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METHODOLOGY NOTE

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Don't know	586 29%	248 25%	338 33%	80 33%	106 31%	95 28%	105 29%	77 26%	124 28%	138 26%	165 30%	142 32%	141 29%	85 26%	224 28%
<u>I feel I have personally benefitted from the growth in the UK economy over the past six months</u>															
Agree	253 13%	145 15%	108 11%	47 20%	70 21%	36 11%	24 7%	21 7%	54 12%	81 15%	68 12%	66 15%	38 8%	38 12%	119 15%
Disagree	1423 71%	674 68%	749 73%	125 52%	192 57%	243 72%	296 82%	244 81%	324 74%	383 71%	409 73%	279 64%	352 73%	243 75%	542 67%
Don't know	341 17%	170 17%	172 17%	68 28%	78 23%	61 18%	40 11%	34 11%	61 14%	76 14%	82 15%	94 21%	89 19%	43 13%	146 18%
<u>So far economic growth has only really benefitted wealthy individuals</u>															
Agree	1202 60%	575 58%	628 61%	103 43%	191 56%	195 57%	246 68%	206 69%	261 59%	303 56%	333 60%	260 59%	306 64%	205 63%	453 56%
Disagree	354 18%	213 22%	141 14%	44 18%	46 14%	59 17%	45 12%	55 18%	105 24%	140 26%	99 18%	63 14%	52 11%	52 16%	146 18%
Don't know	462 23%	201 20%	261 25%	93 39%	102 30%	86 25%	69 19%	38 13%	74 17%	96 18%	128 23%	117 27%	122 25%	67 21%	208 26%

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Agree	1224 61%	608 62%	616 60%	94 39%	166 49%	182 54%	257 72%	212 71%	312 71%	331 61%	344 61%	240 55%	309 65%	205 63%	455 56%
Disagree	356 18%	197 20%	159 15%	47 20%	76 22%	60 18%	52 15%	46 15%	74 17%	118 22%	99 18%	85 19%	53 11%	54 17%	161 20%
Don't know	438 22%	184 19%	254 25%	98 41%	97 29%	98 29%	50 14%	41 14%	53 12%	91 17%	117 21%	114 26%	117 24%	65 20%	190 24%
<u>The levels of growth of the entire UK economy is a good way of measuring the performance of the government</u>															
Agree	949 47%	459 46%	490 48%	110 46%	151 45%	155 46%	155 43%	134 45%	243 55%	281 52%	270 48%	196 45%	203 42%	136 42%	375 47%
Disagree	529 26%	318 32%	211 21%	45 19%	76 22%	86 25%	112 31%	94 31%	116 26%	160 30%	141 25%	107 24%	121 25%	96 30%	217 27%
Don't know	540 27%	213 21%	328 32%	85 36%	112 33%	98 29%	93 26%	71 24%	80 18%	99 18%	149 27%	137 31%	156 32%	92 28%	214 27%
<u>It makes no difference to me if the UK economy grows</u>															
Agree	357 18%	199 20%	158 15%	51 21%	65 19%	53 16%	63 17%	54 18%	71 16%	81 15%	100 18%	77 18%	99 21%	80 25%	135 17%
Disagree	1300 64%	645 65%	654 64%	113 47%	189 55%	224 66%	247 69%	217 72%	310 71%	387 72%	371 66%	274 62%	268 56%	194 60%	540 67%
Don't know	361 18%	145 15%	216 21%	76 32%	86 25%	62 18%	50 14%	30 10%	58 13%	71 13%	89 16%	89 20%	112 23%	50 16%	131 16%

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Agree	1449 72%	702 71%	747 73%	129 54%	230 68%	251 74%	272 76%	240 80%	328 75%	382 71%	405 72%	312 71%	350 73%	241 74%	561 70%
Disagree	199 10%	128 13%	71 7%	28 12%	26 8%	18 5%	35 10%	29 10%	61 14%	79 15%	57 10%	33 8%	31 6%	26 8%	87 11%
Don't know	370 18%	159 16%	211 20%	82 34%	83 24%	71 21%	53 15%	31 10%	50 11%	79 15%	98 17%	94 21%	99 21%	57 18%	158 20%
<u>The Government should cut taxes for the rich in an attempt to boost economic growth</u>															
Agree	406 20%	200 20%	207 20%	59 25%	74 22%	62 18%	57 16%	62 21%	92 21%	114 21%	119 21%	82 19%	91 19%	66 20%	173 21%
Disagree	1153 57%	620 63%	533 52%	110 46%	163 48%	193 57%	225 62%	199 66%	264 60%	320 59%	327 58%	244 55%	262 55%	200 62%	455 56%
Don't know	459 23%	169 17%	290 28%	71 30%	103 30%	85 25%	78 22%	39 13%	84 19%	106 20%	113 20%	114 26%	126 26%	58 18%	179 22%

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Disagree	1423 71%	1216 70%	136 75%	63 78%	159 72%	135 74%	124 68%	94 67%	72 71%	146 72%	152 58%	206 73%	137 75%	785 69%	622 70%	163 67%	639 72%	83 72%	80 64%	114 83%	234 71%	127 70%
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Agree	1224	1066	106	55	131	116	94	105	53	125	138	174	127	660	513	147	565	60	59	105	231	109
	61%	61%	58%	68%	59%	64%	52%	74%	52%	62%	53%	62%	70%	58%	58%	61%	64%	52%	47%	77%	70%	61%
Disagree	356	299	40	9	40	23	42	19	17	23	64	50	28	215	184	31	141	21	25	18	59	19
	18%	17%	22%	12%	18%	13%	23%	13%	17%	12%	24%	18%	15%	19%	21%	13%	16%	18%	20%	13%	18%	11%
Don't know	438	371	35	16	51	43	45	18	31	53	60	58	27	255	191	64	182	35	41	15	40	51
	22%	21%	19%	20%	23%	24%	25%	13%	31%	26%	23%	21%	15%	23%	22%	27%	21%	30%	33%	11%	12%	29%
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Agree	949	828	84	31	92	83	97	65	37	88	140	146	85	511	402	109	438	41	47	77	178	94
	47%	48%	46%	39%	41%	46%	53%	46%	36%	44%	54%	52%	47%	45%	45%	45%	49%	35%	38%	56%	54%	52%
Disagree	529	448	51	24	70	49	39	44	30	52	52	62	56	312	250	62	217	28	31	23	104	31
	26%	26%	28%	30%	31%	27%	22%	31%	29%	26%	20%	22%	31%	28%	28%	25%	24%	24%	25%	17%	31%	17%
Don't know	540	459	46	25	60	49	45	32	35	62	70	75	41	307	236	71	233	47	47	37	48	54
	27%	26%	26%	31%	27%	27%	25%	22%	34%	31%	27%	26%	22%	27%	27%	29%	26%	41%	37%	27%	14%	30%
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Agree	357	311	30	16	47	23	29	32	16	29	48	49	38	215	175	40	142	24	20	23	48	26
	18%	18%	17%	20%	21%	13%	16%	22%	16%	15%	18%	17%	21%	19%	20%	16%	16%	21%	16%	17%	15%	15%
Disagree	1300	1107	134	55	135	124	117	89	59	133	154	183	118	734	582	152	566	60	70	87	246	102
	64%	64%	74%	68%	61%	69%	64%	63%	58%	66%	59%	65%	65%	65%	66%	63%	64%	52%	56%	63%	75%	57%
Don't know	361	317	18	10	39	34	37	21	26	40	60	50	26	181	131	50	180	32	34	27	35	52
	18%	18%	10%	12%	18%	19%	20%	15%	26%	20%	23%	18%	14%	16%	15%	21%	20%	27%	27%	20%	11%	29%

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Agree	1449	1252	130	61	163	134	126	101	67	143	182	208	133	802	631	171	647	78	83	112	249	126
	72%	72%	72%	75%	73%	74%	69%	72%	66%	71%	69%	74%	73%	71%	71%	71%	73%	67%	66%	81%	75%	70%
Disagree	199	165	25	7	19	17	17	17	9	13	30	28	17	113	90	23	86	7	11	6	49	13
	10%	10%	14%	8%	9%	9%	9%	12%	9%	7%	11%	10%	9%	10%	10%	10%	10%	6%	8%	4%	15%	7%
Don't know	370	318	27	13	40	31	38	23	25	45	50	46	32	215	167	48	155	31	32	20	32	41
	18%	18%	15%	16%	18%	17%	21%	16%	25%	22%	19%	16%	17%	19%	19%	20%	17%	26%	25%	15%	10%	23%
<u>The Government should cut taxes for the rich in an attempt to boost economic growth</u>																						
Agree	406	362	30	16	45	40	45	25	13	32	64	58	37	238	190	49	168	21	23	18	75	31
	20%	21%	17%	19%	20%	22%	25%	17%	13%	16%	24%	21%	21%	21%	21%	20%	19%	18%	18%	13%	23%	17%
Disagree	1153	964	125	52	132	103	97	91	63	121	119	144	106	655	516	139	498	59	65	89	201	84
	57%	56%	69%	64%	59%	57%	53%	64%	63%	60%	45%	51%	58%	58%	58%	57%	56%	51%	52%	65%	61%	47%
Don't know	459	409	26	13	45	39	40	26	24	48	79	80	38	237	182	55	222	37	37	30	54	64
	23%	24%	15%	17%	20%	21%	22%	18%	24%	24%	30%	28%	21%	21%	21%	23%	25%	31%	30%	22%	16%	36%

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Table 2

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? SUMMARY TABLE

Base: All respondents

		The Government's economic policies	Greater financial stability in the Eurozone	The increase in size of Britain's workforce	New technology	British employees working longer hours for less pay	Big businesses	Small and medium sized businesses	Immigration
Unweighted base		2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018
Weighted base		2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018	2018
NET: Important		1061 53%	1175 58%	1199 59%	1337 66%	1013 50%	1269 63%	1408 70%	692 34%
Very important	(4)	432 21%	419 21%	471 23%	553 27%	381 19%	458 23%	583 29%	296 15%
Fairly important	(3)	628 31%	756 37%	728 36%	784 39%	632 31%	811 40%	825 41%	396 20%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	327 16%	236 12%	262 13%	199 10%	293 15%	206 10%	144 7%	393 19%
Very unimportant	(1)	165 8%	119 6%	120 6%	66 3%	168 8%	87 4%	69 3%	453 22%
NET: Unimportant		492 24%	355 18%	382 19%	265 13%	461 23%	294 15%	213 11%	846 42%
Don't know		465 23%	488 24%	437 22%	416 21%	545 27%	456 23%	397 20%	480 24%
Mean		2.85	2.96	2.98	3.14	2.83	3.05	3.19	2.35
Standard deviation		0.95	0.86	0.88	0.78	0.94	0.80	0.76	1.10
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03

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Very important	(4)	432	226	206	45	69	66	64	57	130	122	112	102	96	39	176
	21%	23%	20%	19%	20%	20%	18%	19%	30%	23%	20%	23%	20%	12%	22%	
Fairly important	(3)	628	315	313	72	88	86	122	107	154	184	186	121	137	108	253
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Fairly unimportant	(2)	327	191	135	32	45	64	57	46	81	92	94	62	78	67	122
	16%	19%	13%	14%	13%	19%	16%	15%	18%	17%	17%	14%	16%	21%	15%	
Very unimportant	(1)	165	97	69	11	27	32	30	32	33	55	41	37	33	40	52
	8%	10%	7%	5%	8%	9%	8%	11%	8%	10%	7%	8%	7%	12%	6%	
NET: Unimportant	492	288	204	43	72	96	87	79	114	146	135	100	111	107	173	
	24%	29%	20%	18%	21%	28%	24%	26%	26%	27%	24%	23%	23%	33%	22%	
Don't know	465	159	306	80	110	92	86	57	41	87	127	117	134	70	203	
	23%	16%	30%	33%	32%	27%	24%	19%	9%	16%	23%	27%	28%	22%	25%	
Mean	2.85	2.81	2.91	2.94	2.87	2.75	2.81	2.78	2.96	2.83	2.85	2.89	2.86	2.57	2.92	
Standard deviation	0.95	0.97	0.92	0.87	0.98	0.99	0.92	0.96	0.93	0.96	0.91	0.98	0.93	0.93	0.91	
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.04	

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	53%	53%	56%	45%	50%	39%	58%	59%	40%	49%	59%	56%	54%	51%	51%	52%	55%	45%	47%	58%	64%	46%	
Very important	(4)	432	379	39	12	53	28	37	24	14	40	82	65	38	215	170	45	217	26	28	32	96	35
		21%	22%	21%	15%	24%	15%	20%	17%	14%	20%	31%	23%	21%	19%	19%	18%	24%	23%	22%	23%	29%	19%
Fairly important	(3)	628	540	63	24	58	43	69	59	26	60	71	94	61	361	279	82	267	26	31	47	116	47
		31%	31%	35%	30%	26%	24%	38%	42%	25%	30%	27%	33%	33%	32%	31%	34%	30%	22%	25%	34%	35%	26%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	327	284	26	14	46	38	26	29	16	33	32	36	30	189	154	35	138	21	13	26	61	17
		16%	16%	15%	17%	21%	21%	14%	21%	16%	16%	12%	13%	17%	17%	14%	16%	18%	10%	19%	18%	10%	
Very unimportant	(1)	165	134	21	11	24	14	14	11	11	10	19	16	15	92	78	14	74	5	11	11	29	18
		8%	8%	12%	13%	11%	8%	7%	8%	11%	5%	7%	6%	8%	8%	9%	6%	8%	4%	9%	8%	9%	10%
NET: Unimportant		492	417	48	25	70	52	39	40	27	44	50	52	45	281	232	48	211	26	23	37	90	35
		24%	24%	26%	31%	32%	29%	22%	28%	27%	22%	19%	19%	25%	25%	26%	20%	24%	23%	19%	27%	27%	19%
Don't know		465	399	32	20	41	58	37	17	34	58	58	72	38	273	207	67	192	38	43	21	27	63
		23%	23%	18%	25%	19%	32%	20%	12%	34%	29%	22%	25%	21%	24%	23%	28%	22%	33%	34%	15%	8%	35%
Mean		2.85	2.87	2.80	2.61	2.77	2.69	2.89	2.79	2.65	2.90	3.07	2.98	2.85	2.82	2.79	2.90	2.90	2.93	2.92	2.87	2.92	2.85
Standard deviation		0.95	0.94	0.98	1.00	1.02	0.95	0.89	0.86	1.00	0.89	0.96	0.89	0.93	0.93	0.95	0.87	0.96	0.93	1.02	0.93	0.95	1.02
Standard error		0.02	0.03	0.08	0.12	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.14	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.05	0.09

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Table 4

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Greater financial stability in the Eurozone

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1175	614	561	128	178	176	213	189	291	361	342	233	238	191	466
	58%	62%	54%	53%	53%	52%	59%	63%	66%	67%	61%	53%	50%	59%	58%
Very important	(4) 419	213	206	48	72	57	70	69	103	111	134	93	82	60	166
	21%	22%	20%	20%	21%	17%	19%	23%	23%	21%	24%	21%	17%	19%	21%
Fairly important	(3) 756	401	355	81	107	118	143	120	188	251	209	140	157	131	300
	37%	41%	34%	34%	31%	35%	40%	40%	43%	46%	37%	32%	33%	40%	37%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 236	133	102	21	30	45	45	38	57	59	65	55	57	33	98
	12%	13%	10%	9%	9%	13%	12%	13%	13%	11%	12%	12%	12%	10%	12%
Very unimportant	(1) 119	64	55	15	22	19	19	21	23	26	31	28	34	31	38
	6%	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	5%	5%	5%	6%	7%	10%	5%
NET: Unimportant	355	198	157	36	53	64	63	59	80	85	96	83	91	64	136
	18%	20%	15%	15%	15%	19%	18%	20%	18%	16%	17%	19%	19%	20%	17%
Don't know	488	177	311	76	109	101	84	51	68	93	121	124	150	69	205
	24%	18%	30%	32%	32%	30%	23%	17%	15%	17%	22%	28%	31%	21%	25%
Mean	2.96	2.94	2.99	2.98	2.99	2.89	2.96	2.95	3.00	3.00	3.02	2.94	2.87	2.86	2.99
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.86	0.89	0.91	0.86	0.83	0.88	0.83	0.78	0.86	0.91	0.91	0.92	0.83
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04

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Table 4

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Greater financial stability in the Eurozone

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1175 58%	1019 59%	110 60%	45 55%	120 54%	83 45%	100 55%	90 63%	46 45%	117 58%	173 66%	183 65%	110 61%	657 58%	518 58%	138 57%	518 58%	57 49%	65 52%	72 53%	240 73%	84 47%	
Very important	(4) 21%	419 21%	367 21%	38 21%	21 26%	43 19%	32 17%	34 19%	26 18%	14 14%	32 16%	79 30%	61 22%	39 21%	226 20%	179 20%	47 19%	193 22%	18 15%	38 31%	26 19%	80 24%	31 17%
Fairly important	(3) 37%	756 37%	653 38%	71 39%	23 29%	78 35%	51 28%	66 36%	64 45%	32 31%	85 42%	93 36%	122 43%	72 39%	431 38%	340 38%	91 38%	325 37%	39 34%	27 21%	46 34%	160 48%	53 29%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 12%	236 12%	195 11%	27 15%	6 8%	30 13%	25 14%	26 14%	17 12%	14 13%	24 12%	23 9%	20 8%	131 12%	109 12%	22 9%	105 12%	15 13%	20 16%	21 15%	31 9%	18 10%	
Very unimportant	(1) 6%	119 6%	100 6%	9 5%	9 11%	16 7%	11 6%	7 4%	13 9%	10 9%	13 6%	9 3%	10 3%	13 7%	69 6%	57 6%	12 5%	50 6%	3 3%	5 4%	10 8%	21 6%	10 5%
NET: Unimportant	355 18%	296 17%	36 20%	15 18%	46 21%	36 20%	33 18%	30 21%	23 23%	37 19%	33 13%	33 12%	33 18%	200 18%	166 19%	34 14%	155 17%	18 15%	25 20%	32 23%	52 16%	28 16%	
Don't know	488 24%	420 24%	36 20%	21 27%	56 25%	63 35%	50 27%	22 16%	32 32%	47 23%	57 22%	67 24%	39 21%	273 24%	204 23%	70 29%	215 24%	42 36%	35 28%	33 24%	38 11%	68 38%	
Mean	2.96	2.98	2.96	2.96	2.88	2.87	2.96	2.86	2.73	2.88	3.18	3.08	2.95	2.95	2.94	3.01	2.98	2.96	3.09	2.84	3.02	2.94	
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.83	1.03	0.90	0.92	0.82	0.88	0.95	0.83	0.80	0.75	0.88	0.86	0.87	0.83	0.86	0.78	0.94	0.92	0.82	0.89	
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.13	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.13	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.04	0.08	

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Table 5

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? The increase in size of Britain's workforce

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1199	594	605	152	191	188	196	177	295	328	341	260	269	184	467
	59%	60%	59%	63%	56%	55%	54%	59%	67%	61%	61%	59%	56%	57%	58%
Very important	(4) 471	217	254	62	84	75	74	75	101	103	133	109	125	76	189
	23%	22%	25%	26%	25%	22%	21%	25%	23%	19%	24%	25%	26%	23%	23%
Fairly important	(3) 728	377	351	89	107	113	121	103	195	225	208	151	143	108	278
	36%	38%	34%	37%	31%	33%	34%	34%	44%	42%	37%	34%	30%	33%	34%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 262	155	107	19	28	44	54	47	70	90	74	45	53	52	92
	13%	16%	10%	8%	8%	13%	15%	16%	16%	17%	13%	10%	11%	16%	11%
Very unimportant	(1) 120	74	46	6	19	20	30	22	23	20	28	37	34	24	56
	6%	7%	5%	3%	6%	6%	8%	7%	5%	4%	5%	8%	7%	7%	7%
NET: Unimportant	382	229	153	25	48	63	83	69	93	111	103	82	87	76	148
	19%	23%	15%	11%	14%	19%	23%	23%	21%	21%	18%	19%	18%	23%	18%
Don't know	437	166	271	63	102	88	81	53	50	100	115	97	124	64	192
	22%	17%	26%	26%	30%	26%	22%	18%	11%	19%	21%	22%	26%	20%	24%
Mean	2.98	2.90	3.07	3.17	3.07	2.97	2.86	2.93	2.96	2.94	3.00	2.97	3.01	2.91	2.98
Standard deviation	0.88	0.89	0.85	0.76	0.89	0.89	0.93	0.92	0.82	0.79	0.85	0.94	0.94	0.93	0.91
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04

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Table 5

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? The increase in size of Britain's workforce

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1199	1025	120	42	130	87	115	92	53	120	165	169	104	651	508	143	548	63	72	87	226	100	
	59%	59%	66%	52%	59%	48%	63%	65%	53%	59%	63%	60%	57%	58%	57%	59%	62%	54%	58%	63%	69%	56%	
Very important	(4)	471	400	52	18	54	34	45	40	19	39	76	48	47	265	208	57	206	26	34	32	72	41
		23%	23%	29%	22%	24%	19%	25%	28%	19%	19%	29%	17%	26%	23%	23%	24%	23%	22%	28%	24%	22%	23%
Fairly important	(3)	728	625	69	24	76	53	71	52	34	81	89	121	58	386	300	86	342	37	38	54	154	60
		36%	36%	38%	30%	34%	29%	39%	37%	34%	40%	34%	43%	32%	34%	34%	35%	39%	31%	30%	40%	47%	33%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	262	226	24	11	32	25	17	25	12	23	35	30	27	144	117	26	119	14	13	19	57	16
		13%	13%	13%	14%	15%	14%	10%	18%	12%	11%	13%	11%	15%	13%	13%	11%	13%	12%	10%	14%	17%	9%
Very unimportant	(1)	120	106	8	9	15	12	14	8	6	15	10	11	12	80	67	12	41	4	5	10	11	10
		6%	6%	5%	11%	7%	7%	8%	5%	6%	7%	4%	4%	7%	7%	8%	5%	5%	4%	4%	7%	3%	6%
NET: Unimportant		382	332	33	20	47	38	31	33	18	37	45	41	39	223	185	39	159	18	18	29	68	26
		19%	19%	18%	25%	21%	21%	17%	24%	18%	19%	17%	15%	21%	20%	21%	16%	18%	16%	14%	21%	21%	15%
Don't know		437	379	28	19	45	57	35	16	30	44	52	72	38	256	196	61	181	35	35	22	36	53
		22%	22%	16%	23%	20%	31%	19%	11%	29%	22%	20%	25%	21%	23%	22%	25%	20%	30%	28%	16%	11%	30%
Mean		2.98	2.97	3.07	2.81	2.95	2.87	3.00	2.99	2.94	2.91	3.10	2.98	2.97	2.96	2.94	3.03	3.01	3.04	3.13	2.94	2.98	3.03
Standard deviation		0.88	0.88	0.85	1.01	0.91	0.93	0.90	0.88	0.87	0.87	0.85	0.77	0.93	0.91	0.92	0.86	0.83	0.84	0.86	0.89	0.77	0.88
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.07	0.12	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.12	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.04	0.08

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Table 6

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? New technology

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri- vate
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1337 66%	705 71%	631 61%	143 60%	191 56%	215 63%	224 62%	208 70%	356 81%	379 70%	382 68%	279 64%	297 62%	207 64%	519 64%
Very important	(4) 553 27%	289 29%	264 26%	64 27%	92 27%	62 18%	95 27%	92 31%	147 34%	153 28%	142 25%	134 31%	123 26%	86 27%	224 28%
Fairly important	(3) 784 39%	417 42%	367 36%	79 33%	98 29%	153 45%	129 36%	116 39%	209 47%	226 42%	240 43%	145 33%	174 36%	121 37%	295 37%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 199 10%	98 10%	100 10%	21 9%	37 11%	34 10%	44 12%	32 11%	31 7%	64 12%	46 8%	41 9%	47 10%	41 13%	83 10%
Very unimportant	(1) 66 3%	36 4%	30 3%	8 3%	19 5%	11 3%	14 4%	7 2%	8 2%	11 2%	18 3%	23 5%	15 3%	20 6%	24 3%
NET: Unimportant	265 13%	134 14%	131 13%	30 12%	55 16%	44 13%	58 16%	39 13%	39 9%	75 14%	65 12%	64 15%	62 13%	60 19%	108 13%
Don't know	416 21%	149 15%	267 26%	67 28%	94 28%	81 24%	78 22%	52 17%	44 10%	86 16%	113 20%	96 22%	121 25%	57 18%	179 22%
Mean	3.14	3.14	3.14	3.15	3.08	3.03	3.08	3.19	3.26	3.15	3.13	3.14	3.13	3.02	3.15
Standard deviation	0.78	0.78	0.79	0.82	0.91	0.73	0.83	0.76	0.68	0.74	0.75	0.87	0.79	0.88	0.79
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.03

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Table 6

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? New technology

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1337	1145	126	51	139	111	133	102	66	132	175	188	114	726	573	153	611	67	70	96	275	103	
	66%	66%	69%	63%	63%	61%	73%	72%	65%	65%	67%	66%	63%	64%	65%	63%	69%	57%	56%	70%	83%	58%	
Very important	(4)	553	471	51	18	63	51	52	36	31	49	88	74	41	310	258	52	243	20	32	37	113	40
		27%	27%	28%	22%	28%	28%	28%	25%	31%	24%	34%	26%	23%	27%	29%	22%	27%	17%	25%	27%	34%	22%
Fairly important	(3)	784	674	75	33	77	61	82	66	35	83	87	113	73	416	315	101	368	47	38	59	161	63
		39%	39%	41%	41%	34%	33%	45%	47%	34%	41%	33%	40%	40%	37%	35%	42%	41%	40%	31%	43%	49%	35%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	199	177	16	4	28	14	11	19	5	26	30	27	19	124	96	28	75	9	15	13	20	17
		10%	10%	9%	5%	13%	8%	6%	13%	5%	13%	11%	10%	10%	11%	11%	12%	8%	8%	12%	10%	6%	9%
Very unimportant	(1)	66	58	5	4	12	6	5	7	4	1	7	6	10	44	38	6	22	6	1	1	8	7
		3%	3%	3%	5%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	1%	3%	2%	6%	4%	4%	2%	3%	5%	1%	*	2%	4%
NET: Unimportant		265	235	21	8	40	20	16	26	9	27	36	33	29	168	134	34	97	15	17	14	27	23
		13%	14%	11%	10%	18%	11%	9%	18%	9%	13%	14%	12%	16%	15%	15%	14%	11%	13%	14%	10%	8%	13%
Don't know		416	355	35	22	43	50	32	14	26	43	51	62	39	236	181	55	180	34	38	27	28	53
		21%	20%	19%	28%	19%	28%	18%	10%	26%	21%	19%	22%	21%	21%	20%	23%	20%	29%	30%	20%	8%	29%
Mean		3.14	3.13	3.17	3.10	3.06	3.19	3.20	3.03	3.25	3.13	3.21	3.16	3.01	3.11	3.12	3.07	3.17	2.99	3.15	3.21	3.26	3.08
Standard deviation		0.78	0.79	0.74	0.81	0.88	0.81	0.72	0.80	0.80	0.70	0.80	0.74	0.84	0.82	0.84	0.75	0.74	0.81	0.77	0.66	0.69	0.82
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.06	0.10	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.10	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.07

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Table 7

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? British employees working longer hours for less pay

Base: All respondents

		Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1013	544	468	112	148	155	177	166	254	312	290	205	206	164	405
	50%	55%	46%	47%	43%	46%	49%	55%	58%	58%	52%	47%	43%	51%	50%
Very important	(4)	381	202	179	31	77	65	72	63	72	101	95	98	87	160
	19%	20%	17%	13%	23%	19%	20%	21%	17%	19%	17%	22%	18%	22%	20%
Fairly important	(3)	632	343	289	81	70	90	106	103	182	211	195	107	119	245
	31%	35%	28%	34%	21%	27%	29%	34%	41%	39%	35%	24%	25%	29%	30%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	293	156	137	29	40	53	58	44	69	89	75	62	67	116
	15%	16%	13%	12%	12%	16%	16%	15%	16%	16%	13%	14%	14%	12%	14%
Very unimportant	(1)	168	87	81	15	39	38	27	26	22	32	48	42	46	71
	8%	9%	8%	6%	11%	11%	8%	9%	5%	6%	9%	10%	10%	14%	9%
NET: Unimportant	461	243	218	44	79	91	85	70	91	121	123	104	113	85	188
	23%	25%	21%	18%	23%	27%	24%	23%	21%	22%	22%	24%	23%	26%	23%
Don't know	545	201	343	84	113	94	97	63	94	107	147	130	161	74	214
	27%	20%	33%	35%	33%	28%	27%	21%	21%	20%	26%	30%	34%	23%	26%
Mean	2.83	2.84	2.83	2.82	2.82	2.74	2.84	2.86	2.88	2.88	2.81	2.84	2.77	2.76	2.83
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	0.95	0.86	1.08	1.02	0.94	0.94	0.81	0.85	0.92	1.02	1.01	1.06	0.96
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.04

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Table 7

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? British employees working longer hours for less pay

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1013 50%	883 51%	92 51%	38 47%	111 50%	80 44%	102 56%	75 53%	38 38%	94 47%	140 53%	151 53%	93 51%	569 50%	448 50%	122 50%	443 50%	45 39%	44 36%	69 50%	206 62%	79 44%	
Very important	(4) 19%	381 19%	329 19%	40 22%	22 27%	38 17%	30 17%	30 16%	33 23%	12 11%	41 20%	52 20%	51 18%	32 18%	231 20%	186 21%	45 19%	150 17%	19 16%	16 13%	25 18%	56 17%	34 19%
Fairly important	(3) 31%	632 31%	554 32%	52 28%	16 20%	73 33%	49 27%	72 39%	43 30%	27 26%	53 26%	88 33%	100 35%	60 33%	338 30%	262 29%	77 32%	294 33%	26 23%	29 23%	44 32%	150 45%	45 25%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 15%	293 15%	249 14%	29 16%	11 14%	34 15%	24 13%	25 14%	26 18%	15 15%	29 14%	40 15%	36 13%	23 13%	156 14%	128 14%	29 12%	137 15%	19 16%	25 20%	17 12%	52 16%	25 14%
Very unimportant	(1) 8%	168 8%	133 8%	21 12%	6 8%	22 10%	15 9%	16 9%	19 13%	14 14%	12 6%	16 6%	12 4%	15 8%	117 10%	98 11%	18 8%	51 6%	9 8%	9 7%	7 5%	14 4%	12 7%
NET: Unimportant	461 23%	382 22%	50 27%	17 21%	56 25%	40 22%	41 23%	45 32%	29 28%	41 20%	56 21%	48 17%	39 21%	273 24%	226 25%	47 19%	188 21%	27 24%	34 27%	24 17%	66 20%	37 21%	
Don't know	545 27%	470 27%	40 22%	25 32%	55 25%	63 34%	39 22%	21 15%	34 34%	67 33%	67 25%	83 30%	50 28%	288 25%	214 24%	73 30%	257 29%	44 38%	47 37%	44 32%	58 18%	64 36%	
Mean	2.83	2.85	2.79	2.97	2.76	2.79	2.81	2.74	2.54	2.91	2.90	2.95	2.83	2.81	2.79	2.88	2.86	2.76	2.66	2.94	2.91	2.87	
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	1.02	1.03	0.95	0.97	0.89	1.03	1.01	0.93	0.89	0.83	0.93	0.99	1.00	0.93	0.87	0.98	0.93	0.87	0.77	0.96	
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.09	0.13	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.14	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.03	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.04	0.09	

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Table 8

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Big businesses

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri- vate
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1269 63%	672 68%	597 58%	140 58%	188 55%	209 61%	222 62%	196 65%	314 72%	362 67%	349 62%	274 62%	284 59%	194 60%	512 63%
Very important	(4) 458 23%	243 25%	214 21%	60 25%	81 24%	69 20%	75 21%	61 20%	112 25%	109 20%	125 22%	104 24%	119 25%	66 20%	188 23%
Fairly important	(3) 811 40%	428 43%	383 37%	80 33%	108 32%	140 41%	147 41%	135 45%	202 46%	252 47%	224 40%	170 39%	165 34%	128 39%	323 40%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 206 10%	118 12%	89 9%	15 6%	30 9%	37 11%	35 10%	36 12%	53 12%	65 12%	69 12%	37 8%	35 7%	34 11%	79 10%
Very unimportant	(1) 87 4%	45 5%	42 4%	7 3%	22 7%	15 4%	16 5%	15 5%	12 3%	25 5%	21 4%	25 6%	17 4%	31 10%	29 4%
NET: Unimportant	294 15%	162 16%	131 13%	22 9%	52 15%	52 15%	51 14%	50 17%	65 15%	90 17%	89 16%	62 14%	52 11%	66 20%	108 13%
Don't know	456 23%	155 16%	301 29%	77 32%	99 29%	79 23%	87 24%	54 18%	60 14%	88 16%	121 22%	104 24%	143 30%	65 20%	187 23%
Mean	3.05	3.04	3.06	3.19	3.03	3.01	3.03	2.98	3.09	2.99	3.03	3.05	3.15	2.88	3.08
Standard deviation	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.78	0.91	0.80	0.80	0.80	0.74	0.78	0.80	0.85	0.80	0.93	0.78
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.06	0.03

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Table 8

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Big businesses

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1269	1080	129	49	139	100	125	97	60	103	173	182	111	705	559	147	564	63	70	92	240	97	
	63%	62%	71%	60%	63%	55%	69%	68%	59%	51%	66%	65%	61%	62%	63%	61%	63%	54%	57%	67%	73%	54%	
Very important	(4)	458	397	40	20	60	37	43	28	21	28	86	60	36	254	207	47	204	27	31	37	79	30
		23%	23%	22%	25%	27%	20%	24%	20%	20%	14%	33%	21%	20%	22%	23%	19%	23%	23%	25%	27%	24%	17%
Fairly important	(3)	811	682	90	29	79	63	82	69	39	75	88	122	75	451	351	100	360	36	39	55	162	67
		40%	39%	49%	36%	36%	35%	45%	49%	39%	37%	33%	43%	41%	40%	40%	41%	41%	31%	32%	40%	49%	37%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	206	186	12	5	21	20	19	18	9	28	23	30	21	113	92	21	93	11	12	10	43	18
		10%	11%	6%	6%	10%	11%	11%	13%	9%	14%	9%	11%	11%	10%	10%	9%	11%	10%	9%	7%	13%	10%
Very unimportant	(1)	87	74	8	5	14	8	5	7	6	12	6	8	8	61	47	14	27	3	3	1	12	7
		4%	4%	4%	7%	7%	5%	3%	5%	6%	6%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	4%
NET: Unimportant		294	259	20	10	36	28	24	25	15	40	30	38	28	174	139	35	120	14	15	11	55	25
		15%	15%	11%	13%	16%	16%	13%	18%	15%	20%	11%	13%	16%	15%	16%	14%	14%	12%	12%	8%	17%	14%
Don't know		456	397	33	22	47	54	33	20	26	58	59	63	42	251	191	61	204	39	40	34	35	58
		23%	23%	18%	27%	21%	30%	18%	14%	26%	29%	23%	22%	23%	22%	21%	23%	33%	32%	25%	10%	32%	
Mean		3.05	3.05	3.08	3.07	3.06	3.00	3.10	2.97	3.00	2.83	3.24	3.07	3.00	3.02	3.03	2.99	3.08	3.12	3.16	3.24	3.04	2.99
Standard deviation		0.80	0.81	0.74	0.89	0.89	0.84	0.73	0.77	0.85	0.84	0.78	0.74	0.80	0.83	0.84	0.83	0.76	0.81	0.79	0.67	0.76	0.79
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.06	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.04	0.07

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Table 9

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Small and medium sized businesses

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	1408	743	665	142	211	224	252	220	359	400	393	299	316	221	572
	70%	75%	65%	59%	62%	66%	70%	73%	82%	74%	70%	68%	66%	68%	71%
Very important	(4) 583	323	260	54	89	87	94	88	170	174	165	118	126	86	239
	29%	33%	25%	23%	26%	26%	26%	29%	39%	32%	29%	27%	26%	27%	30%
Fairly important	(3) 825	420	404	87	121	137	158	132	190	226	228	181	190	135	333
	41%	43%	39%	36%	36%	40%	44%	44%	43%	42%	41%	41%	40%	42%	41%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 144	77	67	25	16	30	23	24	27	42	38	32	31	29	52
	7%	8%	6%	10%	5%	9%	6%	8%	6%	8%	7%	7%	6%	9%	6%
Very unimportant	(1) 69	32	38	10	21	12	12	8	6	12	15	24	18	21	22
	3%	3%	4%	4%	6%	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	3%	5%	4%	7%	3%
NET: Unimportant	213	109	104	35	37	41	35	32	33	54	54	56	49	50	74
	11%	11%	10%	15%	11%	12%	10%	11%	7%	10%	10%	13%	10%	16%	9%
Don't know	397	137	260	63	92	74	73	48	47	85	113	85	114	53	159
	20%	14%	25%	26%	27%	22%	20%	16%	11%	16%	20%	19%	24%	16%	20%
Mean	3.19	3.21	3.15	3.05	3.12	3.13	3.17	3.19	3.33	3.24	3.22	3.11	3.16	3.05	3.22
Standard deviation	0.76	0.76	0.77	0.83	0.87	0.77	0.74	0.74	0.67	0.73	0.74	0.82	0.78	0.86	0.73
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.03

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Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Small and medium sized businesses

Base: All respondents

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person	
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188	
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180	
NET: Important	1408	1207	134	51	143	119	131	113	67	138	189	194	127	793	631	162	614	68	67	104	268	107	
	70%	70%	74%	64%	64%	66%	72%	80%	66%	69%	72%	69%	70%	70%	71%	67%	69%	59%	54%	76%	81%	59%	
Very important	(4)	583	497	54	22	54	62	64	35	32	49	83	83	44	325	263	62	258	22	29	38	122	46
		29%	29%	29%	28%	24%	34%	35%	25%	32%	24%	32%	30%	24%	29%	30%	26%	29%	19%	24%	28%	37%	26%
Fairly important	(3)	825	710	80	29	88	57	68	78	35	89	106	111	84	468	369	100	356	46	38	66	145	61
		41%	41%	44%	36%	40%	31%	37%	55%	34%	44%	41%	39%	46%	41%	42%	41%	40%	40%	30%	48%	44%	34%
Fairly unimportant	(2)	144	123	17	3	25	11	11	10	4	13	16	24	11	81	63	18	62	5	18	8	22	10
		7%	7%	9%	3%	11%	6%	6%	7%	4%	6%	6%	8%	6%	7%	7%	8%	7%	4%	14%	6%	7%	6%
Very unimportant	(1)	69	62	4	3	14	6	10	3	2	7	7	5	7	43	35	9	26	4	5	1	8	9
		3%	4%	2%	4%	6%	3%	6%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	*	2%	5%
NET: Unimportant		213	186	21	6	39	17	21	13	6	20	23	29	18	125	98	27	88	10	22	8	29	19
		11%	11%	12%	7%	17%	9%	12%	9%	6%	10%	9%	10%	10%	11%	11%	11%	10%	8%	18%	6%	9%	10%
Don't know		397	343	27	23	41	45	29	15	28	44	50	60	36	212	159	53	185	38	35	24	33	54
		20%	20%	15%	29%	18%	25%	16%	11%	28%	22%	19%	21%	20%	19%	18%	21%	33%	28%	18%	10%	10%	30%
Mean		3.19	3.18	3.18	3.23	3.01	3.29	3.21	3.16	3.33	3.14	3.25	3.22	3.12	3.17	3.18	3.14	3.21	3.10	3.03	3.26	3.29	3.15
Standard deviation		0.76	0.77	0.73	0.78	0.86	0.79	0.85	0.65	0.72	0.74	0.74	0.72	0.75	0.78	0.78	0.77	0.75	0.76	0.86	0.60	0.71	0.84
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.06	0.10	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.04	0.07

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Table 10

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Immigration

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Private
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
NET: Important	692 34%	360 36%	332 32%	86 36%	152 45%	116 34%	117 32%	86 29%	134 31%	182 34%	209 37%	147 33%	154 32%	118 36%	293 36%
Very important	(4) 296 15%	152 15%	144 14%	41 17%	67 20%	39 12%	56 16%	39 13%	53 12%	60 11%	87 16%	73 17%	76 16%	41 13%	132 16%
Fairly important	(3) 396 20%	207 21%	188 18%	45 19%	85 25%	77 23%	60 17%	48 16%	81 18%	122 23%	122 22%	74 17%	78 16%	77 24%	161 20%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 393 19%	233 24%	160 16%	40 17%	35 10%	63 19%	66 18%	70 23%	118 27%	145 27%	123 22%	57 13%	68 14%	59 18%	151 19%
Very unimportant	(1) 453 22%	220 22%	233 23%	32 13%	43 13%	75 22%	96 27%	84 28%	123 28%	106 20%	100 18%	129 29%	118 25%	75 23%	168 21%
NET: Unimportant	846 42%	453 46%	393 38%	71 30%	78 23%	139 41%	162 45%	154 52%	241 55%	251 47%	223 40%	186 42%	185 39%	135 42%	319 40%
Don't know	480 24%	177 18%	304 30%	82 34%	110 32%	85 25%	81 22%	59 20%	64 15%	106 20%	128 23%	106 24%	140 29%	71 22%	194 24%
Mean	2.35	2.36	2.33	2.61	2.77	2.32	2.28	2.17	2.17	2.31	2.45	2.27	2.33	2.33	2.42
Standard deviation	1.10	1.07	1.12	1.08	1.07	1.06	1.14	1.08	1.04	0.99	1.06	1.19	1.17	1.07	1.11
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.05

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Table 10

Q.2 How important or unimportant would you say each of the following has been in contributing to any economic growth the UK has seen over the past 6 months? Immigration

Base: All respondents

	Region												Which of the following best describes your current working status?									
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180
NET: Important	692 34%	594 34%	67 37%	26 32%	78 35%	50 27%	65 36%	47 33%	31 31%	64 32%	108 41%	104 37%	53 29%	411 36%	325 37%	86 36%	281 32%	37 32%	51 41%	46 33%	100 30%	46 26%
Very important	(4) 296 15%	265 15%	23 13%	17 21%	39 18%	18 10%	25 14%	20 14%	8 8%	20 10%	60 23%	48 17%	18 10%	172 15%	134 15%	38 16%	124 14%	16 13%	26 21%	25 18%	31 9%	26 15%
Fairly important	(3) 396 20%	328 19%	44 24%	9 11%	39 17%	31 17%	40 22%	27 19%	23 23%	44 22%	48 18%	56 20%	35 19%	238 21%	191 21%	48 20%	157 18%	22 19%	25 20%	21 16%	69 21%	20 11%
Fairly unimportant	(2) 393 19%	345 20%	37 20%	15 19%	34 15%	45 25%	38 21%	32 23%	11 11%	43 21%	41 16%	61 22%	35 19%	210 19%	161 18%	49 20%	183 21%	21 18%	16 13%	23 17%	97 29%	26 15%
Very unimportant	(1) 453 22%	370 21%	48 26%	17 21%	61 27%	35 19%	38 21%	47 33%	35 35%	42 21%	49 19%	39 14%	42 23%	244 22%	210 24%	34 14%	209 24%	18 15%	23 18%	43 31%	86 26%	39 22%
NET: Unimportant	846 42%	714 41%	85 47%	32 40%	95 43%	80 44%	76 42%	79 56%	47 46%	85 42%	91 35%	101 36%	77 42%	454 40%	370 42%	83 34%	392 44%	38 33%	39 31%	66 48%	184 56%	66 37%
Don't know	480 24%	427 25%	30 16%	23 28%	50 22%	52 29%	41 22%	16 11%	23 23%	53 26%	64 24%	78 27%	52 29%	266 24%	193 22%	73 30%	215 24%	40 35%	35 28%	25 18%	46 14%	68 38%
Mean	2.35	2.37	2.28	2.45	2.32	2.26	2.37	2.16	2.04	2.28	2.60	2.55	2.22	2.39	2.36	2.53	2.29	2.47	2.60	2.25	2.16	2.30
Standard deviation	1.10	1.10	1.07	1.20	1.18	1.01	1.06	1.10	1.08	1.02	1.16	1.05	1.05	1.10	1.10	1.05	1.09	1.07	1.16	1.19	0.98	1.18
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.15	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.14	0.09	0.10	0.07	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.04	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.05	0.11

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	Total	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri- vate
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
<u>The state of the UK economy</u>															
Better	622 31%	360 36%	262 25%	68 28%	94 28%	79 23%	83 23%	94 31%	205 47%	242 45%	173 31%	117 27%	91 19%	82 25%	240 30%
No change	648 32%	301 30%	347 34%	97 41%	109 32%	116 34%	128 36%	92 31%	105 24%	152 28%	189 34%	142 32%	166 35%	103 32%	264 33%
Worse	747 37%	328 33%	420 41%	74 31%	137 40%	145 43%	149 41%	114 38%	129 29%	145 27%	198 35%	181 41%	223 47%	138 43%	303 38%
<u>Your personal financial situation</u>															
Better	275 14%	156 16%	119 12%	65 27%	73 21%	42 12%	24 7%	24 8%	47 11%	88 16%	79 14%	58 13%	51 11%	48 15%	138 17%
No change	825 41%	419 42%	405 39%	78 33%	107 31%	142 42%	149 41%	117 39%	232 53%	252 47%	220 39%	179 41%	173 36%	112 34%	310 38%
Worse	918 46%	414 42%	504 49%	97 40%	161 47%	156 46%	187 52%	158 53%	160 36%	200 37%	261 47%	202 46%	255 53%	164 51%	359 45%
<u>Your job security</u>															
Better	193 10%	116 12%	77 7%	52 22%	72 21%	35 10%	23 6%	6 2%	6 1%	46 9%	56 10%	59 13%	32 7%	52 16%	123 15%
No change	1298 64%	621 63%	677 66%	118 49%	157 46%	200 59%	224 62%	200 67%	399 91%	359 67%	347 62%	269 61%	323 67%	152 47%	437 54%
Worse	527 26%	251 25%	276 27%	70 29%	111 33%	104 31%	113 31%	94 31%	35 8%	134 25%	157 28%	112 25%	124 26%	120 37%	246 31%

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	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri- vate
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
<u>Anti-social behaviour in my neighbourhood</u>															
Better	244 12%	125 13%	119 12%	46 19%	59 17%	38 11%	32 9%	22 7%	48 11%	68 13%	69 12%	59 13%	49 10%	41 13%	114 14%
No change	1289 64%	645 65%	644 63%	123 51%	188 55%	221 65%	247 69%	204 68%	307 70%	369 68%	366 65%	266 61%	287 60%	196 61%	504 62%
Worse	485 24%	219 22%	266 26%	71 30%	93 27%	81 24%	81 23%	75 25%	85 19%	102 19%	125 22%	115 26%	143 30%	86 27%	188 23%
<u>Crime</u>															
Better	253 13%	146 15%	108 10%	43 18%	51 15%	31 9%	33 9%	28 9%	68 15%	95 18%	80 14%	37 8%	41 9%	40 12%	100 12%
No change	1054 52%	526 53%	528 51%	123 51%	172 51%	194 57%	202 56%	140 47%	222 51%	304 56%	302 54%	227 52%	221 46%	159 49%	453 56%
Worse	711 35%	317 32%	394 38%	74 31%	117 34%	115 34%	125 35%	132 44%	149 34%	140 26%	177 32%	175 40%	218 45%	124 38%	253 31%
<u>Social disorder in some communities around the country</u>															
Better	207 10%	119 12%	88 9%	39 16%	53 16%	31 9%	15 4%	27 9%	42 9%	69 13%	55 10%	49 11%	35 7%	35 11%	98 12%
No change	903 45%	465 47%	438 43%	119 50%	155 46%	170 50%	160 45%	118 39%	180 41%	269 50%	261 47%	185 42%	188 39%	132 41%	386 48%
Worse	908 45%	406 41%	502 49%	81 34%	132 39%	138 41%	184 51%	155 52%	218 50%	201 37%	244 44%	206 47%	257 54%	158 49%	323 40%

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	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?								
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humber	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East of London	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180
<u>The state of the UK economy</u>																						
Better	622	560	46	22	70	56	56	58	17	60	89	90	60	322	256	66	301	24	36	37	166	38
	31%	32%	25%	27%	32%	31%	31%	41%	16%	30%	34%	32%	33%	28%	29%	27%	34%	21%	29%	27%	50%	21%
No change	648	562	43	32	60	52	62	40	43	75	87	97	58	367	290	77	281	49	47	44	82	59
	32%	32%	24%	40%	27%	29%	34%	28%	43%	37%	33%	34%	32%	32%	33%	32%	32%	42%	38%	32%	25%	33%
Worse	747	613	93	27	92	74	63	44	41	67	87	96	64	441	342	99	306	43	41	56	82	84
	37%	35%	51%	33%	42%	40%	35%	31%	41%	33%	33%	34%	35%	39%	39%	41%	34%	37%	33%	41%	25%	46%
<u>Your personal financial situation</u>																						
Better	275	249	17	12	35	14	27	23	10	21	64	34	19	186	161	25	89	4	21	6	37	22
	14%	14%	9%	15%	16%	8%	15%	16%	10%	10%	25%	12%	10%	16%	18%	10%	10%	3%	17%	4%	11%	12%
No change	825	713	65	36	80	84	71	55	46	94	105	116	71	421	335	86	403	40	51	65	181	66
	41%	41%	36%	45%	36%	46%	39%	39%	46%	47%	40%	41%	39%	37%	38%	36%	45%	35%	41%	47%	55%	37%
Worse	918	774	99	32	106	84	84	63	45	87	92	133	92	523	392	131	395	72	53	66	112	91
	46%	45%	55%	39%	48%	46%	47%	45%	45%	43%	35%	47%	50%	46%	44%	54%	45%	62%	42%	48%	34%	51%
<u>Your job security</u>																						
Better	193	165	19	7	22	18	15	12	9	16	46	22	7	175	150	25	18	1	8	1	3	5
	10%	10%	11%	8%	10%	10%	8%	8%	9%	8%	18%	8%	4%	15%	17%	10%	2%	1%	6%	1%	1%	3%
No change	1298	1115	118	56	147	123	117	91	65	135	142	178	127	589	456	133	709	61	85	120	309	134
	64%	64%	65%	70%	66%	68%	64%	65%	64%	67%	54%	63%	70%	52%	51%	55%	80%	53%	68%	88%	94%	74%
Worse	527	455	44	18	54	41	50	38	28	50	75	82	47	366	282	84	161	54	32	16	18	41
	26%	26%	24%	22%	24%	22%	27%	27%	27%	25%	28%	29%	26%	32%	32%	35%	18%	47%	26%	12%	5%	23%

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	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humberside	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	NET: Work-ing	Work-ing full time	Work-ing part time	NET: Not work-ing	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180
<u>Anti-social behaviour in my neighbourhood</u>																						
Better	244	215	18	17	28	23	26	15	11	15	43	36	11	155	132	23	89	10	18	17	29	14
	12%	12%	10%	22%	13%	13%	14%	10%	11%	8%	16%	13%	6%	14%	15%	9%	10%	9%	14%	13%	9%	8%
No change	1289	1105	121	51	129	119	123	99	63	145	137	177	124	700	550	151	588	70	73	84	249	113
	64%	64%	67%	63%	58%	66%	68%	70%	62%	72%	52%	63%	68%	62%	62%	62%	66%	60%	58%	61%	75%	63%
Worse	485	416	43	12	65	39	33	28	27	41	82	69	46	275	206	69	211	36	34	36	52	53
	24%	24%	24%	15%	29%	21%	18%	20%	27%	20%	31%	24%	26%	24%	23%	28%	24%	31%	27%	26%	16%	29%
<u>Crime</u>																						
Better	253	215	28	17	20	20	24	21	10	22	32	38	21	140	115	26	113	12	15	17	58	12
	13%	12%	16%	21%	9%	11%	13%	15%	10%	11%	12%	14%	11%	12%	13%	11%	13%	10%	12%	12%	18%	7%
No change	1054	905	90	34	107	89	98	76	58	107	139	151	104	612	483	129	441	51	63	53	178	96
	52%	52%	50%	42%	48%	49%	54%	54%	57%	53%	53%	54%	57%	54%	54%	53%	50%	44%	50%	39%	54%	54%
Worse	711	615	63	30	95	72	59	44	33	73	91	93	57	377	290	87	334	53	47	68	94	72
	35%	35%	35%	38%	43%	40%	33%	31%	33%	36%	35%	33%	32%	33%	33%	36%	38%	46%	37%	49%	29%	40%
<u>Social disorder in some communities around the country</u>																						
Better	207	184	14	10	22	15	22	12	9	20	44	28	10	132	112	21	75	2	22	9	32	10
	10%	11%	8%	12%	10%	8%	12%	8%	9%	10%	17%	10%	6%	12%	13%	9%	8%	1%	18%	7%	10%	6%
No change	903	774	79	35	91	74	79	68	50	100	113	129	86	517	407	110	385	54	52	39	153	88
	45%	45%	44%	43%	41%	41%	43%	48%	49%	49%	43%	46%	47%	46%	46%	45%	43%	46%	41%	28%	46%	49%
Worse	908	778	88	36	110	92	81	62	42	82	105	125	85	480	369	111	428	61	51	89	145	82
	45%	45%	49%	45%	49%	51%	44%	44%	41%	41%	40%	44%	47%	43%	42%	46%	48%	52%	41%	65%	44%	45%

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		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri- vate
Unweighted base	2018	949	1069	162	307	341	399	339	470	629	571	303	515	307	733
Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
<u>I am cutting back on spending now because I think there will be another recession soon</u>															
Agree	828 41%	369 37%	459 45%	92 38%	162 48%	144 43%	158 44%	139 46%	133 30%	169 31%	225 40%	190 43%	244 51%	147 46%	326 40%
Disagree	775 38%	437 44%	338 33%	85 35%	117 34%	123 36%	116 32%	106 35%	229 52%	266 49%	226 40%	161 37%	122 26%	121 37%	320 40%
Don't know	415 21%	183 19%	232 23%	63 26%	61 18%	72 21%	86 24%	55 18%	78 18%	105 19%	109 19%	88 20%	113 24%	55 17%	161 20%
<u>I am looking seriously at all areas of my household or family's spending to see what can be cut</u>															
Agree	1336 66%	593 60%	743 72%	117 49%	231 68%	239 70%	273 76%	218 73%	256 58%	318 59%	373 67%	281 64%	363 76%	236 73%	534 66%
Disagree	487 24%	284 29%	203 20%	72 30%	73 21%	61 18%	65 18%	64 21%	151 34%	169 31%	136 24%	114 26%	68 14%	66 20%	190 24%
Don't know	195 10%	112 11%	83 8%	50 21%	36 11%	39 11%	21 6%	18 6%	32 7%	52 10%	50 9%	44 10%	49 10%	22 7%	82 10%
<u>I have more money to spend on non-essential items now than I did last year</u>															
Agree	403 20%	239 24%	164 16%	77 32%	98 29%	66 20%	46 13%	43 14%	73 17%	131 24%	100 18%	97 22%	76 16%	73 23%	195 24%
Disagree	1410 70%	631 64%	780 76%	118 49%	197 58%	234 69%	292 81%	238 79%	331 75%	357 66%	405 72%	290 66%	357 75%	219 68%	528 65%
Don't know	205 10%	119 12%	85 8%	44 18%	45 13%	39 12%	21 6%	19 6%	35 8%	51 10%	54 10%	53 12%	47 10%	31 10%	83 10%

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Weighted base	2018	989	1029	240	340	340	360	300	439	539	559	440	479	324	806
<u>My personal financial situation is generally heading in the right direction</u>															
Agree	699 35%	380 38%	319 31%	89 37%	123 36%	117 34%	103 29%	80 27%	188 43%	249 46%	197 35%	148 34%	105 22%	120 37%	300 37%
Disagree	976 48%	439 44%	537 52%	106 44%	138 41%	157 46%	204 57%	180 60%	191 43%	204 38%	262 47%	222 50%	288 60%	148 46%	373 46%
Don't know	343 17%	170 17%	172 17%	45 19%	79 23%	66 19%	53 15%	40 13%	60 14%	86 16%	100 18%	70 16%	86 18%	56 17%	134 17%
<u>I am confident that the company I work for will be more successful financially in the next year, than last year</u>															
Agree	411 20%	229 23%	182 18%	73 30%	104 31%	92 27%	64 18%	40 13%	39 9%	108 20%	126 23%	102 23%	75 16%	66 20%	276 34%
Disagree	458 23%	234 24%	224 22%	61 26%	78 23%	90 27%	107 30%	77 26%	45 10%	129 24%	138 25%	111 25%	80 17%	140 43%	196 24%
Don't know	1149 57%	526 53%	623 61%	106 44%	158 46%	158 46%	189 53%	183 61%	355 81%	302 56%	295 53%	226 51%	325 68%	118 36%	335 42%
<u>I expect that there will be more redundancies made at my workplace in the next year, than last year</u>															
Agree	503 25%	252 26%	251 24%	59 25%	119 35%	102 30%	102 28%	81 27%	40 9%	136 25%	158 28%	108 24%	101 21%	151 47%	236 29%
Disagree	505 25%	277 28%	228 22%	72 30%	106 31%	98 29%	98 27%	70 23%	61 14%	133 25%	151 27%	133 30%	89 19%	86 27%	305 38%
Don't know	1010 50%	460 46%	550 53%	109 45%	115 34%	139 41%	160 44%	149 50%	338 77%	270 50%	251 45%	199 45%	289 60%	87 27%	265 33%

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	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?								
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humberside	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	NET: Work-ing	Work-ing full time	Work-ing part time	NET: Not work-ing	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person
Unweighted base	2018	1749	184	89	230	184	184	154	85	190	202	312	204	1040	677	363	978	143	123	138	386	188
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180
<u>I am cutting back on spending now because I think there will be another recession soon</u>																						
Agree	828 41%	694 40%	84 46%	36 45%	93 42%	75 41%	82 45%	51 36%	49 49%	84 42%	101 39%	106 37%	66 36%	474 42%	367 41%	107 44%	354 40%	52 45%	50 40%	69 50%	90 27%	93 52%
Disagree	775 38%	673 39%	70 39%	25 31%	83 37%	66 36%	61 33%	67 47%	32 31%	79 39%	104 40%	109 38%	80 44%	441 39%	362 41%	79 32%	334 38%	30 26%	37 29%	39 29%	186 56%	42 23%
Don't know	415 21%	368 21%	28 15%	20 24%	46 21%	41 22%	39 22%	23 16%	20 19%	39 19%	57 22%	68 24%	36 20%	216 19%	159 18%	57 24%	200 22%	34 29%	38 30%	29 21%	54 16%	45 25%
<u>I am looking seriously at all areas of my household or family's spending to see what can be cut</u>																						
Agree	1336 66%	1135 65%	131 72%	59 73%	147 66%	126 69%	135 74%	87 62%	70 69%	127 63%	148 56%	189 67%	118 65%	770 68%	599 67%	171 71%	565 64%	81 70%	67 53%	105 76%	179 54%	134 75%
Disagree	487 24%	428 25%	40 22%	17 21%	56 25%	40 22%	37 20%	44 31%	19 19%	50 25%	77 29%	62 22%	46 25%	255 23%	205 23%	51 21%	232 26%	15 13%	35 28%	26 19%	125 38%	30 17%
Don't know	195 10%	172 10%	10 6%	5 6%	19 9%	16 9%	10 5%	10 7%	12 12%	25 12%	38 14%	32 11%	18 10%	104 9%	84 9%	20 8%	91 10%	20 17%	23 18%	6 4%	27 8%	16 9%
<u>I have more money to spend on non-essential items now than I did last year</u>																						
Agree	403 20%	344 20%	40 22%	17 21%	48 22%	24 13%	34 19%	28 20%	19 19%	33 16%	83 32%	51 18%	26 14%	269 24%	227 26%	42 17%	134 15%	8 7%	23 19%	13 9%	64 19%	26 15%
Disagree	1410 70%	1218 70%	128 70%	58 72%	153 69%	139 76%	138 76%	102 72%	64 64%	152 75%	144 55%	196 70%	137 75%	747 66%	568 64%	179 74%	663 75%	94 81%	78 63%	119 87%	232 70%	139 77%
Don't know	205 10%	173 10%	14 8%	6 7%	21 9%	19 10%	10 5%	11 8%	17 17%	17 8%	35 13%	35 12%	19 10%	114 10%	93 10%	21 9%	91 10%	14 12%	23 18%	6 4%	33 10%	15 8%

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Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?**Base: All respondents**

	Region													Which of the following best describes your current working status?								
	Total	England	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humberside	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	NET: Working	Working full time	Working part time	NET: Not working	Not working seeking work	Not working and not seeking work	Retired on a state pension only	Retired with a private pension	House person
Weighted base	2018	1735	182	81	222	182	182	141	101	202	262	283	182	1130	888	242	888	116	125	137	330	180
<u>My personal financial situation is generally heading in the right direction</u>																						
Agree	699	608	56	31	85	59	66	52	35	55	111	90	58	420	349	72	279	15	30	27	155	52
	35%	35%	31%	38%	38%	33%	36%	37%	35%	27%	42%	32%	32%	37%	39%	30%	31%	13%	24%	20%	47%	29%
Disagree	976	839	100	43	99	88	85	70	37	113	98	150	92	520	394	127	456	81	64	87	130	94
	48%	48%	55%	53%	45%	49%	47%	50%	36%	56%	37%	53%	51%	46%	44%	52%	51%	70%	51%	63%	39%	52%
Don't know	343	289	25	7	38	34	31	19	29	34	53	42	31	189	146	44	153	20	31	23	45	34
	17%	17%	14%	9%	17%	19%	17%	13%	29%	17%	20%	15%	17%	17%	16%	18%	17%	17%	25%	17%	14%	19%
<u>I am confident that the company I work for will be more successful financially in the next year, than last year</u>																						
Agree	411	349	42	16	58	36	42	27	21	21	68	51	31	342	276	66	69	9	16	3	22	19
	20%	20%	23%	19%	26%	20%	23%	19%	21%	10%	26%	18%	17%	30%	31%	27%	8%	8%	13%	2%	7%	11%
Disagree	458	390	42	15	52	30	41	39	26	53	57	57	45	336	263	73	122	20	27	15	29	32
	23%	22%	23%	19%	24%	17%	23%	28%	26%	26%	22%	20%	25%	30%	30%	30%	14%	17%	21%	11%	9%	18%
Don't know	1149	996	98	50	112	115	99	75	54	128	137	174	106	452	349	103	696	87	82	119	279	128
	57%	57%	54%	62%	50%	63%	54%	53%	54%	64%	52%	62%	58%	40%	39%	43%	78%	75%	66%	87%	85%	71%
<u>I expect that there will be more redundancies made at my workplace in the next year, than last year</u>																						
Agree	503	427	54	19	46	43	54	35	22	41	84	57	48	387	310	77	116	16	21	15	26	38
	25%	25%	30%	24%	21%	24%	30%	25%	22%	20%	32%	20%	26%	34%	35%	32%	13%	14%	17%	11%	8%	21%
Disagree	505	430	51	18	63	48	40	42	24	49	75	64	30	392	320	72	113	15	21	9	42	26
	25%	25%	28%	23%	28%	26%	22%	30%	24%	24%	29%	23%	16%	35%	36%	30%	13%	13%	17%	7%	13%	14%
Don't know	1010	879	76	43	113	91	88	64	55	112	103	161	104	351	259	93	659	85	83	113	261	116
	50%	51%	42%	53%	51%	50%	48%	45%	55%	55%	39%	57%	57%	31%	29%	38%	74%	73%	66%	82%	79%	65%