

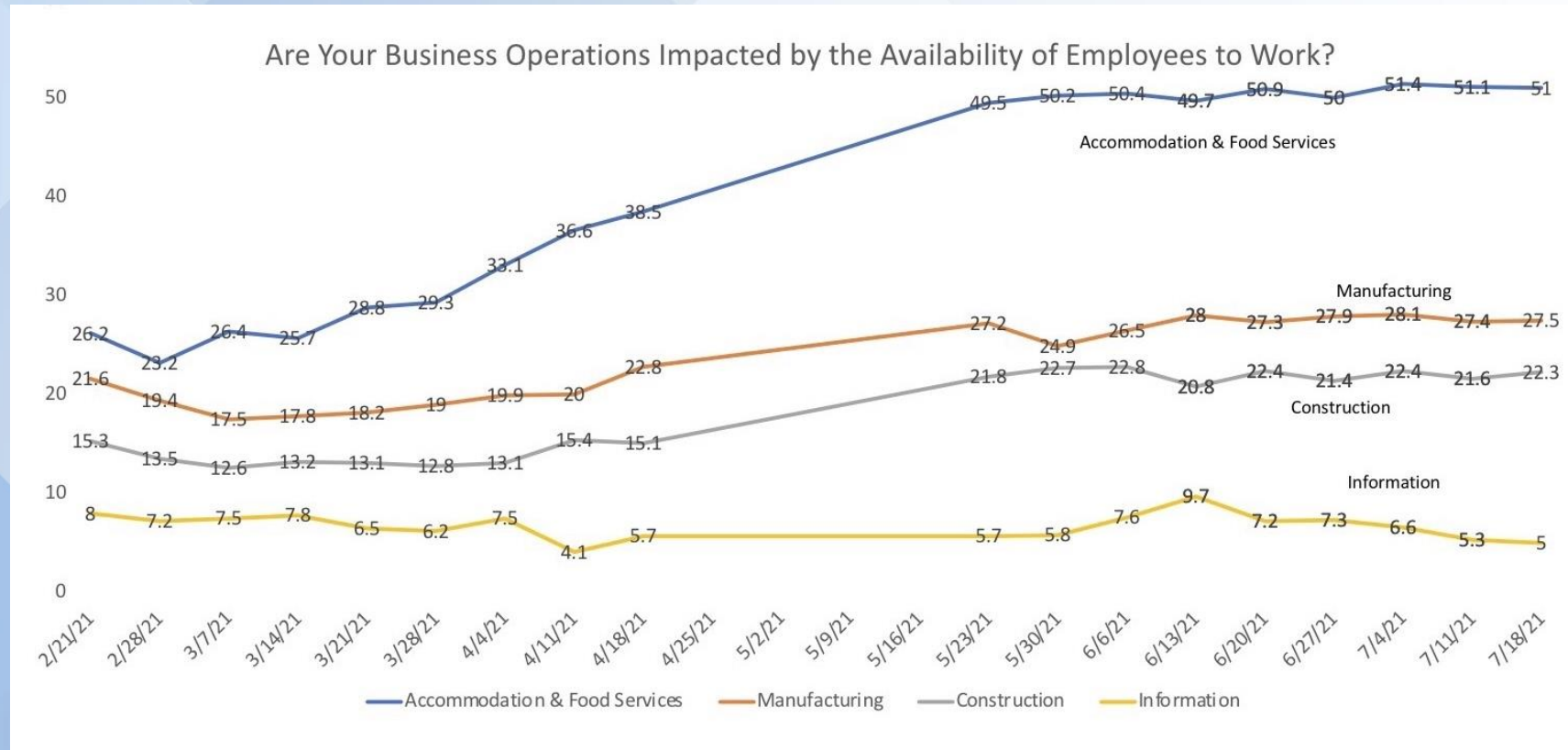


Federal Stimulus to Save Small Business

- U.S. Chamber of Commerce advocated for, and Congress passed, seven laws in twelve months to aid small business.
- SBA disbursed over \$1 trillion through its disaster loan program and PPP since March 2020.
- Work continues to ensure SBA's Restaurant Revitalization Fund, Shuttered Venue Operator Grants, and PPP forgiveness benefit America's small business community.



Current Business Landscape

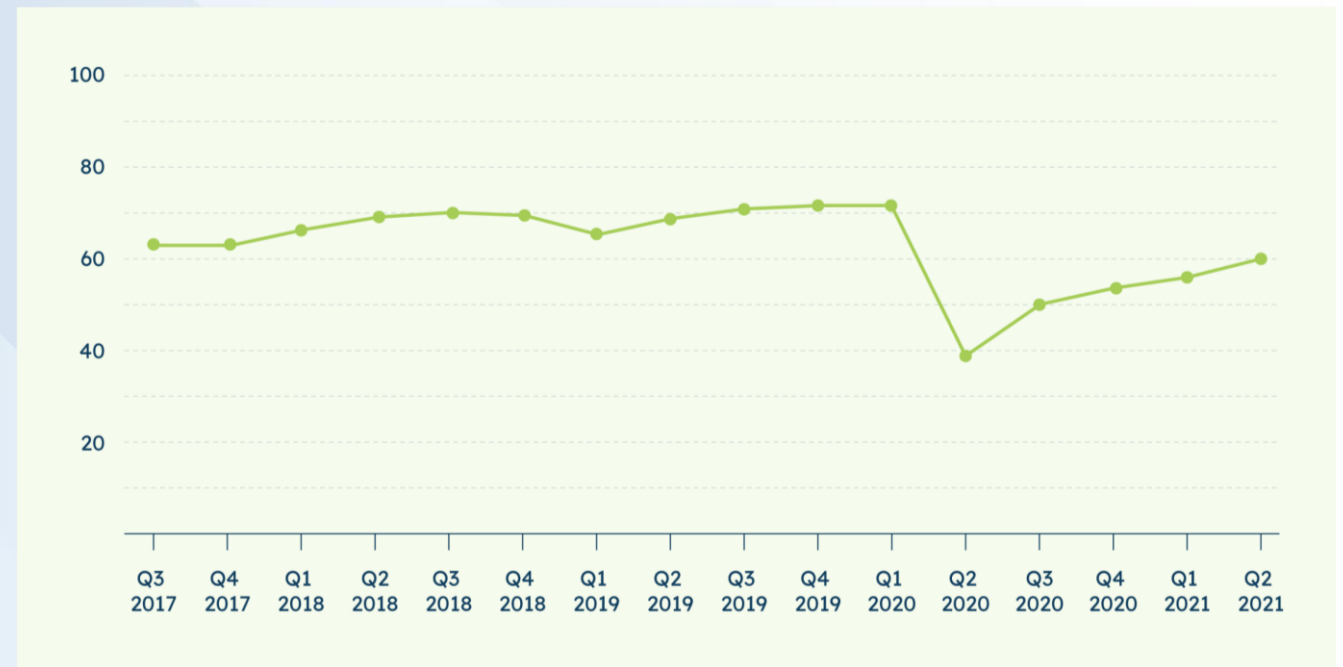




MetLife & U.S. Chamber Small Business Index for 2021 Q2

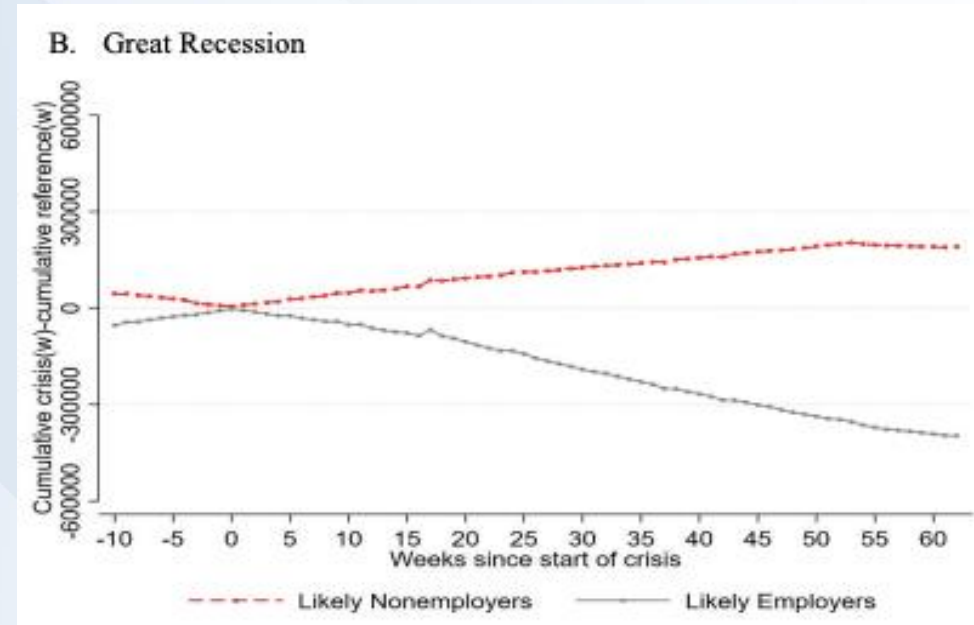
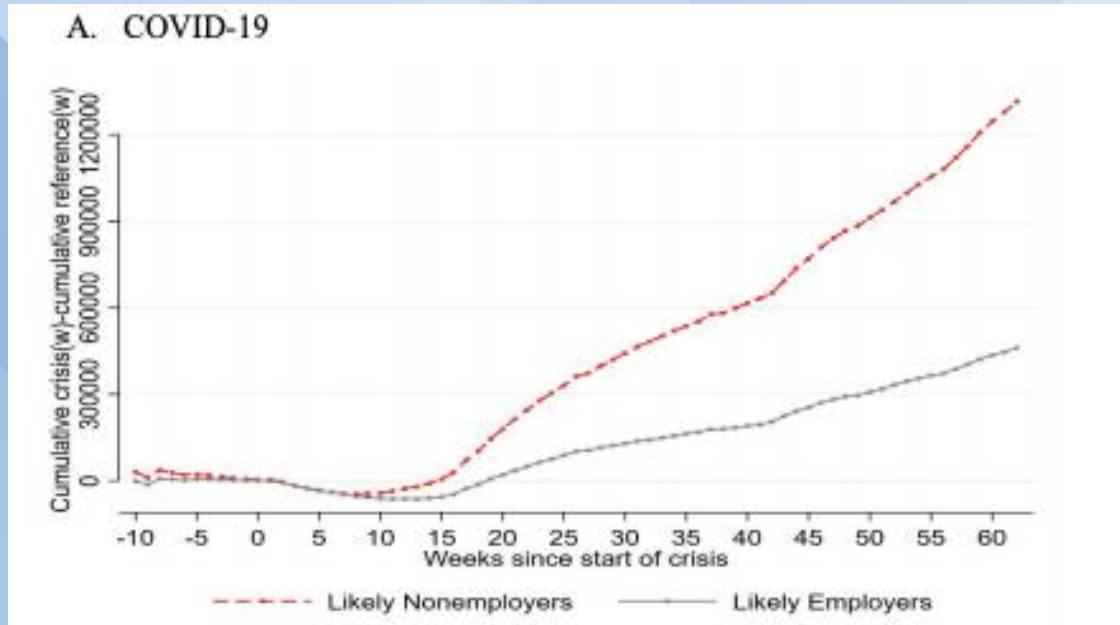
- Index score is 60 (up 4.1 points since beginning of 2021).
- 27% of small businesses rate U.S. economy as good (up 6 points), but still way below 60% rating pre-pandemic.
- 57% of small businesses anticipate their revenue increasing this year (up 10 points from last quarter).

Small Business Index Score 2017 Q3 - 2021 Q2





Small business startup boom





SMALL BUSINESS RECOVERY AGENDA

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- Equality of Opportunity Initiative
- Access to Capital
- Prevent Federal Micromanagement of Main Street recovery



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