1	100	85	535
October	2014	20	50	29	1	100	91	538
November	2014	23	51	25	0	100	98	538
December	2014	25	53	21	1	100	104	548
January	2015	25	53	21	0	100	104	544
February	2015	26	50	23	1	100	103	560
March	2015	29	48	23	0	100	106	564
April	2015	28	49	22	1	100	106	562
May	2015	26	51	23	0	100	103	556
June	2015	23	55	22	0	100	101	542
July	2015	22	56	22	0	100	99	552
August	2015	21	54	24	1	100	98	573
September	2015	19	52	28	1	100	92	585
October	2015	19	49	31	1	100	87	572
November	2015	19	51	30	1	100	89	561
December	2015	20	49	30	1	100	90	545
January	2016	18	51	29	1	100	89	562
February	2016	17	49	32	2	100	86	549
March	2016	17	51	31	1	100	86	562
April	2016	17	51	31	1	100	85	529
May	2016	18	53	28	1	100	90	538
June	2016	17	54	28	1	100	89	542
July	2016	20	53	27	1	100	93	596
August	2016	19	51	29	1	100	91	631
September	2016	21	48	29	1	100	92	646

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October	2016	21	48	29	1	100	92	629
November	2016	22	47	29	2	100	92	618
December	2016	24	48	26	2	100	98	638
January	2017	29	45	23	2	100	106	676
February	2017	34	42	22	2	100	112	686
March	2017	38	38	22	2	100	116	677
April	2017	40	38	21	1	100	119	659
May	2017	39	39	21	1	100	118	659
June	2017	36	39	24	1	100	112	651
July	2017	33	40	27	1	100	106	604
August	2017	30	44	26	0	100	104	597
September	2017	29	47	24	0	100	105	595
October	2017	30	47	22	1	100	108	636
November	2017	33	47	20	1	100	113	645
December	2017	35	44	20	1	100	114	659
January	2018	34	45	20	1	100	114	663
February	2018	35	42	22	1	100	113	663
March	2018	35	44	21	1	100	114	656
April	2018	35	43	22	0	100	113	640
May	2018	30	47	23	0	100	108	643
June	2018	31	46	22	0	100	109	667
July	2018	31	47	23	0	100	108	684
August	2018	34	44	22	0	100	112	682
September	2018	34	43	23	0	100	111	660
October	2018	35	42	22	1	100	113	669
November	2018	33	44	22	1	100	111	668
December	2018	30	45	24	1	100	106	670
January	2019	26	46	27	1	100	99	670
February	2019	25	45	29	1	100	96	687
March	2019	26	47	26	1	100	100	671
April	2019	27	48	24	1	100	104	663
May	2019	26	52	21	1	100	105	648
June	2019	25	52	22	1	100	103	674
July	2019	26	52	22	1	100	104	663
August	2019	26	49	25	1	100	101	644
September	2019	25	48	26	1	100	98	654
October	2019	23	48	29	0	100	94	693
November	2019	23	50	27	0	100	96	706
December	2019	23	51	26	0	100	97	704
January	2020	25	53	22	0	100	103	690
February	2020	24	53	22	1	100	103	677
March	2020	23	51	26	1	100	97	701
April	2020	26	37	36	1	100	90	692
May	2020	34	24	40	1	100	94	723
June	2020	42	19	37	2	100	106	701
July	2020	43	24	31	2	100	113	701
August	2020	40	28	30	1	100	110	693
September	2020	40	30	29	1	100	111	688
October	2020	41	32	25	2	100	117	663
November	2020	40	32	26	2	100	113	649
December	2020	35	31	31	2	100	104	633

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January	2021	31	29	37	2	100	94	624
February	2021	32	30	37	1	100	95	618
March	2021	36	29	33	1	100	103	629
April	2021	42	28	29	1	100	114	637
May	2021	50	28	22	0	100	128	634
June	2021	52	29	19	1	100	133	616
July	2021	50	33	17	0	100	134	631
August	2021	43	35	21	1	100	122	647
September	2021	41	36	23	0	100	118	650
October	2021	36	36	27	1	100	109	652
November	2021	37	36	26	1	100	111	649
December	2021	34	39	25	2	100	109	666
January	2022	32	41	25	2	100	106	650
February	2022	28	43	27	1	100	101	659
March	2022	26	44	29	1	100	96	641
April	2022	26	44	30	1	100	96	650
May	2022	25	45	30	1	100	95	639
June	2022	23	45	32	0	100	92	668
July	2022	20	44	35	1	100	85	671
August	2022	19	42	37	1	100	82	693
September	2022	19	42	38	2	100	81	676
October	2022	17	44	38	1	100	80	665
November	2022	16	44	39	2	100	77	657
December	2022	15	42	42	1	100	73	677
January	2023	16	42	41	1	100	75	685
February	2023	17	41	41	1	100	76	687
March	2023	17	43	40	0	100	77	666
April	2023	16	42	42	0	100	75	668
May	2023	15	42	43	1	100	72	652
June	2023	12	42	45	1	100	68	647
July	2023	13	44	42	2	100	71	653
August	2023	14	48	37	1	100	77	668
September	2023	16	48	35	1	100	81	676
October	2023	16	49	34	1	100	82	686
November	2023	15	45	39	1	100	76	650
December	2023	14	49	36	1	100	78	647
January	2024	14	50	35	1	100	79	625
February	2024	17	52	31	1	100	86	670
March	2024	18	49	32	1	100	86	661