

Sample CFSEC Diffusion Index Questionnaire

Reference month: January 2000

1. How do you expect U.S. economic activity to change over the next year? Compare January with January 2001.
 - Large increase
 - Medium increase
 - Small increase
 - No change
 - Small decrease
 - Medium decrease
 - Large decrease
2. How did demand for your firm's goods or services change in January? Compare January with December 1999, ignoring seasonality.
 - Large increase
 - Medium increase
 - Small increase
 - No change
 - Small decrease
 - Medium decrease
 - Large decrease
3. How did your firm's employment change in January? Compare January with December 1999, ignoring seasonality.

	Large decrease	Medium decrease	Small decrease	No change	Small increase	Medium increase	Large increase
Total	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Higher skilled	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Lower skilled	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

4. How do you expect your firm's employment to change over the next year? Compare January with January 2001.
 - Large increase
 - Medium increase
 - Small increase
 - No change
 - Small decrease
 - Medium decrease
 - Large decrease

