

YouGov / Sunday Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 1871 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 14th - 15th February 2013

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Headline Voting Intention

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

Con	32	100	0	0	74	3	11	31	32	26	27	30	39	34	28	36	40	34	20	20
Lab	43	0	100	0	8	92	36	44	41	46	48	45	34	39	48	42	29	40	60	53
Lib Dem	12	0	0	100	3	1	42	12	13	12	17	11	10	15	8	13	13	13	11	9
Other	13	0	0	0	15	4	11	13	14	16	7	14	17	12	16	9	17	13	9	18

Other Parties Voting Intention

UKIP	9	0	0	0	13	3	4	9	9	8	4	9	13	6	12	6	12	10	8	1
SNP / PCY	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	0	1	1	0	13
Green	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	2	1	3	1	2	0	1	2	1	0	3
BNP	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
Respect	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	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0

Non Voters

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

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

		Feb 13-14	Feb 14-15																		
Approve	26	26	75	6	30	52	7	19	28	24	17	24	26	32	29	23	26	29	31	18	25
Disapprove	58	58	13	87	47	33	85	63	60	56	60	50	64	56	56	60	57	55	50	67	62
Don't know	16	16	12	7	23	15	8	17	12	20	23	25	10	12	16	17	16	16	19	15	14

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	Feb 7-8	Feb 14-15																				
Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?																						
Very well	5	5	17	1	2	10	2	1	6	3	2	7	3	6	5	4	5	6	5	2	6	
Fairly well	35	33	74	10	48	57	12	30	31	34	25	32	32	37	36	28	37	36	38	26	20	
TOTAL WELL	40	38	91	11	50	67	14	31	37	37	27	39	35	43	41	32	42	42	43	28	26	
Fairly badly	29	32	7	40	35	22	35	37	32	31	37	30	32	30	34	28	35	29	28	35	36	
Very badly	26	24	1	47	13	7	47	26	27	21	22	21	27	24	18	32	16	23	23	29	31	
TOTAL BADLY	55	56	8	87	48	29	82	63	59	52	59	51	59	54	52	60	51	52	51	64	67	
Don't know	5	7	1	3	2	4	3	5	4	10	14	10	5	3	6	8	7	6	7	7	6	

	Feb 7-8	Feb 14-15																				
Do you think Ed Miliband is doing well or badly as leader of the Labour party?																						
Very well	3	4	2	9	3	1	9	4	5	2	5	4	4	3	3	5	4	4	3	5	2	
Fairly well	30	27	9	55	24	12	50	25	27	27	22	29	28	26	26	29	29	24	24	34	25	
TOTAL WELL	33	31	11	64	27	13	59	29	32	29	27	33	32	29	29	34	33	28	27	39	27	
Fairly badly	34	34	44	23	44	39	25	41	34	33	36	29	36	34	38	28	35	35	30	33	36	
Very badly	19	22	36	5	21	39	6	17	27	17	18	20	21	27	21	23	19	25	27	15	21	
TOTAL BADLY	53	56	80	28	65	78	31	58	61	50	54	49	57	61	59	51	54	60	57	48	57	
Don't know	14	14	8	8	9	10	10	14	6	21	19	18	12	10	12	16	13	12	17	13	15	

Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?																						
Very well	2	2	2	1	7	1	1	3	3	1	0	3	1	2	1	3	2	2	1	1	3	
Fairly well	18	17	25	7	54	19	8	26	15	18	15	20	16	15	19	13	23	20	14	13	10	
TOTAL WELL	20	19	27	8	61	20	9	29	18	19	15	23	17	17	20	16	25	22	15	14	13	
Fairly badly	32	33	41	32	25	36	29	36	32	35	31	32	35	32	36	30	29	33	34	35	34	
Very badly	40	39	25	55	7	35	56	29	45	32	40	31	40	43	36	42	35	36	38	42	44	
TOTAL BADLY	72	72	66	87	32	71	85	65	77	67	71	63	75	75	72	72	64	69	72	77	78	
Don't know	8	10	8	4	7	9	5	6	5	14	15	14	7	7	8	12	10	9	11	9	9	

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Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?

Very well	2	2	4	1	3	2	1	1	2	1	0	4	1	1	1	2	4	2	1	1	0
Fairly well	29	31	60	11	66	48	12	35	32	30	23	31	29	36	34	26	28	35	32	23	36
TOTAL WELL	31	33	64	12	69	50	13	36	34	31	23	35	30	37	35	28	32	37	33	24	36
Fairly badly	36	36	29	40	21	34	38	37	37	35	36	32	42	32	38	34	41	37	31	39	27
Very badly	26	24	4	46	7	12	45	22	25	24	24	22	24	27	20	30	21	20	27	29	29
TOTAL BADLY	62	60	33	86	28	46	83	59	62	59	60	54	66	59	58	64	62	57	58	68	56
Don't know	6	7	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	10	16	11	5	3	6	8	6	7	9	7	8

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Do you think this coalition government is good or bad for people like you?

Very good	2	2	6	1	6	3	1	2	4	1	4	4	1	2	3	2	4	3	1	2	1
Fairly good	18	16	37	3	40	28	3	20	17	15	8	14	17	21	19	13	18	17	19	11	16
TOTAL GOOD	20	18	43	4	46	31	4	22	21	16	12	18	18	23	22	15	22	20	20	13	17
Fairly bad	27	28	21	32	18	26	29	27	29	27	31	29	30	22	29	26	32	29	21	29	27
Very bad	27	28	5	53	12	14	53	27	29	26	26	22	30	31	23	34	21	23	31	35	28
TOTAL BAD	54	56	26	85	30	40	82	54	58	53	57	51	60	53	52	60	53	52	52	64	55
Doesn't make much difference either way	21	21	29	10	23	26	12	21	19	22	19	22	19	22	22	19	21	23	21	17	21
Don't know	5	5	2	1	1	3	3	3	2	9	12	9	2	3	5	6	4	5	7	6	6

Do you think the coalition government is managing the economy well or badly?

Very well	2	3	8	0	5	5	0	1	4	2	3	5	1	3	2	3	4	4	2	1	2
Fairly well	30	29	72	6	42	54	8	26	32	27	21	27	29	35	31	26	29	31	34	24	28
TOTAL WELL	32	32	80	6	47	59	8	27	36	29	24	32	30	38	33	29	33	35	36	25	30
Fairly badly	32	32	13	39	28	23	39	35	32	32	35	31	35	28	34	29	36	34	27	32	28
Very badly	28	27	3	51	15	11	49	29	29	26	25	23	30	29	23	33	22	22	27	34	36
TOTAL BADLY	60	59	16	90	43	34	88	64	61	58	60	54	65	57	57	62	58	56	54	66	64
Don't know	8	9	4	3	9	6	4	9	4	14	16	14	5	6	9	9	10	10	10	8	6

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In your opinion how good or bad is the state of Britain's economy at the moment?

Very good	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Quite good	6	3	7	2	6	6	1	3	4	3	2	8	2	2	4	3	6	4	3	2	3
TOTAL GOOD	7	4	9	2	6	6	2	3	5	3	2	10	2	2	4	4	7	5	4	2	3
Neither good nor bad	17	17	30	11	26	26	11	16	20	15	19	17	18	17	19	15	19	16	20	17	14
Quite bad	44	46	50	45	52	48	46	49	45	47	41	40	49	51	49	42	48	50	41	45	43
Very bad	30	29	10	41	16	18	40	31	29	29	26	28	31	29	24	36	24	25	31	33	35
TOTAL BAD	74	75	60	86	68	66	86	80	74	76	67	68	80	80	73	78	72	75	72	78	78
Don't know	3	4	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	6	12	6	1	1	3	4	2	3	5	3	5

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How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months?

Get a lot better	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	0	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1
Get a little better	10	9	16	8	12	11	7	10	11	7	17	14	7	5	10	8	10	9	7	10	9
TOTAL BETTER	12	10	19	9	13	12	8	11	13	8	17	17	8	6	11	9	12	11	8	11	10
Stay about the same	34	35	47	30	43	39	27	37	37	32	37	36	34	34	40	28	41	36	35	31	29
Get a little worse	34	33	28	35	34	32	37	35	30	36	22	25	33	44	33	33	29	35	33	33	31
Get a lot worse	16	18	5	25	11	13	26	16	17	18	11	15	23	16	12	25	13	15	20	20	20
TOTAL WORSE	50	51	33	60	45	45	63	51	47	54	33	40	56	60	45	58	42	50	53	53	51
Don't know	4	4	2	1	0	3	3	2	4	5	13	7	3	1	4	5	5	3	4	4	10

As you may be aware, horsemeat has recently been found in some processed meat products.

Who do you think is most to blame for horsemeat being present in some processed meat products?

Meat processors	46	51	44	49	49	42	50	46	45	37	44	47	49	46	45	38	45	49	48	43
Food manufacturers	26	26	30	25	26	28	25	23	29	28	25	27	27	27	26	33	29	22	24	25
Supermarkets and other retailers	11	12	13	12	12	11	13	14	9	6	12	12	12	12	10	12	12	11	11	9
The government	6	3	8	4	3	10	3	7	5	12	6	6	4	5	8	6	6	6	8	7
Someone else	2	2	1	6	2	1	4	3	2	4	2	2	2	2	2	4	3	1	2	2
Don't know	8	7	4	3	7	8	6	6	9	14	10	6	5	7	9	8	5	10	6	15

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Thinking about the following groups, do you think they should be doing more to ensure the safety and security of the food chain, or are they already doing the best they can?

The government

Should be doing more to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	61	45	73	61	50	75	65	59	63	51	56	65	66	59	64	61	58	61	69	55
Are already doing the best they can to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	27	44	17	31	40	17	27	29	25	33	26	26	27	29	24	27	30	25	25	28
Don't know	12	10	10	8	10	9	8	11	12	16	18	9	7	12	12	12	12	14	7	17

Supermarkets and other retailers

Should be doing more to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	81	83	87	81	85	87	82	82	81	72	74	85	87	83	79	83	80	80	86	74
Are already doing the best they can to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	12	13	9	16	12	9	14	11	14	17	14	11	11	11	14	11	15	13	11	10
Don't know	6	4	4	3	4	4	3	7	5	10	12	4	2	5	7	7	5	7	3	16

Food manufacturers

Should be doing more to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	91	94	95	88	94	94	95	91	91	83	86	93	96	92	89	91	92	90	94	82
Are already doing the best they can to ensure the safety and security of the food chain	3	3	2	7	3	3	4	3	4	5	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	4	4	4
Don't know	6	3	3	5	3	4	2	7	5	12	11	3	1	4	7	6	5	6	3	15

How well or badly do you think the government have handled the issue since horsemeat was found in food products last week?

Very well	6	16	2	7	12	1	4	7	5	5	8	4	8	6	6	6	6	8	4	9
Fairly well	41	59	30	56	52	30	43	40	42	45	39	40	43	43	38	50	44	36	38	40
TOTAL WELL	47	75	32	63	64	31	47	47	47	50	47	44	51	49	44	56	50	44	42	49
Fairly badly	26	12	35	19	19	34	28	28	25	22	23	30	27	27	26	22	26	26	29	23
Very badly	13	3	22	11	8	21	12	15	11	10	11	15	14	11	16	13	10	18	14	12
TOTAL BADLY	39	15	57	30	27	55	40	43	36	32	34	45	41	38	42	35	36	44	43	35
Don't know	13	10	11	7	9	13	13	9	17	18	20	12	7	13	13	10	14	12	15	16

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Putting aside the issue of food manufacturers and retailers selling meat that is not what it claims, do you think horsemeat getting into the food chain poses any risk to people's HEALTH?

Probably does pose an actual risk to health	20	16	25	11	17	28	17	19	21	14	18	23	21	16	25	17	19	20	23	19
Probably does not pose any actual risk to health	68	77	66	81	73	62	72	73	64	72	69	67	67	73	62	67	72	67	68	61
Not sure	12	7	10	8	9	10	11	9	15	14	13	10	12	11	13	16	9	13	10	20

Horsemeat is not normally eaten in Britain, but is eaten in some other countries. If it was properly sourced, would you be prepared to eat horsemeat?

I would eat horsemeat	37	38	39	49	36	34	44	50	25	43	45	36	31	39	35	42	45	35	31	28
I would not eat horsemeat	35	40	35	25	42	39	27	27	43	23	30	35	46	34	38	33	33	31	45	33
Don't know	19	16	17	18	18	17	18	18	21	20	19	22	17	18	22	17	15	27	15	32
Not applicable - I am a vegetarian or vegan	8	6	9	8	5	10	11	5	11	14	6	7	6	10	5	8	7	7	10	7

Where do you currently do most of your grocery shopping?

Tesco	30	30	30	29	28	29	32	31	29	31	34	31	25	30	31	26	35	30	27	28
Asda	21	18	25	15	19	24	17	19	23	20	25	22	18	19	24	13	17	21	28	29
Sainsbury	18	20	16	27	20	17	23	18	19	25	16	16	21	23	12	29	23	18	12	7
Morrisons	14	13	15	7	16	16	11	15	12	12	8	16	17	11	17	8	8	15	21	23
Waitrose	4	7	3	7	6	3	5	5	4	1	6	4	6	6	2	12	7	3	1	0
Aldi	4	3	6	4	4	5	6	5	4	2	4	5	6	3	6	1	3	6	7	3
Marks and Spencer	2	2	1	3	2	2	0	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1
Co-op	2	4	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	3	2	2	2	3	2	4	2	3	1	2
Asda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Somewhere else	4	4	3	7	3	3	4	4	4	3	4	3	4	4	4	5	3	3	3	7

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And are you going to change the place you do most of your grocery shopping as a result of the horsemeat scandal?

Yes, definitely	1	2	1	1	0	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1
Yes, probably	4	2	6	1	3	5	3	4	4	2	6	4	3	3	5	3	4	4	4	4
TOTAL YES	5	4	7	2	3	8	4	6	5	3	8	5	4	5	6	4	6	5	5	5
No, probably not	33	29	33	36	36	31	32	32	35	21	30	37	36	32	35	38	28	33	35	44
No, definitely not	59	65	57	62	59	60	62	60	58	68	57	57	60	61	56	55	64	60	58	47
TOTAL NO	92	94	90	98	95	91	94	92	93	89	87	94	96	93	91	93	92	93	93	91
Don't know	3	2	3	1	1	2	2	3	3	8	4	1	1	3	3	3	3	2	3	4

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		Where do you currently do most of your grocery shopping?				
		Waitrose	Asda	Sainsbury	Tesco	Morrisons
Total						
Weighted Sample	1871	83	396	345	564	259
Unweighted Sample	1871	106	348	382	555	241
	%	%	%	%	%	%

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Yes, definitely	1	2	2	1	1	0
Yes, probably	4	1	5	3	5	1
TOTAL YES	5	3	7	4	6	1
No, probably not	33	28	38	28	38	26
No, definitely not	59	69	52	65	54	72
TOTAL NO	92	97	90	93	92	98
Don't know	3	0	3	3	2	1

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Thinking about your buying habits in light of the horsemeat story.

Do you think you will reduce the amount of processed meat (e.g. burgers or ready meals) you buy?

Yes, I expect I will reduce the amount of processed meat that I buy	33	32	38	25	35	38	30	31	36	19	32	37	38	29	39	32	33	30	37	37
No, overall I will probably still buy about the same amount of processed meat	40	44	34	52	43	31	42	48	32	48	45	40	32	42	37	39	43	45	35	32
Not sure	9	8	8	6	8	9	6	9	9	9	8	7	11	8	10	8	9	9	6	17
Not applicable - I never buy beef anyway	18	16	20	17	14	22	22	12	24	24	16	16	20	21	14	21	15	17	21	15

Do you think you will reduce the amount of beef you buy?

Yes, I expect I will reduce the amount of beef that I buy	13	12	17	7	13	14	11	12	15	11	14	13	14	12	15	15	13	14	13	9
No, overall I will probably still buy about the same amount of beef	66	70	61	77	71	60	68	73	59	59	69	67	65	67	64	59	70	67	61	69
Not sure	6	5	6	3	5	7	5	5	7	6	5	6	6	5	7	8	5	6	5	10
Not applicable - I never buy beef anyway	15	13	16	14	11	18	17	10	20	24	12	14	15	16	14	18	12	13	20	13

Do you think you will reduce the amount of all meat that you buy?

Yes, I expect I will reduce the amount of all meat that I buy	13	11	16	10	14	14	9	14	11	7	13	13	14	11	14	13	13	13	13	11
No, overall I will probably still buy about the same amount of meat	72	78	68	80	76	69	77	75	70	67	73	73	73	73	72	68	74	76	71	68
Not sure	6	5	7	1	6	6	3	4	8	8	6	6	6	6	7	8	7	4	5	12
Not applicable - I never buy meat anyway	9	6	9	9	4	11	11	6	11	19	7	8	6	10	7	10	7	7	11	9

Do you think you will buy more meat from the butchers, rather than the supermarket?

Yes, I expect I will buy more meat from the butchers, rather than the supermarket	25	27	29	20	28	29	21	24	27	16	23	26	31	23	28	19	24	26	28	31
No, overall I will probably still buy the same amount of meat from the supermarket	49	54	45	64	50	43	55	54	45	52	54	48	45	53	45	54	53	50	43	43
Not sure	12	9	12	3	12	12	8	12	12	12	11	13	10	10	13	12	11	11	12	16
Not applicable - I never buy meat from the supermarket anyway	14	10	14	13	10	16	16	11	16	20	12	12	14	14	13	14	12	12	17	9

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

Would you support or oppose new regulations requiring all meat products to carry labels saying which country the meat came from?

Support	87	94	87	84	92	88	90	86	88	67	83	90	95	86	88	88	88	85	88	83
Oppose	4	2	4	8	3	3	3	5	3	9	5	3	1	5	2	4	4	4	3	6
Don't know	10	4	9	8	6	8	8	10	10	23	12	8	4	10	10	8	8	12	10	12

Currently all citizens of EU member states have the right to live and work in other member states.

Generally speaking, do you think this is a good or bad thing?

A good thing, and it should be kept	33	26	40	60	21	37	50	36	31	38	46	33	20	41	23	44	34	22	37	32
A bad thing, and it would be better if the rules were changed	56	69	48	36	73	51	40	57	55	42	40	59	73	50	64	45	56	69	51	50
Don't know	11	5	12	4	6	12	10	8	14	20	14	9	7	9	13	11	10	9	12	18

On balance, do you think immigration into Britain from the following areas has had a positive or negative effect on Britain?

From Western European countries, such as France and Germany

On balance, has had a positive effect on Britain	39	42	42	56	38	39	48	48	31	44	44	38	36	45	33	49	43	31	40	31
On balance, has had a negative effect on Britain	16	17	16	9	17	18	13	16	17	13	15	18	17	14	20	15	16	16	16	22
On balance, has had neither a positive nor negative effect on Britain	31	35	28	27	38	31	29	26	36	22	23	33	39	30	33	23	31	37	31	28
Not sure	13	6	13	8	7	12	10	10	16	20	19	10	8	12	15	13	10	15	13	19

From Eastern European countries, such as Poland or Lithuania

On balance, has had a positive effect on Britain	22	19	26	40	16	23	32	25	18	24	28	18	20	27	15	31	24	13	23	19
On balance, has had a negative effect on Britain	55	66	48	38	68	53	42	54	56	40	42	64	64	47	66	46	56	62	53	54
On balance, has had neither a positive nor negative effect on Britain	13	11	15	15	11	13	16	12	13	17	14	11	12	17	8	15	12	13	12	10
Not sure	10	3	12	7	4	10	9	8	12	19	16	7	5	10	11	8	8	12	11	17

From countries outside the European Union, such as India and Pakistan

On balance, has had a positive effect on Britain	20	16	26	36	15	24	30	23	17	21	24	20	16	24	14	24	23	14	21	19
On balance, has had a negative effect on Britain	50	59	44	35	61	49	40	51	50	37	42	53	60	45	57	45	49	57	51	48
On balance, has had neither a positive nor negative effect on Britain	18	20	17	23	18	16	21	17	18	21	17	18	16	19	16	21	18	17	16	14
Not sure	12	4	13	6	7	11	10	9	14	21	17	8	8	12	12	10	10	12	13	19

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Do you think rules on immigration from the following areas should be tougher, are too tough, or get the balance about right?

Immigration from countries INSIDE the European Union?

Rules are too tough and should be relaxed to allow more immigration	2	2	2	6	1	2	3	3	1	3	4	1	0	3	1	3	2	0	4	1
Rules are not tough enough, and should be strengthened to reduce the amount of immigration	70	85	63	51	86	65	57	67	73	54	58	73	84	64	77	64	73	74	69	61
The current balance is about right	20	12	26	38	10	25	32	24	16	27	25	20	12	24	14	25	19	18	19	18
Don't know	8	2	9	6	3	7	9	7	10	17	13	6	4	9	8	7	6	8	8	20

Immigration from countries OUTSIDE the European Union?

Rules are too tough and should be relaxed to allow more immigration	4	3	5	11	3	4	5	6	3	7	8	3	1	5	3	7	5	2	5	2
Rules are not tough enough, and should be strengthened to reduce the amount of immigration	73	81	69	55	82	73	62	71	75	55	60	77	87	67	81	67	75	74	74	72
The current balance is about right	15	13	17	28	12	14	24	17	13	19	19	14	9	19	8	19	16	16	12	8
Don't know	8	3	9	6	3	8	9	6	10	18	13	6	3	9	8	7	5	9	8	18

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When Romania and Bulgaria joined the European Union temporary restrictions were placed on their citizens' right to live and work in other EU countries. These restrictions run out in 2014, after which Romanian and Bulgarian citizens will have the same rights as other EU citizens to live and work in other EU countries.

Which of the following best reflects your view?

There is nothing wrong with Bulgarian and Romanian citizens having the same rights as other EU citizens, and Britain should welcome them	20	16	24	44	10	22	36	22	19	32	28	19	11	27	12	22	23	18	20	15
Bulgarian and Romanian citizens having the right to come and live in Britain would be damaging, but the British government needs to obey the law and has no choice but to allow them in	19	20	21	21	18	20	23	17	21	22	20	18	18	21	17	18	21	19	19	18
Bulgarian and Romanian citizens having the right to come and live in Britain would be damaging and the British government should act to restrict their right to live or work here, even if it means breaking EU laws	48	56	43	23	63	46	30	49	46	25	35	51	64	40	57	42	46	52	49	50
None of these	9	6	9	6	6	9	7	9	9	14	11	8	5	8	9	12	7	8	10	8
Other	4	1	3	5	3	2	4	2	5	8	5	4	1	4	4	5	3	4	3	9

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Since 2004 it has been illegal to hunt wild animals (including foxes) with dogs in England and Wales. Hunting was banned in Scotland in 2002.

Do you think hunting foxes with dogs should remain illegal, or should it be made legal again?

Hunting foxes with dogs should remain illegal	65	50	81	72	47	84	77	63	67	70	63	68	62	66	65	60	66	60	69	73
Hunting foxes with dogs should be made legal again	23	39	13	20	40	10	15	29	19	21	20	23	29	25	22	26	24	27	20	15
Don't know	11	11	6	8	13	6	8	8	14	10	16	10	9	10	14	14	10	12	11	12

How would you describe the area you live in?

Rural	33	38	30	39	37	27	35	30	35	22	27	34	42	31	34	6	40	42	28	36
Urban	62	60	64	57	59	68	63	66	58	65	67	63	55	63	60	87	56	53	67	55
Not sure	5	2	6	4	3	5	2	4	7	13	6	3	4	5	5	7	4	6	5	9

Would you say the number of foxes in your area has increased or decreased in recent years, or has it stayed the same?

[Asked to those who live in urban areas n=1171]

Increased	29	42	25	24	39	24	26	28	31	19	23	32	38	29	30	49	29	23	21	30
Decreased	5	4	5	9	4	5	3	5	4	8	4	4	4	4	6	1	6	2	7	4
Stayed the same	38	33	41	38	37	42	37	41	35	44	40	38	34	36	42	37	40	41	34	44
Don't know	28	21	29	29	21	28	34	26	29	29	33	25	24	31	22	12	26	34	38	22

Have you ever felt threatened by a fox or been attacked by a fox? Please tick all that apply.

Yes, I have been attacked by a fox	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0
Yes, I have felt threatened by a fox	6	6	5	2	7	3	3	5	6	9	7	3	5	6	5	14	7	2	3	7
No, I have never been attacked or felt threatened by a fox	92	93	92	96	92	93	97	93	92	86	89	96	95	92	93	84	92	97	96	84
Can't remember	2	0	2	1	0	3	0	2	1	5	3	1	0	1	2	2	1	0	1	9

Do you deliberately leave food out for foxes in your local area?

Yes, I leave food out for foxes	5	7	7	5	7	7	4	7	4	8	5	5	5	6	5	7	8	3	4	3
No, I do not leave food out for foxes	95	93	93	95	93	93	96	93	96	92	95	95	95	94	95	93	92	97	96	97

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Would you support or oppose foxes in urban areas being culled (e.g. by shooting or poison)?

Would support	38	51	33	32	52	30	30	43	33	23	32	37	51	36	41	47	41	35	30	41
Would oppose	41	32	47	43	31	47	47	39	44	52	45	43	31	44	38	29	39	46	48	37
Don't know	21	16	20	25	17	23	22	18	23	25	23	20	19	20	21	24	20	19	21	22

At the moment elderly people who need to go into care are means-tested. People with under £14,250 of assets (including their home) have their care paid for, people with more than this have to contribute to the costs of their care, or if they have £23,250 have to pay the entire costs of their care. This will often involve selling their home to pay for residential care.

The government have suggested changing the rules, so that people with under £123,000 of assets (including their home) would have their care paid for, and the amount people with more than this have to contribute would be capped at a maximum of £75000. People in care would still have to pay for accommodation and food.

This will be paid for by cancelling the planned increases in the threshold for inheritance tax, which will be frozen for the next three years meaning people will continue to pay inheritance tax on estates over £325,000 for individuals and £650,000 for couples.

Do you support or oppose these plans?

Support	52	63	50	50	58	51	53	56	48	43	53	53	54	54	50	53	55	46	58	37
Oppose	21	17	24	25	19	24	22	22	19	24	17	22	22	21	21	20	18	22	22	27
Don't know	27	19	26	24	23	25	25	21	33	33	29	25	25	26	29	28	27	32	20	36

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

Do you think the government were right or wrong to abandon the planned reductions in inheritance tax in order to fund the changes in long term care for the elderly?

Right - it is more important that funds are found for long term care	50	61	52	53	52	54	54	54	47	41	50	53	51	51	49	51	50	51	54	40
Wrong - inheritance tax should still have been reduced, the funds for long term care should have come from cuts or tax increases elsewhere	26	28	25	19	31	25	22	26	26	29	21	24	31	27	25	24	24	26	26	35
Don't know	24	12	23	28	17	21	24	20	27	30	28	24	17	22	26	25	26	23	21	25

If you could choose, which would you rather see?

A reduction in inheritance tax, such as an increase in the amount people can leave to their children without paying inheritance tax	18	22	17	13	19	15	14	18	17	27	20	17	13	18	17	22	20	15	15	17
A reduction in the costs of long term care for the elderly, such as an increase in the amount of assets people can have before they are expected to contribute to the cost of any long term care	57	59	60	64	61	59	63	56	58	43	52	58	66	59	54	54	57	58	59	53
Neither	10	10	11	7	10	14	7	11	9	10	7	11	11	9	11	11	9	13	10	5
Don't know	15	9	13	16	11	12	16	14	16	20	21	14	10	13	18	14	14	15	16	26

In principle, do you support or oppose withdrawing benefits from unemployed people who refuse offers of work?

Support	76	96	63	72	92	62	73	76	77	73	77	72	82	79	72	76	81	72	75	71
Oppose	14	2	25	20	4	25	17	16	13	15	12	19	12	12	18	15	11	18	16	14
Don't know	9	1	12	9	3	13	10	8	10	12	11	10	6	9	10	8	7	10	9	15

This week the court of Appeal ruled that the government's policy of forcing some unemployed people to do periods of unpaid work experience or risk losing the benefits was illegal.

Do you think the government should or should not be able to require unemployed people to do unpaid work experience or risk losing benefit?

Should	55	76	41	57	72	40	47	54	57	52	57	52	60	57	52	49	63	54	56	40
Should not	34	19	50	39	20	51	44	38	30	28	33	39	33	32	36	39	28	37	35	39
Don't know	11	6	9	5	8	10	9	9	13	20	11	10	8	10	11	12	9	9	9	22

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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.
Age and Gender		
Male 18 to 24	63	116
Male 25 to 39	182	239
Male 40 to 59	378	316
Male 60 +	275	238
Female 18 to 24	91	110
Female 25 to 39	241	238
Female 40 to 59	391	324
Female 60 +	250	290
Region		
North England	436	460
Midlands	275	307
East England	187	180
London	289	239
South England	466	428
Wales	75	94
Scotland	143	163
Social Grade		
AB	695	524
C1	556	543
C2	271	393
DE	349	412
Newspaper Type		
Express / Mail	346	299
Sun / Star	149	440
Mirror / Record	81	187
Guardian / Independent	129	84
FT / Times / Telegraph	136	178
Other Paper	240	215
No Paper	790	468
Political Party Identification		
Labour	610	608
Conservative	513	533
Liberal Democrat	163	225
SNP/Plaid Cymru	34	32
Others	103	24
None/ DK	448	449

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