

1. Protection Now

Thinking about the banking crisis that started in 2008, do you think we are more or less protected from a future financial crisis than we were seven years ago?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Much more protected | 3% | 4% | 2% | 1% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 3% | 1% |
| A little more protected | 17% | 16% | 19% | 22% | 17% | 15% | 17% | 23% | 14% | 16% |
| About the same | 35% | 37% | 34% | 32% | 35% | 37% | 38% | 33% | 35% | 40% |
| A little less protected | 12% | 14% | 11% | 21% | 9% | 12% | 7% | 14% | 11% | 13% |
| Much less protected | 18% | 18% | 19% | 7% | 13% | 22% | 31% | 13% | 21% | 20% |
| Don't know | 14% | 11% | 17% | 18% | 22% | 10% | 5% | 12% | 18% | 10% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (999) | 100% (478) | 100% (521) | 100% (154) | 100% (258) | 100% (401) | 100% (186) | 100% (358) | 100% (390) | 100% (251) |

| | Race | | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Much more protected | 3% | 2% | 4% | 7% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 5% | 1% |
| A little more protected | 17% | 16% | 32% | 14% | 12% | 22% | 27% | 16% | 20% | 12% | 19% | 17% |
| About the same | 35% | 38% | 21% | 32% | 35% | 37% | 44% | 27% | 35% | 36% | 33% | 40% |
| A little less protected | 12% | 12% | 11% | 14% | 12% | 14% | 7% | 18% | 11% | 12% | 11% | 16% |
| Much less protected | 18% | 20% | 12% | 14% | 21% | 15% | 16% | 17% | 16% | 23% | 19% | 15% |
| Don't know | 14% | 12% | 21% | 19% | 18% | 10% | 4% | 19% | 16% | 15% | 14% | 12% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (999) | 100% (766) | 100% (106) | 100% (127) | 100% (430) | 100% (287) | 100% (146) | 100% (136) | 100% (210) | 100% (224) | 100% (414) | 100% (151) |

2. Another Crisis - 1 Year

How likely do you think it is that there will be another global financial crisis in the next 12 months?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Very likely | 20% | 22% | 19% | 8% | 13% | 24% | 38% | 17% | 17% | 30% |
| Fairly likely | 38% | 37% | 39% | 33% | 35% | 45% | 33% | 33% | 38% | 44% |
| Fairly unlikely | 16% | 16% | 15% | 24% | 20% | 9% | 11% | 22% | 12% | 12% |
| Very unlikely | 5% | 8% | 2% | 8% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 2% |
| Don't know | 22% | 17% | 25% | 27% | 28% | 18% | 12% | 22% | 27% | 12% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (999) | 100% (478) | 100% (521) | 100% (154) | 100% (258) | 100% (401) | 100% (186) | 100% (358) | 100% (390) | 100% (251) |

| | Race | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Very likely | 20% | 22% | 17% | 15% | 24% | 18% | 21% | 13% | 20% | 22% | 19% | 21% |
| Fairly likely | 38% | 41% | 27% | 31% | 35% | 38% | 43% | 41% | 42% | 36% | 36% | 38% |
| Fairly unlikely | 16% | 13% | 25% | 22% | 13% | 21% | 17% | 11% | 14% | 14% | 17% | 15% |
| Very unlikely | 5% | 5% | 4% | 7% | 4% | 7% | 4% | 4% | 7% | 1% | 7% | 3% |
| Don't know | 22% | 20% | 27% | 26% | 25% | 16% | 14% | 30% | 17% | 26% | 21% | 23% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (999) | 100% (766) | 100% (106) | 100% (127) | 100% (430) | 100% (287) | 100% (146) | 100% (136) | 100% (210) | 100% (224) | 100% (414) | 100% (151) |

3. Frequency of Crises

Thinking about the global economy over the next 20 years, do you expect financial crises to become more or less frequent than over the past 20 years, or will there be no change?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| More frequent | 51% | 54% | 48% | 39% | 45% | 59% | 59% | 47% | 48% | 62% |
| Less frequent | 8% | 7% | 9% | 10% | 8% | 6% | 9% | 13% | 4% | 8% |
| No change | 16% | 17% | 15% | 21% | 14% | 13% | 17% | 17% | 15% | 15% |
| Don't know | 26% | 23% | 29% | 31% | 34% | 23% | 14% | 23% | 34% | 15% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (476) | 100% (520) | 100% (153) | 100% (258) | 100% (399) | 100% (186) | 100% (358) | 100% (388) | 100% (250) |

| | Race | | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| More frequent | 51% | 54% | 36% | 44% | 50% | 54% | 55% | 44% | 45% | 54% | 44% | 65% |
| Less frequent | 8% | 7% | 11% | 12% | 5% | 8% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 4% | 8% | 7% |
| No change | 16% | 16% | 17% | 14% | 14% | 19% | 19% | 11% | 14% | 13% | 19% | 13% |
| Don't know | 26% | 23% | 36% | 30% | 30% | 20% | 13% | 33% | 28% | 30% | 29% | 15% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (763) | 100% (106) | 100% (127) | 100% (430) | 100% (287) | 100% (145) | 100% (134) | 100% (210) | 100% (222) | 100% (414) | 100% (150) |

4. Chinese Stock Market

Thinking about the recent falls on the Chinese stock market, from what you have seen or heard how much impact do you think this will have on the American economy?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| A very large impact | 14% | 15% | 13% | 8% | 12% | 16% | 21% | 10% | 13% | 23% |
| A fairly large impact | 38% | 39% | 37% | 40% | 31% | 39% | 44% | 35% | 37% | 45% |
| A small impact | 22% | 24% | 21% | 18% | 24% | 25% | 21% | 28% | 20% | 19% |
| No significant impact at all | 5% | 6% | 4% | 9% | 7% | 3% | 3% | 6% | 6% | 2% |
| Don't know | 20% | 15% | 25% | 26% | 26% | 17% | 10% | 21% | 24% | 11% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (477) | 100% (520) | 100% (154) | 100% (256) | 100% (401) | 100% (186) | 100% (357) | 100% (390) | 100% (250) |

| | Race | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | | |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|-------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| A very large impact | 14% | 15% | 8% | 16% | 13% | 13% | 17% | 18% | 15% | 10% | 13% | 19% |
| A fairly large impact | 38% | 41% | 36% | 26% | 34% | 49% | 43% | 26% | 30% | 45% | 38% | 38% |
| A small impact | 22% | 22% | 20% | 28% | 19% | 24% | 34% | 21% | 25% | 21% | 23% | 21% |
| No significant impact at all | 5% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 7% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 9% | 2% | 7% | 1% |
| Don't know | 20% | 18% | 28% | 24% | 27% | 10% | 5% | 31% | 20% | 22% | 19% | 20% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (765) | 100% (106) | 100% (126) | 100% (428) | 100% (287) | 100% (146) | 100% (136) | 100% (209) | 100% (224) | 100% (413) | 100% (151) |

5. Source of Problem

Thinking about global financial crises, do you think they are a problem with the global financial system itself, or are caused by poor management by governments and individuals?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| A problem with the global financial system itself | 19% | 20% | 19% | 24% | 19% | 18% | 16% | 24% | 17% | 16% |
| Caused by poor management by governments and individuals | 55% | 62% | 48% | 41% | 46% | 63% | 68% | 45% | 54% | 69% |
| Neither | 5% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 12% | 2% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 7% |
| Don't know | 21% | 13% | 28% | 30% | 23% | 18% | 13% | 26% | 24% | 7% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (476) | 100% (520) | 100% (154) | 100% (256) | 100% (400) | 100% (186) | 100% (358) | 100% (388) | 100% (250) |

| | Race | | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| A problem with the global financial system itself | 19% | 20% | 9% | 21% | 21% | 16% | 27% | 14% | 19% | 21% | 20% | 17% |
| Caused by poor management by governments and individuals | 55% | 56% | 55% | 48% | 49% | 61% | 61% | 52% | 52% | 51% | 54% | 61% |
| Neither | 5% | 5% | 6% | 7% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 7% | 9% | 3% | 6% | 4% |
| Don't know | 21% | 19% | 30% | 24% | 26% | 16% | 4% | 27% | 20% | 25% | 21% | 18% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (765) | 100% (106) | 100% (125) | 100% (428) | 100% (287) | 100% (146) | 100% (135) | 100% (210) | 100% (224) | 100% (411) | 100% (151) |

6. Normal Part of Capitalism

Do you think that financial crises are a normal part of a capitalist economy or do they indicate that there is a major flaw in the capitalist system?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID - 3 Point | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Normal part of capitalist system | 31% | 37% | 26% | 27% | 26% | 32% | 43% | 28% | 29% | 39% |
| Indicative of a major flaw in the capitalist system | 32% | 32% | 32% | 34% | 29% | 34% | 33% | 40% | 31% | 24% |
| Not sure | 37% | 31% | 42% | 40% | 45% | 34% | 25% | 32% | 40% | 37% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (994) | 100% (477) | 100% (517) | 100% (153) | 100% (256) | 100% (399) | 100% (186) | 100% (354) | 100% (390) | 100% (250) |

| | Race | | | | Household Income | | | | Region | | | |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|----------------|------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under \$50K | \$50K - \$100K | \$100K+ | Prefer not to say | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Normal part of capitalist system | 31% | 33% | 22% | 26% | 25% | 34% | 46% | 31% | 33% | 34% | 31% | 28% |
| Indicative of a major flaw in the capitalist system | 32% | 33% | 39% | 23% | 34% | 36% | 26% | 23% | 33% | 23% | 34% | 38% |
| Not sure | 37% | 34% | 39% | 51% | 40% | 30% | 28% | 46% | 34% | 44% | 36% | 34% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (994) | 100% (763) | 100% (105) | 100% (126) | 100% (429) | 100% (286) | 100% (145) | 100% (134) | 100% (210) | 100% (222) | 100% (411) | 100% (151) |