

## YouGov / The Sunday Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 1906 GB Adults  
Fieldwork: 5th - 6th August 2010

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<b>Headline Voting Intention</b>																		
Con	42	100	0	0	40	44	26	45	37	52	45	38	43	50	43	35	28	
Lab	36	0	100	0	39	33	42	38	40	29	34	39	37	28	36	47	42	
Lib Dem	13	0	0	100	12	15	23	12	14	9	12	14	13	17	11	11	8	
Other	8	0	0	0	9	8	9	5	9	10	8	9	8	5	10	7	21	
<b>Other Parties Voting Intention</b>																		
UKIP	3	0	0	0	3	3	2	1	3	5	2	5	4	2	3	4	2	
SNP / PCY	2	0	0	0	2	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	0	0	3	0	18	
BNP	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	3	2	0	
Green	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	1	
Respect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	
Other	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
<b>Non Voters</b>																		
Would Not Vote	7	0	0	0	5	8	9	12	5	3	6	8	7	7	5	8	8	
Don't know	12	0	0	0	8	17	13	10	14	12	11	14	13	11	10	13	17	
<b>Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date?</b>																		
Approve	40	41	86	9	49	44	39	26	44	38	50	46	37	41	47	45	34	32
Disapprove	38	37	4	76	16	37	36	38	34	42	33	34	39	35	31	34	44	47
Don't know	22	22	10	15	35	19	25	36	22	20	17	20	24	24	22	21	22	21

	4-5 August	5-6 August
Approve	40	41
Disapprove	38	37
Don't know	22	22

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	29-30 July	5-6 August																
<b>Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?</b>																		
Very well	14	14	37	1	5	13	14	10	14	11	18	16	12	13	17	14	12	8
Fairly well	42	41	59	17	63	43	40	36	43	39	46	43	40	46	46	46	32	31
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>39</b>
Fairly badly	21	22	1	44	18	22	22	25	16	27	21	21	22	17	19	19	28	30
Very badly	13	13	1	32	2	14	11	11	13	15	10	12	13	14	9	14	14	19
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>49</b>
Don't know	11	10	2	7	12	8	12	18	14	8	6	8	13	10	9	7	15	12
<b>Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?</b>																		
Very well	7	7	15	2	14	8	7	9	6	8	7	8	6	8	9	6	7	4
Fairly well	39	41	65	13	67	41	40	33	45	35	47	42	39	44	49	43	31	29
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>33</b>
Fairly badly	21	20	9	32	11	18	21	21	16	22	19	20	20	19	15	18	25	27
Very badly	17	20	4	47	1	25	16	21	18	23	19	20	21	19	16	22	23	28
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>55</b>
Don't know	16	12	7	7	7	8	16	16	15	12	8	10	14	10	12	11	14	11
<b>Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?</b>																		
Very well	9	9	21	1	8	10	9	8	7	10	11	10	8	7	11	7	10	7
Fairly well	47	47	70	18	71	47	46	38	50	41	54	50	43	48	52	52	38	34
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>41</b>
Fairly badly	21	22	5	43	9	21	22	26	17	25	20	20	23	22	18	20	26	27
Very badly	12	12	1	30	1	14	10	9	12	15	11	11	13	13	8	13	15	19
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>46</b>
Don't know	11	11	2	8	10	8	13	19	14	10	5	9	13	11	11	7	12	13

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

**Do you think this coalition government will be good or bad for people like you?**

Very good	6	8	18	1	8	8	7	9	5	7	10	9	6	8	8	6	8	7
Fairly good	28	24	48	5	34	25	23	15	26	21	30	27	21	29	29	25	17	17
<b>TOTAL GOOD</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>24</b>
Fairly bad	20	22	6	37	19	21	22	22	21	27	17	22	21	17	20	24	25	23
Very bad	20	18	3	44	3	22	15	16	17	23	16	16	20	18	14	17	22	27
<b>TOTAL BAD</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>50</b>
Won't make much difference either way	17	20	18	10	27	19	20	25	21	17	20	19	21	22	21	18	19	19
Don't know	10	8	7	3	9	5	11	14	10	6	7	7	10	7	8	9	8	8

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

Very well	8	9	24	1	6	11	8	9	9	8	12	11	8	8	12	8	9	8
Fairly well	39	39	65	14	56	39	40	28	41	38	45	42	36	41	45	44	32	27
<b>TOTAL WELL</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>35</b>
Fairly badly	22	22	2	44	15	22	22	24	18	24	21	20	23	21	18	19	27	29
Very badly	13	12	1	30	1	14	11	13	12	15	8	13	12	13	8	13	15	17
<b>TOTAL BADLY</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>46</b>
Don't know	18	17	8	12	22	14	20	26	21	15	14	14	20	17	18	16	17	20

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

Very good	1	1	3	1	0	1	1	5	1	0	1	1	1	3	0	1	2	0
Quite good	6	5	7	5	8	6	4	9	5	4	6	5	6	7	6	5	4	4
<b>TOTAL GOOD</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>
Neither good nor bad	20	25	26	27	30	28	21	19	26	25	26	23	27	28	24	26	23	23
Quite bad	45	46	43	51	45	43	48	43	43	48	46	49	41	38	48	48	45	45
Very bad	24	19	20	15	13	18	19	11	20	20	19	20	18	21	17	16	20	24
<b>TOTAL BAD</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>69</b>
Don't know	4	4	1	2	3	3	6	13	5	2	3	2	6	3	4	3	6	3

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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	2	1	3	1	1	4	1	1	0	1	1	3	1	0	1	2
Get a little better	11	12	18	7	20	13	11	22	15	9	9	11	13	12	14	12	11	11
<b>TOTAL BETTER</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
Stay the same	31	33	40	31	35	34	32	28	39	29	34	32	34	40	30	34	33	32
Get a little worse	34	34	32	36	33	33	34	19	25	40	41	38	29	26	39	32	34	32
Get a lot worse	16	14	6	21	8	15	14	13	13	17	14	13	15	17	11	17	14	18
<b>TOTAL WORSE</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>50</b>
Don't know	5	5	3	4	2	4	7	14	7	4	2	4	7	3	5	5	7	5

From what you have seen, is David Cameron a good international statesman, or not?

Yes, he is	30	65	6	26	30	30	27	29	27	36	33	27	30	36	31	26	19
No, he is not	43	10	78	47	46	40	44	37	47	41	42	44	41	39	42	44	57
Don't know	27	26	16	27	24	30	29	34	25	22	26	29	30	25	27	31	24

Do you think David Cameron will be better or worse than Gordon Brown in performing his role as an international statesman?

Better	45	90	10	49	45	46	32	48	42	52	50	40	46	52	49	39	28
Worse	27	2	65	15	29	24	26	26	29	24	25	28	23	21	26	30	42
About the same	20	6	22	30	21	20	29	15	22	19	19	22	24	17	20	21	23
Don't know	8	2	4	6	5	11	13	10	7	5	6	10	7	9	5	10	7

And do you think David Cameron will be better or worse than Tony Blair in performing his role as an international statesman?

Better	30	62	4	25	27	33	24	23	26	44	32	28	30	35	32	26	19
Worse	41	9	85	38	47	36	40	44	45	34	41	42	41	34	45	45	49
About the same	20	22	8	34	20	20	23	21	21	17	19	21	21	21	16	19	23
Don't know	9	6	2	4	6	11	13	12	7	5	7	10	8	10	6	10	8

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Last month David Cameron said that Pakistan "looks both ways" on terrorism, implying it does not do enough to stop the export of terrorism from within the country. Do you agree or disagree with Mr Cameron's comments?

Agree	<b>66</b>	90	46	64	70	63	52	68	66	72	70	63	64	70	67	65	59
Disagree	<b>15</b>	1	37	10	17	13	17	13	16	14	13	17	19	11	13	17	22
Don't know	<b>19</b>	9	17	25	13	24	31	19	18	14	17	21	17	19	20	18	19

After David Cameron, Who would you say is the second most important person in the current government?

Nick Clegg	<b>29</b>	30	21	58	24	33	30	36	29	23	28	30	26	31	31	29	22
George Osborne	<b>28</b>	34	32	22	34	22	31	26	28	29	30	25	28	29	30	22	33
William Hague	<b>12</b>	18	11	4	15	10	5	11	11	18	15	10	11	13	11	13	13
Vince Cable	<b>4</b>	3	5	5	4	4	1	2	4	7	5	3	3	4	5	4	5
Theresa May	<b>1</b>	1	2	0	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	1
Kenneth Clarke	<b>1</b>	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1
Liam Fox	<b>1</b>	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Danny Alexander	<b>0</b>	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Andrew Lansley	<b>0</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Michael Gove	<b>0</b>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Someone else	<b>2</b>	1	5	0	2	2	0	1	3	3	1	3	2	2	3	3	2
Don't know	<b>21</b>	10	23	9	15	26	30	21	22	15	17	25	25	18	16	25	23

The London Olympics will take place in two years time. Do you support or oppose Britain hosting the Olympics?

Support	<b>59</b>	56	75	63	61	57	65	63	59	53	62	56	61	60	61	60	43
Oppose	<b>28</b>	33	18	23	30	26	19	21	29	37	28	28	29	27	26	28	36
Don't know	<b>13</b>	11	7	14	9	17	17	16	12	10	10	16	10	13	13	12	21

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**Do you think government spending on the Olympics should or should not be scaled back in line with reductions in other public spending?**

Should be cut back	<b>59</b>	65	47	55	54	64	57	60	59	59	60	58	58	56	60	59	70
Should not be cut back	<b>31</b>	26	45	37	38	24	28	27	33	34	32	30	36	32	29	32	18
Don't know	<b>10</b>	9	8	8	8	12	16	13	8	7	8	13	6	11	10	9	12

## 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	68	116
Male 25 to 39	208	247
Male 40 to 54	358	320
Male 55 +	293	247
Female 18 to 24	87	111
Female 25 to 39	291	241
Female 40 to 54	356	332
Female 55 +	245	293
<b>Region</b>		
North England	456	467
Midlands	277	311
East England	178	186
London	252	244
South England	452	436
Wales	92	96
Scotland	199	167
<b>Social Grade</b>		
AB	697	524
C1	546	543
C2	281	393
DE	349	412
<b>Newspaper Type</b>		
Express / Mail	367	286
Sun / Star	194	405
Mirror / Record	127	290
Guardian / Independent	172	63
FT / Times / Telegraph	238	166
Other Paper	203	218
No Paper	605	477
<b>Political Party Identification</b>		
Labour	599	621
Conservative	487	546
Liberal Democrat	232	228
Others	209	60
None/ DK	379	452

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