

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1151 adults in Wales (16+)
Fieldwork: 24th - 29th July 2024

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

In September last year, the default speed limit in residential areas in Wales fell from 30mph to 20mph. To what extent do you support or oppose this speed limit reduction?

Strongly support	7	1	11	12	13	1	12	3	8	7	10	7	6	8	9	6
Tend to support	17	6	27	21	29	8	22	10	18	16	22	16	19	15	20	14
TOTAL SUPPORT	24	6	39	33	42	9	35	14	25	23	32	23	24	23	28	20
Tend to oppose	21	20	24	30	29	8	27	16	19	24	23	23	18	22	22	21
Strongly oppose	50	73	35	35	27	81	37	68	53	48	38	49	55	54	47	54
TOTAL OPPOSE	72	93	59	65	56	89	64	84	72	71	60	72	73	76	68	75
Don't know	4	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	5	8	5	3	2	3	5

Thinking about the new 20mph speed limit in residential areas in Wales, do you think it is clear or unclear which roads this applies to?

Very clear	9	5	11	8	16	6	14	5	8	9	5	9	10	8	9	8
Fairly clear	28	22	33	34	33	16	33	22	26	31	39	26	29	27	31	26
TOTAL CLEAR	37	27	44	41	49	22	47	27	35	39	44	35	39	34	40	34
Fairly unclear	32	34	33	34	32	29	30	33	32	32	35	32	29	35	31	33
Very unclear	27	39	20	24	20	47	22	38	30	25	17	28	31	29	26	29
TOTAL UNCLEAR	60	73	53	58	51	76	52	71	62	58	51	60	59	64	58	62
Don't know	3	0	3	1	0	3	2	2	4	3	5	5	1	2	3	4

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Tend to support	17	17	17	20	14	17	28	17	15
TOTAL SUPPORT	24	28	25	29	19	20	36	26	22
Tend to oppose	21	22	23	22	21	19	22	27	19
Strongly oppose	50	46	50	43	56	60	41	45	55
TOTAL OPPOSE	72	68	72	65	76	78	62	72	73
Don't know	4	5	3	6	5	2	2	3	5

Thinking about the new 20mph speed limit in residential areas in Wales, do you think it is clear or unclear which roads this applies to?

Very clear	9	12	14	8	5	5	11	10	8
Fairly clear	28	36	29	35	25	16	28	32	27
TOTAL CLEAR	37	48	43	42	29	21	39	42	34
Fairly unclear	32	31	29	32	32	38	29	33	32
Very unclear	27	20	26	21	36	36	29	22	30
TOTAL UNCLEAR	60	51	54	53	68	74	58	56	62
Don't know	3	2	3	5	2	5	4	2	4

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Still thinking about the new 20mph speed limit in residential areas in Wales, would you say it improves or worsens each of the following, or does it make no difference?

Safety of drivers

Improves	28	11	42	37	42	9	36	15	30	27	49	27	26	22	35	22
Worsens	28	40	23	27	13	43	20	38	27	29	16	32	30	27	25	31
Makes no difference	38	46	29	32	42	45	39	42	39	38	31	34	39	47	36	40
Don't know	6	3	6	4	2	3	4	5	5	6	4	7	5	5	4	7

Safety of pedestrians in residential areas

Improves	48	28	60	62	68	24	61	33	48	47	64	47	47	41	53	42
Worsens	9	8	8	11	2	19	5	15	9	9	8	10	7	10	9	9
Makes no difference	39	60	28	27	21	56	31	49	39	39	27	37	40	45	34	44
Don't know	5	4	5	0	8	2	4	4	4	5	2	6	6	4	4	5

Air quality

Improves	16	5	26	25	32	4	24	10	16	17	19	18	14	15	22	11
Worsens	32	48	24	19	19	47	24	43	36	29	27	30	36	33	30	34
Makes no difference	41	41	36	47	43	45	42	39	40	43	40	41	42	41	39	44
Don't know	11	7	15	9	6	3	10	8	9	12	13	11	8	11	9	12

Noise in residential areas

Improves	20	7	27	33	34	7	27	11	21	19	26	20	21	16	24	15
Worsens	22	35	17	21	14	28	16	31	23	21	15	23	23	24	19	25
Makes no difference	53	52	51	43	51	60	53	53	51	55	55	51	51	56	52	53
Don't know	6	6	6	4	2	5	4	6	6	6	5	7	6	5	4	7

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Safety of drivers

Improves	28	33	25	36	24	20	36	34	24
Worsens	28	29	27	21	32	32	25	27	29
Makes no difference	38	32	42	39	39	39	37	36	40
Don't know	6	6	6	3	5	9	2	4	7

Safety of pedestrians in residential areas

Improves	48	48	53	51	44	40	59	56	42
Worsens	9	10	11	5	8	11	10	8	9
Makes no difference	39	39	32	40	45	38	28	34	43
Don't know	5	3	4	4	3	11	3	2	6

Air quality

Improves	16	21	15	19	15	12	23	17	15
Worsens	32	32	30	28	35	35	32	32	32
Makes no difference	41	40	44	44	39	39	37	41	42
Don't know	11	8	11	9	12	13	8	10	11

Noise in residential areas

Improves	20	26	19	20	18	15	20	21	19
Worsens	22	29	19	17	23	25	18	22	23
Makes no difference	53	41	57	58	56	50	54	52	53
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How often, if ever, do you drive a car or other vehicles in your everyday life?

Everyday	40	47	42	36	40	44	43	41	44	37	33	49	42	30	44	37
A few times a week	28	34	29	42	34	27	36	29	28	27	16	23	32	36	31	24
Once a week	3	2	5	2	2	4	3	4	2	5	4	3	3	4	3	4
A few times a month	3	1	3	0	2	3	2	1	3	2	6	2	1	2	2	3
Once a month or less	2	1	2	2	5	4	1	2	3	2	5	3	1	2	3	2
Never	24	15	20	19	18	19	15	23	21	26	36	21	20	26	17	30

Roughly how often, if at all, would you say you go over the new 20mph speed limit when driving? (**Please remember your answers are completely anonymous**)

[Asked to everyone excluding those who said they never drive; n=877]

All the time	13	14	8	7	14	23	12	16	15	11	12	17	14	7	13	12
Most of the time	27	28	29	20	19	28	29	28	28	27	21	33	24	25	26	29
Occasionally	33	41	35	46	34	26	35	35	30	37	31	26	39	39	36	30
Rarely	17	13	20	25	27	13	20	15	16	19	12	15	16	25	18	16
Never	6	3	7	3	4	7	4	5	7	5	14	6	6	4	4	9
Don't know	3	1	2	0	2	4	1	1	4	2	11	3	2	1	2	4

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A few times a week	28	32	21	33	26	26	26	23	30
Once a week	3	5	3	3	4	3	4	2	4
A few times a month	3	2	1	3	4	3	3	3	2
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Never	6	6	5	6	11	3	5	8	6
Don't know	3	0	6	1	3	4	9	2	2