

ITV Cuts Index Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork : 25th-27th November 2011

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	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region							Employment Sector						
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Scot-land	North East	North West	York-shire & Humber-side	West Mid-lands	East Mid-lands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Private	
Unweighted base	2050	936	1114	145	338	420	360	324	463	798	513	284	455	186	99	245	172	197	162	108	180	231	280	190	313	756	
Weighted base	2050	1005	1045	246	328	390	349	307	430	554	595	431	471	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	322	826	
The strike action by public sector workers over pensions planned for 30 November is unlikely to succeed and so should not go ahead																											
Agree	1044 51%	556 55%	488 47%	85 34%	145 44%	186 48%	181 52%	154 50%	293 68%	317 57%	300 50%	240 56%	188 40%	76 43%	38 41%	112 46%	97 54%	106 56%	91 57%	46 43%	92 48%	120 47%	162 62%	103 55%	122 38%	449 54%	
Disagree	631 31%	311 31%	321 31%	84 34%	99 30%	126 32%	115 33%	119 39%	88 20%	166 30%	178 30%	131 30%	157 33%	70 39%	36 39%	91 38%	50 28%	50 27%	36 23%	44 40%	58 30%	92 36%	60 23%	44 24%	160 50%	208 25%	
Don't know	374 18%	138 14%	237 23%	77 31%	84 26%	77 20%	53 15%	35 11%	49 11%	70 13%	117 20%	60 14%	127 27%	32 18%	19 20%	38 16%	34 19%	34 18%	32 20%	18 17%	42 22%	45 18%	41 16%	39 21%	40 13%	168 20%	
Public sector workers are right to strike on 30 November over pensions																											
Agree	781 38%	371 37%	410 39%	108 44%	131 40%	168 43%	139 40%	129 42%	105 24%	189 34%	233 39%	171 40%	188 40%	79 45%	45 49%	106 44%	65 36%	59 31%	56 35%	47 43%	64 33%	114 44%	80 30%	65 35%	193 60%	277 34%	
Disagree	955 47%	511 51%	444 42%	67 27%	126 38%	156 40%	170 49%	148 48%	288 67%	311 56%	266 45%	192 45%	186 39%	76 43%	32 35%	105 44%	89 49%	93 49%	75 47%	47 43%	94 49%	104 40%	150 57%	90 48%	94 29%	401 49%	
Don't know	314 15%	123 12%	191 18%	70 29%	71 22%	66 17%	39 11%	30 10%	37 9%	53 10%	95 16%	67 16%	98 21%	23 13%	15 16%	30 12%	27 15%	37 20%	28 18%	14 13%	35 18%	40 15%	33 13%	32 17%	35 11%	147 18%	
Public sector workers have to take their share of the economic pain which means accepting reductions in their pension provision																											
Agree	1142 56%	623 62%	520 50%	101 41%	146 45%	193 50%	205 59%	185 60%	312 73%	341 62%	332 56%	244 57%	226 48%	90 51%	39 42%	131 54%	92 51%	112 59%	105 66%	46 43%	119 62%	132 51%	172 65%	103 55%	110 34%	505 61%	
Disagree	572 28%	260 26%	311 30%	75 30%	105 32%	114 29%	97 28%	98 32%	83 19%	154 28%	166 28%	115 27%	137 29%	56 32%	39 42%	78 32%	46 26%	43 23%	29 18%	44 40%	46 24%	87 34%	54 20%	49 26%	165 51%	178 22%	
Don't know	336 16%	122 12%	214 20%	70 28%	77 23%	83 21%	47 13%	25 8%	35 8%	59 11%	97 16%	72 17%	108 23%	32 18%	15 16%	32 13%	42 23%	34 18%	25 16%	19 17%	27 14%	38 15%	37 14%	35 19%	48 15%	142 17%	

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Weighted base	2050	1005	1045	246	328	390	349	307	430	554	595	431	471	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	322	826	
I expect the UK economy to grow over the coming year																											
Agree	467	264	203	67	88	72	75	51	114	157	141	79	90	28	33	48	43	49	46	14	40	65	70	30	53	207	
	23%	26%	19%	27%	27%	19%	22%	17%	26%	28%	24%	18%	19%	16%	36%	20%	24%	26%	29%	13%	21%	25%	27%	16%	16%	25%	
Disagree	1092	550	542	126	144	216	195	194	217	269	307	242	274	106	49	138	93	95	73	77	102	136	125	98	207	406	
	53%	55%	52%	51%	44%	55%	56%	63%	50%	49%	52%	56%	58%	59%	53%	57%	52%	50%	46%	70%	53%	53%	48%	52%	64%	49%	
Don't know	491	190	301	54	97	102	78	62	100	127	147	110	107	44	10	55	44	46	40	18	50	57	68	59	62	213	
	24%	19%	29%	22%	29%	26%	22%	20%	23%	23%	25%	25%	23%	25%	11%	23%	24%	24%	25%	17%	26%	22%	26%	32%	19%	26%	
The eurozone crisis is to blame for dragging down the UK economy																											
Agree	988	513	474	94	143	197	167	152	234	260	290	234	203	79	43	123	88	81	80	47	98	130	136	83	149	406	
	48%	51%	45%	38%	44%	50%	48%	50%	54%	47%	49%	54%	43%	45%	46%	51%	49%	43%	50%	44%	51%	50%	52%	44%	46%	49%	
Disagree	526	307	218	64	75	85	96	87	118	181	143	89	113	50	26	58	46	54	31	31	45	77	69	40	99	196	
	26%	31%	21%	26%	23%	22%	27%	28%	27%	33%	24%	21%	24%	28%	28%	24%	26%	28%	19%	28%	23%	30%	26%	21%	31%	24%	
Don't know	537	184	352	88	109	108	85	68	78	113	161	108	155	48	24	60	47	55	49	31	50	51	58	64	75	224	
	26%	18%	34%	36%	33%	28%	24%	22%	18%	20%	27%	25%	33%	27%	26%	25%	26%	29%	31%	28%	26%	20%	22%	34%	23%	27%	