



Channel 4 News – Over 60s Sex Survey

METHODOLOGY NOTE

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Table 8
Q1 How important, if at all, is sex to you?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region			SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice		
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Net: Important	242	73	73	95	144	98	69	88	86	61	53	48	80	242	-	20	221
	48%	54%	48%	43%	62%	35%	40%	53%	50%	60%	42%	59%	40%	100%	-	85%	46%
Net: Not important	257	60	75	122	88	169	100	76	81	40	74	33	110	-	257	3	250
	51%	44%	50%	55%	38%	61%	58%	46%	47%	39%	58%	41%	56%	-	100%	15%	52%
Very important	85	23	26	36	60	25	22	33	30	17	18	18	33	85	-	8	77
	17%	17%	17%	16%	26%	9%	13%	20%	18%	16%	14%	22%	16%	35%	-	36%	16%
Fairly important	157	51	47	59	84	73	47	55	55	44	35	30	47	157	-	12	145
	31%	37%	31%	27%	36%	26%	27%	33%	32%	43%	28%	38%	24%	65%	-	49%	30%
Not very important	148	40	44	63	56	92	57	42	49	28	40	20	60	-	148	3	141
	29%	29%	30%	29%	24%	33%	33%	25%	29%	27%	32%	25%	30%	-	58%	13%	29%
Not at all important	109	20	30	59	32	77	43	35	32	12	34	13	50	-	109	0	109
	21%	14%	20%	27%	14%	28%	25%	21%	18%	12%	27%	16%	25%	-	42%	1%	23%
Don't know	10	3	3	4	-	10	3	2	5	1	-	-	8	-	-	-	10
	2%	2%	2%	2%	-	4%	2%	1%	3%	1%	-	-	4%	-	-	-	2%

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Table 9
Q2 Generally speaking, how often, if at all, do you have sex?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
More than twice a week	22	10	8	4	16	6	8	5	9	2	4	5	10	22	-	1	21
	4%	7%	5%	2%	7%	2%	5%	3%	5%	2%	3%	6%	5%	9%	-	2%	4%
Once or twice a week	60	23	22	14	31	29	15	19	26	15	11	18	17	55	4	5	55
	12%	17%	15%	7%	13%	11%	9%	12%	15%	14%	8%	22%	8%	23%	2%	22%	11%
A few times a month	94	27	37	30	53	41	29	29	35	20	16	23	35	77	17	11	83
	18%	20%	25%	13%	23%	15%	17%	17%	21%	20%	12%	28%	18%	32%	7%	45%	17%
Once a month	31	14	3	13	14	17	8	13	10	9	8	3	12	21	10	0	30
	6%	10%	2%	6%	6%	6%	5%	8%	6%	9%	6%	3%	6%	9%	4%	1%	6%
A few times a year	51	13	15	22	24	27	23	9	18	14	15	3	20	22	29	4	47
	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	14%	5%	11%	13%	12%	3%	10%	9%	11%	17%	10%
I have not had sex in more than a year	230	43	56	131	89	141	79	80	71	38	70	25	97	38	189	3	225
	45%	31%	37%	59%	38%	51%	46%	48%	41%	37%	55%	31%	49%	16%	74%	12%	47%
Don't know	22	7	9	7	7	15	8	11	3	4	4	5	9	8	8	-	20
	4%	5%	6%	3%	3%	5%	5%	7%	2%	4%	3%	6%	5%	3%	3%	-	4%

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Table 10
Q3 Which of the following statements comes closest to the way you feel about giving oral sex?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
I am happy to give oral sex	177	53	51	73	125	52	61	57	59	42	44	30	60	130	47	18	159
	35%	39%	34%	33%	54%	19%	35%	34%	35%	42%	35%	38%	30%	54%	18%	79%	33%
I have never given oral sex but am willing to try it	11	2	3	6	11	-	3	7	1	2	-	5	3	11	0	-	11
	2%	1%	2%	3%	5%	-	1%	4%	1%	2%	-	6%	2%	4%	0%	-	2%
I have never and will never give oral sex	141	29	34	78	53	88	45	46	50	24	40	25	51	42	96	-	138
	28%	21%	23%	35%	23%	32%	26%	28%	29%	24%	32%	31%	26%	17%	37%	-	29%
I used to give oral sex but would not anymore	111	39	34	38	30	81	37	30	43	22	33	10	46	40	71	5	106
	22%	28%	22%	17%	13%	29%	22%	18%	25%	22%	26%	13%	23%	17%	28%	21%	22%
Don't know	69	14	29	26	14	55	26	26	17	10	10	10	38	19	43	-	67
	14%	10%	19%	12%	6%	20%	15%	15%	10%	10%	8%	13%	19%	8%	17%	-	14%

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Table 11
Q4 Which of the following statements comes closest to the way you feel about receiving oral sex?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
I am happy to receive oral sex	203	70	63	70	135	67	62	64	76	43	47	36	77	148	54	18	185
	40%	51%	42%	32%	58%	24%	36%	39%	44%	43%	37%	44%	39%	61%	21%	76%	38%
I have never received oral sex but am willing to try it	16	0	4	12	16	1	3	9	5	3	4	8	2	13	4	2	14
	3%	0%	3%	6%	7%	0%	2%	5%	3%	3%	3%	9%	1%	5%	1%	8%	3%
I have never and will never receive oral sex	124	18	26	80	49	75	40	50	34	26	34	20	44	35	87	0	121
	24%	13%	17%	36%	21%	27%	23%	30%	20%	25%	27%	25%	22%	14%	34%	1%	25%
I used to receive oral sex but would not anymore	97	34	29	34	22	76	42	17	39	19	28	10	40	25	72	3	94
	19%	25%	19%	16%	9%	27%	24%	10%	23%	19%	22%	13%	20%	10%	28%	13%	20%
Don't know	68	14	29	25	10	58	25	25	18	11	14	8	36	20	40	0	66
	13%	11%	19%	11%	4%	21%	14%	15%	11%	10%	11%	9%	18%	8%	15%	1%	14%

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Table 12
Q5 In the last two to three years, have you sought sexual health advice at all?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Yes	23	5	11	8	19	4	9	6	8	6	6	8	4	20	3	23	-
	5%	3%	7%	4%	8%	1%	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	9%	2%	8%	1%	100%	-
No	481	130	139	213	210	271	161	156	163	95	121	71	193	221	250	-	481
	94%	95%	92%	96%	90%	98%	94%	94%	95%	94%	95%	88%	97%	92%	97%	-	100%
Don't know	5	3	2	1	3	2	1	3	0	1	-	3	1	1	4	-	-
	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	-	3%	1%	0%	2%	-	-

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Table 13
Q5b Which of the following is the most important reason why you did not seek sexual health advice in the last few years?
Base: All who have not sought sexual health advice in the last 2-3 years

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	480	131	134	215	228	252	169	119	192	224	84	28	144	237	234		480
Weighted base	481	130	139	213	210	271	161	156	163	95	121	71	193	221	250		481
I don't need to at my age	361	84	97	180	170	191	124	113	125	71	96	56	138	149	204	-	361
	75%	65%	70%	84%	81%	70%	77%	72%	77%	75%	79%	79%	72%	67%	82%	-	75%
It is too embarrassing	12	3	2	6	4	7	4	7	0	1	3	-	7	8	3	-	12
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	0%	2%	3%	-	4%	4%	1%	-	2%
I don't know where to go for sexual health advice	5	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	2	2	-	-	3	5	-	-	5
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	2%	-	-	2%	2%	-	-	1%
Other	85	38	23	23	27	58	30	25	30	18	21	13	33	50	35	-	85
	18%	30%	17%	11%	13%	21%	18%	16%	18%	19%	17%	18%	17%	22%	14%	-	18%
Don't know	18	2	14	3	5	13	3	9	6	2	2	3	11	10	8	-	18
	4%	2%	10%	1%	2%	5%	2%	6%	4%	2%	2%	4%	6%	4%	3%	-	4%

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Table 14
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I would like better access to sexual health advice
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	92	22	29	40	57	34	23	33	35	19	15	20	37	77	13	17	75
	18%	16%	19%	18%	25%	12%	14%	20%	21%	18%	12%	25%	19%	32%	5%	71%	16%
Disagree	270	72	77	121	95	175	94	83	92	60	73	41	96	96	168	3	264
	53%	53%	51%	55%	41%	63%	55%	50%	54%	59%	57%	50%	48%	40%	65%	15%	55%
Don't know	147	42	45	61	80	67	54	49	44	23	39	20	65	68	76	3	142
	29%	31%	30%	27%	35%	24%	32%	30%	25%	22%	31%	25%	33%	28%	29%	14%	30%

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Table 15
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
After the menopause you no longer need to use condoms
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	119	18	36	65	72	47	43	36	40	26	28	20	45	65	54	6	113
	23%	13%	24%	29%	31%	17%	25%	22%	23%	25%	22%	25%	23%	27%	21%	26%	23%
Disagree	332	110	103	119	126	206	114	102	116	62	84	61	124	154	171	15	314
	65%	80%	68%	54%	54%	74%	66%	61%	68%	61%	66%	75%	62%	64%	66%	66%	65%
Don't know	58	9	12	37	35	24	15	28	16	14	15	-	29	23	33	2	55
	11%	7%	8%	17%	15%	9%	9%	17%	9%	13%	12%	-	15%	9%	13%	8%	11%

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Table 16
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
It is just as important to use a condom when you are 65 as when you are 25
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	347	97	98	152	162	186	118	114	115	70	88	48	141	155	184	19	326
	68%	71%	65%	69%	70%	67%	69%	69%	67%	68%	69%	59%	71%	64%	72%	79%	68%
Disagree	107	30	35	42	45	62	31	38	38	23	24	25	35	66	42	5	103
	21%	22%	24%	19%	20%	22%	18%	23%	22%	23%	18%	31%	18%	27%	16%	21%	21%
Don't know	55	10	17	27	25	29	22	14	19	9	15	8	22	22	31	-	53
	11%	8%	11%	12%	11%	11%	13%	8%	11%	9%	12%	9%	11%	9%	12%	-	11%

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Table 17
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I am less likely to use a condom at my age than when I was younger
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	281	71	83	127	147	134	105	80	97	59	66	51	106	154	125	15	263
	55%	52%	55%	57%	63%	48%	61%	48%	56%	58%	52%	63%	53%	64%	49%	64%	55%
Disagree	188	55	58	75	68	120	58	69	61	33	53	30	71	76	106	8	179
	37%	40%	39%	34%	29%	43%	34%	41%	36%	33%	41%	38%	36%	32%	41%	36%	37%
Don't know	40	11	10	20	17	23	9	18	13	10	9	-	22	11	26	-	38
	8%	8%	6%	9%	7%	8%	5%	11%	8%	9%	7%	-	11%	5%	10%	-	8%

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Table 18
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I would not use a condom with a long term partner
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	335	99	102	133	154	182	125	95	115	69	84	58	124	180	152	14	318
	66%	73%	68%	60%	66%	66%	73%	57%	67%	67%	66%	72%	63%	75%	59%	61%	66%
Disagree	127	35	28	64	61	66	35	52	40	24	35	20	48	50	74	5	122
	25%	26%	19%	29%	26%	24%	20%	31%	24%	23%	27%	25%	24%	21%	29%	22%	25%
Don't know	47	2	20	24	17	30	12	19	16	9	9	3	26	11	32	4	41
	9%	2%	13%	11%	7%	11%	7%	11%	9%	9%	7%	3%	13%	4%	12%	17%	8%

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Table 19
Q6 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I would not use a condom with a new partner
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	51	12	14	25	28	24	16	12	24	10	9	13	20	23	28	1	50
	10%	9%	9%	11%	12%	9%	9%	7%	14%	10%	7%	16%	10%	10%	11%	5%	10%
Disagree	391	120	108	163	174	217	133	132	127	77	99	56	159	184	202	15	374
	77%	87%	72%	74%	75%	78%	77%	79%	74%	76%	78%	69%	80%	76%	78%	64%	78%
Don't know	66	5	28	33	30	36	23	23	21	14	19	13	20	35	27	7	57
	13%	4%	19%	15%	13%	13%	13%	14%	12%	14%	15%	16%	10%	14%	11%	32%	12%

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Table 20
Q7 Which of the following statements about sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) do you think is closest to the truth?

Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
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Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
People aged over 60 are at a lower risk of catching STDs than those aged under 60	70 14%	18 13%	25 16%	27 12%	37 16%	33 12%	25 14%	27 16%	18 11%	11 11%	16 12%	13 16%	30 15%	42 17%	26 10%	1 4%	69 14%
People aged over 60 are no more or less likely to catch an STD than those aged under 60	328 64%	90 66%	86 57%	153 69%	149 64%	179 64%	110 64%	102 61%	116 68%	70 68%	89 70%	56 69%	113 57%	157 65%	167 65%	20 84%	305 64%
People aged over 60 are at a higher risk of catching STDs than those aged under 60	24 5%	9 6%	13 8%	2 1%	5 2%	19 7%	7 4%	9 5%	7 4%	4 4%	6 5%	3 3%	10 5%	10 4%	14 5%	1 5%	22 5%
Don't know	87 17%	20 15%	28 18%	40 18%	41 18%	46 17%	30 17%	28 17%	30 17%	16 16%	16 13%	10 13%	45 23%	33 13%	51 20%	2 8%	84 17%

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Table 21
Q8 Which age group do you think the spread of sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) are rising the fastest among?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Under 16	10	4	5	1	4	6	1	-	9	1	1	5	3	6	4	-	10
	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	-	5%	1%	1%	6%	2%	3%	2%	-	2%
16-24	216	52	60	104	112	104	85	78	52	44	49	38	85	99	112	10	202
	42%	38%	40%	47%	48%	37%	49%	47%	31%	43%	38%	47%	43%	41%	44%	42%	42%
25-34	89	15	27	47	42	47	26	32	31	17	19	10	43	37	51	8	81
	17%	11%	18%	21%	18%	17%	15%	19%	18%	16%	15%	13%	22%	15%	20%	33%	17%
35-59	74	25	25	24	33	41	24	19	31	15	21	18	20	51	23	6	68
	15%	18%	17%	11%	14%	15%	14%	12%	18%	15%	17%	22%	10%	21%	9%	24%	14%
60+	45	18	15	13	13	32	12	14	19	10	15	5	15	22	24	-	45
	9%	13%	10%	6%	5%	12%	7%	9%	11%	10%	11%	6%	8%	9%	9%	-	9%
Don't know	75	24	18	33	28	47	23	23	29	15	22	5	32	28	43	0	73
	15%	17%	12%	15%	12%	17%	14%	14%	17%	15%	17%	6%	16%	11%	17%	1%	15%

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Table 22
Q9 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I enjoy sex more now that I did when I was younger
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	120	30	38	52	67	53	39	41	40	25	21	18	55	97	21	10	110
	24%	22%	25%	24%	29%	19%	23%	25%	23%	25%	17%	22%	28%	40%	8%	43%	23%
Disagree	300	90	79	131	129	172	110	101	89	61	83	48	108	116	180	12	285
	59%	66%	52%	59%	55%	62%	64%	61%	52%	60%	65%	59%	54%	48%	70%	52%	59%
Don't know	89	17	34	38	37	52	23	24	42	15	23	15	35	29	56	1	86
	17%	13%	23%	17%	16%	19%	13%	14%	25%	15%	18%	19%	18%	12%	22%	5%	18%

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Table 23
Q9 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I am more sexually confident now than I was when I was younger
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	286	87	84	115	156	130	91	96	100	63	71	46	107	177	106	17	266
	56%	64%	56%	52%	67%	47%	53%	58%	58%	61%	55%	56%	54%	73%	41%	72%	55%
Disagree	150	37	44	69	53	98	60	46	44	27	43	23	57	44	103	5	145
	29%	27%	29%	31%	23%	35%	35%	28%	25%	26%	34%	28%	29%	18%	40%	20%	30%
Don't know	73	13	22	38	24	49	21	24	28	12	14	13	34	21	48	2	69
	14%	9%	15%	17%	10%	18%	12%	15%	16%	12%	11%	16%	17%	9%	19%	8%	14%

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Table 24
Q9 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
It is harder to talk about sex at my age than it was when I was younger
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	116	24	36	56	57	58	45	41	30	20	32	13	51	47	67	5	111
	23%	17%	24%	25%	25%	21%	26%	24%	18%	20%	25%	16%	26%	19%	26%	20%	23%
Disagree	360	110	104	146	159	201	117	112	131	75	91	63	130	187	165	19	338
	71%	80%	69%	66%	68%	73%	68%	68%	76%	74%	72%	78%	65%	78%	64%	80%	70%
Don't know	33	3	11	19	16	17	10	13	10	6	4	5	18	7	26	-	32
	7%	2%	8%	9%	7%	6%	6%	8%	6%	6%	3%	6%	9%	3%	10%	-	7%

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Table 25
Q9 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
I think about sex less now than when I was younger
Base: All respondents

	Total	Age			Gender		Region				SEG			Importance of sex		Sought sexual health advice	
		60 - 64	65 - 74	75+	Male	Female	North	Mid-lands	South	AB	C1	C2	DE	Important	Not important	Yes	No
Unweighted base	509	137	145	227	251	258	179	127	203	240	88	32	149	258	241	25	480
Weighted base	509	137	151	221	232	277	171	166	172	102	127	81	199	242	257	23	481
Agree	374	92	117	165	142	232	132	117	125	70	100	58	146	145	221	14	357
	73%	67%	78%	75%	61%	84%	77%	70%	73%	69%	79%	72%	73%	60%	86%	61%	74%
Disagree	118	41	28	49	84	34	34	40	43	29	25	18	46	89	27	9	108
	23%	30%	19%	22%	36%	12%	20%	24%	25%	28%	20%	22%	23%	37%	11%	39%	22%
Don't know	17	5	6	7	6	12	5	9	3	3	2	5	7	8	9	-	16
	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%	6%	2%	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%	3%	-	3%