

POLLING GROUP									
		OVERALL	REGIS VOTERS	GEN	DER		AGE CAT	EGORIES	
		Overall	Registered Voters	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	483	277	292	93	140	172	160
Overall, do you think things in Massachusetts	Right Direction	48%	49%	47%	49%	57%	44%	47%	46%
are headed in the right direction, or are they off	Wrong Track	41%	41%	43%	39%	25%	50%	48%	37%
on the wrong track?	Don't know / Refused	11%	10%	10%	12%	18%	7%	6%	17%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Favorability - U.S. Congress	Favorable	20%	18%	18%	21%	37%	10%	20%	15%
	Unfavorable	61%	64%	67%	55%	36%	74%	60%	68%
	Heard of / Undecided	16%	15%	13%	18%	20%	13%	17%	14%
	Never heard of	2%	2%	1%	3%	6%	1%	2%	%
	Refused	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Favorability - Republicans in Congress	Favorable	25%	24%	30%	20%	22%	29%	22%	25%
	Unfavorable	53%	56%	54%	53%	44%	52%	61%	54%
	Heard of / Undecided	18%	17%	14%	23%	29%	16%	15%	17%
	Never heard of	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Refused	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Favorability - Democrats in Congress	Favorable	42%	43%	37%	47%	48%	34%	48%	40%
	Unfavorable	38%	42%	50%	28%	23%	48%	35%	45%
	Heard of / Undecided	15%	12%	9%	20%	18%	14%	14%	13%
	Never heard of	3%	3%	2%	5%	9%	3%	2%	1%
	Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Favorability - Barack Obama	Favorable	53%	53%	51%	55%	54%	47%	60%	52%
	Unfavorable	34%	36%	42%	27%	28%	36%	35%	37%
	Heard of / Undecided	11%	10%	6%	16%	16%	17%	4%	9%
	Never heard of	%	%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
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		OVERALL	PART	Y REGISTR	ATION	RA	CE		REG	IONS	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Independe nt		All others	Western /	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569				437	126		82	190	129
Overall, do you think things in Massachusetts	Right Direction	48%	68%	19%		45%	59%	41%	46%	46%	56%
are headed in the right direction, or are they off	Wrong Track	41%	22%	68%	49%	43%	32%	52%	36%	43%	34%
on the wrong track?	Don't know / Refused	11%	10%	13%	7%	12%	9%	7%	18%	11%	10%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
Favorability - U.S. Congress	Favorable	20%	24%	16%	15%	17%	29%	14%	24%	16%	26%
	Unfavorable	61%	57%	71%	69%	66%	42%	65%	51%	70%	55%
	Heard of / Undecided	16%	15%	14%	13%	14%	22%	16%	21%	12%	16%
	Never heard of	2%	4%	0%	%	1%	4%	3%	2%	2%	0%
	Refused	2%	0%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	%	3%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
Favorability - Republicans in Congress	Favorable	25%	11%	52%	27%	25%	26%	21%	28%	27%	18%
	Unfavorable	53%	73%	30%	52%	53%	54%	57%	53%	48%	66%
	Heard of / Undecided	18%	14%	15%	17%	19%	16%	17%	17%	21%	15%
	Never heard of	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	%
	Refused	2%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
Favorability - Democrats in Congress	Favorable	42%	76%	6%	29%	38%	56%	40%	40%	37%	54%
	Unfavorable	38%	10%	83%	55%	44%	17%	38%	45%	46%	25%
	Heard of / Undecided	15%	10%	11%	13%	14%	17%	18%	12%	13%	14%
	Never heard of	3%	4%	0%	2%	2%	8%	2%	3%	3%	5%
	Refused	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	%	2%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
Favorability - Barack Obama	Favorable	53%	84%	11%	41%	48%	73%	54%	47%	44%	68%
	Unfavorable	34%	8%	74%	48%	40%	13%	34%	41%	43%	21%
	Heard of / Undecided	11%	7%	15%	12%	11%	12%	11%	11%	13%	9%
	Never heard of	%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	%	1%
	Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	%	1%	0%	1%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134





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		OVERALL		INCOME	RANGES		INCOME	RANGES
		Overall	Less than \$25k	\$25 \$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569				\$150k	φ/3k 236	, .
Overall, do you think things in Massachusetts	Right Direction	48%	46%	45%	52%	49%	45%	51%
are headed in the right direction, or are they off	Wrong Track	41%	44%	47%	37%	48%	46%	40%
on the wrong track?	Don't know / Refused	11%	10%	8%		3%	9%	8%
	Total	569	120	139	1170	56	259	168
Favorability - U.S. Congress	Favorable	20%	29%	20%	11%	14%	24%	12%
Tavorability 0.5. Gorigiess	Unfavorable	61%	45%	58%	74%	81%	52%	76%
	Heard of / Undecided	16%	18%	19%	13%	5%	18%	10%
	Never heard of	2%	6%	1%	%	0%	3%	%
	Refused	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%
	Total	569	120	139		56	259	168
Favorability - Republicans in Congress	Favorable	25%	31%	22%	22%	32%	26%	25%
ravorability respublicants in congress	Unfavorable	53%	48%	55%	62%	52%	52%	58%
	Heard of / Undecided	18%	18%	19%	14%	14%	18%	14%
	Never heard of	2%	2%	2%	%	3%	2%	1%
	Refused	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	Total	569	120	139		56	259	
Favorability - Democrats in Congress	Favorable	42%	44%	39%	41%	29%	41%	37%
Tavorability Democrate in Congress	Unfavorable	38%	27%	39%	47%	60%	33%	51%
	Heard of / Undecided	15%	16%	20%	11%	10%	18%	11%
	Never heard of	3%	12%	1%	1%	1%	6%	1%
	Refused	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Total	569	120	139		56	259	168
Favorability - Barack Obama	Favorable	53%	63%	49%	51%	44%	55%	49%
. a.c.a.m.y Bardon Obama	Unfavorable	34%	20%	40%	42%	47%	31%	44%
	Heard of / Undecided	11%	16%	11%	7%	9%	13%	7%
	Never heard of	%	0%	0%	%	0%	0%	%
	Refused	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Total	569		139		56		



		OVERALL		EDUCATIO	ON LEVEL	Γ	DIRECTION OF STATE	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Right direction	Wrong track
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	167	122	170	83	285	227
Overall, do you think things in Massachusetts	Right Direction	48%	39%	47%	55%	62%	100%	0%
are headed in the right direction, or are they off	Wrong Track	41%	48%	44%	39%	28%	0%	100%
on the wrong track?	Don't know / Refused	11%	13%	9%	7%	10%	0%	0%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Favorability - U.S. Congress	Favorable	20%	21%	27%	14%	9%	24%	13%
	Unfavorable	61%	51%	59%	71%	82%	57%	69%
	Heard of / Undecided	16%	23%	11%	14%	5%	14%	15%
	Never heard of	2%	3%	2%	0%	1%	4%	1%
	Refused	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Favorability - Republicans in Congress	Favorable	25%	34%	20%	19%	17%	15%	37%
	Unfavorable	53%	42%	60%	61%	69%	64%	42%
	Heard of / Undecided	18%	21%	17%	17%	10%	17%	18%
	Never heard of	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Refused	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Favorability - Democrats in Congress	Favorable	42%	42%	45%	37%	45%	61%	22%
	Unfavorable	38%	39%	37%	41%	39%	21%	61%
	Heard of / Undecided	15%	13%	12%	19%	15%	12%	14%
	Never heard of	3%	4%	3%	3%	0%	5%	3%
	Refused	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Favorability - Barack Obama	Favorable	53%	53%	55%	48%	59%	76%	29%
	Unfavorable	34%	31%	35%	39%	35%	13%	60%
	Heard of / Undecided	11%	15%	11%	12%	3%	10%	10%
	Never heard of	%	%	0%	0%	0%	%	%
	Refused	1%	%	0%	0%	4%	%	0%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234



		OVERALL	FAV - CONGRE SS	FAV - GOP CONG	FAV - DEMS CONG	FAV - OBAMA
			Total	Total	Total	Total
	_	Overall	favorable	favorable	favorable	favorable
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	98	122	239	308
Overall, do you think things in Massachusetts	Right Direction	48%	59%	28%	69%	68%
are headed in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?	Wrong Track	41%		61%	22%	23%
on the wrong track:	Don't know / Refused	11%	13%	11%	9%	9%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Favorability - U.S. Congress	Favorable	20%	100%	32%	30%	26%
	Unfavorable	61%	0%	56%	56%	55%
	Heard of / Undecided	16%	0%	11%	13%	17%
	Never heard of	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Refused	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Favorability - Republicans in Congress	Favorable	25%	40%	100%	17%	16%
	Unfavorable	53%	40%	0%	69%	67%
	Heard of / Undecided	18%	18%	0%	11%	13%
	Never heard of	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%
	Refused	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Favorability - Democrats in Congress	Favorable	42%	64%	29%	100%	70%
	Unfavorable	38%	20%	64%	0%	13%
	Heard of / Undecided	15%	13%	5%	0%	12%
	Never heard of	3%	3%	2%	0%	3%
	Refused	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Favorability - Barack Obama	Favorable	53%	71%	35%	88%	100%
•	Unfavorable	34%	24%	60%	7%	0%
	Heard of / Undecided	11%	5%	5%	4%	0%
	Never heard of	%		0%	0%	0%
	Refused	1%		0%	%	0%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303



POLLING GROUP									
		OVERALL	REGIS VOTERS	GEN	DER		AGE CAT	EGORIES	
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	Overall 569	Registered Voters 483	Male 277	Female 292	18 to 29 93	30 to 44	45 to 59 172	60+ 160
We are interested in how people are getting	Better off	30%	31%	34%	27%	51%	29%	27%	18%
along financially these days. Would you say that	Same (do not read)	26%	27%	26%	25%	20%	19%	25%	41%
you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?	Worse off	41%	41%	36%	46%	28%	48%	48%	35%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	2%	4%	2%	1%	4%	0%	6%
	Total	569		275	294	120	155	157	133
Now looking aheaddo you think that a year	Better off	22%	19%	27%	17%	36%	20%	15%	19%
from now you (and your family living there) will	Same	55%	55%	50%	58%	52%	54%	59%	52%
be better off financially, or worse off, or just	Worse off	17%	19%	17%	17%	4%	20%	20%	22%
about the same as now?	Don't know / Refused	7%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	6%	7%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Now turning to business conditions in the country	Good times	30%	29%	31%	29%	32%	31%	28%	28%
as a wholedo you think that during the next twelve months we'll have good times financially	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	5%	5%	4%	2%	1%	8%	5%
or bad times?	Bad times	56%	57%	57%	56%	52%	66%	53%	51%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	8%	8%	12%	13%	2%	10%	16%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
Looking ahead, which would you say is more	Good times	32%	33%	36%	29%	36%	35%	31%	28%
likelythat in the country as a whole we'll have continuous good times during the next five years	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	2%	7%	3%
or so, or that we will have periods of widespread unemployment or depression?	Widespread unemployment or depression	54%	54%	52%	55%	49%	60%	51%	53%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	9%	7%	13%	11%	3%	11%	16%
	Total	569	475	275	294	120	155	157	133
About the big things people buy for their homes	Good time to buy	39%	40%	45%	33%	34%	34%	44%	44%
such as furniture, a refrigerator, stove, television, and things like that. Generally speaking, do you	Mixed, or both good and bad time (do not read)	3%	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	5%	3%
think now is a good or bad time for people to buy major household items?	Bad time to buy	44%	42%	38%	49%	44%	54%	41%	35%
imajor nousenoiu items:	Don't know / Refused	15%	14%	14%	15%	21%	10%	11%	18%

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		OVERALL	PART	Y REGISTR	ATION	RA	CE		REG	IONS	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Independe nt	White / Caucasian	All others	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	152	37	261	437	126	144	82	190	129
We are interested in how people are getting	Better off	30%	38%	28%	27%	30%	34%	28%	33%	29%	35%
along financially these days. Would you say that	Same (do not read)	26%	26%	27%	27%	28%	20%	31%	27%	24%	21%
you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?	Worse off	41%	35%	44%	44%	40%	43%	39%	37%	43%	42%
worse on infancially than you were a year ago?	Don't know / Refused	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
Now looking aheaddo you think that a year	Better off	22%	24%	18%	16%	20%	28%	15%	24%	20%	24%
from now you (and your family living there) will	Same	55%	61%	51%	54%	55%	55%	59%	60%	53%	53%
be better off financially, or worse off, or just about the same as now?	Worse off	17%	10%	28%	22%	19%	10%	19%	11%	21%	15%
about the same as now?	Don't know / Refused	7%	6%	2%	9%	7%	8%	8%	5%	7%	8%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
,	Good times	30%	45%	18%	22%	30%	30%	28%	25%	30%	30%
as a wholedo you think that during the next	Mixed, or both good and bad	4%	4%	0%	6%	4%	7%	6%	5%	4%	3%
twelve months we'll have good times financially	times (do not read)										
or bad times?	Bad times	56%	41%	73%		57%	51%	59%	57%	55%	55%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	11%	9%		9%	12%	8%	12%	10%	12%
	Total	569	170			435	129		74	191	134
Looking ahead, which would you say is more	Good times	32%	44%	30%		32%	35%	21%	40%	31%	36%
continuous good times during the next five years	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	5%	6%	3%	3%	6%	4%	1%	5%	3%
or so, or that we will have periods of widespread unemployment or depression?	Widespread unemployment or depression	54%	40%	62%	64%	55%	48%	63%	51%	55%	49%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	11%	2%	9%	10%	10%	11%	8%	9%	12%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134
About the big things people buy for their homes	Good time to buy	39%	49%	26%	39%	39%	39%	42%	41%	35%	42%
and things like that. Generally speaking, do you	Mixed, or both good and bad time (do not read)	3%	3%	0%	4%	3%	2%	1%	5%	4%	3%
think now is a good or bad time for people to buy	Bad time to buy	44%	36%	48%	45%	43%	44%	42%	45%	48%	37%
major household items?	Don't know / Refused	15%	12%	26%	12%	15%	14%	15%	9%	13%	18%
	Total	569	170	53	217	435	129	136	74	191	134



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		OVERALL		INCOME	RANGES		INCOME	RANGES
		Overall	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	103	133	127	71	236	198
We are interested in how people are getting	Better off	30%	26%	25%	37%	55%	26%	43%
along financially these days. Would you say that	Same (do not read)	26%	22%	26%	25%	22%	24%	24%
you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?	Worse off	41%	49%	47%	38%	22%	48%	32%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	4%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Total	569	120	139	112	56	259	168
Now looking aheaddo you think that a year	Better off	22%	15%	20%	29%	27%	17%	28%
from now you (and your family living there) will	Same	55%	55%	61%	54%	53%	58%	54%
be better off financially, or worse off, or just about the same as now?	Worse off	17%	18%	17%	14%	17%	17%	15%
about the same as now?	Don't know / Refused	7%	13%	2%	3%	3%	7%	3%
	Total	569	120	139	112	56	259	168
Now turning to business conditions in the country	Good times	30%	29%	21%	31%	39%	24%	34%
as a wholedo you think that during the next twelve months we'll have good times financially	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	5%	3%	3%	10%	4%	6%
or bad times?	Bad times	56%	52%	67%	60%	48%	60%	56%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	15%	10%	5%	3%	12%	4%
	Total	569	120	139	112	56	259	168
Looking ahead, which would you say is more	Good times	32%	36%	26%	34%	40%	31%	36%
likelythat in the country as a whole we'll have continuous good times during the next five years	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	6%	1%	3%	11%	3%	6%
or so, or that we will have periods of widespread unemployment or depression?	Widespread unemployment or depression	54%	52%	64%	57%	46%	59%	53%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	6%	8%	6%	3%	7%	5%
	Total	569	120	139	112	56	259	168
About the big things people buy for their homes	Good time to buy	39%	29%	33%	47%	53%	32%	49%
such as furniture, a refrigerator, stove, television, and things like that. Generally speaking, do you	Mixed, or both good and bad time (do not read)	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%
think now is a good or bad time for people to buy major household items?	Bad time to buy	44%	52%	49%	42%	33%	50%	39%
imajor nousenoiu items?	Don't know / Refused	15%	15%	16%	9%	11%	16%	9%
	Total	569	120	139	112	56	259	168



		OVERALL		EDUCATION	ON LEVEL		DIRECT ST/	TION OF ATE
			High School or	Some college, no	College graduate	Advanced	Right	Wrong
		Overall	less	degree	(BA/BS)	degree	direction	track
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	167	122	170	83	285	227
We are interested in how people are getting	Better off	30%	29%	28%	37%	33%	42%	19%
along financially these days. Would you say that you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?	Same (do not read)	26%	20%	22%	32%	35%	29%	20%
	Worse off	41%	47%	49%	30%	28%	28%	57%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	4%	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Now looking aheaddo you think that a year	Better off	22%	18%	23%	25%	26%	25%	15%
from now you (and your family living there) will	Same	55%	59%	49%	55%	48%	62%	48%
be better off financially, or worse off, or just	Worse off	17%	16%	22%	15%	18%	8%	32%
about the same as now?	Don't know / Refused	7%	7%	6%	6%	7%	5%	6%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Now turning to business conditions in the country	Good times	30%	25%	26%	35%	32%	43%	14%
as a wholedo you think that during the next twelve months we'll have good times financially	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	5%	2%	4%	6%	5%	3%
or bad times?	Bad times	56%	58%	66%	55%	46%	40%	78%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	12%	6%	6%	16%	12%	4%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
Looking ahead, which would you say is more	Good times	32%	30%	31%	38%	29%	49%	14%
likelythat in the country as a whole we'll have continuous good times during the next five years	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	2%	3%	4%	8%	4%	3%
or so, or that we will have periods of widespread unemployment or depression?	Widespread unemployment or depression	54%	58%	61%	48%	50%	38%	77%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	10%	4%	10%	13%	9%	6%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234
About the big things people buy for their homes	Good time to buy	39%	33%	32%	48%	50%	52%	26%
such as furniture, a refrigerator, stove, television, and things like that. Generally speaking, do you	Mixed, or both good and bad time (do not read)	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%
think now is a good or bad time for people to buy	Bad time to buy	44%	50%	48%	39%	27%	33%	58%
major household items?	Don't know / Refused	15%	14%	16%	11%	20%	13%	12%
	Total	569	217	140	113	70	272	234



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UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	569	98	122	239	308
We are interested in how people are getting	Better off	30%	43%	27%	37%	37%
along financially these days. Would you say that	Same (do not read)	26%	26%	24%	28%	27%
you (and your family living there) are better off or worse off financially than you were a year ago?	Worse off	41%	30%	42%	34%	33%
worse on illiancially than you were a year ago?	Don't know / Refused	3%	2%	6%	1%	2%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Now looking aheaddo you think that a year	Better off	22%	22%	17%	27%	29%
from now you (and your family living there) will	Same	55%	66%	54%	59%	57%
be better off financially, or worse off, or just bout the same as now?	Worse off	17%	6%	22%	9%	8%
	Don't know / Refused	7%	5%	7%	5%	6%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Now turning to business conditions in the country	Good times	30%	43%	20%	44%	43%
as a wholedo you think that during the next	Mixed, or both good and bad	4%	6%	3%	3%	6%
twelve months we'll have good times financially	times (do not read)	470	0 70	370	370	0 70
or bad times?	Bad times	56%	37%	68%	40%	41%
	Don't know / Refused	10%	14%	10%	13%	11%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
Looking ahead, which would you say is more	Good times	32%	47%	25%	44%	46%
likelythat in the country as a whole we'll have		32% 4%	47%	25%	3%	40%
continuous good times during the next five years	Mixed, or both good and bad times (do not read)	4%	4%	2%	3%	4%
or so, or that we will have periods of widespread	Widespread unemployment or	54%	39%	67%	42%	40%
unemployment or depression?	depression	3470	33 70	01 70	4∠ /0	40 /0
	Don't know / Refused	10%	10%	6%	10%	10%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
About the big things people buy for their homes	Good time to buy	39%	39%	36%	47%	47%
such as furniture, a refrigerator, stove, television,	Mixed, or both good and bad time	3%	8%	3%	3%	4%
and things like that. Generally speaking, do you	(do not read)	370	0 /0	3/0	3 /0	4 /0
think now is a good or bad time for people to buy	Bad time to buy	44%	36%	44%	34%	37%
major household items?	Don't know / Refused	15%	17%	17%	15%	12%
	Total	569	111	141	240	303
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