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BASE: All Respondents	1518	258	331	598	331	632	886	330	470	718	293	533	692	239	362	522	297
BASE: WEIGHTED	1518	263	315	578	363	733	785	439	500	579	295	521	702	234	366	513	305
Profit taking by companies and speculators	304	55	69	96	84	155	149	59	108	138	46	114	144	40	66	120	56
	20%	21%	22%	17%	23%	21%	19%	13%	22%	24%	16%	22%	21%	17%	18%	23%	18%
Gasoline/energy shortages restrictions	199	31	33	87	48	101	98	54	49	96	46	64	89	31	51	71	41
	13%	12%	11%	15%	13%	14%	12%	12%	10%	17%	15%	12%	13%	13%	14%	14%	13%
Supply chain problems caused by COVID	261	50	67	95	48	122	139	73	89	99	47	82	133	26	60	93	65
	17%	19%	21%	16%	13%	17%	18%	17%	18%	17%	16%	16%	19%	11%	16%	18%	21%
Prices increasing to make up for lack of business during COVID	185	38	29	74	45	75	111	64	71	50	45	71	69	40	54	48	30
	12%	14%	9%	13%	12%	10%	14%	15%	14%	9%	15%	14%	10%	17%	15%	9%	10%
Impact of the war in Ukraine on global commodities	196	38	38	80	41	89	107	50	76	71	45	63	88	35	54	72	27
	13%	15%	12%	14%	11%	12%	14%	11%	15%	12%	15%	12%	13%	15%	15%	14%	9%
Wage/pay increases	86	10	21	33	22	50	36	35	29	22	17	31	38	20	14	28	22
	6%	4%	7%	6%	6%	7%	5%	8%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%	9%	4%	5%	7%
House property speculators	27	3	9	9	7	12	15	14	9	5	7	5	16	7	3	8	8
	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%
Pent up consumer savings now being spent	40	8	10	11	11	27	13	20	11	9	5	17	18	6	9	8	13
	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%	2%	5%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%
Other	218	29	39	94	57	102	116	70	59	90	38	73	107	29	55	65	43
	14%	11%	12%	16%	16%	14%	15%	16%	12%	16%	13%	14%	15%	12%	15%	13%	14%

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And, based on what you've heard, read, or seen, do you believe each following has a solid plan that is either good, bad, or does not exist at all to fight inflation and bring prices down? President Joe Biden

	Region																
	Region				Gender		Age			Education			Household income				
	Total	Northeast	Midwest	South	West	Male	Female	'18-34	'35-54	'55+	<=HS	College/Associate	Univ+	<\$25K	\$25-49K	\$50K-99K	\$100K+
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Good plan	454	84	91	169	110	238	215	116	165	173	71	163	219	81	88	174	95
	30%	32%	29%	29%	30%	33%	27%	26%	33%	30%	24%	31%	31%	34%	24%	34%	31%
												K	K	O		O	
Bad plan	438	65	88	184	100	199	238	141	141	156	111	131	196	67	112	146	85
	29%	25%	28%	32%	28%	27%	30%	32%	28%	27%	38%	25%	28%	29%	31%	29%	28%
				B							LM						
No plan	627	115	135	224	153	295	332	183	194	250	114	226	287	86	165	192	126
	41%	44%	43%	39%	42%	40%	42%	42%	39%	43%	38%	43%	41%	37%	45%	38%	41%
															P		

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Good plan	509	104	111	188	106	300	209	130	171	208	76	145	287	64	97	188	139
	34%	39%	35%	33%	29%	41%	27%	30%	34%	36%	26%	28%	41%	27%	27%	37%	46%
		E				G							KL			NO	NOP
Bad plan	471	62	91	199	119	216	255	128	158	185	87	172	212	67	118	157	104
	31%	24%	29%	34%	33%	29%	32%	29%	32%	32%	30%	33%	30%	28%	32%	31%	34%
				B	B												
No plan	538	98	112	191	137	217	321	181	171	186	132	204	203	103	151	168	62
	35%	37%	36%	33%	38%	30%	41%	41%	34%	32%	45%	39%	29%	44%	41%	33%	20%
						F	J				M	M		PQ	PQ	Q	

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And when it comes to the impact of inflation and your ability to buy necessities for you and/or your family nowadays, are you...

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Comfortable - inflation is not really having an impact	445	77	100	171	96	249	196	116	135	194	69	140	236	47	83	166	121
	29%	29%	32%	30%	27%	34%	25%	26%	27%	34%	23%	27%	34%	20%	23%	32%	40%
						G				HI			KL			NO	NO
Worried - inflation is causing some serious money issues	860	150	180	321	210	381	479	246	297	318	171	298	392	138	221	289	155
	57%	57%	57%	55%	58%	52%	61%	56%	59%	55%	58%	57%	56%	59%	60%	56%	51%
						F										Q	
Panic - inflation is causing drastic lifestyle changes/tradeoffs	213	35	35	86	57	103	110	78	68	67	56	83	74	49	62	58	28
	14%	13%	11%	15%	16%	14%	14%	18%	14%	12%	19%	16%	10%	21%	17%	11%	9%
								J			M	M		PQ	PQ		

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