

YouGov / Sunday Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 1895 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 26th - 27th September 2013

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Headline Voting Intention

[Excluding Don't knows and Wouldn't votes]

Con	31	100	0	0	0	75	2	8	31	30	32	29	26	37	33	27	33	37	29	27	19
Lab	42	0	100	0	0	3	88	42	39	44	41	45	48	31	40	44	43	31	49	49	41
Lib Dem	9	0	0	100	0	1	1	33	9	8	6	13	7	8	11	5	10	10	7	8	5
Other	19	0	0	0	100	21	8	17	21	17	21	13	19	24	16	23	14	22	16	16	35

Other Parties Voting Intention

UKIP	13	0	0	0	100	20	5	10	13	12	7	7	14	18	10	17	9	17	12	14	4
SNP / PCY	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	3	6	2	2	4	3	3	0	0	1	0	29
Green	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	3	2	5	3	2	1	3	2	4	3	2	1	1
BNP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Respect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1

Non Voters

Would Not Vote	7	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	7	8	14	9	6	4	7	8	5	10	8	5	6
Don't know	15	0	0	0	0	13	9	18	10	19	21	15	15	13	15	16	15	16	15	14	14

Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date?

	Sept 25-26	Sept 26-27																				
Approve	30	28	86	5	37	13	61	6	17	32	25	25	30	24	32	32	23	29	32	23	29	23
Disapprove	56	58	7	90	43	73	26	87	69	57	58	53	52	65	56	54	63	56	51	62	61	64
Don't know	14	14	8	6	20	14	13	7	14	11	17	22	18	11	12	14	14	15	17	15	10	13

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	Sept 19-20	Sept 26-27																				
Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?																						
Very well	6	5	20	0	3	1	14	1	2	7	4	4	5	4	7	5	6	4	8	4	4	6
Fairly well	34	33	73	10	46	30	59	11	27	34	31	37	33	28	36	36	29	34	37	31	32	22
TOTAL WELL	40	38	93	10	49	31	73	12	29	41	35	41	38	32	43	41	35	38	45	35	36	28
Fairly badly	29	32	6	39	42	46	19	39	42	32	32	27	29	38	29	32	32	39	31	29	32	31
Very badly	25	25	0	49	8	18	5	46	25	24	26	20	24	26	26	22	28	16	19	30	27	36
TOTAL BADLY	54	57	6	88	50	64	24	85	67	56	58	47	53	64	55	54	60	55	50	59	59	67
Don't know	6	6	1	2	0	5	3	2	4	4	7	12	8	4	2	5	6	7	6	6	5	5
Do you think Ed Miliband is doing well or badly as leader of the Labour party?																						
Very well	3	5	1	14	1	0	1	12	6	6	4	3	7	5	5	6	4	7	5	7	4	3
Fairly well	19	25	8	54	20	11	8	51	27	23	27	17	25	30	23	24	27	21	21	25	31	28
TOTAL WELL	22	30	9	68	21	11	9	63	33	29	31	20	32	35	28	30	31	28	26	32	35	31
Fairly badly	36	33	40	21	56	37	40	25	43	34	33	36	33	33	33	36	30	32	33	33	35	32
Very badly	31	27	47	4	20	46	47	6	18	30	24	19	22	26	35	26	28	28	32	25	20	29
TOTAL BADLY	67	60	87	25	76	83	87	31	61	64	57	55	55	59	68	62	58	60	65	58	55	61
Don't know	11	10	4	6	4	6	5	6	7	7	12	25	13	6	4	8	11	12	10	9	9	8
Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?																						
Very well	2	1	2	0	11	1	1	0	3	2	1	0	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	0	1	3
Fairly well	20	20	36	11	58	11	27	11	27	23	17	11	24	18	21	22	16	21	21	17	19	20
TOTAL WELL	22	21	38	11	69	12	28	11	30	25	18	11	26	20	22	23	17	23	23	17	20	23
Fairly badly	30	32	34	32	24	31	34	31	35	27	36	33	31	34	30	31	32	35	31	31	33	28
Very badly	38	37	24	52	2	56	33	51	29	40	34	32	30	39	43	36	39	31	35	40	39	42
TOTAL BADLY	68	69	58	84	26	87	67	82	64	67	70	65	61	73	73	67	71	66	66	71	72	70
Don't know	10	10	5	5	4	2	5	7	5	7	12	24	13	7	5	9	11	10	11	12	8	8
Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?																						
Very well	2	2	3	1	5	1	2	1	3	3	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	1	1
Fairly well	32	31	67	10	64	20	52	12	34	35	26	25	33	29	34	35	25	33	33	28	30	27
TOTAL WELL	34	33	70	11	69	21	54	13	37	38	27	27	35	31	36	37	27	35	36	30	31	28
Fairly badly	33	35	22	39	25	51	31	39	38	32	37	38	33	34	35	33	37	39	34	34	36	29
Very badly	24	25	4	47	4	26	11	46	21	25	25	16	23	30	26	24	28	17	21	30	28	35
TOTAL BADLY	57	60	26	86	29	77	42	85	59	57	62	54	56	64	61	57	65	56	55	64	64	64
Don't know	8	7	3	3	1	1	4	2	4	5	10	18	9	6	3	6	9	8	9	6	6	8

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Do you think this coalition government is good or bad for people like you?																						
Very good	2	2	4	1	8	2	3	0	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	3	1	2	4	1	1	2
Fairly good	20	19	48	5	50	7	34	6	23	23	16	17	23	16	21	22	15	20	20	17	21	18
TOTAL GOOD	22	21	52	6	58	9	37	6	26	26	18	20	25	18	23	25	16	22	24	18	22	20
Fairly bad	26	28	20	29	22	38	27	29	29	30	26	30	25	30	27	28	28	32	31	24	28	21
Very bad	26	27	8	52	2	31	14	50	23	26	28	17	22	32	29	25	30	24	20	31	31	38
TOTAL BAD	52	55	28	81	24	69	41	79	52	56	54	47	47	62	56	53	58	56	51	55	59	59
Doesn't make much difference either way	19	19	18	13	14	22	18	13	21	16	22	20	20	17	20	17	22	19	20	23	15	18
Don't know	6	4	2	1	3	0	3	1	2	2	6	13	8	2	1	5	3	4	5	5	3	4
Do you think the coalition government is managing the economy well or badly?																						
Very well	5	5	15	0	5	1	11	1	2	6	3	7	4	4	5	6	3	6	6	3	4	6
Fairly well	33	33	74	9	50	38	63	11	29	35	32	28	34	28	40	35	30	32	37	33	32	23
TOTAL WELL	38	38	89	9	55	39	74	12	31	41	35	35	38	32	45	41	33	38	43	36	36	29
Fairly badly	31	31	8	43	37	34	16	42	41	33	29	23	30	37	26	32	29	33	29	30	31	33
Very badly	22	22	0	44	4	19	6	43	22	20	24	17	20	25	22	19	26	17	16	26	25	31
TOTAL BADLY	53	53	8	87	41	53	22	85	63	53	53	40	50	62	48	51	55	50	45	56	56	64
Don't know	10	10	2	3	3	8	5	4	7	7	12	25	12	6	6	8	12	12	12	8	8	8
In your opinion how good or bad is the state of Britain's economy at the moment?																						
Very good	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
Quite good	11	11	33	3	10	8	25	4	6	14	9	11	12	10	12	12	10	11	12	14	10	7
TOTAL GOOD	12	12	34	3	11	8	26	4	6	15	9	12	13	10	13	13	10	12	13	14	10	9
Neither good nor bad	29	31	42	23	38	35	39	25	32	34	28	32	32	26	35	32	29	33	34	26	32	25
Quite bad	38	38	19	48	47	36	27	45	43	35	40	34	38	40	37	38	37	37	34	43	36	45
Very bad	17	16	3	26	3	19	7	24	17	14	18	10	13	21	15	14	18	14	15	14	19	18
TOTAL BAD	55	54	22	74	50	55	34	69	60	49	58	44	51	61	52	52	55	51	49	57	55	63
Don't know	4	4	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	5	12	5	3	1	3	4	4	4	4	3	3
How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months?																						
Get a lot better	1	2	3	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	3	3	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	4
Get a little better	13	14	33	7	16	9	22	8	12	17	12	23	22	12	7	16	12	14	15	14	15	11
TOTAL BETTER	14	16	36	8	18	11	24	9	13	19	13	26	25	13	8	18	13	16	17	15	16	15
Stay about the same	39	37	41	33	48	36	41	33	40	35	38	32	37	33	44	41	31	42	37	37	33	37
Get a little worse	29	32	17	38	30	37	24	37	34	33	30	27	21	37	36	28	36	22	32	32	35	34
Get a lot worse	13	11	3	18	3	16	7	18	10	9	13	5	11	14	11	9	14	12	10	11	13	10
TOTAL WORSE	42	43	20	56	33	53	31	55	44	42	43	32	32	51	47	37	50	34	42	43	48	44
Don't know	5	4	3	3	1	0	3	3	4	3	6	11	6	3	2	4	5	7	4	5	4	4

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Which of these would make the best Prime Minister?

David Cameron	28	88	2	18	8	64	5	16	31	25	27	26	24	34	31	24	27	32	26	28	20
Ed Miliband	25	1	66	5	3	2	58	26	26	23	27	25	26	21	25	24	24	20	26	28	30
Nick Clegg	5	1	3	49	1	1	2	16	6	4	4	9	5	2	6	3	7	5	3	4	7
Nigel Farage	9	4	3	3	58	15	5	3	11	7	4	6	9	13	7	11	5	11	9	9	4
Don't know	34	6	25	25	30	18	31	39	26	41	38	34	36	29	31	37	37	32	35	31	38

Some people talk about 'left', 'right' and 'centre' to describe parties and politicians. With this in mind, where would you place each of the following...?

Labour Party

July 22-23 2012

Sept 26-27

Very left-wing	8	11	25	4	6	20	24	2	5	13	10	9	7	11	16	11	12	9	10	14	11	10
Fairly left-wing	18	23	36	18	38	30	35	16	27	26	21	17	19	24	28	25	21	25	27	23	21	15
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	26	34	61	22	44	50	59	18	32	39	31	26	26	35	44	36	33	34	37	37	32	25
Slightly left-of-centre	29	26	17	39	29	15	16	39	35	29	24	16	27	29	26	31	20	27	22	25	29	34
Centre	11	8	3	11	9	5	5	11	7	9	7	6	11	7	7	9	7	11	8	5	8	12
Slightly right-of-centre	4	4	1	5	7	4	1	6	6	5	3	3	2	6	2	3	5	4	2	5	5	3
Fairly right-wing	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	3
Very right-wing	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	1
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	2	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	1	2	2	2	2	3	1	2	2	4	2	1	2	4
Don't know	28	25	15	21	10	25	16	23	19	16	34	46	32	18	19	19	33	22	28	26	24	23

Conservative Party

Very left-wing	1	1	0	3	0	2	1	3	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	3	0
Fairly left-wing	2	2	2	3	1	2	1	2	0	2	2	4	3	2	1	2	2	3	2	2	2	2
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	3	3	2	6	1	4	2	5	1	4	3	5	5	4	2	3	4	5	3	3	5	2
Slightly left-of-centre	2	3	2	2	3	6	4	2	3	3	2	1	2	4	2	3	2	1	2	4	3	1
Centre	9	6	9	3	2	12	12	5	1	8	5	1	5	7	9	6	7	5	7	5	7	9
Slightly right-of-centre	22	22	43	12	28	22	36	16	19	27	18	19	24	21	24	25	19	25	22	21	22	24
Fairly right-wing	23	26	23	31	49	21	23	25	41	28	25	23	23	29	27	30	21	34	25	25	25	24
Very right-wing	13	13	6	24	9	9	7	22	16	13	13	5	8	17	17	12	14	8	12	15	15	16
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	36	39	29	55	58	30	30	47	57	41	38	28	31	46	44	42	35	42	37	40	40	40
Don't know	28	26	15	22	8	25	16	24	18	17	34	46	33	19	20	20	34	23	28	26	25	24

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Liberal Democrats																						
Very left-wing	3	3	5	2	0	9	6	3	1	4	2	2	6	2	4	3	4	2	4	4	4	0
Fairly left-wing	7	7	11	5	8	10	12	3	7	8	6	10	6	7	7	8	6	9	6	7	7	8
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	10	10	16	7	8	19	18	6	8	12	8	12	12	9	11	11	10	11	10	11	11	8
Slightly left-of-centre	16	16	28	7	33	19	25	7	20	19	14	12	20	14	17	19	13	19	18	17	14	14
Centre	25	24	26	24	38	21	27	24	30	28	19	17	23	28	22	26	21	26	23	24	23	25
Slightly right-of-centre	11	15	10	24	10	8	10	23	17	13	17	11	7	20	19	16	14	12	14	14	18	21
Fairly right-wing	4	5	1	10	1	2	2	8	6	5	4	1	2	6	6	4	5	4	4	5	5	3
Very right-wing	3	1	0	2	1	1	0	3	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	2
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	7	6	1	12	2	3	2	11	7	6	5	1	4	7	7	5	6	5	4	6	7	5
Don't know	31	28	17	26	8	29	19	29	19	20	36	47	35	21	24	23	36	28	30	29	27	26
David Cameron																						
Very left-wing	1	1	0	2	0	3	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	0
Fairly left-wing	1	2	1	3	3	4	1	3	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	1	3	2
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	2	3	1	5	3	7	2	5	3	4	3	4	4	4	3	3	4	4	3	3	5	2
Slightly left-of-centre	3	4	4	3	1	8	6	4	1	4	3	3	4	4	3	4	3	5	3	6	3	1
Centre	11	9	15	3	10	16	16	5	4	11	7	6	11	8	9	9	9	6	10	6	10	12
Slightly right-of-centre	20	21	37	13	31	17	30	16	20	26	16	16	21	22	21	24	17	19	20	21	20	26
Fairly right-wing	20	22	20	23	37	18	22	20	33	21	22	15	18	26	23	25	18	30	20	22	20	20
Very right-wing	14	15	7	29	9	8	7	25	19	15	14	8	9	17	20	14	16	14	15	14	16	15
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	34	37	27	52	46	26	29	45	52	36	36	23	27	43	43	39	34	44	35	36	36	35
Don't know	30	27	16	22	8	27	17	24	19	18	35	48	33	19	21	21	34	23	30	27	25	23
Ed Miliband																						
Very left-wing	9	15	37	4	14	26	34	4	9	18	13	8	9	15	24	15	15	12	17	17	15	9
Fairly left-wing	20	21	24	21	35	23	25	20	24	24	18	16	18	22	24	23	18	22	22	21	19	20
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	29	36	61	25	49	49	59	24	33	42	31	24	27	37	48	38	33	34	39	38	34	29
Slightly left-of-centre	23	22	15	31	26	15	14	32	29	23	21	17	24	23	21	25	18	25	21	21	22	25
Centre	12	8	4	10	11	6	5	10	9	9	8	6	10	8	7	9	7	9	7	5	11	9
Slightly right-of-centre	4	4	2	7	5	2	2	5	7	5	4	3	4	8	2	4	5	2	2	6	6	8
Fairly right-wing	1	2	1	3	0	2	1	3	1	2	1	1	0	2	3	2	2	3	1	1	1	5
Very right-wing	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	1
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	2	3	2	4	0	2	2	5	1	3	2	2	1	3	3	3	2	5	2	1	2	6
Don't know	30	27	17	22	9	27	17	24	20	18	35	48	34	20	20	21	34	24	30	28	25	23

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Nick Clegg																						
Very left-wing	3	3	4	1	0	8	4	1	1	3	2	2	3	2	3	2	4	1	3	3	3	1
Fairly left-wing	6	7	14	3	6	10	13	4	3	7	6	6	5	6	9	7	6	8	6	8	6	5
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	9	10	18	4	6	18	17	5	4	10	8	8	8	8	12	9	10	9	9	11	9	6
Slightly left-of-centre	14	15	27	8	25	20	24	8	16	17	13	13	19	14	15	17	13	16	18	13	14	13
Centre	25	24	25	24	40	21	27	25	31	28	21	15	23	28	25	28	19	28	23	24	22	27
Slightly right-of-centre	12	14	9	20	15	8	9	18	18	13	14	10	9	17	15	15	11	12	12	12	17	20
Fairly right-wing	4	6	2	15	3	1	2	12	9	7	5	4	4	8	6	6	7	5	5	7	7	7
Very right-wing	4	2	0	4	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	0	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	3	2	2
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	8	8	2	19	4	1	2	16	10	9	6	4	5	10	8	8	9	6	6	10	9	9
Don't know	34	30	19	26	10	31	20	28	22	21	38	50	36	22	25	24	38	28	32	30	29	25
Yourself																						
Very left-wing	2	3	0	6	0	0	1	5	3	2	3	4	3	3	1	3	2	1	3	4	2	2
Fairly left-wing	11	11	2	24	9	2	1	21	14	11	11	12	13	11	8	12	9	15	9	10	12	11
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY LEFT	13	14	2	30	9	2	2	26	17	13	14	16	16	14	9	15	11	16	12	14	14	13
Slightly left-of-centre	14	14	2	23	32	3	3	21	25	16	12	10	15	15	13	15	11	17	11	14	14	18
Centre	20	21	18	20	39	22	21	22	26	23	20	9	17	24	27	21	22	19	23	19	22	23
Slightly right-of-centre	12	13	32	3	10	19	29	5	8	14	12	8	13	13	15	15	10	13	16	12	12	9
Fairly right-wing	9	8	19	2	2	18	19	1	3	10	6	6	4	10	11	9	7	6	8	10	9	8
Very right-wing	3	4	10	1	0	7	10	1	0	5	3	2	2	3	6	3	4	3	4	3	3	6
TOTAL VERY/FAIRLY RIGHT	12	12	29	3	2	25	29	2	3	15	9	8	6	13	17	12	11	9	12	13	12	14
Don't know	29	27	15	22	8	27	18	24	20	19	34	49	32	20	19	21	33	24	27	28	27	23

Thinking about economic policies, which of the following do you think should be the government's main priorities? Please select up to two.

Getting the economy growing again	52	67	50	56	47	62	52	48	54	50	40	45	56	58	55	49	51	54	52	50	53
Reducing unemployment and helping create jobs	48	32	58	47	45	35	56	55	46	51	61	45	47	48	45	53	48	43	50	51	58
Keeping down living costs and inflation	46	33	55	36	54	38	51	49	44	48	39	49	49	42	42	51	45	46	47	44	46
Reducing the deficit and the amount the government borrows	28	54	11	40	37	49	10	25	34	22	27	23	25	36	30	25	27	32	24	28	23
Getting the housing market moving and more houses built	12	8	18	16	10	8	20	15	12	12	13	11	9	18	13	12	15	12	12	12	14
Keeping interest rates low	9	10	10	7	8	10	10	8	9	9	4	12	10	7	9	9	7	10	7	9	11
None of these	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	1	3	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	3
Don't know	3	1	1	0	0	2	2	1	3	4	10	5	2	0	3	3	4	3	5	2	3

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How much of a problem, if at all, do you think living costs and rising prices are at the moment?

A very big problem	33	17	47	24	32	24	43	35	31	36	21	35	39	30	31	37	31	32	36	33	37
A fairly big problem	54	64	49	59	58	61	49	56	54	54	64	49	51	59	55	53	56	56	49	56	53
TOTAL PROBLEM	87	81	96	83	90	85	92	91	85	90	85	84	90	89	86	90	87	88	85	89	90
Not a very big problem	9	17	3	17	9	13	4	7	11	6	6	11	8	9	10	7	10	8	9	9	7
Not much of a problem at all	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
TOTAL NOT A PROBLEM	9	17	3	17	9	13	5	7	12	6	7	12	8	9	10	7	10	8	10	9	7
Don't know	3	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	3	4	8	5	2	1	3	3	3	3	5	3	2

If at the next election there is another hung Parliament and both Labour and the Conservatives only have enough seats to form a government with the support of the Liberal Democrats, which would you rather see?

A coalition between Labour and the Liberal Democrats	42	3	83	60	20	5	75	60	44	40	43	46	45	34	41	42	45	34	43	45	53
A coalition between the Conservatives and the Liberal Democrats	36	92	2	32	53	81	5	22	38	33	29	33	31	47	39	31	36	43	32	33	23
Don't know	23	5	15	9	28	14	20	18	18	27	28	21	24	20	20	26	19	23	25	22	24

And how likely do you think it is there will be a hung Parliament AND a coalition government after the next election?

Very likely	7	6	6	8	12	7	7	8	8	6	3	8	7	7	7	7	5	7	10	5	4
Fairly likely	38	50	35	60	32	47	36	44	43	35	29	36	38	44	43	33	45	38	31	38	47
TOTAL LIKELY	45	56	41	68	44	54	43	52	51	41	32	44	45	51	50	40	50	45	41	43	51
Fairly unlikely	26	27	30	20	28	27	30	25	27	26	37	25	26	23	26	27	21	27	26	32	18
Very unlikely	9	4	15	2	10	4	13	7	10	8	5	8	11	9	7	11	6	7	11	9	13
TOTAL UNLIKELY	35	31	45	22	38	31	43	32	37	34	42	33	37	32	33	38	27	34	37	41	31
Don't know	20	13	14	10	18	16	14	16	14	25	26	23	18	16	17	23	22	21	22	15	17

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Do you think the Conservatives have governed better as a coalition with the Liberal Democrats, or would have governed better if they had a majority and could govern alone?

Would have governed better as a single party with a majority	31	72	10	7	52	65	14	13	32	30	33	24	29	39	32	30	33	35	33	26	24
Have governed better in a coalition with the Liberal Democrats	29	17	34	81	16	17	29	53	33	26	25	35	29	25	33	24	31	30	22	31	32
No difference	28	5	49	7	22	10	49	26	27	30	24	25	32	28	24	33	24	22	34	33	30
Don't know	12	6	7	5	10	8	8	8	9	15	18	16	10	8	11	13	12	13	11	10	14

And how long would you LIKE the coalition between the Conservatives and Liberal Democrats to last?

Would like it to end this year	35	17	58	7	44	23	56	31	35	35	25	29	38	40	33	37	32	31	36	41	32
Until 2014	6	8	6	6	4	6	5	6	8	5	9	8	5	5	6	7	5	7	7	6	5
Until just before the next election	10	14	11	16	6	12	11	10	13	8	9	11	11	10	11	9	13	8	11	10	13
Up until the next election	30	44	19	55	30	41	19	37	30	30	27	29	30	33	33	27	29	34	27	29	32
Beyond the next election	5	11	0	12	4	9	0	5	5	4	3	7	4	4	6	4	3	6	4	6	5
Don't know	14	6	6	4	12	8	8	12	8	18	27	17	12	7	12	16	17	14	16	9	14

Some people have suggested that the Conservatives and UKIP should have a pact at the next election so that in some seats they stand aside and do not put up candidates against each other. Other people think both parties should fight every seat.

Which would you prefer?

Would prefer the Conservatives and UKIP to have a pact at the next election, and not stand against each other in some seats	18	37	6	8	42	37	7	7	22	14	16	17	16	23	17	19	15	20	19	19	13
Would prefer the Conservatives and UKIP to both contest every seat at the next election	54	48	63	76	48	46	62	69	58	51	43	50	58	59	58	49	53	57	52	51	61
Don't know	27	15	31	15	9	17	31	24	20	35	41	33	27	18	24	32	32	23	29	30	26

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Thinking about their policies and proposals, do you think the Conservatives are or are not making promises that the country cannot afford?

Are making promises the country cannot afford	35	13	53	28	41	20	50	40	34	37	29	35	39	34	33	39	34	30	39	38	40
Are not making promises the country cannot afford	36	71	21	44	36	60	23	27	41	31	31	33	35	41	38	32	34	37	33	40	28
Not sure	29	17	26	27	23	19	27	33	25	32	40	32	26	25	29	29	32	33	28	22	31

Thinking about their policies and proposals, do you think the Labour party are or are not making promises that the country cannot afford?

Are making promises the country cannot afford	52	84	21	66	75	81	26	50	55	48	39	46	52	62	54	49	53	54	49	51	48
Are not making promises the country cannot afford	23	9	47	13	9	8	44	24	26	20	22	23	25	21	22	24	20	21	22	25	27
Not sure	26	6	32	21	16	11	30	26	19	32	40	32	24	17	25	27	27	25	28	24	25

Thinking about their policies and proposals, do you think the Liberal Democrats are or are not making promises that the country cannot afford?

Are making promises the country cannot afford	39	49	38	18	53	50	38	30	40	37	30	32	41	45	38	40	36	39	42	38	38
Are not making promises the country cannot afford	19	17	22	57	12	14	19	30	22	16	16	20	19	18	20	17	16	18	14	23	25
Not sure	43	34	40	25	35	37	42	40	38	47	54	48	40	37	42	43	48	43	45	39	38

Some people say that Labour has moved to the Left since electing Ed Miliband as its leader. Do you think this is...

True - and a good thing for Labour	23	9	43	25	12	10	36	31	24	21	22	26	23	19	25	19	26	18	23	25	25
True - and a bad thing for Labour	27	59	9	32	40	54	10	19	34	22	22	21	24	40	30	24	29	30	26	26	25
Untrue	15	8	24	15	12	8	25	18	18	13	4	12	21	16	14	16	12	14	14	20	16
Don't know	35	24	25	28	36	28	28	32	24	45	52	42	32	25	30	41	33	38	37	30	34

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In a question and answer session at the Labour conference Ed Miliband said he would "bring back socialism" to Britain. Does this make you more or less likely to vote Labour, or does it make no difference?

Makes me more likely to vote Labour	19	2	39	12	6	2	36	27	21	17	17	20	20	18	20	18	16	17	21	19	23
Makes me less likely to vote Labour	16	35	4	25	21	29	5	14	21	12	21	16	16	14	18	13	19	18	12	16	12
No difference - I will probably vote Labour anyway	16	1	47	1	1	2	40	15	15	17	12	17	20	13	16	17	23	12	17	17	18
No difference - I would probably not vote Labour anyway	34	58	3	57	62	59	6	32	32	34	27	26	31	45	33	35	28	37	33	32	32
Don't know	15	4	8	5	10	8	13	13	11	19	22	21	13	9	13	17	14	15	16	16	14

Do you support or oppose the following policies?

Allowing 16 and 17 year olds to vote

Strongly support	9	3	15	7	2	2	13	11	11	7	16	13	7	4	9	8	10	7	10	7	15
Tend to support	21	15	24	37	15	15	23	24	23	19	21	27	22	14	22	20	20	22	20	21	25
TOTAL SUPPORT	30	18	39	44	17	17	36	35	34	26	37	40	29	18	31	28	30	29	30	28	40
Tend to oppose	30	33	30	30	34	32	33	30	28	33	25	27	34	32	30	30	29	29	30	33	33
Strongly oppose	31	45	23	20	45	45	25	26	30	31	22	21	30	44	30	32	27	34	32	30	24
TOTAL OPPOSE	61	78	53	50	79	77	58	56	58	64	47	48	64	76	60	62	56	63	62	63	57
Not sure	9	4	9	5	4	6	7	10	8	10	15	12	7	6	8	10	14	8	9	9	4

Making firms offer one apprenticeship for every foreign immigrant they employ

Strongly support	18	13	22	6	25	16	24	14	19	17	17	12	21	19	16	20	19	18	21	16	18
Tend to support	34	30	38	42	32	29	36	40	35	32	30	31	34	37	34	33	32	35	32	33	38
TOTAL SUPPORT	52	43	60	48	57	45	60	54	54	49	47	43	55	56	50	53	51	53	53	49	56
Tend to oppose	16	26	11	20	15	21	11	17	17	15	16	19	15	13	19	12	14	14	16	18	18
Strongly oppose	15	19	14	13	24	21	13	12	15	16	10	13	15	20	15	16	16	17	14	16	9
TOTAL OPPOSE	31	45	25	33	39	42	24	29	32	31	26	32	30	33	34	28	30	31	30	34	27
Not sure	17	12	15	19	4	13	16	18	14	20	26	24	15	11	16	19	19	17	17	18	18

Threatening to seize land from developers who have planning permission but don't build

Strongly support	18	9	27	13	21	10	27	21	22	14	9	18	18	22	17	19	19	17	20	17	22
Tend to support	35	35	38	40	29	32	38	36	35	35	29	34	33	41	34	36	31	36	32	35	43
TOTAL SUPPORT	53	44	65	53	50	42	65	57	57	49	38	52	51	63	51	55	50	53	52	52	65
Tend to oppose	17	22	13	27	18	21	13	17	15	19	24	20	17	12	19	15	19	16	17	19	14
Strongly oppose	13	24	7	3	22	25	5	8	15	10	16	7	14	15	13	12	12	12	13	14	9
TOTAL OPPOSE	30	46	20	30	40	46	18	25	30	29	40	27	31	27	32	27	31	28	30	33	23
Not sure	17	10	16	17	10	12	17	18	13	21	23	21	18	10	16	18	19	18	18	16	13

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Increasing corporation tax on big companies and reducing business rates for small firms

Strongly support	29	13	47	18	24	14	44	34	28	30	26	32	31	27	27	32	31	27	28	29	41
Tend to support	42	45	40	56	40	45	43	43	40	44	34	40	44	47	43	41	37	44	43	45	34
TOTAL SUPPORT	71	58	87	74	64	59	87	77	68	74	60	72	75	74	70	73	68	71	71	74	75
Tend to oppose	11	20	4	16	18	19	3	10	15	7	12	10	9	13	13	9	9	13	11	8	11
Strongly oppose	5	13	3	1	6	11	3	2	7	3	9	3	5	6	6	4	7	4	5	6	6
TOTAL OPPOSE	16	33	7	17	24	30	6	12	22	10	21	13	14	19	19	13	16	17	16	14	17
Not sure	12	9	6	9	12	12	7	11	9	15	19	16	11	7	11	14	16	12	13	11	8

Freezing the prices that energy companies are allowed to charge for twenty months

Strongly support	37	14	56	22	39	19	53	38	32	41	38	38	39	34	34	41	35	33	38	40	43
Tend to support	26	19	29	31	23	18	30	31	25	26	29	26	28	22	25	27	29	26	23	25	29
TOTAL SUPPORT	63	33	85	53	62	37	83	69	57	67	67	64	67	56	59	68	64	59	61	65	72
Tend to oppose	15	28	6	20	20	24	7	14	18	11	9	13	13	20	16	13	13	16	15	14	10
Strongly oppose	11	30	2	9	13	27	4	5	14	8	8	9	11	15	13	9	9	12	13	9	10
TOTAL OPPOSE	26	58	8	29	33	51	11	19	32	19	17	22	24	35	29	22	22	28	28	23	20
Not sure	12	9	8	18	6	12	6	12	10	13	16	14	10	9	12	11	14	12	11	11	8

Increasing the minimum wage, and introducing a higher minimum wage for employees in some sectors

Strongly support	34	14	52	22	25	18	48	37	30	38	37	31	38	31	28	42	33	33	37	31	42
Tend to support	37	37	36	46	45	38	40	38	35	39	32	37	35	42	40	34	38	35	39	40	31
TOTAL SUPPORT	71	51	88	68	70	56	88	75	65	77	69	68	73	73	68	76	71	68	76	71	73
Tend to oppose	12	26	4	13	13	22	3	9	15	8	10	12	11	12	14	8	11	14	10	9	11
Strongly oppose	4	10	1	4	7	9	2	3	7	2	3	4	4	5	5	4	5	4	4	5	4
TOTAL OPPOSE	16	36	5	17	20	31	5	12	22	10	13	16	15	17	19	12	16	18	14	14	15
Not sure	12	13	7	15	10	13	7	13	13	12	19	15	10	10	13	12	14	12	10	14	11

What do you think is MAINLY responsible for the rising cost in energy bills?

Energy companies taking bigger profits	59	39	75	53	57	44	72	67	53	64	45	58	63	59	57	61	58	55	58	62	63
The rising price of oil and gas	17	28	11	21	8	22	12	16	19	15	19	19	16	14	18	14	19	20	14	15	11
The cost of meeting government targets for reducing carbon emissions	11	22	5	6	25	22	6	4	14	8	7	8	9	19	11	12	7	12	13	11	11
The cost of building new infrastructure and power plants	5	7	4	8	3	6	6	4	6	3	7	5	4	5	5	5	6	4	6	4	8
Something else	2	1	1	3	4	2	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	1
Don't know	7	3	3	8	3	4	3	7	5	8	19	8	5	2	6	8	9	7	8	5	6

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Ed Miliband has said that a Labour government after the next election would force energy companies to freeze their prices for twenty months.

If this happened how likely do you think it is that...

Ordinary people would get better value energy and not face big price rises?

Very likely	10	3	22	3	4	2	17	12	10	10	9	13	10	8	10	10	9	8	12	10	13
Fairly likely	32	18	47	36	23	18	46	34	31	33	38	37	33	25	32	33	30	31	34	33	33
TOTAL LIKELY	42	21	69	39	27	20	63	46	41	43	47	50	43	33	42	43	39	39	46	43	46
Fairly unlikely	29	40	19	40	40	39	22	30	31	28	19	26	30	36	30	28	32	29	26	32	25
Very unlikely	18	34	5	14	28	34	7	13	21	15	11	11	18	26	17	18	15	19	16	19	19
TOTAL UNLIKELY	47	74	24	54	68	73	29	43	52	43	30	37	48	62	47	46	47	48	42	51	44
Don't know	11	6	6	7	5	7	8	11	7	14	23	14	9	5	11	11	14	12	12	6	9

The amount of money that energy companies invested in renewable and green energy would fall?

Very likely	21	37	11	24	20	34	11	18	27	15	15	22	20	23	21	20	22	22	24	16	23
Fairly likely	37	38	40	45	36	37	39	38	34	40	33	34	39	39	40	33	41	36	35	39	35
TOTAL LIKELY	58	75	51	69	56	71	50	56	61	55	48	56	59	62	61	53	63	58	59	55	58
Fairly unlikely	18	11	27	11	21	13	25	21	19	18	20	15	18	22	18	20	13	19	17	22	18
Very unlikely	7	5	8	4	13	7	8	7	8	5	4	4	9	8	6	8	6	6	7	8	7
TOTAL UNLIKELY	25	16	35	15	34	20	33	28	27	23	24	19	27	30	24	28	19	25	24	30	25
Don't know	17	9	14	15	11	9	17	15	12	21	27	25	15	8	15	19	17	18	17	16	17

There would be power cuts and power shortages from a lack of investment?

Very likely	9	17	3	6	11	17	5	5	10	7	6	6	7	13	8	9	5	10	8	9	9
Fairly likely	18	35	9	20	19	31	9	14	19	18	13	14	18	24	21	15	23	19	18	15	14
TOTAL LIKELY	27	52	12	26	30	48	14	19	29	25	19	20	25	37	29	24	28	29	26	24	23
Fairly unlikely	30	28	32	35	31	27	34	34	27	33	35	33	29	28	29	31	28	28	30	35	28
Very unlikely	26	9	44	22	29	12	41	34	32	21	18	28	31	23	26	27	27	25	24	26	33
TOTAL UNLIKELY	56	37	76	57	60	39	75	68	59	54	53	61	60	51	55	58	55	53	54	61	61
Don't know	17	11	11	17	11	13	12	13	12	22	28	19	16	12	16	19	16	18	19	14	16

Energy companies would see their profits fall?

Very likely	21	31	16	20	20	27	18	16	23	19	20	19	20	24	20	22	20	22	21	16	28
Fairly likely	32	28	38	38	29	30	32	39	32	32	29	33	34	30	35	28	33	34	27	36	29
TOTAL LIKELY	53	59	54	58	49	57	50	55	55	51	49	52	54	54	55	50	53	56	48	52	57
Fairly unlikely	25	25	26	25	31	24	29	25	25	25	23	23	26	26	26	23	20	22	29	29	24
Very unlikely	12	11	12	10	14	12	14	12	13	11	5	11	12	16	9	16	14	11	12	12	11
TOTAL UNLIKELY	37	36	38	35	45	36	43	37	38	36	28	34	38	42	35	39	34	33	41	41	35
Don't know	10	4	7	7	5	6	8	8	8	12	23	14	8	4	10	10	13	11	11	7	10

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Thinking about education, would you support or oppose the following policies

Schools becoming academies - schools that receive funding directly from the government, are outside the control of local authorities, and have greater freedom over setting their pay, opening times and curriculum?

[Only asked to respondents in England; n=1616]

Support	40	62	30	34	53	56	28	34	43	37	38	39	40	41	39	40	41	39	41	39	0
Oppose	32	18	48	36	24	20	47	40	30	34	23	29	35	35	36	27	32	29	33	36	0
Not sure	28	20	22	31	23	24	25	26	27	29	39	32	25	24	25	33	27	32	26	25	0

The creation of "Free Schools" - new state schools set up by parents, teachers or voluntary groups which are outside the control of local authorities?

Support	36	52	28	32	46	48	25	27	41	31	33	38	35	36	35	36	38	35	34	36	0
Oppose	40	28	53	52	34	29	52	54	41	40	42	34	43	41	43	37	43	38	39	43	0
Not sure	24	20	20	16	20	24	22	19	19	29	25	28	22	22	22	26	19	27	26	21	0

Allowing state schools to be run by private companies that can make a profit if they meet targets and run schools well?

Support	22	37	14	22	22	31	14	13	28	17	24	24	20	22	22	22	21	22	25	20	0
Oppose	58	43	73	66	56	47	71	74	55	60	51	49	64	61	59	56	62	57	54	59	0
Not sure	20	19	13	13	22	22	15	13	17	23	25	27	16	17	18	23	17	21	20	20	0

Making GCSEs and A-Levels harder?

Support	54	71	43	58	69	70	44	55	63	46	33	44	57	69	57	51	60	52	55	53	0
Oppose	21	12	30	21	12	11	26	25	14	27	37	24	19	13	20	22	18	24	20	19	0
Not sure	25	17	27	21	19	19	31	20	23	27	30	32	24	18	23	27	23	25	24	27	0

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Thinking about grammar schools and schools that select pupils by ability, which of the following best reflects your views?

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The government should encourage more schools to select by academic ability and build more grammar schools

40 | 64 24 30 57 | 61 25 32 | 43 37 | 27 34 38 52 | 42 36 | 46 42 37 35 0

The government should retain the existing grammar schools, but should not allow more selective schools or new grammar schools to be built

23 | 19 26 37 18 | 15 25 31 | 21 24 | 33 26 22 15 | 21 25 | 23 24 18 24 0

The government should stop schools selecting by academic ability and the existing grammar schools should be opened to children of all abilities

21 | 9 34 21 12 | 12 35 23 | 20 23 | 16 20 23 23 | 22 21 | 17 19 23 25 0

Not sure

17 | 8 17 12 13 | 12 15 14 | 16 17 | 24 20 16 11 | 16 18 | 13 15 22 17 0

Some people have called for schools to move back to more traditional teaching methods.

Thinking about this which of the following best reflects your view?

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It is right to move to more traditional teaching, it is important that schools give children the basic knowledge on things like the Kings and Queens of Britain, reciting poetry and memorising times tables

41 | 56 33 38 59 | 55 35 38 | 40 42 | 26 28 44 56 | 39 45 | 40 42 45 40 0

It is wrong to move back to more traditional teaching, modern education should be more about teaching children how to understand and learn, rather than just memorising bare facts

37 | 31 46 51 20 | 28 43 43 | 38 36 | 49 48 33 28 | 42 31 | 40 37 34 38 0

Neither

11 | 9 11 7 16 | 11 11 11 | 11 11 | 8 12 12 11 | 10 13 | 10 11 12 11 0

Don't know

10 | 3 10 4 4 | 6 11 9 | 11 10 | 18 12 11 5 | 10 11 | 10 11 9 11 0