

Global @dvisor

The Economic Pulse of the World

Citizens in 26 Countries Assess the Current State of their Country's Economy for a Total Global Perspective

These are the findings of the *Global @dvisor* Wave 102 (G@102), an Ipsos survey conducted between October 20th and November 3rd, 2017.

- The survey instrument is conducted monthly in 26 countries around the world via the Ipsos Online Panel system. The countries reporting herein are Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Great Britain, Germany, Hungary, India, Israel, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United States of America.
- For the results of the survey presented herein, an international sample of 18,940 adults aged 18-64 in the US, Israel and Canada, and age 16-64 in all other countries, were interviewed. Approximately 1000+ individuals participated on a country by country basis via the Ipsos Online Panel with the exception of Argentina, Belgium, Hungary, Israel, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden and Turkey, where each have a sample approximately 500+. The precision of Ipsos online polls are calculated using a credibility interval with a poll of 1,000 accurate to +/- 3.1 percentage points and of 500 accurate to +/- 4.5 percentage points. For more information on the Ipsos use of credibility intervals, please visit the Ipsos website.
- 17 of the 26 countries surveyed online generate nationally representative samples in their countries (Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, France, Germany, Great Britain, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Japan, Poland, Serbia, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, and United States).
- Brazil, China, India, Mexico, Peru, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa and Turkey produce a national sample that is more urban & educated, and with higher incomes than their fellow citizens. We refer to these respondents as "Upper Deck Consumer Citizens". They are not nationally representative of their country.

ANALYTIC COMPONENTS...

There are three analytic components that make up the findings of this monthly Economic Pulse report. Each question is tracked and analyzed from questions dealing with:

- ① The currently perceived macroeconomic state of the respondent's country:
- Thinking about our economic situation, how would you describe the current economic situation in [insert country]? Is it very good, somewhat good, somewhat bad or very bad?
- **②** The currently perceived state of the local economy:
- Rate the current state of the economy in your local area using a scale from 1 to 7, where 7 means a very strong economy today and 1 means a very weak economy.
- ③ A six month outlook for the local economy:
- Looking ahead six months from now, do you expect the economy in your local area to be much stronger, somewhat stronger, about the same, somewhat weaker, or much weaker than it is now?



Global Average of National Economic Assessment Unchanged: 47%

- The average global economic assessment of national economies surveyed in 26 countries remains unchanged this wave with 47% of global citizens rating their national economies as 'good'.
- Regaining all points lost last wave, China (87%) has the top spot in the national economic assessment category again this month, followed by Saudi Arabia (80%), Germany (80%), India (76%), Sweden (75%), Canada (68%), Peru (61%), Australia (60%), the United States (60%) and Israel (57%). Brazil (11%) is at the lowest spot in this assessment, followed by South Africa (15%), Italy (17%), France (25%), Spain (26%), South Korea (27%), Hungary (27%), Mexico (27%) and Serbia (33%).
- Countries with the greatest improvements in this wave: Serbia (33%, +8 pts.), Russia (44%, +8 pts.), South Africa (15%, +5 pts.), Argentina (38%, +4 pts.), China (87%, +3 pts.), South Korea (27%, +2 pts.), India (76%, +2 pts.), Belgium (53%, +2 pts.), Japan (40%, +1 pts.) and Canada (68%, +1 pts.).
- Countries with the greatest declines: Poland (49%, -11 pts.), Australia (60%, -9 pts.), Turkey (36%, -4 pts.), Saudi Arabia (80%, -3 pts.), Sweden (75%, -3 pts.), the United States (60%, -3 pts.), Brazil (11%, -2 pts.), Peru (61%, -2 pts.) and Spain (26%, -2 pts.).

Global Average of Local Economic Assessment (34%) Down One Point

- When asked to assess their local economy, <u>over one third (34%) of those surveyed in 26 countries agree that the state of the current economy in their local area is 'good'. The local economic assessment is down one point since last sounding.</u>
- China (73%) is the top country in the local assessment category, followed by Sweden (63%), Germany (58%), Saudi Arabia (57%), India (54%), Israel (51%), the United States (49%), Canada (44%), Australia (40%) Peru (36%) and Poland (36%). Serbia (11%) is the lowest ranked country again in this category this month, followed by South Africa (14%), Italy (16%), Brazil (16%), Japan (20%), France (20%), Hungary (20%), South Korea (21%), Spain (22%) and Mexico (23%).
- Countries with the greatest improvements in this wave: Turkey (31%, +5 pts.), Russia (29%, +4 pts.), China (73%, +4 pts.), South Africa (14%, +3 pts.), Japan (20%, +3 pts.) and Italy (16%, +2 pts.).
- Countries with the greatest declines in this wave: Australia (40%, -10 pts.), Israel (51%, -5 pts.), the United States (49%, -5 pts.), Hungary (20%, -4 pts.), Germany (58%, -3 pts.), India (54%, -3 pts.), Poland (36%, -3 pts.), Belgium (32%, -2 pts.) and Brazil (16%, -2 pts.).

Global Average of <u>Future Outlook for Local Economy (28%) Down One</u> Point

- The future outlook is down one point since last sounding, with over one quarter (28%) of global citizens surveyed in 26 countries expecting their local economy to be stronger six months from now.
- China (64%) takes the lead at the top of this assessment category, followed by India (56%), Saudi Arabia (56%), Brazil (51%), Argentina (51%), Peru (49%), the United States (33%), Sweden (31%) and Mexico (30%). Great Britain (10%) has the lowest future outlook score this month, followed by France (10%), South Africa (11%), Italy (12%), Hungary (12%), Israel (15%), Japan (15%), Serbia (16%), Belgium (18%), Spain (20%), Australia (21%) and Canada (23%).
- Countries with the greatest improvements in this wave: Israel (15%, +5 pts.), China (64%, +5 pts.), Sweden (31%, +4 pts.), Belgium (18%, +4 pts.), Poland (27%, +3 pts.), Turkey (27%, +2 pts.), South Korea (24%, +2 pts.) and Japan (15%, +2 pts.).
- Countries with the greatest declines in this wave: Australia (21%, -6 pts.), Brazil (51%, -6 pts.), India (56%, -6 pts.), Russia (25%, -5 pts.), France (10%, -4 pts.), Argentina (51%, -3 pts.), Great Britain (10%, -3 pts.), Peru (49%, -3 pts.), South Africa (11%, -3 pts.), Germany (24%, -2 pts.), Hungary (12%, -2 pts.) and Spain (20%, -2 pts.).

1. National Economic Assessments: Countries at a Glance Compared to the Last Wave...

| Those Countries Where the Local National Economic Assessment | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|--|----|-----------------------------------|------|----------------------|-----|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| is HIGHEST this | month | has experience IMPROVEMENT si sounding | | has experienced a since last sour | | is LOWEST this month | | | | | | | |
| China | 87% | Serbia | 8% | Poland | -11% | Great Britain | 40% | | | | | | |
| Saudi Arabia | 80% | Russia | 8% | Australia | -9% | Japan | 40% | | | | | | |
| Germany | 80% | South Africa | 5% | Turkey | -4% | Argentina | 38% | | | | | | |
| India | 76% | Argentina | 4% | Saudi Arabia | -3% | Turkey | 36% | | | | | | |
| Sweden | 75% | China | 3% | Sweden | -3% | Serbia | 33% | | | | | | |
| Canada | 68% | South Korea | 2% | US | -3% | Mexico | 27% | | | | | | |
| Peru | 61% | India | 2% | Brazil | -2% | Hungary | 27% | | | | | | |
| Australia | 60% | Belgium | 2% | Peru | -2% | South Korea | 27% | | | | | | |
| US | 60% | Japan | 1% | Spain | -2% | Spain | 26% | | | | | | |
| Israel | 57% | Canada | 1% | Great Britain | -1% | France | 25% | | | | | | |
| Belgium | 53% | | | Israel | -1% | Italy | 17% | | | | | | |
| Poland | 49% | | | Mexico | -1% | South Africa | 15% | | | | | | |
| Russia | 44% | | | | | Brazil | 11% | | | | | | |

1. National Economic Assessment: Regions at a Glance Compared to the Last Wave...

| REGION (in descending order by NET) | NET 'Good' | CHANGE (since last sounding) |
|---|---------------|------------------------------|
| North America | 64% | -1% |
| APAC | 56% | 2% |
| BRIC | 55% | 3% |
| G-8 Countries | 47% | 1% |
| Middle East/Africa | 47% | -1% |
| Europe | 43% | 0% |
| LATAM | 34% | 0% |

2. Local Economic Assessment: Countries at a Glance Compared to the Last Wave...

| Those Countries Where the Local Area Economic Assessment | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------|--|--------|-----------------------------------|------|----------------------|-----|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| is HIGHEST this | month | has experience IMPROVEMENT si sounding | | has experienced a since last soun | | is LOWEST this month | | | | | | | |
| China | 73% | Turkey | 5% | Australia | -10% | Argentina | 30% | | | | | | |
| Sweden | 63% | Russia | 4% | Israel | -5% | Great Britain | 29% | | | | | | |
| Germany | 58% | China | 4% | US | -5% | Russia | 29% | | | | | | |
| Saudi Arabia | 57% | South Africa | 3% | Hungary | -4% | Mexico | 23% | | | | | | |
| India | 54% | Japan | 3% | Germany | -3% | Spain | 22% | | | | | | |
| Israel | 51% | Italy | 2% | India | -3% | South Korea | 21% | | | | | | |
| US | 49% | Spain | 1% | Poland | -3% | Hungary | 20% | | | | | | |
| Canada | 44% | South Korea | 1% | Belgium | -2% | France | 20% | | | | | | |
| Australia | 40% | Serbia | 1% | Brazil | -2% | Japan | 20% | | | | | | |
| Poland | 36% | Peru | 1% | France | -1% | Brazil | 16% | | | | | | |
| Peru | 36% | Mexico | 1% | Saudi Arabia | -1% | Italy | 16% | | | | | | |
| Belgium | 32% | Argentina | 1% | | | South Africa | 14% | | | | | | |
| Turkey | 31% | | Serbia | 11% | | | | | | | | | |

2. Local Economic Assessment: Regions at a Glance Compared to the Last

Wave...

| REGION (in descending order by NET) | NET 'Strong' Top 3 Box (5-6-7) | CHANGE (since last sounding) |
|---|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| North America | 47% | -2% |
| BRIC | 43% | 1% |
| APAC | 40% | 0% |
| Middle East/Africa | 38% | 0% |
| G-8 Countries | 33% | 0% |
| Europe | 31% | -1% |
| LATAM | 26% | 0% |

3. Six Month Outlook on the Local Economy: Countries at a Glance Compared to the Last Wave...

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|-----------------|-------|---|----|-----------------------------------|-----|----------------------|-----|--|--|--|--|--|
| is HIGHEST this | month | has experience IMPROVEMENT sin sounding | | has experienced a since last soun | | is LOWEST this month | | | | | | |
| China | 64% | Israel | 5% | Australia | -6% | South Korea | 24% | | | | | |
| India | 56% | China | 5% | Brazil | -6% | Canada | 23% | | | | | |
| Saudi Arabia | 56% | Sweden | 4% | India | -6% | Australia | 21% | | | | | |
| Brazil | 51% | Belgium | 4% | Russia | -5% | Spain | 20% | | | | | |
| Argentina | 51% | Poland | 3% | France | -4% | Belgium | 18% | | | | | |
| Peru | 49% | Turkey | 2% | Argentina | -3% | Serbia | 16% | | | | | |
| US | 33% | South Korea | 2% | Great Britain | -3% | Japan | 15% | | | | | |
| Sweden | 31% | Japan | 2% | Peru | -3% | Israel | 15% | | | | | |
| Mexico | 30% | Serbia | 1% | South Africa | -3% | Hungary | 12% | | | | | |
| Turkey | 27% | Saudi Arabia | 1% | Germany | -2% | Italy | 12% | | | | | |
| Poland | 27% | Italy | 1% | Hungary | -2% | South Africa | 11% | | | | | |
| Russia | 25% | Canada | 1% | Spain | -2% | France | 10% | | | | | |
| Germany | 24% | | | Mexico | -1% | Great Britain | 10% | | | | | |

3. Six Month Outlook on Local Economy: Regions at a Glance Compared to Last Wave...

| REGION (in descending order by NET) | NET 'Stronger' | CHANGE (since last sounding) |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
| BRIC | 49% | -3% |
| LATAM | 46% | -3% |
| APAC | 34% | -2% |
| North America | 28% | 0% |
| Middle East/Africa | 27% | 1% |
| G-8 Countries | 19% | -1% |
| Europe | 18% | 0% |

DETAILED FINDINGS



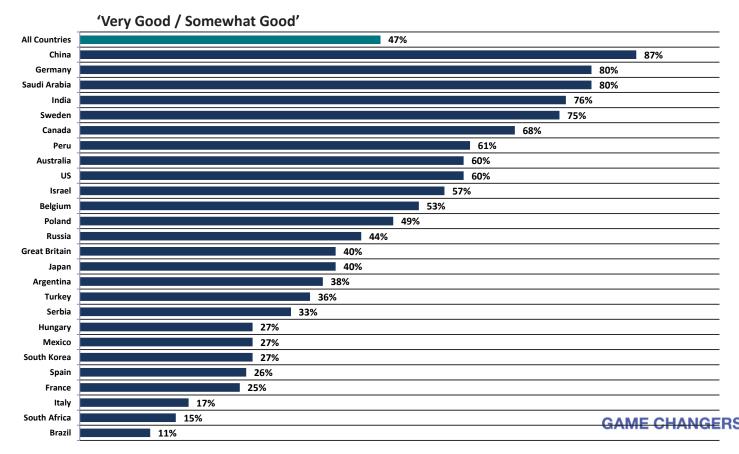


Assessing The Current Economic Situation

in Their Country

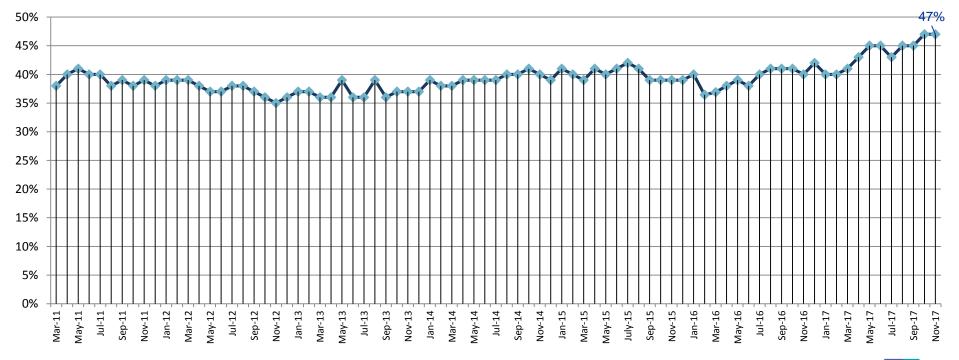


Global Citizens Assess the Current Economic Situation in their Country as "Good"





Global Average Tracked - Global Citizens Assess the Current Economic Situation in their Country as "Good":... Total Good

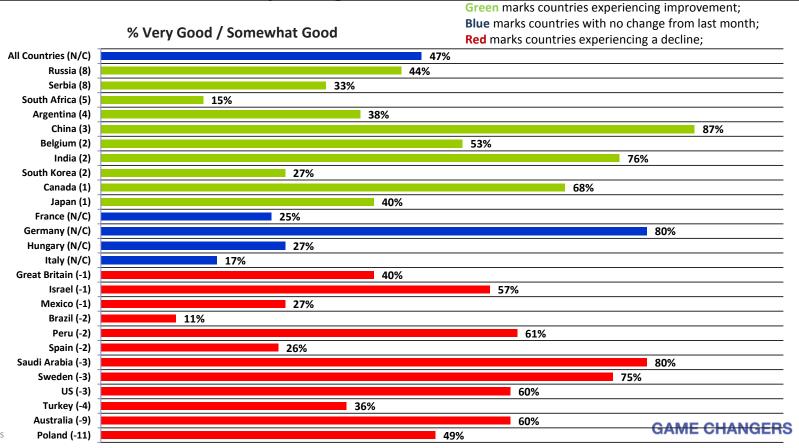


For All Countries Tracked: Citizens Assess the Current Economic Situation in their Country as "Good"

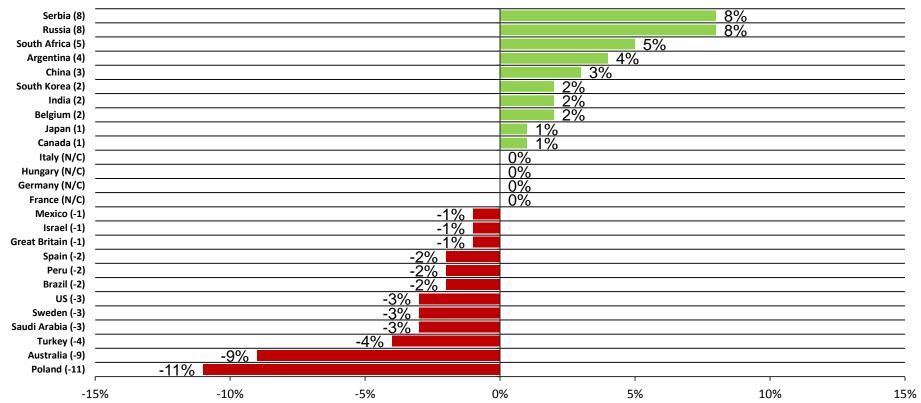
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| | | | | | | | | June '15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Oct `17 | |
| Total | | | | | | | | 41% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | | | _ | | | | _ | 28% | | | | _ | | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | _ | | _ | 33% | | 38% |
| Australia | | | | | | | | 56% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium | | | | | | | | 44% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | _ | | _ | | | |
| Brazil | | | | 12% | | | | | 12% | | | 8% | 8% | 4% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 8% | 7% | | | 12% | | 9% | 9% | 13% | | 10% | | 9% | 10% | 9% | 12% | | 17% | | 11% |
| Canada | | | | | - | | | 60% | | | | | | | | | - 1 | | - | | | | | | | | | | - | | | | | | | | |
| China | | | | | | | | 75% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| France | 6% | 7% | 7% | 10% | | | _ | 12% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21% | | | | | | _ | | _ | | 25% | |
| Germany | 74% | 75% | 81% | 76% | 79% | 74% | 76% | 75% | 78% | 79% | 77% | 73% | 71% | 74% | 79% | 72% | 67% | 74% | 73% | 74% | 78% | 76% | 75% | 75% | 77% | 76% | 77% | 74% | 81% | 79% | 81% | 82% | 79% | 80% | 80% | 80% | 80% |
| Great Britain | | | | | | | | 55% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hungary India | | | | | | | | 83% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | _ | | _ | | | |
| Israel | 01/0 | 01/0 | 00% | | | | | 48% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Italy | 8% | 7% | 8% | 8% | 9% | 10% | 9% | | | 12% | | | | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | 18% | _ | | | | | _ | | _ | | | |
| Japan | | | | 2112 | | | | 30% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 34% | | |
| Mexico | | | _ | | | | _ | 28% | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peru | | | | | | 00/1 | | | 00/12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 63% | |
| Poland | 35% | 33% | 28% | 27% | 29% | 30% | 29% | 33% | 29% | 35% | 35% | 36% | 30% | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | _ | | _ | | _ | |
| Russia | 41% | 36% | 26% | 28% | 32% | 33% | 43% | 36% | 37% | 38% | 34% | 30% | 29% | 36% | 32% | 21% | 28% | 25% | 28% | 26% | 27% | 29% | 28% | 28% | 29% | 29% | 33% | 32% | 33% | 34% | 35% | 32% | 36% | 37% | 34% | 36% | 44% |
| Saudi Arabia | 85% | 84% | 87% | 94% | 92% | 93% | 90% | 91% | 91% | 90% | 87% | 90% | 91% | 90% | 86% | 88% | 89% | 86% | 91% | 88% | 91% | 87% | 78% | 80% | 82% | 79% | 80% | 78% | 74% | 79% | 87% | 84% | 80% | 76% | 81% | 83% | 80% |
| Serbia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21% | 27% | 32% | 31% | 32% | 33% | 32% | 27% | 25% | 33% |
| South Africa | 26% | 23% | 26% | 27% | 18% | 25% | 17% | 20% | 17% | 21% | 16% | 19% | 18% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 9% | 11% | 17% | 13% | 12% | 12% | 17% | 18% | 15% | 15% | 16% | 18% | 18% | 17% | 13% | 14% | 9% | 13% | 14% | 10% | 15% |
| South Korea | 11% | 12% | 13% | 13% | 13% | 14% | 16% | 15% | 14% | 14% | 14% | 18% | 12% | 13% | 11% | 13% | 13% | 13% | 13% | 10% | 13% | 14% | 13% | 15% | 10% | 15% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 10% | 13% | 23% | 24% | 24% | 20% | 25% | 27% |
| Spain | 10% | | | | | | | 13% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sweden | | | _ | | | | _ | 66% | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | | |
| Turkey | | | | | | | | 32% | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| United States | 41% | 44% | 51% | 47% | 47% | 48% | 47% | 44% | 43% | 48% | 42% | 43% | 44% | 45% | 45% | 44% | 45% | 46% | 48% | 48% | 49% | 53% | 50% | 48% | 45% | 55% | 52% | 55% | 57% | 59% | 57% | 62% | 57% | 61% | 61% | 63% | 60% |

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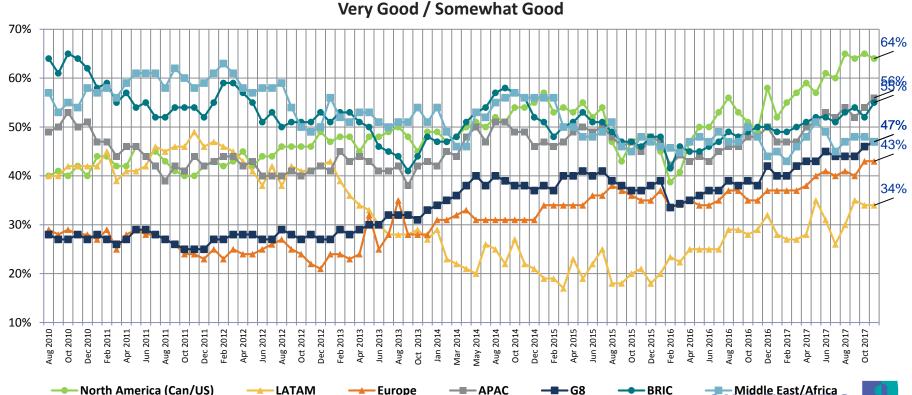
Countries Ranked and Marked By Change In Assessment From Last Month (Left Column)



Countries Ranked by Net Improvement, Decline or No Change Compared to Last Month:



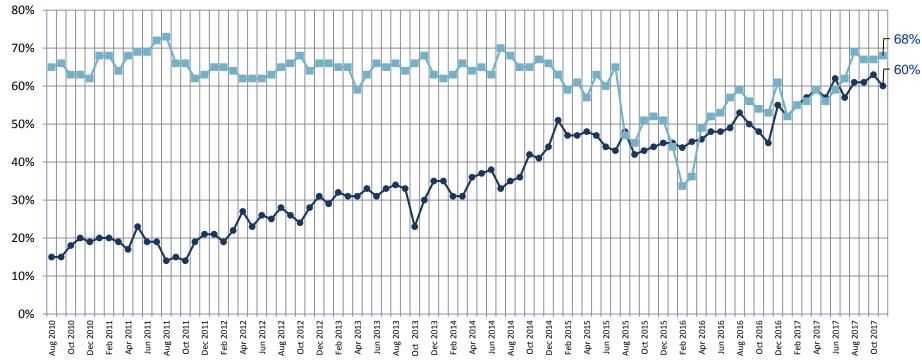
Assessing the Current Economic Situation by All Regions:





North American (Canada/US) Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation





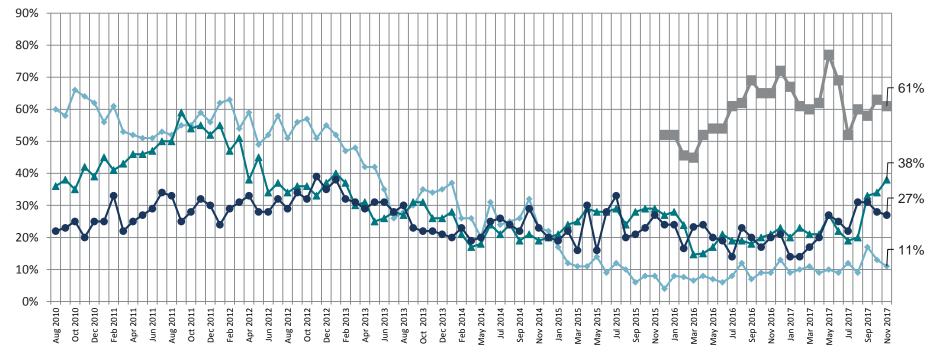






LATAM Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation

Very Good / Somewhat Good

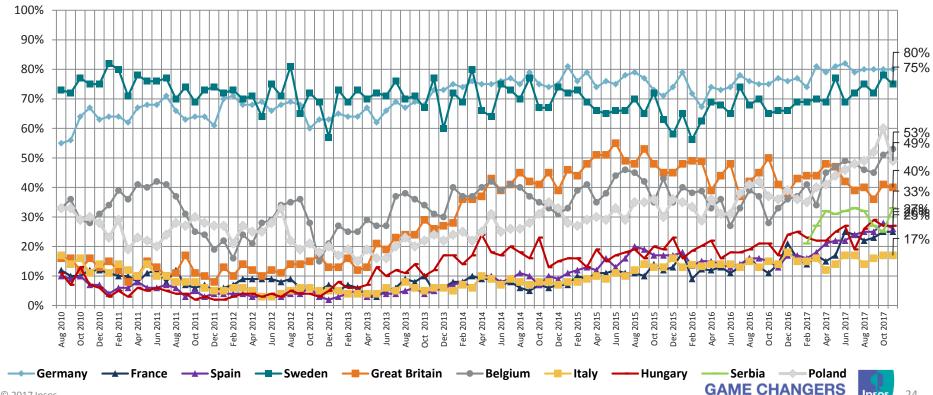


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European Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation

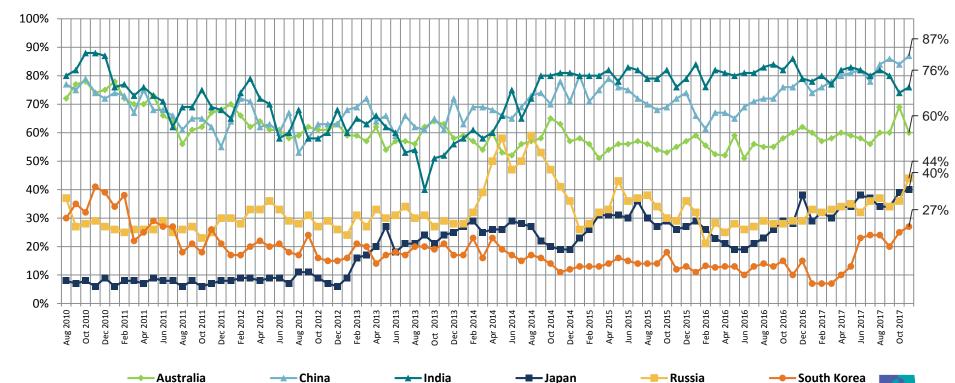
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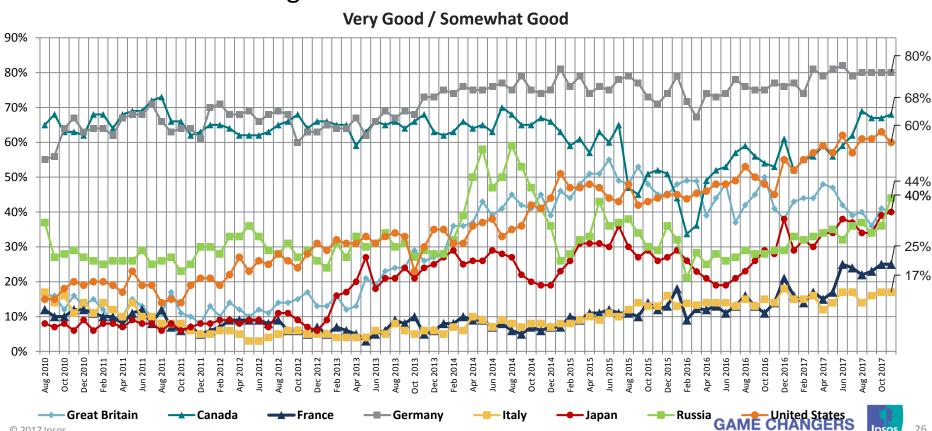
APAC Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation

Very Good / Somewhat Good





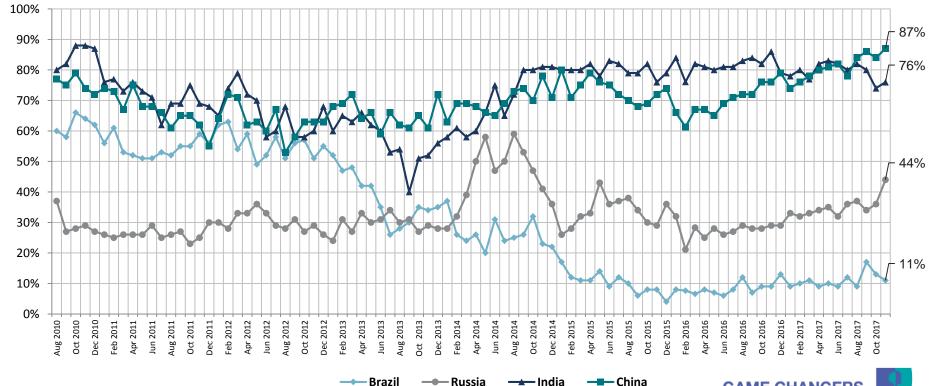
G8 Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation





BRIC Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation

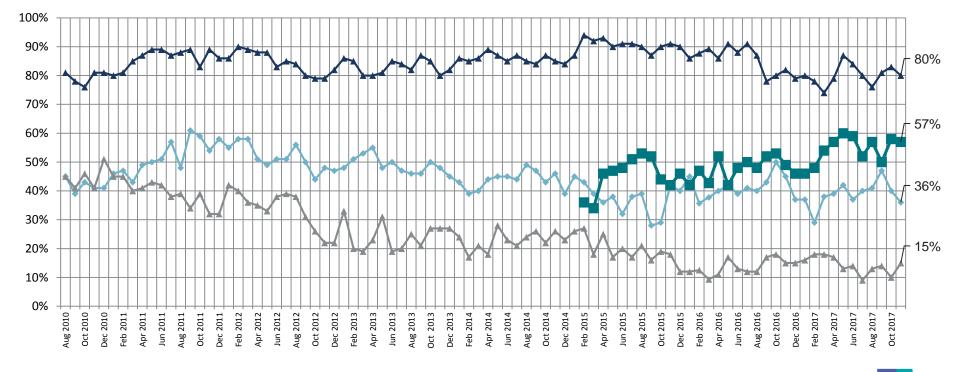
Very Good / Somewhat Good



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Middle East/African Countries - Assessing the Current Economic Situation Very Good / Somewhat Good



----South Africa

---Israel

→ Saudi Arabia



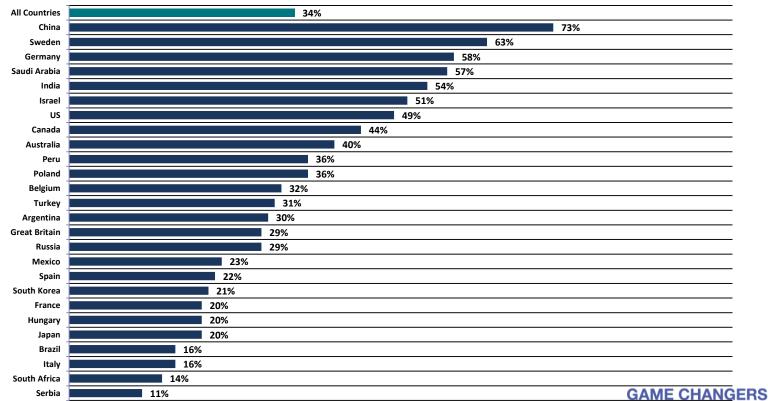
2 Assessing The Economy...

...in Their Local Area



Citizen Consumers Who Say The Economy In Their Local Area is Strong...

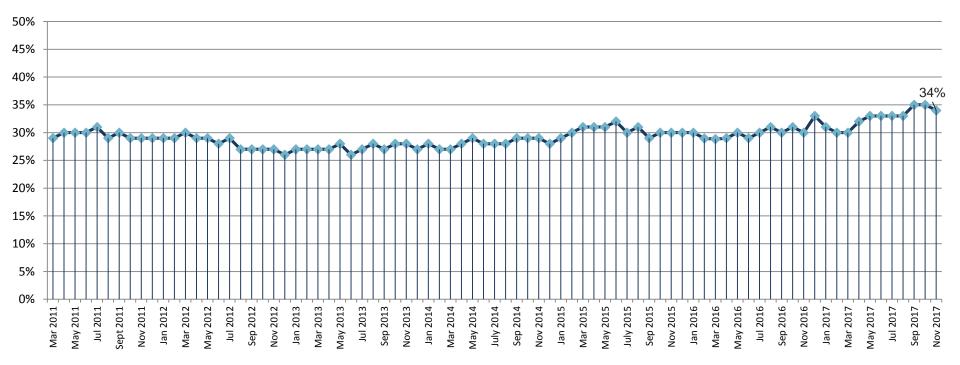
% Strong (Top 3: 5-6-7)





Citizen Consumers Who Say The Economy In Their Local Area is Strong

Total - % Strong (Top 3: 5-6-7)



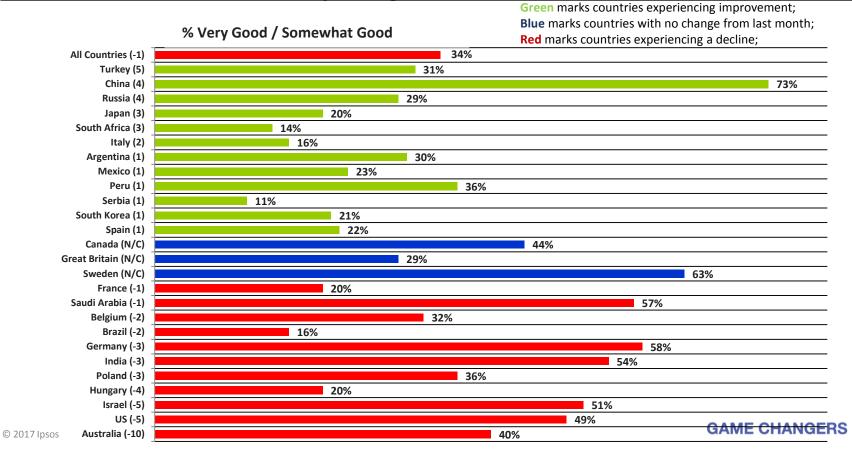
Rate the current state of the economy in your local area using a scale from 1 to 7, where 7 means a very strong economy today and 1 means a very weak economy. % Strong (Top 3 5-6-7)

Citizen Consumers Who Say The **Economy In Their Local Area** is Strong

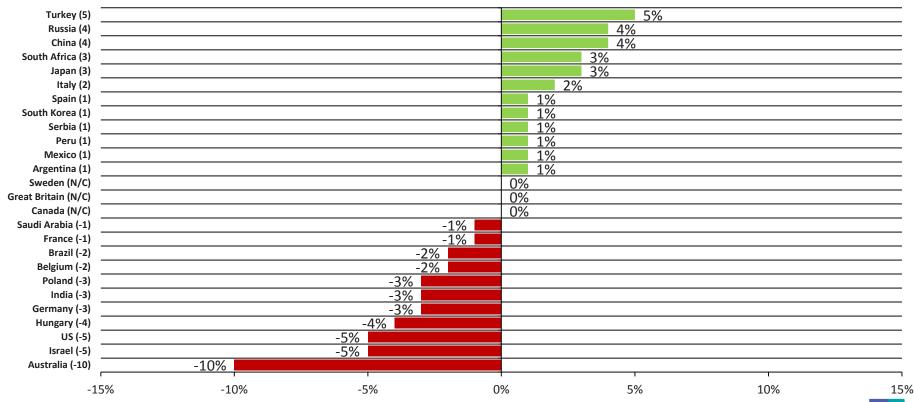
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| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | June | July | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov |
| | '14 | '14 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '15 | '16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `16 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 | `17 |
| Total | 29% | 28% | 29% | 30% | 31% | 31% | 31% | 32% | 30% | 31% | 29% | 30% | 30% | 30% | 30% | 29% | 29% | 29% | 30% | 29% | 30% | 31% | 30% | 31% | 30% | 33% | 31% | 30% | 30% | 32% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 33% | 35% | 35% | 34% |
| Argentina | 21% | 17% | 17% | 19% | 22% | 22% | 21% | 19% | 21% | 20% | 20% | 22% | 22% | 18% | 20% | 20% | 14% | 16% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 15% | 14% | 16% | 15% | 21% | 17% | 19% | 18% | 19% | 19% | 19% | 16% | 18% | 29% | 29% | 30% |
| Australia | 40% | 38% | 37% | 35% | 35% | 34% | 32% | 34% | 34% | 35% | 35% | 33% | 36% | 42% | 32% | 38% | 34% | 33% | 39% | 32% | 37% | 36% | 34% | 38% | 38% | 39% | 38% | 38% | 37% | 40% | 40% | 38% | 39% | 41% | 41% | 50% | 40% |
| Belgium | 22% | 14% | 20% | 23% | 23% | 20% | 21% | 25% | 26% | 26% | 24% | 22% | 26% | 19% | 19% | 24% | 26% | 19% | 21% | 16% | 20% | 24% | 22% | 20% | 20% | 23% | 20% | 25% | 23% | 28% | 31% | 28% | 30% | 28% | 30% | 34% | 32% |
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| Saudi Arabia | 61% | 61% | 56% | 68% | 73% | 72% | 67% | 71% | 62% | 65% | 60% | 65% | 62% | 66% | 59% | 61% | 68% | 59% | 68% | 64% | 70% | 62% | 51% | 57% | 58% | 56% | 58% | 56% | 53% | 57% | 65% | 63% | 64% | 50% | 58% | 58% | 57% |
| Serbia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8% | 9% | 9% | 12% | 13% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 11% |
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| Sweden | 47% | | | | | | _ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | _ | | | | | | _ | | | 63% | |
| Turkey | 35% | 27% | 30% | 29% | 38% | 30% | 29% | 28% | 27% | 31% | 23% | 23% | 33% | 27% | 39% | 29% | 33% | 30% | 31% | 29% | 29% | 29% | 36% | 42% | 33% | 29% | 30% | 21% | 28% | 36% | 27% | 31% | 31% | 30% | 33% | 26% | 31% |
| United States | 35% | 34% | 40% | 38% | 40% | 39% | 38% | 37% | 35% | 38% | 35% | 37% | 36% | 36% | 36% | 40% | 40% | 38% | 40% | 39% | 39% | 48% | 43% | 46% | 39% | 46% | 43% | 47% | 46% | 50% | 49% | 53% | 46% | 49% | 53% | 54% | 49% |
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Countries Ranked and Marked By Change In Assessment From Last Month (Left Column):

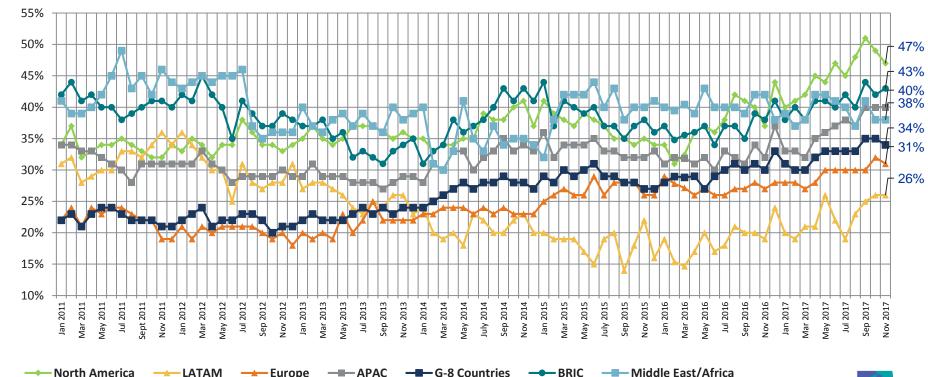


Countries Ranked by Net Improvement, Decline or No Change Compared to Last Month:



All Regions - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy

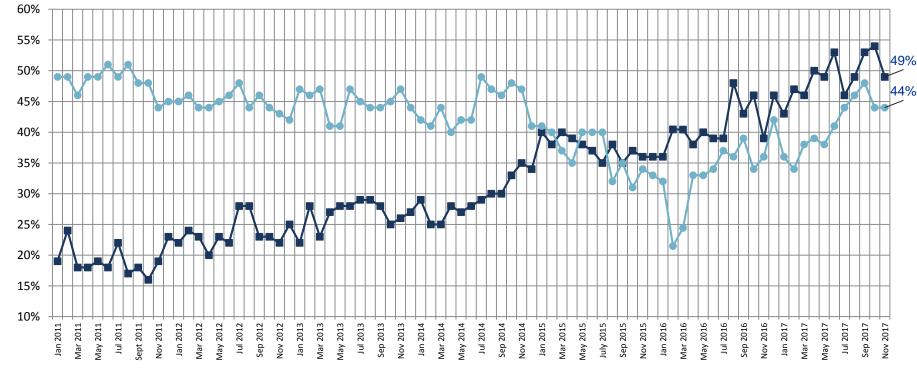
% Strong (Top 3 5-6-7)





North American Countries - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy

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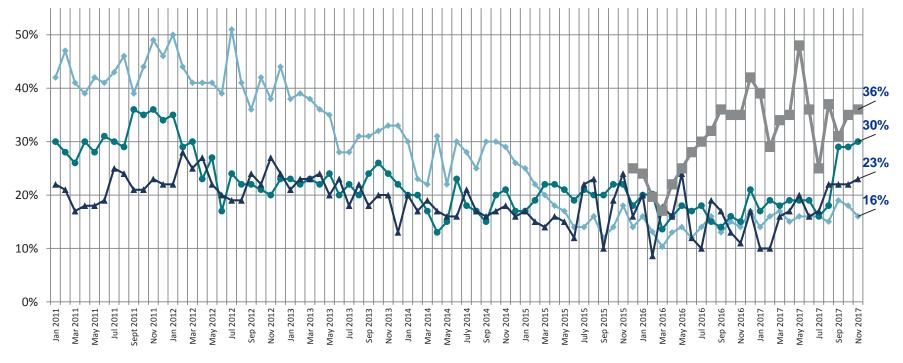






LATAM Countries - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy

% Strong (Top 3 5-6-7)



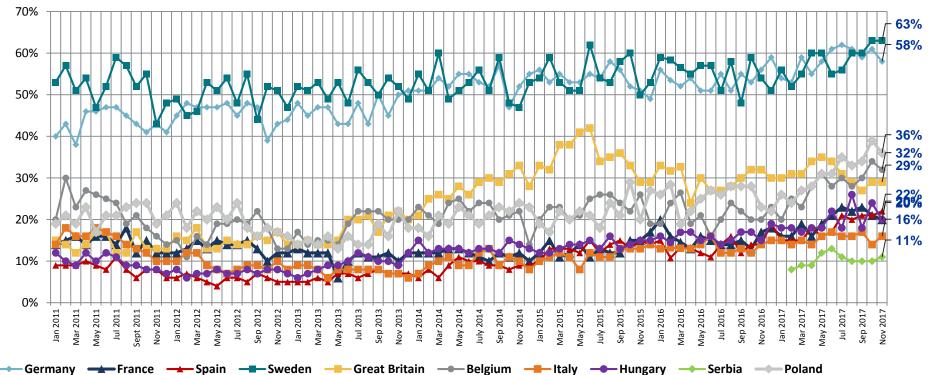
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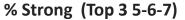
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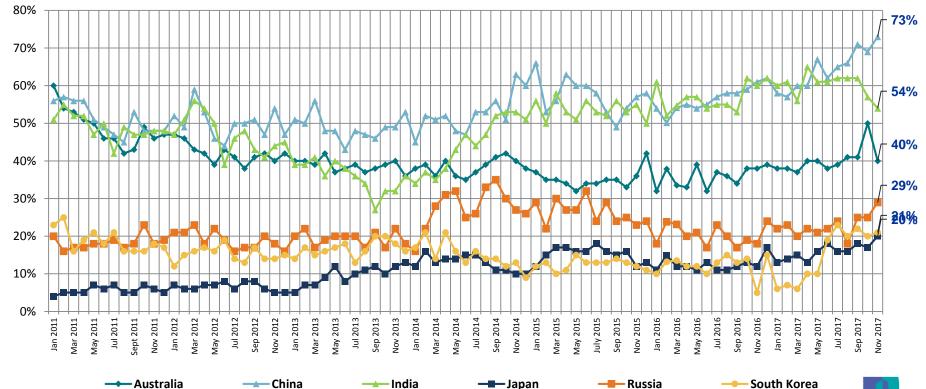
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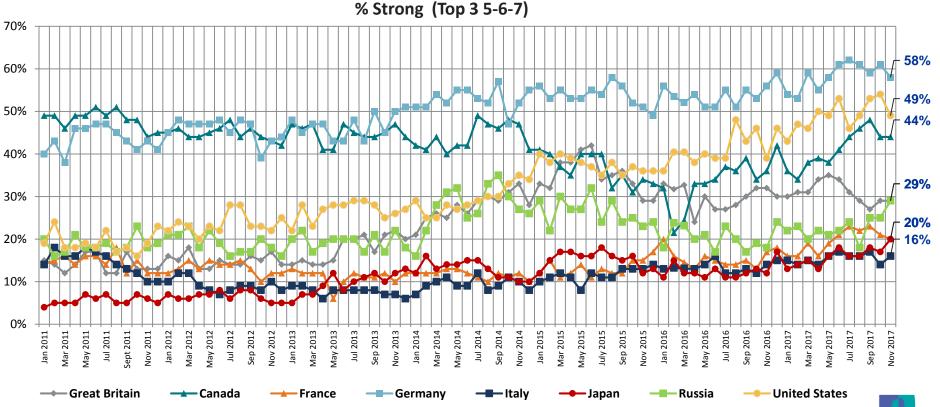
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G8 Countries - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy

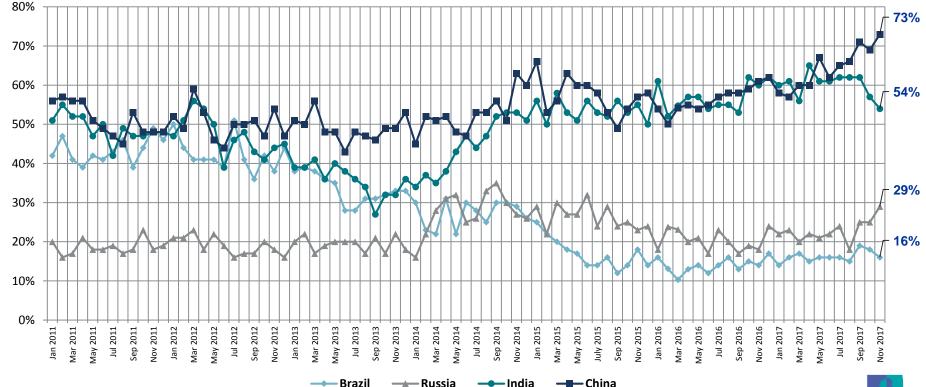


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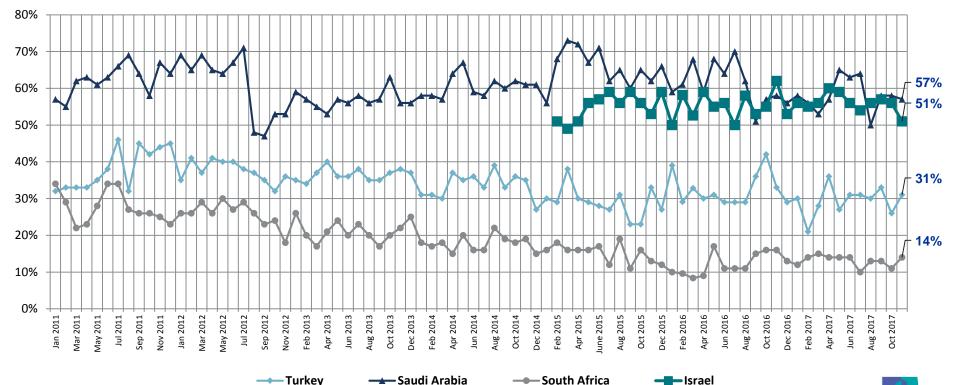
BRIC Countries - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy







Middle East/African Countries - Assess the Strength of Their Local Economy % Strong (Top 3 5-6-7)



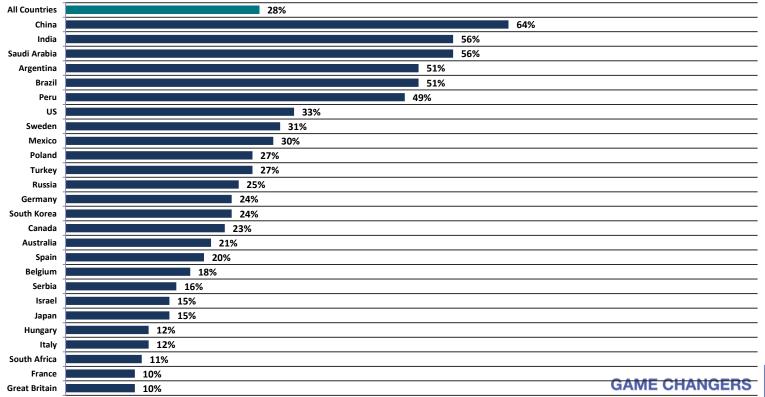
3 Assessing the Strength of The Local Economy...

...Six Months From Now



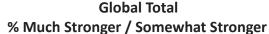
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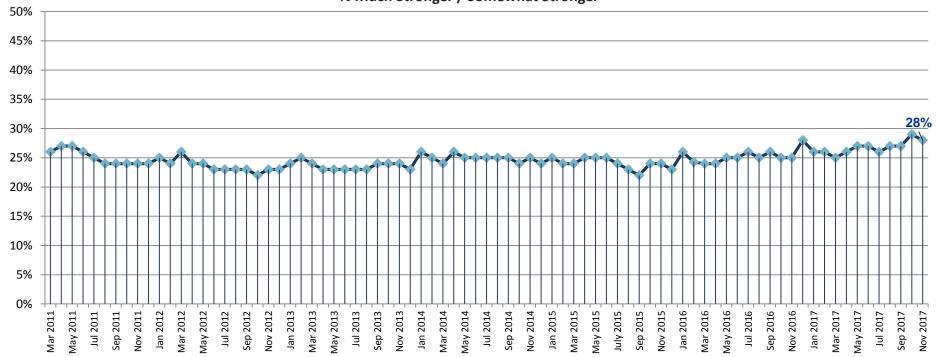
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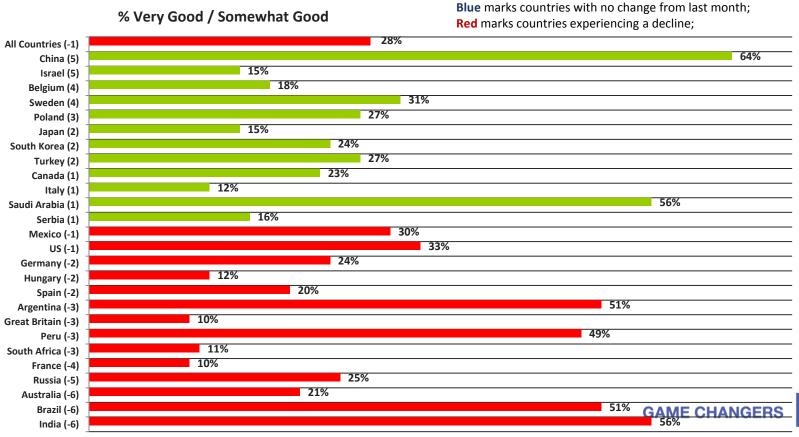
Looking ahead six months from now, do you expect the economy in your local area to be much stronger, somewhat stronger, about the same, somewhat weaker, or much weaker than it is now? % Much Stronger / Somewhat Stronger

Citizen Consumers Who Say The Economy in the Local Area to be Stronger in The Next Six Months...

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| Total | 25% | 24% | 25% | 24% | 24% | 25% | 25% | 25% | 24% | 23% | 22% | 24% | 24% | 23% | 26% | 24% | 24% | 24% | 25% | 25% | 26% | 25% | 26% | 25% | 25% | 28% | 26% | 26% | 25% | 26% | 27% | 27% | 26% | 27% | 27% | 29% | 28% |
| Argentina | 34% | 27% | 33% | 32% | 32% | 33% | 34% | 33% | 36% | 37% | 35% | 42% | 61% | 58% | 65% | 56% | 49% | 53% | 59% | 57% | 54% | 52% | 53% | 50% | 50% | 52% | 45% | 46% | 42% | 49% | 51% | 44% | 39% | 43% | 51% | 54% | 51% |
| Australia | 17% | 18% | 15% | 17% | 13% | 18% | 12% | 17% | 16% | 15% | 16% | 20% | 17% | 19% | 15% | 14% | 12% | 14% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 16% | 14% | 14% | 15% | 15% | 17% | 16% | 17% | 17% | 16% | 16% | 14% | 19% | 16% | 27% | 21% |
| Belgium | 11% | 6% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 11% | 12% | 14% | 14% | 12% | 11% | 9% | 12% | 9% | 10% | 10% | 12% | 7% | 11% | 8% | 8% | 12% | 8% | 6% | 8% | 9% | 12% | 11% | 10% | 13% | 12% | 10% | 15% | 15% | 14% | 14% | 18% |
| Brazil | 58% | 57% | 55% | 51% | 52% | 53% | 51% | 51% | 53% | 52% | 52% | 52% | 51% | 53% | 53% | 53% | 53% | 54% | 54% | 55% | 57% | 56% | 59% | 59% | 59% | 54% | 59% | 62% | 58% | 55% | 48% | 55% | 52% | 50% | 49% | 57% | 51% |
| Canada | 18% | 19% | 18% | 17% | 16% | 17% | 19% | 15% | 16% | 13% | 16% | 18% | 24% | 18% | 15% | 17% | 16% | 19% | 20% | 17% | 18% | 16% | 17% | 15% | 16% | 27% | 18% | 16% | 18% | 18% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 21% | 20% | 22% | 23% |
| China | 53% | 46% | 51% | 44% | 49% | 50% | 52% | 52% | 52% | 46% | 47% | 44% | 52% | 49% | 48% | 41% | 47% | 49% | 44% | 49% | 52% | 50% | 52% | 53% | 49% | 56% | 53% | 52% | 57% | 53% | 56% | 54% | 48% | 58% | 60% | 59% | 64% |
| France | 4% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 5% | 7% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 11% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 8% | 5% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 11% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 6% | 9% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 11% | 14% | 10% |
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| India | | | 62% | 64% | | | | | 63% | | | | 58% | 56% | | 57% | | | | 61% | | | | | 66% | 67% | _ | | 62% | | 70% | | 64% | | | | 56% |
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| Mexico | 31% | 30% | 33% | 38% | 25% | 30% | 28% | 30% | 30% | 30% | 22% | 41% | 32% | 24% | 32% | 31% | 31% | 26% | 27% | 30% | 27% | 28% | 32% | 27% | 22% | 25% | 20% | 20% | 27% | 26% | 28% | 27% | 23% | 29% | 29% | 31% | 30% |
| Peru | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 47% | 49% | 53% | 48% | 47% | 58% | 58% | 67% | 69% | 65% | 60% | 64% | 58% | 52% | 46% | 54% | 48% | 53% | 54% | 53% | 57% | 51% | 52% | 49% |
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| Saudi Arabia | 50% | 51% | 47% | 60% | 66% | 58% | 63% | 66% | 58% | 58% | 48% | 55% | 49% | 53% | 51% | 51% | 52% | 51% | 62% | 58% | 64% | 52% | 47% | 48% | 55% | 55% | 55% | 51% | 49% | 52% | 64% | 55% | 52% | 45% | 52% | 55% | 56% |
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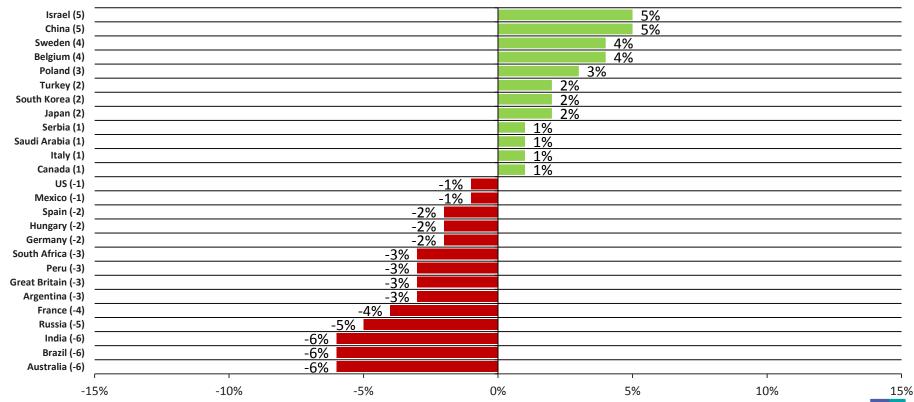
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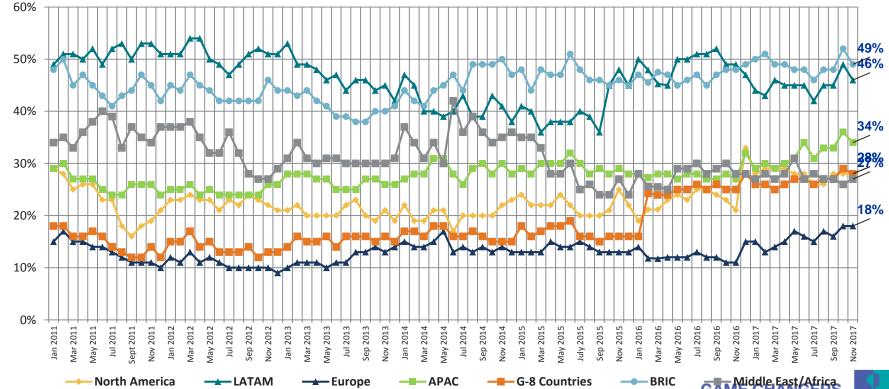


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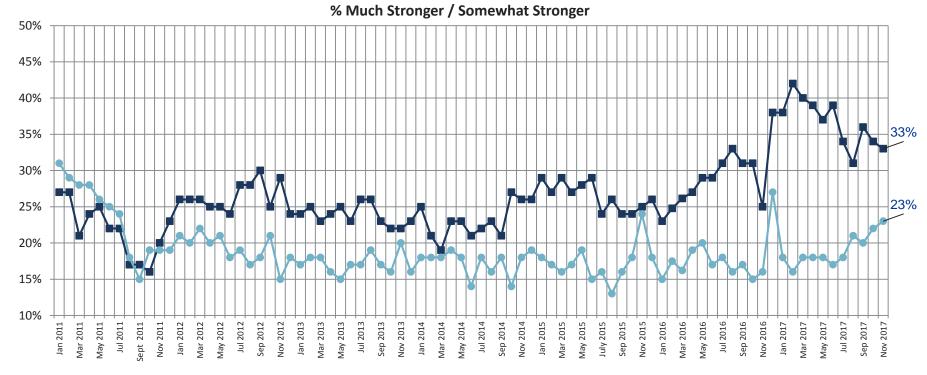


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North American Countries - Citizen Consumers Who Say The Economy in the Local Area to be Stronger in The Next Six Months



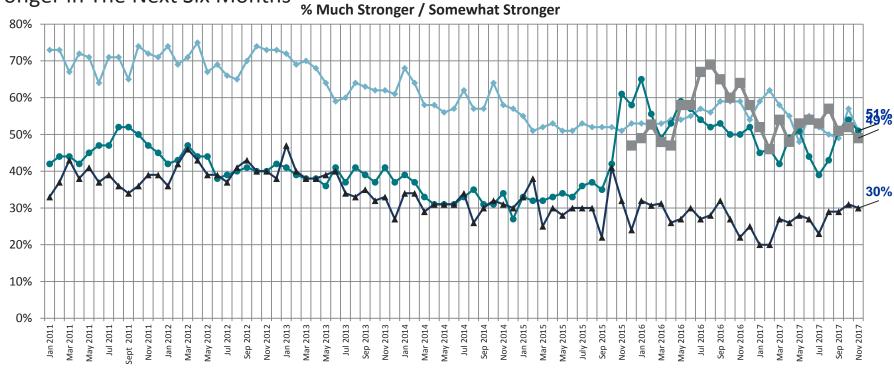
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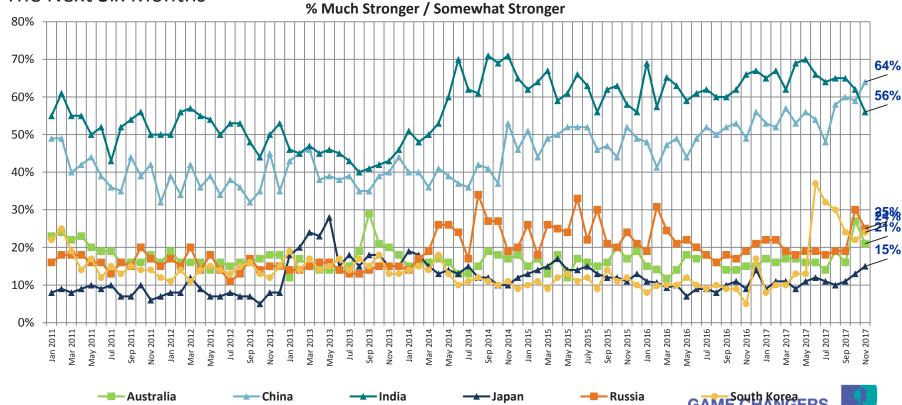
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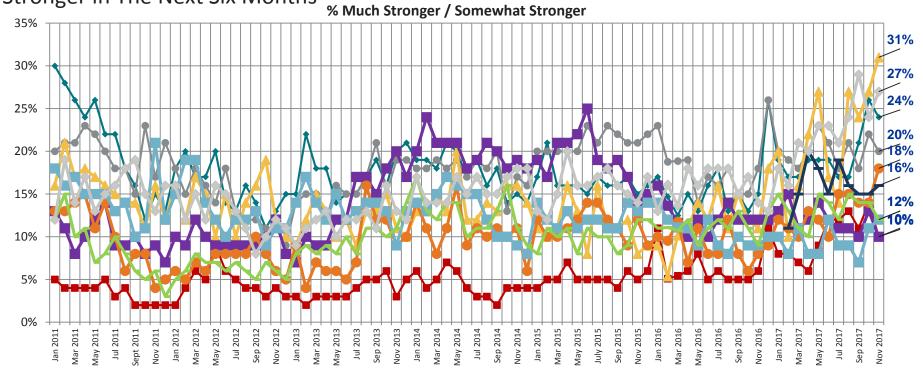


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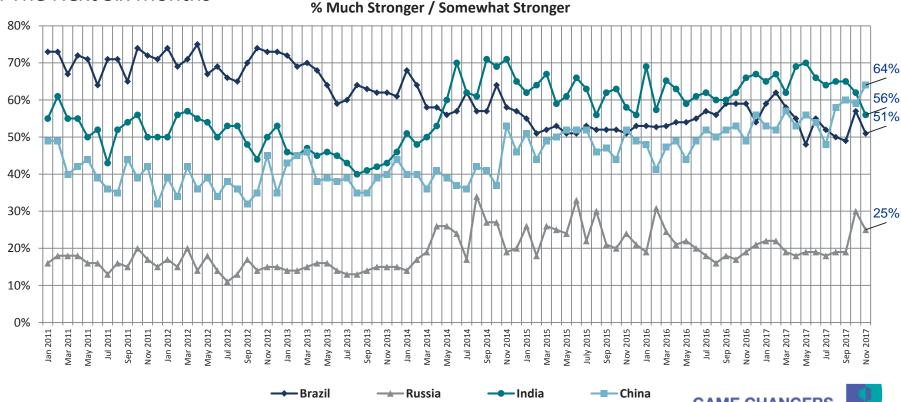
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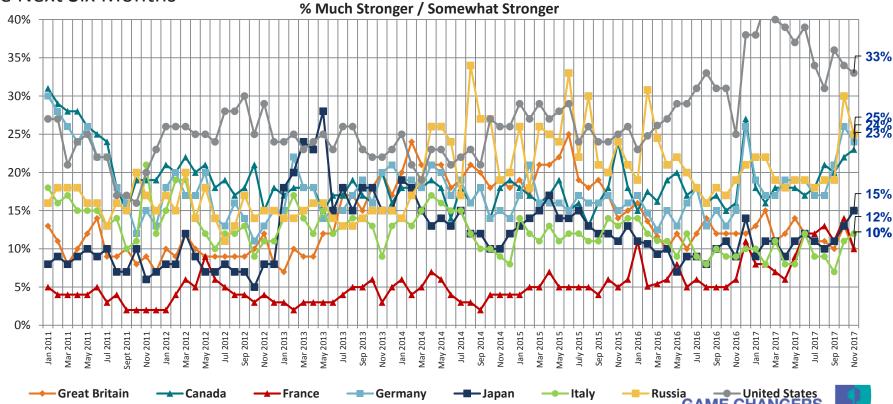


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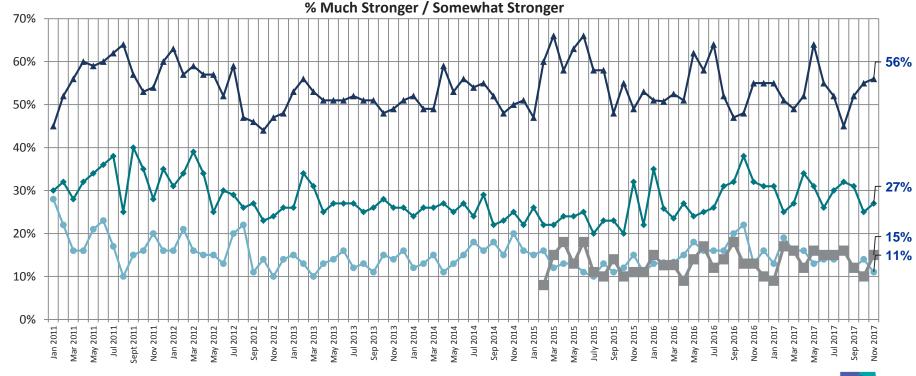


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