

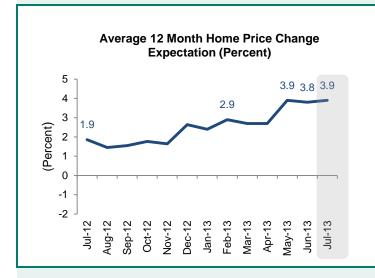
## July 2013 Data Release

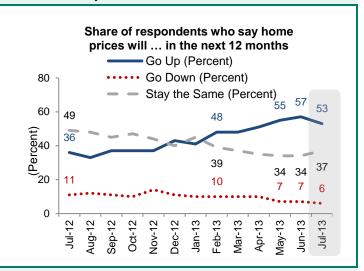
Fannie Mae's consumer attitudinal survey polls the adult U.S. general population to assess their attitudes about homeownership, renting a home, the economy, and household finances.

#### CONSUMER ATTITUDES ABOUT HOMEOWNERSHIP

At 3.9%, the average 12-month home price change expectation increased slightly to match May 2013's survey high.

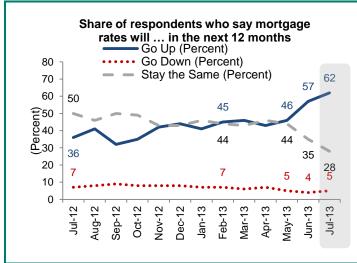
The share of people who say home prices will go up in the next 12 months fell 4 percentage points from June's survey high to 53%, while those who say home prices will go down reached a survey low 6%.

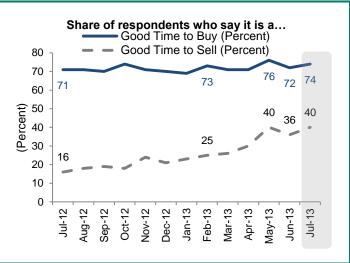




The share of respondents who say mortgage rates will go up in the next 12 months jumped 5 percentage points to 62%, the highest level since the survey's inception.

The share who say it is a good time to buy a house increased slightly to 74%, and those who say it is a good time to sell a house increased 4 percentage points to 40%.



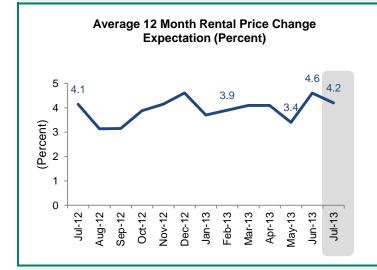


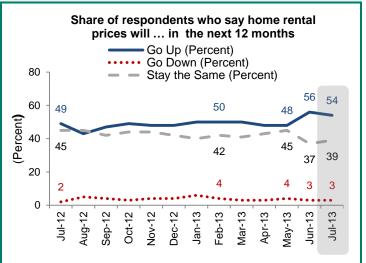


#### CONSUMER ATTITUDES ABOUT HOMEOWNERSHIP AND HOME RENTAL

The average 12-month rental price change expectation fell to 4.2%, a 0.4% decrease from last month.

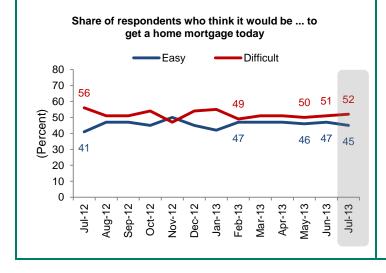
54% of those surveyed say home rental prices will go up in the next 12 months, a 2 percentage point decrease from June's survey high.

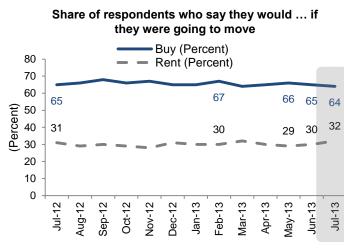




45% of respondents think it would be easy for them to get a home mortgage today, a 2 percentage point decrease from last month.

The share of respondents who said they would buy if they were going to move decreased slightly to 64%.

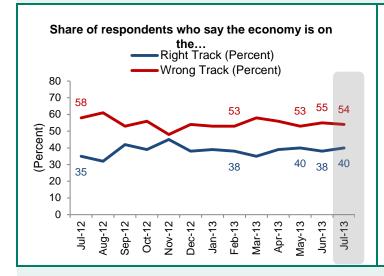


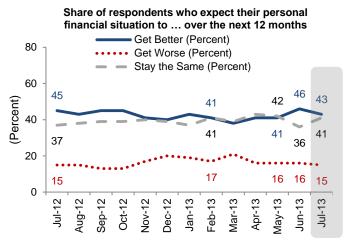




#### CONSUMER ATTITUDES ABOUT THE ECONOMY AND HOUSEHOLD FINANCES

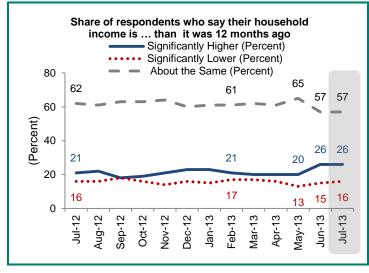
At 40%, the share of respondents who say the economy is on the right track increased 2 percentage points from June. The share of people who expect their personal financial situation to get better over the next 12 months fell 3 percentage points to 43%.

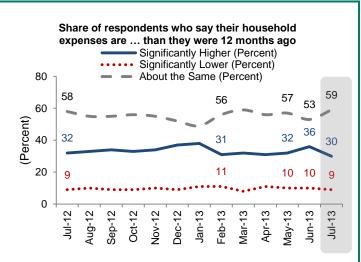




The share of respondents who say their household income is significantly higher than it was 12 months ago remained steady at the survey high of 26%.

At 30%, the share of respondents who say their household expenses are significantly higher than they were 12 months ago fell 6 percentage points from last month.





# **Fannie Mae Monthly National Housing Survey**

July 2013

### **APPENDIX**

#### **About the Survey**

The Fannie Mae National Housing Survey polled a nationally representative sample of 1,000 respondents aged 18 and older between July 1, 2013 and July 20, 2013. Most of the data collection occurred during the first two weeks of this period. Findings were compared to the same survey conducted monthly beginning June 2010.

Interviews were conducted by Penn Schoen Berland, in coordination with Fannie Mae.

The statistics in this release are estimated from sample surveys and are subject to sampling variability as well as nonsampling error, including bias and variance from response, nonreporting, and undercoverage. Expected price changes are calculated by creating an average of all responses, using a 0% change for those who said prices would stay the same, and excluding outliers beyond two standard deviations. All figures are shown in percentages, except where otherwise stated.

July 2013 Survey Audience Size: General Population (N=1,000)

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Average home price change ex	xpectation	
	%	
July 2012	1.9	
August 2012	1.5	
September 2012	1.6	
October 2012	1.8	
November 2012	1.6	
December 2012	2.6	
January 2013	2.4	
February 2013	2.9	
March 2013	2.7	
April 2013	2.7	
May 2013	3.9	
June 2013	3.8	
July 2013	3.9	

Share of respondents who say ho	me prices will go up, go o	down, or stay the same in the next 12	2 months
	% Go Up	% Go Down	% Stay the Same
July 2012	36	11	49
August 2012	33	12	48
September 2012	37	11	45
October 2012	37	10	47
November 2012	37	14	44
December 2012	43	11	40
January 2013	41	10	45
February 2013	48	10	39
March 2013	48	10	37
April 2013	51	10	35
May 2013	55	7	34
June 2013	57	7	34
July 2013	53	6	37

Margin of Error: ±3.10%

Share of respondents who say mortgage rates will go up, go down, or stay the same in the next 12 months				
	% Go Up	% Go Down	% Stay the Same	
July 2012	36	7	50	
August 2012	41	8	46	
September 2012	32	9	50	
October 2012	35	8	49	
November 2012	42	8	43	
December 2012	44	8	43	
January 2013	41	7	46	
February 2013	45	7	44	
March 2013	46	6	43	
April 2013	43	7	46	
May 2013	46	5	44	
June 2013	57	4	35	
July 2013	62	5	28	

Share of respondents who say it is a good time to buy, and share of respondents who say it is a good time to sell			
	% Good Time to Buy	% Good Time to Sell	
July 2012	71	16	
August 2012	71	18	
September 2012	70	19	
October 2012	74	18	
November 2012	71	24	
December 2012	70	21	
January 2013	69	23	
February 2013	73	25	
March 2013	71	26	
April 2013	71	30	
May 2013	76	40	
June 2013	72	36	
July 2013	74	40	

Average rental price change expect	ation	
	%	
July 2012	4.1	
August 2012	3.1	
September 2012	3.2	
October 2012	3.9	
November 2012	4.2	
December 2012	4.6	
January 2013	3.7	
February 2013	3.9	
March 2013	4.1	
April 2013	4.1	
May 2013	3.4	
June 2013	4.6	
July 2013	4.2	

Share of respondents who say home rental prices will go up, go down, or stay the same in the next 12 months			
	% Go Up	% Go Down	%Stay the Same
July 2012	49	2	45
August 2012	43	5	45
September 2012	47	4	42
October 2012	49	3	44
November 2012	48	4	44
December 2012	48	4	42
January 2013	50	6	40
February 2013	50	4	42
March 2013	50	3	41
April 2013	48	3	43
May 2013	48	4	45
June 2013	56	3	37
July 2013	54	3	39

Share of respondents who think it would be difficult or easy for them to get a home mortgage today			
	% Difficult	% Easy	
July 2012	56	41	
August 2012	51	47	
September 2012	51	47	
October 2012	54	45	
November 2012	47	50	
December 2012	54	45	
January 2013	55	42	
February 2013	49	47	
March 2013	51	47	
April 2013	51	47	
May 2013	50	46	
June 2013	51	47	
July 2013	52	45	

Share of respondents who say they would buy or rent if they were going to move			
	% Buy	% Rent	
July 2012	65	31	
August 2012	66	29	
September 2012	68	30	
October 2012	66	29	
November 2012	67	28	
December 2012	65	31	
January 2013	65	30	
February 2013	67	30	
March 2013	64	32	
April 2013	65	30	
May 2013	66	29	
June 2013	65	30	
July 2013	64	32	

Share of respondents who think	Share of respondents who think the economy is on the right track or the wrong track			
	Right Track	Wrong Track		
July 2012	35	58		
August 2012	32	61		
September 2012	42	53		
October 2012	39	56		
November 2012	45	48		
December 2012	38	54		
January 2013	39	53		
February 2013	38	53		
March 2013	35	58		
April 2013	39	56		
May 2013	40	53		
June 2013	38	55		
July 2013	40	54		

Share of respondents who expect their personal financial situation to get better, get worse, or stay the same in the next 12 months			
	% Get Better	% Get Worse	% Stay the Same
July 2012	45	15	37
August 2012	43	15	38
September 2012	45	13	39
October 2012	45	13	39
November 2012	41	17	40
December 2012	40	20	39
January 2013	43	19	37
February 2013	41	17	41
March 2013	38	21	39
April 2013	41	16	43
May 2013	41	16	42
June 2013	46	16	36
July 2013	43	15	41

Share of respondents who say the	neir household income is hi	gher, lower, or about the same con	npared to 12 months ago
	% Higher	% Lower	% About the Same
July 2012	21	16	62
August 2012	22	16	61
September 2012	18	18	63
October 2012	19	16	63
November 2012	21	14	64
December 2012	23	16	60
January 2013	23	15	61
February 2013	21	17	61
March 2013	20	17	62
April 2013	20	16	61
May 2013	20	13	65
June 2013	26	15	57
July 2013	26	16	57

Share of respondents who say th	eir household expenses are	higher, lower, or about the same	e compared to 12 months ago
	% Higher	% Lower	% About the Same
July 2012	32	9	58
August 2012	33	10	55
September 2012	34	9	55
October 2012	33	9	56
November 2012	34	10	55
December 2012	37	9	52
January 2013	38	11	49
February 2013	31	11	56
March 2013	32	8	59
April 2013	31	11	56
May 2013	32	10	57
June 2013	36	10	53
July 2013	30	9	59