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YouGov questioned 1830 adults aged 18+ throughout Britain online between 20th and 22nd January 2005. The results have been weighted to the profile of all adults.

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If there were a general election tomorrow, which party would you vote for? (excluding don't knows, won't votes; base = 1441)*

Conservative	31	100	0	0	31	32	26	32	35	34	28	37	38	28	26	27	90	4	4
Labour	34	0	100	0	33	35	36	33	34	32	36	33	29	36	39	35	3	80	5
Liberal Democrat	25	0	0	100	25	24	28	22	24	26	23	23	25	25	27	20	5	12	90
Other	10	0	0	0	10	10	10	14	7	8	13	7	8	11	9	19	2	5	2
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Would Not Vote	9	0	0	0	8	11	15	10	4	7	13	11	7	11	9	12	3	5	0
Don't know	13	0	0	0	10	16	16	12	12	11	15	11	10	15	16	13	6	12	6

^{*}Note that this question is asked in two stages. At the first stage, respondents are given the following answer options: Conservative, Labour, Liberal Democrat, Scottish Nationalist/Plaid cymru, some other party, would not vote, don't know. Those who respond "some other party" are then asked: "Which of these parties would you vote for?" and given the following answer options: Green, United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP), British National Party (BNP), some other party, don't know. The above table shows the combined figures from both parts of the question. "Other" included SNP/Plaid Cymru (2%), UKIP(4%), BNP (2%) and Green (3%).

Thinking about the next general election, which of these statements comes closest to your view?

I shall definitely vote, and know which party I shall vote for	61	83	79	69	67	55	47	59	76	65	56	59	65	61	58	62	77	68	77
I shall definitely NOT vote	7	1	1	0	5	8	10	8	2	5	9	6	6	8	5	8	3	3	0
I shall decide nearer the time whether to vote and/or which party to vote for	30	15	19	28	25	34	38	31	21	28	32	31	27	29	34	27	21	26	22
Don't know	3	1	1	2	3	3	5	1	2	2	3	4	3	2	3	3	0	2	1



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Do you think Tony Blair is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Very well	6	0	22	2	7	6	5	6	8	6	7	5	7	6	7	8	2	15	3
Fairly well	34	9	67	31	35	32	37	33	31	33	34	35	29	34	39	31	11	56	34
Fairly badly	32	38	10	45	31	33	35	29	31	32	32	29	38	31	29	25	37	20	41
Very badly	24	52	1	22	24	24	15	28	29	25	22	27	23	22	21	32	49	7	20
Don't know	4	1	1	1	3	6	8	4	1	3	6	4	3	7	4	4	1	2	1
Do you think Michael Howard is doing well or badly as leader of the Conservative Party?				ſ	•		•		ſ	•	ſ	•				-			
Very well	2	7	1	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	3	1	2	2	7	1	1
Fairly well	29	67	18	18	29	29	25	29	33	29	29	35	30	26	28	27	60	18	21
Fairly badly	31	20	38	37	31	31	25	32	36	34	27	30	30	33	31	31	24	35	36
Very badly	25	2	33	38	32	18	21	27	26	25	24	24	23	24	26	24	5	35	34
Don't know	14	4	10	8	6	20	27	10	4	10	18	10	13	16	13	15	5	11	8
Do you think Michael Howard, in general, is doing a better or worse job than his predecessor, lain Duncan Smith?																			
Better	34	70	22	28	39	30	32	32	38	36	32	37	36	33	33	33	65	22	29
Worse	11	5	18	12	12	11	9	11	13	12	10	12	11	9	13	10	8	16	13
No difference	44	21	51	56	46	42	37	48	47	44	44	43	42	45	45	44	23	55	55
Don't know	11	4	8	5	4	17	21	9	3	8	14	8	11	12	9	13	4	7	3



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Do you think Charles Kennedy is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?

Very well	9	5	8	23	11	7	9	9	8	9	8	7	9	8	11	6	4	8	29
Fairly well	51	51	57	68	54	49	46	51	57	56	47	51	52	52	51	52	53	55	62
Fairly badly	18	25	20	5	20	17	14	18	22	18	18	23	18	16	18	18	24	21	3
Very badly	5	8	4	0	8	3	4	7	5	5	5	4	5	6	5	8	8	5	1
Don't know	16	12	11	5	7	24	27	15	8	12	22	15	16	18	15	16	11	11	5

Do you think that Gordon Brown is doing well or badly as Chancellor of the Exchequer?

Very well	22	7	45	28	27	18	14	20	32	24	20	22	22	20	22	33	7	41	25
Fairly well	43	39	46	45	43	43	43	44	41	43	42	40	40	45	47	37	41	45	49
Fairly badly	18	33	3	15	16	19	15	21	17	18	17	18	20	17	17	12	31	8	14
Very badly	9	18	0	6	10	8	8	10	8	8	9	10	10	7	8	9	18	2	6
Don't know	9	4	4	6	5	13	20	6	2	7	11	10	8	11	6	9	3	5	6

If your car had a puncture and you were stuck by the side of the road, who would you prefer to help you?

Tony Blair	13	3	36	4	13	13	16	14	10	13	14	11	14	14	15	11	5	29	5
Michael Howard	7	26	0	0	7	8	6	7	9	8	6	8	9	6	6	6	24	2	1
Charles Kennedy	18	13	10	44	20	16	22	16	16	20	15	20	18	19	17	15	14	12	49
Gordon Brown	15	8	20	19	16	15	14	14	18	14	16	17	11	18	13	23	8	21	16
None of these	40	47	27	28	39	40	34	43	42	39	41	38	41	36	43	36	48	30	23
Don't know	7	3	7	6	5	8	8	6	6	6	7	6	7	7	6	8	3	6	6



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In the case of the following politicians, would you place them to the left of you politically, to the right, or about where you are?

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Tony Blair		_			_		_			_		_							
To the left of me politically	23	52	6	20	26	20	17	27	25	26	20	32	26	19	20	19	53	7	24
About where I am	24	10	59	12	27	22	21	23	28	27	22	27	24	24	25	21	10	48	13
To the right of me politically	24	14	21	44	27	20	18	23	30	26	21	22	20	27	23	32	12	30	40
Don't know	29	23	14	24	20	37	43	27	17	21	37	20	29	30	32	28	24	15	23
Michael Howard																			
To the left of me politically	6	4	7	7	8	5	6	6	7	5	8	8	7	6	5	6	5	6	10
About where I am	21	65	5	5	21	20	15	21	26	23	18	23	26	18	19	16	63	7	6
To the right of me politically	40	15	58	63	48	33	33	41	47	47	32	47	35	42	39	47	16	58	59
Don't know	33	17	30	25	23	41	47	32	20	25	42	22	33	34	37	31	16	29	25
Charles Kannadu																			
Charles Kennedy To the left of me politically	20	44	14	7	28	14	19	19	23	23	17	32	23	14	18	19	43	12	6
About where I am	29	13		, 71	31	27	24		33	35	22			27	31	32			
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To the right of me politically Don't know	39	10 33	37	0 17	27	49	49	38	30	31	47	o 32	38	42	41	35	8 33	35	2 15
Don't know	39	33	31	17	21	49	49	30	30	31	41	32	30	42	41	33	33	33	13
Gordon Brown																			
To the left of me politically	25	57	13	21	31	20	17	26	33	31	19	37	27	21	24	18	57	11	26
About where I am	28	10	52	33	31	25	20	27	36	30	25	26	24	28	29	37	12	51	29
To the right of me politically	13	9	9	20	14	12	11	15	12	12	13	12	14	15	8	13	8	12	16



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n't know	34	24	26	26	24	43	52	32	19	26	43	24	35	36	38	32	23	25	29



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Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Conservative, Labour, Liberal Democrat, a supporter of some other party, or don't you think of yourself as any of these things?

Conservative	24	80	2	6	25	23	17	25	29	27	19	31	31	20	18	18	100	0	0
Labour	33	4	83	17	35	32	26	33	40	33	34	28	30	35	39	33	0	100	0
Liberal Democrat	10	1	2	46	11	10	12	8	12	12	9	11	11	9	12	10	0	0	100
Some other party	6	2	1	2	6	7	6	8	6	6	7	6	6	6	5	10	0	0	0
None of these	21	10	10	28	21	21	30	21	12	19	23	22	18	22	21	23	0	0	0
Don't know	5	2	1	2	2	8	9	5	1	3	7	3	4	8	5	6	0	0	0

How much do you trust Tony Blair to tell the truth?

Trust a great deal	5	0	17	1	6	4	3	5	6	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	1	12	2
Trust a fair amount	27	6	63	19	28	27	28	27	27	27	28	25	26	29	31	23	8	51	23
Do not trust much	31	26	16	43	29	32	35	32	25	31	30	28	31	31	33	24	23	25	39
Do not trust at all	34	68	2	36	35	33	26	35	41	36	32	38	36	32	29	43	68	11	35
Don't know	3	1	1	1	2	4	7	1	1	2	5	4	2	5	2	5	0	1	1



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Here are some reasons that different people have given for not trusting Tony Blair. Which of these, if any, are the one or two main reasons why you do not trust Tony Blair? [Please tick one or two]

He relied on false information to take Britain into war with Iraq	54	43	54	65	46	61	54	54	53	53	54	53	49	57	57	53	48	58	64
He 'spins' too much, and doesn't give straight answers to straight questions	72	79	69	69	74	69	67	74	74	73	70	76	75	70	67	73	77	63	69
Taxes have risen when he said they would not	28	45	16	16	34	23	30	27	28	28	29	35	32	23	25	29	42	17	15
He is too right-wing	6	1	18	12	8	5	6	6	7	7	5	6	3	7	9	7	1	18	7
He is too left-wing	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
He doesn't seem to have any clear political principles	20	22	13	18	21	19	15	19	24	20	20	18	21	20	18	22	21	19	16
None of these	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
Don't know	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0

Tony Blair has promised that, if Labour wins the coming general election, he will serve a full third term, but not lead Labour into the following election (likely to be held 2009 or 2010). If Labour does win the coming election, which would you like Tony Blair to do?

Step down soon after the coming general election	39	61	15	51	39	39	30	39	48	42	37	38	39	39	36	46	61	24	46
Step down one or two years after the coming election	15	10	23	16	16	14	15	13	16	16	13	16	16	13	16	18	10	21	16
Step down towards the end of the next parliament	15	8	25	16	18	12	16	17	13	17	13	21	15	14	16	10	9	22	19
Lead Labour into the following general election, likely to be held in 2009 or 2010	15	8	32	6	15	14	17	15	13	12	18	14	15	15	16	15	9	23	9



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on't know	16	13	6	11	12	20	22	15	11	13	19	12	15	19	17	12	12	9	10



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As you probably know, Scotland has its own parliament and Wales its own assembly. Of the 19 members of the cabinet, six are Scottish-born and one Welsh. Is this:

Too many Scots and Welsh overall	19	39	10	15	25	14	11	19	27	22	16	24	24	15	22	2	39	11	15
Not enough	7	4	7	8	7	7	9	8	4	6	8	2	4	9	7	18	3	8	9
The number is about right	12	10	15	10	10	14	14	13	10	10	14	13	12	10	13	17	10	15	9
Where cabinet ministers are born is not an issue	52	43	60	62	51	53	52	49	55	54	49	54	50	54	50	58	42	57	61
Don't know	10	5	8	7	6	13	14	11	4	7	13	8	10	13	9	5	5	8	6

Do you agree or disagree with the following statement. 'Scotland has its own parliament so the Prime Minister of the UK should not normally be a Scot'.

Agree	26	44	17	17	29	23	21	28	29	27	25	33	30	23	28	5	45	19	20
Disagree	58	45	70	70	60	56	56	57	60	60	55	52	56	59	55	79	47	67	63
Don't know	16	10	14	14	11	21	23	15	11	13	20	16	14	19	17	15	8	14	17

Does the fact that Gordon Brown is Scottish make you more or less keen on him becoming Prime Minister, or does it make no difference?

Less keen	15	27	10	12	19	12	12	14	20	17	14	17	20	13	16	1	28	10	12
More keen	3	1	3	4	3	3	4	3	2	3	3	1	1	1	2	17	1	4	4
It makes no difference	78	70	85	82	76	79	76	80	76	77	78	77	77	80	77	79	69	84	80
Don't know	4	2	3	2	2	6	8	3	2	3	6	5	3	6	4	2	2	3	4



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Which of the following best describes your view of Gordon Brown?

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I identify with him and believe he shares my concerns	23	6	44	29	25	20	17	20	31	24	21	23	20	22	24	34	6	43	25
I don't identify with him and think his concerns are different to mine	30	55	14	27	34	26	26	30	33	31	29	33	35	28	28	17	54	15	27
Neither	36	34	32	37	34	37	39	39	30	35	36	32	35	36	37	38	35	31	36
Don't know	12	5	10	8	6	16	19	10	7	9	15	13	11	14	10	11	4	11	12

There have been reports recently of disputes between Tony Blair, the Prime Minister, and Gordon Brown, the Chancellor of the Exchequer. From what you know, which of the following describes their relationship?

They get on well	2	1	5	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	0	3	1	2	2	0	4	3
They argue occasionally	25	10	46	26	26	24	26	26	24	25	26	24	22	27	31	24	11	41	21
They don't get on at all, but their disputes don't damage the Government	19	13	23	24	19	18	20	21	16	18	20	23	17	20	19	18	13	22	24
They don't get on at all and their disputes are damaging to Government	38	71	15	37	41	35	30	36	48	42	34	40	44	33	35	40	70	20	36
Don't know	16	6	10	12	11	20	23	14	10	13	19	13	14	19	14	16	6	13	16



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Have the reports about disputes between Tony Blair and Gordon Brown made you more likely or less likely to vote Labour at the next general election, or have they made no difference either way?

More likely to vote Labour	2	0	5	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	3	1	0	4	0
Less likely	11	13	4	15	12	9	10	9	13	11	10	11	10	9	12	14	11	10	15
No difference – I was going to vote Labour anyway	25	1	84	3	25	24	21	25	28	24	25	22	24	25	27	25	3	61	4
No difference – I was NOT going to vote Labour anyway	50	82	1	75	52	48	47	54	50	53	47	55	54	49	45	50	82	13	74
Don't know	13	3	6	6	8	17	21	10	8	11	16	11	11	16	14	10	3	13	7

The Conservatives have announced that, if they win the next election, they would cut £35 billion a year (equivalent to £600 a year for every person in Britain) from 'wasteful' Government spending, and use the money partly to improve front-line public services, partly to reduce government borrowing, and partly to reduce taxes. If the Conservatives in the next election, which of the following do you think would happen?

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The Conservatives would succeed in both cutting spending and improving public services	14	49	1	1	16	12	10	14	17	15	13	18	16	12	11	11	45	2	3
The Conservatives would cut public spending, but public services would not improve	23	36	15	22	23	23	25	20	24	25	20	24	25	22	23	18	36	15	19
The Conservatives would cut public spending, and public services would get worse	30	2	54	43	36	25	24	33	34	32	28	30	28	31	34	30	4	51	41
The Conservatives would end up NOT cutting public spending	20	5	24	25	19	21	22	21	18	19	22	18	18	22	20	24	8	24	25
Don't know	13	8	7	9	6	19	19	12	8	10	17	10	13	14	12	17	8	7	12



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Have the Conservative plans for tax and spending made you more likely or less likely to vote Conservative at the next general election, or have they made no difference either way?

More likely to vote Conservative	12	29	3	6	14	10	16	10	10	14	10	15	15	13	8	8	25	4	7
Less likely	9	1	17	12	12	7	9	10	9	10	8	6	8	10	12	9	4	15	12
No difference – I was going to vote Conservative anyway	17	65	2	2	17	17	10	18	24	20	14	20	22	14	16	12	59	2	3
No difference – I was NOT going to vote Conservative anyway	49	2	73	74	51	48	45	52	51	49	50	46	45	50	51	58	6	71	71
Don't know	12	3	6	5	7	17	20	11	6	8	17	12	11	13	13	13	6	8	7

If the Conservatives win the next election do you think they will increase or reduce the amount of tax paid by people like you, or will there not be much difference either way?

	25	2	40	28	24	26	27	27	21	24	27	20	24	26	29	24	5	39	32
	22	62	9	11	28	17	20	24	24	26	18	25	26	19	22	19	57	9	12
Not much difference either way	43	32	44	54	42	43	35	42	50	44	41	48	41	44	40	45	34	45	47
Don't know	10	4	7	7	5	14	17	7	5	7	14	8	9	11	10	12	3	6	9



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If Labour wins the next election do you think they
will increase or reduce the amount of tax paid by
people like you, or will there not be much
difference either way?

Labour will increase the taxes paid by people like me 47	86	18	50	53	41	43	49	49	50	44	50	50	43	47	46	84	24	51
Labour will reduce the taxes paid by people like me 3	1	10	1	3	4	3	3	4	3	4	1	3	3	4	3	1	8	3
Not much difference either way 40	9	65	44	39	41	37	41	42	41	39	41	38	42	40	39	12	61	38
Don't know 10	4	8	5	5	14	18	7	5	7	13	9	9	11	8	12	3	7	8

Which do you trust more to do each of the following – a Labour Government led by Tony Blair or a Conservative Government led by Michael Howard?

Keep Britain's economy strong

Labour Government led by Tony Blair	42	5	92	46	47	37	40	39	46	43	40	42	37	43	46	44	8	80	38
Conservative Government led by Michael Howard	21	73	1	5	21	21	17	21	25	25	16	27	26	18	17	16	68	3	7
Neither	24	13	3	41	22	25	22	28	21	21	27	18	25	22	24	28	14	12	40
Don't know	13	9	3	8	9	17	21	11	8	10	17	13	11	17	13	12	10	4	14

Cut waste and obtain the best value for money in delivering public services

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Labour Government led by Tony Blair	21	1	57	15	20	21	16	22	24	22	20	21	19	20	23	24	2	47	14
Conservative Government led by Michael Howard	29	86	5	13	32	26	25	28	33	32	25	36	33	26	24	26	81	7	15
Neither	39	9	31	65	40	37	40	41	35	38	39	35	36	39	41	40	12	39	60
Don't know	12	5	8	7	8	16	19	9	8	9	16	9	12	15	12	10	4	8	11



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Improve the National Health Service and the
quality of education in Britain's schools

Labour Government led by Tony Blair	32	2	80	31	37	28	29	32	36	33	31	32	31	33	35	30	4	66	24
Conservative Government led by Michael Howard	21	66	1	7	20	21	18	21	23	22	20	23	25	18	19	17	62	4	10
Neither	36	27	14	55	37	35	33	40	35	37	34	35	34	35	36	42	28	25	56
Don't know	11	5	5	7	6	15	20	7	6	8	15	10	10	13	11	11	5	5	10

Set the right balance between the amount of taxes we pay and the amount the Government spends on public services

Labour Government led by Tony Blair	26	1	68	24	29	23	23	27	27	26	25	25	23	27	29	27	2	56	22
Conservative Government led by Michael Howard	24	77	3	7	26	21	21	22	27	26	21	28	28	20	21	21	72	4	9
Neither	38	16	22	60	38	38	36	41	37	38	37	37	38	36	37	40	19	31	58
Don't know	13	6	8	9	7	18	20	10	8	9	17	11	12	16	13	12	7	9	11

Which of these statements comes closest to your view about the Liberal Democrats?

I have a clear idea of what the Liberal Democrats stand for, and I broadly approve of their outlook	25	9	20	77	28	23	26	22	27	28	22	26	25	25	27	26	10	24	85
I have a clear idea of what the Liberal Democrats stand for, but do not approve of their outlook	14	26	15	2	18	10	11	13	18	13	15	15	14	13	14	14	24	15	1
I am not clear what the Liberal Democrats stand for	52	62	58	16	49	55	51	57	50	53	52	54	54	51	51	53	63	54	8
Don't know	8	4	6	5	5	12	12	8	5	6	11	5	7	12	8	7	3	7	5



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Looking back, do you think Britain and America
were right or wrong to take military action
against Iraq two years ago?

Right	35	31	55	21	40	30	34	38	33	33	38	32	34	39	36	31	34	47	21
Wrong	56	64	36	76	54	58	50	56	63	60	52	59	56	52	57	62	62	46	75
Don't know	q	5	q	3	6	11	16	6	4	7	10	9	10	9	8	7	4	8	4

Has the case being brought against British soldiers for their treatment of Iraqi prisoners affected your view of the war?

It has made me less supportive of Britain's decision to send troops to Iraq	17	22	15	18	16	18	19	14	18	15	20	19	17	16	20	12	21	16	22
It has made me more supportive	2	2	3	1	2	2	3	2	2	2	3	1	3	2	4	2	2	3	2
It has made no difference – I have supported the war all along	28	25	46	15	36	20	24	30	29	28	27	29	28	30	27	25	27	38	14
It has made no difference – I have opposed the war all along	40	41	24	59	36	44	35	40	44	44	35	40	38	39	38	48	41	31	55
Don't know	13	10	12	7	10	15	18	13	7	11	14	11	14	13	11	13	9	11	8

How long do you think significant numbers of British troops SHOULD remain in Iraq?

They should be out before the end of this year	44	50	32	50	39	49	40	46	46	44	44	43	44	43	44	49	49	38	46
They should be out within 1 to 3 years	13	11	16	14	15	12	14	12	14	14	13	14	14	13	12	12	14	15	14
They should stay as long as is needed to secure a peaceful democracy in Iraq	36	35	47	32	43	30	36	36	36	37	35	37	36	36	36	36	33	43	32
Don't know	7	4	5	4	3	10	10	6	4	5	8	6	6	7	8	3	4	3	8



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How long do you think significant numbers of	
British troops WILL remain in Iraq?	

They will be out before the end of this year	5	4	5	5	3	6	6	5	3	4	5	6	4	4	5	6	4	5	4
They will be out within 1 to 3 years	35	37	42	31	40	29	33	34	36	36	32	40	38	34	32	23	36	39	28
They will stay in Iraq for many years to come	47	51	40	52	49	45	44	47	48	49	44	42	45	45	49	56	51	45	52
Don't know	14	8	13	12	7	20	16	14	13	11	19	12	13	16	14	16	9	12	16

Bush administration officials have been saying this week that Iran's nuclear programme presents a threat to the world. Do you think?

Iran is a serious threat to the world	27	31	34	13	30	25	28	29	26	24	31	28	26	28	27	28	31	31	18
Iran is not a serious threat to the world	39	37	33	59	49	30	35	42	39	42	36	41	37	39	39	39	36	36	49
Don't know	34	32	33	28	21	45	37	29	35	34	33	31	36	33	33	34	33	32	32

If America took military action against Iran, should Britain support it militarily?

Should support	15	16	22	5	20	12	17	15	14	13	18	15	13	15	17	20	18	19	6
Should not support	65	69	57	83	66	64	57	65	72	70	59	66	65	65	63	67	67	63	77
Don't know	20	14	21	12	15	24	26	19	14	17	24	19	23	20	20	13	16	19	17



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In addition to weighting by age, gender, social class and region (weighted and unweighted figures shown in the tables), YouGov also weighted its raw data by newspaper readership and past vote:

Recalled vote in 2001:	Unweighted no.	Weighted no.
Labour	816	782
Conservative	374	389
Liberal Democrat	180	185
Scottish / Welsh Nationalist	36	27
Other	67	11
Did not vote	357	471

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	Express / Mail	323	302
	Sun / Star	333	408
	Mirror / Record	260	295
Guardi	an/ Independent	141	77
Financial Times / Ti	mes / Telegraph	201	179
	Other paper	174	230
	No paper	398	375

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