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Thinking about the way the BBC has reported the death of Margaret Thatcher, do you think they have...

Been too favourable about Margaret Thatcher	24	8	41	25	18	7	39	30	27	22	28	20	28	22	22	27	23	21	19	32	28
Been too critical about Margaret Thatcher	16	36	3	9	33	34	4	6	17	15	17	10	13	24	18	13	12	16	21	13	15
Got the balance about right	40	43	38	49	38	43	36	45	40	40	29	46	38	42	42	38	43	47	39	34	32
Don't know	20	13	18	17	12	15	21	19	16	23	26	24	21	12	18	22	22	16	20	20	25

This Wednesday Parliament was recalled from its Easter break to allow MPs to pay tribute to and speak about Margaret Thatcher. Do you think it was right or wrong to recall Parliament in this way?

Right	35	63	18	34	42	57	19	26	34	36	43	31	32	39	36	35	36	39	35	32	28
Wrong	49	25	69	50	48	31	68	58	53	46	38	44	55	50	50	49	47	45	48	53	59
Don't know	16	12	13	17	9	13	13	16	13	18	18	24	12	11	15	17	18	16	17	14	13

While Ed Miliband and many other Labour MPs attended Parliament and gave their own tributes and speeches about Margaret Thatcher, other Labour MPs stayed away from the debate. Do you think they were right or wrong to stay away?

Were right to stay away	53	27	75	60	45	30	70	69	55	51	47	56	58	46	51	55	49	52	48	57	63
Were wrong to stay away	30	58	11	20	47	54	11	18	29	30	27	18	28	43	31	28	30	31	34	26	26
Don't know	17	15	15	21	8	16	19	13	15	20	26	26	13	11	18	17	20	18	18	17	11

Thinking about how David Cameron has responded to the death of Margaret Thatcher, which of the following best reflects your view?

David Cameron has responded to Margaret Thatcher's death in an appropriate and dignified way	47	87	22	57	50	79	26	40	48	47	46	42	46	55	52	41	53	53	48	40	41
David Cameron has tried to exploit the death of Margaret Thatcher to get positive coverage and political advantage	28	3	48	23	29	8	44	36	32	24	23	25	31	29	27	29	29	24	29	30	32
Neither	8	3	12	6	12	6	13	9	8	9	5	8	10	9	8	9	7	7	9	12	7
Don't know	16	7	17	14	9	8	17	15	12	20	25	25	13	8	13	20	12	16	14	19	21

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Thinking about the way the BBC has reported the death of Margaret Thatcher, do you think they have...

Been too favourable about Margaret Thatcher	24	4	10	23	32	56	12
Been too critical about Margaret Thatcher	16	44	19	7	7	2	7
Got the balance about right	40	43	54	50	37	26	30
Don't know	20	9	18	20	24	16	50

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Wrong	49	20	37	49	61	85	33
Don't know	16	9	12	22	17	11	46

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Were right to stay away	53	20	38	56	71	90	42
Were wrong to stay away	30	70	41	24	10	3	12
Don't know	17	10	21	20	19	8	46

Thinking about how David Cameron has responded to the death of Margaret Thatcher, which of the following best reflects your view?

David Cameron has responded to Margaret Thatcher's death in an appropriate and dignified way	47	86	70	42	22	14	28
David Cameron has tried to exploit the death of Margaret Thatcher to get positive coverage and political advantage	28	5	13	32	47	59	11
Neither	8	4	6	11	12	13	5
Don't know	16	6	11	14	18	14	56

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It has been announced that Margaret Thatcher will have a ceremonial funeral at St Paul's Cathedral. This is one step below a full state funeral (the type of funeral that a monarch and Sir Winston Churchill had) and is the type of funeral that was given to Princess Diana and the Queen Mother. In practical terms there are only minor differences between a full state funeral and a ceremonial funeral.

Which of the following best reflects your view?

Baroness Thatcher should have been given a full state funeral	8	13	4	8	10	12	4	4	7	8	12	10	8	5	8	8	9	8	10	5	10
Baroness Thatcher should be given a ceremonial funeral, but not a full state funeral	42	70	22	52	52	65	26	34	44	40	43	37	38	49	45	37	41	50	42	34	30
Baroness Thatcher should be given neither a state nor a ceremonial funeral	43	11	70	37	34	17	63	58	44	42	32	40	49	42	39	47	40	34	40	54	56
Don't know	8	6	5	4	4	6	7	5	5	10	13	13	5	4	8	7	10	7	8	7	5

The Queen has announced that she will attend the funeral of Baroness Thatcher, the first time she has attended a Prime Minister's funeral since Churchill. Do you think it is right or wrong for the Queen to attend Baroness Thatcher's funeral?

Right	57	90	36	63	65	83	39	49	57	57	62	55	58	56	60	53	60	66	58	45	53
Wrong	22	3	39	18	20	6	37	27	24	21	12	19	25	27	20	25	18	17	20	30	29
Don't know	21	8	25	19	15	12	24	23	19	22	26	27	17	17	20	22	22	16	22	25	18

Would you support or oppose erecting a new statue of Margaret Thatcher in London?

Support	29	60	9	27	43	54	13	17	32	27	32	27	27	32	33	24	33	37	30	20	20
Oppose	50	20	77	48	39	22	72	61	52	48	48	51	54	46	46	56	47	42	45	62	65
Don't know	21	20	13	25	18	23	15	21	16	25	20	22	19	22	21	20	20	21	24	19	15

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Which of the following best reflects your view?

Baroness Thatcher should have been given a full state funeral	8	21	9	4	2	2	5
Baroness Thatcher should be given a ceremonial funeral, but not a full state funeral	42	73	61	40	29	7	32
Baroness Thatcher should be given neither a state nor a ceremonial funeral	43	4	21	50	59	88	34
Don't know	8	2	8	6	10	3	29

The Queen has announced that she will attend the funeral of Baroness Thatcher, the first time she has attended a Prime Minister's funeral since Churchill. Do you think it is right or wrong for the Queen to attend Baroness Thatcher's funeral?

Right	57	96	82	50	38	15	47
Wrong	22	2	6	18	27	59	7
Don't know	21	2	11	32	34	26	46

Would you support or oppose erecting a new statue of Margaret Thatcher in London?

Support	29	78	40	14	4	1	15
Oppose	50	10	27	62	80	93	41
Don't know	21	12	33	25	16	6	44

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And more specifically, would you support or oppose erecting a new statue of Margaret Thatcher on the fourth plinth in Trafalgar Square, currently vacant and used to display different sculptures?

Support - Trafalgar Square would be an appropriate place for a statue of Thatcher	18	38	5	16	33	33	8	7	20	17	29	15	16	19	18	18	17	20	23	14	13
Oppose - Trafalgar Square would not be an appropriate place for a statue of Thatcher	64	43	86	69	54	46	82	77	67	62	53	65	71	61	65	63	69	62	56	70	72
Don't know	17	20	8	15	13	21	10	16	13	22	18	20	13	20	16	19	14	18	21	17	15

It has also been suggested that capital of the Falkland Islands, Port Stanley, should be renamed after Baroness Thatcher. Would you support or oppose renaming Port Stanley as Port Margaret?

Support	17	29	8	15	28	26	10	8	18	15	27	14	15	16	17	16	16	20	15	15	13
Oppose	62	45	80	58	54	49	77	71	64	61	47	61	66	66	61	64	57	59	61	67	74
Don't know	21	26	12	27	18	25	12	21	18	24	26	26	19	18	22	20	27	21	24	18	13

In some areas people opposed to Margaret Thatcher's policies or actions in government have organised parties to celebrate her death. Do you think it is or is not acceptable for people to have parties celebrating Thatcher's death?

Is acceptable	14	5	24	16	12	5	21	18	18	11	12	15	19	9	13	15	13	13	16	14	17
Is not acceptable	75	92	64	67	84	91	64	72	70	80	70	70	72	86	77	73	70	79	75	74	73
Don't know	10	3	13	16	4	4	14	10	12	9	17	16	9	4	10	12	17	8	9	12	10

Which political party, if any, do you think will benefit from the coverage of Margaret Thatcher's funeral and legacy?

Conservatives	32	33	38	39	33	28	35	39	36	29	36	37	34	25	33	32	30	31	37	34	25
Labour	5	4	7	6	2	3	6	4	5	4	6	7	4	3	5	4	2	3	5	8	4
Liberal Democrat	1	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	2	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	0
UKIP	4	1	3	6	10	3	4	3	5	2	6	3	3	4	4	3	4	4	2	4	4
None of them - it won't make any real difference to current politics	48	55	44	34	53	58	46	47	46	51	27	33	53	65	48	49	48	51	48	43	56
Don't know	10	7	8	9	3	7	8	8	7	14	22	18	7	3	10	12	14	10	8	11	11

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Support - Trafalgar Square would be an appropriate place for a statue of Thatcher	18	51	22	11	4	1	8
Oppose - Trafalgar Square would not be an appropriate place for a statue of Thatcher	64	31	53	71	87	95	52
Don't know	17	17	25	18	9	4	40

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Oppose	62	36	56	69	76	88	46
Don't know	21	27	23	20	13	10	43

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Is acceptable	14	4	4	13	14	35	8
Is not acceptable	75	94	90	80	70	51	63
Don't know	10	1	6	8	16	14	29

Which political party, if any, do you think will benefit from the coverage of Margaret Thatcher's funeral and legacy?

Conservatives	32	29	30	31	36	41	19
Labour	5	4	5	9	4	4	3
Liberal Democrat	1	0	1	2	2	0	0
UKIP	4	4	2	4	6	3	5
None of them - it won't make any real difference to current politics	48	60	52	47	43	44	33
Don't know	10	3	9	7	9	8	40