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Q.1 Which of the following is the main reason why you voted for <party> at Thursday's European election? Base: All naming party voted for in the European election

| | - | Ger | nder | | | Ag | le | | | | Social | Grade | | Employme | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Public | Pri- vate |
| Unweighted base | 1216 | 637 | 579 | 88 | 153 | 157 | 211 | 226 | 381 | 375 | 365 | 194 | 282 | 169 | 425 |
| Weighted base | 1208 | 652 | 556 | 86 | 165 | 174 | 206 | 211 | 366 | 345 | 345 | 243 | 275 | 178 | 457 |
| I don't like the other parties | 230 19% | 123 19% | 107 19% | 16 19% | 33 20% | 39 22% | 43 21% | 41 20% | 58 16% | 68 20% | 73 21% | 50 21% | 39 14% | 45 25% | 78 17% |
| They are the party I agree with most | 941 78% | 512 79% | 429 77% | 66 76% | 124 75% | 129 74% | 157 76% | 166 79% | 299 82% | 269 78% | 264 77% | 182 75% | 226 82% | 123 69% | 365 80% |
| Don't know | 37 3% | 16 3% | 20 4% | 4 5% | 9 5% | 6 3% | 6 3% | 4 2% | 8 2% | 8 2% | 7 2% | 11 5% | 10 4% | 10 6% | 14 3% |



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Q.1 Which of the following is the main reason why you voted for <party> at Thursday's European election? Base: All naming party voted for in the European election

| | | | | | | | Rec | ion | | | | | | | Which c | f the follo | wing bes | t describe | s your curr | ent workin | ig status? | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|-----------------|
| | Total | England | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | 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 | 1216 | 1047 | 107 | 44 | 146 | 115 | 95 | 95 | 62 | 117 | 154 | 169 | 112 | 594 | 393 | 201 | 622 | 54 | 73 | 89 | 315 | 91 |
| Weighted base | 1208 | 1024 | 117 | 46 | 131 | 104 | 99 | 85 | 67 | 121 | 159 | 163 | 115 | 635 | 493 | 142 | 572 | 53 | 61 | 89 | 282 | 88 |
| I don't like the other parties | 230 19% | 195 19% | 21 18% | 8 18% | 21 16% | 18 17% | 21 21% | 16 18% | 15 22% | 25 20% | 30 19% | 35 21% | 22 19% | 123 19% | 99 20% | 24 17% | 108 19% | 9 16% | 13 22% | 15 17% | 50 18% | 20 23% |
| They are the party I agree with most | 941 78% | 795 78% | 95 82% | 35 75% | 104 79% | 86 83% | 77 78% | 65 76% | 50 75% | 93 77% | 122 77% | 123 76% | 91 79% | 488 77% | 379 77% | 109 76% | 453 79% | 40 76% | 47 78% | 72 81% | 230 81% | 63 72% |
| Don't know | 37 3% | 34 3% | 1 1% | 3 7% | 6 5% | 1 1% | 1 1% | 5 5% | 2 3% | 3 3% | 7 4% | 5 3% | 2 2% | 25 4% | 15 3% | 9 7% | 12 2% | 4 8% | - | 2 2% | 2 1% | 4 4% |



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Q.1 Which of the following is the main reason why you voted for <party> at Thursday's European election? Base: All naming party voted for in the European election

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Unweighted base | 1216 | 427 | 278 | 255 | 117 | 110 | 235 | 297 | 85 | 437 | 162 |
| Weighted base | 1208 | 424 | 275 | 253 | 118 | 105 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 162 |
| I don't like the other parties | 230 19% | 79 19% | 42 15% | 65 26% | 25 21% | 15 14% | 26 12% | 57 19% | 12 14% | 95 22% | 40 25% |
| They are the party I agree with most | 941 78% | 333 79% | 221 80% | 183 72% | 93 79% | 86 82% | 192 85% | 233 78% | 68 82% | 325 75% | 122 75% |
| Don't know | 37 3% | 12 3% | 12 4% | 5 2% | - | 4 4% | 9 4% | 8 3% | 3 4% | 16 4% | - |



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 Q.2 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

 Base: All respondents

| | | Ger | nder | | | Ac | le | | | | Social (| Grade | | Employme | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|----------|-------|-----|----------|--------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Public | Pri- vate |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 980 | 1080 | 239 | 327 | 323 | 372 | 334 | 465 | 580 | 611 | 363 | 506 | 255 | 817 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1010 | 1050 | 245 | 347 | 347 | 367 | 306 | 448 | 551 | 571 | 449 | 489 | 280 | 874 |
| I could never see myse | If voting for UKIP | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 913 | 440 | 473 | 135 | 170 | 156 | 142 | 117 | 194 | 273 | 287 | 194 | 159 | 133 | 394 |
| | 44% | 44% | 45% | 55% | 49% | 45% | 39% | 38% | 43% | 50% | 50% | 43% | 32% | 47% | 45% |
| Disagree | 816 | 432 | 384 | 64 | 116 | 127 | 161 | 145 | 204 | 190 | 203 | 183 | 240 | 108 | 324 |
| | 40% | 43% | 37% | 26% | 33% | 37% | 44% | 47% | 46% | 34% | 36% | 41% | 49% | 39% | 37% |
| Don't know | 331 | 138 | 193 | 46 | 61 | 64 | 65 | 44 | 51 | 88 | 80 | 71 | 91 | 39 | 155 |
| | 16% | 14% | 18% | 19% | 18% | 19% | 18% | 14% | 11% | 16% | 14% | 16% | 19% | 14% | 18% |
| I could see myself votin | ng for UKIP at a g | eneral elect | ion | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 559 | 296 | 263 | 38 | 79 | 87 | 124 | 97 | 134 | 132 | 131 | 117 | 180 | 74 | 219 |
| | 27% | 29% | 25% | 15% | 23% | 25% | 34% | 32% | 30% | 24% | 23% | 26% | 37% | 26% | 25% |
| Disagree | 1138 | 557 | 581 | 158 | 198 | 195 | 168 | 161 | 257 | 329 | 345 | 249 | 214 | 162 | 481 |
| | 55% | 55% | 55% | 65% | 57% | 56% | 46% | 53% | 57% | 60% | 60% | 56% | 44% | 58% | 55% |
| Don't know | 363 | 157 | 206 | 49 | 69 | 65 | 75 | 48 | 57 | 90 | 96 | 82 | 95 | 45 | 173 |
| | 18% | 16% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 19% | 21% | 16% | 13% | 16% | 17% | 18% | 19% | 16% | 20% |
| I could see myself votin | ng UKIP in a Euro | pean Parlia | ment election | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 702 | 390 | 312 | 36 | 81 | 107 | 148 | 130 | 199 | 176 | 171 | 144 | 211 | 88 | 278 |
| | 34% | 39% | 30% | 15% | 23% | 31% | 40% | 42% | 44% | 32% | 30% | 32% | 43% | 32% | 32% |
| Disagree | 1055 | 507 | 548 | 155 | 200 | 179 | 157 | 138 | 226 | 309 | 323 | 230 | 194 | 154 | 451 |
| | 51% | 50% | 52% | 63% | 58% | 52% | 43% | 45% | 50% | 56% | 57% | 51% | 40% | 55% | 52% |
| Don't know | 304 | 113 | 190 | 54 | 66 | 61 | 62 | 38 | 23 | 66 | 78 | 75 | 85 | 37 | 146 |
| | 15% | 11% | 18% | 22% | 19% | 18% | 17% | 12% | 5% | 12% | 14% | 17% | 17% | 13% | 17% |



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Table 2 Q.2 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Base: All respondents

| | - | Ger | nder | | | Ag | e | | | | Social C | Grade | | Employme | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Public | Pri- vate |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1010 | 1050 | 245 | 347 | 347 | 367 | 306 | 448 | 551 | 571 | 449 | 489 | 280 | 874 |
| I could see myself voting | UKIP in a local | council ele | ction | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 615 30% | 335 33% | 281 27% | 29 12% | 80 23% | 105 30% | 133 36% | 112 36% | 157 35% | 144 26% | 150 26% | 137 30% | 184 38% | 77 28% | 251 29% |
| Disagree | 1127 55% | 542 54% | 585 56% | 166 68% | 203 58% | 187 54% | 168 46% | 156 51% | 247 55% | 330 60% | 342 60% | 244 54% | 211 43% | 163 58% | 474 54% |
| Don't know | 317 15% | 133 13% | 185 18% | 49 20% | 64 19% | 55 16% | 66 18% | 38 12% | 45 10% | 77 14% | 79 14% | 68 15% | 94 19% | 40 14% | 149 17% |



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| | | | | | | | Reg | ion | | | | | | | Which o | f the follo | wing bes | t describe | | | g status? | |
|-----------------------|----------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------|--------------|--------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|-----------------|
| | Total | England | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | 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 | 2060 | 1791 | 173 | 85 | 244 | 196 | 176 | 154 | 96 | 196 | 265 | 297 | 178 | 1072 | 717 | 355 | 988 | 124 | 163 | 131 | 380 | 190 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1772 | 185 | 82 | 227 | 185 | 185 | 144 | 103 | 206 | 268 | 288 | 185 | 1154 | 906 | 247 | 906 | 116 | 140 | 130 | 341 | 180 |
| l could never see mys | self voting fo | or UKIP | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 913 | 763 | 107 | 25 | 103 | 89 | 71 | 70 | 43 | 94 | 120 | 124 | 66 | 527 | 410 | 117 | 386 | 52 | 75 | 39 | 160 | 59 |
| | 44% | 43% | 58% | 31% | 45% | 48% | 39% | 49% | 42% | 46% | 45% | 43% | 36% | 46% | 45% | 47% | 43% | 45% | 53% | 30% | 47% | 33% |
| Disagree | 816 | 720 | 51 | 36 | 89 | 77 | 74 | 55 | 45 | 77 | 104 | 117 | 90 | 432 | 343 | 89 | 384 | 36 | 46 | 72 | 145 | 86 |
| | 40% | 41% | 27% | 44% | 39% | 41% | 40% | 38% | 44% | 38% | 39% | 41% | 49% | 37% | 38% | 36% | 42% | 31% | 33% | 55% | 43% | 48% |
| Don't know | 331 | 288 | 27 | 21 | 35 | 19 | 40 | 19 | 15 | 35 | 44 | 47 | 29 | 195 | 153 | 41 | 136 | 28 | 20 | 19 | 36 | 35 |
| | 16% | 16% | 15% | 25% | 15% | 10% | 21% | 13% | 14% | 17% | 16% | 16% | 16% | 17% | 17% | 17% | 15% | 24% | 14% | 14% | 10% | 19% |
| I could see myself vo | ting for UKI | P at a gen | eral elec | tion | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 559 | 501 | 32 | 22 | 56 | 56 | 60 | 42 | 26 | 61 | 66 | 82 | 55 | 293 | 235 | 58 | 266 | 33 | 24 | 54 | 89 | 67 |
| | 27% | 28% | 17% | 27% | 25% | 30% | 32% | 29% | 26% | 30% | 25% | 28% | 30% | 25% | 26% | 23% | 29% | 28% | 17% | 42% | 26% | 37% |
| Disagree | 1138 | 964 | 120 | 38 | 129 | 103 | 94 | 86 | 54 | 115 | 148 | 156 | 94 | 643 | 499 | 144 | 495 | 59 | 89 | 60 | 208 | 78 |
| | 55% | 54% | 65% | 46% | 57% | 56% | 51% | 60% | 52% | 56% | 55% | 54% | 50% | 56% | 55% | 58% | 55% | 51% | 64% | 47% | 61% | 43% |
| Don't know | 363 | 307 | 34 | 22 | 41 | 26 | 32 | 16 | 23 | 30 | 53 | 50 | 37 | 218 | 172 | 46 | 145 | 24 | 27 | 15 | 44 | 35 |
| | 18% | 17% | 18% | 27% | 18% | 14% | 17% | 11% | 22% | 14% | 20% | 17% | 20% | 19% | 19% | 19% | 16% | 21% | 19% | 12% | 13% | 19% |
| I could see myself vo | ting UKIP in | a Europe | an Parlia | ament el | ection | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 702 | 631 | 35 | 32 | 76 | 71 | 70 | 47 | 35 | 76 | 84 | 94 | 81 | 366 | 292 | 74 | 336 | 33 | 30 | 67 | 137 | 69 |
| | 34% | 36% | 19% | 39% | 34% | 38% | 38% | 33% | 34% | 37% | 31% | 33% | 43% | 32% | 32% | 30% | 37% | 29% | 22% | 51% | 40% | 38% |
| Disagree | 1055 | 884 | 117 | 33 | 118 | 99 | 79 | 80 | 54 | 107 | 140 | 150 | 77 | 605 | 474 | 130 | 450 | 55 | 82 | 51 | 186 | 76 |
| | 51% | 50% | 63% | 40% | 52% | 53% | 43% | 56% | 52% | 52% | 52% | 52% | 42% | 52% | 52% | 53% | 50% | 47% | 58% | 40% | 55% | 42% |
| Don't know | 304 | 257 | 33 | 17 | 33 | 15 | 36 | 17 | 14 | 23 | 44 | 44 | 28 | 183 | 140 | 43 | 121 | 28 | 28 | 12 | 18 | 35 |
| | 15% | 14% | 18% | 21% | 15% | 8% | 19% | 12% | 13% | 11% | 16% | 15% | 15% | 16% | 15% | 17% | 13% | 24% | 20% | 9% | 5% | 20% |



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Table 2 Q.2 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Base: All respondents

| | | | | | | | Rec | lion | | | | | | | Which o | f the follo | wing bes | t describes | s your curr | ent workin | g status? | |
|---------------------------|------------------|--------------|------------|--------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not | Retired | | |
| | | | | | | York- | | | | | | | | | Work- | Work- | NET: | Not | working | on a | Retired | |
| | | | • | | | shire & | West | East | | | | | | NET: | ing | ing | Not | working | and not | state | with a | |
| | T - 4 - 1 | E a al a a d | Scot- | North | North | Humb- | Mid- | Mid- | \A/-I | East- | Landan | South | South | Work- | full | part | work- | seeking | | pension | private | House |
| | <u>Total</u> | England | land | East | West | erside | lands | lands | Wales | ern | London | East | West | ing | time | time | ing | work | work | only | pension | person |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1772 | 185 | 82 | 227 | 185 | 185 | 144 | 103 | 206 | 268 | 288 | 185 | 1154 | 906 | 247 | 906 | 116 | 140 | 130 | 341 | 180 |
| I could see myself voting | g UKIP in | a local co | ouncil ele | ection | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 615 | 554 | 32 | 26 | 68 | 63 | 60 | 47 | 30 | 68 | 67 | 81 | 75 | 328 | 262 | 66 | 288 | 30 | 20 | 53 | 111 | 73 |
| | 30% | 31% | 17% | 32% | 30% | 34% | 32% | 32% | 29% | 33% | 25% | 28% | 41% | 28% | 29% | 27% | 32% | 26% | 15% | 41% | 33% | 41% |
| Disagree | 1127 | 948 | 124 | 37 | 126 | 102 | 88 | 81 | 55 | 110 | 157 | 158 | 89 | 637 | 494 | 143 | 490 | 60 | 92 | 57 | 201 | 79 |
| | 55% | 53% | 67% | 45% | 56% | 55% | 47% | 56% | 54% | 53% | 59% | 55% | 48% | 55% | 55% | 58% | 54% | 52% | 66% | 44% | 59% | 44% |
| Don't know | 317 | 270 | 30 | 19 | 32 | 20 | 38 | 17 | 18 | 29 | 44 | 50 | 21 | 189 | 150 | 38 | 129 | 25 | 27 | 20 | 29 | 27 |
| | 15% | 15% | 16% | 23% | 14% | 11% | 20% | 12% | 17% | 14% | 16% | 17% | 12% | 16% | 17% | 16% | 14% | 22% | 20% | 15% | 8% | 15% |



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Table 2Q.2 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?Base: All respondents

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----------|------|-------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 566 | 403 | 361 | 146 | 448 | 235 | 297 | 85 | 437 | 187 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 573 | 409 | 351 | 147 | 444 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 185 |
| l could never see mysel | f voting for | UKIP | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 913 | 199 | 227 | 198 | 52 | 200 | 146 | 218 | 69 | 11 | 131 |
| | 44% | 35% | 55% | 56% | 35% | 45% | 64% | 73% | 83% | 3% | 71% |
| Disagree | 816 | 302 | 115 | 116 | 80 | 150 | 51 | 45 | 7 | 401 | 35 |
| | 40% | 53% | 28% | 33% | 55% | 34% | 23% | 15% | 8% | 92% | 19% |
| Don't know | 331 | 72 | 68 | 37 | 15 | 95 | 29 | 36 | 8 | 24 | 20 |
| | 16% | 13% | 17% | 11% | 10% | 21% | 13% | 12% | 9% | 5% | 11% |
| I could see myself votin | g for UKIP a | at a gener | al election | on | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 559 | 186 | 76 | 89 | 75 | 97 | 24 | 22 | 3 | 312 | 20 |
| | 27% | 33% | 18% | 25% | 51% | 22% | 11% | 7% | 3% | 72% | 11% |
| Disagree | 1138 | 286 | 271 | 227 | 58 | 248 | 176 | 246 | 73 | 62 | 145 |
| | 55% | 50% | 66% | 65% | 40% | 56% | 77% | 82% | 87% | 14% | 78% |
| Don't know | 363 | 100 | 63 | 35 | 13 | 99 | 28 | 31 | 8 | 62 | 20 |
| | 18% | 18% | 15% | 10% | 9% | 22% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 11% |
| I could see myself votin | g UKIP in a | Europear | n Parliam | nent electio | on | | | | | | |
| Agree | 702 | 292 | 85 | 110 | 80 | 100 | 38 | 26 | 2 | 415 | 28 |
| | 34% | 51% | 21% | 31% | 55% | 22% | 17% | 9% | 3% | 95% | 15% |
| Disagree | 1055 | 237 | 259 | 212 | 56 | 240 | 168 | 240 | 74 | 6 | 146 |
| | 51% | 41% | 63% | 60% | 38% | 54% | 74% | 80% | 89% | 1% | 79% |
| Don't know | 304 | 44 | 65 | 29 | 11 | 104 | 21 | 33 | 7 | 15 | 11 |
| | 15% | 8% | 16% | 8% | 7% | 23% | 9% | 11% | 8% | 3% | 6% |



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Table 2Q.2 Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?Base: All respondents

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|---------------------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 573 | 409 | 351 | 147 | 444 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 185 |
| I could see myself voting | UKIP in a | local cou | ncil elec | tion | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 615 30% | 230 40% | 89 22% | 91 26% | 74 50% | 96 22% | 24 11% | 30 10% | 2 3% | 358 82% | 23 12% |
| Disagree | 1127 55% | 268 47% | 264 64% | 229 65% | 60 41% | 252 57% | 178 79% | 241 80% | 76 92% | 44 10% | 150 81% |
| Don't know | 317 15% | 75 13% | 57 14% | 31 9% | 14 9% | 96 22% | 24 11% | 29 10% | 5 6% | 35 8% | 13 7% |

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Table 3Q.3 Do you think that the Coalition Government is good or bad for Britain?Base: All respondents

| | - | Gen | der | | | Ag | e | | | | Social C | Grade | | Employme | |
|-----------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| | | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Public | Pri- vate |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 980 | 1080 | 239 | 327 | 323 | 372 | 334 | 465 | 580 | 611 | 363 | 506 | 255 | 817 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1010 | 1050 | 245 | 347 | 347 | 367 | 306 | 448 | 551 | 571 | 449 | 489 | 280 | 874 |
| Good | 492 24% | 285 28% | 207 20% | 56 23% | 80 23% | 72 21% | 84 23% | 69 23% | 131 29% | 182 33% | 141 25% | 102 23% | 67 14% | 76 27% | 207 24% |
| Bad | 1083 53% | 562 56% | 521 50% | 102 42% | 154 44% | 186 54% | 205 56% | 180 59% | 256 57% | 259 47% | 301 53% | 235 52% | 288 59% | 145 52% | 455 52% |
| Don't know | 485 24% | 163 16% | 322 31% | 87 36% | 113 33% | 88 26% | 78 21% | 56 18% | 62 14% | 110 20% | 129 23% | 112 25% | 134 27% | 59 21% | 211 24% |



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Table 3Q.3 Do you think that the Coalition Government is good or bad for Britain?Base: All respondents

| | | | | | | | Reg | lion | | | | | | | Which o | f the follo | wing bes | t describes | s your curr | ent workin | g status? | |
|-----------------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|-----------|--------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not | Retired | | |
| | | | | | | York- | | | | | | | | | Work- | Work- | NET: | Not | working | on a | Retired | |
| | | | | | | shire & | West | East | | - | | | | NET: | ing | ing | Not | working | and not | state | with a | |
| | Tetel | E a al a a d | Scot- | North | North | Humb- | Mid- | Mid- | \A/-I | East- | Landan | South | South | Work- | full | part | work- | seeking | seeking | pension | private | House |
| | Total | England | land | East | West | erside | lands | lands | Wales | ern | London | East | West | ing | time | _time_ | ing | work | work | only | pension | person |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 1791 | 173 | 85 | 244 | 196 | 176 | 154 | 96 | 196 | 265 | 297 | 178 | 1072 | 717 | 355 | 988 | 124 | 163 | 131 | 380 | 190 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1772 | 185 | 82 | 227 | 185 | 185 | 144 | 103 | 206 | 268 | 288 | 185 | 1154 | 906 | 247 | 906 | 116 | 140 | 130 | 341 | 180 |
| Good | 492 | 440 | 29 | 11 | 40 | 43 | 46 | 45 | 22 | 63 | 82 | 62 | 48 | 283 | 231 | 52 | 208 | 9 | 37 | 23 | 115 | 25 |
| | 24% | 25% | 16% | 14% | 18% | 23% | 25% | 31% | 22% | 31% | 31% | 22% | 26% | 25% | 26% | 21% | 23% | 8% | 26% | 18% | 34% | 14% |
| Bad | 1083 | 929 | 99 | 54 | 139 | 105 | 96 | 63 | 55 | 99 | 124 | 151 | 97 | 600 | 477 | 123 | 484 | 69 | 58 | 80 | 175 | 101 |
| | 53% | 52% | 54% | 65% | 61% | 56% | 52% | 44% | 54% | 48% | 46% | 52% | 52% | 52% | 53% | 50% | 53% | 59% | 41% | 62% | 52% | 56% |
| Don't know | 485 | 403 | 57 | 17 | 48 | 38 | 43 | 36 | 25 | 44 | 62 | 75 | 40 | 270 | 198 | 72 | 214 | 38 | 45 | 26 | 50 | 54 |
| | 24% | 23% | 31% | 21% | 21% | 20% | 23% | 25% | 25% | 21% | 23% | 26% | 22% | 23% | 22% | 29% | 24% | 33% | 32% | 20% | 15% | 30% |



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Table 3Q.3 Do you think that the Coalition Government is good or bad for Britain?Base: All respondents

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|-----------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 566 | 403 | 361 | 146 | 448 | 235 | 297 | 85 | 437 | 187 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 573 | 409 | 351 | 147 | 444 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 185 |
| Good | 492 24% | 190 33% | 58 14% | 122 35% | 22 15% | 87 20% | 118 52% | 50 17% | 52 62% | 76 17% | 40 21% |
| Bad | 1083 53% | 301 52% | 269 66% | 174 50% | 101 69% | 189 43% | 84 37% | 196 66% | 20 24% | 302 69% | 113 61% |
| Don't know | 485 24% | 82 14% | 82 20% | 54 15% | 24 17% | 167 38% | 25 11% | 54 18% | 11 14% | 59 13% | 32 18% |



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

| | - | Ger | nder | | | Ag | е | | | | 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 | 2060 | 980 | 1080 | 239 | 327 | 323 | 372 | 334 | 465 | 580 | 611 | 363 | 506 | 255 | 817 | |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1010 | 1050 | 245 | 347 | 347 | 367 | 306 | 448 | 551 | 571 | 449 | 489 | 280 | 874 | |
| The way the Governme | nt is going about | t cutting pub | lic spending is | s fair | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 617 | 373 | 244 | 48 | 88 | 82 | 98 | 102 | 198 | 215 | 177 | 120 | 105 | 77 | 270 | |
| | 30% | 37% | 23% | 20% | 26% | 24% | 27% | 33% | 44% | 39% | 31% | 27% | 21% | 28% | 31% | |
| Disagree | 1038 | 490 | 548 | 125 | 166 | 196 | 198 | 161 | 192 | 244 | 278 | 235 | 281 | 152 | 425 | |
| | 50% | 48% | 52% | 51% | 48% | 56% | 54% | 53% | 43% | 44% | 49% | 52% | 57% | 54% | 49% | |
| Don't know | 406 | 147 | 259 | 72 | 92 | 69 | 71 | 43 | 59 | 92 | 116 | 94 | 104 | 51 | 178 | |
| | 20% | 15% | 25% | 29% | 27% | 20% | 19% | 14% | 13% | 17% | 20% | 21% | 21% | 18% | 20% | |
| The Government is cutt | ting public spend | ling too muc | h and too quic | :kly | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 1006 | 455 | 551 | 123 | 168 | 189 | 195 | 157 | 173 | 228 | 271 | 224 | 283 | 163 | 412 | |
| | 49% | 45% | 52% | 50% | 49% | 54% | 53% | 51% | 39% | 41% | 47% | 50% | 58% | 58% | 47% | |
| Disagree | 663 | 401 | 262 | 48 | 90 | 91 | 105 | 109 | 220 | 237 | 185 | 120 | 122 | 62 | 294 | |
| | 32% | 40% | 25% | 20% | 26% | 26% | 29% | 36% | 49% | 43% | 32% | 27% | 25% | 22% | 34% | |
| Don't know | 391 | 153 | 238 | 74 | 88 | 67 | 67 | 40 | 55 | 86 | 116 | 104 | 85 | 55 | 168 | |
| | 19% | 15% | 23% | 30% | 25% | 19% | 18% | 13% | 12% | 16% | 20% | 23% | 17% | 19% | 19% | |
| Things in this country a | are generally hea | ding in the r | ight direction | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 814 | 467 | 347 | 75 | 112 | 111 | 143 | 126 | 247 | 279 | 232 | 166 | 136 | 104 | 343 | |
| | 40% | 46% | 33% | 31% | 32% | 32% | 39% | 41% | 55% | 51% | 41% | 37% | 28% | 37% | 39% | |
| Disagree | 884 | 401 | 483 | 112 | 153 | 176 | 173 | 132 | 139 | 183 | 233 | 209 | 260 | 118 | 385 | |
| | 43% | 40% | 46% | 46% | 44% | 51% | 47% | 43% | 31% | 33% | 41% | 47% | 53% | 42% | 44% | |
| Don't know | 362 | 142 | 220 | 58 | 82 | 60 | 52 | 48 | 63 | 89 | 106 | 74 | 93 | 58 | 146 | |
| | 18% | 14% | 21% | 24% | 24% | 17% | 14% | 16% | 14% | 16% | 19% | 17% | 19% | 21% | 17% | |

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

| | - | Ger | nder | Age | | | | | | | Social C | | Employment Sector | | |
|----------------------------|----------------|-------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|------------|--------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Public | Pri- vate |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1010 | 1050 | 245 | 347 | 347 | 367 | 306 | 448 | 551 | 571 | 449 | 489 | 280 | 874 |
| The UK is on course for an | nother wave of | f recession | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 669 32% | 297 29% | 372 35% | 84 34% | 125 36% | 132 38% | 142 39% | 95 31% | 91 20% | 147 27% | 171 30% | 153 34% | 198 40% | 103 37% | 297 34% |
| Disagree | 742 36% | 433 43% | 310 29% | 75 31% | 110 32% | 111 32% | 110 30% | 121 40% | 215 48% | 241 44% | 227 40% | 155 34% | 120 24% | 94 34% | 322 37% |
| Don't know | 649 31% | 279 28% | 369 35% | 86 35% | 112 32% | 103 30% | 115 31% | 90 29% | 142 32% | 163 30% | 173 30% | 141 31% | 172 35% | 83 29% | 255 29% |



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Table 4Q.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 | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | 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 | 2060 | 1791 | 173 | 85 | 244 | 196 | 176 | 154 | 96 | 196 | 265 | 297 | 178 | 1072 | 717 | 355 | 988 | 124 | 163 | 131 | 380 | 190 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1772 | 185 | 82 | 227 | 185 | 185 | 144 | 103 | 206 | 268 | 288 | 185 | 1154 | 906 | 247 | 906 | 116 | 140 | 130 | 341 | 180 |
| The way the Governm | nent is going | g about ci | utting pu | blic spe | nding is t | fair | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 617 | 551 | 33 | 20 | 64 | 45 | 61 | 46 | 33 | 66 | 88 | 89 | 71 | 347 | 283 | 64 | 269 | 11 | 30 | 34 | 162 | 33 |
| | 30% | 31% | 18% | 24% | 28% | 24% | 33% | 32% | 32% | 32% | 33% | 31% | 38% | 30% | 31% | 26% | 30% | 9% | 22% | 26% | 48% | 18% |
| Disagree | 1038 | 878 | 112 | 51 | 131 | 109 | 87 | 62 | 47 | 99 | 123 | 133 | 83 | 577 | 449 | 129 | 460 | 79 | 74 | 66 | 141 | 101 |
| | 50% | 50% | 60% | 62% | 58% | 59% | 47% | 43% | 46% | 48% | 46% | 46% | 45% | 50% | 49% | 52% | 51% | 68% | 52% | 51% | 41% | 56% |
| Don't know | 406 | 343 | 40 | 11 | 31 | 31 | 38 | 36 | 23 | 41 | 57 | 66 | 31 | 229 | 174 | 54 | 177 | 27 | 36 | 31 | 38 | 46 |
| | 20% | 19% | 22% | 13% | 14% | 17% | 21% | 25% | 22% | 20% | 21% | 23% | 17% | 20% | 19% | 22% | 20% | 23% | 26% | 24% | 11% | 25% |
| <u>The Government is cu</u> | utting public | spending | g too mu | ch and t | oo quick | ly | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 1006 | 860 | 97 | 49 | 131 | 100 | 80 | 69 | 48 | 95 | 132 | 126 | 78 | 575 | 456 | 119 | 431 | 75 | 66 | 67 | 119 | 104 |
| | 49% | 49% | 52% | 60% | 58% | 54% | 43% | 48% | 47% | 46% | 49% | 44% | 42% | 50% | 50% | 48% | 48% | 64% | 47% | 51% | 35% | 58% |
| Disagree | 663 | 575 | 51 | 21 | 70 | 47 | 66 | 45 | 37 | 76 | 74 | 105 | 72 | 356 | 282 | 73 | 307 | 16 | 36 | 37 | 185 | 34 |
| | 32% | 32% | 27% | 25% | 31% | 25% | 35% | 31% | 36% | 37% | 28% | 36% | 39% | 31% | 31% | 30% | 34% | 14% | 26% | 28% | 54% | 19% |
| Don't know | 391 | 336 | 38 | 12 | 26 | 39 | 39 | 30 | 17 | 35 | 61 | 58 | 35 | 222 | 168 | 54 | 169 | 25 | 38 | 26 | 37 | 42 |
| | 19% | 19% | 20% | 15% | 11% | 21% | 21% | 21% | 17% | 17% | 23% | 20% | 19% | 19% | 19% | 22% | 19% | 22% | 27% | 20% | 11% | 23% |
| Things in this country | / are genera | lly headir | ng in the | right dir | ection | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 814 | 731 | 47 | 24 | 82 | 62 | 83 | 66 | 36 | 87 | 106 | 135 | 85 | 447 | 360 | 87 | 367 | 19 | 48 | 48 | 206 | 45 |
| | 40% | 41% | 25% | 30% | 36% | 33% | 45% | 46% | 34% | 42% | 40% | 47% | 46% | 39% | 40% | 35% | 40% | 17% | 35% | 37% | 60% | 25% |
| Disagree | 884 | 737 | 98 | 43 | 109 | 90 | 72 | 47 | 49 | 95 | 112 | 101 | 68 | 503 | 388 | 114 | 382 | 72 | 58 | 55 | 94 | 103 |
| | 43% | 42% | 53% | 53% | 48% | 48% | 39% | 32% | 48% | 46% | 42% | 35% | 37% | 44% | 43% | 46% | 42% | 62% | 41% | 42% | 28% | 57% |
| Don't know | 362 | 303 | 41 | 15 | 36 | 34 | 30 | 31 | 18 | 24 | 49 | 52 | 32 | 204 | 158 | 46 | 158 | 25 | 34 | 27 | 41 | 32 |
| | 18% | 17% | 22% | 18% | 16% | 18% | 16% | 22% | 18% | 11% | 18% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 17% | 19% | 17% | 21% | 24% | 21% | 12% | 18% |



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

| | | | | | | | Reg | ion | | | | | | Which of the following best describes your current working status? | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|--|--------|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Not | Retired | | |
| | | | | | | York- | | | | | | | | | Work- | Work- | NET: | Not | working | on a | Retired | |
| | | | | | | shire & | West | East | | | | | | NET: | ing | ing | Not | working | and not | state | with a | |
| | T -4-1 | E a al a a d | Scot- | North | North | Humb- | Mid- | Mid- | 14/-1 | East- | Landan | South | South | Work- | full | part | work- | seeking | seeking | pension | private | House |
| | <u>Total</u> | England | land | East | West | erside | lands | lands | Wales | ern | London | East | West | ing | _time_ | time | ing | work | work | only | pension | person |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 1772 | 185 | 82 | 227 | 185 | 185 | 144 | 103 | 206 | 268 | 288 | 185 | 1154 | 906 | 247 | 906 | 116 | 140 | 130 | 341 | 180 |
| The UK is on course for a | another v | vave of re | cession | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 669 | 556 | 81 | 31 | 82 | 63 | 50 | 44 | 32 | 75 | 86 | 74 | 53 | 400 | 322 | 78 | 269 | 58 | 38 | 31 | 67 | 75 |
| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | 32% | 31% | 44% | 37% | 36% | 34% | 27% | 30% | 31% | 36% | 32% | 26% | 28% | 35% | 36% | 32% | 30% | 50% | 27% | 24% | 20% | 42% |
| Disagree | 742 | 664 | 47 | 28 | 84 | 68 | 76 | 60 | 32 | 74 | 94 | 112 | 69 | 416 | 332 | 84 | 326 | 16 | 51 | 43 | 181 | 35 |
| - | 36% | 37% | 25% | 34% | 37% | 37% | 41% | 42% | 31% | 36% | 35% | 39% | 37% | 36% | 37% | 34% | 36% | 14% | 36% | 33% | 53% | 20% |
| Don't know | 649 | 552 | 58 | 24 | 61 | 54 | 60 | 40 | 39 | 58 | 88 | 103 | 64 | 338 | 252 | 86 | 311 | 42 | 51 | 55 | 93 | 69 |
| | 31% | 31% | 31% | 29% | 27% | 29% | 32% | 28% | 38% | 28% | 33% | 36% | 34% | 29% | 28% | 35% | 34% | 36% | 37% | 43% | 27% | 38% |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



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

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----------|------|-------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Unweighted base | 2060 | 566 | 403 | 361 | 146 | 448 | 235 | 297 | 85 | 437 | 187 |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 573 | 409 | 351 | 147 | 444 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 185 |
| The way the Governmer | nt is going a | about cutt | ing publ | ic spendin | <u>g is fair</u> | | | | | | |
| Agree | 617 | 345 | 73 | 81 | 23 | 85 | 176 | 43 | 32 | 150 | 26 |
| | 30% | 60% | 18% | 23% | 16% | 19% | 78% | 14% | 39% | 34% | 14% |
| Disagree | 1038 | 153 | 277 | 220 | 105 | 218 | 26 | 214 | 36 | 220 | 133 |
| | 50% | 27% | 68% | 63% | 71% | 49% | 11% | 72% | 43% | 51% | 72% |
| Don't know | 406 | 75 | 59 | 49 | 19 | 140 | 25 | 41 | 15 | 65 | 26 |
| | 20% | 13% | 14% | 14% | 13% | 32% | 11% | 14% | 18% | 15% | 14% |
| The Government is cutti | ng public s | pending t | too much | n and too c | uickly | | | | | | |
| Agree | 1006 | 148 | 278 | 212 | 105 | 206 | 27 | 222 | 36 | 221 | 125 |
| | 49% | 26% | 68% | 60% | 71% | 46% | 12% | 74% | 44% | 51% | 67% |
| Disagree | 663 | 354 | 79 | 93 | 24 | 89 | 172 | 37 | 32 | 164 | 33 |
| | 32% | 62% | 19% | 26% | 16% | 20% | 76% | 12% | 38% | 38% | 18% |
| Don't know | 391 | 71 | 52 | 46 | 18 | 148 | 28 | 40 | 15 | 51 | 28 |
| | 19% | 12% | 13% | 13% | 12% | 33% | 12% | 13% | 19% | 12% | 15% |
| Things in this country a | re generally | / heading | in the rig | ght direction | on | | | | | | |
| Agree | 814 | 388 | 102 | 136 | 36 | 130 | 202 | 69 | 42 | 175 | 51 |
| | 40% | 68% | 25% | 39% | 25% | 29% | 89% | 23% | 50% | 40% | 27% |
| Disagree | 884 | 123 | 250 | 161 | 86 | 209 | 13 | 183 | 24 | 192 | 104 |
| | 43% | 21% | 61% | 46% | 58% | 47% | 6% | 61% | 29% | 44% | 56% |
| Don't know | 362 | 63 | 57 | 53 | 25 | 105 | 12 | 47 | 18 | 69 | 31 |
| | 18% | 11% | 14% | 15% | 17% | 24% | 5% | 16% | 21% | 16% | 17% |



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

| | | | | 2010 Vote | | | | | 2014 Vote | | |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | Other | Did not vote | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | UKIP | Other |
| Weighted base | 2060 | 573 | 409 | 351 | 147 | 444 | 227 | 299 | 83 | 436 | 185 |
| The UK is on course for a | another wa | ve of rec | ession | | | | | | | | |
| Agree | 669 32% | 102 18% | 192 47% | 118 34% | 65 44% | 156 35% | 20 9% | 146 49% | 21 26% | 150 34% | 70 38% |
| Disagree | 742 36% | 337 59% | 103 25% | 119 34% | 40 27% | 123 28% | 172 76% | 67 22% | 31 37% | 160 37% | 58 31% |
| Don't know | 649 31% | 134 23% | 114 28% | 114 32% | 43 29% | 165 37% | 34 15% | 86 29% | 31 37% | 126 29% | 58 31% |

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