

## ITV Weekly Cuts Index Survey

### ONLINE Fieldwork : 16th-18th December 2011

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	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 & Humb-erside	West Mid-lands	East Mid-lands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Pri-vate	
Unweighted base	2052	971	1081	194	324	382	363	330	459	788	523	253	488	176	100	245	182	197	162	112	177	229	280	192	311	743	
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<b>Chancellor of the Exchequer, George Osborne</b>																											
Yes	552	332	220	40	56	80	74	93	210	203	172	88	89	33	15	59	49	57	42	22	71	67	81	56	73	190	
	27%	33%	21%	16%	17%	20%	21%	30%	49%	37%	29%	20%	19%	18%	16%	24%	27%	30%	26%	20%	37%	26%	31%	30%	22%	23%	
No	985	517	467	108	161	215	195	147	159	260	268	228	228	106	48	128	84	92	66	66	86	114	110	85	192	417	
	48%	51%	45%	44%	49%	55%	56%	48%	37%	47%	45%	53%	48%	60%	51%	53%	46%	48%	42%	61%	45%	44%	42%	45%	58%	51%	
Don't know	515	156	359	98	111	95	81	68	62	91	154	115	155	39	30	54	48	41	51	21	35	77	72	46	65	212	
	25%	16%	34%	40%	34%	24%	23%	22%	14%	16%	26%	27%	33%	22%	32%	22%	27%	22%	32%	19%	18%	30%	27%	25%	20%	26%	
<b>Prime Minister, David Cameron</b>																											
Yes	776	421	356	79	93	123	112	127	242	249	252	136	140	42	29	77	73	82	57	26	89	92	132	77	99	302	
	38%	42%	34%	32%	28%	32%	32%	41%	56%	45%	42%	32%	30%	23%	31%	32%	40%	43%	36%	24%	46%	36%	50%	41%	30%	37%	
No	896	471	425	98	150	186	183	138	142	231	243	204	218	101	43	119	78	80	64	68	77	113	84	70	180	362	
	44%	47%	41%	40%	46%	48%	52%	45%	33%	42%	41%	47%	46%	57%	46%	49%	43%	42%	40%	63%	40%	44%	32%	37%	54%	44%	
Don't know	379	114	265	69	86	81	54	43	47	74	100	91	114	35	21	45	30	28	38	15	26	53	47	40	51	155	
	18%	11%	25%	28%	26%	21%	15%	14%	11%	13%	17%	21%	24%	20%	23%	19%	17%	15%	24%	14%	14%	20%	18%	22%	15%	19%	
<b>Deputy Prime Minister, Nick Clegg</b>																											
Yes	368	183	185	43	67	77	52	49	81	122	116	59	71	28	14	41	31	35	23	15	30	58	52	42	76	143	
	18%	18%	18%	17%	21%	20%	15%	16%	19%	22%	19%	14%	15%	16%	15%	17%	17%	18%	15%	14%	16%	23%	20%	22%	23%	17%	
No	1217	673	544	118	157	223	230	206	283	333	351	268	265	114	56	154	101	119	90	72	121	137	149	104	197	485	
	59%	67%	52%	48%	48%	57%	66%	67%	66%	60%	59%	62%	56%	64%	61%	64%	56%	63%	56%	67%	63%	53%	57%	56%	60%	59%	
Don't know	467	150	318	86	104	90	68	53	67	99	129	103	136	36	23	46	49	36	47	22	42	63	63	41	57	191	
	23%	15%	30%	35%	32%	23%	19%	17%	16%	18%	22%	24%	29%	20%	25%	19%	27%	19%	29%	20%	22%	25%	24%	22%	17%	23%	

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Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b>Leader of the Opposition, Ed Miliband</b>																											
Yes	351	145	206	42	70	76	70	43	51	95	112	49	94	38	16	56	31	27	27	33	26	47	27	23	83	127	
	17%	14%	20%	17%	21%	20%	20%	14%	12%	17%	19%	11%	20%	21%	17%	23%	17%	14%	17%	31%	13%	18%	10%	12%	25%	15%	
No	1228	696	532	126	150	219	195	213	324	373	379	255	221	98	47	129	107	125	92	50	135	141	176	128	190	497	
	60%	69%	51%	51%	46%	56%	56%	69%	75%	67%	64%	59%	47%	55%	51%	53%	59%	66%	57%	46%	70%	55%	67%	69%	58%	61%	
Don't know	473	165	308	78	108	95	84	52	56	86	104	126	157	42	30	57	43	38	41	25	32	70	61	36	57	195	
	23%	16%	29%	32%	33%	24%	24%	17%	13%	16%	17%	29%	33%	24%	33%	24%	24%	20%	25%	23%	17%	27%	23%	19%	17%	24%	
<b>Shadow Chancellor, Ed Balls</b>																											
Yes	330	166	164	29	59	72	56	48	66	105	95	55	75	32	10	48	26	23	30	29	37	37	28	30	70	118	
	16%	17%	16%	12%	18%	19%	16%	16%	15%	19%	16%	13%	16%	18%	11%	20%	14%	12%	19%	27%	19%	14%	11%	16%	21%	14%	
No	1195	660	535	106	151	214	209	206	308	354	366	240	235	96	51	139	112	124	87	49	120	131	170	115	187	489	
	58%	66%	51%	43%	46%	55%	60%	67%	71%	64%	62%	56%	50%	54%	55%	57%	62%	65%	55%	45%	62%	51%	65%	61%	57%	60%	
Don't know	527	179	348	111	118	104	84	54	57	96	134	136	161	50	31	55	43	42	43	30	35	90	65	43	74	212	
	26%	18%	33%	45%	36%	27%	24%	17%	13%	17%	23%	32%	34%	28%	34%	23%	24%	22%	27%	28%	18%	35%	25%	23%	22%	26%	

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	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 & Humb-erside	West Mid-lands	East Mid-lands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Pri-vate	
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<b><u>The state of the UK economy</u></b>																											
Better	111 5%	59 6%	52 5%	28 12%	22 7%	18 5%	10 3%	15 5%	17 4%	40 7%	35 6%	21 5%	15 3%	5 3%	4 4%	17 7%	15 8%	12 6%	10 7%	4 3%	9 5%	17 7%	9 3%	8 4%	20 6%	54 7%	
No change	398 19%	192 19%	206 20%	79 32%	86 26%	77 20%	52 15%	40 13%	63 15%	100 18%	114 19%	90 21%	93 20%	27 15%	23 24%	39 16%	33 18%	38 20%	31 20%	17 16%	49 26%	51 20%	52 20%	36 19%	49 15%	179 22%	
Worse	1544 75%	755 75%	789 75%	139 56%	220 67%	295 76%	287 82%	253 82%	350 81%	413 75%	446 75%	320 74%	364 77%	146 82%	66 72%	185 77%	133 73%	140 74%	118 74%	88 81%	134 70%	190 74%	203 77%	143 76%	260 79%	586 71%	
<b><u>Your personal financial situation</u></b>																											
Better	240 12%	142 14%	98 9%	48 19%	62 19%	39 10%	35 10%	27 9%	29 7%	84 15%	76 13%	51 12%	29 6%	18 10%	18 19%	29 12%	15 8%	24 13%	19 12%	8 7%	25 13%	36 14%	33 13%	14 7%	42 13%	135 16%	
No change	832 41%	398 40%	435 42%	100 41%	138 42%	134 34%	107 31%	132 43%	221 51%	236 43%	252 42%	170 39%	174 37%	68 38%	36 39%	91 38%	92 51%	67 35%	63 40%	46 42%	79 41%	112 43%	94 36%	83 44%	117 35%	307 37%	
Worse	980 48%	466 46%	514 49%	98 40%	129 39%	217 56%	206 59%	149 48%	181 42%	234 42%	267 45%	210 49%	269 57%	92 52%	39 42%	120 50%	74 41%	99 52%	77 48%	55 50%	88 46%	110 43%	136 52%	90 48%	171 52%	377 46%	
<b><u>Your job security</u></b>																											
Better	157 8%	78 8%	79 8%	28 11%	46 14%	42 11%	25 7%	13 4%	2 *	61 11%	55 9%	24 5%	18 4%	9 5%	9 10%	11 5%	8 4%	19 10%	18 12%	6 5%	15 8%	32 13%	20 8%	8 4%	33 10%	113 14%	
No change	1316 64%	632 63%	683 65%	140 57%	177 54%	196 50%	180 52%	222 72%	402 93%	352 64%	379 64%	280 65%	305 65%	107 60%	59 63%	161 67%	124 69%	123 65%	96 61%	71 65%	134 69%	142 55%	164 62%	136 73%	155 47%	443 54%	
Worse	580 28%	296 29%	284 27%	79 32%	105 32%	152 39%	144 41%	73 24%	27 6%	141 25%	162 27%	128 30%	149 32%	62 35%	25 27%	69 29%	49 27%	48 25%	45 28%	32 29%	44 23%	84 33%	79 30%	43 23%	142 43%	264 32%	

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Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b>Anti-social behaviour in my neighbourhood</b>																											
Better	146	60	86	29	24	29	23	13	28	29	38	35	44	10	10	15	13	16	17	3	7	22	18	15	19	55	
	7%	6%	8%	12%	7%	7%	7%	4%	6%	5%	6%	8%	9%	5%	11%	6%	7%	9%	11%	2%	4%	8%	7%	8%	6%	7%	
No change	1475	728	747	173	214	259	248	240	341	427	430	293	324	137	62	172	132	139	107	88	147	159	186	145	237	581	
	72%	72%	71%	70%	65%	66%	71%	78%	79%	77%	72%	68%	69%	77%	67%	71%	73%	73%	67%	81%	76%	62%	71%	77%	72%	71%	
Worse	431	218	213	44	91	102	78	54	62	98	126	103	104	32	20	54	35	35	35	18	38	77	59	28	74	183	
	21%	22%	20%	18%	28%	26%	22%	18%	14%	18%	21%	24%	22%	18%	22%	22%	20%	18%	22%	17%	20%	30%	22%	15%	22%	22%	
<b>Crime</b>																											
Better	125	62	63	27	26	17	19	8	27	36	36	20	34	8	8	16	8	12	14	3	9	22	12	14	15	51	
	6%	6%	6%	11%	8%	4%	6%	2%	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	4%	8%	7%	5%	6%	9%	3%	4%	8%	5%	8%	5%	6%	
No change	1144	568	576	138	168	214	195	188	241	321	346	248	230	109	52	135	110	112	82	67	105	108	150	114	181	469	
	56%	56%	55%	56%	51%	55%	56%	61%	56%	58%	58%	58%	49%	61%	56%	56%	61%	59%	51%	61%	55%	42%	57%	61%	55%	57%	
Worse	783	375	407	81	134	159	135	112	163	198	214	163	209	61	33	90	63	66	64	39	79	128	101	59	134	299	
	38%	37%	39%	33%	41%	41%	39%	36%	38%	36%	36%	38%	44%	34%	35%	37%	35%	35%	40%	36%	41%	50%	38%	31%	41%	36%	
<b>Social disorder in some communities around the country</b>																											
Better	154	75	79	22	38	26	29	15	24	55	42	26	31	10	12	15	11	18	16	4	9	30	16	13	31	65	
	8%	7%	8%	9%	11%	7%	8%	5%	6%	10%	7%	6%	7%	6%	13%	6%	6%	9%	10%	4%	5%	12%	6%	7%	9%	8%	
No change	665	323	342	119	123	132	96	92	103	170	201	144	150	59	34	77	66	62	56	35	70	67	76	62	102	295	
	32%	32%	33%	48%	37%	34%	27%	30%	24%	31%	34%	33%	32%	33%	36%	32%	37%	33%	35%	32%	36%	26%	29%	33%	31%	36%	
Worse	1233	608	625	105	168	233	224	200	304	328	352	261	291	109	47	148	104	110	87	69	114	161	171	112	197	459	
	60%	60%	60%	43%	51%	60%	64%	65%	70%	59%	59%	61%	62%	61%	51%	62%	57%	58%	55%	64%	59%	62%	65%	60%	60%	56%	

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Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b>I am worried that another recession would have a severe impact on me and my family</b>																											
Agree	1400	649	751	149	214	287	267	221	263	366	411	299	324	126	61	167	121	117	113	77	129	170	189	132	253	569	
	68%	65%	72%	60%	65%	74%	77%	72%	61%	66%	69%	69%	69%	71%	66%	69%	67%	62%	71%	70%	67%	66%	72%	70%	77%	69%	
Disagree	324	197	127	36	48	52	46	42	101	108	88	63	66	31	9	44	27	39	16	18	33	42	38	29	31	132	
	16%	20%	12%	15%	15%	13%	13%	14%	23%	19%	15%	15%	14%	17%	9%	18%	15%	20%	10%	17%	17%	16%	14%	15%	9%	16%	
Don't know	327	159	169	61	67	52	36	45	66	80	97	68	82	21	23	31	34	34	30	14	31	46	37	27	46	118	
	16%	16%	16%	25%	20%	13%	10%	15%	15%	14%	16%	16%	17%	12%	25%	13%	19%	18%	19%	13%	16%	18%	14%	14%	14%	14%	
<b>The debt crisis in Europe is putting the UK economy in danger</b>																											
Agree	1725	855	871	175	250	337	303	271	389	482	505	353	385	153	73	190	156	156	134	90	172	204	230	167	274	696	
	84%	85%	83%	71%	76%	86%	87%	88%	90%	87%	85%	82%	82%	86%	79%	79%	86%	82%	84%	83%	89%	79%	87%	89%	83%	85%	
Disagree	98	57	41	7	26	20	15	13	17	29	28	20	21	7	8	13	2	12	5	3	8	27	7	4	21	41	
	5%	6%	4%	3%	8%	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	8%	5%	1%	7%	3%	3%	4%	10%	3%	2%	6%	5%	
Don't know	228	94	134	64	53	33	30	23	25	43	62	59	65	17	12	38	23	22	20	15	12	28	26	16	34	82	
	11%	9%	13%	26%	16%	9%	9%	8%	6%	8%	10%	14%	14%	10%	13%	16%	13%	11%	12%	14%	6%	11%	10%	8%	10%	10%	
<b>If the British economy doesn't pick up very soon, the Government should reconsider its planned programme of spending cuts</b>																											
Agree	1328	624	704	143	211	272	244	198	261	326	372	306	324	131	60	166	121	103	103	83	114	162	173	114	241	517	
	65%	62%	67%	58%	64%	70%	70%	64%	61%	59%	63%	71%	69%	74%	64%	69%	67%	54%	65%	76%	59%	63%	66%	61%	73%	63%	
Disagree	389	236	154	38	49	62	49	74	117	154	112	60	63	26	18	43	25	52	28	9	55	40	52	40	45	170	
	19%	23%	15%	16%	15%	16%	14%	24%	27%	28%	19%	14%	13%	15%	19%	18%	14%	27%	17%	9%	28%	16%	20%	22%	14%	21%	
Don't know	334	146	188	65	68	56	56	36	53	73	111	65	85	21	15	32	35	35	29	17	24	57	38	33	44	133	
	16%	15%	18%	26%	21%	14%	16%	12%	12%	13%	19%	15%	18%	12%	16%	13%	19%	18%	18%	15%	12%	22%	14%	18%	13%	16%	

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<b><u>In the current financial situation, the Government is more concerned with protecting the banks than the British public</u></b>																											
Agree	1335 65%	647 64%	689 66%	145 59%	208 63%	282 72%	249 71%	209 68%	243 56%	327 59%	372 63%	305 71%	331 70%	138 77%	55 60%	159 66%	110 61%	107 56%	107 67%	79 73%	113 59%	177 68%	171 65%	118 63%	248 75%	519 63%	
Disagree	391 19%	241 24%	151 14%	30 12%	48 15%	58 15%	57 16%	64 21%	135 31%	159 29%	113 19%	58 14%	61 13%	20 11%	16 17%	44 18%	39 21%	46 24%	24 15%	16 15%	51 26%	36 14%	64 24%	36 19%	41 12%	166 20%	
Don't know	325 16%	118 12%	207 20%	71 29%	73 22%	50 13%	43 12%	35 12%	53 12%	68 12%	109 18%	67 16%	80 17%	20 11%	22 23%	38 16%	32 18%	37 19%	28 18%	13 12%	28 15%	45 18%	28 11%	33 18%	41 13%	134 16%	
<b><u>The Government is in control of the economy</u></b>																											
Agree	553 27%	283 28%	269 26%	74 30%	94 29%	83 21%	68 19%	75 24%	160 37%	167 30%	159 27%	109 25%	118 25%	38 21%	27 30%	65 27%	58 32%	54 29%	45 28%	14 13%	53 27%	70 27%	81 31%	46 24%	74 22%	208 25%	
Disagree	1115 54%	565 56%	550 53%	104 42%	168 51%	247 63%	227 65%	171 55%	198 46%	299 54%	321 54%	234 54%	261 55%	112 63%	49 53%	128 53%	89 49%	99 52%	82 51%	76 70%	104 54%	138 53%	137 52%	103 55%	202 61%	466 57%	
Don't know	385 19%	158 16%	227 22%	68 28%	67 20%	60 15%	54 16%	63 20%	73 17%	88 16%	116 19%	88 21%	93 20%	28 16%	17 18%	48 20%	34 19%	37 19%	33 21%	19 17%	36 19%	50 19%	45 17%	39 21%	55 17%	145 18%	

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Table 4

**Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements about Britain's veto of the EU treaty?**

**Base: All respondents**

	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 Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Private	
Unweighted base	2052	971	1081	194	324	382	363	330	459	788	523	253	488	176	100	245	182	197	162	112	177	229	280	192	311	743	
Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b><u>The UK is now isolated from the rest of Europe because of the veto</u></b>																											
Agree	788	403	384	101	132	157	113	127	227	231	154	176	72	32	91	64	67	65	43	66	115	102	70	149	331		
	38%	40%	37%	41%	40%	40%	45%	37%	30%	41%	39%	36%	37%	40%	35%	38%	35%	41%	39%	34%	45%	39%	37%	45%	40%		
Disagree	754	416	338	50	92	122	125	127	238	235	216	152	150	70	33	84	55	66	50	42	96	78	105	74	108	284	
	37%	41%	32%	20%	28%	31%	36%	41%	55%	42%	36%	35%	32%	39%	36%	35%	30%	35%	32%	39%	50%	30%	40%	40%	33%	35%	
Don't know	510	186	325	94	104	111	67	68	65	92	148	125	145	37	27	65	62	57	44	23	31	65	56	43	74	204	
	25%	18%	31%	38%	32%	29%	19%	22%	15%	17%	25%	29%	31%	21%	29%	27%	34%	30%	28%	22%	16%	25%	21%	23%	22%	25%	
<b><u>It will be more difficult for the EU to overcome the eurozone debt crisis because of the British veto</u></b>																											
Agree	600	294	307	90	113	119	102	66	111	170	179	132	119	62	24	76	40	57	41	36	67	77	72	48	119	251	
	29%	29%	29%	37%	34%	30%	29%	21%	26%	31%	30%	31%	25%	35%	26%	32%	22%	30%	26%	33%	35%	30%	27%	26%	36%	31%	
Disagree	750	471	279	36	93	131	126	165	199	240	206	158	147	61	32	85	61	56	58	43	73	103	104	75	112	305	
	37%	47%	27%	15%	28%	34%	36%	54%	46%	43%	35%	37%	31%	34%	35%	35%	34%	29%	36%	39%	38%	40%	40%	40%	34%	37%	
Don't know	701	240	461	120	123	140	121	76	121	145	210	140	205	55	36	80	80	77	60	30	53	79	87	64	99	263	
	34%	24%	44%	49%	37%	36%	35%	25%	28%	26%	35%	33%	44%	31%	39%	33%	44%	41%	38%	28%	28%	30%	33%	34%	30%	32%	
<b><u>David Cameron was right to veto the EU treaty</u></b>																											
Agree	1131	599	532	91	135	209	196	199	302	309	347	236	239	81	48	131	89	121	85	56	127	118	170	105	178	442	
	55%	60%	51%	37%	41%	54%	56%	65%	70%	56%	58%	55%	51%	46%	52%	54%	49%	64%	53%	51%	66%	46%	64%	56%	54%	54%	
Disagree	384	212	171	44	68	79	69	50	74	142	91	70	81	46	18	46	36	24	23	26	29	66	34	35	69	162	
	19%	21%	16%	18%	21%	20%	20%	16%	17%	26%	15%	16%	17%	26%	19%	19%	20%	13%	14%	24%	15%	26%	13%	19%	21%	20%	
Don't know	537	194	343	111	126	102	84	59	55	103	157	124	152	50	27	64	56	45	52	27	36	73	59	47	83	215	
	26%	19%	33%	45%	38%	26%	24%	19%	13%	19%	26%	29%	32%	28%	29%	26%	31%	23%	33%	25%	19%	28%	22%	25%	25%	26%	

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Table 4

**Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements about Britain's veto of the EU treaty?**

**Base: All respondents**

	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 & Humb-erside	West Mid-lands	East Mid-lands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Private	
Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b><u>The UK will be in a safer financial position because of the veto</u></b>																											
Agree	903 44%	480 48%	422 40%	86 35%	119 36%	164 42%	144 41%	154 50%	236 55%	257 46%	287 48%	185 43%	174 37%	66 37%	38 41%	102 42%	64 36%	104 55%	73 46%	40 37%	110 57%	95 37%	133 50%	78 42%	147 45%	354 43%	
Disagree	464 23%	254 25%	210 20%	39 16%	86 26%	84 22%	91 26%	72 23%	92 21%	157 28%	120 20%	96 22%	91 19%	56 32%	16 18%	56 23%	39 21%	25 13%	31 19%	33 30%	30 16%	83 32%	51 19%	43 23%	89 27%	194 24%	
Don't know	686 33%	272 27%	414 40%	121 49%	124 38%	142 36%	114 33%	83 27%	103 24%	140 25%	188 32%	150 35%	207 44%	55 31%	39 42%	83 35%	78 43%	61 32%	56 35%	36 33%	52 27%	81 31%	80 30%	66 35%	94 28%	271 33%	
<b><u>Britain gets a good deal from being a member of the EU</u></b>																											
Agree	449 22%	256 25%	193 18%	57 23%	91 28%	90 23%	63 18%	51 17%	96 22%	185 33%	115 19%	73 17%	76 16%	45 25%	20 22%	59 24%	28 15%	32 17%	30 19%	27 25%	32 17%	75 29%	59 22%	42 23%	91 28%	183 22%	
Disagree	1027 50%	546 54%	481 46%	73 30%	120 36%	181 46%	190 54%	199 65%	264 61%	248 45%	316 53%	222 51%	241 51%	91 51%	47 50%	118 49%	84 47%	106 56%	77 48%	53 48%	127 66%	100 39%	137 52%	88 47%	155 47%	398 49%	
Don't know	577 28%	204 20%	373 36%	116 47%	117 36%	119 31%	96 27%	58 19%	71 17%	121 22%	164 28%	136 32%	156 33%	42 24%	26 28%	64 27%	69 38%	52 28%	52 32%	29 27%	34 17%	84 32%	68 26%	57 30%	84 26%	238 29%	
<b><u>I would vote to leave the EU if it were put to referendum</u></b>																											
Agree	995 48%	510 51%	485 46%	87 36%	128 39%	185 47%	183 52%	178 58%	235 54%	215 39%	295 50%	244 57%	242 51%	84 47%	40 43%	113 47%	81 44%	104 55%	79 49%	55 51%	111 58%	112 43%	134 51%	84 45%	161 49%	389 47%	
Disagree	529 26%	296 29%	234 22%	60 24%	90 27%	87 22%	77 22%	78 25%	138 32%	221 40%	152 25%	68 16%	89 19%	51 28%	24 26%	61 25%	40 22%	46 24%	28 18%	32 29%	48 25%	82 32%	63 24%	53 28%	86 26%	207 25%	
Don't know	528 26%	200 20%	328 31%	99 40%	111 34%	118 30%	89 26%	53 17%	58 14%	118 21%	149 25%	119 28%	141 30%	44 25%	29 31%	67 28%	61 33%	40 21%	52 33%	22 20%	33 17%	64 25%	66 25%	50 27%	83 25%	223 27%	



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Table 5

**Q.5 As we approach the end of 2011, do you agree or disagree with each of these statements about the outlook for 2012?**

**Base: All respondents**

	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 & Humb-erside	West Mid-lands	East Mid-lands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Pri-vate	
Unweighted base	2052	971	1081	194	324	382	363	330	459	788	523	253	488	176	100	245	182	197	162	112	177	229	280	192	311	743	
Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b>I am optimistic that the world will be a safer place in 2012</b>																											
Agree	364	189	175	44	83	59	54	51	72	108	110	63	82	28	18	57	25	30	24	26	22	57	43	34	60	151	
	18%	19%	17%	18%	25%	15%	16%	17%	17%	20%	19%	15%	17%	16%	20%	23%	14%	16%	15%	24%	11%	22%	16%	18%	18%	18%	
Disagree	1153	575	578	116	148	241	231	181	237	312	323	229	290	101	48	111	107	109	85	68	135	135	152	103	185	469	
	56%	57%	55%	47%	45%	62%	66%	59%	55%	56%	54%	53%	61%	56%	52%	46%	59%	58%	53%	62%	70%	52%	58%	55%	56%	57%	
Don't know	535	241	294	86	97	90	64	76	122	134	162	139	100	49	27	73	49	51	50	15	36	66	68	50	85	199	
	26%	24%	28%	35%	29%	23%	18%	25%	28%	24%	27%	32%	21%	28%	29%	30%	27%	27%	32%	14%	19%	25%	26%	27%	26%	24%	
<b>I don't expect the Coalition Government to survive to the end of 2012</b>																											
Agree	802	357	444	101	131	170	130	131	138	196	220	187	198	79	35	94	58	92	63	55	78	88	95	65	150	322	
	39%	36%	42%	41%	40%	44%	37%	43%	32%	35%	37%	43%	42%	44%	38%	39%	32%	48%	39%	51%	40%	34%	36%	35%	46%	39%	
Disagree	695	444	252	52	84	128	126	108	198	244	214	124	113	53	30	77	71	53	52	30	82	88	90	68	110	281	
	34%	44%	24%	21%	26%	33%	36%	35%	46%	44%	36%	29%	24%	29%	33%	32%	39%	28%	32%	28%	43%	34%	34%	36%	33%	34%	
Don't know	555	205	350	94	114	92	93	68	95	114	162	120	160	47	28	70	51	45	45	23	33	82	78	54	70	216	
	27%	20%	33%	38%	35%	24%	27%	22%	22%	21%	27%	28%	34%	26%	30%	29%	28%	24%	28%	21%	17%	32%	29%	29%	21%	26%	
<b>I expect there will be more protests in 2012 about spending cuts</b>																											
Agree	1783	888	895	191	246	344	314	290	398	492	536	355	400	159	77	210	148	163	143	96	169	216	238	165	288	707	
	87%	88%	86%	77%	75%	88%	90%	94%	92%	89%	90%	82%	85%	89%	83%	87%	82%	86%	89%	88%	88%	84%	90%	88%	87%	86%	
Disagree	69	37	32	4	26	15	12	2	10	22	14	19	14	3	2	10	7	7	3	5	10	13	4	4	18	28	
	3%	4%	3%	2%	8%	4%	3%	1%	2%	4%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	5%	5%	2%	2%	5%	3%	
Don't know	201	81	119	52	56	32	23	16	22	39	46	58	58	17	14	21	26	20	14	8	14	29	21	18	24	85	
	10%	8%	11%	21%	17%	8%	7%	5%	5%	7%	8%	13%	12%	9%	15%	9%	14%	11%	9%	7%	7%	11%	8%	10%	7%	10%	

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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	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humberside	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	Public	Private	
Weighted base	2052	1006	1046	246	328	390	349	308	431	554	595	431	472	178	93	241	181	190	159	109	192	258	263	187	330	819	
<b>I expect Kate and William will be expecting a baby by the end of 2012</b>																											
Agree	965 47%	415 41%	550 53%	101 41%	171 52%	196 50%	169 49%	153 50%	175 41%	239 43%	288 48%	211 49%	228 48%	86 48%	39 42%	127 53%	89 49%	89 47%	75 47%	51 47%	83 43%	110 43%	143 54%	73 39%	163 49%	398 49%	
Disagree	205 10%	110 11%	95 9%	32 13%	42 13%	48 12%	39 11%	22 7%	22 5%	61 11%	53 9%	41 9%	51 11%	24 13%	9 10%	18 7%	19 11%	19 10%	21 13%	8 8%	23 12%	19 7%	21 8%	23 12%	43 13%	85 10%	
Don't know	882 43%	481 48%	401 38%	113 46%	116 35%	146 37%	141 40%	133 43%	233 54%	254 46%	255 43%	180 42%	193 41%	68 38%	45 49%	96 40%	73 40%	81 43%	63 39%	50 46%	86 45%	130 50%	99 38%	91 49%	124 37%	336 41%	
<b>I expect Barack Obama to win the US presidential election next year</b>																											
Agree	782 38%	399 40%	383 37%	103 42%	166 50%	170 44%	124 35%	89 29%	131 30%	218 39%	232 39%	164 38%	167 35%	80 45%	31 33%	87 36%	58 32%	63 33%	67 42%	51 47%	63 33%	109 42%	113 43%	61 32%	149 45%	333 41%	
Disagree	532 26%	296 29%	237 23%	47 19%	57 17%	97 25%	93 27%	104 34%	134 31%	158 29%	157 26%	99 23%	118 25%	40 23%	25 26%	66 27%	50 28%	50 26%	46 29%	24 22%	65 34%	49 19%	62 24%	54 29%	84 25%	208 25%	
Don't know	738 36%	311 31%	427 41%	97 39%	106 32%	123 31%	132 38%	115 37%	166 39%	178 32%	205 34%	168 39%	186 40%	58 32%	37 40%	88 37%	72 40%	77 41%	46 29%	34 32%	64 34%	100 39%	88 33%	72 39%	97 29%	278 34%	
<b>I don't think Ed Miliband will be the leader of the Labour party at the end of 2012</b>																											
Agree	892 43%	480 48%	413 39%	93 38%	113 34%	166 43%	137 39%	156 51%	227 53%	248 45%	280 47%	189 44%	176 37%	83 46%	38 41%	96 40%	65 36%	78 41%	73 46%	42 38%	94 49%	116 45%	131 50%	77 41%	157 48%	348 43%	
Disagree	455 22%	240 24%	215 21%	47 19%	79 24%	107 27%	87 25%	63 20%	72 17%	152 27%	113 19%	71 16%	119 25%	42 24%	13 14%	57 24%	45 25%	37 20%	28 17%	30 28%	46 24%	57 22%	55 21%	43 23%	72 22%	197 24%	
Don't know	705 34%	286 28%	419 40%	106 43%	136 41%	117 30%	125 36%	89 29%	132 31%	154 28%	202 34%	171 40%	177 37%	54 30%	41 45%	88 36%	71 39%	74 39%	59 37%	37 34%	52 27%	85 33%	78 30%	67 36%	101 31%	274 33%	