In its seventh year, the 2017 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 Entrepreneurs’ Organization’s September GEI—taken by 4,593 leading entrepreneurs—reveals the current state of 51 countries’ business landscapes and 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

| PAST SIX MONTHS | 56% |
| FUTURE SIX MONTHS | 61% |

**REVENUE**

![Graph showing an increase in business revenue](image)

- 66% of entrepreneurs reported an increase in business revenue over the last 6 months.
- 79% 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

- 82% reported an increase in business revenue over the last 6 months.
- 66% predicted an increase in business revenue in the coming 6 months.

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

- 63% stayed the same.
- 32% reported an increase.
- 5% reported a decrease.

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

- 74% increase.
- 20% stay the same.
- 6% decrease.

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