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2. Current state of economy in local area
3. Expectations of local economy in six months
4. Current personal financial situation rating
5. Expectations of personal financial situation in six months
6. Comfort in making major purchases
7. Comfort in making other household purchases
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9. Confidence in ability to invest in the future
10. Experience with job loss as a result of economic conditions
11. Expectations of job loss as a result of economic conditions

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• Canada
• Hungary
• Japan
• Saudi Arabia
• Sweden
• United States
• Australia
• China
• India
• Mexico
• South Africa
• Turkey
• Belgium
• France
• Israel
• Poland
• South Korea
• United Kingdom
• Brazil
• Germany
• Italy
• Russia
• Spain

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• Europe
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• Central & South America
• North America
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