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As an author who has written about historical royal households in fiction, do you think Hilary Mantel was right or wrong to raise this issue?

Right	26	18	33	35	15	31	32	30	22	31	33	25	19	30	20	37	25	23	21	32
Wrong	48	60	42	44	61	46	41	44	53	34	38	47	66	44	54	36	50	51	52	43
Don't know	26	22	24	21	24	23	27	26	25	34	29	28	15	25	26	27	25	26	26	25

It now almost two years since Kate Middleton married into the royal family. How well or badly do you think she has carried out her role as a member of the royal family?

Very well	55	69	47	51	69	48	48	50	60	51	48	52	66	53	58	49	57	55	57	51
Fairly well	33	26	37	33	26	37	38	34	31	31	36	33	30	36	28	36	32	33	28	39
TOTAL WELL	88	95	84	84	95	85	86	84	91	82	84	85	96	89	86	85	89	88	85	90
Fairly badly	3	1	4	7	1	4	2	3	2	3	4	3	1	2	4	2	2	3	4	2
Very badly	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	1
TOTAL BADLY	4	1	5	8	1	5	2	4	3	4	4	4	1	3	5	4	3	3	4	3
Don't know	9	3	11	9	4	10	11	12	7	14	11	10	3	9	9	11	8	8	11	6

And how well or badly do you think the Duchess of Cambridge has coped with the pressures of being in the public eye and being the focus of media attention as a member of the Royal family?

Very well	53	68	45	46	67	46	48	49	58	43	49	53	63	52	56	47	53	55	57	50
Fairly well	33	26	38	40	26	38	35	33	32	34	32	33	32	34	30	40	35	31	26	37
TOTAL WELL	86	94	83	86	93	84	83	82	90	77	81	86	95	86	86	87	88	86	83	87
Fairly badly	4	3	4	6	2	3	6	5	3	7	7	3	1	4	4	3	3	5	6	3
Very badly	1	0	2	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	0
TOTAL BADLY	5	3	6	6	2	5	7	6	4	9	9	4	1	5	5	4	3	6	9	3
Don't know	9	3	11	8	5	10	10	11	7	15	10	10	4	9	9	9	9	9	9	10

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Wrong	48	54	47	31	52	51	48
Don't know	26	19	27	13	19	23	28

It now almost two years since Kate Middleton married into the royal family. How well or badly do you think she has carried out her role as a member of the royal family?

Very well	55	56	55	47	55	58	55
Fairly well	33	33	32	26	36	33	32
TOTAL WELL	88	89	87	73	91	91	87
Fairly badly	3	4	2	6	3	2	3
Very badly	1	1	1	0	0	1	1
TOTAL BADLY	4	5	3	6	3	3	4
Don't know	9	5	10	21	6	6	9

And how well or badly do you think the Duchess of Cambridge has coped with the pressures of being in the public eye and being the focus of media attention as a member of the Royal family?

Very well	53	54	53	44	55	56	53
Fairly well	33	35	32	21	32	34	33
TOTAL WELL	86	89	85	65	87	90	86
Fairly badly	4	4	4	4	7	3	4
Very badly	1	1	1	12	1	1	1
TOTAL BADLY	5	5	5	16	8	4	5
Don't know	9	6	10	20	5	6	9

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From what you have seen so far, do you think she will cope with the pressures of being a member of the Royal Family...

Better than Princess Diana did	51	65	42	54	64	43	52	44	56	30	39	52	68	53	47	50	53	52	48	47
Not as well as Princess Diana did	8	6	10	7	4	10	5	11	5	15	11	7	4	7	9	10	5	9	9	7
About as well as Princess Diana did	24	19	30	18	22	28	22	24	24	24	28	24	19	20	28	20	26	22	23	25
Don't know	18	11	18	21	10	18	21	21	15	31	22	17	9	20	15	20	16	17	19	21

Thinking about the RSPCA, are you...

A member of the RSPCA	2	1	2	6	1	3	1	2	2	4	3	1	1	2	2	6	1	1	2	1
Not a member of the RSPCA, but I have donated money to them in the last year	13	14	15	12	12	17	12	12	15	6	13	15	15	13	15	12	13	14	15	13
Not a member or a donor to the RSPCA, but I would consider myself a supporter of them	39	38	40	35	40	37	43	36	42	49	42	35	37	41	37	43	40	38	38	34
None of these	43	46	41	44	47	41	41	48	38	32	38	48	46	42	44	36	43	43	43	52
Don't know	2	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3	9	3	1	0	2	2	3	3	3	1	0

From what you know about the RSPCA's work, their priorities and where they spend their money, would you say they are going in the right or wrong direction as an organisation?

Going in the right direction	36	33	41	45	30	41	38	38	35	43	36	38	32	35	38	38	34	38	38	34
Going in the wrong direction	16	24	11	12	25	12	13	19	14	13	13	14	24	16	17	9	20	16	16	13
Not sure	47	43	48	42	45	47	48	44	51	44	52	48	44	49	45	53	46	46	46	53

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Not as well as Princess Diana did	8	7	8	39	13	7	6
About as well as Princess Diana did	24	27	23	8	22	25	24
Don't know	18	13	19	19	7	17	19

Thinking about the RSPCA, are you...

A member of the RSPCA	2	3	2	100	0	0	0
Not a member of the RSPCA, but I have donated money to them in the last year	13	18	13	0	100	0	0
Not a member or a donor to the RSPCA, but I would consider myself a supporter of them	39	36	40	0	0	100	0
None of these	43	42	43	0	0	0	100
Don't know	2	0	3	0	0	0	0

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The RSPCA concentrates too much on campaigning, and not enough on practical measures like animal hospitals and rescuing	28	41	20	19	42	18	19	29	28	22	23	25	40	28	28	21	33	27	28	27
The RSPCA concentrates too much on animal hospitals and rescue, and not enough on national campaigns to end cruelty to animals	3	1	5	7	0	6	4	5	2	6	5	2	1	3	3	4	3	3	4	1
The RSPCA gets the balance between campaigning and practical measures about right	40	34	45	49	32	48	46	39	42	39	35	45	40	38	43	43	40	42	38	39
Don't know	28	24	30	24	25	28	30	28	29	33	37	28	19	30	26	33	25	28	29	32

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Right	38	25	52	50	24	49	52	39	37	32	43	42	33	38	39	44	34	38	43	35
Wrong	43	62	32	35	62	32	32	46	41	36	36	41	57	44	42	36	47	39	45	45
Don't know	18	13	17	16	14	19	15	14	22	32	21	18	11	18	19	20	19	22	13	20

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The RSPCA concentrates too much on animal hospitals and rescue, and not enough on national campaigns to end cruelty to animals	3	3	3	25	5	2	2
The RSPCA gets the balance between campaigning and practical measures about right	40	43	40	43	50	55	26
Don't know	28	22	30	7	10	23	37

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