

# CIOB – SOCIAL MOBILITY POLLING

## METHODOLOGY NOTE

ComRes interviewed 1,094 working adults in Great Britain online between the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> August 2016. Data were weighted to be representative of all working adults in Britain by age, gender, region, socio-economic grade and working status (full-time/part-time). ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

**Q1. Which of the following best describes the industry you currently work in? Please select the one industry that most closely relates to your work.**

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	Demographic and Socioeconomic Data																				Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)				
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Retail	140 13%	65 11%	75 15%a	24 18%EF	39 16%ef	26 11%	28 11%	18 11%	5 12%	24 18%kl	39 16%k	40 11%	32 11%	5 12%	27 9%	32 10%	41 16%NO	40 20%NO	59 9%	81 18%R	4 2%	136 16%T	125 13%	14 14%
Education	128 12%	53 9%	75 15%A	20 15%f	36 14%f	24 10%	24 9%	18 11%	5 13%	20 15%k	36 14%k	36 10%	30 10%	5 13%	48 16%Pq	50 15%Pq	11 4%	19 10%P	97 15%S	30 7%	78 32%U	50 6%	115 12%	13 12%
Health	119 11%	39 7%	81 16%A	16 12%	24 10%	24 10%	30 11%	21 14%	4 10%	16 12%	24 10%	36 10%	40 13%	4 10%	26 8%	35 10%	32 12%	28 14%n	60 9%	59 13%r	55 23%U	64 8%	109 11%	11 10%
Manufacturing	80 7%	62 11%B	18 4%	5 3%	13 5%	21 8%cd	28 11%CD	12 8%	2 5%	5 3%	13 5%	32 9%ij	29 10%lj	2 5%	13 4%	15 5%	29 11%NO	23 11%NO	29 5%	52 11%R	-	80 9%T	76 8%W	2 2%
Business administration & support services	77 7%	32 5%	45 9%A	14 10%f	20 8%	17 7%	14 5%	10 6%	3 6%	14 10%l	20 8%	25 7%	15 5%	3 6%	31 10%PQ	32 10%PQ	6 2%	7 4%	63 10%S	13 3%	9 4%	67 8%T	67 7%	10 10%
Construction	73 7%	47 8%B	26 5%	10 8%cd	8 3%	14 6%	21 8%D	17 11%De	3 7%	10 8%j	8 3%	22 6%	29 10%Jk	3 7%	13 4%	16 5%	39 15%NOQ	5 3%	29 5%	44 10%R	5 2%	68 8%T	65 7%	5 5%
Professional, scientific & technical	71 7%	38 6%	34 7%	11 8%g	22 9%G	17 7%	14 5%	5 3%	2 5%	11 8%L	22 9%L	26 7%L	10 3%	2 5%	34 11%oPQ	24 7%Q	11 4%q	2 1%	58 9%S	13 3%	11 5%	60 7%	58 6%	11 11%V
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	68 6%	60 10%B	8 2%	1 1%	10 4%cd	20 8%CD	21 8%CD	11 7%CD	5 11%CD	1 1%	10 4%i	27 7%lj	25 9%J	5 11%IJ	10 3%	7 2%	28 11%NO	23 11%NO	17 3%	50 11%R	18 8%	49 6%	62 6%	4 4%
Information & communication	65 6%	46 8%B	20 4%	3 2%	22 9%CG	16 6%	17 7%cd	5 3%	2 6%	3 2%	22 9%l	22 6%	16 5%	2 6%	30 10%OpQ	16 5%	14 5%	5 3%	46 7%S	19 4%	4 2%	62 7%T	62 6%	4 4%
Accommodation & food services	54 5%	23 4%	31 6%	5 4%	13 5%	12 5%	12 5%	7 4%	4 10%	5 4%	13 5%	15 4%	16 5%	4 10%k	15 5%	11 3%	11 4%	18 9%nlOp	25 4%	28 6%	3 1%	51 6%T	50 5%	4 4%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	52 5%	22 4%	30 6%a	8 6%	8 3%	6 2%	16 6%E	12 8%DE	2 4%	8 6%	8 3%	11 3%	24 8%JK	2 4%	13 4%	22 7%	9 4%	8 4%	35 6%	17 4%	2 1%	50 6%T	47 5%	4 4%
Public administration & defence	50 5%	29 5%	21 4%	3 2%	8 3%	17 7%cd	14 5%	6 4%	2 4%	3 2%	8 3%	28 8%IJL	9 3%	2 4%	14 5%Q	25 8%nlPQ	9 3%	2 1%	39 6%S	11 2%	43 18%U	7 1%	44 4%	6 6%

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Finance & insurance	42 4%	28 5% <sup>b</sup>	14 3%	7 5%	12 5%	11 4%	7 3%	4 3%	1 2%	7 5% <sup>l</sup>	12 5% <sup>L</sup>	17 5% <sup>l</sup>	5 2%	1 2%	15 5% <sup>PQ</sup>	21 6% <sup>PQ</sup>	4 2%	2 1%	36 6% <sup>S</sup>	6 1%	2 1%	41 5% <sup>T</sup>	36 4%	6 6%
Property	26 2%	11 2%	15 3%	3 2%	3 1%	6 3%	9 3%	5 3%	-	3 2%	3 1%	12 3%	8 3%	-	6 2%	13 4% <sup>p</sup>	3 1%	4 2%	19 3%	7 2%	3 1%	24 3%	23 2%	3 3%
Wholesale	24 2%	11 2%	13 3%	3 2%	6 2%	9 4%	4 1%	2 1%	1 2%	3 2%	6 2%	13 3% <sup>L</sup>	2 1%	1 2%	6 2%	7 2%	5 2%	5 3%	13 2%	11 2%	1 *	23 3% <sup>T</sup>	20 2%	5 5% <sup>v</sup>
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	16 1%	9 2%	6 1%	1 1%	2 1%	7 3% <sup>f</sup>	2 1%	2 2%	-	1 1%	2 1%	10 3% <sup>l</sup>	2 1%	-	2 1%	2 *	4 1%	8 4% <sup>NO</sup>	4 1%	12 3% <sup>R</sup>	2 1%	14 2%	15 1%	1 1%
Motor trades	8 1%	8 1% <sup>B</sup>	-	-	2 1%	-	3 1% <sup>e</sup>	1 1%	1 3% <sup>cE</sup>	-	2 1%	1 *	4 1%	1 3% <sup>iK</sup>	1 *	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 *	5 1%	1 *	7 1%	7 1%	1 1%

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**Base: All working adults**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Retail	140 13%	125 13%	8 9%	5 13%	12 10%	10 12%	14 15%	20 25% JKI	8 15%	15 14%	15 9%	21 13%	12 13%	37 11%	56 17% Mo	48 12%	140 13% Q	73 9%	67 23% PQ	15 7%	120 15% T	72 10%	53 16% V	58 13%	11 10%
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		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Retail	140 13%	-	140 81%ACDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-	-
Education	128 12%	-	-	-	-	-	128 100%ABCDEGH	-	-
Health	119 11%	-	-	-	-	-	-	119 100%ABCDEFH	-
Manufacturing	80 7%	80 48%BCDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Business administration & support services	77 7%	-	-	-	-	77 43%ABCDGFGH	-	-	-
Construction	73 7%	73 43%BCDEFG	-	-	-	-	-	-	73 100%ABCDEFG
Professional, scientific & technical	71 7%	-	-	-	71 35%ABCEFGH	-	-	-	-
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	68 6%	-	-	68 56%ABDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-
Information & communication	65 6%	-	-	-	65 32%ABCEFGH	-	-	-	-
Accommodation & food services	54 5%	-	-	54 44%ABDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	52 5%	-	-	-	-	52 29%ABCDGFGH	-	-	-

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Public administration & defence	50 5%	-	-	-	-	50 28%ABCD	-	-	-
Finance & insurance	42 4%	-	-	-	42 21%ABCEFGH	-	-	-	-
Property	26 2%	-	-	-	26 13%ABCEFGH	-	-	-	-
Wholesale	24 2%	-	24 14%ACDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-	-
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	16 1%	16 9%BCDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Motor trades	8 1%	-	8 4%ACDEFGH	-	-	-	-	-	-

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 2

**Q2. How do you think your current situation compares with that of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now on each of the following?**  
**If your parents or guardians were in different situations when they were the same age as you are now, please answer thinking of the parent or guardian with the largest income at the time, whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investments, or any other source. My situation now is ...?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

		Your level of education	Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)	Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094
NET: Better		685 63%	493 45%	444 41%
Much better	(+2)	264 24%	150 14%	119 11%
Better	(+1)	421 38%	343 31%	325 30%
About the same	(0)	283 26%	282 26%	445 41%
Worse	(-1)	77 7%	187 17%	118 11%
Much worse	(-2)	13 1%	91 8%	36 3%
NET: Worse		90 8%	278 25%	154 14%
Not applicable		7 1%	4 *	6 1%
Don't know		29 3%	37 3%	45 4%
Mean		0.80	0.26	0.36
Standard deviation		0.94	1.16	0.95
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.03



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**Summary table - NET: Better**

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Your level of education	685 63%	364 63%	320 63%	92 68%D	142 57%	160 64%d	159 60%	107 69%Df	26 62%	92 68%J	142 57%	231 62%	195 66%J	26 62%	199 66%Q	212 64%q	159 61%	114 57%	412 65%s	273 59%	172 71%U	513 60%	606 62%	72 70%v
Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)	493 45%	258 44%	235 46%	52 39%	101 40%	97 39%	125 47%e	88 57%CDEF	30 71%CDEF	52 39%	101 40%	148 40%	162 55%lJK	30 71%lJKL	138 46%	146 44%	130 50%Q	79 39%	285 45%	208 45%	114 47%	378 44%	440 45%	52 50%
Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	444 41%	210 36%	234 46%A	64 47%EF	106 42%	90 36%	96 36%	68 44%	20 47%	64 47%K	106 42%	134 36%	120 41%	20 47%	129 43%Q	147 45%Q	100 39%	67 33%	277 44%S	167 36%	110 46%u	334 39%	385 39%	57 55%V
None of these	293 27%	157 27%	136 27%	33 25%	78 31%G	70 28%	68 26%	33 22%	10 25%	33 25%	78 31%L	108 29%L	64 22%	10 25%	77 25%	86 26%	65 25%	65 32%	163 26%	130 28%	53 22%	240 28%t	264 27%	26 25%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	444 41%	376 40%	42 45%	16 38%	54 46%	34 38%	38 40%	30 37%	26 50%ik	39 36%	71 45%	59 37%	35 36%	146 42%	132 40%	165 40%	444 41%R	345 43%R	99 34%	116 50%U	321 39%	319 46%W	112 33%	182 42%	52 46%
None of these	293 27%	265 28%B	17 19%	14 33%b	24 20%	29 32%BD	27 28%	18 22%	11 22%	33 31%bd	43 27%	46 29%b	32 33%BD	84 24%	89 27%	121 29%	293 27%	199 25%	94 32%pQ	49 21%	221 27%t	168 24%	98 28%	108 25%	27 24%

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	Sector								
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Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Your level of education	685 63%	102 60%	90 52%	74 61%	140 68%B	112 63%B	92 72%ABce	75 63%b	53 73%aB
Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)	493 45%	93 55%BE	54 31%	57 47%B	102 50%Be	72 40%b	61 48%B	54 45%B	44 60%BcEg
Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	444 41%	69 41%B	50 29%	49 41%b	88 43%B	71 40%B	67 53%ABcdEg	49 41%B	36 49%B
None of these	293 27%	37 22%	68 39%ADEF	36 30%FGH	47 23%	51 28%F	23 18%	33 27%f	13 18%

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**Summary table - NET: Worse**

	Gender		Age							Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)	278 25%	149 26%	129 25%	40 30%gH	69 28%gH	71 28%gH	66 25%H	30 20%H	2 5%	40 30%lM	69 28%M	103 28%lM	64 22%M	2 5%	73 24%	91 28%	63 24%	51 25%	164 26%	114 25%	57 24%	221 26%	248 25%	24 23%
Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	154 14%	97 17%B	57 11%	15 11%h	45 18%cH	35 14%H	41 16%H	18 12%h	1 2%	15 11% <i>m</i>	45 18%lM	56 15%M	38 13%M	1 2%	34 11%	47 14%	37 14%	35 17% <i>n</i>	82 13%	72 16%	26 11%	128 15%	136 14%	14 14%
Your level of education	90 8%	50 9%	40 8%	6 5%	25 10% <i>c</i>	23 9%	22 8%	13 8%	2 4%	6 5%	25 10% <i>i</i>	34 9%	24 8%	2 4%	15 5%	24 7%	29 11% <i>N</i>	21 10% <i>N</i>	40 6%	50 11% <i>R</i>	13 5%	77 9% <i>t</i>	83 8%	5 5%
None of these	743 68%	387 66%	356 70%	90 67%	166 66%	157 63%	174 66%	117 76%DEF	39 94% <i>CDEF</i>	90 7%	166 66%	237 64%	211 71% <i>K</i>	39 94% <i>IJKL</i>	208 68%	227 69%	175 68%	134 66%	434 69%	308 67%	171 71%	572 67%	667 68%	73 71%

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Your level of education	90 8%	80 8%	6 7%	5 12%	10 8%	9 10%	7 7%	7 8%	3 7%	11 10%	14 9%	10 7%	6 7%	31 9%	28 8%	31 7%	90 8%	62 8%	27 9%	11 5%	78 9% T	46 7%	41 12% V	30 7%	10 9%
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Your level of education	90 8%	10 6%	21 12%aFgh	11 9%	19 9%	16 9%	7 5%	7 5%	3 5%
None of these	743 68%	115 68%	115 66%	86 70%	138 67%	115 65%	87 68%	88 74%	56 77%e

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		Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
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Standard deviation		0.94	0.91	0.97	0.90	0.99	0.94	0.91	0.90	0.87	0.90	0.99	0.93	0.91	0.87	0.91	0.93	0.93	0.96	0.92	0.94	0.87	0.95	0.93	0.92
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.13	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09

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Not applicable	7 1%	7 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	1 1%	2 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	2 1%	3 1%	2 1%	7 1%	2 1%	5 2%p	1 1%Q	5 1%	1 1%	3 1%v	2 1%	- -
Don't know	29 3%	26 3%	2 2%	1 3%	3 2%	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	1 2%	1 1%	9 5%e	3 2%	5 5%e	6 2%	6 2%	17 4%mn	29 3%	19 2%	10 3%	1 1%	20 2%t	14 2%	6 2%	8 2%	2 2%
Mean	0.80	0.79	0.89E	0.79	0.89E	0.61	0.84e	0.84	0.88e	0.67	0.92Eik	0.71	0.77	0.81	0.79	0.80	0.80R	0.85R	0.66	1.02U	0.75	0.88W	0.67	0.84	0.84
Standard deviation	0.94	0.94	0.91	1.00	0.93	0.94	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.98	1.00	0.83	0.89	0.94	0.96	0.91	0.94	0.93	0.94	0.88	0.95	0.92	0.97	0.90	1.00
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.17	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.10	0.08	0.07	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 5

**Q2. How do you think your current situation compares with that of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now on each of the following?**  
**If your parents or guardians were in different situations when they were the same age as you are now, please answer thinking of the parent or guardian with the largest income at the time, whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investments, or any other source. My situation now is ...?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Your level of education**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Better	685 63%	102 60%	90 52%	74 61%	140 68%B	112 63%B	92 72%ABce	75 63%b	53 73%aB
Much better	(+2) 264 24%	32 19%	29 17%	24 20%	60 29%ABc	46 26%B	40 31%ABC	34 28%aB	21 29%B
Better	(+1) 421 38%	70 41%	61 35%	50 41%	80 39%	67 37%	52 41%	41 35%	32 44%
About the same	(0) 283 26%	55 33%DeF	53 31%DF	31 26%	40 19%	44 24%	24 19%	36 30%DF	16 23%
Worse	(-1) 77 7%	10 6%	19 11%FG	9 8%	15 8%	13 8%	6 4%	5 4%	3 5%
Much worse	(-2) 13 1%	- -	2 1%	2 2%	4 2%a	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%	- -
NET: Worse	90 8%	10 6%	21 12%aFgh	11 9%	19 9%	16 9%	7 5%	7 5%	3 5%
Not applicable	7 1%	- -	2 1%	1 1%	- -	3 2%d	1 1%	- -	- -
Don't know	29 3%	2 1%	7 4%	4 4%	6 3%	4 2%	4 3%	2 2%	- -
Mean	0.80	0.74	0.58	0.73	0.89B	0.82B	1.01ABCe	0.85B	0.97aBc
Standard deviation	0.94	0.84	0.95	0.94	0.98	0.96	0.89	0.94	0.84

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your level of education**

	Sector								
	Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent	Education	Health	Construction	
	Total	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 6

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Better	493 45%	258 44%	235 46%	52 39%	101 40%	97 39%	125 47%e	88 57%CD	30 71%CD	52 39%	101 40%	148 40%	162 55%IJK	30 71%IJKL	138 46%	146 44%	130 50%Q	79 39%	285 45%	208 45%	114 47%	378 44%	440 45%	52 50%
Much better	(+2) 150 14%	67 11%	83 16%A	18 13%	33 13%	22 9%	34 13%	32 21%DEF	11 26%CD	18 13%	33 13%k	33 9%	55 19%jK	11 26%jK	51 17%Q	44 13%	36 14%	18 9%	95 15%	55 12%	44 18%U	106 12%	126 13%	24 23%V
Better	(+1) 343 31%	191 33%	152 30%	34 25%	68 27%	75 30%	91 35%cd	56 36%cd	19 45%CD	34 25%	68 27%	116 31%	106 36%IJ	19 45%IJK	87 29%	102 31%	93 36%n	60 30%	189 30%	154 33%	70 29%	273 32%	314 32%	28 27%
About the same	(0) 282 26%	152 26%	129 25%	37 27%	67 27%	74 30%f	60 23%	35 23%	8 20%	37 27%	67 27%	103 28%	66 22%	8 20%	81 27%	81 25%	57 22%	63 31%P	162 26%	120 26%	61 25%	221 26%	257 26%	22 22%
Worse	(-1) 187 17%	95 16%	92 18%	26 19%H	43 17%H	52 21%H	43 16%H	22 14%H	1 2%	26 19%M	43 17%M	74 20%IM	43 15%M	1 2%	48 16%	60 18%	40 16%	39 19%	108 17%	79 17%	39 16%	148 17%	166 17%	17 17%
Much worse	(-2) 91 8%	54 9%	37 7%	14 10%	26 10%gh	19 8%	23 9%	8 5%	1 2%	14 10%	26 10%m	29 8%	21 7%	1 2%	25 8%	31 10%	23 9%	12 6%	56 9%	35 8%	18 7%	74 9%	82 8%	7 6%
NET: Worse	278 25%	149 26%	129 25%	40 30%gH	69 28%gH	71 28%gH	66 25%H	30 20%H	2 5%	40 30%IM	69 28%M	103 28%IM	64 22%M	2 5%	73 24%	91 28%	63 24%	51 25%	164 26%	114 25%	57 24%	221 26%	248 25%	24 23%
Not applicable	4 *	1 *	3 1%	1 1%	2 1%	-	1 *	-	-	1 1%k	2 1%k	-	1 *	-	3 1%o	-	1 *	-	3 *	1 *	2 1%	2 *	4 *	-
Don't know	37 3%	22 4%	15 3%	5 3%	10 4%G	8 3%	12 4%G	1 1%	2 5%g	5 3%	10 4%L	17 5%L	3 1%	2 5%l	9 3%	11 3%	8 3%	10 5%	19 3%	18 4%	7 3%	30 4%	32 3%	5 5%
Mean	0.26	0.22	0.31	0.12	0.16	0.12	0.28	0.53CDE F	0.95CDE FG	0.12	0.16	0.14	0.46IJK L	0.95IJK L	0.31	0.21	0.32	0.18	0.26	0.26	0.36	0.23	0.25	0.46v
Standard deviation	1.16	1.15	1.17	1.21	1.20	1.09	1.17	1.14	0.90	1.21	1.20	1.10	1.16	0.90	1.19	1.19	1.18	1.06	1.19	1.13	1.19	1.16	1.15	1.23
Standard error	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.14	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.12

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Better	493 45%	416 44%	50 54%AKL	18 42%	55 46%	40 44%	41 44%	38 48%	26 51%	48 45%	74 46%	64 40%	38 39%	163 47%	154 46%	175 42%	493 45%	375 47%R	118 40%	122 53%U	362 44%	343 50%W	131 38%	219 50%	55 49%
Much better	(+2) 150 14%	126 13%	18 20%ael	4 10%	14 12%	10 11%	14 15%	15 19%	6 11%	13 12%	24 15%	22 14%	10 11%	46 13%	48 14%	56 13%	150 14%	120 15%R	30 10%	56 24%U	92 11%	121 18%W	25 7%	69 16%	19 17%
Better	(+1) 343 31%	290 31%	32 35%	13 31%	41 34%	30 34%	27 29%	24 29%	21 40%K	35 32%	50 32%	42 26%	27 28%	117 34%	107 32%	119 29%	343 31%	255 32%	88 30%	66 29%	270 33%	222 32%	106 31%	150 34%	36 32%
About the same	(0) 282 26%	249 26%	22 23%	13 30%	35 30%j	29 32%JL	27 29%	19 24%	11 22%	27 25%	33 21%	45 28%	20 21%	99 29%	85 25%	98 24%	282 26%	206 26%	76 26%	56 24%	211 26%	188 27%w	77 22%	109 25%	24 21%
Worse	(-1) 187 17%	165 17%	12 13%	5 12%	16 14%	13 15%	14 15%	18 23%b	10 20%	16 14%	27 17%	33 21%	22 23%bd	47 14%	58 17%	82 20%M	187 17%	129 16%	58 20%	31 14%	151 18%t	91 13%	84 24%V	60 14%	24 21%X
Much worse	(-2) 91 8%	82 9%	7 7%	3 7%	10 8%	8 9%	6 7%	3 4%	3 5%	11 10%	15 9%	14 9%	11 12%g	28 8%	23 7%	40 10%	91 8%	63 8%	28 10%	18 8%	71 9%	49 7%	37 11%v	36 8%	8 7%
NET: Worse	278 25%	246 26%	19 21%	8 19%	26 22%	21 24%	20 22%	21 27%	13 25%	27 25%	42 26%	47 29%	33 35%BcDe f	75 22%	82 24%	122 29%M	278 25%	191 24%	87 29%q	49 21%	222 27%t	140 20%	121 35%V	95 22%	32 28%
Not applicable	4 *	4 *	- -	1 3%k	- -	- -	2 2%k	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	1 *	2 1%	1 *	4 *	2 *	2 1%	1 *	3 *	2 *	1 *	2 *	- -
Don't know	37 3%	35 4%	2 2%	3 6%E	3 2%	- -	3 4%e	1 1%	1 2%	6 6%E	10 6%BcEg	4 3%	5 5%E	7 2%	11 3%	19 5% m	37 3%	25 3%	12 4%	3 1%	28 3%t	15 2%	13 4%	10 2%	2 2%
Mean	0.26	0.24	0.47aKL	0.28	0.28	0.23	0.32	0.37l	0.32	0.23	0.28	0.16	0.04	0.32	0.30	0.18	0.26r	0.31R	0.12	0.49U	0.20	0.41W	*	0.37	0.31
Standard deviation	1.16	1.16	1.18	1.10	1.12	1.10	1.14	1.15	1.09	1.19	1.22	1.18	1.22	1.13	1.15	1.20	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.23	1.15	1.15	1.16	1.16	1.19

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### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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																				Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)		
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Standard error	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.19	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.13	0.09	0.10	0.13	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.11

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Better	493 45%	93 55%BE	54 31%	57 47%B	102 50%Be	72 40%b	61 48%B	54 45%B	44 60%BcEg
Much better	(+2) 150 14%	26 15%B	11 6%	14 12%	36 17%B	22 12%b	18 14%B	24 20%Bce	19 26%aBCEF
Better	(+1) 343 31%	67 39%BEG	43 25%	43 35%b	66 32%	50 28%	44 34%b	30 25%	25 35%
About the same	(0) 282 26%	34 20%	61 36%AcDeFH25%	30 25%	43 21%	47 26%	30 23%	37 31%AD	16 22%
Worse	(-1) 187 17%	27 16%	35 20%	18 15%	29 14%	38 21%dh	22 17%	17 14%	9 12%
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NET: Worse	278 25%	40 24%	47 27%	28 23%	52 25%	53 30%h	31 24%	27 23%	13 18%
Not applicable	4 *	- -	1 *	- -	- -	3 2%ad	- -	- -	- -
Don't know	37 3%	2 1%	9 6%aGh	7 5%aGh	9 4%gh	4 2%	6 4%gh	1 1%	- -
Mean	0.26	0.40Be	0.04	0.29b	0.32B	0.15	0.32B	0.34B	0.62BcdEf
Standard deviation	1.16	1.16	1.02	1.14	1.25	1.17	1.15	1.20	1.17

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

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Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your economic status (e.g. salary, assets, etc.)**

	Sector								
	Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)	
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Standard error	0.04	0.09	0.08	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.14

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Better		444 41%	210 36%	234 46%A	64 47%EF	106 42%	90 36%	96 36%	68 44%	20 47%	64 47%K	106 42%	134 36%	120 41%	20 47%	129 43%Q	147 45%Q	100 39%	67 33%	277 44%S	167 36%	110 46%u	334 39%	385 39%	57 55%V
Much better	(+2)	119 11%	44 7%	76 15%A	19 14%E	32 13%E	18 7%	24 9%	18 12%	9 21%EF	19 14%K	32 13%K	25 7%	34 12%K	9 21%KI	38 12%	37 11%	26 10%	19 9%	74 12%	45 10%	28 12%	91 11%	101 10%	18 17%V
Better	(+1)	325 30%	166 29%	158 31%	45 33%	75 30%	72 29%	72 27%	50 32%	11 26%	45 33%	75 30%	109 29%	86 29%	11 26%	92 30%	111 34%Q	74 29%	48 24%	203 32% <sub>s</sub>	122 26%	82 34%	243 28%	284 29%	39 38% <sub>v</sub>
About the same	(0)	445 41%	242 42%	203 40%	51 38%	84 34%	112 45%D	113 43%D	67 43% <sub>d</sub>	18 43%	51 38%	84 34%	161 43%J	131 44%J	18 43%	128 42%	123 37%	108 42%	87 43%	251 40%	195 42%	92 38%	353 41%	417 43%W	25 24%
Worse	(-1)	118 11%	73 13%B	45 9%	13 10%	36 14%H	24 10%	31 12% <sub>h</sub>	14 9%	1 2%	13 10%	36 14%M	38 10% <sub>m</sub>	30 10% <sub>m</sub>	1 2%	27 9%	35 10%	33 13%	24 12%	61 10%	56 12%	19 8%	99 12%	102 10%	12 12%
Much worse	(-2)	36 3%	24 4%	12 2%	2 2%	9 3%	11 4%	11 4%	4 3%	- -	2 2%	9 3%	18 5%	8 3%	- -	8 2%	13 4%	5 2%	11 6% <sub>nP</sub>	20 3%	16 3%	7 3%	29 3%	34 3%	2 2%
NET: Worse		154 14%	97 17%B	57 11%	15 11% <sub>h</sub>	45 18% <sub>cH</sub>	35 14%H	41 16%H	18 12% <sub>h</sub>	1 2%	15 11% <sub>m</sub>	45 18%i <sub>M</sub>	56 15%M	38 13%M	1 2%	34 11%	47 14%	37 14%	35 17% <sub>n</sub>	82 13%	72 16%	26 11%	128 15%	136 14%	14 14%
Not applicable		6 1%	3 *	3 1%	1 1%	1 *	- -	3 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	1 *	1 *	3 1%	- -	2 1% <sub>o</sub>	- -	2 1%	1 1%	2 *	4 1%	3 1% <sub>u</sub>	3 *	6 1%	- -
Don't know		45 4%	30 5% <sub>b</sub>	15 3%	4 3%	15 6% <sub>G</sub>	12 5% <sub>G</sub>	10 4% <sub>G</sub>	1 *	3 7% <sub>G</sub>	4 3%	15 6% <sub>L</sub>	21 6% <sub>L</sub>	3 1%	3 7% <sub>L</sub>	9 3%	12 4%	11 4%	12 6%	22 3%	23 5%	10 4%	35 4%	37 4%	7 7% <sub>v</sub>
Mean		0.36	0.24	0.49A	0.51EF	0.36	0.26	0.27	0.42	0.72DEF <sub>g</sub>	0.51K	0.36	0.24	0.38k	0.72JKL	0.43Q	0.39q	0.34	0.21	0.41S	0.28	0.46u	0.33	0.34	0.62V
Standard deviation		0.95	0.93	0.94	0.92	1.01	0.91	0.95	0.91	0.85	0.92	1.01	0.92	0.92	0.85	0.92	0.97	0.91	0.99	0.94	0.95	0.92	0.95	0.93	1.00
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.13	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.10

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	York-shire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Better	444 41%	376 40%	42 45%	16 38%	54 46%	34 38%	38 40%	30 37%	26 50%lik	39 36%	71 45%	59 37%	35 36%	146 42%	132 40%	165 40%	444 41%R	345 43%R	99 34%	116 50%U	321 39%	319 46%W	112 33%	182 42%	52 46%
Much better	(+2) 119 11%	100 10%	13 14%	5 11%	14 12%	13 14%	9 10%	9 11%	7 13%	10 9%	20 12%	13 8%	8 8%	44 13%	35 10%	40 10%	119 11%	88 11%	31 11%	38 16%U	80 10%	99 14%W	17 5%	52 12%	17 15%
Better	(+1) 325 30%	277 29%	29 31%	12 28%	41 34%e	21 24%	29 31%	20 25%	19 37%e	29 27%	52 33%	46 29%	27 28%	102 30%	97 29%	125 30%	325 30%R	257 32%R	67 23%	78 34%	240 29%	220 32%	95 28%	130 30%	35 31%
About the same	(0) 445 41%	388 41%	39 42%j	17 39%	46 39%	41 46%J	40 43%j	34 42%	18 35%	49 45%J	50 32%	74 47%J	36 38%	143 41%	141 42%	161 39%	445 41%	314 39%	131 45%	86 37%	344 42%	276 40%	142 41%	190 44%	40 36%
Worse	(-1) 118 11%	106 11%	7 8%	6 14%	9 7%	8 9%	7 8%	12 15% <sup>d</sup>	5 9%	14 13%	20 13%	20 12%	10 10%	30 9%	38 11%	50 12%	118 11%	84 10%	34 12%	19 8%	94 11%	59 9%	54 16%V	38 9%	11 10%
Much worse	(-2) 36 3%	32 3%	3 3%k	1 2%	5 4%k	4 4%K	2 3%	2 3%	1 1%	2 2%	6 4%k	1 1%	9 9% <sup>fh</sup> ljk	13 4%	8 2%	16 4%	36 3%	24 3%	13 4%	5 2%	32 4%	13 2%	22 6%V	15 3%	8 7% <sup>x</sup>
NET: Worse	154 14%	138 15%	11 12%	7 17%	13 11%	12 13%	10 10%	15 18%	5 10%	16 15%	26 16%	21 13%	19 20% <sup>f</sup>	43 12%	46 14%	66 16%	154 14%	107 13%	47 16%	24 10%	126 15% <sup>t</sup>	72 10%	76 22%V	53 12%	19 17%
Not applicable	6 1%	6 1%	-	-	1 1%	-	2 2% <sup>k</sup>	-	-	1 1%	2 1%	-	-	1 *	3 1%	2 *	6 1%	2 *	4 1% <sup>pQ</sup>	-	5 1%	2 *	1 *	2 *	-
Don't know	45 4%	41 4%	2 2%	3 6%	4 4%	3 3%	4 5%	2 2%	2 4%	3 3%	10 6%	6 3%	6 7%	11 3%	12 4%	21 5%	45 4%	32 4%	13 5%	5 2%	30 4%	19 3%	12 3%	7 2%	2 2%
Mean	0.36	0.34	0.45l	0.32	0.44l	0.36	0.40	0.28	0.53L	0.30	0.40l	0.33	0.16	0.40	0.36	0.32	0.36	0.39R	0.26	0.55U	0.31	0.50W	0.09	0.39	0.38
Standard deviation	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96	0.94	0.99	0.89	0.97	0.90	0.89	1.01	0.83	1.06	0.96	0.91	0.96	0.95	0.93	0.97	0.94	0.95	0.92	0.96	0.93	1.08
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.17	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.10

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Better	444 41%	69 41%B	50 29%	49 41%b	88 43%B	71 40%B	67 53%ABcdEg	49 41%B	36 49%B
Much better	(+2) 119 11%	11 7%	10 6%	11 9%	27 13%AB	24 13%AB	16 13%aB	20 17%ABc	8 11%
Better	(+1) 325 30%	57 34%B	40 23%	39 32%	61 30%	47 26%	51 40%BdEG	30 25%	28 38%Beg
About the same	(0) 445 41%	65 38%	88 51%AcDeF	49 41%	74 36%	73 41%	44 34%	52 43%	29 40%
Worse	(-1) 118 11%	22 13%F	20 11%	13 10%	27 13%F	18 10%	7 6%	11 9%	7 9%
Much worse	(-2) 36 3%	7 4%	5 3%	4 3%	5 2%	7 4%	3 2%	5 4%	1 2%
NET: Worse	154 14%	29 17%F	24 14%	16 13%	32 15%f	26 14%f	10 8%	16 14%	8 11%
Not applicable	6 1%	- -	1 *	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 1%	- -	- -
Don't know	45 4%	6 4%	9 5%h	5 4%h	10 5%h	7 4%h	5 4%	2 2%	- -
Mean	0.36	0.26	0.19	0.35	0.41B	0.36b	0.58ABce	0.41b	0.47B
Standard deviation	0.95	0.94	0.84	0.91	0.98	1.00	0.89	1.02	0.88

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Sector								
	Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)	
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.11

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 8

**Q3. Which of the following best describes your occupation today and that of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now? If your parents or guardians had different occupations when they were the same age as you are now, please answer thinking of the parent or guardian with the largest income at the time, whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investments, or any other source. If they were retired or not working, please answer based on their main occupation before this happened. Please select one per column.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

	Manager/ Director/ Senior official	Professional (e.g. in Science, Engineering, Business and Technology)	Associate professional/ Technical (e.g. Health and social care associate professional, protective service occupation)	Administrative/ Secretarial	Skilled trades (e.g. skilled agricultural trade, construction and building trade)	Caring, leisure and other services	Sales and customer services	Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	Not applicable	Don't know
Unweighted base	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Weighted base	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Your occupation today	107 10%	162 15%	101 9%	259 24%	119 11%	71 6%	116 11%	35 3%	68 6%	- -	56 5%
The occupation of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now	96 9%	139 13%	79 7%	115 11%	243 22%	32 3%	65 6%	74 7%	97 9%	58 5%	96 9%

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 9

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**Base: All working adults**

**Your occupation today**

	Total	Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Administrative/ Secretarial	259 24%	95 16%	164 32%A	30 22%	65 26%	54 22%	65 25%	33 22%	11 27%	30 22%	65 26%	83 22%	69 23%	11 27%	54 18%Q	154 47%NPQ	37 14%Q	14 7%	208 33%S	51 11%	77 32%U	182 21%	229 23%	29 28%
Professional (e.g. in Science, Engineering, Business and Technology)	162 15%	100 17%B	63 12%	29 22%EFG	57 23%EFG	23 9%	29 11%	18 11%	6 15%	29 22%KL	57 23%KL	44 12%	26 9%	6 15%	95 31%OPQ	47 14%PQ	13 5%	8 4%	142 22%S	21 5%	43 18%	119 14%	138 14%	23 23%V
Skilled trades (e.g. skilled agricultural trade, construction and building trade)	119 11%	100 17%B	19 4%	7 5%	18 7%	26 11%c	34 13%CD	29 19%CDE	5 12%	7 5%	18 7%	39 11%i	50 17%JK	5 12%	7 2%	13 4%	87 34%NOQ	12 6%N	19 3%	100 22%R	15 6%	104 12%T	113 12%W	4 4%
Sales and customer services	116 11%	46 8%	69 14%A	22 16%EF	30 12%	21 8%	22 8%	16 10%	6 15%	22 16%KL	30 12%	33 9%	25 9%	6 15%	23 7%	25 8%	37 14%NO	31 15%NO	48 8%	68 15%R	7 3%	109 13%T	108 11%	7 7%
Manager/ Director/ Senior official	107 10%	62 11%	45 9%	6 5%	23 9%	33 13%C	28 11%c	12 8%	4 11%	6 5%	23 9%	43 12%i	30 10%i	4 11%	59 20%OPQ	25 8%	12 5%	10 5%	84 13%S	22 5%	8 3%	99 12%T	93 9%	12 12%
Associate professional/ Technical (e.g. Health and social care associate professional, protective service occupation)	101 9%	55 10%	46 9%	16 12%	22 9%	26 10%	24 9%	12 8%	2 4%	16 12%	22 9%	36 10%	26 9%	2 4%	33 11%	31 10%	20 8%	17 8%	65 10%	37 8%	42 17%U	60 7%	90 9%	11 11%
Caring, leisure and other services	71 6%	18 3%	53 10%A	9 6%	11 4%	18 7%	18 7%	12 8%	3 8%	9 6%	11 4%	23 6%	26 9%J	3 8%	11 4%	17 5%	19 7%n	25 12%NOp	27 4%	44 9%R	23 9%U	48 6%	67 7%	4 4%
Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	68 6%	40 7%	28 5%	4 3%	10 4%	19 8%cd	19 7%cd	14 9%cd	2 4%	4 3%	10 4%	31 8%IJ	21 7%i	2 4%	5 2%	5 2%	13 5%NO	45 22%NOP	10 2%	58 13%R	12 5%	56 7%	63 6%	3 3%

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**Your occupation today**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	35 3%	32 6%B	2 *	2 2%	2 1%	13 5% <sup>cD</sup>	11 4%D	4 3% <sup>d</sup>	2 4%D	2 2%	2 1%	17 5% <sup>J</sup>	12 4% <sup>J</sup>	2 4% <sup>J</sup>	5 2%	2 1%	7 3% <sup>O</sup>	22 11% <sup>NOP</sup>	6 1%	28 6% <sup>R</sup>	5 2%	30 3%	32 3%	1 1%
Not applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	56 5%	33 6%	23 4%	10 7% <sup>ah</sup>	13 5%	16 6% <sup>h</sup>	14 5%	4 3%	-	10 7% <sup>m</sup>	13 5%	23 6% <sup>m</sup>	11 4%	-	13 4%	10 3%	14 5%	19 9% <sup>NO</sup>	23 4%	33 7% <sup>R</sup>	9 4%	47 5%	47 5%	8 8%

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Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
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Sales and customer services	116 11%	102 11%	9 10%	6 15%cd	7 6%	9 10%	10 11%	12 15%D	5 10%	14 13%cd	13 8%	19 12%cd	11 11%	31 9%	41 12%	43 10%	116 11%q	65 8%	51 17%PQ	4 2%	110 13%T	60 9%	45 13%V	46 11%	11 10%
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Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	68 6%	58 6%	6 6%	3 6%	4 4%	11 12% DGJK	6 7%	2 3%	4 7%	10 9%	7 4%	9 6%	6 6%	23 7%	22 7%	22 5%	68 6%	38 5%	30 10% PQ	4 2%	61 7% T	22 3%	41 12% V	24 5%	6 5%
Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	35 3%	30 3%	4 4% I	1 3%	6 5% I	4 4% I	3 4% I	1 2%	1 1%	- -	5 3% I	6 4% I	4 4% I	15 4% N	5 2%	14 3%	35 3%	25 3%	9 3%	5 2%	30 4%	11 2%	22 6% V	10 2%	2 2%
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Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Administrative/ Secretarial	259 24%	19 11%	21 12%	13 11%	62 30%ABCgH	78 43%ABCDFG32%ABCgH	41 32%ABCgH	25 21%AbC	10 13%
Professional (e.g. in Science, Engineering, Business and Technology)	162 15%	18 10%Bc	5 3%	6 5%	67 33%ABCEGHI3%BC	22 13%BC	33 26%ABCEGH	11 9%B	7 10%B
Skilled trades (e.g. skilled agricultural trade, construction and building trade)	119 11%	63 37%BCDEFG	13 7%DG	24 19%BDEFG	5 3%	9 5%	4 3%	2 2%	34 46%BCDEFG
Sales and customer services	116 11%	3 2%	82 47%ACDEFGH%g	6	11 5%G	8 4%g	5 4%	1 1%	2 3%
Manager/ Director/ Senior official	107 10%	18 11%G	17 10%g	14 12%G	21 10%g	23 13%G	9 7%	5 4%	11 15%fG
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Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	68 6%	20 12%BDEG	7 4%	12 10%bDeg	8 4%	8 5%	9 7%	4 3%	4 5%
Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	35 3%	13 8%BDEFGH	4 3%deF	15 13%BDEFGH	1 *	- -	- -	1 1%	-
Not applicable	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	-
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**The occupation of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Skilled trades (e.g. skilled agricultural trade, construction and building trade)	243 22%	148 25%B	95 18%	23 17%	43 17%	63 25%CD	70 27%CD	32 21%	10 25%	23 17%	43 17%	93 25%IJ	73 25%J	10 25%	54 18%	68 21%	77 30%NOq	44 22%	122 19%	121 26%R	55 23%	188 22%	225 23%w	16 15%
Professional (e.g. in Science, Engineering, Business and Technology)	139 13%	68 12%	72 14%	13 10%	46 18%CEFH	28 11%h	30 11%h	21 14%H	1 2%	13 10%	46 18%IKLM	44 12%lm	35 12%lm	1 2%	57 19%OPQ	37 11%	28 11%	17 8%	94 15%S	45 10%	20 8%	119 14%T	124 13%	14 14%
Administrative/Secretarial	115 11%	57 10%	59 11%	31 23%DEFG H	33 13%FG	24 9%	15 6%	9 6%	3 7%	31 23%JKLM	33 13%KL	30 8%	18 6%	3 7%	34 11%Q	45 14%Q	24 9%	12 6%	79 13%S	36 8%	30 12%	85 10%	96 10%	19 18%V
Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	97 9%	48 8%	48 9%	5 4%	12 5%	20 8%	30 11%CD	22 15%CDE	7 17%CD	5 4%	12 5%	30 8%	42 14%IJK	7 17%IJK	21 7%	29 9%	22 8%	26 13%N	50 8%	47 10%	27 11%	69 8%	88 9%	9 8%
Manager/ Director/ Senior official	96 9%	48 8%	48 9%	4 3%	23 9%C	24 10%C	29 11%C	12 8%cd	4 10%C	4 3%	23 9%l	34 9%l	30 10%l	4 10%l	38 12%PQ	29 9%	16 6%	13 6%	67 11%S	29 6%	17 7%	79 9%	88 9%	8 8%
Associate professional/ Technical (e.g. Health and social care associate professional, protective service occupation)	79 7%	41 7%	38 8%	14 10%	16 7%	18 7%	20 7%	8 5%	3 7%	14 10%l	16 7%	30 8%	16 5%	3 7%	27 9%Q	31 9%Q	15 6%	6 3%	58 9%S	21 5%	20 8%	59 7%	68 7%	10 10%
Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	74 7%	46 8%	29 6%	10 7%	11 4%	19 8%	20 8%	14 9%cd	1 2%	10 7%	11 4%	27 7%	26 9%J	1 2%	17 6%	24 7%	19 7%	14 7%	41 6%	33 7%	18 7%	56 7%	68 7%	5 4%

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Don't know	96 9%	59 10%	38 7%	15 11%G	28 11%fG	26 10%g	18 7%	7 5%	2 5%	15 11%L	28 11%L	37 10%L	14 5%	2 5%	20 6%	21 6%	29 11%NO	26 13%NO	41 6%	55 12%R	22 9%	74 9%	84 9%	8 8%

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Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Skilled trades (e.g. skilled agricultural trade, construction and building trade)	243 22%	53 31%b	38 DEG 22%	33 27%DE	34 17%	31 17%	31 24%	23 19%	21 29%DE
Professional (e.g. in Science, Engineering, Business and Technology)	139 13%	16 10%	15 8%	14 11%	42 20%AB	26 CFGH4%b	15 12%	11 9%	5 7%
Administrative/ Secretarial	115 11%	7 4%	21 12%AH	10 8%	28 14%AeH	15 8%	16 13%AH	18 15%AeH	2 3%
Elementary operation (e.g. farm labourer, cleaner, security guard)	97 9%	18 11%d	10 6%	15 12%bD	12 6%	15 8%	12 10%	15 13%bD	11 15%BD
Manager/ Director/ Senior official	96 9%	17 10%G	14 8%g	9 7%	25 12%fG	20 11%fG	7 6%	4 3%	8 11%G
Associate professional/ Technical (e.g. Health and social care associate professional, protective service occupation)	79 7%	11 7%	7 4%	6 5%	15 7%	21 12%Bcg	12 9%b	7 6%	6 8%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 10

**Q3. Which of the following best describes your occupation today and that of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now? If your parents or guardians had different occupations when they were the same age as you are now, please answer thinking of the parent or guardian with the largest income at the time, whether from employment, pensions, state benefits, investments, or any other source. If they were retired or not working, please answer based on their main occupation before this happened. Please select one per column.**

**Base: All working adults**

**The occupation of your parents or guardians when they were the same age as you are now**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Process, plant and machinery operation (e.g. taxi driver, scaffolder)	74 7%	18 11% Cf	11 6%	5 4%	15 7%	13 7%	6 5%	6 5%	10 13% bCFg
Sales and customer services	65 6%	4 3%	14 8% AD	8 7%	7 3%	8 5%	16 13% ADEgH	7 6%	3 3%
Caring, leisure and other services	32 3%	4 2%	5 3%	3 2%	9 4%	4 2%	2 1%	6 5%	2 3%
Not applicable	58 5%	7 4%	11 7% H	10 8% dfH	7 3%	12 7% fH	3 3%	7 6% h	- -
Don't know	96 9%	12 7%	25 14% ADeF	10 8%	12 6%	14 8%	7 6%	16 14% aDF	6 8%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**



## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 11

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

		Career overall	Job satisfaction	Job prospects	Job security	Salary	Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
NET: Likely to recommend		688 63%	779 71%	620 57%	745 68%	574 52%	657 60%
Very likely to recommend	(4)	234 21%	323 30%	199 18%	273 25%	171 16%	182 17%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3)	454 42%	456 42%	420 38%	472 43%	402 37%	475 43%
Not very likely to recommend	(2)	255 23%	189 17%	309 28%	209 19%	323 30%	251 23%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1)	89 8%	74 7%	106 10%	80 7%	142 13%	94 9%
NET: Not likely to recommend		344 31%	263 24%	415 38%	289 26%	466 43%	345 32%
Don't know		62 6%	52 5%	60 5%	60 5%	55 5%	92 8%
Mean		2.81	2.99	2.69	2.91	2.58	2.74
Standard deviation		0.88	0.88	0.90	0.88	0.92	0.86
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 12

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Likely to recommend**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS						Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
Job satisfaction	779 71%	382 66%	396 77%A	94 70%	185 74%	170 68%	188 71%	108 70%	34 82%e	94 70%	185 74%	256 69%	210 71%	34 82%k	234 77%Q	240 73%Q	185 72%Q	119 59%	474 75%S	304 66%	176 73%	603 71%	696 71%	76 74%	
Job security	745 68%	373 64%	372 73%A	96 71%	181 72%g	166 66%	175 66%	97 63%	31 75%	96 71%	181 72%L	248 67%	189 64%	31 75%	226 74%OQ	220 67%	175 68%	125 62%	445 70%S	300 65%	186 77%U	559 66%	664 68%	77 75%	
Career overall	688 63%	347 60%	340 66%A	91 67%G	173 69%efG	154 62%g	160 61%	81 52%	30 72%G	91 67%l	173 69%KL	225 60%	170 57%	30 72%l	221 73%OPQ	201 61%Q	165 64%Q	100 50%	422 67%S	266 58%	153 63%	535 63%	608 62%	73 71%v	
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	657 60%	329 57%	328 64%A	84 62%	166 66%eFG	147 59%	144 55%	86 56%	30 73%eFG	84 62%	166 66%KL	217 58%	160 54%	30 73%kL	205 68%PQ	221 67%PQ	148 57%Q	84 41%	426 67%S	231 50%	148 61%	509 60%	581 59%	71 69%V	
Job prospects	620 57%	315 54%	304 59%a	82 61%eg	165 66%EFG	128 51%	143 54%	77 50%	25 59%	82 61%l	165 66%KL	199 53%	150 51%	25 59%	198 65%OpQ	187 57%Q	147 57%Q	86 43%	386 61%S	234 51%	150 62%u	470 55%	546 56%	69 67%V	
Salary	574 52%	325 56%B	249 49%	68 50%	144 57%FG	139 56%g	128 49%	72 47%	23 55%	68 50%	144 57%L	199 53%	140 47%	23 55%	181 60%OQ	159 48%	140 54%	93 46%	340 54%	233 51%	141 58%U	433 51%	506 52%	64 62%V	
None of these	145 13%	89 15%B	56 11%	13 9%	29 12%	37 15%	38 15%	23 15%	4 11%	13 9%	29 12%	55 15%	44 15%	4 11%	25 8%	42 13%n	31 12%	47 23%NOP	67 11%	78 17%R	21 9%	123 14%T	137 14%W	6 6%	

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 12

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Likely to recommend**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Job satisfaction	779 71%	672 71%	72 78%EFhi	30 70%	93 78%EFhi	58 64%	60 63%	62 77%ef	34 66%	71 65%	116 73%ef	115 72%	68 70%	254 73%	226 68%	299 72%	779 71%	568 71%	211 72%	191 83%U	570 69%	626 91%W	133 39%	354 82%Y	75 67%
Job security	745 68%	646 68%	67 72%E	30 71%	92 77%EFHj	51 56%	59 63%	58 73%E	32 63%	73 67%	106 67%ef	111 69%E	65 67%	240 70%	223 67%	282 68%	745 68%	555 69%	190 65%	166 72%	557 68%	575 84%W	154 45%	322 74%Y	68 60%
Career overall	688 63%	597 63%	60 65%	28 66%	74 62%	53 59%	53 57%	57 72%efi	30 59%	62 57%	106 67%ef	103 64%	61 63%	215 62%	203 61%	270 65%	688 63%R	532 67%R	156 53%	176 76%U	492 60%	688 100%W	-	323 75%Y	59 53%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	657 60%	566 60%	62 67%EFi	23 54%	76 64%ef	47 52%	48 51%	51 63%	29 57%	58 53%	105 66%EFi	99 62%	59 61%	208 60%	186 56%	263 63%N	657 60%r	497 62%R	160 54%	175 76%U	461 56%	557 81%W	90 26%	306 71%Y	59 52%
Job prospects	620 57%	533 56%	61 66%aEFH55% iL	24 55%	72 60%	45 50%	46 49%	48 60%	26 50%	56 52%	103 65%EFH L	90 57%	49 51%	202 58%	176 53%	242 58%	620 57%R	480 60%R	139 47%	167 72%U	432 52%	553 80%W	60 18%	291 67%Y	58 51%
Salary	574 52%	494 52%	54 58%ef	22 53%	71 59%EFk	41 46%	43 45%	42 53%	26 51%	53 49%	98 61%EFik I	76 48%	47 49%	188 54%	165 49%	221 53%	574 52%R	455 57%pR	118 40%	155 67%U	402 49%	504 73%W	63 18%	271 62%Y	51 46%
None of these	145 13%	126 13%	11 12%	5 12%	7 6%	16 17%D	15 15%D	8 10%	8 15% d	15 14% d	19 12%	24 15%D	18 18%D	39 11%	46 14%	60 14%	145 13%	93 12%	52 18%pQ	15 6%	119 14%T	-	109 32%V	27 6%	15 14%X

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 12

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Likely to recommend**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Job satisfaction	779 71%	107 63%	108 62%	75 62%	150 73%ABC	139 78%ABC	103 81%ABC	96 81%ABC	60 82%ABC
Job security	745 68%	103 61%	105 61%	89 74%ABdh	130 63%	127 71%aB	97 76%ABDH	93 78%ABDH	44 61%
Career overall	688 63%	106 63%b	91 53%	74 61%	142 69%Be	108 61%	86 67%B	81 67%B	56 77%ABCE
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	657 60%	100 59%	88 51%	65 54%	127 62%B	112 63%B	95 74%ABCDEG9%	71	55 76%ABCDeG
Job prospects	620 57%	95 56%	82 48%	60 50%	125 61%BC	105 59%B	78 61%Bc	74 62%Bc	52 71%ABCe
Salary	574 52%	97 57%B	65 38%	69 57%B	126 61%BEG	89 50%B	72 56%B	56 47%	53 73%ABCEFG
None of these	145 13%	28 17%EFH	34 20%DEFGH	17 14%fh	27 13%fh	17 9%	8 6%	13 11%	4 6%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 13

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Not likely to recommend**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Salary	466 43%	229 39%	237 46%A	61 45%d	88 35%	99 40%	121 46%D	79 51%DE	17 41%	61 45%j	88 35%	153 41%	147 50%JK	17 41%	110 36%	153 46%N	106 41%	97 48%N	263 42%	203 44%	95 39%	371 43%	428 44%W	32 31%
Job prospects	415 38%	232 40%	183 36%	46 34%	66 26%	111 44%CD	109 41%D	68 44%D	15 36%	46 34%	66 26%	156 42%J	132 45%IJ	15 36%	90 30%	130 39%N	98 38%N	96 48%Nop	220 35%	195 42%R	83 34%	332 39%	385 39%W	25 24%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	345 32%	203 35%B	142 28%	40 30%	57 23%	83 33%D	97 37%D	57 37%D	11 27%	40 30%	57 23%	123 33%J	113 38%J	11 27%	77 25%	86 26%	90 35%NO	92 46%NOP	163 26%	182 40%R	74 31%	271 32%	318 32%W	24 23%
Career overall	344 31%	204 35%B	140 27%	38 28%	63 25%	81 33%d	87 33%D	64 42%CD	11 26%	38 28%	63 25%	124 33%J	108 37%J	11 26%	69 23%	110 33%N	78 30%n	87 43%NOP	179 28%	165 36%R	78 32%	266 31%	319 33%W	21 20%
Job security	289 26%	177 30%B	112 22%	32 24%	52 21%	70 28%d	73 28%d	52 34%CD	11 25%	32 24%	52 21%	101 27%j	94 32%J	11 25%	64 21%	92 28%N	70 27%	63 31%N	156 25%	133 29%	44 18%	245 29%T	264 27%w	20 19%
Job satisfaction	263 24%	168 29%B	95 19%	36 27%	50 20%	69 27%d	61 23%	39 26%	8 18%	36 27%	50 20%	98 26%j	71 24%	8 18%	60 20%	76 23%	61 23%	67 33%NOP	136 21%	127 28%R	58 24%	205 24%	239 24%	21 20%
None of these	419 38%	221 38%	198 39%	46 34%	127 51%CEFG	89 36%	93 35%	45 29%	19 46%G	46 34%	127 51%IKL	137 37%l	90 30%	19 46%L	139 46%OPQ	124 38%	91 35%	65 32%	263 41%S	156 34%	89 37%	330 39%	366 37%	50 48%V

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 13

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Not likely to recommend**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Salary	466 43%	410 43%	33 35%	18 42%	44 37%	43 48%bJ	49 52%BDJ	32 40%	23 44%	48 44%	55 34%	78 49%BdJ	45 46%j	137 40%	151 45%	177 43%	466 43%	312 39%	154 52%PQ	67 29%	388 47%T	177 26%	278 81%V	156 36%	59 52%X
Job prospects	415 38%	366 39%B	26 28%	18 42%	44 37%	39 43%BJ	44 47%BJ	29 36%	23 45%BJ	42 39%bj	45 28%	64 40%bJ	41 42%Bj	126 37%	139 42%	149 36%	415 38%	284 36%	131 44%PQ	54 23%	355 43%T	126 18%	276 80%V	132 30%	52 46%X
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	345 32%	306 32%	23 25%	19 43%BdJ	33 27%	34 38%BdJ	41 43%BDgJ	24 30%	16 32%	35 33%	38 24%	50 31%	32 33%j	109 31%	117 35%o	120 29%	345 32%	243 30%	102 35%	46 20%	294 36%T	99 14%	239 69%V	111 26%	48 43%X
Career overall	344 31%	297 31%	28 30%	11 26%	38 32%	30 34%	36 38%gj	20 26%	18 35%	38 35%	43 27%	50 31%	31 32%	107 31%	112 34%	124 30%	344 31%	234 29%	110 37%pQ	44 19%	293 36%T	- -	344 100%V	101 23%	50 44%X
Job security	289 26%	251 26%	22 23%	8 20%	23 19%	32 35%bcDi	31 33%D	20 25%	16 31%cd	25 23%	43 27%	40 25%	29 30%cd	85 25%	92 27%	112 27%	289 26%	208 26%	82 28%	57 25%	227 27%	103 15%	179 52%V	102 24%	42 37%X
Job satisfaction	263 24%	229 24%	19 20%	10 24%	22 18%	27 31%bDj	31 32%BDgJ	16 20%	15 29%	29 27%	33 21%	37 23%	24 25%	78 23%	91 27%	94 23%	263 24%	199 25%	64 22%	31 13%	222 27%T	56 8%	203 59%V	72 17%	35 31%X
None of these	419 38%	353 37%	46 49%AcEF	13 31%	53 44%efik	29 32%	29 31%	29 37%	21 40%	34 32%	76 48%cEF	53 33%	37 38%	140 41%n	113 34%	165 40%	419 38%	313 39%	106 36%	112 48%U	285 34%	376 55%W	- -	193 44%Y	30 27%

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**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 13

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Not likely to recommend**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Salary	466 43%	62 37%H	89 51%AcDfH	49 41%H	71 35%h	82 46%aDH	53 41%H	60 50%ADH	16 22%
Job prospects	415 38%	65 39%H	71 41%H	53 44%dH	69 33%	70 39%H	43 34%	43 36%h	17 23%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	345 32%	58 34%FH	61 35%FH	46 38%FH	61 30%F	54 30%F	24 19%	41 34%FH	14 20%
Career overall	344 31%	52 31%H	62 36%dH	43 36%H	56 27%h	60 34%H	36 28%h	35 29%H	11 15%
Job security	289 26%	56 33%cFG	46 27%	27 23%	66 32%ceFG	44 25%	25 20%	25 21%	25 35%cFG
Job satisfaction	263 24%	50 30%EFGH	48 28%eFGH	38 31%EFGH	50 24%h	35 20%	22 17%	20 17%	10 14%
None of these	419 38%	67 39%	66 38%	46 38%	85 41%e	58 33%	53 41%	45 37%	38 52%abcEg

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 14

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Career overall**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Likely to recommend	688 63%	347 60%	340 66%A	91 67%G	173 69%efG	154 62%g	160 61%	81 52%	30 72%G	91 67%I	173 69%KL	225 60%	170 57%	30 72%I	221 73%OPQ	201 61%Q	165 64%Q	100 50%	422 67%S	266 58%	153 63%	535 63%	608 62%	73 71%v
Very likely to recommend	(4) 234 21%	116 20%	118 23%	31 23%	67 27%EFG	44 18%	49 18%	26 17%	17 41%CD EF G	31 23%	67 27%KL	70 19%	49 17%	17 41%IJKL	88 29%OPQ	65 20%	48 19%	33 16%	153 24%S	81 17%	52 22%	181 21%	206 21%	28 27%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 454 42%	231 40%	223 43%	60 45%	105 42%	109 44%	111 42%	55 36%	13 31%	60 45%	105 42%	155 42%	121 41%	13 31%	133 44%Q	136 41%q	117 45%Q	68 33%	269 42%	185 40%	100 41%	354 42%	402 41%	45 44%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 255 23%	153 26%B	102 20%	29 21%	49 20%	58 23%	62 24%	48 31%CD e	9 21%	29 21%	49 20%	89 24%	79 27%J	9 21%	59 19%	85 26%N	58 22%	53 26%n	145 23%	110 24%	64 26%	191 22%	236 24%w	17 17%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 89 8%	52 9%	37 7%	9 7%	14 6%	23 9%	25 9% d	16 10% d	2 4%	9 7%	14 6%	35 9% j	29 10% j	2 4%	10 3%	24 7%N	20 8%N	34 17% NOP	34 5%	54 12% R	14 6%	75 9%	83 9% w	4 4%
NET: Not likely to recommend	344 31%	204 35%B	140 27%	38 28%	63 25%	81 33% d	87 33% D	64 42% CD ef h	11 26%	38 28%	63 25%	124 33% J	108 37% J	11 26%	69 23%	110 33% N	78 30% n	87 43% NOP	179 28%	165 36% R	78 32%	266 31%	319 33% W	21 20%
Don't know	62 6%	30 5%	32 6%	6 4%	15 6%	15 6%	16 6%	9 6%	1 2%	6 4%	15 6%	23 6%	18 6%	1 2%	13 4%	19 6%	15 6%	16 8%	32 5%	30 7%	11 5%	51 6%	54 5%	9 8%
Mean	2.81	2.75	2.88A	2.87G	2.96EFG	2.74	2.74	2.62	3.11EFG	2.87I	2.96KL	2.74	2.68	3.11KL	3.03OPQ	2.78Q	2.79Q	2.53	2.90S	2.68	2.83	2.80	2.79	3.04V
Standard deviation	0.88	0.89	0.87	0.86	0.85	0.88	0.89	0.90	0.91	0.86	0.85	0.89	0.88	0.91	0.81	0.87	0.85	0.98	0.85	0.92	0.85	0.89	0.89	0.81
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 14

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Career overall**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	688 63%	597 63%	60 65%	28 66%	74 62%	53 59%	53 57%	57 72%efi	30 59%	62 57%	106 67%ef	103 64%	61 63%	215 62%	203 61%	270 65%	688 63%R	532 67%R	156 53%	176 76%U	492 60%	688 100%W	-	323 75%Y	59 53%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 234 21%	198 21%	24 25%	6 15%	25 21%	17 19%	19 20%	14 17%	13 25%	18 17%	45 28%egIK	28 18%	24 25%	73 21%	64 19%	97 23%	234 21%R	188 23%R	46 16%	81 35%U	148 18%	234 34%W	-	127 29%Y	19 17%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 454 42%	400 42%	37 39%	22 50%	49 41%	36 40%	34 37%	43 54%bdeF	17 34%	43 40%	61 39%	74 47%	37 38%	143 41%	139 42%	172 42%	454 42%	344 43%r	110 37%	96 41%	345 42%	454 66%W	-	196 45%y	40 36%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 255 23%	221 23%	20 22%	9 21%	28 23%	22 25%	23 25%	13 17%	14 27%	33 30%gJ	28 18%	40 25%	24 25%	79 23%	84 25%	92 22%	255 23%	177 22%	78 27%	36 16%	214 26%T	-	255 74%V	76 18%	36 32%X
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 89 8%	77 8%	8 9%	2 6%	10 8%	8 9%	12 13%ik	7 9%	4 8%	5 5%	15 10%	10 6%	7 7%	28 8%	29 9%	32 8%	89 8%	57 7%	32 11%q	8 3%	79 10%T	-	89 26%V	25 6%	14 13%X
NET: Not likely to recommend	344 31%	297 31%	28 30%	11 26%	38 32%	30 34%	36 38%gj	20 26%	18 35%	38 35%	43 27%	50 31%	31 32%	107 31%	112 34%	124 30%	344 31%	234 29%	110 37%pQ	44 19%	293 36%T	-	344 100%V	101 23%	50 44%X
Don't know	62 6%	55 6%	5 5%	3 8%	7 6%	7 8%	5 5%	2 3%	3 6%	8 8%	9 6%	8 5%	4 5%	22 6%	19 6%	21 5%	62 6%	34 4%	28 10%PQ	11 5%	40 5%	-	-	10 2%	3 3%
Mean	2.81	2.80	2.86	2.82	2.80	2.75	2.67	2.83	2.80	2.75	2.91f	2.79	2.85	2.81	2.75	2.85	2.81R	2.87R	2.64	3.13U	2.71	3.34W	1.74	3.00Y	2.58
Standard deviation	0.88	0.88	0.92	0.79	0.89	0.89	0.97	0.83	0.93	0.82	0.94	0.82	0.90	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.87	0.91	0.81	0.89	0.47	0.44	0.85	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.14	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 14

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Career overall**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	688 63%	106 63%b	91 53%	74 61%	142 69%Be	108 61%	86 67%B	81 67%B	56 77%ABCE
Very likely to recommend (4)	234 21%	44 26%BC	28 16%	12 10%	49 24%bC	35 20%C	36 28%BCe	29 24%C	30 42%ABCDEfG
Fairly likely to recommend (3)	454 42%	62 37%	63 37%	62 51%ABeFH	92 45%	73 41%	50 39%	51 43%	26 35%
Not very likely to recommend (2)	255 23%	40 24%H	47 27%H	25 21%h	43 21%H	46 26%H	29 23%H	24 20%h	7 10%
Not at all likely to recommend (1)	89 8%	11 7%	16 9%	18 15%ADeFh	13 7%	13 8%	6 5%	11 9%	4 6%
NET: Not likely to recommend	344 31%	52 31%H	62 36%h	43 36%H	56 27%h	60 34%H	36 28%h	35 29%H	11 15%
Don't know	62 6%	11 7%	19 11%CDefG	4 3%	8 4%	10 6%	6 5%	4 4%	5 7%
Mean	2.81	2.88bC	2.68	2.58	2.90BC	2.77c	2.95BCe	2.85C	3.22ABCDEFG
Standard deviation	0.88	0.90	0.89	0.87	0.85	0.87	0.86	0.91	0.87
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 15

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job satisfaction**

	Total	Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Likely to recommend	779 71%	382 66%	396 77%A	94 70%	185 74%	170 68%	188 71%	108 70%	34 82%e	94 70%	185 74%	256 69%	210 71%	34 82%k	234 77%Q	240 73%Q	185 72%Q	119 59%	474 75%S	304 66%	176 73%	603 71%	696 71%	76 74%
Very likely to recommend (4)	323 30%	153 26%	170 33%A	33 24%	77 31%	64 26%	89 34%CE	43 28%	18 42%CEg	33 24%	77 31%	102 27%	94 32%	18 42%IK	110 36%OQ	86 26%	81 31%q	46 23%	196 31%	127 28%	68 28%	255 30%	288 29%	35 34%
Fairly likely to recommend (3)	456 42%	229 39%	226 44%	61 45%	107 43%	107 43%	99 37%	65 42%	16 40%	61 45%	107 43%	155 42%	116 39%	16 40%	124 41%	154 47%Q	104 40%	74 36%	278 44%S	177 39%	108 45%	347 41%	408 42%	41 40%
Not very likely to recommend (2)	189 17%	124 21%B	65 13%	28 21% <sup>d</sup>	35 14%	51 20%D	42 16%	27 18%	7 16%	28 21% <sup>j</sup>	35 14%	70 19% <sup>j</sup>	50 17%	7 16%	47 15%	54 16%	44 17%	44 22% <sup>n</sup>	101 16%	88 19%	42 18%	147 17%	173 18%	16 15%
Not at all likely to recommend (1)	74 7%	44 7%	30 6%	8 6%	16 6%	18 7%	19 7%	12 8%	1 2%	8 6%	16 6%	27 7%	22 7%	1 2%	13 4%	22 7%	16 6%	23 11% <sup>Nop</sup>	35 5%	39 8% <sup>r</sup>	16 7%	58 7%	67 7%	5 5%
NET: Not likely to recommend	263 24%	168 29%B	95 19%	36 27%	50 20%	69 27% <sup>d</sup>	61 23%	39 26%	8 18%	36 27%	50 20%	98 26% <sup>j</sup>	71 24%	8 18%	60 20%	76 23%	61 23%	67 33% <sup>NOP</sup>	136 21%	127 28% <sup>R</sup>	58 24%	205 24%	239 24%	21 20%
Don't know	52 5%	32 6%	20 4%	5 4%	15 6% <sup>h</sup>	11 4%	15 6%	7 4%	- -	5 4%	15 6% <sup>m</sup>	18 5%	14 5%	- -	10 3%	14 4%	13 5%	16 8% <sup>No</sup>	23 4%	29 6% <sup>r</sup>	7 3%	45 5%	46 5%	7 6%
Mean	2.99	2.89	3.09A	2.92	3.05e	2.91	3.04	2.94	3.22CEg	2.92	3.05	2.93	3.00	3.22IK	3.13OQ	2.96Q	3.02Q	2.77	3.04S	2.91	2.97	2.99	2.98	3.09
Standard deviation	0.88	0.90	0.85	0.84	0.86	0.88	0.92	0.90	0.80	0.84	0.86	0.89	0.91	0.80	0.83	0.85	0.88	0.96	0.84	0.92	0.86	0.89	0.88	0.85
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.12	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

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**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 15

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job satisfaction**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	779 71%	672 71%	72 78%EF	30 70%	93 78%EF	58 64%	60 63%	62 77%ef	34 66%	71 65%	116 73%ef	115 72%	68 70%	254 73%	226 68%	299 72%	779 71%	568 71%	211 72%	191 83%U	570 69%	626 91%W	133 39%	354 82%Y	75 67%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 323 30%	279 29%	30 33%cl	7 17%	47 39%CE	25 28%il	26 27%	24 30%il	14 27%	19 18%	56 35%CI	51 32%cl	23 24%	110 32%N	83 25%	130 31%nl	323 30%	239 30%	84 28%	85 37%U	231 28%	283 41%W	32 9%	161 37%y	32 28%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 456 42%	393 41%	42 45%	23 53%ef	46 39%	33 36%	34 36%	38 47%	20 39%	52 48%	61 38%	63 40%	45 46%	144 42%	144 43%	169 41%	456 42%	329 41%	127 43%	106 46%	339 41%	343 50%W	101 29%	193 45%	44 39%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 189 17%	167 18%	12 13%	8 19%	17 14%	19 21%j	19 20%	10 13%	11 21%	22 21%	21 13%	31 19%	20 21%	56 16%	62 19%	72 17%	189 17%	144 18%	45 15%	21 9%	160 19%T	49 7%	136 40%V	59 13%	22 20%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 74 7%	62 7%	7 8%	2 6%	5 4%	9 10%dk	12 13%DK	6 7%	4 8%	7 6%	12 7%	6 4%	4 4%	23 7%	29 9%o	22 5%	74 7%	55 7%	19 6%	9 4%	62 8%t	7 1%	66 19%V	14 3%	13 11%X
NET: Not likely to recommend	263 24%	229 24%	19 20%	10 24%	22 18%	27 31%bDj	31 32%BDgJ	16 20%	15 29%	29 27%	33 21%	37 23%	24 25%	78 23%	91 27%	94 23%	263 24%	199 25%	64 22%	31 13%	222 27%T	56 8%	203 59%V	72 17%	35 31%X
Don't know	52 5%	48 5%	2 2%	2 5%	4 4%	5 5%	4 4%	2 3%	3 5%	8 8%b	9 6%	8 5%	5 5%	13 4%	17 5%	22 5%	52 5%	33 4%	20 7%q	9 4%	33 4%	6 1%	8 2%v	8 2%	2 2%
Mean	2.99	2.99	3.05fi	2.87	3.18cEF	2.87	2.81	3.03	2.89	2.83	3.07eFI	3.06FI	2.95	3.03N	2.88	3.04N	2.99	2.98	3.00	3.20U	2.93	3.32W	2.29	3.18Y	2.86
Standard deviation	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.78	0.83	0.96	1.00	0.87	0.93	0.82	0.91	0.84	0.81	0.88	0.90	0.86	0.88	0.89	0.87	0.78	0.90	0.65	0.89	0.78	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.13	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 15

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job satisfaction**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof. sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	779 71%	107 63%	108 62%	75 62%	150 73%ABC	139 78%ABC	103 81%ABC	96 81%ABC	60 82%ABC
Very likely to recommend	(4) 323 30%	54 32%BC	36 21%	21 17%	64 31%BC	59 33%BC	48 38%BC	42 35%BC	36 50%ABCDEg
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 456 42%	53 32%	72 42%a	54 45%A	86 42%A	80 45%Ah	55 43%a	55 46%Ah	23 32%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 189 17%	40 24%EFG	31 18%	25 21%g	38 18%	24 13%	17 13%	14 12%	10 14%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 74 7%	10 6%H	17 10%FH	13 11%FH	12 6%H	12 6%H	4 3%	6 5%h	- -
NET: Not likely to recommend	263 24%	50 30%EFGH	48 28%eFGH	38 31%EFGH	50 24%h	35 20%	22 17%	20 17%	10 14%
Don't know	52 5%	12 7%def	16 9%DEFG	8 7%e	6 3%	4 2%	3 2%	3 2%	3 4%
Mean	2.99	2.96c	2.81	2.74	3.01BC	3.07BC	3.18ABCd	3.14BC	3.37ABCDEg
Standard deviation	0.88	0.92	0.91	0.90	0.87	0.86	0.80	0.82	0.73
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 16

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job prospects**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Likely to recommend	620 57%	315 54%	304 59%a	82 61%eg	165 66%EFG	128 51%	143 54%	77 50%	25 59%	82 61%l	165 66%KL	199 53%	150 51%	25 59%	198 65%OpQ	187 57%Q	147 57%Q	86 43%	386 61%S	234 51%	150 62%u	470 55%	546 56%	69 67%V
Very likely to recommend	(4) 199 18%	99 17%	101 20%	24 18%	64 25%EFG	40 16%	44 17%	20 13%	9 21%	24 18%	64 25%KL	59 16%	44 15%	9 21%	67 22%q	57 17%	44 17%	31 15%	124 20%	75 16%	47 19%	153 18%	170 17%	29 28%V
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 420 38%	216 37%	204 40%	58 43%	102 41%	89 36%	100 38%	57 37%	16 38%	58 43%	102 41%	140 38%	106 36%	16 38%	131 43%Q	130 40%Q	103 40%Q	55 27%	262 41%S	159 34%	103 43%	317 37%	375 38%	40 39%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 309 28%	172 30%	137 27%	40 30%D	46 18%	88 35%D	80 30%D	43 28%D	12 29%	40 30%J	46 18%	118 32%J	93 31%J	12 29%	79 26%	100 30%	71 27%	60 30%	179 28%	131 28%	62 26%	248 29%	290 30%W	16 15%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 106 10%	60 10%	45 9%	6 5%	20 8%	23 9%	29 11%C	25 16%CDE	3 7%	6 5%	20 8%	38 10%i	39 13%J	3 7%	11 4%	30 9%N	27 11%N	37 18%NOP	42 7%	64 14%R	21 9%	85 10%	95 10%	10 9%
NET: Not likely to recommend	415 38%	232 40%	183 36%	46 34%	66 26%	111 44%cd	109 41%D	68 44%D	15 36%	46 34%	66 26%	156 42%J	132 45%iJ	15 36%	90 30%	130 39%N	98 38%N	96 48%Nop	220 35%	195 42%R	83 34%	332 39%	385 39%W	25 24%
Don't know	60 5%	35 6%	25 5%	7 5%	19 8%e	10 4%	12 4%	9 6%	2 5%	7 5%	19 8%	18 5%	14 5%	2 5%	15 5%	13 4%	12 5%	20 10%NOp	28 4%	32 7%r	9 4%	51 6%	51 5%	9 8%
Mean	2.69	2.65	2.74	2.78eG	2.90EFG	2.61	2.63	2.49	2.77g	2.78kL	2.90KL	2.62	2.55	2.77	2.88OPQ	2.67Q	2.67Q	2.44	2.77S	2.57	2.76	2.67	2.67	2.94V
Standard deviation	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.81	0.90	0.87	0.90	0.94	0.88	0.81	0.90	0.88	0.92	0.88	0.81	0.88	0.90	1.00	0.85	0.95	0.88	0.90	0.89	0.94
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 16

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job prospects**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working full time (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	620 57%	533 56%	61 66% aEL	24 55% EFH	72 60%	45 50%	46 49%	48 60%	26 50%	56 52%	103 65% EL	90 57% EFH	49 51%	202 58%	176 53%	242 58%	620 57% R	480 60% R	139 47%	167 72% U	432 52%	553 80% W	60 18%	291 67% Y	58 51%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 199 18%	168 18%	21 23% EL	5 13%	32 27% cEGL	10 12%	17 18% i	13 16%	10 19% i	10 9%	33 21% EL	30 19% i	16 17%	69 20% n	50 15%	80 19%	199 18% R	162 20% R	37 13%	60 26% U	135 16%	190 28% W	7 2%	111 26% Y	15 14%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 420 38%	364 38%	40 43% f	18 43%	39 33%	35 39%	29 31%	35 43%	16 31%	46 43% f	69 44% dFh	60 38%	33 34%	132 38%	126 38%	162 39%	420 38% R	318 40%	102 35%	108 47% U	297 36%	363 53% W	53 15%	181 42%	42 38%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 309 28%	274 29% B	16 18%	14 33% b	34 29% b	27 31% Bj	29 31% Bj	22 28%	19 37% BJ	38 35% BJ	33 21%	46 29% Bj	30 31% Bj	92 27%	108 32% o	109 26%	309 28% R	218 27%	92 31%	47 21%	259 31% T	115 17%	183 53% V	96 22%	34 30% x
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 106 10%	91 10%	10 10% i	4 9%	9 8%	11 13% l	15 16% dJ	7 8%	4 9%	4 4%	12 7%	17 11% i	11 11% i	34 10%	31 9%	40 10%	106 10% R	67 8%	39 13% pQ	6 3%	96 12% T	11 2%	93 27% V	36 8%	18 16% X
NET: Not likely to recommend	415 38%	366 39% B	26 28%	18 42%	44 37%	39 43% BJ	44 47% BJ	29 36%	23 45% BJ	42 39% bj	45 28%	64 40% BJ	41 42% BJ	126 37%	139 42%	149 36%	415 38% R	284 36%	131 44% PQ	54 23%	355 43% T	126 18%	276 80% V	132 30%	52 46% X
Don't know	60 5%	51 5%	6 6%	1 3%	4 4%	6 6%	4 4%	3 4%	2 5%	10 9% k	11 7%	6 4%	6 7%	17 5%	19 6%	24 6%	60 5% R	35 4%	25 8% pQ	10 4%	38 5%	9 1%	7 2%	10 2%	3 2%
Mean	2.69	2.68	2.83 aEL	2.61	2.82 EF	2.53	2.53	2.70	2.63	2.63	2.84 EF	2.67	2.61	2.72	2.62	2.72	2.69 R	2.75 R	2.51	3.00 U	2.60	3.08 W	1.92	2.87 Y	2.50
Standard deviation	0.90	0.89	0.93	0.84	0.94	0.88	0.99	0.86	0.91	0.73	0.87	0.92	0.92	0.91	0.87	0.90	0.90	0.89	0.90	0.78	0.91	0.71	0.72	0.90	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.14	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 16

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job prospects**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	620 57%	95 56%	82 48%	60 50%	125 61%BC	105 59%B	78 61%Bc	74 62%Bc	52 71%ABCe
Very likely to recommend	(4) 199 18%	35 20%bC	22 13%	13 11%	49 24%BC	32 18%c	25 19%c	24 20%c	22 31%BCEf
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 420 38%	61 36%	60 35%	47 39%	77 37%	72 41%	53 42%	50 41%	29 40%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 309 28%	51 30%h	52 30%h	33 27%	53 26%	57 32%H	35 27%	28 24%	13 17%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 106 10%	14 9%	18 11%	21 17%ADEFH	16 8%	13 7%	9 7%	15 12%	4 6%
NET: Not likely to recommend	415 38%	65 39%H	71 41%H	53 44%dH	69 33%	70 39%H	43 34%	43 36%h	17 23%
Don't know	60 5%	8 5%	19 11%ADEFg	8 6%e	11 6%e	4 2%	6 5%	3 2%	4 6%
Mean	2.69	2.72C	2.56	2.46	2.82BC	2.71C	2.77BC	2.71C	3.02ABCEfG
Standard deviation	0.90	0.90	0.88	0.92	0.90	0.86	0.85	0.94	0.88
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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Table 17

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**Base: All working adults**

**Job security**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	745 68%	646 68%	67 72%E	30 71%	92 77%EFHj	51 56%	59 63%	58 73%E	32 63%	73 67%	106 67%e	111 69%E	65 67%	240 70%	223 67%	282 68%	745 68%	555 69%	190 65%	166 72%	557 68%	575 84%W	154 45%	322 74%Y	68 60%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 273 25%	228 24%	29 32%aelk	11 26%	38 32%elk	19 21%	21 23%	22 28%	16 31%i	20 18%	38 24%	34 22%	23 24%	97 28%	80 24%	96 23%	273 25%r	215 27%R	58 20%	79 34%U	188 23%	230 33%W	38 11%	134 31%	26 23%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 472 43%	418 44%h	37 40%	19 45%	54 45%h	32 35%	38 40%	36 45%	16 32%	53 49%eH	68 43%	76 48%eH	42 43%	142 41%	143 43%	186 45%	472 43%	340 42%	132 45%	87 38%	370 45%t	345 50%W	117 34%	188 43%	42 37%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 209 19%	182 19%	13 14%	5 11%	18 15%	21 23%bj	20 21%	16 20%	13 26%bcdj	23 21%	23 15%	35 22%	22 23%	57 17%	72 21%	80 19%	209 19%	151 19%	59 20%	45 19%	161 20%	89 13%	113 33%V	78 18%	24 22%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 80 7%	69 7%	8 9%lk	4 9%i	5 4%	11 12%DgIK	12 12%DgIK	4 4%	3 5%	2 2%	19 12%DgIK	6 4%	8 8%i	28 8%	20 6%	32 8%	80 7%	57 7%	23 8%	12 5%	65 8%	13 2%	67 19%V	25 6%	17 15%X
NET: Not likely to recommend	289 26%	251 26%	22 23%	8 20%	23 19%	32 35%bcDi k	31 33%D	20 25%	16 31%d	25 23%	43 27%	40 25%	29 30%d	85 25%	92 27%	112 27%	289 26%	208 26%	82 28%	57 25%	227 27%	103 15%	179 52%V	102 24%	42 37%X
Don't know	60 5%	52 6%	4 5%	4 9%l	4 3%	8 8%l	4 4%	2 3%	3 6%	10 10%dgL	10 6%	9 5%	2 2%	20 6%	20 6%	21 5%	60 5%	37 5%	23 8%q	8 3%	41 5%	11 2%	10 3%	10 2%	3 3%
Mean	2.91	2.90	2.99Ef	2.97	3.09EFJ	2.71	2.76	2.99e	2.95	2.93e	2.84	2.92e	2.85	2.95	2.90	2.88	2.91	2.94r	2.83	3.04U	2.87	3.17W	2.37	3.02Y	2.70
Standard deviation	0.88	0.87	0.94	0.91	0.81	0.96	0.96	0.83	0.92	0.72	0.95	0.78	0.89	0.90	0.85	0.87	0.88	0.88	0.86	0.88	0.87	0.72	0.93	0.86	1.01
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.16	0.08	0.10	0.10	0.10	0.12	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.09

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 17

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Job security**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	745 68%	103 61%	105 61%	89 74%ABdh	130 63%	127 71%aB	97 76%ABDH	93 78%ABDH	44 61%
Very likely to recommend (4)	273 25%	40 24%	35 20%	28 23%	47 23%	45 25%	39 30%B	39 32%Bd	24 33%Bd
Fairly likely to recommend (3)	472 43%	63 37%	70 40%h	62 51%AbdH	83 40%h	81 46%H	58 46%H	54 45%H	20 28%
Not very likely to recommend (2)	209 19%	40 24%C	35 20%	16 13%	45 22%c	34 19%	21 16%	19 16%	21 28%CFG
Not at all likely to recommend (1)	80 7%	15 9%f	11 6%	11 9%f	21 10%Fg	11 6%	5 4%	6 5%	5 6%
NET: Not likely to recommend	289 26%	56 33%CFG	46 27%	27 23%	66 32%ceFG	44 25%	25 20%	25 21%	25 35%CFG
Don't know	60 5%	10 6%g	22 13%ACDEFGh%	5	9 4%	8 4%	5 4%	2 2%	3 4%
Mean	2.91	2.81	2.85	2.91	2.79	2.95d	3.07ABD	3.07ABD	2.92
Standard deviation	0.88	0.93	0.86	0.87	0.93	0.84	0.80	0.83	0.96
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.12

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 18

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Salary**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
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NET: Likely to recommend	574 52%	325 56%B	249 49%	68 50%	144 57%FG	139 56%g	128 49%	72 47%	23 55%	68 50%	144 57%L	199 53%	140 47%	23 55%	181 60%OQ	159 48%	140 54%	93 46%	340 54%	233 51%	141 58%U	433 51%	506 52%	64 62%V
Very likely to recommend	(4) 171 16%	93 16%	79 15%	22 16%	55 22%eFG	38 15%g	33 13%	14 9%	9 21%G	22 16%	55 22%KL	56 15%l	31 10%	9 21%L	62 20%OpQ	47 14%	37 14%	25 13%	109 17%	63 14%	32 13%	140 16%	144 15%	28 27%V
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 402 37%	232 40%B	170 33%	46 34%	89 36%	100 40%	95 36%	58 37%	14 34%	46 34%	89 36%	143 39%	110 37%	14 34%	119 39%	113 34%	102 40%	68 34%	232 37%	170 37%	109 45%U	294 34%	362 37%	37 36%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 323 30%	158 27%	166 32%a	44 33%	65 26%	65 26%	79 30%	57 37%DE	13 32%	44 33%	65 26%	102 28%	99 33%j	13 32%	80 26%	118 36%NPq	70 27%	56 28%	198 31%	125 27%	71 30%	252 30%	297 30%w	23 22%
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Mean	2.58	2.62	2.53	2.56	2.76ceF G	2.60g	2.48	2.42	2.70g	2.56	2.76iKL	2.58L	2.43	2.70I	2.73OpQ	2.55	2.57	2.41	2.64S	2.50	2.63	2.56	2.56	2.86V
Standard deviation	0.92	0.91	0.93	0.92	0.93	0.92	0.93	0.86	0.92	0.92	0.93	0.92	0.89	0.92	0.91	0.88	0.92	0.97	0.90	0.95	0.84	0.94	0.91	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.09

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	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	574 52%	494 52%	54 58%ef	22 53%	71 59%EFk	41 46%	43 45%	42 53%	26 51%	53 49%	98 61%EFiK	76 48%	47 49%	188 54%	165 49%	221 53%	574 52%R	455 57%pR	118 40%	155 67%U	402 49%	504 73%W	63 18%	271 62%Y	51 46%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 171 16%	146 15%	18 20%Cl	2 5%	26 22%CGkL	14 16%	17 18%c	9 11%	7 15%	11 10%	35 22%CGIKL	20 12%	10 11%	61 18%	45 13%	66 16%	171 16%r	137 17%R	34 12%	64 28%U	104 13%	163 24%W	8 2%	92 21%Y	11 10%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 402 37%	348 37%	35 38%	20 47%eF	45 37%	27 30%	25 27%	34 42%F	19 36%	42 39%f	62 39%F	57 35%	37 38%	127 37%	120 36%	156 37%	402 37%R	318 40%R	84 29%	91 40%	298 36%	341 50%W	55 16%	179 41%	40 36%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 323 30%	284 30%	22 24%	11 26%	33 27%	26 29%	33 35%bj	23 28%	17 33%	33 30%	39 24%	57 35%bJ	30 31%	92 27%	106 32%	125 30%	323 30%	222 28%	101 34%Q	51 22%	266 32%T	145 21%	171 50%V	111 26%	36 32%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 142 13%	126 13%	11 11%	7 16%	11 9%	17 18%dJ	15 16%	9 11%	6 11%	15 14%	16 10%	22 13%	15 15%	45 13%	45 13%	52 13%	142 13%	90 11%	53 18%PQ	16 7%	122 15%T	32 5%	107 31%V	45 10%	23 20%X
NET: Not likely to recommend	466 43%	410 43%	33 35%	18 42%	44 37%	43 48%bJ	49 52%BDJ	32 40%	23 44%	48 44%	55 34%	78 49%BdJ	45 46%j	137 40%	151 45%	177 43%	466 43%	312 39%	154 52%PQ	67 29%	388 47%T	177 26%	278 81%V	156 36%	59 52%X
Don't know	55 5%	45 5%	7 7%	2 5%	5 4%	6 7%	3 3%	6 7%	3 5%	7 7%	6 4%	5 3%	4 5%	20 6%	18 5%	16 4%	55 5%	32 4%	22 8%pQ	9 4%	36 4%	7 1%	3 1%	7 2%	2 2%
Mean	2.58	2.57	2.71ekl	2.44	2.75cEfIKL	2.46	2.49	2.57	2.57	2.49	2.77cEFIKL	2.48	2.47	2.63	2.52	2.59	2.58R	2.66pR	2.37	2.91U	2.49	2.93W	1.89	2.74Y	2.36
Standard deviation	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.85	0.92	1.00	0.99	0.86	0.90	0.88	0.93	0.89	0.90	0.94	0.91	0.91	0.92	0.91	0.93	0.89	0.91	0.80	0.75	0.91	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.14	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 18

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Salary**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	574 52%	97 57%B	65 38%	69 57%B	126 61%BEG	89 50%B	72 56%B	56 47%	53 73%ABCEFG
Very likely to recommend	(4) 171 16%	33 20%Be	19 11%	15 12%	47 23%BCEFG	22 12%	18 14%	18 15%	20 28%BCEFG
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 402 37%	64 38%B	46 26%	54 45%Bg	79 39%B	67 38%B	54 42%B	39 32%	33 45%Bg
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 323 30%	42 25%h	64 37%AcDH	32 27%H	47 23%h	63 35%ADH	38 30%H	37 31%H	10 13%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 142 13%	20 12%	25 14%	17 14%	24 12%	20 11%	14 11%	23 19%defh	6 8%
NET: Not likely to recommend	466 43%	62 37%H	89 51%AcDfH	49 41%H	71 35%h	82 46%aDH	53 41%H	60 50%ADH	16 22%
Don't know	55 5%	10 6%	19 11%CDEFG	3 3%	8 4%	7 4%	3 2%	3 3%	4 6%
Mean	2.58	2.69BG	2.39	2.56	2.76BcEG	2.53	2.61B	2.44	2.98ABCEFG
Standard deviation	0.92	0.94	0.91	0.89	0.95	0.86	0.87	0.97	0.89
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 19

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Likely to recommend	657 60%	329 57%	328 64%A	84 62%	166 66%eFG	147 59%	144 55%	86 56%	30 73%eFG	84 62%	166 66%KL	217 58%	160 54%	30 73%kL	205 68%PQ	221 67%PQ	148 57%Q	84 41%	426 67%S	231 50%	148 61%	509 60%	581 59%	71 69%V
Very likely to recommend	(4) 182 17%	96 16%	86 17%	25 19%fg	66 26%eFG	36 14%	29 11%	16 10%	11 26%eFG	25 19%L	66 26%ikL	50 13%	31 10%	11 26%KL	68 23%oPQ	55 17%	32 12%	27 13%	123 19%S	59 13%	41 17%	141 17%	153 16%	29 28%V
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 475 43%	233 40%	242 47%A	59 44%	100 40%	111 44%	115 44%	70 46%	20 47%	59 44%	100 40%	167 45%	129 44%	20 47%	137 45%Q	166 50%Q	115 45%Q	57 28%	303 48%S	172 37%	107 44%	368 43%	428 44%	42 41%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 251 23%	152 26%B	99 19%	29 21%	46 18%	56 22%	71 27%D	41 26%d	9 23%	29 21%	46 18%	82 22%	85 29%Jk	9 23%	65 22%	65 20%	64 25%	56 28%O	130 21%	121 26%R	61 25%	191 22%	234 24%W	16 15%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 94 9%	51 9%	43 8%	12 9%d	11 4%	27 11%D	26 10%D	16 11%D	2 4%	12 9%j	11 4%	41 11%J	28 10%J	2 4%	12 4%	21 6%	26 10%N	36 18%NOP	33 5%	61 13%R	14 6%	80 9%t	84 9%	8 8%
NET: Not likely to recommend	345 32%	203 35%B	142 28%	40 30%	57 23%	83 33%D	97 37%D	57 37%D	11 27%	40 30%	57 23%	123 33%J	113 38%J	11 27%	77 25%	86 26%	90 35%NO	92 46%NOP	163 26%	182 40%R	74 31%	271 32%	318 32%W	24 23%
Don't know	92 8%	50 9%	42 8%	10 8%h	28 11%H	20 8%h	23 9%H	11 7%h	-	10 8%h	28 11%M	32 9%M	22 7%h	-	21 7%	23 7%	21 8%	26 13%NO	44 7%	47 10%r	19 8%	72 9%	82 8%	8 8%
Mean	2.74	2.70	2.79	2.78fg	2.99CEFG	2.67	2.61	2.60	2.94eFG	2.78l	2.99IKL	2.66	2.59	2.94kL	2.93PQ	2.83PQ	2.65Q	2.43	2.88S	2.55	2.79	2.73	2.72	2.97V
Standard deviation	0.86	0.87	0.85	0.88	0.83	0.88	0.83	0.83	0.82	0.88	0.83	0.87	0.82	0.82	0.80	0.80	0.85	0.98	0.80	0.91	0.81	0.88	0.85	0.91
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.12	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 19

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Likely to recommend	657 60%	566 60%	62 67%EF	23 54%	76 64%ef	47 52%	48 51%	51 63%	29 57%	58 53%	105 66%EF	99 62%	59 61%	208 60%	186 56%	263 63%N	657 60%r	497 62%R	160 54%	175 76%U	461 56%	557 81%W	90 26%	306 71%Y	59 52%
Very likely to recommend	(4) 182 17%	159 17%	16 18%c	2 5%	22 18%c	10 11%	12 13%	12 15%	7 13%	12 11%	36 23%CEFI	36 23%CEf	17 18%c	51 15%	43 13%	89 21%MN	182 17%	144 18%r	39 13%	69 30%U	106 13%	168 24%W	14 4%	94 22%	19 17%
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 475 43%	406 43%	46 49%	21 49%	54 46%	37 41%	36 39%	39 48%	23 44%	45 42%	69 44%	63 39%	42 44%	158 46%	143 43%	174 42%	475 43%	354 44%	122 41%	106 46%	355 43%	389 57%W	76 22%	211 49%Y	39 35%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 251 23%	225 24%B	13 14%	15 35%BJ	25 21%	23 26%BJ	27 28%BJ	16 20%	13 25%b	28 26%BJ	25 16%	41 26%BJ	25 26%Bj	76 22%	84 25%	91 22%	251 23%	182 23%	69 24%	39 17%	211 26%T	87 13%	160 47%V	80 19%	30 27%X
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 94 9%	81 8%	10 11%	4 9%	7 6%	11 12%dk	14 15%DijK	8 10%	3 6%	7 6%	12 8%	9 6%	8 8%	32 9%	33 10%	29 7%	94 9%	62 8%	32 11%q	8 3%	83 10%T	12 2%	79 23%V	31 7%	18 16%X
NET: Not likely to recommend	345 32%	306 32%	23 25%	19 43%BdJ	33 27%	34 38%BdJ	41 43%BDgJ	24 30%	16 32%	35 33%	38 24%	50 31%	32 33%j	109 31%	117 35%o	120 29%	345 32%	243 30%	102 35%	46 20%	294 36%T	99 14%	239 69%V	111 26%	48 43%X
Don't know	92 8%	78 8%	8 8%	1 3%	11 9%	9 10%	5 5%	5 6%	6 11%	15 14%cFkL	16 10%	11 7%	5 5%	28 8%	31 9%	32 8%	92 8%	59 7%	32 11%q	10 4%	70 8%T	32 5%	15 5%	17 4%	6 5%
Mean	2.74	2.74	2.80ceF	2.51	2.84CEF	2.57	2.52	2.73	2.72	2.68	2.90CEFi	2.85CEF	2.75f	2.72	2.65	2.84mN	2.74r	2.78R	2.64	3.07U	2.64	3.09W	2.07	2.89Y	2.57
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.89	0.74	0.82	0.89	0.92	0.86	0.80	0.80	0.88	0.86	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.87	0.86	0.85	0.88	0.79	0.86	0.67	0.80	0.84	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.12	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.11	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 19

**Q4. Based on each of the following, how likely or unlikely would you be to recommend your current occupation to someone else?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Likely to recommend	657 60%	100 59%	88 51%	65 54%	127 62%B	112 63%B	95 74%ABCDEG	71 59%	55 76%ABCDEG
Very likely to recommend	(4) 182 17%	30 18% <sup>c</sup>	27 16%	12 10%	34 17% <sup>c</sup>	27 15%	32 25%BCdE	21 17%	22 30%ABCDEG
Fairly likely to recommend	(3) 475 43%	70 41%	61 35%	53 44%	93 45% <sup>b</sup>	85 48%B	63 49%B	50 42%	33 45%
Not very likely to recommend	(2) 251 23%	43 25% <sup>Fh</sup>	37 21%	26 22%	51 25% <sup>Fh</sup>	46 26% <sup>Fh</sup>	20 16%	28 24%	10 14%
Not at all likely to recommend	(1) 94 9%	15 9% <sup>F</sup>	24 14% <sup>DEF</sup>	19 16% <sup>aDEFh</sup>	10 5%	9 5%	4 3%	13 11% <sup>deF</sup>	4 6%
NET: Not likely to recommend	345 32%	58 34% <sup>FH</sup>	61 35% <sup>FH</sup>	46 38% <sup>FH</sup>	61 30% <sup>F</sup>	54 30% <sup>F</sup>	24 19%	41 34% <sup>FH</sup>	14 20%
Don't know	92 8%	11 7%	24 14% <sup>AdEfgH</sup>	10 8%	17 8%	12 7%	9 7%	8 6%	3 4%
Mean	2.74	2.73 <sup>c</sup>	2.61	2.52	2.80 <sup>bC</sup>	2.78 <sup>bC</sup>	3.04 <sup>ABCDE</sup>	2.70	3.05 <sup>ABCDEG</sup>
Standard deviation	0.86	0.88	0.96	0.90	0.79	0.78	0.76	0.90	0.85
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 20

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Summary table**

		Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094
NET: Agree		504 46%	722 66%	563 51%
Agree strongly	(4)	189 17%	261 24%	161 15%
Tend to agree	(3)	315 29%	461 42%	402 37%
Tend to disagree	(2)	284 26%	166 15%	254 23%
Disagree strongly	(1)	138 13%	55 5%	84 8%
NET: Disagree		422 39%	221 20%	338 31%
Don't know		168 15%	150 14%	193 18%
Mean		2.60	2.98	2.71
Standard deviation		0.97	0.83	0.87
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.03

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 21

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Summary table - NET: Agree**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	722 66%	386 66%	336 66%	87 65%	159 63%	175 70% <sup>d</sup>	169 64%	105 68%	27 64%	87 65%	159 63%	249 67%	200 68%	27 64%	207 68%	212 64%	166 64%	137 68%	419 66%	303 66%	161 67%	561 66%	645 66%	72 69%
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	563 51%	302 52%	261 51%	70 52%	127 51%	143 57% <sup>F</sup>	125 47%	76 50%	21 51%	70 52%	127 51%	198 53%	146 49%	21 51%	144 47%	165 50%	145 56% <sup>N</sup>	109 54%	309 49%	254 55% <sup>R</sup>	110 46%	452 53% <sup>T</sup>	491 50%	66 64% <sup>V</sup>
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	504 46%	273 47%	231 45%	67 50% <sup>F</sup>	117 47% <sup>f</sup>	128 51% <sup>F</sup>	103 39%	72 47%	17 41%	67 50%	117 47%	176 47%	127 43%	17 41%	132 43%	152 46%	110 43%	110 54% <sup>NoP</sup>	284 45%	220 48%	112 47%	392 46%	436 44%	65 63% <sup>V</sup>
None of these	275 25%	144 25%	131 26%	37 28% <sup>e</sup>	65 26% <sup>e</sup>	49 20%	71 27% <sup>e</sup>	39 25%	13 32% <sup>e</sup>	37 28%	65 26%	89 24%	70 24%	13 32%	75 25%	83 25%	68 26%	49 24%	158 25%	117 25%	61 25%	214 25%	252 26% <sup>w</sup>	19 18%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w****\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 21

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Agree**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	722 66%	627 66%	59 64%	30 70%	73 61%	57 64%	61 65%	55 68%	36 70%	80 74%dk	108 68%	98 61%	65 68%	219 63%	232 69%	272 65%	722 66%	533 67%	189 64%	144 62%	565 68%t	413 60%	288 84%V	292 67%	76 67%
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	563 51%	488 51%	45 49%	26 61%De	49 41%	38 43%	54 57%DE	41 51%	29 57%De	66 61%bDEI	86 54%De	84 52%de	44 46%	159 46%	190 57%M	215 52%	563 51%	418 52%	145 49%	118 51%	430 52%	321 47%	227 66%V	239 55%	65 58%
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	504 46%	437 46%	43 46%	18 43%	46 38%	40 45%	45 48%	37 47%	25 48%	57 52%DL	80 50%DL	78 49%l	36 37%	147 43%	164 49%am	193 47%	504 46%	377 47%	127 43%	97 42%	392 47%	260 38%	228 66%V	205 47%	56 50%
None of these	275 25%	236 25%	25 27%	7 16%	36 31%lj	25 27%i	26 28%i	17 21%	14 27%	19 17%	33 21%	47 29%lj	27 28%i	93 27%	75 23%	107 26%	275 25%	193 24%	82 28%	65 28%	192 23%	201 29%W	39 11%	103 24%	25 22%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 21

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Agree**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	722 66%	107 63%	121 70%h	84 69%	130 63%	118 66%	86 67%	76 64%	42 57%
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	563 51%	85 50%	96 55%	72 59%ef	105 51%	85 48%	59 47%	60 51%	35 47%
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	504 46%	73 43%	92 54%aEFH	56 46%	99 48%eH	71 40%	53 41%	60 50%eH	24 33%
None of these	275 25%	48 29%c	42 24%	23 19%	46 23%	52 29%C	32 25%	31 26%	27 37%bCDf

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 22

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Summary table - NET: Disagree**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	422 39%	215 37%	207 40%	49 36%	93 37%	82 33%	113 43%E	63 41%	22 53% <sup>c</sup>	49 36%	93 37%	131 35%	127 43% <sup>K</sup>	22 53% <sup>iJK</sup>	135 44% <sup>Q</sup>	128 39% <sup>Q</sup>	100 39% <sup>q</sup>	60 29%	263 41% <sup>S</sup>	160 35%	92 38%	330 39%	391 40% <sup>W</sup>	27 27%
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	338 31%	166 29%	172 34% <sup>a</sup>	41 31%	78 31%	64 25%	86 33% <sup>e</sup>	53 34% <sup>e</sup>	15 37%	41 31%	78 31%	101 27%	102 35% <sup>K</sup>	15 37%	119 39% <sup>OPQ</sup>	104 32% <sup>Q</sup>	69 27%	46 23%	223 35% <sup>S</sup>	115 25%	91 38% <sup>U</sup>	247 29%	313 32% <sup>W</sup>	22 21%
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	221 20%	119 20%	102 20%	25 18%	53 21%	39 16%	59 22% <sup>e</sup>	34 22%	12 29% <sup>E</sup>	25 18%	53 21%	65 17%	66 22%	12 29% <sup>k</sup>	68 23%	67 20%	51 20%	35 18%	135 21%	86 19%	44 18%	177 21%	200 20%	18 18%
None of these	573 52%	315 54%	258 50%	74 55%	131 52%	145 58% <sup>F</sup>	126 48%	77 50%	19 47%	74 55%	131 52%	210 57% <sup>L</sup>	138 47%	19 47%	134 44%	173 52% <sup>N</sup>	142 55% <sup>N</sup>	125 62% <sup>NO</sup>	306 48%	267 58% <sup>R</sup>	121 50%	452 53%	501 51%	66 64% <sup>V</sup>

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 22

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Disagree**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	422 39%	364 38%	41 44%i	13 31%	52 43%i	33 37%	35 37%	30 37%	17 33%	34 31%	62 39%	61 38%	44 46%i	140 40%	116 35%	167 40%	422 39%	302 38%	120 41%	109 47%U	308 37%	342 50%W	70 20%	182 42%	48 43%
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	338 31%	298 31%	29 31%	8 18%	48 40%CFH j	31 34%ci	25 27%	26 32%	12 22%	24 22%	48 30%	51 32% c	37 38%Ch l	115 33%N	87 26%	136 33%N	338 31%	241 30%	97 33%	88 38%U	245 30%	270 39%W	60 17%	138 32%	31 28%
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	221 20%	193 20%	21 23%i	7 16%	30 25%hl	16 18%	18 19%	18 22%	7 13%	15 14%	29 18%	42 26%HI j	19 20%	74 22%	57 17%	90 22%	221 20%	163 20%	58 20%	62 27%U	154 19%	193 28%W	25 7%	99 23%	24 21%
None of these	573 52%	498 52%	43 46%	27 63%b	57 47%	45 50%	50 53%	39 49%	32 62%Bd kl	68 62%BDeg kl	86 54%	79 50%	47 49%	172 50%	189 56% m	212 51%	573 52%	420 53%	153 52%	97 42%	446 54%T	279 41%	245 71%V	215 50%	58 51%

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**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 22

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Disagree**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction	422 39%	75 44%Bc	43 25%	40 33%	76 37%B	85 47%BCDg	60 47%BCd	44 37%B	38 53%BCDG
Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	338 31%	55 33%Bc	34 20%	26 22%	69 34%BC	62 35%BC	55 43%aBCdg	37 31%B	31 42%BC
Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status	221 20%	40 23%B	23 13%	22 18%	48 23%B	40 22%B	27 21%b	22 19%	21 28%B
None of these	573 52%	83 49%	118 68%ADEF	73 1%ad	101 49%EFH	81 45%	53 42%	63 53%f	30 42%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 23

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade							Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
NET: Agree	504 46%	273 47%	231 45%	67 50%F	117 47%f	128 51%F	103 39%	72 47%	17 41%	67 50%	117 47%	176 47%	127 43%	17 41%	132 43%	152 46%	110 43%	110 54%NoP	284 45%	220 48%	112 47%	392 46%	436 44%	65 63%V	
Agree strongly	(4) 17%	189 18%	102 17%	29 21%	41 16%	48 19%	41 15%	24 15%	7 16%	29 21%	41 16%	65 18%	47 16%	7 16%	42 14%	57 17%	37 14%	53 26%NOP	99 16%	90 20%r	40 16%	149 17%	159 16%	27 26%V	
Tend to agree	(3) 29%	315 29%	171 28%	38 29%	76 30%f	81 32%F	62 23%	48 31%f	10 24%	38 29%	76 30%	111 30%	80 27%	10 24%	90 30%	95 29%	73 28%	57 28%	185 29%	130 28%	73 30%	243 28%	277 28%	38 37%v	
Tend to disagree	(2) 26%	284 25%	144 27%	36 26%	65 26%	51 20%	72 27%e	48 31%E	13 31%	36 26%	65 26%	81 22%	89 30%K	13 31%	81 27%	87 26%	74 29%q	41 20%	169 27%	115 25%	65 27%	219 26%	262 27%W	18 18%	
Disagree strongly	(1) 13%	138 12%	71 13%	13 10%	28 11%	31 12%	42 16%	15 10%	9 22%CdG	13 10%	28 11%	49 13%	38 13%	9 22%lj	53 18%OPQ	40 12%	26 10%	18 9%	94 15%S	44 10%	27 11%	111 13%	129 13%	9 9%	
NET: Disagree	422 39%	215 37%	207 40%	49 36%	93 37%	82 33%	113 43%E	63 41%	22 53%cDE	49 36%	93 37%	131 35%	127 43%K	22 53%iJK	135 44%Q	128 39%Q	100 39%q	60 29%	263 41%S	160 35%	92 38%	330 39%	391 40%W	27 27%	
Don't know	168 15%	94 16%	74 14%	19 14%	40 16%h	39 16%	48 18%h	19 12%	3 6%	19 14%	40 16%h	65 18%h	41 14%	3 6%	37 12%	50 15%	48 19%N	32 16%	87 14%	81 18%r	37 15%	131 15%	154 16%	11 10%	
Mean	2.60	2.62	2.57	2.72Fh	2.62	2.69Fh	2.47	2.60	2.37	2.72m	2.62	2.63	2.53	2.37	2.45	2.60n	2.58	2.85NOP	2.53	2.70R	2.61	2.59	2.56	2.89V	
Standard deviation	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.97	0.95	0.98	1.01	0.91	1.03	0.97	0.95	0.99	0.96	1.03	0.98	0.97	0.92	0.98	0.98	0.96	0.94	0.98	0.97	0.94	
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.16	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.16	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.09	

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 23

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Agree	504 46%	437 46%	43 46%	18 43%	46 38%	40 45%	45 48%	37 47%	25 48%	57 52%DL	80 50%DL	78 49%l	36 37%	147 43%	164 49% m	193 47%	504 46%	377 47%	127 43%	97 42%	392 47%	260 38%	228 66%V	205 47%	56 50%
Agree strongly	(4) 189 17%	167 18%	12 13%	7 16%	15 13%	12 13%	22 24% bDeL	17 21%	10 19%	19 18%	34 22% bDeL	28 17%	11 12%	47 14%	68 20% M	74 18%	189 17%	137 17%	52 18%	37 16%	147 18%	77 11%	106 31%V	80 18%	26 23%
Tend to agree	(3) 315 29%	270 28%	30 33%	11 26%	31 26%	28 31%	23 24%	20 25%	15 30%	38 35%	45 29%	50 31%	24 25%	100 29%	96 29%	120 29%	315 29%	240 30%	75 26%	60 26%	245 30%	183 27%	121 35%V	125 29%	30 27%
Tend to disagree	(2) 284 26%	241 25%	30 32%	9 21%	30 25%	22 24%	23 24%	26 32%	14 27%	24 22%	39 25%	37 23%	30 32%	91 26%	87 26%	106 26%	284 26%	202 25%	82 28%	67 29%	213 26%	225 33%W	54 16%	125 29%	30 27%
Disagree strongly	(1) 138 13%	123 13%	11 12%	4 10%	21 18% GHi	11 13% g	12 13% g	4 5%	3 7%	10 9%	23 14% G	24 15% G	14 15% g	48 14% N	29 9%	61 15% N	138 13%	100 13%	38 13%	42 18% U	95 11%	117 17% W	16 5%	57 13%	18 16%
NET: Disagree	422 39%	364 38%	41 44% i	13 31%	52 43% i	33 37%	35 37%	30 37%	17 33%	34 31%	62 39%	61 38%	44 46% l	140 40%	116 35%	167 40%	422 39%	302 38%	120 41%	109 47% U	308 37%	342 50% W	70 20%	182 42%	48 43%
Don't know	168 15%	149 16%	9 10%	11 26% BJk	22 18% bj	16 18%	14 15%	13 16%	9 18%	17 16%	17 11%	21 13%	16 17%	59 17%	54 16%	55 13%	168 15%	121 15%	47 16%	25 11%	126 15% t	85 12%	46 13%	46 11%	9 8%
Mean	2.60	2.60	2.52	2.67	2.40	2.56	2.70dl	2.75DL	2.74dl	2.73DL	2.65dl	2.59	2.41	2.51	2.73Mo	2.57	2.60	2.61	2.57	2.45	2.63T	2.37	3.07V	2.59	2.62
Standard deviation	0.97	0.98	0.91	0.98	1.00	0.95	1.04	0.91	0.91	0.92	1.02	1.00	0.94	0.96	0.95	1.00	0.97	0.97	0.99	1.01	0.96	0.94	0.87	0.98	1.04
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.09	0.19	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.13	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.11	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.10

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 23

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my job satisfaction**

		Sector								
		Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base		1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base		1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Agree		504 46%	73 43%	92 54%aEFH	56 46%	99 48%eH	71 40%	53 41%	60 50%eH	24 33%
Agree strongly	(4)	189 17%	28 17%	37 22%fh	21 18%	34 17%	28 16%	16 13%	23 19%	8 10%
Tend to agree	(3)	315 29%	45 27%	55 32%	34 28%	65 32%e	43 24%	36 28%	37 31%	17 23%
Tend to disagree	(2)	284 26%	51 30%Bg	34 20%	31 25%	50 24%	54 30%Bg	40 32%Bg	25 21%	24 32%Bg
Disagree strongly	(1)	138 13%	24 14%Bc	9 5%	9 7%	26 13%B	31 17%BC	19 15%Bc	19 16%BC	15 20%BC
NET: Disagree		422 39%	75 44%Bc	43 25%	40 33%	76 37%B	85 47%BCDg	60 47%BCd	44 37%B	38 53%BCDG
Don't know		168 15%	21 12%	37 21%AEFg	26 22%AEF	30 15%	23 13%	15 12%	16 13%	10 14%
Mean		2.60	2.52	2.89ADEFg H	2.71EFH	2.61H	2.44	2.44	2.61H	2.27
Standard deviation		0.97	0.98	0.89	0.92	0.96	1.00	0.94	1.03	0.97
Standard error		0.03	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.13

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 24

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
NET: Agree	722 66%	386 66%	336 66%	87 65%	159 63%	175 70% <sup>d</sup>	169 64%	105 68%	27 64%	87 65%	159 63%	249 67%	200 68%	27 64%	207 68%	212 64%	166 64%	137 68%	419 66%	303 66%	161 67%	561 66%	645 66%	72 69%
Agree strongly	(4) 261 24%	139 24%	122 24%	30 22%	59 24%	67 27%	57 22%	39 25%	9 23%	30 22%	59 24%	91 25%	72 24%	9 23%	64 21%	78 24%	54 21%	65 32% <sup>NOP</sup>	142 22%	119 26%	49 20%	212 25%	233 24%	25 24%
Tend to agree	(3) 461 42%	248 43%	214 42%	58 43%	100 40%	108 43%	112 43%	66 43%	17 42%	58 43%	100 40%	158 43%	128 43%	17 42%	143 47% <sup>oQ</sup>	134 41%	112 43%	72 36%	277 44%	184 40%	112 46%	350 41%	412 42%	47 45%
Tend to disagree	(2) 166 15%	92 16%	74 14%	19 14%	38 15%	30 12%	43 16%	27 18%	9 21%	19 14%	38 15%	48 13%	52 18%	9 21%	46 15%	54 16%	40 15%	26 13%	100 16%	66 14%	35 15%	131 15%	152 15%	11 11%
Disagree strongly	(1) 55 5%	27 5%	28 5%	5 4%	15 6%	9 4%	16 6%	6 4%	3 8%	5 4%	15 6%	17 5%	14 5%	3 8%	23 7% <sup>O</sup>	13 4%	11 4%	9 5%	35 6%	20 4%	9 4%	46 5%	48 5%	7 7%
NET: Disagree	221 20%	119 20%	102 20%	25 18%	53 21%	39 16%	59 22% <sup>e</sup>	34 22%	12 29% <sup>E</sup>	25 18%	53 21%	65 17%	66 22%	12 29% <sup>k</sup>	68 23%	67 20%	51 20%	35 18%	135 21%	86 19%	44 18%	177 21%	200 20%	18 18%
Don't know	150 14%	76 13%	74 14%	22 17%	39 15%	35 14%	36 14%	15 10%	3 7%	22 17% <sup>l</sup>	39 15% <sup>l</sup>	57 15% <sup>L</sup>	29 10%	3 7%	28 9%	51 15% <sup>N</sup>	42 16% <sup>N</sup>	30 15% <sup>n</sup>	79 12%	72 16%	36 15%	114 13%	137 14%	13 13%
Mean	2.98	2.98	2.98	2.99	2.96	3.09 <sup>dFh</sup>	2.92	2.99	2.85	2.99	2.96	3.03	2.97	2.85	2.90	2.99	2.97	3.12 <sup>N</sup>	2.95	3.03	2.98	2.98	2.98	2.99
Standard deviation	0.83	0.82	0.84	0.80	0.86	0.78	0.85	0.82	0.89	0.80	0.86	0.81	0.83	0.89	0.85	0.81	0.80	0.86	0.83	0.83	0.77	0.85	0.83	0.85
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.09

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 24

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber-side (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Agree		722 66%	627 66%	59 64%	30 70%	73 61%	57 64%	61 65%	55 68%	36 70%	80 74%dk	108 68%	98 61%	65 68%	219 63%	232 69%	272 65%	722 66%	533 67%	189 64%	144 62%	565 68%t	413 60%	288 84%V	292 67%	76 67%
Agree strongly	(4)	261 24%	225 24%	18 20%	10 23%	24 20%	16 17%	27 28%e	19 24%	17 33%abdE	25 23%	43 27%e	39 25%	23 24%	68 20%	88 26%M	105 25% m	261 24%	192 24%	69 23%	54 23%	204 25%	114 17%	140 41%V	105 24%	39 35%X
Tend to agree	(3)	461 42%	402 42%	41 44%	20 48%	48 40%	42 46%	34 37%	35 44%	19 36%	55 51%fhK	66 41%	59 37%	42 44%	151 44%	144 43%	167 40%	461 42%	342 43%	120 41%	90 39%	360 44%	299 43%	148 43%	187 43%Y	37 33%
Tend to disagree	(2)	166 15%	146 15%	15 16%	6 13%	20 17%	11 12%	12 13%	16 20%	6 11%	13 12%	19 12%	33 21%iJ	16 17%	51 15%	47 14%	68 16%	166 15%	125 16%	41 14%	44 19%u	118 14%	144 21%W	18 5%	77 18%	16 14%
Disagree strongly	(1)	55 5%	48 5%	7 7%i	1 3%	10 9%ghll	5 6%	6 6%	2 2%	1 2%	2 2%	10 6%i	9 6%	2 3%	23 7%N	11 3%	22 5%	55 5%	38 5%	17 6%	18 8%U	36 4%	48 7%W	6 2%	22 5%	8 7%
NET: Disagree		221 20%	193 20%	21 23%i	7 16%	30 25%hll	16 18%	18 19%	18 22%	7 13%	15 14%	29 18%	42 26%HlJ	19 20%	74 22%	57 17%	90 22%	221 20%	163 20%	58 20%	62 27%U	154 19%	193 28%W	25 7%	99 23%	24 21%
Don't know		150 14%	129 14%	13 14%	6 14%	17 14%	16 18%	15 16%	8 9%	9 17%	14 13%	22 14%	20 12%	12 13%	52 15%	45 14%	54 13%	150 14%	103 13%	47 16%	25 11%	106 13%	82 12%	31 9%	42 10%	13 12%
Mean		2.98	2.98	2.88	3.05	2.84	2.92	3.04	2.99	3.22ABD EK	3.09bD	3.03	2.91	3.02	2.90	3.07M	2.98	2.98	2.99	2.98	2.87	3.02T	2.79	3.35V	2.96	3.07
Standard deviation		0.83	0.83	0.85	0.74	0.90	0.81	0.89	0.77	0.77	0.69	0.86	0.88	0.77	0.84	0.78	0.85	0.83	0.82	0.85	0.90	0.81	0.84	0.68	0.83	0.94
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.13	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 24

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my economic status**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Agree	722 66%	107 63%	121 70%h	84 69%	130 63%	118 66%	86 67%	76 64%	42 57%
Agree strongly	(4) 261 24%	42 25%	47 27%c	22 18%	46 22%	41 23%	28 22%	36 30%Ch	14 19%
Tend to agree	(3) 461 42%	65 39%	75 43%	62 51%AdG	84 41%	78 43%g	58 45%g	40 34%	28 38%
Tend to disagree	(2) 166 15%	27 16%	19 11%	18 14%	36 18%b	29 16%	22 17%	15 12%	14 19%
Disagree strongly	(1) 55 5%	12 7%B	4 2%	5 4%	12 6%b	10 6%b	5 4%	8 6%b	7 9%B
NET: Disagree	221 20%	40 23%B	23 13%	22 18%	48 23%B	40 22%B	27 21%b	22 19%	21 28%B
Don't know	150 14%	22 13%	28 16%	15 13%	28 14%	21 11%	15 12%	21 18%	11 15%
Mean	2.98	2.93	3.14AcDEf H	2.95	2.92	2.94	2.97	3.06h	2.78
Standard deviation	0.83	0.90	0.74	0.74	0.85	0.84	0.79	0.91	0.91
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 25

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?****Base: All working adults****Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Total	Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
NET: Agree	563 51%	302 52%	261 51%	70 52%	127 51%	143 57%F	125 47%	76 50%	21 51%	70 52%	127 51%	198 53%	146 49%	21 51%	144 47%	165 50%	145 56%N	109 54%	309 49%	254 55%R	110 46%	452 53%T	491 50%	66 64%V	
Agree strongly	(4) 15%	161 14%	79 16%	21 15%	40 16%	44 18%F	29 11%	19 12%	8 20%f	21 15%	40 16%	58 16%	34 11%	8 20%	38 13%	44 13%	37 14%	42 21%NOp	82 13%	79 17%r	27 11%	134 16%t	138 14%	20 19%	
Tend to agree	(3) 37%	402 38%	223 35%	179 37%	49 35%	88 39%	96 36%	58 37%	13 31%	49 37%	88 35%	140 38%	113 38%	13 31%	106 35%	121 37%	108 42%enq	67 33%	227 36%	175 38%	84 35%	318 37%	353 36%	47 45%v	
Tend to disagree	(2) 23%	254 22%	126 25%	128 25%	34 21%	51 21%	64 24%	41 27%	11 26%	34 25%	51 21%	80 21%	78 27%	11 26%	88 29%pQ	78 24%Q	56 22%	33 16%	166 26%S	89 19%	75 31%U	179 21%	238 24%W	13 13%	
Disagree strongly	(1) 8%	84 7%	40 8%	43 8%	7 5%	27 11%cE	10 4%	23 9%E	12 8%	4 10%e	7 5%	27 11%iK	21 6%	24 8%	4 10%	32 10%P	26 8%	13 5%	13 6%	58 9%S	26 6%	16 7%	68 8%	75 8%	9 9%
NET: Disagree	338 31%	166 29%	172 34%a	41 31%	78 31%	64 25%	86 33%e	53 34%e	15 37%	41 31%	78 31%	101 27%	102 35%K	15 37%	119 39%OPQ	104 32%Q	69 27%	46 23%	223 35%S	115 25%	91 38%U	247 29%	313 32%W	22 21%	
Don't know	193 18%	114 20%b	80 16%	23 17%	45 18%	43 17%	52 20%	25 16%	5 12%	23 17%	45 18%	73 20%	47 16%	5 12%	40 13%	61 18%n	44 17%	48 24%N	101 16%	92 20%r	40 17%	153 18%	177 18%	15 14%	
Mean	2.71	2.73	2.69	2.75	2.68	2.86DFG	2.62	2.64	2.70	2.75	2.68	2.79L	2.63	2.70	2.57	2.68	2.79N	2.89NO	2.63	2.83R	2.60	2.74T	2.69	2.88V	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.84	0.89	0.83	0.93	0.81	0.85	0.84	0.97	0.83	0.93	0.84	0.84	0.97	0.88	0.86	0.80	0.90	0.87	0.84	0.82	0.88	0.86	0.87	
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.16	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.16	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09	

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 25

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
NET: Agree		563 51%	488 51%	45 49%	26 61%De	49 41%	38 43%	54 57%DE	41 51%	29 57%De	66 61%bDEI	86 54%De	84 52%de	44 46%	159 46%	190 57%M	215 52%	563 51%	418 52%	145 49%	118 51%	430 52%	321 47%	227 66%V	239 55%	65 58%
Agree strongly	(4)	161 15%	139 15%	12 13%	5 11%	11 9%	13 15%	15 16%	15 18%de	10 20%Di	11 10%	25 16%de	32 20%DI	12 12%	40 12%	51 15%	70 17%M	161 15%	113 14%	48 16%	28 12%	131 16%	62 9%	93 27%V	69 16%	21 18%
Tend to agree	(3)	402 37%	350 37%	34 36%	21 50%de	38 32%	25 28%	39 41%e	26 33%	19 36%	55 51%BDEG38%e hjkL	61 54%De	52 32%	33 34%	118 34%	139 41%mo	145 35%	402 37%	306 38%r	96 33%	90 39%	299 36%	259 38%	134 39%	170 39%	45 40%
Tend to disagree	(2)	254 23%	222 23%	23 25%	6 15%	34 28%	23 26%	20 21%	22 27%	9 18%	20 19%	34 21%	34 21%	29 30%ci	87 25%	71 21%	96 23%	254 23%	185 23%	69 24%	61 27%	189 23%	204 30%W	43 13%	105 24%	21 18%
Disagree strongly	(1)	84 8%	75 8%	6 6%	1 3%	14 12%cl	7 8%	5 6%	4 5%	3 5%	4 4%	15 9%ci	17 11%ci	8 8%	28 8%ni	16 5%	40 10%N	84 8%	56 7%	28 9%	26 11%U	56 7%	67 10%W	16 5%	33 8%	11 9%
NET: Disagree		338 31%	298 31%	29 31%	8 18%	48 40%CFHI	31 34%ci	25 27%	26 32%	12 22%	24 22%	48 30%	51 32%ci	37 38%ChI	115 33%N	87 26%	136 33%N	338 31%	241 30%	97 33%	88 38%U	245 30%	270 39%W	60 17%	138 32%	31 28%
Don't know		193 18%	163 17%	19 20%	9 21%	23 19%	21 23%j	15 16%	13 16%	11 21%	19 17%	24 15%	25 16%	15 16%	71 21%o	58 17%	64 15%	193 18%	141 18%	52 18%	26 11%	150 18%T	96 14%	57 17%	57 13%	16 14%
Mean		2.71	2.70	2.69d	2.88	2.46	2.64	2.81D	2.77D	2.91DI	2.81DI	2.72D	2.73D	2.60	2.62	2.81M	2.70	2.71	2.72	2.68	2.58	2.75T	2.54	3.06V	2.73	2.78
Standard deviation		0.87	0.87	0.83	0.68	0.88	0.91	0.82	0.86	0.86	0.70	0.90	0.97	0.86	0.86	0.80	0.91	0.87	0.84	0.92	0.88	0.86	0.83	0.84	0.86	0.91
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.13	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.12	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 25

**Q5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about your career choices?**

**Base: All working adults**

**Choosing a different career would have improved my social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
NET: Agree	563 51%	85 50%	96 55%	72 59%ef	105 51%	85 48%	59 47%	60 51%	35 47%
Agree strongly	(4) 15%	20 12%	39 23%ACDFH	14 12%	22 11%	29 16%h	16 12%	21 17%dH	5 7%
Tend to agree	(3) 37%	65 39%	56 33%	57 47%BEFG	83 40%e	57 32%	44 34%	40 33%	30 41%
Tend to disagree	(2) 23%	40 24%Bc	26 15%	18 15%	52 25%BC	46 25%BC	44 34%aBCdeg	29 24%bc	22 31%BC
Disagree strongly	(1) 8%	15 9%	8 5%	8 7%	17 8%	17 9%b	11 8%	8 6%	8 12%b
NET: Disagree	338 31%	55 33%Bc	34 20%	26 22%	69 34%BC	62 35%BC	55 43%aBCdg	37 31%B	31 42%BC
Don't know	193 18%	29 17%	43 25%aDeFH	23 19%f	31 15%	31 17%f	14 11%	23 19%f	8 10%
Mean	2.71	2.64	2.98ADEFG H	2.80FH	2.63	2.66	2.56	2.76h	2.48
Standard deviation	0.87	0.85	0.87	0.79	0.83	0.92	0.85	0.88	0.82
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 26

**Q6. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their economic status ? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Total	Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Professional, scientific & technical	320 29%	170 29%	149 29%	30 22%	58 23%	75 30% <sup>d</sup>	91 34% <sup>CD</sup>	55 35% <sup>CD</sup>	11 27%	30 22%	58 23%	119 32% <sup>IJ</sup>	101 34% <sup>IJ</sup>	11 27%	108 36% <sup>OPq</sup>	89 27%	67 26%	56 28%	197 31%	123 27%	62 26%	257 30%	283 29%	33 32%
Finance & insurance	296 27%	163 28%	133 26%	31 23%	67 27%	61 24%	73 28%	51 33% <sup>ce</sup>	14 33%	31 23%	67 27%	94 25%	91 31%	14 33%	93 31% <sup>q</sup>	85 26%	71 27%	47 23%	178 28%	118 26%	64 26%	233 27%	261 27%	35 34%
Construction	269 25%	157 27% <sup>b</sup>	112 22%	39 29%	61 25%	56 23%	65 25%	36 23%	11 26%	39 29%	61 25%	83 22%	74 25%	11 26%	66 22%	92 28% <sup>n</sup>	61 23%	51 25%	158 25%	111 24%	69 29%	200 23%	246 25%	23 22%
Education	257 24%	127 22%	130 25%	35 26%	64 25%	54 22%	56 21%	41 27%	7 17%	35 26%	64 25%	78 21%	74 25%	7 17%	81 27%	71 21%	58 23%	48 24%	151 24%	106 23%	66 27%	191 22%	225 23%	29 28%
Information & communication	228 21%	133 23% <sup>b</sup>	95 19%	22 16%	53 21%	53 21%	58 22%	34 22%	9 21%	22 16%	53 21%	75 20%	70 24% <sup>i</sup>	9 21%	80 26% <sup>PQ</sup>	74 22% <sup>Q</sup>	44 17%	30 15%	154 24% <sup>S</sup>	74 16%	51 21%	178 21%	200 20%	28 27% <sup>v</sup>
Property	221 20%	122 21%	98 19%	14 10%	57 23% <sup>C</sup>	55 22% <sup>C</sup>	55 21% <sup>C</sup>	28 18% <sup>c</sup>	12 28% <sup>C</sup>	14 10%	57 23% <sup>l</sup>	76 20% <sup>l</sup>	63 21% <sup>l</sup>	12 28% <sup>l</sup>	70 23% <sup>q</sup>	65 20%	52 20%	33 16%	135 21%	85 19%	55 23%	166 19%	188 19%	31 30% <sup>V</sup>
Health	211 19%	110 19%	100 20%	30 22%	46 19%	49 20%	44 17%	31 20%	10 25%	30 22%	46 19%	72 19%	52 18%	10 25%	60 20%	64 19%	50 19%	37 19%	123 19%	87 19%	67 28% <sup>U</sup>	144 17%	179 18%	30 29% <sup>V</sup>
Retail	179 16%	95 16%	84 16%	32 24% <sup>dEg</sup>	41 16%	31 13%	45 17%	23 15%	7 16%	32 24% <sup>ijKL</sup>	41 16%	54 14%	45 15%	7 16%	58 19% <sup>O</sup>	42 13%	41 16%	38 19% <sup>o</sup>	100 16%	79 17%	33 14%	146 17%	167 17%	12 12%
Manufacturing	176 16%	103 18%	73 14%	23 17%	29 12%	32 13%	53 20% <sup>DE</sup>	28 18% <sup>d</sup>	11 26% <sup>DE</sup>	23 17%	29 12%	58 16%	55 19% <sup>J</sup>	11 26% <sup>Jk</sup>	55 18%	51 16%	42 16%	27 13%	106 17%	69 15%	44 18%	132 15%	162 17%	13 12%
Business administration & support services	163 15%	93 16%	70 14%	24 18%	40 16%	36 15%	34 13%	19 12%	11 27% <sup>deFG</sup>	24 18%	40 16%	53 14%	36 12%	11 27% <sup>ijKL</sup>	51 17%	49 15%	37 14%	26 13%	100 16%	63 14%	32 13%	131 15%	140 14%	23 22% <sup>V</sup>
Motor trades	149 14%	105 18% <sup>B</sup>	44 9%	16 12%	30 12%	41 16%	33 13%	19 12%	10 25% <sup>CDFG</sup>	16 12%	30 12%	53 14%	40 14%	10 25% <sup>lJkl</sup>	37 12%	46 14%	39 15%	27 13%	83 13%	66 14%	32 13%	117 14%	144 15% <sup>W</sup>	4 4%
Public administration & defence	147 13%	77 13%	70 14%	11 8%	22 9%	32 13%	47 18% <sup>CD</sup>	27 18% <sup>CD</sup>	9 21% <sup>CD</sup>	11 8%	22 9%	50 13% <sup>j</sup>	56 19% <sup>IJk</sup>	9 21% <sup>IJ</sup>	51 17% <sup>pq</sup>	47 14%	29 11%	21 10%	97 15% <sup>S</sup>	50 11%	35 14%	112 13%	130 13%	16 16%

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\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 26

**Q6. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their economic status ? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	126 12%	83 14%B	44 9%	13 9%	28 11%	29 12%	32 12%	19 12%	6 13%	13 9%	28 11%	43 12%	37 13%	6 13%	35 12%	38 11%	28 11%	26 13%	73 12%	53 12%	32 13%	94 11%	117 12%	9 9%
Accommodation & food services	118 11%	54 9%	64 12%a	17 13%	22 9%	27 11%	33 12%	12 8%	6 15%	17 13%	22 9%	41 11%	32 11%	6 15%	31 10%	38 12%	28 11%	21 10%	69 11%	49 11%	27 11%	91 11%	105 11%	13 12%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	108 10%	63 11%	45 9%	14 11%	20 8%	26 10%	28 10%	14 9%	6 15%	14 11%	20 8%	37 10%	30 10%	6 15%	32 10%	32 10%	23 9%	20 10%	64 10%	43 9%	21 9%	87 10%	92 9%	13 13%
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	89 8%	47 8%	42 8%	18 14%DF	13 5%	28 11%DF	15 6%	13 9%	2 4%	18 14%JL	13 5%	34 9%j	22 7%	2 4%	24 8%	29 9%	20 8%	16 8%	53 8%	36 8%	22 9%	68 8%	80 8%	8 8%
Wholesale	58 5%	32 5%	26 5%	13 9%GH	15 6%gh	13 5%	14 5%	3 2%	-	13 9%kLM	15 6%lm	18 5%	12 4%	-	16 5%	17 5%	17 7%	7 4%	33 5%	25 5%	12 5%	46 5%	49 5%	8 8%
None of the above	21 2%	10 2%	11 2%	3 2%	3 1%	8 3%	4 1%	3 2%	1 2%	3 2%	3 1%	11 3%	4 1%	1 2%	5 2%	7 2%	4 2%	4 2%	12 2%	9 2%	4 2%	17 2%	19 2%	2 2%
Don't know	220 20%	107 18%	113 22%	26 19%	50 20%	56 23%	54 20%	28 18%	7 16%	26 19%	50 20%	85 23%	53 18%	7 16%	44 15%	71 22%N	57 22%N	47 23%N	115 18%	104 23%r	43 18%	177 21%	204 21%W	11 11%

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**Base: All working adults**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Professional, scientific & technical	320 29%	287 30%	22 23%	14 32%	31 26%	25 28%	29 31%	20 25%	11 21%	39 36%bh	54 34%bh	50 31%	25 26%	92 27%	99 29%	129 31%	320 29%	229 29%	91 31%	82 35%U	233 28%	202 29%	108 31%	120 28%	46 41%X
Finance & insurance	296 27%	269 28%B	18 19%	10 24%	27 22%	23 25%	24 26%	20 26%	10 20%	36 33%Bdh	60 38%BDEFGHKL	45 28%	23 24%	77 22%	91 27%	128 31%M	296 27%	213 27%	83 28%	65 28%	225 27%	191 28%	98 28%	108 25%	44 39%X
Construction	269 25%	237 25%	21 23%	11 25%	36 30%fiK	22 24%	19 20%	28 35%bFIK	11 22%	21 20%	39 25%	31 20%	29 31%ik	90 26%	79 24%	100 24%	269 25%	199 25%	70 24%	60 26%	205 25%	176 26%	83 24%	156 36%Y	15 13%
Education	257 24%	221 23%	20 22%	8 19%	27 23%	17 19%	25 27%	22 28%	16 32%e	25 23%	36 23%	37 23%	22 22%	73 21%	89 27%lm	95 23%	257 24%	185 23%	72 25%	60 26%	191 23%	170 25%	79 23%	113 26%	25 22%
Information & communication	228 21%	200 21%	16 17%	8 19%	24 20%E	9 10%	28 29%BEI	17 21%E	13 25%E	18 17%	37 24%E	38 24%E	21 22%E	56 16%	75 23%M	97 23%M	228 21%	175 22%	53 18%	55 24%	170 21%	150 22%	74 21%	98 22%	24 21%
Property	221 20%	197 21%	15 16%	7 17%	15 12%	16 17%	19 20%	13 16%	8 16%	25 23%cd	52 33%BcDEFGHIKL	31 19%	21 22%cd	53 15%	65 19%	103 25%Mn	221 20%	168 21%	53 18%	54 23%	162 20%	138 20%	75 22%	93 21%	23 20%
Health	211 19%	177 19%	16 18%	11 25%	26 22%	15 16%	18 19%	15 19%	17 33%ABEfgIJKL	15 14%	29 18%	31 20%	16 17%	68 20%	66 20%	77 19%	211 19%	146 18%	65 22%	45 19%	157 19%	148 22%W	55 16%	93 21%	21 19%
Retail	179 16%	154 16%	16 17%	9 22%i	19 16%	12 13%	14 15%	15 19%	9 18%	11 10%	26 16%	23 14%	24 25%EFik	57 16%	50 15%	72 17%	179 16%	135 17%	44 15%	35 15%	139 17%	129 19%W	46 13%	86 20%Y	13 12%
Manufacturing	176 16%	153 16%	16 17%	5 11%	27 22%fiJK	21 24%FhIJKI	11 12%	22 27%cFhIJKL	7 13%	14 13%	20 13%	20 12%	13 14%	68 20%O	54 16%	54 13%	176 16%	131 16%	44 15%	38 16%	136 16%	118 17%	53 15%	95 22%Y	15 13%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 26

**Q6. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their economic status ? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Business administration & support services	163 15%	139 15%	10 11%	6 14%	17 15%	11 12%	14 15%	10 13%	14 27% Gik	9 ABDEf9%	29 18% l	27 17% i	16 16%	44 13%	48 14%	71 17%	163 15%	127 16%	37 12%	37 16%	125 15%	116 17%	46 13%	66 15%	23 20%
Motor trades	149 14%	126 13%	16 17% lj	5 11%	21 18% lj	13 15%	15 16% i	14 18% l	7 13%	8 8%	16 10%	19 12%	13 13%	56 16% o	45 13%	48 12%	149 14%	110 14%	39 13%	29 13%	116 14%	99 14%	45 13%	79 18% Y	7 6%
Public administration & defence	147 13%	127 13%	12 13%	8 20% l	12 10%	12 14%	15 16% l	13 16% l	9 17% l	19 18% L	19 12%	21 13%	7 8%	44 13%	56 17% O	47 11%	147 13%	102 13%	45 15%	39 17%	107 13%	95 14%	49 14%	59 14%	18 16%
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	126 12%	113 12%	11 12%	5 11%	18 15% h	13 14% h	9 10%	11 14%	3 5%	10 10%	16 10%	16 10%	16 16% H	46 13%	33 10%	47 11%	126 12%	93 12%	33 11%	23 10%	101 12%	87 13%	33 10%	65 15% Y	5 4%
Accommodation & food services	118 11%	102 11%	11 12%	6 14%	14 11%	11 13%	8 8%	8 10%	4 8%	7 6%	16 10%	19 12%	13 14% i	42 12% n	27 8%	48 12%	118 11%	89 11%	28 10%	25 11%	89 11%	80 12%	34 10%	56 13%	9 8%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	108 10%	90 10%	10 10%	1 3%	7 6%	9 10%	7 8%	8 10%	8 15% cdl	12 11%	21 13% cdl	18 11%	6 6%	27 8%	35 10%	45 11%	108 10%	81 10%	27 9%	26 11%	79 10%	72 10%	32 9%	41 9%	13 12%
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	89 8%	79 8%	6 6%	3 8%	9 8%	6 7%	5 6%	8 11%	4 8%	5 5%	14 9%	20 12% i	7 8%	25 7%	23 7%	41 10%	89 8%	68 9%	21 7%	22 10%	63 8%	61 9%	24 7%	51 12% Y	4 3%
Wholesale	58 5%	52 5%	4 5%	1 3%	9 8%	8 9% j	4 4%	7 9%	2 3%	5 5%	6 4%	8 5%	4 4%	23 7%	17 5%	18 4%	58 5%	47 6%	11 4%	10 4%	43 5%	43 6%	13 4%	38 9% Y	3 2%
None of the above	21 2%	16 2%	2 2%	-	7 6% eGJK	1 1%	2 2%	-	3 7% AEGJK2%	2 2%	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%	9 3%	7 2%	5 1%	21 2%	13 2%	8 3%	5 2%	15 2%	12 2%	4 1%	5 1%	5 4% X
Don't know	220 20%	189 20%	22 24% g	5 12%	24 20%	24 27% cGj	20 21%	10 12%	8 16%	28 26% cG	28 18%	30 19%	20 21%	75 22%	66 20%	78 19%	220 20%	150 19%	70 24% q	31 14%	174 21% T	109 16%	81 24% V	47 11%	22 19% X

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### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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**Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Professional, scientific & technical	320 29%	48 29%	45 26%	35 29%	67 33%	59 33%	36 28%	29 24%	20 27%
Finance & insurance	296 27%	39 23%	47 27%g	28 23%	62 30%Gh	60 33%AcGH	39 30%Gh	22 19%	13 18%
Construction	269 25%	51 30%bde	37 21%	37 30%bde	43 21%	38 21%	35 27%	29 24%	28 39%BDEfG
Education	257 24%	35 21%	36 21%	24 20%	39 19%	51 28%DG	50 39%ABCD eG18% H	22 18%	15 21%
Information & communication	228 21%	29 17%	23 13%	18 15%	65 32%ABCGH	49 28%ABCGh	30 24%BcG	14 12%	12 16%
Property	221 20%	40 23%B	23 13%	21 18%	44 22%B	35 19%	33 26%B	25 21%b	17 23%b
Health	211 19%	28 17%	25 14%	25 21%	34 16%	39 22%b	24 19%	36 30%ABcDF	15 20%
Retail	179 16%	27 16%	37 22%cF	16 13%	32 15%	26 15%	15 11%	26 22%cF	13 18%
Manufacturing	176 16%	41 24%BDEf	21 12%	23 19%e	29 14%	19 11%	19 15%	23 19%E	14 19%e
Business administration & support services	163 15%	23 14%	30 17%g	16 13%	36 18%g	30 17%g	17 13%	12 10%	12 17%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Motor trades	149 14%	33 19%BF	12 7%	17 14%b	32 15%B	24 13%b	14 11%	18 15%B	14 20%Bf
Public administration & defence	147 13%	21 12%	27 16%D	13 10%	17 8%	35 20%aCD	19 15%D	15 13%	11 15%d
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	126 12%	21 12%F	17 10%F	35 29%ABDEFGH %f	19 14%e	17 9%f	5 4%	13 11%F	8 11%f
Accommodation & food services	118 11%	16 9%	17 10%	15 13%	29 14%e	15 9%	12 9%	13 11%	7 10%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	108 10%	16 10%	16 9%	11 9%	23 11%	24 14%F	8 6%	10 8%	8 11%
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	89 8%	21 13%BdEf	9 5%	9 7%	14 7%	11 6%	7 6%	16 14%BDEF	12 16%BcDEF
Wholesale	58 5%	12 7%	12 7%	6 5%	8 4%	8 4%	4 3%	8 7%	5 7%
None of the above	21 2%	1 1%	6 3%ad	3 3%	2 1%	3 2%	3 2%	4 3%a	- -
Don't know	220 20%	34 20%	44 26%cDg	21 17%	35 17%	39 22%	27 21%	19 16%	13 17%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 27

**Q7. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their social status (e.g. their standing and personal achievements)? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Professional, scientific & technical	345 32%	183 31%	163 32%	40 30%	71 28%	67 27%	93 35% dE	62 40% cDE	12 28%	40 30%	71 28%	111 30%	111 38% JK	12 28%	108 36%	99 30%	80 31%	58 29%	207 33%	138 30%	76 31%	270 32%	307 31%	37 36%
Education	317 29%	161 28%	157 31%	41 30%	75 30%	65 26%	73 28%	49 32%	14 33%	41 30%	75 30%	99 27%	89 30%	14 33%	97 32% Q	102 31% Q	73 28%	45 22%	199 31% S	118 26%	77 32%	240 28%	288 29%	26 25%
Finance & insurance	269 25%	141 24%	128 25%	26 20%	65 26% e	49 20%	74 28% cE	43 28% e	11 26%	26 20%	65 26%	84 22%	83 28% i	11 26%	78 26% Q	90 27% Q	66 25% q	36 18%	167 26%	102 22%	57 23%	212 25%	234 24%	33 32% v
Health	243 22%	126 22%	117 23%	28 21%	64 25%	48 19%	57 22%	36 23%	10 24%	28 21%	64 25% k	74 20%	68 23%	10 24%	85 28% OQ	64 20%	58 22%	36 18%	149 24%	94 20%	75 31% U	168 20%	216 22%	25 24%
Property	191 17%	100 17%	91 18%	22 16%	46 18%	37 15%	54 20%	26 17%	6 14%	22 16%	46 18%	58 15%	60 20%	6 14%	49 16%	56 17%	48 19%	37 18%	105 17%	86 19%	45 19%	146 17%	164 17%	26 25% v
Information & communication	189 17%	113 19% B	76 15%	17 12%	33 13%	48 19% d	54 21% cD	24 15%	14 33% CDEF G	17 12%	33 13%	65 17%	61 21% iJ	14 33% iJKI	64 21% q	56 17%	41 16%	29 14%	120 19%	70 15%	46 19%	143 17%	169 17%	20 20%
Public administration & defence	185 17%	98 17%	86 17%	17 13%	39 16%	38 15%	54 20% c	26 17%	11 26% Cde	17 13%	39 16%	59 16%	58 20% i	11 26% iJk	57 19%	60 18%	37 14%	31 15%	116 18%	68 15%	53 22% U	131 15%	168 17%	16 16%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	176 16%	99 17%	77 15%	24 18%	38 15%	38 15%	41 16%	26 17%	8 19%	24 18%	38 15%	57 15%	48 16%	8 19%	59 19% Q	53 16% q	42 16%	22 11%	112 18% s	63 14%	43 18%	133 16%	157 16%	16 16%
Business administration & support services	175 16%	93 16%	82 16%	20 15%	34 13%	41 17%	46 17%	24 16%	10 23%	20 15%	34 13%	58 16%	53 18%	10 23%	57 19% q	52 16%	39 15%	26 13%	109 17%	65 14%	41 17%	133 16%	152 15%	23 22% v
Construction	155 14%	94 16% b	61 12%	16 12%	34 14%	33 13%	41 15%	28 18%	5 11%	16 12%	34 14%	53 14%	47 16%	5 11%	35 12%	48 15%	37 14%	34 17%	84 13%	71 15%	41 17%	114 13%	137 14%	17 17%
Retail	127 12%	78 13% B	49 10%	15 11%	26 10%	28 11%	34 13%	16 11%	8 18%	15 11%	26 10%	48 13%	31 10%	8 18%	39 13% o	28 9%	33 13%	27 13%	67 11%	60 13%	29 12%	98 11%	113 12%	13 13%
Manufacturing	125 11%	77 13% B	48 9%	17 13% D	14 6%	26 10% D	34 13% D	24 16% D	10 24% cDEF	17 13% J	14 6%	43 12% J	41 14% J	10 24% iJKI	35 12%	34 10%	26 10%	30 15%	69 11%	56 12%	30 13%	95 11%	114 12%	10 10%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 27

**Q7. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their social status (e.g. their standing and personal achievements)? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Motor trades	91 8%	49 8%	42 8%	8 6%	21 8%	22 9%	22 8%	13 8%	5 11%	8 6%	21 8%	29 8%	29 10%	5 11%	27 9%	27 8%	21 8%	16 8%	54 8%	37 8%	24 10%	67 8%	86 9%	5 4%
Accommodation & food services	75 7%	48 8%b	27 5%	14 10%e	14 6%	13 5%	25 9%e	8 5%	3 6%	14 10%	14 6%	24 7%	21 7%	3 6%	20 7%	21 6%	18 7%	16 8%	41 6%	34 7%	17 7%	59 7%	62 6%	12 12%V
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	61 6%	35 6%	26 5%	6 5%	11 4%	16 6%	15 6%	11 7%	2 4%	6 5%	11 4%	23 6%	18 6%	2 4%	17 6%	15 4%	15 6%	15 7%	32 5%	29 6%	17 7%	44 5%	49 5%	10 10%V
Wholesale	59 5%	35 6%	24 5%	9 7%G	20 8%EG	9 3%	16 6%G	2 1%	3 8%G	9 7%	20 8%KI	15 4%	12 4%	3 8%	17 6%	19 6%	13 5%	10 5%	36 6%	23 5%	17 7%	42 5%	48 5%	11 11%V
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	55 5%	33 6%	22 4%	9 7%f	8 3%	14 6%	7 3%	12 8%DF	5 12%DF	9 7%	8 3%	18 5%	15 5%	5 12%JKI	15 5%	19 6%	11 4%	10 5%	34 5%	21 5%	16 7%	38 4%	46 5%	7 6%
None of the above	27 2%	14 2%	13 3%	3 2%	7 3%	7 3%	6 2%	2 1%	2 5%	3 2%	7 3%	8 2%	7 2%	2 5%	9 3%	9 3%	4 2%	5 3%	18 3%	9 2%	3 1%	24 3%	24 2%	2 2%
Don't know	265 24%	130 22%	135 26%	30 23%	61 24%	73 29%G	63 24%	30 20%	7 18%	30 23%	61 24%	108 29%L	58 20%	7 18%	55 18%	79 24%n	68 26%N	62 31%No	134 21%	131 28%R	51 21%	213 25%	247 25%W	14 14%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

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**Base: All working adults**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	York-shire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Professional, scientific & technical	345 32%	310 33%b	22 24%	17 40%b	33 28%	28 32%	26 28%	28 35%	13 25%	29 27%	52 33%	58 36%B	37 39%Bhi	101 29%	96 29%	148 36%mn	345 32%	247 31%	98 33%	83 36%	259 31%	218 32%	120 35%	135 31%	47 41%X
Education	317 29%	275 29%	24 26%	13 30%	39 33%	20 23%	29 31%	27 34%	19 36%e	29 27%	47 30%	42 26%	29 30%	96 28%	104 31%	117 28%	317 29%	226 28%	91 31%	71 31%	240 29%	204 30%	107 31%	141 33%	37 33%
Finance & insurance	269 25%	246 26%bH	17 18%	11 26%h	28 24%h	22 25%H	26 27%H	22 27%H	6 12%	29 27%H	51 32%BHK	34 21%	22 23%h	78 23%	83 25%	107 26%	269 25%	198 25%	71 24%	62 27%	204 25%	172 25%	94 27%	117 27%	36 32%
Health	243 22%	211 22%	17 19%	8 19%	33 28%Fi	19 21%	15 16%	25 32%bFlk	15 28%f	19 18%	37 23%	32 20%	22 23%	78 22%	74 22%	91 22%	243 22%	175 22%	68 23%	52 22%	185 22%	163 24%	72 21%	113 26%	26 23%
Property	191 17%	172 18%	12 13%	7 16%	10 8%	14 15%d	14 15%	19 24%bD	7 14%	24 22%bD	28 18%D	35 22%bD	21 21%D	42 12%	65 19%M	84 20%M	191 17%	146 18%	45 15%	50 22%u	140 17%	124 18%	63 18%	85 20%	16 14%
Information & communication	189 17%	165 17%b	10 11%	12 28%BEi	26 22%BE	8 9%	20 21%BE	12 15%	14 27%aBEg	15 14%	27 17%e	28 18%e	17 18%e	56 16%	60 18%	73 18%	189 17%	136 17%	53 18%	42 18%	145 18%	121 18%	65 19%	81 19%	18 16%
Public administration & defence	185 17%	163 17%	14 15%	16 37%BDEFL	19 16%	15 16%	12 12%	18 22%	7 14%	22 20%	23 15%	24 15%	17 17%	63 18%	58 17%	63 15%	185 17%	129 16%	55 19%	44 19%	136 16%	118 17%	65 19%	73 17%	21 18%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	176 16%	152 16%	15 16%	7 17%	13 11%	16 18%	16 17%	10 13%	8 16%	16 15%	33 21%D	25 15%	16 17%	51 15%	51 15%	73 18%	176 16%	126 16%	50 17%	43 18%	130 16%	121 18%	52 15%	67 15%	23 21%
Business administration & support services	175 16%	153 16%	10 11%	7 16%	21 17%	14 16%	17 18%	13 16%	11 21%b	15 14%	26 17%	22 14%	18 19%	52 15%	56 17%	66 16%	175 16%	136 17%r	38 13%	38 16%	133 16%	127 18%W	45 13%	88 20%	15 14%
Construction	155 14%	133 14%	14 15%	4 9%	16 14%	9 10%	11 12%	15 19%	7 14%	14 13%	23 14%	24 15%	17 17%	44 13%	48 14%	63 15%	155 14%	122 15%r	33 11%	30 13%	125 15%	109 16%	43 12%	94 22%Y	8 7%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 27

**Q7. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their social status (e.g. their standing and personal achievements)? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Retail	127 12%	110 12%	13 14%	2 5%	12 10%	11 12%	11 12%	9 11%	4 8%	9 9%	23 14%	16 10%	16 17%ci	38 11%	33 10%	55 13%	127 12%	97 12%	29 10%	30 13%	94 11%	94 14%W	31 9%	68 16%Y	8 7%
Manufacturing	125 11%	113 12%	9 9%	1 3%	16 13% <sup>c</sup>	13 15% <sup>c</sup>	12 13%	13 16% <sup>ck</sup>	4 7%	11 10%	19 12%	14 9%	12 13%	40 11%	40 12%	46 11%	125 11%	93 12%	32 11%	27 12%	98 12%	84 12%	37 11%	63 15%	11 9%
Motor trades	91 8%	78 8%	9 10% <sup>D</sup>	3 7%	4 4%	6 7%	10 11% <sup>D</sup>	7 8%	3 6%	11 10% <sup>d</sup>	10 7%	14 9% <sup>d</sup>	12 13% <sup>Dj</sup>	23 7%	31 9%	37 9%	91 8%	72 9%	18 6%	18 8%	72 9%	59 9%	30 9%	48 11% <sup>Y</sup>	5 4%
Accommodation & food services	75 7%	67 7%	5 6%	1 2%	7 6%	8 9% <sup>G</sup>	5 5%	1 2%	3 6%	6 6%	18 11% <sup>fG</sup>	13 8% <sup>g</sup>	8 8% <sup>g</sup>	21 6%	15 5%	39 9% <sup>N</sup>	75 7%	54 7%	22 7%	16 7%	55 7%	53 8%	21 6%	34 8%	7 6%
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	61 6%	52 5%	5 5%	- -	5 4%	4 5%	2 2%	6 8% <sup>cf</sup>	4 8% <sup>cf</sup>	8 7% <sup>f</sup>	14 9% <sup>cdFl</sup>	10 6%	3 3%	14 4%	20 6%	27 7%	61 6%	40 5%	21 7%	15 7%	45 5%	44 6%	16 5%	30 7%	5 4%
Wholesale	59 5%	47 5%	6 6% <sup>jL</sup>	1 3%	5 4% <sup>l</sup>	6 7% <sup>JL</sup>	10 10% <sup>dJKL</sup>	7 8% <sup>JL</sup>	6 11% <sup>AdJKL</sup>	8 8% <sup>JL</sup>	3 2%	7 4% <sup>l</sup>	- -	18 5% <sup>O</sup>	31 9% <sup>mO</sup>	10 2%	59 5%	43 5%	16 6%	17 7%	41 5%	37 5%	21 6%	29 7%	8 7%
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	55 5%	50 5%	2 2%	1 3%	3 3%	2 3%	7 7% <sup>b</sup>	4 6%	2 5%	4 3%	6 4%	16 10% <sup>BDEiJ</sup>	6 6%	9 3%	17 5% <sup>m</sup>	28 7% <sup>M</sup>	55 5%	39 5%	16 5%	15 6%	39 5%	30 4%	24 7% <sup>v</sup>	31 7%	5 4%
None of the above	27 2%	23 2%	2 2%	1 3%	4 3%	2 2%	1 1%	- -	2 3% <sup>g</sup>	3 3%	4 3%	4 2%	3 3%	10 3%	6 2%	11 3%	27 2%	18 2%	9 3%	5 2%	21 2%	14 2%	7 2%	5 1%	4 4% <sup>x</sup>
Don't know	265 24%	223 23%	28 30% <sup>j</sup>	9 22%	31 26%	25 28%	27 29% <sup>j</sup>	16 20%	14 27%	25 23%	31 20%	38 24%	19 20%	93 27% <sup>o</sup>	83 25%	88 21%	265 24%	186 23%	79 27%	39 17%	204 25% <sup>T</sup>	134 19%	90 26% <sup>V</sup>	66 15%	21 18%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Q7. In which of the following industries, if any, do you think careers most help people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) to improve their social status (e.g. their standing and personal achievements)? Please select up to 5 answers.**

**Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof. sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Professional, scientific & technical	345 32%	55 33%b	41 24%	37 31%	69 34%B	69 39%BF	35 27%	39 33%	20 28%
Education	317 29%	52 31%d	39 23%	29 24%	45 22%	63 35%BCD	54 43%ABCDGh29%	35 29%	22 30%
Finance & insurance	269 25%	38 23%	37 21%	31 25%	58 28%	50 28%	28 22%	26 22%	17 24%
Health	243 22%	37 22%B	22 13%	29 23%B	38 18%	43 24%B	30 23%B	45 38%ABCDEFH	13 18%
Property	191 17%	33 20%	23 13%	16 13%	35 17%	33 18%	24 18%	28 23%Bc	10 14%
Information & communication	189 17%	25 15%	21 12%	22 18%	45 22%B	34 19%b	21 17%	22 18%	10 13%
Public administration & defence	185 17%	26 16%	28 16%	19 15%	27 13%	36 20%dh	25 19%	23 19%	8 11%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	176 16%	23 14%	20 12%	17 14%	36 18%	36 20%B	30 24%ABcGh	13 11%	9 13%
Business administration & support services	175 16%	29 17%	20 12%	17 14%	35 17%	33 18%b	23 18%	18 15%	9 12%
Construction	155 14%	36 21%BCDF	21 12%	13 11%	26 13%	26 15%	13 10%	19 16%	23 32%BCDEFG

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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**Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Retail	127 12%	20 12%	25 15%F	17 14%f	25 12%	17 10%	9 7%	14 11%	13 18%eF
Manufacturing	125 11%	29 17%EF	20 11%e	18 15%E	23 11%e	11 6%	11 9%	14 12%e	11 16%E
Motor trades	91 8%	20 12%d	14 8%	11 9%	13 6%	14 8%	10 8%	9 8%	7 10%
Accommodation & food services	75 7%	13 8%	11 6%	10 8%	14 7%	9 5%	6 5%	12 10%	6 8%
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	61 6%	4 2%	13 8%AF	12 10%ADF	9 4%	12 7%Af	3 2%	8 6%a	3 4%
Wholesale	59 5%	5 3%	15 9%Ag	6 5%	13 6%	8 4%	8 6%	4 3%	3 4%
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	55 5%	11 6%	7 4%	10 8%f	10 5%	7 4%	4 3%	6 5%	5 6%
None of the above	27 2%	4 2%	7 4%e	5 4%e	5 3%	2 1%	3 2%	3 2%	1 2%
Don't know	265 24%	38 23%	55 32%aDg	28 23%	40 20%	44 24%	32 25%	27 23%	16 21%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 28

**Q8. Thinking about your impressions of the construction industry, to what extent, if at all, do you feel the sector is helpful in supporting people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) in improving their ...? Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = not helpful at all and 5 = very helpful.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

		Career overall	Job satisfaction	Job prospects	Job security	Salary	Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Very helpful	(5)	87 8%	96 9%	96 9%	77 7%	120 11%	51 5%
4	(4)	347 32%	310 28%	349 32%	249 23%	393 36%	232 21%
3	(3)	376 34%	373 34%	353 32%	337 31%	315 29%	387 35%
2	(2)	89 8%	96 9%	102 9%	185 17%	72 7%	185 17%
Not helpful at all	(1)	24 2%	23 2%	25 2%	74 7%	19 2%	67 6%
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		434 40%	406 37%	445 41%	326 30%	513 47%	283 26%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		113 10%	119 11%	127 12%	260 24%	90 8%	252 23%
Don't know		172 16%	196 18%	168 15%	172 16%	175 16%	173 16%
Mean		3.42	3.40	3.42	3.07	3.57	3.02
Standard deviation		0.88	0.91	0.92	1.06	0.89	0.98
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 29

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**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Helpful (4 + 5)**

	Gender		Age							Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Salary	513 47%	275 47%	238 47%	63 46%	105 42%	125 50% <sup>d</sup>	132 50% <sup>d</sup>	67 43%	21 52%	63 46%	105 42%	187 50% <sup>J</sup>	137 46%	21 52%	137 45%	152 46%	125 48%	99 49%	289 46%	224 49%	113 47%	401 47%	458 47%	53 52%
Job prospects	445 41%	230 40%	215 42%	64 48% <sup>dG</sup>	97 39%	102 41%	111 42%	53 34%	19 46%	64 48% <sup>jl</sup>	97 39%	151 41%	114 39%	19 46%	113 37%	128 39%	116 45% <sup>n</sup>	88 43%	242 38%	204 44% <sup>r</sup>	92 38%	353 41%	404 41%	41 40%
Career overall	434 40%	232 40%	202 39%	62 46% <sup>DG</sup>	90 36%	108 43% <sup>dG</sup>	104 39%	50 32%	20 48% <sup>g</sup>	62 46% <sup>JL</sup>	90 36%	158 43% <sup>jl</sup>	103 35%	20 48% <sup>l</sup>	118 39%	129 39%	109 42%	78 39%	247 39%	187 41%	96 40%	338 40%	385 39%	48 47%
Job satisfaction	406 37%	217 37%	189 37%	53 40%	83 33%	91 36%	100 38%	59 38%	21 52% <sup>Def</sup>	53 40%	83 33%	135 36%	114 39%	21 52% <sup>JK</sup>	112 37%	117 36%	104 40%	73 36%	229 36%	177 38%	98 40%	309 36%	365 37%	40 39%
Job security	326 30%	168 29%	158 31%	51 38% <sup>FG</sup>	77 31%	75 30%	71 27%	39 25%	14 34%	51 38% <sup>L</sup>	77 31%	110 30%	74 25%	14 34%	94 31%	88 27%	87 34% <sup>o</sup>	57 28%	182 29%	144 31%	68 28%	258 30%	287 29%	39 38% <sup>v</sup>
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	283 26%	144 25%	139 27%	35 26%	66 26%	72 29% <sup>g</sup>	68 26%	33 21%	9 23%	35 26%	66 26%	109 29% <sup>L</sup>	63 21%	9 23%	68 22%	84 26%	69 27%	62 31% <sup>N</sup>	152 24%	131 28%	67 28%	216 25%	249 25%	33 32%
None of these	376 34%	198 34%	178 35%	35 26%	89 36% <sup>c</sup>	83 33%	96 36% <sup>C</sup>	62 40% <sup>C</sup>	11 27%	35 26%	89 36% <sup>i</sup>	128 34% <sup>i</sup>	113 38% <sup>l</sup>	11 27%	104 34%	112 34%	86 33%	73 36%	217 34%	159 35%	84 35%	292 34%	334 34%	36 34%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Helpful (4 + 5)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Salary	513 47%	449 47%	42 45%	19 44%	53 44%	42 47%	46 49%	49 61%BD	22 43%	52 48%	75 47%	73 46%	40 41%	156 45%	169 51%	188 45%	513 47%	381 48%	132 45%	124 54%U	380 46%	363 53%W	137 40%	348 80%Y	13 11%
Job prospects	445 41%	392 41%	34 36%	9 22%	63 53%BCEf	35 38%h	37 39%g	37 46%C	20 38%	45 41%C	61 39%g	66 41%C	39 41%g	140 41%	139 42%	166 40%	445 41%	332 41%	114 39%	112 49%U	326 40%	317 46%W	119 35%	337 78%Y	10 9%
Career overall	434 40%	383 40%	31 33%	13 30%	55 46%bc	37 41%	42 45%	37 46%b	19 38%	42 39%	62 39%	60 37%	37 38%	136 39%	140 42%	158 38%	434 40%	326 41%	107 37%	100 43%	323 39%	323 47%W	101 29%	434 100%Y	-
Job satisfaction	406 37%	356 38%	34 36%	11 26%	45 37%	39 43%g	38 41%	41 52%BCdH	16 32%	41 38%	51 32%	55 35%	35 36%	128 37%	137 41%o	141 34%	406 37%	306 38%	101 34%	96 42%	303 37%	294 43%W	105 30%	292 67%Y	11 9%
Job security	326 30%	287 30%	24 26%	7 17%	36 30%	24 27%	35 37%bCl	28 35%g	15 29%	36 33%g	52 33%g	44 28%	25 26%	92 27%	113 34%M	121 29%	326 30%	249 31%	77 26%	84 37%U	230 28%	245 36%W	73 21%	252 58%Y	12 11%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	283 26%	245 26%	24 26%	7 17%	33 27%	17 19%	25 26%	32 40%bCdE	14 27%	30 28%	37 23%	41 26%	22 23%	82 24%	101 30%mo	101 24%	283 26%R	225 28%R	58 20%	70 30%u	204 25%	221 32%W	56 16%	233 54%Y	5 5%
None of these	376 34%	315 33%	37 40%Dg	16 37%	31 26%	32 35%	34 36%	22 27%	24 46%ADGi	35 32%	58 36%g	53 33%	36 37%	117 34%	113 34%	146 35%	376 34%	266 33%	110 37%	66 28%	287 35%t	188 27%	144 42%V	-	78 69%X

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**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: Helpful (4 + 5)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Salary	513 47%	76 45%	71 41%	62 51%b	103 50%b	87 49%	55 43%	58 49%	39 53%
Job prospects	445 41%	78 46%f	68 39%	49 40%	87 42%	69 39%	45 35%	50 42%	42 58%BCDEFG
Career overall	434 40%	72 42%	72 42%	46 38%	83 40%	68 38%	48 38%	46 38%	39 53%CdEFg
Job satisfaction	406 37%	76 45%DfG	63 37%	53 44%Dg	60 29%	72 40%D	44 34%	38 32%	40 55%BDEFG
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None of these	376 34%	52 31%	65 38%cH	33 27%	72 35%h	61 34%	48 38%cH	46 38%cH	17 23%

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**Summary table - NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)**

	Gender		Age							Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
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Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	252 23%	146 25% b	106 21%	37 27% F	59 24% f	55 22%	45 17%	43 28% F	12 30% f	37 27% k	59 24%	74 20%	69 23%	12 30%	89 29% PQ	78 24% q	49 19%	35 17%	167 26% S	84 18%	61 25%	191 22%	222 23%	25 24%
Job prospects	127 12%	79 14% B	48 9%	16 12%	32 13%	25 10%	24 9%	24 15% f	7 17%	16 12%	32 13% k	32 9%	41 14% K	7 17% k	44 14% o	32 10%	26 10%	26 13%	76 12%	52 11%	35 14%	92 11%	110 11%	16 16%
Job satisfaction	119 11%	67 12%	52 10%	21 16% F	33 13% F	25 10%	18 7%	17 11%	4 10%	21 16% KL	33 13% k	32 9%	29 10%	4 10%	41 14% o	31 9%	25 10%	21 10%	72 11%	46 10%	34 14% u	85 10%	100 10%	18 17% V
Career overall	113 10%	57 10%	56 11%	13 9%	28 11%	23 9%	20 7%	22 14% F	8 18% eF	13 9%	28 11%	29 8%	36 12% k	8 18% K	42 14% P	35 11% p	17 7%	19 9%	77 12% S	36 8%	23 9%	90 11%	97 10%	13 13%
Salary	90 8%	55 9%	35 7%	16 12% Ef	23 9% e	13 5%	16 6%	20 13% EF	3 7%	16 12% K	23 9% k	20 5%	29 10% K	3 7%	31 10% q	25 7%	24 9%	11 5%	55 9%	35 8%	19 8%	71 8%	77 8%	12 12%
None of these	680 62%	350 60%	331 65%	78 58%	155 62% g	158 63% G	181 69% CG	81 53%	27 64%	78 58%	155 62%	244 66%	176 60%	27 64%	171 56%	198 60%	173 67% N	139 69% No	369 58%	312 68% R	140 58%	541 63%	608 62%	67 65%

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Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
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Job security	260 24%	226 24%	23 25%	15 35%gj	25 21%	23 25%	22 23%	15 18%	10 20%	28 26%	33 21%	43 27%	23 24%	85 25%	75 22%	99 24%	260 24%	191 24%	69 23%	59 26%	198 24%	162 23%	92 27%	39 9%	75 66% <b>X</b>
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	252 23%	222 23%	20 21%	14 33%l	24 20%	22 24%	21 22%	20 25%	10 19%	21 20%	49 31%bDhi KL	33 20%	18 19%	80 23%	72 22%	100 24%	252 23%	176 22%	76 26%	54 23%	196 24%	148 22%	95 28%V	43 10%	90 80% <b>X</b>
Job prospects	127 12%	109 11%	13 14% <sup>d</sup>	9 22%DGI	9 7%	10 11%	11 12%	6 7%	5 10%	9 9%	25 16%Dgi	19 12%	11 11%	41 12%	31 9%	55 13%	127 12%	99 12%	28 10%	27 12%	98 12%	73 11%	52 15%V	10 2%	71 63% <b>X</b>
Job satisfaction	119 11%	102 11%	11 11%	6 15%	9 8%	12 13%	9 9%	8 10%	6 12%	14 13%	25 16% <sup>d</sup> KL	12 8%	6 7%	38 11%	37 11%	43 10%	119 11%	93 12%	25 9%	31 13%	84 10%	69 10%	47 14% <sup>v</sup>	11 2%	65 58% <b>X</b>
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Salary	90 8%	78 8%	9 9%	3 8%	5 4%	9 10% <sup>di</sup>	9 10%	5 7%	4 8%	5 4%	19 12%DIL	17 11% <sup>di</sup>	4 5%	27 8%	23 7%	41 10%	90 8%	68 9%	22 7%	25 11%	65 8%	57 8%	29 9%	8 2%	46 41% <b>X</b>
None of these	680 62%	584 62%	59 63%	21 49%	77 65% <sup>c</sup>	54 60%	60 63%	57 72% <sup>Cli</sup>	37 72% <sup>Cii</sup>	61 56%	94 59%	99 62%	62 64%	210 61%	215 64%	255 61%	680 62%	496 62%	185 63%	146 63%	504 61%	434 63% <sup>w</sup>	197 57%	360 83% <sup>Y</sup>	-

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Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
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Job security	260 24%	39 23%	35 20%	24 20%	49 24%	50 28%	32 25%	31 26%	17 24%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	252 23%	33 19%	37 22%	28 23%	54 26%	45 25%	28 22%	26 22%	13 18%
Job prospects	127 12%	20 12%	17 10%	13 11%	26 13%	18 10%	13 10%	19 16%	10 13%
Job satisfaction	119 11%	15 9%	13 8%	7 6%	32 16%aBCf	24 14%bC	12 9%	15 13%c	6 8%
Career overall	113 10%	16 10%	15 9%	11 9%	25 12%	20 11%	9 7%	16 14%f	9 12%
Salary	90 8%	19 11%Ce	16 9%C	4 3%	22 11%Ce	10 6%	12 9%C	8 6%	12 16%CEG
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**Career overall**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
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Very helpful	(5) 87 8%	41 7%	46 9%	11 8%	23 9%	21 8%	19 7%	11 7%	2 4%	11 8%	23 9%	29 8%	22 7%	2 4%	15 5%	23 7%	28 11%No	21 10%N	38 6%	49 11%R	22 9%	65 8%	72 7%	15 14%V
4	(4) 347 32%	191 33%	155 30%	51 38%D	67 27%G	87 35%D	85 32%	39 25%	18 44%D	51 38%J	67 27%	129 35%J	81 28%	18 44%J	103 34%	106 32%	81 31%	57 28%	209 33%	138 30%	74 31%	273 32%	313 32%	33 32%
3	(3) 376 34%	216 37%B	159 31%	44 33%	92 37%h	80 32%	90 34%	60 39%h	9 23%	44 33%	92 37%m	125 34%	105 35%	9 23%	109 36%	108 33%	98 38%q	60 30%	217 34%	158 34%	88 37%	287 34%	339 35%	31 30%
2	(2) 89 8%	45 8%	44 9%	10 7%	25 10%f	17 7%	15 6%	17 11%f	4 11%	10 7%	25 10%k	23 6%	26 9%	4 11%	32 11%Pq	32 10%P	13 5%	12 6%	64 10%S	25 5%	17 7%	71 8%	77 8%	11 10%
Not helpful at all	(1) 24 2%	12 2%	12 2%	3 2%	3 1%	5 2%	5 2%	5 3%	3 7%DeF	3 2%	3 1%	5 1%	10 3%j	3 7%JK	10 3%O	3 1%	4 2%	7 3%o	13 2%	11 2%	5 2%	19 2%	20 2%	3 3%
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NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	113 10%	57 10%	56 11%	13 9%	28 11%	23 9%	20 7%	22 14%F	8 18%eF	13 9%	28 11%	29 8%	36 12%k	8 18%K	42 14%P	35 11%p	17 7%	19 9%	77 12%S	36 8%	23 9%	90 11%	97 10%	13 13%
Don't know	172 16%	77 13%	95 19%A	15 11%	41 16%	39 16%	50 19%c	23 15%	5 11%	15 11%	41 16%	60 16%	52 17%	5 11%	35 11%	58 18%N	34 13%	45 22%NP	92 15%	80 17%	35 14%	137 16%	160 16%w	10 10%
Mean	3.42	3.40	3.43	3.48g	3.39	3.48G	3.46g	3.26	3.30	3.48	3.39	3.49L	3.33	3.30	3.30	3.42	3.52N	3.46n	3.36	3.50R	3.43	3.41	3.41	3.51
Standard deviation	0.88	0.85	0.92	0.88	0.88	0.88	0.84	0.92	1.04	0.88	0.88	0.83	0.92	1.04	0.89	0.85	0.86	0.96	0.87	0.90	0.89	0.88	0.87	0.99
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.17	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.17	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 31

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**Base: All working adults**

**Career overall**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Very helpful		(5) 87 8%	76 8%	5 6%	2 5%	9 7%	6 6%	9 9%	9 12%	6 11%	7 7%	18 11%	11 7%	6 6%	22 6%	31 9%	34 8%	87 8%	67 8%	20 7%	23 10%	63 8%	70 10%W	16 5%	87 20%Y	-
4	(4)	347 32%	307 32%	26 28%	10 25%	46 39%bJ	32 35%	33 35%	27 34%	14 27%	35 32%	44 28%	49 31%	31 32%	114 33%	109 33%	124 30%	347 32%	259 32%	88 30%	77 33%	261 32%	253 37%W	85 25%	347 80%Y	-
3	(3)	376 34%	331 35%	29 32%	17 39%	39 33%	25 28%	33 35%	24 30%	15 30%	44 41%e	50 32%	62 39%e	37 38%	110 32%	116 35%	149 36%	376 34%	270 34%	105 36%	77 34%	287 35%	225 33%	131 38%v	-	-
2	(2)	89 8%	71 7%	14 15%ADfi KI	6 14%K	8 7%	8 9%	7 7%	6 8%	4 7%	8 7%	15 9%K	6 4%	7 7%	36 10%o	25 7%	28 7%	89 8%	65 8%	23 8%	21 9%	65 8%	45 7%	41 12%V	-	89 79%X
Not helpful at all		(1) 24 2%	22 2%	1 1%	-	2 2%	3 4%l	2 2%	1 2%	1 2%	-	7 5%bl	5 3%l	1 1%	6 2%	4 1%	13 3%n	24 2%	17 2%	7 2%	8 4%	16 2%	14 2%	9 3%	-	24 21%X
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		434 40%	383 40%	31 33%	13 30%	55 46%bc	37 41%	42 45%	37 46%b	19 38%	42 39%	62 39%	60 37%	37 38%	136 39%	140 42%	158 38%	434 40%	326 41%	107 37%	100 43%	323 39%	323 47%W	101 29%	434 100%Y	-
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		113 10%	93 10%	15 16%AdiK	6 14%	10 8%	11 12%	9 10%	7 9%	5 9%	8 7%	22 14%K	11 7%	8 9%	42 12%	29 9%	42 10%	113 10%	82 10%	30 10%	29 12%	80 10%	59 9%	50 15%V	-	113 100%X
Don't know		172 16%	142 15%	18 19%	7 17%	15 13%	16 18%	10 11%	12 15%	12 24%adFi	15 13%	25 15%	28 17%	14 15%	56 16%	49 15%	67 16%	172 16%	121 15%	52 18%	25 11%	135 16%T	81 12%	61 18%V	-	-
Mean		3.42	3.43	3.27	3.26	3.50b	3.38	3.47	3.55b	3.50	3.44	3.37	3.41	3.41	3.38	3.48	3.39	3.42	3.43	3.37	3.42	3.42	3.53W	3.21	4.20Y	1.79
Standard deviation		0.88	0.88	0.89	0.82	0.83	0.94	0.89	0.91	0.94	0.76	1.03	0.85	0.81	0.88	0.86	0.91	0.88	0.89	0.87	0.95	0.87	0.88	0.87	0.40	0.41
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.15	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.14	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.02	0.04

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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**Base: All working adults**

**Career overall**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Very helpful	(5) 87 8%	19 12%bcf	10 6%	6 5%	16 8%	14 8%	7 5%	15 12%bCF	13 17%BCDEF
4	(4) 347 32%	52 31%	62 36%g	40 33%	67 32%	55 31%	41 32%	31 26%	26 36%
3	(3) 376 34%	58 34%	49 29%	51 42%B	73 35%	61 34%	45 36%	38 32%	22 31%
2	(2) 89 8%	11 6%	12 7%	7 6%	20 10%	20 11%f	6 5%	13 11%f	4 6%
Not helpful at all	(1) 24 2%	5 3%E	3 2%e	4 3%E	5 3%E	- -	3 2%e	4 3%E	4 6%bE
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	434 40%	72 42%	72 42%	46 38%	83 40%	68 38%	48 38%	46 38%	39 53%CdEFg
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	113 10%	16 10%	15 9%	11 9%	25 12%	20 11%	9 7%	16 14%f	9 12%
Don't know	172 16%	23 13%h	36 21%acDH	14 12%h	25 12%h	29 16%H	25 20%cdH	19 16%H	3 4%
Mean	3.42	3.47	3.47	3.35	3.38	3.42	3.42	3.40	3.55
Standard deviation	0.88	0.95	0.85	0.83	0.90	0.83	0.81	1.01	1.07
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.13

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**Base: All working adults**

**Job satisfaction**

		Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Very helpful	(5)	96 9%	53 9%	43 8%	13 10%	22 9%	23 9%	23 9%	9 6%	6 14%g	13 10%	22 9%	34 9%	21 7%	6 14%	22 7%	29 9%	25 10%	20 10%	51 8%	45 10%	22 9%	74 9%	82 8%	14 13%v
4	(4)	310 28%	164 28%	146 29%	40 30%	61 24%	68 27%	76 29%	50 33%cd	16 38%cd	40 30%	61 24%	101 27%	93 32%j	16 38%j	90 30%	88 27%	79 31%	53 26%	178 28%	132 29%	76 31%	234 27%	283 29%	26 25%
3	(3)	373 34%	204 35%	169 33%	43 32%	91 36%	86 34%	86 33%	56 37%	11 27%	43 32%	91 36%	132 36%	96 32%	11 27%	111 37%	115 35%	88 34%	59 29%	226 36%	147 32%	70 29%	303 36%t	338 34%	31 30%
2	(2)	96 9%	54 9%	42 8%	19 14%eFh	26 11%F	20 8%	15 6%	14 9%	2 4%	19 14%KLm	26 11%	27 7%	22 8%	2 4%	32 11%	26 8%	23 9%	15 7%	58 9%	38 8%	29 12%U	67 8%	81 8%	13 13%v
Not helpful at all	(1)	23 2%	13 2%	10 2%	2 2%	6 2%	5 2%	3 1%	4 2%	2 5%f	2 2%	6 2%	5 1%	7 2%	2 5%k	10 3%p	5 2%	2 1%	6 3%	15 2%	8 2%	5 2%	18 2%	18 2%	4 4%
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		406 37%	217 37%	189 37%	53 40%	83 33%	91 36%	100 38%	59 38%	21 52%Def	53 40%	83 33%	135 36%	114 39%	21 52%jk	112 37%	117 36%	104 40%	73 36%	229 36%	177 38%	98 40%	309 36%	365 37%	40 39%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		119 11%	67 12%	52 10%	21 16%F	33 13%F	25 10%	18 7%	17 11%	4 10%	21 16%kl	33 13%k	32 9%	29 10%	4 10%	41 14%o	31 9%	25 10%	21 10%	72 11%	46 10%	34 14%u	85 10%	100 10%	18 17%V
Don't know		196 18%	94 16%	102 20%	17 13%	45 18%	48 19%	60 23%CG	21 14%	5 12%	17 13%	45 18%	73 20%i	56 19%	5 12%	39 13%	66 20%N	41 16%	49 24%NP	106 17%	90 20%	40 16%	156 18%	178 18%	15 14%
Mean		3.40	3.39	3.42	3.37	3.32	3.41	3.50D	3.35	3.58	3.37	3.32	3.44	3.41	3.58	3.31	3.42	3.47n	3.43	3.37	3.45	3.40	3.40	3.41	3.36
Standard deviation		0.91	0.92	0.89	0.96	0.93	0.91	0.85	0.86	1.02	0.96	0.93	0.87	0.89	1.02	0.92	0.88	0.87	0.97	0.90	0.91	0.95	0.89	0.89	1.07
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.16	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.16	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.03	0.11

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**Base: All working adults**

**Job satisfaction**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber-side (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)	
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Very helpful	(5)	96 9%	80 8%	9 10%	2 5%	9 8%	8 9%	11 12%ik	12 14%IK	7 13%ik	5 5%	16 10%	9 5%	8 9%	29 8%	35 10%	33 8%	96 9%	77 10%	19 7%	19 8%	73 9%	76 11%W	20 6%	87 20%Y	1 1%
4	(4)	310 28%	276 29%h	24 26%	9 21%	35 29%	31 35%HJ	27 29%	30 37%HJ	10 19%	36 33%hJ	35 22%	47 29%	26 27%	100 29%	103 31%	108 26%	310 28%	229 29%	81 28%	77 33%	230 28%	217 32%W	85 25%	206 47%Y	10 9%
3	(3)	373 34%	328 35%	29 31%e	18 42%EG	49 41%EG	18 20%	35 37%EG	19 24%	16 31%	37 34%E	53 34%E	61 38%EG	39 40%EG	114 33%	106 32%	153 37%	373 34%	266 33%	107 37%	75 33%	284 34%	235 34%	119 34%	114 26%	32 29%
2	(2)	96 9%	84 9%	8 9%	5 11%	7 6%	10 11%	8 8%	6 7%	4 7%	14 13%dk	18 11%	10 6%	6 7%	31 9%	31 9%	34 8%	96 9%	75 9%	21 7%	27 12%u	66 8%	60 9%	35 10%	10 2%	46 41%X
Not helpful at all	(1)	23 2%	18 2%	3 3%i	1 3%il	2 2%	2 2%	1 1%	2 3%	3 5%alL	-	7 4%IL	2 2%	-	8 2%	6 2%	9 2%	23 2%	18 2%	5 2%	4 2%	19 2%	9 1%	12 3%V	1 *	19 17%X
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		406 37%	356 38%	34 36%	11 26%	45 37%	39 43%cj	38 41%	41 52%BCdHJKI	16 32%	41 38%	51 32%	55 35%	35 36%	128 37%	137 41%o	141 34%	406 37%	306 38%	101 34%	96 42%	303 37%	294 43%W	105 30%	292 67%Y	11 9%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		119 11%	102 11%	11 11%	6 15%	9 8%	12 13%	9 9%	8 10%	6 12%	14 13%	25 16%dKL	12 8%	6 7%	38 11%	37 11%	43 10%	119 11%	93 12%	25 9%	31 13%	84 10%	69 10%	47 14%v	11 2%	65 58%X
Don't know		196 18%	163 17%	20 22%	8 18%	16 13%	21 23%df	12 13%	12 15%	13 25%Df	16 15%	30 19%	32 20%	16 17%	64 19%	53 16%	78 19%	196 18%	135 17%	61 21%	29 13%	154 19%T	90 13%	73 21%V	16 4%	4 4%
Mean		3.40	3.40	3.41	3.15	3.41	3.48	3.48	3.63iJK	3.36	3.35	3.27	3.38	3.46	3.40	3.46	3.36	3.40	3.41	3.38	3.40	3.41	3.49W	3.24	3.88Y	2.33
Standard deviation		0.91	0.89	0.97	0.89	0.83	0.97	0.89	0.98	1.10	0.81	1.02	0.80	0.79	0.91	0.92	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.84	0.90	0.91	0.89	0.93	0.76	0.89
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.16	0.08	0.11	0.10	0.13	0.16	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.08

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**Job satisfaction**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
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Very helpful	(5) 96 9%	21 12%F	15 8%	10 8%	16 8%	16 9%	6 5%	13 11%f	12 16%bDeF
4	(4) 310 28%	55 33%DG	49 28%	43 35%DG	44 21%	57 32%DG	38 30%d	25 21%	28 39%DG
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2	(2) 96 9%	11 6%	11 6%	5 4%	27 13%ABCH	24 13%ABCH	10 8%	10 8%	3 3%
Not helpful at all	(1) 23 2%	5 3%e	3 2%	2 2%	6 3%e	1 *	2 1%	5 4%E	4 5%E
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	406 37%	76 45%DfG	63 37%	53 44%Dg	60 29%	72 40%D	44 34%	38 32%	40 55%BDEFG
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	119 11%	15 9%	13 8%	7 6%	32 16%aBCf	24 14%bC	12 9%	15 13%c	6 8%
Don't know	196 18%	23 14%H	43 25%ACDH	17 14%H	28 14%H	36 20%dH	27 22%adH	21 18%H	3 4%
Mean	3.40	3.53D	3.48D	3.52D	3.21	3.44D	3.37	3.32	3.61Dfg
Standard deviation	0.91	0.94	0.88	0.80	0.92	0.91	0.81	1.01	0.99
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.12

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**Base: All working adults**

**Job prospects**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Very helpful	(5) 96 9%	43 7%	53 10%	14 10%	26 10%	16 6%	25 9%	12 8%	4 10%	14 10%	26 10%	29 8%	23 8%	4 10%	21 7%	30 9%	26 10%	19 9%	51 8%	45 10%	25 10%	71 8%	85 9%	11 11%
4	(4) 349 32%	187 32%	162 32%	51 38% <sup>dg</sup>	71 28%	86 34%	86 33%	40 26%	15 37%	51 38% <sup>j</sup>	71 28%	122 33%	91 31%	15 37%	92 30%	98 30%	90 35%	68 34%	190 30%	159 34%	67 28%	282 33%	319 32%	31 30%
3	(3) 353 32%	188 32%	166 32%	41 30%	80 32%	83 33%	79 30%	58 38%	11 27%	41 30%	80 32%	127 34%	94 32%	11 27%	113 37% <sup>Q</sup>	110 33% <sup>Q</sup>	83 32% <sup>q</sup>	47 23%	223 35% <sup>S</sup>	130 28%	79 33%	274 32%	315 32%	33 32%
2	(2) 102 9%	63 11% <sup>b</sup>	38 7%	15 11%	25 10%	21 8%	20 7%	17 11%	5 11%	15 11%	25 10%	27 7%	30 10%	5 11%	36 12% <sup>o</sup>	26 8%	20 8%	20 10%	62 10%	40 9%	29 12%	73 9%	88 9%	14 14% <sup>v</sup>
Not helpful at all	(1) 25 2%	15 3%	10 2%	1 1%	7 3%	4 2%	5 2%	7 5% <sup>c</sup>	2 5% <sup>c</sup>	1 1%	7 3%	5 1%	11 4% <sup>k</sup>	2 5% <sup>ik</sup>	8 3%	6 2%	6 2%	6 3%	14 2%	11 2%	6 3%	19 2%	23 2%	2 2%
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	445 41%	230 40%	215 42%	64 48% <sup>dG</sup>	97 39%	102 41%	111 42%	53 34%	19 46%	64 48% <sup>j</sup>	97 39%	151 41%	114 39%	19 46%	113 37%	128 39%	116 45% <sup>n</sup>	88 43%	242 38%	204 44% <sup>r</sup>	92 38%	353 41%	404 41%	41 40%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	127 12%	79 14% <sup>B</sup>	48 9%	16 12%	32 13%	25 10%	24 9%	24 15% <sup>f</sup>	7 17%	16 12%	32 13% <sup>k</sup>	32 9%	41 14% <sup>K</sup>	7 17% <sup>k</sup>	44 14% <sup>o</sup>	32 10%	26 10%	26 13%	76 12%	52 11%	35 14%	92 11%	110 11%	16 16%
Don't know	168 15%	85 15%	83 16%	14 10%	42 17% <sup>c</sup>	40 16%	49 19% <sup>C</sup>	19 13%	4 10%	14 10%	42 17% <sup>i</sup>	62 17% <sup>i</sup>	47 16%	4 10%	34 11%	59 18% <sup>N</sup>	33 13%	42 21% <sup>NP</sup>	93 15%	75 16%	36 15%	133 16%	153 16%	12 12%
Mean	3.42	3.36	3.49 <sup>A</sup>	3.51 <sup>G</sup>	3.40	3.42 <sup>g</sup>	3.50 <sup>G</sup>	3.25	3.38	3.51	3.40	3.46	3.35	3.38	3.31	3.45 <sup>n</sup>	3.49 <sup>N</sup>	3.47 <sup>n</sup>	3.38	3.48 <sup>r</sup>	3.37	3.43	3.43	3.38
Standard deviation	0.92	0.92	0.90	0.88	0.96	0.85	0.89	0.97	1.04	0.88	0.96	0.84	0.96	1.04	0.90	0.90	0.91	0.98	0.90	0.93	0.97	0.90	0.91	0.96
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.09	0.16	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.16	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.03	0.10

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

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		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Very helpful	(5)	96 9%	86 9%	6 6%	2 6%	10 9%	10 11%	11 11%	8 10%	5 9%	11 11%	10 7%	15 9%	8 8%	28 8%	35 10%	33 8%	96 9%	73 9%	23 8%	23 10%	72 9%	79 11%W	17 5%	89 21%Y	-
4	(4)	349 32%	306 32%	28 30%	7 16%	52 44%hjk	25 BCEf27%	26 28%	29 36% C	15 29%	33 31%	51 32% c	51 32% c	31 32% c	112 32%	104 31%	133 32%	349 32%	258 32%	91 31%	89 39%U	254 31%	239 35%	102 30%	248 57%Y	10 9%
3	(3)	353 32%	311 33%	29 31%	17 39%	34 28%	30 33%	39 42% bDgJ	23 H29%	13 26%	41 37%	46 29%	52 33%	30 31%	109 32%	116 35%	128 31%	353 32%	246 31%	107 36% q	65 28%	272 33%	217 32%	114 33%	80 18%	30 26% x
2	(2)	102 9%	86 9%	11 12% d	7 16% d	7 6%	6 7%	9 9%	5 6%	4 9%	7 7%	21 13% Deg	15 10%	10 10%	31 9%	25 7%	46 11%	102 9%	77 10%	24 8%	22 10%	78 9%	62 9%	39 11%	9 2%	50 45% X
Not helpful at all	(1)	25 2%	23 2%	2 2%	3 6%	2 2%	4 4%	2 2%	1 2%	1 2%	2 2%	4 3%	4 2%	1 1%	10 3%	6 2%	9 2%	25 2%	21 3%	4 1%	5 2%	20 2%	11 2%	13 4% V	1 *	21 18% X
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		445 41%	392 41%	34 36%	9 22%	63 53% hJk	35 BCEf38% c	37 39% c	37 46% C	20 38%	45 41% C	61 39% c	66 41% C	39 41% c	140 41%	139 42%	166 40%	445 41%	332 41%	114 39%	112 49% U	326 40%	317 46% W	119 35%	337 78% Y	10 9%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		127 12%	109 11%	13 14% d	9 22% DGI	9 7%	10 11%	11 12%	6 7%	5 10%	9 9%	25 16% Dgi	19 12%	11 11%	41 12%	31 9%	55 13%	127 12%	99 12%	28 10%	27 12%	98 12%	73 11%	52 15% V	10 2%	71 63% X
Don't know		168 15%	137 14%	18 19% F	7 17%	14 12%	16 17% F	7 7%	14 17% f	13 25% ADFI	14 12%	27 17% F	23 14%	17 17% F	55 16%	47 14%	66 16%	168 15%	123 15%	45 15%	27 12%	129 16%	81 12%	59 17% V	7 2%	2 2%
Mean		3.42	3.43	3.32	3.00	3.60BJ	3.42	3.39	3.58bj	3.48	3.47	3.32	3.42	3.44	3.41	3.47	3.39	3.42	3.42	3.42	3.50	3.40	3.51W	3.25	3.97Y	2.27
Standard deviation		0.92	0.92	0.91	0.99	0.83	0.99	0.92	0.87	0.94	0.89	0.95	0.92	0.88	0.93	0.90	0.92	0.92	0.94	0.85	0.92	0.92	0.91	0.92	0.71	0.87
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.18	0.08	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.14	0.10	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.08

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

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	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Very helpful	(5) 96 9%	20 12%	13 8%	10 8%	14 7%	12 7%	11 8%	16 13%de	13 18%BCDEF
4	(4) 349 32%	58 34%	55 32%	39 32%	73 35%f	56 32%	34 27%	34 29%	29 40%f
3	(3) 353 32%	50 30%	54 31%	45 37%GH	66 32%	61 34%gh	47 37%GH	29 25%	16 23%
2	(2) 102 9%	11 7%	13 8%	11 9%	23 11%	17 10%	11 9%	14 11%	4 5%
Not helpful at all	(1) 25 2%	9 5%DEF	4 2%	2 2%	3 1%	1 *	2 2%	5 5%de	6 8%BCDEF
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	445 41%	78 46%f	68 39%	49 40%	87 42%	69 39%	45 35%	50 42%	42 58%BCDEFG
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	127 12%	20 12%	17 10%	13 11%	26 13%	18 10%	13 10%	19 16%	10 13%
Don't know	168 15%	20 12%	34 20%acdH	15 12%	26 13%	30 17%H	22 17%H	21 17%H	4 6%
Mean	3.42	3.46	3.43	3.41	3.41	3.42	3.38	3.42	3.58
Standard deviation	0.92	1.02	0.90	0.87	0.87	0.83	0.88	1.09	1.13
Standard error	0.03	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.11	0.14

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**Job security**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Very helpful	(5) 77 7%	42 7%	35 7%	16 12%EFg	23 9%e	12 5%	15 6%	9 6%	2 4%	16 12%KL	23 9%k	20 5%	17 6%	2 4%	19 6%	23 7%	19 8%	16 8%	42 7%	35 8%	20 8%	57 7%	66 7%	11 10%
4	(4) 249 23%	126 22%	123 24%	35 26%	54 22%	63 25%	56 21%	29 19%	12 29%	35 26%	54 22%	90 24%	58 19%	12 29%	75 25%	65 20%	67 26%o	41 20%	140 22%	109 24%	48 20%	201 24%	220 22%	29 28%
3	(3) 337 31%	182 31%	155 30%	44 33%	78 31%	82 33%	79 30%	42 27%	12 28%	44 33%	78 31%	119 32%	84 29%	12 28%	88 29%	99 30%	88 34%	62 31%	187 30%	150 32%	64 27%	273 32%	297 30%	34 33%
2	(2) 185 17%	105 18%	80 16%	16 12%	40 16%	40 16%	48 18%	33 21%c	8 18%	16 12%	40 16%	63 17%	58 20%i	8 18%	64 21%Pq	60 18%p	33 13%	28 14%	124 20%S	61 13%	56 23%U	129 15%	171 17%	13 13%
Not helpful at all	(1) 74 7%	44 8%	30 6%	9 7%	15 6%	12 5%	12 5%	21 14%cDEF	4 11%	9 7%	15 6%	17 5%	29 10%K	4 11%k	20 7%	22 7%	19 7%	13 6%	42 7%	32 7%	18 7%	56 7%	68 7%	5 5%
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	326 30%	168 29%	158 31%	51 38%FG	77 31%	75 30%	71 27%	39 25%	14 34%	51 38%L	77 31%	110 30%	74 25%	14 34%	94 31%	88 27%	87 34%o	57 28%	182 29%	144 31%	68 28%	258 30%	287 29%	39 38%v
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	260 24%	149 26%	110 22%	26 19%	55 22%	53 21%	60 23%	54 35%CDEF	12 29%	26 19%	55 22%	80 22%	87 29%	12 29%	84 28%Pq	82 25%	52 20%	41 20%	166 26%S	93 20%	74 31%U	186 22%	239 24%	18 17%
Don't know	172 16%	84 14%	88 17%	14 10%	41 16%	39 16%	54 21%CGh	19 12%	4 10%	14 10%	41 16%	63 17%i	50 17%i	4 10%	37 12%	60 18%Np	32 12%	42 21%NP	98 15%	74 16%	36 15%	136 16%	158 16%	12 11%
Mean	3.07	3.03	3.13	3.26G	3.14G	3.11G	3.06G	2.79	2.98	3.26L	3.14L	3.11L	2.90	2.98	3.03	3.02	3.16	3.12	3.03	3.14	2.98	3.10	3.05	3.30V
Standard deviation	1.06	1.07	1.04	1.10	1.07	0.98	1.00	1.16	1.11	1.10	1.07	0.98	1.10	1.11	1.05	1.07	1.05	1.07	1.06	1.06	1.12	1.04	1.06	1.03
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.10	0.17	0.10	0.07	0.05	0.07	0.17	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.10

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Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
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Very helpful	(5)	77 7%	66 7%	8 8%	1 3%	8 7%	7 7%	9 9%	10 13% kL	4 7%	9 8%	10 6%	8 5%	3 3%	24 7%	32 9% O	22 5%	77 7%	61 8%	16 5%	27 12% U	47 6%	62 9% W	15 4%	68 16% Y	1 1%
4	(4)	249 23%	221 23%	17 18%	6 14%	28 23%	18 20%	26 28% b	17 22%	11 21%	26 24%	42 26%	36 22%	22 22%	68 20%	81 24%	99 24%	249 23%	188 23%	61 21%	57 25%	183 22%	183 27% W	58 17%	184 43% Y	11 10%
3	(3)	337 31%	294 31%	27 29%	16 37%	42 35%	29 33%	30 31%	22 28%	16 31%	30 28%	49 31%	44 27%	32 33%	114 33%	98 29%	125 30%	337 31%	234 29%	102 35% q	62 27%	263 32%	198 29%	122 35% V	132 30% y	24 21%
2	(2)	185 17%	162 17%	16 17%	10 23%	20 16%	14 15%	15 16%	10 13%	7 15%	22 20%	25 16%	29 18%	17 17%	59 17%	55 17%	71 17%	185 17%	133 17%	52 18%	42 18%	141 17%	123 18%	59 17%	29 7%	40 36% X
Not helpful at all	(1)	74 7%	65 7%	7 7%	5 11%	6 5%	9 10%	7 7%	4 5%	3 5%	6 6%	8 5%	14 8%	6 7%	26 8%	20 6%	28 7%	74 7%	57 7%	17 6%	17 7%	57 7%	39 6%	34 10% V	10 2%	34 30% X
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Don't know		172 16%	142 15%	19 21% F	5 12%	16 13%	13 15%	8 8%	15 19% F	11 21% F	15 14%	24 15% f	29 18% F	17 17% f	53 15%	49 15%	70 17%	172 16%	126 16%	46 16%	25 11%	134 16% T	83 12%	57 17% V	11 3%	2 2%
Mean		3.07	3.08	3.03	2.71	3.14C	2.98	3.17C	3.30Ckl	3.13c	3.11c	3.15C	2.97	2.98	3.01	3.18m	3.04	3.07	3.09	3.03	3.17	3.03	3.18W	2.87	3.64Y	2.14
Standard deviation		1.06	1.06	1.12	1.00	0.99	1.12	1.08	1.12	1.05	1.08	1.02	1.08	0.98	1.06	1.08	1.04	1.06	1.08	0.99	1.15	1.04	1.07	1.03	0.91	1.00
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.12	0.18	0.10	0.12	0.11	0.15	0.15	0.12	0.08	0.10	0.11	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.09

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	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Very helpful	(5) 77 7%	13 8%	14 8%	4 4%	17 8%	15 8%	7 6%	7 6%	10 13% <sup>Cfg</sup>
4	(4) 249 23%	42 25%	38 22%	27 23%	51 25%	34 19%	26 20%	30 25%	19 26%
3	(3) 337 31%	54 32%	50 29%	49 40% <sup>bEfg</sup>	66 32%	47 26%	38 29%	33 28%	23 32%
2	(2) 185 17%	24 14%	23 13%	17 14%	40 19%	34 19%	28 22% <sup>aB</sup>	19 16%	9 13%
Not helpful at all	(1) 74 7%	15 9% <sup>df</sup>	12 7%	7 5%	9 4%	16 9% <sup>dF</sup>	4 3%	12 10% <sup>dF</sup>	8 11% <sup>DF</sup>
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	326 30%	55 33%	52 30%	32 26%	68 33%	49 27%	33 26%	37 31%	29 40% <sup>cef</sup>
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	260 24%	39 23%	35 20%	24 20%	49 24%	50 28%	32 25%	31 26%	17 24%
Don't know	172 16%	21 12% <sup>h</sup>	35 21% <sup>aDH</sup>	17 14% <sup>H</sup>	23 11%	32 18% <sup>dH</sup>	25 20% <sup>aDH</sup>	18 15% <sup>H</sup>	3 4%
Mean	3.07	3.10	3.13	3.05	3.15	2.98	3.04	3.02	3.19
Standard deviation	1.06	1.09	1.09	0.93	1.02	1.15	0.98	1.11	1.19
Standard error	0.03	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.15

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 35

**Q8. Thinking about your impressions of the construction industry, to what extent, if at all, do you feel the sector is helpful in supporting people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) in improving their ...? Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = not helpful at all and 5 = very helpful.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Salary**

		Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade							Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
Very helpful	(5)	120 11%	64 11%	56 11%	16 12%	23 9%	33 13%	25 10%	19 12%	4 9%	16 12%	23 9%	47 13%	30 10%	4 9%	22 7%	38 12%	29 11%	31 15%	60 9%	60 13%	30 12%	90 11%	106 11%	14 13%	
4	(4)	393 36%	211 36%	182 36%	47 35%	82 33%	92 37%	107 40%	48 31%	18 42%	47 35%	82 33%	140 38%	107 36%	18 42%	116 38%	114 34%	96 37%	68 34%	229 36%	164 36%	83 34%	311 36%	352 36%	40 39%	
3	(3)	315 29%	168 29%	147 29%	40 30%	79 32%	70 28%	69 26%	46 30%	11 27%	40 30%	79 32%	102 28%	83 28%	11 27%	94 31%	98 30%	77 30%	46 23%	192 30%	123 27%	77 32%	239 28%	287 29%	26 25%	
2	(2)	72 7%	41 7%	30 6%	13 10%	20 8%	10 4%	14 5%	13 9%	2 4%	13 10%	20 8%	17 5%	20 7%	2 4%	24 8%	22 7%	18 7%	7 3%	46 7%	25 5%	15 6%	57 7%	62 6%	10 9%	
Not helpful at all	(1)	19 2%	14 2%	5 1%	2 2%	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	7 4%	1 3%	2 2%	3 1%	3 1%	9 3%	1 3%	7 2%	2 1%	6 2%	4 2%	9 1%	10 2%	4 2%	15 2%	15 2%	3 3%	
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		513 47%	275 47%	238 47%	63 46%	105 42%	125 50%	132 50%	67 43%	21 52%	63 46%	105 42%	187 50%	137 46%	21 52%	137 45%	152 46%	125 48%	99 49%	289 46%	224 49%	113 47%	401 47%	458 47%	53 52%	
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		90 8%	55 9%	35 7%	16 12%	23 9%	13 5%	16 6%	20 13%	3 7%	16 12%	23 9%	20 5%	29 10%	3 7%	31 10%	25 7%	24 9%	11 5%	55 9%	35 8%	19 8%	71 8%	77 8%	12 12%	
Don't know		175 16%	83 14%	92 18%	17 12%	43 17%	42 17%	47 18%	21 14%	6 14%	17 12%	43 17%	62 17%	48 16%	6 14%	41 14%	56 17%	32 12%	47 23%	97 NoP	79 15%	33 14%	142 17%	160 16%	12 11%	
Mean		3.57	3.54	3.60	3.51	3.49	3.68	3.64	3.44	3.58	3.51	3.49	3.68	3.52	3.58	3.46	3.59	3.54	3.75	3.53	3.63	3.57	3.57	3.57	3.57	
Standard deviation		0.89	0.91	0.85	0.93	0.87	0.86	0.80	1.02	0.89	0.93	0.87	0.84	0.93	0.89	0.87	0.86	0.91	0.91	0.86	0.92	0.90	0.88	0.87	0.97	
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.09	0.15	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.15	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.10	

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 35

**Q8. Thinking about your impressions of the construction industry, to what extent, if at all, do you feel the sector is helpful in supporting people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) in improving their ...? Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = not helpful at all and 5 = very helpful.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Salary**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Very helpful	(5)	120 11%	105 11%	9 10%	4 8%	12 10%	11 13%	12 13%	12 15%	6 11%	8 8%	21 13%	14 9%	11 11%	36 10%	38 11%	46 11%	120 11%	95 12%	25 9%	32 14%	84 10%	96 14%W	24 7%	98 23%Y	3 2%
4	(4)	393 36%	344 36%	33 35%	15 36%	41 34%	31 34%	34 36%	37 46%jL	17 32%	43 40%	54 34%	59 37%	29 30%	120 35%	131 39%	142 34%	393 36%	286 36%	107 36%	92 40%	296 36%	268 39%w	113 33%	250 58%Y	10 9%
3	(3)	315 29%	278 29%	24 26%	12 28%	47 39%BEGHJK	23 25%	32 34%G	13 16%	13 26%	37 34%G	40 25%	40 25%	34 36%Gjk	105 31%	96 29%	114 27%	315 29%	226 28%	89 30%	55 24%	247 30%t	184 27%	115 33%V	69 16%	51 45%X
2	(2)	72 7%	60 6%	9 9% <sup>d</sup>	3 8%	4 4%	6 6%	8 8%	4 5%	3 6%	5 4%	15 9% <sup>d</sup>	10 6%	4 5%	22 6%	20 6%	30 7%	72 7%	52 6%	20 7%	19 8%	51 6%	44 6%	25 7%	6 1%	32 28%X
Not helpful at all	(1)	19 2%	18 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	4 4%BIL	1 1%	1 2%	1 2%	- -	4 3% <sup>b</sup>	7 4%Bil	- -	5 1%	4 1%	11 3%	19 2%	17 2%	2 1%	5 2%	14 2%	13 2%	5 1%	2 *	15 13%X
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		513 47%	449 47%	42 45%	19 44%	53 44%	42 47%	46 49%	49 61%BDeHJKL	22 43%	52 48%	75 47%	73 46%	40 41%	156 45%	169 51%	188 45%	513 47%	381 48%	132 45%	124 54%U	380 46%	363 53%W	137 40%	348 80%Y	13 11%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		90 8%	78 8%	9 9%	3 8%	5 4%	9 10% <sup>di</sup>	9 10%	5 7%	4 8%	5 4%	19 12%DIL	17 11% <sup>di</sup>	4 5%	27 8%	23 7%	41 10%	90 8%	68 9%	22 7%	25 11%	65 8%	57 8%	29 9%	8 2%	46 41%X
Don't know		175 16%	145 15%	18 20% <sup>F</sup>	9 20% <sup>F</sup>	14 12%	16 18% <sup>F</sup>	7 7%	13 16% <sup>f</sup>	12 23% <sup>dF</sup>	15 14%	25 16% <sup>F</sup>	30 18% <sup>F</sup>	18 19% <sup>F</sup>	57 16%	46 14%	72 17%	175 16%	124 16%	51 17%	28 12%	134 16%	84 12%	62 18% <sup>V</sup>	9 2%	3 3%
Mean		3.57	3.57	3.58	3.56	3.56	3.55	3.55	3.80 <sup>d</sup> fj	3.57	3.59	3.54	3.49	3.59	3.56	3.63	3.53	3.57	3.58	3.55	3.62	3.56	3.64 <sup>W</sup>	3.45	4.03 <sup>Y</sup>	2.58
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Standard deviation		0.89	0.89	0.85	0.81	0.79	1.01	0.89	0.87	0.93	0.72	0.99	0.97	0.80	0.86	0.84	0.94	0.89	0.91	0.82	0.95	0.87	0.91	0.83	0.69	0.92
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.15	0.08	0.11	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 35

**Q8. Thinking about your impressions of the construction industry, to what extent, if at all, do you feel the sector is helpful in supporting people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) in improving their ...? Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = not helpful at all and 5 = very helpful.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Salary**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Very helpful	(5) 120 11%	23 14%f	17 10%	11 9%	20 10%	22 12%	9 7%	18 15%f	12 16%f
4	(4) 393 36%	53 32%	54 32%	51 42%ab	83 40%ab	64 36%	46 36%	41 34%	27 37%
3	(3) 315 29%	55 33%	50 29%	37 30%	52 25%	50 28%	38 30%	33 28%	19 26%
2	(2) 72 7%	14 8%CG	13 7%CG	2 2%	19 9%CG	10 6%cg	12 9%CG	2 2%	8 11%CG
Not helpful at all	(1) 19 2%	5 3%Ef	3 2%e	2 2%	3 2%e	-	-	5 5%EF	4 5%dEF
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	513 47%	76 45%	71 41%	62 51%b	103 50%b	87 49%	55 43%	58 49%	39 53%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	90 8%	19 11%Ce	16 9%C	4 3%	22 11%Ce	10 6%	12 9%C	8 6%	12 16%CEG
Don't know	175 16%	19 11%	36 21%AdH	18 15%H	28 14%H	31 18%H	22 18%H	20 17%H	3 4%
Mean	3.57	3.50	3.50	3.66	3.55	3.67f	3.50	3.64	3.50
Standard deviation	0.89	0.97	0.91	0.77	0.90	0.82	0.81	0.99	1.08
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.14

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Very helpful	(5) 51 5%	18 3%	33 6%A	8 6%	17 7%G	9 4%	10 4%	3 2%	3 7%	8 6%l	17 7%L	15 4%	7 3%	3 7%	9 3%	16 5%	14 5%	12 6%	25 4%	26 6%	18 7%U	33 4%	42 4%	9 9%V
4	(4) 232 21%	126 22%	106 21%	27 20%	49 19%	63 25%	58 22%	29 19%	7 16%	27 20%	49 19%	94 25%jl	56 19%	7 16%	59 19%	68 21%	56 22%	50 25%	127 20%	105 23%	49 20%	183 21%	207 21%	24 23%
3	(3) 387 35%	206 35%	181 35%	50 37%	88 35%	82 33%	95 36%	58 38%	15 36%	50 37%	88 35%	125 34%	110 37%	15 36%	114 38%Q	112 34%	104 40%Q	56 28%	226 36%	160 35%	81 34%	305 36%	349 36%	35 34%
2	(2) 185 17%	110 19%b	75 15%	28 21%f	44 18%	40 16%	36 14%	27 18%	8 20%	28 21%	44 18%	59 16%	45 15%	8 20%	66 22%PQ	61 19%Q	35 13%	22 11%	128 20%S	57 12%	47 20%	137 16%	163 17%	19 19%
Not helpful at all	(1) 67 6%	36 6%	31 6%	9 7%	15 6%	15 6%	9 3%	15 10%F	4 10%f	9 7%	15 6%	15 4%	24 8%K	4 10%k	23 7%	17 5%	15 6%	13 6%	40 6%	27 6%	13 6%	54 6%	60 6%	6 6%
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)	283 26%	144 25%	139 27%	35 26%	66 26%	72 29%g	68 26%	33 21%	9 23%	35 26%	66 26%	109 29%L	63 21%	9 23%	68 22%	84 26%	69 27%	62 31%N	152 24%	131 28%	67 28%	216 25%	249 25%	33 32%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)	252 23%	146 25%b	106 21%	37 27%F	59 24%f	55 22%	45 17%	43 28%F	12 30%f	37 27%k	59 24%	74 20%	69 23%	12 30%	89 29%PQ	78 24%q	49 19%	35 17%	167 26%S	84 18%	61 25%	191 22%	222 23%	25 24%
Don't know	173 16%	86 15%	87 17%	13 10%	37 15%	41 16%c	56 21%Cd	21 13%	5 12%	13 10%	37 15%	64 17%l	53 18%l	5 12%	33 11%	55 17%N	36 14%	49 24%NOP	88 14%	85 18%R	33 13%	140 16%	161 16%w	10 10%
Mean	3.02	2.96	3.08a	2.98	3.04g	3.05g	3.11G	2.83	2.89	2.98	3.04	3.11L	2.91	2.89	2.87	3.02n	3.09N	3.17N	2.95	3.12R	3.05	3.01	3.01	3.12
Standard deviation	0.98	0.96	1.01	1.01	1.02	0.98	0.90	0.98	1.09	1.01	1.02	0.93	0.97	1.09	0.96	0.98	0.95	1.04	0.97	0.99	1.03	0.97	0.97	1.05
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.17	0.10	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.17	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.09	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Very helpful	(5)	51 5%	44 5%	5 5%	1 3%	4 3%	4 5%	6 6%	8 9%dl	2 3%	2 2%	9 6%	7 4%	3 4%	14 4%	17 5%	20 5%	51 5%	40 5%	11 4%	14 6%	35 4%	45 7%W	6 2%	47 11%Y	-
4	(4)	232 21%	200 21%	19 21%	6 14%	29 24%e	13 15%	19 20%	24 30%ceJ	12 24%	28 26%e	28 17%	35 22%	19 20%	67 20%	84 25%mo	81 20%	232 21%R	185 23%R	47 16%	56 24%	169 20%	176 26%W	50 15%	186 43%Y	5 5%
3	(3)	387 35%	339 36%	31 34%g	14 33%	52 44%GJ	33 37%G	38 40%G	16 21%	17 33%	41 38%G	51 32%g	60 38%G	33 34%g	131 38%	112 34%	144 35%	387 35%	276 34%	111 38%	84 37%	287 35%	241 35%	127 37%	147 34%Y	17 15%
2	(2)	185 17%	164 17%	14 15%	10 24%	22 18%	16 18%	16 17%	14 18%	6 12%	17 16%	32 20%	23 14%	14 14%	62 18%	54 16%	69 17%	185 17%	129 16%	55 19%	42 18%	141 17%	114 17%	65 19%	37 9%	49 44%X
Not helpful at all	(1)	67 6%	57 6%	6 6% d	4 9%D	2 2%	6 7% d	5 5%	5 7% d	3 7% d	4 4%	16 10%Di	9 6% d	5 5%	18 5%	18 5%	31 7%	67 6%	47 6%	20 7%	12 5%	55 7%	34 5%	31 9%V	6 1%	41 37%X
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		283 26%	245 26%	24 26%	7 17%	33 27%	17 19%	25 26%	32 40%bCdE fJKL	14 27%	30 28%	37 23%	41 26%	22 23%	82 24%	101 30%mo	101 24%	283 26%R	225 28%R	58 20%	70 30%u	204 25%	221 32%W	56 16%	233 54%Y	5 5%
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		252 23%	222 23%	20 21%	14 33%l	24 20%	22 24%	21 22%	20 25%	10 19%	21 20%	49 31%bDhi KL	33 20%	18 19%	80 23%	72 22%	100 24%	252 23%	176 22%	76 26%	54 23%	196 24%	148 22%	95 28%V	43 10%	90 80%X
Don't know		173 16%	145 15%	17 19%D	7 17%	11 9%	17 19%D	11 12%	12 15%	11 21%D	16 14%	22 14%	26 16%	23 24%DFj	53 15%	49 15%	71 17%	173 16%	123 15%	50 17%	23 10%	138 17%T	78 11%	65 19%V	11 2%y	-
Mean		3.02	3.01	3.05	2.72	3.10j	2.92	3.05	3.21J	3.06	3.07	2.86	3.04	3.03	2.99	3.10	2.97	3.02r	3.06R	2.89	3.08	2.98	3.14W	2.77	3.55Y	1.88
Standard deviation		0.98	0.98	1.02	0.99	0.82	0.99	0.97	1.14	0.99	0.88	1.09	0.96	0.94	0.99	0.99	1.01	0.98	0.99	0.96	0.98	0.99	0.99	0.94	0.86	0.83
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.11	0.18	0.08	0.11	0.10	0.15	0.14	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.08

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 36

**Q8. Thinking about your impressions of the construction industry, to what extent, if at all, do you feel the sector is helpful in supporting people from less well-off backgrounds (e.g. those in poverty) in improving their ...? Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = not helpful at all and 5 = very helpful.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Sector								
		Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof. sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base		1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base		1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Very helpful	(5)	51 5%	8 5%	7 4%	6 5%	8 4%	6 4%	8 6%	8 7%	5 7%
4	(4)	232 21%	48 28% <sup>d</sup> EfG	39 23%	27 22%	41 20%	31 18%	24 19%	21 18%	26 35% <sup>bc</sup> DEFG
3	(3)	387 35%	58 34%	54 31%	43 36%	76 37%	69 39%	42 33%	45 38%	25 34%
2	(2)	185 17%	24 14%	29 17%	18 15%	39 19% <sup>H</sup>	33 18% <sup>h</sup>	25 20% <sup>H</sup>	16 13%	6 9%
Not helpful at all	(1)	67 6%	8 5%	8 5%	10 8% <sup>f</sup>	15 7% <sup>f</sup>	12 7% <sup>f</sup>	3 3%	10 8% <sup>f</sup>	7 10% <sup>F</sup>
NET: Helpful (4 + 5)		283 26%	56 33% <sup>d</sup> E	46 27%	32 27%	49 24%	38 21%	32 25%	30 25%	31 42% <sup>BC</sup> DEFG
NET: Not helpful (1 + 2)		252 23%	33 19%	37 22%	28 23%	54 26%	45 25%	28 22%	26 22%	13 18%
Don't know		173 16%	23 14% <sup>h</sup>	35 20% <sup>DH</sup>	18 15% <sup>h</sup>	26 13%	27 15% <sup>h</sup>	25 20% <sup>dH</sup>	19 16% <sup>H</sup>	4 6%
Mean		3.02	3.15 <sup>d</sup> E	3.06	3.00	2.94	2.91	3.08	3.02	3.22 <sup>d</sup> E
Standard deviation		0.98	0.96	0.97	1.02	0.98	0.96	0.96	1.06	1.07
Standard error		0.03	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.11	0.14

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 37

**Q9. Professional bodies are organisations that oversee the activities of a particular profession (e.g. doctors, teachers, engineers). They represent the interests of the public and individuals engaged in that profession, and can provide formal certifications in a specific field of work. Are you, or have you ever been, a member of a professional body related to your line of work?**

**Base: All working adults**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Yes	231 21%	127 22%	104 20%	36 26%E	57 23%	43 17%	52 20%	32 21%	11 27%	36 26%K	57 23%k	63 17%	64 22%	11 27%	105 35%OPQ	59 18%Q	46 18%Q	20 10%	164 26%S	67 14%	72 30%U	159 19%	201 20%	29 28%v
No	826 75%	435 75%	391 76%	96 71%	177 71%	198 79%cd	205 78%cd	120 78%	29 69%	96 71%	177 71%	294 79%ij	229 78%j	29 69%	192 63%	256 78%N	202 78%N	176 87%NOP	448 71%	378 82%R	163 68%	662 78%T	753 77%W	65 63%
Don't know	38 3%	21 4%	17 3%	3 2%	16 7%CFG	9 4%	6 2%	1 1%	2 4%	3 2%	16 7%lL	14 4%L	2 1%	2 4%l	7 2%	15 4%	10 4%	6 3%	22 3%	16 4%	6 3%	32 4%	28 3%	9 9%V

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	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Yes	231 21%	198 21%	22 23%l	8 19%	27 23%l	16 18%	19 20%	17 21%	11 22%	22 20%	36 22%l	41 26%L	13 13%	73 21%	69 21%	89 21%	231 21%R	188 24%R	43 14%	231 100%U	-	176 26%W	44 13%	100 23%	29 25%
No	826 75%	719 76%	69 74%	31 72%	92 77%	69 77%	70 75%	62 77%	38 74%	84 77%	115 72%	117 73%	80 83%j	260 75%	254 76%	311 75%	826 75%	586 73%	239 81%PQ	-	826 100%T	492 72%	293 85%V	323 75%	80 71%
Don't know	38 3%	32 3%	3 3%	4 9%DiK	1 1%	4 5%dk	5 5%Dk	2 2%	2 5%d	2 2%	8 5%DK	2 1%	4 4%d	12 3%	11 3%	15 4%	38 3%	25 3%	13 4%	-	-	19 3%	6 2%	11 2%	3 3%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

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**Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Yes	231 21%	34 20%BC	19 11%	12 10%	60 29%aBCE	34 19%BC	35 28%BCe	35 30%aBCE	24 33%aBCE
No	826 75%	131 77%dfG	145 84%DFGH	106 87%ADeFGH	140 87%ADeFGH	142 79%DFGh	86 67%	77 64%	49 67%
Don't know	38 3%	4 2%	8 5%h	3 3%	5 3%	3 2%	7 5%h	7 6%eH	- -

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 38

**Q10. In which of the following industries do you hold, or have you ever held, membership of a professional body?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
Professional, scientific & technical	42 18%	26 21%	16 15%	9 26%	12 21%	7 17%	7 13%	6 18%	1 8%	9 26%	12 21%	11 17%	9 14%	1 8%	28 27%P	11 19%P	1 2%	2 12%	39 24%S	3 5%	13 17%	30 19%	37 18%	6 20%
Education	36 16%	14 11%	22 21%A	5 13%	7 13%	9 22%	8 15%	4 13%	3 24%	5 13%	7 13%	14 22%l	7 11%	3 24%	23 22%oP	7 11%	3 6%	4 19%	30 18%	6 10%	23 32%U	13 8%	33 16%	3 10%
Finance & insurance	32 14%	19 15%	13 13%	5 15%E	8 15%E	1 2%	11 20%E	7 22%	- -	5 15%	8 15%	6 10%	12 19%	- -	16 15%	9 15%	4 8%	4 19%	25 15%	8 11%	5 8%	27 17%t	29 14%	3 11%
Health	28 12%	11 9%	18 17%a	3 8%	7 12%	6 14%	4 8%	7 21%	2 17%	3 8%	7 12%	7 11%	10 16%	2 17%	13 12%	4 6%	7 16%	4 22%	17 10%	12 18%	11 15%	18 11%	25 12%	4 13%
Construction	25 11%	21 16%B	4 4%	6 16%	5 9%	3 7%	5 10%	5 15%	1 9%	6 16%	5 9%	5 7%	8 13%	1 9%	5 4%	6 10%	14 30%NO	- -	11 6%	14 21%R	5 7%	20 12%	23 11%	2 7%
Business administration & support services	20 9%	13 10%	7 7%	1 3%	2 4%	7 16%cD	4 8%	2 6%	4 33%	1 3%	2 4%	8 12%	5 8%	4 33%	7 7%	5 9%	6 13%	2 10%	12 7%	8 12%	4 5%	16 10%	17 9%	3 9%
Information & communication	12 5%	10 8%B	2 2%	1 3%	3 6%	4 9%	2 4%	2 5%	- -	1 3%	3 6%	4 6%	4 6%	- -	9 8%p	3 4%	- -	1 5%	11 7%	1 2%	4 5%	8 5%	9 5%	3 9%
Public administration & defence	11 5%	8 6%	3 3%	- -	5 8%cF	4 10%cF	- -	1 3%	1 8%	- -	5 8%il	4 7%	1 2%	1 8%	3 3%	4 7%	3 6%	1 6%	7 4%	4 6%	7 9%U	4 3%	10 5%	1 3%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	9 4%	4 3%	5 5%	1 4%	3 5%	1 3%	1 2%	2 6%	1 7%	1 4%	3 5%	1 2%	3 5%	1 7%	1 1%	3 5%	2 5%	3 12%	4 3%	5 7%	- -	9 6%T	7 3%	1 4%
Property	7 3%	4 3%	3 3%	2 6%	2 3%	2 5%	1 2%	- -	- -	2 6%l	2 3%	3 5%l	- -	- -	2 2%	2 4%	1 2%	1 6%	4 3%	2 4%	- -	7 4%t	6 3%	1 4%
Accommodation & food services	5 2%	4 3%	2 2%	- -	2 3%	- -	2 4%	1 2%	1 7%	- -	2 3%	- -	3 5%k	1 7%	4 4%	2 3%	- -	- -	5 3%	- -	- -	5 3%	5 3%	- -
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	5 2%	5 4%B	- -	- -	2 3%	- -	3 6%	- -	- -	- -	2 3%	- -	3 5%k	- -	2 2%	- -	2 4%	1 5%	2 1%	3 5%	2 3%	3 2%	5 3%	- -

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 38

**Q10. In which of the following industries do you hold, or have you ever held, membership of a professional body?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
Retail	5 2%	3 2%	2 2%	-	3 4%	-	2 5%	-	-	-	3 4%	1 2%	1 2%	-	3 3%	1 1%	1 3%	-	4 2%	1 2%	1 1%	4 3%	2 1%	3 9%V
Manufacturing	4 2%	4 3%b	-	1 2%	2 4%	-	1 2%	-	-	1 2%	2 4%	-	1 2%	-	1 1%	1 1%	1 2%	1 6%	2 1%	2 4%	2 3%	2 1%	3 2%	1 4%
Motor trades	1 *	1 1%	-	-	1 2%	-	-	-	-	-	1 2%	-	-	-	-	-	1 2%	-	-	1 2%	1 2%	-	-	1 4%V
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	1 *	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 8%	-	-	-	-	1 8%	1 1%	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	1 1%	1 *	-
Wholesale	1 *	1 1%	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	1 *	-	-	1 *	1 *	-
Other (please specify)	18 8%	4 4%	14 13%A	1 4%	2 4%	5 11%	7 13%d	3 8%	1 12%	1 4%	2 4%	8 13%j	6 9%	1 12%	5 4%	7 11%n	6 12%n	1 7%	11 7%	7 11%	6 9%	12 8%	17 9%	1 4%

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**Q10. In which of the following industries do you hold, or have you ever held, membership of a professional body?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
Professional, scientific & technical	42 18%	37 19%	2 7%	2 28%	7 27%	3 20%	2 10%	3 18%	3 30%	4 17%	5 14%	10 24%	1 8%	14 20%	12 18%	16 18%	42 18%	36 19%	6 14%	42 18%	-	28 16%	10 23%	13 13%	6 20%
Education	36 16%	33 17%	2 10%	1 14%	5 17%	2 10%	3 16%	1 8%	1 6%	6 27%	3 9%	8 19%	4 34%	10 13%	11 16%	15 17%	36 16%	30 16%	6 14%	36 16%	-	25 14%	10 22%	14 14%	3 11%
Finance & insurance	32 14%	31 16%	1 7%	-	5 17%	5 29%	2 9%	5 29%	-	2 10%	6 17%	3 8%	3 24%	11 15%	9 13%	13 14%	32 14%	29 15%	4 8%	32 14%	-	25 14%	6 13%	10 10%	7 23% <sup>x</sup>
Health	28 12%	22 11%	5 25%	1 17%	2 7%	1 4%	2 10%	4 23%	1 13%	2 10%	3 8%	6 14%	1 8%	9 13%	9 14%	10 11%	28 12%	20 11%	8 19%	28 12%	-	24 14%	3 7%	11 11%	3 11%
Construction	25 11%	20 10%	2 9%	1 13%	2 8%	1 6%	3 14%	2 13%	3 25%	2 11%	3 9%	4 10%	1 11%	6 9%	10 14%	8 9%	25 11% <sup>r</sup>	24 13% <sup>R</sup>	1 2%	25 11%	-	21 12%	3 7%	16 16% <sup>Y</sup>	-
Business administration & support services	20 9%	18 9%	2 8%	1 17%	2 8%	3 16%	1 5%	1 5%	-	1 5%	5 14%	2 6%	2 15%	8 11%	3 4%	9 10%	20 9%	12 6%	8 18% <sup>pQ</sup>	20 9%	-	14 8%	7 15%	13 13%	1 3%
Information & communication	12 5%	10 5%	2 7%	-	-	-	2 10%	-	1 7%	2 10%	2 7%	3 8%	-	2 2%	5 7%	6 6%	12 5%	11 6%	1 2%	12 5%	-	8 4%	5 10%	7 7%	3 10%
Public administration & defence	11 5%	10 5%	1 3%	1 13%	2 7%	-	2 9%	2 14%	-	-	1 2%	1 3%	1 7%	4 5%	4 6%	3 3%	11 5%	9 5%	2 4%	11 5%	-	7 4%	3 7%	3 3%	2 7%
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	9 4%	8 4%	1 3%	-	-	2 10%	-	-	-	1 6%	4 11%	1 3%	-	2 3%	1 2%	5 6%	9 4%	8 4%	1 2%	9 4%	-	7 4%	2 4%	7 7%	1 3%
Property	7 3%	4 2%	2 7%	1 13%	-	-	-	1 8%	1 7%	-	2 5%	-	-	3 4%	2 3%	2 2%	7 3%	5 3%	1 3%	7 3%	-	4 2%	1 3%	4 4%	-
Accommodation & food services	5 2%	4 2%	1 7%	-	-	1 5%	-	-	-	1 5%	-	1 3%	-	2 3%	2 3%	1 1%	5 2%	5 3%	1 2%	5 2%	-	5 3%	-	3 3%	2 6%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	5 2%	2 1%	2 9%	1 13%	1 4%	- -	- -	- -	1 9%	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 6%O	1 1%	- -	5 2%	5 3%	- -	5 2%	- -	4 2%	1 2%	2 2%	1 4%
Retail	5 2%	5 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 4%	1 5%	- -	1 5%	1 2%	1 3%	- -	- -	3 4% <sup>m</sup>	2 2%	5 2%	3 1%	2 5%	5 2%	- -	4 2%	1 2%	5 5%	- -
Manufacturing	4 2%	4 2%	- -	- -	- -	1 5%	1 6%	1 8%	- -	- -	- -	1 3%	- -	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	4 2%	4 2%	- -	4 2%	- -	3 2%	1 3%	1 1%	- -
Motor trades	1 *	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 6%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	1 *	1 1%	- -	1 *	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 4%	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	1 *	- -	1 2% <sup>Q</sup>	1 *	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -
Wholesale	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	- -	1 5%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 1%	- -
Other (please specify)	18 8%	16 8%	2 7%	- -	2 7%	1 5%	2 10%	- -	1 10%	2 9%	3 8%	6 15%	- -	4 6%	5 7%	9 10%	18 8%	13 7%	5 13%	18 8%	- -	16 9%	1 3%	6 6%	3 11%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 38

**Q10. In which of the following industries do you hold, or have you ever held, membership of a professional body?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base	231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
Professional, scientific & technical	42 18%	4 12%	4 21%	2 16%	16 26%g	7 22%	5 15%	4 10%	1 4%
Education	36 16%	- -	1 7%	-	3 4%	2 7%	30 84%ADEG	-	-
Finance & insurance	32 14%	3 9%	3 18%	2 18%	15 25%aFG	5 14%	2 5%	2 5%	3 13%
Health	28 12%	1 3%	2 13%	-	3 6%	-	1 3%	21 58%ADEF	1 5%
Construction	25 11%	22 64%DEFG	-	1 7%	2 3%	-	-	-	20 83%
Business administration & support services	20 9%	-	4 19%	2 14%	4 6%	6 17%Af	1 3%	4 12%A	-
Information & communication	12 5%	-	-	-	9 15%AeF	1 3%	1 2%	2 4%	-
Public administration & defence	11 5%	-	2 11%	1 7%	1 1%	7 21%ADFG	-	-	-
Arts, entertainment, recreation and other services	9 4%	-	-	-	1 1%	8 22%ADFG	1 2%	-	-
Property	7 3%	-	1 5%	-	4 7%	-	1 2%	1 2%	-
Accommodation & food services	5 2%	-	2 10%	3 28%	-	-	-	-	-

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**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Weighted base	231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
Transport & storage (inc. postal)	5 2%	- -	- -	5 41%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Retail	5 2%	- -	4 21%	1 7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Manufacturing	4 2%	2 6% <sup>d</sup>	2 12%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Motor trades	1 *	- -	1 6%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 3%	- -	- -
Wholesale	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	- -	- -
Other (please specify)	18 8%	3 9% <sup>f</sup>	- -	- -	7 12% <sup>F</sup>	2 6%	- -	6 17% <sup>F</sup>	- -

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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**Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**  
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Table 39

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Summary table**

		Career overall	Job prospects	Job security	Salary	Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)
Unweighted base		234	234	234	234	234
Weighted base		231	231	231	231	231
NET: Helpful		146 63%	136 59%	113 49%	117 51%	124 54%
Very helpful	(4)	28 12%	28 12%	28 12%	29 12%	24 10%
Fairly helpful	(3)	117 51%	107 46%	86 37%	88 38%	100 43%
Not very helpful	(2)	47 20%	52 23%	68 29%	65 28%	62 27%
Not at all helpful	(1)	27 12%	31 14%	35 15%	36 16%	31 14%
NET: Not helpful		73 32%	83 36%	103 45%	101 44%	94 41%
Don't know		12 5%	12 5%	14 6%	13 6%	13 6%
Mean		2.67	2.61	2.49	2.50	2.53
Standard deviation		0.85	0.89	0.91	0.92	0.87
Standard error		0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06



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### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 40

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Summary table - NET: Helpful**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
Career overall	146	82	64	22	38	29	29	20	8	22	38	41	37	8	68	32	34	12	99	46	40	106	123	23
	63%	65%	61%	61%	67%	68%	56%	62%	70%	61%	67%	64%	59%	70%	64%	54%	73%o	60%	61%	69%	55%	67%	61%	78%v
Job prospects	136	71	65	19	43	27	25	15	7	19	43	39	28	7	62	32	30	12	94	42	37	99	113	23
	59%	56%	62%	53%	75%CF	63%	48%	46%	65%	53%	75%lL	61%l	44%	65%	59%	54%	64%	59%	57%	63%	51%	62%	56%	78%V
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	124	62	62	18	36	26	23	15	6	18	36	38	26	6	56	27	31	10	83	41	32	91	104	20
	54%	49%	59%	52%	64%F	62%f	43%	45%	50%	52%	64%L	60%L	40%	50%	53%	46%	66%O	48%	51%	61%	45%	58%t	52%	69%v
Salary	117	67	50	15	37	22	19	16	7	15	37	32	25	7	54	25	26	12	79	38	33	84	97	20
	51%	53%	48%	42%	66%CF	51%	37%	51%	63%	42%	66%lKL	51%	40%	63%	51%	42%	57%	58%	48%	57%	45%	53%	49%	68%V
Job security	113	66	48	21	34	22	18	15	5	21	34	32	23	5	46	28	31	8	75	39	31	82	91	22
	49%	52%	46%	58%F	60%F	51%	34%	45%	41%	58%L	60%L	50%	35%	41%	44%	48%	66%No	40%	46%	58%	43%	52%	46%	76%V
None of these	59	32	27	12	11	9	16	8	3	12	11	13	20	3	26	19	8	6	45	14	25	35	54	4
	26%	25%	26%	34%	20%	21%	31%	26%	23%	34%	20%	20%	32%	23%	25%	33%p	17%	29%	28%	21%	34%u	22%	27%	15%

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Table 40

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Summary table - NET: Helpful**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
Career overall	146 63%	130 65%	9 42%	3 39%	17 63%	11 67%	14 74%	10 62%	7 61%	12 56%	28 80%	28 69%	5 41%	40 55%	44 63%	62 69% m	146 63%	120 64%	26 60%	146 63%	- -	120 68% W	22 49%	74 74%	18 61%
Job prospects	136 59%	118 59%	12 54%	2 27%	16 59%	12 76%	11 60%	11 67%	6 54%	9 41%	27 75%	24 59%	5 41%	42 58%	38 55%	56 63%	136 59%	112 60%	23 54%	136 59%	- -	113 64% W	20 44%	62 62%	17 60%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	124 54%	109 55%	9 42%	2 29%	13 48%	9 55%	13 69%	9 51%	6 54%	8 38%	27 76%	23 57%	4 32%	33 46%	36 52%	54 61% m	124 54%	102 54%	22 51%	124 54%	- -	101 57%	19 43%	64 64% y	13 47%
Salary	117 51%	102 51%	11 49%	1 14%	16 58%	11 66%	7 38%	7 42%	5 45%	5 20%	22 62%	29 70%	4 34%	38 52% N	24 34%	55 62% N	117 51%	97 52%	20 46%	117 51%	- -	97 55% w	18 40%	57 57%	12 41%
Job security	113 49%	100 50%	8 35%	2 29%	12 46%	8 51%	12 65%	8 48%	6 54%	7 30%	24 68%	20 50%	5 41%	31 42%	33 48%	50 56% m	113 49%	97 51%	17 39%	113 49%	- -	96 54% W	14 33%	57 57% y	11 37%
None of these	59 26%	48 24%	7 33%	2 30%	8 31%	2 9%	5 26%	4 26%	4 39%	9 39%	5 15%	9 23%	3 25%	19 26%	22 32% o	18 20%	59 26%	46 24%	13 31%	59 26%	- -	35 20%	18 41% V	18 18%	8 27%

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**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Summary table - NET: Helpful**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base	231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
Career overall	146 63%	27 80%EG	14 75%	7 60%	39 64%	18 54%	22 61%	18 50%	18 75%
Job prospects	136 59%	23 66%	14 74%	7 52%	37 62%	17 51%	19 54%	19 53%	14 59%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	124 54%	23 67%	12 62%	4 30%	32 54%	17 51%	19 55%	17 47%	15 61%
Salary	117 51%	22 63%Eg	11 57%	6 50%	33 55%e	12 35%	19 55%e	14 39%	12 51%
Job security	113 49%	24 71%DEFG	11 57%	6 48%	27 45%	12 37%	17 47%	16 46%	17 70%
None of these	59 26%	4 12%	3 15%	2 18%	15 25%	14 40%A	8 23%	14 38%A	4 17%

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Table 41

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Summary table - NET: Not helpful**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
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Job security	103 45%	56 44%	48 46%	8 24%	21 37%	20 47%C	33 64%CD	15 46%	6 49%	8 24%	21 37%	30 47%I	38 60%IJ	6 49%	55 52%P	24 41%	15 32%	10 48%	79 48%	24 37%	36 50%	67 42%	97 48%W	5 17%
Salary	101 44%	56 44%	45 43%	15 43%	18 31%	20 47%	31 59%D	13 40%	4 37%	15 43%	18 31%	28 45%	35 55%J	4 37%	47 45%	28 47%	19 41%	7 36%	75 46%	26 39%	34 47%	67 42%	93 46%W	7 25%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	94 41%	59 47%B	34 33%	12 33%	18 32%	15 36%	27 52%D	17 52%	5 42%	12 33%	18 32%	24 38%	35 55%JK	5 42%	46 44%	24 41%	15 32%	8 42%	71 43%	23 35%	33 46%	61 38%	86 43%W	7 24%
Job prospects	83 36%	53 42%B	30 29%	11 32%	13 22%	15 35%	25 48%D	15 48%	4 35%	11 32%	13 22%	22 35%	33 53%IJK	4 35%	39 37%	22 37%	15 33%	7 35%	61 37%	22 34%	30 41%	54 34%	78 39%W	4 14%
Career overall	73 32%	41 32%	32 31%	9 24%	16 27%	13 30%	22 42%	11 34%	3 30%	9 24%	16 27%	21 33%	25 39%	3 30%	35 33%	22 37%	10 22%	7 34%	56 34%	17 26%	27 37%	46 29%	68 34%W	4 14%
None of these	92 40%	46 37%	46 44%	18 52%f	28 50%F	17 39%	16 30%	8 24%	5 44%	18 52%L	28 50%L	26 40%L	15 23%	5 44%	41 39%	23 39%	20 42%	8 41%	64 39%	28 42%	26 36%	66 42%	74 37%	18 62%V

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Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
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Salary	101 44%	85 43%	10 48%	7 86%	9 35%	5 30%	10 51%	9 52%	5 49%	15 70%	12 35%	10 24%	8 66%	31 43%	39 57% <sup>o</sup>	30 34%	101 44%	83 44%	18 41%	101 44%	-	75 43%	20 46%	38 38%	16 56% <sup>x</sup>
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	94 41%	78 39%	12 54%	6 71%	11 41%	5 31%	5 25%	7 42%	4 39%	12 53%	9 24%	15 37%	8 68%	34 46%	28 41%	32 36%	94 41%	80 42%	14 32%	94 41%	-	70 40%	19 43%	32 32%	14 50% <sup>x</sup>
Job prospects	83 36%	70 35%	9 42%	5 57%	9 34%	3 20%	6 29%	4 27%	4 39%	11 50%	9 25%	16 38%	7 59%	26 36%	25 37%	32 36%	83 36%	69 37%	14 33%	83 36%	-	58 33%	19 44%	35 35%	11 37%
Career overall	73 32%	58 29%	11 53%	4 44%	8 31%	5 29%	4 20%	5 32%	4 33%	8 34%	6 18%	11 28%	7 59%	28 38%	20 29%	25 28%	73 32%	62 33%	12 27%	73 32%	-	51 29%	18 41%	23 23%	11 39% <sup>x</sup>
None of these	92 40%	78 39%	8 39%	-	13 48%	6 39%	8 44%	4 26%	6 51%	5 25%	19 53%	20 49%	2 15%	28 38%	24 35%	40 45%	92 40%	73 39%	19 44%	92 40%	-	71 40%	18 40%	47 47% <sup>y</sup>	7 24%

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Salary	101 44%	10 28%	7 37%	6 50%	24 40%	20 59%Adf	13 36%	21 59%Adf	10 40%
Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)	94 41%	9 28%	6 33%	7 56%	26 43%	15 43%	12 34%	18 51%a	8 35%
Job prospects	83 36%	10 29%	5 26%	6 48%	20 34%	15 43%	13 37%	15 41%	9 37%
Career overall	73 32%	6 17%	5 25%	4 33%	19 31%	13 40%a	10 30%	16 44%A	5 21%
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Absolutes/col percents

Table 42

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Career overall**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
NET: Helpful	146	82	64	22	38	29	29	20	8	22	38	41	37	8	68	32	34	12	99	46	40	106	123	23
	63%	65%	61%	61%	67%	68%	56%	62%	70%	61%	67%	64%	59%	70%	64%	54%	73%o	60%	61%	69%	55%	67%	61%	78%v
Very helpful	(4)	28	13	15	5	9	6	3	4	2	5	9	8	2	15	5	3	5	20	8	7	21	22	6
		12%	10%	14%	13%	16%f	14%	5%	12%	16%	13%	16%	7%	16%	14%	8%	7%	24%	12%	12%	10%	13%	11%	20%
Fairly helpful	(3)	117	69	48	17	29	23	26	16	6	17	29	33	6	52	27	31	7	79	38	33	85	100	17
		51%	54%	46%	48%	50%	54%	51%	50%	54%	48%	50%	51%	54%	50%	46%	66%nO	36%	48%	57%	45%	53%	50%	59%
Not very helpful	(2)	47	26	21	6	11	6	15	7	2	6	11	12	2	21	15	5	6	36	11	17	29	41	4
		20%	20%	20%	16%	19%	15%	29%	22%	14%	16%	19%	20%	14%	20%	25%p	11%	29%	22%	16%	24%	18%	20%	14%
Not at all helpful	(1)	27	15	12	3	5	6	7	4	2	3	5	8	2	14	7	5	1	21	6	10	17	27	-
		12%	12%	11%	9%	8%	15%	13%	12%	16%	9%	8%	13%	14%	13%	12%	11%	5%	13%	9%	13%	11%	13%W	-
NET: Not helpful		73	41	32	9	16	13	22	11	3	9	16	21	25	35	22	10	7	56	17	27	46	68	4
		32%	32%	31%	24%	27%	30%	42%	34%	30%	24%	27%	33%	30%	33%	37%	22%	34%	34%	26%	37%	29%	34%W	14%
Don't know		12	4	8	5	3	1	1	1	-	5	3	2	1	3	5	2	1	8	3	5	7	10	2
		5%	3%	8%a	15%EF	6%	2%	2%	4%	-	15%KL	6%	3%	2%	3%	9%n	5%	6%	5%	5%	7%	4%	5%	7%
Mean	2.67	2.65	2.70	2.77	2.79f	2.68	2.49	2.64	2.69	2.77	2.79l	2.65	2.53	2.69	2.68	2.56	2.72	2.84	2.64	2.76	2.56	2.72	2.62	3.06
Standard deviation	0.85	0.83	0.88	0.84	0.84	0.91	0.80	0.87	0.97	0.84	0.84	0.87	0.83	0.97	0.89	0.83	0.77	0.89	0.87	0.80	0.87	0.84	0.87	0.61
Standard error	0.06	0.07	0.09	0.16	0.11	0.14	0.11	0.16	0.28	0.16	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.28	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.22	0.07	0.11	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.11

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 42

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Career overall**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
NET: Helpful	146	130	9	3	17	11	14	10	7	12	28	28	5	40	44	62	146	120	26	146	-	120	22	74	18
	63%	65%	42%	39%	63%	67%	74%	62%	61%	56%	80%	69%	41%	55%	63%	69% <sub>m</sub>	63%	64%	60%	63%	-	68% <sub>W</sub>	49%	74%	61%
Very helpful	(4)	28	25	2	1	5	2	2	1	1	7	3	1	11	6	11	28	23	5	28	-	26	1	19	4
		12%	13%	8%	13%	20%	10%	14%	10%	4%	20%	8%	7%	14%	9%	13%	12%	12%	11%	12%	-	15% <sub>W</sub>	3%	19%	13%
Fairly helpful	(3)	117	104	7	2	11	8	12	6	12	21	25	4	30	37	51	117	97	21	117	-	94	20	55	14
		51%	53%	34%	27%	43%	64%	48%	51%	52%	60%	61%	34%	41%	54%	57% <sub>M</sub>	51%	51%	49%	51%	-	53%	46%	55%	49%
Not very helpful	(2)	47	39	8	2	5	3	5	-	6	4	6	5	18	13	15	47	40	6	47	-	34	11	15	8
		20%	20%	36%	31%	19%	10%	32%	-	25%	12%	14%	42%	25%	19%	17%	20%	21%	15%	20%	-	19%	25%	15%	27%
Not at all helpful	(1)	27	19	4	1	3	2	-	4	2	2	6	2	10	7	10	27	22	5	27	-	17	7	8	3
		12%	10%	17%	13%	12%	10%	-	33%	9%	6%	14%	17%	13%	11%	11%	12%	12%	12%	12%	-	10%	16%	8%	11%
NET: Not helpful	73	58	11	4	8	5	4	5	4	8	6	11	7	28	20	25	73	62	12	73	-	51	18	23	11
	32%	29%	53%	44%	31%	29%	20%	32%	33%	34%	18%	28%	59%	38%	29%	28%	32%	33%	27%	32%	-	29%	41%	23%	39% <sub>x</sub>
Don't know	12	10	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	-	5	5	2	12	6	6	12	-	6	4	3	-
	5%	5%	4%	17%	7%	4%	6%	6%	7%	9%	2%	3%	-	7%	7%	2%	5%	3%	13% <sub>PQ</sub>	5%	-	3%	10% <sub>v</sub>	3%	-
Mean	2.67	2.72	2.35	2.47	2.76	2.75	2.79	2.81	2.40	2.57	2.96	2.65	2.31	2.60	2.67	2.73	2.67	2.67	2.68	2.67	-	2.75 <sub>W</sub>	2.41	2.88	2.63
Standard deviation	0.85	0.83	0.89	1.01	0.95	0.86	0.79	0.70	1.13	0.74	0.76	0.83	0.87	0.92	0.81	0.83	0.85	0.85	0.88	0.85	-	0.83	0.82	0.82	0.86
Standard error	0.06	0.06	0.18	0.41	0.19	0.20	0.18	0.19	0.33	0.18	0.12	0.14	0.25	0.11	0.10	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.14	0.06	-	0.06	0.13	0.08	0.15

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 42

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Career overall**

		Sector								
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)	
Unweighted base		234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base		231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
NET: Helpful		146 63%	27 80%EG	14 75%	7 60%	39 64%	18 54%	22 61%	18 50%	18 75%
Very helpful	(4)	28 12%	6 18%	2 9%	- -	10 17%	3 10%	3 7%	4 12%	3 13%
Fairly helpful	(3)	117 51%	21 62%g	13 66%	7 60%	29 48%	15 44%	19 54%	13 38%	15 62%
Not very helpful	(2)	47 20%	4 12%	3 15%	3 26%	11 18%	8 24%	8 22%	10 27%	3 12%
Not at all helpful	(1)	27 12%	2 6%	2 10%	1 7%	8 13%	5 16%	3 7%	6 17%	2 8%
NET: Not helpful		73 32%	6 17%	5 25%	4 33%	19 31%	13 40%a	10 30%	16 44%A	5 21%
Don't know		12 5%	1 3%	- -	1 8%	3 4%	2 6%	3 9%	2 6%	1 4%
Mean		2.67	2.94G	2.73	2.57	2.71	2.51	2.68	2.48	2.83
Standard deviation		0.85	0.74	0.78	0.65	0.92	0.91	0.75	0.95	0.78
Standard error		0.06	0.13	0.18	0.19	0.12	0.16	0.13	0.16	0.17

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 43

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Job prospects**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31	
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*	
NET: Helpful	136	71	65	19	43	27	25	15	7	19	43	39	28	7	62	32	30	12	94	42	37	99	113	23	
	59%	56%	62%	53%	75%CF	63%	48%	46%	65%	53%	75%IL	61%I	44%	65%	59%	54%	64%	59%	57%	63%	51%	62%	56%	78%V	
Very helpful	(4)	28	14	14	3	11	7	4	3	2	3	9	5	2	10	7	8	4	17	11	9	19	21	7	
	12%	11%	14%	7%	18%f	16%	7%	9%	18%	7%	18%I	13%	8%	18%	10%	12%	16%	17%	10%	17%	13%	12%	10%	25%V	
Fairly helpful	(3)	107	57	50	16	32	20	21	12	5	16	32	30	23	5	52	25	22	8	77	31	28	79	92	15
	46%	45%	48%	46%	56%	47%	41%	37%	46%	46%	56%L	48%	36%	46%	49%	42%	48%	41%	47%	46%	38%	50%	46%	53%	
Not very helpful	(2)	52	33	19	8	5	8	18	12	1	8	5	13	25	1	23	15	10	4	38	14	21	31	49	2
	23%	26%	18%	24%d	9%	19%	35%D	36%	7%	24%j	9%	21%j	38%JK	7%	22%	26%	22%	19%	23%	21%	29%	20%	24%W	8%	
Not at all helpful	(1)	31	20	11	3	7	7	4	3	3	7	9	9	3	16	6	5	3	23	9	9	22	29	2	
	14%	16%	11%	8%	13%	16%	13%	12%	28%	8%	13%	14%	14%	28%	15%	11%	11%	17%	14%	13%	12%	14%	15%	6%	
NET: Not helpful	83	53	30	11	13	15	25	15	4	11	13	22	33	4	39	22	15	7	61	22	30	54	78	4	
	36%	42%B	29%	32%	22%	35%	48%D	48%	35%	32%	22%	35%	53%iJK	35%	37%	37%	33%	35%	37%	34%	41%	34%	39%W	14%	
Don't know	12	3	9	5	2	1	2	2	-	5	2	3	2	-	4	5	1	1	9	2	5	7	10	2	
	5%	2%	9%A	15%DEf	3%	2%	4%	7%	-	15%JKL	3%	4%	3%	-	4%	9%	3%	6%	6%	4%	7%	4%	5%	7%	
Mean	2.61	2.52	2.72	2.61	2.83F	2.64	2.44	2.45	2.55	2.61	2.83L	2.64	2.39	2.55	2.55	2.61	2.71	2.63	2.57	2.69	2.56	2.63	2.55	3.05	
Standard deviation	0.89	0.90	0.87	0.79	0.90	0.94	0.83	0.85	1.14	0.79	0.90	0.90	0.84	1.14	0.88	0.87	0.89	1.00	0.87	0.92	0.90	0.88	0.88	0.81	
Standard error	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.15	0.12	0.14	0.12	0.16	0.33	0.15	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.33	0.08	0.11	0.14	0.25	0.07	0.12	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.15	

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 43

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Job prospects**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
NET: Helpful	136	118	12	2	16	12	11	11	6	9	27	24	5	42	38	56	136	112	23	136	-	113	20	62	17
	59%	59%	54%	27%	59%	76%	60%	67%	54%	41%	75%	59%	41%	58%	55%	63%	59%	60%	54%	59%	-	64%W	44%	62%	60%
Very helpful	(4)	28	23	2	1	6	3	-	3	1	5	4	1	11	7	10	28	24	4	28	-	26	2	19	2
		12%	12%	11%	13%	21%	16%	-	26%	6%	15%	10%	7%	15%	10%	12%	12%	13%	10%	12%	-	15%w	5%	19%	9%
Fairly helpful	(3)	107	95	9	1	10	8	11	3	8	21	20	4	31	30	45	107	88	19	107	-	87	18	43	15
		46%	48%	43%	14%	38%	44%	67%	28%	35%	60%	48%	34%	43%	44%	51%	46%	47%	44%	46%	-	49%	40%	43%	51%
Not very helpful	(2)	52	47	6	2	7	3	4	-	8	5	9	5	18	15	19	52	44	8	52	-	38	12	26	7
		23%	24%	26%	31%	26%	14%	27%	-	37%	15%	21%	42%	24%	22%	22%	23%	24%	19%	23%	-	21%	26%	26%	23%
Not at all helpful	(1)	31	23	3	2	2	3	-	4	3	4	7	2	8	10	13	31	25	6	31	-	20	8	9	4
		14%	12%	16%	26%	8%	15%	-	39%	13%	10%	17%	17%	12%	15%	14%	14%	13%	14%	14%	-	12%	17%	9%	14%
NET: Not helpful	83	70	9	5	9	3	6	4	4	11	9	16	7	26	25	32	83	69	14	83	-	58	19	35	11
	36%	35%	42%	57%	34%	20%	29%	27%	39%	50%	25%	38%	59%	36%	37%	36%	36%	37%	33%	36%	-	33%	44%	35%	37%
Don't know	12	10	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	-	1	-	5	6	1	12	6	6	12	-	5	5	3	1
	5%	5%	4%	17%	7%	4%	11%	6%	7%	9%	-	3%	-	6%o	9%O	1%	5%	3%	13%PQ	5%	-	3%	12%V	3%	3%
Mean	2.61	2.63	2.52	2.16	2.77	2.86	2.69	2.71	2.44	2.37	2.79	2.54	2.31	2.65	2.55	2.61	2.61	2.61	2.58	2.61	-	2.69W	2.36	2.74	2.56
Standard deviation	0.89	0.86	0.92	1.12	0.91	0.70	0.98	0.47	1.35	0.83	0.83	0.91	0.87	0.90	0.90	0.88	0.89	0.88	0.91	0.89	-	0.87	0.86	0.88	0.86
Standard error	0.06	0.06	0.18	0.46	0.19	0.16	0.23	0.12	0.39	0.19	0.13	0.16	0.25	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.06	-	0.07	0.14	0.09	0.16

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 43

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Job prospects**

		Sector								
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)	
Unweighted base		234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base		231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
NET: Helpful		136 59%	23 66%	14 74%	7 52%	37 62%	17 51%	19 54%	19 53%	14 59%
Very helpful	(4)	28 12%	6 19%F	2 10%	2 15%	8 13%f	3 10%	1 2%	6 18%F	3 13%
Fairly helpful	(3)	107 46%	16 47%	12 63%	5 37%	30 49%	14 41%	18 52%	13 35%	11 47%
Not very helpful	(2)	52 23%	8 23%	2 11%	3 24%	10 17%	9 27%	10 30%	9 26%	7 28%
Not at all helpful	(1)	31 14%	2 6%	3 15%	3 23%	10 17%	5 16%	3 7%	5 15%	2 8%
NET: Not helpful		83 36%	10 29%	5 26%	6 48%	20 34%	15 43%	13 37%	15 41%	9 37%
Don't know		12 5%	2 6%	- -	- -	3 4%	2 6%	3 9%	2 6%	1 4%
Mean		2.61	2.84	2.69	2.44	2.60	2.47	2.54	2.59	2.66
Standard deviation		0.89	0.82	0.88	1.05	0.93	0.91	0.69	0.98	0.83
Standard error		0.06	0.15	0.20	0.29	0.12	0.16	0.12	0.17	0.18

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 44

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Job security**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
NET: Helpful	113 49%	66 52%	48 46%	21 58%F	34 60%F	22 51%	18 34%	15 45%	5 41%	21 58%L	34 60%L	32 50%	23 35%	5 41%	46 44%	28 48%	31 66%No	8 40%	75 46%	39 58%	31 43%	82 52%	91 46%	22 76%V
Very helpful	(4) 28 12%	13 10%	15 15%	5 13%	10 17%	6 14%	5 10%	2 6%	1 8%	5 13%	10 17%L	10 16%L	3 4%	1 8%	11 10%	6 10%	7 14%	5 24%	16 10%	12 17%	9 13%	19 12%	20 10%	8 26%V
Fairly helpful	(3) 86 37%	53 42%b	32 31%	16 44%f	25 43%F	16 38%	13 25%	13 39%	4 34%	16 44%	25 43%	22 34%	20 31%	4 34%	36 34%	23 38%	24 51%n	3 16%	59 36%	27 41%	22 30%	64 40%	71 35%	14 50%
Not very helpful	(2) 68 29%	34 27%	34 32%	5 15%	14 24%	14 33%c	22 43%CD	10 30%	2 21%	5 15%	14 24%	20 31%i	26 41%lj	2 21%	38 36%P	17 29%P	6 12%	6 31%	56 34%S	12 18%	25 34%	43 27%	63 31%W	4 13%
Not at all helpful	(1) 35 15%	21 17%	14 13%	3 8%	7 13%	6 14%	11 21%	5 16%	3 28%	3 8%	7 13%	10 16%	12 19%	3 28%	16 15%	7 11%	9 19%	3 17%	23 14%	12 19%	11 15%	24 15%	34 17%w	1 4%
NET: Not helpful	103 45%	56 44%	48 46%	8 24%	21 37%	20 47%C	33 64%CD	15 46%	6 49%	8 24%	21 37%	30 47%i	38 60%lj	6 49%	55 52%P	24 41%	15 32%	10 48%	79 48%	24 37%	36 50%	67 42%	97 48%W	5 17%
Don't know	14 6%	5 4%	9 9%	7 19%DEF	2 3%	1 2%	1 2%	3 9%	1 9%	7 19%JKL	2 3%	2 3%	3 5%	1 9%	4 4%	7 11%n	1 2%	2 12%	11 6%	4 5%	5 7%	9 6%	12 6%	2 7%
Mean	2.49	2.47	2.51	2.77	2.66F	2.52	2.24	2.38	2.23	2.77	2.66L	2.51I	2.22	2.23	2.40	2.52	2.62	2.54	2.44	2.60	2.44	2.51	2.41	3.06
Standard deviation	0.91	0.90	0.93	0.86	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.85	1.04	0.86	0.92	0.96	0.81	1.04	0.88	0.86	0.97	1.12	0.87	1.01	0.93	0.91	0.91	0.77
Standard error	0.06	0.08	0.10	0.17	0.12	0.14	0.13	0.16	0.31	0.17	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.31	0.09	0.11	0.16	0.29	0.07	0.14	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.14

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w****\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 44

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Job security**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	Eastern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
NET: Helpful	113	100	8	2	12	8	12	8	6	7	24	20	5	31	33	50	113	97	17	113	-	96	14	57	11
	49%	50%	35%	29%	46%	51%	65%	48%	54%	30%	68%	50%	41%	42%	48%	56% <sub>m</sub>	49%	51%	39%	49%	-	54% <sub>W</sub>	33%	57% <sub>y</sub>	37%
Very helpful	(4)	28	25	2	3	3	2	2	-	2	7	4	1	9	7	13	28	23	5	28	-	26	2	19	4
		12%	13%	12%	-	12%	10%	14%	-	10%	21%	11%	7%	12%	10%	14%	12%	12%	12%	12%	-	15% <sub>w</sub>	5%	19%	13%
Fairly helpful	(3)	86	75	5	9	6	10	6	6	4	17	16	4	22	26	37	86	74	12	86	-	70	12	38	7
		37%	38%	23%	29%	34%	55%	34%	54%	19%	47%	39%	34%	30%	38%	42%	37%	39%	27%	37%	-	40%	28%	38%	24%
Not very helpful	(2)	68	59	8	4	9	3	6	1	11	6	11	4	27	20	21	68	56	12	68	-	50	17	28	14
		29%	30%	39%	45%	34%	14%	37%	7%	48%	16%	28%	31%	37% <sub>o</sub>	29%	23%	29%	30%	28%	29%	-	28%	38%	28%	49% <sub>X</sub>
Not at all helpful	(1)	35	27	5	2	2	3	1	4	3	5	6	3	11	11	14	35	28	7	35	-	25	7	10	3
		15%	14%	22%	26%	8%	15%	8%	33%	13%	13%	14%	27%	15%	16%	16%	15%	15%	17%	15%	-	14%	15%	10%	12%
NET: Not helpful	103	86	13	6	11	7	6	8	4	13	10	17	7	37	31	35	103	84	19	103	-	75	23	38	17
	45%	43%	61%	71%	42%	44%	29%	45%	39%	61%	29%	42%	59%	51%	45%	39%	45%	44%	46%	45%	-	43%	53%	38%	60% <sub>X</sub>
Don't know	14	13	1	-	3	1	1	1	2	1	3	-	5	5	4	14	8	6	14	-	5	6	5	1	
	6%	6%	4%	-	12%	4%	6%	6%	7%	9%	3%	8%	-	6%	7%	5%	6%	4%	15% <sub>PQ</sub>	6%	-	3%	14% <sub>V</sub>	5%	3%
Mean	2.49	2.53	2.25	2.03	2.57	2.62	2.64	2.58	2.23	2.29	2.78	2.51	2.21	2.42	2.45	2.57	2.49	2.51	2.40	2.49	-	2.57 <sub>w</sub>	2.27	2.70	2.39
Standard deviation	0.91	0.90	0.97	0.79	0.86	0.92	0.90	0.88	0.98	0.87	0.95	0.90	0.96	0.91	0.90	0.94	0.91	0.90	0.98	0.91	-	0.92	0.82	0.92	0.88
Standard error	0.06	0.07	0.19	0.30	0.18	0.21	0.21	0.24	0.28	0.21	0.15	0.16	0.28	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.06	0.07	0.16	0.06	-	0.07	0.13	0.09	0.16

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 44

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Job security**

		Sector								
		Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)	
Unweighted base		234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base		231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
NET: Helpful		113 49%	24 71%DEFG	11 57%	6 48%	27 45%	12 37%	17 47%	16 46%	17 70%
Very helpful	(4)	28 12%	6 19%	2 11%	1 7%	6 11%	3 10%	2 7%	6 18%	4 17%
Fairly helpful	(3)	86 37%	18 52%Eg	9 46%	5 41%	21 34%	9 27%	14 40%	10 28%	13 53%
Not very helpful	(2)	68 29%	6 17%	5 28%	2 17%	18 30%	12 35%	11 32%	13 37%a	3 12%
Not at all helpful	(1)	35 15%	2 6%	2 10%	4 35%	11 19%a	7 22%a	3 9%	5 15%	2 8%
NET: Not helpful		103 45%	8 23%	7 38%	6 52%	29 49%A	19 57%A	15 41%	18 52%A	5 21%
Don't know		14 6%	2 6%	1 6%	- -	4 7%	2 6%	4 12%	1 2%	2 9%
Mean		2.49	2.90	2.61	2.20	2.39	2.27	2.50	2.49	2.88
Standard deviation		0.91	0.80	0.85	1.04	0.94	0.95	0.80	0.97	0.84
Standard error		0.06	0.15	0.20	0.29	0.12	0.17	0.14	0.16	0.19

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 45

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Salary**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
NET: Helpful	117	67	50	15	37	22	19	16	7	15	37	32	25	7	54	25	26	12	79	38	33	84	97	20
	51%	53%	48%	42%	66%CF	51%	37%	51%	63%	42%	66%IKL	51%	40%	63%	51%	42%	57%	58%	48%	57%	45%	53%	49%	68%V
Very helpful	(4)	29	18	10	3	13	2	6	4	2	3	13	6	2	11	7	7	4	18	11	8	20	24	5
	12%	14%	10%	7%	22%CE	4%	12%	13%	15%	7%	22%IKL	9%	10%	15%	10%	12%	16%	19%	11%	17%	12%	13%	12%	16%
Fairly helpful	(3)	88	48	40	12	25	20	13	12	5	12	25	26	5	43	18	19	8	61	27	24	64	73	15
	38%	38%	38%	35%	44%f	47%F	26%	38%	48%	35%	44%	41%	30%	48%	41%	30%	41%	40%	37%	41%	34%	40%	36%	52%v
Not very helpful	(2)	65	35	30	11	10	12	20	9	2	11	10	17	24	2	31	18	13	4	49	16	22	43	7
	28%	28%	29%	32%	18%	28%	39%D	29%	21%	32%	18%	27%	38%J	21%	30%	30%	27%	18%	30%	24%	30%	27%	28%	25%
Not at all helpful	(1)	36	21	15	4	8	8	11	4	2	4	8	11	2	16	10	6	4	26	10	12	24	36	-
	16%	16%	15%	11%	14%	19%	20%	11%	16%	11%	14%	18%	17%	16%	15%	17%	14%	18%	16%	15%	17%	15%	18%W	-
NET: Not helpful	101	56	45	15	18	20	31	13	4	15	18	28	35	4	47	28	19	7	75	26	34	67	93	7
	44%	44%	43%	43%	31%	47%	59%D	40%	37%	43%	31%	45%	55%J	37%	45%	47%	41%	36%	46%	39%	47%	42%	46%W	25%
Don't know	13	4	9	5	2	1	2	3	-	5	2	3	3	-	4	7	1	1	10	2	5	7	11	2
	6%	3%	9%a	15%DEF	3%	2%	4%	9%	-	15%JKL	3%	4%	5%	-	4%	11%n	2%	6%	6%	3%	7%	5%	5%	7%
Mean	2.50	2.52	2.48	2.45	2.76EF	2.37	2.30	2.58	2.61	2.45	2.76KL	2.44	2.34	2.61	2.48	2.41	2.60	2.62	2.46	2.61	2.43	2.54	2.45	2.90
Standard deviation	0.92	0.94	0.89	0.83	0.97	0.85	0.94	0.90	0.97	0.83	0.97	0.91	0.89	0.97	0.89	0.95	0.93	1.03	0.91	0.95	0.94	0.91	0.94	0.66
Standard error	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.16	0.12	0.13	0.13	0.17	0.28	0.16	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.28	0.09	0.12	0.15	0.26	0.07	0.13	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.12

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 45

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Salary**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of England (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*
NET: Helpful	117	102	11	1	16	11	7	7	5	5	22	29	4	38	24	55	117	97	20	117	-	97	18	57	12
	51%	51%	49%	14%	58%	66%	38%	42%	45%	20%	62%	70%	34%	52%N	34%	62%N	51%	52%	46%	51%	-	55%w	40%	57%	41%
Very helpful	(4)	29	27	2	-	5	4	2	1	-	4	7	2	12	4	13	29	24	5	29	-	28	1	15	6
		12%	13%	10%	-	20%	25%	10%	8%	-	6%	11%	17%	16%N	7%	14%	12%	13%	11%	12%	-	16%W	2%	15%	21%
Fairly helpful	(3)	88	75	8	1	10	7	5	6	5	18	22	2	27	19	42	88	73	15	88	-	70	17	42	6
		38%	38%	39%	14%	39%	41%	28%	34%	15%	51%	53%	19%	36%	28%	48%N	38%	39%	36%	38%	-	39%	38%	43%Y	20%
Not very helpful	(2)	65	60	3	5	6	3	7	9	11	8	6	5	17	29	19	65	54	11	65	-	52	12	26	12
		28%	30%	16%	60%	22%	20%	36%	52%	16%	21%	15%	42%	24%	41%MO	22%	28%	29%	26%	28%	-	29%	28%	26%	42%
Not at all helpful	(1)	36	25	7	2	3	2	3	-	4	5	3	3	14	11	11	36	29	7	36	-	23	8	12	4
		16%	13%	32%	26%	13%	10%	15%	-	33%	19%	8%	25%	19%	16%	13%	16%	16%	16%	16%	-	13%	18%	12%	14%
NET: Not helpful	101	85	10	7	9	5	10	9	5	15	12	10	8	31	39	30	101	83	18	101	-	75	20	38	16
	44%	43%	48%	86%	35%	30%	51%	52%	49%	70%	35%	24%	66%	43%	57%O	34%	44%	44%	41%	44%	-	43%	46%	38%	56%x
Don't know	13	11	1	-	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	-	3	6	3	13	7	5	13	-	4	6	4	1
	6%	6%	4%	-	7%	4%	11%	6%	7%	9%	3%	6%	-	5%	9%	4%	6%	4%	13%pQ	6%	-	2%	14%V	4%	3%
Mean	2.50	2.55	2.28	1.88	2.70	2.85	2.38	2.53	2.13	2.08	2.62	2.84	2.24	2.51	2.28	2.66N	2.50	2.51	2.47	2.50	-	2.59w	2.28	2.63	2.50
Standard deviation	0.92	0.90	1.06	0.66	0.97	0.96	0.92	0.66	0.95	0.81	0.87	0.84	1.02	1.00	0.83	0.89	0.92	0.92	0.93	0.92	-	0.92	0.83	0.90	1.01
Standard error	0.06	0.07	0.21	0.25	0.20	0.22	0.22	0.18	0.27	0.19	0.14	0.15	0.30	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.06	0.07	0.15	0.06	-	0.07	0.13	0.09	0.18

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 45

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Salary**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale-sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop-erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base	231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
NET: Helpful	117 51%	22 63% <sup>Eg</sup>	11 57%	6 50%	33 55% <sup>e</sup>	12 35%	19 55% <sup>e</sup>	14 39%	12 51%
Very helpful	(4) 29 12%	6 19% <sup>f</sup>	3 18%	- -	8 14%	4 12%	2 5%	5 14%	3 13%
Fairly helpful	(3) 88 38%	15 44% <sup>e</sup>	8 40%	6 50%	25 42% <sup>e</sup>	7 22%	18 50% <sup>EG</sup>	9 25%	9 38%
Not very helpful	(2) 65 28%	8 22%	5 27%	4 35%	12 19%	13 38% <sup>d</sup>	8 23%	15 43% <sup>aDf</sup>	8 32%
Not at all helpful	(1) 36 16%	2 6%	2 10%	2 15%	13 21% <sup>a</sup>	7 22% <sup>a</sup>	4 13%	6 17%	2 8%
NET: Not helpful	101 44%	10 28%	7 37%	6 50%	24 40%	20 59% <sup>Adf</sup>	13 36%	21 59% <sup>Adf</sup>	10 40%
Don't know	13 6%	3 9%	1 6%	- -	3 4%	2 6%	3 9%	1 2%	2 9%
Mean	2.50	2.83	2.69	2.35	2.50	2.27	2.52	2.37	2.61
Standard deviation	0.92	0.83	0.92	0.76	1.00	0.97	0.81	0.94	0.86
Standard error	0.06	0.15	0.22	0.21	0.13	0.17	0.14	0.16	0.19

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 46

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?****Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body****Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	234	130	104	33	62	45	51	31	12	33	62	66	61	12	112	65	40	17	177	57	73	161	202	31
Weighted base	231	127	104	36*	57*	43*	52*	32**	11**	36*	57*	63*	64*	11**	105	59*	46*	20**	164	67*	72*	159	201	29*
NET: Helpful	124	62	62	18	36	26	23	15	6	18	36	38	26	6	56	27	31	10	83	41	32	91	104	20
	54%	49%	59%	52%	64%F	62%f	43%	45%	50%	52%	64%L	60%L	40%	50%	53%	46%	66%O	48%	51%	61%	45%	58%t	52%	69%v
Very helpful	(4)	24	13	11	4	8	5	3	2	4	8	7	3	2	11	6	4	3	17	7	5	18	17	7
	10%	10%	10%	12%	13%	13%	6%	6%	16%	12%	13%l	11%	4%	16%	10%	10%	9%	12%	10%	10%	7%	12%	8%	25%V
Fairly helpful	(3)	100	49	51	14	29	21	20	13	14	29	30	23	4	45	21	27	7	66	34	27	73	87	13
	43%	38%	49%	40%	50%	49%	38%	39%	34%	40%	50%	48%	36%	34%	43%	36%	57%O	36%	40%	51%	37%	46%	43%	44%
Not very helpful	(2)	62	36	26	9	11	9	17	13	9	11	14	25	3	29	20	8	5	49	13	23	39	56	5
	27%	29%	25%	25%	20%	22%	32%	40%	26%	25%	20%	22%	39%JK	26%	28%	33%p	18%	25%	30%	20%	32%	25%	28%	17%
Not at all helpful	(1)	31	23	8	3	7	6	10	4	3	7	10	10	2	17	5	6	3	22	10	10	21	29	2
	14%	18%B	8%	8%	12%	14%	20%	12%	16%	8%	12%	16%	16%	16%	16%	8%	13%	17%	13%	14%	14%	14%	15%	7%
NET: Not helpful	94	59	34	12	18	15	27	17	5	12	18	24	35	5	46	24	15	8	71	23	33	61	86	7
	41%	47%B	33%	33%	32%	36%	52%D	52%	42%	33%	32%	38%	55%IJK	42%	44%	41%	32%	42%	43%	35%	46%	38%	43%W	24%
Don't know	13	5	8	5	3	1	3	1	1	5	3	2	3	1	3	8	1	2	10	3	7	7	11	2
	6%	4%	8%	15%dE	5%	2%	5%	3%	8%	15%jKl	5%	3%	4%	8%	3%	13%Np	2%	10%	6%	4%	10%	4%	6%	7%
Mean	2.53	2.43	2.67A	2.65	2.69F	2.61	2.31	2.40	2.54	2.65	2.69L	2.57I	2.30	2.54	2.48	2.56	2.64	2.49	2.51	2.60	2.43	2.58	2.48	2.94
Standard deviation	0.87	0.92	0.79	0.85	0.87	0.89	0.87	0.78	1.03	0.85	0.87	0.90	0.80	1.03	0.90	0.82	0.84	0.97	0.87	0.88	0.85	0.88	0.86	0.88
Standard error	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.16	0.11	0.13	0.13	0.14	0.31	0.16	0.11	0.11	0.11	0.31	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.25	0.07	0.12	0.10	0.07	0.06	0.16

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w****\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 46

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	Eastern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)	
Unweighted base	234	195	26	7	26	20	20	15	13	20	40	35	12	79	68	87	234	188	46	234	-	179	44	101	31	
Weighted base	231	198	22**	8**	27**	16**	19**	17**	11**	22**	36*	41*	13**	73*	69*	89*	231	188	43*	231	-**	176	44*	100*	29*	
NET: Helpful	124	109	9	2	13	9	13	9	6	8	27	23	4	33	36	54	124	102	22	124	-	101	19	64	13	
	54%	55%	42%	29%	48%	55%	69%	51%	54%	38%	76%	57%	32%	46%	52%	61% <sub>m</sub>	54%	54%	51%	54%	-	57%	43%	64% <sub>y</sub>	47%	
Very helpful	(4)	24	20	2	5	2	1	-	2	2	5	3	1	9	5	9	24	20	4	24	-	24	-	14	2	
		10%	10%	10%	-	20%	10%	6%	-	19%	10%	15%	8%	12%	8%	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	-	13% <sub>W</sub>	-	14%	9%	
Fairly helpful	(3)	100	89	7	8	7	12	9	4	6	22	20	3	24	31	45	100	82	18	100	-	77	19	50	11	
		43%	45%	32%	29%	28%	46%	63%	35%	28%	61%	49%	26%	33%	44%	51% <sub>M</sub>	43%	44%	42%	43%	-	44%	43%	50%	38%	
Not very helpful	(2)	62	54	7	4	8	3	2	7	8	6	11	6	21	18	23	62	51	11	62	-	49	12	23	11	
		27%	27%	30%	45%	28%	21%	10%	13%	35%	16%	26%	51%	29%	26%	26%	27%	27%	26%	27%	-	28%	28%	24%	40% <sub>x</sub>	
Not at all helpful	(1)	31	23	5	2	3	2	3	-	3	4	3	4	2	12	10	9	31	29	3	31	-	21	6	9	3
		14%	12%	24%	26%	13%	15%	-	26%	18%	8%	11%	17%	17%	14%	11%	14%	15%	7%	14%	-	12%	15%	9%	10%	
NET: Not helpful	94	78	12	6	11	5	5	7	4	12	9	15	8	34	28	32	94	80	14	94	-	70	19	32	14	
	41%	39%	54%	71%	41%	31%	25%	42%	39%	53%	24%	37%	68%	46%	41%	36%	41%	42%	32%	41%	-	40%	43%	32%	50% <sub>x</sub>	
Don't know	13	12	1	-	3	2	1	1	1	2	-	2	-	6	5	2	13	6	7	13	-	5	6	4	1	
	6%	6%	4%	-	11%	14%	6%	6%	7%	9%	-	6%	-	8%	7%	3%	6%	3%	16% <sub>PQ</sub>	6%	-	3%	14% <sub>V</sub>	4%	4%	
Mean	2.53	2.56	2.29	2.03	2.62	2.64	2.63	2.55	2.50	2.33	2.82	2.58	2.22	2.45	2.50	2.63	2.53	2.51	2.65	2.53	-	2.60 <sub>w</sub>	2.33	2.73	2.47	
Standard deviation	0.87	0.84	0.98	0.79	1.00	0.86	0.85	0.51	1.16	0.93	0.79	0.81	0.84	0.95	0.86	0.82	0.87	0.89	0.80	0.87	-	0.88	0.76	0.83	0.81	
Standard error	0.06	0.06	0.20	0.30	0.21	0.21	0.19	0.14	0.33	0.22	0.12	0.14	0.24	0.11	0.11	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.13	0.06	-	0.07	0.12	0.08	0.15	

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 46

**Q11. To what extent, if at all, have you found that being a member of a professional body has helped you to advance your ...?**

**Base: All working adults who have ever been a member of a professional body**

**Social status (e.g. your standing and personal achievements)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	234	32	19	13	63	33	38	36	22
Weighted base	231	34*	19**	12**	60*	34*	35*	35*	24**
NET: Helpful	124 54%	23 67%	12 62%	4 30%	32 54%	17 51%	19 55%	17 47%	15 61%
Very helpful	(4) 24 10%	5 15%	1 5%	1 8%	7 12%	3 10%	3 7%	3 9%	1 4%
Fairly helpful	(3) 100 43%	18 51%	11 57%	3 21%	25 41%	14 41%	17 48%	13 37%	14 57%
Not very helpful	(2) 62 27%	7 19%	4 23%	3 26%	17 28%	8 25%	9 27%	13 38%	6 23%
Not at all helpful	(1) 31 14%	3 8%	2 10%	4 30%	9 15%	6 19%	3 7%	5 14%	3 12%
NET: Not helpful	94 41%	9 28%	6 33%	7 56%	26 43%	15 43%	12 34%	18 51%a	8 35%
Don't know	13 6%	2 6%	1 6%	2 15%	2 3%	2 6%	4 11%	1 2%	1 4%
Mean	2.53	2.78	2.60	2.09	2.52	2.45	2.61	2.43	2.55
Standard deviation	0.87	0.83	0.76	1.04	0.91	0.94	0.76	0.86	0.78
Standard error	0.06	0.15	0.18	0.31	0.12	0.17	0.13	0.14	0.17

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 47

**Q12. For the following pair of statements, which one comes closest to your own opinion?****Base: All working adults**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade							Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
Professional bodies in my industry help people in the sector to progress into more senior and management roles	443 40%	222 38%	221 43%	72 53% <sup>d</sup>	109 44% <sup>FH</sup>	89 35% <sup>e</sup>	91 35%	68 44% <sup>ef</sup>	13 32%	72 53% <sup>g</sup>	109 44% <sup>KLM</sup>	132 35%	116 39%	13 32%	134 44% <sup>PQ</sup>	156 47% <sup>PQ</sup>	85 33%	68 33%	290 46% <sup>S</sup>	153 33%	110 45% <sup>u</sup>	333 39%	386 39%	52 51% <sup>V</sup>	
Professional bodies in my industry hinder people in the sector from progressing into more senior and management roles	158 14%	98 17% <sup>B</sup>	60 12%	20 15%	28 11%	42 17% <sup>dh</sup>	35 13%	31 20% <sup>DfH</sup>	3 6%	20 15%	28 11%	57 15%	50 17% <sup>jm</sup>	3 6%	60 20% <sup>OQ</sup>	36 11%	38 15%	24 12%	97 15%	61 13%	42 18%	116 14%	140 14%	16 15%	
Don't know	493 45%	262 45%	231 45%	43 32%	113 45% <sup>Cg</sup>	119 48% <sup>CG</sup>	137 52% <sup>CG</sup>	55 36%	25 61% <sup>CdG</sup>	43 32%	113 45% <sup>l</sup>	183 49% <sup>l</sup>	129 44% <sup>l</sup>	25 61% <sup>ljL</sup>	110 36%	137 42%	135 52% <sup>NO</sup>	111 55% <sup>NO</sup>	247 39%	247 54% <sup>R</sup>	90 37%	404 47% <sup>T</sup>	456 46% <sup>W</sup>	35 34%	

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

\* small base

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 47

**Q12. For the following pair of statements, which one comes closest to your own opinion?****Base: All working adults**

	Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	Eastern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
																				Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)		
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Professional bodies in my industry help people in the sector to progress into more senior and management roles	443 40%	390 41% <sup>b</sup>	30 33%	16 38%	49 41%	31 34%	35 37%	31 39%	22 42%	44 40%	75 47% <sup>BE</sup>	75 47% <sup>Be</sup>	35 37%	126 37%	131 39%	185 45% <sup>M</sup>	443 40% <sup>r</sup>	341 43% <sup>R</sup>	102 35%	145 63% <sup>U</sup>	290 35%	339 49% <sup>W</sup>	95 28%	212 49%	46 41%
Professional bodies in my industry hinder people in the sector from progressing into more senior and management roles	158 14%	140 15%	13 14%	8 19%	17 14%	13 15%	14 15%	14 18%	5 10%	17 16%	22 14%	17 11%	16 17%	52 15%	51 15%	55 13%	158 14%	122 15%	36 12%	33 14%	120 15%	93 13%	59 17%	55 13%	21 18%
Don't know	493 45%	419 44%	49 53% <sup>aJ</sup>	19 43%	53 44%	46 51% <sup>j</sup>	45 48%	35 43%	25 48%	48 44%	62 39%	68 42%	45 47%	167 48% <sup>o</sup>	152 45%	175 42%	493 45%	337 42%	157 53% <sup>PQ</sup>	54 23%	415 50% <sup>T</sup>	256 37%	190 55% <sup>V</sup>	167 38%	46 41%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

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**Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**  
**ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 47

**Q12. For the following pair of statements, which one comes closest to your own opinion?****Base: All working adults**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Professional bodies in my industry help people in the sector to progress into more senior and management roles	443 40%	72 42%BC	48 28%	29 24%	100 49%BC	73 41%BC	62 48%BC	59 50%BC	41 57%aBCE
Professional bodies in my industry hinder people in the sector from progressing into more senior and management roles	158 14%	25 15%	29 17%e	20 17%e	30 15%	18 10%	21 16%e	16 13%	13 17%
Don't know	493 45%	73 43%H	95 55%ADFGH	72 60%ADeFGH	75 7%	88 49%DFGH	45 36%	44 37%	19 26%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h****\* small base**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

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Table 48

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

		Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
A high impact	(5)	293 27%	259 24%	269 25%	194 18%	286 26%	203 19%
4	(4)	425 39%	432 39%	429 39%	391 36%	417 38%	441 40%
3	(3)	250 23%	261 24%	258 24%	328 30%	258 24%	307 28%
2	(2)	47 4%	51 5%	51 5%	81 7%	51 5%	49 4%
No impact	(1)	13 1%	20 2%	15 1%	26 2%	13 1%	17 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		718 66%	691 63%	698 64%	586 54%	704 64%	644 59%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		60 5%	71 6%	66 6%	107 10%	64 6%	66 6%
Don't know		66 6%	72 7%	71 7%	73 7%	68 6%	77 7%
Mean		3.91	3.84	3.87	3.63	3.89	3.75
Standard deviation		0.90	0.93	0.91	0.96	0.91	0.89
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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Table 49

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	718 66%	367 63%	351 69%a	83 61%	152 61%	170 68% <b>d</b>	177 67%	105 68%	31 75% <b>d</b>	83 61%	152 61%	248 67%	205 69% <b>j</b>	31 75% <b>j</b>	191 63%	222 67%	173 67%	132 65%	413 65%	305 66%	160 66%	558 65%	647 66%	66 64%
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	704 64%	370 64%	333 65%	79 58%	167 67%	154 62%	173 66%	101 66%	30 72%	79 58%	167 67%	232 62%	196 66%	30 72%	189 62%	224 68% <b>Q</b>	171 66%	119 59%	414 65%	290 63%	155 64%	548 64%	635 65%	65 63%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	698 64%	350 60%	348 68% <b>A</b>	85 63%	151 60%	161 64%	165 63%	105 68%	32 78% <b>cDef</b>	85 63%	151 60%	234 63%	196 67%	32 78% <b>lJk</b>	197 65%	205 62%	169 65%	128 63%	401 63%	297 64%	165 68% <b>u</b>	533 63%	631 64%	66 64%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	691 63%	357 61%	334 65%	76 57%	152 61%	154 62%	168 64%	108 70% <b>Cde</b>	33 79% <b>CDEF</b>	76 57%	152 61%	234 63%	196 66% <b>i</b>	33 79% <b>lJK</b>	194 64%	205 62%	169 65%	123 61%	399 63%	292 63%	157 65%	533 63%	617 63%	70 68%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	644 59%	345 59%	299 58%	75 55%	142 57%	153 61%	162 61%	84 55%	28 68%	75 55%	142 57%	228 61%	172 58%	28 68%	172 57%	199 60%	158 61%	115 57%	371 59%	273 59%	139 58%	505 59%	572 58%	68 66%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	586 54%	295 51%	291 57% <b>A</b>	82 61% <b>D</b>	117 47%	132 53%	140 53%	88 57% <b>D</b>	27 64% <b>D</b>	82 61% <b>J</b>	117 47%	196 53%	165 56% <b>J</b>	27 64% <b>J</b>	155 51%	183 55%	144 56%	104 51%	338 53%	248 54%	143 59% <b>u</b>	443 52%	521 53%	62 60%
None of these	144 13%	75 13%	69 13%	15 11%	31 12%	37 15%	37 14%	18 12%	5 11%	15 11%	31 12%	55 15%	38 13%	5 11%	33 11%	39 12%	38 15%	34 17% <b>n</b>	72 11%	72 16% <b>R</b>	26 11%	118 14%	128 13%	11 10%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 49

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work- ing (p)	Work- ing full time (q)	Work- ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	718 66%	630 66%	58 62%	27 63%	82 69%	64 71%fh	56 60%	55 69%	30 58%	76 70%	105 66%	105 66%	60 63%	231 67%	217 65%	270 65%	718 66%	525 66%	192 65%	164 71%	543 66%	480 70%W	213 62%	336 77%Y	73 65%
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	704 64%	616 65%	53 57%	23 53%	78 65%l	56 62%	55 59%	61 76%BCeF	34 66%l	76 70%bcl	103 65%L	114 71%BCfL	50 52%	209 61%	226 68%lm	268 64%	704 64%	528 66%r	176 60%	156 67%	535 65%	469 68%w	215 63%	325 75%Y	65 58%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	698 64%	612 64%	56 60%	23 54%	85 71%bcil	60 67%	60 64%	48 60%	31 59%	62 57%	102 64%	116 73%BCgh	57 59%	223 65%	200 60%	275 66%ln	698 64%	509 64%	189 64%	160 69%	525 64%	462 67%	216 63%	333 77%Y	70 62%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	691 63%	607 64%	56 60%	20 47%	73 61%	59 66%cc	57 60%	55 69%Ch	28 54%	72 66%cc	109 69%CH	101 63%cc	60 63%	208 60%	212 63%	271 65%	691 63%	509 64%	182 62%	161 70%u	519 63%	461 67%w	209 61%	320 74%Y	69 62%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	644 59%	559 59%	53 57%	20 46%	72 60%	53 59%	52 55%	49 61%	32 62%	64 59%	103 65%CL	99 62%l	48 50%	198 57%	197 59%	249 60%	644 59%r	488 61%R	156 53%	142 62%	492 60%	432 63%W	193 56%	312 72%Y	62 55%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	586 54%	513 54%	46 49%	19 44%	74 62%bcl	50 55%	48 51%	41 51%	27 53%	56 52%	90 57%	87 54%	48 50%	188 55%	172 52%	225 54%	586 54%	434 54%	152 52%	133 58%	442 54%	395 57%W	172 50%	286 66%Y	57 50%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 49

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber-side (e)	West Mid-lands (f)	East Mid-lands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
None of these	144	121	13	8	16	11	17	9	9	12	20	14	14	48	48	48	144	96	48	23	102	64	48	17	13
	13%	13%	14%	18%	13%	12%	18%K	12%	18%k	11%	13%	9%	15%	14%	14%	12%	13%	12%	16%q	10%	12%	9%	14%V	4%	12%X

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

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**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	718 66%	109 65%	108 63%	85 70%	134 65%	127 71%bg	82 64%	73 61%	49 67%
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	704 64%	104 62%	98 57%	77 63%	141 69%B	132 74%ABcFGh61%	78 61%	74 62%	45 61%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	698 64%	98 58%	102 59%	75 62%	126 61%	126 70%ABd	92 72%ABcD	79 66%	51 70%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	691 63%	100 59%	101 59%	80 66%	127 62%	123 69%aB	78 61%	81 68%	47 64%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	644 59%	97 57%	90 52%	70 58%	129 63%B	117 65%B	73 57%	68 57%	41 56%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	586 54%	87 52%	79 46%	56 46%	105 51%	108 60%BCd	76 60%BC	75 62%aBCd	45 62%Bc

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

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**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
None of these	144 13%	27 16%E	35 20%DEf	18 15%E	22 11%	11 6%	15 12%e	16 13%E	9 12%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 50

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	107 10%	72 12%B	35 7%	10 7%	31 12%e	19 8%	28 11%	17 11%	2 6%	10 7%	31 12%	31 8%	33 11%	2 6%	31 10%	36 11%	25 10%	15 7%	67 11%	39 9%	21 9%	86 10%	98 10%W	4 4%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	71 6%	45 8%b	26 5%	9 7%h	25 10%egH	14 6%	17 6%h	7 4%	- -	9 7% <i>m</i>	25 10% <i>kl</i> M	21 6%	17 6%	- -	23 8%	21 6%	14 5%	14 7%	44 7%	27 6%	12 5%	59 7%	64 7%	4 4%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	66 6%	30 5%	36 7%	10 8%D	7 3%	15 6%d	15 6%	16 10%D	3 8%d	10 8%J	7 3%	23 6%j	23 8%J	3 8%j	19 6%	16 5%	15 6%	16 8%	35 5%	32 7%	17 7%	50 6%	62 6%	3 3%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	66 6%	43 7%B	23 4%	9 7%h	22 9%H	13 5%	14 5%	9 6%	- -	9 7% <i>m</i>	22 9% <i>l</i> M	20 5%	15 5%	- -	18 6%	19 6%	18 7%	11 5%	37 6%	29 6%	8 3%	58 7% <i>t</i>	59 6%	4 4%
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	64 6%	39 7%	25 5%	7 5%	13 5%	18 7%	16 6%	9 6%	1 2%	7 5%	13 5%	27 7%	17 6%	1 2%	26 9%OP	15 5%	10 4%	13 6%	41 7%	23 5%	16 7%	48 6%	58 6%	4 3%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	60 5%	30 5%	30 6%	8 6%	20 8%Fh	14 6%	9 4%	8 5%	- -	8 6%	20 8%Lm	20 5%	12 4%	- -	19 6%	17 5%	10 4%	14 7%	36 6%	24 5%	9 4%	50 6%	55 6%	3 3%
None of these	864 79%	442 76%	422 82%A	100 74%	182 73%	199 80%d	222 84%CD	124 80%d	36 86%d	100 74%	182 73%	301 81%J	245 83%iJ	36 86%j	225 74%	259 78%	215 83%N	165 82% <i>n</i>	484 76%	380 83%R	188 78%	676 79%	773 79%	86 84%

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 50

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**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	107 10%	94 10%	11 11%	3 6%	12 10%	8 9%	7 7%	8 10%	2 5%	15 14%h	15 9%	16 10%	11 11%	33 10%	32 10%	41 10%	107 10%	79 10%	28 10%	26 11%	80 10%	59 9%	45 13%V	24 6%	21 19%X
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	71 6%	56 6%	10 11%AdEf	3 8%	6 5%	3 4%	4 4%	5 6%	5 9%	9 8%	11 7%	10 6%	5 5%	22 7%	22 7%	27 6%	71 6%	52 7%	19 6%	11 5%	58 7%	43 6%	28 8%	12 3%	17 15%X
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	66 6%	58 6%	6 7%	3 7%	10 9%k	6 7%	4 4%	3 4%	2 4%	7 7%	8 5%	5 3%	11 12%fgHJK	26 7%	17 5%	24 6%	66 6%	47 6%	19 7%	16 7%	50 6%	39 6%	26 8%	19 4%	8 7%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	66 6%	53 6%	8 8% <sup>d</sup>	4 9%	3 3%	6 6%	5 5%	4 5%	6 11%aDjk	9 8% <sup>d</sup>	8 5%	7 5%	7 7%	20 6%	23 7%	22 5%	66 6%	51 6%	15 5%	12 5%	52 6%	39 6%	26 8%	20 5%	13 11%X
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	64 6%	56 6%	6 7%g	3 8%g	7 6%	8 9%G	4 4%	1 1%	2 5%	7 6%	9 6%	6 4%	11 12%fGjK	24 7%	14 4%	27 6%	64 6%	46 6%	18 6%	13 6%	50 6%	36 5%	26 8%	18 4%	9 8%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	60 5%	45 5%	10 11%ADijl	1 3%	4 3%	4 5%	6 6%	4 5%	5 9% <sup>d</sup>	4 4%	8 5%	10 6%	4 4%	19 6%	19 6%	21 5%	60 5%	46 6%	14 5%	15 6%	41 5%	32 5%	26 8% <sup>v</sup>	14 3%	11 10%X

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 50

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing	Work-ing full time	Work-ing part time	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
																	(p)	(q)	(r)						
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
None of these	864	758	67	34	94	72	81	64	39	86	125	128	75	266	270	328	864	630	234	181	650	546	262	369	72
	79%	80%b	72%	78%	79%	80%	86%B	80%	76%	79%	79%	80%	78%	77%	81%	79%	79%	79%	78%	79%	79%	79%	76%	85%Y	64%

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

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**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	107 10%	18 11%	15 9%	9 7%	27 13%	17 9%	13 10%	8 7%	8 11%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	71 6%	9 5%	9 5%	10 8%	18 9% <sup>f</sup>	9 5%	5 4%	10 8%	5 7%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	66 6%	13 7%	9 5%	9 8%	11 5%	9 5%	5 4%	11 9%	8 11% <sup>f</sup>
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	66 6%	14 8% <sup>g</sup>	7 4%	11 9% <sup>G</sup>	17 8% <sup>eG</sup>	7 4%	6 5%	3 3%	8 11% <sup>bEG</sup>
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	64 6%	10 6%	6 3%	9 7%	15 7% <sup>b</sup>	8 4%	9 7%	8 7%	6 8%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	60 5%	11 6%	10 6%	5 4%	12 6%	6 4%	6 5%	10 8% <sup>e</sup>	5 7%

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

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**Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**  
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Absolutes/col percents

Table 50

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

Base: All working adults

Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
None of these	864 79%	134 79%	144 83%D	96 79%	151 74%	144 81%d	103 81%	92 77%	56 77%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

\* small base

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 51

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

		Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5)	293 27%	138 24%	155 30%A	37 28%	67 27%	67 27%	71 27%	37 24%	13 31%	37 28%	67 27%	94 25%	81 28%	13 31%	78 26%	87 26%	72 28%	55 27%	166 26%	127 28%	55 23%	238 28%	259 26%	32 31%
4	(4)	425 39%	229 39%	195 38%	45 34%	85 34%	103 41% <sup>d</sup>	106 40%	68 44% <sup>cD</sup>	18 44%	45 34%	85 34%	153 41% <sup>j</sup>	123 42% <sup>j</sup>	18 44%	113 37%	134 41%	101 39%	77 38%	247 39%	178 39%	105 43%	320 38%	388 40%	34 33%
3	(3)	250 23%	148 26%B	102 20%	39 29% <sup>E</sup>	63 25% <sup>E</sup>	45 18%	60 23%	33 22%	9 22%	39 29% <sup>KI</sup>	63 25%	76 20%	62 21%	9 22%	82 27% <sup>q</sup>	75 23%	54 21%	40 20%	156 25%	94 20%	58 24%	192 22%	217 22%	30 29%
2	(2)	47 4%	22 4%	24 5%	7 5%	16 6% <sup>Fh</sup>	11 5%	6 2%	6 4%	- -	7 5%	16 6% <sup>lm</sup>	15 4%	9 3%	- -	16 5%	14 4%	9 4%	8 4%	30 5%	17 4%	9 4%	38 4%	42 4%	3 3%
No impact	(1)	13 1%	8 1%	5 1%	1 1%	4 2%	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	- -	1 1%	4 2%	5 1%	3 1%	- -	4 1%	3 1%	1 *	6 3% <sup>oP</sup>	6 1%	7 1%	1 *	12 1%	13 1%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		718 66%	367 63%	351 69% <sup>aa</sup>	83 61%	152 61%	170 68% <sup>d</sup>	177 67%	105 68%	31 75% <sup>d</sup>	83 61%	152 61%	248 67%	205 69% <sup>J</sup>	31 75% <sup>j</sup>	191 63%	222 67%	173 67%	132 65%	413 65%	305 66%	160 66%	558 65%	647 66%	66 64%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		60 5%	30 5%	30 6%	8 6%	20 8% <sup>Fh</sup>	14 6%	9 4%	8 5%	- -	8 6%	20 8% <sup>Lm</sup>	20 5%	12 4%	- -	19 6%	17 5%	10 4%	14 7%	36 6%	24 5%	9 4%	50 6%	55 6%	3 3%
Don't know		66 6%	36 6%	30 6%	5 4%	15 6%	20 8%	18 7%	8 5%	1 3%	5 4%	15 6%	28 8%	17 6%	1 3%	12 4%	17 5%	21 8% <sup>N</sup>	16 8% <sup>N</sup>	29 5%	38 8% <sup>R</sup>	14 6%	52 6%	62 6%	4 4%
Mean		3.91	3.86	3.98 <sup>A</sup>	3.86	3.83	3.96	3.95	3.91	4.09 <sup>d</sup>	3.86	3.83	3.92	3.98 <sup>j</sup>	4.09 <sup>j</sup>	3.84	3.93	3.99 <sup>n</sup>	3.90	3.89	3.95	3.90	3.92	3.91	3.96
Standard deviation		0.90	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.98	0.90	0.87	0.87	0.75	0.93	0.98	0.89	0.86	0.75	0.93	0.88	0.85	0.98	0.90	0.91	0.82	0.93	0.91	0.87
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.11	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 51

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	293 27%	251 26%	24 26%	7 16%	36 31% <sup>c</sup>	22 25%	21 22%	25 31%	18 34% <sup>cf</sup>	27 25%	49 31% <sup>c</sup>	39 24%	24 25%	90 26%	91 27%	112 27%	293 27%	219 27%	74 25%	73 32% <sup>u</sup>	216 26%	197 29%	84 24%	142 33%	29 26%
4	(4)	425 39%	379 40% <sup>H</sup>	34 36% <sup>h</sup>	20 47% <sup>H</sup>	45 38% <sup>h</sup>	42 47% <sup>Hj</sup>	35 38% <sup>h</sup>	30 38% <sup>h</sup>	12 24%	48 44% <sup>H</sup>	56 35% <sup>h</sup>	66 41% <sup>H</sup>	36 37% <sup>h</sup>	141 41%	126 38%	158 38%	425 39%	306 38%	119 40%	91 39%	328 40%	283 41%	130 38%	194 45%	44 39%
3	(3)	250 23%	220 23%	18 20%	10 24%	26 22%	16 18%	23 24%	18 23%	12 23%	24 22%	39 24%	39 24%	26 27%	71 20%	76 23%	103 25%	250 23%	187 23%	63 21%	41 18%	195 24% <sup>t</sup>	151 22%	85 25%	76 17%	27 24%
2	(2)	47 4%	35 4%	8 9% <sup>Adel</sup>	1 3%	4 3%	3 3%	5 5% <sup>i</sup>	4 5% <sup>i</sup>	4 7% <sup>iL</sup>	1 1%	8 5% <sup>i</sup>	9 5% <sup>il</sup>	1 1%	16 5%	14 4%	17 4%	47 4%	36 4%	11 4%	11 5%	32 4%	26 4%	19 6%	13 3%	6 5%
No impact	(1)	13 1%	10 1%	2 2% <sup>j</sup>	-	-	2 2% <sup>j</sup>	1 1%	-	2 2% <sup>j</sup>	4 3% <sup>dJ</sup>	-	1 1%	3 3% <sup>dJ</sup>	3 1%	6 2%	4 1%	13 1%	10 1%	3 1%	4 2%	9 1%	5 1%	7 2%	1 *	5 4% <sup>X</sup>
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		718 66%	630 66%	58 62%	27 63%	82 69%	64 71% <sup>fh</sup>	56 60%	55 69%	30 58%	76 70%	105 66%	105 66%	60 63%	231 67%	217 65%	270 65%	718 66%	525 66%	192 65%	164 71%	543 66%	480 70% <sup>W</sup>	213 62%	336 77% <sup>Y</sup>	73 65%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		60 5%	45 5%	10 11% <sup>ADijl</sup>	1 3%	4 3%	4 5%	6 6%	4 5%	5 9% <sup>d</sup>	4 4%	8 5%	10 6%	4 4%	19 6%	19 6%	21 5%	60 5%	46 6%	14 5%	15 6%	41 5%	32 5%	26 8% <sup>v</sup>	14 3%	11 10% <sup>X</sup>
Don't know		66 6%	54 6%	7 7%	5 11%	8 7%	5 6%	9 10% <sup>gjk</sup>	2 3%	5 10% <sup>gjk</sup>	5 4%	7 4%	7 4%	6 7%	25 7%	21 6%	20 5%	66 6%	42 5%	25 8% <sup>q</sup>	11 5%	45 5%	25 4%	19 6%	8 2%	1 1%
Mean		3.91	3.92	3.82	3.85	4.03	3.96	3.82	3.97	3.90	3.92	3.96	3.87	3.87	3.93	3.90	3.90	3.91	3.91	3.92	4.00	3.91	3.97 <sup>W</sup>	3.81	4.08 <sup>Y</sup>	3.78
Standard deviation		0.90	0.88	1.02	0.75	0.84	0.87	0.91	0.88	1.08	0.92	0.89	0.89	0.94	0.89	0.93	0.90	0.90	0.91	0.88	0.94	0.89	0.87	0.96	0.81	1.04
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.13	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.14	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 51

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 293 27%	40 24%	41 24%	23 19%	64 31% <sup>C</sup>	55 31% <sup>C</sup>	37 29% <sup>c</sup>	33 28%	21 29%
4	(4) 425 39%	69 41%	67 39%	62 51% <sup>BDeFG</sup>	70 34%	72 40%	45 35%	40 34%	28 38%
3	(3) 250 23%	38 23%	39 23%	20 16%	52 26% <sup>c</sup>	39 22%	30 24%	32 26% <sup>c</sup>	17 23%
2	(2) 47 4%	8 5%	8 5%	4 3%	9 4%	4 2%	5 4%	8 7% <sup>e</sup>	5 7% <sup>e</sup>
No impact	(1) 13 1%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	718 66%	109 65%	108 63%	85 70%	134 65%	127 71% <sup>bg</sup>	82 64%	73 61%	49 67%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	60 5%	11 6%	10 6%	5 4%	12 6%	6 4%	6 5%	10 8% <sup>e</sup>	5 7%
Don't know	66 6%	11 6%	15 9% <sup>de</sup>	12 10% <sup>DEgh</sup>	8 4%	7 4%	9 7%	5 4%	2 3%
Mean	3.91	3.86	3.87	3.93	3.93	4.01	3.95	3.82	3.91
Standard deviation	0.90	0.91	0.91	0.78	0.94	0.87	0.90	0.98	0.91
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 52

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

		Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade								Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)		
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113		
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103		
A high impact	(5)	259 24%	119 20%	140 27%A	35 26%	57 23%	52 21%	61 23%	36 23%	17 42%G	35 26%	57 23%	76 21%	72 24%	17 42%ijkl	66 22%	77 23%	68 26%	49 24%	142 22%	117 25%	57 24%	202 24%	231 24%	26 25%		
4	(4)	432 39%	238 41%	194 38%	41 31%	94 38%	101 41%cd	107 41%cd	72 47%cd	15 37%	41 31%	94 38%	157 42%il	124 42%il	15 37%	128 42%	128 39%	101 39%	75 37%	256 40%	175 38%	100 42%	332 39%	386 39%	45 43%		
3	(3)	261 24%	144 25%	117 23%	43 32%defgh	57 23%	58 23%	61 23%	35 23%	7 16%	43 32%ijklm	57 23%	85 23%	69 23%	7 16%	74 24%	88 27%	56 22%	43 21%	162 26%	99 21%	60 25%	201 24%	233 24%	24 24%		
2	(2)	51 5%	36 6%B	15 3%	6 4%	20 8%efgh	9 4%	12 4%	4 3%	-	6 4%	20 8%klm	12 3%	13 4%	-	18 6%	15 5%	10 4%	8 4%	33 5%	17 4%	9 4%	41 5%	47 5%	2 2%		
No impact	(1)	20 2%	9 2%	11 2%	3 2%	4 2%	5 2%	5 2%	3 2%	-	3 2%	4 2%	9 2%	4 1%	-	5 2%	5 2%	4 2%	6 3%	10 2%	10 2%	3 1%	17 2%	18 2%	2 2%		
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		691 63%	357 61%	334 65%	76 57%	152 61%	154 62%	168 64%	108 70%Cde	33 79%CDEFG	76 57%	152 61%	234 63%	196 66%il	33 79%ijkl	194 64%	205 62%	169 65%	123 61%	399 63%	292 63%	157 65%	533 63%	617 63%	70 68%		
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		71 6%	45 8%b	26 5%	9 7%h	25 10%egh	14 6%	17 6%h	7 4%	-	9 7%lm	25 10%klm	21 6%	17 6%	-	23 8%	21 6%	14 5%	14 7%	44 7%	27 6%	12 5%	59 7%	64 7%	4 4%		
Don't know		72 7%	37 6%	35 7%	6 4%	17 7%	24 10%cg	18 7%	4 3%	2 5%	6 4%	17 7%	32 9%l	14 5%	2 5%	13 4%	17 5%	19 8%no	23 11%no	29 5%	42 9%R	12 5%	60 7%	67 7%	4 4%		
Mean		3.84	3.77	3.91A	3.78	3.77	3.83	3.84	3.90	4.27CDEFG	3.78	3.77	3.82	3.88	4.27IJKL	3.80	3.82	3.91	3.85	3.81	3.89	3.87	3.83	3.84	3.91		
Standard deviation		0.93	0.92	0.93	0.98	0.98	0.90	0.93	0.86	0.74	0.98	0.98	0.91	0.89	0.74	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.98	0.92	0.94	0.88	0.94	0.93	0.88		
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.11	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08		

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 52

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

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**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	259 24%	220 23%	25 26%C	4 9%	22 19%	20 22% <sup>c</sup>	19 20%	21 26%C	14 27%C	29 27%C	47 29% <sup>CDk</sup>	33 21%	25 26%C	71 20%	83 25%	105 25%	259 24%	192 24%	66 23%	52 23%	207 25%	170 25%	83 24%	130 30%	25 22%
4	(4)	432 39%	387 41% <sup>H</sup>	31 34%	16 38%	51 42% <sup>H</sup>	39 44% <sup>H</sup>	38 40% <sup>h</sup>	35 43% <sup>H</sup>	14 26%	43 40% <sup>h</sup>	62 39% <sup>h</sup>	68 42% <sup>H</sup>	35 37%	137 40%	129 39%	165 40%	432 39%	316 40%	115 39%	109 47% <sup>U</sup>	312 38%	291 42% <sup>w</sup>	126 37%	190 44%	44 39%
3	(3)	261 24%	226 24%	20 22%	13 31%	32 27%	21 23%	25 26%	16 21%	14 28%	23 21%	31 19%	40 25%	25 26%	86 25%	78 23%	96 23%	261 24%	194 24%	67 23%	48 21%	199 24%	157 23%	86 25%	91 21%	23 20%
2	(2)	51 5%	41 4%	7 7% <sup>fl</sup>	3 8%	6 5%	2 3%	2 2%	4 4%	3 6%	4 4%	8 5%	10 6%	2 2%	18 5%	13 4%	20 5%	51 5%	39 5%	11 4%	7 3%	41 5%	33 5%	18 5%	9 2%	12 11% <sup>X</sup>
No impact	(1)	20 2%	15 2%	4 4% <sup>aDK</sup>	- -	- -	1 1%	2 2% <sup>k</sup>	1 1%	2 3% <sup>DK</sup>	4 4% <sup>DK</sup>	4 2% <sup>k</sup>	- -	3 3% <sup>dK</sup>	4 1%	9 3%	7 2%	20 2%	13 2%	8 3%	4 2%	16 2%	10 1%	11 3% <sup>v</sup>	3 1%	5 5% <sup>X</sup>
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		691 63%	607 64%	56 60%	20 47%	73 61%	59 66% <sup>c</sup>	57 60%	55 69% <sup>Ch</sup>	28 54%	72 66% <sup>c</sup>	109 69% <sup>CH</sup>	101 63% <sup>c</sup>	60 63%	208 60%	212 63%	271 65%	691 63%	509 64%	182 62%	161 70% <sup>u</sup>	519 63%	461 67% <sup>w</sup>	209 61%	320 74% <sup>Y</sup>	69 62%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		71 6%	56 6%	10 11% <sup>AdEf</sup>	3 8%	6 5%	3 4%	4 4%	5 6%	5 9%	9 8%	11 7%	10 6%	5 5%	22 7%	22 7%	27 6%	71 6%	52 7%	19 6%	11 5%	58 7%	43 6%	28 8%	12 3%	17 15% <sup>X</sup>
Don't know		72 7%	60 6%	7 7%	6 14% <sup>gijk</sup>	9 7%	7 8%	9 10%	3 4%	5 9%	5 4%	8 5%	8 5%	5 6%	29 8% <sup>o</sup>	22 7%	21 5%	72 7%	45 6%	27 9% <sup>Q</sup>	11 5%	49 6%	27 4%	21 6%	10 2%	3 3%
Mean		3.84	3.85	3.77	3.56	3.82	3.90 <sup>c</sup>	3.83	3.92 <sup>c</sup>	3.75	3.84	3.93 <sup>C</sup>	3.82	3.85	3.80	3.84	3.87	3.84	3.84	3.83	3.90	3.84	3.88	3.78	4.03 <sup>Y</sup>	3.66
Standard deviation		0.93	0.90	1.08	0.81	0.81	0.83	0.88	0.90	1.08	1.02	0.96	0.85	0.97	0.90	0.96	0.92	0.93	0.92	0.95	0.86	0.95	0.90	1.00	0.82	1.10
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.11	0.15	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.11	0.07	0.08	0.11	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**



## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 52

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 259 24%	36 21%	33 19%	23 19%	49 24%	48 27%b	35 28%bc	36 30%BC	18 25%
4	(4) 432 39%	64 38%	68 39%	58 48%F	79 38%	75 42%	43 34%	46 38%	29 39%
3	(3) 261 24%	44 26%c	46 27%C	20 16%	51 25%c	40 22%	34 27%c	26 22%	18 24%
2	(2) 51 5%	7 4%	5 3%	8 7%	14 7%f	6 4%	3 3%	7 6%	4 6%
No impact	(1) 20 2%	3 2%	4 2%	2 1%	4 2%	3 2%	2 1%	3 3%	1 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	691 63%	100 59%	101 59%	80 66%	127 62%	123 69%aB	78 61%	81 68%	47 64%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	71 6%	9 5%	9 5%	10 8%	18 9%f	9 5%	5 4%	10 8%	5 7%
Don't know	72 7%	17 10%DEG	16 9%dEG	11 9%eG	9 4%	7 4%	10 8%G	2 1%	3 4%
Mean	3.84	3.81	3.77	3.82	3.78	3.92	3.91	3.89	3.84
Standard deviation	0.93	0.90	0.91	0.90	0.97	0.90	0.91	1.00	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 53

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5)	269 25%	122 21%	147 29%A	39 29%f	68 27%	59 24%	56 21%	38 25%	10 23%	39 29%	68 27%	85 23%	68 23%	10 23%	75 25%	80 24%	74 29%q	41 20%	155 24%	114 25%	64 26%	206 24%	240 24%	29 28%
4	(4)	429 39%	229 39%	201 39%	46 34%	84 33%	102 41%d	109 42%d	66 43%d	23 55%CD	46 34%	84 33%	148 40%j	129 44%iJ	23 55%JK	122 40%	125 38%	95 37%	88 43%	246 39%	183 40%	102 42%	328 38%	391 40%	37 36%
3	(3)	258 24%	147 25%	111 22%	34 25%	60 24%	54 22%	65 25%	36 24%	8 19%	34 25%	60 24%	86 23%	70 24%	8 19%	77 26%p	89 27%P	50 19%	42 21%	167 26%S	92 20%	53 22%	206 24%	227 23%	27 26%
2	(2)	51 5%	34 6%B	17 3%	8 6%	18 7%EFh	8 3%	9 3%	7 5%	- -	8 6%	18 7%Klm	14 4%	11 4%	- -	15 5%	13 4%	13 5%	10 5%	28 4%	23 5%	6 3%	44 5%	45 5%	4 4%
No impact	(1)	15 1%	9 2%	6 1%	1 1%	3 1%	4 2%	5 2%	2 1%	- -	1 1%	3 1%	7 2%	4 1%	- -	3 1%	7 2%	5 2%	1 1%	9 1%	6 1%	2 1%	13 2%	14 1%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		698 64%	350 60%	348 68%A	85 63%	151 60%	161 64%	165 63%	105 68%	32 78%CD	85 63%	151 60%	234 63%	196 67%	32 78%IJ	197 65%	205 62%	169 65%	128 63%	401 63%	297 64%	165 68%u	533 63%	631 64%	66 64%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		66 6%	43 7%B	23 4%	9 7%h	22 9%H	13 5%	14 5%	9 6%	- -	9 7%lm	22 9%IM	20 5%	15 5%	- -	18 6%	19 6%	18 7%	11 5%	37 6%	29 6%	8 3%	58 7%t	59 6%	4 4%
Don't know		71 7%	42 7%	29 6%	6 5%	18 7%g	22 9%G	20 8%g	4 3%	1 3%	6 5%	18 7%	32 9%l	14 5%	1 3%	12 4%	17 5%	22 8%N	21 10%NO	28 4%	43 9%R	15 6%	56 7%	64 7%	6 6%
Mean		3.87	3.78	3.97A	3.88	3.83	3.89	3.83	3.88	4.04	3.88	3.83	3.86	3.87	4.04	3.86	3.83	3.93	3.86	3.84	3.90	3.97u	3.84	3.87	3.94
Standard deviation		0.91	0.92	0.89	0.95	0.98	0.90	0.89	0.89	0.67	0.95	0.98	0.91	0.87	0.67	0.89	0.93	0.96	0.85	0.91	0.91	0.84	0.93	0.91	0.86
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 53

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (i)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	269 25%	234 25%	22 24%	6 14%	27 23%	26 29%cl	21 23%	20 25%	14 26%	23 21%	48 30%Cl	44 27%	18 19%	82 24%	78 23%	110 27%	269 25%	205 26%	64 22%	65 28%	199 24%	181 26%	84 24%	144 33%Y	23 20%
4	(4)	429 39%	379 40%	34 36%	17 40%	58 48%bghi	33 37%	39 41%	28 35%	17 33%	39 36%	53 34%	73 45%J	39 40%	142 41%	123 37%	165 40%	429 39%	304 38%	125 43%	95 41%	326 39%	280 41%	132 38%	189 44%	47 42%
3	(3)	258 24%	224 24%	24 26%	10 23%	24 20%	18 20%	20 21%	26 32%deK	10 20%	32 29%k	40 25%	29 18%	26 27%	76 22%	87 26%	95 23%	258 24%	191 24%	67 23%	49 21%	197 24%	164 24%	78 23%	71 16%	27 24%x
2	(2)	51 5%	41 4%	6 6%	4 9%	3 3%	5 5%	5 5%	3 4%	4 8%	3 3%	7 4%	7 5%	4 4%	18 5%	15 4%	18 4%	51 5%	38 5%	13 4%	10 4%	40 5%	31 5%	19 6%	14 3%	11 10%X
No impact	(1)	15 1%	12 1%	2 2%k	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	2 3%DfjK	6 5%DeFJK*	1 64%	- IL	3 4%dfjK	3 1%	8 3%lm	4 1%	15 1%	14 2%	2 1%	3 1%	12 1%	8 1%	7 2%	5 1%	2 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		698 64%	612 64%	56 60%	23 54%	85 71%bcIl	60 67%	60 64%	48 60%	31 59%	62 57%	102 64%	116 73%BCghIL	57 59%	223 65%	200 60%	275 66%ln	698 64%	509 64%	189 64%	160 69%	525 64%	462 67%	216 63%	333 77%Y	70 62%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		66 6%	53 6%	8 8%cd	4 9%	3 3%	6 6%	5 5%	4 5%	6 11%aDjk	9 8%cd	8 5%	7 5%	7 7%	20 6%	23 7%	22 5%	66 6%	51 6%	15 5%	12 5%	52 6%	39 6%	26 8%	20 5%	13 11%X
Don't know		71 7%	61 6%	5 6%	6 14%GK	8 7%	6 7%	10 10%gk	2 3%	5 10%g	6 5%	9 6%	7 4%	6 7%	25 7%	23 7%	23 6%	71 7%	48 6%	23 8%	10 4%	51 6%	23 3%	24 7%V	10 2%	3 2%
Mean		3.87	3.88	3.78	3.70	3.97cll	3.95i	3.91	3.81	3.79	3.69	3.95Il	4.00bclL	3.72	3.88	3.79	3.91n	3.87	3.86	3.87	3.95	3.85	3.90	3.83	4.07Y	3.71
Standard deviation		0.91	0.90	0.97	0.87	0.76	0.93	0.84	0.92	1.08	1.03	0.91	0.82	0.96	0.88	0.96	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.85	0.90	0.92	0.90	0.96	0.87	0.97
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.16	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.11	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 53

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 269 25%	30 18% <sup>c</sup>	34 20% <sup>C</sup>	12 10%	61 30% <sup>ABC</sup>	55 31% <sup>ABC</sup>	42 33% <sup>ABCh</sup>	34 29% <sup>AbC</sup>	15 21% <sup>C</sup>
4	(4) 429 39%	68 40% <sup>d</sup>	68 39%	63 52% <sup>aBDEFG32%</sup>	65 32%	71 40% <sup>d</sup>	50 39%	44 37%	35 48% <sup>D</sup>
3	(3) 258 24%	42 25% <sup>f</sup>	46 27% <sup>Fh</sup>	23 19%	55 27% <sup>Fh</sup>	40 22%	20 16%	32 27% <sup>Fh</sup>	11 15%
2	(2) 51 5%	9 5%	5 3%	9 7% <sup>eg</sup>	15 7% <sup>beG</sup>	5 3%	5 4%	2 2%	7 10% <sup>BEG</sup>
No impact	(1) 15 1%	5 3%	2 1%	2 1%	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	698 64%	98 58%	102 59%	75 62%	126 61%	126 70% <sup>ABd</sup>	92 72% <sup>ABCD</sup>	79 66%	51 70%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	66 6%	14 8% <sup>g</sup>	7 4%	11 9% <sup>G</sup>	17 8% <sup>eG</sup>	7 4%	6 5%	3 3%	8 11% <sup>bEG</sup>
Don't know	71 7%	15 9% <sup>DE</sup>	17 10% <sup>DE</sup>	12 10% <sup>DE</sup>	7 3%	6 3%	9 7%	5 5%	3 4%
Mean	3.87	3.71	3.82	3.69	3.84	3.99 <sup>AbC</sup>	4.08 <sup>ABCDh</sup>	3.95 <sup>AC</sup>	3.81
Standard deviation	0.91	0.96	0.86	0.84	0.99	0.89	0.87	0.86	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.12

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 54

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Gender		Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
		Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	Public	Private	White	BAME
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)	(p)	(q)	(r)	(s)	(t)	(u)	(v)	(w)	
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5)	194	91	103	28	45	43	41	23	14	28	45	58	49	14	44	60	55	36	104	90	52	142	168	25
		18%	16%	20% <sup>a</sup>	20%	18%	17%	16%	15%	35% <sup>c</sup>	20% <sup>d</sup>	18%	16%	17%	35% <sup>e</sup>	14%	18%	21% <sup>f</sup>	18%	16%	20%	22% <sup>g</sup>	17%	17%	24% <sup>h</sup>
										G			DEF		JKL		N				u			v	
4	(4)	391	203	188	54	72	89	99	65	12	54	72	138	116	12	111	122	90	68	234	158	90	301	352	37
		36%	35%	37%	40% <sup>D</sup>	29%	36% <sup>d</sup>	37% <sup>D</sup>	42% <sup>D</sup>	30%	40% <sup>J</sup>	29%	37% <sup>J</sup>	39% <sup>J</sup>	30%	37%	37%	35%	34%	37%	34%	37%	35%	36%	36%
3	(3)	328	177	151	39	83	75	76	46	10	39	83	111	86	10	104	91	68	64	195	132	67	261	294	31
		30%	30%	29%	29%	33%	30%	29%	30%	23%	29%	33%	30%	29%	23%	34% <sup>op</sup>	28%	26%	32%	31%	29%	28%	31%	30%	30%
2	(2)	81	54	27	9	25	15	18	13	1	9	25	22	25	1	23	26	18	14	49	32	16	65	76	1
		7%	9% <sup>B</sup>	5%	7%	10%	6%	7%	8%	3%	7%	10% <sup>k</sup>	6%	8%	3%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	8%	8% <sup>W</sup>	1%
No impact	(1)	26	18	8	1	6	4	10	4	1	1	6	10	8	1	8	10	7	1	18	8	5	21	22	3
		2%	3% <sup>b</sup>	2%	1%	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3% <sup>q</sup>	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		586	295	291	82	117	132	140	88	27	82	117	196	165	27	155	183	144	104	338	248	143	443	521	62
		54%	51%	57% <sup>A</sup>	61% <sup>D</sup>	47%	53%	53%	57% <sup>D</sup>	64% <sup>D</sup>	61% <sup>J</sup>	47%	53%	56% <sup>J</sup>	64% <sup>J</sup>	51%	55%	56%	51%	53%	54%	59% <sup>u</sup>	52%	53%	60%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		107	72	35	10	31	19	28	17	2	10	31	31	33	2	31	36	25	15	67	39	21	86	98	4
		10%	12% <sup>B</sup>	7%	7%	12% <sup>e</sup>	8%	11%	11%	6%	7%	12%	8%	11%	6%	10%	11%	10%	7%	11%	9%	9%	10%	10% <sup>W</sup>	4%
Don't know		73	38	35	4	20	23	20	3	3	4	20	34	13	3	13	20	21	19	33	41	12	62	68	6
		7%	7%	7%	3%	8% <sup>c</sup>	9% <sup>CG</sup>	7% <sup>c</sup>	2%	7% <sup>g</sup>	3%	8% <sup>il</sup>	9% <sup>IL</sup>	4%	7%	4%	6%	8% <sup>n</sup>	10% <sup>N</sup>	5%	9% <sup>R</sup>	5%	7%	7%	5%
Mean		3.63	3.54	3.74 <sup>A</sup>	3.75 <sup>d</sup>	3.54	3.67	3.59	3.60	3.98 <sup>De</sup>	3.75 <sup>j</sup>	3.54	3.63	3.61	3.98 <sup>J</sup>	3.55	3.63	3.71 <sup>n</sup>	3.67	3.59	3.69	3.74 <sup>u</sup>	3.60	3.62	3.82 <sup>V</sup>
										G															
Standard deviation		0.96	0.99	0.92	0.89	1.01	0.92	0.99	0.94	1.00	0.89	1.01	0.94	0.96	1.00	0.94	0.99	1.00	0.90	0.97	0.95	0.95	0.96	0.96	0.94
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.16	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.16	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 54

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	Eastern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working- (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	194 18%	169 18%	15 16%	4 9%	24 20%	20 23% cf	12 12%	10 12%	11 21%	21 19%	39 25% bCF	24 15%	14 15%	63 18%	53 16%	78 19%	194 18%	143 18%	51 17%	43 19%	148 18%	134 19%	57 16%	109 25% Y	15 13%
4	(4)	391 36%	344 36%	31 33%	15 36%	50 42% j	29 33%	37 39%	31 39%	16 32%	35 33%	50 32%	63 39%	34 35%	125 36%	119 36%	147 35%	391 36%	290 36%	101 34%	90 39%	293 36%	260 38%	116 34%	177 41%	41 37%
3	(3)	328 30%	281 30%	29 31% d	17 39% D	25 21%	24 26%	29 31%	28 35% D	18 35% D	33 30%	44 28%	50 31% d	31 32% d	95 27%	108 32%	125 30%	328 30%	243 30%	85 29%	63 27%	251 30%	207 30%	105 31%	114 26%	32 29%
2	(2)	81 7%	73 8% h	7 7%	3 6%	11 9% h	5 5%	5 5%	6 7%	1 1%	9 8% h	12 8% h	15 9% h	9 9% h	25 7%	20 6%	36 9%	81 7%	60 7%	21 7%	18 8%	61 7%	46 7%	34 10% v	14 3%	19 17% X
No impact	(1)	26 2%	20 2%	4 4% dK	- 1%	3 4% k	2 2%	2 3%	2 3%	6 6% DjK	3 2%	1 1%	2 2%	8 2%	12 4% O	6 1%	26 2%	19 2%	7 2%	8 3%	19 2%	14 2%	10 3%	11 2%	2 2%	
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		586 54%	513 54%	46 49%	19 44%	74 62% bcd	50 55%	48 51%	41 51%	27 53%	56 52%	90 57%	87 54%	48 50%	188 55%	172 52%	225 54%	586 54%	434 54%	152 52%	133 58%	442 54%	395 57% W	172 50%	286 66% Y	57 50%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		107 10%	94 10%	11 11%	3 6%	12 10%	8 9%	7 7%	8 10%	2 5%	15 14% h	15 9%	16 10%	11 11%	33 10%	32 10%	41 10%	107 10%	79 10%	28 10%	26 11%	80 10%	59 9%	45 13% V	24 6%	21 19% X
Don't know		73 7%	62 7%	8 8%	5 11%	8 7%	9 9%	10 10% k	3 4%	4 8%	5 4%	10 6%	7 4%	6 7%	28 8%	22 7%	23 6%	73 7%	44 6%	29 10% pQ	9 4%	53 6%	27 4%	21 6%	10 2%	2 2%
Mean		3.63	3.64	3.54	3.52	3.76	3.73	3.61	3.53	3.71	3.53	3.75b	3.62	3.56	3.66	3.58	3.65	3.63	3.63	3.63	3.65	3.64	3.69W	3.54	3.85Y	3.44
Standard deviation		0.96	0.96	1.03	0.77	0.94	1.03	0.89	0.92	0.96	1.09	1.00	0.89	0.95	0.97	0.97	0.95	0.96	0.96	0.97	1.00	0.96	0.94	1.01	0.93	1.00
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.14	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.11	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 54

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 194 18%	24 14%	25 15%	16 13%	43 21%ac	36 20%	27 21%c	22 19%	14 19%
4	(4) 391 36%	63 37%	53 31%	41 33%	62 30%	71 40%bD	49 38%	52 44%BD	31 43%d
3	(3) 328 30%	49 29%	61 35%EFh	45 37%EFh	65 31%	45 25%	31 24%	33 28%	17 23%
2	(2) 81 7%	15 9%	9 5%	6 5%	21 10%bg	13 7%	11 9%	6 5%	8 11%
No impact	(1) 26 2%	3 2%	6 3%	3 2%	6 3%	4 2%	2 1%	3 2%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	586 54%	87 52%	79 46%	56 46%	105 51%	108 60%BCd	76 60%BC	75 62%aBCd	45 62%Bc
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	107 10%	18 11%	15 9%	9 7%	27 13%	17 9%	13 10%	8 7%	8 11%
Don't know	73 7%	14 8%g	18 11%DeG	12 9%dG	9 4%	9 5%	8 6%	3 3%	3 4%
Mean	3.63	3.57	3.54	3.55	3.59	3.73b	3.75b	3.74b	3.73
Standard deviation	0.96	0.94	0.96	0.90	1.04	0.96	0.96	0.91	0.92
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 55

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 286 26%	145 25%	141 28%	39 29%	68 27%	62 25%	64 24%	37 24%	17 40%	39 29%	68 27%	88 24%	75 26%	17 40%	69 23%	98 30%	66 26%	53 26%	167 26%	119 26%	58 24%	229 27%	252 26%	33 32%
4	(4) 417 38%	225 39%	192 37%	40 30%	99 39%	91 37%	109 41%	65 42%	14 33%	40 30%	99 39%	144 39%	121 41%	14 33%	120 39%	127 38%	105 41%	66 33%	246 39%	171 37%	98 41%	319 37%	383 39%	32 32%
3	(3) 258 24%	137 23%	122 24%	43 32%	53 21%	56 23%	58 22%	39 25%	10 24%	43 32%	53 21%	84 23%	68 23%	10 24%	74 25%	75 23%	60 23%	50 25%	149 24%	109 24%	59 25%	199 23%	226 23%	29 28%
2	(2) 51 5%	33 6%	18 3%	7 5%	12 5%	15 6%	8 3%	8 5%	1 2%	7 5%	12 5%	19 5%	12 4%	1 2%	21 7%	13 4%	8 3%	9 5%	34 5%	17 4%	11 5%	40 5%	46 5%	3 3%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	6 1%	7 1%	- -	1 *	3 1%	9 3%	1 CDe	- 1%	- -	1 *	8 2%	4 1%	- -	5 2%	3 1%	2 1%	4 2%	7 1%	6 1%	5 2%	8 1%	12 1%	1 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	704 64%	370 64%	333 65%	79 58%	167 67%	154 62%	173 66%	101 66%	30 72%	79 58%	167 67%	232 62%	196 66%	30 72%	189 62%	224 68%	171 66%	119 59%	414 65%	290 63%	155 64%	548 64%	635 65%	65 63%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	64 6%	39 7%	25 5%	7 5%	13 5%	18 7%	16 6%	9 6%	1 2%	7 5%	13 5%	27 7%	17 6%	1 2%	26 9%	15 5%	10 4%	13 6%	41 7%	23 5%	16 7%	48 6%	58 6%	4 3%
Don't know	68 6%	36 6%	32 6%	6 5%	17 7%	22 9%	17 6%	5 3%	1 2%	6 5%	17 7%	29 8%	14 5%	1 2%	14 5%	15 5%	18 7%	20 10%	29 5%	38 8%	11 4%	57 7%	63 6%	5 5%
Mean	3.89	3.86	3.92	3.86	3.94	3.86	3.86	3.85	4.13 g	3.86	3.94	3.83	3.89	4.13 ik	3.79	3.97 N	3.94 n	3.85	3.88	3.90	3.83	3.91	3.89	3.95
Standard deviation	0.91	0.92	0.91	0.92	0.88	0.93	0.96	0.88	0.85	0.92	0.88	0.95	0.90	0.85	0.95	0.89	0.85	0.97	0.92	0.91	0.93	0.91	0.91	0.91
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.13	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w

\* small base



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 55

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	286 26%	242 25%	23 25% <sup>C</sup>	3 8%	24 20% <sup>c</sup>	23 25% <sup>C</sup>	20 21% <sup>c</sup>	20 25% <sup>C</sup>	22 42% <sup>ABCD</sup>	33 31% <sup>C</sup>	56 35% <sup>bCDe</sup>	43 27% <sup>C</sup>	20 21% <sup>c</sup>	73 21%	95 28% <sup>M</sup>	119 29% <sup>M</sup>	286 26%	221 28% <sup>r</sup>	65 22%	62 27%	220 27%	193 28%	88 26%	143 33% <sup>Y</sup>	22 20%
4	(4)	417 38%	375 39% <sup>H</sup>	30 32%	19 45% <sup>Hj</sup>	53 45% <sup>bHJl</sup>	34 37% <sup>h</sup>	36 38% <sup>h</sup>	41 51% <sup>BefH</sup>	12 24%	43 40% <sup>H</sup>	48 30%	71 45% <sup>bHJl</sup>	30 31%	136 40%	132 39%	149 36%	417 38%	307 38%	110 37%	94 41%	314 38%	277 40%	127 37%	182 42%	42 38%
3	(3)	258 24%	224 24%	25 27%	12 29%	26 22%	19 21%	26 27%	16 20%	9 18%	20 18%	40 25%	35 22%	31 32% <sup>hl</sup>	83 24%	71 21%	105 25%	258 24%	186 23%	73 25%	51 22%	196 24%	160 23%	84 24%	81 19%	36 32% <sup>X</sup>
2	(2)	51 5%	44 5%	5 6%	3 8% <sup>g</sup>	6 5%	8 9% <sup>fGI</sup>	3 3%	1 1%	1 3%	2 2%	6 4%	6 4%	9 9% <sup>fGj</sup>	22 6% <sup>N</sup>	7 2%	22 5% <sup>N</sup>	51 5%	36 4%	15 5%	10 5%	40 5%	29 4%	21 6%	15 3%	9 8% <sup>x</sup>
No impact	(1)	13 1%	11 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 2% <sup>k</sup>	5 4% <sup>EgK</sup>	2 2%	- -	2 2% <sup>k</sup>	2 1%	7 2% <sup>m</sup>	5 1%	13 1%	10 1%	3 1%	3 1%	10 1%	7 1%	5 2%	3 1%	-
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		704 64%	616 65%	53 57%	23 53%	78 65% <sup>l</sup>	56 62%	55 59%	61 76% <sup>BCeF</sup>	34 66% <sup>l</sup>	76 70% <sup>bcL</sup>	103 65% <sup>L</sup>	114 71% <sup>BCfL</sup>	50 52%	209 61%	226 68% <sup>m</sup>	268 64%	704 64%	528 66% <sup>r</sup>	176 60%	156 67%	535 65%	469 68% <sup>w</sup>	215 63%	325 75% <sup>Y</sup>	65 58%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		64 6%	56 6%	6 7% <sup>g</sup>	3 8% <sup>g</sup>	7 6%	8 9% <sup>G</sup>	4 4%	1 1%	2 5%	7 6%	9 6%	6 4%	11 12% <sup>fGjK</sup>	24 7%	14 4%	27 6%	64 6%	46 6%	18 6%	13 6%	50 6%	36 5%	26 8%	18 4%	9 8%
Don't know		68 6%	53 6%	9 9% <sup>gK</sup>	5 11% <sup>K</sup>	9 7% <sup>k</sup>	7 8% <sup>k</sup>	9 10% <sup>gjK</sup>	2 3%	6 11% <sup>agjK</sup>	6 6%	7 4%	4 3%	4 4%	29 8% <sup>O</sup>	23 7% <sup>o</sup>	16 4%	68 6%	40 5%	28 9% <sup>pQ</sup>	11 5%	45 5%	23 3%	18 5%	10 2%	4 3%
Mean		3.89	3.88	3.82	3.59	3.86 <sup>l</sup>	3.86	3.82	4.03 <sup>CL</sup>	4.15 <sup>ABC</sup>	3.96 <sup>cL</sup>	3.97 <sup>CL</sup>	3.97 <sup>CL</sup>	3.62	3.81	3.97 <sup>M</sup>	3.89	3.89	3.91	3.82	3.91	3.89	3.93	3.83	4.05 <sup>Y</sup>	3.72
Standard deviation		0.91	0.91	0.94	0.78	0.85	0.93	0.88	0.72	0.99	1.00	0.97	0.82	1.01	0.89	0.91	0.93	0.91	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.92	0.89	0.95	0.86	0.88
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.14	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.13	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.08

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 55

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Whole-sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 286 26%	38 22%	42 24%	24 20%	63 31%aCh	59 33%AbCH	31 25%	29 24%	14 19%
4	(4) 417 38%	66 39%	56 33%	52 43%b	78 38%	73 41%	46 36%	45 37%	31 43%
3	(3) 258 24%	43 25%	50 29%DE	26 21%	42 20%	33 18%	30 24%	35 29%dE	21 29%e
2	(2) 51 5%	8 5%	4 3%	8 7%b	13 6%b	5 3%	7 6%	5 4%	6 8%b
No impact	(1) 13 1%	3 2%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 2%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	704 64%	104 62%	98 57%	77 63%	141 69%B	132 74%ABcFGh	78 61%	74 62%	45 61%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	64 6%	10 6%	6 3%	9 7%	15 7%b	8 4%	9 7%	8 7%	6 8%
Don't know	68 6%	12 7%g	18 11%DEGH	10 8%g	8 4%	7 4%	11 8%deG	3 2%	2 3%
Mean	3.89	3.82	3.87	3.82	3.95	4.05AbCfG H	3.84	3.79	3.74
Standard deviation	0.91	0.91	0.87	0.88	0.94	0.88	0.94	0.95	0.86
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 56

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 203 19%	98 17%	105 20%	28 21%	52 21%	45 18%	43 16%	25 16%	10 24%	28 21%	52 21%	59 16%	53 18%	10 24%	58 19%	59 18%	50 19%	36 18%	117 18%	87 19%	43 18%	161 19%	178 18%	23 22%
4	(4) 441 40%	246 42%	194 38%	46 34%	90 36%	108 43%cd	119 45%CD	59 38%	18 44%	46 34%	90 36%	168 45%IJ	118 40%	18 44%	114 38%	140 43%	108 42%	79 39%	254 40%	187 41%	96 40%	345 40%	394 40%	45 44%
3	(3) 307 28%	167 29%	140 27%	45 33%EH	83 33%EFH	59 24%	68 26%	46 30%h	6 15%	45 33%kM	83 33%KM	92 25%	81 27%lm	6 15%	98 32%pq	96 29%	64 25%	49 24%	194 31%S	113 24%	73 30%	234 27%	274 28%	28 27%
2	(2) 49 4%	25 4%	24 5%	8 6%cd	5 2%	12 5%cd	8 3%	12 8%DF	3 8%D	8 6%j	5 2%	14 4%	18 6%J	3 8%J	15 5%	13 4%	12 5%	10 5%	27 4%	22 5%	11 5%	38 4%	45 5%	3 3%
No impact	(1) 17 2%	6 1%	12 2%aa	3 2%	2 1%	3 1%	7 2%	4 2%	-	3 2%	2 1%	8 2%	4 2%	-	5 2%	3 1%	4 1%	6 3%o	7 1%	10 2%	5 2%	12 1%	17 2%	-
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	644 59%	345 59%	299 58%	75 55%	142 57%	153 61%	162 61%	84 55%	28 68%	75 55%	142 57%	228 61%	172 58%	28 68%	172 57%	199 60%	158 61%	115 57%	371 59%	273 59%	139 58%	505 59%	572 58%	68 66%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	66 6%	30 5%	36 7%	10 8%D	7 3%	15 6%cd	16 6%	10% 10%D	3 8%cd	10 8%J	7 3%	23 6%j	23 8%J	3 8%j	19 6%	16 5%	15 6%	16 8%	35 5%	32 7%	17 7%	50 6%	62 6%	3 3%
Don't know	77 7%	40 7%	36 7%	5 4%	17 7%	23 9%cd	20 8%	8 5%	4 9%	5 4%	17 7%	30 8%i	21 7%	4 9%	15 5%	19 6%	21 8%	22 11%NO	33 5%	43 9%R	13 5%	64 7%	73 7%	4 4%
Mean	3.75	3.75	3.75	3.69	3.79g	3.80g	3.75	3.62	3.91g	3.69	3.79	3.75	3.72	3.91	3.71	3.77	3.80	3.72	3.74	3.76	3.70	3.77	3.74	3.89v
Standard deviation	0.89	0.84	0.94	0.95	0.84	0.86	0.88	0.95	0.89	0.95	0.84	0.88	0.91	0.89	0.90	0.83	0.88	0.97	0.86	0.92	0.91	0.88	0.89	0.79
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 56

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	203 19%	180 19%	13 14%	5 11%	21 18%	15 16%	12 12%	16 21%	11 21%	20 18%	41 26%BCde F	32 20%	18 19%	53 15%	59 18%	92 22%M	203 19%	156 19%	48 16%	50 21%	152 18%	145 21%w	55 16%	101 23%	20 18%
4	(4)	441 40%	379 40%	40 43%l	15 35%	51 42%	38 43%l	41 43%l	32 40%	21 41%	44 41%	61 39%	66 42%	30 31%	145 42%	139 42%	158 38%	441 40%	333 42%	108 37%	93 40%	339 41%	287 42%	138 40%	211 49%Y	42 38%
3	(3)	307 28%	271 29%h	27 29%	14 34%h	28 24%	23 25%	29 30%h	26 32%h	9 18%	31 28%	40 25%	49 31%h	31 32%h	92 27%	94 28%	120 29%	307 28%	216 27%	90 31%	58 25%	233 28%	192 28%	99 29%	92 21%	40 36%X
2	(2)	49 4%	43 5%	5 5%	1 3%	8 7%g	6 6%g	3 3%	1 1%	1 2%	5 5%	7 5%	5 3%	8 8%g	20 6%n	10 3%	20 5%	49 4%	33 4%	16 6%	13 6%	36 4%	29 4%	19 6%	13 3%	5 4%
No impact	(1)	17 2%	15 2%	2 2%k	1 3%K	2 2%k	1 1%	1 1%	2 3%k	1 2%k	3 2%k	1 *	- -	3 4%jK	6 2%	7 2%	4 1%	17 2%	14 2%	3 1%	3 1%	14 2%	9 1%	7 2%	6 1%	3 3%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		644 59%	559 59%	53 57%	20 46%	72 60%	53 59%	52 55%	49 61%	32 62%	64 59%	103 65%CL	99 62%l	48 50%	198 57%	197 59%	249 60%	644 59%r	488 61%R	156 53%	142 62%	492 60%	432 63%W	193 56%	312 72%Y	62 55%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		66 6%	58 6%	6 7%	3 7%	10 9%k	6 7%	4 4%	3 4%	2 4%	7 7%	8 5%	5 3%	11 12%fghjK	26 7%	17 5%	24 6%	66 6%	47 6%	19 7%	16 7%	50 6%	39 6%	26 8%	19 4%	8 7%
Don't know		77 7%	61 6%	7 7%	6 14%GjK	9 7%	8 9%	9 10%g	2 3%	8 16%AbdGI JKI	6 5%	8 5%	7 4%	6 7%	29 9%o	26 8%	22 5%	77 7%	48 6%	29 10%Q	14 6%	51 6%	25 4%	25 7%V	11 3%	2 2%
Mean		3.75	3.75	3.67	3.54	3.73	3.74	3.69	3.77	3.92bcL	3.73	3.90BCf L	3.82cL	3.57	3.69	3.76	3.79	3.75	3.77	3.68	3.79	3.75	3.80W	3.68	3.92Y	3.64
Standard deviation		0.89	0.89	0.86	0.91	0.93	0.87	0.80	0.90	0.87	0.92	0.88	0.80	1.03	0.89	0.87	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.88	0.91	0.89	0.88	0.91	0.84	0.93
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.16	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.11	0.12	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 56

**Q13. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving social mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 203 19%	29 17%	27 15%	20 16%	42 21%	46 26%aBcFgh	20 16%	20 17%	11 15%
4	(4) 441 40%	68 40%	63 37%	51 42%	87 42%	71 39%	54 42%	48 40%	30 41%
3	(3) 307 28%	44 26%	56 32%	29 24%	55 27%	45 25%	40 31%	37 31%	21 29%
2	(2) 49 4%	10 6%	6 4%	7 5%	8 4%	7 4%	4 3%	8 6%	6 9%
No impact	(1) 17 2%	3 2%	2 1%	3 2%	3 1%	3 1%	1 1%	3 3%	1 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	644 59%	97 57%	90 52%	70 58%	129 63%B	117 65%B	73 57%	68 57%	41 56%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	66 6%	13 7%	9 5%	9 8%	11 5%	9 5%	5 4%	11 9%	8 11%f
Don't know	77 7%	15 9%G	18 11%DEG	12 10%deG	10 5%	8 5%	9 7%	3 3%	3 4%
Mean	3.75	3.72	3.69	3.71	3.81	3.89BGH	3.74	3.64	3.61
Standard deviation	0.89	0.91	0.86	0.92	0.87	0.90	0.80	0.94	0.94
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 57

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table**

		Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)
Unweighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
Weighted base		1094	1094	1094	1094	1094	1094
A high impact	(5)	254 23%	249 23%	268 24%	189 17%	299 27%	264 24%
4	(4)	408 37%	427 39%	393 36%	344 31%	418 38%	396 36%
3	(3)	262 24%	261 24%	269 25%	358 33%	242 22%	282 26%
2	(2)	70 6%	55 5%	67 6%	89 8%	42 4%	50 5%
No impact	(1)	12 1%	13 1%	12 1%	26 2%	13 1%	13 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		661 60%	676 62%	660 60%	533 49%	716 65%	660 60%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		82 8%	68 6%	79 7%	115 10%	55 5%	63 6%
Don't know		88 8%	90 8%	85 8%	88 8%	80 7%	89 8%
Mean		3.82	3.84	3.83	3.58	3.93	3.84
Standard deviation		0.93	0.90	0.94	0.98	0.90	0.92
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS						Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	716 65%	388 67%	328 64%	86 64%	155 62%	158 63%	175 67%	109 71% <sup>d</sup>	33 79% <sup>cDE</sup>	86 64%	155 62%	235 63%	207 70% <sup>JK</sup>	33 79% <sup>iJK</sup>	196 65%	215 65%	181 70% <sup>q</sup>	124 61%	411 65%	305 66%	164 68%	552 65%	644 66%	70 68%	
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	676 62%	349 60%	327 64%	81 60%	153 61%	143 57%	164 62%	101 66%	34 82% <sup>G</sup>	81 60%	153 61%	215 58%	194 66% <sup>K</sup>	34 82% <sup>IJKL</sup>	192 63%	197 60%	168 65%	118 58%	390 62%	286 62%	152 63%	524 61%	603 61%	70 68%	
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	661 60%	340 58%	321 63%	72 53%	140 56%	159 64% <sup>cd</sup>	164 62%	95 61%	31 75% <sup>CDfg</sup>	72 53%	140 56%	228 61%	189 64% <sup>lj</sup>	31 75% <sup>lJK</sup>	184 60%	202 61%	153 59%	122 61%	386 61%	276 60%	149 62%	512 60%	591 60%	67 65%	
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	660 60%	342 59%	318 62%	83 62%	138 55%	150 60%	171 65% <sup>D</sup>	90 58%	28 68%	83 62%	138 55%	223 60%	187 63% <sup>j</sup>	28 68%	185 61%	194 59%	168 65% <sup>q</sup>	114 56%	379 60%	282 61%	152 63%	508 60%	591 60%	67 65%	
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	660 60%	344 59%	316 62%	86 64%	154 62%	148 59%	152 58%	91 59%	28 68%	86 64%	154 62%	214 58%	177 60%	28 68%	182 60%	202 61%	155 60%	121 60%	384 61%	276 60%	149 62%	511 60%	589 60%	68 66%	
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	533 49%	271 47%	262 51%	71 53%	117 47%	118 47%	126 48%	76 49%	25 59%	71 53%	117 47%	173 47%	147 50%	25 59%	146 48%	157 48%	134 52%	95 47%	303 48%	229 50%	122 50%	411 48%	475 48%	55 53%	
None of these	193 18%	99 17%	94 18%	19 14%	46 18%	50 20%	47 18%	25 16%	6 14%	19 14%	46 18%	74 20%	49 16%	6 14%	44 15%	59 18%	50 20%	40 20%	103 16%	90 20%	38 16%	155 18%	169 17%	18 17%	

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	716 65%	625 66%b	54 58%	25 58%	81 68%lL	59 65%	52 56%	57 72%bFL	37 72%bFL	79 73%BFL	111 70%BFL	109 68%lL	52 54%	219 63%	226 68%	271 65%	716 65%	536 67%r	180 61%	169 73%U	535 65%	482 70%W	218 63%	340 78%Y	67 60%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	676 62%	588 62%	57 61%	27 64%	73 62%	54 60%	55 58%	52 65%	31 60%	70 64%	105 66%	98 61%	54 56%	212 62%	208 62%	256 62%	676 62%	504 63%	172 58%	154 67%	509 62%	457 66%W	201 59%	324 75%Y	71 63%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	661 60%	580 61%	51 55%	28 65%	81 68%BL	52 58%	54 57%	48 60%	30 59%	72 66%bl	102 64%l	93 58%	50 52%	212 61%	204 61%	245 59%	661 60%	489 61%	172 59%	151 65%	500 61%	451 66%W	190 55%	323 74%Y	66 58%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	660 60%	588 62%B	45 48%	27 63%	79 66%Bh	50 55%	57 60%b	53 66%B	27 53%	62 58%	103 65%Bh	103 64%B	54 56%	201 58%	199 60%	260 63%	660 60%	492 62%	169 57%	149 65%	501 61%	440 64%w	201 58%	318 73%Y	68 60%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	660 60%	579 61%B	47 50%	20 48%	77 65%Bc	51 57%	56 59%	51 63%b	34 66%bc	68 63%b	102 64%Bc	103 64%Bc	52 54%	195 57%	209 62%	256 62%	660 60%	496 62%r	164 56%	159 69%U	490 59%	449 65%W	191 56%	323 74%Y	61 55%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	533 49%	472 50%b	38 41%	21 49%	68 57%Bf	45 50%	43 45%	36 44%	23 44%	52 48%	83 52%b	76 47%	49 51%	172 50%	153 46%	207 50%	533 49%	392 49%	140 48%	118 51%	405 49%	368 54%W	146 42%	274 63%Y	49 44%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

Base: All working adults

Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)

	Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humber-side (e)	West Mid-lands (f)	East Mid-lands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
None of these	193	163	20	7	16	19	19	12	10	14	31	23	22	62	56	76	193	130	63	30	143	95	65	28	18
	18%	17%	22% <sup>d</sup>	17%	13%	21%	21%	15%	19%	13%	19%	14%	23% <sup>d</sup>	18%	17%	18%	18%	16%	21% <sup>q</sup>	13%	17%	14%	19% <sup>V</sup>	6%	16% <sup>X</sup>

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufacturing/ Construction (a)	Motor trades/ Wholesale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Property/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	716 65%	108 64%	102 59%	76 62%	141 69%b	129 72%Bc	82 64%	79 66%	49 68%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	676 62%	102 60%	92 54%	72 60%	125 61%	129 72%ABCD	79 62%	76 63%	50 69%B
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	661 60%	101 60%b	85 49%	81 67%Bg	126 61%B	121 68%BG	81 64%B	66 55%	48 66%B
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	660 60%	98 58%	98 57%	69 57%	125 61%	126 70%ABCDfG	78 63%	67 56%	50 69%bg
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	660 60%	88 52%	100 58%	69 57%	132 64%A	122 69%ABCG	81 64%a	67 56%	43 58%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	533 49%	80 48%	80 47%	59 49%	95 46%	102 57%abDf	58 46%	58 49%	42 58%d

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
None of these	193 18%	34 20%e	40 23%e	21 18%	34 17%	23 13%	22 17%	18 15%	10 13%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 59

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	115 10%	75 13%B	40 8%	10 7%	30 12%	22 9%	31 12%	17 11%	4 10%	10 7%	30 12%	40 11%	31 10%	4 10%	36 12%q	42 13%q	22 9%	14 7%	78 12%S	37 8%	24 10%	91 11%	104 11%W	4 4%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	82 8%	48 8%	34 7%	15 11%gH	23 9%H	18 7%h	19 7%h	7 5%	-	15 11%kM	23 9%M	24 6%m	21 7%m	-	24 8%	22 7%	20 8%	16 8%	46 7%	36 8%	12 5%	70 8%t	74 8%	5 5%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	79 7%	46 8%	33 6%	8 6%	22 9%	14 5%	18 7%	15 10%	2 4%	8 6%	22 9%	22 6%	25 9%	2 4%	22 7%	22 7%	19 8%	15 7%	44 7%	34 7%	13 5%	66 8%	71 7%	4 3%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	68 6%	44 8%B	23 5%	11 8%h	19 8%h	12 5%	19 7%h	7 4%	-	11 8%m	19 8%m	20 5%	18 6%m	-	22 7%	23 7%	11 4%	12 6%	45 7%	23 5%	13 6%	54 6%	58 6%	7 6%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	63 6%	34 6%	29 6%	8 6%	12 5%	16 6%	16 6%	10 6%	2 5%	8 6%	12 5%	23 6%	19 6%	2 5%	21 7%	19 6%	13 5%	10 5%	40 6%	24 5%	13 5%	51 6%	57 6%	4 4%
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	55 5%	26 5%	29 6%	7 5%	14 6%	13 5%	13 5%	7 5%	1 2%	7 5%	14 6%	20 5%	14 5%	1 2%	14 5%	15 5%	12 5%	14 7%	29 5%	26 6%	9 4%	46 5%	46 5%	7 6%
None of these	855 78%	437 75%	419 82%A	100 75%	184 73%	201 80%d	215 82%D	121 78%	35 84%	100 75%	184 73%	298 80%J	238 81%J	35 84%	229 76%	251 76%	209 81%	166 82%	480 76%	375 81%R	196 81%	659 77%	768 78%	83 81%

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 59

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

Base: All working adults

Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	115 10%	97 10%	14 15%ef	3 6%	15 12%	7 8%	7 7%	8 11%	4 7%	12 11%	16 10%	17 11%	12 12%	38 11%	32 9%	45 11%	115 10%	80 10%	35 12%	26 11%	88 11%	59 9%	53 15%V	26 6%	21 18%X
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	82 8%	74 8%	5 6%	3 6%	10 8%	7 8%	5 5%	6 7%	3 6%	10 10%	11 7%	13 8%	10 10%	25 7%	24 7%	34 8%	82 8%	64 8%	18 6%	12 5%	67 8%	47 7%	33 10%	20 5%	14 12%X
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	79 7%	68 7%	7 8%	3 6%	11 9%g	5 6%	6 6%	2 3%	3 6%	11 10%g	9 6%	7 5%	14 15%efGJK	26 8%	22 7%	31 7%	79 7%	55 7%	24 8%	12 5%	63 8%	45 7%	32 9%	21 5%	13 12%X
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	68 6%	58 6%	7 7%	3 6%	9 8%	3 4%	4 4%	3 3%	3 6%	8 7%	14 9%e	9 6%	6 6%	22 6%	17 5%	29 7%	68 6%	49 6%	18 6%	8 4%	57 7%t	30 4%	35 10%V	11 2%	11 9%X
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	63 6%	55 6%	7 8%	3 7%	9 8%	6 6%	5 5%	3 4%	1 3%	5 4%	7 4%	6 4%	11 11%ghiJK	25 7%n	14 4%	24 6%	63 6%	49 6%	14 5%	11 5%	50 6%	36 5%	25 7%	17 4%	12 11%X
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	55 5%	50 5%h	5 5%hK	3 8%HK	10 8%HK	5 6%hK	4 4%K	2 3%	-	6 5%hK	8 5%hK	1 1%	11 11%fGHJK	23 7%n	12 4%	20 5%	55 5%	39 5%	16 6%	7 3%	46 6%	30 4%	24 7%v	13 3%	11 10%X

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 59

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Base: All working adults

Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing	Work-ing full time	Work-ing part time	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
																	(p)	(q)	(r)						
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
None of these	855	743	68	37	90	73	78	64	44	88	120	125	69	267	273	315	855	622	233	184	641	546	255	364	73
	78%	78%	73%	86%l	75%	81%	82%l	81%	85%bl	81%	76%	78%	72%	77%	82%o	76%	78%	78%	79%	80%	78%	79%w	74%	84%Y	65%

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## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

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**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)**

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
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**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

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Base: All working adults

Summary table - NET: No impact (1 + 2)

	Sector								
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
None of these	855	134	134	95	152	143	105	93	58
	78%	79%	78%	79%	74%	80%	82% <sup>d</sup>	78%	79%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h

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### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 60

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**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

		Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade							Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)	
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113	
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103	
A high impact	(5)	254 23%	122 21%	132 26% <sup>a</sup>	30 23%	57 23%	60 24%	64 24%	28 18%	15 37% <sup>cDef</sup>	30 23%	57 23%	83 22%	69 23%	15 37% <sup>iJKI</sup>	67 22%	76 23%	60 23%	51 25%	143 23%	110 24%	54 22%	200 23%	225 23%	27 26%	
4	(4)	408 37%	219 38%	189 37%	41 31%	84 33%	99 40% <sup>c</sup>	100 38%	67 43% <sup>Cd</sup>	16 38%	41 31%	84 33%	146 39% <sup>ei</sup>	120 41% <sup>ij</sup>	16 38%	116 38%	126 38%	94 36%	72 35%	242 38%	165 36%	96 40%	312 37%	366 37%	40 39%	
		262 24%	151 26%	111 22%	36 27%	67 27% <sup>e</sup>	49 20%	61 23%	26 26%	22 22%	9 27%	36 27%	67 27%	87 23%	63 21%	9 22%	78 26%	83 25%	59 23%	43 21%	161 25%	102 22%	64 27%	198 23%	234 24%	26 25%
2	(2)	70 6%	42 7%	28 5%	13 10% <sup>H</sup>	18 7% <sup>h</sup>	16 6% <sup>h</sup>	15 6%	7 5%	- -	13 10% <sup>kM</sup>	18 7% <sup>m</sup>	19 5%	20 7% <sup>m</sup>	- -	20 7%	18 6%	19 7%	12 6%	38 6%	32 7%	11 4%	59 7%	63 6%	5 5%	
No impact	(1)	12 1%	5 1%	7 1%	2 1%	4 2%	3 1%	- 1%	- -	- -	2 1%	4 2%	5 1%	1 *	- -	4 1%	4 1%	1 *	3 2%	7 1%	5 1%	1 *	11 1%	11 1%	- -	
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		661 60%	340 58%	321 63%	72 53%	140 56%	159 64% <sup>cd</sup>	164 62%	95 61%	31 75% <sup>CDfg</sup>	72 53%	140 56%	228 61%	189 64% <sup>lj</sup>	31 75% <sup>lJK</sup>	184 60%	202 61%	153 59%	122 61%	386 61%	276 60%	149 62%	512 60%	591 60%	67 65%	
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		82 8%	48 8%	34 7%	15 11% <sup>gH</sup>	23 9% <sup>H</sup>	18 7% <sup>h</sup>	19 7% <sup>h</sup>	7 5%	- -	15 11% <sup>kM</sup>	23 9% <sup>M</sup>	24 6% <sup>m</sup>	21 7% <sup>m</sup>	- -	24 8%	22 7%	20 8%	16 8%	46 7%	36 8%	12 5%	70 8% <sup>t</sup>	74 8%	5 5%	
Don't know		88 8%	43 7%	45 9%	12 9%	20 8%	23 9%	20 8%	12 8%	1 3%	12 9%	20 8%	33 9%	22 7%	1 3%	18 6%	23 7%	26 10% <sup>n</sup>	21 10% <sup>n</sup>	41 7%	47 10% <sup>R</sup>	16 7%	72 8%	82 8%	5 5%	
Mean		3.82	3.76	3.88 <sup>A</sup>	3.70	3.74	3.87	3.84	3.81	4.16 <sup>CDe</sup>	3.70	3.74	3.83	3.86	4.16 <sup>IJK</sup>	3.78	3.82	3.82	3.85	3.80	3.83	3.84	3.81	3.81	3.91	
										FG				L												
Standard deviation		0.93	0.92	0.94	1.01	0.98	0.92	0.93	0.81	0.77	1.01	0.98	0.91	0.89	0.77	0.93	0.91	0.93	0.97	0.92	0.95	0.86	0.95	0.93	0.86	
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.12	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08	

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 60

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

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**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	254 23%	226 24%	17 19%	8 18%	32 27%e	14 16%	21 22%	22 27%e	10 20%	25 23%	46 29%bE	35 22%	23 24%	71 21%	78 23%	104 25%	254 23%	187 23%	67 23%	61 26%	190 23%	174 25%	74 22%	131 30%Y	23 21%
4	(4)	408 37%	354 37%	34 36%	20 47%l	49 41%l	38 42%l	33 35%	26 33%	20 39%	47 43%L	56 35%	58 36%	27 28%	140 41%o	126 38%	141 34%	408 37%	302 38%	105 36%	90 39%	310 38%	278 40%w	116 34%	192 44%	43 38%
3	(3)	262 24%	225 24%	27 29%cDi	6 15%	20 17%	23 26%	27 29%D	21 26%	11 21%	21 19%	35 22%	44 27%d	28 29%d	77 22%	79 24%	107 26%	262 24%	190 24%	73 25%	52 23%	198 24%	156 23%	93 27%	78 18%	30 27%X
2	(2)	70 6%	63 7%	4 4%	1 3%	10 8%	6 7%	4 4%	6 7%	3 6%	6 5%	10 6%	13 8%	8 6%	21 6%	18 5%	31 8%	70 6%	55 7%	15 5%	11 5%	56 7%	41 6%	27 8%	18 4%	12 10%X
No impact	(1)	12 1%	10 1%	2 2%k	1 3%k	-	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	5 4%DgJK	1 *	-	2 2%k	4 1%	6 2%	3 1%	12 1%	10 1%	3 1%	1 *	11 1%	6 1%	6 2%	2 1%	2 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		661 60%	580 61%	51 55%	28 65%	81 68%BL	52 58%	54 57%	48 60%	30 59%	72 66%bl	102 64%l	93 58%	50 52%	212 61%	204 61%	245 59%	661 60%	489 61%	172 59%	151 65%	500 61%	451 66%w	190 55%	323 74%Y	66 58%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		82 8%	74 8%	5 6%	3 6%	10 8%	7 8%	5 5%	6 7%	3 6%	10 10%	11 7%	13 8%	10 10%	25 7%	24 7%	34 8%	82 8%	64 8%	18 6%	12 5%	67 8%	47 7%	33 10%	20 5%	14 12%X
Don't know		88 8%	71 7%	10 10%	6 14%	8 7%	8 9%	9 9%	5 7%	8 15%AdjK	6 5%	11 7%	10 6%	9 9%	31 9%	27 8%	29 7%	88 8%	57 7%	32 11%q	16 7%	61 7%	33 5%	27 8%v	12 3%	3 3%
Mean		3.82	3.82	3.73	3.87	3.93e	3.72	3.81	3.87	3.85	3.80	3.92e	3.77	3.70	3.81	3.83	3.81	3.82	3.81	3.83	3.92u	3.80	3.87W	3.71	4.02Y	3.67
Standard deviation		0.93	0.94	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.88	0.91	0.93	0.86	1.02	0.93	0.91	1.03	0.90	0.94	0.95	0.93	0.94	0.91	0.88	0.94	0.91	0.98	0.85	0.99
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.16	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.11	0.07	0.08	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 60

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 254 23%	34 20%	41 24%	21 17%	53 26% <sup>c</sup>	46 26% <sup>c</sup>	26 20%	32 27% <sup>c</sup>	17 23%
4	(4) 408 37%	67 40% <sup>BG</sup>	44 25%	60 49% <sup>BDG</sup>	73 36% <sup>B</sup>	75 42% <sup>BG</sup>	55 43% <sup>BG</sup>	33 28%	31 43% <sup>BG</sup>
3	(3) 262 24%	35 21%	54 31% <sup>ACEFH</sup>	24 20%	50 25%	33 19%	27 21%	39 32% <sup>ACEFH</sup>	13 17%
2	(2) 70 6%	15 9% <sup>cf</sup>	12 7%	5 4%	15 7%	13 7%	5 4%	6 5%	8 11% <sup>cf</sup>
No impact	(1) 12 1%	2 1%	3 2% <sup>e</sup>	1 1%	3 2% <sup>e</sup>	-	2 1%	1 1%	-
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	661 60%	101 60% <sup>b</sup>	85 49%	81 67% <sup>Bg</sup>	126 61% <sup>B</sup>	121 68% <sup>BG</sup>	81 64% <sup>B</sup>	66 55%	48 66% <sup>B</sup>
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	82 8%	17 10% <sup>c</sup>	15 9%	5 4%	18 9%	13 7%	7 5%	7 6%	8 11%
Don't know	88 8%	15 9%	19 11% <sup>d</sup>	11 9%	11 5%	11 6%	13 10% <sup>d</sup>	8 7%	4 6%
Mean	3.82	3.75	3.71	3.87	3.81	3.93 <sup>B</sup>	3.86	3.81	3.83
Standard deviation	0.93	0.96	1.01	0.79	0.98	0.88	0.87	0.95	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 61

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

		Gender			Age					Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity		
		Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base		1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base		1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5)	249 23%	114 20%	135 26%A	33 25%	59 24%e	44 18%	62 23%	31 20%	19 46%G	33 25%k	59 24%K	63 17%	74 25%K	19 46%IJKL	67 22%	76 23%	62 24%	44 22%	142 22%	106 23%	55 23%	194 23%	221 22%	26 25%
4	(4)	427 39%	235 40%	192 38%	48 35%	93 37%	99 40%	102 39%	70 46%c	15 35%	48 35%	93 37%	152 41%	120 40%	15 35%	126 41%	122 37%	106 41%	74 37%	247 39%	180 39%	97 40%	330 39%	382 39%	44 43%
3	(3)	261 24%	146 25%	115 22%	32 23%	59 24%	69 28%H	61 23%	34 22%	5 13%	32 23%	59 24%	103 28%LM	61 21%	5 13%	72 24%	85 26%	55 21%	48 24%	158 25%	103 22%	59 24%	202 24%	236 24%	22 21%
2	(2)	55 5%	40 7%B	15 3%	10 7%h	17 7%eh	9 3%	13 5%	7 4%	- -	10 7%km	17 7%Km	11 3%	17 6%k	- -	18 6%	20 6%	10 4%	7 4%	38 6%	17 4%	12 5%	43 5%	46 5%	7 6%
No impact	(1)	13 1%	4 1%	9 2%	1 1%	2 1%	4 1%	6 2%g	- -	- -	1 1%	2 1%	9 2%L	1 *	- -	3 1%	4 1%	1 *	5 2%	7 1%	6 1%	2 1%	11 1%	12 1%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		676 62%	349 60%	327 64%	81 60%	153 61%	143 57%	164 62%	101 66%	34 82%G	81 60%	153 61%	215 58%	194 66%K	34 82%IJKL	192 63%	197 60%	168 65%	118 58%	390 62%	286 62%	152 63%	524 61%	603 61%	70 68%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		68 6%	44 8%B	23 5%	11 8%h	19 8%h	12 5%	19 7%h	7 4%	- -	11 8%lm	19 8%lm	20 5%	18 6%lm	- -	22 7%	23 7%	11 4%	12 6%	45 7%	23 5%	13 6%	54 6%	58 6%	7 6%
Don't know		90 8%	43 7%	47 9%	11 8%	20 8%	25 10%	19 7%	12 8%	2 5%	11 8%	20 8%	34 9%	22 8%	2 5%	17 6%	24 7%	24 9%	24 12%No	41 6%	49 11%R	17 7%	73 9%	84 9%	4 4%
Mean		3.84	3.77	3.92A	3.83	3.83	3.76	3.82	3.89	4.35CDEFG	3.83	3.83	3.74	3.91K	4.35IJKL	3.82	3.80	3.93	3.82	3.81	3.88	3.85	3.84	3.84	3.91
Standard deviation		0.90	0.89	0.91	0.94	0.93	0.87	0.96	0.80	0.72	0.94	0.93	0.89	0.88	0.72	0.90	0.92	0.84	0.94	0.91	0.89	0.88	0.91	0.90	0.87
Standard error		0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.11	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 61

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

		Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East of London (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Working (p)	Working full time (q)	Working part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Recommend (v)	Not Recommend (w)	Helpful (x)	Not Helpful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	249 23%	217 23%	21 23%	6 15%	27 23%	21 23%	16 17%	19 24%	10 20%	22 20%	45 28% <sup>c</sup> F	38 24%	23 24%	75 22%	68 20%	106 25%	249 23%	188 24%	60 20%	55 24%	193 23%	169 25%	76 22%	127 29% <sup>Y</sup>	22 19%
4	(4)	427 39%	370 39%	36 39%	21 50% <sup>l</sup>	47 39%	33 37%	39 41%	32 40%	21 41%	48 44% <sup>l</sup>	59 37%	60 38%	31 32%	137 40%	140 42%	150 36%	427 39%	316 39%	112 38%	99 43%	317 38%	288 42%	125 36%	196 45%	49 43%
3	(3)	261 24%	232 24%	19 20%	5 13%	27 23%	23 25%	27 28% <sup>c</sup> j	21 27%	10 19%	28 25%	29 18%	43 27% <sup>c</sup> j	29 30% <sup>c</sup> J	74 22%	86 26%	101 24%	261 24%	190 24%	70 24%	53 23%	198 24%	167 24%	79 23%	88 20%	29 26%
2	(2)	55 5%	48 5%	4 4%	3 6%	9 8% <sup>f</sup> g	3 4%	2 2%	1 2%	3 6%	4 4%	13 9% <sup>F</sup> gl	9 6%	3 3%	19 6%	11 3%	25 6% <sup>n</sup>	55 5%	43 5%	12 4%	6 3%	47 6% <sup>t</sup>	25 4%	28 8% <sup>V</sup>	8 2%	9 8% <sup>X</sup>
No impact	(1)	13 1%	10 1%	2 3% <sup>d</sup> eK	-	-	-	2 2% <sup>k</sup>	1 1%	-	3 3% <sup>d</sup> eK	1 *	-	3 3% <sup>d</sup> eijK	2 1%	6 2%	4 1%	13 1%	6 1%	2 2% <sup>q</sup>	2 1%	10 1%	5 1%	8 2% <sup>v</sup>	3 1%	1 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		676 62%	588 62%	57 61%	27 64%	73 62%	54 60%	55 58%	52 65%	31 60%	70 64%	105 66%	98 61%	54 56%	212 62%	208 62%	256 62%	676 62%	504 63%	172 58%	154 67%	509 62%	457 66% <sup>W</sup>	201 59%	324 75% <sup>Y</sup>	71 63%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		68 6%	58 6%	7 7%	3 6%	9 8%	3 4%	4 4%	3 3%	3 6%	8 7%	14 9% <sup>e</sup>	9 6%	6 6%	22 6%	17 5%	29 7%	68 6%	49 6%	18 6%	8 4%	57 7% <sup>t</sup>	30 4%	35 10% <sup>V</sup>	11 2%	11 9% <sup>X</sup>
Don't know		90 8%	72 8%	11 11% <sup>l</sup>	7 17% <sup>g</sup> ljk	9 8%	9 10% <sup>l</sup>	9 9% <sup>i</sup>	4 5%	7 14% <sup>a</sup> gijk	3 3%	11 7%	10 6%	8 9%	36 11% <sup>o</sup>	24 7%	29 7%	90 8%	56 7%	34 11% <sup>p</sup> Q	16 7%	62 7%	34 5%	29 8% <sup>V</sup>	11 3%	2 2%
Mean		3.84	3.84	3.84	3.88	3.83	3.89	3.77	3.89	3.86	3.77	3.91	3.84	3.77	3.85	3.81	3.85	3.84	3.86	3.79	3.92	3.83	3.90 <sup>W</sup>	3.74	4.03 <sup>Y</sup>	3.73
Standard deviation		0.90	0.90	0.97	0.79	0.90	0.84	0.86	0.87	0.86	0.93	0.95	0.87	0.99	0.89	0.88	0.93	0.90	0.89	0.93	0.84	0.92	0.85	1.00	0.80	0.91
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.14	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.12	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.04	0.08

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 61

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri- culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 249 23%	35 21%	31 18%	20 17%	54 26%bc	46 26%bc	30 24%	32 27%bc	19 26%
4	(4) 427 39%	67 40%	61 36%	52 43%	71 35%	84 47%BDg	48 38%	44 37%	31 43%
3	(3) 261 24%	41 24%e	48 28%E	34 28%E	54 26%E	29 16%	27 21%	28 23%	16 22%
2	(2) 55 5%	7 4%	8 5%	4 3%	11 6%	10 6%	6 5%	8 6%	1 2%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	1 1%	4 2%E	1 1%	3 2%e	- -	1 1%	2 2%e	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	676 62%	102 60%	92 54%	72 60%	125 61%	129 72%ABCD	79 62%	76 63%	50 69%B
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	68 6%	8 5%	13 7%	5 4%	15 7%	10 6%	7 6%	10 8%h	1 2%
Don't know	90 8%	17 10%	19 11%deg	10 8%	12 6%	10 6%	15 11%deg	6 5%	5 7%
Mean	3.84	3.84	3.70	3.78	3.83	3.98BC	3.90b	3.85	3.99B
Standard deviation	0.90	0.87	0.95	0.81	0.96	0.83	0.89	0.98	0.78
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 62

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 268 24%	130 22%	138 27% <sup>a</sup>	34 25%	64 26%	55 22%	60 23%	40 26%	14 34% <sup>e</sup>	34 25%	64 26%	84 22%	72 24%	14 34% <sup>k</sup>	74 24%	77 23%	72 28%	45 22%	151 24%	117 25%	60 25%	207 24%	240 24%	27 27%
4	(4) 393 36%	213 37%	180 35%	50 37%	74 29%	94 38% <sup>D</sup>	111 42% <sup>Dg</sup>	50 33%	14 34%	50 37%	74 29%	140 38% <sup>J</sup>	115 39% <sup>J</sup>	14 34%	111 37%	117 36%	96 37%	69 34%	228 36%	165 36%	92 38%	301 35%	350 36%	40 39%
3	(3) 269 25%	149 26%	120 24%	34 25%	71 28% <sup>F</sup>	62 25%	53 20%	39 25%	11 25%	34 25%	71 28% <sup>L</sup>	93 25%	61 21%	11 25%	80 26% <sup>P</sup>	91 28% <sup>P</sup>	48 18%	50 25%	171 27% <sup>S</sup>	98 21%	61 25%	209 24%	239 24%	27 26%
2	(2) 67 6%	39 7%	29 6%	6 5%	21 9% <sup>e</sup>	12 5%	13 5%	12 8%	2 4%	6 5%	21 9% <sup>K</sup>	16 4%	21 7%	2 4%	19 6%	19 6%	17 7%	12 6%	38 6%	29 6%	10 4%	57 7%	60 6%	4 3%
No impact	(1) 12 1%	7 1%	5 1%	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	5 2%	3 2%	-	1 1%	1 *	5 1%	4 1%	-	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	3 1%	7 1%	5 1%	3 1%	9 1%	11 1%	-
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	660 60%	342 59%	318 62%	83 62%	138 55%	150 60%	171 65% <sup>D</sup>	90 58%	28 68%	83 62%	138 55%	223 60%	187 63% <sup>j</sup>	28 68%	185 61%	194 59%	168 65% <sup>q</sup>	114 56%	379 60%	282 61%	152 63%	508 60%	591 60%	67 65%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	79 7%	46 8%	33 6%	8 6%	22 9%	14 5%	18 7%	15 10%	2 4%	8 6%	22 9%	22 6%	25 9%	2 4%	22 7%	22 7%	19 8%	15 7%	44 7%	34 7%	13 5%	66 8%	71 7%	4 3%
Don't know	85 8%	45 8%	41 8%	10 7%	19 8%	24 10%	21 8%	10 6%	1 3%	10 7%	19 8%	34 9%	21 7%	1 3%	16 5%	23 7%	23 9%	23 11% <sup>No</sup>	39 6%	46 10% <sup>R</sup>	16 7%	69 8%	80 8%	5 5%
Mean	3.83	3.78	3.89 <sup>a</sup>	3.86	3.78	3.84	3.86	3.77	4.00	3.86	3.78	3.83	3.84	4.00	3.81	3.80	3.93	3.79	3.80	3.87	3.88	3.82	3.83	3.93
Standard deviation	0.94	0.94	0.93	0.91	0.97	0.88	0.92	1.02	0.90	0.91	0.97	0.91	0.95	0.90	0.93	0.92	0.94	0.95	0.93	0.95	0.90	0.95	0.94	0.84
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.09	0.14	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 62

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

Base: All working adults

Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	268 24%	230 24%	19 21%	11 25%	32 27%	18 20%	20 21%	21 27%	18 35%aBEf 19%	21 19%	43 27%	43 27%	21 22%	81 23%	80 24%	107 26%	268 24%	207 26%r	61 21%	63 27%	201 24%	187 27%w	77 22%	137 32%Y	23 21%
4	(4)	393 36%	358 38%BH	26 28%	16 38%H	47 39%bH	32 35%H	37 39%bH	32 39%H	9 17%	42 38%H	60 38%bH	60 37%H	33 34%H	120 35%	119 36%	153 37%	393 36%	285 36%	107 37%	86 37%	299 36%	253 37%	124 36%	181 42%	44 39%
3	(3)	269 25%	223 23%	33 35%ACDf JKL	7 17%	21 18%	25 28%d	22 24%	21 26%	14 27%	31 29%d	34 22%	41 25%	20 21%	87 25%	88 26%	95 23%	269 25%	197 25%	73 25%	55 24%	202 25%	171 25%	80 23%	80 19%	29 26% x
2	(2)	67 6%	60 6%	4 5%	3 6%	11 9%g	4 5%	6 6%	2 3%	3 6%	8 7%	8 5%	7 5%	10 11%gk	22 6%	19 6%	26 6%	67 6%	47 6%	21 7%	10 5%	53 6%	42 6%	23 7%	17 4%	13 11% X
No impact	(1)	12 1%	9 1%	3 3%ADfJK	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	3 3%dK	1 *	- -	4 4%DfgJK	4 1%	3 1%	4 1%	12 1%	9 1%	3 1%	2 1%	10 1%	3 *	8 2%V	4 1%	1 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		660 60%	588 62%B	45 48%	27 63%	79 66%Bh	50 55%	57 60%b	53 66%B	27 53%	62 58%	103 65%Bh	103 64%B	54 56%	201 58%	199 60%	260 63%	660 60%	492 62%	169 57%	149 65%	501 61%	440 64%w	201 58%	318 73%Y	68 60%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		79 7%	68 7%	7 8%	3 6%	11 9%g	5 6%	6 6%	2 3%	3 6%	11 10%g	9 6%	7 5%	14 15%EfGJK	26 8%	22 7%	31 7%	79 7%	55 7%	24 8%	12 5%	63 8%	45 7%	32 9%	21 5%	13 12% X
Don't know		85 8%	70 7%	8 9%	6 14%l	8 7%	10 11%l	9 9%i	4 5%	8 15%AdgIK	3 3%	12 8%	9 6%	9 9%	32 9%	24 7%	30 7%	85 8%	56 7%	30 10%q	15 6%	59 7%	31 5%	31 9%V	14 3%	3 3%
Mean		3.83	3.84B	3.63	3.96	3.90Bil	3.78	3.83	3.95Bil	3.96bi	3.66	3.93BIL	3.92Bil	3.65	3.80	3.82	3.86	3.83	3.85	3.77	3.92	3.82	3.88w	3.76	4.03Y	3.70
Standard deviation		0.94	0.92	1.01	0.89	0.94	0.90	0.87	0.82	1.02	0.98	0.89	0.87	1.10	0.94	0.93	0.94	0.94	0.93	0.93	0.90	0.94	0.91	0.99	0.87	0.96
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.10	0.16	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.14	0.10	0.07	0.08	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.09

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 62

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/ Manufac- turing/ Construc- tion (a)	Motor trades/ Whole- sale/ Retail (b)	Transport & storage/ Accommo- dation & food services (c)	IT & comms/ Finance/ Prop- erty/ Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/ Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construc- tion (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 268 24%	36 21%	37 21%	20 16%	57 28%C	55 31%ABC	32 25%c	31 26%c	17 23%
4	(4) 393 36%	62 37%	61 36%	50 41%g	67 33%	71 39%	46 36%	36 30%	33 46%dG
3	(3) 269 25%	39 23%	46 27%eh	27 22%	50 24%	33 19%	32 25%	41 34%AcdeH	11 15%
2	(2) 67 6%	14 8%	8 5%	7 6%	17 8%	10 6%	6 5%	5 4%	8 11%bfg
No impact	(1) 12 1%	3 2%e	2 1%	4 3%Eg	2 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	660 60%	98 58%	98 57%	69 57%	125 61%	126 70%ABCDfG	78 61%	67 56%	50 69%bg
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	79 7%	17 10%g	10 6%	11 9%	20 10%g	10 6%	7 5%	5 4%	8 11%g
Don't know	85 8%	15 9%	18 10%de	14 11%de	11 5%	10 5%	11 9%	7 6%	3 4%
Mean	3.83	3.74	3.79	3.69	3.82	4.01ABCdg	3.88	3.82	3.84
Standard deviation	0.94	0.98	0.91	0.97	1.00	0.88	0.90	0.89	0.93
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 63

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 189 17%	97 17%	92 18%	30 22%e	44 17%	36 14%	46 17%	23 15%	11 25%e	30 22%k	44 17%	57 15%	47 16%	11 25%k	48 16%	53 16%	51 20%	37 18%	100 16%	88 19%	39 16%	149 18%	167 17%	20 20%
4	(4) 344 31%	174 30%	170 33%	41 30%	73 29%	83 33%	80 30%	53 35%	14 34%	41 30%	73 29%	116 31%	100 34%	14 34%	98 32%	105 32%	83 32%	58 28%	203 32%	141 31%	83 34%	261 31%	307 31%	34 33%
3	(3) 358 33%	191 33%	168 33%	44 33%	84 34%	84 34%	86 33%	50 32%	11 26%	44 33%	84 34%	124 33%	95 32%	11 26%	103 34%	105 32%	79 31%	71 35%	208 33%	150 33%	80 33%	279 33%	321 33%	37 36%
2	(2) 89 8%	59 10%B	30 6%	10 7%	23 9%	17 7%	22 8%	13 9%	4 10%	10 7%	23 9%	29 8%	23 8%	4 10%	28 9%	30 9%	18 7%	13 7%	58 9%	31 7%	18 8%	71 8%	80 8%w	3 3%
No impact	(1) 26 2%	16 3%	10 2%	- -	8 3%C	6 2%c	9 3%C	4 2%c	- -	- -	8 3%l	11 3%i	8 3%i	- -	9 3%q	12 4%Q	4 2%	1 1%	20 3%S	6 1%	6 2%	20 2%	24 2%	1 1%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	533 49%	271 47%	262 51%	71 53%	117 47%	118 47%	126 48%	76 49%	25 59%	71 53%	117 47%	173 47%	147 50%	25 59%	146 48%	157 48%	134 52%	95 47%	303 48%	229 50%	122 50%	411 48%	475 48%	55 53%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	115 10%	75 13%B	40 8%	10 7%	30 12%	22 9%	31 12%	17 11%	4 10%	10 7%	30 12%	40 11%	31 10%	4 10%	36 12%q	42 13%q	22 9%	14 7%	78 12%S	37 8%	24 10%	91 11%	104 11%W	4 4%
Don't know	88 8%	46 8%	43 8%	10 7%	20 8%	25 10%	21 8%	11 7%	2 5%	10 7%	20 8%	35 9%	22 7%	2 5%	18 6%	25 8%	22 9%	22 11%n	44 7%	45 10%	16 7%	72 8%	81 8%	7 7%
Mean	3.58	3.52	3.65A	3.73d	3.53	3.56	3.55	3.55	3.79	3.73jk	3.53	3.53	3.57	3.79	3.52	3.51	3.67no	3.65	3.52	3.66R	3.58	3.58	3.57	3.73
Standard deviation	0.98	1.01	0.94	0.92	1.01	0.93	1.01	0.95	0.96	0.92	1.01	0.98	0.96	0.96	0.98	1.01	0.96	0.91	1.00	0.94	0.96	0.98	0.98	0.87
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.15	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.15	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 63

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Midlands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	189 17%	164 17%	16 17%	7 17%	28 23%k	16 18%	13 14%	12 15%	8 16%	20 19%	29 18%	22 14%	16 17%	67 19%	54 16%	68 16%	189 17%	147 18%r	41 14%	37 16%	150 18%	127 18%	58 17%	108 25%Y	14 13%
4	(4)	344 31%	307 32%b	22 24%	14 32%	41 34%	29 32%	29 31%	23 29%	14 28%	32 30%	54 34%b	53 33%	32 34%	105 30%	99 30%	139 34%	344 31%	245 31%	99 34%	82 35%	255 31%	242 35%W	87 25%	166 38%	35 31%
3	(3)	358 33%	309 33%	31 33%	12 28%	28 24%	29 33%	35 37%D	32 40%D	18 36%d	39 36%d	48 30%	57 36%D	28 29%	101 29%	124 37%M	133 32%	358 33%	269 34%	90 30%	71 31%	271 33%	228 33%	115 33%	124 29%	41 36%
2	(2)	89 8%	79 8%h	9 10%eH	3 6%	15 12%EH	3 4%	7 7%	5 6%	1 1%	9 9%h	13 8%h	15 9%h	8 8%h	30 9%	22 7%	36 9%	89 8%	62 8%	27 9%	18 8%	70 8%	45 7%	42 12%V	19 4%	18 16%X
No impact	(1)	26 2%	18 2%	5 5%ADfjk	-	-	3 4%DF	-	3 4%Df	3 6%ADfjk	3 3%cd	2 2%	2 1%	4 4%Df	8 2%	9 3%	9 2%	26 2%	18 2%	8 3%	8 3%	18 2%	14 2%	11 3%	8 2%	3 3%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		533 49%	472 50%b	38 41%	21 49%	68 57%Bf	45 50%	43 45%	36 44%	23 44%	52 48%	83 52%b	76 47%	49 51%	172 50%	153 46%	207 50%	533 49%	392 49%	140 48%	118 51%	405 49%	368 54%W	146 42%	274 63%Y	49 44%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		115 10%	97 10%	14 15%ef	3 6%	15 12%	7 8%	7 7%	8 11%	4 7%	12 11%	16 10%	17 11%	12 12%	38 11%	32 9%	45 11%	115 10%	80 10%	35 12%	26 11%	88 11%	59 9%	53 15%V	26 6%	21 18%X
Don't know		88 8%	72 8%	10 10%i	7 17%dglijk	8 7%	9 10%	10 10%i	4 5%	7 13%i	4 4%	12 8%	10 6%	7 8%	34 10%	25 7%	30 7%	88 8%	58 7%	30 10%	16 7%	61 7%	32 5%	30 9%V	9 2%	2 2%
Mean		3.58	3.59b	3.42	3.72	3.73B	3.63	3.58	3.47	3.55	3.55	3.64b	3.53	3.55	3.62	3.54	3.58	3.58	3.60	3.52	3.56	3.59	3.64W	3.45	3.82Y	3.36
Standard deviation		0.98	0.96	1.10	0.88	0.98	0.99	0.86	0.99	1.04	1.00	0.96	0.91	1.04	1.01	0.96	0.96	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.98	0.94	1.05	0.92	0.99
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.11	0.16	0.10	0.10	0.09	0.12	0.14	0.11	0.07	0.08	0.11	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 63

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 189 17%	29 17%	27 15%	13 11%	40 19%C	34 19%c	24 19%c	21 18%	14 19%
4	(4) 344 31%	51 30%	54 31%	46 38%Df	55 27%	67 38%Df	35 27%	37 31%	29 39%df
3	(3) 358 33%	57 34%	55 32%	40 33%	67 33%	49 27%	46 36%	46 38%E	19 26%
2	(2) 89 8%	17 10%	12 7%	9 7%	21 10%	15 8%	9 7%	7 6%	8 11%
No impact	(1) 26 2%	- -	7 4%A	4 3%A	9 4%Ah	3 2%	2 1%	2 2%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	533 49%	80 48%	80 47%	59 49%	95 46%	102 57%abDf	58 46%	58 49%	42 58%d
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	115 10%	17 10%	19 11%	12 10%	30 15%fg	17 10%	10 8%	9 7%	8 11%
Don't know	88 8%	15 9%	19 11%	10 8%	14 7%	11 6%	13 10%	7 6%	3 4%
Mean	3.58	3.61	3.53	3.51	3.50	3.69d	3.61	3.61	3.69
Standard deviation	0.98	0.92	1.01	0.92	1.08	0.95	0.95	0.92	0.92
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.12

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 64

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 299 27%	153 26%	146 28%	40 29%	75 30%	61 25%	67 25%	40 26%	16 38%ef	40 29%	75 30%k	89 24%	79 27%	16 38%k	77 25%	91 28%	67 26%	64 32%	168 26%	131 28%	61 25%	238 28%	267 27%	31 30%
4	(4) 418 38%	236 40%	182 36%	46 34%	79 32%	97 39%	108 41%D	70 45%CD	17 42%	46 34%	79 32%	146 39%j	128 43%iJ	17 42%	120 39%Q	124 38%q	114 44%Q	60 30%	244 38%	174 38%	103 43%	315 37%	377 38%	39 38%
3	(3) 242 22%	128 22%	115 22%	32 24%	63 25%	56 23%	57 21%	29 19%	6 14%	32 24%	63 25%l	86 23%	55 19%	6 14%	77 25%P	79 24%P	42 16%	44 22%	156 25%S	86 19%	55 23%	187 22%	217 22%	22 22%
2	(2) 42 4%	22 4%	21 4%	6 5%	12 5%	10 4%	8 3%	5 3%	1 2%	6 5%	12 5%	12 3%	11 4%	1 2%	11 4%	12 4%	11 4%	9 5%	22 4%	20 4%	6 3%	36 4%	34 3%	7 6%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	5 1%	8 2%	1 1%	2 1%	3 1%	5 2%	2 1%	-	1 1%	2 1%	8 2%	2 1%	-	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	5 2%p	7 1%	6 1%	2 1%	10 1%	12 1%	-
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	716 65%	388 67%	328 64%	86 64%	155 62%	158 63%	175 67%	109 71%cd	33 79%cdE	86 64%	155 62%	235 63%	207 70%JK	33 79%iJK	196 65%	215 65%	181 70%q	124 61%	411 65%	305 66%	164 68%	552 65%	644 66%	70 68%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	55 5%	26 5%	29 6%	7 5%	14 6%	13 5%	13 5%	7 5%	1 2%	7 5%	14 6%	20 5%	14 5%	1 2%	14 5%	15 5%	12 5%	14 7%	29 5%	26 6%	9 4%	46 5%	46 5%	7 6%
Don't know	80 7%	39 7%	41 8%	10 7%	18 7%	23 9%	19 7%	9 6%	2 5%	10 7%	18 7%	31 8%	19 7%	2 5%	16 5%	21 6%	23 9%	20 10%n	37 6%	43 9%R	13 6%	67 8%	75 8%	4 4%
Mean	3.93	3.94	3.93	3.94	3.92	3.89	3.92	3.96	4.21dEf	3.94	3.92	3.87	3.98	4.21jK	3.89	3.93	4.00	3.92	3.91	3.97	3.94	3.93	3.94	3.95
Standard deviation	0.90	0.87	0.94	0.91	0.94	0.90	0.90	0.87	0.78	0.91	0.94	0.92	0.85	0.78	0.88	0.89	0.83	1.02	0.89	0.92	0.85	0.92	0.89	0.90
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.12	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.09

**Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 64

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

		Region															Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall		
		Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base		1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base		1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5)	299 27%	256 27%	21 22%	7 16%	31 26%	23 26%	19 20%	19 24%	21 42% ABCD EFGIL	31 29%	54 34% BCFI	49 31% cf	23 24%	82 24%	91 27%	126 30% M	299 27%	228 29%	70 24%	64 28%	231 28%	202 29%	89 26%	156 36% Y	23 21%
4	(4)	418 38%	369 39%	33 35%	18 42%	50 42% l	36 40%	33 35%	38 48% hjL	16 31%	48 45% hl	56 35%	60 37%	29 30%	137 40%	136 41%	145 35%	418 38%	308 39%	110 37%	105 46% U	304 37%	280 41%	129 37%	184 43%	44 39%
3	(3)	242 22%	210 22%	24 26% dhj	10 23%	20 17%	18 20%	29 31% DeHi J	16 20%	8 15%	20 19%	28 18%	42 26% dhj	26 27% dhj	73 21%	73 22%	97 23%	242 22%	174 22%	68 23%	42 18%	189 23%	147 21%	78 23%	71 16%	32 29% X
2	(2)	42 4%	39 4%	3 4% k	3 8% HK	9 7% HiK	4 4% k	3 3%	2 3%	-	2 2%	8 5% hK	1 1%	7 8% HiK	19 6% N	7 2%	16 4%	42 4%	31 4%	12 4%	6 3%	34 4%	26 4%	16 5%	10 2%	8 7% X
No impact	(1)	13 1%	11 1%	2 2%	-	1 1%	2 2% k	1 1%	-	-	3 3% jK	1 *	-	3 4% jK	4 1%	4 1%	4 1%	13 1%	8 1%	5 2%	1 *	12 1%	4 1%	8 2% V	2 1%	3 2% x
NET: High impact (4 + 5)		716 65%	625 66% b	54 58%	25 58%	81 68% l	59 65%	52 56%	57 72% bFL	37 72% bFL	79 73% BFL	111 70% BFL	109 68% l	52 54%	219 63%	226 68%	271 65%	716 65%	536 67% r	180 61%	169 73% U	535 65%	482 70% W	218 63%	340 78% Y	67 60%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)		55 5%	50 5% h	5 5% hK	3 8% HK	10 8% HK	5 6% hK	4 4% K	2 3%	-	6 5% hK	8 5% hK	1 1%	11 11% fGHJK	23 7% n	12 4%	20 5%	55 5%	39 5%	16 6%	7 3%	46 6%	30 4%	24 7% v	13 3%	11 10% X
Don't know		80 7%	64 7%	10 11% lk	5 11%	8 7%	8 9%	9 9% i	4 5%	7 13% alk	3 3%	11 7%	8 5%	7 8%	30 9%	23 7%	27 6%	80 7%	51 6%	29 10% Q	12 5%	56 7%	29 4%	25 7% v	10 2%	2 2%
Mean		3.93	3.93	3.82	3.74	3.92	3.92	3.77	3.99l	4.31ABC DEFGHJK L	3.96l	4.06BcF L	4.03bcF L	3.68	3.87	3.97	3.96	3.93	3.96	3.87	4.03	3.92	3.99W	3.87	4.13Y	3.70
Standard deviation		0.90	0.90	0.92	0.86	0.92	0.92	0.88	0.77	0.75	0.93	0.90	0.79	1.07	0.91	0.87	0.91	0.90	0.89	0.92	0.80	0.93	0.86	0.96	0.82	0.97
Standard error		0.03	0.03	0.09	0.15	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.09

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y**

**\* small base; \*\* very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 64

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)**

		Sector							
	Total	Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 299 27%	35 21%	46 27%	26 21%	72 35%AbCf	56 31%gH	33 26%	30 25%	13 18%
4	(4) 418 38%	73 43%bd	57 33%	50 41%	69 33%	72 41%	49 38%	49 41%	36 50%BD
3	(3) 242 22%	37 22%	43 25%	25 21%	45 22%	35 19%	29 23%	28 23%	16 22%
2	(2) 42 4%	8 5%	8 4%	7 5%	6 3%	4 2%	3 3%	7 6%	3 4%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	1 1%	2 1%	4 3%	3 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	716 65%	108 64%	102 59%	76 62%	141 69%b	129 72%Bc	82 64%	79 66%	49 68%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	55 5%	9 5%	10 6%	10 8%Ef	9 4%	5 3%	4 3%	8 7%	3 4%
Don't know	80 7%	15 9%	17 10%dg	10 8%	11 5%	10 6%	12 9%g	5 4%	4 6%
Mean	3.93	3.86	3.88	3.79	4.04aC	4.06AbCg	3.96	3.87	3.86
Standard deviation	0.90	0.86	0.93	0.98	0.93	0.83	0.85	0.91	0.77
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.10

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 65

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)**

	Gender			Age						Age ONS					Social Grade						Employment Sector		Ethnicity	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-24 (i)	25-34 (j)	35-49 (k)	50-64 (l)	65+ (m)	AB (n)	C1 (o)	C2 (p)	DE (q)	ABC1 (r)	C2DE (s)	Public (t)	Private (u)	White (v)	BAME (w)
Unweighted base	1094	590	504	125	270	260	254	141	44	125	270	385	270	44	334	365	222	173	699	395	244	850	971	113
Weighted base	1094	582	512	135	250	250	264	154	42*	135	250	372	295	42*	304	330	258	202	633	461	241	853	981	103
A high impact	(5) 264 24%	134 23%	130 25%	38 28% <sup>f</sup>	68 27% <sup>f</sup>	55 22%	52 20%	34 22%	17 40% <sup>d</sup>	38 28% <sup>k</sup>	68 27% <sup>K</sup>	74 20%	67 23%	17 40% <sup>ij</sup>	67 22%	76 23%	67 26%	54 27%	143 23%	121 26%	60 25%	204 24%	232 24%	29 29%
4	(4) 396 36%	210 36%	186 36%	47 35%	87 35%	93 37%	100 38%	57 37%	12 29%	47 35%	87 35%	140 38%	110 37%	12 29%	115 38%	126 38%	88 34%	67 33%	241 38%	155 34%	89 37%	307 36%	356 36%	38 37%
3	(3) 282 26%	163 28% <sup>b</sup>	120 23%	32 24%	66 26%	60 24%	74 28%	42 27%	8 19%	32 24%	66 26%	100 27%	76 26%	8 19%	83 27%	86 26%	66 26%	48 24%	169 27%	114 25%	64 26%	219 26%	252 26%	27 26%
2	(2) 50 5%	29 5%	21 4%	7 5%	11 4%	12 5%	11 4%	7 4%	2 5%	7 5%	11 4%	14 4%	16 5%	2 5%	17 6%	17 5%	11 4%	5 3%	34 5%	16 4%	10 4%	40 5%	44 5%	4 4%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	5 1%	8 2%	1 1%	1 *	4 1%	5 2%	3 2%	- -	1 1%	1 *	8 2% <sup>j</sup>	3 1%	- -	4 1%	2 1%	2 1%	5 2% <sup>o</sup>	6 1%	7 2%	2 1%	11 1%	12 1%	- -
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	660 60%	344 59%	316 62%	86 64%	154 62%	148 59%	152 58%	91 59%	28 68%	86 64%	154 62%	214 58%	177 60%	28 68%	182 60%	202 61%	155 60%	121 60%	384 61%	276 60%	149 62%	511 60%	589 60%	68 66%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	63 6%	34 6%	29 6%	8 6%	12 5%	16 6%	16 6%	10 6%	2 5%	8 6%	12 5%	23 6%	19 6%	2 5%	21 7%	19 6%	13 5%	10 5%	40 6%	24 5%	13 5%	51 6%	57 6%	4 4%
Don't know	89 8%	42 7%	47 9%	8 6%	18 7%	26 10%	21 8%	12 8%	3 8%	8 6%	18 7%	35 9%	23 8%	3 8%	18 6%	23 7%	24 9%	23 12% <sup>No</sup>	41 6%	48 10% <sup>R</sup>	16 7%	72 9%	84 9%	4 4%
Mean	3.84	3.81	3.88	3.91	3.90 <sup>f</sup>	3.82	3.76	3.79	4.12 <sup>e</sup>	FG 3.91	3.90 <sup>k</sup>	3.76	3.82	4.12 <sup>KL</sup>	3.78	3.84	3.88	3.89	3.81	3.89	3.86	3.84	3.84	3.95
Standard deviation	0.92	0.90	0.93	0.92	0.89	0.92	0.91	0.93	0.92	0.92	0.89	0.93	0.91	0.92	0.92	0.88	0.91	0.96	0.90	0.94	0.90	0.92	0.91	0.86
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.08

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k/l/m - n/o/p/q - r/s - t/u - v/w**

**\* small base**



## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 65

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.

Base: All working adults

Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)

	Region																Which of the following best describes your current working status?			Membership of a professional body		Recommend career overall		Construction's role in helping those less well-off career overall	
	Total	England (a)	Scotland (b)	North East (c)	North West (d)	Yorkshire & Humberside (e)	West Midlands (f)	East Midlands (g)	Wales (h)	East-ern (i)	London (j)	South East (k)	South West (l)	North (m)	Mid-lands (n)	South (o)	NET: Work-ing (p)	Work-ing full time (q)	Work-ing part time (r)	Yes (t)	No (u)	Rec-ommend (v)	Not Rec-ommend (w)	Help-ful (x)	Not Help-ful (y)
Unweighted base	1094	922	110	36	114	107	99	70	62	94	180	133	89	367	325	402	1094	781	313	234	820	689	342	431	118
Weighted base	1094	949	93	43*	119	90	94*	80*	51*	108*	159	160	96*	345	334	415	1094	800	294	231	826	688	344	434	113
A high impact	(5) 264 24%	235 25%B	12 13%	5 11%	27 22%b	21 23%b	19 20%	20 25%bc	16 32%BC	25 23%b	50 31%BCdf	48 30%BC	21 22%	64 19%	80 24% m	119 29%M	264 24%	201 25%	63 21%	67 29%u	193 23%	172 25%	88 26%	142 33%Y	23 21%
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3	(3) 282 26%	244 26%	29 31%Dh	14 32%	22 19%	24 27%	24 25%	22 28%	9 17%	32 29% d	39 24%	42 26%	25 26%	90 26%	87 26%	106 26%	282 26%	199 25%	84 28%	44 19%	226 27%T	171 25%	96 28%	80 18%	37 33%X
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No impact	(1) 13 1%	12 1%	1 1%	-	1 1%	2 3%K	1 1%	-	-	3 2% k	1 *	-	5 5% bdgJK	4 1%	4 1%	5 1%	13 1%	9 1%	4 1%	2 1%	12 1%	6 1%	6 2%	2 1%	3 2% x
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	660 60%	579 61%B	47 50%	20 48%	77 65%Bc	51 57%	56 59%	51 63% b	34 66% bc	68 63% b	102 64%Bc	103 64%Bc	52 54%	195 57%	209 62%	256 62%	660 60%	496 62% r	164 56%	159 69%U	490 59%	449 65%W	191 56%	323 74%Y	61 55%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	63 6%	55 6%	7 8%	3 7%	9 8%	6 6%	5 5%	3 4%	1 3%	5 4%	7 4%	6 4%	11 11% ghiJK	25 7% n	14 4%	24 6%	63 6%	49 6%	14 5%	11 5%	50 6%	36 5%	25 7%	17 4%	12 11%X
Don't know	89 8%	71 8%	10 11% i	6 14% i	10 9%	9 10% i	10 10% i	4 5%	7 14% aglK	3 3%	12 7%	9 6%	8 9%	35 10%	25 7%	29 7%	89 8%	56 7%	32 11%Q	17 7%	60 7%	31 4%	31 9%V	14 3%	2 2%
Mean	3.84	3.85B	3.61	3.60	3.86b	3.78	3.82	3.89B	4.10aBC EfiL	3.82 L	3.98BCe	3.96BCL	3.65	3.74	3.88m	3.90M	3.84	3.86	3.79	4.00U	3.81	3.88	3.79	4.06Y	3.63
Standard deviation	0.92	0.92	0.87	0.81	0.91	0.98	0.88	0.85	0.84	0.90	0.90	0.88	1.09	0.91	0.88	0.95	0.92	0.92	0.90	0.88	0.92	0.88	0.99	0.85	0.99
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.09	0.15	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.12	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.12	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.04	0.09

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - a/h - b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l - m/n/o - p/q/r/s - t/u - v/w - x/y

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## Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults

### ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016

Absolutes/col percents

Table 65

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

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**Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)**

	Total	Sector							
		Agri-culture forestry & fishing/Manufacturing/Construction (a)	Motor trades/Wholesale/Retail (b)	Transport & storage/Accommodation & food services (c)	IT & comms/Finance/Property/Prof, sci & tech (d)	Business admin/Public admin & def/ Arts & ent (e)	Education (f)	Health (g)	Construction (h)
Unweighted base	1094	155	167	117	217	188	134	116	66
Weighted base	1094	169	172	121	205	179	128	119	73*
A high impact	(5) 264 24%	30 18%	46 27%ah	24 20%	57 28%AH	48 27%AH	30 24%	28 24%	10 14%
4	(4) 396 36%	58 35%	54 31%	46 38%	74 36%	74 41%B	51 40%	39 32%	32 45%b
3	(3) 282 26%	53 31%def	47 27%	31 25%	46 23%	40 23%	28 22%	38 31%df	20 28%
2	(2) 50 5%	8 5%	7 4%	8 6%e	12 6%	4 2%	5 4%	7 6%	5 7%
No impact	(1) 13 1%	3 2%	1 1%	4 3%	3 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 2%
NET: High impact (4 + 5)	660 60%	88 52%	100 58%	69 57%	132 64%A	122 69%ABCG	81 64%a	67 56%	43 58%
NET: No impact (1 + 2)	63 6%	11 6%	8 4%	11 9%E	14 7%e	5 3%	6 4%	8 7%	6 8%e
Don't know	89 8%	17 10%	18 11%	10 8%	13 6%	10 6%	13 10%	6 5%	4 6%
Mean	3.84	3.69	3.89ah	3.70	3.89ah	3.98ACgH	3.92Ach	3.76	3.66
Standard deviation	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.99	0.95	0.83	0.86	0.94	0.88
Standard error	0.03	0.08	0.07	0.10	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.09	0.11

**Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h**

**\* small base**

## **Social Mobility Survey - Working Adults**

### **ONLINE Fieldwork: 17th-18th August 2016**

Absolutes/col percents

Table 66

**Q14. To what extent, if at all, do you think each of the following have an impact on improving economic mobility and equal opportunities for all?**

**Please answer on a scale from 1-5, where 1 = no impact and 5 = a high impact.**

**Base: All working adults**

**Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)**

Q13. Summary table - NET: High impact (4 + 5)								
	Total	Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	None of these
Unweighted base	1094	715	700	694	689	643	582	144
Weighted base	1094	718	704	698	691	644	586	144
Better transport network (e.g. for commuting and getting around in general)	716 65%	569 79%	610 87%	555 79%	552 80%	543 84%	470 80%	10 7%
Better housing (e.g. greater choice and quality of housing)	676 62%	551 77%	533 76%	532 76%	572 83%	497 77%	466 80%	10 7%
Better neighbourhoods and communities (e.g. places that are safe to walk in and have welcoming, integrated communities)	661 60%	565 79%	525 75%	528 76%	523 76%	490 76%	455 78%	9 7%
Better school buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	660 60%	530 74%	518 74%	567 81%	525 76%	483 75%	463 79%	14 10%
Better connections within cities (e.g. being able to access and walk to different areas)	660 60%	527 73%	556 79%	521 75%	511 74%	527 82%	434 74%	8 5%
Better hospital buildings (e.g. better facilities and equipment)	533 49%	448 62%	425 60%	448 64%	440 64%	407 63%	443 76%	9 6%
None of these	193 18%	45 6%	34 5%	36 5%	30 4%	31 5%	29 5%	120 84%