ITN – CRIME POLL, JULY 2018

Methodology: ComRes surveyed 2,049 British adults aged 18+ online between 16th and 17th July 2018. Data were weighted to be demographically representative of all GB adults by gender, age, and region. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules. Full tables at www.comresglobal.com

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Table 1
Q.1 Have you, or someone you know well, been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	Age 45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	Social Grade C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Employment Sector Public (p)	Private (q)
Unweighted base	2049	1003	1046	202	357	346	358	310	476	559	704	786	597	517	413	522	265	830
Weighted base	2049	1000	1049	227	354	328	363	303	473	582	690	777	559	576	416	498	290	893
NET: Yes	194 9%	103 10%	91 9%	41 18%eFGH	56 16%FGH	40 12%FGH	25 7%	12 4%	21 4%	97 17%JK	64 9%K	33 4%	67 12%O	53 9%	42 10%o	33 7%	38 13%	92 10%
Yes, I have been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	42 2%	19 2%	24 2%	9 4%GH	11 3%GH	13 4%GH	7 2%Gh	- -	2 *	20 3%K	20 3%K	2 *	18 3%m	9 2%	7 2%	8 2%	12 4%	21 2%
Yes, someone I know well has been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	155 8%	86 9%	69 7%	33 14%EFGH	46 13%eFGH	27 8%GH	18 5%	12 4%	18 4%	79 14%JK	45 7%K	31 4%	50 9%O	46 8%o	34 8%o	25 5%	28 10%	73 8%
NET: No	1870 91%	908 91%	963 92%	186 82%	306 86%	289 88%c	341 94%CDE	292 96%CDE	456 96%CDE	493 85%	630 91%I	748 96%IJ	498 89%	527 92%	378 91%	468 94%L	255 88%	807 90%
No, I have not been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	774 38%	403 40%B	371 35%	94 41%H	135 38%	127 39%	138 38%	125 41%H	156 33%	229 39%	265 38%	280 36%	222 40%	219 38%	155 37%	178 36%	115 40%	335 38%
No, I do not know anyone who has been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	1639 80%	778 78%	861 82%A	159 70%	248 70%	246 75%	300 83%CDE	254 84%CDE	433 91%CDEFG	407 70%	546 79%I	687 88%IJ	438 78%	463 80%	323 78%	415 83%IN	210 73%	691 77%

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Table 2
Q.1 Have you, or someone you know well, been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months?
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	2049	199	98	1752	89	224	165	173	139	214	268	303	177
Weighted base	2049	178	102*	1768	86*	236	172	182	150	197	277	287	182
NET: Yes	194 9%	20 11%j	9 9%	165 9%	9 11%	19 8%	16 9%	17 9%	12 8%	12 6%	41 15%FhiJL	22 8%	17 9%
Yes, I have been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	42 2%	2 1%	2 2%	38 2%	3 3%	5 2%	9 5%AHJL	1 1%	3 2%	3 1%	10 3%hl	3 1%	3 2%
Yes, someone I know well has been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	155 8%	18 10%Gj	7 7%	130 7%	8 9%	15 7%	7 4%	15 8%	9 6%	10 5%	32 12%fGiJl	19 7%	14 8%
NET: No	1870 91%	159 89%	95 93%k	1616 91%	78 90%	218 92%K	158 92%k	167 92%k	137 92%k	184 94%K	237 86%	268 93%K	170 93%K
No, I have not been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	774 38%	79 44%dfHJ	40 39%	655 37%	29 34%	84 36%	64 37%	61 33%	55 37%	58 30%	111 40%J	112 39%J	80 44%hJ
No, I do not know anyone who has been a victim of violent crime in the past 12 months	1639 80%	136 76%	85 83%K	1419 80%	67 78%	193 82%K	135 78%	153 84%aK	118 79%	173 88%AEGIKM	197 71%	239 83%aK	143 79%

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Table 3
Q.2 Has your fear of violent crime increased, stayed the same or reduced compared to this time last year?
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	2049	1003	1046	202	357	346	358	310	476	559	704	786	597	517	413	522	265	830
Weighted base	2049	1000	1049	227	354	328	363	303	473	582	690	777	559	576	416	498	290	893
Increased	605	270	335	90	115	99	107	75	120	204	206	195	172	172	120	141	95	254
	30%	27%	32%A	39%EFGH	32%GH	30%	29%	25%	25%	35%jK	30%k	25%	31%	30%	29%	28%	33%	28%
Stayed the same	1310	675	636	123	198	202	230	223	335	321	432	558	357	376	268	310	176	570
	64%	67%B	61%	54%	56%	62%	63%Cd	73%CDEF	71%CDEF	55%	62%I	72%IJ	64%	65%	64%	62%	61%	64%
Reduced	43	25	19	6	14	11	6	2	5	20	17	7	13	8	8	14	6	23
	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%fGH	3%GH	2%	1%	1%	3%K	2%K	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%
Don't know	90	31	60	9	28	16	20	4	13	37	36	17	17	20	19	33	13	47
	4%	3%	6%A	4%g	8%cGH	5%G	6%Gh	1%	3%	6%K	5%K	2%	3%	3%	5%	7%LM	4%	5%

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Table 4
Q.2 Has your fear of violent crime increased, stayed the same or reduced compared to this time last 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	2049	199	98	1752	89	224	165	173	139	214	268	303	177
Weighted base	2049	178	102*	1768	86*	236	172	182	150	197	277	287	182
Increased	605	34	27	544	17	70	49	67	32	59	119	84	46
	30%	19%	26%	31%A	20%	30%Aei	29%A	37%AbEIM	21%	30%Aei	43%ABEFGIJLM	29%Ai	25%
Stayed the same	1310	134	63	1114	61	152	108	98	114	123	140	190	127
	64%	75%DBFGHJKL	62%k	63%	71%HK	65%HK	63%K	54%	76%BFGHJKL	63%K	51%	66%HK	70%HK
Reduced	43	4	4	35	1	5	4	6	2	5	4	4	3
	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Don't know	90	6	8	76	7	8	10	11	2	10	13	9	6
	4%	3%	8%dfll	4%	8%ll	3%	6%i	6%i	1%	5%i	5%	3%	3%

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Table 5
Q.3 Police figures show that violent crime is increasing in the UK. Which of the following, if any, would you say are the main causes of this increase? Please select up to three responses only
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	2049	1003	1046	202	357	346	358	310	476	559	704	786	597	517	413	522	265	830
Weighted base	2049	1000	1049	227	354	328	363	303	473	582	690	777	559	576	416	498	290	893
Poor parenting	1267	655	613	107	198	190	217	213	342	305	407	555	335	372	252	308	169	522
	62%	65%B	58%	47%	56%c	58%C	60%C	70%CDEF	72%CDEF	52%	59%I	71%IJ	60%	65%	61%	62%	58%	59%
Police cuts	1211	631	581	115	185	178	235	203	295	300	414	498	327	355	239	290	178	497
	59%	63%B	55%	50%	52%	54%	65%CDE	67%CDE	62%CDE	51%	60%I	64%I	58%	62%	58%	58%	62%	56%
Lenient jail sentences	962	495	466	66	163	143	182	152	256	229	324	408	203	272	218	269	136	404
	47%	50%B	44%	29%	46%C	43%C	50%C	50%C	54%CDE	39%	47%I	53%IJ	36%	47%L	52%L	54%LM	47%	45%
Certain media content, such as videos and graphics, distributed via social media	694	291	403	58	88	74	116	123	235	146	190	357	212	202	141	139	76	266
	34%	29%	38%A	26%	25%	23%	32%DE	40%CDEF	50%CDEFG	25%	28%	46%IJ	38%O	35%O	34%o	28%	26%	30%
Cuts to youth services	523	234	289	71	95	103	82	66	107	166	185	173	163	148	79	133	83	201
	26%	23%	28%A	31%FGH	27%	31%FGH	23%	22%	23%	28%K	27%k	22%	29%N	26%N	19%	27%N	29%q	23%
Certain types of music	96	58	38	13	18	13	18	16	17	32	31	33	33	24	17	21	23	46
	5%	6%B	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	8%q	5%
None of the above	55	28	28	9	14	12	11	5	5	23	23	10	18	15	8	15	6	37
	3%	3%	3%	4%H	4%gH	4%H	3%h	2%	1%	4%K	3%K	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%
Don't know	111	37	75	26	22	25	20	7	11	48	45	18	22	25	35	29	9	59
	5%	4%	7%A	12%DFGH	6%GH	8%GH	5%gH	2%	2%	8%K	6%K	2%	4%	4%	8%LM	6%	3%	7%p

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Weighted base	2049	178	102*	1768	86*	236	172	182	150	197	277	287	182
Poor parenting	1267 62%	105 59%	61 59%	1102 62%	47 55%	156 66%eGk	95 55%	125 68%aEGK	98 66%g	134 68%aEGK	162 58%	175 61%	110 60%
Police cuts	1211 59%	99 56%	52 51%	1060 60%b	57 66%bh	144 61%	101 59%	98 54%	84 56%	113 58%	164 59%	189 66%ABHij	109 60%
Lenient jail sentences	962 47%	79 45%	38 37%	844 48%b	43 49%	131 56%ABJKL	94 54%aBjKL	91 50%bkl	76 51%bkl	86 44%	112 40%	117 41%	95 52%BKL
Certain media content, such as videos and graphics, distributed via social media	694 34%	54 30%	32 32%	608 34%	24 28%	66 28%	50 29%	62 34%	51 34%	83 42%AbEFG	99 36%f	99 35%	73 40%aeFG
Cuts to youth services	523 26%	39 22%	29 28%	456 26%	19 22%	61 26%	36 21%	47 26%	27 18%	56 28%l	81 29%agl	82 28%gl	48 26%
Certain types of music	96 5%	7 4%	5 5%	84 5%	1 1%	6 2%	10 6%ef	10 6%e	8 5%	6 3%	24 9%aEFJL	11 4%	9 5%
None of the above	55 3%	9 5%DjKl	4 4%k	42 2%	2 2%	6 3%	7 4%k	6 3%	3 2%	3 2%	3 1%	6 2%	5 3%
Don't know	111 5%	15 9%DhL	7 7%	89 5%	5 6%	11 5%	16 9%fHL	6 3%	9 6%	9 5%	14 5%	11 4%	8 5%

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Table 7
Q.4 Which of the following, if any, do you think would help most to reduce violent crime?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Gender		Age										Social Grade				Employment Sector	
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Public	Pri-vate
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(l)	(m)	(n)	(o)	(p)	(q)
Unweighted base	2049	1003	1046	202	357	346	358	310	476	559	704	786	597	517	413	522	265	830
Weighted base	2049	1000	1049	227	354	328	363	303	473	582	690	777	559	576	416	498	290	893
More police on the streets	686 33%	372 37%B	313 30%	57 25%	102 29%	100 30%	136 38%CDe	123 41%CDE	167 35%Cd	159 27%	236 34%I	290 37%I	193 34%	198 34%	135 33%	160 32%	88 30%	300 34%
National service, i.e. introducing a period of military service for young men and women	472 23%	226 23%	245 23%	20 9%	49 14%	69 21%CD	92 25%CD	85 28%CDe	157 33%CDEF	69 12%	161 23%I	242 31%IJ	110 20%	139 24%I	98 23%	126 25%L	65 22%	176 20%
Tougher jail sentences	436 21%	212 21%	224 21%	56 25%H	110 31%EFGH	70 21%H	72 20%h	59 19%	70 15%	166 28%JK	142 21%k	129 17%	92 16%	129 22%L	109 26%Lo	106 21%I	68 24%	207 23%
More funding for youth services	220 11%	98 10%	122 12%	52 23%DEFGH	49 14%FGH	38 12%fGh	27 8%	16 5%	37 8%	102 17%JK	66 9%k	53 7%	99 18%MNO	55 10%N	23 6%	43 9%	37 13%	88 10%
Tougher rules on social media	90 4%	31 3%	59 6%A	15 7%eF	19 5%f	11 3%	9 3%	11 4%	24 5%f	34 6%J	20 3%	35 5%	33 6%m	19 3%	15 4%	23 5%	15 5%	33 4%
Banning certain types of music	21 1%	11 1%	10 1%	3 1%	1 *	10 3%DfGH	4 1%	1 *	2 *	4 1%	14 2%iK	3 *	8 1%	6 1%	3 1%	4 1%	6 2%	13 1%
None of the above	35 2%	19 2%	16 2%	6 3%h	9 3%H	7 2%h	5 1%	4 1%	4 1%	15 3%K	12 2%	8 1%	7 1%	11 2%	7 2%	10 2%	4 1%	18 2%
Don't know	89 4%	29 3%	60 6%A	18 8%dGH	15 4%G	23 7%GH	17 5%G	4 1%	12 3%	33 6%K	40 6%K	16 2%	18 3%	20 3%	25 6%Lm	26 5%I	7 2%	58 6%P

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Table 8
Q.4 Which of the following, if any, do you think would help most to reduce violent crime?
Base: All respondents

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More police on the streets	686 33%	52 29%	31 30%	603 34%	31 36%	94 40%AgJ	51 30%	59 33%	49 33%	55 28%	96 35%	106 37%aj	61 33%
National service, i.e. introducing a period of military service for young men and women	472 23%	35 19%	26 25%	412 23%	18 21%	49 21%	40 23%	39 22%	41 27%	57 29%AfKl	56 20%	61 21%	51 28%ak
Tougher jail sentences	436 21%	46 26%Klm	20 20%	370 21%	24 27%Km	58 25%Km	41 24%K	48 26%Km	34 22%K	40 20%k	39 14%	56 19%	31 17%
More funding for youth services	220 11%	26 14%dfGHIj	13 12%	182 10%	8 9%	20 9%	12 7%	14 8%	10 6%	17 8%	43 16%FGHIJ	38 13%Ghl	21 11%
Tougher rules on social media	90 4%	6 3%	3 3%	81 5%	3 3%	3 1%	9 5%F	9 5%F	7 5%f	15 7%aF	14 5%F	14 5%F	8 4%f
Banning certain types of music	21 1%	- -	- -	21 1%	- -	- -	5 3%AFI	3 2%af	2 1%f	1 1%	6 2%aF	2 1%	1 1%
None of the above	35 2%	4 2%	3 3%	28 2%	- -	5 2%	4 2%	3 2%	2 1%	6 3%l	3 1%	2 1%	3 2%
Don't know	89 4%	10 6%	7 7%fl	72 4%	3 4%	6 3%	11 6%	6 3%	6 4%	6 3%	19 7%FjL	8 3%	7 4%

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