

# Reserve Bank of India Department of Statistics and Information Management Consumer Confidence Survey, March 2023

#### **Block I: Respondent's Details**

Name								
Address	Address1 - House Number							
	Address2 - Colony/Street							
	Landma	rk						
	City				Pin Code			
Telephone Number								
Age of the respondent			_ (in c	ompleted ye	ars, 21 years a	nd above)		
Gender	Male			Female				
Occupation	Salarie Employ [1]			Employed/ siness [2]	Homemaker [3]	Daily worker [4]	Retired Person [5]	Others (Incl. Unemployed, students, etc.) [6]
Average Monthly Income	Less than ₹ 5 thous		sand [1]	₹ 5 thousand - ₹ 10 thousand [2]		₹ 10 thousand - ₹ 25 thousand [3]		
	₹ 25 thousand - ₹ 50 thousand [4]			50	₹ 50 thousand - ₹ 1 lakh [5]		₹ 1 lakh and above [6]	
Family Members		1 or 2 [1]			3 or 4 [2]		5 and more [3]	
Number of Earning	member	S						
Educational Qualification		Illiterate [1]		Below 5 <sup>th</sup> Std [2]		5 <sup>th</sup> Std-Below 10 <sup>th</sup> Std [3]		
		10 <sup>th</sup> Std-Below 12 <sup>th</sup> Std [4]		12 <sup>th</sup> Std [5]		Graduate [6]	Post Graduate [7]	

#### **Block II: Respondent's Perceptions and Expectations**

Q. No.		As compa	ared with on	e -year ago	One-year from now			
		Improved/ Increased	Remained the same	Worsened/ Decreased	Will Improve/ Increase	Remain the same	Will Worsen/ Decrease	
1.	General economic situation in the country	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
2.	Income	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3.	Overall Spending*	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3(a)	Expenditure on essential items\$	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
3(b)	Expenditure on non- essential items\$	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
4.	Employement scenario	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
5(a)	Overall prices of goods and services	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	
5(b)	Rate of price changes#	[1]	[2]	[3]	[1]	[2]	[3]	

<sup>\*</sup> If you choose (1) in Question 3, please answer Question 6\_1. If you choose (3) in Question 3, please answer Question 6\_2.

<sup>\$</sup> Essential items comprise of food, housing, fuel & electricity, essential clothing, education, medical amenities, transportation etc. Non-essential items comprise of consumer durables, motor vehicles, gold & jewelry, expenses on hotel & restaurant etc.

<sup>#</sup> If you choose (1) in Question 5(a), please answer Question 5(b).

## Q.No.6\_1 Why have you increased your (or other family members') spending? (Choose all applicable answers)

		Yes	NO
a.	Because your income has increased.	[1]	[2]
b.	Because value of your investments/wealth has increased.	[1]	[2]
C.	Because your expenditure towards large ticket purchases such as real estate, car, consumer durable goods has increased.	[1]	[2]
d.	Because the cost of consumer goods, cost of services (e.g., medical, education, transport, etc.) has gone up.	[1]	[2]
e.	Others (Please Specify)	[1]	[2]

## Q.No.6\_2 Why have you decreased your (or other family members') spending? (Choose all applicable answers)

		Yes	No
a.	Because your income has decreased.	[1]	[2]
b.	Because value of your investments/wealth has decreased.	[1]	[2]
C.	Because your expenditure towards large ticket purchases such as real estate, car, consumer durable goods has decreased.	[1]	[2]
d.	Because the cost of consumer goods, cost of services (e.g., medical, education, transport, etc.) has gone down.	[1]	[2]
e.	Others (Please Specify)	[1]	[2]

## Q.No.7 How you describe the current financial situation of your household -

Saving a lot Sa	Saving a little	Just making ends meet	Drawing on past saving	Running debt
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