

YouGov / Compass Survey Results

Sample Size: 1861 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 12th - 13th June 2013

		Voting intention				2010 Vote			Gender		Age				Social grade		Region				
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Male	Female	18-24	25-39	40-59	60+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	1861	X	X	X	X	592	466	381	904	957	225	475	636	525	1061	800	238	605	398	458	162
Unweighted Sample	1861	413	614	130	197	536	509	388	898	963	186	480	739	456	1184	677	259	599	377	456	170
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Do you agree or disagree with these statements about Britain's political system?

Give the powers exercised by the European Union, big banks and global companies, there isn't a great deal that Britain's Parliament can do to affect the lives of ordinary people

Agree strongly	10	9	7	4	30	13	7	7	11	9	6	7	10	13	8	11	9	10	11	8	10
Tend to agree	33	42	30	35	31	38	33	28	34	32	22	26	34	42	33	32	34	36	34	31	25
TOTAL AGREE	43	51	37	39	61	51	40	35	45	41	28	33	44	55	41	43	43	46	45	39	35
Tend to disagree	25	28	29	35	13	23	27	33	26	24	23	28	26	23	30	19	31	24	25	24	26
Disagree strongly	15	12	20	17	15	12	19	18	18	12	19	14	14	15	16	13	16	14	11	18	18
TOTAL DISAGREE	40	40	49	52	28	35	46	51	44	36	42	42	40	38	46	32	47	38	36	42	44
Don't know	17	10	14	8	10	15	14	14	12	23	30	25	15	8	13	24	10	16	19	20	21

The sharp decline in the membership of all the main parties means that they are less representative of ordinary people than they used to be

Agree strongly	24	16	23	27	47	24	22	29	26	22	11	19	27	30	22	27	21	25	21	25	28
Tend to agree	46	56	50	44	41	48	47	46	47	45	43	41	48	48	49	42	51	45	48	42	44
TOTAL AGREE	70	72	73	71	88	72	69	75	73	67	54	60	75	78	71	69	72	70	69	67	72
Tend to disagree	11	17	11	13	4	13	12	10	13	9	14	11	9	11	13	7	16	11	8	10	7
Disagree strongly	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	4	3	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	3	3
TOTAL DISAGREE	13	19	13	14	6	15	13	11	15	11	18	14	10	12	15	8	17	13	10	13	10
Don't know	18	9	14	15	7	13	17	15	13	22	28	26	14	10	14	23	11	17	20	20	18

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Parliament used to be dominated by strong leaders and single-party governments that could change Britain dramatically. Today's leading politicians don't sound very different from each other, voters are turning more and more to smaller parties, and, for good or ill, our political system is too feeble to make big changes to British society

Agree strongly	31	27	25	23	68	36	25	30	33	28	23	27	30	38	30	31	29	32	31	32	26
Tend to agree	42	51	48	45	23	43	46	48	42	43	30	39	45	46	45	39	45	42	43	40	43
TOTAL AGREE	73	78	73	68	91	79	71	78	75	71	53	66	75	84	75	70	74	74	74	72	69
Tend to disagree	10	11	12	19	2	8	12	8	12	8	17	8	10	8	10	9	15	10	7	9	13
Disagree strongly	3	2	3	7	1	1	3	4	3	2	2	3	3	2	3	2	3	3	2	3	1
TOTAL DISAGREE	13	13	15	26	3	9	15	12	15	10	19	11	13	10	13	11	18	13	9	12	14
Don't know	15	9	12	6	5	11	13	10	10	19	28	22	12	6	11	19	9	14	17	16	18

If the main political parties are to tackle Britain's big problems, they need to be far less tribal in the way they behave and involve people outside their ranks far more in their policy-making and policy delivery

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Tend to agree	42	47	45	37	39	44	43	45	43	41	35	42	45	42	44	39	44	42	43	40	42
TOTAL AGREE	73	76	76	80	84	77	72	80	77	69	57	63	77	85	75	70	74	71	74	72	76
Tend to disagree	8	10	9	9	5	8	10	5	8	7	9	9	7	6	8	7	7	9	7	7	5
Disagree strongly	2	3	2	2	1	1	2	1	3	2	4	3	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
TOTAL DISAGREE	10	13	11	11	6	9	12	6	11	9	13	12	8	7	10	9	9	11	9	10	7
Don't know	17	10	14	9	9	14	16	13	12	22	29	25	15	7	15	20	16	17	18	18	17