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

At the present time, what do you think is more important for the Government to spend money on?

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Improving the NHS	56	36	71	62	32	76	65	39	50	61	72	63	48	45	58	56	49	55	60	63	55	53	67	52
Improving our armed services	28	51	17	22	51	11	22	43	34	22	15	19	35	43	28	28	33	29	26	21	30	27	18	32
Neither	8	7	5	7	12	4	6	10	9	7	6	9	8	7	7	8	10	8	6	8	7	10	7	8
Don't know	8	5	8	10	4	9	8	8	7	9	7	9	9	5	7	8	7	8	8	7	8	10	7	7

Generally speaking, do you think Keir Starmer has responded to the USA's actions against Iran well or badly?

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Very well	12	8	23	18	2	10	20	6	15	9	9	12	15	10	16	11	9	12	17	10	12	12	11	12
Fairly well	35	33	45	45	19	45	45	28	36	34	32	36	36	34	40	37	31	35	28	40	32	32	43	35
TOTAL WELL	**47**	**41**	**68**	**63**	**21**	**55**	**65**	**34**	**51**	**43**	**41**	**48**	**51**	**44**	**56**	**48**	**40**	**47**	**45**	**50**	**44**	**44**	**54**	**47**
Fairly badly	17	24	13	12	20	17	14	20	16	18	23	17	15	18	17	16	19	18	15	15	18	19	15	17
Very badly	18	25	7	10	47	10	8	33	22	15	12	14	20	26	15	19	23	18	20	18	18	18	15	19
TOTAL BADLY	**35**	**49**	**20**	**22**	**67**	**27**	**22**	**53**	**38**	**33**	**35**	**31**	**35**	**44**	**32**	**35**	**42**	**36**	**35**	**33**	**36**	**37**	**30**	**36**
Don't know	17	10	12	15	13	18	14	13	10	24	24	21	14	11	13	18	19	17	20	17	20	17	16	16

Thinking about the UK's current armed forces, do you think they are or are not strong enough to...

...defend the UK from potential military attacks?

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Are strong enough to do this	29	20	39	32	13	39	33	19	30	28	44	36	24	15	29	26	26	29	27	30	30	28	30	28
Are not strong enough to do this	52	72	40	52	76	34	46	70	59	46	33	41	60	72	53	54	57	52	50	50	51	54	47	54
Don't know	19	8	21	16	12	27	21	11	12	26	23	23	17	13	17	20	17	19	24	19	19	18	23	18

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...protect the UK's interests around the world?																								
Are strong enough to do this	**22**	16	30	24	7	31	25	13	20	23	32	28	17	12	23	23	18	22	16	22	20	24	26	21
Are not strong enough to do this	**57**	76	46	59	81	36	52	75	67	48	39	47	65	74	58	57	62	57	56	54	58	57	50	60
Don't know	**21**	8	24	18	12	33	23	12	13	29	29	25	18	14	19	20	20	21	27	23	22	19	24	19
Who do you think is most responsible for the current state of the UK armed forces?																								
The current Labour Government	**10**	18	6	7	15	3	6	13	9	10	13	9	7	12	9	11	10	10	9	8	13	10	10	8
The last Conservative Government	**29**	12	52	39	11	46	45	17	34	25	31	33	32	19	37	26	21	29	30	34	29	30	32	27
Both equally	**45**	62	29	43	65	37	37	60	47	44	29	38	50	60	41	47	52	46	39	46	42	50	38	49
Don't know	**16**	8	12	10	9	14	12	10	10	21	27	20	11	9	13	16	16	16	22	12	16	10	20	16
Would you support or oppose Royal Navy ships being sent to the Strait of Hormuz to protect shipping from Iranian attacks?																								
Strongly support	**11**	17	7	6	29	0	6	18	18	5	8	9	13	15	11	10	14	11	13	11	12	14	8	11
Tend to support	**25**	41	22	24	31	14	23	32	28	23	21	22	26	31	23	28	28	26	13	20	26	27	24	27
TOTAL SUPPORT	**36**	58	29	30	60	14	29	50	46	28	29	31	39	46	34	38	42	37	26	31	38	41	32	38
Tend to oppose	**23**	21	30	30	13	26	32	19	23	24	20	22	25	25	26	22	21	23	23	26	23	22	18	25
Strongly oppose	**20**	12	22	22	14	38	23	15	20	20	17	22	21	18	20	20	17	19	25	25	18	16	30	18
TOTAL OPPOSE	**43**	33	52	52	27	64	55	34	43	44	37	44	46	43	46	42	38	42	48	51	41	38	48	43
Don't know	**21**	10	19	19	14	22	16	15	12	29	34	25	15	12	20	20	20	21	26	19	21	21	20	20
If energy bills rise as a result of the conflict in Iran, which of the following would you rather see?																								
The Government providing support with energy bills for all households, even if this is more expensive and some goes to people who don't need it	**35**	40	37	31	39	31	34	39	33	37	33	38	33	34	37	36	33	36	30	28	38	37	38	34
The Government providing support with energy bills for only the poorest households, even if this means fewer households receive help	**41**	33	49	49	28	53	49	33	42	41	45	38	44	43	43	40	40	41	38	45	38	40	44	42
Neither	**13**	18	4	12	26	5	10	19	15	11	8	12	14	16	14	11	16	12	17	16	12	12	9	14
Don't know	**11**	9	9	8	7	11	8	9	10	12	14	13	9	8	7	14	11	11	14	11	11	12	9	10

Any percentages calculated on bases fewer than 100 respondents do not represent a wide enough cross-section of the target population to be considered statistically reliable. These figures should not be used.