



Poll Position

National Poll of 1,242 Registered Voters · Conducted 02.12.12 · Margin of Error +/- 3 percentage points*

6. Do you think that the economic situation in the U.S. is getting better, getting worse, or is staying the same?

	Age					Race				Gender		Party		
	Total	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other	Male	Female	Republican	Democrat	Independent
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
It is getting better	37.8	38.0	37.5	40.1	33.3	36.5	46.2	37.9	27.5	40.2	35.5	17.9	67.5	30.3
It is getting worse	38.1	38.0	40.0	34.3	42.5	38.3	30.8	42.5	51.1	39.6	36.7	53.3	11.3	47.9
It is staying the same	22.1	24.0	19.6	23.7	21.1	23.5	17.1	19.5	19.1	19.4	24.7	27.9	19.3	18.6
No opinion	2.0	.0	2.9	1.8	3.1	1.7	5.9	.0	2.4	.7	3.2	.9	1.9	3.3

Data for Poll Position survey research is collected using interactive voice response technology. Field work for all Poll Position surveys is conducted by Majority Opinion Research. Data are weighted by age, race, and gender. Questions of a political nature are additionally weighted by political party affiliation.

* Margin of error for demographic subgroups higher.