

Survey Instrument

1. What is your gender?
2. What is your age group?
3. Are you of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin?
4. We are interested in how people are getting along financially these days. Would you say that you (and your family living there) are better off or worse financially than you were a year ago?
5. Now, looking ahead -- do you think that a year from now you (and your family living there) will be better off financially, or worse off?
6. 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?
7. Looking ahead, which would you say is more likely -- that in the country as a whole we'll have continuous good times during the next five years or so, or that we will have periods of widespread unemployment or depression?
8. 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 or bad time for people to buy major household items?
9. Generally speaking, do you think now is a good time or a bad time to buy a house?
10. Speaking now of the automobile market, do you think now is a good time or a bad time to buy a vehicle?
11. Do you think the cost of living has gone up, gone down or stayed the same?
12. Do you approve or disapprove of President Trump's job performance?
13. Are you currently registered as a Republican, Democrat, Independent, another party or are you not registered?
14. What is your educational level?
15. What is your income level?
16. Region
17. Language
18. Mode

Survey Results

Gender

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Female	252	49.5	49.5	49.5
	Male	258	50.5	50.5	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Age

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	18-34	217	42.5	42.5	42.5
	35-54	195	38.3	38.3	80.8
	55+	98	19.2	19.2	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Ethnicity

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Mexican, Mex Am, Chicano	274	53.7	53.7	53.7
	Puerto Rican	80	15.6	15.6	69.3
	Cuban	35	6.9	6.9	76.2
	Other	121	23.8	23.8	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Better or Worse Financially than 1 year ago

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Better	348	68.2	68.2	68.2
	Worse	162	31.8	31.8	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Better or Worse Financially in 1 year?

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Better	358	70.2	70.2	70.2
	Worse	152	29.8	29.8	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Business Conditions next year

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Good Times Financially	299	58.6	58.6	58.6
	Bad Times Financially	211	41.4	41.4	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Country as a whole over next five years

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Good Times Financially	288	56.4	56.4	56.4
	Bad Times Financially	222	43.6	43.6	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Big Item for Home

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Good time to Buy	310	60.7	60.7	60.7
	Bad time to Buy	200	39.3	39.3	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Good time to Buy a house

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Good Time	301	58.9	58.9	58.9
	Bad Time	209	41.1	41.1	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Good Time to Buy a car

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Good Time	344	67.4	67.4	67.4
	Bad Time	166	32.6	32.6	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Cost of living

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Gone up	329	64.5	64.5	64.5
	Gone down	74	14.5	14.5	79.0
	Stay the same	107	21.0	21.0	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Trump Job Performance

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Approve	173	33.9	33.9	33.9
	Disapprove	337	66.1	66.1	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Party Affiliation

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Republican	131	25.7	25.7	25.7
	Democrat	212	41.6	41.6	67.3
	Ind	81	16.0	16.0	83.2
	Not Reg	85	16.8	16.8	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Educational Attainment

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	<HS	173	34.0	34.0	34.0
	HS	143	28.0	28.0	62.0
	Some College	92	18.0	18.0	80.0
	>Bachelor	102	20.0	20.0	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Income

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	<\$25,000	146	28.6	28.6	28.6
	\$25-\$75,000	239	46.8	46.8	75.4
	>\$75,000	125	24.6	24.6	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Region

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Northeast	74	14.6	14.6	14.6
	Midwest	44	8.7	8.7	23.3
	South	187	36.7	36.7	60.0
	West	204	40.0	40.0	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Language

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	English	497	97.4	97.4	97.4
	Spanish	13	2.6	2.6	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	

Mode

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
Valid	Online	427	83.6	83.6	83.6
	Phone	83	16.4	16.4	100.0
	Total	510	100.0	100.0	