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Disasters, disruptions: what will be future hold?

A Harris Interactive exclusive poll, in partnership with France 24 and the International Herald Tribune

The latest **Harris Interactive / FRANCE 24 / International Herald Tribune** poll demonstrates public anxiety in major European countries and the US surrounding the impact of the current economic crisis.

Pessimism reigns and many predict that the next 3 years will bring great personal or national disasters combined with significant economic, financial or political changes.

Overall these findings demonstrate major public concern for the future and identify only Barack Obama as the political leader able to potentially provide a solution.

Results to be released on May 6th on FRANCE 24 in “In the Papers” and published in the *International Herald Tribune*.

Methodology

The latest poll was conducted online by Harris Interactive, in partnership with FRANCE 24 and The International Herald Tribune, among a total of 6,449 adults (aged 16-64) within France, Germany, Great Britain, Spain and the United-States; and adults (aged 18-64) in Italy, from 25 to 31 March 2009. The data were weighted, where necessary, by age, gender, education, region and Internet usage to make it representative of the general population profile for each country. Propensity score weighting was applied to adjust for respondents' propensity to be online.

The poll explores a number of issues, including:

- Potential national and international disasters within the next 3 years
- Potential personal disasters within the next 3 years
- Changes to implement in the next 3 years
- Crisis Solution?: Which leaders?

Please note that any communication of these results has to be made with technical elements such as: survey methodology, fieldwork dates, name of the agency, sample size







POTENTIAL NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL DISASTERS WITHIN THE NEXT 3 YEARS

Europeans and Americans are feeling pessimistic when faced with the consequences of the ongoing financial crisis over the next 3 years and the impact at a local level in their own country.

Among the events most likely to take place, large majorities predict a rise in protest movements through **strikes or demonstrations**, most notably in France. Half (50%) of the respondents fear riots in their own country, with France on top at 66%. Respondents are weary of future **mass immigration movement** into their own countries, with the most palpable levels in Italy, GB and the United States. The rise of **political extremism (59%)** and **religious fanaticism (45%)** are also frequently mentioned. Brits demonstrate a particular concern with the latter.







While not cited as much the decrease in human rights / individual freedom remains a significant worry for more than 40% of respondents.

We list several events below. In your opinion, what is the likelihood that each will happen in the next three years?
Base : All respondents

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
<i>Certain to happen + probable</i>							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
Strikes and/or demonstrations in your country	95%	85%	82%	89%	90%	78%	86%
Greatly increased immigration into your country	51%	54%	69%	78%	40%	66%	60%
Rise of political extremism in your country	58%	65%	65%	53%	60%	53%	59%
Riots in your country	66%	44%	50%	28%	62%	49%	50%
Rise of religious fanaticism in your country	44%	44%	63%	40%	33%	45%	45%
Drop in human rights / individual freedom in your country	45%	35%	43%	35%	46%	39%	41%

Europeans and Americans are less focused on future disasters in neighbouring countries, however one third of respondents do predict the future bankruptcy of a neighbouring country.

We list several events below. In your opinion, what is the likelihood that each will happen in the next three years?
Base : All respondents

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
<i>Certain to happen + probable</i>							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
The bankruptcy of a neighboring country	34%	35%	34%	24%	29%	47%	34%
A military or other coup in a neighboring country	21%	20%	19%	11%	14%	46%	22%
A civil war in a neighboring country	22%	14%	18%	11%	12%	43%	20%
A war between neighboring countries	20%	13%	22%	14%	15%	37%	20%

POTENTIAL PERSONAL DISASTERS WITHIN THE NEXT 3 YEARS

The latest poll clearly demonstrates the significant levels of worry that European and American respondents are experiencing regarding their own personal situation over the next 3 years.

The findings are unyielding with two major worries shared by half of all respondents: **losing retirement pensions** and **not being able to afford medical treatments** (in both cases, this fear is felt most by Italians and French respondents).

Meeting current expenses also appears as a major concern, as well as **losing ones job**.

A majority of French and Italians worry about no longer being able to properly feed their family.

Worry at its most extreme, in the form of becoming homeless is a genuine concern for one third of respondents, rising to a poignant 1 in 2 in both Italy and Spain.

We again list several hypothetical events below. Keeping in mind the economy and its potential impact on your personal situation, how much do you worry that each will occur in the next 3 years...
Base : All respondents

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
<i>worry a great deal + worry some</i>							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
Losing your retirement pensions	68%	53%	32%	60%	38%	45%	50%
Inability to afford necessary medical treatments as in the past	63%	53%	25%	70%	40%	51%	50%
Losing your job	42%	42%	37%	65%	52%	40%	46%
Inability to afford the basic running of your house (water - electricity - phone) anymore	50%	41%	40%	60%	49%	39%	46%
Inability to properly feed your family as in the past	52%	37%	32%	60%	44%	37%	44%
Inability to finance your children's future (studies...)	54%	43%	24%	62%	38%	37%	43%
Losing your savings because your bank/financial institution goes out of business	40%	34%	33%	60%	47%	35%	42%
Inability to afford to get around by yourself (own car) any more	45%	44%	29%	50%	32%	35%	39%
Inability to afford to go on holiday as in the past	44%	47%	32%	39%	29%	38%	38%
Becoming homeless	36%	19%	28%	49%	44%	27%	34%

Presented with these concerns, fearful respondents are asked to say what the likelihood of each event actually happening to them in the foreseeable future.

Not being able to pay for the same holidays as in the past is reported as most probable followed by an inability to pay for their children's future, a personal car and necessary medical treatments. On this last point, Americans, Germans and French are particularly pessimistic. Spaniards are particularly pessimistic about losing their jobs.

In your opinion, what is the likelihood that you will be in each of the situations described below in the next three years?
Base : Worry a great deal or Worry some about the event

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
<i>Certain to happen + Probable</i>							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>							
Inability to afford to go on holiday as in the past	75% (459)	71% (455)	79% (358)	65% (386)	82% (293)	81% (421)	75% (2372)
Inability to finance your children's future (studies...)	58% (534)	60% (400)	67% (266)	48% (599)	42% (347)	71% (376)	57% (2522)
Inability to afford to get around by yourself (own car) any more	52% (424)	64% (420)	58% (296)	48% (472)	60% (309)	52% (341)	55% (2262)
Inability to afford necessary medical treatments as in the past	63% (636)	61% (527)	54% (267)	42% (677)	38% (393)	69% (515)	55% (3015)
Inability to afford the basic running of your house (water - electricity - phone) anymore	54% (490)	53% (375)	52% (412)	40% (573)	42% (457)	53% (378)	49% (2685)
Losing your job	48% (452)	44% (381)	49% (414)	34% (652)	55% (505)	52% (418)	46% (2822)
Inability to properly feed your family as in the past	48% (517)	52% (361)	46% (326)	37% (546)	45% (413)	50% (354)	45% (2517)
Losing your savings because your bank/financial institution goes out of business	50% (427)	50% (327)	42% (363)	34% (619)	38% (467)	54% (350)	43% (2553)
Losing your retirement pensions	52% (708)	33% (499)	38% (373)	30% (598)	42% (354)	48% (459)	41% (2991)
Becoming homeless	17% (360)	18% (171)	25% (266)	12% (461)	24% (418)	32% (244)	21% (1920)







CHANGES TO IMPLEMENT IN THE NEXT 3 YEARS

Europeans and Americans believe that the current economic crisis will bring significant results.







Firstly two thirds of respondents expect a reform of the worldwide economic systems (particularly the Italians and Spanish).

Do you think that the current economic crisis has the potential to achieve any of the following results?







Base : All respondents

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Reform of the worldwide economic systems							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
Yes (4+3)	69%	52%	54%	80%	78%	62%	66%
Yes definitely (4)	19%	8%	9%	17%	27%	14%	16%
Yes probably (3)	51%	43%	45%	62%	51%	48%	50%
No (2+1)	31%	48%	46%	20%	22%	38%	34%
No probably not (2)	24%	42%	39%	17%	18%	31%	29%
No definitely not (1)	7%	6%	7%	3%	4%	7%	6%
Mean	2,81	2,54	2,57	2,94	3,01	2,69	2,76


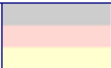

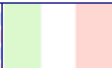
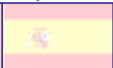

Stabilisation of banking and financial systems also seems very likely for almost half of Europeans and Americans surveyed. The Italians, Spanish and Americans massively believe this.

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Stabilisation of the banking and financial system							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
Yes (4+3)	62%	51%	55%	71%	69%	65%	62%
Yes definitely (4)	16%	6%	6%	12%	15%	12%	11%
Yes probably (3)	45%	45%	49%	59%	54%	53%	51%
No (2+1)	38%	49%	45%	29%	31%	35%	38%
No probably not (2)	28%	43%	39%	24%	24%	29%	31%
No definitely not (1)	10%	6%	7%	5%	6%	6%	7%
Mean	2,68	2,51	2,54	2,77	2,78	2,71	2,66

Opinions differ throughout Europe surrounding the possibility of seeing an improvement in European cooperation. The Britons, perhaps more “euro-sceptical”, are less convinced, contrary to the other Europeans, and especially the Italians.

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Improving European cooperation (communication, relationships)							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
Yes (4+3)	65%	54%	37%	79%	68%	57%	60%
Yes definitely (4)	10%	7%	4%	16%	13%	9%	10%
Yes probably (3)	55%	47%	33%	63%	55%	48%	50%
No (2+1)	35%	46%	63%	21%	32%	43%	40%
No probably not (2)	28%	40%	53%	19%	27%	39%	35%
No definitely not (1)	7%	6%	9%	3%	5%	4%	6%
Mean	2,68	2,55	2,32	2,92	2,77	2,62	2,64

Finally, a little more than half of the respondents consider that the current crisis will have as a consequence a strengthening of the solidarity between people. This is a view less shared by the Germans and the Britons.

	 French	 German	 British	 Italian	 Spanish	 American	Avg for 6 countries
Strengthening of the solidarity between people							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1093	1021	1164	1064	1029	1078	6449
Yes (4+3)	51%	42%	44%	59%	57%	59%	52%
Yes definitely (4)	9%	7%	5%	14%	13%	14%	10%
Yes probably (3)	41%	34%	39%	45%	44%	46%	41%
No (2+1)	49%	58%	56%	41%	43%	41%	48%
No probably not (2)	39%	49%	48%	31%	32%	35%	39%
No definitely not (1)	10%	9%	8%	10%	11%	6%	9%
Mean	2,5	2,39	2,4	2,63	2,59	2,67	2,53

The bleak European and American perceptions cannot be ignored, majorities predict that the current economic crisis will bring important consequences: economic, financial or political upheavals are predicted to occur.

CRISIS SOLUTION?: WHICH LEADERS?

Both Europeans and Americans have the most confidence in Barack Obama to resolve the current global crisis – it is of no coincidence that he is also the most popular and influential leader based on our last Leader Barometer.

This opinion is strongly held by the Italians and the Spanish.

Next in line to provide salvation are Angela Merkel and Nicolas Sarkozy, leaders in whom respondents trust the most to overcome this crisis situation (with the exception of the Britons and the Americans).

Notably, almost 40% of the respondents do not hold any trust in any one leader to resolve the crisis. This figure rises to 56% for the Britons.

According to you, which of the following do you have the most confidence in being able to solve the current economic crisis?

Base : All respondents







	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
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Barack Obama (USA)	50%	46%	33%	76%	60%	48%	52%
Angela Merkel (Germany)	25%	26%	9%	34%	34%	8%	22%
Nicolas Sarkozy (France)	24%	10%	5%	28%	28%	5%	16%
Gordon Brown (Great Britain)	8%	6%	15%	17%	14%	14%	12%
Jose Manuel Barroso (European Union)	10%	11%	7%	24%	13%	7%	12%
Jose Luis Rodriguez Zapatero (Spain)	4%	2%	1%	19%	22%	2%	8%
Ban Ki-moon (United Nations)	4%	6%	6%	12%	6%	8%	7%
Silvio Berlusconi (Italy)	1%	2%	1%	26%	3%	3%	6%
Hu Jintao (China)	1%	3%	4%	8%	3%	6%	4%
Dmitri Medvedev (Russia)	2%	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	3%
Manmohan Singh (India)	2%	1%	2%	5%	1%	3%	2%
Dominique Strauss Kahn (IMF)	2%	0	*	0	0	0	*
All leaders working together	0	*	1%	0	0	*	*
Other	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	5%	3%
None of them	39%	43%	56%	16%	28%	43%	38%
Not sure	*	*	1%	1%	*	1%	1%







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




APPENDIX 1: POTENTIAL NATIONAL DISASTERS WITHIN THE NEXT 3 YEARS: DETAILED TABLES







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


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




	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Strikes and/or demonstrations in your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	100%	99%	99%	98%	100%	99%	99%
Certain to happen (4)	74%	38%	34%	50%	46%	29%	45%
Probable (3)	21%	47%	48%	39%	44%	49%	41%
Possible but not probable (2)	4%	13%	17%	10%	11%	22%	13%
Impossible (1)	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%
Mean	3,7	3,22	3,15	3,37	3,35	3,06	3,31

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Greatly increased immigration into your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	95%	97%	99%	97%	93%	99%	97%
Certain to happen (4)	10%	14%	27%	33%	12%	23%	20%
Probable (3)	41%	40%	42%	45%	28%	43%	40%
Possible but not probable (2)	43%	43%	29%	19%	53%	32%	36%
Impossible (1)	5%	3%	1%	3%	7%	1%	3%
Mean	2,57	2,65	2,95	3,09	2,45	2,88	2,77

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Rise of political extremism in your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	94%	97%	97%	89%	96%	94%	95%
Certain to happen (4)	14%	21%	22%	12%	15%	18%	17%
Probable (3)	44%	44%	43%	41%	45%	35%	42%
Possible but not probable (2)	35%	33%	32%	36%	36%	41%	35%
Impossible (1)	6%	3%	3%	11%	4%	6%	5%
Mean	2,67	2,83	2,85	2,54	2,72	2,66	2,71

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Riots in your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	95%	93%	97%	74%	95%	95%	92%
Certain to happen (4)	22%	10%	15%	6%	22%	15%	15%
Probable (3)	44%	34%	35%	22%	40%	34%	35%
Possible but not probable (2)	29%	49%	47%	46%	33%	46%	42%
Impossible (1)	5%	7%	3%	26%	5%	5%	8%
Mean	2,83	2,48	2,63	2,08	2,78	2,58	2,56







	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Rise of religious fanaticism in your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	85%	91%	98%	82%	80%	94%	89%
Certain to happen (4)	11%	13%	24%	9%	7%	13%	13%
Probable (3)	33%	31%	39%	31%	26%	32%	32%
Possible but not probable (2)	42%	47%	35%	43%	47%	50%	44%
Impossible (1)	15%	9%	2%	18%	20%	6%	11%
Mean	2,39	2,48	2,85	2,31	2,2	2,51	2,46







	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Drop in human rights / individual freedom in your country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	81%	76%	89%	68%	81%	84%	80%
Certain to happen (4)	14%	13%	15%	11%	12%	16%	14%
Probable (3)	31%	22%	28%	24%	34%	23%	27%
Possible but not probable (2)	36%	41%	46%	33%	36%	44%	39%
Impossible (1)	19%	24%	11%	32%	19%	16%	20%
Mean	2,41	2,23	2,48	2,15	2,4	2,4	2,35







APPENDIX 2: POTENTIAL INTERNATIONAL DISASTERS WITHIN THE NEXT 3 YEARS: DETAILED TABLES







We list several events below. In your opinion, what is the likelihood that each will happen in the next three years?

Base : All respondents

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
The bankruptcy of a neighboring country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	82%	85%	87%	73%	81%	94%	84%
Certain to happen (4)	5%	8%	6%	4%	6%	13%	7%
Probable (3)	29%	27%	28%	20%	23%	34%	27%
Possible but not probable (2)	48%	50%	52%	49%	52%	47%	50%
Impossible (1)	18%	15%	13%	27%	19%	6%	16%
Mean	2,22	2,28	2,27	2,02	2,15	2,54	2,25

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
A military or other coup in a neighboring country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	65%	68%	67%	46%	58%	91%	66%
Certain to happen (4)	3%	3%	5%	1%	3%	14%	5%
Probable (3)	18%	17%	14%	10%	11%	32%	17%
Possible but not probable (2)	44%	49%	48%	35%	45%	45%	44%
Impossible (1)	35%	32%	33%	54%	42%	9%	34%
Mean	1,9	1,91	1,91	1,58	1,75	2,5	1,93


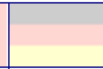

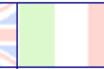
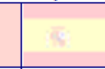

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
A civil war in a neighboring country							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	67%	64%	64%	49%	47%	87%	63%
Certain to happen (4)	3%	2%	5%	1%	3%	12%	4%
Probable (3)	19%	12%	13%	10%	9%	31%	16%
Possible but not probable (2)	45%	50%	46%	38%	35%	45%	43%
Impossible (1)	33%	36%	36%	51%	53%	13%	37%
Mean	1,93	1,8	1,87	1,62	1,63	2,42	1,88


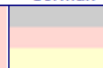

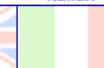
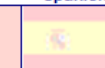

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
A war between neighboring countries							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	63%	52%	71%	47%	52%	81%	62%
Certain to happen (4)	3%	3%	6%	2%	3%	12%	5%
Probable (3)	17%	10%	16%	12%	12%	25%	15%
Possible but not probable (2)	44%	39%	49%	33%	37%	44%	41%
Impossible (1)	37%	48%	29%	53%	48%	19%	38%
Mean	1,86	1,68	1,99	1,63	1,7	2,31	1,87


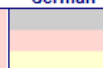

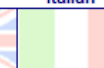
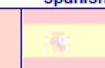

APPENDIX 3: POTENTIAL PERSONAL DISASTERS WITHIN THE NEXT 3 YEARS: DETAILED TABLES


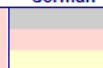

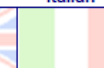
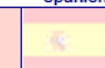

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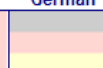

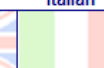
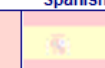

Base : All respondents


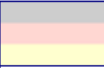


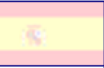

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Losing your retirement pensions							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	85%	74%	57%	72%	59%	64%	68%
Worry a great deal (4)	36%	28%	16%	35%	20%	26%	27%
Worry some (3)	32%	25%	16%	25%	18%	19%	23%
Worry a little (2)	17%	20%	25%	12%	21%	19%	19%
Do not worry at all (1)	7%	16%	19%	7%	19%	14%	14%
Mean	3,06	2,73	2,39	3,11	2,5	2,73	2,76
Not applicable	8%	10%	24%	20%	23%	22%	18%


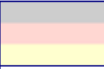


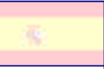

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford necessary medical treatments as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	88%	80%	51%	85%	63%	75%	73%
Worry a great deal (4)	30%	25%	11%	35%	21%	28%	25%
Worry some (3)	33%	28%	14%	35%	19%	23%	25%
Worry a little (2)	25%	26%	26%	15%	23%	25%	23%
Do not worry at all (1)	10%	16%	29%	11%	27%	19%	19%
Mean	2,84	2,66	2,08	2,99	2,39	2,64	2,61
Not applicable	1%	4%	20%	4%	10%	6%	8%


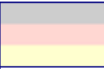


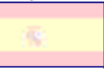

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Losing your job							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	65%	63%	62%	80%	70%	60%	67%
Worry a great deal (4)	22%	21%	17%	42%	38%	23%	27%
Worry some (3)	20%	21%	20%	23%	14%	17%	19%
Worry a little (2)	23%	22%	25%	15%	19%	20%	21%
Do not worry at all (1)	12%	17%	15%	8%	14%	18%	14%
Mean	2,69	2,56	2,5	3,12	2,9	2,58	2,73
Not applicable	23%	19%	23%	12%	16%	22%	19%


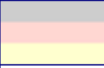

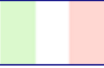
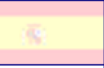

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford the basic running of your house (water - electricity - phone) anymore							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	84%	68%	73%	84%	78%	67%	76%
Worry a great deal (4)	19%	18%	19%	27%	31%	19%	22%
Worry some (3)	31%	23%	21%	33%	18%	20%	24%
Worry a little (2)	33%	27%	33%	24%	29%	27%	29%
Do not worry at all (1)	14%	26%	22%	12%	17%	28%	20%
Mean	2,57	2,34	2,38	2,77	2,66	2,32	2,5
Not applicable	2%	6%	5%	3%	5%	5%	4%


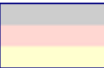

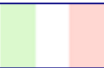
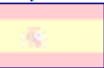

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to properly feed your family as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	80%	67%	57%	79%	75%	61%	70%
Worry a great deal (4)	24%	18%	14%	27%	23%	18%	21%
Worry some (3)	28%	19%	18%	33%	21%	19%	23%
Worry a little (2)	29%	29%	24%	19%	30%	24%	26%
Do not worry at all (1)	12%	24%	29%	14%	20%	30%	21%
Mean	2,68	2,36	2,21	2,8	2,5	2,28	2,47
Not applicable	8%	10%	14%	8%	5%	10%	9%

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to finance your children's future (studies...)							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	69%	63%	40%	75%	57%	52%	59%
Worry a great deal (4)	26%	23%	13%	33%	23%	20%	23%
Worry some (3)	28%	20%	11%	29%	15%	17%	20%
Worry a little (2)	15%	20%	16%	13%	19%	15%	16%
Do not worry at all (1)	6%	12%	15%	7%	13%	9%	10%
Mean	2,99	2,72	2,4	3,07	2,68	2,8	2,8
Not applicable	25%	24%	45%	18%	30%	39%	31%

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Losing your savings because your bank/financial institution goes out of business							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	75%	64%	62%	80%	73%	60%	69%
Worry a great deal (4)	16%	16%	15%	33%	28%	17%	21%
Worry some (3)	24%	18%	18%	27%	19%	18%	21%
Worry a little (2)	35%	30%	29%	19%	27%	25%	28%
Do not worry at all (1)	19%	25%	23%	12%	19%	30%	21%
Mean	2,39	2,3	2,29	2,88	2,61	2,25	2,45
Not applicable	5%	11%	15%	7%	8%	10%	9%


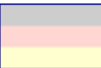

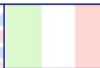
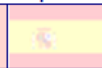

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to Afford To Get around by yourself (own car) any more							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	77%	73%	56%	80%	67%	61%	69%
Worry a great deal (4)	12%	18%	13%	18%	12%	17%	15%
Worry some (3)	33%	26%	16%	32%	20%	18%	24%
Worry a little (2)	33%	29%	27%	30%	35%	27%	30%
Do not worry at all (1)	17%	19%	30%	15%	26%	33%	23%
Mean	2,41	2,46	2,14	2,56	2,19	2,19	2,32
Not applicable	6%	8%	14%	6%	7%	6%	8%


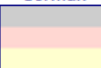

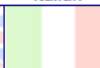
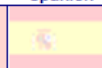

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford to go on holiday as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	77%	72%	61%	72%	66%	63%	68%
Worry a great deal (4)	14%	21%	14%	12%	10%	18%	15%
Worry some (3)	30%	26%	18%	27%	19%	20%	23%
Worry a little (2)	32%	25%	29%	33%	36%	26%	30%
Do not worry at all (1)	14%	18%	28%	24%	27%	24%	23%
Mean	2,49	2,56	2,21	2,27	2,14	2,36	2,34
Not applicable	9%	10%	11%	4%	7%	12%	9%


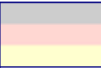

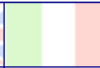
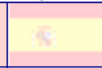

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Becoming homeless							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	1,093	1,021	1,164	1,064	1,029	1,078	6,449
At Least Worry A Little (4+3+2)	72%	44%	51%	69%	65%	52%	59%
Worry a great deal (4)	17%	7%	13%	30%	33%	15%	19%
Worry some (3)	19%	12%	15%	19%	11%	12%	15%
Worry a little (2)	36%	25%	23%	20%	21%	25%	25%
Do not worry at all (1)	24%	47%	43%	18%	25%	43%	33%
Mean	2,3	1,78	1,98	2,69	2,59	2	2,21
Not applicable	3%	9%	6%	13%	10%	5%	8%


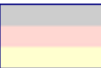

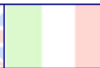
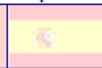

In your opinion, what is the likelihood that you will be in each of the situations described below in the next three years?


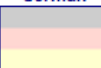

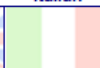
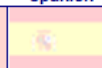

Base : Worry a great deal or Worry some about the event


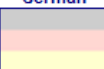


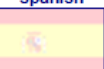

	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford to go on holiday as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	459	455	358	386	293	421	2372
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	99%	98%	100%	98%	98%	100%	99%
Certain to happen (4)	20%	26%	34%	18%	40%	36%	28%
Probable (3)	55%	45%	45%	47%	42%	45%	47%
Possible but not probable (2)	24%	27%	21%	33%	16%	19%	24%
Impossible (1)	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%	1%
Mean	2,93	2,96	3,12	2,82	3,2	3,17	3,02


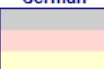


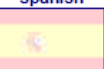
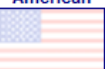
	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford to get around by yourself (own car) any more							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	424	420	296	472	309	341	2262
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	97%	98%	98%	97%	94%	99%	97%
Certain to happen (4)	13%	19%	14%	14%	22%	20%	17%
Probable (3)	39%	45%	44%	34%	38%	32%	38%
Possible but not probable (2)	45%	35%	40%	49%	33%	47%	42%
Impossible (1)	3%	2%	2%	3%	6%	1%	3%
Mean	2,62	2,79	2,71	2,59	2,76	2,72	2,69





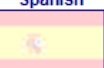
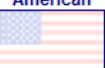
	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford necessary medical treatments as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	636	527	267	677	393	515	3015
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	97%	98%	98%	94%	87%	99%	96%
Certain to happen (4)	16%	19%	15%	9%	11%	25%	16%
Probable (3)	47%	42%	39%	33%	27%	44%	39%
Possible but not probable (2)	34%	36%	44%	52%	50%	31%	41%
Impossible (1)	3%	2%	2%	6%	13%	1%	4%
Mean	2,76	2,79	2,67	2,45	2,35	2,93	2,66


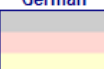


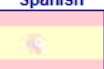
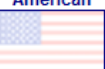
	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Losing your savings because your bank/financial institution goes out of business							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	427	327	363	619	467	350	2553
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	97%	96%	99%	93%	92%	98%	96%
Certain to happen (4)	10%	14%	8%	8%	8%	18%	10%
Probable (3)	40%	36%	34%	26%	30%	36%	33%
Possible but not probable (2)	47%	47%	58%	59%	54%	43%	52%
Impossible (1)	3%	4%	1%	7%	8%	2%	4%
Mean	2,57	2,6	2,48	2,35	2,39	2,71	2,49





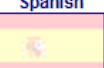
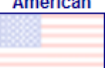
	French	German	British	Italian	Spanish	American	Avg for 6 countries
Inability to afford the basic running of your house (water - electricity - phone) anymore							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	490	375	412	573	457	378	2685
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	97%	97%	99%	92%	95%	97%	96%
Certain to happen (4)	12%	14%	12%	11%	13%	17%	13%
Probable (3)	42%	39%	40%	29%	29%	36%	36%
Possible but not probable (2)	43%	43%	46%	51%	53%	43%	47%
Impossible (1)	3%	3%	1%	8%	5%	3%	4%
Mean	2,63	2,65	2,63	2,43	2,5	2,67	2,57

							Avg for 6 countries
Inability to finance your children's future (studies...)							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	534	400	266	599	347	376	2522
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	97%	96%	99%	95%	88%	98%	95%
Certain to happen (4)	15%	19%	27%	19%	15%	30%	20%
Probable (3)	43%	41%	40%	29%	27%	41%	37%
Possible but not probable (2)	38%	37%	32%	47%	46%	26%	39%
Impossible (1)	3%	4%	1%	5%	12%	2%	5%
Mean	2,7	2,75	2,94	2,62	2,45	2,99	2,72

							Avg for 6 countries
Inability to properly feed your family as in the past							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	517	361	326	546	413	354	2517
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	95%	97%	96%	88%	94%	96%	94%
Certain to happen (4)	10%	14%	11%	10%	12%	18%	12%
Probable (3)	38%	38%	35%	27%	33%	32%	33%
Possible but not probable (2)	47%	44%	50%	52%	49%	46%	48%
Impossible (1)	5%	3%	4%	12%	6%	4%	6%
Mean	2,52	2,64	2,53	2,35	2,5	2,64	2,52

							Avg for 6 countries
Losing your job							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	452	381	414	652	505	418	2822
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	93%	96%	99%	88%	92%	98%	94%
Certain to happen (4)	14%	16%	14%	8%	20%	14%	14%
Probable (3)	34%	28%	35%	26%	35%	38%	32%
Possible but not probable (2)	46%	52%	50%	53%	37%	47%	48%
Impossible (1)	7%	4%	1%	12%	8%	2%	6%
Mean	2,54	2,57	2,62	2,3	2,67	2,64	2,54

							Avg for 6 countries
Losing your retirement pensions							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	708	499	373	598	354	459	2991
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	94%	89%	98%	78%	90%	98%	90%
Certain to happen (4)	11%	7%	10%	6%	14%	15%	10%
Probable (3)	41%	26%	28%	24%	28%	33%	31%
Possible but not probable (2)	42%	57%	60%	47%	48%	50%	50%
Impossible (1)	6%	11%	2%	22%	10%	2%	10%
Mean	2,57	2,29	2,46	2,14	2,45	2,62	2,42

							Avg for 6 countries
Becoming homeless							
<i>Unweighted Base</i>	360	171	266	461	418	244	1920
At Least Possible But Not Probable (4+3+2)	78%	70%	96%	64%	78%	92%	78%
Certain to happen (4)	4%	4%	5%	4%	8%	9%	6%
Probable (3)	13%	14%	20%	8%	16%	23%	15%
Possible but not probable (2)	61%	51%	71%	52%	55%	60%	58%
Impossible (1)	22%	30%	4%	36%	22%	8%	22%
Mean	1,99	1,93	2,26	1,8	2,1	2,33	2,05

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