

Reserve Bank of India Department of Statistics and Information Management

Consumer Confidence Survey

Reserve Bank of India (RBI) conducts nationwide Consumer Confidence Survey every two months among select households in major cities with an objective to assess their current perception and future expectations on various economic parameters. Personal information of all respondents are kept confidential and only aggregated results are analysed and disseminated.

Are you willing to participate in the survey? Yes/No	
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Block I: Respondent's Details

Name								
Address	Address1 - House Number							
	Address2 - Colony/Street Landmark							
	City			Pin Code				
Telephone Number								
Age of the respondent		(i	n completed ye	ars, 21 years a	nd above)			
Gender	Male Female							
Occupation	Salaried Employe [1]		elf Employed/ usiness [2]	Homemaker [3]	Daily worker [4]	Retired Person [5]	Others (Incl. Unemployed, students, etc.) [6]	
Average Monthly Income	Less than ₹5 thousand [1]		ousand [1]	₹5 thousand - ₹ 10 thousand [2]		₹ 10 thousand - ₹ 25 thousand [3]		
	₹ 25 thousand - ₹ 50 thousand [4]			₹ 50 thousand - ₹ 1 lakh [5]		₹ 1 lakh and above [6]		
Family Members 1 or 2 [2 [1]	3 or 4 [2]		5 and more [3]			
Number of Earning	members	\$						
Educational Qualification		llliterate [1]		Below 5 th Std [2]		5 th Std-Below 10 th Std [3]		
		10 th Std-Below 12 th Std [4]		12 th Std [5]		Graduate [6]	Post Graduate [7]	

Block II: Respondent's Perceptions and Expectations

Q.		As compa	ared with on	e -year ago	One-year from now			
No.		Improved / Increased	Remaine d the same	Worsened/ Decreased	Will Improve/ Increase	Remain the same	Will Worsen/ Decrease	
1.	General economic situation in the country	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
2.	Income	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3.	Overall Spending*	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3(a)	Expenditure on essential items\$	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3(b)	Expenditure on non- essential items\$	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	

4.	Employement scenario	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]
5(a)	Overall prices of goods and services	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]
5(b)	Rate of price changes#	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]

^{*} If you choose (1) in Question 3, please answer Question 6_1. If you choose (3) in Question 3, please answer Question 6_2.

Q.No.6_1 Why have you increased your (or other family members') spending? (Choose all applicable answers)

		Yes	No
a.	Because your income has increased.	[1]	[2]
b.	Because value of your investments/wealth has increased.	[1]	[2]
C.	Because your expenditure towards large ticket purchases such as real estate, car, consumer durable goods has increased.	[1]	[2]
d.	Because the cost of consumer goods, cost of services (e.g., medical, education, transport, etc.) has gone up.	[1]	[2]
e.	Others (Please Specify)	[1]	[2]

Q.No.6_2 Why have you decreased your (or other family members') spending? (Choose all applicable answers)

		Yes	No
a.	Because your income has decreased.	[1]	[2]
b.	Because value of your investments/wealth has decreased.	[1]	[2]
C.	Because your expenditure towards large ticket purchases such as real estate, car, consumer durable goods has decreased.	[1]	[2]
d.	Because the cost of consumer goods, cost of services (e.g., medical, education, transport, etc.) has gone down.	[1]	[2]
e.	Others (Please Specify)	[1]	[2]

Q.No.7 How you describe the current financial situation of your household -

Saving a lot	Saving a little	Just making ends meet	Drawing on past saving	Running debt	
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^{\$} Essential items comprise of food, housing, fuel & electricity, essential clothing, education, medical amenities, transportation etc. Non-essential items comprise of consumer durables, motor vehicles, gold & jewelry, expenses on hotel & restaurant etc. # If you choose (1) in Question 5(a), please answer Question 5(b).