

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

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Upstate NY	70%	59%	63%	67%	77%	73%	67%	69%	69%	65%	70%	67%	71%	68%	69%	68%	69%	70%	69%	75%	73%	74%	77%
Republicans	68%	67%	56%	67%	75%	70%	65%	62%	67%	62%	64%	66%	70%	71%	67%	65%	72%	69%	68%	73%	71%	68%	75%
Under age 55	64%	60%	56%	62%	73%	65%	61%	58%	62%	57%	62%	65%	69%	73%	68%	69%	71%	67%	69%	73%	74%	71%	75%
Lower Income	63%	61%	62%	59%	70%	67%	66%	65%	62%	60%	66%	63%	78%	77%	76%	74%	75%	77%	77%	83%	80%	80%	83%
Women	60%	55%	55%	58%	65%	64%	61%	60%	59%	56%	61%	58%	70%	74%	69%	68%	69%	73%	72%	75%	74%	73%	74%
New York State	60%	56%	55%	58%	67%	64%	59%	59%	59%	56%	61%	60%	66%	68%	66%	65%	67%	69%	66%	71%	71%	69%	73%
Men	59%	55%	55%	58%	71%	66%	58%	57%	59%	55%	61%	62%	62%	60%	61%	60%	63%	66%	60%	67%	69%	64%	70%
Age 55+	58%	52%	55%	55%	64%	65%	59%	59%	57%	55%	60%	57%	64%	65%	64%	62%	64%	71%	64%	70%	70%	68%	72%
Higher Income	58%	49%	49%	56%	66%	62%	55%	55%	55%	54%	59%	59%	57%	59%	56%	55%	60%	60%	57%	65%	65%	62%	62%
Democrats	53%	44%	51%	51%	57%	62%	51%	52%	54%	52%	56%	56%	62%	62%	60%	59%	62%	68%	63%	69%	69%	67%	70%
Metro NYC	53%	52%	48%	52%	61%	60%	55%	52%	53%	50%	56%	56%	63%	68%	63%	62%	65%	69%	65%	69%	71%	67%	69%

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Upstate NY	140	119	135	136	155	147	134	139	139	132	138	136	144	136	139	137	139	142	139	150	146	148	156
Republicans	137	135	114	136	153	141	133	128	135	127	129	134	141	144	135	132	145	139	136	147	143	137	151
Under age 55	128	126	126	126	148	134	123	119	125	117	125	132	139	146	135	138	142	135	139	147	149	143	147
Women	122	113	114	118	134	133	124	123	119	115	123	121	141	147	139	136	140	146	144	151	147	146	149
Lower Income	121	121	126	121	143	140	134	135	126	123	133	129	155	156	153	148	152	155	155	169	160	160	167
New York State	121	113	114	118	137	132	121	120	120	114	124	123	133	136	132	130	135	139	133	144	143	138	140
Men	119	111	113	117	142	134	116	116	120	112	123	126	121	121	121	121	128	133	120	135	139	129	136
Higher Income	116	100	100	112	133	126	112	112	112	109	120	120	116	119	112	110	121	121	114	131	131	124	123
Age 55+	116	106	112	112	131	133	119	121	117	113	124	119	128	131	130	124	130	142	129	141	140	136	144
Metro NYC	109	106	106	106	126	124	113	108	108	103	115	116	127	136	127	125	132	138	130	140	143	134	137
Democrats	108	104	104	104	117	128	105	107	111	106	117	115	125	124	121	118	125	137	127	139	138	134	141

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Upstate NY	70%	59%	51%	57%	55%	62%	59%	56%	60%	60%	56%	60%	57%
Republicans	71%	57%	55%	48%	53%	61%	58%	55%	53%	58%	53%	53%	58%
Under age 55	72%	52%	51%	45%	50%	59%	54%	51%	49%	53%	47%	53%	56%
Lower Income	79%	54%	53%	53%	53%	60%	57%	57%	60%	55%	54%	58%	55%
Women	70%	52%	48%	47%	48%	54%	56%	51%	53%	52%	48%	53%	52%
New York State	68%	49%	47%	46%	47%	54%	54%	49%	51%	51%	47%	52%	51%
Men	67%	46%	45%	45%	46%	55%	53%	46%	47%	50%	45%	49%	50%
Age 55+	67%	47%	44%	47%	45%	51%	55%	48%	52%	50%	47%	50%	49%
Higher Income	61%	45%	41%	38%	42%	51%	51%	43%	46%	47%	42%	47%	50%
Democrats	68%	44%	36%	38%	40%	47%	62%	41%	45%	46%	42%	47%	48%
Metro NYC	68%	43%	44%	39%	43%	49%	51%	45%	45%	46%	41%	46%	48%

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Upstate NY	141	142	128	137	137	147	144	139	144	142	140	147	138
Republicans	143	139	139	125	134	149	140	134	137	139	132	140	138
Under age 55	144	133	136	131	132	145	135	139	133	137	130	136	138
Women	142	131	130	126	127	137	140	134	137	133	131	136	131
Lower Income	158	138	138	137	134	147	148	155	152	143	142	152	144
New York State	138	125	125	123	124	136	136	127	132	132	126	132	130
Men	135	120	116	117	119	135	133	118	125	130	121	130	130
Higher Income	123	116	109	106	111	127	123	113	121	122	117	121	121
Age 55+	135	122	118	121	118	130	137	129	131	129	125	134	127
Metro NYC	136	116	121	117	115	129	131	121	124	126	119	126	126
Democrats	137	114	114	113	111	121	132	116	123	125	120	129	126