



Historical Data Files for the Business Leaders Survey

Historical monthly data for most of the Business Leaders Survey diffusion indexes are available from September 2004 to the most current month. The current capital spending diffusion index is available from June 2013. The current supply availability diffusion index starts October 2021 and the expected supply availability diffusion index starts May 2024.

VARIABLE NAMES AND DEFINITIONS FOR DIFFUSION INDEX DATA

<u>Name</u>	<u>Definition</u>
<i>Current – Not Seasonally Adjusted</i>	
BACDINA	Current Business Activity
BCCDINA	Current Business Climate
EMCDINA	Current Employment
WPCDINA	Current Wages
PPCDINA	Current Prices Paid
PRCDINA	Current Prices Received
CSCDINA	Current Capital Spending
ASCDINA	Current Supply Availability

<i>Six Months Ahead – Not Seasonally Adjusted</i>	
BAFDINA	Future Business Activity
BCFDINA	Future Business Climate
EMFDINA	Future Employment
WPFDINA	Future Wages
PPFDINA	Future Prices Paid
PRFDINA	Future Prices Received
CSFDINA	Future Capital Spending
ASFDINA	Future Supply Availability