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# 1997 BRITISH GENERAL ELECTION STUDY:
# CROSS-SECTION STUDY
# SCOTTISH ELECTION STUDY
# ETHNIC MINORITY STUDY

# CODE BOOK

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# A Guide to the Documentation.

## Format

The document is not constructed in question number order, but is divided into sections according to the subject matter of the questions. For the original question order see previous documentation.

## How to use the code book

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**Politics** SPSS variable name **Interest in Politics** Question summary

**q14** Question no. How much interest do you generally have in what is going on in politics?
Question text

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal Variable label | 260 | 75 Frequency | |
| 2 quite a lot | 644 | 160 | |
| 3 some | 987 | 308 | |
| 4 not very much | 652 | 272 | |
| 5 none at all | 190 | 65 | |
| 9 not answered | | 2 | |

**Notes:** Additional information

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## Text fills

The answer to one question is inserted into the wording of another.

> *"Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Conservative, Labour, Liberal Democrat, [If Scot: SNP, if Wales: Plaid Cymru],* Text fill *or what.*

## 'Routing' instruction

Some questions were only asked of particular groups of people, for example those that answered in a particular way at a previous question, or those who live in a particular geographical region. This is recorded in the notes section of each question (see glossary below), and is incorporated into the frequencies either by a skip code (all those who were not required to answer the question) or by the exclusion of a particular group from the table, i.e. if the question was asked in only in Scotland, then none will appear in the columns table for England and Wales or Ethnic minorities. A list of where the questions asked only of specific groups of people can be found in the code book appears in the appendix.

## Glossary of terms in the notes section

**SO** Question asked in Scotland only
**WO** Question asked in Wales only
**EO** Question asked in England only
**B/AO** Question asked to ethnic minorities only
**Shc** Show cards used - the respondent is asked to choose an answer from a list
**SS** Scale sheet used
**MC** Multi-coded question, i.e. more than one answer can be given.
**Dv** Derived variable - the answer is computed automatically by referring to a previous question.
**EdOn** Question for edit only
**NonSc** Question did not appear on the screen during the interview

## Arbitrary Variable labels

**8** Don't know
**98** Don't know if 2 digit code
**9** Not answered
**99** Not answered if 2 digit code

## Frequencies

Each column in the frequency tables includes all the sample for that category, thereby accounting for all respondents. A skipped value has been calculated for those filter questions which did not have a skipped code on the SPSS data file. System missing frequencies were also included where relevant. As such, all columns add up to the following totals, corresponding to the sample from which they were taken.

**Main questionnaire:**

| | |
|---|---|
| Scotland | **882** |
| England and Wales | **2733** |
| Wales only | **182** |
| England only | **2551** |
| Ethnic sample | **705** |

**Ethnic minority sample:**

| | |
|---|---|
| England and Wales | **106** |
| England only | **102** |
| Wales only | **4** |
| Ethnic sample | **705** |

The questions asked to ethnic minorities only (B/AO) include the 705 people in the ethnic minority sample, and also 106 from the main bexs SPSS file. However, these 106 are also included in the ethnic minority sample, and thus have been effectively counted twice. The England and Wales frequencies for the B/AO questions in the main questionnaire are included in the code book for the sake of completeness.

**Short questionnaire:**

| | |
|---|---|
| England and Wales | **394** |
| Scotland | **756** |
| Ethnic sample | **394** |

# Political Interest and the Media

**q14 Politics** How much interest do you generally have in what is going on in politics?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal | 260 | 75 | 85 |
| 2 quite a lot | 644 | 160 | 111 |
| 3 some | 987 | 308 | 243 |
| 4 not very much | 652 | 272 | 208 |
| 5 none at all | 190 | 65 | 56 |
| 8 Don't know | - | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 1 |

**q15 CareWon** Would you say you cared a good deal which party won the recent general election or that you didn't care very much which party won?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Cared a good deal | 2038 | 656 | 514 |
| 2 Didn't care very much | 684 | 224 | 190 |
| 8 Don't Know | 11 | - | 1 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q16 Readpap** Do you regularly read one or more daily morning newspapers?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 1535 | 646 | 341 |
| 2 no | 1198 | 234 | 364 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q17 WhPaper1** Which daily morning newspaper do you read most often?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 The Express | 127 | 48 | 10 |
| 2 The (Scottish) Daily Mail | 279 | 26 | 48 |
| 3 The (Scottish) Mirror/Daily Record | 274 | 302 | 90 |
| 4 The Daily Star (of Scotland) | 31 | 7 | 3 |
| 5 The Sun | 363 | 73 | 75 |
| 7 The Daily Telegraph | 156 | 7 | 19 |
| 8 The Financial Times | 15 | 3 | 7 |
| 9 The Guardian | 82 | 11 | 35 |
| 10 The Independent | 42 | 3 | 8 |
| 11 The Times | 99 | 11 | 30 |
| 12 The Scotsman | 2 | 39 | - |
| 13 The Glasgow Herald | - | 41 | - |
| 14 The (Aberdeen) Press and Journal | 1 | 46 | - |
| 15 other Scottish/Welsh/regional or local daily morning newspaper | 52 | 26 | 7 |
| 16 other daily | 10 | 1 | 7 |
| 17 more than 1 paper | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 99 not answered | - | 2 | |
| -1 skp, not read paper | 1198 | 234 | 364 |

**Notes:** *If 'yes' at ReadPap*.

**q20 PapOft1** About how often do you read [paper named at WhPaper1]?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 every day | 1114 | 503 | 168 |
| 2 4 or 5 days a week | 227 | 93 | 69 |
| 3 2 or 3 days a week | 172 | 40 | 77 |
| 4 1 day a week or less | 20 | 8 | 25 |
| 5 skp,>1 Paper read | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | |
| -1 skp not read paper | 1198 | 234 | 364 |

**Notes:** *If 'yes' at ReadPap*

**q21 PapPty1** Which political party do you think [name of paper at WhPaper1] favoured in this election, or did it not favour any one political party?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 did not favour a political party | 274 | 150 | 69 |
| 1 Conservative Party | 426 | 79 | 56 |
| 2 Labour Party | 740 | 357 | 185 |
| 3 Liberal Democrats | 17 | 9 | 5 |
| 4 SNP/Plaid Cymru | - | 7 | - |
| 5 skp,1 paper read | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 7 favoured another party | 2 | - | - |
| 8 don't know | 74 | 42 | 24 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | |
| -1 skp, not read paper | 1198 | 234 | 364 |

**Note:** *If 'yes' at ReadPap*

**q22 ArtAtEc** People pay attention to different parts of newspapers. When you read [paper named at WhPaper1], how much attention do you pay to stories about the economy?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal of attention | 140 | 42 | 50 |
| 2 quite a bit of attention | 363 | 126 | 74 |
| 3 some attention | 507 | 191 | 106 |
| 4 a little attention | 345 | 184 | 76 |
| 5 no attention at all | 179 | 102 | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | |
| -1 skp, not read paper | 1198 | 234 | 364 |

**Note:** *If 'yes' at Readpap*

**q23 ArtAtP1** How much attention do you pay to stories about politics?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal of attention | 121 | 38 | 41 |
| 2 quite a bit of attention | 375 | 136 | 72 |
| 3 some attention | 527 | 207 | 118 |
| 4 a little attention | 339 | 177 | 81 |
| 5 no attention at all | 173 | 87 | 28 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | |
| -1 skp, not read paper | 1198 | 234 | 364 |

**Note:** *If 'yes' at ReadPap*

**q24 LocalPap** About how often, if at all, do you read a morning, evening or weekly local newspaper?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 once a week or more often | 1989 | 677 | 427 |
| 2 once every two weeks | 130 | 48 | 50 |
| 3 once a month | 188 | 54 | 59 |
| 4 at least once a year | 76 | 7 | 17 |
| 5 never | 350 | 93 | 150 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 1 |

**Note:** *This includes free local newspapers*.

**q195 TVNatFrq** On average, how many days a week do you watch all or part of any national news programme on any television channel?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 145 | 38 | 43 |
| 1 1 day | 102 | 37 | 37 |
| 2 2 days | 117 | 30 | 37 |
| 3 3 days | 143 | 33 | 49 |
| 4 4 days | 98 | 27 | 34 |
| 5 5 days | 186 | 60 | 41 |
| 6 6 days | 109 | 31 | 18 |
| 7 7 days | 1833 | 623 | 445 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 1 |

**q196 TVLocFrq** On average, how many days a week do you watch or listen to all or part of any local news programme on radio or television?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 279 | 73 | 70 |
| 1 I day | 111 | 30 | 29 |
| 2 2 days | 144 | 38 | 45 |
| 3 3 days | 159 | 40 | 49 |
| 4 4 days | 106 | 35 | 36 |
| 5 5 days | 262 | 81 | 62 |
| 6 6 days | 110 | 21 | 20 |
| 7 7 days | 1561 | 562 | 393 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q197 WkTVAtEc** People pay attention to different parts of the television news. When you watch the news on television, how much attention do you pay to stories about the economy?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal | 321 | 71 | 106 |
| 2 quite a bit | 719 | 219 | 157 |
| 3 some | 839 | 260 | 183 |
| 4 a little | 502 | 196 | 160 |
| 5 none | 207 | 94 | 54 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | - | 3 | 1 |
| -1 skp, not watch tv | 145 | 38 | 43 |

**Notes:** *If 1-7 at TVNatFrq*

**q198 WkTVAtPL** And how much attention do you pay to stories about politics?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a great deal | 234 | 70 | 77 |
| 2 quite a bit | 650 | 196 | 135 |
| 3 some | 867 | 267 | 223 |
| 4 a little | 578 | 215 | 155 |
| 5 none | 259 | 93 | 71 |
| 9 not answered | - | 3 | 1 |
| -1 skp, not watch tv | 145 | 38 | 43 |

**Notes:** *If 1-7 at TVNatFrq*

# Canvassing

**q25 Canvass** Did a canvasser from any party call at your home to talk to you during the election campaign?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 679 | 165 | 222 |
| 2 no | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 3 | 4 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q26** From which party or parties?
**q36 Concan** The Conservative party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 285 | 50 | 78 |
| 2 no | 383 | 109 | 137 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q37 LabCan** The Labour party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 353 | 53 | 166 |
| 2 no | 315 | 106 | 49 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q38 LDCan** Liberal Democrats

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 164 | 46 | 43 |
| 2 no | 504 | 113 | 172 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q39 SNPCan** SNP

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | - | 39 | - |
| 2 no | 668 | 120 | 215 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q40 PCCan** Plaid Cymru

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 12 | - | - |
| 2 no | 656 | 159 | 215 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q41 GrnCan** Green Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 7 | - | 5 |
| 2 no | 661 | 159 | 210 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q43 RFDCan** Referendum Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 20 | 4 | 6 |
| 2 no | 648 | 155 | 209 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q42 OthCan** Other Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | 18 | 1 | 10 |
| 2 no | 650 | 158 | 205 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**DKCan** Can't Say Which Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2048 | 712 | 479 |
| 1 yes | - | - | - |
| 2 no | 668 | 159 | 215 |
| 8 don't know | 11 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 4 |

**q44 PhoneCan** Were you contacted by anyone on the telephone during the election campaign asking how you might vote?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 179 | 81 | 27 |
| 2 no | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q45** By which party or parties, or did they not say which party they were from?

**q55 ConPhn** Conservative Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | 63 | 17 | 6 |
| 2 no | 107 | 59 | 21 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q56 LabPhn** Labour party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | 104 | 30 | 19 |
| 2 no | 66 | 46 | 8 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q57 LDPhn** Liberal Democrats

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | 20 | 3 | 3 |
| 2 no | 150 | 73 | 24 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q58 SNPPhn** SNP

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | - | 28 | - |
| 2 no | 170 | 48 | 27 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q59 PCPhn** Plaid Cymru

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | - | - | - |
| 2 no | 170 | 76 | 27 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q60 GrnPhn** Green Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | - | - | - |
| 2 no | 170 | 76 | 27 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q61 OthPhn** Other Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| 2 no | 165 | 74 | 25 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q62 RfdPhn** Referendum Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | 4 | 3 | - |
| 2 no | 166 | 73 | 27 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

**q63 DkPhn** Can't Say Which Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, no canvassers | 2549 | 798 | 676 |
| 1 yes | - | - | - |
| 2 no | 170 | 76 | 27 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 5 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 3 | 2 |

# The Electoral Register

**q156 Citizen** Are you...

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a British citizen | 2640 | 875 | 561 |
| 2 a citizen of another country | 73 | 3 | 116 |
| 3 both | 20 | 2 | 27 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 1 |

**Q158 Country** Citizen of which other country.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Irish (Republic) / Eire | 20 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 Commonwealth countries | 26 | 1 | 126 |
| 3 European Union (except Ireland) | 20 | 2 | 4 |
| 4 other | 26 | 1 | 11 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | - | - | 1 |
| -1 skp British citizen | 2640 | 875 | 561 |

*Recode OthReg1: Open question.*

**q159 EIRegOn** As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is the official list of people entitled to vote, either at this address or somewhere else?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes, at this address | 2507 | 819 | 625 |
| 2 yes, at another address | 130 | 32 | 30 |
| 3 yes, both at this address and another | 1 | 6 | 3 |
| 4 yes, don't know address | 9 | 1 | 41 |
| 5 no | 76 | 21 | 6 |
| 8 don't know | 10 | - | 6 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 3 | - |

**q160 EIRegNot** Which of the following best describes why your name is not on the Electoral Register ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I'm not entitled to vote | 20 | 1 | 9 |
| 2 I got left off by mistake | 2 | 3 | 6 |
| 3 I didn't know how to register | - | 2 | 3 |
| 4 I didn't want other people knowing about me | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 5 I'm not interested in elections | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 6 I never received the application form | 10 | 5 | 5 |
| 7 I have recently moved | 34 | 6 | 11 |
| 8 I just couldn't be bothered | 2 | - | 2 |
| 9 some other reason | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| 10 not answered | 10 | 3 | 6 |
| -1 skp, registered | 2647 | 858 | 658 |

**Note:** *If 'no' at EIRegOn*

**q177 EIRegOct** Were you living at this address in October 1996?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 2593 | 845 | 664 |
| 2 no | 140 | 35 | 41 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Note:** *If moved during October 1996, code 'No'.*

**q178 EIReg2** Where were you living in October 1996?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 at current address | 25 | 11 | 7 |
| 2 at other address | 115 | 24 | 34 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | - |
| -1 skp, yes EIRegOct | 2593 | 845 | 664 |

**Note:** *If 'no' at EIRegOct.*

# Voting Behaviour and Partisanship.

**q199 PtyThnk** Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Conservative, Labour, Liberal Democrat,[if Scot: SNP; if Wales: Plaid Cymru ]or what?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none/no | 326 | 93 | 99 |
| 1 Conservative | 807 | 140 | 61 |
| 2 Labour | 1138 | 397 | 480 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 332 | 90 | 27 |
| 4 Scottish National Party (SNP) | 4 | 140 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 11 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 9 | 2 | 2 |
| 7 other | 42 | 5 | 7 |
| 97 refused | 39 | 9 | 17 |
| 98 don't know | 25 | 6 | 11 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | - | 1 |

**q201 PtyCls** Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others? (If yes) Which party?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none/no | 197 | 58 | 59 |
| 1 Conservative | 44 | 4 | 4 |
| 2 Labour | 62 | 18 | 40 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 25 | 6 | 1 |
| 4 Scottish National Party (SNP) | - | 7 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 2 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 2 | - | - |
| 7 other | 3 | 1 | - |
| 97 refused | 7 | 2 | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 9 | 3 | 5 |
| 99 not answered | 39 | 9 | 18 |
| -1 skp, thnk party | 2343 | 744 | 577 |

**Note:** *If 'none' or 'don't know' at PtyThnk*

**q203 IdStrng** Would you call yourself [party named], fairly strong or not very strong?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very strong | 447 | 125 | 148 |
| 2 fairly strong | 1105 | 377 | 263 |
| 3 not very strong | 920 | 305 | 209 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 3 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 55 | 14 | 24 |
| -1 skp, no party id | 197 | 58 | 59 |

**Note:** *If party given at PtyThnk or at PtyCls*

**q204 Comprom** Which of these two statements comes closest to your own view?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 the main aim of [party named]should be to win votes, even if it means compromising what it stands for. | 301 | 95 | 112 |
| 2 the main aim of [party named]should be to campaign for what it stands for, even if it means losing votes? | 2084 | 685 | 459 |
| 3 other answer | 18 | 3 | 3 |
| 4 in between/both | 8 | 1 | - |
| 5 depends on issue | - | - | - |
| 6 neither | 4 | - | - |
| 8 don't know | 65 | 26 | 48 |
| 9 not answered/refused/refused | 56 | 14 | 24 |
| -1 skp, no party id | 197 | 58 | 59 |

**Notes:** *If party given at PtyThnk or at PtyCls*

**q206 Voted** Talking to people about the general election, we have found that a lot of people didn't manage to vote. How about you - did you manage to vote in the general election?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes voted | 2146 | 700 | 524 |
| 2 no | 586 | 180 | 180 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**q208 Votecod1** Why didn't you vote in the 1997 general election?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 deliberately abstained | 31 | 13 | 14 |
| 2 work prevented me | 40 | 18 | 13 |
| 3 sickness prevented me | 33 | 17 | 16 |
| 4 away on election day | 91 | 29 | 24 |
| 5 other commitments/no time | 74 | 19 | 28 |
| 6 couldn't be bothered/not interested | 69 | 27 | 13 |
| 7 couldn't decide between the parties | 40 | 11 | 5 |
| 8 vote wouldn't have affected who won | 19 | 3 | 5 |
| 9 religious reasons for not voting | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| 10 respondent had moved | 32 | 5 | 10 |
| 11 polling card/polling station problem | 63 | 12 | 27 |
| 12 never vote/have never voted in my life | 13 | 4 | - |
| 97 other answer | 69 | 19 | 17 |
| 98 don't know | 5 | 1 | 6 |
| 99 refused/not answered/refused | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| -1 skp voted | 2146 | 700 | 524 |

**Notes:** *If answered 'no' at Voted*

**q209 Votecod2** Second reason why didn't vote in election.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 work prevented me | 1 | - | - |
| 4 away on election day | 3 | - | - |
| 5 other commitments/no time | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 6 couldn't be bothered/not interested | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| 7 couldn't decide between the parties | 5 | 1 | - |
| 8 vote wouldn't have affected who won | 6 | - | - |
| 10 respondent had moved | 1 | - | - |
| 11 polling card/polling station problem | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 12 never vote/have never voted in my life | 2 | 1 | - |
| 97 other answer | 7 | 1 | - |
| 99 refused/not answered | 7 | 3 | 7 |
| -1 skp, voted | 2146 | 700 | 524 |
| -2 skp, no further answer | 545 | 172 | 171 |

**q213 WhenDecd** How long ago did you decide that you would definitely vote the way you did? Was it

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a long time ago | 1218 | 413 | 304 |
| 2 sometime last year | 168 | 49 | 51 |
| 3 sometime this year | 190 | 60 | 39 |
| 4 during the election campaign | 569 | 178 | 129 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| -1 skp, didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |

**Notes:** *If answered 'yes' at Voted*

**q216 Vote** Which party did you vote for in the general election?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative | 635 | 100 | 47 |
| 2 Labour | 1010 | 357 | 435 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 372 | 87 | 18 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | - | 132 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 11 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| 7 other party | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| 8 The Referendum Party | 49 | 5 | 1 |
| 97 refused to disclose voting | 48 | 14 | 18 |
| 98 don't know | - | - | 1 |
| 99 not answered | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| -1 skp, didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |

**Note:** *If answered 'yes' at Voted*

**q217 SerCnsdr** Was there any time during the general election campaign when you seriously thought you might vote for another party?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 629 | 216 | 95 |
| 2 no | 1467 | 470 | 408 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | - | 2 |
| 9 not answered | - | 2 | 2 |
| -1 skp, didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |
| -2 skp, refused tell vote | 48 | 14 | 18 |

**Note:** *If party given at Vote*

**q220 Vote2nd** If the voting paper had required you to give two votes, in order of preference, which party would you have put as your second choice?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 153 | 60 | 65 |
| 1 Conservative | 208 | 46 | 96 |
| 2 Labour | 430 | 142 | 49 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 1057 | 169 | 248 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | 2 | 233 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 28 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 49 | 6 | 10 |
| 7 other Party | 42 | 3 | 2 |
| 8 The Referendum Party | 73 | 4 | 7 |
| 98 don't know | 56 | 23 | 27 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| -1 didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |
| -2 skp, refused tell vote | 48 | 14 | 18 |

**Notes:** *If party given at Vote*

**q221 YVoteCls** Which one of the reasons on this card comes closest to the main reason you voted for the party you chose?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I always vote that way | 584 | 232 | 157 |
| 2 I thought it was the best party | 1172 | 341 | 304 |
| 3 I really preferred another party but it had no chance of winning in this constituency | 197 | 71 | 23 |
| 4 other | 64 | 8 | 3 |
| 5 vote against party/candidates | 28 | 9 | 3 |
| 6 voted for the candidate not the party | 27 | 12 | 4 |
| 7 tactical voting | 10 | 5 | 3 |
| 8 none of these | 38 | 13 | 12 |
| 9 time for a change | 26 | 6 | 14 |
| 98 don't know | - | 3 | 1 |
| 99 not answered/refusal | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| -1 skp, didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q225 PtyPref** Which was the party you <u>really</u> preferred?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative | 26 | 12 | 5 |
| 2 Labour | 62 | 12 | 2 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 82 | 11 | 12 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | - | 31 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 1 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 7 other party | 6 | 2 | 1 |
| 8 The Referendum Party | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| 97 refused to disclose voting | 4 | - | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | - | - |
| 99 not asked | 4 | 5 | 2 |
| -1 skp, didn't vote | 586 | 180 | 180 |
| -2 skp, other reason | 1949 | 626 | 500 |

**Note:** *If answered 'really preferred another party' at YVoteCls.*

**q231 ConFeel** Please choose a phrase from this card to say how you feel about the Conservative Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 162 | 34 | 18 |
| 2 in favour | 525 | 95 | 80 |
| 3 neither | 770 | 226 | 326 |
| 4 against | 662 | 238 | 168 |
| 5 strongly against | 599 | 282 | 108 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 3 | 4 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 4 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q232 LabFeel** Labour Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 532 | 187 | 223 |
| 2 in favour | 985 | 376 | 325 |
| 3 neither | 785 | 224 | 128 |
| 4 against | 300 | 63 | 17 |
| 5 strongly against | 111 | 23 | 6 |
| 8 don't know | 15 | 4 | 5 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 5 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q233 LDFeel** Liberal Democrats.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 162 | 42 | 15 |
| 2 in favour | 920 | 242 | 180 |
| 3 neither | 1294 | 461 | 414 |
| 4 against | 269 | 91 | 55 |
| 5 strongly against | 56 | 23 | 13 |
| 8 don't know | 26 | 18 | 27 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 5 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q234 GrnFeel** Green Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 49 | 19 | 7 |
| 2 in favour | 503 | 126 | 114 |
| 3 neither | 1300 | 420 | 401 |
| 4 against | 554 | 183 | 69 |
| 5 strongly against | 207 | 80 | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 115 | 49 | 80 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 5 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc.*

**q235 RefFeel** Referendum Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 46 | 5 | 5 |
| 2 in favour | 226 | 53 | 35 |
| 3 neither | 1025 | 346 | 362 |
| 4 against | 760 | 248 | 138 |
| 5 strongly against | 477 | 132 | 68 |
| 8 don't know | 195 | 93 | 97 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 5 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc.*

**q236 SNPFeel** Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 strongly in favour | 114 |
| 2 in favour | 313 |
| 3 neither | 254 |
| 4 against | 137 |
| 5 strongly against | 45 |
| 8 don't know | 14 |
| 9 9 not answered /refused/refused | 5 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q237 PCFeel** Please choose a phrase from this card to say how you feel about Plaid Cymru.

| | Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Strongly in favour | 7 | - |
| 2 In favour | 68 | 3 |
| 3 Neither | 59 | - |
| 4 Against | 34 | - |
| 5 Strongly against | 11 | - |
| 8 Don't know | 2 | 1 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | 1 | - |
| -1 skp, Eng & Scot | 3433 | 701 |

**Notes:** *WO Shc*

**q243 RKnLcE** Now for a few questions about the <u>local elections</u> this year. As far as you know, was there a <u>local election</u> in your neighbourhood on the 1st of May - that is, on the same day as the General Election?

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 1469 | 166 |
| 2 no | 1087 | 492 |
| 8 don't know | 177 | 46 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 1 |

**Notes:** *E&W/O*

**q244 VotdLc** A lot of people do not vote in local elections. How about you? Did you vote in the local election on the 1st of May or did you not manage to vote on this occasion?

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes, voted | 1183 | 120 |
| 2 no, didn't vote | 286 | 46 |
| 9 not answered | 177 | 47 |
| -2 skp, no local election | 1087 | 492 |

**Notes:** *E&W/O. If 'yes' at RknLcE.*

**q245 VoteLC** Which party did you vote for in the local election on the 1st of May?

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative | 405 | 14 |
| 2 Labour | 420 | 95 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 300 | 7 |
| 6 Green Party | 3 | - |
| 7 Independent | 34 | 1 |
| 8 other party | 1 | - |
| 9 more than one | 3 | - |
| 97 refused | 11 | 3 |
| 98 don't know | 6 | - |
| 99 not answered | 177 | 47 |
| -3 skp, didn't vote | 286 | 46 |
| -2 skp, no local election | 1087 | 492 |

**Notes:** *E&W/O. If 'yes' at VotdLc.*

# Party and Leader Images.

**q238 LDClsCom** Generally speaking, do you think of the Liberal Democrats as being closer to the Conservative Party or closer to the Labour Party?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 closer to Conservatives | 470 | 178 | 76 |
| 2 closer to Labour | 1549 | 427 | 399 |
| 3 no difference/Neither | 538 | 160 | 163 |
| 8 don't know | 176 | 114 | 67 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 3 | - |

**q239 ConLabDF** Now, considering everything the Conservative and Labour Parties stand for, would you say that ….

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 there is a great difference between them | 880 | 296 | 218 |
| 2 some difference | 1144 | 374 | 314 |
| 3 not much difference | 643 | 179 | 143 |
| 8 don't know | 66 | 31 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 2 |

**q240 SNPClose** Generally speaking, do you think of the Scottish National Party as being closer to the Conservative Party or closer to the Labour Party?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 closer to the Conservative Party | 88 |
| 2 closer to the Labour Party | 550 |
| 3 no difference/ Neither | 154 |
| 8 don't know | 88 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q241 SNPDiffs** Now considering everything the Scottish National Party and [closer party] stand for, would you say that …

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 there is a great difference between them | 93 |
| 2 some difference | 369 |
| 3 not much difference | 159 |
| 8 don't know | 17 |
| 9 not answered | 90 |
| -2 skp, SNP not close | 154 |

**Notes:** *SO. If answered 'close to Conservative Party'or 'closer to Labour Party' at SNPClose.*

**q249 ConXtrme** On the whole, would you describe the Conservative Party nowadays as …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 extreme | 908 | 424 | 245 |
| 2 moderate | 1331 | 317 | 291 |
| 3 neither or both | 361 | 72 | 98 |
| 8 don't know | 133 | 65 | 70 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 4 | 1 |

**q250 LabXtrme** And the Labour Party nowadays, is it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 extreme | 438 | 136 | 114 |
| 2 moderate | 1918 | 643 | 467 |
| 3 neither or both | 234 | 40 | 61 |
| 8 don't know | 142 | 59 | 63 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | - |

**q251 LDXtrme** And the Liberal Democrats, are they …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 extreme | 150 | 54 | 55 |
| 2 moderate | 2050 | 633 | 396 |
| 3 neither or both | 334 | 85 | 143 |
| 8 don't know | 198 | 106 | 111 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | - |

**q252 SNPXtrme** And the Scottish National Party, is it …

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 extreme | 370 |
| 2 moderate | 364 |
| 3 neither or both | 58 |
| 8 don't know | 86 |
| 9 not answered/refused/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q253 ConClass** On the whole, would you describe the Conservative Party nowadays as …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 good for one class | 1817 | 693 | 509 |
| 2 good for all classes | 664 | 134 | 120 |
| 3 neither or both | 204 | 30 | 48 |
| 8 don't know | 47 | 21 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | - |

**q254 LabClass** And the Labour Party nowadays, is it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 good for one class | 517 | 127 | 86 |
| 2 good for all classes | 1855 | 648 | 537 |
| 3 neither or both | 233 | 49 | 42 |
| 8 don't know | 126 | 54 | 39 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | 1 |

**q255 LDClass** And the Liberal Democrats, are they …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 good for one class | 203 | 90 | 66 |
| 2 good for all classes | 1900 | 565 | 380 |
| 3 neither or both | 374 | 88 | 145 |
| 8 don't know | 254 | 135 | 114 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**q256 SNPClass** And the Scottish National Party, is it …

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 good for one class | 182 |
| 2 good for all classes | 495 |
| 3 neither or both | 88 |
| 8 don't know | 113 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes***:* *SO*

**q257 ConKpPrm** On the whole, would you describe the Conservative Party nowadays as a party that …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 keeps its promises | 421 | 89 | 69 |
| 2 breaks its promises | 1946 | 696 | 512 |
| 3 neither or both | 286 | 63 | 77 |
| 8 don't know | 79 | 30 | 47 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | - |

**q258 LabKpPrm** And the Labour Party nowadays, is it a party that …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 keeps its promises | 1075 | 444 | 332 |
| 2 breaks its promises | 454 | 141 | 64 |
| 3 neither or both | 512 | 100 | 122 |
| 8 don't know | 689 | 193 | 187 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 4 | - |

**q259 LDKpPrm** And the Liberal Democrats, are they a party that…

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 keeps its promises | 996 | 324 | 159 |
| 2 breaks its promises | 305 | 130 | 73 |
| 3 neither or both | 642 | 163 | 223 |
| 8 don't know | 785 | 261 | 250 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 4 | - |

**q260 SNPKpPrm** And the Scottish National Party, is it a party that …

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 keeps its promises | 367 |
| 2 breaks its promises | 128 |
| 3 neither or both | 137 |
| 8 don't know | 246 |
| 9 not answered/refused/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q261 ConStrGv** On the whole, would you describe the Conservative Party nowadays as …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 capable of being a strong government | 747 | 186 | 224 |
| 2 not capable of being a strong government | 1835 | 648 | 416 |
| 3 neither or both | 92 | 22 | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 59 | 22 | 31 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 4 | - |

**q262 LabStrGv** And the Labour Party nowadays, is it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 capable of being a strong government | 2200 | 729 | 592 |
| 2 not capable of being a strong government | 200 | 56 | 29 |
| 3 neither or both | 141 | 20 | 31 |
| 8 don't know | 192 | 73 | 53 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 4 | - |

**q263 LDStrGv** And the Liberal Democrats, are they…

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 capable of being a strong government | 1000 | 294 | 186 |
| 2 not capable of being a strong government | 1025 | 323 | 182 |
| 3 neither or both | 367 | 100 | 167 |
| 8 don't know | 340 | 161 | 169 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | 1 |

**q264 SNPStrGv** And the Scottish National Party, is it …

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 capable of being a strong government | 309 |
| 2 not capable of being a strong government | 348 |
| 3 neither or both | 87 |
| 8 don't know | 134 |
| 9 not answered/refused/refused | 4 |

**Notes***: SO*

**q265 ConStnd** On the whole, would you describe the Conservative Party nowadays as a party that …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 stands up for Britain abroad | 1432 | 359 | 360 |
| 2 does not stand up for Britain abroad | 883 | 369 | 176 |
| 3 neither or both | 225 | 58 | 75 |
| 8 don't know | 192 | 92 | 93 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 4 | 1 |

**q266 LabStnd** And the Labour Party nowadays, is it a party that …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 stands up for Britain abroad | 1624 | 597 | 479 |
| 2 does not stand up for Britain abroad | 334 | 83 | 31 |
| 3 neither or both | 296 | 46 | 61 |
| 8 don't know | 477 | 152 | 134 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**q267 LDStnd** And the Liberal Democrats, are they a party that …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 stands up for Britain abroad | 122 | 365 | 246 |
| 2 does not stand up for Britain abroad | 343 | 117 | 78 |
| 3 neither or both | 477 | 129 | 165 |
| 8 don't know | 686 | 267 | 216 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 4 | - |

**q277 BlrStrLd** Now some questions about the Prime Minister. On the whole would you describe Tony Blair as

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 capable of being a strong leader | 2257 | 758 | 619 |
| 2 not capable of being a strong leader | 232 | 55 | 32 |
| 3 neither or both | 108 | 17 | 17 |
| 8 don't know | 135 | 49 | 36 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q278 BlrCare** And on the whole would you describe Tony Blair as …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 caring | 2336 | 770 | 617 |
| 2 not caring | 130 | 52 | 20 |
| 3 neither or both | 132 | 21 | 28 |
| 8 don't know | 135 | 36 | 40 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 3 | - |

**q280 BlrDecis** And on the whole would you describe Tony Blair as …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 decisive | 2223 | 745 | 569 |
| 2 not decisive | 205 | 60 | 29 |
| 3 neither or both | 147 | 29 | 40 |
| 8 don't know | 158 | 45 | 67 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 3 | - |

**q281 BlrPrn** And would you describe Tony Blair as…

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 someone who sticks to his principles | 1871 | 652 | 510 |
| 2 who does not stick to his principles | 277 | 75 | 34 |
| 3 neither or both | 236 | 41 | 51 |
| 8 don't know | 348 | 111 | 110 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | - |

**q276 BlrKpPrm** On the whole, would you describe Tony Blair as someone who …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 keeps his promises | 1602 | 576 | 437 |
| 2 breaks his promises | 236 | 66 | 31 |
| 3 neither or both | 369 | 67 | 88 |
| 8 don't know | 523 | 170 | 148 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 3 | 1 |

**q279 BlrLstn** And on the whole would you describe Tony Blair as someone who …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 listens to reason | 2145 | 722 | 569 |
| 2 who does not listen to reason | 155 | 56 | 25 |
| 3 neither or both | 189 | 26 | 37 |
| 8 don't know | 243 | 75 | 73 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q273 BlrPM** How good a job do you think Tony Blair will do as Prime Minister?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very good | 984 | 319 | 309 |
| 2 quite good | 1455 | 494 | 349 |
| 3 not very good | 164 | 29 | 16 |
| 4 not at all good | 25 | 3 | 5 |
| 8 don't know | 104 | 34 | 26 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q274 MajPM** How good a job do you think John Major would do as Prime Minister?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very good | 326 | 61 | 70 |
| 2 quite good | 923 | 258 | 256 |
| 3 not very good | 1027 | 337 | 286 |
| 4 not at all good | 419 | 215 | 78 |
| 8 don't know | 37 | 8 | 15 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

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**q275 AshPM** How good a job do you think Paddy Ashdown would do as Prime Minister?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very good | 307 | 73 | 44 |
| 2 quite good | 1399 | 441 | 324 |
| 3 not very good | 635 | 210 | 148 |
| 4 not at all good | 151 | 55 | 50 |
| 8 don't know | 241 | 100 | 139 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 3 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q272 BestPM** Who would make the best prime minister? Tony Blair, John Major or Paddy Ashdown?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Tony Blair | 1611 | 601 | 545 |
| 2 John Major | 520 | 109 | 61 |
| 3 Paddy Ashdown | 414 | 121 | 40 |
| 8 don't know | 184 | 48 | 58 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 3 | 1 |

**Assessment of Government Record**

**q309 UnempInc** Looking back to the general election in 1992 - the one where John Major won against Neil Kinnock. Would you say that since then unemployment has increased or fallen? Please choose a phrase from this card.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 581 | 262 | 222 |
| 2 increased a little | 543 | 200 | 174 |
| 3 stayed the same | 307 | 85 | 75 |
| 4 fallen a little | 864 | 222 | 141 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 345 | 82 | 46 |
| 8 don't know | 93 | 29 | 46 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 1 |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q310 UnempWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1707 | 603 | 426 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 815 | 208 | 182 |
| 8 don't know | 118 | 40 | 50 |
| 9 not answered | 93 | 31 | 47 |

**Note:** *If not DK/Refusal at Unemplnc*

**q311 PriceInc** What about prices?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 1076 | 427 | 339 |
| 2 increased a little | 1209 | 353 | 247 |
| 3 stayed the same | 277 | 63 | 54 |
| 4 fallen a little | 113 | 21 | 32 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 15 | 5 | 5 |
| 8 don't know | 43 | 11 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q312 PriceWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1760 | 651 | 501 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 817 | 180 | 141 |
| 8 don't know | 113 | 38 | 35 |
| 9 not answered | 43 | 13 | 28 |

**Note:** *If not DK/Refusal at PriceInc*

**q313 TaxesInc** Taxes?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 796 | 290 | 278 |
| 2 increased a little | 1029 | 333 | 242 |
| 3 stayed the same | 370 | 98 | 70 |
| 4 fallen a little | 300 | 82 | 48 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 20 | 5 | 1 |
| 8 don't know | 218 | 72 | 66 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q314 TaxesWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 2250 | 716 | 567 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 223 | 64 | 52 |
| 8 don't know | 42 | 28 | 20 |
| 9 not answered | 218 | 74 | 66 |

**Note:** *If DK/Refusal at TaxInc*

**q315 StNHSInc** The standard of the health service, has it increased or fallen?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 80 | 25 | 26 |
| 2 increased a little | 225 | 62 | 46 |
| 3 stayed the same | 324 | 99 | 57 |
| 4 fallen a little | 596 | 158 | 125 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 1416 | 509 | 416 |
| 8 don't know | 92 | 27 | 35 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q316 StNHSWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 2266 | 761 | 597 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 319 | 73 | 48 |
| 8 don't know | 56 | 19 | 25 |
| 9 not answered | 92 | 29 | 35 |

**Notes**:*If not DK/Refusal at StNHSInc.*

**q317 CrimeInc** Crime?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 1513 | 467 | 376 |
| 2 increased a little | 667 | 193 | 176 |
| 3 stayed the same | 277 | 94 | 61 |
| 4 fallen a little | 170 | 77 | 39 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 46 | 13 | 19 |
| 8 don't know | 60 | 36 | 34 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q318 CrimeWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1324 | 480 | 393 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 1268 | 333 | 234 |
| 8 don't know | 81 | 31 | 44 |
| 9 not answered | 60 | 38 | 34 |

**Note:** *If not DK/Refusal at CrimeInc*

**q319 EdStdInc** The quality of education?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 75 | 15 | 27 |
| 2 increased a little | 316 | 74 | 85 |
| 3 stayed the same | 483 | 170 | 101 |
| 4 fallen a little | 718 | 276 | 158 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 859 | 269 | 266 |
| 8 don't know | 281 | 76 | 68 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | - |

***Notes**: Shc*

**q320 EdStdWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1870 | 640 | 518 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 523 | 138 | 90 |
| 8 don't know | 58 | 26 | 29 |
| 9 not answered | 282 | 78 | 68 |

**Note:** *If DK/Refusal at EdStdInc*

**q321 RSOLInc** Your <u>own</u> standard of living?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 243 | 53 | 55 |
| 2 increased a little | 602 | 174 | 146 |
| 3 stayed the same | 1052 | 377 | 246 |
| 4 fallen a little | 440 | 145 | 129 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 380 | 121 | 109 |
| 8 don't know | 15 | 10 | 20 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | - |

**q322 RSOLWhy** Do you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1189 | 441 | 338 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 1462 | 398 | 316 |
| 8 don't know | 66 | 31 | 31 |
| 9 not answered | 16 | 12 | 20 |

**Note:** *If not DK/Refusal at RSOLInc.*

**q323 SLivInc** The general standard of living?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 increased a lot | 113 | 35 | 35 |
| 2 increased a little | 756 | 191 | 168 |
| 3 stayed the same | 783 | 210 | 173 |
| 4 fallen a little | 682 | 271 | 185 |
| 5 fallen a lot | 295 | 127 | 94 |
| 8 don't know | 103 | 46 | 50 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q324 SLivWhy** you think this is …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 mainly the result of the Conservative government's policies | 1886 | 634 | 453 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 668 | 184 | 179 |
| 8 don't know | 75 | 16 | 23 |
| 9 not answered | 104 | 48 | 50 |

**Notes:** *If not DK/Refusal at SlivInc.*

# Party Policies (Eleven-Point Scales).

**Pream1**

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 scales done | 2646 | 852 | 665 |
| 98 scales not attempted | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 99 no scales done | - | - | 1 |

**Note:** *Questions 333 to 349 = SS*

**Unemployment and inflation**

**q333** Please look at this page. Some people feel that getting people back to work should be the government's top priority. These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that keeping prices down should be the government's top priority. These people would put themselves in Box K. And other people have views somewhere in-between, along here,[A-F] or along here [K-F].

**q341 RJbPrc** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about unemployment and inflation.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = back to work | 937 | 351 | 312 |
| 2 B | 211 | 68 | 46 |
| 3 C | 313 | 102 | 69 |
| 4 D | 265 | 81 | 33 |
| 5 E | 165 | 40 | 17 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 407 | 126 | 122 |
| 7 G | 45 | 13 | 10 |
| 8 H | 70 | 17 | 8 |
| 9 I | 57 | 9 | 8 |
| 10 J | 27 | 11 | 6 |
| 11 K = keep down prices | 119 | 27 | 28 |
| 12 left of A | 17 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 8 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 5 | 4 | 5 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q335** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

**q343 ConJbPrc** First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = back to work | 321 | 91 | 120 |
| 2 B | 111 | 31 | 31 |
| 3 C | 213 | 60 | 45 |
| 4 D | 172 | 55 | 46 |
| 5 E | 180 | 63 | 41 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 481 | 170 | 131 |
| 7 G | 159 | 55 | 36 |
| 8 H | 210 | 77 | 38 |
| 9 I | 239 | 66 | 31 |
| 10 J | 182 | 36 | 31 |
| 11 K = keep down prices | 300 | 121 | 85 |
| 12 left of A | 13 | - | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 12 | - | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 53 | 24 | 27 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q345 LabJbPrc** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = back to work | 909 | 315 | 274 |
| 2 B | 377 | 118 | 77 |
| 3 C | 377 | 125 | 63 |
| 4 D | 278 | 69 | 44 |
| 5 E | 127 | 40 | 36 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 323 | 104 | 106 |
| 7 G | 50 | 10 | 11 |
| 8 H | 38 | 12 | 2 |
| 9 I | 27 | 5 | 7 |
| 10 J | 15 | 7 | 2 |
| 11 K = keep down prices | 59 | 18 | 24 |
| 12 left of A | 22 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 4 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 39 | 26 | 18 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q347 LDJbPrc** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = back to work | 483 | 143 | 135 |
| 2 B | 237 | 69 | 35 |
| 3 C | 344 | 88 | 60 |
| 4 D | 310 | 94 | 52 |
| 5 E | 216 | 79 | 42 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 696 | 234 | 207 |
| 7 G | 61 | 16 | 19 |
| 8 H | 41 | 17 | 14 |
| 9 I | 28 | 12 | 5 |
| 10 J | 7 | 8 | 1 |
| 11 K = keep down prices | 47 | 17 | 18 |
| 12 left of A | 20 | - | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 146 | 72 | 75 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 | 3 | 1 |

**q349 SNPJbPrc** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = back to work | 203 |
| 2 B | 91 |
| 3 C | 94 |
| 4 D | 87 |
| 5 E | 53 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 179 |
| 7 G | 14 |
| 8 H | 16 |
| 9 I | 12 |
| 10 J | 4 |
| 11 K = keep down prices | 23 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 73 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes:** *SO*

## Taxation and Government Spending

**q350** Please look at this page. Some people feel that government should put up taxes a lot and spend much more on health and social services. These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that government should cut taxes a lot and spend much less on health and social services. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in-between,along here [A-F] or along here [K-F].

**Notes:** *Q350-367 : SS*

**q359 RTxSpd** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about taxes and government spending.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = up taxes and spend more | 619 | 241 | 178 |
| 2 B | 259 | 94 | 60 |
| 3 C | 469 | 135 | 82 |
| 4 D | 347 | 110 | 63 |
| 5 E | 265 | 83 | 52 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 446 | 117 | 126 |
| 7 G | 52 | 17 | 8 |
| 8 H | 56 | 11 | 14 |
| 9 I | 29 | 10 | 10 |
| 10 J | 17 | 4 | 7 |
| 11 K = cut taxes and spend less | 42 | 19 | 53 |
| 12 left of A | 21 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 17 | 8 | 10 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q361 Con TxSpd** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = up taxes & spend more | 177 | 78 | 76 |
| 2 B | 105 | 27 | 32 |
| 3 C | 143 | 45 | 40 |
| 4 D | 141 | 43 | 25 |
| 5 E | 177 | 52 | 37 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 403 | 120 | 101 |
| 7 G | 223 | 57 | 39 |
| 8 H | 295 | 91 | 53 |
| 9 I | 258 | 95 | 53 |
| 10 J | 211 | 59 | 48 |
| 11 K = cut taxes & spend less | 437 | 152 | 138 |
| 12 left of A | 10 | - | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 13 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 53 | 30 | 21 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q363 LabTxSpd** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = up taxes & spend more | 539 | 185 | 135 |
| 2 B | 379 | 113 | 83 |
| 3 C | 488 | 147 | 103 |
| 4 D | 369 | 122 | 68 |
| 5 E | 266 | 82 | 56 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 337 | 115 | 119 |
| 7 G | 62 | 19 | 18 |
| 8 H | 47 | 12 | 11 |
| 9 I | 24 | 8 | 2 |
| 10 J | 19 | 1 | 9 |
| 11 K = cut taxes & spend less | 36 | 20 | 42 |
| 12 left of A | 19 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 6 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 55 | 25 | 18 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q365 LDTxSpd** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = up taxes & spend more | 525 | 147 | 96 |
| 2 B | 322 | 103 | 57 |
| 3 C | 410 | 113 | 65 |
| 4 D | 332 | 100 | 60 |
| 5 E | 225 | 62 | 53 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 539 | 196 | 183 |
| 7 G | 40 | 21 | 25 |
| 8 H | 33 | 18 | 7 |
| 9 I | 14 | 7 | 5 |
| 10 J | 11 | 7 | 7 |
| 11 K = cut taxes & spend less | 34 | 12 | 35 |
| 12 left of A | 16 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 9 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales attempted | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 133 | 63 | 71 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 | 3 | 1 |

**q367 SNPTxSpd** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = up taxes & spend more | 132 |
| 2 B | 75 |
| 3 C | 137 |
| 4 D | 106 |
| 5 E | 73 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 180 |
| 7 G | 16 |
| 8 H | 15 |
| 9 I | 14 |
| 10 J | 9 |
| 11 K = cut taxes & spend less | 16 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales attempted | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 76 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes**: *SO.*

## Nationalisation and Privatisation

**q368** Please look at this page. Some people feel that government should nationalize many more private companies. These people would themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that government should sell off many more nationalized industries. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in-between, along here [A-F] or along here [K- F].

**Note**: *Q368-385: SS*

**q377 RPrNat** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about nationalisation and privatisation.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = nationalise more | 330 | 140 | 170 |
| 2 B | 152 | 55 | 50 |
| 3 C | 238 | 77 | 69 |
| 4 D | 226 | 59 | 49 |
| 5 E | 216 | 75 | 35 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 801 | 218 | 158 |
| 7 G | 107 | 34 | 20 |
| 8 H | 125 | 36 | 21 |
| 9 I | 122 | 34 | 10 |
| 10 J | 60 | 22 | 14 |
| 11 K = sell off national industry | 180 | 63 | 47 |
| 12 left of A | 15 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 11 | - | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 62 | 36 | 20 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q379 ConPrNat** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = nationalise more | 236 | 77 | 69 |
| 2 B | 110 | 27 | 34 |
| 3 C | 100 | 19 | 21 |
| 4 D | 75 | 20 | 17 |
| 5 E | 46 | 22 | 14 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 202 | 76 | 79 |
| 7 G | 89 | 37 | 31 |
| 8 H | 181 | 41 | 41 |
| 9 I | 263 | 81 | 37 |
| 10 J | 315 | 92 | 60 |
| 11 K = sell off national industry | 924 | 310 | 235 |
| 12 left of A | 9 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 19 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 76 | 47 | 25 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 2 |

**q381 LabPrNat** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = nationalise more | 329 | 135 | 122 |
| 2 B | 219 | 72 | 56 |
| 3 C | 325 | 88 | 73 |
| 4 D | 312 | 93 | 61 |
| 5 E | 284 | 85 | 58 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 651 | 193 | 160 |
| 7 G | 92 | 38 | 29 |
| 8 H | 110 | 26 | 13 |
| 9 I | 68 | 14 | 13 |
| 10 J | 35 | 12 | 13 |
| 11 K = sell off national industry | 90 | 35 | 31 |
| 12 left of A | 18 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 105 | 58 | 33 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 2 |

**q383 LDPrNat** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = nationalise more | 124 | 41 | 50 |
| 2 B | 85 | 30 | 19 |
| 3 C | 173 | 50 | 42 |
| 4 D | 238 | 67 | 43 |
| 5 E | 298 | 120 | 72 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 1172 | 303 | 272 |
| 7 G | 99 | 39 | 25 |
| 8 H | 92 | 50 | 17 |
| 9 I | 44 | 18 | 10 |
| 10 J | 27 | 10 | 5 |
| 11 K = sell off national industry | 62 | 22 | 22 |
| 12 left of A | 15 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 9 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 204 | 99 | 86 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 4 | 3 | 2 |

**q385 SNPPrNat** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = nationalise more | 96 |
| 2 B | 51 |
| 3 C | 71 |
| 4 D | 73 |
| 5 E | 71 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 270 |
| 7 G | 22 |
| 8 H | 18 |
| 9 I | 19 |
| 10 J | 11 |
| 11 K = sell off national industry | 40 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 107 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Note:** *SO*.

## Redistributing income

**q386** Please look at this page. Some people feel that government should make much greater efforts to make people's incomes more equal. These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that government should be much less concerned about how equal people's incomes are. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in between, along here [A-F] or along here.

**Note:** *Q386-403 : SS*

**q395 RIncEq** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about redistributing income.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = a greater effort | 752 | 327 | 270 |
| 2 B | 233 | 89 | 76 |
| 3 C | 315 | 103 | 68 |
| 4 D | 261 | 79 | 37 |
| 5 E | 145 | 38 | 25 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 313 | 79 | 95 |
| 7 G | 69 | 15 | 20 |
| 8 H | 157 | 38 | 18 |
| 9 I | 122 | 34 | 8 |
| 10 J | 94 | 17 | 16 |
| 11 K = less concerned | 141 | 23 | 22 |
| 12 left of A | 17 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 10 | - | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 17 | 7 | 8 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q397 ConIncEq** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = a greater effort | 114 | 48 | 65 |
| 2 B | 44 | 21 | 17 |
| 3 C | 97 | 28 | 29 |
| 4 D | 97 | 22 | 35 |
| 5 E | 94 | 26 | 18 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 244 | 81 | 80 |
| 7 G | 140 | 43 | 30 |
| 8 H | 285 | 77 | 48 |
| 9 I | 298 | 97 | 54 |
| 10 J | 363 | 116 | 74 |
| 11 K = less concerned | 795 | 263 | 195 |
| 12 left of A | 5 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 21 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 49 | 27 | 19 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q399 LabIncEq** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = a greater effort | 575 | 209 | 166 |
| 2 B | 380 | 129 | 95 |
| 3 C | 516 | 145 | 93 |
| 4 D | 380 | 118 | 70 |
| 5 E | 227 | 73 | 58 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 287 | 82 | 103 |
| 7 G | 67 | 20 | 17 |
| 8 H | 45 | 19 | 4 |
| 9 I | 29 | 6 | 6 |
| 10 J | 22 | 4 | 11 |
| 11 K = less concerned | 43 | 16 | 18 |
| 12 left of A | 21 | - | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 5 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 49 | 28 | 22 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q401 LDIncEq** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = a greater effort | 264 | 84 | 81 |
| 2 B | 179 | 49 | 40 |
| 3 C | 360 | 129 | 66 |
| 4 D | 359 | 109 | 67 |
| 5 E | 327 | 95 | 59 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 741 | 214 | 205 |
| 7 G | 95 | 26 | 24 |
| 8 H | 58 | 25 | 16 |
| 9 I | 22 | 18 | 8 |
| 10 J | 19 | 9 | 7 |
| 11 K = less concerned | 44 | 16 | 14 |
| 12 left of A | 15 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 10 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 150 | 75 | 77 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 | 3 | 1 |

**q403 SNPIncEq** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = a greater effort | 142 |
| 2 B | 71 |
| 3 C | 115 |
| 4 D | 99 |
| 5 E | 82 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 168 |
| 7 G | 37 |
| 8 H | 13 |
| 9 I | 18 |
| 10 J | 10 |
| 11 K = less concerned | 11 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 83 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes:** *SO.*

## European Union

**q404** Please look at this page. Some people feel that Britain should do all it can to unite fully with the European Union. These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that Britain should do all it can to protect its independence from the European Union. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in-between,along here [A-F] or along here [K- F].

**Note:** *Q404-423 : SS*

**q413 RECInd** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about above issue.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 252 | 117 | 138 |
| 2 B | 128 | 38 | 39 |
| 3 C | 196 | 67 | 52 |
| 4 D | 184 | 60 | 31 |
| 5 E | 138 | 63 | 34 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 429 | 173 | 138 |
| 7 G | 95 | 32 | 16 |
| 8 H | 155 | 32 | 24 |
| 9 I | 168 | 31 | 27 |
| 10 J | 139 | 43 | 24 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 654 | 156 | 106 |
| 12 left of A | 14 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 15 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 79 | 36 | 34 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q415 ConECInd** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 225 | 87 | 70 |
| 2 B | 149 | 39 | 24 |
| 3 C | 180 | 50 | 35 |
| 4 D | 145 | 51 | 31 |
| 5 E | 133 | 42 | 40 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 450 | 154 | 130 |
| 7 G | 171 | 51 | 38 |
| 8 H | 251 | 67 | 47 |
| 9 I | 276 | 92 | 45 |
| 10 J | 214 | 39 | 47 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 315 | 112 | 109 |
| 12 left of A | 14 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 12 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 111 | 62 | 47 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 5 | 1 |

**q417 LabECInd** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 305 | 102 | 109 |
| 2 B | 230 | 76 | 51 |
| 3 C | 347 | 107 | 68 |
| 4 D | 373 | 107 | 54 |
| 5 E | 264 | 82 | 55 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 514 | 172 | 165 |
| 7 G | 102 | 25 | 34 |
| 8 H | 103 | 33 | 6 |
| 9 I | 69 | 27 | 14 |
| 10 J | 40 | 10 | 14 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 146 | 38 | 38 |
| 12 left of A | 20 | 1 | 2 |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 126 | 69 | 54 |
| 99 not answered/refused | - | 3 | 1 |

**q419 LDECInd** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 248 | 66 | 77 |
| 2 B | 198 | 37 | 32 |
| 3 C | 253 | 80 | 43 |
| 4 D | 298 | 89 | 52 |
| 5 E | 273 | 87 | 48 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 759 | 253 | 226 |
| 7 G | 90 | 33 | 29 |
| 8 H | 93 | 24 | 14 |
| 9 I | 60 | 26 | 9 |
| 10 J | 28 | 10 | 8 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 107 | 36 | 37 |
| 12 left of A | 16 | - | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 9 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 212 | 108 | 88 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | 1 |

**q421 SNPECInd** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 102 |
| 2 B | 54 |
| 3 C | 67 |
| 4 D | 49 |
| 5 E | 51 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 202 |
| 7 G | 29 |
| 8 H | 38 |
| 9 I | 38 |
| 10 J | 31 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 84 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 104 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Note:** *SO*

**q423 CanECInd** Now please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of your local Conservative candidate.

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 A = unite fully with EU | 128 | 47 |
| 2 B | 95 | 18 |
| 3 C | 126 | 25 |
| 4 D | 103 | 24 |
| 5 E | 89 | 21 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 717 | 199 |
| 7 G | 115 | 22 |
| 8 H | 126 | 22 |
| 9 I | 158 | 28 |
| 10 J | 127 | 28 |
| 11 K = protect independence | 225 | 62 |
| 12 left of A | 12 | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 11 | 1 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 612 | 166 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 1 |

**Note:** *E/WO*

## Women's Rights

**q424** Please look at this page. Some people feel that women should have an equal role with men in running business, industry and government. These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that a woman's place is in the home. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in-between, along here [A-F] or along here [K- F].

**Note:** *Q424-441 : SS*

**q433 RWHom2** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about above issue.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = women equal role | 1648 | 538 | 427 |
| 2 B | 267 | 90 | 70 |
| 3 C | 204 | 65 | 32 |
| 4 D | 91 | 31 | 17 |
| 5 E | 56 | 16 | 9 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 187 | 64 | 59 |
| 7 G | 27 | 4 | 7 |
| 8 H | 23 | 9 | 6 |
| 9 I | 12 | 5 | 3 |
| 10 J | 26 | 4 | 2 |
| 11 K = w's place is in the home | 70 | 18 | 24 |
| 12 left of A | 21 | 1 | 1 |
| 13 right of K | 8 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 5 | 4 | 7 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q435 ConWHom2** Now where do you think that the political parties stand ?

First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = women equal role | 494 | 149 | 159 |
| 2 B | 234 | 67 | 64 |
| 3 C | 339 | 101 | 72 |
| 4 D | 295 | 86 | 58 |
| 5 E | 199 | 63 | 35 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 412 | 143 | 110 |
| 7 G | 118 | 52 | 34 |
| 8 H | 167 | 51 | 35 |
| 9 I | 123 | 33 | 18 |
| 10 J | 50 | 17 | 14 |
| 11 K = w's place is in the home | 111 | 53 | 44 |
| 12 left of A | 18 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 8 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 76 | 34 | 21 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | 1 |

**q437 LabWHom2** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = women equal role | 1054 | 325 | 291 |
| 2 B | 491 | 151 | 122 |
| 3 C | 388 | 118 | 66 |
| 4 D | 196 | 76 | 42 |
| 5 E | 116 | 30 | 14 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 217 | 86 | 78 |
| 7 G | 21 | 9 | 6 |
| 8 H | 24 | 9 | 2 |
| 9 I | 13 | 4 | 2 |
| 10 J | 8 | - | 3 |
| 11 K = w's place is in the home | 29 | 9 | 17 |
| 12 left of A | 22 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 59 | 32 | 21 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | 1 |

**q439 LDWHom2** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of # the Liberal Democrats.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 A = women equal role | 692 | 187 | 171 |
| 2 B | 379 | 94 | 74 |
| 3 C | 389 | 154 | 79 |
| 4 D | 265 | 77 | 57 |
| 5 E | 164 | 54 | 35 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 470 | 155 | 148 |
| 7 G | 34 | 19 | 10 |
| 8 H | 29 | 14 | 5 |
| 9 I | 7 | 11 | 2 |
| 10 J | 8 | 2 | 2 |
| 11 K = w's place is in the home | 28 | 14 | 14 |
| 12 left of A | 20 | - | - |
| 13 right of K | 7 | - | 2 |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 87 | 30 | 40 |
| 98 don't know | 150 | 68 | 65 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 4 | 3 | 1 |

**q441 SNPWHom2** Now tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Scottish National Party.

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 A = women equal role | 213 |
| 2 B | 95 |
| 3 C | 124 |
| 4 D | 59 |
| 5 E | 61 |
| 6 F = (mid point) | 166 |
| 7 G | 16 |
| 8 H | 18 |
| 9 I | 7 |
| 10 J | - |
| 11 K =w's place is in the home | 11 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 13 right of K | - |
| -2 skipped - no scales filled | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 79 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes:** *SO.*

# Political Attitudes

**q2.09** Here are some decisions that could be made either by the MPs we elect to parliament or by everyone having a say in a special vote or referendum.

**q2.09a Refecu** First, who do you think should make the decision about whether or not Britain should replace the pound with a single European currency? Should the decision be made ...

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 by elected British MPs in parliament | 331 | 109 | 91 |
| 2 by everyone in a referendum | 1772 | 564 | 307 |
| 8 can't choose | 219 | 81 | 124 |
| 9 not answered | 15 | 2 | 5 |

**q2.09b Refpr** And who do you think should make the decision about whether or not Britain should introduce proportional representation so that the number of MPs each party gets matches more closely the number of votes each party gets? Should that decision be made...

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 by elected British MPs in parliament | 343 | 99 | 93 |
| 2 by everyone in a referendum | 1551 | 507 | 270 |
| 8 can't choose | 422 | 149 | 153 |
| 9 not answered | 20 | 1 | 11 |

**q2.09c Refscot** And who do you think should make the decision about whether or not a Scottish parliament is set up? Should that decision be made ...

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 by all elected MPs in the British parliament. | 281 | 36 | 70 |
| 2 by all the elected Scottish MPs at Westminster. | 62 | 28 | 32 |
| 3 by the people of Scotland in a referendum. | 1103 | 578 | 196 |
| 4 by the people of Britain in a referendum. | 529 | 71 | 76 |
| 8 don't know. | 337 | 41 | 131 |
| 9 not answered. | 25 | 2 | 22 |

**q2.10** Please tick one box for each statement below to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.10a Schlcomp** It is a good thing for schools to be made to compete against each other for pupils

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 84 | 26 | 44 |
| 2 agree | 611 | 151 | 155 |
| 3 neither | 443 | 129 | 112 |
| 4 disagree | 824 | 313 | 129 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 277 | 105 | 50 |
| 8 can't choose | 56 | 22 | 18 |
| 9 not answered | 42 | 10 | 19 |

**q2.10b Clevrkid** The cleverest children should be selected for education in separate schools such as grammar schools.

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 207 | 36 | 44 |
| 2 agree | 888 | 173 | 132 |
| 3 neither | 349 | 118 | 108 |
| 4 disagree | 614 | 290 | 153 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 210 | 119 | 61 |
| 8 can't choose | 35 | 14 | 13 |
| 9 not answered | 34 | 6 | 16 |

**q2.10c Edu1ptax** Government should raise income tax by one penny in the pound in order to spend more on education

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 537 | 168 | 131 |
| 2 agree | 1068 | 355 | 217 |
| 3 neither | 354 | 119 | 86 |
| 4 disagree | 249 | 79 | 45 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 61 | 22 | 18 |
| 8 can't choose | 42 | 10 | 13 |
| 9 not answered | 26 | 3 | 17 |

**q2.11** Which of these statements comes closest to your views?

**q2.11a Socchap2** Sign up to social chapter.

| | E/W | Sco | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 the British government should sign up to the Social Chapter so that British workers have the same rights at work as everyone else in Europe. | 900 | 322 | 213 |
| 2 the British government should not sign up to the Social Chapter because it would cost too many British workers their jobs. | 768 | 183 | 100 |
| 8 can't choose. | 639 | 264 | 196 |
| 9 not answered. | 30 | 5 | 18 |

**q2.11b Wagemin** And which of these statements comes closest to your views?

| | E/W | Sco | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 the law should set a minimum wage so that no employer can pay their workers too little. | 1518 | 556 | 337 |
| 2 there should be no minimum wage because a minimum wage set by law would cost too many low paid workers their jobs. | 524 | 117 | 67 |
| 8 can't choose. | 259 | 73 | 101 |
| 9 not answered. | 36 | 10 | 22 |

**q2.12** Please tick one box for each statement below to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.12a Taxless** It would be better if everyone paid less tax and had to pay more towards their own healthcare, schools and the like

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 79 | 28 | 49 |
| 2 agree | 308 | 78 | 97 |
| 3 neither | 310 | 93 | 91 |
| 4 disagree | 1048 | 333 | 161 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 483 | 174 | 87 |
| 8 can't choose | 51 | 26 | 19 |
| 9 not answered | 58 | 24 | 23 |

**q2.12b Taxfrpen** Everyone's taxes should go up to provide better old age pensions for all.

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 253 | 115 | 61 |
| 2 agree | 891 | 313 | 161 |
| 3 neither | 588 | 172 | 146 |
| 4 disagree | 447 | 113 | 86 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 70 | 16 | 28 |
| 8 can't choose | 56 | 20 | 20 |
| 9 not answered | 32 | 7 | 25 |

**q2.12c Taxlow** Taxes should be as low as possible, and people should have to provide more for themselves even if it means that some people suffer

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 34 | 11 | 22 |
| 2 agree | 153 | 40 | 42 |
| 3 neither | 292 | 87 | 87 |
| 4 disagree | 1044 | 327 | 200 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 671 | 242 | 128 |
| 8 can't choose | 73 | 25 | 19 |
| 9 not answered | 70 | 24 | 29 |

**EqOpp2Fr Equal opportunities for women.**

**q560** Now I want to ask you about some changes that have been happening in Britain over the years. For each one I read out, please use this card to say whether you think it has gone too far or not gone far enough. First, attempts to give equal opportunities to women in Britain?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 gone much too far | 40 | 11 | 21 |
| 2 gone too far | 222 | 54 | 49 |
| 3 about right | 1340 | 422 | 337 |
| 4 not gone far enough | 1003 | 327 | 245 |
| 5 not gone nearly far enough | 89 | 51 | 23 |
| 8 don't know | 35 | 11 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 2 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**RacOp2Fr** Equal opportunities for ethnic minorities.

**q561** Has it gone too far or not gone far enough? Attempts to give equal opportunities to black people and Asians in Britain?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 gone much too far | 146 | 36 | 7 |
| 2 gone too far | 562 | 166 | 13 |
| 3 about right | 1154 | 378 | 236 |
| 4 not gone far enough | 688 | 230 | 346 |
| 5 not gone nearly far enough | 78 | 23 | 76 |
| 8 don't know | 100 | 42 | 25 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 7 | 2 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**Abort2Fr** Abortion availability.

**q562** Has it gone too far or not gone far enough? The availability of abortion on the National Health Service?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 gone much too far | 242 | 86 | 92 |
| 2 gone too far | 530 | 201 | 138 |
| 3 about right | 1364 | 405 | 259 |
| 4 not gone far enough | 215 | 64 | 71 |
| 5 not gone nearly far enough | 24 | 8 | 11 |
| 8 don't know | 354 | 111 | 131 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 7 | 3 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**HomOp2Fr** Equal opportunities for homosexuals.

**q563** Has it gone too far or not gone far enough? Attempts to give equal opportunities to homosexuals, that is, gays and lesbians?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 gone much too far | 408 | 124 | 130 |
| 2 gone too far | 704 | 197 | 164 |
| 3 about right | 931 | 308 | 182 |
| 4 not gone far enough | 435 | 150 | 91 |
| 5 not gone nearly far enough | 62 | 13 | 15 |
| 8 don't know | 188 | 84 | 120 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 3 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q564 TUPower** Thinking now of Trade Unions and big business in this country. First, do you think that trade unions …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 have too much power | 589 | 199 | 116 |
| 2 or not? | 1892 | 579 | 458 |
| 8 don't know | 249 | 98 | 128 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 3 |

**q565 BusPower** Do you think that big business in this country …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 has too much power | 1976 | 650 | 488 |
| 2 or not? | 553 | 145 | 126 |
| 8 don't know | 201 | 80 | 89 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 7 | 2 |

**q566 LabTUTie** Do you think the trade unions should have close ties to the Labour Party or do you think the trade unions should stay out of politics?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 should have ties | 474 | 184 | 183 |
| 2 should stay out | 2059 | 612 | 416 |
| 8 don't know | 197 | 80 | 103 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 3 |

**q567 LabTULsn** Do you think that the Labour Party is too willing to listen to the trade unions or not willing enough? Or that things are about right?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 too willing to listen | 546 | 130 | 83 |
| 2 about right | 1752 | 545 | 467 |
| 3 not willing enough to listen | 169 | 84 | 57 |
| 8 don't know | 264 | 117 | 95 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 3 |

**q604 GovtWork** Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 works extremely well and could not be improved | 122 | 32 | 44 |
| 2 could be improved in small ways but mainly works well | 1395 | 397 | 293 |
| 3 could be improved quite a lot | 909 | 337 | 218 |
| 4 needs a great deal of improvement | 217 | 72 | 89 |
| 8 don't know | 85 | 38 | 57 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 4 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

## Political System

**Q568 GovTrust** How much do you trust British governments of any party to place the needs of the nation above the interests of their own political party ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 73 | 27 | 50 |
| 2 most of the time | 836 | 223 | 217 |
| 3 only some of the time | 1413 | 494 | 301 |
| 4 almost never | 340 | 98 | 59 |
| 8 don't know | 68 | 34 | 73 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 5 |

**Q569 MPs Trust** And how much do you trust politicians of any party in Britain to tell the truth When they are in a tight corner ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 16 | 9 | 14 |
| 2 most of the time | 224 | 62 | 69 |
| 3 only some of the time | 1300 | 407 | 308 |
| 4 almost never | 1147 | 380 | 259 |
| 8 don't know | 43 | 18 | 51 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 4 |

**Q604 GovtWork** Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 works extremely well and could not be improved | 122 | 32 | 44 |
| 2 could be improved in small ways but mainly works well | 1395 | 397 | 293 |
| 3 could be improved quite a lot | 909 | 337 | 218 |
| 4 needs a great deal of improvement | 217 | 72 | 89 |
| 8 don't know | 85 | 38 | 57 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 4 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q623 PrInGB** Please use this card to say how much you agree or disagree that Britain should introduce proportional representation so that the number of MPs each party gets matches more closely the number of votes each party gets.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 422 | 111 | 71 |
| 2 agree | 886 | 297 | 183 |
| 3 not sure either way | 818 | 264 | 212 |
| 4 disagree | 303 | 107 | 83 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 145 | 26 | 22 |
| 8 don't know | 154 | 70 | 131 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 7 | 4 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**PRInScot** Proportional representation in Scotland.

**q624 PRInScot** Say a Scottish parliament were set up. How much do you agree or disagree that it should be elected using proportional representation? [If respondent says don't want a Scottish parliament, ask: what if one were set up?]

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 123 |
| 2 agree | 336 |
| 3 not sure either way | 230 |
| 4 disagree | 95 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 21 |
| 8 don't know | 70 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO. Shc*

**q625 Lords** Do you think the House of Lords should remain as it is, or is some change needed?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 remain as is | 976 | 197 | 234 |
| 2 change needed | 1409 | 550 | 295 |
| 8 don't know | 343 | 127 | 172 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 8 | 4 |

**q626 LordsHow** Do you think the House of Lords should be ..

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 replaced by a different body | 324 | 119 | 54 |
| 2 abolished and replaced by nothing | 229 | 177 | 42 |
| 3 should there be some other kind of change | 822 | 239 | 191 |
| 8 don't know | 34 | 15 | 8 |
| 9 not answered | 348 | 135 | 176 |
| -1 remain as is | 976 | 197 | 234 |

**Note:** *If 'change needed' at* Lords

**q226 Coalitin** Which do you think would generally be better for Britain nowadays?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 to have a government formed by one political party on its own | 1428 | 502 | 418 |
| 2 to have a government formed by two political parties together - in coalition | 1106 | 297 | 236 |
| 8 don't know | 197 | 81 | 49 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 2 | 2 |

**q227 VoteSyst** Some people say we should change the voting system to allow smaller political parties to get a fairer share of MPs. Others say that we should keep the voting system as it is to produce effective government. Which view comes closer to your own?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 we should change the voting system | 942 | 284 | 176 |
| 2 keep it as it is | 1659 | 530 | 472 |
| 8 don't know | 129 | 66 | 57 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 2 | - |

**q228 VoSysSc1** And would you say that this new voting system should also be used to elect a Scottish parliament if one were set up?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 468 |
| 2 no | 35 |
| 8 don't know | 27 |
| -2 skp, change votesys | 284 |

**Notes:** *SO. If 'should change' at VoteSyst.*

**q229 VpSysSc2** And would you say that this same voting system should also be used to elect a Scottish parliament if one were set up?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 468 |
| 2 no | 35 |
| 8 don't know | 27 |
| 9 not answered | 68 |
| -2 skp, change votesys | 284 |

**Notes:** *SO. If 'keep' it as it is' at VoteSyst*

**q230 VoteResp** Thinking now about voting in general elections. Generally speaking, do you think …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 people need not vote unless they really care who wins | 543 | 157 | 135 |
| 2 it everyone's duty to vote | 2159 | 709 | 558 |
| 8 don't know | 31 | 14 | 10 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | 2 |

**q325 EEC** Do you think Britain should continue to be a member of the European Union or should it withdraw?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 continue | 1549 | 526 | 462 |
| 2 withdraw | 859 | 200 | 118 |
| 8 don't know | 324 | 154 | 124 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | 1 |

**q326 ECScot** On the whole, do you think the European Union has been

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 good for Scotland | 350 |
| 2 bad for Scotland | 178 |
| 3 neither or both | 167 |
| 8 don't know | 185 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q327 ECPolicy** Do you think Britain's long-term policy should be

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 to leave the European Union | 475 | 108 | 72 |
| 2 to stay in the EU and try to reduce the EU's powers | 1187 | 355 | 236 |
| 3 to leave things as they are | 391 | 135 | 135 |
| 4 to stay in the EU and try to increase the EU's powers | 265 | 120 | 107 |
| 5 to work for the formation of a single European government | 183 | 61 | 65 |
| 8 don't know | 232 | 101 | 90 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q328 ECUView** And here are three statements about the future of the pound in the European Union. Which one comes closest to your view?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 replace the pound by a single currency | 433 | 149 | 98 |
| 2 use both the pound and a new European currency in Britain | 544 | 177 | 170 |
| 3 keep the pound as the only currency for Britain | 1643 | 503 | 373 |
| 8 don't know | 113 | 51 | 64 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q329 Nireland** Do you think the long-term policy for Northern Ireland should be for it

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 to remain part of the United Kingdom | 761 | 272 | 171 |
| 2 to reunify with the rest of Ireland | 1399 | 420 | 383 |
| 3 other | 77 | 15 | 6 |
| 4 independant state | 24 | 4 | 4 |
| 5 N.I. split in two | - | - | - |
| 6 up to the Irish to decide | 141 | 43 | 19 |
| 8 don't know | 328 | 124 | 122 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 4 | - |

## Nuclear Weapons

**q331 NclrWepn** Which of these statements comes closest to what you yourself feel should be done?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Britain should keep her own nuclear weapons, independent of other countries. | 765 | 214 | 161 |
| 2 Britain should have nuclear weapons only as part of a Western defence system. | 1231 | 387 | 252 |
| 3 Britain should have nothing to do with nuclear weapons under any circumstances. | 642 | 250 | 220 |
| 8 don't know | 95 | 29 | 72 |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | 2 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q443 TaxSpend** Suppose the government had to choose between the three options on this card. Which do you think it should choose?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 reduce taxes and spend less on health, education and social benefits | 69 | 28 | 59 |
| 2 keep taxes and spending on these services at the same level as now | 677 | 186 | 181 |
| 3 increase taxes and spend more on health, education and social benefits | 1872 | 635 | 421 |
| 4 none of these | 79 | 17 | 21 |
| 8 don't know | 35 | 14 | 23 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | - |

**q444 PrivEduc** Please use this card to say whether you think the government should or should not do the following things, or doesn't it matter either way?

Get rid of private education in Britain?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 206 | 117 | 69 |
| 2 probably should | 315 | 149 | 96 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 778 | 292 | 176 |
| 4 probably should not | 689 | 202 | 182 |
| 5 definitely should not | 712 | 106 | 166 |
| 8 don't know | 32 | 14 | 16 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q445 RidProvty** Spend more money to get rid of poverty?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 1609 | 595 | 445 |
| 2 probably should | 859 | 230 | 184 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 92 | 24 | 25 |
| 4 probably should not | 105 | 19 | 29 |
| 5 definitely should not | 36 | 3 | 8 |
| 8 don't know | 31 | 8 | 14 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 3 | - |

**Note***: Shc*

**q446 HlpPrMed** Encourage the growth of private medicine.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 242 | 63 | 71 |
| 2 probably should | 610 | 157 | 138 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 504 | 151 | 127 |
| 4 probably should not | 818 | 286 | 198 |
| 5 definitely should not | 505 | 200 | 141 |
| 8 don't know | 52 | 22 | 30 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q447 GovNHSSp** Put more money into the National Health Service?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 2029 | 685 | 575 |
| 2 probably should | 556 | 165 | 102 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 53 | 12 | 5 |
| 4 probably should not | 57 | 6 | 11 |
| 5 definitely should not | 23 | 6 | 5 |
| 8 don't know | 13 | 5 | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q448 GovEdSp** Spend more money on education?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 1908 | 638 | 591 |
| 2 probably should | 623 | 195 | 90 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 85 | 18 | 9 |
| 4 probably should not | 66 | 14 | 6 |
| 5 definitely should not | 22 | 10 | 3 |
| 8 don't know | 27 | 4 | 6 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | - |

**Note:** *Shc*

**q449 DefenCut** Spend less on defence?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 569 | 218 | 235 |
| 2 probably should | 903 | 316 | 228 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 302 | 89 | 87 |
| 4 probably should not | 642 | 184 | 97 |
| 5 definitely should not | 253 | 55 | 35 |
| 8 don't know | 62 | 17 | 23 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 3 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q450 NatNI1** Just to make sure about your views, are you generally in favour of …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 more nationalisation of companies by government, | 688 | 282 | 289 |
| 2 more privatisation of companies by government, | 378 | 99 | 105 |
| 3 should things be left as they are now? | 1510 | 446 | 263 |
| 4 other | 34 | 6 | 4 |
| 8 don't know | 120 | 45 | 44 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 4 | - |

**q452 NatNI2** A lot more national privatisation or a little more?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 alot more | 365 | 150 | 184 |
| 2 a little more | 695 | 228 | 209 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 125 | 49 | 44 |
| -1 skp not more | 1554 | 452 | 267 |

**Notes:** *If 'more nationalisation' or 'more privatisation' at NatNI1.*

**q453 TULaws** Introduce stricter laws to regulate the activities of trade unions?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 357 | 86 | 110 |
| 2 probably should | 595 | 212 | 155 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 585 | 201 | 147 |
| 4 probably should not | 709 | 201 | 149 |
| 5 definitely should not | 346 | 109 | 57 |
| 8 don't know | 139 | 69 | 87 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q454 WorkrSay** Give workers more say in running the places where they work?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 782 | 272 | 275 |
| 2 probably should | 1213 | 387 | 270 |
| 3 doesn't matter either way | 229 | 83 | 62 |
| 4 probably should not | 354 | 103 | 43 |
| 5 definitely should not | 99 | 17 | 12 |
| 8 don't know | 54 | 16 | 42 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**Redistrb** Redistribution of wealth.

**Q455** Using this card, please say whether you agree or disagree with each of these statements, or say if you are not sure either way.

Income and wealth should be redistributed towards ordinary working people?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 512 | 253 | 187 |
| 2 agree | 1082 | 362 | 296 |
| 3 not sure either way | 512 | 139 | 123 |
| 4 disagree | 472 | 84 | 60 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 125 | 25 | 15 |
| 8 don't know | 26 | 15 | 24 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q456 GovAid3W** The government should give more aid to poor countries in Africa and Asia?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 157 | 48 | 180 |
| 2 agree | 710 | 269 | 292 |
| 3 not sure either way | 590 | 196 | 118 |
| 4 disagree | 893 | 264 | 84 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 358 | 93 | 20 |
| 8 don't know | 21 | 8 | 11 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q457 DeathPen** Britain should bring back the death penalty?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 634 | 172 | 143 |
| 2 agree | 711 | 225 | 146 |
| 3 not sure either way | 406 | 133 | 95 |
| 4 disagree | 493 | 186 | 158 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 471 | 154 | 146 |
| 8 don't know | 16 | 8 | 17 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q458 StifSent** People who break the law should be given stiffer sentences?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 1219 | 362 | 329 |
| 2 agree | 1067 | 367 | 274 |
| 3 not sure either way | 275 | 91 | 60 |
| 4 disagree | 135 | 42 | 29 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 29 | 8 | 4 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 8 | 9 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q459 CarAllow** People should be allowed to use their cars as much as they like, even if it causes damage to the environment?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 98 | 31 | 30 |
| 2 agree | 521 | 200 | 114 |
| 3 not sure either way | 661 | 222 | 150 |
| 4 disagree | 1134 | 328 | 294 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 287 | 74 | 98 |
| 8 don't know | 30 | 23 | 19 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q460 CarTaxHi** For the sake of the environment, car users should pay higher taxes?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 110 | 31 | 36 |
| 2 agree | 656 | 163 | 137 |
| 3 not sure either way | 403 | 131 | 134 |
| 4 disagree | 1179 | 403 | 309 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 356 | 135 | 74 |
| 8 don't know | 27 | 15 | 15 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q461 PrisRef** Prisons should try harder to reform prisoners rather than just punishing them.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 689 | 227 | 219 |
| 2 agree | 1389 | 446 | 320 |
| 3 not sure either way | 253 | 79 | 64 |
| 4 disagree | 292 | 92 | 61 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 83 | 27 | 10 |
| 8 don't know | 25 | 7 | 31 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q462 LifMnLif** Life sentences should mean life.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 1431 | 474 | 314 |
| 2 agree | 955 | 281 | 249 |
| 3 not sure either way | 152 | 47 | 52 |
| 4 disagree | 164 | 58 | 67 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 15 | 9 | 6 |
| 8 don't know | 13 | 9 | 17 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q463 NatLearn** Britain has a lot to learn from other countries in running its affairs.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 212 | 81 | 105 |
| 2 agree | 870 | 352 | 310 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 675 | 177 | 146 |
| 4 disagree | 781 | 214 | 95 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 147 | 24 | 12 |
| 8 Don't know | 46 | 30 | 37 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q464 NatCitzn** I would rather be a citizen of Britain than of any other country in the world.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 1235 | 302 | 175 |
| 2 agree | 907 | 385 | 271 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 324 | 125 | 158 |
| 4 disagree | 208 | 53 | 79 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 35 | 6 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 21 | 7 | 12 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 4 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q465 NatAshmd** There are some things about Britain today that make me ashamed to be British.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 239 | 77 | 52 |
| 2 agree | 1219 | 383 | 212 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 380 | 158 | 171 |
| 4 disagree | 756 | 224 | 221 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 119 | 30 | 32 |
| 8 don't know | 18 | 6 | 16 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q466 NatCrit** People in Britain are too ready to criticise their country.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 323 | 77 | 53 |
| 2 agree | 1491 | 469 | 286 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 413 | 183 | 157 |
| 4 disagree | 462 | 134 | 166 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 25 | 6 | 14 |
| 8 don't know | 17 | 9 | 29 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q467 NatState** The government should do everything it can to keep all parts of Britain together in a single state.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 545 | 118 | 147 |
| 2 agree | 1215 | 323 | 327 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 475 | 130 | 120 |
| 4 disagree | 438 | 236 | 74 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 47 | 52 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 29 | 19 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q468 NatCoop** Britain should co-operate with other countries, even if it means giving up some independence

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 87 | 21 | 41 |
| 2 agree | 830 | 303 | 268 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 516 | 168 | 151 |
| 4 disagree | 968 | 303 | 165 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 273 | 65 | 33 |
| 8 don't know | 57 | 17 | 46 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 5 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

# Nationality and Ethnicity

**q469** Please say which, if any, of the words on this card describes the way you think of yourself. Please choose as many or as few as apply.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 British | 2047 | 459 | 512 |
| 2 English [2] | 1417 | 37 | 89 |
| 3 European [3] | 387 | 80 | 43 |
| 4 Irish [4] | 71 | 6 | 5 |
| 5 Northern Irish [5] | 17 | 5 | - |
| 6 Scottish [6] | 98 | 723 | 3 |
| 7 Welsh [7] | 189 | 4 | 2 |
| 8 other [8] | 131 | 24 | 271 |
| 9 none [9] | 20 | 2 | 48 |
| 98 don't know | - | 2 | - |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 4 | - |

1 = NatBrit
2 = NatEng
3 = NatEuro
4 = NatIrish
5 = NatNI
6 = NatScot
7 = NatWelsh
8 = NatOth
9 = NatNone

**Notes:** *Shc MC*

**q479 Bnation** And if you had to choose, which one best describes the way you think of yourself?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 British | 696 | 83 | 108 |
| 2 English | 477 | 9 | 20 |
| 3 European | 45 | 11 | 5 |
| 4 Irish | 16 | - | - |
| 5 Northern Irish | 1 | 1 | - |
| 6 Scottish | 22 | 282 | - |
| 7 Welsh | 51 | - | - |
| 8 other answer | 36 | 9 | 74 |
| 9 none of these | 4 | - | 4 |
| 98 don't know | 6 | - | 5 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 3 |
| -1 skp one nation identity | 1377 | 481 | 486 |

**Notes:** *Shc. Question asked if answered with more than one code at National.*

**q480 RaceOri2** May I just check, to which of these groups do you consider you belong?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Black: of African origin | 8 | - | 101 |
| 2 Black: of Caribbean origin | 19 | - | 147 |
| 3 Black: of other origin | 3 | - | 8 |
| 4 Asian: of Indian origin | 38 | 1 | 227 |
| 5 Asian: of Pakistani origin | 11 | - | 123 |
| 6 Asian: of Bangladeshi origin | 12 | - | 46 |
| 7 Asian: of Chinese origin | 2 | - | - |
| 8 Asian: of other origin | 11 | 3 | 24 |
| 9 White: of any European origin | 2586 | 867 | 1 |
| 10 White: of other origin | 14 | 3 | - |
| 11 Mixed origin | 9 | - | 25 |
| 12 other | 17 | 1 | 2 |
| 98 don't know | - | 2 | - |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 | 5 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**NatIdEng** National identity - English.

**q595 NatIdEng** Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

| | England | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 English not British | 197 | 18 |
| 2 More English than British | 419 | 34 |
| 3 Equally English and British | 1166 | 139 |
| 4 More British than English | 372 | 114 |
| 5 British not English | 229 | 198 |
| 6 other description | 123 | 130 |
| 7 none of these | 32 | 50 |
| 8 don't know | 8 | 14 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 4 |
| -1 skp, Scot + Wales | 182 | 4 |

**Notes:** *EO Shc*

**q597 NatIDSco** Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scottish not British | 204 |
| 2 more Scottish than British | 342 |
| 3 equally Scottish and British | 228 |
| 4 more British than Scottish | 36 |
| 5 British not Scottish | 31 |
| 6 other description | 22 |
| 7 none of these | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 3 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q599 NatIDWal** Which, if any, of the following best describes how you see yourself?

| | Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Welsh not British | 24 | 1 |
| 2 more Welsh than British | 53 | 1 |
| 3 equally Welsh and British | 47 | 1 |
| 4 more British than Welsh | 19 | - |
| 5 British not Welsh | 28 | - |
| 6 other description | 8 | 1 |
| 7 none of these | 2 | - |
| 8 don't know | 1 | - |
| 9 not answered/refused | - | - |
| Total | 182 | 4 |

**Notes:** *WO Shc*

**q486 Identity** Some people think of themselves first as British. Others may think of themselves first as [ethnic group of respondent].Which best describes how you think of yourself?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 [ethnic group of respondent (EG)], not British | 61 |
| 2 more [EG]than British | 113 |
| 3 equally [EG]and British | 354 |
| 4 more British than [EG] | 88 |
| 5 British, not [EG] | 24 |
| 6 other | 19 |
| 98 don't know | 8 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 10 |
| -4 skp, other race category | 2 |
| -3 skp, mixed origin | 25 |
| -2 skp, white | 1 |

**Notes:** *B/AO.*

**q488 PrejBLAs** Do you think there is a lot of prejudice against black and Asian people in Britain nowadays, a little, or hardly any?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot | 321 |
| 2 a little | 322 |
| 3 hardly any | 44 |
| 8 don't know | 16 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q489 SRPrej** How would you describe yourself …

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 as very prejudiced against people of other races | 6 |
| 2 a little prejudiced | 164 |
| 3 not at all prejudiced | 525 |
| 4 other answer | 1 |
| 8 don't know | 6 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q491 ChngPak** How much change has there been for ethnic minority groups in Britain over the last few years ? Firstly, Pakistanis.Have things got better or worse for Pakistanis, or have things stayed much the same? If better or worse: a little better/worse or a lot better/worse?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 74 |
| 2 a little better | 180 |
| 3 stayed much the same | 222 |
| 4 a little worse | 57 |
| 5 a lot worse | 43 |
| 8 don't know | 127 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes** *B/AO*

**q492 BettPak** Do you think things have got better for Pakistanis …

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of government help | 44 |
| 2 mainly because of their own efforts | 81 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 115 |
| 4 for some other reason | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 129 |
| -2 skp, not got better | 322 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If 'a lot better' or 'a little better' at* ChngPak

**q493 WorsPak** Do you think things have got worse for Pakistanis….

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of lack of government help | 20 |
| 2 mainly because not made the effort | 25 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 39 |
| 4 for some other reason | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 129 |
| -2 skp, not got worse | 476 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If 'a little worse' or 'a lot worse' at* ChngPak

**q494 ChngInd** Have things got better or worse for Indians, or have things stayed much the same? If better or worse: a little better/worse or a lot better/worse?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 113 |
| 2 a little better | 188 |
| 3 stayed much the same | 246 |
| 4 a little worse | 31 |
| 5 a lot worse | 11 |
| 8 don't know | 114 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q495 BettInd** Do you think things have got better for Indians …

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of government help | 35 |
| 2 mainly because of their own efforts | 116 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 138 |
| 4 for some other reason | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 3 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 116 |
| -2 skp, not got better | 228 |

**Notes:** *B/AO If answered 'a little better' or 'a lot better' at* ChgInd

**q496 WorsInd** Do you think things have got worse for Indians …

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of government help | 15 |
| 2 mainly because of their own efforts | 3 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 15 |
| 4 for some other reason | 7 |
| 8 don't know | 2 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 116 |
| -2 skp not got worse | 547 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If answered ' a little worse' or 'a lot worse' at* ChgInd

**q497 ChngBan** What about Bangladeshis? Have things got better or worse for Bangladeshis, or have things stayed much the same? If better or worse: a little better/worse or a lot better/worse?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 42 |
| 2 a little better | 110 |
| 3 stayed much the same | 244 |
| 4 a little worse | 65 |
| 5 a lot worse | 38 |
| 8 don't know | 204 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q498 BettBan** Do you think things have got better for Bangladeshis ….

| | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of government help | 39 |
| 2 main because of their own efforts | 33 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 69 |
| 4 for some other reason | 7 |
| 8 don't know | 4 |
| 9 not answered | 206 |
| -2 skp, not got better | 347 |

**Notes:** *If answered 'a lot better' or 'a little better' at* ChngBan

**q499 WorsBan** Do you think things have got worse for Bangladeshis

| | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of lack of government help | 18 |
| 2 main because of their own efforts | 28 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 44 |
| 4 for some other reason | 10 |
| 8 don't know | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 206 |
| -2 skp, not got worse | 396 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If answered 'a little worse' or 'a lot worse' at* ChngBan

**q500 ChngBla** And have things got better or worse for black people, or have things stayed much the same? If better or worse: a little better/worse or a lot better/worse?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 48 |
| 2 a little better | 152 |
| 3 stayed much the same | 266 |
| 4 a little worse | 67 |
| 5 a lot worse | 59 |
| 8 don't know | 111 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q501 BettBla** Do you think things have got better for black people …

| | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of government help | 37 |
| 2 main because of their own efforts | 51 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 108 |
| 4 for some other reason | 3 |
| 8 don't know | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 113 |
| -2 skp, not got better | 392 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If answered 'a lot better' or 'a little better' at ChngBla*

**WorsBla** Why worse for Blacks**.**

**q502** Do you think things have got worse for black people …

| | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 mainly because of lack of government help | 37 |
| 2 main because of their own efforts | 33 |
| 3 through a combination of both | 43 |
| 4 for some other reason | 12 |
| 8 don't know | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 113 |
| -2 skp, not got worse | 466 |

**Note:** *B/AO*

**q503 EffecLaw** In your view, how effective are the present laws against racial discrimination? Are they ..

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 very effective | 42 |
| 2 fairly effective | 252 |
| 3 not very effective | 257 |
| 4 not at all effective | 83 |
| 8 don't know | 69 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Note:** *B/AO*

**q504 Anylaw** Do you think that any law against racial discrimination can really work?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 156 |
| 2 no | 169 |
| 8 don't know | 15 |
| 9 not answered | 71 |
| -2 skp, law is effective | 294 |

**Notes:** *B/AO. If answered 'not very effective' or 'not at all effective' at* EffectLaw.

**q505 RaceVILw** Some people say there should be a special law against attacks on people because of their race. Others say these attacks should be treated by the law just like any other attacks. Do you think there should be a special law against racial violence or not?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 292 |
| 2 probably should | 179 |
| 3 probably should not | 102 |
| 4 definitely should not | 97 |
| 8 don't know | 33 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q506 ImChild1** There has been a lot of debate among teachers about how British schools should cater for children whose parents come from other countries and cultures. Do you think in general that schools with many such children should provide them with special classes in English, if they require them?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 346 |
| 2 probably should | 255 |
| 3 probably should not | 45 |
| 4 definitely should not | 45 |
| 8 don't know | 12 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Note:** *B/AO*

**q507 ImChild2** Do you think in general that schools with many such children should provide them with separate religious instruction, if their parents request it?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 168 |
| 2 probably should | 221 |
| 3 probably should not | 134 |
| 4 definitely should not | 152 |
| 8 don't know | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Note:** *B/AO*

**q508 ImChild3** Do you think in general that schools with many such children should allow those for whom it is important to wear their traditional dress at school?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 174 |
| 2 probably should | 196 |
| 3 probably should not | 128 |
| 4 definitely should not | 185 |
| 8 don't know | 20 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q509 ImChild4** Do you think in general that schools with many such children should allow them to study their mother-tongue in school hours?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 114 |
| 2 probably should | 179 |
| 3 probably should not | 176 |
| 4 definitely should not | 213 |
| 8 don't know | 21 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q510 Blasfemy** There is a blasphemy law in Britain to punish people who offend against Christian beliefs. Should the law …

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 apply just to Christianity | 47 |
| 2 apply to other religions as well | 340 |
| 3 should the law on blasphemy be abolished altogether | 233 |
| 8 don't know | 81 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes***: B/AO*

**q511 ReligSch** Three different kinds of religious school in Britain get government funding, Church of England, Catholic and Jewish. Do you think that other religions should have the same right to government funds for their own schools?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 definitely should | 349 |
| 2 probably should | 219 |
| 3 probably should not | 53 |
| 4 definitely should not | 45 |
| 8 don't know | 37 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q512 PreamEth** Please look at this page. Some people feel that the government should make every effort to improve opportunities for black and Asian people in Britain.

These people would put themselves in Box A.

Other people feel that there is no need at all for the government to take action to improve opportunities for black and Asian people in Britain. These people would put themselves in Box K.

And other people have views somewhere in-between, along here [A-F] or along Here [K-F]

| | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes, scales attempted | 671 |
| 98 scales not attempted | 34 |

**Q519 ReqOpp** In the first row of boxes, please tick whichever box comes closest to your own views about equal opportunities .

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 A govt improve opportunities | 407 |
| 2 B | 63 |
| 3 C | 45 |
| 4 D | 35 |
| 5 E | 20 |
| 6 F (mid-point) | 61 |
| 7 G | 4 |
| 8 H | 3 |
| 9 I | 4 |
| 10 J | 6 |
| 11 K - no need govt improve | 12 |
| 12 left of A | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 6 |
| 99 refused/not answered/refused | 4 |
| -2 skp – no scales completed | 34 |

**q521 ConEqOpp** First the Conservative Party. In the next row of boxes, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Conservative Party.

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 A govt improve opps | 113 |
| 2 B | 24 |
| 3 C | 49 |
| 4 D | 60 |
| 5 E | 51 |
| 6 F (mid-point) | 128 |
| 7 G | 31 |
| 8 H | 38 |
| 9 I | 36 |
| 10 J | 42 |
| 11 K - no need govt improve | 65 |
| 12 left of A | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 30 |
| 99 refused/not answered/refused | 3 |
| -2 skp – no scales completed | 34 |

**q523 LabEqOpp** Now in the next row, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Labour Party.

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 A govt improve opps | 195 |
| 2 B | 93 |
| 3 C | 113 |
| 4 D | 68 |
| 5 E | 37 |
| 6 F (mid-point) | 102 |
| 7 G | 12 |
| 8 H | 1 |
| 9 I | 4 |
| 10 J | 5 |
| 11 K - no need govt improve | 11 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 98 don't know | 27 |
| 99 refused/not answered/refused | 3 |
| -2 skp - no scales completed | 34 |

**q525 LDEqOpp** And now, please tick whichever box you think comes closest to the views of the Liberal Democrats

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 A govt improve opps | 132 |
| 2 B | 38 |
| 3 C | 64 |
| 4 D | 64 |
| 5 E | 65 |
| 6 F (mid-point) | 179 |
| 7 G | 19 |
| 8 H | 11 |
| 9 I | 7 |
| 10 J | 3 |
| 11 K - no need govt improve | 13 |
| 12 left of A | - |
| 98 don't know | 73 |
| 99 refused/not answered/refused | 3 |
| -2 skp - no scales completed | 34 |

**Notes:** *Questions 512 to 525: B/AO SS*

**q527 ParlBlAs** Getting more black and Asian people into parliament would improve things for ethnic minorities in Britain.

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 192 |
| 2 agree | 304 |
| 3 neither agree nor disagree | 106 |
| 4 disagree | 67 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 12 |
| 98 don't know | 22 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q528 PrtyBlAs** Please say from this card how much you agree or disagree. Until ethnic minorities have their own political party, their special problems will never be dealt with effectively

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 60 |
| 2 agree | 179 |
| 3 neither agree nor disagree | 138 |
| 4 disagree | 222 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 65 |
| 98 don't know | 39 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q529 OppsBlAs** It doesn't really matter which party is in power, in the end opportunities for black and Asian people will stay much the same

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 63 |
| 2 agree | 354 |
| 3 neither agree nor disagree | 107 |
| 4 disagree | 139 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 12 |
| 98 don't know | 28 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q530 VoteBlAs** Parties are only interested in the votes of black and Asian people, not in their opinions

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 10 | 87 |
| 2 agree | 38 | 260 |
| 3 neither agree nor disagree | 24 | 151 |
| 4 disagree | 26 | 166 |
| 5 strongly disagree | - | 2 |
| 98 don't know | 7 | 37 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO Shc*

**q531 CmWnBlAs** During the run-up to the general election, did you think any of the political parties campaigned specifically in order to win the votes of black and Asian people?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 307 |
| 2 no | 309 |
| 98 don't know | 87 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q551 BornBrit** May I just check: were you born in Britain?

| | England and Wales | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 39 | 210 |
| 2 no | 65 | 492 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 1 | 2 |

**Note:** *B/AO*

**q531 CmWnBlAs** During the run-up to the general election, did you think any of the political parties compaigned specifically in order to win the votes of blak and Asian people ?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 307 |
| 2 no | 309 |
| 8 don't know | 87 |
| 9 not answered | 2 |

**q532** Which party or parties? Which others?

**ConBAs** Conservative Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 191 |
| 2 no | 111 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**LabBAs** Labour Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 224 |
| 2 no | 78 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**LDBAs** Liberal Democrats

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 112 |
| 2 no | 190 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**SNPBAs** SNP

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 6 |
| 2 no | 296 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**PCBAs** Plaid Cymru

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 4 |
| 2 no | 298 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**GrnBAs** Green Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 7 |
| 2 no | 295 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**OthBAs** Other Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 11 |
| 2 no | 291 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 89 |
| -2 skip, no party tried | 309 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q541 CmVsBlAs** And during the run-up to the general election, did you think any of the political parties campaigned specially in order to win the votes of white people who are prejudiced against black and Asian people?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 213 |
| 2 no | 380 |
| 98 don't know | 109 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q542** Which party or parties? Any others?

**ConWhite** Conservative Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 66 |
| 2 no | 140 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**LabWhite** Labour Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 11 |
| 2 no | 195 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**LDWhite** Liberal Democrats

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 12 |
| 2 no | 194 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**SNPWhite** SNP

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 3 |
| 2 no | 203 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**PCWhite** Plaid Cymru

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 3 |
| 2 no | 203 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**GrnWhite** Green Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 3 |
| 2 no | 203 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**OthWhite** Other Party

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| -2 skp, no pty camp. Whites | 380 |
| 1 yes | 140 |
| 2 no | 66 |
| 8 don't know | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 112 |

**Notes:** *B/AO*

**q555 RepWomen** Please say from this card how much you agree or disagree with each of these statements.

Only women MPs can properly represent the real interests of women.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 167 | 47 | 69 |
| 2 agree | 636 | 235 | 213 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 437 | 135 | 142 |
| 4 disagree | 1269 | 385 | 232 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 199 | 66 | 27 |
| 98 don't know | 23 | 9 | 21 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 5 | 1 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q556 RepBkAsn** Only black and Asian MPs can properly represent the real interests of black and Asian people

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 strongly agree | 126 | 35 | 71 |
| 2 agree | 852 | 292 | 229 |
| 3 neither agree or disagree | 407 | 139 | 128 |
| 4 disagree | 1114 | 346 | 223 |
| 5 strongly disagree | 200 | 54 | 31 |
| 98 don't know | 32 | 11 | 21 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 2 | 5 | 2 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q557 PosDiscn** Some people say that black people and Asians in Britain who apply for jobs should be given priority, to try to make up for discrimination against them. Others say they should have to compete for jobs on ability, just like everyone else. Which of these two views comes closest to your own.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 black people and Asians in Britain should be given priority | 58 | 19 | 73 |
| 2 they should have to compete for jobs on ability, just like everybody else? | 2643 | 841 | 605 |
| 8 don't know | 30 | 16 | 25 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 2 |

**q558 ImmBkAsn** Immigration by black people and Asians has been ..

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very good for Britain | 94 | 18 | 147 |
| 2 fairly good | 513 | 136 | 306 |
| 3 neither good nor bad | 1017 | 437 | 152 |
| 4 fairly bad | 695 | 181 | 41 |
| 5 very bad for Britain | 346 | 62 | 21 |
| 98 don't know | 65 | 42 | 37 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 1 |

**q559 EthInteg** Which of these views comes closer to your own.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 it is better for society if different ethnic groups keep their own customs and traditions | 593 | 240 | 256 |
| 2 it is better for society if different ethnic groups adapt and blend into a larger society? | 1971 | 577 | 391 |
| 98 don't know | 163 | 59 | 52 |
| 99 not answered/refused | 6 | 6 | 6 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

## Economic Evaluations and Expectations

**q571 GHInPst** How does the financial situation of your household now compare with what it was 12 months ago? Has it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Got a lot better | 121 | 33 | 19 |
| 2 Got a little better | 540 | 139 | 147 |
| 3 Stayed the same | 1317 | 460 | 319 |
| 4 Got a little worse | 509 | 164 | 123 |
| 5 Got alot worse | 220 | 70 | 72 |
| 8 Don't know | 22 | 10 | 21 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**q572 GecPst** And how do you think the general economic situation in Britain has changed over the last 12 months? Has it

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 got a lot better | 134 | 28 | 27 |
| 2 got a little better | 889 | 216 | 220 |
| 3 stayed the same | 1003 | 367 | 262 |
| 4 got a little worse | 442 | 171 | 97 |
| 5 got a lot worse | 160 | 53 | 47 |
| 8 don't know | 103 | 41 | 48 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 4 |

**Q573 GHInXpc** How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months? Will it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 get alot better | 136 | 38 | 46 |
| 2 get a little better | 696 | 251 | 276 |
| 3 stay the same | 1339 | 436 | 242 |
| 4 get a little worse | 364 | 84 | 47 |
| 5 get alot worse | 66 | 18 | 14 |
| 8 don't know | 129 | 49 | 76 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 3 | 6 | 4 |

**Q574 GEcXpc** And how do you think the general economic situation in Britain will develop over the next 12 months? Will it …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 get a lot better | 164 | 57 | 56 |
| 2 get a little better | 1104 | 394 | 350 |
| 3 stay the same | 851 | 258 | 163 |
| 4 get a little worse | 341 | 60 | 27 |
| 5 get alot worse | 47 | 9 | 8 |
| 8 don't know | 224 | 98 | 97 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 4 |

**q575 AreaChGE** Compared with other parts of Britain since the last general election in April 1992, would you say that (*this part of Britain/Scotland/Wales)* has been getting more prosperous than average, stayed about average, or been getting less prosperous than average?

If more/less prosperous: a <u>lot</u> more/less prosperous or <u>a little</u>?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a lot more prosperous than average | 130 | 26 | 30 |
| 2 a little more prosperous than average | 572 | 139 | 164 |
| 3 stayed about average | 1126 | 343 | 275 |
| 4 a little less prosperous than average | 525 | 219 | 118 |
| 5 a lot less prosperous than average | 272 | 109 | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 106 | 40 | 80 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 4 |

**q576 YAreaCGE** Do you think this is

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 the result of government policies | 1356 | 565 | 349 |
| 2 for some other reason? | 1154 | 231 | 230 |
| 8 don't know | 115 | 40 | 42 |
| 9 not answered | 108 | 46 | 84 |

**q577 ScEngBen** On the whole, do you think that England's economy benefits more from having Scotland in the UK, or that Scotland's economy benefits more from being part of the UK, or is it about equal?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 England benefits more | 446 |
| 2 Scotland benefits more | 97 |
| 3 equal | 278 |
| 4 neither/ Both lose | 15 |
| 8 don't know | 40 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO*
**Notes:** *If not 'don't know' /'refusal' at* AreaChGE

**q578 HsePChng** Compared to five years ago, would you say that house prices in your area have gone up, have stayed the same, or have gone down? If gone up/down: by a lot or a little?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 gone up a lot | 306 | 155 | 116 |
| 2 gone up a little | 860 | 345 | 230 |
| 3 stayed the same | 612 | 213 | 125 |
| 4 gone down a little | 455 | 70 | 93 |
| 5 gone down a lot | 264 | 16 | 61 |
| 8 don't know | 234 | 77 | 76 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 2 | 6 | 4 |

**q579 HsgFut** Using this card, please say how confident you are that you will be able to keep up your mortgage or rent payments over the next few years?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 861 | 219 | 136 |
| 2 fairly confident | 920 | 393 | 329 |
| 3 not very confident | 137 | 45 | 101 |
| 4 not at all confident | 29 | 12 | 24 |
| 5 does not apply | 755 | 201 | 87 |
| 8 don't know | 26 | 6 | 23 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 5 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q776 SecEmpe** These days some people have to leave their job, without having a choice in the matter.

How about you? Using this card, please say how confident you are that you will be able to stay in your current job over the next year if you want to do so.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 640 | 179 | 143 |
| 2 fairly confident | 429 | 142 | 106 |
| 3 not very confident | 82 | 24 | 34 |
| 4 not at all confident | 39 | 16 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 3 | 4 | 6 |
| 9 not answered | 7 | 11 | 11 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| -2 skip, not working | 1120 | 384 | 226 |
| -3 skip, self-employed | 333 | 81 | 74 |

**Notes:** *Ask all current employees/DK*
*Shc - Card JJ*

**FdJbEmpd**

**q777 FdJbEmpd** And, again looking at this card, how confident are you that you would be able to find a job at the same level as your present one if you lost your job for whatever reason?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 223 | 52 | 82 |
| 2 fairly confident | 448 | 153 | 97 |
| 3 not very confident | 346 | 119 | 71 |
| 4 not at all confident | 165 | 40 | 40 |
| 8 don't know | 10 | 1 | 8 |
| 9 not answered | 8 | 11 | 11 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| -2 skip, not working | 1120 | 384 | 226 |
| -3 skip, self-employed | 333 | 81 | 74 |

**Notes:** *Ask all current employees/DK*
*Shc - Card JJ again*

**q778 SecEmpd** These days, some businesses make losses or have to close down. Using This card, please say how confident you are that you will make enough profit to stay in business over the next year.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 97 | 16 | 13 |
| 2 fairly confident | 110 | 23 | 23 |
| 3 not very confident | 17 | 9 | 12 |
| 4 not at all confident | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 7 | 10 | 13 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| -2 skip, not working | 98 | 31 | 23 |
| -3 skip- employee | 2314 | 750 | 523 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card JJ*
*Ask all currently self-employed*

**q779 SecUnemp** These days, some unemployed people are unable to find suitable jobs. Using this card, please say how confident you are that you will find a Suitable job within the next three months or so.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 10 | 7 | 13 |
| 2 fairly confident | 30 | 13 | 21 |
| 3 not very confident | 37 | 26 | 16 |
| 4 not at all confident | 30 | 12 | 33 |
| 9 not answered | 1 | 6 | 5 |
| -2 skip, not unemployed | 2625 | 818 | 613 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card JJ*
*Ask all unemployed*

**q780 SecRetrd** These days, some retired people do not have enough income to provide for themselves. Using this card, please say how confident you are that you will be able to provide for yourself as you grow older.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very confident | 171 | 43 | 2 |
| 2 fairly confident | 329 | 128 | 15 |
| 3 not very confident | 84 | 28 | 12 |
| 4 not at all confident | 26 | 4 | 5 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 4 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 2 | 7 | 5 |
| -2 skip, not retired | 2112 | 668 | 664 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card JJ*
*Ask all wholly retired*

# Political Knowledge Quiz.

Here is a quick quiz. For each thing I say, tell me if it is true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one. Remember - true, false or don't know. For each thing I say, tell me if it is true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will skip to the next one.

**q580 Thatcher** Margaret Thatcher was a Conservative Prime Minister?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 2699 | 863 | 664 |
| 2 false | 10 | 5 | 7 |
| 8 don't know | 20 | 8 | 30 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**MP100** The number of members of parliament is about 100?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 344 | 128 | 128 |
| 2 false | 1981 | 606 | 430 |
| 8 don't know | 403 | 142 | 143 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 4 |

**Q582 GElec4Yr** The longest time allowed between general elections is four years?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 912 | 318 | 266 |
| 2 false | 1698 | 520 | 371 |
| 8 don't know | 119 | 38 | 64 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**q583 BritPR** Britain's electoral system is based on proportional representation?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 766 | 242 | 213 |
| 2 false | 1497 | 476 | 283 |
| 8 don't know | 466 | 158 | 205 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**q584 WhoPCom** MPs from different parties are on parliamentary committees?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 1863 | 599 | 424 |
| 2 false | 243 | 79 | 84 |
| 8 don't know | 621 | 198 | 193 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 6 | 4 |

**q585 ECGBElec** Britain has separate elections for the European parliament and the British parliament?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 2031 | 670 | 467 |
| 2 false | 275 | 69 | 87 |
| 8 don't know | 422 | 137 | 147 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 4 |

**q586 Deposit** No-one may stand for parliament unless they pay a deposit?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 true | 1947 | 617 | 329 |
| 2 false | 457 | 163 | 209 |
| 8 don't know | 324 | 96 | 163 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 5 | 6 | 4 |

# Social Class

**q587 SRSocCl1** Do you ever think of yourself as belonging to any particular class? [If yes] Which class is that?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes, middle class | 562 | 106 | 132 |
| 2 yes, working class | 836 | 348 | 209 |
| 3 yes, other | 55 | 7 | 15 |
| 4 no | 1269 | 408 | 317 |
| 8 don't know | 7 | 7 | 28 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**q589 SRSocCl2** Most people say they belong either to the middle class or the working class. If you had to make a choice, would you call yourself

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 middle class | 465 | 115 | 96 |
| 2 working class | 786 | 278 | 216 |
| 8 Don't know | 71 | 24 | 43 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | 13 | 11 | 9 |
| -1 skp, class chosen | 1398 | 454 | 341 |

**Notes:** *If 'other' or 'don't know' at* SRSocCI1

**q590 Conflct2** On the whole, do you think there is bound to be some conflict between different social classes, or do you think they can get along together without any conflict?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 bound to be conflict | 1680 | 495 | 357 |
| 2 can get along | 982 | 348 | 279 |
| 8 don't know | 67 | 33 | 65 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 | 6 | 4 |

**q591 ConflMch** A lot of conflict or just a little?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a lot of conflict | 477 | 138 | 117 |
| 2 a little | 1194 | 354 | 238 |
| 8 don't know | 9 | 3 | 2 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 71 | 39 | 69 |
| Skipped | 982 | 348 | 279 |

**Notes:** *If 'bound to be conflict' at* Conflct2**.**

## Scotland and Wales

**q268 ScIntCon** Using the answers on this card, how much do you trust the Conservative Party to work in Scotland's interests?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 14 |
| 2 most of the time | 79 |
| 3 only some of the time | 317 |
| 4 almost never | 449 |
| 8 don't know | 19 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** ***SO Shc***

**q269 ScIntLab** And how much do you trust the Labour Party to work in Scotland's interests?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 123 |
| 2 most of the time | 481 |
| 3 only some of the time | 212 |
| 4 almost never | 31 |
| 8 don't know | 31 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** *SO. Shc*

**q270 ScIntLD** How much do you trust the Liberal Democrats to work in Scotlands interests?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 34 |
| 2 most of the time | 316 |
| 3 only some of the time | 327 |
| 4 almost never | 72 |
| 8 don't know | 129 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q271 ScIntSNP** And how much do you trust the Scottish National Party to work in Scotland's interests?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 just about always | 476 |
| 2 most of the time | 222 |
| 3 only some of the time | 104 |
| 4 almost never | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 42 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 4 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q601 ScotBorn** How important or unimportant is each of the following to being truly Scottish ? To have been born in Scotland?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 very important | 462 |
| 2 fairly important | 270 |
| 3 not very important | 108 |
| 4 not at all important | 31 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q602 ScotLive** To be living in Scotland?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 very important | 266 |
| 2 fairly important | 325 |
| 3 not very important | 206 |
| 4 not at all important | 73 |
| 8 don't know | 6 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q603 ScotAnce** To have Scottish parents or grandparents?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 very important | 343 |
| 2 fairly important | 323 |
| 3 not very important | 164 |
| 4 not at all important | 41 |
| 8 don't know | 5 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q592 NatClass** Would you say that you had more in common with [respondent's class] English people or with [respondent's class]Scottish people?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 same class English | 208 |
| 2 opposite class Scottish | 395 |
| 3 no preference | 111 |
| 4 depends on the individual | 99 |
| 8 don't know | 34 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 35 |

**Notes:** *SO. If 'middle class' or 'working class' at* SRSocCI1

**q593 PrCthCon** Thinking now about Protestants and Catholics in Scotland. Using a phrase from this card, how serious would you say conflict between them is?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 very serious conflict | 104 |
| 2 fairly serious conflict | 234 |
| 3 not very serious conflict | 426 |
| 4 there is no conflict | 96 |
| 8 don't know | 16 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q594 MxRlgScl** On the whole, do you think that there should be separate schools in Scotland for Catholic children, or that this system should be phased out?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 separate schools | 176 |
| 2 phase out | 678 |
| 8 don't know | 22 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q605 WaleParl** An issue in Wales is the question of an elected assembly - a special parliament for Wales dealing with Welsh affairs. Which of these statements comes closest to your view.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Wales should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 123 | 41 | 38 |
| 2 Wales should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 222 | 109 | 49 |
| 3 Wales should remain part of the UK, with its own elected assembly which has some taxation powers. | 987 | 326 | 227 |
| 4 Wales should remain part of the UK, with its own elected assembly which has no taxation powers. | 472 | 93 | 88 |
| 5 Wales should remain part of the UK without an elected assembly. | 701 | 122 | 121 |
| 8 don't know | 222 | 184 | 177 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 7 | 5 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q606 ScotParL** An issue in Scotland is the question of an elected parliament - a special parliament for Scotland dealing with Scottish affairs. Which of these statements comes closest to your view.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 149 | 69 | 39 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 231 | 158 | 52 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 1028 | 368 | 233 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 457 | 81 | 83 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 644 | 156 | 114 |
| 8 don't know | 218 | 44 | 179 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 | 6 | 5 |

**Notes:** *Shc*

**q607 ScotPar2** And which would be your second preference?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 93 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 146 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 177 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 249 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 96 |
| 8 don't know | 69 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 52 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q608 ScotPCon** Which of these statements, do you think, comes closest to the view of the Conservative Party?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 13 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 25 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 49 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 92 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 590 |
| 8 don't know | 105 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 8 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q609 ScotPLab** Which of these statements, do you think, comes closest to the view of the Labour Party?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 22 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 60 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 409 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 175 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 87 |
| 8 don't know | 121 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 8 |

**Notes***: SO. Shc*

**q610 ScotPLD** Which of these statements, do you think, comes closest to the view of the Liberal Democrats?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 12 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 38 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 286 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 115 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 115 |
| 8 don't know | 308 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 8 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q611 ScotPSNP** Which of these statements, do you think, comes closest to the view of the Scottish National Party?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK and the European Union. | 294 |
| 2 Scotland should become independent, separate from the UK but part of the European Union. | 383 |
| 3 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has some taxation powers. | 71 |
| 4 Scotland should remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament which has no taxation powers. | 10 |
| 5 Scotland should remain part of the UK without an elected parliament. | 14 |
| 8 don't know | 102 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 8 |

**Notes:** *SO Shc*

**q612 ScotPVot** When you were deciding about voting in the general election, how important was this issue to you? Scottish Parliament. Was it ….

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 extremely important | 145 |
| 2 important | 295 |
| 3 not very important | 269 |
| 4 not at all important | 140 |
| 8 don't know | 26 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q613 ScoPRef1** There are proposals to hold a referendum in Scotland to find out whether people want a Scottish Parliament to be set up. In such a referendum - supposing you had to vote 'yes' or 'no' to the following questions - how would you vote?

Should there be a Scottish parliament within the UK?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 638 |
| 2 no | 179 |
| 3 would not vote in referendum | 16 |
| 4 other answer | 2 |
| 8 don't know | 40 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**ScoPRef2** Scottish referendum - tax raising powers.

**q615 ScoPRef2** In such a referendum - supposing you had to vote 'yes' or 'no' to this questions - how would you vote?

Should a Scottish parliament be able to increase or decrease income tax within a limit of 3 pence in the pound?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 yes | 565 |
| 2 no | 224 |
| 3 would not vote in referendum | 17 |
| 4 other answer | 2 |
| 8 don't know | 68 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 6 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q617 ScPUnemp** Now supposing that a Scottish parliament within the UK were set up. As a result of this Scottish parliament, would unemployment in Scotland become higher, lower or would it make no difference? [If higher or lower] Is that a lot higher/lower or a little higher/lower?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot higher | 34 |
| 2 a little higher | 87 |
| 3 no difference | 328 |
| 4 a little lower | 284 |
| 5 a lot lower | 46 |
| 8 don't know | 96 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q618 ScPTax** As a result of this Scottish parliament, would taxes in Scotland become higher, lower or would it make no difference? [If higher or lower] Is that a lot higher/lower or a little higher/lower?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot higher | 75 |
| 2 a little higher | 416 |
| 3 no difference | 238 |
| 4 a little lower | 68 |
| 5 a lot lower | - |
| 8 don't know | 78 |
| 9 Not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q619 ScPEcon** As a result of this Scottish parliament, would Scotland's economy become better, worse or would it make no difference? [If better or worse] Is that a lot better/worse or a little better/worse?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 115 |
| 2 a little better | 358 |
| 3 no difference | 211 |
| 4 a little worse | 91 |
| 5 a lot worse | 26 |
| 8 don't know | 74 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q620 ScPNHS** And as a result of this Scottish parliament, would the standard of the health service in Scotland become better, worse or would it make no difference? [If better or worse] Is that a lot better/worse or a little better/worse?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 152 |
| 2 a little better | 374 |
| 3 no difference | 225 |
| 4 a little worse | 37 |
| 5 a lot worse | 11 |
| 8 don't know | 76 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**ScPEduc** Education.

**q62 ScPEduc** As a result of this Scottish parliament, would the quality of education in Scotland become better, worse or would it make no difference? [If better or worse] Is that a lot better/worse or a little better/worse?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 156 |
| 2 a little better | 392 |
| 3 no difference | 224 |
| 4 a little worse | 24 |
| 5 a lot worse | 8 |
| 8 don't know | 71 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

**q622 ScPWelf** As a result of this Scottish parliament, would the standard of social welfare in Scotland become better, worse or would it make no difference? [If better or worse] Is that a lot better/worse or a little better/worse?

| | Scotland |
|---|---|
| 1 a lot better | 73 |
| 2 a little better | 347 |
| 3 no difference | 316 |
| 4 a little worse | 43 |
| 5 a lot worse | 14 |
| 8 don't know | 82 |
| 9 not answered/refused | 7 |

**Notes:** *SO*

# Classification

**q628 Rsex** Now some questions about yourself and your background. [Interviewer codes respondents sex]

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 male | 1273 | 376 | 344 |
| 2 female | 1460 | 506 | 361 |

**q630 Rage** What was your age last birthday ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic Minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| Range 18 - 97 | | | |
| 98 don't know | - | 2 | 3 |
| 99 not answered | 9 | 7 | 8 |

**Note:** *For respondents aged 97+, 97 coded*

**q634 Househld** Including yourself, how many people live here regularly as members of this household ? [include children].

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 one person | 718 | 230 | 105 |
| 2 two people | 914 | 268 | 114 |
| 3 three people | 444 | 163 | 132 |
| 4 four people | 463 | 145 | 136 |
| 5 five people | 138 | 52 | 100 |
| 6 six people | 40 | 14 | 61 |
| 7 seven people | 10 | 3 | 29 |
| 8 eight people | 2 | 0 | 14 |
| 9 nine people | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| 10 ten people | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| 11 eleven people | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 12 twelve people | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 thirteen people | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 14 fourteen people | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 fifteen people | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 98 don't know | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 99 not answered | 0 | 6 | 4 |

**q636** And how many of those are aged under 18 ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 1803 | 568 | 284 |
| 1 one child | 361 | 144 | 123 |
| 2 two children | 416 | 110 | 151 |
| 3 three children | 113 | 43 | 76 |
| 4 four children | 30 | 8 | 41 |
| 5 five children | 7 | 2 | 14 |
| 6 six children | 2 | 0 | 9 |
| 7 seven children | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8 eight children | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 9 nine children | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 10 ten children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 11 eleven children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 twelve children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 thirteen children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14 fourteen children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 99 not answered | 0 | 6 | 5 |

**q638 Numch5** And how many of those are aged under 5 ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 2393 | 759 | 509 |
| 1 one child | 251 | 87 | 130 |
| 2 two children | 82 | 27 | 50 |
| 3 three children | 7 | 3 | 9 |
| 4 four children | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 5 five children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 six children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 seven children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 eight children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9 nine children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 ten children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 11 eleven children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 twelve children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 thirteen children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14 fourteen children | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 99 not answered | 0 | 6 | 5 |

**q639 Marstat2** Can I just check, which of these applies to you at present ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 married | 1415 | 455 | 377 |
| 2 living as married | 175 | 35 | 29 |
| 3 separated (after being married) | 91 | 41 | 51 |
| 4 divorced | 216 | 49 | 32 |
| 5 widowed | 342 | 117 | 18 |
| 6 Single (never married) | 489 | 178 | 193 |
| 8 don't know | 0 | 1 | - |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 6 | 5 |

**Notes** *Shc - Card GG*

**q643 Fvoted** Do you remember which party your father usually voted for when you were growing up ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 did not vote | 44 | 17 | 18 |
| 1 Conservative/National Liberal | 758 | 143 | 35 |
| 2 Labour | 1156 | 438 | 242 |
| 3 Liberal/Alliance/SDP/Liberal Democrat | 129 | 39 | 1 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | 4 | 39 | 0 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 other | 8 | 2 | 0 |
| 8 varied | 7 | 2 | 2 |
| 96 not applicable/Not brought up in Britain | 139 | 14 | 312 |
| 97 refused to disclose voting | 19 | 10 | 4 |
| 98 can't remember/Don't know | 464 | 175 | 88 |
| 99 not answered | 0 | 3 | 3 |

**q645 MVoted** Do you remember which party your mother usually voted for when you were growing up?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 did not vote | 71 | 16 | 20 |
| 1 Conservative/National Liberal | 789 | 156 | 27 |
| 2 Labour | 1050 | 409 | 254 |
| 3 Liberal/Alliance/SDP/Liberal Democrat | 165 | 50 | 4 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | 5 | 42 | 0 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 other | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| 8 varied | 13 | 5 | 3 |
| 96 not applicable/Not brought up in Britain | 137 | 11 | 310 |
| 97 refused to disclose voting | 25 | 9 | 5 |
| 98 can't remember/Don't know | 468 | 180 | 79 |
| 99 not answered | 0 | 3 | 3 |

**q647 FjobObt** Thinking back to when you were about 14, what job did your Father have then ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 details of father's job given | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| 2 no details obtained | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**q648 MJobObt** Can I just check how about your mother, what job did she have when you were about 14?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 details of mother's job given | 114 | 33 | 29 |
| 2 Mother did not normally work (when respondent was 14) | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| 3 no details obtained for other reason | 48 | 24 | 44 |
| -1 skipped, fathers job details given | 2427 | 771 | 568 |

## Section 15.4 Father's job details

**q654 Femploye** Was he …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 an employee | 1990 | 635 | 374 |
| 2 self-employed | 424 | 121 | 185 |
| 8 don't know | 13 | 13 | 8 |
| 9 not answered | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| -1 skipped, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**Note**: *If father's job details obtained.*

**q655 SupMan** Can I just check, was he …

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a manager | 377 | 87 | 59 |
| 2 a foreman or supervisor | 428 | 146 | 66 |
| 3 not | 1157 | 390 | 245 |
| 8 don't know | 41 | 25 | 12 |
| 9 not answered | - | - | 1 |
| -1 skip, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |
| -2 skip, self employed | 424 | 121 | 185 |

**Notes:** *called [FsupMan ] on SPSS file*

**q656 Fempwork** IF EMPLOYEE: Including your father, roughly how many people were employed at the place where he worked ?

IF SELF EMPLOYED: Did he have any employees ? If Yes: How many ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 none | 153 | 44 | 66 |
| 1 fewer than 10 | 410 | 143 | 99 |
| 2 10 - 24 | 241 | 70 | 42 |
| 3 25 -99 | 352 | 103 | 74 |
| 4 100 - 499 | 505 | 134 | 97 |
| 5 500 or more | 526 | 176 | 85 |
| 8 don't know | 240 | 100 | 104 |
| 9 not answered | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| -1 skip, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**Notes:** *Called [FempWork] on SPSS file*

**q657 FSOC** Father's Standard Occupational Classification

**q670 FSEG2** Father's Socio-Economic Group (20 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 employer - large organisation | 18 | 3 | 9 |
| 2 manager - large organisation | 197 | 41 | 28 |
| 3 employer - small organisation | 171 | 48 | 65 |
| 4 manager - small organisation | 100 | 31 | 10 |
| 5 professional worker - self-employed | 20 | 7 | 9 |
| 6 professional worker - employee | 76 | 21 | 21 |
| 7 interm non-manual - ancillary | 81 | 28 | 19 |
| 8 interm non-manual - supervisor | 56 | 16 | 21 |
| 9 junior non-manual worker | 130 | 33 | 15 |
| 10 personal service worker | 15 | 2 | 6 |
| 11 foreman/supervisor - manual | 294 | 97 | 40 |
| 12 skilled manual worker | 573 | 194 | 101 |
| 13 semi-skilled manual worker | 243 | 87 | 56 |
| 14 unskilled manual worker | 121 | 47 | 43 |
| 15 own account worker (not professional) | 111 | 30 | 39 |
| 16 farmer - employer/manager | 47 | 13 | 24 |
| 17 farmer - own account | 26 | 14 | 21 |
| 18 agricultural worker | 68 | 22 | 14 |
| 19 armed forces | 34 | 9 | 8 |
| 20 inadequately described/not stated | 46 | 28 | 19 |
| -1 skipped, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**Note:** *dv*

**q674 FSOCCla2** Father's Social Class (7 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I (SC = 1) | 97 | 28 | 33 |
| 2 II (SC = 2) | 537 | 149 | 145 |
| 3 III (non-man) (SC = 3) | 217 | 58 | 44 |
| 4 III (manual) (SC = 4) | 1043 | 331 | 194 |
| 5 IV (SC = 5) | 326 | 118 | 82 |
| 6 V (SC = 6) | 127 | 50 | 43 |
| 7 armed forces | 34 | 9 | 8 |
| 8 insufficient information | 46 | 28 | 19 |
| -1 skipped, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**Note:** *dv*

**q677 FGHClass** Father's Goldthorpe-Heath Class (full)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 service class, higher | 312 | 71 | 75 |
| 2 service class, lower | 235 | 69 | 40 |
| 3 routine non-manual | 93 | 22 | 14 |
| 4 personal service | 9 | 3 | 62 |
| 5 small proprietors, with empl | 164 | 48 | 34 |
| 6 small proprietors, no empl | 102 | 26 | - |
| 7 farmers & smallholders | 81 | 25 | 41 |
| 8 foreman & technicians | 356 | 114 | 57 |
| 9 skilled manual workers | 410 | 141 | 70 |
| 10 semi and unskilled manual workers | 512 | 179 | 126 |
| 11 agricultural workers | 61 | 21 | 9 |
| 99 insufficient info | 92 | 52 | 40 |
| -1 skip, no job details | 306 | 111 | 137 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**Mother's job details**

**q684 Memploye** Was she … Read Out ..

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 an employee | 102 | 28 | 25 |
| 2 self-employed | 10 | 4 | 4 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 | - |
| -1 father's job details obtained | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 mother did not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 no job details for mother | 48 | 24 | 44 |

**q685 MsupMan** (Can I just check), was she … Read Out ..

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a manager | 11 | 3 | 1 |
| 2 a foreman or supervisor | 14 | 2 | 5 |
| 3 not | 76 | 24 | 19 |
| 8 don't know | 3 | 0 | - |
| -1 father's job details obtained | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 mother did not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 no job details for mother | 48 | 24 | 44 |
| -4 skip, self employed | 10 | 4 | 4 |

**Notes:** *if 'employee'/DK at [Pemploye]*

**q686 Mempwork** IF EMPLOYEE: Including your mother, roughly how many people were employed at the place where she worked ?

IF SELF EMPLOYED: Did she have any employees ? If Yes: How many ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 no employees | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| 1 fewer than 10 | 29 | 13 | 3 |
| 2 10 - 24 | 17 | 9 | 6 |
| 3 25 - 99 | 20 | 4 | 5 |
| 4 100 - 499 | 29 | 4 | 7 |
| 5 500 or more | 14 | 2 | 4 |
| -1 father's job details obtained | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 mother did not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 no job details for mother | 48 | 24 | 44 |

**q687 MSOC** Mother's standard occupational classification

**q700 MSEG2** Mother's socio-economic Group (20 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 employer - large organisation | - | - | - |
| 2 manager - large organisation | 3 | - | - |
| 3 employer - small organisation | 5 | 3 | - |
| 4 manager - small organisation | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| 5 professional worker - self-emp | - | - | - |
| 6 professional worker - employee | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 7 interm non-manual - ancillary | 11 | - | 8 |
| 8 interm non-manual - supervisor | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| 9 junior non-manual worker | 18 | 5 | 1 |
| 10 personal service worker | 12 | 4 | 3 |
| 11 foreman/supervisor - manual | 1 | - | 1 |
| 12 skilled manual worker | 5 | - | - |
| 13 semi-skilled manual worker | 11 | 3 | 6 |
| 14 unskilled manual worker | 26 | 11 | 2 |
| 15 own account worker (not professional) | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| 16 farmer - employer/manager | - | - | - |
| 17 farmer - own account | - | - | 1 |
| 18 agricultural worker | 2 | 1 | - |
| 19 armed forces | - | - | - |
| 20 inadeq described/not stated | 4 | - | - |
| -1 skp, obt dad's job details | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 skp, mum not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 skp, mum job no details | 48 | 24 | 44 |

**Notes:** *dv, called [MSEG2] on SPSS file*

**q706 MSOCClas** Mother's social class (7 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I (SC = 1) | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 II (SC = 2) | 23 | 5 | 12 |
| 3 III (non-man) (SC = 3) | 23 | 7 | 2 |
| 4 III (manual) (SC = 4) | 16 | 2 | 5 |
| 5 IV (SC = 5) | 20 | 7 | 7 |
| 6 V (SC = 6) | 26 | 11 | 2 |
| 7 armed forces | - | - | - |
| 8 insufficient information | 4 | 0 | |
| -1 skip, obtained father's job details | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 skip, mother not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 skip, Mother no job details | 48 | 24 | 44 |

**Notes:** *dv, called [MSOCClas] on SPSS file*

**q707 MGHClass** Mother's Goldthorpe-Heath class (full)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 service class, higher | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 service class, lower | 19 | 4 | 7 |
| 3 routine non-manual | 12 | 3 | 1 |
| 4 personal service | 10 | 2 | 5 |
| 5 small proprietors, with empl | 4 | 3 | - |
| 6 small proprietors, no empl | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| 7 farmers & smallholders | - | - | 1 |
| 8 foreman & technicians | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 skilled manual workers | 8 | - | 1 |
| 10 semi and unskilled manual workers | 40 | 17 | 9 |
| 11 agricultural workers | 1 | 1 | - |
| 99 insufficient Info | 6 | - | - |
| -1 skp, obtained father's job details | 2427 | 771 | 568 |
| -2 skp, Mother not work | 144 | 54 | 64 |
| -3 skp, Mother no job details | 48 | 24 | 44 |

**Notes:** *dv*

## Respondent's economic activity

**q724 REConAct** Which of these descriptions applies to what you were doing last week, that is the seven days ending last Sunday ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 in full-time education (not paid for by employer, including on vacation) | 65 | 35 | 59 |
| 2 on government training/ employment programme (eg. Youth Training, Training for Work etc) | 10 | 5 | 6 |
| 3 in paid work (or away temporarily) for at least 10 hours in week | 1430 | 417 | 349 |
| 4 waiting to take up paid work already accepted | 11 | 1 | 2 |
| 5 unemployed and registered at a benefit office | 83 | 43 | 63 |
| 6 unemployed, not registered, but actively looking for a job (of at least 10 hrs a week) | 18 | 8 | 18 |
| 7 unemployed, wanting a job (of at least 10 hrs a week) but not actively looking for a job | 6 | 7 | 6 |
| 8 permanently sick or disabled | 118 | 53 | 38 |
| 9 wholly retired from work | 620 | 208 | 36 |
| 10 looking after the home | 350 | 96 | 120 |
| 11 doing something else | 21 | 3 | 3 |
| 99 not answered | 1 | 6 | 5 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card HH*

**q726 RlastJob** How long ago did you last have a paid job of at least 10 hours a week, excluding holiday jobs ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skp, working/ waiting | 1441 | 418 | 351 |
| 1 within past 12 months | 152 | 64 | 78 |
| 2 over 1, up to 5 years ago | 297 | 111 | 94 |
| 3 over 5, up to 10 years ago | 238 | 76 | 41 |
| 4 over 10, up to 20 years ago | 325 | 100 | 32 |
| 5 over 20 years ago | 195 | 65 | 2 |
| 6 never had a paid job of 10+ hours a week | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 7 | 8 |

**Notes:** *Ask all not in paid work nor waiting to take up work*
*Government programmes/ schemes do not count as 'paid jobs'*
*Probe for correct precode*

**q727 UnionSA2** Are you now a member of a trade union or staff association ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes: trade union | 482 | 176 | 100 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 86 | 33 | 26 |
| 3 no | 2163 | 663 | 569 |
| 8 don't know | 0 | 2 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 2 | 8 | 5 |

**Notes:** *Probe as necessary. Code first to apply.*

**q730 TUSAOth** Is anyone else in the household also a member of a trade union or staff association?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes: trade union | 57 | 24 | 20 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 6 | 3 | 6 |
| 3 no | 354 | 118 | 161 |
| 8 don't know | 16 | 11 | 7 |
| 9 not answered | - | 6 | 4 |
| -2 skip, married/living as | 1590 | 490 | 406 |
| -1 skip only one in household | 710 | 230 | 101 |

**Notes:** *As if not married/living as married and more than one person in household*
*Probe as necessary. Code first to apply*

**q731 TUSAEver** Have you yourself ever been a member of a trade union or staff association?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes: trade union | 833 | 261 | 118 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 88 | 26 | 13 |
| 3 no | 1238 | 374 | 437 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 2 | 10 | 10 |
| -1 skip, now TU/SA member | 568 | 209 | 126 |

**Notes:** *Ask if 'no' at [UnionSA2]*
*Probe as necessary. Code first to apply*

## Respondent's job details

**q735 Remploye** (Can I just check) are/will/were you…

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 an employee | 2314 | 750 | 523 |
| 2 self-employed | 333 | 81 | 74 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 10 | 11 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |

**Notes:** *As all in work, waiting to take up a job or ever worked*

**q736 RsupMan** (Can I just check), are you ….

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a manager | 405 | 91 | 57 |
| 2 a foreman or supervisor | 337 | 115 | 69 |
| 3 not | 1573 | 544 | 398 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 10 | 11 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| -2 skip, self-employed | 333 | 81 | 74 |

**Notes:** *Ask all who is/was employed/DK*

**q737 RocSect2** Which of the types of organisation on this card (do you work/will you be working/did you work) for ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 PRIVATE SECTOR FIRM OR COMPANY - Incl e.g limited comps & PLCs | 1566 | 478 | 359 |
| 2 NATIONALISED INDUSTRY OR PUBLIC CORPORATION - Incl e.g. the Post Office and the BBC | 111 | 27 | 31 |
| 3 OTHER PUBLIC SECTOR EMPLOYER Incl e.g. - Central govt/ Civil Service/ Govt Agency - Local authority/ Local Education Authority (incl `opted out' Schools) - Universities - Health Authority/ NHS hospitals/ NHS Trusts/ GP surgeries - Police/ Armed forces | 580 | 226 | 128 |
| 4 CHARITY/ VOLUNTARY SECTOR Incl e.g. charitable companies, churches, trade unions | 39 | 15 | 3 |
| 7 OTHER ORGANISATION (WRITE IN) | 15 | 2 | 1 |
| 8 don't know | 3 | 2 | - |
| 9 not answered | 6 | 10 | 13 |
| -1 never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |
| -2 self-employed | 333 | 81 | 74 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card II*
*Ask all who is/was employee/DK*

**q741 RempWork** IF EMPLOYEE: Including yourself, how many people (are/were) employed At the place where you usually (work/will work/worked)?
IF SELF-EMPLOYED: (Do/Will/Did) you have any employees ? If Yes: How many?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 no employees | 199 | 48 | 53 |
| 1 fewer than 10 | 466 | 171 | 97 |
| 2 10 - 24 | 375 | 130 | 80 |
| 3 25 - 99 | 566 | 159 | 123 |
| 4 100 - 499 | 548 | 166 | 127 |
| 5 500 or more | 470 | 148 | 108 |
| 8 don't know | 24 | 9 | 9 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 10 | 12 |
| -1 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |

**Notes:** *Ask all in work, waiting to take up a job or ever worked*
*Probe for correct precode*

**q742 RjbHrs1** How many hours (do/will/did) you normally work a week in your main job - including any paid or unpaid overtime ?

Range 3 … 96

**q764 RSEG2** Respondent's socio-economic group (20 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 employer - large organisation | 9 | - | 1 |
| 2 manager - large organisation | 218 | 49 | 20 |
| 3 employer - small organisation | 86 | 18 | 16 |
| 4 manager - small organisation | 119 | 31 | 14 |
| 5 professional worker - self-emp | 27 | 15 | 4 |
| 6 professional worker - employee | 90 | 19 | 18 |
| 7 interm non-manual - ancillary | 295 | 88 | 74 |
| 8 interm non-manual - supervisor | 116 | 28 | 35 |
| 9 junior non-manual worker | 483 | 167 | 106 |
| 10 personal service worker | 157 | 46 | 50 |
| 11 foreman/supervisor - manual | 112 | 47 | 20 |
| 12 skilled manual worker | 285 | 84 | 65 |
| 13 semi-skilled manual worker | 302 | 93 | 98 |
| 14 unskilled manual worker | 140 | 89 | 30 |
| 15 own account worker (not professional) | 157 | 35 | 41 |
| 16 farmer - employer/manager | 8 | 3 | 1 |
| 17 farmer - own account | 5 | 4 | - |
| 18 agricultural worker | 22 | 11 | 1 |
| 19 armed forces | 5 | 1 | - |
| 20 inadeq described/not stated | 17 | 13 | 15 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**q768 RSOCCla2** Respondent's RG social class (7 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I (SC = 1) | 117 | 34 | 22 |
| 2 II (SC = 2) | 716 | 189 | 132 |
| 3 III (non-man) (SC = 3) | 626 | 205 | 152 |
| 4 III (manual) (SC = 4) | 571 | 169 | 127 |
| 5 IV (SC = 5) | 449 | 141 | 131 |
| 6 V (SC = 6) | 152 | 89 | 30 |
| 7 armed forces | 5 | 1 | - |
| 8 insufficient information | 17 | 13 | 15 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**q771 RGHclass** Respondent's Goldthorpe-Heath class (full)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 service class, higher | 371 | 87 | 50 |
| 2 service class, lower | 454 | 124 | 99 |
| 3 routine non-manual | 337 | 102 | 79 |
| 4 personal service | 216 | 86 | 57 |
| 5 small proprietors, with empl | 76 | 14 | 14 |
| 6 small proprietors, no empl | 146 | 31 | 40 |
| 7 farmers & smallholders | 19 | 8 | 1 |
| 8 foreman & technicians | 177 | 71 | 35 |
| 9 skilled manual workers | 241 | 69 | 56 |
| 10 semi and unskilled manual workers | 562 | 219 | 161 |
| 11 agricultural workers | 19 | 10 | 1 |
| 99 insufficient info | 35 | 20 | 16 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 80 | 41 | 96 |

**Notes:** *dv1*

## Spouse's/partner's economic activity

**q795 Seconact** Which of these descriptions applies to what your partner was doing last week, that is the seven days ending last Sunday?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 in full-time education (not paid for by employer, including on vacation) | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| 2 on government training/ employment programme (eg. Youth Training, Training for Work etc) | 2 | - | 2 |
| 3 in paid work (or away temporarily) for at least 10 hours in week | 951 | 281 | 209 |
| 4 waiting to take up paid work already accepted | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| 5 unemployed and registered at a benefit office | 36 | 14 | 26 |
| 6 unemployed, not registered, but actively looking for a job (of at least 10 hrs a week) | 9 | 4 | 8 |
| 7 unemployed, wanting a job (of at least 10 hrs a week) but not actively looking for a job | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| 8 permanently sick or disabled | 35 | 23 | 12 |
| 9 wholly retired from work | 293 | 80 | 14 |
| 10 looking after the home | 237 | 78 | 111 |
| 11 doing something else | 11 | 3 | 12 |
| 99 not answered | 7 | 9 | 11 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card KK*
*Ask all married or living as married*
*Original quewstion is mc - Seconact is first code on the above list*

**q796 SlastJob** How long ago did he/she last have a paid job of at least 10 hours a week, excluding holiday jobs?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 within past 12 months | 64 | 20 | 23 |
| 2 over 1, up to 5 years ago | 164 | 48 | 49 |
| 3 over 5, up to 10 years ago | 137 | 46 | 18 |
| 4 over 10, up to 20 years ago | 154 | 47 | 8 |
| 5 over 20 years ago | 65 | 23 | 6 |
| 6 never had a paid job of 10+ hours a week | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| 9 not answered | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| -2 skip, working/working | 956 | 282 | 210 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *Ask all whose spouse/ partner is not in paid work nor waiting to take up work*
*Government programmes/ schemes do not count as 'paid jobs'*
*Probe for correct precode*

**q797 SunioSA2** Is your husband/wife/partner now a member of a trade union or staff association?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes: trade union | 297 | 100 | 63 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 57 | 19 | 13 |
| 3 no | 1219 | 362 | 311 |
| 8 don't know | 14 | 7 | 15 |
| 9 not answered | 8 | 9 | 9 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** Ask all married or living as married
PROBE AS NECESSARY. CODE FIRST TO APPLY.

**q799 TUSAOth2** Is anyone else in the household, other than you or your wife/husband/partner, a member of a trade union or staff association?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes: trade union | 37 | 14 | 5 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 8 | 3 | 2 |
| 3 no | 1172 | 341 | 302 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 4 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 22 | 16 | 24 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |
| -2 partner is a member | 354 | 119 | 76 |

**Notes:** *If 'no' at [SunioSA2]*
*[UnionSA2] - [TUSAOth2]*
PROBE AS NECESSARY. CODE FIRST TO APPLY.

**q801 STUSAEvr** Has your wife/husband/partner ever been a member of a trade union or staff association?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -2 partner now TU/SA member | 354 | 119 | 76 |
| 1 yes: trade union | 367 | 105 | 32 |
| 2 yes: staff association | 24 | 14 | 3 |
| 3 no | 795 | 231 | 273 |
| 8 don't know | 33 | 12 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 22 | 16 | 24 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *If 'no' at [SunioSA2]*
PROBE AS NECESSARY. CODE FIRST TO APPLY.

## Spouse's/ Partner's job details

**q805 Semploye** (Can I just check,) (is/will/was) (he/she) (be)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 an employee | 1309 | 415 | 263 |
| 2 self-employed | 228 | 50 | 50 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 11 | 13 | 15 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |
| -2 skip, partner never had a job | 45 | 19 | 82 |

**q806 SsupMan** (Can I just check), (is/will/was) (he/she) (be)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 a manager | 243 | 64 | 23 |
| 2 a foreman or supervisor | 180 | 78 | 37 |
| 3 not | 880 | 273 | 203 |
| 8 don't know | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 11 | 13 | 15 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |
| -2 partner never had job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| -3 skip, self-employed | 228 | 50 | 50 |

**Notes:** *Ask all whose spouse/partner is/was employee/DK*

**q807 SocSect2** Which of the types of organisation on this card (does/will/did) (he/she) (work/be working) for?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 PRIVATE SECTOR FIRM OR COMPANY - Incl e.g limited comps & PLCs | 853 | 263 | 187 |
| 2 NATIONALISED INDUSTRY OR PUBLIC CORPORATION - Incl e.g. the Post Office and the BBC | 48 | 12 | 16 |
| 3 OTHER PUBLIC SECTOR EMPLOYER Incl e.g. - Central govt/ Civil Service/ Govt Agency - Local authority/ Local Education Authority (incl `opted out' Schools) - Universities - Health Authority/ NHS hospitals/ NHS Trusts/ GP Surgeries - Police/ Armed forces | 386 | 133 | 57 |
| 4 CHARITY/ VOLUNTARY SECTOR Incl e.g. charitable companies, churches, trade unions | 19 | 7 | 1 |
| 7 OTHER ORGANISATION | 2 | - | - |
| 8 don't know | 3 | - | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 11 | 13 | 16 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |
| -2 skip, partner never had job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| -3 skip, self-employed | 228 | 50 | 50 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card LL*

**q810 SempWork** If employee: Including your (wife/husband/partner) how many people (are/were) employed at the place where (he/she) usually (works/will work/worked) (from)?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 exempt code | 138 | 35 | 27 |
| 1 fewer than 10 | 244 | 79 | 44 |
| 2 10 -24 | 232 | 65 | 53 |
| 3 25 -99 | 300 | 89 | 52 |
| 4 100 - 499 | 331 | 94 | 66 |
| 5 500 or more | 248 | 76 | 46 |
| 8 don't know | 45 | 27 | 24 |
| 9 not answered | 12 | 13 | 17 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 45 | 19 | 82 |

**Notes:** *Do not use 0 exempt code if employee*

**q811 SjbHrsI** How many hours (do/will/did) (he/she) normally work a week in (his/her) main job - including any paid or unpaid overtime ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| Range 10 - 94 | | | |
| 95 95+ hours | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| 96 varies too much to say | 39 | 14 | 8 |
| 98 don’t know | 15 | 11 | 3 |
| 99 not answered | 12 | 13 | 16 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Range:** 10 .. 94

**q812 SscHrsI** How many hours (do/will/did) (he/she) normally work a week in (his/her) current training scheme - including any paid or unpaid overtime ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| Range 10 - 94 | | | |
| -2 skip, not training scheme | 1586 | 488 | 398 |
| 99 not answered | 7 | 9 | 11 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Range:** *10 .. 94*

**q832 SSEG2** Spouse's socio-economic group (20 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 employer - large organisation | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 manager - large organisation | 155 | 37 | 14 |
| 3 employer - small organisation | 64 | 8 | 15 |
| 4 manager - small organisation | 60 | 16 | 3 |
| 5 professional worker - self-emp | 13 | 8 | 8 |
| 6 professional worker - employee | 50 | 14 | 11 |
| 7 interm non-manual - ancillary | 168 | 53 | 26 |
| 8 interm non-manual - supervisor | 55 | 17 | 12 |
| 9 junior non-manual worker | 279 | 70 | 56 |
| 10 personal service worker | 77 | 18 | 18 |
| 11 foreman/supervisor - manual | 64 | 30 | 14 |
| 12 skilled manual worker | 160 | 57 | 28 |
| 13 semi-skilled manual worker | 164 | 53 | 65 |
| 14 unskilled manual worker | 81 | 43 | 15 |
| 15 own account worker (not professional) | 101 | 28 | 21 |
| 16 farmer - employer/manager | 8 | 2 | - |
| 17 farmer - own account | 6 | 1 | - |
| 18 agricultural worker | 17 | 3 | - |
| 19 armed forces | 3 | - | - |
| 20 inadeq described/not stated | 22 | 19 | 22 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| -1 Not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**q836 SSOCCla2** Spouse's RG social class (7 categories)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 I (SC = 1) | 63 | 22 | 19 |
| 2 II (SC = 2) | 436 | 114 | 55 |
| 3 III (non-man) (SC = 3) | 362 | 95 | 70 |
| 4 III (manual) (SC = 4) | 320 | 120 | 68 |
| 5 IV (SC = 5) | 256 | 65 | 80 |
| 6 V (SC = 6) | 88 | 43 | 15 |
| 7 armed forces | 3 | - | - |
| 8 insufficient information | 22 | 19 | 22 |
| -2 skip, never had a job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**q839 SGHClass** Spouse's Goldthorpe-Heath class (full)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 service class, higher | 234 | 58 | 32 |
| 2 service class, lower | 252 | 81 | 37 |
| 3 routine non-manual | 206 | 40 | 34 |
| 4 personal service | 101 | 38 | 24 |
| 5 small proprietors, with empl | 56 | 8 | 15 |
| 6 small proprietors, no empl | 90 | 25 | 19 |
| 7 farmers & smallholders | 17 | 3 | - |
| 8 foreman & technicians | 105 | 48 | 31 |
| 9 skilled manual workers | 120 | 44 | 20 |
| 10 semi and unskilled manual workers | 313 | 110 | 93 |
| 11 agricultural workers | 13 | 3 | - |
| 99 insufficient Info | 43 | 20 | 24 |
| -2 skip, never had job | 45 | 19 | 82 |
| -1 not married/living as | 1138 | 385 | 294 |

**Notes:** *dv*

**q844 RraceOri** To which of these groups does your (wife/husband/partner) belong?

| | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|
| 1 BLACK: of African origin | 34 |
| 2 BLACK: of Caribbean origin | 42 |
| 3 BLACK: of other origin | 1 |
| 4 ASIAN: of Indian origin | 152 |
| 5 ASIAN: of Pakistani origin | 87 |
| 6 ASIAN: of Bangladeshi origin | 36 |
| 7 ASIAN: of Chinese origin | - |
| 8 ASIAN: of other origin | 12 |
| 9 WHITE: of any European origin | 28 |
| 10 WHITE: of other origin | 2 |
| 11 MIXED ORIGIN | 6 |
| 12 OTHER | 2 |
| 99 not answered | 9 |
| -1 skip, not married/living as married | 294 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card MM*
*Ethnic minority sample: Ask all who are married or living as married*

**q852 IncmSrc** Which of these is the main source of income for you (and your wife/husband/partner) at present?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 earnings from employment (own or spouse / partner's) | 1563 | 470 | 417 |
| 2 occupational pension(s) - from previous employer(s) | 286 | 78 | 17 |
| 3 state retirement or widow's pension(s) | 431 | 149 | 25 |
| 4 Jobseeker's Allowance / Unemployment benefit | 55 | 23 | 42 |
| 5 Income Suppport | 158 | 55 | 124 |
| 6 Family Credit | 16 | 8 | 5 |
| 7 invalidity, sickness or disabled pension or benefit(s) | 101 | 45 | 16 |
| 8 other state benefit | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| 9 interest from savings or investments | 42 | 7 | 4 |
| 10 student grant | 19 | 15 | 19 |
| 11 dependent on parents/other relatives | 27 | 13 | 19 |
| 12 other main source | 18 | 3 | 3 |
| 98 don't know | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| 99 not answered | 13 | 9 | 12 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card NN*

**q855 HLIncter** Income split-half

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 version A : showcard | 1260 | 402 | 304 |
| 2 version B : secret ballow | 1473 | 480 | 401 |

**q856 HhIncomA** Which of the letters on this card represents the total income of your household from all sources before tax - including benefits, saving and so on? Please just tell me the letter.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Q less than 3,999 | 71 | 45 | 28 |
| 2 T 4,000 - 5,999 | 124 | 43 | 31 |
| 3 O 6,000 - 7,999 | 105 | 34 | 32 |
| 4 K 8,000 - 9,999 | 72 | 19 | 28 |
| 5 L 10,000 - 11, 999 | 85 | 30 | 13 |
| 6 B 12,000 - 14,999 | 104 | 41 | 23 |
| 7 Z 15,000 - 17,999 | 78 | 22 | 15 |
| 8 M 18,000 - 19,999 | 58 | 8 | 16 |
| 9 F 20,000 - 22,999 | 64 | 23 | 10 |
| 10 J 23,000 - 25,999 | 69 | 19 | 15 |
| 11 D 26,000 - 28,999 | 65 | 9 | 8 |
| 12 H 29,000 - 31,999 | 41 | 14 | 5 |
| 13 C 32,000 - 34,999 | 33 | 9 | 7 |
| 14 G 35,000 - 37,999 | 17 | 8 | 4 |
| 15 P 38,000 - 40,999 | 38 | 3 | 4 |
| 16 N 41,000 or more | 113 | 24 | 14 |
| 97 refusal | 78 | 28 | 28 |
| 98 don't know | 45 | 23 | 23 |
| -1 skp, secret ballot | 1473 | 480 | 401 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card OO*
*Random half 'A' of the sample: Ask all*

**q857 HhIncomB** What is the total income of your household from all sources before tax - including benefits, savings and so on? Please just tick one of the boxes on this form. When you have finished, please fold the form and put it into the envelope.

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | |
| 1 Q less than 3,999 | 105 | 47 | 36 |
| 2 T 4,000 - 5,999 | 169 | 59 | 43 |
| 3 O 6,000 - 7,999 | 100 | 34 | 40 |
| 4 K 8,000 - 9,999 | 82 | 39 | 25 |
| 5 L 10,000 - 11,999 | 79 | 33 | 28 |
| 6 B 12,000 - 14,999 | 97 | 33 | 30 |
| 7 Z 15,000 - 17,999 | 94 | 23 | 19 |
| 8 M 18,000 -19,999 | 70 | 19 | 16 |
| 9 F 20,000 - 22,999 | 86 | 16 | 13 |
| 10 J 23,000 - 25,999 | 75 | 14 | 20 |
| 11 D 26,000 - 28,999 | 54 | 18 | 6 |
| 12 H 29,000 - 31,999 | 43 | 8 | 5 |
| 13 C 32,000 - 34,999 | 30 | 14 | 2 |
| 14 G 35,000 - 37,999 | 21 | 11 | 5 |
| 15 P 38,000 - 40,999 | 25 | 7 | 10 |
| 16 N 41,000 or more | 104 | 21 | 10 |
| 95 defaced ballot | 24 | 5 | 3 |
| 96 multi-coded ballot | - | - | 1 |
| 97 refusal | 11 | 1 | 2 |
| 98 don't know | 19 | 4 | 4 |
| 99 not answered | 55 | 31 | 27 |
| -2 skp, showcard | 1260 | 402 | 304 |
| -1 no ballot form returned | 130 | 43 | 56 |

**Notes:** *Random half 'B' of the sample: Ask all*

RETRIEVE ENVELOPE

**q860 HHIncome**

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Q less than 3,999 | 176 | 92 | 64 |
| 2 T 4,000 to 5,999 | 293 | 102 | 74 |
| 3 O 6,000 to 7,999 | 205 | 68 | 72 |
| 4 K 8,000 to 9,999 | 154 | 58 | 53 |
| 5 L 10,000 - 11,999 | 164 | 63 | 41 |
| 6 B 12,000 - 14,999 | 201 | 74 | 53 |
| 7 Z 15,000 - 17,999 | 172 | 45 | 34 |
| 8 M 18,000 - 19,999 | 128 | 27 | 32 |
| 9 F 20,000 - 22,999 | 150 | 39 | 23 |
| 10 J 23,000 - 25,999 | 144 | 33 | 35 |
| 11 D 26,000 - 28,999 | 119 | 27 | 14 |
| 12 H 29,000 - 31,999 | 84 | 22 | 10 |
| 13 C 32,000 - 34,999 | 63 | 23 | 9 |
| 14 G 35,000 - 37,999 | 38 | 19 | 9 |
| 15 P 38,000 - 40,999 | 63 | 10 | 14 |
| 16 N 41,000 or more | 217 | 45 | 24 |
| 95 defaced ballot | 24 | 5 | 3 |
| 96 multi coded ballot | - | - | 1 |
| 97 refusal | 89 | 29 | 30 |
| 98 don't know | - | 27 | 27 |
| 99 not answered | 55 | 31 | 27 |
| -1 form not completed | 130 | 43 | 56 |

**Notes:** *dv derived from [HhIncomA] and [HhIncomB]*

**q861 HhIncQua**

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 lowest quartile | 828 | 320 | 263 |
| 2 second quartile | 537 | 182 | 128 |
| 3 third quartile | 541 | 126 | 104 |
| 4 highest quartile | 465 | 119 | 66 |
| 95 defaced ballot | 24 | 5 | 3 |
| 96 multi coded ballot | - | - | 1 |
| 97 refusal | 89 | 29 | 30 |
| 98 don't know | 64 | 27 | 27 |
| 99 not answered | 55 | 31 | 27 |
| -1 form not completed | 130 | 43 | 56 |

**Notes:** *dv derived from [HhIncome]*

**q863 CarOwn** Do you, or does anyone else in your household, own or have the regular use of a car or van? IF YES: One car/van or more than one?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes, one | 1305 | 403 | 362 |
| 2 yes, two or more | 742 | 162 | 99 |
| 3 no | 682 | 310 | 233 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | - | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 7 | 8 |

**q864 HprivMed** Are you, or is anyone in your household, covered by a private health insurance scheme that allows you to get private medical treatment? IF YES: Through a group - for example, employer or trade union - or as an individual?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes, through group | 326 | 72 | 60 |
| 2 yes, individually | 219 | 37 | 53 |
| 3 no | 2172 | 764 | 578 |
| 8 don't know | 13 | 1 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 8 | 9 |

**Notes:** *If insurance covers dentistry only, code 'no'*

**865 OwnShare** Do you (or your wife/husband/partner) own any shares quoted on the Stock Exchange, including unit trusts and PEPs?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 971 | 276 | 139 |
| 2 no | 1744 | 591 | 554 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 4 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 14 | 11 | 10 |

**Notes:** *PEP = Personal Equity Plan*

**q866 TEA** How old were you when you completed your continuous full-time education?

IF 'HAD NO SCHOOLING AT ALL', CODE 0.
IF 'STILL IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION', CODE 97
Range: 0 ... 97

**School Qualifications**

**q867 SchQual** Have you passed any of the examinations on this card?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 1516 | 483 | 443 |
| 2 no | 1207 | 387 | 249 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 9 | 12 |

**Notes:** *Shc - Card PP*

**q868-884 Edqual1 to Edqual4** Which ones ? Any others ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skip, no school qualifications | 1207 | 387 | 249 |
| Edqual1: CSE grade 2-5, etc | 478 | 16 | 134 |
| Edqual2 : CSE grade 1, 'o' level, etc | 1186 | 381 | 274 |
| Edqual3: 'A' level | 489 | 223 | 124 |
| Edqual4: Overseas sch leaving exam | 62 | 4 | 97 |
| 98 don't know | - | 3 | - |
| 99 not answered | 11 | 12 | 13 |

**Notes:** *If 'yes' at [SchQual]*
*Shc - Card PP again*
*mc*
*See questionnaire for full details of qualifications asked about*

**Q910-922 Edqual5 to Edqual22** Which ones ? Any others ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| -1 skip, no post-school quals | 1411 | 474 | 394 |
| Edqual5: trade apprenticeship | 141 | 49 | 14 |
| Edqual6 : RSA etc | 211 | 39 | 32 |
| Edqual7: BEC ordinary etc | 114 | 62 | 54 |
| Edqual8: BEC Higher etc | 96 | 51 | 32 |
| Edqual9: Teacher traiing | 123 | 23 | 15 |
| Edqual10: Nursing qual | 55 | 19 | 23 |
| Edqual11: Other tech, business | 197 | 57 | 28 |
| Edqual12:Univ, CNAA, degree etc | 303 | 77 | 79 |
| Edqual13: Other voc/acad | 147 | 56 | 28 |
| Edqual14: NVQ/SVQ etc | 61 | 30 | 29 |
| 98 don't know | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 99 not answered | 10 | 11 | 12 |

**q928 HedQual** Highest qualification

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 degree | 303 | 77 | 79 |
| 2 higher educ below degree | 371 | 116 | 70 |
| 3 A level or equiv | 293 | 149 | 112 |
| 4 O level or equiv | 462 | 163 | 105 |
| 5 CSE or equiv | 333 | 65 | 70 |
| 6 foreign or other | 22 | 3 | 42 |
| 7 no qualification | 938 | 296 | 214 |
| 8 dk/refusal/NA | 11 | 13 | 13 |

**Notes:** *dv derived from [SchQual], [SchQFW], [PschQual] and [PschQFW]*

**q930 RprivSch** Did you go to a private, fee-paying primary or secondary school in Britain? IF YES: At primary level, secondary level, or both?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes - primary level | 65 | 15 | 11 |
| 2 yes - secondary level | 178 | 25 | 27 |
| 3 yes - both | 108 | 33 | 12 |
| 4 no - neither | 2378 | 799 | 645 |
| 8 don't know | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 9 | 9 |

**q931 PrvEdCon** Have you ever sent - or are you considering sending - any children in your care to a private fee-paying primary or secondary school in Britain?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes - sent in the past | 128 | 28 | 15 |
| 2 yes - sending now | 46 | 10 | 13 |
| 3 yes - considering | 111 | 14 | 61 |
| 4 no | 2010 | 681 | 496 |
| 5 never had any children in my care | 430 | 138 | 106 |
| 8 don't know | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 9 | 9 |

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**q932 Religion** Do you regard yourself as belonging to any particular religion ? If Yes: Which ?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 no religion | 891 | 270 | 100 |
| 1 Christian - no denomination | 147 | 52 | 54 |
| 2 Roman Catholic | 273 | 126 | 72 |
| 3 Church of England/ Anglican/Episcopal | 1118 | 27 | 45 |
| 4 Presbyterian/Church of Scotland | 17 | 365 | 1 |
| 5 Methodist | 84 | - | 6 |
| 6 Baptist | 39 | 8 | 11 |
| 7 United Reform Church (URC)/ Congregational | 6 | - | - |
| 8 Free Presbyterian | 1 | 2 | - |
| 9 Brethren | 4 | 2 | - |
| 10 other Protestant | 46 | 11 | 27 |
| 11 other Christian | 3 | - | 1 |
| 12 Jewish | 11 | 2 | - |
| 13 Hindu | 17 | - | 93 |
| 14 Islam/Muslim | 35 | 3 | 209 |
| 15 Sikh | 11 | 1 | 73 |
| 16 Buddhist | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| 17 other non-Christian | 14 | 1 | 2 |
| 97 refusal | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | - | - |

**ReligSum**

**q936 ReligSum** Respondent's religion

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Church of England/Anglican | 1118 | 27 | 45 |
| 2 Roman Catholic | 273 | 126 | 72 |
| 3 other Christian | 347 | 440 | 100 |
| 4 Non-Christian | 91 | 8 | 378 |
| 5 no religion | 891 | 270 | 100 |
| 9 refused/not answered/dk | 13 | 11 | 10 |

**Notes:** *dv derived from [Religion]*

**q938 Famrelig** In what religion, if any, were you brought up? What was your family's religion?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 no religion | 264 | 84 | 15 |
| 1 Christian - no denomination | 107 | 54 | 57 |
| 2 Roman Catholic | 348 | 156 | 84 |
| 3 Church of England/ Anglican/Episcopal | 1566 | 47 | 72 |
| 4 Presbyterian/Church of Scotland | 44 | 482 | 2 |
| 5 Methodist | 164 | 5 | 16 |
| 6 Baptist | 56 | 11 | 13 |
| 7 United Reform Church (URC)/ Congregational | 23 | 6 | - |
| 8 Free Presbyterian | 2 | 6 | - |
| 9 Brethren | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| 10 other Protestan | 42 | 8 | 24 |
| 11 other Christian | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| 12 Jewish | 15 | 3 | 1 |
| 13 Hindu | 22 | - | 110 |
| 14 Islam/Muslim | 36 | 3 | 215 |
| 15 Sikh | 13 | 1 | 77 |
| 16 Buddhist | 2 | - | 3 |
| 17 other non-Christian | 1 | - | 2 |
| 97 refusal | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 2 | - | 1 |
| -1 skip refused religion | 12 | 11 | 10 |

**Notes:** *If not refused at [Religion]*

**q942 RIFamSum** Respondent's upbringing (religion)

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Church of England/Anglican | 1566 | 47 | 72 |
| 2 Roman Catholic | 348 | 156 | 84 |
| 3 other Christian | 450 | 576 | 114 |
| 4 non-Christian | 89 | 7 | 408 |
| 5 no religion | 264 | 84 | 15 |
| 6 refused/not answered/dk | 16 | 12 | 12 |

**Notes:** *dv derived from [FamRelig]*

**q943 ChurchAt** Apart from such special occasions as weddings, funerals and baptisms and so on, how often nowadays do you attend services or meetings connected with your religion?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 once a week or more | 319 | 149 | 275 |
| 2 less often but at least once in two weeks | 56 | 28 | 45 |
| 3 less often but at least once a month | 140 | 50 | 73 |
| 4 less often but at least twice a year | 291 | 84 | 74 |
| 5 less often but at least once a year | 166 | 57 | 40 |
| 6 less often | 111 | 47 | 27 |
| 7 varies too much to say | 29 | 12 | 13 |
| 8 never or practically never | 1378 | 365 | 130 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | - | 1 |
| 99 not answered | - | - | 2 |
| -1 skip, no religion, no family relig | 229 | 78 | 14 |
| -2 skip, refused religion | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| -3 skip, no relig + fam relig | - | 1 | 1 |
| -4 skip, no relig + DK fam relig | 1 | - | - |

**Notes:** *If religion given at [Religion] or at [Famrelig]*

**q945 Religius** Would you say that nowadays you are:

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very religious | 223 | 59 | 205 |
| 2 somewhat religious | 841 | 289 | 289 |
| 3 not very religious | 899 | 282 | 133 |
| 4 not at all religious? | 758 | 239 | 64 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 8 | 11 | 12 |

**q947 LangHom1** Which language do you usually speak at home?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 English | 2643 | 862 | 359 |
| 2 another language | 87 | 15 | 339 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 5 | 7 |

**Notes:** *If several, probe for language used most*

**q950 TenurTyp**

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 private household | 2721 | 873 | 701 |
| 2 institution | 10 | 4 | - |
| 9 not answered | 2 | 5 | 4 |

**Notes:** *Ask all*

**q953 Tenure1** Does your household own or rent this accommodation?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 OWNS: Own (leasehold/freehold) outright | 790 | 189 | 118 |
| 2 OWNS: Buying (leasehold/ freehold) on mortgage | 1119 | 317 | 321 |
| 3 RENTS: Local authority/council | 437 | 273 | 125 |
| 5 RENTS: Housing Association/Housing Trust | 104 | 42 | 41 |
| 6 RENTS: Property company | 30 | 4 | 15 |
| 7 RENTS: Employer | 17 | 3 | - |
| 8 RENTS: Other organisation | 25 | 7 | 4 |
| 9 RENTS: Relative | 18 | 7 | 6 |
| 10 RENTS: Other individual | 156 | 20 | 61 |
| 11 RENTS: Housing Action Trust | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 12 rent free, squatting etc | 21 | 5 | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| 99 not answered | 4 | 8 | 9 |
| -1 skp, institution | 10 | 4 | - |

**q955 EvrByLAH** Have you yourself, or the person responsible for this accommodation, ever bought this or any past home from a local authority or housing association as a tenant?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes - present home | 189 | 132 | 33 |
| 2 yes - past home | 84 | 24 | 9 |
| 3 no | 2451 | 714 | 651 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 5 | 9 | 9 |

**Notes:** *'Local authority' includes GLC, London Residuary Body and New Town Development Corporations.*

**q956 Nghbrhd** How long have you lived in this neighbourhood?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| Range 0-97 | | | |
| 98 don't know | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 99 not answered | 6 | 10 | 11 |

**q957 Vote92** May I just check, thinking back to the last general election - that is the one in 1992 - do you remember which party you voted for then, or perhaps you didn't vote in that election?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 did not vote | 422 | 126 | 153 |
| 1 Conservative | 952 | 159 | 92 |
| 2 Labour | 857 | 325 | 346 |
| 3 Liberal Democrat | 277 | 63 | 12 |
| 4 Scottish National Party | 0 | 109 | - |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 14 | - | - |
| 6 Green Party | 9 | 4 | 1 |
| 7 other | 4 | 2 | - |
| 96 not eligible / too young to vote | 98 | 37 | 66 |
| 97 refused to disclose voting | 30 | 21 | 16 |
| 98 can't remember / don't know | 70 | 36 | 19 |

**q959 PtyMemb** Are you a member of a political party? IF YES: Which one?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 no - not a member | 2616 | 837 | 663 |
| 1 yes - Conservative | 47 | 13 | 9 |
| 2 yes - Labour | 51 | 15 | 25 |
| 3 yes - Liberal Democrat | 9 | 3 | - |
| 4 yes - Scottish National Party | 1 | 3 | - |
| 5 yes - Plaid Cymru | 1 | - | - |
| 97 yes - Other | 3 | - | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | - | - |
| 99 not answered | 4 | 11 | 7 |

**Notes:** *Include people who have temporarily not paid subs but intend to*
*Labour Party: Include respondents who have paid a reduced fee because of trade union membership*
*Labour Party: Include respondents who, as trade union members, have paid a reduced fee for Labour Party membership*
*Ask all*

**q960 PtMemLab** Are you a member of the Labour Party through a trade union or did you join as an individual member?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 individual member | 46 | 13 | 22 |
| 2 through TU | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| -1 skip, not a Labour Pty member | 2674 | 856 | 672 |
| 8 don't know | - | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 8 | 11 | 9 |

**Notes:** *If 'Labour' at [PtyMemb]*

**Q964 Phone** Is there a telephone in (your part of) this accommodation?

| | England and Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 2610 | 825 | 638 |
| 2 no | 120 | 49 | 60 |
| 9 not answered | 3 | 8 | 7 |

# Group Representation

**q2.01** Some people say that all political parties look after certain groups and are not so concerned about others.

How closely do you think the Conservative Party looks after the interests of...

**q2.01a Conintwc** working class people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 94 | 16 | 35 |
| 2 fairly closely | 602 | 141 | 77 |
| 3 not very closely | 1076 | 369 | 178 |
| 4 not at all closely | 476 | 201 | 88 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 83 | 27 | 14 |

**q2.01b Conintmc** middle class people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 357 | 100 | 64 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1478 | 489 | 190 |
| 3 not very closely | 322 | 101 | 82 |
| 4 not at all closely | 52 | 22 | 22 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 122 | 42 | 34 |

**q2.01c Conintun** unemployed people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 82 | 14 | 14 |
| 2 fairly closely | 467 | 90 | 49 |
| 3 not very closely | 893 | 313 | 162 |
| 4 not at all closely | 748 | 294 | 137 |
| 8 don't know | 4 | 2 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 142 | 43 | 29 |

**q2.01d Conintbb** big business

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 1670 | 555 | 274 |
| 2 fairly closely | 469 | 138 | 74 |
| 3 not very closely | 53 | 19 | 10 |
| 4 not at all closely | 13 | 8 | 4 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 127 | 34 | 29 |

**q2.01e Coninttu** trade unions

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 86 | 29 | 29 |
| 2 fairly closely | 334 | 118 | 77 |
| 3 not very closely | 819 | 263 | 100 |
| 4 not at all closely | 940 | 299 | 150 |
| 8 don't know | 8 | 3 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 150 | 44 | 35 |

**q2.01f Conintbk** black people and Asians in Britain

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 141 | 14 | 8 |
| 2 fairly closely | 860 | 242 | 76 |
| 3 not very closely | 952 | 367 | 189 |
| 4 not at all closely | 237 | 92 | 88 |
| 8 don't know | 10 | 4 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 137 | 37 | 31 |

**q2.01g Conintbe** people on benefits

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 93 | 18 | 18 |
| 2 fairly closely | 508 | 119 | 66 |
| 3 not very closely | 981 | 303 | 154 |
| 4 not at all closely | 625 | 277 | 121 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 3 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 125 | 36 | 32 |

**q2.01h Conintri** the very rich

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 1699 | 594 | 310 |
| 2 fairly closely | 445 | 110 | 33 |
| 3 not very closely | 62 | 14 | 13 |
| 4 not at all closely | 36 | 17 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 90 | 19 | 27 |

**q2.02** How closely do you think that the Labour party looks after the interests of...

**q2.02a Labnintwc** working class people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 790 | 267 | 146 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1331 | 411 | 210 |
| 3 not very closely | 125 | 44 | 15 |
| 4 not at all closely | 15 | 9 | 2 |
| 8 don't know | 15 | 6 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 61 | 19 | 16 |

**q2.02b Labintmc** middle class people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 240 | 88 | 75 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1624 | 537 | 248 |
| 3 not very closely | 319 | 82 | 35 |
| 4 not at all closely | 25 | 8 | 2 |
| 8 don't know | 16 | 6 | 6 |
| 9 not answered | 113 | 35 | 28 |

**q2.02c Labintun** unemployed people

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 640 | 214 | 124 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1252 | 402 | 168 |
| 3 not very closely | 261 | 82 | 50 |
| 4 not at all closely | 32 | 18 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 18 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 134 | 34 | 36 |

**q2.02d Labintbb** big business

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 346 | 141 | 81 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1139 | 394 | 195 |
| 3 not very closely | 591 | 162 | 69 |
| 4 not at all closely | 98 | 16 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 20 | 6 | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 143 | 37 | 33 |

**q2.02e Labinttu** trade unions

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 708 | 190 | 89 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1241 | 433 | 200 |
| 3 not very closely | 220 | 79 | 57 |
| 4 not at all closely | 16 | 10 | 5 |
| 8 don't know | 18 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 not answered | 134 | 37 | 35 |

**q2.02f Labintbk** black people and Asians in Britain

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 348 | 70 | 59 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1421 | 462 | 209 |
| 3 not very closely | 383 | 162 | 76 |
| 4 not at all closely | 29 | 16 | 14 |
| 8 don't know | 21 | 10 | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 135 | 36 | 29 |

**q2.02g Labintbe** people on benefits

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 468 | 158 | 76 |
| 2 fairly closely | 1312 | 402 | 185 |
| 3 not very closely | 351 | 126 | 73 |
| 4 not at all closely | 58 | 27 | 17 |
| 8 don't know | 19 | 8 | 7 |
| 9 not answered | 129 | 35 | 36 |

**q2.02h Labintri** the very rich

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 very closely | 229 | 104 | 68 |
| 2 fairly closely | 646 | 254 | 140 |
| 3 not very closely | 911 | 265 | 112 |
| 4 not at all closely | 412 | 88 | 34 |
| 8 don't know | 19 | 7 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 120 | 38 | 35 |

# Political Values

**q2.03** Please tick one box for each statement below to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.03a Fairshar** Ordinary working people get their fair share of the nation's wealth.

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 46 | 17 | 14 |
| 2 agree | 313 | 82 | 65 |
| 3 neither | 575 | 130 | 98 |
| 4 disagree | 1080 | 377 | 161 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 290 | 139 | 44 |
| 8 can't choose | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 32 | 10 | 11 |

**q2.03b Richlaw** There is one law for the rich and one for the poor

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 582 | 254 | 100 |
| 2 agree | 1063 | 342 | 126 |
| 3 neither | 331 | 84 | 71 |
| 4 disagree | 287 | 58 | 63 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 49 | 11 | 19 |
| 8 can't choose | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 23 | 6 | 14 |

**q2.03c Tradvals** Young people today don't have enough respect for traditional British values

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 585 | 133 | 89 |
| 2 agree | 1052 | 320 | 165 |
| 3 neither | 457 | 220 | 92 |
| 4 disagree | 184 | 59 | 27 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 19 | 14 | 6 |
| 8 can't choose | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 36 | 7 | 14 |

**q2.03d Censor** Censorship of films and magazines is necessary to uphold moral standards

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 588 | 155 | 151 |
| 2 agree | 979 | 360 | 191 |
| 3 neither | 374 | 94 | 106 |
| 4 disagree | 291 | 98 | 45 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 64 | 34 | 11 |
| 8 can't choose | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 40 | 13 | 21 |

**q2.03e Tuntneed** There is no need for strong trade unions to protect employees' working conditions and wages

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 103 | 23 | 29 |
| 2 agree | 456 | 118 | 75 |
| 3 neither | 561 | 145 | 129 |
| 4 disagree | 917 | 328 | 182 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 261 | 129 | 89 |
| 8 can't choose | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| 9 not answered | 36 | 12 | 19 |

**q2.03f Privent** Private enterprise is the best way to solve Britain's economic problems

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 148 | 31 | 22 |
| 2 agree | 528 | 128 | 85 |
| 3 neither | 927 | 293 | 216 |
| 4 disagree | 575 | 223 | 144 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 116 | 71 | 35 |
| 8 can't choose | 3 | 2 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 40 | 8 | 22 |

**q2.03g Publcown** Major public services and industries ought to be in state ownership

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 275 | 93 | 79 |
| 2 agree | 674 | 235 | 145 |
| 3 neither | 757 | 231 | 182 |
| 4 disagree | 480 | 144 | 77 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 106 | 42 | 21 |
| 8 can't choose | 4 | 2 | 5 |
| 9 not answered | 41 | 9 | 18 |

**q2.04** Please tick one box for each statement below to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.04a Govresp1** It is the government's responsibility to provide a job for everyone who wants one

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 392 | 186 | 165 |
| 2 agree | 946 | 319 | 216 |
| 3 neither | 462 | 120 | 80 |
| 4 disagree | 470 | 113 | 49 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 44 | 9 | 5 |
| 8 can't choose | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 21 | 8 | 11 |

**q2.04b Pubmeet** People should be allowed to organise public meetings to protest against the Government

| | E/W | Sco | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 329 | 114 | 77 |
| 2 agree | 1200 | 420 | 239 |
| 3 neither | 541 | 142 | 140 |
| 4 disagree | 204 | 60 | 44 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 25 | 7 | 6 |
| 8 can't choose | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 36 | 12 | 19 |

**q2.04c Gaysex** Homosexual relations are always wrong

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 300 | 94 | 152 |
| 2 agree | 288 | 102 | 81 |
| 3 neither | 806 | 275 | 165 |
| 4 disagree | 628 | 191 | 67 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 276 | 83 | 44 |
| 8 can't choose | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 36 | 10 | 16 |

**q2.04d Tolerant** People in Britain should be more tolerant of those who lead unconventional lives

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 190 | 57 | 53 |
| 2 agree | 917 | 313 | 188 |
| 3 neither | 845 | 262 | 185 |
| 4 disagree | 296 | 89 | 58 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 47 | 21 | 16 |
| 8 can't choose | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 39 | 11 | 25 |

**q2.04e Banparty** Political parties which wish to overthrow democracy should be allowed to stand in general elections

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 54 | 27 | 38 |
| 2 agree | 368 | 107 | 70 |
| 3 neither | 587 | 232 | 160 |
| 4 disagree | 771 | 227 | 143 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 506 | 154 | 97 |
| 8 can't choose | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 46 | 7 | 17 |

## Inglehart - post-materialism index.

**q2.05** If you had to choose among the items on the list below, which are the two that seem most desirable to you?

**q2.05a Desire1** Most desirable
**q2.05b Desire2** Second most desirable

| | | most desirable | second most desirable |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 maintaining order in the nation. | E/W | 987 | 407 |
| | Scot | 274 | 144 |
| | Eth | 144 | 74 |
| 2 giving people more say in Important political decisions. | E/W | 309 | 457 |
| | Scot | 135 | 122 |
| | Eth | 79 | 84 |
| 3 fighting rising prices. | E/W | 296 | 562 |
| | Scot | 128 | 177 |
| | Eth | 62 | 99 |
| 4 protecting freedom of speech. | E/W | 303 | 457 |
| | Scot | 86 | 160 |
| | Eth | 38 | 68 |
| 8 can’t choose. | E/W | 77 | 112 |
| | Scot | 30 | 42 |
| | Eth | 62 | 52 |
| 9 not answered. | E/W | 365 | 342 |
| | Scot | 103 | 111 |
| | Eth | 142 | 150 |

## Moral Standards in Politics

**q2.06** Please tick one box for each statement below to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.06a Polmoral** The moral standards of British politicians have declined in recent years

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 675 | 260 | 144 |
| 2 agree | 1291 | 425 | 284 |
| 3 neither | 319 | 60 | 69 |
| 4 disagree | 8 | 5 | 5 |
| 8 can't choose | 7 | 2 | 8 |
| 9 not answered | 37 | 4 | 17 |

**q2.06b Poldonat** Any individual who gives money to a political party should be allowed to keep their private gift if they wish

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 133 | 62 | 29 |
| 2 agree | 934 | 284 | 165 |
| 3 neither | 867 | 276 | 208 |
| 4 disagree | 336 | 120 | 98 |
| 8 can't choose | 10 | 3 | 4 |
| 9 not answered | 57 | 11 | 23 |

**q2.06c MPsalary** MPs salaries are much too low

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 28 | 10 | 15 |
| 2 agree | 192 | 58 | 47 |
| 3 neither | 1249 | 339 | 269 |
| 4 disagree | 805 | 336 | 164 |
| 8 can't choose | 10 | 3 | 6 |
| 9 not answered | 53 | 10 | 26 |

**q2.07 MPscandl** From time to time MPs get involved in financial scandals. Do you think that…

| | England / Wales | Scotland | Ethnic minorities |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative MPs are more likely to get involved in these sorts of scandals | 699 | 255 | 175 |
| 2 Labour MPs are more likely to get involved. | 31 | 6 | 21 |
| 3 it more a matter of which particular MPs get the chance. | 1157 | 368 | 176 |
| 8 can't choose | 382 | 108 | 118 |
| 9 not answered. | 68 | 19 | 37 |

## Political Efficacy

**q.208** Please tick one box for each statement below to how how much you agree or disagree with it.

**q2.08a Govnosay** People like me have no say in what the government does

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 363 | 118 | 89 |
| 2 agree | 962 | 323 | 203 |
| 3 neither | 464 | 138 | 128 |
| 4 disagree | 459 | 155 | 81 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 34 | 12 | 9 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 53 | 9 | 14 |

**q2.08b Votintr** Parties are only interested in people's votes, not in their opinions

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 370 | 126 | 92 |
| 2 agree | 1069 | 363 | 232 |
| 3 neither | 438 | 124 | 99 |
| 4 disagree | 400 | 127 | 77 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 10 | 4 | 6 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 48 | 11 | 19 |

**q2.08c Ptyntmat** It doesn't really matter which party is in power, in the end things go on much the same

| | E/W | Scot | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 agree strongly | 208 | 69 | 67 |
| 2 agree | 839 | 263 | 164 |
| 3 neither | 367 | 142 | 106 |
| 4 disagree | 795 | 231 | 157 |
| 5 disagree strongly | 87 | 40 | 13 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 39 | 10 | 18 |

## Referendum issues

**q2.13 Democsat** On the whole, how satisfied are you with the way democracy works in Britain?

| | E/W | Sco | Eth |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 satisfied | 401 | 101 | 94 |
| 2 fairly satisfied | 1348 | 411 | 274 |
| 3 not very satisfied | 478 | 202 | 118 |
| 4 not at all satisfied | 68 | 32 | 22 |
| 8 don't know | 7 | 3 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 35 | 7 | 18 |

# Comparative study of electoral systems.

**q2.14 Elecfair** In some countries, people believe their elections are conducted fairly. In other countries, people believe their elections are conducted unfairly. Thinking of the last general election in Britain, where would you place it on this scale of one to five where ONE means that the last election was conducted fairly and FIVE means that the last election was conducted unfairly?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 last election conducted fairly | 1322 | 390 |
| 2 | 546 | 189 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 348 | 116 |
| 4 | 50 | 31 |
| 5 last election conducted unfairly | 32 | 22 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 3 |
| 9 not answered | 33 | 5 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.15a Ptyclsc** Do you usually think of yourself as close to any particular party?

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 1140 | 338 |
| 2 no | 1116 | 412 |
| 9 not answered | 31 | 6 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.15b Ptyltcls** (If not close to a party) Do you feel a little closer to one of the political parties than the others?

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 680 | 240 |
| 2 no | 466 | 169 |
| 9 not answered | 51 | 9 |
| -3 skp, R close to party | 1140 | 338 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.15c Ptyidsc** Party R feels close/little close to (If close/closer to a party) Which party is that?

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative | 587 | 99 |
| 2 Labour | 842 | 289 |
| 3 Liberal Democrats | 284 | 57 |
| 4 SNP | 1 | 94 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru | 5 | - |
| 6 Green Party | 6 | 4 |
| 7 other party | 4 | 4 |
| 8 Referendum party | 4 | - |
| 97 refusal | 5 | 1 |
| 98 don't know | 1 | - |
| Missing | 168 | 39 |
| -3 skp, not close | 466 | 169 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.15d Ptyclsmu** (If close/closer to a party) Do you feel...

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 very close to this party | 335 | 126 |
| 2 somewhat close | 1117 | 347 |
| 3 not very close | 332 | 97 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 87 | 16 |
| -3 skp, not close | 466 | 169 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.16 Ptycare** Some people say that political parties in Britain care what ordinary people think. Others say that political parties in Britain don't care what ordinary people think. Using this scale, where would you place yourself?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 political parties in Britain care what ordinary people think | 156 | 46 |
| 2 | 643 | 183 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 952 | 334 |
| 4 | 371 | 109 |
| 5 political parties in Britain don't care what ordinary people think | 179 | 74 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 34 | 9 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.17 Ptyneces** Some people say that political parties are necessary to make our political system work in Britain. Others say that political parties are not needed in Britain. Using this scale, where would you place yourself?

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 political parties are necessary | 1005 | 301 |
| 2 | 765 | 253 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 419 | 157 |
| 4 | 70 | 18 |
| 5 political parties are not necessary | 39 | 15 |
| 8 don't know | 6 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 33 | 11 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

## Candidate's names.

**q2.18** Do you happen to remember the names of any candidates who stood in your constituency in the general election this year?

*Please write in all the names of candidates that you can remember (6 spaces provided)*
*OR TICK BOX: I can't remember any of the candidates' names*

**Note:** *The names of candidates written in by respondents were checked against official lists of candidates, and the party and sex of each candidate was added to the dataset.*

**CAND1PTY** Party of Candidate 1 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Conservative candidate | 539 | 63 |
| 2 Labour candidate | 620 | 271 |
| 3 Lib Dem candidate | 117 | 68 |
| 4 SNP candidate | - | 55 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru candidate | 15 | - |
| 6 other party candidate | 16 | 9 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 133 | 35 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND2PTY** Party of Candidate 2 named

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| -3 skp no further candidate | 681 | 217 |
| 1 Conservative candidate | 239 | 74 |
| 2 Labour candidate | 193 | 49 |
| 3 Lib Dem candidate | 148 | 46 |
| 4 SNP candidate | - | 57 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru candidate | 8 | - |
| 6 other party candidate | 50 | 19 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 121 | 39 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND3PTY** Party of Candidate 3 named ?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -3 skp no further candidate | 1136 | 366 |
| 1 Conservative candidate | 54 | 27 |
| 2 Labour candidate | 57 | 29 |
| 3 Lib Dem candidate | 81 | 23 |
| 4 SNP candidate | - | 19 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru candidate | 6 | - |
| 6 other party candidate | 45 | 16 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 61 | 21 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND4PTY** Party of Candidate 4 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -3 skp no further candidate | 1363 | 439 |
| 1 Conservative candidate | 6 | 9 |
| 2 Labour candidate | 5 | 4 |
| 3 Lib Dem candidate | 6 | 11 |
| 4 SNP candidate | - | 17 |
| 5 Plaid Cymru candidate | 3 | - |
| 6 other party candidate | 45 | 10 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 12 | 11 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND5PTY** Party of Candidate 5 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -3 skp no further candidate | 1420 | 477 |
| 1 Conservative candidate | - | 1 |
| 4 SNP candidate | - | 1 |
| 6 other party candidate | 10 | 15 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 10 | 7 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND6PTY** Party of Candidate 6 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -3 skp no further candidate | 1431 | 490 |
| 1 Conservative candidate | - | 2 |
| 3 Lib Dem candidate | - | 1 |
| 6 other party candidate | 4 | 5 |
| 7 name given but not a candidate in the constituency | 5 | 3 |
| 9 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |

**CAND1SEX** Sex of Candidate 1 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 no candidates named | 897 | 255 |
| 1 male | 1140 | 436 |
| 2 female | 248 | 53 |
| 9 uncertain | 52 | 12 |

**CAND2SEX** Sex of Candidate 2 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 skp, no candidate given | 897 | 255 |
| -3 skp no further candidate | 681 | 217 |
| 1 male | 581 | 200 |
| 2 female | 120 | 69 |
| 9 uncertain | 58 | 15 |

**CAND3SEX** Sex of Candidate 3 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 skp, no candidate given | 897 | 255 |
| -3 skp, no further candidates | 1136 | 366 |
| 1 male | 219 | 98 |
| 2 female | 52 | 24 |
| 9 uncertain | 33 | 13 |

**CAND4SEX** Sex of Candidate 4 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 skp, no candidate given | 987 | 255 |
| -3 skp no candidates named/no further candidates | 1363 | 439 |
| 1 male | 57 | 43 |
| 2 female | 12 | 16 |
| 9 uncertain | 8 | 3 |

**CAND5SEX** Sex of Candidate 5 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 skp, no candidate given | 897 | |
| -3 skp no candidates named/no further candidates | 1420 | 732 |
| 1 male | 15 | 20 |
| 2 female | 3 | 3 |
| 9 uncertain | 2 | 1 |

**CAND6SEX** Sex of Candidate 6 named

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| -4 skp, no candidate given | 897 | |
| -3 skp no candidates named/no further candidates | 1431 | 745 |
| 1 male | 8 | 7 |
| 2 female | 1 | 4 |
| 9 uncertain | - | - |

**q2.19** We would like to know what you think about each of our political parties. Please rate each party on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means that you strongly dislike that party and 10 means that you strongly like that party.

If you come to a party that you haven't heard of or you don't feel that you know enough about it, please tick one of the boxes on the right.

**q2.19a Conlike** The Conservative Party

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 478 | 246 |
| 1 | 153 | 77 |
| 2 | 239 | 72 |
| 3 | 207 | 65 |
| 4 | 149 | 50 |
| 5 | 315 | 77 |
| 6 | 138 | 32 |
| 7 | 196 | 39 |
| 8 | 165 | 35 |
| 9 | 59 | 10 |
| 10 strongly like | 113 | 23 |
| 96 haven’t heard of | 5 | - |
| 98 can’t choose | 68 | 18 |
| 99 not answered | 52 | 12 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.19b Lablike** The Labour Party

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 86 | 21 |
| 1 | 78 | 18 |
| 2 | 126 | 29 |
| 3 | 181 | 43 |
| 4 | 177 | 61 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 359 | 97 |
| 6 | 199 | 62 |
| 7 | 241 | 92 |
| 8 | 299 | 119 |
| 9 | 137 | 58 |
| 10 strongly like | 343 | 127 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 1 | - |
| 98 can't choose | 64 | 17 |
| 99 not answered | 46 | 12 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.19c Ldlike** The Liberal Democratic Party

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 73 | 28 |
| 1 | 72 | 22 |
| 2 | 131 | 31 |
| 3 | 183 | 51 |
| 4 | 221 | 66 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 534 | 206 |
| 6 | 257 | 78 |
| 7 | 240 | 77 |
| 8 | 217 | 41 |
| 9 | 108 | 35 |
| 10 strongly like | 90 | 34 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 7 | 1 |
| 98 can't choose | 142 | 66 |
| 99 not answered | 62 | 20 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.19d SNPlike** The Scottish National Party

| | Scot |
|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 63 |
| 1 | 32 |
| 2 | 41 |
| 3 | 42 |
| 4 | 50 |
| 5 | 132 |
| 6 | 62 |
| 7 | 75 |
| 8 | 76 |
| 9 | 41 |
| 10 strongly like | 90 |
| 96 haven't heard of | - |
| 98 can't choose | 41 |
| 99 not answered | 11 |

**Note***: SO*

**q2.19e Pclike** Plaid Cymru

| | Wales |
|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 16 |
| 1 | 6 |
| 2 | 7 |
| 3 | 10 |
| 4 | 10 |
| 5 | 38 |
| 6 | 12 |
| 7 | 13 |
| 8 | 7 |
| 9 | 5 |
| 10 strongly like | 9 |
| 96 haven't heard of | - |
| 98 can't choose | 15 |
| 99 not answered | 10 |

**Note:** *WO*

**q2.20** And now, again using the scale from 0 to 10, please show how much you like or dislike each of these party leaders who stood at the last general election.

**q2.20b Majlike** John Major

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 290 | 171 |
| 1 | 130 | 52 |
| 2 | 183 | 72 |
| 3 | 216 | 63 |
| 4 | 193 | 56 |
| 5 | 372 | 105 |
| 6 | 167 | 43 |
| 7 | 206 | 66 |
| 8 | 178 | 49 |
| 9 | 125 | 17 |
| 10 strongly like | 195 | 38 |
| 98 can't choose | 42 | 17 |
| 99 not answered | 40 | 7 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.20b Blrlike** Tony Blair

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 68 | 14 |
| 1 | 79 | 32 |
| 2 | 114 | 40 |
| 3 | 132 | 30 |
| 4 | 153 | 38 |
| 5 | 317 | 80 |
| 6 | 217 | 77 |
| 7 | 266 | 78 |
| 8 | 306 | 109 |
| 9 | 205 | 79 |
| 10 strongly like | 399 | 154 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 1 | - |
| 98 can't choose | 45 | 17 |
| 99 not answered | 35 | 8 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.20c Ashlike** Paddy Ashdown

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 83 | 16 |
| 1 | 70 | 21 |
| 2 | 116 | 33 |
| 3 | 154 | 50 |
| 4 | 169 | 71 |
| 5 | 488 | 157 |
| 6 | 270 | 84 |
| 7 | 292 | 100 |
| 8 | 274 | 83 |
| 9 | 138 | 34 |
| 10 strongly like | 145 | 46 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 4 | 2 |
| 98 can't choose | 90 | 48 |
| 99 not answered | 44 | 11 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.20d Sallike** Alex Salmond

| | Sco |
|---|---|
| 0 strongly dislike | 53 |
| 1 | 31 |
| 2 | 56 |
| 3 | 47 |
| 4 | 51 |
| 5 | 126 |
| 6 | 74 |
| 7 | 65 |
| 8 | 77 |
| 9 | 43 |
| 10 strongly like | 72 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 10 |
| 98 can't choose | 40 |
| 99 not answered | 11 |

**Note:** *SO*

**q2.20e Wiglike** Dafydd Wigley

| | Wales |
|---|---|
| Strongly dislike | 15 |
| 1 | 4 |
| 2 | 6 |
| 3 | 9 |
| 4 | 19 |
| 5 | 26 |
| 6 | 14 |
| 7 | 11 |
| 8 | 9 |
| 9 | 3 |
| 10 strongly like | 11 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 4 |
| 98 can't choose | 16 |
| 99 not answered | 11 |

**Note:** *WO*

**q2.21a Econgood** What do you think about the state of the economy these days in Britain? Would you say that the state of the economy is …

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 very good | 97 | 24 |
| 2 good | 918 | 223 |
| 3 neither | 944 | 342 |
| 4 bad | 311 | 138 |
| 5 very bad | 39 | 20 |
| 8 don't know | 3 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 25 | 7 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.21b Econbetr** Would you say that over the past twelve months, the state of the economy in Britain has got….

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 much better | 111 | 25 |
| 2 somewhat better | 781 | 206 |
| 3 stayed the same | 1001 | 359 |
| 4 somewhat worse | 365 | 131 |
| 5 a lot worse | 41 | 28 |
| 8 don't know | 5 | 2 |
| 9 not answered | 33 | 5 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.22 Mpordthk** Some people say that Members of Parliament know what ordinary people think. Others say that Members of Parliament don't know much about what ordinary people think. Using this scale, where would you place yourself?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 MPs know what ordinary people think | 56 | 20 |
| 2 | 391 | 115 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 811 | 255 |
| 4 | 694 | 220 |
| 5 MPs don't know what ordinary people think | 353 | 138 |
| 8 don't know | 2 | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 30 | 7 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.23 MPcontac** During the past twelve months, have you had any contact with a Member of Parliament in any way?

| | E/W | Sco |
|---|---|---|
| 1 yes | 281 | 99 |
| 2 no | 2023 | 650 |
| 9 not answered | 33 | 7 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.24 Powerdif** Some people say that it makes a difference who is in power. Others say that it doesn't make a difference who is in power. Using this scale, where would you place yourself?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 does make a difference who is in power | 740 | 231 |
| 2 | 798 | 265 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 431 | 148 |
| 4 | 204 | 52 |
| 5 doesn't make a difference who is in power | 133 | 54 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 31 | 5 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.25 Votediff** Some people say that no matter who people vote for it won't make any difference to what happens. Others say that who people vote for can make a difference to what happens. Using this scale, where would you place yourself?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 who people vote for won't make a difference | 100 | 56 |
| 2 | 273 | 76 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 411 | 146 |
| 4 | 817 | 245 |
| 5 who people vote for will make a difference | 709 | 227 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 27 | 5 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.26 PolOpen** When people are asked to express an opinion, do you believe most people in Britain usually say what they think about politics or do you believe most people usually hide what they really think about politics? Using this scale, what do you think most people in Britain do?

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 1 most people usually say what they think about politics | 403 | 136 |
| 2 | 737 | 204 |
| 3 (mid-point) | 660 | 236 |
| 4 | 366 | 127 |
| 5 most people usually hide what they think about politics | 142 | 45 |
| 8 don't know | - | 1 |
| 9 not answered | 29 | 7 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.27** In politics people sometimes talk of left and right. Where would you place yourself on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means the left and 10 means the right?

**q2.27a Resplr** Your own position.

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 left | 54 | 37 |
| 1 | 50 | 15 |
| 2 | 148 | 37 |
| 3 | 189 | 68 |
| 4 | 188 | 60 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 665 | 197 |
| 6 | 183 | 52 |
| 7 | 207 | 53 |
| 8 | 142 | 34 |
| 9 | 39 | 9 |
| 10 right | 96 | 24 |
| 98 can’t choose | 333 | 158 |
| 99 not answered | 43 | 12 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

Using the same scale, where would you place ...

**q2.27b Conlr** The Conservative Party.

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 left | 57 | 39 |
| 1 | 31 | 18 |
| 2 | 44 | 18 |
| 3 | 53 | 28 |
| 4 | 47 | 21 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 171 | 40 |
| 6 | 126 | 29 |
| 7 | 280 | 55 |
| 8 | 444 | 131 |
| 9 | 273 | 81 |
| 10 right | 375 | 123 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 26 | 9 |
| 98 can’t choose | 346 | 143 |
| 99 not answered | 64 | 21 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.27c Lablr** The Labour Party.

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 left | 147 | 43 |
| 1 | 123 | 28 |
| 2 | 268 | 85 |
| 3 | 381 | 78 |
| 4 | 324 | 86 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 396 | 121 |
| 6 | 104 | 39 |
| 7 | 83 | 45 |
| 8 | 47 | 26 |
| 9 | 30 | 11 |
| 10 right | 69 | 40 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 19 | 7 |
| 98 can’t choose | 319 | 131 |
| 99 not answered | 54 | 16 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.27d LDLr** The Liberal Democratic Party.

| | E/W | Scot |
|---|---|---|
| 0 left | 34 | 14 |
| 1 | 34 | 5 |
| 2 | 84 | 27 |
| 3 | 182 | 51 |
| 4 | 334 | 101 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 799 | 240 |
| 6 | 172 | 52 |
| 7 | 93 | 35 |
| 8 | 37 | 15 |
| 9 | 14 | 6 |
| 10 right | 27 | 10 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 28 | 8 |
| 98 can’t choose | 413 | 165 |
| 99 not answered | 86 | 27 |

**Note:** *Not asked in ethnic minority boost*

**q2.27e SNPlr** The Scottish National Party.

| | Scot |
|---|---|
| 0 left | 28 |
| 1 | 31 |
| 2 | 59 |
| 3 | 78 |
| 4 | 73 |
| 5 | 136 |
| 6 | 36 |
| 7 | 26 |
| 8 | 39 |
| 9 | 8 |
| 10 right | 29 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 9 |
| 98 can’t choose | 186 |

**Note:** *SO*

**q2.27f PCr** Plaid Cymru.

| | Wales |
|---|---|
| 0 left | 1 |
| 1 | 7 |
| 2 | 11 |
| 3 | 8 |
| 4 | 17 |
| 5 (mid-point) | 29 |
| 6 | 1 |
| 7 | 3 |
| 8 | 5 |
| 9 | 4 |
| 10 right | 3 |
| 96 haven't heard of | 4 |
| 98 can’t choose | 51 |
| 99 not answered | 14 |

**Note:** *WO*