

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2311 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 17th - 18th October 2013

	Voting intention				2010 Vote			Gender		Age				Social grade		Region						
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Male	Female	18-24	25-39	40-59	60+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland	
Weighted Sample	2311	X	X	X	X	695	577	486	1121	1190	275	585	790	661	1317	994	296	751	495	569	201	
Unweighted Sample	2311	510	846	135	205	612	683	502	1112	1199	255	440	882	734	1552	759	234	793	479	595	210	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Generally speaking, how afraid, if at all, are you of spiders?

Very afraid	13	10	15	9	13	10	14	9	6	19	22	17	12	6	11	15	14	12	12	14	11
Fairly afraid	20	21	21	12	15	19	21	18	14	26	23	23	19	16	20	19	20	22	17	20	17
TOTAL AFRAID	33	31	36	21	28	29	35	27	20	45	45	40	31	22	31	34	34	34	29	34	28
Not very afraid	31	32	30	40	31	32	28	35	35	27	30	32	32	30	34	27	33	35	28	28	32
Not afraid at all	34	37	32	37	41	39	34	36	42	27	18	23	36	47	33	35	30	30	40	35	36
TOAL NOT AFRAID	65	69	62	77	72	71	62	71	77	54	48	55	68	77	67	62	63	65	68	63	68
Don't know	3	0	3	2	1	0	3	2	3	2	7	5	1	1	2	4	4	2	3	3	4

A number of attacks involving the false widow spider, Britain's most venomous spider, have been reported in the country during the past few weeks. How closely are you following this story?

Very closely	4	2	7	1	3	3	6	3	3	4	2	4	4	3	3	4	5	4	3	5	1
Fairly closely	16	19	16	8	23	19	17	13	16	16	17	17	17	13	14	18	19	18	14	14	13
Not very closely	22	21	21	31	25	23	24	23	23	22	14	26	22	23	23	22	18	20	26	24	22
I am aware of the stories but am not following them	31	30	29	28	31	32	27	33	29	33	32	30	29	34	31	32	30	33	32	29	31
I am not aware of the stories	27	28	27	31	19	24	27	28	29	26	36	22	28	28	29	25	28	26	26	28	32

How concerned, if at all, are you about the false widow spider?

[Asked to respondents who were aware of the stories; n=1648]

Very concerned	7	4	9	3	5	2	11	7	4	9	15	6	6	5	5	9	6	7	5	10	4
Fairly concerned	21	22	21	17	27	21	22	16	16	25	23	24	19	20	19	23	23	23	20	19	20
TOTAL CONCERNED	28	26	30	20	32	23	33	23	20	34	38	30	25	25	24	32	29	30	25	29	24
Not very concerned	45	43	45	58	44	45	43	53	46	44	37	44	48	45	46	43	45	44	45	45	46
Not concerned at all	24	28	23	18	24	29	21	22	31	19	20	21	26	28	27	22	24	23	28	23	25
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	69	71	68	76	68	74	64	75	77	63	57	65	74	73	73	65	69	67	73	68	71
Don't know	3	3	2	4	1	2	3	3	3	3	4	5	2	2	3	4	2	4	3	2	5