

# Private Company Data Trends & CEO Sentiment

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Formerly positive outlook regarding capital and debt availability, as well as business climate, are waning. Private company CEOs feel less secure about the resources available to them.

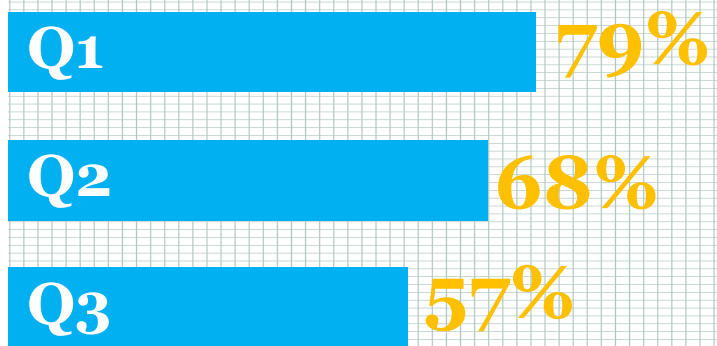
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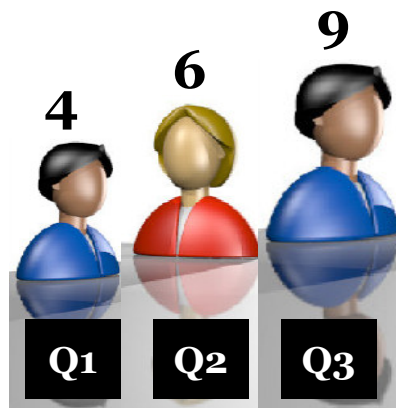
## Positive view of debt availability (for coming quarter):



## Positive view of next quarter's business climate:



## Average full time employee growth (quarter to quarter):



Employment on the rise in the private sector! Company reported employee data supports the *strong* growth curve depicted by PCI revenue data. (Nearly 98% since Index inception.)

Are you currently hiring full time employees?



This high percentage of Index companies hiring indicates confidence in their current direction and plans for continued and/or sustained growth.

