

## YouGov / Sunday Times Survey Results

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### Headline Voting Intention

[Excluding Don't knows and Wouldn't votes]

Con	35	100	0	0	0	76	7	15	35	34	34	37	30	38	41	25	35	43	36	27	22
Lab	36	0	100	0	0	6	80	29	35	37	37	39	39	29	31	42	38	28	35	46	34
Lib Dem	8	0	0	100	0	1	1	31	8	8	8	10	7	8	8	7	13	8	6	8	6
Other	22	0	0	0	100	17	12	24	22	21	22	14	24	25	19	25	14	21	23	19	38

### Other Parties Voting Intention

UKIP	13	0	0	0	100	16	7	10	14	11	5	4	15	19	10	16	7	14	14	13	8
Green	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	4	5	10	6	4	3	5	4	5	5	5	4	4
SNP / PCY	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	3	6	3	3	2	3	3	1	0	2	1	25
BNP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Respect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	2

### Non Voters

Would Not Vote	7	0	0	0	0	2	3	4	5	10	11	11	6	4	7	8	7	8	8	8	2
Don't know	15	0	0	0	0	12	11	17	10	19	19	14	14	14	13	16	13	15	18	13	15

July  
23-24

July  
24-25

### Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date?

Approve	32	33	85	7	48	14	62	10	29	39	27	30	35	30	35	39	25	36	38	32	26	30
Disapprove	53	52	4	85	40	77	26	80	56	50	54	39	45	59	54	45	61	47	46	53	58	59
Don't know	14	16	11	8	12	9	12	10	15	11	20	31	20	11	11	16	15	17	17	15	16	12

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	July 17-18	July 24-25																				
<b>Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?</b>																						
Very well	5	6	19	1	6	1	13	1	4	9	4	9	5	6	5	6	5	8	7	6	4	4
Fairly well	32	34	74	11	36	26	57	14	31	36	33	30	38	30	39	41	25	35	36	37	32	30
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>34</b>
Fairly badly	30	30	5	44	43	45	19	41	37	28	32	29	25	32	34	27	34	24	29	30	35	33
Very badly	24	21	0	40	9	26	7	39	21	22	20	9	22	27	18	18	25	22	19	20	22	27
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>60</b>
Don't know	8	8	2	4	5	3	3	4	7	5	11	23	11	5	3	7	10	10	9	7	8	6
<b>Do you think Ed Miliband is doing well or badly as leader of the Labour party?</b>																						
Very well	2	3	1	9	2	0	1	8	1	4	2	6	3	3	2	2	4	4	3	2	3	3
Fairly well	21	19	6	46	10	11	7	39	18	19	19	13	18	20	20	17	21	19	15	18	24	18
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>
Fairly badly	37	35	37	33	44	31	33	35	43	33	37	35	34	36	36	37	34	32	35	39	32	43
Very badly	29	31	49	7	37	52	51	13	28	35	27	19	30	33	36	34	28	32	35	31	28	26
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>69</b>
Don't know	11	12	6	4	6	6	8	5	10	8	15	27	15	9	6	10	14	12	12	10	13	10
<b>Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?</b>																						
Very well	1	1	1	1	10	0	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	3
Fairly well	14	16	24	9	48	5	17	8	24	17	14	15	18	15	16	18	13	19	17	14	15	12
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>
Fairly badly	31	30	36	27	32	26	34	28	34	29	31	28	27	30	34	31	28	27	33	32	27	28
Very badly	44	43	33	58	7	66	42	58	34	46	40	29	41	46	46	41	45	41	39	44	47	49
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>77</b>
Don't know	10	10	6	4	3	3	6	4	6	7	13	26	13	8	4	9	12	9	11	9	11	9
<b>Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?</b>																						
Very well	2	2	3	1	11	0	2	1	3	3	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	6	2	1	1	3
Fairly well	25	28	61	7	55	12	45	9	35	33	22	22	31	26	30	35	18	26	30	29	25	24
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
Fairly badly	36	34	25	40	25	46	33	38	36	31	37	37	27	36	37	33	36	33	33	37	33	33
Very badly	28	27	6	46	6	40	16	45	21	25	28	15	25	31	29	23	32	23	23	25	32	35
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>68</b>
Don't know	10	10	5	6	3	2	4	6	5	7	12	25	15	6	3	7	13	11	11	8	10	6

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<b>Do you think this coalition government is good or bad for people like you?</b>																						
Very good	3	3	5	1	13	0	4	2	3	4	2	3	4	2	3	3	3	6	2	3	2	3
Fairly good	15	18	40	5	39	6	29	6	24	21	15	10	20	18	18	22	12	19	21	17	15	14
<b>TOTAL GOOD</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>17</b>
Fairly bad	27	25	19	29	17	39	25	28	22	24	26	28	18	25	30	25	25	22	25	26	28	22
Very bad	27	26	5	47	8	37	15	45	23	27	24	14	24	30	27	21	31	21	22	25	30	36
<b>TOTAL BAD</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>58</b>
Doesn't make much difference either way	21	22	27	14	21	15	25	15	23	19	25	25	25	21	19	23	20	24	25	21	19	21
Don't know	7	7	3	3	2	2	3	5	4	5	9	20	9	4	2	6	8	7	6	8	7	4
<b>Do you think the coalition government is managing the economy well or badly?</b>																						
Very well	8	9	26	1	21	4	20	3	8	13	6	9	7	8	13	12	6	14	10	9	7	9
Fairly well	33	36	66	15	48	28	54	19	39	38	34	29	37	33	41	40	30	37	39	38	32	27
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>36</b>
Fairly badly	30	28	4	45	27	41	13	40	32	27	29	26	27	30	27	27	30	24	27	28	31	28
Very badly	19	17	1	31	2	20	7	32	13	15	18	10	16	21	14	13	21	14	14	16	18	26
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>54</b>
Don't know	10	10	3	8	3	7	6	5	8	7	14	26	12	8	5	9	13	10	10	9	12	9
<b>In your opinion how good or bad is the state of Britain's economy at the moment?</b>																						
Very good	2	3	7	0	9	1	6	1	2	4	1	2	3	2	3	4	1	2	3	3	2	3
Quite good	22	25	56	7	28	15	46	10	22	28	22	22	21	23	31	29	19	32	27	24	20	20
<b>TOTAL GOOD</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
Neither good nor bad	30	32	28	34	40	36	28	33	37	33	31	36	30	31	33	31	33	30	35	33	29	31
Quite bad	29	26	7	40	17	34	14	37	30	23	30	20	28	28	25	25	28	21	23	25	34	28
Very bad	11	10	1	16	4	12	5	16	7	9	10	4	12	13	5	7	13	11	7	10	11	15
<b>TOTAL BAD</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>43</b>
Don't know	6	5	1	3	2	1	2	2	3	3	7	17	6	2	2	4	6	4	5	5	5	3
<b>How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months?</b>																						
Get a lot better	2	2	4	0	11	2	3	2	3	3	2	4	4	2	1	2	3	5	2	4	1	2
Get a little better	14	17	32	10	28	5	25	10	17	20	14	24	22	15	12	20	13	25	17	14	15	18
<b>TOTAL BETTER</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>
Stay about the same	42	43	49	38	45	45	45	38	43	42	44	41	36	43	49	45	39	40	44	44	41	42
Get a little worse	26	23	11	32	11	35	18	31	26	21	26	12	19	25	30	22	26	18	23	23	27	24
Get a lot worse	10	8	1	14	4	10	5	13	8	8	8	3	8	12	5	5	11	6	7	9	10	8
<b>TOTAL WORSE</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>32</b>
Don't know	7	7	3	5	1	2	4	6	3	5	8	17	10	4	3	5	9	8	7	7	7	6

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**July 20-21**  
**July 24-25**

**Last week a passenger jet crashed in eastern Ukraine, apparently having been shot down. How closely are you following this story?**

Very closely 27  
Fairly closely 46  
Not very closely 15  
I am aware of the stories but am not following them 10  
I am not aware of the stories 3

<b>24</b>	27	26	25	32	29	25	25	29	20	19	19	22	33	25	23	29	22	24	25	22
<b>50</b>	52	50	51	45	52	53	49	48	51	41	47	51	54	50	49	45	53	48	46	57
<b>16</b>	14	16	16	15	12	14	18	16	16	19	20	18	8	16	16	13	15	17	18	14
<b>8</b>	5	6	6	7	5	6	7	5	10	12	9	8	4	7	8	8	7	9	8	4
<b>3</b>	1	2	3	0	1	2	1	2	3	9	5	1	0	2	4	4	3	2	3	3

**From what you have seen or heard, who or what do you think was responsible for the downing of Flight MH17?**

Separatists in Ukraine, without any support or weaponry from Russia 4  
Separatists in Ukraine, with support or weaponry supplied by Russia 66  
Russia themselves 6  
Ukraine 3  
Some other group or cause 2  
Don't know 19

<b>4</b>	4	4	3	3	4	4	3	4	4	4	2	5	3	4	4	5	5	5	2	2
<b>66</b>	76	65	77	74	76	65	74	74	59	59	58	66	77	70	61	64	67	66	67	69
<b>6</b>	4	8	1	5	4	8	4	5	7	6	10	6	4	6	7	5	6	6	7	6
<b>3</b>	2	3	2	1	2	4	0	2	3	4	4	2	1	2	4	4	3	2	1	3
<b>2</b>	1	3	1	3	1	3	2	1	2	0	2	2	2	1	2	3	1	2	1	1
<b>19</b>	13	17	16	13	14	17	17	13	25	27	24	19	13	17	22	19	18	20	22	18

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	July 20-21	July 24-25																				
<b>Thinking more specifically about the type of actions western countries could take in response to the situation in Ukraine, would you support or oppose Britain and other Western countries taking the following actions?</b>																						
<b>Imposing trade sanctions on Russia</b>																						
Support	61	65	72	67	75	77	70	67	70	70	60	54	56	68	73	66	63	67	62	64	67	66
Oppose	12	11	11	14	4	12	10	14	9	12	10	10	9	14	10	12	11	16	13	12	7	6
Don't know	27	24	17	19	21	11	19	19	21	18	30	36	35	18	17	22	26	18	24	23	26	28
<b>Breaking off diplomatic relations with Russia</b>																						
Support	30	31	34	31	24	48	36	32	26	33	30	31	29	32	32	29	34	27	31	29	38	26
Oppose	41	43	47	47	49	37	41	45	49	48	38	36	36	45	48	47	36	53	45	45	33	40
Don't know	29	26	20	22	27	15	23	23	24	19	33	33	35	22	20	24	29	19	25	26	29	34
<b>Expelling Russian diplomats from Britain</b>																						
Support	31	31	33	31	27	51	35	33	28	35	27	22	27	31	37	30	31	32	30	29	35	26
Oppose	42	42	47	47	47	34	41	44	45	46	38	41	38	43	45	44	39	47	45	43	35	43
Don't know	27	27	20	22	26	15	24	23	27	19	35	36	35	26	18	26	30	22	25	29	30	30
<b>Freezing the assets of Russians linked to the Putin regime held in Western banks</b>																						
Support	58	58	63	62	61	69	62	61	60	63	53	41	47	62	69	60	55	61	55	57	60	54
Oppose	17	17	18	18	16	17	17	19	15	20	15	23	17	18	14	17	18	21	19	18	14	15
Don't know	25	25	19	20	23	14	21	20	25	17	32	36	36	20	16	23	27	18	26	24	25	31
<b>Freezing all Russian assets held in Western banks</b>																						
Support	42	42	43	42	42	62	46	45	40	46	38	30	31	45	53	42	42	43	42	39	46	34
Oppose	30	30	36	33	31	19	30	31	32	35	25	31	34	31	26	31	29	35	31	32	23	34
Don't know	28	28	20	24	26	19	24	24	28	19	36	39	35	25	22	27	29	22	27	29	31	31
<b>Giving financial aid to the new Ukrainian government</b>																						
Support	25	24	27	29	40	21	24	25	30	32	17	24	22	24	25	27	20	29	21	26	24	25
Oppose	38	39	45	36	29	49	45	40	35	39	40	34	33	43	43	38	41	38	44	40	34	41
Don't know	37	37	27	35	32	29	31	35	35	29	44	43	45	33	31	35	39	33	36	34	43	35
<b>Giving military aid to the new Ukrainian government</b>																						
Support	14	13	15	16	19	14	14	15	13	18	9	16	15	13	11	13	13	21	11	14	13	11
Oppose	55	55	60	55	51	61	59	57	58	56	54	40	44	61	63	56	53	53	59	56	48	55
Don't know	31	32	25	29	30	26	27	28	30	27	37	44	41	26	26	31	33	26	30	30	39	33
<b>Stripping Russia of the right to host the football World Cup in 2018</b>																						
Support	50	50	52	51	52	62	53	54	50	52	49	42	45	53	55	53	47	51	50	48	51	50
Oppose	22	22	26	24	23	20	23	23	21	27	18	20	21	23	23	22	23	28	23	21	19	22
Don't know	28	28	21	25	25	18	24	23	29	22	34	38	34	24	22	26	30	20	26	31	31	28

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**Cancelling the Russian Formula One Grand Prix, planned for October'**

Support	51	52	53	56	65	55	55	52	53	50	39	46	55	58	54	48	52	52	49	53	52
Oppose	22	27	25	22	19	22	24	22	27	18	22	20	23	23	21	24	28	23	22	18	21
Don't know	26	22	22	22	15	23	22	26	19	33	39	35	22	19	26	28	20	25	29	29	27

**Banning Vladimir Putin himself from travelling to European Union countries**

Support	40	42	40	40	55	44	41	39	41	38	29	37	43	42	40	39	40	40	38	41	38
Oppose	31	33	36	29	29	31	34	32	37	26	31	28	30	36	32	30	39	33	32	25	28
Don't know	29	25	24	31	17	24	25	28	22	36	40	36	27	22	28	31	21	27	31	34	33

July 20-21  
July 24-25

**Thinking about how different countries have responded towards the situation between Russia and Ukraine, do you think they should have a tougher response towards Russia, are already behaving too aggressively towards Russia, or are they getting the balance about right?**

**The British government**

Should have a tougher response towards Russia	42	46	42	50	48	59	44	50	49	47	44	38	45	46	49	47	44	49	44	43	47	48
Should respond less aggressively towards Russia	10	9	6	12	1	13	7	13	7	10	7	7	7	10	10	8	10	11	7	10	9	11
Have got their response about right	24	26	39	21	38	16	34	19	28	28	25	24	22	27	31	28	24	25	30	27	23	25
Don't know	24	19	13	17	14	11	15	17	15	14	24	32	26	17	10	17	22	15	19	20	21	16

**The US government**

Should have a tougher response towards Russia	39	43	43	48	35	56	43	48	42	45	40	33	44	45	44	44	41	49	43	40	43	43
Should respond less aggressively towards Russia	16	14	13	14	17	17	13	16	16	14	14	12	11	15	16	12	16	16	12	15	14	14
Have got their response about right	20	20	27	17	31	14	25	16	23	24	17	18	16	20	25	22	18	16	22	21	19	23
Don't know	25	23	16	20	18	12	18	20	18	16	29	36	29	20	16	21	25	20	23	24	24	19

**European Union countries acting together**

Should have a tougher response towards Russia	54	59	68	58	57	71	69	58	61	63	56	48	54	60	68	62	56	60	59	57	61	60
Should respond less aggressively towards Russia	6	7	5	7	7	8	5	9	6	8	5	5	6	8	6	6	8	7	7	8	5	5
Have got their response about right	11	11	12	13	17	8	9	12	14	12	10	12	9	13	10	11	11	14	10	12	9	15
Don't know	30	23	15	21	19	12	17	22	19	17	29	35	30	19	15	21	26	20	24	23	24	20

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Thinking about how different European countries respond to the situation in Russia, which of the following best reflects your view?

Britain should impose some economic sanctions against Russia even if other European countries do not	<b>39</b>	43	37	43	54	45	37	43	40	39	34	33	42	45	41	38	47	42	36	36	35
Britain should only impose economic sanctions against Russia if other European countries do the same	<b>34</b>	37	38	39	31	36	36	37	37	31	28	35	34	37	35	33	27	31	36	38	42
Britain should not impose any economic sanctions against Russia	<b>9</b>	9	11	5	9	7	11	7	10	8	10	7	10	9	8	10	11	10	10	6	7
Don't know	<b>18</b>	11	14	13	7	12	16	14	13	22	28	26	15	9	17	19	15	17	18	20	16

Currently the European Union can impose sanctions against Russia only if all 28 member countries agree.

Do you think the the European Union should be able to impose sanctions if a majority of countries agree (even if it means individual countries such as Britain have to go along with sanctions they don't support), or should the EU only be able to impose acti

Should be able to impose sanctions when a majority of EU states agree - even if this means individual countries such as Britain have to do things they don't agree with	<b>47</b>	54	47	43	57	52	49	44	53	42	46	44	48	50	49	45	46	48	46	47	53
Should only be able to impose sanctions when all member states agree - even if this means the EU is able to impose only limited sanctions	<b>27</b>	24	31	35	23	24	27	33	26	27	23	24	26	31	27	27	30	27	25	27	23
Not sure	<b>26</b>	22	22	22	20	23	23	22	21	31	31	31	26	19	24	28	24	25	30	26	25

Russia is a major exporter of gas to European countries. Sanctions on the trading of Russian gas would probably be a significant hit to the Russian economy, but would probably increase the rest of Europe's gas and energy prices - including here in Britain. Do you think...

European countries should put sanctions on Russian gas	<b>44</b>	50	45	52	55	48	45	47	52	37	38	40	45	50	48	40	48	44	42	43	52
European countries should not put sanctions on Russian gas	<b>25</b>	27	26	22	24	25	25	29	26	25	29	23	26	26	25	26	20	30	28	23	20
Don't know	<b>30</b>	23	29	27	22	27	29	24	22	38	33	38	29	23	27	34	32	26	30	35	28

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Currently it is illegal for political parties to accept donations from abroad. It is legal for Russian owned companies operating in Britain, Russians who have become British citizens, or British people with links to Russia to make donations to British political parties

Do you think British political parties should or should not hand back LEGAL donations from companies or people with links to the Russian government?

Should hand back such donations if there is a link to supporters of the Putin government	<b>43</b>	35	52	38	47	39	52	47	44	42	27	42	48	43	45	39	49	42	43	40	44
Should not hand back such donations so long as they are legal	<b>34</b>	50	25	36	36	45	27	33	38	31	33	30	34	40	34	34	34	38	32	31	35
Don't know	<b>23</b>	15	22	26	17	16	21	20	18	28	40	28	18	17	20	27	17	21	25	28	22

Alexander Litvinenko was a former KGB agent who died in London in 2006, apparently as a result of being poisoned with radioactive polonium. The British government have announced a public inquiry into how he died and whether the Russian state was behind his death

Do you think the government is right or wrong to hold a public inquiry into Litvinenko's death?

Right to hold an inquiry	<b>70</b>	72	73	86	67	71	72	80	70	69	65	72	70	70	71	68	71	72	69	66	73
Wrong to hold an inquiry	<b>14</b>	17	13	6	20	17	15	11	16	12	7	9	17	18	15	13	15	13	15	14	13
Don't know	<b>16</b>	10	14	8	13	13	13	10	13	19	29	20	13	12	15	18	14	15	16	20	15

Do you think an inquiry should or should not have been held earlier?

Should	<b>78</b>	84	81	83	82	80	82	86	78	78	69	70	81	86	79	77	79	78	75	79	81
Should not	<b>7</b>	6	8	8	7	6	7	5	9	5	6	9	7	5	6	7	9	7	8	5	5
Don't know	<b>15</b>	11	11	9	12	14	11	8	13	17	26	21	12	9	15	16	12	14	17	16	14



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	<b>July 20-21</b>	<b>July 24-25</b>																				
<b>Thinking of the continuing conflict between Israel and the Palestinians, do your own sympathies lie more with the Israelis or more with the Palestinians?</b>																						
My sympathies lie more with the Israelis	14	14	22	10	17	27	23	11	9	20	9	9	9	13	22	16	11	14	14	13	15	16
My sympathies lie more with the Palestinians	23	27	20	37	32	16	17	32	35	28	25	28	27	28	24	30	23	41	23	26	20	38
Neither	40	41	45	39	39	44	45	40	41	41	40	30	34	45	46	36	47	28	46	39	43	34
Don't know	23	19	13	14	12	14	15	16	15	10	26	33	29	14	8	18	19	17	17	22	21	11
<b>As you may be aware, in recent weeks the Israeli air force has been bombing the Gaza strip. From what you have seen or heard do you think this bombing was justified or unjustified?</b>																						
Justified	15	18	28	14	16	31	28	16	12	27	9	11	10	17	28	20	14	18	17	17	18	20
Unjustified	51	52	46	60	65	45	44	58	62	49	55	50	52	54	50	53	50	57	53	50	47	57
Don't know	34	31	26	27	19	24	28	27	26	24	37	39	38	29	22	27	36	25	30	33	35	23
<b>The Israeli bombings have caused a substantial number of Palestinian civilian casualties in the Gaza strip. Who you think is most to blame for this?</b>																						
Hamas - for stationing their military targets and equipment in civilian areas	20	20	29	15	22	35	31	16	14	27	13	13	11	17	35	22	18	15	20	20	22	22
Israel - for attacking military targets in areas where civilians are also likely to be killed	15	20	15	28	15	11	13	25	23	21	18	25	24	19	15	20	20	34	18	15	15	29
Both equally	45	42	43	42	47	42	42	44	46	40	44	32	36	49	43	42	42	34	44	43	44	38
Don't know	20	19	13	14	16	11	13	15	17	12	25	31	29	16	8	17	21	18	18	22	19	12
<b>Hamas has been launching rocket attacks into Israel. From what you have seen or heard do you think these rocket attacks are justified or unjustified?</b>																						
Justified	7	9	6	11	8	6	5	9	10	11	6	14	11	8	5	9	8	14	8	6	7	11
Unjustified	60	61	70	62	66	70	71	61	60	68	54	45	51	62	74	64	57	65	62	59	58	60
Don't know	33	31	24	27	27	25	24	29	30	21	40	41	39	30	21	27	35	20	29	35	35	29
<b>More recently Israel has sent land forces into the Gaza strip, saying they are targeting Hamas tunnels. From what you have seen or heard do you think the deployment of Israeli troops into the Gaza strip is justified or unjustified?</b>																						
Justified	22	25	37	18	30	42	36	21	20	37	13	15	17	23	37	26	23	24	22	28	27	22
Unjustified	39	40	36	49	43	29	33	45	47	39	41	39	39	44	36	40	39	50	41	37	31	50

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**Do you think the Commonwealth games will...**

Make it more likely that Scotland will vote to become independent	<b>18</b>	18	18	16	12	15	23	17	19	16	26	21	16	12	18	17	17	16	19	17	22
Make it more likely that Scotland will vote to remain part of the UK	<b>9</b>	10	12	13	10	13	8	10	10	9	11	7	11	9	9	10	6	11	10	9	9
Will not make any real difference to the Scottish referendum	<b>55</b>	61	54	58	66	60	54	58	57	54	37	49	57	67	56	54	54	55	58	53	60
Don't know	<b>18</b>	11	16	12	12	13	15	16	14	21	25	22	16	12	16	19	23	17	14	21	9

**If the only UK competitor in a final is representing England, do you think you would support them or not?**

Would support them and want them to win	<b>68</b>	78	68	76	66	77	67	72	66	68	58	62	70	74	68	67	64	69	68	71	53
Would not support them and want them to lose	<b>3</b>	1	3	2	1	1	2	2	3	2	5	4	3	0	3	3	3	2	3	1	11
Would not mind if they won or lost	<b>22</b>	17	23	19	32	17	24	22	24	20	20	22	23	22	23	21	25	22	21	19	30
Don't know	<b>8</b>	4	6	3	2	5	7	5	6	9	17	12	5	3	7	9	9	7	7	9	6

**If the only UK competitor in a final is representing Scotland, do you think you would support them or not?**

Would support them and want them to win	<b>58</b>	58	62	73	47	58	62	65	55	62	50	56	58	65	58	59	49	54	59	60	82
Would not support them and want them to lose	<b>4</b>	6	4	4	4	6	4	2	6	3	6	6	5	2	5	3	8	4	4	3	2
Would not mind if they won or lost	<b>29</b>	29	26	22	48	29	27	28	32	26	27	25	32	30	30	28	34	33	29	27	11
Don't know	<b>8</b>	6	8	2	1	7	8	5	7	9	17	13	5	4	8	9	9	9	7	9	6

**If the only UK competitor in a final is representing Wales, do you think you would support them or not?**

Would support them and want them to win	<b>59</b>	62	61	70	50	61	62	66	55	63	51	55	58	67	59	60	51	55	64	62	66
Would not support them and want them to lose	<b>4</b>	4	4	3	4	4	2	2	5	2	6	4	4	1	4	3	4	3	4	3	2
Would not mind if they won or lost	<b>29</b>	28	27	26	45	28	28	28	33	26	27	28	33	28	30	28	34	33	25	27	27
Don't know	<b>8</b>	6	7	2	1	7	8	4	7	9	16	13	5	4	7	9	10	8	7	8	6

## YouGov Weighting Data

In addition to weighting by age, gender, social class and region (weighted and unweighted figures shown in the tables), YouGov also weighted its raw data by newspaper readership and political party identification:

	Unweighted no.	Weighted no.
<b>Age and Gender</b>		
Male 18 to 24	74	104
Male 25 to 39	138	219
Male 40 to 59	347	294
Male 60 +	253	226
Female 18 to 24	99	103
Female 25 to 39	235	221
Female 40 to 59	340	301
Female 60 +	255	272
<b>Region</b>		
North England	398	428
Midlands	264	286
East	161	167
London	211	223
South England	361	399
Wales	134	87
Scotland	212	151
<b>Social Grade</b>		
AB	635	487
C1	501	505
C2	245	366
DE	360	383
<b>Newspaper Type</b>		
Express / Mail	321	279
Sun / Star	240	409
Mirror / Record	136	174
Guardian / Independent	137	78
FT / Times / Telegraph	141	165
Other Paper	237	200
No Paper	529	435
<b>Political Party Identification</b>		
Labour	545	557
Conservative	436	487
Liberal Democrat	151	192
SNP/Plaid Cymru	62	30
Others	120	40
None/ DK	427	435

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