

## YouGov / Citrix Online Survey Results

Sample Size: 2002

Fieldwork: 8th - 11th January 2010

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Grade		Region						
	Base	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland
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Thinking about the recent weather conditions...

In which, if any, of the following ways were you affected by the snow/ winter weather in the past week? (Please tick all that apply)

My travel to work was disrupted	34%	40%	29%	31%	42%	47%	39%	22%	38%	30%	35%	33%	32%	30%	37%	40%	30%
I sustained an injury/ had a crash	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	1%	3%	3%	-	3%
I had to stay at home with my child(ren) because their school(s) was closed	8%	5%	10%	5%	11%	19%	7%	1%	8%	7%	8%	6%	9%	8%	9%	11%	3%
I couldn't work because I couldn't get to my workplace and couldn't work from home	10%	8%	11%	9%	14%	9%	10%	8%	8%	11%	11%	6%	5%	7%	14%	14%	6%
I couldn't get to work but I worked from home	8%	9%	8%	8%	9%	13%	9%	6%	13%	3%	7%	5%	11%	6%	16%	5%	3%
I had to postpone/ cancel business meetings	9%	10%	8%	4%	7%	10%	14%	8%	13%	4%	8%	7%	8%	8%	12%	15%	5%
I had to postpone/ cancel social engagements	22%	17%	27%	21%	22%	19%	23%	24%	23%	20%	21%	21%	22%	17%	25%	22%	25%
I had to use an alternative mode of transport to get to my destination	13%	12%	15%	12%	14%	15%	16%	11%	14%	13%	13%	12%	10%	14%	16%	11%	16%
Other	10%	8%	12%	14%	5%	9%	9%	12%	9%	11%	11%	8%	8%	16%	8%	8%	10%
Not applicable - I wasn't affected by the weather this past week	31%	35%	28%	32%	26%	22%	27%	41%	29%	34%	29%	35%	33%	33%	27%	31%	39%

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In total, approximately how much working time do you think you lost this past working week due to the snow/ winter weather? (If you do not currently work, please tick 'Not applicable')

None	31%	35%	27%	31%	34%	30%	38%	26%	29%	33%	26%	40%	26%	34%	28%	29%	38%
Up to half an hour	4%	4%	3%	8%	5%	4%	2%	2%	4%	3%	4%	4%	6%	4%	2%	0%	6%
More than half an hour up to 1 hour	5%	6%	4%	5%	7%	9%	4%	2%	6%	3%	5%	9%	5%	6%	2%	1%	5%
More than 1 hour up to 2 hours	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	10%	6%	4%	7%	4%	5%	5%	7%	9%	3%	4%	8%
More than 2 hours up to 3 hours	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	5%	7%	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	4%	9%	6%
More than 3 hours up to 5 hours	6%	5%	7%	3%	8%	6%	7%	4%	7%	4%	5%	6%	7%	5%	7%	4%	3%
More than 5 hours up to 10 hours	10%	10%	10%	12%	12%	15%	13%	4%	11%	8%	12%	6%	7%	8%	15%	11%	4%
More than 10 hours up to 20 hours	6%	5%	6%	7%	7%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	4%	3%	5%	8%	8%	3%
More than 20 hours	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%	5%	1%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	3%	1%	-	2%
Not applicable - I do not currently work	25%	19%	30%	22%	12%	11%	13%	45%	20%	30%	28%	20%	28%	20%	26%	28%	24%

Did you feel under pressure to get into work this past working week, regardless of the snow/ winter weather?

Unweighted Base	1514	804	710	114	357	327	337	379	777	737	360	241	138	161	360	76	178
All GB Workers	1506	776	730	189	315	305	311	386	876	630	356	263	138	206	339	72	132
Yes, I did	48%	45%	53%	52%	52%	54%	46%	42%	49%	47%	51%	44%	50%	46%	51%	51%	44%
No, I didn't	49%	53%	45%	40%	46%	44%	53%	57%	49%	49%	46%	54%	46%	50%	47%	47%	53%
Don't know	2%	2%	3%	8%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%	2%	3%

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Thinking about the possible effects of the snow/  
winter weather, regardless of if they have happened  
to you this past week...

Which, if any of the following do you think are the  
most annoying effects of snow/ winter weather?  
(Please tick all that apply)

School closures	20%	19%	22%	16%	20%	34%	21%	15%	20%	21%	21%	19%	24%	19%	22%	21%	16%
Defrosting the car	34%	35%	33%	27%	39%	36%	33%	34%	34%	34%	38%	38%	30%	25%	32%	31%	42%
Not being able to stay off work and enjoy the snow	12%	12%	11%	20%	23%	14%	8%	4%	13%	11%	11%	14%	10%	14%	11%	13%	10%
Having to take public transport	5%	5%	5%	8%	6%	6%	5%	4%	4%	6%	5%	2%	5%	9%	5%	3%	6%
Higher energy bills	60%	55%	65%	37%	55%	55%	64%	72%	59%	61%	62%	62%	55%	54%	59%	70%	65%
Lack of grit on the roads/ possibility of accidents	71%	66%	75%	57%	67%	68%	70%	78%	70%	71%	72%	69%	67%	61%	74%	79%	72%
Choosing the right footwear to handle the icy pavements	25%	16%	34%	27%	25%	22%	23%	28%	26%	25%	26%	27%	20%	31%	23%	22%	29%
Having to wear lots of extra clothing to stay warm	17%	13%	20%	22%	16%	11%	16%	18%	16%	18%	16%	20%	14%	16%	16%	14%	18%
Having to cancel social arrangements	19%	15%	23%	24%	24%	14%	15%	20%	20%	18%	19%	19%	22%	16%	19%	18%	23%
Disruption to travel plans	40%	41%	40%	44%	47%	40%	35%	39%	43%	37%	38%	39%	35%	44%	44%	42%	39%
Not being able to get to the office/ my workplace	17%	17%	18%	21%	19%	19%	16%	14%	20%	14%	14%	12%	20%	16%	23%	30%	12%
Not being able to work	12%	10%	13%	12%	13%	11%	11%	12%	11%	13%	11%	8%	13%	8%	15%	23%	11%
Getting ill	17%	16%	17%	26%	21%	11%	11%	17%	13%	21%	15%	16%	14%	20%	14%	24%	20%
Other	3%	3%	3%	6%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%	2%	2%
Not applicable - I do not find any effects of winter weather annoying	4%	6%	3%	10%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	8%	7%	3%	1%	5%

All figures, unless otherwise stated, are from YouGov Plc.