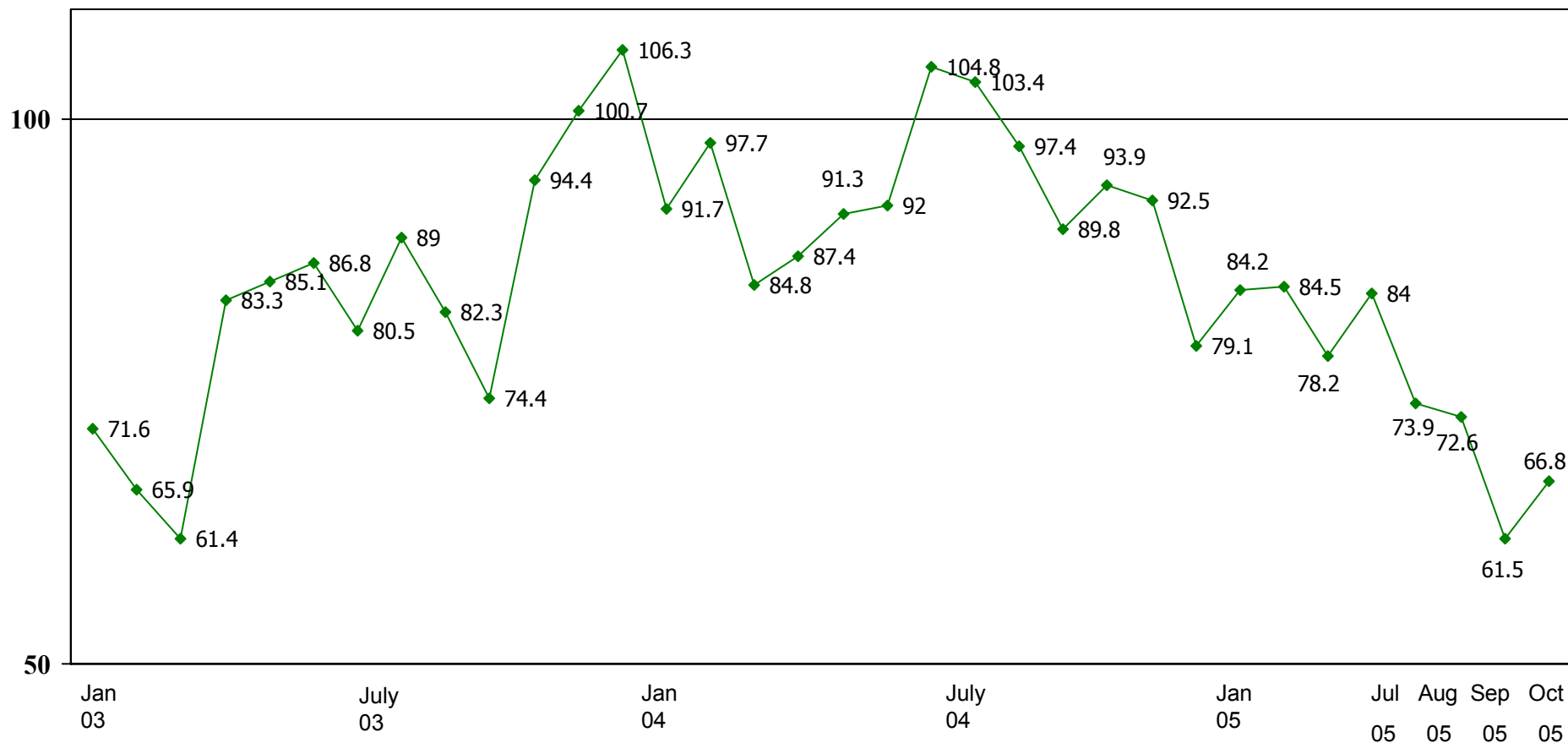


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Consumer Attitudes and Spending by Household

January 2003 - October 2005

October 2005 = **66.8**



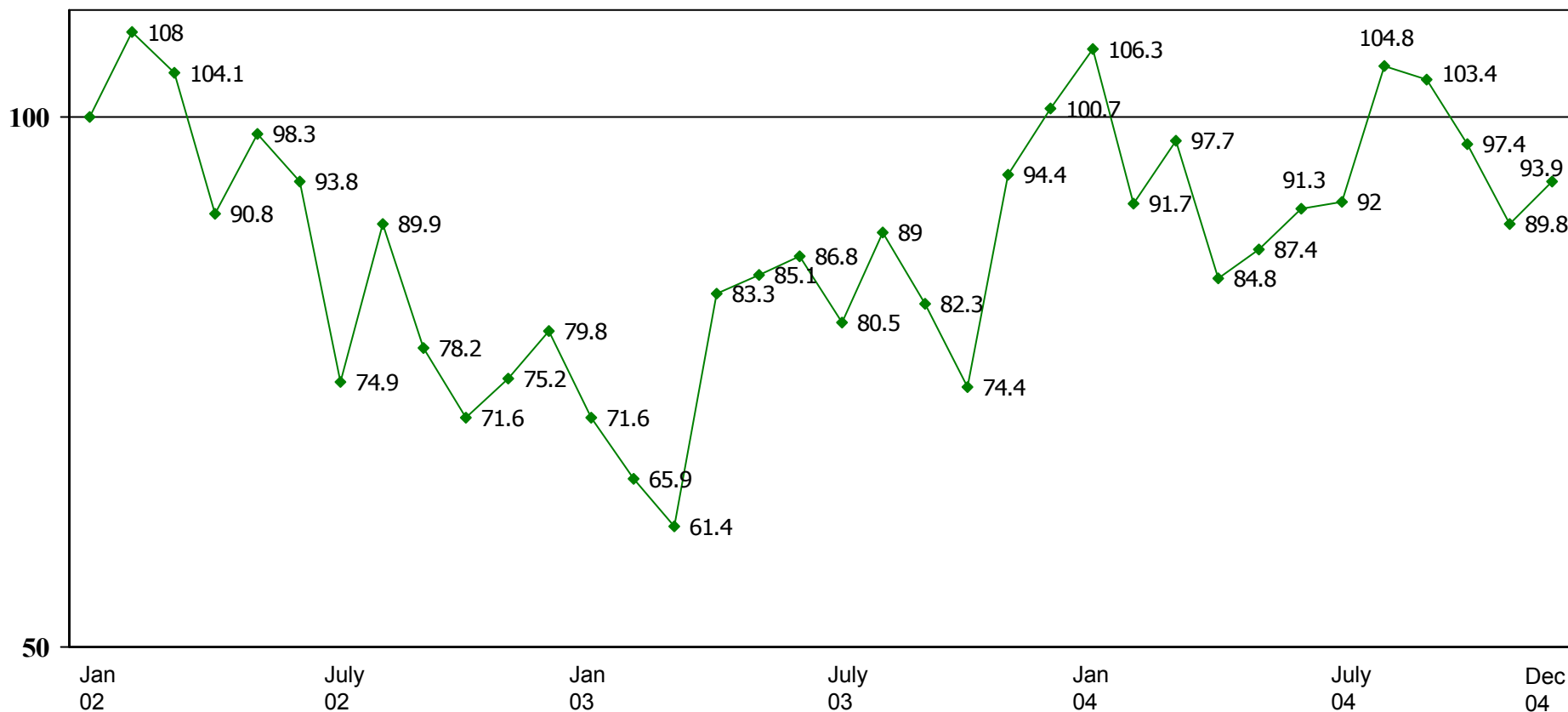
Interview dates: October 3-5, 2005 (1,000 U.S. adults) Margin of error: ± 3.1 for all adults

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January 2002 - December 2004

December 2004 = 93.9



ALL INDICES OF THE **RBC**

CONSUMER ATTITUDES AND SPENDING BY HOUSEHOLD (CASH) STUDY

	<i>Current Month</i>	<i>One Month Ago</i>	<i>One Year Ago</i>
	Oct '05	Sep '05	Oct '04
OVERALL <i>CASH Index</i>	66.8	61.5	97.4

	<i>Current Month</i>	<i>One Month Ago</i>	<i>One Year Ago</i>
	Oct '05	Sep '05	Oct '04
CURRENT CONDITIONS <i>CASH Index</i>	90.7	92	95.1

	<i>Current Month</i>	<i>One Month Ago</i>	<i>One Year Ago</i>
	Oct '05	Sep '05	Oct '04
EXPECTATIONS <i>CASH Index</i>	0.9	-13.5	95.3

	<i>Current Month</i>	<i>One Month Ago</i>	<i>One Year Ago</i>
	Oct '05	Sep '05	Oct '04
INVESTMENT <i>CASH Index</i>	78	80.7	93.3

	<i>Current Month</i>	<i>One Month Ago</i>	<i>One Year Ago</i>
	Oct '05	Sep '05	Oct '04
JOBS <i>CASH Index</i>	119.5	111.7	112.1

METHODOLOGY: Interview dates: October 3-5, 2005 (1,000 U.S. adults) Margin of error: +/- 3.1 for all adults, baseline of January 2002 = 100