

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

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	Gasoline												Food											
	Feb 2013	Jan 2013	Dec 2012	Nov 2012	Oct 2012	Sep 2012	Aug 2012	Jul 2012	Jun 2012	May 2012	Apr 2012	Mar 2012	Feb 2013	Jan 2013	Dec 2012	Nov 2012	Oct 2012	Sep 2012	Aug 2012	Jul 2012	Jun 2012	May 2012	Apr 2012	
Republicans	71%	70%	62%	67%	72%	73%	68%	67%	56%	67%	75%	70%	76%	78%	66%	69%	81%	70%	70%	71%	67%	65%	72%	
Upstate NY	70%	64%	62%	66%	71%	70%	70%	59%	63%	67%	77%	73%	72%	72%	66%	64%	77%	66%	71%	68%	69%	68%	69%	
Under age 55	62%	53%	56%	55%	62%	64%	64%	60%	56%	62%	73%	65%	72%	69%	69%	61%	72%	69%	69%	73%	68%	69%	71%	
Men	59%	56%	52%	51%	57%	63%	59%	55%	55%	58%	71%	66%	65%	66%	61%	56%	64%	64%	62%	60%	61%	60%	63%	
Higher Income	58%	50%	51%	53%	57%	57%	58%	49%	49%	56%	66%	62%	64%	65%	61%	57%	65%	57%	57%	59%	56%	55%	60%	
<b>New York State</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>67%</b>	
Lower Income	57%	57%	60%	62%	66%	65%	63%	61%	62%	59%	70%	67%	76%	78%	76%	74%	82%	76%	78%	77%	76%	74%	75%	
Women	57%	53%	56%	59%	61%	59%	60%	55%	55%	58%	65%	64%	71%	75%	71%	69%	75%	65%	70%	74%	69%	68%	69%	
Age 55+	55%	55%	52%	56%	58%	58%	58%	52%	55%	55%	64%	65%	65%	72%	64%	63%	69%	61%	64%	65%	64%	62%	64%	
Metro NYC	51%	48%	49%	49%	53%	55%	53%	52%	48%	52%	61%	60%	66%	70%	67%	61%	67%	64%	63%	68%	63%	62%	65%	
Democrats	47%	50%	49%	45%	50%	51%	53%	44%	51%	51%	57%	62%	63%	67%	62%	56%	58%	61%	62%	62%	60%	59%	62%	

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Republicans	142	143	125	134	145	137	137	135	114	136	153	141	153	155	132	140	164	140	141	144	135	132	145	
Upstate NY	140	131	125	133	143	140	140	119	135	136	155	147	144	144	132	129	154	133	144	136	139	137	139	
Under age 55	125	110	114	111	128	130	128	126	126	126	148	134	144	138	139	123	145	138	139	146	135	138	142	
Men	120	114	104	104	116	127	119	111	113	117	142	134	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	128	
Lower Income	119	121	124	126	139	134	121	121	126	121	143	140	153	155	153	150	166	152	155	156	153	148	152	
<b>New York State</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>135</b>	
Women	118	112	115	120	128	121	122	113	114	118	134	133	142	150	143	138	151	132	141	147	139	136	140	
Higher Income	117	102	104	107	116	115	116	100	100	112	133	126	129	129	122	114	131	114	116	119	112	110	121	
Age 55+	113	114	107	114	121	118	116	106	112	112	131	133	130	144	129	127	140	124	128	131	130	124	130	
Metro NYC	105	102	101	101	111	113	109	106	106	106	126	124	132	141	135	123	134	129	127	136	127	125	132	
Democrats	97	104	101	92	104	105	108	104	104	104	117	128	126	135	125	112	117	123	125	124	121	118	125	

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Republicans	69%	64%	61%	51%	57%	65%	61%	57%	55%	48%	53%	61%	58%
Upstate NY	70%	60%	56%	51%	52%	62%	57%	59%	51%	57%	55%	62%	59%
Under age 55	67%	53%	46%	46%	42%	55%	53%	52%	51%	45%	50%	59%	54%
Men	66%	48%	47%	43%	39%	49%	51%	46%	45%	45%	46%	55%	53%
Higher Income	60%	49%	42%	41%	43%	51%	45%	45%	41%	38%	42%	51%	51%
<b>New York State</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>54%</b>
Lower Income	77%	51%	50%	52%	52%	59%	57%	54%	53%	53%	53%	60%	57%
Women	73%	51%	47%	47%	49%	55%	49%	52%	48%	47%	48%	54%	56%
Age 55+	71%	48%	47%	45%	46%	51%	47%	47%	44%	47%	45%	51%	55%
Metro NYC	69%	43%	42%	42%	40%	47%	45%	43%	44%	39%	43%	49%	51%
Democrats	68%	39%	42%	40%	36%	40%	41%	44%	36%	38%	40%	47%	62%

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Republicans	139	148	149	128	137	154	143	139	139	125	134	149	140
Upstate NY	142	142	138	128	131	149	136	142	128	137	137	147	144
Under age 55	135	135	124	127	117	137	134	133	136	131	132	145	135
Men	133	121	117	113	113	119	124	120	116	117	119	135	133
Lower Income	155	136	138	138	138	152	143	138	138	137	134	147	148
<b>New York State</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>136</b>
Women	146	130	131	129	129	140	126	131	130	126	127	137	140
Higher Income	121	123	116	113	110	123	114	116	109	106	111	127	123
Age 55+	142	121	129	118	121	130	121	122	118	121	118	130	137
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