

Armed Forces Survey

CATI Fieldwork : February 19th-21st 2010

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1
Q.1 Do you agree or disagree with these statements.....
Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1004	452	552	75	141	168	209	200	211	298	286	169	251	252	266	249	145	92
Weighted base	1004	482	522	119	159	199	169	149	209	261	291	211	241	263	263	248	142	88
<u>The Government has done all it can to support our armed forces fighting in Afghanistan</u>																		
Agree	269 27%	135 28%	134 26%	35 29%	43 27%	43 22%	34 20%	41 28%	73 35%	62 24%	84 29%	48 23%	74 31%	70 27%	71 27%	68 28%	40 28%	19 22%
Disagree	695 69%	332 69%	362 69%	81 68%	113 71%	143 72%	129 77%	104 70%	123 59%	189 72%	189 65%	160 76%	157 65%	183 70%	181 69%	170 69%	93 66%	67 76%
Don't know	41 4%	15 3%	26 5%	3 3%	3 2%	12 6%	6 3%	4 3%	13 6%	10 4%	18 6%	3 1%	10 4%	10 4%	11 4%	9 4%	8 6%	2 3%
<u>The war in Afghanistan is unwinnable</u>																		
Agree	644 64%	315 65%	329 63%	70 58%	89 56%	126 63%	105 62%	108 72%	146 70%	170 65%	190 65%	127 60%	157 65%	160 61%	183 69%	154 62%	88 62%	59 66%
Disagree	301 30%	147 30%	154 30%	40 34%	63 39%	65 33%	54 32%	35 23%	45 21%	76 29%	83 29%	75 36%	66 27%	85 32%	70 27%	76 31%	42 30%	26 30%
Don't know	59 6%	20 4%	39 8%	9 8%	7 5%	8 4%	10 6%	6 4%	18 9%	15 6%	18 6%	8 4%	17 7%	17 7%	10 4%	18 7%	11 8%	3 4%
<u>Whoever forms the next government after the election should commit to removing British armed forces from Afghanistan by the end of 2010</u>																		
Agree	628 63%	274 57%	354 68%	93 78%	89 56%	111 56%	104 62%	83 55%	148 71%	127 49%	190 65%	141 67%	170 71%	146 55%	173 66%	165 66%	85 60%	60 68%
Disagree	329 33%	195 41%	134 26%	23 19%	68 43%	75 38%	56 33%	59 40%	49 23%	119 46%	89 31%	64 30%	57 24%	104 40%	81 31%	70 28%	48 34%	26 30%
Don't know	47 5%	13 3%	34 6%	3 3%	2 1%	12 6%	9 5%	7 5%	13 6%	15 6%	12 4%	6 3%	14 6%	13 5%	9 4%	14 5%	9 6%	2 2%