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Q1. Do you, or would you, trust each of the following politicians to see the country through the current economic situation? Base: All respondents

		Ge	nder			A	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	<u>Total</u>	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid- lands	North Eng- land	Wales & South West	Scot- land
Unweighted base	2005	974	1031	206	341	425	364	321	348	691	510	307	497	512	505	516	305	167
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
Chancellor of the Exc	chequer, Geo	rge Osbo	orne															
Yes	493	316	177	28	63	69	67	99	167	174	135	101	84	144	144	110	63	32
	25%	32%	17%	12%	20%	18%	20%	33%	40%	32%	23%	24%	18%	28%	27%	22%	22%	18%
No	998	492	506	125	165	212	190	143	164	258	284	213	243	242	236	268	137	115
	50%	50%	49%	52%	51%	56%	56%	47%	39%	48%	49%	51%	53%	47%	45%	53%	47%	66%
Don't know	514	175	340	88	92	100	85	59	91	110	163	107	134	124	149	125	90	26
	26%	18%	33%	36%	29%	26%	25%	19%	22%	20%	28%	25%	29%	24%	28%	25%	31%	15%
Prime Minister, David	l Cameron																	
Yes	759	407	352	65	106	120	112	132	223	240	215	167	138	202	232	174	104	47
	38%	41%	34%	27%	33%	32%	33%	44%	53%	44%	37%	40%	30%	40%	44%	35%	36%	27%
No	954	462	491	132	158	204	180	133	147	241	271	189	253	234	217	262	133	108
	48%	47%	48%	55%	49%	54%	53%	44%	35%	44%	47%	45%	55%	46%	41%	52%	46%	62%
Don't know	293	113	179	44	56	57	49	36	52	61	96	66	70	74	80	67	52	20
	15%	12%	18%	18%	17%	15%	14%	12%	12%	11%	16%	16%	15%	15%	15%	13%	18%	11%
Deputy Prime Ministe	er, Nick Clegg	ı																
Yes	374	217	157	29	62	55	52	72	104	117	106	74	76	123	106	72	49	25
	19%	22%	15%	12%	19%	15%	15%	24%	25%	22%	18%	18%	17%	24%	20%	14%	17%	14%
No	1257	620	637	160	192	255	230	179	241	333	357	273	293	298	310	343	169	136
	63%	63%	62%	67%	60%	67%	67%	60%	57%	62%	61%	65%	64%	59%	59%	68%	58%	78%
Don't know	374	145	229	52	66	71	59	50	77	91	117	74	92	88	113	88	71	13
	19%	15%	22%	21%	21%	19%	17%	17%	18%	17%	20%	18%	20%	17%	21%	18%	25%	8%
Leader of the Opposi	tion, Ed Milib	and																
Yes	335	178	156	42	66	64	53	52	57	99	100	64	71	96	77	96	40	26
	17%	18%	15%	18%	21%	17%	15%	17%	13%	18%	17%	15%	15%	19%	15%	19%	14%	15%
No	1206	624	581	121	169	213	211	190	302	339	335	273	258	307	330	290	166	112
	60%	64%	57%	50%	53%	56%	62%	63%	72%	63%	58%	65%	56%	60%	62%	58%	57%	64%
Don't know	465	180	285	78	86	103	77	58	63	103	146	83	132	107	122	117	83	36
	23%	18%	28%	32%	27%	27%	23%	19%	15%	19%	25%	20%	29%	21%	23%	23%	29%	21%





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		Ge	nder			Αç	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	<u>Total</u>	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	_55-64_	65+	AB .	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE	South East	Mid- lands	North Eng- land	Wales & South West	Scot- land
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
Shadow Chancellor, Ed B Yes	<u>3alls</u> 284 14%	167 17%	116 11%	22 9%	42 13%	51 13%	51 15%	51 17%	67 16%	86 16%	90 16%	45 11%	62 13%	76 15%	66 12%	85 17%	35 12%	21 12%
No	1223 61%	639 65%	584 57%	140 58%	174 54%	210 55%	219 64%	186 62%	294 70%	354 65%	338 58%	272 65%	259 56%	314 62%	329 62%	305 61%	158 55%	117 67%
Don't know	499 25%	176 18%	322 31%	79 33%	104 33%	119 31%	71 21%	64 21%	61 14%	101 19%	153 26%	104 25%	141 31%	120 24%	134 25%	113 22%	95 33%	36 21%





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							Region					
	<u>Total</u>	Scot- land	North East	North West	Yorks & Humber	West Mids	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	East Mids
Unweighted base	2005	167	90	242	184	162	110	186	212	300	195	157
Weighted base	2005	174	91	236	177	185	106	188	252	257	183	156
Chancellor of the Exche	equer, Georg	ge Osbori	<u>ne</u>									
Yes	493	32	17	58	35	47	19	49	71	73	44	49
	25%	18%	19%	25%	20%	25%	18%	26%	28%	28%	24%	31%
No	998	115	52	129	87	96	54	76	118	124	82	64
	50%	66%	57%	55%	49%	52%	51%	41%	47%	48%	45%	41%
Don't know	514	26	21	48	55	43	33	63	63	61	57	43
	26%	15%	24%	20%	31%	23%	31%	33%	25%	24%	31%	28%
Prime Minister, David C	ameron											
Yes	759	47	33	81	60	76	36	80	90	112	68	76
	38%	27%	37%	34%	34%	41%	34%	43%	36%	43%	37%	49%
No	954	108	48	130	83	84	47	76	118	116	85	57
	48%	62%	53%	55%	47%	45%	45%	41%	47%	45%	47%	37%
Don't know	293	20	9	24	33	26	23	32	44	30	29	23
	15%	11%	10%	10%	19%	14%	21%	17%	18%	12%	16%	15%
Deputy Prime Minister,	Nick Clegg											
Yes	374	25	16	32	23	33	16	34	60	63	33	39
	19%	14%	18%	14%	13%	18%	15%	18%	24%	25%	18%	25%
No	1257	136	67	162	114	112	66	114	148	150	103	85
	63%	78%	74%	69%	64%	61%	62%	60%	59%	58%	56%	54%
Don't know	374	13	7	42	40	40	25	40	45	44	47	33
	19%	8%	8%	18%	22%	22%	23%	21%	18%	17%	26%	21%
Leader of the Opposition	n, Ed Miliba	nd										
Yes	335	26	19	38	39	32	17	25	52	43	23	20
	17%	15%	21%	16%	22%	17%	16%	14%	21%	17%	12%	13%
No	1206	112	44	151	94	116	61	114	142	165	105	101
	60%	64%	49%	64%	53%	63%	57%	60%	56%	64%	58%	65%
Don't know	465	36	27	46	43	38	28	49	58	49	55	35
	23%	21%	30%	20%	25%	20%	27%	26%	23%	19%	30%	23%





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							Region					
	Total	Scot- land	North East	North West	Yorks & Humber	West Mids	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	East Mids
Weighted base	2005	174	91	236	177	185	106	188	252	257	183	156
Shadow Chancellor, Ed B	alls											
Yes	284 14%	21 12%	14 16%	34 15%	37 21%	25 14%	14 13%	25 13%	32 13%	43 17%	21 12%	16 10%
No	1223 61%	117 67%	48 53%	155 66%	102 58%	116 62%	60 57%	106 57%	158 63%	156 61%	98 54%	107 69%
Don't know	499 25%	36 21%	29 32%	46 20%	38 21%	45 24%	32 30%	57 30%	62 25%	58 23%	64 35%	33 21%





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Table 2
Q2. Do you think that the Coalition Government is good or bad for Britain?
Base: All respondents

		Ge	nder			Αç	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE	South East	Mid- lands	North Eng- land	Wales & South West	Scot- land
Unweighted base	2005	974	1031	206	341	425	364	321	348	691	510	307	497	512	505	516	305	167
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
Good	629 31%	370 38%	259 25%	59 25%	95 30%	95 25%	82 24%	117 39%	180 43%	204 38%	182 31%	128 30%	115 25%	188 37%	182 34%	125 25%	94 33%	40 23%
Bad	977 49%	474 48%	503 49%	126 52%	140 44%	199 52%	185 54%	141 47%	186 44%	257 48%	278 48%	194 46%	248 54%	229 45%	244 46%	270 54%	124 43%	110 63%
Don't know	399 20%	138 14%	261 25%	56 23%	85 27%	86 23%	73 21%	43 14%	55 13%	80 15%	121 21%	100 24%	99 21%	92 18%	103 19%	108 22%	71 24%	25 14%





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Base: All respondents

						Region					
	Sco Total lan		North West	Yorks & Humber	West Mids	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	East Mids
Unweighted base	2005 16	7 90	242	184	162	110	186	212	300	195	157
Weighted base	2005 17	4 91	236	177	185	106	188	252	257	183	156
Good	629 4 31% 2	0 24 3% 27%	55 23%	46 26%	58 31%	28 26%	56 30%	89 35%	100 39%	66 36%	67 43%
Bad	977 11 49% 6	0 58 3% 64%	120 51%	92 52%	87 47%	52 49%	88 47%	116 46%	113 44%	72 39%	69 44%
Don't know	399 2 20% 1	5 9 4% 10%	61 26%	39 22%	40 21%	26 24%	43 23%	47 19%	45 17%	45 25%	20 13%





Table 3 Q5. Thinking about each of the following public services in your local area, do you think they have got better or worse over the past three months? **Base: All respondents**

		Gei	nder			A	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid- lands	North Eng- land	Wales & South West	Scot- land
Unweighted base	2005	974	1031	206	341	425	364	321	348	691	510	307	497	512	505	516	305	167
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
<u>Local state schools</u>	161	67	94	33	50	32	16	12	17	54	36	38	34	51	32	48	24	7
Better	8%	7%	9%	14%	16%	8%	5%	4%	4%	10%	6%	9%	7%	10%	6%	9%	8%	49
Worse	429	213	216	60	68	96	85	63	57	114	112	92	111	99	102	128	67	33
	21%	22%	21%	25%	21%	25%	25%	21%	13%	21%	19%	22%	24%	19%	19%	25%	23%	19%
No change	1415	702	713	147	203	253	239	226	348	373	434	292	317	360	396	328	199	134
	71%	71%	70%	61%	63%	66%	70%	75%	82%	69%	75%	69%	69%	71%	75%	65%	69%	779
<u>Local NHS services</u>	205	104	101	31	59	26	19	26	46	56	55	53	41	56	47	47	38	17
Better	10%	11%	10%	13%	18%	7%	6%	9%	11%	10%	10%	13%	9%	11%	9%	9%	13%	10%
Worse	743	348	395	92	114	142	142	107	146	201	196	160	186	192	176	217	109	50
	37%	35%	39%	38%	35%	37%	42%	36%	35%	37%	34%	38%	40%	38%	33%	43%	38%	29%
No change	1056	530	526	118	148	213	180	168	230	284	330	208	234	261	306	239	142	107
	53%	54%	51%	49%	46%	56%	53%	56%	54%	53%	57%	49%	51%	51%	58%	48%	49%	629
Local authority services Better	such as li 189 9%	<u>braries a</u> 90 9%	99 10%	collection 42 17%	<u>1</u> 45 14%	32 8%	24 7%	25 8%	21 5%	58 11%	46 8%	42 10%	42 9%	62 12%	45 9%	44 9%	23 8%	14 8%
Worse	802	403	399	91	130	162	149	127	142	218	217	176	192	193	180	222	133	74
	40%	41%	39%	38%	41%	43%	44%	42%	34%	40%	37%	42%	42%	38%	34%	44%	46%	429
No change	1014	489	525	108	146	187	167	149	258	266	318	203	227	254	304	237	132	86
	51%	50%	51%	45%	46%	49%	49%	49%	61%	49%	55%	48%	49%	50%	58%	47%	46%	499
Local public transport	133	76	57	30	34	28	15	11	16	39	41	27	26	51	32	34	12	3
Better	7%	8%	6%	12%	11%	7%	4%	4%	4%	7%	7%	6%	6%	10%	6%	7%	4%	2%
Worse	674	328	346	81	112	127	120	98	136	169	180	154	172	131	209	178	102	54
	34%	33%	34%	34%	35%	33%	35%	33%	32%	31%	31%	37%	37%	26%	40%	35%	35%	31%
No change	1198	579	619	130	175	225	206	192	270	334	360	240	264	327	288	290	175	117
	60%	59%	61%	54%	55%	59%	60%	64%	64%	62%	62%	57%	57%	64%	54%	58%	61%	679





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Q5. Thinking about each of the following public services in your local area, do you think they have got better or worse over the past three months?

Base: All respondents

	Total	Scot- land	North East	North West	Yorks & Humber	West Mids	Region Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	East Mids
Unweighted base	2005	167	90	242	184	162	110	186	212	300	195	157
Weighted base	2005	174	91	236	177	185	106	188	252	257	183	156
Local state schools	404	7	7	00	4.4		4	40	0.4	07	00	40
Better	161	7	7	26	14	6	4	16	24	27	20	10
	8%	4%	8%	11%	8%	3%	4%	9%	9%	11%	11%	6%
Worse	429	33	29	65	34	46	27	31	50	48	40	25
	21%	19%	32%	27%	19%	25%	25%	16%	20%	19%	22%	16%
No change	1415	134	54	145	129	134	75	141	178	182	123	120
	71%	77%	59%	62%	73%	72%	71%	75%	71%	71%	67%	77%
Local NHS services	205	17	9	28	10	19	8	21	33	23	30	7
Better	10%	10%	10%	12%	5%	10%	8%	11%	13%	9%	16%	5%
Worse	743	50	40	104	72	66	41	53	94	98	67	56
	37%	29%	44%	44%	41%	36%	39%	28%	37%	38%	37%	36%
No change	1056	107	41	103	95	100	57	114	125	136	86	92
	53%	62%	45%	44%	54%	54%	53%	61%	50%	53%	47%	59%
Local authority services												
Better	189	14	10	19	16	19	8	19	39	23	16	7
	9%	8%	11%	8%	9%	10%	7%	10%	15%	9%	9%	5%
Worse	802	74	37	102	83	71	43	58	88	105	90	51
	40%	42%	41%	43%	47%	38%	41%	31%	35%	41%	49%	33%
No change	1014	86	44	115	77	96	55	111	125	129	77	98
	51%	49%	49%	49%	44%	52%	52%	59%	50%	50%	42%	63%
Local public transport	133	3	4	17	13	5	8	16	34	17	4	11
Better	7%	2%	5%	7%	7%	3%	8%	8%	14%	7%	2%	7%
Worse	674	54	32	84	62	77	24	76	54	77	78	56
	34%	31%	36%	36%	35%	42%	22%	40%	21%	30%	43%	36%
No change	1198	117	54	134	102	103	74	96	164	163	101	88
	60%	67%	60%	57%	58%	55%	70%	51%	65%	63%	55%	57%





Table 4

Table 4	
Q18. Thinking about the Coalition Government, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	
Base: All respondents	
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		Ge	nder			Ag	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	<u>Total</u>	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2 .	DE	South East	Mid- lands	North Eng- land	Wales & South West	Scot- land
Unweighted base	2005	974	1031	206	341	425	364	321	348	691	510	307	497	512	505	516	305	167
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
After nearly a year in g																		
Agree	1060	501	559	123	167	213	188	158	210	288	293	208	271	264	267	286	137	106
	53%	51%	55%	51%	52%	56%	55%	53%	50%	53%	50%	49%	59%	52%	51%	57%	47%	61%
Disagree	589	354	235	53	78	89	85	115	168	175	177	132	106	157	174	135	82	41
	29%	36%	23%	22%	24%	23%	25%	38%	40%	32%	30%	31%	23%	31%	33%	27%	28%	23%
Don't know	356	128	229	64	75	79	68	28	43	78	112	82	84	89	88	81	70	28
	18%	13%	22%	27%	23%	21%	20%	9%	10%	14%	19%	19%	18%	17%	17%	16%	24%	16%
By going into coalition	with the Co	nservati	ves, the Li	beral Den	nocrats ap	pear to h	ave sold	out on thei	r principle	es								
Āgree	1185	600	585	138	180	221	223	184	239	320	344	230	290	279	309	326	152	118
	59%	61%	57%	57%	56%	58%	65%	61%	57%	59%	59%	55%	63%	55%	58%	65%	52%	68%
Disagree	431	249	181	47	63	68	59	78	117	134	126	103	68	123	134	83	62	29
	21%	25%	18%	19%	20%	18%	17%	26%	28%	25%	22%	24%	15%	24%	25%	17%	21%	17%
Don't know	390	133	257	56	78	91	59	39	66	87	111	88	103	108	86	94	75	27
	19%	14%	25%	23%	24%	24%	17%	13%	16%	16%	19%	21%	22%	21%	16%	19%	26%	15%
The disagreements bet	ween Cons	ervatives	and Liber	al Democ	rats abou	t the Alter	rnative Vo	te (AV) ref	erendum	have show	wn that th	e Coalitio	n isn't w	orking				
Agree	902	410	492	119	128	190	173	136	156	218	252	194	238	215	223	259	118	87
	45%	42%	48%	49%	40%	50%	51%	45%	37%	40%	43%	46%	52%	42%	42%	51%	41%	50%
Disagree	673	407	266	66	96	102	102	124	183	230	201	133	110	188	186	154	88	57
	34%	41%	26%	27%	30%	27%	30%	41%	43%	42%	35%	32%	24%	37%	35%	31%	30%	33%
Don't know	430	166	264	56	96	89	66	41	82	94	129	94	113	107	120	90	83	29
	21%	17%	26%	23%	30%	23%	19%	13%	20%	17%	22%	22%	24%	21%	23%	18%	29%	17%
I expect the Coalition G	overnment			years														
Agree	557	333	224	49	82	88	76	104	158	179	165	107	106	160	163	115	71	49
	28%	34%	22%	20%	26%	23%	22%	35%	37%	33%	28%	25%	23%	32%	31%	23%	24%	28%
Disagree	918	442	475	127	150	173	170	136	162	235	270	192	221	200	241	264	130	83
	46%	45%	46%	53%	47%	45%	50%	45%	39%	43%	46%	46%	48%	39%	45%	52%	45%	48%
Don't know	530	207	323	65	89	120	95	60	102	127	147	121	135	149	125	125	89	42
	26%	21%	32%	27%	28%	31%	28%	20%	24%	23%	25%	29%	29%	29%	24%	25%	31%	24%





Table 4

Q18. Thinking about the Coalition Government, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Base: All respondents

		Ge	nder			Αg	ge				Social	Class				Region		
	Total	Mala	Famala.	40.04	25.24	25.44	45.54	FF C4	CE.	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-	North Eng-	Wales & South West	Scot-
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB .	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	DE_	East	<u>lands</u>	<u>land</u>	vvest	<u>land</u>
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
Nick Clegg has proved h	imself a q	ood lead	ler of the L	iberal De	mocrats													
Agree	483	267	216	50	73	75	76	90	119	142	132	106	103	126	147	101	81	28
	24%	27%	21%	21%	23%	20%	22%	30%	28%	26%	23%	25%	22%	25%	28%	20%	28%	16%
Disagree	1008	518	490	122	155	193	180	142	216	288	273	213	235	253	238	293	119	107
	50%	53%	48%	51%	48%	51%	53%	47%	51%	53%	47%	51%	51%	50%	45%	58%	41%	61%
Don't know	514	197	317	68	92	113	85	69	87	112	176	103	124	131	145	110	90	39
	26%	20%	31%	28%	29%	30%	25%	23%	21%	21%	30%	24%	27%	26%	27%	22%	31%	22%
Nick Clegg should resig	n as Libera	al Demo	crat leader	in light o	f the party	's perforr	nance in I	ocal electi	ons									
Agree	667	364	303	81	98	133	107	107	140	168	184	150	165	156	144	209	85	73
	33%	37%	30%	34%	31%	35%	31%	36%	33%	31%	32%	36%	36%	31%	27%	41%	29%	42%
Disagree	797	434	363	78	123	131	138	136	191	255	238	154	151	211	231	183	111	61
	40%	44%	36%	33%	38%	34%	40%	45%	45%	47%	41%	37%	33%	41%	44%	36%	38%	35%
Don't know	541	185	356	81	99	116	96	58	91	119	159	117	146	143	154	112	93	40
	27%	19%	35%	34%	31%	31%	28%	19%	22%	22%	27%	28%	32%	28%	29%	22%	32%	23%





Table 4
Q18. Thinking about the Coalition Government, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
Base: All respondents

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Q18. Thinking about the Coalition Government, do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

Base: All respondents

							Region					
		Scot-	North	North	Yorks &	West		East-		South	South	East
	<u>Total</u>	land	East	West	Humber	Mids_	<u>Wales</u>	ern	London	East	West	Mids
Weighted base	2005	174	91	236	177	185	106	188	252	257	183	156
Nick Clegg has proved himself a good leader of the Liberal Democrats												
Agree	483	28	16	44	40	44	27	44	60	66	54	58
	24%	16%	18%	19%	23%	24%	26%	24%	24%	26%	29%	37%
Disagree	1008	107	59	141	93	87	49	90	136	117	69	60
-	50%	61%	65%	60%	53%	47%	47%	48%	54%	45%	38%	38%
Don't know	514	39	16	50	44	54	29	53	57	74	60	38
	26%	22%	17%	21%	25%	29%	28%	28%	22%	29%	33%	24%
Nick Clegg should resign as Liberal Democrat leader in light of the party's performance in local elections												
Agree	667	73	37	106	65	56	33	58	85	71	53	30
	33%	42%	41%	45%	37%	30%	31%	31%	34%	28%	29%	19%
Disagree	797	61	36	78	69	81	37	66	94	117	74	84
_	40%	35%	39%	33%	39%	44%	34%	35%	37%	45%	41%	54%
Don't know	541	40	18	51	43	48	37	64	73	69	56	42
	27%	23%	20%	22%	24%	26%	35%	34%	29%	27%	31%	27%



