

Chart 5: People's Knowledge of Official Measures of Economic Performance

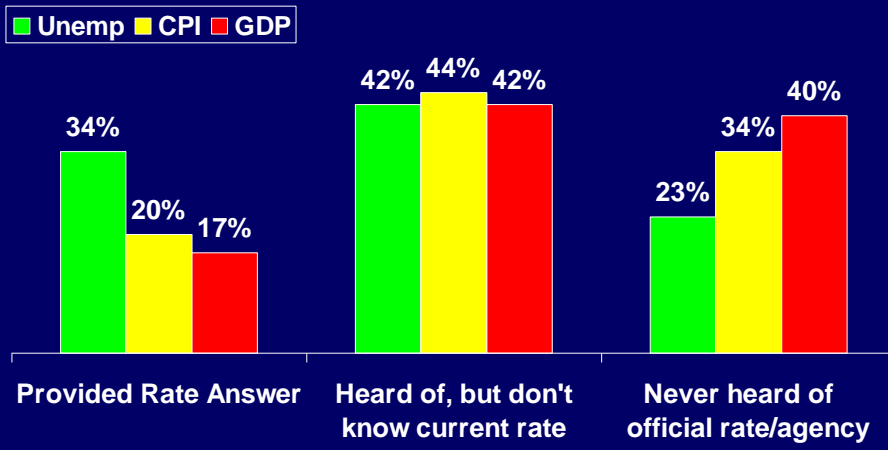
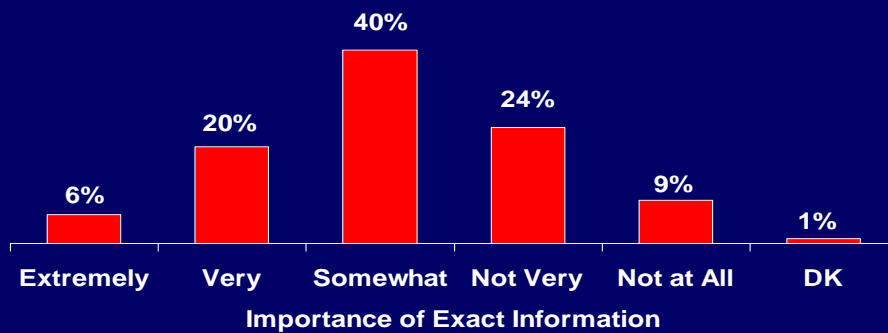
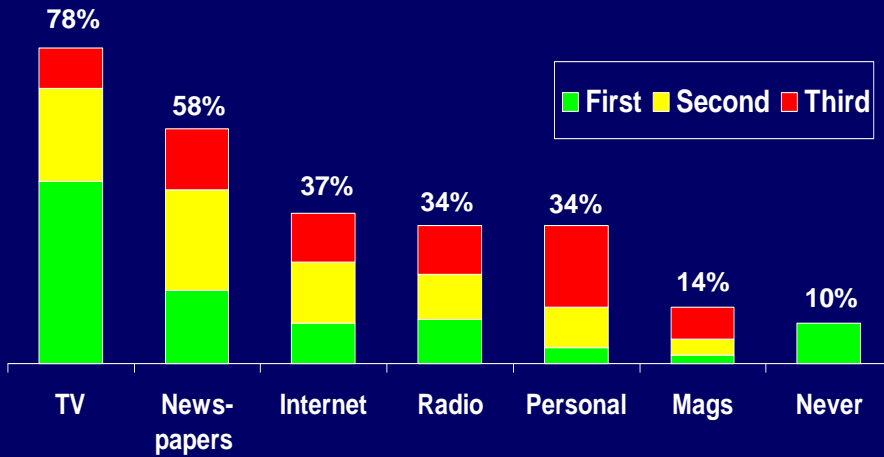


Chart 10: Importance of Exact Information on Economic Statistics



How important is it for a person like you to have exact information about the rate of unemployment, the rate of change in prices, and the rate of change in the Gross Domestic Product — would you say it is extremely important, very important, somewhat important, not very important, or not important at all?

Chart 11: Sources of Information on Official Economic Statistics



We are interested in how people get official government information about the rate of unemployment, the rate of change in prices, and the rate of change in the Gross Domestic Product. Do you get most of this type of information from television, the radio, newspapers, magazines, the internet, your family, friends, or co-workers, your own personal experiences, from some other sources, or do you never get any official government information on these topics? What is your second most common source of official government information about these topics? What is your third most common source of official government information about these topics?