											5	Seriou	ısnes	s of C	as a	nd Fo	od Pr	ices:	Perc	entag	ge of I	NY'er	s	
	Total per												ercent by category indicating a somewhat or very serious problem.											
	Gasoline										Food													
	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun
	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015
Upstate NY	34%	36%	45%	30%	37%	34%	30%	36%	30%	37%	42%	48%	55%	53%	56%	52%	53%	67%	59%	61%	59%	66%	73%	67%
Lower Income	32%	40%	39%	34%	38%	39%	38%	39%	26%	38%	37%	43%	66%	67%	67%	72%	74%	75%	74%	69%	69%	74%	81%	71%
Democrats	31%	30%	27%	28%	31%	25%	24%	31%	25%	29%	25%	38%	58%	58%	56%	56%	63%	63%	66%	57%	57%	72%	64%	67%
Republicans	30%	35%	47%	27%	36%	40%	39%	37%	29%	37%	38%	51%	51%	55%	57%	49%	59%	60%	67%	64%	64%	66%	71%	67%
Women	30%	31%	35%	31%	35%	31%	28%	32%	26%	33%	37%	42%	63%	62%	58%	62%	68%	68%	68%	64%	63%	72%	70%	74%
New York State	29%	34%	36%	27%	34%	29%	29%	33%	27%	33%	35%	41%	55%	58%	56%	56%	59%	63%	63%	61%	60%	67%	69%	65%
Under age 55	29%	37%	37%	29%	35%	31%	31%	35%	28%	35%	37%	41%	61%	60%	57%	59%	63%	67%	66%	66%	63%	70%	72%	68%
Higher Income	29%	30%	34%	26%	32%	27%	26%	30%	29%	27%	34%	39%	48%	51%	51%	48%	54%	60%	56%	58%	56%	63%	60%	59%
Age 55+	28%	29%	33%	23%	30%	27%	27%	30%	25%	29%	32%	40%	48%	53%	51%	49%	54%	59%	59%	56%	56%	62%	63%	59%
Men	27%	37%	36%	23%	32%	29%	31%	33%	28%	33%	32%	40%	48%	52%	52%	48%	50%	59%	57%	59%	57%	63%	68%	55%
Metro NYC	25%	32%	29%	26%	31%	27%	29%	30%	24%	30%	30%	36%	57%	60%	55%	58%	63%	60%	65%	61%	61%	68%	66%	64%

													G	as an	d Foc	d Im	pact S	Seriou	ısnes	s Ind	ex			
	Gas and food having a somewhat or												or very	seriou	ıs impa	act on	finance	es as c	ompar	ed to	not a v	ery' o	r 'not a	t all' a
	Gasoline										Food													
	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun
	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015
Upstate NY	71	74	92	63	75	69	63	75	65	74	88	98	110	107	112	107	106	135	118	123	120	133	146	136
Lower Income	70	84	81	74	79	81	79	80	57	84	81	92	133	135	133	145	148	151	148	139	140	151	163	143
Democrats	66	64	56	59	63	51	48	64	51	59	61	79	117	115	113	115	126	125	133	114	115	144	129	134
Women	64	66	73	65	73	65	59	69	56	70	81	88	127	126	116	127	136	135	137	128	127	145	140	148
Under age 55	62	77	76	64	73	66	64	74	57	73	79	86	121	120	114	120	125	133	133	132	126	142	145	137
Republicans	62	73	94	57	73	80	82	75	59	77	77	102	103	109	115	98	118	121	135	130	128	133	145	136
New York State	61	71	74	59	69	62	61	69	57	69	75	85	112	116	112	113	118	127	126	123	122	136	138	131
Age 55+	60	63	69	51	62	55	56	63	55	61	69	82	97	106	102	99	109	118	118	114	113	125	128	122
Higher Income	59	63	68	56	66	54	52	62	58	55	70	79	97	103	102	97	108	119	113	116	112	126	121	119
Men	58	77	74	51	65	61	65	69	58	67	69	82	97	104	106	97	100	118	115	119	116	127	137	111
Metro NYC	55	69	63	56	66	59	60	64	51	65	66	76	114	121	111	117	127	121	132	123	124	138	133	128

	Both Gas and Food														
	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun			
	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015			
Upstate NY	26%	28%	33%	25%	31%	28%	27%	29%	27%	33%	38%	42%			
Lower Income	29%	34%	30%	32%	33%	33%	34%	32%	23%	34%	35%	38%			
Democrats	26%	26%	22%	21%	27%	20%	21%	25%	18%	26%	22%	33%			
Republicans	27%	26%	36%	19%	30%	32%	36%	28%	24%	32%	35%	45%			
Women	25%	26%	27%	26%	32%	24%	24%	26%	23%	30%	33%	39%			
New York State	23%	27%	27%	22%	29%	25%	25%	27%	22%	29%	30%	36%			
Under age 55	24%	29%	37%	23%	31%	26%	27%	31%	22%	31%	32%	37%			
Higher Income	22%	23%	26%	19%	27%	22%	20%	25%	23%	24%	29%	33%			
Age 55+	23%	24%	33%	20%	24%	22%	24%	24%	20%	25%	27%	33%			
Men	22%	28%	26%	19%	25%	25%	27%	28%	21%	27%	28%	32%			
Metro NYC	21%	27%	23%	21%	27%	23%	24%	26%	19%	26%	25%	32%			

serious impact														
					Bot	h Gas	and F	ood						
	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Nov	Sep	Jun	Mar	Dec	Sep	Jun		
	2018	2017	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016	2016	2015	2015	2015		
Upstate NY	91	90	102	85	91	102	90	99	93	103	117	117		
Lower Income	101	109	107	109	113	116	114	110	98	117	122	118		
Democrats	91	89	85	87	95	88	91	89	83	102	95	106		
Women	95	96	95	96	105	100	98	98	91	108	110	118		
Under age 55	92	98	95	92	99	100	99	103	92	108	112	111		
Republicans	82	91	104	78	95	100	108	103	93	105	111	119		
New York State	86	93	93	86	94	94	94	96	89	102	107	108		
Age 55+	79	84	86	75	85	87	87	88	84	93	98	99		
Higher Income	78	83	85	77	87	87	83	89	85	91	95	102		
Men	78	90	90	74	83	90	90	94	87	97	103	97		
Metro NYC	85	95	87	86	96	90	96	94	88	101	99	102		