In its sixth year, the 2016 Global Entrepreneur Indicator (GEI) is a twice-yearly gauge of the near-term global economic outlook that delivers data on job creation, profit outlook and access to capital, among other key metrics. The U.S. sampling of the Entrepreneurs’ Organization’s March GEI—taken by 2,954 leading entrepreneurs—reveals the current state of the U.S. business landscape and the country’s economic health, among other statistics designed to identify economic trends, drive fiscal growth and strengthen communities.

**JOB CREATION**
Entrepreneurs indicate increase in full-time staffing levels

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**REVENUE**

- 70% of entrepreneurs reported an increase in business revenue over the last 6 months
- 84% of entrepreneurs predicted an increase in business revenue in the coming 6 months

**ECONOMICS**

Entrepreneurs cite willingness to start a new business in the current economic environment

- 87%

**ACCESS TO CAPITAL**
Respondents report increased funding opportunities during past six months

- 59% Stayed the same
- 36% Reported an increase
- 5% Reported a decrease

**PROFIT OUTLOOK**
Business owners overwhelmingly optimistic in capital surpluses in next six months

- 81% Increase
- 15% Stay the same
- 4% Decrease