

Seriousness of Gas and Food Prices: Percentage of NY'ers

Total percent by category indicating a somewhat or very serious problem.

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Upstate NY	67%	69%	69%	65%	70%	67%	71%	72%	75%	83%	83%	73%	69%	75%	73%	74%	77%	70%	75%	72%	75%	74%	76%	69%
Lower Income	66%	65%	62%	60%	66%	63%	68%	65%	69%	67%	76%	72%	77%	83%	80%	80%	83%	79%	82%	81%	78%	79%	78%	79%
Republicans	65%	62%	67%	62%	64%	66%	63%	60%	72%	74%	76%	71%	68%	73%	71%	68%	75%	71%	75%	68%	75%	76%	64%	65%
Women	61%	60%	59%	56%	61%	58%	64%	63%	64%	67%	73%	66%	72%	75%	74%	73%	74%	70%	74%	73%	75%	72%	72%	74%
Under age 55	61%	58%	62%	57%	62%	65%	60%	67%	68%	74%	72%	65%	69%	73%	74%	71%	75%	72%	71%	73%	72%	75%	72%	67%
New York State	59%	59%	59%	56%	61%	60%	62%	64%	66%	67%	72%	65%	66%	71%	71%	69%	73%	68%	71%	72%	71%	72%	72%	70%
Age 55+	59%	59%	57%	55%	60%	57%	63%	61%	64%	62%	73%	66%	64%	70%	70%	68%	72%	67%	73%	71%	71%	70%	71%	72%
Men	58%	57%	59%	55%	61%	62%	60%	65%	67%	68%	72%	64%	60%	67%	69%	64%	70%	67%	69%	70%	66%	69%	69%	65%
Higher Income	55%	55%	55%	54%	59%	59%	58%	62%	60%	68%	68%	61%	57%	65%	65%	62%	62%	61%	66%	66%	65%	67%	66%	62%
Metro NYC	55%	52%	53%	50%	56%	56%	57%	58%	60%	62%	65%	60%	65%	69%	71%	67%	69%	68%	70%	71%	68%	71%	69%	70%
Democrats	51%	52%	54%	52%	56%	56%	59%	61%	59%	63%	67%	60%	63%	69%	69%	67%	70%	68%	71%	70%	68%	67%	69%	68%

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Upstate NY	134	139	139	132	138	136	142	145	151	160	168	149	139	150	146	148	156	141	150	145	150	148	151	138
Lower Income	134	135	126	123	133	129	140	134	141	137	154	148	155	169	160	160	167	158	165	161	157	158	157	158
Republicans	133	128	135	127	129	134	128	123	145	128	154	143	136	147	143	137	151	143	150	135	151	153	128	132
Women	124	123	119	115	123	121	131	129	130	135	147	135	144	151	147	146	149	142	149	146	150	148	146	148
Under age 55	123	119	125	117	125	132	122	135	138	149	144	132	139	147	149	143	147	144	142	145	144	150	145	135
New York State	121	120	120	114	124	123	125	130	132	142	147	132	133	144	143	138	140	138	143	143	142	145	145	141
Age 55+	119	121	117	113	124	119	129	127	129	138	149	134	129	141	140	136	144	135	146	142	142	141	142	144
Men	116	116	120	112	123	126	120	131	135	137	146	130	120	135	139	129	136	135	139	136	132	138	139	131
Metro NYC	113	108	108	103	115	116	117	120	121	129	132	122	130	140	143	134	137	136	140	142	137	143	139	141
Higher Income	112	112	112	109	120	120	117	125	120	136	138	123	114	131	131	124	123	123	133	131	131	133	132	125
Democrats	105	107	111	106	117	115	122	125	120	128	137	123	127	139	138	134	141	137	144	138	136	137	139	136

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Upstate NY	56%	60%	60%	56%	60%	57%	61%	59%	63%	62%	69%	59%
Lower Income	57%	60%	55%	54%	58%	55%	62%	57%	59%	58%	63%	62%
Republicans	55%	53%	58%	53%	53%	58%	54%	50%	62%	64%	59%	55%
Women	51%	53%	52%	48%	53%	52%	55%	53%	55%	58%	60%	56%
Under age 55	51%	49%	53%	47%	53%	56%	50%	56%	56%	63%	59%	52%
New York State	49%	51%	51%	47%	52%	51%	53%	54%	55%	57%	59%	55%
Age 55+	48%	52%	50%	47%	50%	49%	55%	52%	54%	52%	59%	57%
Men	46%	47%	50%	45%	49%	50%	49%	54%	54%	55%	59%	53%
Higher Income	43%	46%	47%	42%	47%	50%	47%	51%	50%	55%	56%	50%
Metro NYC	45%	45%	46%	41%	46%	48%	48%	49%	49%	52%	54%	52%
Democrats	41%	45%	46%	42%	47%	48%	50%	50%	48%	52%	54%	50%

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Upstate NY	139	144	142	140	147	138	146	145	151	154	160	143
Lower Income	155	152	143	142	152	144	152	147	149	148	156	153
Republicans	134	137	139	132	140	138	139	129	148	151	141	138
Women	134	137	133	131	136	131	140	134	140	141	147	141
Under age 55	139	133	137	130	136	138	132	140	141	150	145	134
New York State	127	132	132	126	132	130	134	137	137	144	146	136
Age 55+	129	131	129	125	134	127	138	134	136	139	146	139
Men	118	125	130	121	130	130	130	134	134	137	143	131
Metro NYC	121	124	126	119	126	126	129	131	129	136	136	132
Higher Income	113	121	122	117	121	121	125	128	125	134	135	124
Democrats	116	123	125	120	129	126	133	132	128	133	138	129