

# YouGov / The Times Survey Results

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## HEADLINE VOTING INTENTION

### Westminster Voting Intention

[Weighted by likelihood to vote, excluding those who would not vote, don't know or refused]

20-21 Dec '22      4-5 Jan '23

	20-21 Dec '22	4-5 Jan '23																				
Con	24	<b>25</b>	100	0	0	62	2	6	13	43	24	26	14	16	24	44	24	26	27	16	14	
Lab	48	<b>46</b>	0	100	0	14	87	40	57	26	43	48	59	58	43	24	47	43	48	46	27	
Lib Dem	9	<b>9</b>	0	0	100	5	3	47	14	6	10	8	6	7	13	9	11	6	10	4	7	
SNP	4	<b>5</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	1	6	4	9	5	5	2	3	6	0	0	43	
Plaid Cymru	1	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	0	19	0	
Reform UK	8	<b>7</b>	0	0	0	13	0	1	1	16	9	5	2	5	7	11	5	10	7	10	5	
Green	5	<b>6</b>	0	0	0	3	5	6	7	4	6	6	9	6	5	6	7	5	7	4	4	
Other	2	<b>2</b>	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	3	2	2	0	1	3	3	1	3	2	2	1	

### If there were a general election held tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

Conservative	16	<b>17</b>	100	0	0	43	1	6	10	29	17	17	9	11	17	31	18	15	18	13	10
Labour	32	<b>31</b>	0	100	0	9	70	33	46	17	30	31	36	38	30	17	34	26	31	35	20
Liberal Democrat	6	<b>6</b>	0	0	100	4	2	38	11	4	7	5	4	5	9	6	8	3	6	3	5
Scottish National Party (SNP)	3	<b>3</b>	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	4	2	5	3	3	1	2	4	0	0	31
Plaid Cymru	0	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	14	0
Reform UK	6	<b>5</b>	0	0	0	9	0	1	1	11	7	3	1	4	6	8	4	6	5	7	5
Green	4	<b>4</b>	0	0	0	2	4	5	6	3	4	4	6	4	3	4	5	3	4	3	3
Some other party	1	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
Would not vote	13	<b>13</b>	0	0	0	6	5	1	3	9	14	11	17	15	9	11	9	18	14	9	4
Don't know	17	<b>17</b>	0	0	0	24	11	15	14	22	13	21	9	17	21	18	15	20	17	11	20
Refused	2	<b>2</b>	0	0	0	1	4	1	1	1	2	3	10	3	0	1	2	2	2	3	2

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Plaid Cymru	1	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	0
Reform UK	8	<b>7</b>	9	9	4	6
Green	5	<b>6</b>	7	3	6	8
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#### If there were a general election held tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

Conservative	16	<b>17</b>	12	19	15	22
Labour	32	<b>31</b>	38	26	40	26
Liberal Democrat	6	<b>6</b>	5	3	8	9
Scottish National Party (SNP)	3	<b>3</b>	0	0	0	1
Plaid Cymru	0	<b>1</b>	0	0	0	0
Reform UK	6	<b>5</b>	6	6	3	4
Green	4	<b>4</b>	5	2	4	5
Some other party	1	<b>1</b>	1	3	2	1
Would not vote	13	<b>13</b>	14	16	11	13
Don't know	17	<b>17</b>	17	23	12	17
Refused	2	<b>2</b>	2	2	4	2

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<b>And which of these parties would you vote for?</b>			<i>[Asked only to those who answered 'some other party'; n=24]</i>																		
UK Independence Party (UKIP)	26	<b>27</b>	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	36	24	29	0	0	57	13	18	36	25	0	100
Women's Equality Party	0	<b>0</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Some other party	74	<b>65</b>	0	0	0	60	100	0	84	56	58	71	0	100	22	87	74	55	66	100	0
Don't know	0	<b>4</b>	0	0	0	0	0	100	16	0	8	0	0	0	11	0	8	0	5	0	0
Refused	0	<b>4</b>	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	8	9	0	0	0	11	0	0	9	5	0	0
<b>On a scale of 0 (certain NOT to vote) to 10 (absolutely certain to vote), how likely would you be to vote in a general election tomorrow?</b>																					
0 - Certain NOT to vote	10	<b>10</b>	2	0	0	3	3	2	2	7	11	9	13	12	6	10	7	14	10	9	4
1	2	<b>2</b>	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	3	2	2	1
2	3	<b>2</b>	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	2	2	2	2	3	2	1	2	2	2	1	0
3	1	<b>2</b>	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	3	3	1	2	2	3	2	4	1	
4	2	<b>2</b>	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	8	2	1	1	2	2	2	4	0
5	7	<b>6</b>	4	2	2	6	3	5	4	8	5	7	7	7	6	4	4	9	6	1	6
6	3	<b>3</b>	4	1	5	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	4	4	3	0	3	3	2	3	5
7	4	<b>5</b>	8	4	6	6	3	1	3	5	6	4	10	5	5	3	5	5	5	4	2
8	7	<b>7</b>	9	8	6	9	6	3	6	7	7	7	9	7	6	7	7	7	7	10	4
9	8	<b>8</b>	11	8	8	8	7	14	9	7	8	7	6	6	10	8	8	6	7	9	8
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	53	<b>53</b>	61	73	73	60	69	72	71	57	52	54	38	50	57	63	59	46	52	54	69
<b>Which of the following do you think would make the best Prime Minister?</b>																					
Rishi Sunak	25	<b>26</b>	85	4	17	53	6	13	18	40	25	26	16	18	27	41	27	24	27	21	17
Keir Starmer	32	<b>31</b>	1	75	41	9	61	54	49	16	35	28	41	36	35	16	35	26	31	33	30
Not sure	39	<b>40</b>	12	20	39	36	28	31	30	43	37	43	36	42	37	41	35	48	39	42	49
Refused	4	<b>3</b>	2	1	3	2	4	2	3	2	3	3	7	4	1	2	3	3	3	4	4

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Some other party	74	<b>65</b>	100	59	49	56
Don't know	0	<b>4</b>	0	0	0	22
Refused	0	<b>4</b>	0	14	0	0
<b>On a scale of 0 (certain NOT to vote) to 10 (absolutely certain to vote), how likely would you be to vote in a general election tomorrow?</b>						
0 - Certain NOT to vote	10	<b>10</b>	11	12	9	10
1	2	<b>2</b>	1	2	2	2
2	3	<b>2</b>	3	3	2	2
3	1	<b>2</b>	3	3	1	2
4	2	<b>2</b>	3	1	4	2
5	7	<b>6</b>	7	9	4	6
6	3	<b>3</b>	2	4	3	2
7	4	<b>5</b>	7	7	2	5
8	7	<b>7</b>	7	7	6	8
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<b>How well or badly do you think the government are doing at handling Britain's exit from the European Union?</b>																					
Very well	2	2	7	1	0	4	1	0	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	0	1
Fairly well	18	18	51	5	11	38	4	5	9	31	17	18	10	12	19	29	16	21	19	10	14
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>
Fairly badly	28	27	23	24	26	28	25	27	25	28	26	28	29	28	28	22	27	27	27	32	28
Very badly	40	40	6	64	58	16	61	63	59	24	45	34	42	44	41	30	46	32	38	46	49
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>77</b>
Don't know	12	14	13	6	4	13	10	5	6	14	10	18	18	14	10	16	10	19	14	13	8
<b>In hindsight, do you think Britain was right or wrong to vote to leave the European Union?</b>																					
Right to leave	34	35	64	15	14	66	12	7	5	74	39	32	13	27	36	59	28	45	37	32	23
Wrong to leave	53	54	26	81	82	25	83	91	90	18	53	56	70	61	57	33	63	43	53	57	69
Don't know	13	10	11	5	3	9	5	2	4	8	8	12	18	12	6	8	9	12	10	10	8

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<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>23</b>
Fairly badly	28	27	29	25	27	26
Very badly	40	40	40	33	48	36
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>62</b>
Don't know	12	14	16	13	12	15
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Right to leave	34	35	36	44	28	38
Wrong to leave	53	54	54	46	61	52
Don't know	13	10	10	10	11	10

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	Unweighted no.	Weighted no.	Target %
<b>Age by Gender by Education</b> (Labour Force Survey and ONS Mid Year Estimates)			
Men Over 65	192	183	10.7%
Men 50-64 High education	57	63	3.7%
Men 50-64 Mid education	79	77	4.5%
Men 50-64 Low education	64	67	3.9%
Men 25-49 High education	150	161	9.4%
Men 25-49 Mid education	136	113	6.6%
Men 25-49 Low education	53	73	4.3%
Men Under 25 High education	18	17	1.0%
Men Under 25 Mid & Low education	32	73	4.3%
Women Over 65	227	219	12.8%
Women 50-64 High education	52	60	3.5%
Women 50-64 Mid education	89	87	5.1%
Women 50-64 Low education	73	68	4.0%
Women 25-49 High education	157	173	10.1%
Women 25-49 Mid education	143	121	7.1%
Women 25-49 Low education	86	65	3.8%
Women Under 25 High education	23	21	1.2%
Women Under 25 Mid & Low education	78	68	4.0%
<b>Political Attention</b> (British Election Study face to face element)			
Low (0,1,2)	221	325	19.0%
Medium (3-7)	1106	1025	60.0%
High (8,9,10)	382	359	21.0%
<b>Social Grade</b> (NRS and 2011 census)			
AB	508	479	28.0%
C1	485	496	29.0%
C2	324	359	21.0%
DE	392	376	22.0%
<b>EU Referendum Vote</b> (Election Result)			
Remain	668	602	35.2%
Leave	664	636	37.2%
Don't Know / Did Not Vote	377	470	27.5%

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### Region by 2019 Vote (Election Result and ONS Population estimates)

North Con	123	116	6.8%
North Lab	132	126	7.4%
North LD	23	22	1.3%
North BP	15	15	0.9%
North Oth	13	12	0.7%
North DNV	108	120	7.0%
Midlands Con	111	109	6.4%
Midlands Lab	72	67	3.9%
Midlands LD	14	15	0.9%
Midlands BP	3	3	0.2%
Midlands Oth	9	9	0.5%
Midlands DNV	79	80	4.7%
London Con	49	48	2.8%
London Lab	63	73	4.3%
London LD	18	22	1.3%
London BP	1	2	0.1%
London Oth	5	5	0.3%
London DNV	53	56	3.3%
South Con	235	236	13.8%
South Lab	105	101	5.9%
South LD	77	72	4.2%
South BP	2	2	0.1%
South Oth	22	22	1.3%
South DNV	139	140	8.2%
Wales Con	25	22	1.3%
Wales Lab	26	26	1.5%
Wales LD	4	3	0.2%
Wales PC	9	7	0.4%
Wales BP	4	3	0.2%
Wales Oth DNV	26	24	1.4%
Scotland Con	27	27	1.6%
Scotland Lab	18	21	1.2%
Scotland LD	9	10	0.6%
Scotland SNP	52	50	2.9%
Scotland Oth DNV	38	41	2.4%

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