

EO Global Entrepreneur Indicator

From the Entrepreneurs' Organization

United States GEI Report

Survey Period: 1-31 August 2015

Past 6 Months	United States Results			Global Results		
	Increased	Decreased	Stayed the same	Increased	Decreased	Stayed the Same
Number of full-time employees	61.5%	12.1%	26.4%	58.3%	14.5%	27.2%
Number of part-time employees	44.5%	6.0%	49.4%	42.4%	8.0%	49.6%
Business revenue	71.0%	11.4%	17.6%	67.9%	14.2%	17.8%
Net profit	66.4%	14.8%	18.7%	61.5%	19.9%	18.6%
Use of debt instruments	27.6%	13.1%	59.3%	28.9%	13.7%	57.4%
Access to capital	36.1%	4.4%	59.4%	35.6%	5.7%	58.6%

Next 6 Months	United States Results			Global Results		
	Increase	Decrease	Stay the Same	Increase	Decrease	Stay the Same
Number of full-time employees	68.8%	3.8%	27.4%	62.8%	6.2%	31.0%
Number of part-time employees	42.8%	3.3%	53.9%	42.0%	6.2%	51.9%
Business revenue	85.9%	2.9%	11.2%	81.5%	5.0%	13.5%
Net profit	80.8%	4.0%	15.2%	76.4%	6.9%	16.7%
Use of debt instruments	27.2%	9.9%	62.9%	29.6%	11.3%	59.1%
Access to capital	33.9%	1.8%	64.3%	36.5%	2.9%	60.7%

Chapter Economic Outlook	Improve	Deteriorate	Stay the Same
Predicted change in your country's economy	41.6%	16.1%	42.3%
Global Average	37.7%	28.8%	33.5%

90.1% of United States respondents reported a willingness to start a business in their current economic environment.

Methodology: The EO Global Entrepreneur Indicator Survey examines the current economic market and realities for entrepreneurs, and gives insight into their predictions for the next six months. Nearly 3,700 of the more than 11,000 business owners that comprise the Entrepreneurs' Organization's membership responded to the survey. Respondents represented 149 chapters from 47 countries. Participants were presented with 14 questions assessing current and projected economic health. During the survey period, 1-31 August 2015, responses were obtained by contacting members within each chapter to guide them to the survey materials. Reports were then issued to each of EO's chapters around the world, based on the responses collected from each chapter's members. For more information, contact Gustavo Vieira, EO's Director of PR, at gvieira@eonetwork.org, or follow @EOIndicator on Twitter.