

YouGov / The Sunday Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 1739 GB

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Headline Voting Intention

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

Con	35	100	0	0	80	3	16	31	40	21	37	34	41	37	34	36	48	36	27	11	23
Lab	41	0	100	0	4	92	39	43	40	46	40	45	37	37	48	43	30	42	52	51	58
Lib Dem	9	0	0	100	3	2	32	9	9	17	11	7	8	13	4	9	8	8	11	7	0
Other	14	0	0	0	13	3	13	17	11	16	13	14	14	14	14	12	14	14	10	31	19

Other Parties Voting Intention

UKIP	7	0	0	0	11	1	4	9	4	8	4	6	10	7	6	4	9	9	5	1	3
SNP / PCY	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	3	5	3	3	2	3	4	0	0	2	2	26	7
Green	2	0	0	0	0	1	5	2	3	3	3	2	1	2	2	3	3	1	2	3	6
BNP	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	1
Respect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1

Non Voters

Would Not Vote	8	0	0	0	4	4	6	7	9	16	10	6	6	7	10	8	8	13	6	4	7
Don't know	17	0	0	0	13	9	23	14	19	26	15	17	14	16	18	15	16	15	17	21	30

Aug 29-30

Aug 30-31

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

Approve	23	24	68	3	29	48	4	18	23	24	16	27	23	24	26	20	23	30	23	21	12	12
Disapprove	63	60	18	94	43	34	87	67	64	55	51	56	63	63	57	63	56	54	62	62	74	74
Don't know	14	17	14	4	28	19	8	15	13	21	33	17	14	13	16	17	21	16	16	17	14	14

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	Aug 23-24	Aug 30-31																				
Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?																						
Very well	4	3	11	0	0	8	0	1	3	3	0	3	4	3	3	3	2	4	2	4	1	1
Fairly well	30	31	73	5	53	57	9	26	29	33	20	35	29	35	34	28	34	39	30	26	17	20
TOTAL WELL	34	34	84	5	53	65	9	27	32	36	20	38	33	38	37	31	36	43	32	30	18	21
Fairly badly	33	32	12	39	35	24	38	38	32	32	26	31	33	33	34	29	31	31	30	32	39	37
Very badly	27	28	3	55	9	9	49	32	32	24	36	23	30	27	25	33	27	22	31	30	36	38
TOTAL BADLY	60	60	15	94	44	33	87	70	64	56	62	54	63	60	59	62	58	53	61	62	75	75
Don't know	6	6	1	1	2	2	4	3	4	8	17	8	4	2	5	7	6	4	6	8	7	3

Do you think Ed Miliband is doing well or badly as leader of the Labour party?																						
Very well	3	3	0	9	0	1	9	1	3	3	5	1	3	4	3	3	4	3	4	2	2	2
Fairly well	27	26	13	52	19	13	50	24	26	26	23	24	28	26	24	28	21	25	27	29	25	24
TOTAL WELL	30	29	13	61	19	14	59	25	29	29	28	25	31	30	27	31	25	28	31	31	27	26
Fairly badly	33	36	43	26	49	42	25	38	40	33	39	36	33	39	39	33	45	36	27	38	41	36
Very badly	21	22	33	5	18	35	6	22	24	20	14	21	23	26	22	23	19	25	27	17	20	22
TOTAL BADLY	54	58	76	31	67	77	31	60	64	53	53	57	56	65	61	56	64	61	54	55	61	58
Don't know	16	13	10	8	15	9	10	15	7	18	20	17	13	6	12	14	12	11	14	14	13	15

Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?																						
Very well	1	2	3	1	3	1	1	2	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	0	2
Fairly well	16	16	26	7	57	23	6	21	17	16	11	17	18	16	18	14	13	20	12	20	9	11
TOTAL WELL	17	18	29	8	60	24	7	23	18	18	16	18	19	17	19	16	14	22	13	22	9	13
Fairly badly	31	32	35	30	27	32	31	34	31	33	36	35	28	33	33	31	34	31	29	34	37	36
Very badly	43	42	28	60	6	38	56	37	46	38	38	35	46	46	41	44	45	43	47	35	46	46
TOTAL BADLY	74	74	63	90	33	70	87	71	77	71	74	70	74	79	74	75	79	74	76	69	83	82
Don't know	10	8	8	2	6	5	6	5	4	11	11	12	8	3	7	9	7	5	12	9	8	5

Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?																						
Very well	1	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
Fairly well	24	24	56	5	48	42	7	24	24	24	10	27	25	27	27	20	23	29	23	24	11	15
TOTAL WELL	25	25	58	5	49	43	7	25	25	25	10	28	26	27	28	20	23	30	24	24	11	16
Fairly badly	38	38	30	39	44	36	42	42	39	37	47	39	35	37	41	35	38	39	33	41	43	43
Very badly	29	30	8	53	4	18	47	28	32	29	33	23	33	33	26	37	30	27	35	29	36	35
TOTAL BADLY	67	68	38	92	48	54	89	70	71	66	80	62	68	70	67	72	68	66	68	70	79	78
Don't know	8	7	5	2	3	3	4	5	4	9	10	10	6	2	6	8	8	4	8	6	9	6

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

Very good	1	2	4	0	5	3	0	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	0
Fairly good	13	15	37	3	40	25	4	17	16	15	10	18	14	17	19	11	15	20	12	15	9	9
TOTAL GOOD	14	17	41	3	45	28	4	19	18	16	10	19	16	19	20	13	16	22	14	17	10	9
Fairly bad	27	28	27	33	19	28	33	28	28	25	33	26	29	29	28	39	32	20	24	33	31	31
Very bad	30	29	6	53	13	16	45	27	31	27	30	20	32	31	25	33	24	22	32	34	37	33
TOTAL BAD	57	57	33	86	32	44	78	55	59	55	55	53	58	60	54	61	63	54	52	58	70	64
Does't make much difference either way	23	21	21	10	23	22	14	25	20	21	25	20	21	19	22	20	16	21	27	20	16	25
Don't know	5	5	5	2	0	5	3	1	2	7	10	7	4	2	4	6	5	3	7	5	4	2

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

Very well	2	2	7	0	1	5	0	2	1	3	2	3	2	1	2	2	1	3	1	3	1	2
Fairly well	22	22	58	4	32	42	6	18	23	21	8	24	23	25	25	18	25	27	22	17	11	13
TOTAL WELL	24	24	65	4	33	47	6	20	24	24	10	27	25	26	27	20	26	30	23	20	12	15
Fairly badly	33	33	24	29	39	28	31	37	30	35	33	35	29	35	33	32	28	33	28	37	41	35
Very badly	34	34	5	64	17	16	56	36	40	28	36	26	38	34	31	37	38	27	38	34	39	43
TOTAL BADLY	67	67	29	93	56	44	87	73	70	63	69	61	67	69	64	69	66	60	66	71	80	78
Don't know	10	9	7	3	11	9	7	7	5	13	20	11	8	5	9	10	8	10	10	9	9	7

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

Very good	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Quite good	2	4	8	1	4	5	0	4	3	5	7	6	2	1	4	3	2	4	3	5	1	4
TOTAL GOOD	2	4	9	1	4	6	0	4	3	5	7	7	2	1	4	4	3	5	3	5	1	4
Neither good nor bad	15	16	27	7	40	26	10	13	18	14	15	19	14	17	20	11	18	18	15	14	11	8
Quite bad	47	46	49	47	41	47	47	46	45	48	42	45	46	50	44	49	46	47	40	50	49	45
Very bad	33	31	13	44	14	20	40	36	33	30	30	25	36	31	30	33	27	28	40	28	35	42
TOTAL BAD	80	77	62	91	55	67	87	82	78	78	72	70	82	81	74	82	73	75	80	78	84	87
Don't know	2	2	1	1	0	1	3	1	1	3	6	4	2	0	2	3	5	1	2	3	3	1

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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	1	1	2	1	4	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	2	0	2	2	1	0	3	1
Get a little better	8	6	11	4	13	7	3	7	6	6	4	10	6	3	7	5	8	8	4	4	3	6
TOTAL BETTER	9	7	13	5	17	8	4	9	7	7	7	12	7	4	9	5	10	10	5	4	6	7
Stay about the same	37	35	47	26	50	42	29	38	36	34	40	39	31	33	38	31	35	35	33	38	33	34
Get a little worse	33	35	32	40	22	34	39	30	31	38	28	30	33	44	36	33	30	36	36	34	35	32
Get a lot worse	17	18	5	24	7	12	20	18	19	16	11	12	25	17	12	25	20	15	19	18	22	21
TOTAL WORSE	50	53	37	64	29	46	59	48	50	54	39	42	58	61	48	58	50	51	55	52	57	53
Don't know	4	6	3	5	4	4	7	4	6	6	14	7	5	1	5	6	6	4	7	7	5	5

Thinking about the government's policy on the economy, which of the following best reflects your view?

The governments' policy on the economy is basically right, if they stick with it the economy will eventually start to improve	28	72	3	37	57	5	20	28	28	14	29	27	33	33	21	27	36	26	24	15	14
The governments' policy on the economy is basically wrong and they need to make changes for the economy to improve	56	17	89	42	27	82	67	62	51	68	53	58	52	52	63	59	50	55	60	71	74
Don't know	16	11	7	21	16	12	13	10	21	19	18	14	14	16	16	13	15	19	16	15	12

In the previous question you said you thought the government's policy on the economy needed to change. Thinking about the current state of the economy and the government's budget deficit, which of the following best reflects your view of what changes George Osborne should make?

[Only asked to those who said the government's economic policy was basically wrong n=955]

He should cut spending more, and use the money saved to cut taxes or reduce the deficit more quickly	24	56	16	17	45	17	22	22	26	31	21	20	27	25	23	32	24	26	19	19	24
He should increase taxes, and use the money raised to reduce the amount of cuts or reduce the deficit more quickly	21	12	23	49	11	23	25	21	20	9	24	20	25	23	18	17	26	13	23	20	21
He should borrow more in the short term to fund tax cuts	4	3	2	6	10	2	4	6	2	3	5	5	3	3	5	2	6	6	2	2	3
He should borrow more in the short term to reduce the amount of cuts	17	9	24	10	8	22	16	19	15	12	21	18	13	21	13	16	17	16	19	14	17
None of these	20	17	23	10	18	21	21	21	19	16	18	23	20	18	23	24	18	20	17	31	22
Don't know	15	3	13	8	8	15	12	12	17	29	11	15	11	11	19	8	10	18	20	15	12

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Do you think the fact that the government is a coalition between two different political parties makes it more difficult to come up with an economic strategy, easier to come up with an economic strategy, or does it make no difference?

Being a coalition between two parties makes it more difficult for the government to come up with an economic strategy	61	76	59	47	75	59	55	65	58	58	57	60	68	63	59	58	62	61	62	58	59
Being a coalition between two parties makes it easier for the government to come up with an economic strategy	6	7	5	21	5	3	8	7	6	11	10	4	4	7	6	7	8	3	7	4	5
Makes no real difference	24	14	31	25	16	30	29	23	25	19	22	29	23	23	26	23	22	25	24	31	30
Don't know	8	3	5	7	5	8	7	5	11	13	12	7	5	7	10	12	7	11	7	7	7

Do you think the government is or is not capable of getting the country out of the current economic situation?

Is capable of getting the country out of the economic situation	34	77	7	54	60	11	30	34	34	28	38	31	37	37	30	29	45	28	32	19	21
Is not capable of getting the country out of the economic situation	51	13	83	33	25	77	58	54	48	53	43	56	50	47	55	51	43	55	50	70	65
Don't know	15	10	10	13	15	12	12	12	18	18	19	14	13	15	15	20	12	17	18	11	14

Some people have suggested introducing a temporary tax on people's wealth (that is, the amount of money they have, such as savings, property and assets) for the richest people in society.

In principle, would you support or oppose a wealth tax?

Support	57	39	75	67	38	70	66	59	55	60	51	60	57	54	60	41	56	58	62	65	66
Oppose	29	48	13	22	47	14	24	29	29	20	31	28	32	32	25	42	33	22	25	24	25
Don't know	14	13	12	11	15	16	10	12	16	20	18	13	11	14	15	17	11	20	13	11	10

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If a tax on people's wealth, including their savings, assets and property (including homes, but not pension funds) was introduced, at what level of wealth do you think it should start?

People with assets worth more than £250,000	7	5	8	4	4	7	6	7	6	7	8	6	7	5	9	7	5	8	7	9	7
People with assets worth more than £500,000	12	7	18	12	8	15	15	12	13	10	13	12	13	11	14	6	14	13	12	18	16
People with assets worth more than £1,000,000	34	27	39	48	27	39	38	37	32	44	36	31	34	35	34	26	34	32	41	36	34
People with assets worth more than £2,000,000	17	25	14	13	21	15	19	16	18	10	14	21	17	20	13	16	21	16	12	12	20
People with assets over a figure higher than this	18	26	12	15	28	13	15	19	18	14	16	21	19	19	18	27	17	17	17	17	14
Don't know	11	11	9	8	12	11	8	10	13	14	14	10	10	11	12	18	9	13	11	8	8

In the budget earlier this year the government reduced the top rate of income tax on people earning over £150,000 from 50p in the pound to 45p in the pound. Do you think this was the right or the wrong thing to do?

The right thing to do	20	38	11	11	35	12	12	19	20	11	20	21	21	22	17	18	22	20	20	11	12
The wrong thing to do - it should have stayed at 50p	61	43	77	65	43	75	71	62	59	58	53	62	66	58	63	52	62	62	58	73	71
The wrong thing to do - it should have gone down to 40p	7	9	3	13	10	4	3	9	5	7	11	6	4	9	3	8	6	5	8	5	3
Don't know	13	11	9	10	11	9	14	10	16	24	16	11	9	11	16	21	10	13	14	11	14

Some people think that increasing taxes on the rich would discourage entrepreneurs and lead to some rich people moving abroad to countries with lower tax. Which of the following best reflects your view?

Increasing taxes on the rich risks driving wealthy investors and entrepreneurs abroad and it would be the wrong thing to do	23	45	9	18	43	10	13	24	23	14	26	22	27	25	22	24	29	19	23	14	11
There is a risk that increasing taxes on the rich would drive some wealthy people abroad, but in the current circumstances is the still the right thing to do	43	37	46	57	37	46	55	40	46	52	46	42	39	45	42	41	44	40	47	45	55
There is no real risk that increasing taxes on the rich would drive a significant number of people abroad and it would be the right thing to do	22	7	38	23	9	36	24	28	16	21	15	27	24	22	23	20	20	25	22	29	24
Don't know	11	10	7	3	11	8	8	7	15	13	13	9	10	9	14	15	8	16	9	12	10

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The highest earning taxpayers currently pay a large amount of the nation's income tax. Taking into account the extra taxes that individual wealthy people would have to pay, against the risk that some wealthy people would leave the country if taxes were raised, do you think increasing tax on the wealthy would or would not bring in more money in tax?

Would probably bring in more money in tax	48	34	67	56	33	63	58	51	45	44	41	55	49	48	48	42	48	47	49	58	59
Would probably not bring in more money in tax	31	51	18	28	50	19	20	32	30	19	36	28	36	33	29	36	35	28	29	22	18
Don't know	21	15	16	16	16	18	21	17	25	37	23	18	16	19	23	22	17	25	22	20	22

Taking everything into account do you think introducing higher taxes on the wealthy would help or damage the chances of an economic recovery, or would it make no difference?

Would help the chances of an economic recovery	39	27	55	37	22	52	49	40	38	45	35	41	37	36	43	24	39	41	42	49	51
Would damage the chances of an economic recovery	18	33	8	25	34	10	8	21	15	14	24	16	18	21	15	23	21	15	17	13	7
Would make no real difference	31	30	30	30	34	28	32	32	31	29	25	33	36	33	29	36	31	33	30	26	31
Don't know	12	9	7	9	9	10	11	7	16	12	16	11	9	10	14	17	10	11	12	11	11

Nick Clegg has suggested that the government should bring in a new temporary tax on the wealthy to help reduce the deficit. Do you think he is making this suggestion...

Mainly because he thinks it is the best way to reduce the deficit and make the rich pay their share	18	17	19	38	14	17	27	15	21	21	20	17	16	19	17	10	21	21	18	15	22
Mainly because he is trying to improve his standing within his own political party	51	59	51	22	60	50	41	58	45	55	50	51	51	52	49	60	51	49	48	53	48
Both equally	22	16	26	34	17	25	26	21	22	18	19	23	24	21	22	17	21	21	25	21	23
Don't know	9	7	5	7	8	8	7	6	12	6	11	9	8	8	11	12	7	10	9	12	6

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Do you think each of the following is an asset or liability to the government these days?

Nick Clegg

An asset	17	19	13	62	17	11	28	17	18	17	17	17	18	19	15	15	19	14	21	14	18
A liability	58	58	69	21	63	67	49	64	53	53	51	61	64	60	56	65	59	59	51	62	57
Don't know	24	22	18	17	20	22	24	19	29	30	32	22	18	21	28	20	22	26	28	24	25

George Osborne

An asset	16	39	4	15	31	6	11	16	16	15	15	13	20	18	13	15	20	14	14	10	9
A liability	58	34	82	56	40	75	68	66	51	51	53	64	58	59	58	65	55	58	56	66	72
Don't know	26	27	14	29	29	19	21	18	33	34	32	22	21	23	29	19	25	28	30	24	19

David Cameron

An asset	34	82	7	44	63	10	28	32	35	18	34	33	40	38	28	31	43	35	28	17	23
A liability	47	7	79	44	21	71	57	54	40	52	43	50	44	46	48	47	41	45	48	66	61
Don't know	20	11	14	12	16	19	15	14	25	31	23	17	15	17	24	22	16	19	24	17	16

Ken Clarke

An asset	26	37	25	43	29	22	32	33	19	14	23	27	33	33	16	32	27	24	22	26	28
A liability	41	34	49	22	43	47	38	45	37	42	36	42	45	37	46	36	43	42	40	42	44
Don't know	33	29	26	34	28	31	31	22	44	44	41	31	23	29	38	32	30	34	38	33	28

William Hague

An asset	43	72	27	50	66	25	47	48	39	27	40	43	53	51	32	46	51	37	41	28	43
A liability	29	9	51	23	14	48	29	34	25	33	28	31	26	26	34	26	26	32	28	42	34
Don't know	28	19	22	27	20	27	24	18	37	40	32	25	21	23	34	27	22	31	30	31	23

Theresa May

An asset	17	38	6	18	31	8	14	18	16	10	15	18	21	20	13	18	21	17	15	7	14
A liability	51	31	70	49	39	64	53	61	40	52	45	52	53	48	54	51	49	49	49	63	54
Don't know	32	30	24	33	30	28	33	21	43	38	39	30	26	32	34	31	30	34	36	30	33

Vince Cable

An asset	31	32	34	64	30	28	48	38	25	27	29	31	36	37	24	32	34	30	31	27	43
A liability	36	40	40	8	43	39	27	42	31	36	33	39	37	35	38	35	39	36	34	38	32
Don't know	32	29	26	28	27	33	25	21	43	37	38	30	26	28	38	32	28	34	36	35	25

Andrew Lansley

An asset	8	17	3	12	16	2	6	10	5	10	8	5	11	10	5	9	9	4	10	4	6
A liability	41	26	62	33	32	57	44	49	34	36	39	44	42	42	40	45	40	44	37	47	46
Don't know	51	57	35	55	52	41	50	41	60	55	53	52	47	48	55	46	51	52	53	49	48

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Which, if any, of the following words and phrases do you think best apply to Nick Clegg. Please tick all that apply

Weak	48	39	62	17	45	60	44	48	48	54	41	50	49	46	51	55	51	42	43	56	34
Trying his best	35	48	27	74	40	26	45	35	35	20	37	38	37	38	31	34	41	32	34	26	51
Out of touch	33	30	41	4	38	37	27	37	30	24	25	35	43	34	33	39	34	32	31	30	34
Pathetic	28	19	40	3	27	38	25	31	26	26	23	29	33	27	31	30	28	29	26	32	17
Likeable	17	22	12	47	17	12	23	17	17	18	16	17	17	17	17	14	19	15	21	14	14
Dishonest	17	7	26	1	13	24	16	19	15	30	16	16	14	17	17	21	15	23	14	14	31
Intelligent	16	20	11	50	17	10	24	17	16	13	14	17	19	19	12	15	20	12	19	10	13
Unlikable	16	13	20	0	18	18	10	18	14	25	13	16	16	15	18	18	16	18	15	15	9
Honest	10	10	9	40	8	7	18	11	9	2	10	9	15	11	8	10	13	6	10	8	21
In touch	4	4	4	24	4	3	9	4	4	9	4	3	4	5	4	3	4	4	7	1	6
None of these	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	0	4	2	1	2	1	3	1	2	2	2	1
Don't know	8	6	4	4	6	6	7	5	11	10	13	6	4	7	9	6	6	10	7	13	8

Some people talk about 'left', 'right' and 'centre' to describe parties and politicians. With this in mind, where would you place Nick Clegg?

Very left-wing	3	5	1	0	5	1	4	3	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	4	4	2	2	5	5
Fairly left-wing	10	20	4	6	19	5	8	13	8	13	11	8	11	12	9	12	10	12	9	10	10
Slightly left-of-centre	20	24	15	38	23	14	23	24	15	21	19	17	22	24	13	16	24	12	24	16	20
Centre	17	20	17	27	15	19	20	17	17	14	19	19	15	18	16	21	15	17	18	17	17
Slightly right-of-centre	12	7	20	14	8	18	14	15	9	15	9	13	13	14	10	16	11	14	9	14	13
Fairly right-wing	5	1	11	1	1	11	6	5	5	3	3	6	6	4	6	5	4	5	5	7	7
Very right-wing	1	0	2	0	0	2	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Don't know	31	23	30	15	28	32	24	21	41	30	36	32	27	24	41	25	30	37	31	30	26

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Would you like to see Nick Clegg remain as Liberal Democrat leader, or should he be replaced?

Nick Clegg should stay as leader of the Liberal Democrats	31	30	42	23	60	35	24	33	31	29	29	35	28	28	33	26	19	35	32	32	19	23
Nick Clegg should be replaced as leader of the Liberal Democrats	38	40	30	53	24	34	49	47	42	38	43	36	39	44	38	43	48	40	39	37	43	55
Don't know	31	30	28	24	16	31	28	20	27	32	28	29	32	28	29	30	33	26	28	31	38	22

Whether or not you support Nick Clegg, do you think the Liberal Democrats would do better at the next election if they kept Nick Clegg as leader, or if they replaced him with someone else?

Would do better if they kept Nick Clegg	18	28	13	31	22	12	21	17	18	13	18	18	20	19	16	15	20	17	19	13	17
Would do better if they replaced Nick Clegg with someone else	53	42	64	47	49	61	58	58	48	61	52	52	50	54	50	56	53	50	50	57	63
Don't know	30	29	23	21	29	26	21	25	34	27	30	30	30	27	33	29	27	32	31	30	20

Which of the following do you think would win the Liberal Democrats the most support if they became their party leader at the next election?

[Only asked to those who said Nick Clegg should be replaced n=918]

Vince Cable	28	25	31	42	23	28	35	34	21	32	19	28	35	30	25	32	27	30	27	23	30
Charles Kennedy	8	6	12	6	5	11	10	10	7	3	10	8	10	8	9	7	7	9	4	24	9
Paddy Ashdown	7	8	9	2	8	8	8	7	8	4	7	8	9	9	6	6	11	8	5	2	11
Simon Hughes	4	5	4	4	5	3	3	3	5	2	2	4	6	5	2	4	3	4	5	3	1
David Laws	3	5	0	19	8	1	1	5	2	7	3	2	4	4	2	6	3	1	6	0	3
Ed Davey	2	1	2	7	0	2	1	2	1	0	6	0	0	2	2	1	1	1	4	0	0
Danny Alexander	2	3	2	3	4	2	2	2	2	0	3	2	3	3	1	3	3	0	1	6	2
Tim Farron	1	0	2	4	0	2	3	2	1	3	1	0	2	2	1	5	1	0	2	0	1
Chris Huhne	1	4	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	3	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	0	2
None of these	9	7	7	4	11	6	8	9	8	9	11	9	7	8	9	10	8	9	11	6	8
Don't know	34	36	31	10	35	35	30	25	44	37	36	39	25	28	42	23	36	36	35	36	34

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July 5-6 Aug 30-31

Do you support or oppose building a third runway at Heathrow airport?

Support	36	35	45	35	29	40	37	33	41	30	26	38	40	32	37	34	32	39	32	33	41	34
Oppose	28	32	29	31	45	34	26	34	29	34	37	27	28	37	35	27	33	36	30	27	29	32
Don't know	35	33	25	34	26	26	37	33	29	37	37	35	32	31	29	39	35	25	38	40	29	34

Before the last election David Cameron promised that if elected he would not go ahead with a third runway at Heathrow. Do you think David Cameron should...

keep his promise and rule out a third runway at Heathrow	35	34	38	30	35	34	35	31	38	25	36	35	37	38	30	37	36	31	35	31	34
keep his promise, but reconsider the issue at the next election	32	42	24	39	37	26	33	31	32	44	34	30	27	32	31	36	35	28	30	24	32
reconsider his promise now and go ahead with a third runway	19	18	20	12	19	22	17	24	14	11	16	19	23	17	21	16	16	21	18	29	18
Don't know	15	6	18	19	8	18	15	14	16	19	14	16	13	13	18	11	12	20	17	16	15

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Thinking about Britain's airports and possible ways of increasing their capacity, which of the following do you think would be the best way of increasing Britain's air capacity?

Expanding capacity at other regional airports	37	32	30	34	41	29	34	32	30	33	26	27	34	37	32	31	17	28	41	34	40	18
Expanding capacity at Heathrow airport	12	14	17	15	5	15	15	15	18	10	12	18	15	10	15	12	20	16	9	10	21	11
Building a new hub airport in the Thames Estuary	12	14	22	12	11	21	12	11	18	10	10	11	11	23	15	13	19	16	14	13	5	8
Expanding capacity at Gatwick or Stansted	12	11	11	11	17	14	10	10	12	11	7	10	12	13	10	12	19	17	5	7	8	28
There should not be any expansion of British airports	9	9	8	9	12	9	7	12	6	12	11	12	9	6	9	8	11	10	6	11	8	13
Not sure	18	20	13	18	14	13	23	20	16	24	34	23	20	12	17	24	14	15	26	25	18	22

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A Conservative MP has questioned whether David Cameron is a "man or a mouse" over the issue of a third runway at Heathrow. Thinking about David Cameron's decision to rule out a third runway at Heathrow, do you think he has behaved more like...

A man	25	50	10	35	39	9	24	24	26	18	25	24	29	27	22	23	30	24	23	20	22
A mouse	28	12	47	16	19	41	28	33	23	36	26	30	23	26	31	28	26	28	28	35	31
Neither	30	32	29	33	31	31	31	30	31	21	28	30	37	32	28	32	32	28	29	30	29
Don't know	17	6	14	15	11	19	16	14	20	25	21	16	10	15	19	17	12	20	20	15	18

Thinking about the sort of people who are rewarded by the honours system, do you think the following groups receive too many awards from the honours system, not enough rewards from the honours system, or about the right amount?

Senior civil servants

Too many awards	61	66	57	65	69	55	62	69	54	36	38	71	79	61	61	51	66	55	61	72	63
Not enough recognition	8	4	10	3	5	8	5	8	7	23	14	2	2	8	7	7	5	14	7	3	6
About the right amount of recognition	15	16	19	17	13	19	16	11	19	20	17	14	13	15	15	25	14	12	16	10	15
Don't know	16	14	14	14	13	18	16	12	20	21	31	12	6	16	17	16	15	19	16	15	15

People working in public services, like schools and hospitals

Too many awards	6	11	5	4	10	4	4	7	6	5	6	6	7	7	5	6	7	7	5	7	5
Not enough recognition	66	58	75	67	61	71	70	65	67	66	62	69	66	65	68	61	65	67	67	73	71
About the right amount of recognition	17	23	13	22	21	15	17	19	15	15	14	16	21	18	15	23	20	13	17	9	15
Don't know	10	8	8	7	8	11	9	9	12	13	18	8	5	10	11	11	8	13	11	12	9

Business leaders and entrepreneurs

Too many awards	37	29	48	26	29	43	43	39	35	36	27	41	42	36	38	36	39	40	35	32	48
Not enough recognition	14	18	12	18	20	12	8	16	12	16	19	12	11	15	13	14	11	16	17	12	8
About the right amount of recognition	36	44	31	44	41	34	36	36	37	33	32	38	40	37	35	36	40	29	36	43	31
Don't know	13	9	9	11	10	11	14	9	16	14	23	10	7	12	14	14	11	15	13	13	14

Figures from entertainment, like actors, film stars and musicians

Too many awards	69	69	69	63	71	63	74	70	67	68	59	73	73	70	67	63	69	73	68	68	75
Not enough recognition	3	3	4	2	3	3	2	4	2	2	5	3	2	3	3	5	3	1	3	3	2
About the right amount of recognition	20	23	20	30	21	24	18	20	20	19	20	19	22	20	20	22	24	15	19	18	17
Don't know	8	5	6	5	6	10	6	6	10	11	16	6	3	7	10	10	5	11	9	11	6

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Scientists and academics																					
Too many awards	6	7	8	2	5	8	3	7	5	9	2	7	6	4	7	3	5	9	6	4	4
Not enough recognition	64	65	66	65	63	66	70	67	61	56	61	69	64	67	60	70	66	59	61	68	70
About the right amount of recognition	20	20	18	24	24	14	18	18	21	21	18	16	25	19	21	14	22	19	23	16	17
Don't know	11	8	8	9	8	11	9	8	13	14	19	8	5	10	12	13	7	13	11	12	9
People from charities and the voluntary sector																					
Too many awards	4	5	5	4	3	4	6	5	3	8	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	5	2	6
Not enough recognition	71	67	75	67	69	72	73	70	72	67	65	73	75	70	72	70	72	68	69	77	73
About the right amount of recognition	15	21	13	23	21	12	13	16	14	12	14	16	16	17	13	14	18	15	15	9	14
Don't know	10	8	7	7	7	11	8	9	11	13	18	7	5	9	11	12	6	13	12	12	8
Local councillors and politicians																					
Too many awards	48	50	48	29	55	44	42	52	44	44	38	50	56	47	50	45	48	50	48	46	46
Not enough recognition	7	6	11	8	4	10	9	7	8	9	9	7	6	8	7	10	6	7	8	8	8
About the right amount of recognition	30	34	29	52	30	31	35	31	30	34	27	32	30	31	30	25	33	26	32	33	31
Don't know	14	11	12	11	11	14	15	10	18	13	26	11	8	14	14	20	12	16	12	13	15
Sportsmen and women																					
Too many awards	39	41	39	27	39	38	35	46	33	40	38	41	38	40	39	31	37	43	43	39	37
Not enough recognition	15	17	18	12	16	16	17	15	16	16	16	14	15	14	16	19	18	14	13	10	18
About the right amount of recognition	35	35	34	57	38	36	39	32	38	33	28	37	41	37	34	38	38	29	33	40	36
Don't know	10	7	8	4	7	11	8	7	13	11	17	8	5	9	11	11	6	13	10	11	9
National politicians and Members of Parliament																					
Too many awards	67	64	68	58	68	63	67	72	61	62	48	74	77	65	69	62	68	64	67	71	69
Not enough recognition	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	4	2	5	6	1	2	3	3	3	3	4	4	2	3
About the right amount of recognition	18	23	19	34	18	21	18	15	20	19	22	16	16	19	16	20	19	16	17	15	15
Don't know	13	10	10	6	11	13	11	9	16	14	24	10	5	12	13	15	10	16	11	12	12

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

Do you believe that all British Olympic gold medallists should automatically receive an honour, or should honours only go to those who have made a wider contribution to the country or their sport?

All British competitors who win an Olympic gold should automatically receive an honour	14	14	15	14	11	15	19	14	14	22	16	13	10	12	17	12	14	16	16	8	21
Only British gold medallists who have made a wider contribution to the country or their sport should receive an honour	74	77	74	71	77	73	71	73	74	63	70	75	80	77	69	75	77	69	69	82	69
Don't know	12	8	11	15	12	12	10	13	12	15	13	12	10	11	14	13	9	15	15	9	11

Do you think it is more impressive to represent Britain at the Olympics, at the Paralympics, or are they equally impressive?

Competing at the Olympics is more impressive	10	15	8	11	14	8	11	13	8	8	11	12	9	11	10	10	12	8	9	15	11
Competing at the Paralympics is more impressive	11	10	10	13	10	11	12	10	11	11	12	10	10	11	11	12	10	11	9	14	12
They are equally impressive	74	72	79	75	74	75	74	72	77	74	72	74	78	75	73	70	75	75	78	67	74
Don't know	4	3	3	1	3	5	2	5	4	7	6	4	3	3	6	8	3	6	3	4	3

Generally speaking, to what extent, if at all, do you think disabled people are discriminated against in Britain today?

Discriminated against a lot	13	8	16	11	8	16	16	11	15	6	10	17	13	11	15	14	14	12	12	16	16
Discriminated against a fair amount	49	47	53	47	46	50	54	47	51	60	47	47	49	48	50	54	47	50	48	49	55
Not discriminated against a lot	24	34	19	29	31	19	22	28	20	23	29	21	24	27	19	15	28	26	22	23	20
Not discriminated against at all	5	6	3	8	6	3	3	5	5	4	4	6	5	5	5	6	5	4	7	2	3
Don't know	9	6	9	5	8	11	6	8	10	7	10	9	9	7	11	11	6	9	12	11	6