

ONWARD – OFFENDERS EMPLOYMENT RESEARCH – MARCH 2019

Methodology: ComRes surveyed 2,033 GB adults between 15th and 17th March 2019. Data were weighted to be representative of age, gender, region, social grade and voting intention. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Summary**Base: All respondents**

	Purpose of prison				
	To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	To deter offenders from offending again	To keep the public safe	To punish offenders for crimes	In the interest of justice
Unweighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
Weighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
Most important	268 13%	170 8%	736 36%	650 32%	125 6%
Second most important	246 12%	455 22%	534 26%	498 25%	214 11%
Third most important	347 17%	568 28%	343 17%	281 14%	409 20%
Fourth most important	424 21%	534 26%	227 11%	240 12%	523 26%
Least important	663 33%	221 11%	108 5%	279 14%	677 33%
No answer	85 4%	85 4%	85 4%	85 4%	85 4%
Mean	3.50	3.09	2.20	2.49	3.73
Standard deviation	1.42	1.14	1.22	1.42	1.22
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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Table 2

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Most important

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
To keep the public safe	736 36%	344 35%	392 38%	79 35%	136 39%	135 41%Gh	126 35%	98 33%	162 35%	215 37%	261 38%	260 34%	184 33%	201 35%	156 38%	194 39%l	102 35%	322 36%
To punish offenders for crimes	650 32%	320 32%	330 32%	52 23%	95 27%	92 28%	136 38%CDE	111 37%CDE	165 35%CDe	147 25%	228 33%l	275 36%l	158 28%	170 30%	156 38%LM	166 34%l	87 30%	275 31%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	268 13%	132 13%	136 13%	43 19%eFgh	51 14%f	40 12%	34 9%	39 13%	61 13%	94 16%J	74 11%	100 13%	84 15%NO	94 16%NO	38 9%	52 10%	33 11%	115 13%
To deter offenders from offending again	170 8%	88 9%	82 8%	14 6%	16 4%	28 9%D	37 10%D	31 10%D	43 9%D	30 5%	65 9%l	74 10%l	57 10%	50 9%	28 7%	35 7%	25 9%	71 8%
In the interest of justice	125 6%	69 7%	56 5%	17 8%	30 8%f	19 6%	17 5%	15 5%	28 6%	47 8%jk	35 5%	43 6%	44 8%N	35 6%	15 4%	31 6%	31 11%Q	48 5%

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

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Table 3

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Most important

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
To keep the public safe	736 36%	68 39%	32 32%	635 36%	30 35%	84 36%	63 37%	72 40%	60 40%	62 32%	88 32%	108 38%	68 38%
To punish offenders for crimes	650 32%	49 27%	37 37%	564 32%	29 34%	80 34%	55 32%	56 31%	42 28%	68 35%	82 30%	86 30%	65 36%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	268 13%	27 15%	11 11%	230 13%	7 8%	25 11%	21 12%	24 14%	23 15%	31 16%	41 15%	35 12%	24 13%
To deter offenders from offending again	170 8%	11 6%	12 11% ^f	147 8%	5 6%	13 6%	18 11% ^f	12 7%	8 6%	17 8%	28 10%	32 11% ^{Fi}	13 7%
In the interest of justice	125 6%	16 9% ^{gIM}	8 8%	101 6%	4 5%	21 9% ^{GIM}	6 3%	8 4%	7 5%	13 6%	23 9% ^{gIM}	13 5%	6 3%

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Most important

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	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
To keep the public safe	736 36%	241 35%	230 35%	34 35%	27 38%	1 10%	53 36%	118 41%	161 34%	173 36%	36 39%	32 34%	25 35%	2 18%	17 36%	35 39%	8 33%	69 35%	322 34%	283 37%	336 38%	308 35%
To punish offenders for crimes	650 32%	272 40%BCG	175 27%	23 24%	20 29%	6 42%	51 35%b	80 28%	187 39%lJIN	129 27%J	15 16%	30 32%J	20 27%	5 40%	9 19%	38 41%lJN	10 39%	71 35%iJN	384 40%S	186 24%	213 24%	348 39%T
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	268 13%	66 10%	114 17%Ag	21 21%AfG	9 12%	-	17 11%	35 12%	41 9%	81 17%Hq	25 27%hIOQ	17 18%H	11 15%	2 14%	12 24%HOQ	9 10%	2 7%	22 11%	78 8%	147 19%R	166 19%U	80 9%
To deter offenders from offending again	170 8%	65 9%	50 8%	10 10%	5 8%	2 12%	16 11%	18 6%	50 10%i	33 7%	10 11%	8 8%	7 9%	1 6%	5 11%	5 5%	4 16%	19 9%	89 9%	55 7%	67 7%	84 9%
In the interest of justice	125 6%	32 5%	56 8%AG	7 7%	8 11%ag	3 20%	6 4%	13 4%	26 5%	40 8%O	7 8%o	4 5%	8 12%hOq	1 6%	4 9%o	1 1%	1 6%	9 4%	50 5%	64 8%R	71 8%U	47 5%

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

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Table 5

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

2nd most important

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
To keep the public safe	534 26%	251 25%	283 27%	58 26%	90 26%	83 25%	97 27%	86 29%	120 26%	148 26%	180 26%	206 27%	143 26%	157 27%	108 26%	126 25%	81 28%	219 25%
To punish offenders for crimes	498 25%	233 23%	265 25%	35 15%	96 27% ^C	78 24% ^C	97 27% ^C	73 24% ^C	120 26% ^C	131 23%	175 26%	193 25%	125 22%	132 23%	107 26%	134 27% ^l	68 24%	223 25%
To deter offenders from offending again	455 22%	255 26% ^B	201 19%	40 18%	73 21%	72 22%	79 22%	73 24%	117 25% ^c	114 20%	151 22%	191 25% ⁱ	131 24%	135 24%	86 21%	104 21%	52 18%	203 23%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	246 12%	108 11%	138 13%	40 18% ^{DfgH}	32 9%	49 15% ^{Dh}	43 12%	33 11%	48 10%	72 12%	92 13%	81 11%	78 14%	71 12%	45 11%	52 11%	46 16%	103 12%
In the interest of justice	214 11%	104 10%	110 11%	33 15% ^{fg}	36 10%	32 10%	32 9%	27 9%	53 11%	69 12%	64 9%	81 10%	50 9%	56 10%	46 11%	62 12%	30 10%	83 9%

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Table 6

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

2nd most important

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
To keep the public safe	534 26%	39 22%	35 35% ^{dAefhl}	460 26%	19 22%	58 25% ^l	52 30% ^l	44 24% ⁱ	22 15%	60 31% ^{al}	80 29% ^l	77 27% ^l	49 27% ^l
To punish offenders for crimes	498 25%	51 29%	24 24%	423 24%	20 23%	52 22%	39 23%	46 25%	45 30% ^k	49 25%	60 22%	68 24%	45 25%
To deter offenders from offending again	455 22%	45 25%	22 22%	388 22%	18 21%	51 22%	34 20%	37 20%	39 26%	40 21%	65 24%	57 20%	48 26%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	246 12%	18 10%	13 13%	215 12%	7 9%	36 15% ^g	16 9%	17 9%	22 15%	28 14%	35 13%	36 13%	18 10%
In the interest of justice	214 11%	18 10%	4 4%	191 11% ^B	11 13% ^b	26 11% ^b	23 13% ^{Bj}	29 16% ^{BiJKm}	13 9%	14 7%	24 9%	35 12% ^B	16 9%

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Table 7

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2nd most important

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
To keep the public safe	534 26%	190 28%	176 27%	26 26%	15 21%	4 33%	36 24%	70 24%	137 29%	122 25%	22 24%	25 26%	15 21%	4 38%	14 29%	25 27%	14 52%	51 25%	275 29% _S	178 23%	224 25%	245 27%
To punish offenders for crimes	498 25%	174 25%	150 23%	19 19%	20 28%	5 37%	40 28%	73 25%	126 26% _J	106 22% _J	10 11%	27 28% _J	19 27% _J	2 16%	10 20%	26 28% _J	3 11%	51 25% _J	262 27% _S	161 21%	205 23%	242 27% _t
To deter offenders from offending again	455 22%	169 25% _b	132 20%	22 22%	16 23%	* 3%	37 25%	64 22%	111 23%	102 21%	31 33% _h 11% _{Kn}	18 19%	18 24%	* 3%	9 18%	23 25%	6 24%	48 24%	204 21%	183 24%	201 22%	205 23%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	246 12%	67 10%	94 14% _A	17 18% _A	11 15%	- -	16 11%	35 12%	46 10%	66 14% _h O	22 23% _H 12% _Q	12 12%	2 13%	8 16% _O	4 5%	1 6%	25 13% _o	79 8%	132 17% _R	133 15% _U	74 8%	
In the interest of justice	214 11%	74 11%	72 11%	12 13%	7 10%	2 12%	13 9%	22 8%	46 10%	60 13%	8 8%	11 11%	7 9%	2 13%	8 16%	11 12%	2 7%	16 8%	102 11%	83 11%	89 10%	101 11%

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Table 8

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

3rd most important

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
To deter offenders from offending again	568 28%	274 28%	294 28%	59 26%	98 28%	81 25%	102 28%	84 28%	144 31% ^e	157 27%	183 27%	228 30%	140 25%	157 27%	119 29%	153 31% ^l	81 28%	242 27%
In the interest of justice	409 20%	212 21%	197 19%	39 17%	70 20%	57 17%	91 25% ^{cEH}	67 22%	87 18%	108 19%	147 22%	153 20%	100 18%	126 22%	88 21%	95 19%	67 23%	168 19%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	347 17%	159 16%	188 18%	45 20% ^H	73 21% ^{gH}	68 21% ^{GH}	58 16%	42 14%	60 13%	117 20% ^K	127 19% ^K	103 13%	108 19%	89 16%	70 17%	80 16%	62 21%	161 18%
To keep the public safe	343 17%	174 18%	169 16%	30 13%	49 14%	49 15%	55 15%	61 20% ^{cd}	100 21% ^{CDEF}	79 14%	103 15%	161 21% ^{LJ}	99 18%	96 17%	69 17%	79 16%	38 13%	144 16%
To punish offenders for crimes	281 14%	133 13%	148 14%	34 15%	38 11%	58 18% ^{DF}	43 12%	40 13%	68 14%	72 12%	102 15%	107 14%	80 14%	83 14%	47 11%	72 14%	30 11%	116 13%

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3rd most important

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	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
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Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
To deter offenders from offending again	568 28%	53 30%	30 29%	486 28%	21 24%	64 27%	47 28%	54 30%	40 27%	69 35%ekIM	75 27%	76 27%	39 22%
In the interest of justice	409 20%	40 23%	27 27%dgjkl	342 19%	14 16%	51 22%	29 17%	42 23%	26 18%	32 17%	45 16%	53 19%	50 28%eGiJKL
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	347 17%	25 14%	16 16%	306 17%	18 21%	34 15%	31 18%	23 13%	25 17%	32 16%	62 22%aFH	52 18%	29 16%
To keep the public safe	343 17%	31 18%	16 16%	296 17%	13 15%	47 20%	25 15%	32 18%	27 18%	34 18%	41 15%	43 15%	34 19%
To punish offenders for crimes	281 14%	22 12%	11 11%	248 14%	11 13%	28 12%	31 18%	22 12%	21 14%	23 12%	40 15%	49 17%	24 13%

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	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
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In the interest of justice	409 20%	130 19%	144 22%	16 17%	18 25%	2 15%	29 20%	51 18%	93 19%	104 22%	20 22%	17 18%	19 26%	2 19%	11 22%	19 21%	7 27%	36 18%	193 20%	158 21%	184 21%	184 21%
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4th most important

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Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
To deter offenders from offending again	534 26%	235 24%	299 29%A	61 27%	101 29%	87 27%	97 27%	78 26%	110 23%	162 28%	184 27%	188 24%	137 25%	145 25%	123 30%	129 26%	75 26%	223 25%
In the interest of justice	523 26%	261 26%	262 25%	53 24%	86 24%	86 26%	90 25%	70 23%	137 29%g	139 24%	176 26%	207 27%	142 26%	135 24%	120 29%	124 25%	73 25%	225 26%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	424 21%	217 22%	207 20%	34 15%	64 18%	67 21%	87 24%Cd	68 23%c	105 22%C	97 17%	154 22%l	173 22%l	113 20%	123 22%	78 19%	110 22%	59 20%	179 20%
To punish offenders for crimes	240 12%	116 12%	125 12%	35 15%F	44 13%f	44 13%F	29 8%	38 13%f	50 11%	79 14%	73 11%	88 11%	69 12%n	80 14%N	32 8%	59 12%n	36 12%	105 12%
To keep the public safe	227 11%	123 12%	104 10%	24 11%	32 9%	30 9%	45 12%	39 13%	56 12%	56 10%	75 11%	96 12%	66 12%	67 12%	39 10%	55 11%	36 12%	100 11%

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

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Table 12

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

4th most important

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
To deter offenders from offending again	534 26%	37 21%	27 27%	470 27%	20 23%	65 28%	48 28%	50 28%	35 23%	49 25%	68 25%	78 28%	57 32%A
In the interest of justice	523 26%	44 25%	25 25%	453 26%	18 21%	57 24%	47 28%	51 28%	43 29% ^m	63 32% ^{eIM}	71 26%	68 24%	36 20%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	424 21%	48 27% ^{DHik}	25 24% ^{Hi}	351 20%	21 24% ^H	47 20% ^h	36 21% ^H	21 12%	22 15%	40 20% ^h	52 19% ^h	68 24% ^{Hi}	44 24% ^{Hi}
To punish offenders for crimes	240 12%	18 10%	9 9%	213 12%	8 9%	34 15%	19 11%	32 18% ^{abjLm}	16 11%	21 11%	35 13%	29 10%	19 11%
To keep the public safe	227 11%	24 14%	13 13%	190 11%	9 10%	20 9%	13 8%	18 10%	25 17% ^{FGj}	19 10%	36 13%	31 11%	19 11%

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

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Table 13

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

4th most important

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Un-likely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
To deter offenders from offending again	534 26%	168 25%	190 29%	23 23%	14 20%	5 41%	37 26%	75 26%	114 24%	135 28%	26 27%	28 30%	15 21%	3 28%	13 27%	22 24%	8 29%	61 30%	256 27%	201 26%	237 27%	229 26%
In the interest of justice	523 26%	195 28%B	152 23%	24 24%	17 23%	2 14%	48 33%B	73 25%	129 27%	115 24%	21 23%	24 25%	17 24%	4 31%	17 34%q	31 34%iQ	6 24%	42 21%	251 26%	189 25%	216 24%	239 27%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	424 21%	157 23%B	117 18%	21 22%	22 30%Bf	4 29%	27 18%	59 21%	120 25%l	80 17%	16 17%	22 23%	22 31%lj	2 19%	9 18%	18 20%	7 26%	39 20%	225 24%S	135 18%	169 19%	208 23%T
To punish offenders for crimes	240 12%	74 11%	88 13%	13 14%	7 10%	-	17 11%	35 12%	43 9%	69 14%HK	21 22%HiKLOQ	5 5%	5 7%	-	7 14%	8 9%	5 18%	22 11%	94 10%	106 14%R	122 14%u	93 10%
To keep the public safe	227 11%	81 12%g	79 12%g	15 15%g	10 13%	-	13 9%	22 8%	59 12%	57 12%	9 10%	13 13%	11 15%	1 5%	3 5%	8 9%	1 2%	26 13%	98 10%	105 14%R	108 12%	98 11%

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

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Table 14

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Least important

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
In the interest of justice	677 33%	306 31%	371 36%A	64 28%	106 30%	120 37%cd	119 33%	115 38%Cd	154 33%	170 29%	239 35%i	269 35%i	190 34%	198 35%	123 30%	166 34%	77 26%	306 35%P
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	663 33%	336 34%	327 31%	45 20%	108 31%C	89 27%c	127 35%CE	111 37%CE	184 39%CDE	153 26%	216 31%i	295 38%lJ	144 26%	173 30%	162 39%LM	184 37%LM	79 27%	273 31%
To punish offenders for crimes	279 14%	150 15%	129 12%	51 22%deFGH	54 15%	42 13%	43 12%	32 11%	56 12%	105 18%JK	85 12%	88 11%	95 17%no	86 15%O	50 12%	47 10%	56 19%Q	114 13%
To deter offenders from offending again	221 11%	100 10%	120 12%	32 14%h	39 11%	46 14%fgh	33 9%	27 9%	44 9%	71 12%	79 12%	71 9%	63 11%	65 11%	37 9%	56 11%	45 15%Q	92 10%
To keep the public safe	108 5%	59 6%	49 5%	15 7%g	20 6%	17 5%	26 7%G	9 3%	21 4%	35 6%k	43 6%K	29 4%	34 6%	30 5%	20 5%	24 5%	21 7%	46 5%

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

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Table 15

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Least important

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
In the interest of justice	677 33%	53 30%	35 34%h	590 34%	29 34%	68 29%	58 34%h	43 24%	51 34%h	69 35%h	99 36%h	106 37%h	68 38%h
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	663 33%	52 30%	35 35%	575 33%	23 27%	82 35%k	59 35%	86 48%Ab	48 EFGJKLM2%	60 31%	73 27%	82 29%	61 34%
To punish offenders for crimes	279 14%	32 18%deHi	18 18%eh	229 13%	7 9%	29 12%	20 12%	16 9%	16 11%	30 15%	46 17%h	42 15%	23 13%
To deter offenders from offending again	221 11%	26 14%j	8 8%	187 11%	12 14%	30 13%	16 9%	20 11%	19 13%	16 8%	27 10%	29 10%	19 10%
To keep the public safe	108 5%	8 5%	3 3%	97 6%	5 6%	14 6%	11 6%	7 4%	7 5%	15 8%m	17 6%	15 5%	5 3%

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

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Table 16

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

Least important

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
In the interest of justice	677 33%	245 36% ^b	201 31%	37 37%	20 28%	3 24%	46 31%	105 37% ^b	171 36% ^{iN}	137 29%	36 39% ^{iN}	36 37% ^N	20 27%	2 14%	8 17%	26 28%	9 36%	87 43% ^{ILNO}	326 34%	243 32%	292 33%	296 33%
To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences	663 33%	261 38% ^{BCDg}	186 28% ^C	17 17%	16 23%	7 52%	64 44% ^{BCDG}	89 31% ^C	174 36% ^{iJL}	136 28% ^J	12 13%	26 27% ^J	15 21%	4 30%	13 26% ^j	48 53% ^{HIJKL}	13 51%	68 34% ^{Jl}	399 42% ^S	169 22%	210 23%	374 42% ^T
To punish offenders for crimes	279 14%	67 10%	114 17% ^{AfG}	23 24% ^{AFG}	17 24% ^{AFG}	-	15 10%	32 11%	46 10%	79 17% ^{HOQ}	25 27% ^{HIOQ}	15 16% ^{hoQ}	23 31% ^{HIKOQ}	2 4%	17 35% ^{HIKOQ}	6 6%	2 9%	16 8%	70 7%	166 22% ^R	180 20% ^U	74 8%
To deter offenders from offending again	221 11%	71 10%	80 12% ^F	12 12% ^f	12 17% ^F	1 5%	8 6%	27 9%	55 12% ^Q	65 14% ^Q	10 11% ^q	10 10%	11 15% ^Q	3 22%	5 11%	6 7%	1 4%	10 5%	84 9%	107 14% ^R	116 13% ^U	83 9%
To keep the public safe	108 5%	32 5%	43 7%	7 7%	4 6%	* 3%	9 6%	11 4%	19 4%	39 8% ^{Ho}	10 10% ^{HO}	5 6%	3 4%	* 3%	4 8%	2 2%	-	10 5%	43 5%	51 7% ^r	55 6%	40 4%

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Table 17

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Employment Sector				
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
Most important	268 13%	132 13%	136 13%	43 19%eFgh	51 14%f	40 12%	34 9%	39 13%	61 13%	94 16%J	74 11%	100 13%	84 15%NO	94 16%NO	38 9%	52 10%	33 11%	115 13%
Second most important	246 12%	108 11%	138 13%	40 18%DfgH	32 9%	49 15%Dh	43 12%	33 11%	48 10%	72 12%	92 13%	81 11%	78 14%	71 12%	45 11%	52 11%	46 16%	103 12%
Third most important	347 17%	159 16%	188 18%	45 20%H	73 21%gH	68 21%GH	58 16%	42 14%	60 13%	117 20%K	127 19%K	103 13%	108 19%	89 16%	70 17%	80 16%	62 21%	161 18%
Fourth most important	424 21%	217 22%	207 20%	34 15%	64 18%	67 21%	87 24%Cd	68 23%c	105 22%C	97 17%	154 22%i	173 22%i	113 20%	123 22%	78 19%	110 22%	59 20%	179 20%
Least important	663 33%	336 34%	327 31%	45 20%	108 31%C	89 27%c	127 35%CE	111 37%CE	184 39%CDE	153 26%	216 31%i	295 38%lJ	144 26%	173 30%	162 39%LM	184 37%LM	79 27%	273 31%
No answer	85 4%	41 4%	44 4%	19 8%EFGH	25 7%eFGH	12 4%	11 3%	8 3%	11 2%	44 8%JK	23 3%	18 2%	28 5%	21 4%	20 5%	16 3%	12 4%	52 6%
Mean	3.50	3.54	3.45	2.98	3.45C	3.37C	3.66CdE	3.61Ce	3.66CdE	3.26	3.52i	3.64i	3.29	3.38	3.71LM	3.68LM	3.38	3.47
Standard deviation	1.42	1.42	1.42	1.44	1.43	1.37	1.33	1.42	1.43	1.45	1.36	1.43	1.42	1.47	1.36	1.36	1.36	1.41
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.08	0.05

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Table 18

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
Most important	268 13%	27 15%	11 11%	230 13%	7 8%	25 11%	21 12%	24 14%	23 15%	31 16%	41 15%	35 12%	24 13%
Second most important	246 12%	18 10%	13 13%	215 12%	7 9%	36 15%g	16 9%	17 9%	22 15%	28 14%	35 13%	36 13%	18 10%
Third most important	347 17%	25 14%	16 16%	306 17%	18 21%	34 15%	31 18%	23 13%	25 17%	32 16%	62 22%aFH	52 18%	29 16%
Fourth most important	424 21%	48 27%DHIk	25 24%Hi	351 20%	21 24%H	47 20%h	36 21%H	21 12%	22 15%	40 20%h	52 19%h	68 24%Hi	44 24%Hi
Least important	663 33%	52 30%	35 35%	575 33%	23 27%	82 35%k	59 35%	86 48%AbEFGIJKLM2%	48 5%	60 31%	73 27%	82 29%	61 34%
No answer	85 4%	6 3%	2 2%	77 4%	10 12%ABFGHJKLM 5%	11 5%	7 4%	9 5%	8 5%	5 2%	12 4%	11 4%	5 3%
Mean	3.50	3.48	3.61	3.49	3.60	3.56k	3.59k	3.74iJKI	3.36	3.38	3.32	3.46	3.57k
Standard deviation	1.42	1.42	1.37	1.42	1.27	1.41	1.40	1.50	1.49	1.46	1.41	1.37	1.40
Standard error	0.03	0.11	0.13	0.03	0.14	0.09	0.11	0.13	0.12	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.10

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

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Table 19

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To rehabilitate offenders to not commit further offences

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
Most important	268 13%	66 10%	114 17%Ag	21 21%AfG	9 12%	-	17 11%	35 12%	41 9%	81 17%Hq	25 27%HIQ	17 18%H	11 15%	2 14%	12 24%HOQ	9 10%	2 7%	22 11%	78 8%	147 19%R	166 19%U	80 9%
Second most important	246 12%	67 10%	94 14%A	17 18%A	11 15%	-	16 11%	35 12%	46 10%	66 14%hO	22 23%HIkOQ	12 12%o	12 16%O	2 13%	8 16%O	4 5%	1 6%	25 13%o	79 8%	132 17%R	133 15%U	74 8%
Third most important	347 17%	124 18%	114 17%	19 20%	11 16%	* 3%	19 13%	45 16%	84 18%o	93 19%O	18 20%o	15 16%	11 15%	1 7%	7 15%	9 9%	3 11%	35 18%	141 15%	153 20%R	174 19%U	131 15%
Fourth most important	424 21%	157 23%B	117 18%	21 22%	22 30%Bf	4 29%	27 18%	59 21%	120 25%l	80 17%	16 17%	22 23%	22 31%lj	2 19%	9 18%	18 20%	7 26%	39 20%	225 24%S	135 18%	169 19%	208 23%T
Least important	663 33%	261 38%BCDg	186 28%C	17 17%	16 23%	7 52%	64 44%BCDG	89 31%C	174 36%JL	136 28%J	12 13%	26 27%J	15 21%	4 30%	13 26%j	48 53%HIJKL	13 51%	68 34%Jl	399 42%S	169 22%	210 23%	374 42%T
No answer	85 4%	11 2%	33 5%A	2 2%	2 3%	2 16%	4 3%	22 8%Acf	13 3%	25 5%hJ	-	3 3%	2 2%	2 17%	1 2%	3 3%	-	10 5%J	31 3%	25 3%	42 5%u	25 3%
Mean	3.50	3.71BCd	3.27c	2.95	3.37c	4.58	3.75BC	3.50bC	3.73IJKL	3.27J	2.67	3.29J	3.26J	3.46	3.07	4.06HIJK	4.08	3.55IJN	3.86S	3.06	3.14	3.83T
Standard deviation	1.42	1.33	1.48	1.41	1.35	0.59	1.42	1.42	1.29	1.47	1.38	1.48	1.38	1.60	1.56	1.32	1.23	1.39	1.29	1.44	1.45	1.31
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.14	0.17	0.16	0.12	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.15	0.17	0.44	0.22	0.14	0.24	0.10	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.04

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Table 20

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To deter offenders from offending again

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Employment Sector				
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
Most important	170 8%	88 9%	82 8%	14 6%	16 4%	28 9%D	37 10%D	31 10%D	43 9%D	30 5%	65 9%l	74 10%l	57 10%	50 9%	28 7%	35 7%	25 9%	71 8%
Second most important	455 22%	255 26%B	201 19%	40 18%	73 21%	72 22%	79 22%	73 24%	117 25%c	114 20%	151 22%	191 25%i	131 24%	135 24%	86 21%	104 21%	52 18%	203 23%
Third most important	568 28%	274 28%	294 28%	59 26%	98 28%	81 25%	102 28%	84 28%	144 31%e	157 27%	183 27%	228 30%	140 25%	157 27%	119 29%	153 31%l	81 28%	242 27%
Fourth most important	534 26%	235 24%	299 29%A	61 27%	101 29%	87 27%	97 27%	78 26%	110 23%	162 28%	184 27%	188 24%	137 25%	145 25%	123 30%	129 26%	75 26%	223 25%
Least important	221 11%	100 10%	120 12%	32 14%h	39 11%	46 14%fgh	33 9%	27 9%	44 9%	71 12%	79 12%	71 9%	63 11%	65 11%	37 9%	56 11%	45 15%Q	92 10%
No answer	85 4%	41 4%	44 4%	19 8%EFGH	25 7%eFGH	12 4%	11 3%	8 3%	11 2%	44 8%JK	23 3%	18 2%	28 5%	21 4%	20 5%	16 3%	12 4%	52 6%
Mean	3.09	3.01	3.18A	3.27FGH	3.23FGH	3.16gh	3.03	2.98	2.99	3.24JK	3.09	2.99	3.04	3.07	3.14	3.14	3.23q	3.07
Standard deviation	1.14	1.14	1.13	1.15	1.07	1.20	1.15	1.15	1.12	1.10	1.17	1.13	1.19	1.16	1.08	1.11	1.19	1.14
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04

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

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ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 21

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To deter offenders from offending again

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
Most important	170 8%	11 6%	12 11%f	147 8%	5 6%	13 6%	18 11%f	12 7%	8 6%	17 8%	28 10%	32 11%Fi	13 7%
Second most important	455 22%	45 25%	22 22%	388 22%	18 21%	51 22%	34 20%	37 20%	39 26%	40 21%	65 24%	57 20%	48 26%
Third most important	568 28%	53 30%	30 29%	486 28%	21 24%	64 27%	47 28%	54 30%	40 27%	69 35%eklM	75 27%	76 27%	39 22%
Fourth most important	534 26%	37 21%	27 27%	470 27%	20 23%	65 28%	48 28%	50 28%	35 23%	49 25%	68 25%	78 28%	57 32%A
Least important	221 11%	26 14%j	8 8%	187 11%	12 14%	30 13%	16 9%	20 11%	19 13%	16 8%	27 10%	29 10%	19 10%
No answer	85 4%	6 3%	2 2%	77 4%	10 12%ABFGHJKLM	11 5%	7 4%	9 5%	8 5%	5 2%	12 4%	11 4%	5 3%
Mean	3.09	3.12	2.99	3.10	3.19	3.22k	3.06	3.17	3.12	3.04	3.00	3.05	3.12
Standard deviation	1.14	1.15	1.15	1.14	1.17	1.12	1.16	1.10	1.13	1.07	1.16	1.18	1.15
Standard error	0.03	0.09	0.11	0.03	0.13	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08

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

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

Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 22

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To deter offenders from offending again

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
Most important	170 8%	65 9%	50 8%	10 10%	5 8%	2 12%	16 11%	18 6%	50 10% ⁱ	33 7%	10 11%	8 8%	7 9%	1 6%	5 11%	5 5%	4 16%	19 9%	89 9%	55 7%	67 7%	84 9%
Second most important	455 22%	169 25% ^b	132 20%	22 22%	16 23%	* 3%	37 25%	64 22%	111 23%	102 21%	31 33% ^h	18 19% ^{Kn}	18 24%	* 3%	9 18%	23 25%	6 24%	48 24%	204 21%	183 24%	201 22%	205 23%
Third most important	568 28%	202 29%	174 26%	29 30%	22 31%	3 23%	44 30%	81 28%	136 28% ^j	121 25%	16 18%	28 30% ^j	21 28%	3 24%	15 31% ^j	32 35% ⁱ	7 27%	53 27%	290 30% ^S	189 25%	232 26%	266 30% ^t
Fourth most important	534 26%	168 25%	190 29%	23 23%	14 20%	5 41%	37 26%	75 26%	114 24%	135 28%	26 27%	28 30%	15 21%	3 28%	13 27%	22 24%	8 29%	61 30%	256 27%	201 26%	237 27%	229 26%
Least important	221 11%	71 10%	80 12% ^F	12 12% ^f	12 17% ^F	1 5%	8 6%	27 9%	55 12% ^Q	65 14% ^Q	10 11% ^q	10 10%	11 15% ^Q	3 22%	5 11%	6 7%	1 4%	10 5%	84 9%	107 14% ^R	116 13% ^U	83 9%
No answer	85 4%	11 2%	33 5% ^A	2 2%	2 3%	2 16%	4 3%	22 8% ^A	13 3%	25 5% ^h	- -	3 3%	2 2%	2 17%	1 2%	3 3%	- -	10 5% ^J	31 3%	25 3%	42 5% ^u	25 3%
Mean	3.09	3.02	3.19 ^{AF}	3.05	3.15	3.28	2.89	3.11 ^f	3.03	3.22 ^{Hj}	2.95	3.16	3.08	3.68	3.10	3.02	2.82	2.98	3.04	3.17 ^r	3.16 ^U	3.03
Standard deviation	1.14	1.14	1.15	1.19	1.19	1.17	1.09	1.09	1.18	1.15	1.22	1.12	1.21	1.17	1.17	1.01	1.16	1.08	1.12	1.18	1.16	1.13
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.05	0.12	0.15	0.33	0.09	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.13	0.11	0.15	0.32	0.16	0.11	0.22	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04

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

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 23

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To keep the public safe

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
Most important	736 36%	344 35%	392 38%	79 35%	136 39%	135 41%Gh	126 35%	98 33%	162 35%	215 37%	261 38%	260 34%	184 33%	201 35%	156 38%	194 39%l	102 35%	322 36%
Second most important	534 26%	251 25%	283 27%	58 26%	90 26%	83 25%	97 27%	86 29%	120 26%	148 26%	180 26%	206 27%	143 26%	157 27%	108 26%	126 25%	81 28%	219 25%
Third most important	343 17%	174 18%	169 16%	30 13%	49 14%	49 15%	55 15%	61 20%cd	100 21%CDEF	79 14%	103 15%	161 21%lJ	99 18%	96 17%	69 17%	79 16%	38 13%	144 16%
Fourth most important	227 11%	123 12%	104 10%	24 11%	32 9%	30 9%	45 12%	39 13%	56 12%	56 10%	75 11%	96 12%	66 12%	67 12%	39 10%	55 11%	36 12%	100 11%
Least important	108 5%	59 6%	49 5%	15 7%g	20 6%	17 5%	26 7%G	9 3%	21 4%	35 6%k	43 6%K	29 4%	34 6%	30 5%	20 5%	24 5%	21 7%	46 5%
No answer	85 4%	41 4%	44 4%	19 8%EFGH	25 7%eFGH	12 4%	11 3%	8 3%	11 2%	44 8%JK	23 3%	18 2%	28 5%	21 4%	20 5%	16 3%	12 4%	52 6%
Mean	2.20	2.27B	2.13	2.21	2.12	2.08	2.28e	2.23	2.24e	2.15	2.19	2.24	2.28o	2.21	2.13	2.14	2.25	2.19
Standard deviation	1.22	1.25	1.19	1.27	1.23	1.21	1.28	1.14	1.19	1.24	1.25	1.17	1.24	1.21	1.19	1.21	1.28	1.23
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.05	0.08	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 24

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To keep the public safe

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
Most important	736 36%	68 39%	32 32%	635 36%	30 35%	84 36%	63 37%	72 40%	60 40%	62 32%	88 32%	108 38%	68 38%
Second most important	534 26%	39 22%	35 35%	460 26%	19 22%	58 25%	52 30%	44 24%	22 15%	60 31%	80 29%	77 27%	49 27%
Third most important	343 17%	31 18%	16 16%	296 17%	13 15%	47 20%	25 15%	32 18%	27 18%	34 18%	41 15%	43 15%	34 19%
Fourth most important	227 11%	24 14%	13 13%	190 11%	9 10%	20 9%	13 8%	18 10%	25 17%	19 10%	36 13%	31 11%	19 11%
Least important	108 5%	8 5%	3 3%	97 6%	5 6%	14 6%	11 6%	7 4%	7 5%	15 8%	17 6%	15 5%	5 3%
No answer	85 4%	6 3%	2 2%	77 4%	10 12%	11 5%	7 4%	9 5%	8 5%	5 2%	12 4%	11 4%	5 3%
Mean	2.20	2.21	2.19	2.20	2.20	2.20	2.13	2.10	2.27	2.29	2.29	2.15	2.12
Standard deviation	1.22	1.25	1.13	1.22	1.26	1.22	1.20	1.18	1.31	1.24	1.24	1.21	1.14
Standard error	0.03	0.10	0.11	0.03	0.14	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.08

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 25

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To keep the public safe

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
Most important	736 36%	241 35%	230 35%	34 35%	27 38%	1 10%	53 36%	118 41%	161 34%	173 36%	36 39%	32 34%	25 35%	2 18%	17 36%	35 39%	8 33%	69 35%	322 34%	283 37%	336 38%	308 35%
Second most important	534 26%	190 28%	176 27%	26 26%	15 21%	4 33%	36 24%	70 24%	137 29%	122 25%	22 24%	25 26%	15 21%	4 38%	14 29%	25 27%	14 52%	51 25%	275 29% _S	178 23%	224 25%	245 27%
Third most important	343 17%	131 19% _b	96 15%	14 14%	13 19%	5 38%	31 21% _b	43 15%	90 19% _i	65 14%	16 17%	17 18%	17 23% _i	2 19%	10 20%	18 19%	3 12%	34 17%	185 19% _s	119 16%	129 14%	176 20% _T
Fourth most important	227 11%	81 12% _g	79 12% _g	15 15% _g	10 13%	-	13 9%	22 8%	59 12%	57 12%	9 10%	13 13%	11 15%	1 5%	3 5%	8 9%	1 2%	26 13%	98 10%	105 14% _R	108 12%	98 11%
Least important	108 5%	32 5%	43 7%	7 7%	4 6%	* 3%	9 6%	11 4%	19 4%	39 8% _{Ho}	10 10% _{HO}	5 6%	3 4%	* 3%	4 8%	2 2%	-	10 5%	43 5%	51 7% _r	55 6%	40 4%
No answer	85 4%	11 2%	33 5% _A	2 2%	2 3%	2 16%	4 3%	22 8% _{Acf}	13 3%	25 5% _{hJ}	-	3 3%	2 2%	2 17%	1 2%	3 3%	-	10 5% _J	31 3%	25 3%	42 5% _u	25 3%
Mean	2.20	2.22 _G	2.25 _G	2.31 _g	2.25	2.44	2.23	2.01	2.22	2.27	2.30	2.28	2.31	2.26	2.20	2.05	1.84	2.24	2.20	2.27	2.21	2.21
Standard deviation	1.22	1.19	1.26	1.30	1.27	0.88	1.23	1.15	1.17	1.31	1.35	1.24	1.22	1.05	1.24	1.09	0.74	1.23	1.16	1.29	1.26	1.18
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.13	0.16	0.25	0.10	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.14	0.13	0.15	0.29	0.17	0.11	0.14	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04

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

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

Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 26

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To punish offenders for crimes

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri-vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
Most important	650 32%	320 32%	330 32%	52 23%	95 27%	92 28%	136 38% ^{CDE}	111 37% ^{CDE}	165 35% ^{CDe}	147 25%	228 33% ^l	275 36% ^l	158 28%	170 30%	156 38% ^{LM}	166 34% ^l	87 30%	275 31%
Second most important	498 25%	233 23%	265 25%	35 15%	96 27% ^C	78 24% ^C	97 27% ^C	73 24% ^C	120 26% ^C	131 23%	175 26%	193 25%	125 22%	132 23%	107 26%	134 27% ^l	68 24%	223 25%
Third most important	281 14%	133 13%	148 14%	34 15%	38 11%	58 18% ^{DF}	43 12%	40 13%	68 14%	72 12%	102 15%	107 14%	80 14%	83 14%	47 11%	72 14%	30 11%	116 13%
Fourth most important	240 12%	116 12%	125 12%	35 15% ^F	44 13% ^f	44 13% ^F	29 8%	38 13% ^f	50 11%	79 14%	73 11%	88 11%	69 12% ⁿ	80 14% ^N	32 8%	59 12% ⁿ	36 12%	105 12%
Least important	279 14%	150 15%	129 12%	51 22% ^{dEFGH}	54 15%	42 13%	43 12%	32 11%	56 12%	105 18% ^{JK}	85 12%	88 11%	95 17% ^{nO}	86 15% ^O	50 12%	47 10%	56 19% ^Q	114 13%
No answer	85 4%	41 4%	44 4%	19 8% ^{EFGH}	25 7% ^{eFGH}	12 4%	11 3%	8 3%	11 2%	44 8% ^{JK}	23 3%	18 2%	28 5%	21 4%	20 5%	16 3%	12 4%	52 6%
Mean	2.49	2.52	2.46	2.99 ^{DEFGH}	2.59 ^{Fgh}	2.57 ^{Fgh}	2.27	2.35	2.37	2.75 ^{JK}	2.42	2.36	2.66 ^{NO}	2.60 ^{NO}	2.27	2.35	2.66 ^q	2.47
Standard deviation	1.42	1.45	1.39	1.53	1.45	1.39	1.38	1.38	1.38	1.49	1.39	1.38	1.48	1.44	1.39	1.33	1.53	1.41
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.09	0.05

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

Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 27

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To punish offenders for crimes

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
Most important	650 32%	49 27%	37 37%	564 32%	29 34%	80 34%	55 32%	56 31%	42 28%	68 35%	82 30%	86 30%	65 36%
Second most important	498 25%	51 29%	24 24%	423 24%	20 23%	52 22%	39 23%	46 25%	45 30%k	49 25%	60 22%	68 24%	45 25%
Third most important	281 14%	22 12%	11 11%	248 14%	11 13%	28 12%	31 18%	22 12%	21 14%	23 12%	40 15%	49 17%	24 13%
Fourth most important	240 12%	18 10%	9 9%	213 12%	8 9%	34 15%	19 11%	32 18%abjLm	16 11%	21 11%	35 13%	29 10%	19 11%
Least important	279 14%	32 18%deHi	18 18%eh	229 13%	7 9%	29 12%	20 12%	16 9%	16 11%	30 15%	46 17%h	42 15%	23 13%
No answer	85 4%	6 3%	2 2%	77 4%	10 12%ABFGhJKLM	11 5%	7 4%	9 5%	8 5%	5 2%	12 4%	11 4%	5 3%
Mean	2.49	2.61e	2.47	2.48	2.26	2.46	2.44	2.46	2.42	2.45	2.63e	2.54	2.38
Standard deviation	1.42	1.46	1.51	1.41	1.34	1.43	1.38	1.36	1.33	1.46	1.48	1.42	1.41
Standard error	0.03	0.11	0.15	0.03	0.15	0.10	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.10

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

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Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 28

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

To punish offenders for crimes

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
Most important	650 32%	272 40%BCG	175 27%	23 24%	20 29%	6 42%	51 35%b	80 28%	187 39%IJIN	129 27%J	15 16%	30 32%J	20 27%	5 40%	9 19%	38 41%IJN	10 39%	71 35%iJN	384 40%S	186 24%	213 24%	348 39%T
Second most important	498 25%	174 25%	150 23%	19 19%	20 28%	5 37%	40 28%	73 25%	126 26%J	106 22%J	10 11%	27 28%J	19 27%J	2 16%	10 20%	26 28%J	3 11%	51 25%J	262 27%S	161 21%	205 23%	242 27%t
Third most important	281 14%	88 13%	98 15%	17 17% ^d	5 7%	1 5%	20 13%	44 16% ^d	62 13%	72 15% ^l	22 24% ^{HiLnO}	15 15% ^l	4 5%	2 14%	5 10%	10 11%	6 23%	31 16% ^l	113 12%	117 15% ^r	133 15%	110 12%
Fourth most important	240 12%	74 11%	88 13%	13 14%	7 10%	-	17 11%	35 12%	43 9%	69 14% ^{HK}	21 22% ^{HiKLOQ}	5 5%	5 7%	-	7 14%	8 9%	5 18%	22 11%	94 10%	106 14% ^R	122 14% ^u	93 10%
Least important	279 14%	67 10%	114 17% ^{AfG}	23 24% ^{AFG}	17 24% ^{AFG}	-	15 10%	32 11%	46 10%	79 17% ^{HOQ}	25 27% ^{HIOQ}	15 16% ^{hoQ}	23 31% ^{HIKOQ}	2 4%	17 35% ^{HIKOQ}	6 6%	2 9%	16 8%	70 7%	166 22% ^R	180 20% ^U	74 8%
No answer	85 4%	11 2%	33 5% ^A	2 2%	2 3%	2 16%	4 3%	22 8% ^{Acf}	13 3%	25 5% ^{hJ}	-	3 3%	2 2%	2 17%	1 2%	3 3%	-	10 5% ^J	31 3%	25 3%	42 5% ^u	25 3%
Mean	2.49	2.24	2.70 ^{AfG}	2.94 ^{AFG}	2.71 ^A	1.56	2.33	2.49 ^A	2.22	2.70 ^{HOQ}	3.32 ^{HIKO}	2.45 ^o	2.88 ^{HOQ}	2.19	3.27 ^{HIKO}	2.08	2.46	2.27	2.14	2.87 ^R	2.83 ^U	2.19
Standard deviation	1.42	1.34	1.47	1.52	1.58	0.64	1.34	1.36	1.33	1.46	1.40	1.43	1.66	1.53	1.60	1.24	1.41	1.29	1.27	1.50	1.48	1.30
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.06	0.15	0.20	0.18	0.11	0.08	0.06	0.07	0.14	0.15	0.21	0.42	0.22	0.13	0.27	0.09	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.04

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

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Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 29

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

In the interest of justice

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Employment Sector				
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
Most important	125 6%	69 7%	56 5%	17 8%	30 8% ^f	19 6%	17 5%	15 5%	28 6%	47 8% ^{ijk}	35 5%	43 6%	44 8% ^N	35 6%	15 4%	31 6%	31 11% ^Q	48 5%
Second most important	214 11%	104 10%	110 11%	33 15% ^{fg}	36 10%	32 10%	32 9%	27 9%	53 11%	69 12%	64 9%	81 10%	50 9%	56 10%	46 11%	62 12%	30 10%	83 9%
Third most important	409 20%	212 21%	197 19%	39 17%	70 20%	57 17%	91 25% ^{cEH}	67 22%	87 18%	108 19%	147 22%	153 20%	100 18%	126 22%	88 21%	95 19%	67 23%	168 19%
Fourth most important	523 26%	261 26%	262 25%	53 24%	86 24%	86 26%	90 25%	70 23%	137 29% ^g	139 24%	176 26%	207 27%	142 26%	135 24%	120 29%	124 25%	73 25%	225 26%
Least important	677 33%	306 31%	371 36% ^A	64 28%	106 30%	120 37% ^{cd}	119 33%	115 38% ^{Cd}	154 33%	170 29%	239 35% ⁱ	269 35% ⁱ	190 34%	198 35%	123 30%	166 34%	77 26%	306 35% ^P
No answer	85 4%	41 4%	44 4%	19 8% ^{EFGH}	25 7% ^{eFGH}	12 4%	11 3%	8 3%	11 2%	44 8% ^{JK}	23 3%	18 2%	28 5%	21 4%	20 5%	16 3%	12 4%	52 6%
Mean	3.73	3.66	3.78 ^A	3.55	3.62	3.82 ^{Cd}	3.76	3.83 ^{Cd}	3.73	3.59	3.78 ^l	3.77 ^l	3.73	3.73	3.74	3.70	3.48	3.79 ^P
Standard deviation	1.22	1.23	1.22	1.30	1.29	1.22	1.16	1.19	1.21	1.29	1.19	1.20	1.27	1.23	1.13	1.25	1.31	1.20
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.08	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 30

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

In the interest of justice

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
Most important	125 6%	16 9%gIM	8 8%	101 6%	4 5%	21 9%GIM	6 3%	8 4%	7 5%	13 6%	23 9%gIM	13 5%	6 3%
Second most important	214 11%	18 10%	4 4%	191 11%B	11 13%b	26 11%b	23 13%Bj	29 16%BiJKm	13 9%	14 7%	24 9%	35 12%B	16 9%
Third most important	409 20%	40 23%	27 27%dgjkl	342 19%	14 16%	51 22%	29 17%	42 23%	26 18%	32 17%	45 16%	53 19%	50 28%eGiJKL
Fourth most important	523 26%	44 25%	25 25%	453 26%	18 21%	57 24%	47 28%	51 28%	43 29%m	63 32%eIM	71 26%	68 24%	36 20%
Least important	677 33%	53 30%	35 34%h	590 34%	29 34%	68 29%	58 34%h	43 24%	51 34%h	69 35%H	99 36%H	106 37%fH	68 38%fH
No answer	85 4%	6 3%	2 2%	77 4%	10 12%ABFGhJKLM	11 5%	7 4%	9 5%	8 5%	5 2%	12 4%	11 4%	5 3%
Mean	3.73	3.58	3.75	3.74	3.75	3.56	3.78h	3.53	3.83fh	3.84aFH	3.76	3.80afH	3.82aFH
Standard deviation	1.22	1.29	1.21	1.22	1.26	1.29	1.18	1.17	1.18	1.19	1.29	1.21	1.14
Standard error	0.03	0.10	0.12	0.03	0.14	0.09	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.08

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 31

Q.1 Which of the following aspects or purposes of prison do you think are most important? Please rank the following where 1 = most important and 5 = least important.

In the interest of justice

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
Most important	125 6%	32 5%	56 8%AG	7 7%	8 11%ag	3 20%	6 4%	13 4%	26 5%	40 8%O	7 8%o	4 5%	8 12%hOq	1 6%	4 9%o	1 1%	1 6%	9 4%	50 5%	64 8%R	71 8%U	47 5%
Second most important	214 11%	74 11%	72 11%	12 13%	7 10%	2 12%	13 9%	22 8%	46 10%	60 13%	8 8%	11 11%	7 9%	2 13%	8 16%	11 12%	2 7%	16 8%	102 11%	83 11%	89 10%	101 11%
Third most important	409 20%	130 19%	144 22%	16 17%	18 25%	2 15%	29 20%	51 18%	93 19%	104 22%	20 22%	17 18%	19 26%	2 19%	11 22%	19 21%	7 27%	36 18%	193 20%	158 21%	184 21%	184 21%
Fourth most important	523 26%	195 28%B	152 23%	24 24%	17 23%	2 14%	48 33%B	73 25%	129 27%	115 24%	21 23%	24 25%	17 24%	4 31%	17 34%q	31 34%iQ	6 24%	42 21%	251 26%	189 25%	216 24%	239 27%
Least important	677 33%	245 36%b	201 31%	37 37%	20 28%	3 24%	46 31%	105 37%b	171 36%lN	137 29%	36 39%iN	36 37%N	20 27%	2 14%	8 17%	26 28%	9 36%	87 43%lLNO	326 34%	243 32%	292 33%	296 33%
No answer	85 4%	11 2%	33 5%A	2 2%	2 3%	2 16%	4 3%	22 8%Acf	13 3%	25 5%hJ	-	3 3%	2 2%	2 17%	1 2%	3 3%	-	10 5%J	31 3%	25 3%	42 5%u	25 3%
Mean	3.73	3.81Bd	3.59	3.75	3.51	3.14	3.80	3.89BD	3.81lIN	3.55	3.77n	3.82iN	3.47	3.41	3.36	3.79N	3.79	3.96lLN	3.76s	3.63	3.67	3.73
Standard deviation	1.22	1.18	1.29	1.28	1.31	1.61	1.12	1.16	1.19	1.28	1.27	1.21	1.32	1.22	1.21	1.04	1.19	1.19	1.20	1.28	1.27	1.20
Standard error	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.13	0.17	0.45	0.10	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.13	0.12	0.16	0.34	0.17	0.11	0.23	0.09	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04

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

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Table 32
Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Summary

Base: All respondents

	Statements					
	I am more likely to buy products and services from companies that actively employ ex-offenders	I am aware of organisations that actively employ ex-offenders	Prison should prepare offenders for employment	It is important that employers check potential employees for past convictions during the recruitment process	Some offences (e.g. sexual or violent) should prevent people from gaining employment	I would be uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who I knew had a criminal conviction
Unweighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
Weighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
NET: Agree	462 23%	740 36%	1662 82%	1739 86%	993 49%	620 30%
Strongly agree (4)	56 3%	168 8%	680 33%	881 43%	378 19%	125 6%
Tend to agree (3)	406 20%	573 28%	982 48%	858 42%	615 30%	495 24%
Tend to disagree (2)	497 24%	433 21%	128 6%	117 6%	489 24%	757 37%
Strongly disagree (1)	190 9%	316 16%	38 2%	15 1%	127 6%	205 10%
NET: Disagree	687 34%	750 37%	166 8%	132 6%	616 30%	962 47%
Don't know	883 43%	543 27%	204 10%	162 8%	423 21%	451 22%
Mean	2.29	2.40	3.26	3.39	2.77	2.34
Standard deviation	0.80	0.94	0.68	0.64	0.90	0.80
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.02	0.02

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Table 33

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?**I am more likely to buy products and services from companies that actively employ ex-offenders****Base: All respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	462 23%	244 25%b	219 21%	57 25%F	84 24%F	72 22%f	60 17%	68 23%f	120 26%F	141 24%j	133 19%	188 24%J	168 30%MNO	117 21%	80 19%	97 20%	68 24%	206 23%
Strongly agree	(4) 56 3%	34 3%	23 2%	7 3%	15 4%GH	13 4%gH	10 3%	4 1%	7 1%	22 4%K	23 3%K	11 1%	20 4%	16 3%	7 2%	13 3%	11 4%	26 3%
Tend to agree	(3) 406 20%	210 21%	196 19%	50 22%F	69 20%f	59 18%	50 14%	64 21%F	113 24%eF	119 21%j	109 16%	178 23%J	148 27%MNO	102 18%	72 18%	84 17%	57 20%	179 20%
Tend to disagree	(2) 497 24%	250 25%	247 24%	56 25%	86 24%	76 23%	94 26%	69 23%	115 25%	143 25%	170 25%	184 24%	132 24%	148 26%	105 25%	112 23%	74 26%	225 25%
Strongly disagree	(1) 190 9%	99 10%	92 9%	28 12%H	38 11%H	39 12%gH	34 10%h	22 7%	28 6%	66 11%K	74 11%K	51 7%	48 9%	55 10%	47 11%	41 8%	33 11%	87 10%
NET: Disagree	687 34%	349 35%	339 33%	84 37%	124 35%	115 35%	128 36%	92 30%	143 31%	209 36%k	244 36%k	235 31%	180 32%	202 35%	152 37%	153 31%	107 37%	312 35%
Don't know	883 43%	400 40%	484 46%A	84 37%	143 41%	138 42%	171 48%Cd	141 47%c	206 44%	227 39%	309 45%i	347 45%i	207 37%	252 44%L	181 44%l	244 49%L	114 39%	366 41%
Mean	2.29	2.30	2.27	2.26	2.29	2.25	2.19	2.31	2.37F	2.28	2.22	2.35J	2.40MNo	2.24	2.17	2.28	2.27	2.28
Standard deviation	0.80	0.81	0.78	0.83	0.85	0.87	0.79	0.74	0.71	0.84	0.83	0.72	0.80	0.79	0.78	0.80	0.84	0.80
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04

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

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Table 34

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am more likely to buy products and services from companies that actively employ ex-offenders

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	462 23%	40 22%	24 23%	399 23%	13 15%	54 23%	28 16%	48 27%eG	43 29%EGM	44 23%	65 24%g	70 25%eG	34 19%
Strongly agree	(4) 56 3%	3 1%	4 4% ^m	50 3%	3 4% ^m	12 5% ^{aGM}	2 1%	5 3%	2 2%	5 3%	13 5% ^{gM}	6 2%	1 1%
Tend to agree	(3) 406 20%	37 21% ^e	20 20%	349 20%	10 11%	42 18%	26 15%	43 24% ^{Eg}	41 28% ^{EFGkm}	39 20%	53 19%	64 22% ^{Eg}	32 18%
Tend to disagree	(2) 497 24%	40 22%	20 20%	437 25%	17 20%	70 30% ^{bGh}	33 19%	38 21%	33 22%	53 27% ^g	76 28% ^g	74 26%	43 24%
Strongly disagree	(1) 190 9%	21 12% ^{iJl}	8 7%	161 9%	12 14% ^{fIJl}	16 7%	30 17% ^{BFJKLm}	22 12% ^{iJl}	8 5%	9 5%	27 10% ^j	19 7%	19 11% ^j
NET: Disagree	687 34%	61 34%	28 27%	599 34%	29 34%	86 37% ⁱ	63 37%	59 33%	41 27%	63 32%	102 37% ⁱ	93 33%	62 35%
Don't know	883 43%	76 43%	50 49% ^k	757 43%	43 51% ^k	94 40%	81 47%	73 41%	65 43%	88 45%	107 39%	121 43%	85 47%
Mean	2.29	2.21	2.39 ^G	2.29	2.11	2.35 ^{Gm}	1.99	2.29 ^G	2.45 ^{aEGM}	2.37 ^{eGm}	2.31 ^G	2.35 ^{eGm}	2.16
Standard deviation	0.80	0.81	0.83	0.79	0.92	0.80	0.83	0.84	0.71	0.72	0.83	0.74	0.75
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.11	0.03	0.14	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Table 35

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am more likely to buy products and services from companies that actively employ ex-offenders

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	462 23%	163 24%G	170 26%G	25 25%G	18 25%g	2 14%	30 20%	42 15%	112 23%Q	134 28%OQ	26 28%oQ	28 29%oQ	19 26%q	4 35%	14 29%Q	15 17%	7 25%	31 16%	190 20%	213 28%R	236 26%U	188 21%
Strongly agree	(4) 3%	56 3%g	27 4%G	2 2%	2 2%	- -	2 1%	3 1%	12 2%	27 6%H	2 3%	1 1%	2 3%	- -	- -	2 2%	- -	5 2%	28 3%	26 3%	26 3%	25 3%
Tend to agree	(3) 20%	406 21%G	143 22%G	22 23%g	16 22%	2 14%	28 19%	39 14%	100 21%Q	107 22%Q	24 25%Q	26 28%OQ	17 23%q	4 35%	14 29%oQ	13 15%	7 25%	26 13%	163 17%	188 25%R	211 24%U	164 18%
Tend to disagree	(2) 24%	497 24%	164 24%	160 31%g	30 29%	20 24%	3 27%	39 21%	61 24%	112 23%	31 33%i	29 30%	20 28%	2 18%	12 25%	21 23%	8 32%	47 23%	235 25%	194 26%	231 26%	213 24%
Strongly disagree	(1) 9%	190 10%C	69 9%C	60 1%	6 8%c	1 11%	17 12%C	30 10%C	51 11%J	49 10%J	2 2%	8 9%j	6 8%	1 6%	2 4%	13 15%Jn	2 9%	26 13%Jn	102 11%S	54 7%	71 8%	93 10%t
NET: Disagree	687 34%	233 34%	220 33%	31 32%	26 36%	5 36%	56 38%	91 32%	165 35%	161 34%	33 35%	37 39%	26 36%	3 24%	15 30%	34 38%	11 42%	73 37%	337 35%	248 33%	302 34%	307 34%
Don't know	883 43%	290 42%	267 41%	42 43%	28 39%	7 50%	60 41%	153 54%ABcdF42%	201 38%	184 37%	34 37%	31 32%	28 38%	5 41%	20 42%	41 46%k	9 33%	96 48%IK	427 45%S	299 39%	355 40%	397 45%t
Mean	2.29	2.29G	2.35fG	2.47FG	2.31	2.06	2.17	2.11	2.26	2.38OQ	2.44OQ	2.32q	2.35	2.49	2.42	2.07	2.24	2.09	2.22	2.40R	2.36U	2.24
Standard deviation	0.80	0.81	0.82	0.61	0.75	0.77	0.76	0.77	0.81	0.87	0.64	0.72	0.77	0.73	0.63	0.83	0.70	0.83	0.81	0.77	0.77	0.81
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.12	0.27	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.08	0.09	0.12	0.23	0.11	0.12	0.17	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 36

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am aware of organisations that actively employ ex-offenders

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	740 36%	360 36%	381 37%	80 35%	116 33%	120 37%	123 34%	120 40%	182 39%	196 34%	243 35%	301 39% ⁱ	259 47% ^{MNO}	211 37% ^O	130 31%	140 28%	134 46% ^Q	295 33%
Strongly agree	(4) 168 8%	85 9%	82 8%	17 8%	31 9%	37 11% ^{Fh}	23 7%	26 9%	33 7%	48 8%	60 9%	59 8%	71 13% ^{MNO}	36 6%	29 7%	31 6%	44 15% ^Q	65 7%
Tend to agree	(3) 573 28%	274 28%	298 29%	63 28%	85 24%	83 25%	99 28%	94 31% ^d	148 32% ^{De}	148 26%	182 27%	242 31% ^{lj}	188 34% ^{NO}	175 31% ^{nO}	101 25%	109 22%	90 31%	230 26%
Tend to disagree	(2) 433 21%	240 24% ^B	193 19%	38 17%	89 25% ^C	64 20%	83 23%	61 20%	99 21%	126 22%	148 22%	160 21%	104 19%	122 21%	89 22%	118 24% ^l	56 19%	199 23%
Strongly disagree	(1) 316 16%	152 15%	164 16%	42 19% ^h	59 17%	45 14%	60 17%	48 16%	62 13%	101 18%	105 15%	110 14%	64 11%	72 13%	79 19% ^{LM}	101 21% ^{LM}	40 14%	149 17%
NET: Disagree	750 37%	392 40% ^B	357 34%	80 35%	148 42% ^{EH}	109 33%	144 40%	109 36%	160 34%	228 39%	253 37%	269 35%	168 30%	194 34%	168 41% ^{Lm}	219 44% ^{LM}	96 33%	349 39% ^p
Don't know	543 27%	241 24%	303 29% ^A	66 29%	88 25%	97 30%	93 26%	72 24%	127 27%	153 27%	190 28%	200 26%	128 23%	166 29% ^L	115 28%	135 27%	60 21%	240 27% ^p
Mean	2.40	2.39	2.40	2.34	2.33	2.49 ^f	2.32	2.43	2.45	2.34	2.40	2.44	2.63 ^{MNO}	2.43 ^{NO}	2.27	2.20	2.60 ^Q	2.33
Standard deviation	0.94	0.93	0.95	0.99	0.95	0.98	0.92	0.95	0.90	0.97	0.95	0.92	0.93	0.88	0.96	0.95	0.99	0.94
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04

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

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Table 37

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am aware of organisations that actively employ ex-offenders

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	740 36%	62 35%	38 38%	640 36%	34 40%	85 36%	50 30%	67 37%	56 38%	70 36%	103 38%	106 37%	68 37%
Strongly agree	(4) 168 8%	13 7%	6 6%	149 9%	9 10%	25 11%	13 7%	16 9%	18 12%l	14 7%	22 8%	20 7%	12 7%
Tend to agree	(3) 573 28%	50 28%	33 32%g	490 28%	25 29%	61 26%	38 22%	51 28%	37 25%	55 28%	82 30%	86 30%g	56 31%g
Tend to disagree	(2) 433 21%	35 20%	20 20%	378 22%	12 14%	47 20%	35 21%	39 21%	35 24% <i>m</i>	47 24% <i>eM</i>	69 25% <i>eM</i>	67 23% <i>M</i>	27 15%
Strongly disagree	(1) 316 16%	43 24% <i>DbEFHIJKL</i>	15 15%	258 15%	10 12%	32 14%	36 21% <i>efjL</i>	26 14%	17 12%	25 13%	41 15%	35 12%	36 20% <i>ijL</i>
NET: Disagree	750 37%	78 44% <i>dEf</i>	35 35%	637 36%	22 26%	79 34%	71 42% <i>E</i>	65 36%	52 35%	73 37% <i>e</i>	110 40% <i>E</i>	101 36%	63 35%
Don't know	543 27%	37 21%	28 28%	478 27% <i>a</i>	30 35% <i>AK</i>	70 30% <i>ak</i>	49 29%	49 27%	40 27%	53 27%	61 22%	77 27%	50 28%
Mean	2.40	2.23	2.39	2.42 <i>a</i>	2.59 <i>AG</i>	2.48 <i>aG</i>	2.22	2.43	2.53 <i>AG</i>	2.41	2.39	2.44 <i>ag</i>	2.33
Standard deviation	0.94	0.99	0.90	0.94	0.96	0.97	0.99	0.95	0.96	0.90	0.91	0.88	0.98
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.10	0.03	0.13	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.08

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

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Table 38

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I am aware of organisations that actively employ ex-offenders

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention								2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote			
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	740 36%	268 39%bG	220 33%	54 55%ABDFG	26 7%	4 33%	59 40%G	84 29%	193 40%Q	179 37%Q	50 54%HILOQ	39 11%Q	23 32%	3 22%	23 48%Q	33 37%q	7 27%	49 24%	342 36%	299 39%	332 37%	334 37%
Strongly agree	(4) 8%	168 9%G	62 9%G	11 11%G	5 8%	-	12 8%	13 4%	37 8%o	56 12%hOQ	11 11%Oq	13 13%hOQ	5 7%	-	5 9%o	2 2%	3 11%	11 5%	84 9%	72 10%	68 8%	85 10%
Tend to agree	(3) 28%	573 30%B	158 24%	43 44%ABdfG	21 29%	4 33%	47 32%b	71 25%	156 33%lQ	123 26%	39 42%lkLQ	26 28%	18 25%	3 22%	19 39%iQ	31 34%Q	4 17%	38 19%	258 27%	227 30%	264 30%	249 28%
Tend to disagree	(2) 21%	433 20%C	162 25%aC	10 10%	14 19%	1 6%	33 22%C	63 22%C	88 18%	109 23%	14 15%	21 22%	16 22%	1 6%	8 17%	25 27%hj	10 37%	49 25%j	212 22%	164 22%	188 21%	193 22%
Strongly disagree	(1) 16%	316 15%	105 16%	12 12%	18 26%AbC	1 11%	25 17%	50 17%	66 14%	76 16%	11 12%	13 14%	20 28%HIJko	1 9%	8 16%	13 15%	4 14%	39 19%	143 15%	125 16%	152 17%u	122 14%
NET: Disagree	750 37%	238 35%C	266 41%AC	21 22%	32 45%C	2 17%	57 39%C	113 40%C	154 32%	184 38%hJ	25 26%	34 36%	36 50%HJ	2 15%	16 34%	38 42%J	13 51%	88 44%HJ	355 37%	288 38%	340 38%	315 35%
Don't know	543 27%	180 26%	171 26%	22 23%	13 18%	7 51%	30 21%	89 31%df	130 27%	117 24%	19 20%	22 23%	13 18%	8 63%	9 18%	19 21%	6 22%	63 32%ijln	257 27% ^s	173 23%	221 25%	242 27%
Mean	2.40	2.46G	2.36	2.70aBDF	2.23	2.44	2.39	2.24	2.47LQ	2.44lQ	2.67iLOQ	2.53lQ	2.14	2.36	2.50lq	2.31	2.31	2.15	2.41	2.42	2.37	2.46
Standard deviation	0.94	0.95	0.96	0.90	1.00	0.90	0.93	0.91	0.92	0.99	0.90	0.98	0.99	0.96	0.95	0.81	0.94	0.93	0.95	0.96	0.94	0.94
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.10	0.14	0.34	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.11	0.13	0.39	0.15	0.10	0.20	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04

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

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Table 39
Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Prison should prepare offenders for employment
Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	1662 82%	812 82%	850 82%	172 76%	262 74%	253 78%	307 85% CDE	247 82% D	420 89% CDEIFG	434 75%	561 82% I	667 87% IJ	466 84% NO	487 85% NO	320 78%	388 79%	239 82%	701 79%
Strongly agree (4)	680 33%	336 34%	344 33%	76 34%	112 32%	99 30%	122 34%	108 36%	161 34%	189 33%	221 32%	270 35%	207 37% NO	212 37% NO	113 27%	148 30%	112 39% Q	277 31%
Tend to agree (3)	982 48%	476 48%	506 49%	96 42%	150 43%	155 48%	185 51% cD	139 46%	259 55% CDEG	245 42%	339 50% I	398 52% I	259 47%	275 48%	207 50%	241 49%	127 44%	423 48%
Tend to disagree (2)	128 6%	67 7%	61 6%	11 5%	33 9% cFH	25 8%	16 4%	19 6%	25 5%	44 8%	40 6%	44 6%	34 6%	28 5%	31 8%	35 7%	14 5%	62 7%
Strongly disagree (1)	38 2%	22 2%	16 2%	3 1%	7 2%	12 4% H	7 2%	6 2%	4 1%	10 2%	19 3% k	9 1%	4 1%	10 2%	15 4% L	10 2% I	7 2%	21 2%
NET: Disagree	166 8%	89 9%	77 7%	14 6%	40 11% cFH	36 11% cFH	23 6%	25 8%	29 6%	54 9%	59 9%	53 7%	37 7%	38 7%	46 11% LM	45 9%	20 7%	83 9%
Don't know	204 10%	91 9%	113 11%	40 18% EFGH	49 14% FH	36 11% H	30 8% H	29 10% H	21 4%	89 15% JK	65 10% K	50 6%	51 9%	46 8%	46 11%	61 12% M	30 10%	100 11%
Mean	3.26	3.25	3.27	3.32e	3.21	3.18	3.28e	3.29e	3.29E	3.26	3.23	3.29	3.33NO	3.31NO	3.14	3.22	3.33q	3.22
Standard deviation	0.68	0.69	0.66	0.66	0.73	0.75	0.66	0.69	0.60	0.70	0.70	0.64	0.63	0.66	0.73	0.68	0.69	0.70
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.03

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Table 40

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Prison should prepare offenders for employment

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	1662 82%	141 80%	86 85%f	1435 82%	65 76%	174 74%	142 83%f	144 79%	124 84%f	162 83%f	238 87%aEFhm	242 85%eF	145 80%
Strongly agree	(4) 680 33%	59 33%	36 36%	585 33%	29 34%	62 26%	51 30%	59 32%	60 41%Fglm	68 35%f	111 40%FGIM	91 32%	54 30%
Tend to agree	(3) 982 48%	82 46%	50 49%	851 48%	36 43%	112 48%	91 53%	85 47%	64 43%	94 48%	127 46%	152 53%i	91 50%
Tend to disagree	(2) 128 6%	13 7%	6 6%	109 6%	5 6%	20 8%l	7 4%	15 8%	12 8%	13 6%	15 6%	12 4%	11 6%
Strongly disagree	(1) 38 2%	3 2%	3 3%lm	32 2%	1 1%	7 3%im	3 2%	4 2%i	- -	5 3%l	6 2%	4 1%	1 *
NET: Disagree	166 8%	16 9%	10 9%	141 8%	6 7%	27 12%gL	10 6%	19 11%l	12 8%	18 9%	21 8%	16 6%	12 7%
Don't know	204 10%	20 11%k	6 6%	178 10%	14 17%BijKI	33 14%bjk	19 11%k	18 10%	12 8%	16 8%	15 6%	26 9%	24 13%bK
Mean	3.26	3.25	3.25	3.26	3.31	3.14	3.25	3.22	3.36F	3.25	3.32F	3.28F	3.26
Standard deviation	0.68	0.69	0.73	0.67	0.66	0.73	0.64	0.72	0.64	0.71	0.69	0.62	0.61
Standard error	0.02	0.06	0.07	0.02	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 41

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Prison should prepare offenders for employment

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	1662 82%	583 85%G	537 82%	90 92%a	56 BDfG78%	6 46%	120 82%	224 78%	407 85%lQ	383 80%q	85 91%lLOQ	89 93%HILOQ78%	56 78%	8 65%	43 88%Q	73 80%	24 94%	147 73%	773 81%	654 86%R	760 85%u	724 81%
Strongly agree	(4) 33%	680 34%G	241 37%G	46 47%a	27 BFG38%G	1 9%	45 31%	68 24%	154 32%q	186 39%hOQ	43 46%HOQ	46 48%HOQ	29 40%oQ	3 23%	18 36%	21 23%	9 36%	50 25%	301 32%	298 39%R	338 38%U	289 32%
Tend to agree	(3) 48%	982 51%B	295 45%	44 45%	28 40%	5 37%	75 52%	156 55%Bd	253 53%ll	197 41%	42 45%	43 45%	28 38%	5 42%	25 52%	52 57%IL	15 58%	97 48%	472 50%	356 47%	422 47%	435 49%
Tend to disagree	(2) 6%	128 4%	30 7%A	48 3%	3 9%	7 35%	5 7%	10 6%	19 4%	38 8%H	5 5%	3 4%	7 9%	3 26%	3 6%	7 8%	1 3%	18 9%H	67 7%	40 5%	45 5%	68 8%T
Strongly disagree	(1) 2%	38 3%b	18 1%	8 -	1 1%	1 6%	5 4%bcg	3 1%	16 3%k	8 2%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 2%	3 4%k	- -	2 1%	26 3%S	6 1%	10 1%	24 3%T
NET: Disagree	166 8%	48 7%	56 9%	3 3%	7 10%	5 41%	15 11%c	21 7%	35 7%	45 9%k	6 6%	3 4%	7 10%	3 26%	4 8%	10 11%k	1 3%	20 10%k	93 10%S	46 6%	55 6%	92 10%T
Don't know	204 10%	55 8%	65 10%	5 5%	9 12%	2 13%	10 7%	41 14%AbCF	35 7%j	52 11%JK	2 2%	3 3%	9 12%JK	1 9%	2 4%	8 9%j	1 2%	34 17%HIJKNo	88 9%	61 8%	79 9%	75 8%
Mean	3.26	3.26	3.30fG	3.46AbFG	3.31	2.57	3.18	3.18	3.23	3.31Oq	3.40hOQ	3.46HIQO	3.33o	2.97	3.27	3.09	3.33	3.17	3.21	3.35R	3.34U	3.21
Standard deviation	0.68	0.68	0.67	0.57	0.71	0.80	0.73	0.60	0.69	0.71	0.64	0.57	0.71	0.77	0.67	0.71	0.55	0.65	0.71	0.63	0.64	0.71
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.23	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.21	0.10	0.08	0.11	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.03

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

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Table 42

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

It is important that employers check potential employees for past convictions during the recruitment process

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	1739 86%	826 83%	914 88%A	174 77%	292 83%	267 82%	312 87%C	274 91%CDE	420 89%CDE	466 81%	579 84%	694 90%IJ	474 85%	488 85%	351 85%	427 86%	247 85%	733 83%
Strongly agree	(4) 43%	881 39%	497 48%A	83 37%	152 43%	134 41%	173 48%Ce	138 46%c	201 43%	235 41%	307 45%	339 44%	238 43%	246 43%	185 45%	213 43%	144 50%Q	360 41%
Tend to agree	(3) 42%	858 44%b	416 40%	90 40%	140 40%	133 41%	139 39%	136 45%	219 47%dF	230 40%	273 40%	355 46%IJ	236 43%	242 42%	166 40%	214 43%	102 35%	374 42%p
Tend to disagree	(2) 6%	117 8%B	42 4%	17 8%	22 6%	20 6%	18 5%	12 4%	29 6%	39 7%	38 6%	40 5%	32 6%	29 5%	30 7%	26 5%	16 6%	59 7%
Strongly disagree	(1) 1%	15 1%B	3 *	1 1%	2 1%	5 2%GH	5 1%gH	- -	1 *	4 1%	11 2%K	1 *	7 1%n	4 1%	* *	3 1%	4 1%	9 1%
NET: Disagree	132 6%	88 9%B	44 4%	19 8%g	24 7%	25 8%g	23 6%	12 4%	29 6%	43 7%	48 7%	41 5%	38 7%	33 6%	31 7%	30 6%	20 7%	68 8%
Don't know	162 8%	79 8%	83 8%	34 15%FGH	35 10%GH	33 10%GH	25 7%	15 5%	20 4%	69 12%jK	58 8%K	35 5%	43 8%	50 9%	32 8%	38 8%	23 8%	82 9%
Mean	3.39	3.31	3.47A	3.33	3.40	3.35	3.43	3.44c	3.38	3.37	3.39	3.41	3.38	3.40	3.40	3.39	3.45q	3.35
Standard deviation	0.64	0.68	0.59	0.67	0.65	0.69	0.67	0.57	0.61	0.66	0.68	0.60	0.66	0.63	0.64	0.63	0.68	0.67
Standard error	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.02

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

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Table 43

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

It is important that employers check potential employees for past convictions during the recruitment process

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	1739 86%	146 83%	96 94%DAFgHIJKM85%	1497 85%	75 88%	189 81%	149 87%	152 84%	125 84%	163 84%	237 86%	254 89%aFj	153 84%
Strongly agree (4)	881 43%	77 44%	51 50%j	753 43%	36 42%	98 42%	88 52%fHJL	71 39%	67 45%	77 40%	124 45%	116 41%	76 42%
Tend to agree (3)	858 42%	69 39%	45 44%	744 42%	39 45%	90 39%	61 36%	81 45%	58 39%	86 44%	113 41%	139 49%aFGi	76 42%
Tend to disagree (2)	117 6%	16 9%BeGL	1 1%	100 6%b	1 2%	19 8%BegL	5 3%	18 10%BEGLm	8 5%	14 7%be	16 6%b	11 4%	8 5%
Strongly disagree (1)	15 1%	1 1%	2 2%	12 1%	1 2%	1 1%	1 *	1 1%	- -	2 1%	4 2%l	* *	1 *
NET: Disagree	132 6%	17 10%bGL	3 3%	112 6%	3 3%	20 9%bgL	6 3%	19 11%BeGLm	8 5%	15 8%gl	20 7%	11 4%	9 5%
Don't know	162 8%	14 8%	3 3%	146 8%b	8 9%b	25 11%Bh	16 9%b	10 5%	15 10%B	16 8%b	17 6%	19 7%	19 11%B
Mean	3.39	3.36	3.47h	3.39	3.41	3.37	3.53AFHJKL	3.29	3.44h	3.34	3.38	3.39	3.41
Standard deviation	0.64	0.69	0.62	0.64	0.62	0.67	0.59	0.69	0.61	0.66	0.68	0.58	0.61
Standard error	0.01	0.05	0.06	0.02	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.05

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Table 44

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
It is important that employers check potential employees for past convictions during the recruitment process
Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Un-likely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	1739 86%	623 91%BcDG	552 84%	82 84%	56 79%	11 86%	127 87%	235 82%	427 89%IQ	405 84%	80 86%	80 85%	60 83%	10 86%	43 87%	79 87%	24 92%	164 82%	840 88% _s	645 85%	760 85%	788 88% _t
Strongly agree	(4) 43%	881 47%CG	284 43% _c	32 33%	27 38%	8 65%	72 49%CG	106 37%	218 46% _n	211 44%	33 36%	47 49% _{ijn}	28 39%	5 42%	16 32%	44 49% _n	12 45%	79 39%	466 49% _S	295 39%	364 41%	427 48% _T
Tend to agree	(3) 42%	858 44%	268 41%	50 51% _{bf}	29 41%	3 22%	55 38%	129 45%	209 44%	194 40%	46 50% _k	34 36%	32 44%	5 44%	27 55% _{iKo}	35 39%	12 47%	85 42%	374 39%	350 46% _R	397 44%	361 40%
Tend to disagree	(2) 6%	117 4%	44 7% _a	8 8%	10 14% _{AbFG}	-	6 4%	16 6%	22 5%	32 7%	8 9%	6 6%	7 10%	-	1 3%	7 7%	2 8%	13 6%	52 5%	50 7%	58 7%	50 6%
Strongly disagree	(1) 1%	15 *	7 1% _a	-	1 2% _A	1 6%	1 1%	4 1% _A	1 *	7 2% _H	-	-	1 2% _h	-	-	1 1%	-	1 *	3 *	8 1%	8 1%	4 *
NET: Disagree	132 6%	30 4%	51 8% _A	8 8%	12 16% _{ABFG}	1 6%	7 5%	19 7%	23 5%	39 8% _h	8 9%	6 6%	9 12% _H	-	1 3%	8 8%	2 8%	13 7%	55 6%	58 8%	66 7%	54 6%
Don't know	162 8%	33 5%	55 8% _A	7 8%	4 5%	1 8%	12 8%	31 11% _A	28 6%	36 8%	5 6%	9 9%	4 5%	2 14%	5 10%	4 5%	-	23 12% _{Ho}	59 6%	57 8%	67 7%	50 6%
Mean	3.39	3.44 _{bCDG}	3.38	3.27	3.21	3.58	3.48 _{CDG}	3.33	3.43 _{jl}	3.37	3.29	3.48 _{jl}	3.27	3.49	3.32	3.41	3.37	3.37	3.46 _S	3.33	3.35	3.44 _T
Standard deviation	0.64	0.59	0.67	0.61	0.77	0.82	0.62	0.65	0.60	0.69	0.63	0.62	0.73	0.53	0.54	0.69	0.63	0.63	0.62	0.66	0.65	0.63
Standard error	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.23	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.15	0.08	0.07	0.12	0.05	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02

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Table 45

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Some offences (e.g. sexual or violent) should prevent people from gaining employment

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	993 49%	444 45%	549 53%A	115 51%H	190 54%GH	177 54%GH	185 51%H	135 45%	192 41%	305 53%K	361 53%K	327 42%	250 45%	255 45%	226 55%LM	262 53%LM	135 47%	443 50%
Strongly agree (4)	378 19%	167 17%	211 20%a	48 21%H	80 23%H	65 20%H	73 20%H	53 18%h	59 13%	127 22%K	138 20%K	113 15%	93 17%	95 17%	93 22%lm	97 20%	51 17%	189 21%
Tend to agree (3)	615 30%	278 28%	338 32%a	67 30%	110 31%	112 34%gh	112 31%	82 27%	133 28%	177 31%	223 33%k	215 28%	157 28%	160 28%	134 32%	164 33%m	85 29%	255 29%
Tend to disagree (2)	489 24%	283 29%B	206 20%	51 23%	68 19%	64 20%	72 20%	79 26%def	154 33%CDEFg	119 21%	136 20%	234 30%IJ	153 28%NO	158 28%NO	77 19%	100 20%	69 24%	178 20%
Strongly disagree (1)	127 6%	82 8%B	45 4%	12 5%	19 5%	17 5%	28 8%	22 7%	29 6%	31 5%	45 7%	52 7%	48 9%M	27 5%	24 6%	29 6%	21 7%	54 6%
NET: Disagree	616 30%	366 37%B	251 24%	63 28%	87 25%	81 25%	100 28%	102 34%DE	184 39%CDEF	150 26%	181 26%	285 37%IJ	201 36%NO	185 32%NO	101 24%	130 26%	91 31%	233 26%
Don't know	423 21%	182 18%	241 23%A	48 21%	75 21%	68 21%	75 21%	64 21%	94 20%	123 21%	143 21%	158 20%	104 19%	131 23%	85 21%	103 21%	64 22%	207 23%
Mean	2.77	2.65	2.89A	2.85H	2.91GH	2.87gH	2.81H	2.70	2.59	2.88K	2.84K	2.63	2.65	2.74	2.90LM	2.84Lm	2.73	2.86
Standard deviation	0.90	0.92	0.86	0.90	0.90	0.87	0.93	0.92	0.85	0.90	0.90	0.88	0.92	0.87	0.90	0.88	0.91	0.92
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.04

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Table 46

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Some offences (e.g. sexual or violent) should prevent people from gaining employment

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	993 49%	87 49%	50 49%	857 49%	45 53%	123 52%j	86 50%	86 47%	77 52%	82 42%	139 51%j	132 47%	87 48%
Strongly agree	(4) 378 19%	36 20%	18 18%	324 18%	19 23%j	50 21%j	39 23%j	35 19%	31 21%j	26 13%	44 16%	52 18%	29 16%
Tend to agree	(3) 615 30%	51 29%	32 31%	532 30%	26 30%	73 31%	47 27%	51 28%	46 31%	56 29%	95 35%	80 28%	58 32%
Tend to disagree	(2) 489 24%	37 21%	22 21%	431 25%	11 13%	55 23%e	36 21%	47 26%E	37 25%e	55 28%E	69 25%E	78 28%E	43 24%e
Strongly disagree	(1) 127 6%	15 8%	5 5%	107 6%	6 7%	15 6%	10 6%	13 7%	11 7%	12 6%	19 7%	14 5%	8 5%
NET: Disagree	616 30%	52 29%	27 27%	538 31%	17 20%	69 30%	45 27%	59 33%e	48 32%e	66 34%E	88 32%e	93 33%e	51 28%
Don't know	423 21%	38 22%	25 25%	360 21%	23 27%ik	42 18%	40 23%	36 20%	24 16%	47 24%	47 17%	60 21%	43 24%
Mean	2.77	2.78	2.81	2.77	2.93J	2.82	2.88j	2.74	2.78	2.65	2.72	2.76	2.78
Standard deviation	0.90	0.95	0.88	0.89	0.94	0.91	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.86	0.87	0.88	0.84
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.09	0.02	0.12	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.07

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Table 47

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Some offences (e.g. sexual or violent) should prevent people from gaining employment
Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote			
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)	
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881	
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892	
NET: Agree	993 49%	328 48%	316 48% ^c	37 38%	40 55% ^c	4 32%	75 52% ^c	158 55% ^{abC}	238 50% ^N	238 50% ^N	39 42%	40 42%	35 49%	3 28%	16 32%	52 57% ^{jkN}	16 61%	109 55% ^{jkN}	506 53% ^S	314 41%	403 45%	462 52% ^T	
Strongly agree	(4) 19%	378 18% ^c	124 18% ^c	10 10%	18 26% ^C	3 27%	30 20% ^C	60 21% ^C	91 19% ^{kJN}	91 19% ^{kJN}	10 11%	14 15% ⁿ	18 25% ^{JN}	3 22%	2 5%	21 23% ^{JN}	7 27%	43 21% ^{JN}	213 22% ^S	92 12%	138 15%	193 22% ^T	
Tend to agree	(3) 30%	615 30%	204 30%	195 30%	28 29%	21 30%	1 5%	46 31%	98 34%	147 31%	147 31%	29 31%	26 27%	17 23%	1 7%	13 27%	31 34%	9 34%	67 33%	293 31%	222 29%	265 30%	270 30%
Tend to disagree	(2) 24%	489 26% ^G	177 26% ^G	168 31% ^G	30 18%	13 31%	4 23%	34 23%	50 18%	123 26% ^{oQ}	119 25% ^{oQ}	32 34% ^{ilIQ}	32 34% ^{ilIQ}	14 20%	4 33%	20 41% ^{HILOQ}	14 15%	7 26%	27 14%	213 22%	224 29% ^R	252 28% ^U	198 22%
Strongly disagree	(1) 6%	127 6%	44 6%	43 7%	11 11% ^G	8 11% ^G	1 6%	7 5%	11 4%	26 5%	30 6%	10 11% ^{ho}	8 9%	8 11%	- -	5 11% ^o	3 4%	1 4%	13 6%	50 5%	67 9% ^R	65 7%	53 6%
NET: Disagree	616 30%	221 32% ^G	211 32% ^G	41 42% ^{abFG}	21 29%	5 37%	41 28%	61 21%	148 31% ^{OQ}	149 31% ^{OQ}	42 45% ^{HIOQ}	40 43% ^{HIOQ}	22 30%	4 33%	26 53% ^{HILOQ}	17 19%	8 30%	40 20%	264 28%	291 38% ^R	316 35% ^U	251 28%	
Don't know	423 21%	137 20%	131 20%	19 20%	11 15%	4 31%	30 20%	66 23%	91 19%	93 19%	13 13%	15 16%	15 21%	5 39%	7 15%	22 24% ^j	2 9%	51 25% ^{Jk}	184 19%	156 20%	174 19%	179 20%	
Mean	2.77	2.74 ^C	2.75 ^C	2.46	2.83 ^c	2.76	2.84 ^C	2.94 ^{ABC}	2.79 ^{JkN}	2.77 ^{JkN}	2.48	2.56	2.80 ^{JN}	2.82	2.30	3.01 ^{hJK}	2.94	2.93 ^{iJKN}	2.87 ^S	2.56	2.66	2.84 ^T	
Standard deviation	0.90	0.90	0.90	0.88	1.01	1.12	0.88	0.84	0.88	0.90	0.86	0.90	1.05	1.00	0.77	0.84	0.88	0.90	0.89	0.88	0.89	0.91	
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.10	0.14	0.36	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.10	0.10	0.15	0.33	0.12	0.10	0.18	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.03	

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Table 48

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I would be uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who I knew had a criminal conviction

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790	
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883	
NET: Agree	620 30%	298 30%	322 31%	78 35%fg	123 35%FG	110 34%FG	93 26%	63 21%	154 33%FG	200 35%jK	203 30%	217 28%	170 31%	191 33%o	120 29%	140 28%	87 30%	267 30%	
Strongly agree	(4) 6%	125 6%	61 6%	64 6%	15 6%	25 7%	28 9%gh	19 5%	15 5%	23 5%	39 7%	48 7%	38 5%	38 7%	35 6%	22 5%	31 6%	19 7%	62 7%
Tend to agree	(3) 24%	495 24%	236 24%	258 25%	63 28%fg	98 28%FG	81 25%G	74 20%	48 16%	130 28%FG	161 28%jk	155 23%	178 23%	132 24%	156 27%o	98 24%	109 22%	68 23%	205 23%
Tend to disagree	(2) 37%	757 37%	406 41%B	351 34%	80 35%	109 31%	93 28%	144 40%DE	141 47%CDE	191 41%DE	189 33%	236 35%	332 43%lJ	234 42%MO	189 33%	158 38%	177 36%	104 36%	321 36%
Strongly disagree	(1) 10%	205 10%	101 10%	104 10%	12 5%	43 12%Cgh	50 15%CGH	42 12%C	22 7%	37 8%	55 9%	91 13%iK	59 8%	57 10%	53 9%	43 10%	52 10%	41 14%	94 11%
NET: Disagree	962 47%	507 51%B	455 44%	92 41%	152 43%	142 44%	185 52%CDe	163 54%CDE	228 49%c	243 42%	328 48%i	392 51%l	291 52%Mo	242 42%	201 49%m	228 46%	145 50%	415 47%	
Don't know	451 22%	187 19%	264 25%A	56 25%	78 22%	73 23%	82 23%	75 25%h	87 19%	134 23%	155 23%	162 21%	94 17%	138 24%L	92 22%l	126 26%L	58 20%	201 23%	
Mean	2.34	2.32	2.36	2.48FG	2.38g	2.35	2.25	2.25	2.37fg	2.42jk	2.30	2.32	2.33	2.40	2.31	2.32	2.28	2.34	
Standard deviation	0.80	0.79	0.81	0.75	0.86	0.92	0.79	0.72	0.74	0.82	0.86	0.74	0.80	0.80	0.79	0.82	0.85	0.83	
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.03	

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

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Table 49

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I would be uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who I knew had a criminal conviction

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	620 30%	48 27%	32 31%	539 31%	27 31%	74 32%	62 36%ljm	61 34%	37 25%	51 26%	92 33%	88 31%	48 26%
Strongly agree (4)	125 6%	11 6%	6 6%	108 6%	5 6%	14 6%	8 5%	9 5%	8 6%	15 8%	26 10%lm	14 5%	8 4%
Tend to agree (3)	495 24%	37 21%	26 25%	431 25%	22 25%	60 26%j	54 31%AIJm	53 29%j	29 19%	35 18%	66 24%	74 26%j	39 22%
Tend to disagree (2)	757 37%	60 34%	32 31%	666 38%	30 35%	80 34%	56 33%	64 35%	64 43%bg	84 43%bg	110 40%	109 38%	68 38%
Strongly disagree (1)	205 10%	25 14%EL	11 11%el	169 10%	3 3%	22 9%e	18 10%el	23 13%EL	16 11%el	20 10%el	32 12%EL	16 6%	19 11%el
NET: Disagree	962 47%	85 48%	43 42%	835 48%	33 38%	103 44%	74 43%	86 48%	80 54%Efgl	104 53%Efgl	142 52%el	125 44%	88 48%
Don't know	451 22%	44 25%K	27 26%K	380 22%	26 31%hK	57 24%K	35 21%	33 18%	32 21%	40 21%	40 15%	71 25%K	46 25%K
Mean	2.34	2.26	2.36	2.35	2.48im	2.38	2.38	2.32	2.25	2.29	2.37	2.41	2.27
Standard deviation	0.80	0.86	0.84	0.79	0.72	0.81	0.79	0.80	0.78	0.82	0.86	0.73	0.78
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.09	0.02	0.09	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06

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

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Table 50

Q.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

I would be uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who I knew had a criminal conviction

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	620 30%	221 32%	187 28%	26 26%	17 23%	2 17%	54 37% ^{bd}	94 33%	153 32% ^N	142 30% ⁿ	26 28%	27 28%	17 23%	3 22%	9 17%	34 37% ^{lN}	11 44%	65 33% ⁿ	305 32%	212 28%	269 30%	271 30%
Strongly agree	(4) 125 6%	43 6%	37 6%	5 5%	4 6%	1 5%	12 8%	20 7%	30 6%	27 6%	8 9%	7 7%	4 5%	1 6%	1 2%	7 7%	- -	15 8%	70 7% ^S	33 4%	51 6%	57 6%
Tend to agree	(3) 495 24%	178 26%	150 23%	21 21%	13 18%	2 12%	43 29%	74 26%	123 26%	115 24%	18 20%	20 21%	13 18%	2 16%	8 16%	27 30% ⁿ	11 44%	50 25%	234 25%	179 24%	218 24%	213 24%
Tend to disagree	(2) 757 37%	270 39% ^G	256 39% ^G	47 48% ^{dfG}	23 32%	3 25%	52 36%	82 29%	190 40%	176 37%	44 47% ^{iOQ}	45 48% ^{iOQ}	24 33%	4 34%	28 58% ^{HILOQ}	28 31%	10 39%	65 32%	360 38%	302 40%	348 39%	335 38%
Strongly disagree	(1) 205 10%	53 8%	71 11% ^a	10 11%	12 17% ^A	1 11%	18 12%	32 11%	39 8%	64 13% ^H	10 11%	10 11%	9 12%	1 5%	5 11%	12 14%	2 6%	18 9%	84 9%	88 12% ^r	92 10%	92 10%
NET: Disagree	962 47%	324 47% ^g	327 50% ^G	57 58% ^{aG}	35 49%	5 35%	70 48%	115 40%	229 48%	240 50% ^q	54 58% ^{oQ}	56 59% ^{hoQ}	33 46%	5 40%	34 69% ^{HILOQ}	40 44%	12 45%	83 42%	444 47%	390 51% ^r	439 49%	427 48%
Don't know	451 22%	142 21%	144 22% ^f	15 15%	20 28% ^{cf}	6 47%	21 15%	77 27% ^{aCF}	95 20%	98 20%	13 14%	12 13%	23 31% ^{hiJKN}	5 39%	7 14%	17 18%	3 11%	52 26% ^{JKn}	205 21%	158 21%	185 21%	193 22%
Mean	2.34	2.39 ^b	2.30	2.24	2.17	2.23	2.39	2.39	2.38 ^N	2.28	2.30	2.29	2.24	2.36	2.10	2.38 ⁿ	2.42	2.42 ^N	2.39 ^S	2.26	2.32	2.34
Standard deviation	0.80	0.77	0.79	0.75	0.88	0.96	0.85	0.86	0.77	0.82	0.82	0.80	0.84	0.84	0.63	0.87	0.63	0.84	0.81	0.77	0.79	0.81
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.13	0.34	0.08	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.09	0.12	0.26	0.09	0.10	0.13	0.07	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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Table 51

Q.3 Who do you think is most responsible for tackling low rates of ex-offender employment?

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
The Government	584 29%	339 34%B	246 24%	59 26%	113 32%H	105 32%H	114 32%H	86 29%h	107 23%	173 30%k	218 32%K	193 25%	150 27%	159 28%	135 33%	140 28%	100 34%	266 30%
Employers	328 16%	153 15%	175 17%	36 16%e	44 13%	31 9%	47 13%	49 16%E	121 26%CDEFG	80 14%	78 11%	170 22%IJ	109 20%NO	98 17%n	51 12%	71 14%	40 14%	105 12%
Individual offenders	272 13%	138 14%	134 13%	35 15%	39 11%	44 13%	51 14%	38 13%	67 14%	73 13%	94 14%	104 14%	81 15%	89 16%O	47 11%	54 11%	44 15%	107 12%
Prison services or officers	223 11%	94 10%	129 12%a	35 16%GH	39 11%	44 14%GH	42 12%	23 8%	40 8%	74 13%K	86 13%K	62 8%	75 13%O	60 11%	48 12%	40 8%	31 11%	103 12%
Charities	89 4%	36 4%	53 5%	8 3%	22 6%F	14 4%	9 3%	15 5%	20 4%	30 5%	23 3%	35 5%	33 6%M	19 3%	14 3%	23 5%	8 3%	49 6%
Other (please specify)	16 1%	8 1%	8 1%	- -	4 1%f	- -	- -	5 2%cEF	8 2%cEF	4 1%j	- -	13 2%J	2 *	7 1%	1 *	6 1%	1 1%	4 *
Don't know	521 26%	225 23%	296 28%A	53 23%	90 26%	88 27%	97 27%	85 28%	108 23%	143 25%	185 27%	193 25%	105 19%	139 24%L	116 28%L	160 32%LM	65 22%	250 28%p

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Table 52
Q.3 Who do you think is most responsible for tackling low rates of ex-offender employment?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
The Government	584 29%	61 34%bh	23 22%	501 29%	21 25%	63 27%	46 27%	43 24%	41 28%	62 32%	90 33%bh	79 28%	55 31%
Employers	328 16%	22 12%	18 18%	289 16%	17 20%	39 17%	27 16%	48 26%AFGiJKLM	25 17%	24 13%	41 15%	42 15%	26 14%
Individual offenders	272 13%	26 15%	12 11%	234 13%	14 16%	31 13%	18 11%	25 14%	25 17%l	31 16%l	35 13%	28 10%	26 15%
Prison services or officers	223 11%	16 9%	19 19%DAFhIM	188 11%	8 10%	18 8%	25 14%FM	17 10%	20 13%M	24 12%m	34 12%M	31 11%m	11 6%
Charities	89 4%	7 4%	3 3%	79 4%	1 1%	11 5%	3 2%	8 5%	6 4%	7 4%	8 3%	17 6%eg	17 9%aBEGiJK
Other (please specify)	16 1%	2 1%	1 1%	13 1%	- -	1 *	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	1 *	1 *
Don't know	521 26%	43 24%	27 27%	451 26%	24 29%	71 31%hIk	50 29%i	37 21%	30 20%	45 23%	62 23%	87 30%Hljk	45 25%

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Table 53

Q.3 Who do you think is most responsible for tackling low rates of ex-offender employment?

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
The Government	584	143	247	26	30	2	49	76	111	187	31	28	30	4	16	20	9	51	241	261	318	216
	29%	21%	38%AcG	27%	41%AcG	15%	34%A	27%a	23%	39%HOQ	34%h	30%	42%HOQ	35%	32%	22%	34%	25%	25%	34%R	36%U	24%
Employers	328	124	104	20	7	4	22	36	87	75	18	22	4	2	15	19	7	14	153	140	154	148
	16%	18%g	16%	21%g	10%	33%	15%	13%	18%LQ	16%LQ	20%LQ	24%iLQ	5%	20%	30%hILQ	21%LQ	26%	7%	16%	18%	17%	17%
Individual offenders	272	126	67	7	8	1	17	38	82	45	10	12	9	1	4	20	3	35	154	76	93	143
	13%	18%BCfg	10%	8%	12%	5%	12%	13%	17%l	9%	10%	13%	13%	6%	9%	22%lJn	13%	18%l	16%S	10%	10%	16%T
Prison services or officers	223	88	69	16	6	1	14	23	59	53	16	17	5	2	3	9	1	18	104	90	102	95
	11%	13%g	10%	17%bG	8%	5%	10%	8%	12%	11%	17%q	17%lnq	7%	13%	6%	9%	6%	9%	11%	12%	11%	11%
Charities	89	33	26	4	4	1	7	11	18	18	5	4	4	-	2	3	2	9	38	39	41	44
	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%	6%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%	-	4%	4%	9%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%
Other (please specify)	16	6	5	1	-	-	1	3	6	4	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	9	3	3	9
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	-	2%	-	4%	1%	1%	*	*	1%
Don't know	521	166	140	22	16	5	36	98	114	98	12	11	18	3	8	20	2	72	254	151	182	237
	26%	24%	21%	22%	23%	36%	25%	34%ABCf	24%JK	20%k	13%	12%	25%jk	26%	16%	22%	8%	36%HIJKNO	27%S	20%	20%	27%T

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Table 54

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

Summary**Base: All respondents**

		Criminal conviction			
		Theft	A violent offence	A drug offence	A sexual offence
Unweighted base		2033	2033	2033	2033
Weighted base		2033	2033	2033	2033
NET: Comfortable		461 23%	198 10%	799 39%	128 6%
Very comfortable	(+2)	72 4%	55 3%	173 9%	61 3%
Fairly comfortable	(+1)	389 19%	144 7%	626 31%	67 3%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable	(0)	670 33%	395 19%	641 32%	254 13%
Fairly uncomfort- able	(-1)	669 33%	740 36%	393 19%	598 29%
Very uncomfortable	(-2)	233 11%	700 34%	201 10%	1052 52%
NET: Uncomfortable		902 44%	1439 71%	594 29%	1651 81%
Mean		-0.30	-0.93	0.09	-1.24
Standard deviation		1.02	1.03	1.11	0.99
Standard error		0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02

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Table 55

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

Theft

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Comfortable	461 23%	207 21%	254 24%a	60 27%fH	94 27%fH	83 26%fH	71 20%	65 21%	89 19%	154 27%K	154 22%	153 20%	136 25%	127 22%	84 20%	113 23%	78 27%	201 23%
Very comfortable (+2)	72 4%	36 4%	36 3%	9 4%H	17 5%H	14 4%H	18 5%H	7 2%	7 1%	26 5%K	32 5%K	14 2%	23 4%	21 4%	13 3%	14 3%	16 5%	38 4%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	389 19%	171 17%	218 21%a	51 23%F	77 22%F	69 21%F	53 15%	58 19%	82 17%	127 22%j	122 18%	139 18%	113 20%	106 19%	71 17%	99 20%	62 21%	164 19%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	670 33%	330 33%	340 33%	71 32%	106 30%	93 29%	121 34%	112 37%dE	167 36%e	178 31%	214 31%	278 36%ij	179 32%	199 35%	136 33%	157 32%	91 32%	266 30%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	669 33%	340 34%	329 32%	73 32%	124 35%	104 32%	123 34%	89 30%	157 33%	196 34%	227 33%	246 32%	182 33%	179 31%	146 35%	162 33%	88 30%	304 34%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	233 11%	115 12%	118 11%	21 9%	28 8%	45 14%D	45 13%d	36 12%	57 12%d	49 9%	91 13%l	93 12%i	57 10%	66 12%	47 11%	62 13%	32 11%	113 13%
NET: Uncomfortable	902 44%	455 46%	447 43%	94 42%	152 43%	149 46%	168 47%	125 41%	214 46%	246 43%	317 46%	339 44%	240 43%	246 43%	193 47%	224 45%	120 42%	416 47%
Mean	-0.30	-0.33	-0.26	-0.20h	-0.20fH	-0.30	-0.35	-0.29	-0.38	-0.20jK	-0.32	-0.34	-0.25	-0.29	-0.35	-0.32	-0.20	-0.33
Standard deviation	1.02	1.01	1.02	1.03	1.02	1.08	1.04	0.99	0.96	1.02	1.06	0.97	1.03	1.02	1.00	1.02	1.07	1.05
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.04

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Table 56

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

Theft

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Comfortable	461 23%	36 20%	20 20%	406 23%	11 13%	58 25%E	34 20%	52 29%E	35 23%e	45 23%e	66 24%e	65 23%e	39 22%
Very comfortable	(+2) 72 4%	6 3%i	1 1%	65 4%	4 5%l	11 5%bl	6 3%i	7 4%i	1 *	7 4%i	14 5%bl	11 4%i	5 3%
Fairly comfortable	(+1) 389 19%	30 17%	19 19%e	340 19%	7 9%	47 20%E	29 17%	45 25%E	34 23%E	38 20%E	52 19%e	54 19%E	34 19%e
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable	(0) 670 33%	52 29%	25 24%	593 34%b	35 41%aBFh	60 25%	57 33%	52 29%	64 43%ABFHkM	73 37%BF	92 34%f	105 37%BF	56 31%
Fairly uncomfort- able	(-1) 669 33%	64 36%i	40 40%ll	565 32%	32 37%	85 36%il	63 37%il	54 30%	39 26%	67 34%	82 30%	81 28%	64 35%
Very uncomfortable	(-2) 233 11%	26 14%iJ	17 16%lJ	191 11%	7 8%	31 13%J	17 10%	24 13%J	11 7%	11 5%	35 13%J	34 12%J	22 12%J
NET: Uncomfortable	902 44%	90 51%dljl	57 56%DhJKL	756 43%	39 45%	116 50%lj	79 46%l	77 43%	50 34%	77 40%	117 42%	115 40%	86 47%l
Mean	-0.30	-0.42	-0.52	-0.27B	-0.36	-0.33	-0.33	-0.23b	-0.17AB	-0.18AB	-0.26b	-0.26B	-0.36
Standard deviation	1.02	1.04	1.01	1.01	0.92	1.09	0.98	1.09	0.88	0.93	1.06	1.02	1.01
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.10	0.02	0.10	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07

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

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

Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 57

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

Theft

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Comfortable	461 23%	137 20%	168 26%A	22 22%	15 21%	3 24%	34 23%	66 23%	91 19%	135 28%H	18 20%	27 28%h	16 21%	3 29%	18 37%HJlQ	23 25%	8 30%	43 21%	198 21%	177 23%	215 24%	195 22%
Very comfortable (+2)	72 4%	19 3%	23 4%	1 1%	4 6%	- -	10 7%Ac	11 4%	12 2%	21 4%	4 4%	3 3%	5 7%	- -	1 3%	4 5%	- -	8 4%	34 4%	24 3%	30 3%	34 4%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	389 19%	118 17%	145 22%A	21 21%	11 15%	3 24%	24 16%	55 19%	80 17%	114 24%H	15 16%	24 25%h	11 15%	3 29%	17 34%HJLoQ20%	19 20%	8 30%	35 17%	164 17%	153 20%	184 21%	161 18%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	670 33%	215 31%	225 34%	39 39%	19 27%	3 23%	49 33%	95 33%	147 31%	151 31%	46 50%HIKLO29% Q	27 29%	20 28%	3 28%	20 41%oq	22 25%	10 37%	52 26%	282 30%	275 36%R	305 34%	279 31%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	669 33%	260 38%BfG	200 30%	31 31%	24 34%	5 35%	42 29%	87 30%	187 39%lJNo	150 31%	23 25%	28 30%	24 33%	5 38%	10 20%	25 28%	4 17%	76 38%jN	336 35%	247 32%	294 33%	305 34%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	233 11%	74 11%	64 10%	7 7%	13 19%abC	2 19%	22 15%c	38 13%	52 11%n	45 9%n	5 6%	13 14%jN	13 18%lJN	1 6%	1 2%	21 23%HIJN	4 16%	30 15%iJN	138 15%S	61 8%	81 9%	113 13%t
NET: Uncomfortable	902 44%	334 49%Bc	264 40%	37 38%	37 52%b	7 53%	64 44%	125 44%	239 50%lJN	195 41%N	28 31%	41 44%jN	37 51%JN	5 44%	11 22%	46 50%JN	8 32%	105 53%lJN	474 50%S	308 41%	374 42%	417 47%t
Mean	-0.30	-0.37	-0.21A	-0.22	-0.45	-0.48	-0.28	-0.30	-0.40	-0.18HoQ	-0.12HoQ	-0.27	-0.41	-0.21	0.16Hij KLOQ	-0.43	-0.17	-0.42	-0.40	-0.22R	-0.23u	-0.34
Standard deviation	1.02	0.98	1.01	0.90	1.13	1.09	1.12	1.05	0.97	1.03	0.89	1.08	1.15	0.96	0.85	1.18	1.05	1.07	1.04	0.96	0.99	1.03
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.14	0.28	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.25	0.12	0.12	0.20	0.08	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 58

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A violent offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Comfortable	198 10%	111 11%b	87 8%	36 16%DeGH	32 9%	34 10%H	41 11%H	28 9%	28 6%	68 12%K	74 11%K	55 7%	62 11%	53 9%	38 9%	46 9%	32 11%	100 11%
Very comfortable (+2)	55 3%	28 3%	27 3%	7 3%	4 1%	8 2%	16 4%D	8 3%	12 3%	11 2%	24 3%	21 3%	17 3%	14 2%	9 2%	15 3%	10 4%	21 2%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	144 7%	83 8%B	60 6%	29 13%FGH	29 8%H	26 8%H	25 7%H	19 6%h	16 3%	58 10%K	51 7%K	35 5%	45 8%	39 7%	29 7%	30 6%	22 7%	79 9%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	395 19%	220 22%B	175 17%	44 19%	87 25%fGH	69 21%	68 19%	50 16%	78 17%	131 23%K	137 20%	128 17%	108 19%	124 22%	75 18%	88 18%	62 21%	183 21%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	740 36%	365 37%	374 36%	86 38%	129 37%	124 38%	123 34%	106 35%	171 36%	216 37%	247 36%	277 36%	215 39%	193 34%	156 38%	175 35%	115 40%q	296 33%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	700 34%	295 30%	405 39%A	59 26%	103 29%	99 30%	128 36%C	118 39%CDE	192 41%CDE	162 28%	227 33%i	310 40%J	170 31%	201 35%	143 35%	185 38%L	81 28%	304 34%p
NET: Uncomfortable	1439 71%	660 67%	779 75%A	145 64%	233 66%	223 68%	252 70%	224 74%CD	364 77%CDEF	378 65%	474 69%	587 76%J	385 69%	394 69%	300 73%	360 73%	196 68%	600 68%
Mean	-0.93	-0.82B	-1.03	-0.71fGH	-0.85gH	-0.86gH	-0.90H	-1.01	-1.10	-0.80K	-0.88K	-1.07	-0.86o	-0.93	-0.96	-0.98	-0.81	-0.89
Standard deviation	1.03	1.04	1.01	1.09	0.97	1.02	1.10	1.03	0.97	1.02	1.06	0.99	1.04	1.03	1.00	1.04	1.04	1.05
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 59

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A violent offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Comfortable	198 10%	13 7%	7 7%	179 10%	7 8%	27 12%	17 10%	22 12%	24 16%ABKIM	20 10%	21 8%	28 10%	13 7%
Very comfortable	(+2) 55 3%	3 2%	1 1%	50 3%	4 4%	7 3%	5 3%	3 2%	10 6%abhJkm	2 1%	7 3%	9 3%	4 2%
Fairly comfortable	(+1) 144 7%	9 5%	5 5%	129 7%	3 4%	20 9%	12 7%	19 10%km	15 10%k	18 9%k	13 5%	19 7%	9 5%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable	(0) 395 19%	39 22%	17 17%	339 19%	19 22%	41 18%	27 16%	36 20%	31 21%	33 17%	59 21%	57 20%	36 20%
Fairly uncomfortable	(-1) 740 36%	70 40%	36 36%	633 36%	33 39%	86 37%	67 39%	57 32%	45 30%	78 40%i	90 33%	107 38%	70 39%
Very uncomfortable	(-2) 700 34%	54 31%	42 41%	604 34%	26 31%	79 34%	60 35%	66 36%	49 33%	64 33%	105 38%	93 33%	62 34%
NET: Uncomfortable	1439 71%	125 71%	78 77%l	1237 70%	60 70%	165 71%	127 74%l	123 68%	93 63%	142 73%i	195 71%	200 70%	132 73%i
Mean	-0.93	-0.92	-1.09	-0.92	-0.88	-0.90	-0.97	-0.90	-0.73BgKm	-0.94	-0.99	-0.90	-0.98
Standard deviation	1.03	0.95	0.96	1.04	1.03	1.06	1.03	1.06	1.20	0.98	1.02	1.03	0.97
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.09	0.02	0.11	0.07	0.08	0.09	0.10	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.07

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 60

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A violent offence

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Comfortable	198 10%	72 11%cd	61 9%	5 5%	2 3%	1 10%	19 13%cd	31 11%cd	40 8%l	51 11%L	10 11%l	11 11%L	1 2%	2 14%	7 15%L	15 16%HL	3 12%	20 10%l	88 9%	76 10%	85 10%	89 10%
Very comfortable (+2)	55 3%	26 4%B	11 2%	2 2%	1 1%	-	7 5%B	7 3%	14 3%	10 2%	6 6%lQ	3 3%	1 1%	-	1 1%	5 5%q	-	3 1%	30 3%	18 2%	19 2%	32 4%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	144 7%	46 7%	50 8%	3 3%	1 2%	1 10%	12 8%	24 8%cd	27 6%	40 8%L	4 4%	8 8%L	* 1%	2 14%	7 13%HJL	10 11%hL	3 12%	17 9%L	57 6%	58 8%	66 7%	57 6%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	395 19%	112 16%	150 23%AF	22 22%f	17 23%f	1 8%	19 13%	55 19%	77 16%	110 23%HO	22 24%O	15 16%	17 24%O	* 3%	11 23%O	9 10%	5 20%	39 19%o	160 17%	164 22%R	187 21%u	154 17%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	740 36%	252 37%	240 36%	45 46%bF	33 47%F	3 25%	43 29%	103 36%	176 37%O	183 38%O	42 46%O	35 37%O	34 46%O	4 34%	17 34%	21 23%	8 30%	69 34%o	329 34%	295 39%r	344 38%	313 35%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	700 34%	250 36%b	207 31%	27 27%	19 27%	7 57%	66 45%aBCDG4%	96 4%	184 39%lJ	136 28%	19 20%	34 36%J	20 28%	6 48%	14 28%	47 51%HIJKL39% NQ	10 39%	73 37%iJ	377 40%S	226 30%	278 31%	335 38%T
NET: Uncomfortable	1439 71%	502 73%b	447 68%	72 73%	53 74%	11 82%	109 75%	200 70%	360 75%lJn	320 67%	61 66%	69 73%	54 74%	10 82%	30 62%	67 74%	18 68%	142 71%	706 74%S	521 69%	622 70%	648 73%
Mean	-0.93	-0.95	-0.89	-0.94	-0.97	-1.29	-1.03	-0.90	-1.03	-0.82Ho	-0.69Hlo	-0.94	-0.99	-1.16	-0.74h	-1.04	-0.95	-0.96	-1.01	-0.86R	-0.89	-0.97
Standard deviation	1.03	1.07	0.99	0.88	0.82	1.02	1.15	1.04	1.01	1.01	1.05	1.06	0.81	1.08	1.05	1.24	1.05	1.01	1.04	1.00	1.00	1.06
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.10	0.26	0.10	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.11	0.10	0.28	0.15	0.13	0.20	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 61

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A drug offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Comfortable	799 39%	403 41%	396 38%	114 51% ^{EF} GH	167 48% ^{ef} GH	131 40% ^H	144 40% ^H	103 34%	138 29%	282 49% ^{JK}	276 40% ^K	241 31%	235 42% ^o	220 39%	162 39%	182 37%	139 48% ^Q	355 40%
Very comfortable (+2)	173 9%	92 9%	81 8%	27 12% ^{GH}	45 13% ^{GH}	28 9% ^H	32 9% ^H	18 6%	23 5%	71 12% ^{JK}	60 9% ^K	41 5%	52 9%	50 9%	32 8%	39 8%	24 8%	93 10%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	626 31%	312 31%	314 30%	88 39% ^{GH}	123 35% ^H	103 32% ^H	112 31% ^h	85 28%	115 25%	210 36% ^K	215 31% ^K	200 26%	183 33%	170 30%	131 32%	143 29%	116 40% ^Q	262 30%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	641 32%	298 30%	342 33%	63 28%	91 26%	109 33% ^d	116 32%	117 39% ^{CDH}	146 31%	153 27%	224 33% ^l	263 34% ^l	160 29%	191 33%	137 33%	152 31%	82 28%	273 31%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	393 19%	189 19%	204 20%	31 14%	68 19%	52 16%	69 19%	56 18%	117 25% ^{CdEfg}	99 17%	121 18%	173 22% ^{IJ}	105 19%	110 19%	74 18%	104 21%	45 15%	165 19%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	201 10%	102 10%	98 9%	18 8%	26 7%	33 10%	31 9%	26 9%	68 14% ^{CDeFG}	43 8%	64 9%	93 12% ^l	55 10%	50 9%	39 10%	56 11%	24 8%	91 10%
NET: Uncomfortable	594 29%	291 29%	303 29%	49 22%	93 27%	85 26%	100 28%	81 27%	185 39% ^{CDEFG}	142 25%	185 27%	266 35% ^{IJ}	160 29%	160 28%	113 27%	160 32%	68 24%	256 29%
Mean	0.09	0.10	0.07	0.33 ^{ef} GH	0.26 ^{GH}	0.13 ^H	0.13 ^H	0.05 ^H	-0.19	0.29 ^{JK}	0.13 ^K	-0.10	0.13	0.10	0.10	0.01	0.25	0.11
Standard deviation	1.11	1.13	1.09	1.10	1.13	1.10	1.09	1.02	1.11	1.12	1.10	1.08	1.13	1.09	1.08	1.13	1.07	1.14
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 62

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A drug offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Comfortable	799 39%	67 38%	40 39%	691 39%	33 39%	87 37%	67 39%	68 38%	66 44%	70 36%	113 41%	109 38%	78 43%
Very comfortable (+2)	173 9%	9 5%	7 7%	156 9%	9 10%	20 8%	13 8%	14 7%	17 11%a	12 6%	32 11%Aj	21 7%	20 11%a
Fairly comfortable (+1)	626 31%	58 33%	33 32%	535 30%	25 29%	67 29%	54 32%	54 30%	49 33%	58 30%	81 30%	88 31%	58 32%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	641 32%	59 33%	25 24%	557 32%	26 31%	69 30%	57 33%	56 31%	48 32%	65 33%	81 30%	108 38%BfkM	47 26%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	393 19%	35 20%	22 22%	336 19%	17 20%	54 23%il	27 16%	31 17%	21 14%	41 21%	55 20%	47 17%	42 23%il
Very uncomfortable (-2)	201 10%	16 9%	14 14%L	170 10%	9 10%	24 10%	19 11%	26 14%Lm	14 9%	19 10%	26 9%	20 7%	14 8%
NET: Uncomfortable	594 29%	51 29%	37 36%iL	506 29%	26 30%	78 33%iL	47 27%	57 31%	35 24%	60 31%	81 29%	67 24%	56 31%l
Mean	0.09	0.06	-0.04	0.10	0.09	0.02	0.09	-0.01	0.23	0.01	0.14	0.15	0.15
Standard deviation	1.11	1.05	1.19	1.11	1.14	1.12	1.12	1.16	1.12	1.07	1.15	1.02	1.14
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.11	0.03	0.13	0.07	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 63

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A drug offence

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Comfortable	799 39%	210 31%	294 45%A	52 53%AG	33 46%A	3 24%	68 47%A	115 40%A	137 29%	232 48%HQ	47 51%HQ	49 51%HQ	32 45%H	3 28%	32 65%HILOQ	37 40%H	11 44%	70 35%	329 35%	342 45%R	405 45%U	310 35%
Very comfortable (+2)	173 9%	38 6%	74 11%A	8 8%	4 6%	-	15 10%A	32 11%A	22 5%	67 14%Hjo	6 6%	11 11%H	6 9%	-	8 16%Hjo	6 6%	1 4%	21 10%H	64 7%	80 10%R	92 10%u	67 8%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	626 31%	172 25%	220 34%A	44 45%ABG	28 40%A	3 24%	53 36%A	83 29%	115 24%	165 34%HQ	41 44%HQ	38 40%HQ	26 36%h	3 28%	24 50%HIoQ	31 34%h	10 40%	49 24%	265 28%	262 34%R	313 35%U	243 27%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	641 32%	230 33%	200 30%	26 27%	21 30%	4 30%	43 30%	87 31%	158 33%i	129 27%	31 33%	25 27%	22 30%	4 36%	12 24%	24 27%	5 20%	68 34%i	297 31%	236 31%	265 30%	287 32%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	393 19%	170 25%BDFG	119 18%f	17 17%	9 12%	2 16%	16 11%	52 18%f	121 25%JKLN	90 19%N	11 12%	13 14%	9 13%	2 17%	3 6%	15 17%n	2 9%	40 20%N	202 21%	136 18%	165 18%	184 21%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	201 10%	77 11%BC	44 7%	3 3%	9 12%c	4 30%	19 13%BC	32 11%BC	61 13%IJ	30 6%	4 4%	8 8%	9 12%j	2 18%	2 5%	15 16%Jn	7 27%	22 11%ij	126 13%S	47 6%	59 7%	111 12%T
NET: Uncomfortable	594 29%	247 36%BCdFg	163 25%	20 21%	17 24%	6 46%	35 24%	84 29%	182 38%IJKIN	119 25%N	15 16%	21 22%	18 25%n	4 36%	5 11%	30 33%JN	9 36%	62 31%JN	327 34%S	183 24%	224 25%	295 33%T
Mean	0.09	-0.11	0.24A	0.37Ag	0.15a	-0.53	0.20A	0.10A	-0.18	0.31HOQ	0.37HOQ	0.32Hoq	0.16H	-0.26	0.65Hik LOQ	-0.03	-0.16	0.03h	-0.06	0.25R	0.24U	-0.03
Standard deviation	1.11	1.08	1.08	0.97	1.12	1.20	1.17	1.16	1.08	1.12	0.92	1.11	1.15	1.11	0.99	1.19	1.33	1.14	1.13	1.06	1.07	1.13
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.10	0.14	0.31	0.10	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.09	0.11	0.14	0.29	0.14	0.12	0.26	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 64

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A sexual offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Comfortable	128 6%	84 8%B	44 4%	15 7%	19 6%	22 7%	21 6%	22 7%	28 6%	34 6%	43 6%	50 7%	47 8%NO	40 7%n	16 4%	25 5%	24 8%	49 6%
Very comfortable (+2)	61 3%	32 3%	29 3%	9 4%	9 3%	5 2%	11 3%	11 4%	15 3%	18 3%	16 2%	26 3%	18 3%	20 4%	9 2%	13 3%	9 3%	20 2%
Fairly comfortable (+1)	67 3%	53 5%B	15 1%	6 3%	10 3%	17 5%	11 3%	11 4%	13 3%	16 3%	27 4%	24 3%	29 5%NO	19 3%	7 2%	12 2%	16 5%	29 3%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	254 13%	161 16%B	93 9%	27 12%	54 15%E	31 9%	39 11%	40 13%	64 14%e	81 14%j	70 10%	104 13%j	79 14%	70 12%	46 11%	59 12%	33 11%	118 13%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	598 29%	324 33%B	274 26%	57 25%	102 29%	110 34%cFg	94 26%	81 27%	154 33%cf	158 27%	205 30%	235 31%	181 33%o	167 29%	116 28%	134 27%	93 32%	260 29%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	1052 52%	423 43%	629 60%A	127 56%h	177 50%	162 50%	205 57%eH	158 53%	223 47%	304 53%	367 54%	381 49%	248 45%	294 51%L	234 57%L	276 56%L	139 48%	457 52%
NET: Uncomfortable	1651 81%	747 75%	904 87%A	183 81%	279 79%	273 84%	299 83%	239 79%	377 80%	462 80%	572 83%	616 80%	429 77%	462 81%	350 85%L	410 83%L	232 80%	717 81%
Mean	-1.24	-1.06B	-1.40	-1.27	-1.21	-1.26	-1.31	-1.21	-1.19f	-1.24	-1.28	-1.20	-1.10mNO	-1.22n	-1.35	-1.31	-1.17	-1.25
Standard deviation	0.99	1.04	0.92	1.04	0.98	0.94	0.99	1.04	0.99	1.00	0.96	1.01	1.04	1.02	0.91	0.96	1.03	0.96
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.03

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 65

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A sexual offence

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Comfortable	128 6%	11 6%	3 3%	114 7%	5 6%	17 7% <i>m</i>	8 5%	13 7% <i>m</i>	15 10%BKM	13 7% <i>m</i>	12 4%	26 9% <i>bKM</i>	5 3%
Very comfortable	(+2) 61 3%	9 5% <i>bgK</i>	1 1%	51 3%	2 2%	7 3%	3 2%	7 4% <i>k</i>	9 6% <i>bgKm</i>	4 2%	3 1%	12 4% <i>K</i>	4 2%
Fairly comfortable	(+1) 67 3%	2 1%	2 2%	63 4%	3 4% <i>m</i>	10 4% <i>M</i>	6 3% <i>m</i>	6 3%	6 4% <i>m</i>	9 4% <i>aM</i>	9 3% <i>m</i>	14 5% <i>aM</i>	1 1%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable	(0) 254 13%	25 14%	8 7%	221 13%	16 18%Bf	23 10%	19 11%	21 11%	22 15%	24 12%	36 13%	38 13%	23 13%
Fairly uncomfort- able	(-1) 598 29%	43 24%	29 29%	526 30%	19 23%	67 29%	46 27%	63 35% <i>ae</i>	43 29%	62 32%	83 30%	81 28%	63 35% <i>Ae</i>
Very uncomfortable	(-2) 1052 52%	98 55%	62 61% <i>dHIj</i>	893 51%	45 53%	127 54%	98 57% <i>hi</i>	84 47%	69 46%	96 49%	144 52%	140 49%	91 50%
NET: Uncomfortable	1651 81%	141 79%	91 90% <i>DAEijL</i>	1419 81%	64 75%	194 83% <i>i</i>	144 84% <i>i</i>	147 81%	111 75%	158 81%	227 83%	220 77%	153 85% <i>ell</i>
Mean	-1.24	-1.23 <i>b</i>	-1.47	-1.22 <i>B</i>	-1.19 <i>b</i>	-1.27 <i>b</i>	-1.35	-1.17 <i>B</i>	-1.05 <i>BFGKM</i>	-1.21 <i>B</i>	-1.30	-1.13 <i>BGkm</i>	-1.30
Standard deviation	0.99	1.07	0.78	1.00	1.03	1.01	0.91	1.03	1.15	0.98	0.89	1.09	0.86
Standard error	0.02	0.08	0.07	0.02	0.11	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 66

Q.4 To what extent would you be comfortable or uncomfortable working with or regularly doing business with someone who have each of the following convictions?

A sexual offence

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Comfortable	128 6%	55 8%bg	35 5%	6 6%	3 4%	-	11 8%	12 4%	28 6%q	33 7%Q	10 10%Q	8 9%Q	3 4%	-	2 5%	10 11%hQ	3 12%	4 2%	72 8% _s	38 5%	47 5%	71 8% _T
Very comfortable (+2)	61 3%	28 4%b	15 2%	2 2%	2 3%	-	6 4%	7 2%	17 4%	16 3%	2 2%	4 4%	2 3%	-	1 3%	4 4%	-	3 1%	37 4% _S	15 2%	19 2%	36 4% _T
Fairly comfortable (+1)	67 3%	26 4%	20 3%	4 4%	1 1%	-	6 4%	6 2%	11 2%	18 4%q	7 8% _h lQ	5 5%Q	1 1%	-	1 2%	7 8% _{HQ}	3 12%	2 1%	35 4%	24 3%	28 3%	34 4%
Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable (0)	254 13%	73 11%	91 14%	16 16%	9 13%	*	14 9%	36 13%	53 11%	59 12%	14 15%	11 12%	10 13%	1 7%	11 22% _h lO	8 9%	1 2%	28 14%	91 10%	113 15% _R	120 13% _u	92 10%
Fairly uncomfortable (-1)	598 29%	229 33% _d FG	201 31% _{fg}	34 34% _{dfg}	14 20%	5 37%	33 22%	70 24%	159 33% _l O	148 31% _O	34 37% _{LO}	32 33% _O	15 20%	3 25%	15 31% _O	13 14%	6 24%	53 26% _O	259 27%	260 34% _R	282 32%	257 29%
Very uncomfortable (-2)	1052 52%	329 48%	331 50%	42 43%	45 63% _{AbC}	8 60%	88 60% _{ABC}	168 59% _{ABC}	237 50% _j	241 50% _J	35 38%	44 46%	45 62% _h Jkn	8 68%	21 43%	59 65% _{HIJKN} 32%	16 58% _h Jkn	116 56% _S	532 46%	350 46%	445 50%	472 53%
NET: Uncomfortable	1651 81%	558 81%	532 81%	76 78%	59 83%	13 97%	121 83%	237 83%	397 83% _j	389 81%	69 74%	75 79%	59 82%	11 93%	36 74%	72 80%	22 86%	169 84% _j	791 83%	610 80%	727 81%	729 82%
Mean	-1.24	-1.17G	-1.24	-1.14g	-1.38	-1.57	-1.31	-1.35	-1.23q	-1.21q	-0.99hiL oQ	-1.12Q	-1.37	-1.61	-1.09q	-1.30	-1.36	-1.39	-1.27	-1.19	-1.24	-1.23
Standard deviation	0.99	1.04	0.95	0.95	0.97	0.58	1.06	0.94	0.98	1.01	1.04	1.06	0.97	0.64	0.99	1.15	1.01	0.85	1.04	0.93	0.95	1.05
Standard error	0.02	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.12	0.15	0.09	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.17	0.14	0.12	0.19	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 67

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support? Summary

Base: All respondents

	If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	Other
Unweighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
Weighted base	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033	2033
NET: All likely	380 19%	508 25%	801 39%	707 35%	319 16%	972 48%	13 1%
Most likely	92 5%	106 5%	300 15%	188 9%	82 4%	466 23%	1 *
2nd most likely	142 7%	171 8%	296 15%	229 11%	107 5%	287 14%	1 *
3rd most likely	146 7%	231 11%	206 10%	290 14%	131 6%	219 11%	10 1%
No answer	853 42%	726 36%	432 21%	526 26%	914 45%	261 13%	1221 60%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	374 18%	374 18%	374 18%	374 18%	374 18%	374 18%
Don't know	426 21%	426 21%	426 21%	426 21%	426 21%	426 21%	426 21%

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Table 68

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	972 48%	470 47%	503 48%	100 44%	162 46%	152 47%	166 46%	155 51%	238 51%	262 45%	317 46%	393 51%ij	295 53%O	292 51%O	194 47%O	191 39%	143 49%	394 45%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	801 39%	395 40%	406 39%	92 41%	134 38%	125 38%	144 40%	125 41%	181 39%	226 39%	269 39%	306 40%	257 46%MNO	226 39%O	155 38%	163 33%	121 42%	330 37%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	707 35%	363 37%	344 33%	95 42%FH	131 37%h	111 34%	117 33%	106 35%	146 31%	227 39%jK	229 33%	251 33%	197 36%	202 35%	152 37%	155 31%	106 37%	315 36%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	508 25%	259 26%	249 24%	55 24%	95 27%	70 21%	92 26%	76 25%	120 26%	150 26%	162 24%	196 25%	161 29%O	139 24%	107 26%o	101 21%	75 26%	219 25%
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	380 19%	215 22%B	165 16%	50 22%G	74 21%G	58 18%	70 20%g	41 14%	86 18%	124 21%K	128 19%	128 17%	129 23%mo	105 18%o	76 18%	70 14%	56 19%	181 20%

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Table 68

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	319 16%	174 18%B	145 14%	64 28%DEFGH	70 20%GH	51 16%H	55 15%H	35 12%	45 10%	134 23%JK	106 15%K	80 10%	92 17%	89 16%	76 18%O	63 13%	45 16%	173 20%
Other	13 1%	4 *	9 1%	1 1%	4 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%	3 1%	6 1%	2 *	4 1%	4 1%	4 1%	2 *	3 1%	2 1%	2 *

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

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Table 69

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	972 48%	71 40%	51 50%	851 48%a	41 48%	99 42%	78 46%	94 52%af	71 48%	98 50%a	141 51%Af	126 44%	102 56%AFgL
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	801 39%	59 33%	37 36%	706 40%	33 38%	81 35%	61 36%	73 41%	54 36%	88 45%AFg	122 44%Af	111 39%	83 46%AFg
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	707 35%	60 34%	28 27%	618 35%	37 43%Bf	75 32%	55 32%	68 38%	56 38%	64 33%	91 33%	104 37%	67 37%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	508 25%	34 19%	21 20%	453 26%a	19 22%	64 27%ah	34 20%	32 18%	34 23%	49 25%	90 33%ABeGHI	81 29%AgH	49 27%h
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	380 19%	29 16%	22 22%E	329 19%	8 9%	37 16%	30 18%e	44 24%Ef	28 19%e	35 18%e	51 18%e	62 22%E	35 19%e

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

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Table 69

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	319 16%	27 15%	14 13%	279 16%	13 16%	30 13%	28 17%	39 21%Fi	20 13%	30 15%	41 15%	52 18%	26 14%
Other	13 1%	1 *	* *	11 1%	* 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%

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

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Table 70

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Un-likely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	972 48%	328 48%	338 51% ^{DG}	59 60% ^{ADfG}	26 37%	6 48%	70 48%	120 42%	225 47% ^Q	235 49% ^{lQ}	68 73% ^{HIkLO}	57 60% ^{HiLOQ}	25 35%	7 55%	35 72% ^{HILOQ}	38 42%	12 45%	66 33%	410 43%	434 57% ^R	494 55% ^U	392 44%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	801 39%	265 39%	282 43% ^G	51 52% ^{AFG}	27 38%	3 20%	53 36%	101 35%	191 40% ^Q	212 44% ^Q	53 57% ^{HILOQ}	44 47% ^Q	27 38% ^q	2 20%	29 60% ^{HILOQ}	31 44%	9 36%	49 25%	340 36%	353 46% ^R	411 46% ^U	313 35%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	707 35%	229 33%	249 38%	30 31%	29 40%	6 44%	44 30%	98 34%	173 36%	179 37%	30 33%	36 38%	27 38%	3 29%	25 51% ^{hijoQ}	31 34%	7 29%	61 30%	298 31%	295 39% ^R	343 38% ^U	286 32%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	508 25%	178 26%	172 26%	33 33% ^{DG}	12 16%	1 4%	38 26%	60 21%	113 24% ^l	127 27% ^L	41 44% ^{HIKLN}	27 29% ^L	9 13%	2 16%	13 26%	29 32% ^L	7 28%	50 25% ^l	228 24%	218 29% ^R	233 26%	221 25%

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Table 70

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

All likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	380 19%	139 20%	113 17%	27 28%BFG	14 20%	2 17%	23 16%	46 16%	98 20%	85 18%	27 30%hllQ	25 26%iq	11 15%	2 19%	9 18%	17 19%	1 5%	32 16%	158 17%	168 22%R	189 21%	158 18%
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	319 16%	89 13%	121 18%A	16 16%	12 17%	1 11%	19 13%	48 17%	71 15%	95 20%h	14 15%	17 18%	11 15%	3 26%	7 15%	19 21%	4 14%	28 14%	121 13%	141 19%R	171 19%U	114 13%
Other	13 1%	5 1%	6 1%	- -	- -	- -	* *	1 *	3 1%	2 *	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	1 3%i	- -	- -	1 1%	7 1%	3 *	8 1%	5 1%

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Table 71

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	466 23%	210 21%	256 25%	47 21%	70 20%	73 22%	72 20%	79 26%df	125 27%DF	117 20%	145 21%	204 26%J	141 25%O	144 25%O	94 23%o	87 18%	71 24%	182 21%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	300 15%	155 16%	145 14%	36 16%	44 13%	44 14%	57 16%	48 16%	70 15%	81 14%	102 15%	117 15%	106 19%MNO	80 14%	53 13%	61 12%	46 16%	115 13%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	188 9%	99 10%	88 8%	28 13%egH	47 13%EGH	23 7%	40 11%H	21 7%	28 6%	76 13%jK	63 9%k	49 6%	50 9%	46 8%	51 12%mo	41 8%	22 7%	101 11%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	106 5%	53 5%	53 5%	11 5%	24 7%	22 7%	17 5%	11 4%	21 5%	35 6%	38 6%	32 4%	34 6%	29 5%	20 5%	23 5%	19 6%	53 6%
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	92 5%	64 6%B	27 3%	13 6%g	16 5%	13 4%	21 6%g	7 2%	21 5%	29 5%	33 5%	29 4%	29 5%o	28 5%	19 5%	14 3%	12 4%	47 5%

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Table 71

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	82 4%	46 5%	36 3%	17 8%FH	21 6%FH	14 4%H	8 2%	13 4%H	8 2%	38 7%JK	23 3%	21 3%	17 3%	26 4%	16 4%	22 5%	14 5%	40 5%
Other	1 *	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	- -	1 *

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Table 72

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	466 23%	40 23%	17 17%	408 23%	22 26%	46 20%	36 21%	41 23%	33 22%	47 24%	63 23%	69 24%	52 29%BF
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	300 15%	20 11%	15 14%	266 15%	10 11%	31 13%	27 16%	23 13%	20 13%	32 16%	52 19%A	38 13%	34 19%a
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	188 9%	10 6%	9 9%	168 10%	6 8%	18 8%	11 6%	27 15%AFGM	14 10%	21 11%	30 11%a	29 10%	12 6%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	106 5%	10 6%	6 6%	90 5%	7 8%	11 5%	6 4%	12 6%	5 3%	9 5%	13 5%	17 6%	10 6%
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	92 5%	8 5%	6 6%e	77 4%	* 1%	15 6%e	7 4%	5 3%	11 7%Ehk	7 3%	8 3%	16 5%e	9 5%

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Table 72

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	82 4%	5 3%	5 5%	72 4%	5 6%	8 3%	9 5%	9 5%	5 4%	7 3%	13 5%	12 4%	5 3%
Other	1 *	-	-	1 *	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	1 *	-	-

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

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Table 73

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	466 23%	160 23%	160 24%g	34 35%ABdFG:1%	15 7%	1 7%	31 21%	53 19%	109 23%Q	110 23%Q	38 41%HILOQ:0%oQ	28 0%	13 18%	* 4%	20 41%HILOQ:8%	16 8%	6 23%	25 12%	195 20%	212 28%R	240 27%U	183 21%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	300 15%	92 13%	117 18%Ac	9 9%	10 14%	- -	27 19%c	39 14%	67 14%	90 19%hJq	8 8%	12 13%	10 14%	- -	9 18%	14 15%	6 23%	26 13%	134 14%	122 16%	148 17%	121 14%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	188 9%	57 8%	61 9%	12 12%	4 6%	5 37%	13 9%	27 9%	46 10%	48 10%	10 10%	8 9%	2 3%	3 25%	7 15%L	14 15%L	1 4%	17 8%	80 8%	77 10%	89 10%	77 9%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	106 5%	41 6%	38 6%	4 4%	2 3%	1 4%	4 2%	14 5%	25 5%	28 6%	8 9%	7 7%	2 3%	1 13%	1 2%	3 3%	- -	12 6%	48 5%	46 6%	53 6%	43 5%

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Table 73

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Most likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	92 5%	37 5%	27 4%	8 8%fg	5 7%	-	4 3%	9 3%	24 5%	16 3%	10 10%hIQ	9 10%IQ	5 7%	-	3 6%	4 4%	-	6 3%	34 4%	47 6%R	47 5%	40 4%
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	82 4%	24 3%	23 3%	5 5%	4 5%	-	4 3%	17 6%	18 4%	21 4%	5 5%	4 4%	4 6%	2 14%	-	5 5%	* 2%	10 5%	29 3%	32 4%	38 4%	33 4%
Other	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-

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Table 74

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	296 15%	144 14%	152 15%	25 11%	59 17%	40 12%	51 14%	57 19%CEh	63 13%	84 15%	92 13%	120 16%	94 17%LO	85 15%	61 15%	56 11%	47 16%	124 14%
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	287 14%	142 14%	145 14%	25 11%	51 14%	38 12%	58 16%	46 15%	69 15%	76 13%	96 14%	115 15%	86 16%	90 16%	51 12%	59 12%	42 15%	113 13%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	229 11%	113 11%	117 11%	33 15%f	37 11%	50 15%FgH	32 9%	31 10%	47 10%	70 12%	81 12%	78 10%	55 10%	69 12%	47 11%	59 12%	38 13%	101 11%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	171 8%	94 9%	77 7%	32 14%DEFGH	28 8%	22 7%	27 7%	21 7%	41 9%	60 10%j	49 7%	62 8%	49 9%	42 7%	46 11%MO	34 7%	27 9%	69 8%
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	142 7%	72 7%	71 7%	22 10%g	27 8%	23 7%	24 7%	14 5%	32 7%	49 8%	47 7%	46 6%	60 11%MNO	38 7%	19 5%	25 5%	22 8%	67 8%

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2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	107 5%	62 6%b	45 4%	16 7%	21 6%	16 5%	23 6%	11 3%	21 5%	36 6%	39 6%	32 4%	33 6%o	29 5%	28 7%O	16 3%	7 2%	64 7%P
Other	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-

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

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Table 75

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
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If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	287 14%	13 7%	16 16%A	258 15%A	9 11%	29 13%	21 12%	27 15%a	25 17%A	32 17%A	45 16%A	36 13%	33 18%A
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	229 11%	25 14%l	8 8%	197 11%	15 17%bl	24 10%	22 13%l	22 12%i	8 5%	20 10%	28 10%	40 14%l	18 10%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	171 8%	7 4%	6 6%	158 9%A	7 8%	22 9%a	11 6%	11 6%	13 9%	16 8%	32 12%Ag	25 9%a	22 12%Agh
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	142 7%	16 9%f	10 10%Fm	116 7%	4 5%	9 4%	12 7%	24 13%eFiJKM	9 6%	10 5%	17 6%	24 8%f	8 4%

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

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Table 75

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
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Other	1 *	-	-	1 *	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	296 15%	92 13%	96 15%	29 29%ABDFG3%	9 13%	3 20%	18 12%	41 14%	64 13%Q	77 16%oQ	31 34%HIKLO22%hOQ	21 22%	8 11%	2 20%	15 30%HILOQ9%	8 9%	3 13%	13 6%	113 12%	150 20%R	167 19%U	107 12%
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	287 14%	97 14%d	101 15%D	17 17%D	3 5%	-	21 14%d	40 14%d	67 14%l	70 15%L	18 19%L	15 15%l	3 5%	-	7 15%l	12 13%	4 17%	23 11%	114 12%	129 17%R	152 17%U	113 13%
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	229 11%	73 11%	93 14%acg	6 7%	12 17%c	1 7%	14 9%	26 9%	53 11%	73 15%JQ	5 6%	12 12%	13 18%Jq	-	7 14%	8 8%	3 12%	17 9%	105 11%	85 11%	99 11%	99 11%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	171 8%	56 8%	54 8%	9 9%	4 6%	-	19 13%	24 8%	41 9%	34 7%	12 13%i	8 9%	5 7%	* 4%	4 7%	13 14%l	1 3%	21 11%	79 8%	66 9%	71 8%	76 8%

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

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Table 76

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

2nd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	142 7%	55 8%	37 6%	6 6%	9 13%Bg	2 17%	8 5%	17 6%	38 8%	28 6%	8 8%	6 6%	6 8%	2 19%	3 7%	12 13%l	- -	15 7%	62 7%	58 8%	69 8%	62 7%
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	107 5%	38 5%	44 7%f	5 5%	2 3%	1 4%	3 2%	11 4%	27 6%	29 6%	3 3%	8 8%	2 3%	1 13%	4 8%	3 3%	2 8%	7 3%	48 5%	49 6%	58 6%	41 5%
Other	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 77

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

3rd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	290 14%	151 15%	139 13%	34 15%	47 13%	39 12%	46 13%	54 18% ^{Ef}	70 15%	81 14%	84 12%	125 16% ^j	92 17% ^{lO}	88 15% ^o	55 13%	56 11%	47 16%	113 13%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	231 11%	112 11%	119 11%	12 6%	43 12% ^C	26 8%	49 14% ^{CE}	43 14% ^{CE}	58 12% ^{Ce}	55 10%	74 11%	102 13% ⁱ	77 14% ^{nO}	68 12%	40 10%	45 9%	30 10%	97 11%
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	219 11%	118 12%	102 10%	28 12%	41 12%	41 12%	35 10%	30 10%	44 9%	69 12%	76 11%	74 10%	68 12%	58 10%	49 12%	45 9%	30 10%	99 11%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	206 10%	97 10%	109 10%	31 14% ^G	30 9%	40 12% ^G	36 10%	20 6%	49 11% ^g	61 11%	76 11%	69 9%	57 10%	61 11%	41 10%	47 10%	28 10%	91 10%
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	146 7%	79 8%	67 6%	14 6%	31 9%	22 7%	25 7%	20 7%	33 7%	45 8%	48 7%	53 7%	39 7%	39 7%	37 9%	31 6%	22 8%	67 8%

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

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3rd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	131 6%	66 7%	65 6%	32 14% ^d EFGH	28 8% ^{GH}	20 6% ^h	24 7% ^h	11 4%	16 3%	59 10% ^{JK}	44 6% ^K	27 4%	42 7%	34 6%	31 8%	24 5%	24 8%	70 8%
Other	10 1%	4 *	7 1%	1 *	3 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%	2 *	4 1%	2 *	4 *	3 1%	4 1%	1 *	2 *	2 1%	2 *

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

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Table 78

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

3rd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	290 14%	26 15%	11 11%	254 14%	16 19%	34 14%	22 13%	19 11%	34 23% ^a	23 12%	34 12%	35 12%	37 20% ^{bg}
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	231 11%	17 9%	9 9%	205 12%	5 6%	31 13% ^H	17 10%	10 5%	17 11% ^h	24 12% ^H	45 16% ^a	40 14% ^e	18 10%
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	219 11%	17 10%	17 17% ^{dfij}	185 11%	10 12%	23 10%	22 13% ^l	26 15% ^L	13 9%	19 10%	33 12% ^l	21 7%	17 9%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	206 10%	16 9%	9 9%	181 10%	11 13% ⁱ	18 7%	14 8%	26 14% ^{fl}	8 5%	26 13% ^{fl}	24 9%	35 12% ^l	21 12% ⁱ
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	146 7%	5 3%	6 6%	135 8% ^A	3 3%	13 6%	11 6%	15 9% ^A	8 6%	18 9% ^A	25 9% ^A	23 8% ^A	18 10% ^A

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Table 78

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

3rd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	131 6%	12 7%	5 5%	113 6%	5 6%	9 4%	11 6%	20 11%Fijm	7 5%	11 5%	17 6%	24 8%f	9 5%
Other	10 1%	1 *	* *	9 1%	* 1%	1 *	- -	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%

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Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
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If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme	290 14%	98 14%	95 14%	12 12%	13 18%	- -	18 12%	45 16%	73 15%	59 12%	15 17%	16 17%	12 17%	* 4%	10 21% ⁱ	9 10%	3 13%	27 13%	113 12%	133 18% ^R	155 17% ^U	110 12%
If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)	231 11%	81 12% ^g	79 12% ^g	20 21% ^{ABDfG}	5 8%	- -	16 11%	22 8%	46 10%	66 14% ^{hLq}	21 22% ^{HiLQ}	12 12% ^l	3 3%	- -	8 17% ^{Lq}	13 14% ^L	7 25%	16 8%	101 11%	105 14% ^r	109 12%	103 12%
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community	219 11%	71 10%	77 12%	8 9%	8 11%	5 41%	18 12%	27 10%	49 10%	55 11%	12 13%	14 15%	9 12%	6 51%	8 16%	10 11%	1 5%	19 9%	101 11%	93 12%	102 11%	96 11%
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release	206 10%	81 12% ^{Fg}	69 10% ^f	13 13% ^f	8 11%	- -	8 6%	22 8%	59 12% ^Q	44 9%	14 15% ^Q	11 12% ^q	9 12% ^q	- -	6 13% ^q	10 11%	- -	11 5%	93 10%	81 11%	95 11%	85 10%

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Table 79

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

3rd most likely

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
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If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year	146 7%	47 7% ^d	49 7% ^D	13 14% ^{AbDg}	-	-	11 8% ^D	20 7% ^d	35 7% ^{Lo}	41 9% ^{LO}	10 11% ^{LO}	10 10% ^{LO}	-	-	3 5% ^l	2 2%	1 5%	11 5% ^l	61 6%	63 8%	73 8%	57 6%
A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles	131 6%	28 4%	54 8% ^A	5 6%	6 9%	1 7%	11 8% ^a	20 7% ^a	25 5%	46 10% ^H	6 6%	5 5%	5 7%	-	3 7%	11 12% ^{Hq}	1 4%	11 6%	44 5%	60 8% ^R	75 8% ^U	40 5%
Other	10 1%	5 1%	4 1%	-	-	-	* *	1 *	3 1%	1 *	-	1 1%	-	-	1 3% ^l	-	-	1 1%	7 1%	2 *	5 1%	5 1%

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Table 80

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year**

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	380	215	165	50	74	58	70	41	86	124	128	128	129	105	76	70	56	181
	19%	22%B	16%	22%G	21%G	18%	20%g	14%	18%	21%K	19%	17%	23% ^m O	18% ^o	18%	14%	19%	20%
Most likely	92	64	27	13	16	13	21	7	21	29	33	29	29	28	19	14	12	47
	5%	6%B	3%	6%g	5%	4%	6%g	2%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5% ^o	5%	5%	3%	4%	5%
2nd most likely	142	72	71	22	27	23	24	14	32	49	47	46	60	38	19	25	22	67
	7%	7%	7%	10%g	8%	7%	7%	5%	7%	8%	7%	6%	11% ^{MNO}	7%	5%	5%	8%	8%
3rd most likely	146	79	67	14	31	22	25	20	33	45	48	53	39	39	37	31	22	67
	7%	8%	6%	6%	9%	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	7%	7%	9%	6%	8%	8%
No answer	853	411	442	103	149	131	145	138	187	252	276	325	249	247	178	179	127	357
	42%	41%	42%	46%	42%	40%	40%	46%	40%	44%	40%	42%	45% ^O	43% ^O	43% ^o	36%	44%	40%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	180	193	29	54	61	61	67	101	83	122	169	74	104	78	118	45	158
	18%	18%	19%	13%	15%	19%	17%	22% ^{CD}	22% ^{CD}	14%	18%	22% ^{lj}	13%	18% ^L	19% ^L	24% ^{LM}	16%	18%
Don't know	426	186	240	44	75	75	84	54	95	118	159	149	103	116	81	127	62	188
	21%	19%	23%A	19%	21%	23%	23%	18%	20%	21%	23% ^k	19%	18%	20%	20%	26% ^{LMn}	21%	21%

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Table 81

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year**

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	380 19%	29 16%	22 22%E	329 19%	8 9%	37 16%	30 18%e	44 24%Ef	28 19%e	35 18%e	51 18%e	62 22%E	35 19%e
Most likely	92 5%	8 5%	6 6%e	77 4%	* 1%	15 6%e	7 4%	5 3%	11 7%Ehk	7 3%	8 3%	16 5%e	9 5%
2nd most likely	142 7%	16 9%f	10 10%Fm	116 7%	4 5%	9 4%	12 7%	24 13%eFIJKM	9 6%	10 5%	17 6%	24 8%f	8 4%
3rd most likely	146 7%	5 3%	6 6%	135 8%A	3 3%	13 6%	11 6%	15 9%A	8 6%	18 9%A	25 9%A	23 8%A	18 10%A
No answer	853 42%	65 36%	35 35%	753 43%	43 50%ab	92 39%	66 39%	73 41%	60 40%	87 45%	128 47%ab	117 41%	87 48%AB
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HIKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 82

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If the Government offered employers a National Insurance Contribution tax break on ex-offenders' salary costs, worth up to £1,400 per year

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	380	139	113	27	14	2	23	46	98	85	27	25	11	2	9	17	1	32	158	168	189	158
	19%	20%	17%	28%BFG	20%	17%	16%	16%	20%	18%	30%hllQ	26%iq	15%	19%	18%	19%	5%	16%	17%	22%R	21%	18%
Most likely	92	37	27	8	5	-	4	9	24	16	10	9	5	-	3	4	-	6	34	47	47	40
	5%	5%	4%	8%fg	7%	-	3%	3%	5%	3%	10%hllQ	10%lQ	7%	-	6%	4%	-	3%	4%	6%R	5%	4%
2nd most likely	142	55	37	6	9	2	8	17	38	28	8	6	6	2	3	12	-	15	62	58	69	62
	7%	8%	6%	6%	13%Bg	17%	5%	6%	8%	6%	8%	6%	8%	19%	7%	13%l	-	7%	7%	8%	8%	7%
3rd most likely	146	47	49	13	-	-	11	20	35	41	10	10	-	-	3	2	1	11	61	63	73	57
	7%	7% ^d	7% ^D	14%AbDg	-	-	8% ^D	7% ^d	7% ^{Lo}	9% ^{LO}	11% ^{LO}	10% ^{LO}	-	-	5% ^l	2%	5%	5% ^l	6%	8%	8%	6%
No answer	853	272	314	45	26	4	59	112	193	227	50	44	26	4	31	38	12	64	363	369	428	338
	42%	40%	48%AG	46%	36%	31%	40%	39%	40% ^q	47% ^{hQ}	54% ^{HIQ}	46% ^Q	36%	36%	63% ^{HikLO42%Q}	47%	32%	38%	49% ^R	48% ^U	38%	
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	147	95	13	17	4	32	54	103	72	9	13	18	2	4	19	9	50	237	89	116	211
	18%	21%Bc	14%	13%	24% ^b	29%	22% ^B	19%	22% ^{lJn}	15%	10%	14%	25% ^{iJn}	20%	9%	21% ^{jn}	34%	25% ^{lJkn}	25% ^S	12%	13%	24% ^T
Don't know	426	128	136	13	14	3	32	73	84	97	6	13	18	3	5	17	3	55	196	134	161	184
	21%	19%	21%	14%	20%	23%	22%	26% ^{AC}	18% ^J	20% ^{Jn}	6%	13%	24% ^{Jn}	25%	10%	18% ^J	14%	27% ^{HIJKN21%}	18%	18%	18%	21%

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

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Table 83

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	508	259	249	55	95	70	92	76	120	150	162	196	161	139	107	101	75	219
	25%	26%	24%	24%	27%	21%	26%	25%	26%	26%	24%	25%	29% ^O	24%	26% ^o	21%	26%	25%
Most likely	106	53	53	11	24	22	17	11	21	35	38	32	34	29	20	23	19	53
	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%	7%	5%	4%	5%	6%	6%	4%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%	6%
2nd most likely	171	94	77	32	28	22	27	21	41	60	49	62	49	42	46	34	27	69
	8%	9%	7%	14% ^{DEFG} ^h	8%	7%	7%	7%	9%	10% ^j	7%	8%	9%	7%	11% ^m ^O	7%	9%	8%
3rd most likely	231	112	119	12	43	26	49	43	58	55	74	102	77	68	40	45	30	97
	11%	11%	11%	6%	12% ^C	8%	14% ^{CE}	14% ^{CE}	12% ^{Ce}	10%	11%	13% ⁱ	14% ⁿ ^O	12%	10%	9%	10%	11%
No answer	726	368	358	97	129	119	123	104	153	226	243	257	218	213	147	148	108	319
	36%	37%	34%	43% ^{fg} ^H	37%	37%	34%	34%	33%	39% ^k	35%	33%	39% ^o	37% ^O	36%	30%	37%	36%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	180	193	29	54	61	61	67	101	83	122	169	74	104	78	118	45	158
	18%	18%	19%	13%	15%	19%	17%	22% ^{CD}	22% ^{CD}	14%	18%	22% ^{lj}	13%	18% ^L	19% ^L	24% ^{LM}	16%	18%
Don't know	426	186	240	44	75	75	84	54	95	118	159	149	103	116	81	127	62	188
	21%	19%	23% ^A	19%	21%	23%	23%	18%	20%	21%	23% ^k	19%	18%	20%	20%	26% ^{LMn}	21%	21%

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Table 84

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	508 25%	34 19%	21 20%	453 26%a	19 22%	64 27%ah	34 20%	32 18%	34 23%	49 25%	90 33%ABeGHi	81 29%AgH	49 27%h
Most likely	106 5%	10 6%	6 6%	90 5%	7 8%	11 5%	6 4%	12 6%	5 3%	9 5%	13 5%	17 6%	10 6%
2nd most likely	171 8%	7 4%	6 6%	158 9%A	7 8%	22 9%a	11 6%	11 6%	13 9%	16 8%	32 12%Ag	25 9%a	22 12%Agh
3rd most likely	231 11%	17 9%	9 9%	205 12%	5 6%	31 13%H	17 10%	10 5%	17 11%h	24 12%H	45 16%aEgHm	40 14%eH	18 10%
No answer	726 36%	60 34%	37 36%	629 36%	32 37%	65 28%	62 36%f	85 47%AFgiKL	53 36%	73 37%f	89 32%	98 34%	72 40%F
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HiKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 85

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

If the Government allowed employers to pay for ex-offenders' training using money from the apprenticeship levy (a levy on UK employers to fund new apprenticeships)

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	508 25%	178 26%	172 26%	33 33% ^{DG}	12 16%	1 4%	38 26%	60 21%	113 24% ^l	127 27% ^L	41 44% ^{HIKLN}	27 29% ^L	9 13%	2 16%	13 26%	29 32% ^L	7 28%	50 25% ^l	228 24%	218 29% ^R	233 26%	221 25%
Most likely	106 5%	41 6%	38 6%	4 4%	2 3%	1 4%	4 2%	14 5%	25 5%	28 6%	8 9%	7 7%	2 3%	1 13%	1 2%	3 3%	- -	12 6%	48 5%	46 6%	53 6%	43 5%
2nd most likely	171 8%	56 8%	54 8%	9 9%	4 6%	- -	19 13%	24 8%	41 9%	34 7%	12 13% ⁱ	8 9%	5 7%	* 4%	4 7%	13 14% ^l	1 3%	21 11%	79 8%	66 9%	71 8%	76 8%
3rd most likely	231 11%	81 12% ^g	79 12% ^g	20 21% ^{ABDfG}	5 8%	- -	16 11%	22 8%	46 10%	66 14% ^{hLq}	21 22% ^{HiLQ}	12 12% ^l	3 3%	- -	8 17% ^{Lq}	13 14% ^L	7 25%	16 8%	101 11%	105 14% ^r	109 12%	103 12%
No answer	726 36%	233 34%	255 39% ^{af}	39 40%	28 40%	6 44%	44 30%	99 34%	178 37% ^Q	184 38% ^Q	37 40% ^Q	42 44% ^{OQ}	28 38% ^Q	5 39%	27 56% ^{HjJO}	26 29%	6 24%	46 23%	293 31%	320 42% ^R	383 43% ^U	275 31%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	147 21% ^{Bc}	95 14%	13 13%	17 24% ^b	4 29%	32 22% ^B	54 19%	103 22% ^{lJn}	72 15%	9 10%	13 14%	18 25% ^{iJn}	2 20%	4 9%	19 21% ^{jn}	9 34%	50 25% ^{lJKN}	237 25% ^S	89 12%	116 13%	211 24% ^T
Don't know	426 21%	128 19%	136 21%	13 14%	14 20%	3 23%	32 22%	73 26% ^{AC}	84 18% ^J	97 20% ^{Jn}	6 6%	13 13%	18 24% ^{Jn}	3 25%	5 10%	17 18% ^J	3 14%	55 27% ^{HiJKN}	196 21%	134 18%	161 18%	184 21%

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Table 86

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release**

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	801	395	406	92	134	125	144	125	181	226	269	306	257	226	155	163	121	330
	39%	40%	39%	41%	38%	38%	40%	41%	39%	39%	39%	40%	46%MNO	39%O	38%	33%	42%	37%
Most likely	300	155	145	36	44	44	57	48	70	81	102	117	106	80	53	61	46	115
	15%	16%	14%	16%	13%	14%	16%	16%	15%	14%	15%	15%	19%MNO	14%	13%	12%	16%	13%
2nd most likely	296	144	152	25	59	40	51	57	63	84	92	120	94	85	61	56	47	124
	15%	14%	15%	11%	17%	12%	14%	19%CEh	13%	15%	13%	16%	17%O	15%	15%	11%	16%	14%
3rd most likely	206	97	109	31	30	40	36	20	49	61	76	69	57	61	41	47	28	91
	10%	10%	10%	14%G	9%	12%G	10%	6%	11%g	11%	11%	9%	10%	11%	10%	10%	10%	10%
No answer	432	231	201	60	89	65	71	55	92	150	135	147	121	126	99	86	62	208
	21%	23%B	19%	27%fGh	25%gh	20%	20%	18%	20%	26%JK	20%	19%	22%o	22%o	24%O	17%	21%	24%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	180	193	29	54	61	61	67	101	83	122	169	74	104	78	118	45	158
	18%	18%	19%	13%	15%	19%	17%	22%CD	22%CD	14%	18%	22%lj	13%	18%L	19%L	24%LM	16%	18%
Don't know	426	186	240	44	75	75	84	54	95	118	159	149	103	116	81	127	62	188
	21%	19%	23%A	19%	21%	23%	23%	18%	20%	21%	23%k	19%	18%	20%	20%	26%LMn	21%	21%

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Table 87

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release**

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	801 39%	59 33%	37 36%	706 40%	33 38%	81 35%	61 36%	73 41%	54 36%	88 45%AFg	122 44%Af	111 39%	83 46%AFg
Most likely	300 15%	20 11%	15 14%	266 15%	10 11%	31 13%	27 16%	23 13%	20 13%	32 16%	52 19%A	38 13%	34 19%a
2nd most likely	296 15%	24 13%	13 13%	259 15%	12 15%	32 14%	21 12%	25 14%	26 17%	31 16%	46 17%	38 13%	28 16%
3rd most likely	206 10%	16 9%	9 9%	181 10%	11 13%i	18 7%	14 8%	26 14%fl	8 5%	26 13%fl	24 9%	35 12%l	21 12%i
No answer	432 21%	35 20%	21 20%	377 21%	18 21%	48 20%	35 21%	44 24%	34 23%	34 17%	57 21%	69 24%j	38 21%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HiKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 88

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were able to work with the person while they were in prison to prepare them for work after their release**

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	801	265	282	51	27	3	53	101	191	212	53	44	27	2	29	31	9	49	340	353	411	313
	39%	39%	43%G	52%AFG	38%	20%	36%	35%	40%Q	44%Q	57%HILOQI7%Q	38%q	20%	60%HILOQ34%	36%	25%	36%	46%R	46%U	46%U	35%	
Most likely	300	92	117	9	10	-	27	39	67	90	8	12	10	-	9	14	6	26	134	122	148	121
	15%	13%	18%Ac	9%	14%	-	19%c	14%	14%	19%hJq	8%	13%	14%	-	18%	15%	23%	13%	14%	16%	17%	14%
2nd most likely	296	92	96	29	9	3	18	41	64	77	31	21	8	2	15	8	3	13	113	150	167	107
	15%	13%	15%	29%ABDFG3%	20%	12%	14%	14%	13%Q	16%oQ	34%HIKLO22%hOQ	11%	20%	30%HILOQ9%	13%	6%	12%	20%R	19%U	12%		
3rd most likely	206	81	69	13	8	-	8	22	59	44	14	11	9	-	6	10	-	11	93	81	95	85
	10%	12%Fg	10%f	13%f	11%	-	6%	8%	12%Q	9%	15%Q	12%q	12%q	-	13%q	11%	-	5%	10%	11%	11%	10%
No answer	432	146	144	21	13	4	29	57	100	100	25	25	10	4	10	24	4	46	181	184	205	184
	21%	21%	22%	21%	18%	28%	20%	20%	21%	21%	27%l	26%l	13%	35%	21%	26%l	16%	23%	19%	24%R	23%	21%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	147	95	13	17	4	32	54	103	72	9	13	18	2	4	19	9	50	237	89	116	211
	18%	21%Bc	14%	13%	24%b	29%	22%B	19%	22%lJn	15%	10%	14%	25%lJn	20%	9%	21%jn	34%	25%lJkN	25%S	12%	13%	24%T
Don't know	426	128	136	13	14	3	32	73	84	97	6	13	18	3	5	17	3	55	196	134	161	184
	21%	19%	21%	14%	20%	23%	22%	26%AC	18%J	20%Jn	6%	13%	24%Jn	25%	10%	18%J	14%	27%HIJKN21%	18%	18%	18%	21%

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

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Table 89

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme**

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	707	363	344	95	131	111	117	106	146	227	229	251	197	202	152	155	106	315
	35%	37%	33%	42%FH	37%h	34%	33%	35%	31%	39%jK	33%	33%	36%	35%	37%	31%	37%	36%
Most likely	188	99	88	28	47	23	40	21	28	76	63	49	50	46	51	41	22	101
	9%	10%	8%	13%egH	13%EGH	7%	11%H	7%	6%	13%jK	9%k	6%	9%	8%	12%mo	8%	7%	11%
2nd most likely	229	113	117	33	37	50	32	31	47	70	81	78	55	69	47	59	38	101
	11%	11%	11%	15%f	11%	15%FgH	9%	10%	10%	12%	12%	10%	10%	12%	11%	12%	13%	11%
3rd most likely	290	151	139	34	47	39	46	54	70	81	84	125	92	88	55	56	47	113
	14%	15%	13%	15%	13%	12%	13%	18%Ef	15%	14%	12%	16%j	17%O	15%o	13%	11%	16%	13%
No answer	526	263	263	57	92	78	98	74	128	149	176	202	181	150	102	94	77	223
	26%	27%	25%	25%	26%	24%	27%	25%	27%	26%	26%	26%	33%MNO	26%O	25%o	19%	26%	25%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	180	193	29	54	61	61	67	101	83	122	169	74	104	78	118	45	158
	18%	18%	19%	13%	15%	19%	17%	22%CD	22%CD	14%	18%	22%lj	13%	18%L	19%L	24%LM	16%	18%
Don't know	426	186	240	44	75	75	84	54	95	118	159	149	103	116	81	127	62	188
	21%	19%	23%A	19%	21%	23%	23%	18%	20%	21%	23%k	19%	18%	20%	20%	26%LMn	21%	21%

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

Offenders Employment Survey

ONLINE Fieldwork: 15th to 17th March 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 90

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme**

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	707 35%	60 34%	28 27%	618 35%	37 43%Bf	75 32%	55 32%	68 38%	56 38%	64 33%	91 33%	104 37%	67 37%
Most likely	188 9%	10 6%	9 9%	168 10%	6 8%	18 8%	11 6%	27 15%AFGM	14 10%	21 11%	30 11%a	29 10%	12 6%
2nd most likely	229 11%	25 14%l	8 8%	197 11%	15 17%bl	24 10%	22 13%l	22 12%i	8 5%	20 10%	28 10%	40 14%l	18 10%
3rd most likely	290 14%	26 15%	11 11%	254 14%	16 19%	34 14%	22 13%	19 11%	34 23%aBfGHJKL	23 12%	34 12%	35 12%	37 20%bgHJKL
No answer	526 26%	33 19%	30 29%ae	464 26%A	13 16%	53 23%	41 24%	49 27%e	31 21%	58 30%AE	88 32%AEFI	75 26%ae	54 30%AEI
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HIKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 91

**Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If employers were seen as a socially responsible by joining a 'Second Chances' scheme**

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Un-likely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	707	229	249	30	29	6	44	98	173	179	30	36	27	3	25	31	7	61	298	295	343	286
	35%	33%	38%	31%	40%	44%	30%	34%	36%	37%	33%	38%	38%	29%	51%hijoQ	34%	29%	30%	31%	39%R	38%U	32%
Most likely	188	57	61	12	4	5	13	27	46	48	10	8	2	3	7	14	1	17	80	77	89	77
	9%	8%	9%	12%	6%	37%	9%	9%	10%	10%	10%	9%	3%	25%	15%L	15%L	4%	8%	8%	10%	10%	9%
2nd most likely	229	73	93	6	12	1	14	26	53	73	5	12	13	-	7	8	3	17	105	85	99	99
	11%	11%	14%acg	7%	17%c	7%	9%	9%	11%	15%JQ	6%	12%	18%Jq	-	14%	8%	12%	9%	11%	11%	11%	11%
3rd most likely	290	98	95	12	13	-	18	45	73	59	15	16	12	*	10	9	3	27	113	133	155	110
	14%	14%	14%	12%	18%	-	12%	16%	15%	12%	17%	17%	17%	4%	21%i	10%	13%	13%	12%	18%R	17%U	12%
No answer	526	182	178	42	11	1	38	60	118	132	47	33	10	3	15	25	6	35	223	243	273	210
	26%	27%d	27%dg	43%ABDFG5%	4%	26%	21%	25%lq	28%LQ	51%HIKLN34%hLQ	13%	26%	31%LQ	27%lq	23%	17%	23%	23%	32%R	31%U	24%	
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	147	95	13	17	4	32	54	103	72	9	13	18	2	4	19	9	50	237	89	116	211
	18%	21%Bc	14%	13%	24%b	29%	22%B	19%	22%Jn	15%	10%	14%	25%iJn	20%	9%	21%jn	34%	25%lJkN	25%S	12%	13%	24%T
Don't know	426	128	136	13	14	3	32	73	84	97	6	13	18	3	5	17	3	55	196	134	161	184
	21%	19%	21%	14%	20%	23%	22%	26%AC	18%J	20%Jn	6%	13%	24%Jn	25%	10%	18%J	14%	27%HiJKN21%	18%	18%	18%	21%

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 92

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	319 16%	174 18%B	145 14%	64 28% DEF	70 20% GH	51 16% H	55 15% H	35 12%	45 10%	134 23% JK	106 15% K	80 10%	92 17%	89 16%	76 18% O	63 13%	45 16%	173 20%
Most likely	82 4%	46 5%	36 3%	17 8% FH	21 6% FH	14 4% H	8 2%	13 4% H	8 2%	38 7% JK	23 3%	21 3%	17 3%	26 4%	16 4%	22 5%	14 5%	40 5%
2nd most likely	107 5%	62 6% b	45 4%	16 7%	21 6%	16 5%	23 6%	11 3%	21 5%	36 6%	39 6%	32 4%	33 6% o	29 5%	28 7% O	16 3%	7 2%	64 7% P
3rd most likely	131 6%	66 7%	65 6%	32 14% d EFGH	28 8% GH	20 6% h	24 7% h	11 4%	16 3%	59 10% JK	44 6% K	27 4%	42 7%	34 6%	31 8%	24 5%	24 8%	70 8%
No answer	914 45%	453 46%	461 44%	88 39%	154 44%	139 43%	160 45%	145 48% c	228 49% C	242 42%	299 44%	373 48% lj	286 52% m NO	263 46% O	178 43%	186 38%	138 47%	365 41%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	180 18%	193 19%	29 13%	54 15%	61 19%	61 17%	67 22% CD	101 22% CD	83 14%	122 18%	169 22% lj	74 13%	104 18% L	78 19% L	118 24% LM	45 16%	158 18%
Don't know	426 21%	186 19%	240 23% A	44 19%	75 21%	75 23%	84 23%	54 18%	95 20%	118 21%	159 23% k	149 19%	103 18%	116 20%	81 20%	127 26% LMn	62 21%	188 21%

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 93

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

A Government initiative to include convictions as a part of 'blind recruitment' (removing identification details from candidates' CV or applications) in the early stages of recruitment, except for sensitive roles

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	319 16%	27 15%	14 13%	279 16%	13 16%	30 13%	28 17%	39 21%Fi	20 13%	30 15%	41 15%	52 18%	26 14%
Most likely	82 4%	5 3%	5 5%	72 4%	5 6%	8 3%	9 5%	9 5%	5 4%	7 3%	13 5%	12 4%	5 3%
2nd most likely	107 5%	9 5%	4 4%	94 5%	3 4%	12 5%	9 5%	10 5%	7 5%	12 6%	11 4%	17 6%	12 7%
3rd most likely	131 6%	12 7%	5 5%	113 6%	5 6%	9 4%	11 6%	20 11%Fijm	7 5%	11 5%	17 6%	24 8%f	9 5%
No answer	914 45%	67 38%	44 43%	803 46%a	37 43%	99 42%	68 40%	79 43%	68 46%	92 47%a	138 50%AG	127 45%	95 53%AfG
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HiKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 94

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Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention								2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote			
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	319 16%	89 13%	121 18%A	16 16%	12 17%	1 11%	19 13%	48 17%	71 15%	95 20%h	14 15%	17 18%	11 15%	3 26%	7 15%	19 21%	4 14%	28 14%	121 13%	141 19%R	171 19%U	114 13%
Most likely	82 4%	24 3%	23 3%	5 5%	4 5%	- 3%	4 3%	17 6%	18 4%	21 4%	5 5%	4 4%	4 6%	2 14%	- 5%	5 2%	* 2%	10 5%	29 3%	32 4%	38 4%	33 4%
2nd most likely	107 5%	38 5%	44 7%f	5 5%	2 3%	1 4%	3 2%	11 4%	27 6%	29 6%	3 3%	8 8%	2 3%	1 13%	4 8%	3 3%	2 8%	7 3%	48 5%	49 6%	58 6%	41 5%
3rd most likely	131 6%	28 4%	54 8%A	5 6%	6 9%	1 7%	11 8%a	20 7%a	25 5%	46 10%H	6 6%	5 5%	5 7%	- -	3 7%	11 12%Hq	1 4%	11 6%	44 5%	60 8%R	75 8%U	40 5%
No answer	914 45%	322 47%G	305 46%G	56 57%abDfG39%	28 39%	5 37%	64 44%	110 38%	220 46%Q	217 45%Q	64 69%HIkLO55%LoQ	52 55%	26 36%	3 29%	32 66%HILOQ40%	36 40%	10 39%	68 34%	400 42%	397 52%R	445 50%U	382 43%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	147 21%Bc	95 14%	13 13%	17 24%b	4 29%	32 22%B	54 19%	103 22%lJn	72 15%	9 10%	13 14%	18 25%iJn	2 20%	4 9%	19 21%jn	9 34%	50 25%lJkN	237 25%S	89 12%	116 13%	211 24%T
Don't know	426 21%	128 19%	136 21%	13 14%	14 20%	3 23%	32 22%	73 26%AC	84 18%J	97 20%Jn	6 6%	13 13%	18 24%Jn	3 25%	5 10%	17 18%J	3 14%	55 27%HIJKN21%	196 21%	134 18%	161 18%	184 21%

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

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Table 95

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community

Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	972	470	503	100	162	152	166	155	238	262	317	393	295	292	194	191	143	394
	48%	47%	48%	44%	46%	47%	46%	51%	51%	45%	46%	51%ij	53%O	51%O	47%O	39%	49%	45%
Most likely	466	210	256	47	70	73	72	79	125	117	145	204	141	144	94	87	71	182
	23%	21%	25%	21%	20%	22%	20%	26%df	27%DF	20%	21%	26%J	25%O	25%O	23%o	18%	24%	21%
2nd most likely	287	142	145	25	51	38	58	46	69	76	96	115	86	90	51	59	42	113
	14%	14%	14%	11%	14%	12%	16%	15%	15%	13%	14%	15%	16%	16%	12%	12%	15%	13%
3rd most likely	219	118	102	28	41	41	35	30	44	69	76	74	68	58	49	45	30	99
	11%	12%	10%	12%	12%	12%	10%	10%	9%	12%	11%	10%	12%	10%	12%	9%	10%	11%
No answer	261	157	104	53	61	38	50	25	35	114	87	60	83	61	59	58	40	144
	13%	16%B	10%	23%EFGH	17%eGH	12%h	14%GH	8%	7%	20%JK	13%K	8%	15%M	11%	14%	12%	14%	16%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374	180	193	29	54	61	61	67	101	83	122	169	74	104	78	118	45	158
	18%	18%	19%	13%	15%	19%	17%	22%CD	22%CD	14%	18%	22%lj	13%	18%L	19%L	24%LM	16%	18%
Don't know	426	186	240	44	75	75	84	54	95	118	159	149	103	116	81	127	62	188
	21%	19%	23%A	19%	21%	23%	23%	18%	20%	21%	23%k	19%	18%	20%	20%	26%LMn	21%	21%

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

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 96

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

If there was active support for employers and the ex-offender to ensure they were well-supported during the transition from prison into the community

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	972 48%	71 40%	51 50%	851 48%a	41 48%	99 42%	78 46%	94 52%af	71 48%	98 50%a	141 51%Af	126 44%	102 56%AFgL
Most likely	466 23%	40 23%	17 17%	408 23%	22 26%	46 20%	36 21%	41 23%	33 22%	47 24%	63 23%	69 24%	52 29%BF
2nd most likely	287 14%	13 7%	16 16%A	258 15%A	9 11%	29 13%	21 12%	27 15%a	25 17%A	32 17%A	45 16%A	36 13%	33 18%A
3rd most likely	219 11%	17 10%	17 17%dfijLm	185 11%	10 12%	23 10%	22 13%l	26 15%L	13 9%	19 10%	33 12%l	21 7%	17 9%
No answer	261 13%	23 13%	7 7%	232 13%b	9 11%	30 13%	18 11%	23 13%	17 11%	24 12%	38 14%b	53 19%BGijM	19 11%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HIKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	972 48%	328 48%	338 51% ^{DG}	59 60% ^{ADfG}	26 37%	6 48%	70 48%	120 42%	225 47% ^Q	235 49% ^{IQ}	68 73% ^{HikLO}	57 60% ^{HiLOQ}	25 35%	7 55%	35 72% ^{HILOQ}	38 2%	12 45%	66 33%	410 43%	434 57% ^R	494 55% ^U	392 44%
Most likely	466 23%	160 23%	160 24% ^g	34 35% ^{ABdFG}	15 21%	1 7%	31 21%	53 19%	109 23% ^Q	110 23% ^Q	38 41% ^{HILOQ}	28 30% ^{oQ}	13 18%	* 4%	20 41% ^{HILOQ}	16 8%	6 23%	25 12%	195 20%	212 28% ^R	240 27% ^U	183 21%
2nd most likely	287 14%	97 14% ^d	101 15% ^D	17 17% ^D	3 5%	-	21 14% ^d	40 14% ^d	67 14% ^l	70 15% ^L	18 19% ^L	15 15% ^l	3 5%	7 15% ^l	12 13%	4 17%	23 11%	114 12%	129 17% ^R	152 17% ^U	113 13%	
3rd most likely	219 11%	71 10%	77 12%	8 9%	8 11%	5 41%	18 12%	27 10%	49 10%	55 11%	12 13%	14 15%	9 12%	6 51%	8 16%	10 11%	1 5%	19 9%	101 11%	93 12%	102 11%	96 11%
No answer	261 13%	83 12%	89 14%	13 13%	14 19% ^f	-	13 9%	38 13%	66 14%	77 16%	9 10%	12 12%	12 16%	-	5 10%	17 19%	2 7%	29 15%	111 12%	103 14%	123 14%	105 12%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	147 21% ^{Bc}	95 14%	13 13%	17 24% ^b	4 29%	32 22% ^B	54 19%	103 22% ^{iJn}	72 15%	9 10%	13 14%	18 25% ^{iJn}	2 20%	4 9%	19 21% ^{jn}	9 34%	50 25% ^{iJkn}	237 25% ^S	89 12%	116 13%	211 24% ^T
Don't know	426 21%	128 19%	136 21%	13 14%	14 20%	3 23%	32 22%	73 26% ^{AC}	84 18% ^J	97 20% ^{Jn}	6 6%	13 13%	18 24% ^{Jn}	3 25%	5 10%	17 18% ^J	3 14%	55 27% ^{HiJKN}	196 21%	134 18%	161 18%	184 21%

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

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Table 98

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
Other

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: All likely	13 1%	4 *	9 1%	1 1%	4 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%	3 1%	6 1%	2 *	4 1%	4 1%	4 1%	2 *	3 1%	2 1%	2 *
Most likely	1 *	-	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-	1 *	1 *	-	-	1 *	-	1 *
2nd most likely	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-
3rd most likely	10 1%	4 *	7 1%	1 *	3 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%	2 *	4 1%	2 *	4 *	3 1%	4 1%	1 *	2 *	2 1%	2 *
No answer	1221 60%	623 63%B	598 57%	151 67%eH	219 62%	188 58%	214 59%	178 59%	271 58%	370 64%jk	402 59%	449 58%	374 67%MnO	348 61%O	252 61%O	246 50%	181 62%	535 61%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	180 18%	193 19%	29 13%	54 15%	61 19%	61 17%	67 22%CD	101 22%CD	83 14%	122 18%	169 22%lj	74 13%	104 18%L	78 19%L	118 24%LM	45 16%	158 18%
Don't know	426 21%	186 19%	240 23%A	44 19%	75 21%	75 23%	84 23%	54 18%	95 20%	118 21%	159 23%k	149 19%	103 18%	116 20%	81 20%	127 26%LMn	62 21%	188 21%

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

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Table 99

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?
Other

Base: All respondents

	Region												
	Total	Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: All likely	13 1%	1 *	* *	11 1%	* 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%
Most likely	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -	- -
2nd most likely	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
3rd most likely	10 1%	1 *	* *	9 1%	* 1%	1 *	- -	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%
No answer	1221 60%	93 52%	57 56%	1071 61%A	50 59%	128 55%	95 55%	116 64%a	87 59%	120 62%	178 65%AFg	178 63%a	119 66%AFg
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	44 25%DHIKLM	23 22%	307 17%	15 17%	59 25%HiKLM	33 19%	27 15%	24 16%	39 20%	41 15%	43 15%	26 14%
Don't know	426 21%	39 22%	22 21%	365 21%	20 23%	46 20%	42 24%	36 20%	36 25%	34 18%	54 20%	62 22%	34 19%

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

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Table 100

Q.5 Which of the following policies to encourage employers to hire ex-offenders would you be most likely to support?

Other

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention										2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote	
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: All likely	13 1%	5 1%	6 1%	-	-	-	*	1 *	3 1%	2 *	-	1 1%	-	-	1 3%i	-	-	1 1%	7 1%	3 *	8 1%	5 1%
Most likely	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-
2nd most likely	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-
3rd most likely	10 1%	5 1%	4 1%	-	-	-	*	1 *	3 1%	1 *	-	1 1%	-	-	1 3%l	-	-	1 1%	7 1%	2 *	5 1%	5 1%
No answer	1221 60%	406 59%	421 64%G	72 73%Ab	40 DFG6%	6 48%	82 56%	157 55%	288 60%Q	310 64%iQ	78 84%HIk	68 LO72%h	37 LQ	7 51%	38 79%Hi	55 LOQs1%	14 52%	94 47%	513 54%	534 70%R	609 68%U	492 55%
Not applicable - I am not supportive of these initiatives	374 18%	147 21%Bc	95 14%	13 13%	17 24%b	4 29%	32 22%B	54 19%	103 22%lJn	72 15%	9 10%	13 14%	18 25%iJn	2 20%	4 9%	19 21%jn	9 34%	50 25%lJkN	237 25%S	89 12%	116 13%	211 24%T
Don't know	426 21%	128 19%	136 21%	13 14%	14 20%	3 23%	32 22%	73 26%AC	84 18%J	97 20%Jn	6 6%	13 13%	18 24%Jn	3 25%	5 10%	17 18%J	3 14%	55 27%Hi	196 JKN21%	134 18%	161 18%	184 21%

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

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Table 101

Q.6 To what extent do you agree or disagree that prisoners should be required to spend the majority of their time during the day out of their cells in education, training or work?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)
Unweighted base	2033	1010	1023	209	331	340	379	296	478	540	719	774	542	607	338	546	275	790
Weighted base	2033	992	1041	226	352	325	360	301	469	577	685	770	555	571	413	494	290	883
NET: Agree	1481 73%	702 71%	779 75%a	158 70%d	218 62%	223 69%	267 74%D	226 75%De	389 83%CDEFG	376 65%	490 72%I	615 80%J	428 77%NO	424 74%n	279 68%	350 71%	208 72%	614 70%
Strongly agree (4)	669 33%	294 30%	375 36%A	66 29%	95 27%	97 30%	120 33%	101 34%	189 40%CDEfg	162 28%	217 32%	290 38%IJ	198 36%O	201 35%O	129 31%	140 28%	99 34%	273 31%
Tend to agree (3)	812 40%	408 41%	404 39%	92 41%	122 35%	126 39%	147 41%	125 42%	200 43%D	214 37%	273 40%	325 42%i	230 41%	222 39%	150 36%	210 43%	109 38%	341 39%
Tend to disagree (2)	225 11%	137 14%B	88 8%	20 9%	53 15%cFH	38 12%	31 9%	41 14%fh	41 9%	73 13%	69 10%	82 11%	63 11%	65 11%	43 10%	53 11%	35 12%	97 11%
Strongly disagree (1)	117 6%	56 6%	61 6%	14 6%	22 6%	25 8%H	21 6%	16 5%	19 4%	36 6%	46 7%	36 5%	24 4%	28 5%	27 7%	38 8%Lm	18 6%	60 7%
NET: Disagree	342 17%	193 19%B	149 14%	34 15%	75 21%FH	63 19%H	52 14%	57 19%H	61 13%	109 19%	115 17%	118 15%	87 16%	93 16%	70 17%	92 19%	53 18%	157 18%
Don't know	210 10%	97 10%	113 11%	34 15%GH	59 17%fGH	39 12%GH	41 11%GH	17 6%	20 4%	93 16%jK	80 12%K	37 5%	40 7%	55 10%	64 15%LLMo	52 11%l	29 10%	113 13%
Mean	3.12	3.05	3.18A	3.10	3.00	3.03	3.15d	3.10	3.24cDEG	3.04	3.09	3.19j	3.17O	3.16O	3.09	3.02	3.11	3.07
Standard deviation	0.86	0.85	0.85	0.86	0.90	0.90	0.85	0.85	0.79	0.88	0.88	0.82	0.81	0.84	0.89	0.89	0.89	0.89
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.03

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Table 102

Q.6 To what extent do you agree or disagree that prisoners should be required to spend the majority of their time during the day out of their cells in education, training or work?

Base: All respondents

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2033	173	111	1749	83	232	173	145	150	203	250	317	196
Weighted base	2033	177	102*	1754	85*	234	171	181	148	195	274	285	181
NET: Agree	1481 73%	137 77%eF	71 70%	1273 73%	57 66%	158 67%	120 70%	130 72%	109 74%	146 75%	207 75% <i>f</i>	203 71%	144 79%EF <i>gl</i>
Strongly agree (4)	669 33%	67 38% <i>bFI</i>	26 26%	575 33%	25 29%	55 24%	53 31%	65 36% <i>F</i>	54 37% <i>F</i>	69 35% <i>F</i>	98 36% <i>F</i>	82 29%	75 41% <i>BeFg</i> <i>L</i>
Tend to agree (3)	812 40%	70 40%	45 44%	697 40%	32 37%	103 44%	67 39%	65 36%	55 37%	78 40%	109 40%	121 42%	69 38%
Tend to disagree (2)	225 11%	15 9%	12 12%	197 11%	6 7%	33 14%	21 13%	28 15% <i>ae</i>	17 11%	18 9%	26 10%	28 10%	19 10%
Strongly disagree (1)	117 6%	5 3%	11 11% <i>DAhLM</i>	100 6%	4 5%	16 7% <i>l</i>	11 6%	9 5%	13 9% <i>aL</i>	12 6%	19 7% <i>l</i>	9 3%	7 4%
NET: Disagree	342 17%	21 12%	24 23% <i>AeLm</i>	298 17%	10 12%	50 21% <i>AL</i>	32 19% <i>a</i>	37 20% <i>al</i>	30 20% <i>al</i>	30 15%	46 17%	37 13%	26 15%
Don't know	210 10%	19 11%	7 7%	184 10%	18 22% <i>ABFGHIJKM</i>	27 11% <i>m</i>	19 11%	14 8%	9 6%	19 10%	22 8%	45 16% <i>BHijKM</i>	11 6%
Mean	3.12	3.26 <i>dBFg</i>	2.91	3.11 <i>B</i>	3.15	2.95	3.06	3.12	3.09	3.15 <i>bF</i>	3.13 <i>bf</i>	3.15 <i>BF</i>	3.24 <i>BFg</i>
Standard deviation	0.86	0.77	0.94	0.86	0.85	0.86	0.88	0.87	0.94	0.86	0.89	0.77	0.82
Standard error	0.02	0.06	0.09	0.02	0.10	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06

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Table 103

Q.6 To what extent do you agree or disagree that prisoners should be required to spend the majority of their time during the day out of their cells in education, training or work?

Base: All respondents

	Past Vote								Voting Intention									2016 Referendum Vote		Referendum Tomorrow Vote		
	Total	Cons (a)	Lab (b)	Lib Dems (c)	SNP (d)	Plaid Cymru (e)	Some other party (f)	Did not vote (g)	Cons (h)	Lab (i)	Lib Dems (j)	The Independent Group (k)	SNP (l)	Plaid Cymru (m)	Green (n)	UKIP (o)	Some other party (p)	Unlikely to vote (q)	Leave (r)	Remain (s)	Remain (t)	Leave (u)
Unweighted base	2033	663	669	102	64	15	144	293	450	498	95	99	66	15	52	94	27	197	950	758	898	881
Weighted base	2033	686	658	98*	71*	13**	146	286	477	480	93*	95*	72*	12**	49*	91*	26**	200	954	761	894	892
NET: Agree	1481 73%	525 77%bG	469 71%	80 82%bG	54 76%	9 71%	106 73%	194 68%	366 77%lQ	331 69%	82 88%HIIOQ	79 83%loQ	56 77%	9 77%	42 86%loQ	65 71%	19 75%	129 64%	680 71%	598 79%R	684 76%	650 73%
Strongly agree (4)	669 33%	232 34%	217 33%	45 46%ABFG	25 35%	2 17%	41 28%	82 29%	146 31%	166 35%	46 49%HIIOQ	35 37%	27 38%	5 46%	16 34%	23 26%	13 50%	60 30%	311 33%	267 35%	317 35%	290 33%
Tend to agree (3)	812 40%	293 43%	252 38%	35 36%	29 41%	7 54%	65 45%	112 39%	220 46%lQ	165 34%	36 39%	44 46%lq	28 39%	4 31%	25 52%lQ	42 46%i	7 26%	70 35%	369 39%	332 44%r	367 41%	360 40%
Tend to disagree (2)	225 11%	78 11%	86 13%CG	5 5%	7 10%	1 5%	14 10%	24 8%	53 11%	60 12%	7 7%	7 8%	1 10%	1 8%	6 12%	11 12%	2 10%	24 12%	111 12%	81 11%	97 11%	107 12%
Strongly disagree (1)	117 6%	42 6%	39 6%	3 4%	1 2%	2 14%	14 9%dg	14 5%	32 7%n	35 7%n	4 4%	4 4%	1 2%	1 9%	- -	7 8%n	2 7%	13 7%n	83 9%S	22 3%	34 4%	66 7%T
NET: Disagree	342 17%	120 18%c	125 19%CG	9 9%	9 12%	3 19%	28 19%c	37 13%	85 18%	94 20%jk	10 11%	11 12%	8 12%	2 18%	6 12%	18 20%	4 16%	37 19%	194 20%S	102 13%	131 15%	173 19%T
Don't know	210 10%	41 6%	63 10%A	9 9%	8 12%	1 10%	12 8%	55 19%ABCF	27 6%j	55 11%HJkn	1 1%	5 5%j	8 12%Jn	1 6%	1 2%	8 9%J	2 8%	34 17%HIJKNo	80 8%	60 8%	79 9%	69 8%
Mean	3.12	3.11	3.09	3.37ABFG	3.24	2.82	2.99	3.13	3.07	3.09	3.34HIIOQ	3.22o	3.27o	3.20	3.22	2.98	3.29	3.06	3.04	3.20R	3.19U	3.06
Standard deviation	0.86	0.86	0.88	0.77	0.75	0.96	0.91	0.82	0.85	0.92	0.78	0.77	0.75	1.01	0.66	0.87	0.95	0.91	0.93	0.76	0.80	0.89
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.08	0.10	0.27	0.08	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.27	0.09	0.09	0.19	0.07	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03

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