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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GENDER		AGE						SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/widwd/dvrcd/sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10) 555 48%	282 51%	273 45%	35 22%	68 31%	72 38% ^c	75 48% ^{cd}	115 70% ^{cdef}	92 72% ^{cdef}	98 68% ^{cdef}	116 65% ^{klm}	134 47%	96 45%	208 43%	345 52% ^o	210 42%
9	(9) 51 4%	20 4%	31 5%	4 3%	12 5%	7 4%	12 8% ^c	4 3%	4 3%	7 5%	11 6%	11 4%	5 2%	24 5%	30 5%	21 4%
8	(8) 60 5%	29 5%	31 5%	16 10% ^{dfg}	10 4%	11 6%	6 4%	4 3%	6 4%	8 5%	4 2%	14 5%	15 7%	28 6%	35 5%	25 5%
7	(7) 52 4%	30 5%	21 4%	11 7%	17 8% ^{gi}	8 4%	6 3%	4 3%	3 2%	3 2%	6 3%	17 6%	7 3%	22 5%	29 4%	23 5%
6	(6) 35 3%	21 4%	14 2%	6 4%	9 4%	8 4%	3 2%	3 2%	2 1%	4 3%	2 2%	3 3%	3 3%	15 3%	16 2%	19 4%
5	(5) 88 8%	39 7%	49 8%	21 13% ^{fghi}	21 9% ^{gi}	23 12% ^{ghi}	10 6%	5 3%	4 3%	4 3%	11 6%	17 6%	22 10%	37 8%	46 7%	42 8%
4	(4) 22 2%	5 1%	17 3% ^a	6 3% ^{hi}	6 3%	5 2%	4 2%	1 1%	-	-	3 1%	4 2%	5 2%	10 2%	10 2%	12 2%
3	(3) 28 2%	15 3%	13 2%	10 6% ^{ghi}	6 3%	4 2%	4 3%	1 *	1 1%	2 1%	5 3%	6 2%	3 1%	15 3%	15 2%	13 3%
2	(2) 31 3%	8 1%	23 4% ^a	8 5%	7 3%	7 4%	3 2%	4 2%	1 1%	1 1%	3 2%	10 4%	4 2%	14 3%	14 2%	16 3%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1) 186 16%	82 15%	105 17%	30 19% ^{ghi}	46 21% ^{ghi}	43 22% ^{ghi}	32 20% ^{ghi}	15 9%	8 6%	13 9%	11 6%	49 17% ^j	42 19% ^j	85 18% ^j	93 14%	94 19% ⁿ
SUMMARY CODES																
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	753 65%	382 69% ^b	370 61%	73 45%	116 53%	105 55%	102 64% ^{cd}	131 80% ^{cdef}	107 83% ^{cdef}	120 83% ^{cdef}	141 79% ^{klm}	185 64%	130 60%	297 61%	455 68% ^o	298 59%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	355 30%	149 27%	206 34% ^a	74 46% ^{fghi}	86 39% ^{ghi}	81 43% ^{ghi}	53 33% ^{ghi}	26 16%	15 11%	20 14%	33 18%	87 30% ^j	75 35% ^j	160 33% ^j	178 27%	176 35% ⁿ

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Don't know	39	15	25	12	9	5	3	5	5	1	3	11	6	18	20	20
	3%	3%	4%	7%efi	4%i	3%	2%	3%	4%	*	2%	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%
Refused	20	11	8	3	9	-	1	1	2	4	1	6	3	9	12	8
	2%	2%	1%	2%	4%eg	-	1%	*	1%	3%e	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Mean Score	7.151	7.401b	6.920	5.694	6.177	6.274	6.992cd	8.442cdef	8.831cdef	8.514cdef	8.377kim	7.055	6.848	6.877	7.478o	6.713
Standard Deviation	3.524	3.410	3.613	3.395	3.607	3.676	3.697	3.013	2.559	2.854	2.821	3.596	3.617	3.591	3.409	3.630
Error Variance	0.011	0.022	0.023	0.073	0.063	0.071	0.088	0.061	0.055	0.062	0.049	0.049	0.066	0.027	0.019	0.027

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10) 555 48%	228 43%	327 52% ^a	128 34%	427 54% ^c	403 46%	152 52%
9	(9) 51 4%	22 4%	29 5%	19 5%	32 4%	41 5%	10 3%
8	(8) 60 5%	28 5%	33 5%	23 6%	37 5%	42 5%	18 6%
7	(7) 52 4%	28 5%	24 4%	24 6% ^d	28 4%	41 5%	11 4%
6	(6) 35 3%	20 4%	15 2%	9 2%	26 3%	27 3%	8 3%
5	(5) 88 8%	46 9%	41 7%	42 11% ^d	46 6%	74 8% ^f	14 5%
4	(4) 22 2%	12 2%	10 2%	7 2%	14 2%	20 2% ^f	1 *
3	(3) 28 2%	15 3%	13 2%	13 4%	15 2%	25 3%	2 1%
2	(2) 31 3%	20 4% ^b	11 2%	9 3%	22 3%	23 3%	8 3%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1) 186 16%	91 17%	96 15%	77 21% ^d	110 14%	136 16%	51 17%
SUMMARY CODES							
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	753 65%	326 61%	427 68% ^a	203 55%	550 69% ^c	554 63%	199 68%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	355 30%	184 34% ^b	171 27%	148 40% ^d	206 26%	278 32%	76 26%
Don't know	39 3%	17 3%	23 4%	12 3%	27 3%	25 3%	15 5%

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Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Refused	20	8	12	8	11	17	3
	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Mean Score	7.151	6.810	7.441a	6.352	7.522c	7.082	7.358
Standard Deviation	3.524	3.565	3.466	3.605	3.426	3.502	3.588
Error Variance	0.011	0.026	0.020	0.036	0.016	0.015	0.046

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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	555 (10)	23 48%	62 39%	64 57%bh	43 49%	54 44%	51 47%	57 51%	62 42%	49 48%	37 63%abefh k	52 51%b	509 49% ^m	43 37%
9	51 (9)	4 4%	5 7% ^{di}	6 5% ⁱ	-	7 6% ^{di}	5 5% ⁱ	4 3%	9 6% ^{di}	-	4 6% ^{di}	7 7% ^{di}	44 4%	7 6%
8	60 (8)	1 5%	7 4%	1 1%	4 4%	10 8% ^c	6 6%	8 7% ^c	6 4%	8 8% ^c	4 7% ^c	5 4%	52 5%	8 7%
7	52 (7)	1 4%	5 2%	4 3%	4 4%	8 6%	3 2%	3 3%	15 11% ^{bfjgk}	4 4%	2 3%	4 4%	45 4%	7 6%
6	35 (6)	1 3%	8 2%	3 5% ^h	4 2%	4 3%	4 4% ^h	3 3%	-	3 3%	2 4% ^h	3 3% ^h	30 3%	5 4%
5	88 (5)	8 8%	12 14% ^k	5 8%	5 6%	14 11%	9 8%	6 6%	13 9%	8 8%	3 5%	5 5%	79 8%	9 8%
4	22 (4)	- 2%	5 3%	1 1%	1 1%	2 2%	3 2%	4 3%	3 2%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	20 2%	2 2%
3	28 (3)	1 2%	1 2%	8 7% ^{bgk}	3 3%	3 3%	3 2%	1 1%	4 3%	3 3%	1 1%	1 1%	26 2%	2 2%
2	31 (2)	- 3%	9 6% ^j	3 3%	4 4%	1 1%	1 1%	3 3%	6 4%	1 1%	-	2 2%	28 3%	3 3%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	186 (1)	9 16%	23 17%	16 14%	18 21%	17 13%	22 20% ^j	15 14%	20 14%	20 19%	5 9%	22 21% ^j	167 16%	20 17%
SUMMARY CODES														
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	753 65%	31 57%	87 55%	78 68% ^b	55 63%	82 67%	69 64%	75 67% ^b	92 63%	63 62%	49 84% ^{abcde} fghik	71 69% ^b	681 65%	69 60%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	355 30%	18 33% ^j	50 32% ^j	33 29% ^j	31 35% ^j	37 30% ^j	37 34% ^j	30 27%	45 31% ^j	33 32% ^j	10 16%	31 31% ^j	319 30%	36 32%

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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Don't know	39	5	19	-	1	2	-	3	4	4	-	-	33	6
	3%	9% ^{ce} fjk	12% ^{cdefghjk}	-	1%	2%	-	3%	3%	4% ^{ck}	-	-	3%	5%
Refused	20	-	3	3	1	3	3	4	4	1	-	-	15	3
	2%	-	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3% ^k	3%	1%	-	-	1%	3%
Mean Score	7.151	7.053	6.774	7.421	6.724	7.255	6.945	7.457	7.085	6.981	8.327^{abd}	7.116	7.179	6.793
Standard Deviation	3.524	3.546	3.583	3.562	3.768	3.281	3.654	3.439	3.422	3.674	2.863^{efhik}	3.707	3.526	3.524
Error Variance	0.011	0.0331	0.115	0.136	0.203	0.099	0.150	0.097	0.097	0.178	0.084	0.076	0.013	0.071

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10) 555	113	137	118	44	16	127	171	170	149	113	108	77	263	165	50
	48%	55%bcd	44%	43%	42%	65%	52%	43%k	64%gjk	62%gjk	47%k	35%	79% mno	66%no	43%o	18%
9	(9) 51	16	10	9	5	1	9	17	7	14	14	16	7	22	16	6
	4%	8%b	3%	3%	5%	2%	4%	4%	3%	6%	6%	5%	8%o	6%o	4%	2%
8	(8) 60	11	19	8	8	2	12	21	13	17	11	16	4	21	29	6
	5%	5%	6%	3%	8%	10%	5%	5%	5%	7%	4%	5%	5%	5%o	8%o	2%
7	(7) 52	9	25	11	2	1	4	13	15	12	11	13	1	21	25	4
	4%	5%	8%df	4%	2%	5%	2%	3%	6%	5%	4%	4%	1%	5%o	7%o	1%
6	(6) 35	2	9	9	2	1	11	18	2	4	8	8	-	9	15	10
	3%	1%	3%	3%	2%	5%	5%a	5%hi	1%	2%	3%h	3%	-	2%	4%	4%
5	(5) 88	14	21	29	10	1	13	41	14	13	17	25	1	18	42	27
	8%	7%	7%	10%f	9%	5%	5%	11%hi	5%	5%	7%	8%	1%	5%	11%lm	10%lm
4	(4) 22	4	8	6	1	-	3	7	9	3	6	6	-	6	9	6
	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	-	1%	2%	2%
3	(3) 28	3	10	11	2	-	2	12	4	3	8	8	-	4	15	9
	2%	2%	3%	4%f	2%	-	1%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	-	1%	4%am	3%
2	(2) 31	4	12	5	4	-	6	12	6	6	2	10	1	9	7	15
	3%	2%	4%	2%	4%	-	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	5%mn
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1) 186	22	48	52	20	1	43	63	19	14	41	76	5	20	40	120
	16%	10%	15%	19%a	19%a	5%	18%a	16%hi	7%	6%	17%hi	25%ghj	5%	5%	11%am	43%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	753	150	201	155	62	21	163	240	207	196	156	160	90	337	250	76
	65%	73%bcd	65%	57%	58%	87%	66%bc	61%k	77%gjk	82%gjk	65%k	53%	92%no	84%no	66%o	27%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	355	47	98	102	38	2	67	136	51	39	74	125	6	58	112	177
	30%	23%	32%a	37%af	36%a	10%	27%	34%hi	19%	16%	31%hi	41%hij	6%	14%l	30%lm	63%lmn

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Don't know	39	5	9	10	5	-	11	11	4	3	5	15	1	4	12	18
	3%	2%	3%	4%	5%	-	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%	5%hi	1%	1%	3%	7%lm
Refused	20	3	3	6	1	1	5	7	4	1	4	4	1	1	6	10
	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	*	2% <i>m</i>	4% <i>m</i>
Mean Score	7.151	7.900bcd	6.969	6.676	6.724	8.661	7.307	6.889k	8.246gjk	8.401gjk	7.124k	6.147	9.236mno	8.535no	7.266o	4.049
Standard Deviation	3.524	3.152	3.487	3.658	3.700	2.421	3.614	3.516	2.927	2.719	3.539	3.806	2.160	2.620	3.182	3.622
Error Variance	0.011	0.050	0.041	0.053	0.126	0.225	0.058	0.032	0.035	0.032	0.053	0.051	0.048	0.017	0.028	0.052

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	555	33	287	208	25	463	37
(10)	48%	74%cd	62%cd	44%d	14%	69%f	10%
9	51	2	21	24	4	37	10
(9)	4%	5%	4%	5%	2%	5%f	3%
8	60	1	28	28	2	41	15
(8)	5%	3%	6%d	6%d	1%	6%	4%
7	52	1	22	24	5	35	15
(7)	4%	3%	5%	5%	3%	5%	4%
6	35	1	12	17	5	19	12
(6)	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%
5	88	-	20	52	16	29	49
(5)	8%	-	4%	11%ab	9%ab	4%	13%e
4	22	-	5	15	2	10	9
(4)	2%	-	1%	3%b	1%	1%	3%
3	28	2	6	17	4	9	15
(3)	2%	4%	1%	3%b	2%	1%	4%e
2	31	1	7	16	8	6	23
(2)	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%b	1%	6%e
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	186	3	44	58	81	17	159
(1)	16%	7%	10%	12%	46%abc	2%	42%e
SUMMARY CODES							
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	753	39	370	301	40	595	89
	65%	87%cd	80%cd	63%d	23%	88%f	24%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	355	6	82	157	110	70	256
	30%	13%	18%	33%ab	63%abc	10%	68%e
Don't know	39	-	7	14	15	8	25
	3%	-	2%	3%	8%bc	1%	7%e

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Refused	20	-	4	4	10	-	5
	2%	-	1%	1%	5%bc	-	1%e
Mean Score	7.151	8.659cd	8.201cd	7.095d	3.687	8.848f	3.746
Standard Deviation	3.524	2.800	2.991	3.339	3.509	2.193	3.221
Error Variance	0.011	0.170	0.020	0.024	0.079	0.007	0.029

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

		VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)					
		Total	Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Did not vote (e)
Unweighted Base		1163	191	300	98	77	382
Weighted Base		1166	219	285	108*	61*	375
Effective Base		1043	181	265	91	66	340
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10)	555 48%	162 74%ce	196 69%e	64 59%e	41 67%e	37 10%
9	(9)	51 4%	11 5%	19 7%e	4 4%	3 5%	10 3%
8	(8)	60 5%	13 6%	12 4%	9 9%	7 11%be	15 4%
7	(7)	52 4%	8 4%	17 6%	9 8%	1 2%	15 4%
6	(6)	35 3%	6 3%	11 4%	1 1%	3 4%	12 3%
5	(5)	88 8%	10 4%	11 4%	7 7%	1 2%	49 13%abd
4	(4)	22 2%	3 1%	2 1%	4 4%b	* *	9 3%
3	(3)	28 2%	3 1%	2 1%	4 4%b	- -	15 4%b
2	(2)	31 3%	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1 2%	23 6%abc
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1)	186 16%	1 1%	10 4%a	3 2%	2 4%a	159 42%abcd
SUMMARY CODES							
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)		753 65%	199 91%ce	254 89%ce	87 81%e	55 89%e	89 24%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)		355 30%	19 9%	27 9%	19 18%ab	5 9%	256 68%abcd
Don't know		39 3%	1 1%	4 1%	1 1%	1 2%	25 7%abc

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	VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)					
	Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Did not vote (e)	
Unweighted Base	1163	191	300	98	77	382
Weighted Base	1166	219	285	108*	61*	375
Effective Base	1043	181	265	91	66	340
Refused	20	-	-	-	-	5
	2%	-	-	-	-	1%
Mean Score	7.151	9.084ce	8.853e	8.373e	8.813e	3.746
Standard Deviation	3.524	1.905	2.236	2.483	2.339	3.221
Error Variance	0.011	0.019	0.017	0.064	0.072	0.029

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e

* small base

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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

		VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)					
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)	
Unweighted Base		1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base		1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base		1043	171	342	58	83	210
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10)	555 48%	149 72%bcde	221 61%e	39 56%e	50 58%e	4 2%
9	(9)	51 4%	11 5%e	22 6%e	5 7%e	5 6%e	2 1%
8	(8)	60 5%	12 6%e	23 6%e	6 9%e	8 9%e	3 1%
7	(7)	52 4%	13 6%e	24 7%e	3 5%e	1 1%	1 1%
6	(6)	35 3%	4 2%	16 4%	1 2%	3 4%	6 2%
5	(5)	88 8%	11 5%	23 6%	6 9%	4 4%	23 10%
4	(4)	22 2%	3 2%	6 2%	3 4%	1 1%	5 2%
3	(3)	28 2%	3 1%	4 1%	2 3%	3 3%	11 5%ab
2	(2)	31 3%	- -	4 1%	- -	4 4%ab	16 7%abc
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1)	186 16%	- -	10 3%a	3 4%a	6 6%a	154 65%abcd
SUMMARY CODES							
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)		753 65%	190 92%bcde	306 85%e	55 79%e	68 79%e	15 6%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)		355 30%	17 8%	47 13%	13 19%a	17 20%a	209 88%abcd
Don't know		39 3%	- -	9 3%a	1 2%	1 1%	9 4%a

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	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)					
	Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)	
Unweighted Base	1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base	1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base	1043	171	342	58	83	210
Refused	20	-	-	-	-	5
	2%	-	-	-	-	2% ^b
Mean Score	7.151	9.105bcde	8.579e	8.314e	8.090e	2.094
Standard Deviation	3.524	1.705	2.325	2.536	2.978	2.036
Error Variance	0.011	0.016	0.014	0.105	0.094	0.019

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e

* small base

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Q.3 How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?

Base: All aged 18 or above

		CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)			
		Total	Would still not vote (a)	Would vote the same as last time (b)	Would vote differently to last time (c)
Unweighted Base		1163	181	496	285
Weighted Base		1166	187	503	288
Effective Base		1043	164	447	256
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10)	555 48%	1 *	369 73%ac	148 52%a
9	(9)	51 4%	-	29 6%a	12 4%a
8	(8)	60 5%	1 1%	27 5%a	18 6%a
7	(7)	52 4%	-	22 4%a	14 5%a
6	(6)	35 3%	2 1%	15 3%	8 3%
5	(5)	88 8%	17 9%b	24 5%	15 5%
4	(4)	22 2%	3 2%	6 1%	6 2%
3	(3)	28 2%	4 2%b	2 *	10 4%b
2	(2)	31 3%	11 6%b	-	8 3%b
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1)	186 16%	136 73%bc	3 1%	24 8%b
SUMMARY CODES					
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)		753 65%	4 2%	462 92%ac	201 70%a
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)		355 30%	172 92%bc	36 7%	63 22%b

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	CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)		
	Would still not vote (a)	Would vote the same as last time (b)	Would vote differently to last time (c)
Total			
Unweighted Base	1163	181	496
Weighted Base	1166	187	503
Effective Base	1043	164	447
Don't know	39	8	5
	3%	4% ^b	1%
Refused	20	4	-
	2%	2% ^b	-
Mean Score	7.151	1.691	9.171^{ac}
Standard Deviation	3.524	1.523	1.701
Error Variance	0.011	0.013	0.006

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Very interested	97 8%	62 11% ^b	35 6%	6 4%	14 7%	13 7%	18 12% ^c	24 15% ^{cdeh}	6 5%	15 10% ^{ci}	29 16% ^{klm}	23 8%	13 6%	32 7%	62 9%	36 7%
Fairly interested	400 34%	210 38% ^b	190 31%	52 32%	62 28%	72 38%	51 32%	65 40% ^d	47 37%	51 35%	81 46% ^{lm}	112 39% ^{lm}	64 30%	142 29%	235 35%	165 33%
Not very interested	379 33%	174 31%	205 34%	49 31%	77 35%	56 29%	52 33%	44 27%	51 40% ^g	49 34%	52 29%	96 33%	79 37%	152 31%	220 33%	159 32%
Not at all interested	281 24%	108 19%	173 28% ^a	52 32% ^{ghi}	63 28% ^{gh}	50 26%	37 23%	29 18%	21 16%	29 20%	16 9%	54 19% ^j	57 26% ^{jk}	155 32% ^{jk}	144 22%	137 27% ⁿ
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	272 49% ^b	225 37%	58 36%	76 35%	85 45%	69 44%	89 55% ^{cdh}	53 42%	66 46%	111 62% ^{klm}	136 47% ^{lm}	77 36%	174 36%	297 45%	200 40%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	282 51%	379 62% ^a	102 63% ^g	140 64% ^g	106 55%	89 56%	73 45%	72 56%	78 54%	68 38%	150 52% ^j	136 63% ^{jk}	307 63% ^{jk}	364 55%	297 59%
Don't know	9 1%	3 1%	6 1%	1 1%	4 2%	1 *	- -	1 *	3 2%	- -	- -	3 1%	1 1%	4 1%	4 1%	4 1%

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Very interested	97 8%	48 9%	49 8%	19 5%	78 10% ^c	76 9%	21 7%
Fairly interested	400 34%	200 38% ^b	200 32%	118 32%	282 35%	315 36% ^f	85 29%
Not very interested	379 33%	156 29%	224 35% ^a	120 32%	259 33%	272 31%	108 37%
Not at all interested	281 24%	128 24%	153 24%	110 30% ^d	171 21%	202 23%	79 27%
SUMMARY CODES							
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	248 46% ^b	249 39%	137 37%	361 45% ^c	391 45% ^f	106 36%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	284 53%	377 60% ^a	230 62% ^d	430 54%	474 54%	186 64% ^e
Don't know	9 1%	2 *	7 1%	4 1%	4 1%	8 1%	1 *

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Very interested	97	4	10	9	6	15	4	9	15	10	7	9	86	10
	8%	7%	6%	8%	7%	12%	4%	8%	10%	9%	12% ^f	8%	8%	8%
Fairly interested	400	13	38	42	32	53	41	44	55	27	24	32	359	41
	34%	24%	24%	37% ^b	37% ^b	43% ^{abi}	38% ^b	39% ^b	38% ^b	26%	41% ^{bi}	31%	34%	36%
Not very interested	379	22	59	34	28	36	36	32	39	44	18	33	345	35
	33%	41%	37%	30%	31%	29%	33%	28%	27%	43% ^{gh}	31%	32%	33%	31%
Not at all interested	281	13	53	26	21	20	26	27	34	22	10	28	250	28
	24%	24%	33% ^{ej}	23%	24%	17%	24%	25%	23%	21%	16%	28% ^{ej}	24%	25%
SUMMARY CODES														
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497	17	47	52	39	67	45	53	69	36	31	40	445	50
	43%	31%	30%	46% ^b	44% ^b	54% ^{abik}	42%	47% ^b	48% ^b	36%	53% ^{abik}	40%	42%	44%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660	35	112	60	49	57	62	59	74	65	28	61	595	63
	57%	64% ^e	70% ^{cdefghj}	53%	56%	46%	57%	53%	51%	64% ^{ej}	47%	60% ^{ej}	57%	55%
Don't know	9	3	-	2	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	1	8	1
	1%	5% ^{beg}	-	2%	-	-	1%	-	2%	-	-	1%	1%	1%

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)							NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Very interested	97 8%	42 21%bcdf	26 8%f	14 5%	7 7%	1 5%	6 3%	24 6%	26 10%k	45 19%ghjk	15 6%	14 5%	97 100%mno	-	-	-
Fairly interested	400 34%	96 47%bcdf	114 37%f	84 31%	32 30%	11 46%	62 25%	123 31%	123 46%gjk	132 55%gjk	82 34%k	79 26%	-	400 100%lno	-	-
Not very interested	379 33%	48 24%	108 35%a	93 34%a	33 31%	8 33%	89 36%a	142 36%i	87 33%i	52 22%	96 40%i	96 32%i	-	-	379 100%lmo	-
Not at all interested	281 24%	17 8%	64 20%a	78 29%ab	34 32%ab	4 15%	85 35%ab	102 26%hi	30 11%i	11 5%	46 19%hi	111 37%ghij	-	-	-	281 100%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	139 68%bcdf	140 45%cf	98 36%	40 37%	13 52%	69 28%	147 37%	149 56%gjk	177 74%ghjk	97 41%k	93 31%	97 100%no	400 100%no	-	-
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	65 32%	171 55%a	171 63%a	67 62%a	12 48%	174 71%ab	245 62%hi	117 44%i	63 26%	142 59%hi	208 68%hij	-	-	379 100%lm	281 100%lm
Don't know	9 1%	1 1%	-	4 1%b	1 1%	-	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	-	-	3 1%	-	-	-	-

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 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Very interested	97	29	65	3	-	80	9
	8%	65%bcd	14%cd	1%	-	12%f	2%
Fairly interested	400	9	277	113	1	292	72
	34%	20%d	60%acd	24%d	*	43%f	19%
Not very interested	379	-	95	264	19	218	120
	33%	-	21%ad	55%abd	11%a	32%	32%
Not at all interested	281	7	25	95	153	82	172
	24%	16%b	5%	20%b	88%abc	12%	46%e
SUMMARY CODES							
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497	38	342	116	1	372	80
	43%	84%cd	74%cd	24%d	*	55%f	21%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660	7	120	359	172	300	292
	57%	16%	26%	75%ab	99%abc	45%	78%e
Don't know	9	-	-	1	2	1	3
	1%	-	-	*	1%b	*	1%

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
Very interested	97 8%	30 8%	29 9%	38 9%	77 14%eg	5 3%	90 12%eg	6 2%
Fairly interested	400 34%	123 32%	108 32%	168 38%	263 47%eg	20 11%	337 45%eg	58 16%
Not very interested	379 33%	141 37%b	94 28%	143 33%	165 30%e	40 21%	250 33%e	112 32%e
Not at all interested	281 24%	85 22%	104 31%ac	89 20%	50 9%	120 65%dfg	76 10%	177 50%df
SUMMARY CODES								
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	153 40%	137 41%	206 47%	339 61%eg	25 14%	427 57%eg	64 18%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	226 59%	198 59%	232 53%	215 39%	160 86%df	325 43%	289 81%df
Don't know	9 1%	5 1%	2 1%	1 *	1 *	1 *	1 *	2 1%

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Did not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	191	300	98	77	382
Weighted Base	1166	219	285	108*	61*	375
Effective Base	1043	181	265	91	66	340
Very interested	97 8%	24 11%e	31 11%e	14 13%e	11 18%e	9 2%
Fairly interested	400 34%	111 51%bde	116 41%e	43 40%e	21 35%e	72 19%
Not very interested	379 33%	67 31%	91 32%	39 36%	21 35%	120 32%
Not at all interested	281 24%	16 7%	46 16%a	12 11%	8 12%	172 46%abcd
SUMMARY CODES						
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	135 62%be	148 52%e	57 53%e	32 53%e	80 21%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	84 38%	137 48%a	51 47%	29 47%	292 78%abcd
Don't know	9 1%	-	1 *	-	-	3 1%

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Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base	1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base	1043	171	342	58	83	210
Very interested	97 8%	25 12%e	38 10%e	4 6%	14 16%e	5 2%
Fairly interested	400 34%	109 53%bde	139 38%e	31 44%de	24 27%e	35 15%
Not very interested	379 33%	59 29%	124 34%e	27 39%e	37 43%ae	60 25%
Not at all interested	281 24%	14 7%	61 17%a	7 10%	11 13%	137 58%abcd
SUMMARY CODES						
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	133 65%bde	177 49%e	35 51%e	38 44%e	40 17%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	73 35%	184 51%a	34 49%	49 56%a	197 83%abcd
Don't know	9 1%	-	1 *	-	-	1 1%

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)**Q.6 How interested would you say you are in politics?****Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)		
		Would still not vote (a)	Would vote the same as last time (b)	Would vote differently to last time (c)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	496	285
Weighted Base	1166	187	503	288
Effective Base	1043	164	447	256
Very interested	97 8%	4 2%	60 12%a	29 10%a
Fairly interested	400 34%	20 11%	226 45%ac	103 36%a
Not very interested	379 33%	39 21%	162 32%a	97 34%a
Not at all interested	281 24%	122 65%bc	55 11%	54 19%b
SUMMARY CODES				
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	497 43%	24 13%	285 57%ac	131 46%a
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	660 57%	162 86%bc	217 43%	151 53%b
Don't know	9 1%	1 1%	1 *	5 2%b

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
A great deal	45 4%	34 6% ^b	11 2%	5 3%	7 3%	7 4%	6 4%	12 7% ^h	2 1%	6 4%	13 7% ^m	12 4%	8 4%	13 3%	30 5%	15 3%
A fair amount	462 40%	257 46% ^b	205 34%	49 31%	72 33%	77 41%	69 44% ^{cd}	86 53% ^{cdei}	52 41%	56 39%	102 57% ^{klm}	123 43% ^m	76 35%	161 33%	271 41%	191 38%
Not very much	476 41%	195 35%	281 46% ^a	64 40%	96 44% ^g	75 39%	63 40%	52 32%	58 46% ^g	67 47% ^g	51 28%	116 40% ^j	108 51% ^{ijkm}	200 41% ^j	271 41%	205 41%
Nothing at all	175 15%	68 12%	107 18% ^a	41 26% ^{efghi}	42 19% ^{ghi}	31 16% ^g	21 13%	13 8%	13 10%	14 10%	13 7%	35 12%	21 10%	106 22% ^{ijkl}	90 14%	84 17%
SUMMARY CODES																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	291 52% ^b	216 35%	55 34%	79 36%	85 44%	75 47% ^{cd}	98 60% ^{cdefhi}	54 42%	62 43%	114 64% ^{klm}	135 47% ^m	84 39%	174 36%	301 45%	206 41%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	263 47%	388 64% ^a	105 65% ^{fg}	138 63% ^g	106 56% ^g	83 53% ^g	65 40%	71 55% ^g	81 56% ^g	64 36%	151 52% ^j	130 60% ^j	306 63% ^{ijk}	361 54%	290 58%
Don't know	8 1%	3 *	6 1%	1 1%	3 1%	-	-	-	3 2% ^e	1 1%	-	3 1%	1 1%	4 1%	3 *	6 1%

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
A great deal	45 4%	21 4%	24 4%	11 3%	34 4%	36 4%	9 3%
A fair amount	462 40%	233 44% ^b	229 36%	125 34%	337 42% ^c	365 42% ^f	97 33%
Not very much	476 41%	208 39%	268 42%	156 42%	320 40%	344 39%	132 45%
Nothing at all	175 15%	70 13%	105 17%	77 21% ^d	98 12%	120 14%	54 19%
SUMMARY CODES							
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	254 48% ^b	253 40%	136 37%	371 47% ^c	402 46% ^f	105 36%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	278 52%	373 59% ^a	233 63% ^d	418 53%	465 53%	186 64% ^e
Don't know	8 1%	1 *	7 1%	3 1%	6 1%	7 1%	1 *

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
A great deal	45 4%	1 2%	3 2%	6 5%f	4 4%	9 7%bf	- -	2 2%	9 7%bf	5 5%f	2 3%f	5 4%f	38 4%	5 5%
A fair amount	462 40%	18 33%	49 31%	49 43%	37 42%	54 44%b	39 36%	52 46%bk	59 40%	43 43%	28 47%bk	33 32%	418 40%	44 39%
Not very much	476 41%	26 48%	68 43%	34 30%	37 42%	52 42%	51 47%c	42 37%	58 40%	43 42%	24 41%	42 41%	428 41%	48 42%
Nothing at all	175 15%	5 9%	40 25%adehij	24 21%ej	10 11%	8 7%	17 15%	16 15%	17 12%	10 10%	5 9%	23 22%dehij	156 15%	17 14%
SUMMARY CODES														
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	19 36%	52 33%	55 48%b	41 47%	63 51%bfbk	39 36%	54 48%b	68 47%b	49 48%b	29 50%bk	38 37%	456 44%	50 44%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	31 57%	107 67%ceghij	59 52%	47 53%	60 49%	68 62%	58 52%	75 51%	53 52%	29 50%	64 63%ej	584 56%	64 56%
Don't know	8 1%	4 7%bcdegijk	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	3 2%	-	-	1 1%	8 1%	-

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
A great deal	45 4%	21 10%bcdf	12 4%	4 1%	2 2%	- -	6 2%	9 2%	6 2%	23 10%ghjk	6 2%	8 3%	29 30%mno	9 2%n	- -	7 2%en
A fair amount	462 40%	117 57%bcdf	133 43%cdf	98 36%	32 30%	8 33%	73 30%	132 34%	141 53%gjk	143 60%gjk	95 40%	108 36%	65 67%no	277 69%no	95 25%o	25 9%
Not very much	476 41%	55 27%	141 45%a	110 40%a	48 45%a	10 41%	111 45%a	180 46%ik	103 39%i	65 27%	109 45%i	115 38%i	3 3%	113 28%l	264 70%lmo	95 34%l
Nothing at all	175 15%	11 5%	24 8%	59 21%ab	24 22%ab	6 25%	52 21%ab	71 18%hi	15 6%	8 3%	29 12%hi	72 24%hij	- -	1 *	19 5%lm	153 55%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	138 67%bcdf	146 47%cdf	102 37%	35 32%	8 33%	79 32%	141 36%	148 55%gjk	166 69%ghjk	101 42%	116 38%	94 97%no	286 71%no	95 25%o	32 11%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	66 32%	165 53%a	169 62%ab	72 68%ab	16 67%	163 66%ab	251 64%hi	118 44%i	73 31%	137 57%hi	187 61%hi	3 3%	114 29%l	283 75%lm	248 88%lmn
Don't know	8 1%	1 1%	1 *	3 1%	- -	- -	4 2%	3 1%	1 *	- -	1 1%	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	1 *

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
A great deal	45 4%	45 100%bcd	-	-	-	35 5%f	5 1%
A fair amount	462 40%	-	462 100%acd	-	-	332 49%f	86 23%
Not very much	476 41%	-	-	476 100%abd	-	259 38%	169 45%
Nothing at all	175 15%	-	-	-	175 100%abc	46 7%	114 30%e
SUMMARY CODES							
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	45 100%cd	462 100%cd	-	-	367 55%f	91 24%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	-	-	476 100%ab	175 100%ab	305 45%	283 75%e
Don't know	8 1%	-	-	-	-	1 *	1 *

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
A great deal	45 4%	21 5%	10 3%	14 3%	33 6%eg	3 2%	39 5%eg	6 2%
A fair amount	462 40%	147 38%	129 38%	182 42%	287 52%eg	44 24%	370 49%eg	82 23%
Not very much	476 41%	161 42%	138 41%	176 40%	208 38%	58 31%	301 40%e	157 44%e
Nothing at all	175 15%	50 13%	59 17%	65 15%	25 4%	81 44%dfg	40 5%	110 31%df
SUMMARY CODES								
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	168 44%	140 41%	196 45%	320 58%eg	47 25%	409 54%eg	87 25%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	211 55%	197 58%	241 55%	233 42%	139 75%df	342 45%	267 75%df
Don't know	8 1%	5 1%	1 *	2 *	2 *	- -	2 *	- -

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Did not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	191	300	98	77	382
Weighted Base	1166	219	285	108*	61*	375
Effective Base	1043	181	265	91	66	340
A great deal	45 4%	10 5%e	14 5%e	6 6%e	4 7%e	5 1%
A fair amount	462 40%	118 54%e	132 46%e	55 51%e	28 46%e	86 23%
Not very much	476 41%	78 36%	114 40%	43 40%	23 38%	169 45%a
Nothing at all	175 15%	12 5%	25 9%	4 4%	6 9%	114 30%abcd
SUMMARY CODES						
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	128 58%e	146 51%e	61 57%e	32 53%e	91 24%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	90 41%	139 49%	47 43%	29 47%	283 75%abcd
Don't know	8 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	1 *

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base	1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base	1043	171	342	58	83	210
A great deal	45 4%	11 6%	15 4%	3 5%	5 6%	4 2%
A fair amount	462 40%	116 56%be	148 41%e	29 42%e	44 50%e	56 24%
Not very much	476 41%	69 33%	165 46%ae	32 46%	32 37%	85 36%
Nothing at all	175 15%	10 5%	34 9%	5 7%	6 7%	92 39%abcd
SUMMARY CODES						
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	127 61%bce	163 45%e	32 46%e	48 56%e	61 25%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	78 38%	199 55%a	37 54%a	38 44%	178 75%abcd
Don't know	8 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	-

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Q.7_01 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - Politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)		
		Would still not vote (a)	Would vote the same as last time (b)	Would vote differently to last time (c)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	496	285
Weighted Base	1166	187	503	288
Effective Base	1043	164	447	256
A great deal	45 4%	1 1%	24 5%a	16 6%a
A fair amount	462 40%	39 21%	255 51%ac	122 42%a
Not very much	476 41%	62 33%	190 38%	117 41%
Nothing at all	175 15%	85 45%bc	33 7%	27 10%
SUMMARY CODES				
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	507 43%	40 22%	279 55%a	138 48%a
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	651 56%	147 78%bc	223 44%	144 50%
Don't know	8 1%	-	1 *	6 2%b

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Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
A great deal	44 4%	34 6% ^b	10 2%	6 4%	7 3%	4 2%	6 4%	12 7% ^{eh}	2 1%	8 5%	14 8% ^{klm}	9 3%	6 3%	15 3%	23 3%	22 4%
A fair amount	423 36%	236 42% ^b	188 31%	44 27%	68 31%	75 39% ^c	54 34%	73 45% ^{cd}	52 41% ^c	56 39% ^c	90 50% ^{lm}	117 40% ^m	79 37% ^m	138 28%	257 39%	167 33%
Not very much	502 43%	206 37%	296 49% ^a	61 38%	98 45%	88 46%	73 46%	64 39%	57 44%	61 43%	65 37%	120 41%	103 48% ^j	214 44%	288 43%	214 43%
Nothing at all	187 16%	77 14%	110 18%	47 29% ^{defghi}	44 20% ^{eg}	24 12%	25 16%	14 8%	15 12%	18 12%	8 5%	40 14% ^j	26 12% ^j	112 23% ^{ijkl}	92 14%	95 19% ⁿ
SUMMARY CODES																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	270 48% ^b	198 32%	49 31%	76 34%	79 41% ^c	60 38%	85 52% ^{cdf}	54 42%	64 44% ^c	104 59% ^{klm}	126 44% ^m	84 39%	153 31%	279 42%	188 38%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	283 51%	406 67% ^a	109 67% ^{gi}	142 64% ^g	111 58%	98 62% ^g	77 48%	72 56%	79 55%	73 41%	160 55% ^j	129 60% ^j	327 67% ^{ijk}	380 57%	309 62%
Don't know	10 1%	4 1%	6 1%	3 2%	3 1%	1 *	- -	- -	3 2%	1 1%	1 *	3 1%	1 1%	6 1%	6 1%	4 1%

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Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
A great deal	44 4%	17 3%	27 4%	8 2%	36 5%	34 4%	10 3%
A fair amount	423 36%	211 40%b	212 33%	120 32%	303 38%	334 38%f	90 31%
Not very much	502 43%	230 43%	272 43%	162 44%	339 43%	369 42%	132 45%
Nothing at all	187 16%	72 13%	115 18%a	76 20%d	111 14%	127 15%	60 20%e
SUMMARY CODES							
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	229 43%	239 38%	128 34%	340 43%c	368 42%f	99 34%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	302 57%	387 61%	238 64%d	450 57%	497 57%	192 66%e
Don't know	10 1%	3 1%	7 1%	5 1%	5 1%	9 1%	1 *

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Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
A great deal	44 4%	1 2%	1 1%	6 6%b	5 6%b	8 7%b	1 1%	4 3%	6 4%	4 4%	2 4%	5 5%b	38 4%	6 5%
A fair amount	423 36%	13 24%	53 33%	45 40%k	26 30%	54 44%ak	35 32%	46 41%ak	59 40%k	42 41%k	23 40%k	27 26%	389 37% ^m	33 29%
Not very much	502 43%	29 55% ^c	69 43%	36 31%	42 48% ^c	48 39%	55 51% ^c	44 40%	63 43%	42 41%	25 43%	48 47% ^c	445 43%	56 49%
Nothing at all	187 16%	6 11%	34 22% ^{eh}	26 23% ^{eh}	15 17%	13 10%	16 15%	17 16%	17 12%	13 13%	8 13%	22 21% ^{eh}	167 16%	18 16%
SUMMARY CODES														
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	14 26%	54 34%	52 46% ^{ak}	31 36%	62 50% ^{abfk}	36 34%	50 45% ^{ak}	64 44% ^{ak}	45 45% ^{ak}	26 44% ^{ak}	32 31%	427 41%	39 35%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	35 65%	103 65% ^e	62 54%	56 64%	61 49%	71 65% ^e	62 55%	80 55%	55 54%	33 56%	70 69% ^{ceghij}	612 58%	73 64%
Don't know	10 1%	4 8% ^{bcdefghj}	1 1%	- -	- -	1 *	1 1%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	- -	- -	9 1%	1 1%

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
A great deal	44 4%	18 9%bcdf	12 4%	8 3%	2 2%	- -	4 2%	10 3%	7 3%	23 10%ghjk	6 3%	9 3%	29 29%mno	13 3%n	- -	3 1%
A fair amount	423 36%	106 52%bcdf	129 41%cf	80 29%	34 32%	8 31%	67 27%	110 28%	128 48%gjk	138 58%ghjk	82 34%	89 29%	59 61%no	245 61%no	82 22%o	37 13%
Not very much	502 43%	68 33%	140 45%a	122 45%a	49 46%a	12 50%	110 45%a	201 51%ik	116 44%i	69 29%	117 49%i	127 42%i	8 8%	132 33%l	268 71%lmo	94 34%l
Nothing at all	187 16%	12 6%	28 9%	60 22%ab	21 20%ab	4 18%	61 25%ab	70 18%hi	14 5%	8 3%	32 14%hi	78 26%ghij	1 1%	9 2%	27 7%lm	146 52%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	124 60%bcdf	140 45%cf	87 32%	37 34%	8 31%	72 29%	120 30%	135 51%gjk	161 67%ghjk	88 37%	98 32%	88 90%mno	258 64%no	82 22%o	39 14%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	79 39%	169 54%a	182 67%ab	70 66%ab	17 69%	172 70%ab	270 69%hi	130 49%i	78 32%	150 63%hi	205 67%hi	9 10%	141 35%l	295 78%lm	240 85%lmn
Don't know	10 1%	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	- -	- -	3 1%	4 1%	1 *	1 *	1 1%	1 *	- -	1 *	2 *	2 1%

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
A great deal	44 4%	29 65%bcd	14 3%cd	1 *	- -	32 5%f	7 2%
A fair amount	423 36%	13 29%cd	345 75%acd	60 13%d	4 3%	311 46%f	72 19%
Not very much	502 43%	1 1%	98 21%a	376 79%abd	27 15%a	280 42%	169 45%
Nothing at all	187 16%	2 4%	5 1%	37 8%b	142 81%abc	48 7%	125 33%e
SUMMARY CODES							
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	43 94%bcd	359 78%cd	61 13%d	4 3%	343 51%f	78 21%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	2 6%	103 22%a	413 87%ab	169 96%abc	328 49%	294 78%e
Don't know	10 1%	- -	- -	2 *	2 1%b	2 *	3 1%

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
A great deal	44 4%	18 5%	11 3%	15 3%	33 6%eg	1 1%	40 5%eg	4 1%
A fair amount	423 36%	137 36%	110 32%	176 40%b	272 49%eg	42 22%	340 45%eg	72 20%
Not very much	502 43%	171 44%	151 45%	177 40%	212 38%	64 34%	320 43%	166 47%de
Nothing at all	187 16%	53 14%	67 20%a	67 15%	36 7%	79 43%dfg	51 7%	111 31%df
SUMMARY CODES								
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	155 40%	120 36%	191 43%b	305 55%eg	43 23%	380 51%eg	75 21%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	223 58%	218 64%c	244 56%	249 45%	143 77%df	371 49%	277 78%df
Don't know	10 1%	6 1%b	-	4 1%	1 *	-	1 *	2 1%

Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
A great deal	44 4%	28 8% ^b	11 3%
A fair amount	423 36%	164 44% ^b	148 36%
Not very much	502 43%	152 41%	184 44%
Nothing at all	187 16%	28 8%	71 17% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	192 52% ^b	159 38%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	180 48%	255 61% ^a
Don't know	10 1%	-	1 *

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Q.7_02 How much, if anything, do you feel you know about - The UK Parliament

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VIEWS ABOUT PARLIAMENT (Q.11)							
		Agree: holds government to account (a)	Disagree: holds government to account (b)	Agree: encourages public involvement in politics (c)	Disagree: encourages public involvement in politics (d)	Agree: is essential to our democracy (e)	Disagree: is essential to our democracy (f)	Agree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (g)	Disagree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (h)
Unweighted Base	1163	435	223	352	366	751	75	562	197
Weighted Base	1166	443	236	349	381	771	76*	571	199
Effective Base	1043	392	204	314	332	679	67	506	177
A great deal	44 4%	23 5%	11 5%	17 5%	16 4%	41 5%	1 2%	32 6%	4 2%
A fair amount	423 36%	214 48%dfh	103 44%fh	175 50%dfh	146 38%fh	358 46%dfh	16 22%	281 49%dfh	57 29%
Not very much	502 43%	175 40%	92 39%	142 41%	175 46%	322 42%	35 46%	228 40%	93 47%
Nothing at all	187 16%	30 7%	30 13%aceg	16 5%	43 11%aceg	48 6%	23 31%abcdeg	28 5%	43 22%abcdeg
SUMMARY CODES									
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	468 40%	238 54%dfh	114 48%fh	192 55%dfh	162 43%fh	399 52%dfh	18 23%	313 55%dfh	61 31%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	689 59%	206 46%	122 52%	158 45%	217 57%aceg	370 48%	58 77%abcdeg	256 45%	136 69%abcdeg
Don't know	10 1%	-	-	-	1 *	2 *	-	2 *	1 1%

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	11 2%	6 1%	2 1%	2 1%	1 *	1 *	1 1%	6 4%ef	5 4%e	2 1%	3 1%	4 2%	8 2%	14 2%o	3 1%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	140 25%b	120 20%	38 24%e	52 23%e	27 14%	39 25%e	34 21%	33 26%e	37 26%e	69 39%klm	78 27%m	42 19%	70 14%	163 25%o	96 19%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	219 39%	255 42%	55 34%	87 40%	94 49%cfh	56 35%	80 49%cfh	42 33%	60 41%	70 39%	125 43%	91 42%	187 39%	266 40%	207 41%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	147 26%	159 26%	40 25%	50 23%	54 28%	51 32%	41 25%	37 29%	31 22%	28 16%	59 20%	59 28%j	159 33%jk	156 23%	149 30%n
SUMMARY CODES																
WORKS WELL	277 24%	151 27%b	126 21%	40 25%e	54 25%e	27 14%	40 25%e	36 22%	39 30%e	42 29%e	71 40%klm	82 28%m	46 21%	78 16%	178 27%o	99 20%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	365 66%	413 68%	95 59%	137 62%	148 77%cdhi	107 68%	121 74%cdhi	79 62%	91 63%	98 55%	184 64%	150 70%j	347 71%jk	422 63%	357 71%n
Don't know	111 10%	41 7%	70 11%a	26 16%efgi	29 13%g	16 8%	12 7%	6 4%	11 8%	11 8%	9 5%	23 8%	19 9%	60 12%j	65 10%	46 9%

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	3 1%	14 2%a	2 *	16 2%	11 1%	6 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	123 23%	136 22%	65 17%	195 24%c	205 24%	54 18%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	234 44%b	239 38%	153 41%	320 40%	376 43%f	98 33%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	128 24%	177 28%	102 28%	203 26%	202 23%	103 35%e
SUMMARY CODES							
WORKS WELL	277 24%	126 24%	151 24%	67 18%	210 26%c	217 25%	60 21%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	362 68%	416 66%	256 69%	523 66%	578 66%	201 69%
Don't know	111 10%	45 8%	66 10%	49 13%d	62 8%	79 9%	32 11%

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	1 2%	1 1%	3 3%	- -	1 1%	3 3%	- -	4 3%	- -	1 1%	2 2%	16 1%	2 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	8 14%	24 15%	23 20%	19 22%	43 35%abcik	30 28%bk	26 23%k	41 28%bk	19 19%	13 22%k	13 13%	237 23%	22 19%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	21 38%	63 39%	46 40%	40 46%	47 38%	41 38%	46 42%	59 41%	41 40%	32 54%befhk	38 37%	425 41%	48 42%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	17 31%	54 34%ghj	31 27%	18 21%	29 23%	26 24%	24 21%	26 18%	35 34%h	12 20%	35 34%deghj	281 27%am	21 19%
SUMMARY CODES														
WORKS WELL	277 24%	9 17%	25 16%	26 23%	19 22%	44 36%abgik	33 31%bk	26 23%	46 32%bik	19 19%	14 23%	15 15%	253 24%	24 21%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	37 69%	116 73%h	77 67%	58 67%	76 61%	67 62%	70 63%	85 59%	76 74%h	44 74%eh	73 71%h	707 67%	69 60%
Don't know	111 10%	8 14%ej	18 11%ej	11 9%j	10 12%ej	4 3%	8 8%	16 14%ej	14 10%ej	7 7%	1 2%	14 14%ej	89 8%	21 18%l

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	2 1%	3 1%	4 2%	3 3%	- -	4 2%	3 1%	6 2%	2 1%	1 *	6 2%	2 2%	7 2%	7 2%	1 *
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	72 35%cdf	85 27%cdf	43 16%	16 15%	8 34%	35 14%	51 13%	84 32%gjk	98 41%ghjk	49 21%g	58 19%g	39 40%mno	116 29%no	85 23%o	18 7%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	81 39%	125 40%	119 44%	41 38%	7 30%	100 41%	192 49%hik	106 40%	94 39%	104 43%k	101 33%	29 30%	193 48%lo	173 46%lo	76 27%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	34 16%	81 26%a	79 29%a	35 33%a	4 18%	72 29%a	120 30%hi	59 22%	43 18%	62 26%i	95 31%hi	26 27%	74 19%	89 23%	115 41%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
WORKS WELL	277 24%	74 36%cdf	88 28%cdf	47 17%	19 18%	8 34%	40 16%	54 14%	90 34%gjk	100 42%gjk	50 21%g	63 21%g	42 43%mno	123 31%o	92 24%o	20 7%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	115 56%	206 66%a	198 73%a	76 72%a	12 48%	172 70%a	311 79%hijk	165 62%	137 57%	166 70%i	196 64%	55 57%	268 67%	262 69%l	191 68%
Don't know	111 10%	16 8%	17 6%	28 10%	11 10%	4 17%	34 14%b	29 7%i	12 4%i	2 1%	23 9%hi	45 15%ghi	-	9 2%	25 7%lm	70 25%lmn

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	2 5%d	8 2%	6 1%	1 1%	13 2%	3 1%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	12 26%d	139 30%cd	100 21%d	8 5%	187 28%f	47 13%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	13 28%	202 44%ad	213 45%ad	44 25%	294 44%f	137 36%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	18 39%bc	105 23%	114 24%	69 39%abc	149 22%	130 35%e
SUMMARY CODES							
WORKS WELL	277 24%	14 32%d	147 32%cd	106 22%d	10 6%	199 30%f	50 13%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	30 67%	308 67%	327 69%	112 64%	444 66%	266 71%
Don't know	111 10%	1 1%	8 2%	43 9%b	53 30%abc	30 5%	58 16%e

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
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Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	88 23%	58 17%	114 26%b	160 29%eg	11 6%	225 30%eg	32 9%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	152 40%	137 41%	182 42%	235 42%e	47 25%	327 43%e	131 37%e
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	104 27%	101 30%c	99 23%	118 21%	94 51%dfg	149 20%	142 40%df
SUMMARY CODES								
WORKS WELL	277 24%	93 24%	66 19%	118 27%b	173 31%eg	11 6%	240 32%eg	33 9%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	256 67%	238 70%	282 64%	354 64%	141 76%df	477 63%	273 77%df
Don't know	111 10%	36 9%	34 10%	40 9%	28 5%	34 18%df	36 5%	49 14%df

Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
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Effective Base	1043	348	352
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	5 1%	8 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	101 27% ^b	73 18%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	159 43%	166 40%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	93 25%	139 33% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
WORKS WELL	277 24%	107 29% ^b	81 19%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	253 68%	304 73%
Don't know	111 10%	12 3%	30 7% ^a

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	2 4%	6 1%	8 2%	2 1%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	12 27% ^d	146 35% ^{cd}	89 18% ^d	12 6%
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	17 39% ^d	168 40% ^d	248 49% ^{bd}	39 21%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	12 28%	97 23%	118 24%	77 41% ^{bc}
SUMMARY CODES					
WORKS WELL	277 24%	14 31% ^d	152 36% ^{cd}	97 19% ^d	13 7%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	30 68%	265 63%	366 73% ^{bd}	117 62%
Don't know	111 10%	1 1%	6 1%	39 8% ^b	57 30% ^{abc}

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Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VIEWS ABOUT PARLIAMENT (Q.11)							
		Agree: holds government to account (a)	Disagree: holds government to account (b)	Agree: encourages public involvement in politics (c)	Disagree: encourages public involvement in politics (d)	Agree: is essential to our democracy (e)	Disagree: is essential to our democracy (f)	Agree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (g)	Disagree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (h)
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Effective Base	1043	392	204	314	332	679	67	506	177
Works extremely well and could not be improved	18 2%	10 2%	3 1%	9 3%	4 1%	16 2%	-	12 2%	4 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	259 22%	154 35%bdfh	22 9%f	130 37%bdefh	47 12%f	231 30%bdfh	-	178 31%bdfh	15 8%f
Could be improved quite a lot	473 41%	174 39%	110 46%	135 39%	171 45%	324 42%	30 40%	245 43%	84 42%
Needs a great deal of improvement	305 26%	90 20%	97 41%aceg	63 18%	145 38%aceg	166 21%	43 57%abcdeg	111 19%	87 44%aceg
SUMMARY CODES									
WORKS WELL	277 24%	164 37%bdfh	25 10%f	140 40%bdefh	51 13%bf	247 32%bdfh	-	190 33%bdfh	19 10%f
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	779 67%	263 59%	207 87%aceg	197 56%	315 83%aceg	490 63%c	73 97%abcdegh	356 62%	171 86%aceg
Don't know	111 10%	16 4%	5 2%	12 4%	14 4%	35 5%	3 3%	25 4%	8 4%

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	83 7%	44 8%	40 7%	10 6%	17 8%	12 6%	14 9%	16 10%	6 5%	9 6%	10 6%	16 6%	16 7%	41 8%	42 6%	41 8%
Tend to agree	289 25%	140 25%	149 24%	44 28%	54 24%	46 24%	36 23%	39 24%	30 23%	40 27%	49 27%	76 26%	46 21%	118 24%	162 24%	127 25%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	158 28%	167 27%	41 26%	66 30%	63 33%	40 25%	41 25%	35 27%	40 28%	54 31%	86 30%	57 27%	128 26%	196 29%	129 26%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	122 22%	131 22%	25 15%	47 21%	36 19%	36 23%	41 25% ^c	39 30% ^{ce}	31 21%	44 25% ^m	66 23%	60 28% ^m	83 17%	145 22%	108 22%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	80 14%	82 13%	21 13%	28 13%	29 15%	28 18%	21 13%	15 12%	19 13%	18 10%	30 11%	33 16%	80 16% ^k	97 15%	64 13%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	372 32%	183 33%	189 31%	55 34%	70 32%	58 30%	50 32%	55 34%	36 28%	48 33%	59 33%	93 32%	62 29%	159 33%	204 31%	168 34%
DISAGREE	415 36%	202 36%	214 35%	46 29%	74 34%	65 34%	64 40% ^c	63 38%	54 42% ^c	50 34%	63 35%	96 33%	93 44% ^{km}	163 34%	243 36%	173 34%
Don't know	53 5%	14 2%	40 7% ^a	19 12% ^{defghi}	9 4%	6 3%	4 3%	4 3%	4 3%	7 5%	2 1%	14 5% ^l	2 1%	35 7% ^l	22 3%	31 6% ⁿ

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	83 7%	37 7%	46 7%	35 9%	49 6%	63 7%	20 7%
Tend to agree	289 25%	134 25%	155 24%	90 24%	199 25%	215 25%	73 25%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	145 27%	181 29%	106 28%	220 28%	246 28%	80 27%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	121 23%	132 21%	65 18%	188 24% ^c	201 23%	52 18%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	71 13%	91 14%	54 15%	108 14%	111 13%	51 17%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	372 32%	171 32%	201 32%	125 34%	248 31%	278 32%	94 32%
DISAGREE	415 36%	192 36%	223 35%	119 32%	296 37%	312 36%	103 35%
Don't know	53 5%	26 5%	28 4%	22 6%	32 4%	37 4%	17 6%

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GOVERNMENT REGION											ETHNICITY		
	North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)	
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	83 7%	5 10%	5 3%	7 6%	4 4%	17 13%bgh	10 9%	4 3%	5 3%	8 8%	8 13%bdgh	11 11%bgh	74 7%	9 8%
Tend to agree	289 25%	6 12%	43 27%a	28 25%	32 36%affhi	33 26%	22 21%	34 31%ahi	26 18%	18 18%	19 32%ahi	28 27%a	247 24%	40 35%l
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	13 25%	54 34%d	29 26%	13 15%	32 26%	25 23%	40 36%dfk	51 35%d	26 25%	16 27%	25 25%	285 27%	39 35%l
Tend to disagree	254 22%	10 19%	36 23%	21 19%	22 25%	32 26%gk	25 23%	15 13%	42 29%gjk	24 24%	10 16%	16 16%	241 23% 23% 23% 23%	13 11%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	13 24%bej	14 9%	20 18%be	12 13%	9 7%	19 17%e	14 12%	18 12%	26 25%beghjk	6 10%	12 12%	156 15% 15% 15% 15%	5 5%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	372 32%	12 21%	48 30%	35 31%	36 41%ahi	49 40%ahi	33 30%	38 34%h	31 21%	26 25%	26 45%abcfh i	39 38%ahi	322 31%	49 43%l
DISAGREE	415 36%	23 43%g	50 32%	42 37%	33 38%	41 34%	43 40%gk	29 26%	59 41%gjk	50 49%begjk	16 27%	28 27%	397 38% 38% 38%	18 16%
Don't know	53 5%	6 11%ehi	6 4%	8 7%ei	5 6%	1 1%	8 7%ei	4 4%	4 3%	1 1%	1 2%	10 9%ehij	44 4%	8 7%

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	83 7%	11 5%	18 6%	27 10%	7 6%	3 13%	18 7%	35 9%	17 7%	15 6%	24 10%	18 6%	21 22% ^{mno}	32 8% ⁿ	12 3%	19 7% ⁿ
Tend to agree	289 25%	44 21%	91 29% ^f	66 24%	30 28%	6 26%	52 21%	108 27% ^k	82 31% ^k	74 31% ^k	61 25%	56 18%	29 30% ^o	142 35% ^{no}	86 23% ^o	31 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	61 29%	90 29%	81 30% ^d	20 19%	6 25%	68 28%	102 26%	64 24%	71 29%	67 28%	86 28%	15 16%	112 28% ^l	125 33% ^l	71 25%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	60 29% ^{bc}	61 20%	53 20%	20 19%	4 18%	55 22%	80 20%	65 24%	54 23%	41 17%	66 22%	24 25%	76 19%	101 27% ^{mo}	52 18%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	22 11%	43 14%	34 13%	23 21% ^{ac}	2 8%	39 16%	55 14%	36 13%	24 10%	36 15%	56 18% ⁱ	8 8%	33 8%	46 12%	73 26% ^{lmn}
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	372 32%	54 26%	109 35%	93 34%	36 34%	9 39%	70 29%	143 36% ^k	99 37% ^k	90 37% ^k	84 35% ^k	74 24%	50 51% ^{no}	173 43% ^{no}	98 26% ^o	50 18%
DISAGREE	415 36%	81 40%	104 33%	87 32%	43 40%	6 26%	94 38%	136 34%	100 37%	78 33%	78 33%	122 40%	32 33%	110 27%	147 39% ^m	125 44% ^m
Don't know	53 5%	9 5%	9 3%	11 4%	8 7%	2 10%	14 6%	14 4% ⁱ	3 1%	1 *	11 4% ^{hi}	22 7% ^{ghi}	-	5 1%	9 2%	35 12% ^{lmn}

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)**Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run****Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	83 7%	10 22%bcd	39 8%	27 6%	7 4%	51 8%	24 6%
Tend to agree	289 25%	11 25%d	147 32%cd	114 24%d	16 9%	192 29%f	67 18%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	8 18%	116 25%	146 31%	52 30%	188 28%	105 28%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	11 24%	102 22%d	116 24%d	24 14%	160 24%	71 19%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	5 11%	52 11%	62 13%	43 25%bc	72 11%	79 21%e
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	372 32%	21 47%cd	186 40%cd	142 30%d	23 13%	243 36%f	91 24%
DISAGREE	415 36%	16 35%	154 33%	178 37%	67 39%	232 34%	151 40%
Don't know	53 5%	-	6 1%	10 2%	32 18%abc	10 2%	28 7%e

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
Strongly agree	83 7%	27 7%	28 8%	27 6%	49 9%	13 7%	62 8%	21 6%
Tend to agree	289 25%	93 24%	75 22%	119 27%	169 31%eg	25 13%	226 30%eg	51 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	98 26%	97 29%	130 29%	139 25%	38 20%	205 27%	95 27%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	76 20%	78 23%	100 23%	125 23%	38 20%	174 23%	75 21%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	67 17% <i>c</i>	45 13%	50 11%	59 11%	53 29% <i>df</i>	72 10%	84 24% <i>df</i>
SUMMARY CODES								
AGREE	372 32%	121 31%	102 30%	146 33%	219 39%eg	38 20%	288 38%eg	72 20%
DISAGREE	415 36%	143 37%	122 36%	150 34%	185 33%	91 49% <i>df</i>	245 33%	159 45% <i>df</i>
Don't know	53 5%	23 6%	16 5%	14 3%	13 2%	19 10% <i>df</i>	15 2%	29 8% <i>df</i>

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Strongly agree	83 7%	14 32%abcd	28 7%	29 6%	11 6%
Tend to agree	289 25%	14 31%d	136 32%cd	123 24%d	17 9%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	6 12%	107 25%	154 31%a	56 30%a
Tend to disagree	254 22%	7 16%	97 23%d	123 24%d	27 15%
Strongly disagree	162 14%	4 8%	51 12%	61 12%	44 24%abc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	372 32%	28 63%bcd	164 39%cd	152 30%d	28 15%
DISAGREE	415 36%	11 24%	148 35%	184 37%	71 38%
Don't know	53 5%	-	4 1%	12 2%	32 17%abc

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	VIEWS ABOUT PARLIAMENT (Q.11)								
	Agree: holds government to account (a)	Disagree: holds government to account (b)	Agree: encourages public involvement in politics (c)	Disagree: encourages public involvement in politics (d)	Agree: is essential to our democracy (e)	Disagree: is essential to our democracy (f)	Agree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (g)	Disagree: debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me (h)	
Total									
Unweighted Base	1163	435	223	352	366	751	75	562	197
Weighted Base	1166	443	236	349	381	771	76*	571	199
Effective Base	1043	392	204	314	332	679	67	506	177
Strongly agree	83 7%	38 9%	23 10%	32 9%	31 8%	59 8%	11 14%	45 8%	20 10%
Tend to agree	289 25%	163 37%bdfh	47 20%	143 41%bdefgh	80 21%	241 31%bdfh	12 16%	195 34%bdfh	36 18%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 28%	119 27%bdh	37 16%	87 25%bh	72 19%	187 24%bh	15 19%	137 24%bh	28 14%
Tend to disagree	254 22%	87 20%	69 29%acf	61 18%	114 30%acef	180 23%c	12 16%	138 24%c	51 26%c
Strongly disagree	162 14%	34 8%	56 24%aceg	22 6%	77 20%aceg	94 12%ac	26 34%acdeg	50 9%	58 29%acdeg
SUMMARY CODES									
AGREE	372 32%	202 45%bdefh	69 29%	175 50%bdefgh	111 29%	300 39%bdh	22 30%	240 42%bdh	56 28%
DISAGREE	415 36%	122 27%	125 53%aceg	83 24%	190 50%aceg	274 35%ac	38 51%aceg	187 33%c	110 55%aceg
Don't know	53 5%	2 *	5 2%a	4 1%	7 2%a	10 1%	- -	6 1%	5 3%a

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h

* small base

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Q.9 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)			
		Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	83	3	13	25	41
	7%	17%	5%	5%	13%bc
Tend to agree	289	2	88	134	53
	25%	14%	34%d	28%d	17%
Neither agree nor disagree	326	4	84	138	66
	28%	21%	32%d	29%d	22%
Tend to disagree	254	4	65	109	64
	22%	22%	25%	23%	21%
Strongly disagree	162	4	8	56	75
	14%	22%	3%	12%b	24%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	372	5	101	159	93
	32%	31%	39%d	34%	31%
DISAGREE	415	8	73	166	139
	36%	44%	28%	35%	45%bc
Don't know	53	1	1	10	7
	5%	3%	*	2%	2%

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	227 41%	284 47%	67 42%	80 36%	93 49% ^d	77 48% ^d	70 43%	51 39%	75 52% ^d	94 53% ^m	127 44%	106 49% ^m	184 38%	297 45%	215 43%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	144 26%	147 24%	32 20%	55 25%	52 27%	42 27%	50 31% ^{ci}	32 25%	28 19%	61 34% ^{lm}	79 27% ^m	52 24%	99 20%	168 25%	123 24%
Friends/family	184 16%	88 16%	96 16%	48 29% ^{defghi}	41 19% ^{fgh}	29 15% ^f	10 6%	17 10%	12 9%	27 19% ^{fh}	15 8%	43 15%	36 17% ^j	89 18% ^j	83 12%	101 20% ⁿ
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	87 16%	82 13%	19 12%	38 17%	32 17%	21 13%	22 13%	19 15%	18 13%	23 13%	31 11%	30 14%	85 17% ^k	101 15%	68 13%
Your local council	165 14%	88 16%	77 13%	23 14% ^h	44 20% ^{fgh}	37 19% ^{gh}	19 12%	15 9%	8 6%	20 14%	26 14%	48 17%	22 10%	69 14%	90 14%	75 15%
Your local councillor	154 13%	71 13%	84 14%	17 11%	32 14%	32 17%	25 16%	19 12%	12 10%	16 11%	24 13%	44 15%	31 15%	55 11%	95 14%	60 12%
Ombudsman	89 8%	36 6%	53 9%	6 4%	12 5%	18 10% ^{ci}	15 10% ^{ci}	21 13% ^{cdi}	12 9% ⁱ	4 3%	19 11% ^m	31 11% ^{lm}	11 5%	27 6%	56 8%	33 7%
The media	45 4%	28 5%	17 3%	11 7% ^{gi}	9 4%	8 4%	8 5%	3 2%	4 3%	2 1%	5 3%	13 4%	14 7% ^m	13 3%	26 4%	19 4%
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	15 3%	15 2%	4 3% ^g	9 4% ^{gi}	8 4% ^{gi}	6 4% ^{gi}	- -	3 2%	- -	4 2%	6 2%	7 3%	14 3%	21 3%	9 2%
Parliament	11 1%	6 1%	5 1%	3 2%	3 1%	1 *	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	- -	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	5 1%	6 1%	5 1%
Other	35 3%	16 3%	19 3%	- -	4 2%	6 3% ^c	8 5% ^c	10 6% ^c	6 5% ^c	2 1%	10 6% ^k	6 2%	8 4%	12 2%	21 3%	14 3%
No one	49 4%	24 4%	25 4%	8 5%	13 6% ^e	4 2%	7 5%	7 5%	4 3%	6 4%	5 3%	9 3%	11 5%	25 5%	30 5%	19 4%

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

Total	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Don't know	115	49	66	18	19	16	13	14	21	13	9	30	16	61	58	57
	10%	9%	11%	11%	9%	9%	9%	9%	16% ^{de}	9%	5%	10%	7%	12% ^j	9%	11%

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	247 46%	264 42%	157 42%	354 45%	398 46%	113 39%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	143 27%	148 23%	86 23%	205 26%	234 27% ^f	57 19%
Friends/family	184 16%	80 15%	104 16%	67 18%	117 15%	133 15%	51 18%
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	80 15%	88 14%	56 15%	113 14%	122 14%	47 16%
Your local council	165 14%	85 16%	80 13%	60 16%	104 13%	130 15%	35 12%
Your local councillor	154 13%	82 15%	72 11%	62 17% ^d	93 12%	128 15% ^f	26 9%
Ombudsman	89 8%	48 9%	42 7%	29 8%	60 8%	73 8%	16 5%
The media	45 4%	31 6% ^b	14 2%	11 3%	35 4%	44 5% ^f	1 *
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	19 4% ^b	11 2%	19 5% ^d	11 1%	26 3%	4 2%
Parliament	11 1%	6 1%	5 1%	4 1%	6 1%	8 1%	2 1%
Other	35 3%	19 4%	16 3%	10 3%	25 3%	26 3%	9 3%
No one	49 4%	20 4%	30 5%	15 4%	34 4%	34 4%	15 5%
Don't know	115 10%	40 8%	75 12% ^a	35 9%	80 10%	75 9%	40 14% ^e

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	21 39%	71 45%k	56 49%k	42 48%k	56 46%k	54 50%k	53 48%k	58 40%k	45 44%k	27 46%k	28 27%	460 44%	48 42%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	6 11%	33 21%	31 27%a	20 23%	30 24%	25 23%	30 27%a	32 22%	37 36%abh	19 33%ab	28 27%a	266 25%	25 22%
Friends/family	184 16%	5 10%	24 15%	15 13%	12 13%	19 15%	26 24%k	21 19%	27 18%	13 13%	11 18%	13 13%	158 15%	26 22%l
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	4 7%	29 18%c	10 8%	14 16%	20 16%	12 11%	17 16%	24 16%	16 16%	8 14%	15 15%	146 14%	19 17%
Your local council	165 14%	6 12%	15 9%	17 15%	19 21%bijk	21 17%	15 13%	26 23%bijk	23 16%	8 8%	5 8%	11 11%	131 12%	32 29%l
Your local councillor	154 13%	13 25%cdgh	21 13%	9 8%	8 9%	18 15%	20 18%cgh	9 8%	11 8%	15 14%	11 19%cgh	19 18%cgh	137 13%	17 15%
Ombudsman	89 8%	4 7%	12 7%	12 11%k	8 9%	8 6%	9 8%	4 4%	10 7%	13 13%gk	7 11%gk	3 3%	86 8% m	4 3%
The media	45 4%	1 2%	3 2%	4 4%	3 3%	6 5%	4 4%	4 4%	2 1%	11 11%b _h k	4 7% _h	3 3%	40 4%	5 4%
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	-	4 2%	1 1%	4 4%	3 3%	3 3%	1 1%	5 4%	5 5%	1 2%	3 3%	26 2%	3 3%
Parliament	11 1%	-	1 1%	2 2%	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 2%	10 1%	1 1%
Other	35 3%	4 7%g	6 4%	3 2%	4 4%	4 3%	2 2%	1 1%	3 2%	4 4%	2 3%	3 3%	33 3%	2 2%
No one	49 4%	3 5%	8 5%	2 2%	6 7%	3 2%	3 2%	5 4%	6 4%	4 4%	1 2%	9 9% ce _{fj}	37 4%	11 10% _l
Don't know	115 10%	8 15% _{de}	20 12% _{de}	13 12% _{de}	-	4 3%	12 11% _{de}	11 10% _d	20 14% _{de}	10 10% _d	4 7% _d	13 13% _{de}	106 10%	9 8%

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	92 45%	147 47%	124 45%	40 37%	12 49%	97 39%	160 40%	126 47%	118 49%g	110 46%	138 45%	40 42%	186 47%	169 45%	116 41%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	69 34%cdf	87 28%	60 22%	21 19%	5 21%	50 20%	95 24%	76 28%	84 35%gjk	59 25%	73 24%	48 50%mmo	131 33%no	70 18%	42 15%
Friends/family	184 16%	27 13%	54 17%	47 17%	14 14%	4 18%	37 15%	67 17%i	32 12%	25 10%	39 16%	49 16%	11 11%	59 15%	66 17%	48 17%
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	35 17%	43 14%	38 14%	16 15%	9 39%	27 11%	77 19%k	36 13%	33 14%	46 19%k	27 9%	24 25%mmo	54 13%	58 15%	33 12%
Your local council	165 14%	35 17%d	50 16%d	36 13%	7 7%	4 18%	32 13%	77 20%hk	29 11%	41 17%h	35 15%	38 13%	14 15%	67 17%	51 14%	32 11%
Your local councillor	154 13%	26 13%	52 17%f	37 14%	17 16%f	2 8%	20 8%	59 15%k	41 15%k	34 14%	35 15%k	27 9%	12 12%	70 17%o	50 13%	23 8%
Ombudsman	89 8%	17 8%	32 10%f	20 7%	8 8%	3 13%	10 4%	22 6%	31 11%gk	23 10%	21 9%	17 5%	12 12%o	38 10%o	27 7%	12 4%
The media	45 4%	7 4%	20 6%df	14 5%df	1 1%	- -	4 2%	18 4%	11 4%	13 6%	15 6%	8 3%	6 6%	15 4%	17 4%	7 2%
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	6 3%f	11 3%f	8 3%f	3 3%	1 2%	1 1%	16 4%	7 3%	4 2%	7 3%	6 2%	5 5%o	11 3%o	12 3%o	1 *
Parliament	11 1%	4 2%	1 *	4 1%	- -	- -	2 1%	5 1%	3 1%	4 2%	1 1%	1 *	4 5%mmo	5 1%	1 *	- -
Other	35 3%	6 3%	11 4%	5 2%	5 5%	1 2%	7 3%	7 2%	11 4%	5 2%	5 2%	9 3%	6 6%	9 2%	11 3%	9 3%
No one	49 4%	6 3%	12 4%	11 4%	4 3%	1 2%	16 6%	15 4%	9 3%	4 2%	9 4%	17 5%i	3 3%	11 3%	13 4%	20 7%mn

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Don't know	115	14	26	25	12	1	37	34	23	14	18	39	2	21	38	47
	10%	7%	8%	9%	12%	2%	15%ab	9%	9%	6%	8%	13%i	2%	5%	10%lm	17%lmn

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	14 32%	210 45%	213 45%	74 42%	302 45%	157 42%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	18 39%cd	157 34%cd	102 21%d	15 8%	210 31%f	57 15%
Friends/family	184 16%	8 18%	57 12%	81 17%	38 22%b	92 14%	85 23%e
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	9 20%	58 13%	81 17%	20 12%	104 15%	49 13%
Your local council	165 14%	8 17%	75 16%d	66 14%	16 9%	97 14%	49 13%
Your local councillor	154 13%	4 10%	81 17%cd	57 12%	12 7%	109 16%f	35 9%
Ombudsman	89 8%	6 14%d	44 9%d	34 7%	5 3%	54 8%	30 8%
The media	45 4%	4 8%cd	23 5%d	17 3%	2 1%	24 4%	18 5%
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	4 8%bd	10 2%	16 3%d	-	18 3%	11 3%
Parliament	11 1%	2 4%c	6 1%	1 *	1 1%	9 1%	1 *
Other	35 3%	1 1%	16 4%	15 3%	4 2%	19 3%	10 3%
No one	49 4%	1 1%	14 3%	14 3%	19 11%bc	20 3%	20 5%
Don't know	115 10%	1 1%	22 5%	51 11%b	34 19%abc	54 8%	48 13%e

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Q.10 If you were not happy with your local health services, who would you be most likely to contact to seek help?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
Your doctor or GP, or someone else in your GP surgery	511 44%	177 46%	139 41%	193 44%	253 46%	72 39%	332 44%	157 44%
Your local MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	291 25%	88 23%	82 24%	120 27%	179 32%eg	25 13%	230 30%eg	55 15%
Friends/family	184 16%	57 15%	51 15%	75 17%	59 11%	37 20%df	100 13%	81 23%df
Local advice service / Citizens Advice Bureau	169 14%	58 15%	53 16%	57 13%	78 14%	24 13%	112 15%	49 14%
Your local council	165 14%	45 12%	63 19%ac	56 13%	77 14%	17 9%	120 16%e	41 12%
Your local councillor	154 13%	52 14%	51 15%	51 12%	86 16%eg	16 8%	117 16%eg	34 10%
Ombudsman	89 8%	31 8%	34 10%c	24 5%	47 9%	17 9%	61 8%	27 8%
The media	45 4%	16 4%	15 4%	13 3%	19 3%	6 3%	29 4%	16 4%
Lawyer/solicitor	30 3%	15 4%	7 2%	8 2%	14 3%	8 4%	17 2%	13 4%
Parliament	11 1%	2 1%	4 1%	4 1%	8 1%g	-	11 1%g	-
Other	35 3%	19 5%c	7 2%	9 2%	20 4%	4 2%	26 4%	9 2%
No one	49 4%	13 3%	15 4%	21 5%	20 4%	12 6%f	24 3%	16 4%
Don't know	115 10%	39 10%	30 9%	47 11%	41 7%	26 14%df	58 8%	39 11%

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Q.11_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	99	57	41	5	16	11	20	13	15	18	16	26	21	36	58	41
	8%	10% ^b	7%	3%	7%	6%	13% ^{ce}	8%	12% ^c	13% ^{ce}	9%	9%	10%	7%	9%	8%
Tend to agree	345	197	148	48	46	54	46	48	38	65	75	104	49	116	204	141
	30%	35% ^b	24%	30%	21%	28%	29%	30%	30%	45% ^{cdefgh}	42% ^{lm}	36% ^{lm}	23%	24%	31%	28%
Neither agree nor disagree	338	131	206	57	85	62	36	42	28	29	41	74	70	153	197	141
	29%	24%	34% ^a	36% ^{fhi}	38% ^{fghi}	32% ⁱ	23%	26%	22%	20%	23%	26%	33% ^j	31% ^j	30%	28%
Tend to disagree	160	89	71	13	32	30	22	37	18	9	26	43	34	57	89	71
	14%	16% ^b	12%	8%	14% ⁱ	16% ^{ci}	14%	23% ^{ci}	14%	6%	15%	15%	16%	12%	13%	14%
Strongly disagree	76	36	40	10	8	12	18	14	10	5	11	16	8	42	41	35
	7%	6%	7%	6%	4%	6%	11% ^{di}	8%	8%	4%	6%	5%	4%	9% ^l	6%	7%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	443	254	189	53	62	65	66	61	54	83	91	131	69	152	262	182
	38%	46% ^b	31%	33%	28%	34%	41% ^d	38%	42% ^d	57% ^{cdefgh}	51% ^{lm}	45% ^{lm}	32%	31%	39%	36%
DISAGREE	236	125	111	22	40	42	40	51	28	14	37	58	42	99	130	106
	20%	22%	18%	14%	18% ⁱ	22% ⁱ	25% ^{ci}	31% ^{cdi}	22% ⁱ	10%	21%	20%	20%	20%	20%	21%
Don't know/Can't remember	149	46	103	29	34	23	17	9	19	18	9	26	33	81	76	73
	13%	8%	17% ^a	18% ^g	15% ^g	12%	11%	6%	15% ^g	13%	5%	9%	15% ^{jk}	17% ^{jk}	11%	14%

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	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	99 8%	44 8%	55 9%	28 7%	71 9%	70 8%	29 10%
Tend to agree	345 30%	145 27%	200 32%	91 25%	254 32% ^c	248 28%	96 33%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	158 30%	180 28%	128 35% ^d	209 26%	269 31% ^f	69 24%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	93 17% ^b	68 11%	42 11%	118 15%	131 15% ^f	29 10%
Strongly disagree	76 7%	34 6%	42 7%	27 7%	50 6%	60 7%	16 5%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	443 38%	189 35%	255 40%	119 32%	325 41% ^c	318 36%	125 43%
DISAGREE	236 20%	127 24% ^b	110 17%	69 19%	168 21%	192 22% ^f	45 15%
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	60 11%	88 14%	55 15%	93 12%	95 11%	53 18% ^e

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	99 8%	5 10%	13 8%	12 11%	4 4%	13 11%	10 9%	6 6%	17 12%	5 5%	5 8%	8 8%	85 8%	14 12%
Tend to agree	345 30%	13 24%	40 25%	26 23%	29 33%k	37 30%k	33 31%k	42 38%bck	46 32%k	38 38%ck	19 33%k	19 19%	313 30%	32 28%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	15 27%	42 26%	31 27%	25 29%	41 33%	29 26%	42 38%hi	36 24%	24 24%	17 29%	36 36%h	294 28%	41 36%l
Tend to disagree	160 14%	8 14%g	35 22%dgk	15 14%g	9 10%	18 14%g	16 15%g	5 4%	20 14%g	15 15%g	7 12%g	12 12%g	151 14%m	9 8%
Strongly disagree	76 7%	1 2%	10 6%	13 12%	5 6%	6 5%	10 9%	5 4%	7 5%	9 9%	3 5%	6 6%	71 7%	4 4%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	443 38%	18 33%	53 33%	38 34%	33 38%	51 41%k	43 40%k	48 43%k	64 44%k	44 43%k	24 41%k	28 27%	397 38%	46 40%
DISAGREE	236 20%	9 17%	45 28%gk	29 25%g	14 16%	24 20%g	26 24%g	10 9%	27 19%g	24 24%g	10 17%	18 18%g	222 21%m	13 12%
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	12 23%egi	19 12%	16 14%	15 18%e	8 6%	11 10%	11 10%	19 13%	10 9%	8 13%	20 20%efgi	134 13%	13 12%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	99 8%	19 9%	21 7%	19 7%	9 9%	- -	30 12%b	38 10%k	34 13%k	24 10%	25 11%k	16 5%	13 13%o	44 11%o	28 7%	13 5%
Tend to agree	345 30%	76 37%c	92 29%	73 27%	28 26%	7 29%	70 28%	104 26%	98 37%gk	100 42%gjk	75 32%k	68 22%	41 42%no	155 39%no	107 28%o	42 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	48 23%	104 34%a	84 31%	32 30%	6 25%	64 26%	125 32%hi	60 22%	56 23%	79 33%hi	88 29%	14 15%	87 22%	135 36%lm	99 35%lm
Tend to disagree	160 14%	32 15%f	44 14%f	47 17%f	13 12%	4 18%	19 8%	53 14%	48 18%	37 16%	31 13%	39 13%	20 21%o	71 18%o	53 14%o	16 6%
Strongly disagree	76 7%	13 6%	15 5%	18 7%	11 10%	3 13%	17 7%	24 6%	11 4%	13 5%	10 4%	27 9%hj	6 6%	23 6%	16 4%	30 11%mn
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	443 38%	95 46%bc	113 36%	91 33%	37 35%	7 29%	100 41%	142 36%k	132 50%gk	124 52%gjk	101 42%k	84 28%	54 56%no	199 50%no	135 36%o	55 20%
DISAGREE	236 20%	44 22%	59 19%	66 24%f	24 22%	8 31%	36 15%	77 20%	59 22%	50 21%	41 17%	66 22%	26 27%o	95 24%o	68 18%	46 16%
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	18 9%	34 11%	32 12%	14 13%	4 15%	46 19%abc	51 13%hi	15 6%	9 4%	19 8%	66 22%ghij	2 2%	19 5%	41 11%lm	81 29%lmn

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Q.11_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament holds government to account

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	99 8%	9 21%bcd	46 10%d	37 8%	6 4%	69 10%f	20 5%
Tend to agree	345 30%	12 27%cd	178 38%cd	134 28%d	21 12%	232 35%f	76 20%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	9 21%	95 21%	165 35%b	63 36%b	167 25%	139 37%e
Tend to disagree	160 14%	9 21%cd	95 21%cd	46 10%	10 6%	108 16%f	38 10%
Strongly disagree	76 7%	4 10%	25 5%	27 6%	20 11%bc	41 6%	28 8%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	443 38%	21 48%d	224 48%cd	171 36%d	27 16%	301 45%f	96 26%
DISAGREE	236 20%	14 30%c	120 26%cd	73 15%	30 17%	149 22%	66 18%
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	1 1%	23 5%	66 14%ab	55 31%abc	57 8%	74 20%e

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.11_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament holds government to account

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Strongly agree	99	8	42	44	6
	8%	18%cd	10%cd	9%cd	3%
Tend to agree	345	15	173	132	25
	30%	35%cd	41%cd	26%cd	13%
Neither agree nor disagree	338	9	87	173	64
	29%	21%	20%	35%b	34%b
Tend to disagree	160	8	81	64	8
	14%	18%cd	19%cd	13%cd	4%
Strongly disagree	76	3	23	28	22
	7%	7%	5%	6%	12%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	443	23	214	175	30
	38%	53%cd	51%cd	35%cd	16%
DISAGREE	236	11	103	92	30
	20%	25%	24%cd	18%	16%
Don't know/Can't remember	149	1	19	61	62
	13%	1%	4%	12%ab	33%abc

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Q.11_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament holds government to account

Base: All aged 18 or above

	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)				
	Total	Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	99 8%	4 25%	28 11%	33 7%	28 9%
Tend to agree	345 30%	6 32%	126 49%cd	140 30%cd	62 20%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	2 11%	69 26%	149 31%	80 26%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	3 15%	20 8%	85 18%b	50 16%b
Strongly disagree	76 7%	-	2 1%	25 5%b	47 15%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	443 38%	10 57%	154 59%cd	174 37%cd	90 29%
DISAGREE	236 20%	3 15%	22 9%	110 23%b	97 32%bc
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	3 18%	14 6%	41 9%	39 13%b

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	55 5%	28 5%	27 4%	7 5%	9 4%	5 3%	7 4%	9 5%	11 8%e	7 5%	7 4%	21 7%l	6 3%	21 4%	26 4%	29 6%
Tend to agree	294 25%	152 27%	142 23%	39 24%	58 27%	47 24%	31 19%	38 23%	30 23%	52 36%cefg	55 31% m	80 28%	58 27%	102 21%	183 27%	111 22%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	149 27%	172 28%	50 31%h	65 29%	53 28%	48 31%h	41 25%	25 19%	40 27%	35 20%	82 29%	53 25%	151 31%j	176 27%	145 29%
Tend to disagree	251 21%	122 22%	129 21%	21 13%	43 20%	46 24% c	34 22% c	48 30% cdi	33 26% c	25 17%	56 32% km	60 21%	53 25% m	82 17%	153 23%	98 19%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	66 12%	64 11%	21 13% i	18 8%	25 13% i	25 16% di	21 13% i	14 11%	8 5%	17 10%	25 9%	24 11%	65 13%	66 10%	64 13%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	349 30%	180 32%	169 28%	46 29%	67 30%	52 27%	38 24%	47 29%	40 31%	59 41% cefg	61 34% m	100 35% m	64 30%	123 25%	209 31%	141 28%
DISAGREE	381 33%	188 34%	193 32%	42 26%	61 28%	71 37% ci	59 37% ci	69 42% cdi	47 37% i	32 22%	73 41% km	85 29%	76 36%	147 30%	219 33%	162 32%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	40 7%	75 12% a	23 14% g	27 12% g	15 8%	13 8%	7 4%	16 12% g	14 10%	8 5%	22 7%	21 10%	64 13% jk	61 9%	54 11%

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	55 5%	20 4%	35 6%	13 4%	42 5%	37 4%	18 6%
Tend to agree	294 25%	125 23%	169 27%	85 23%	210 26%	224 26%	70 24%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	144 27%	177 28%	112 30%	209 26%	247 28%	74 25%
Tend to disagree	251 21%	136 25%b	115 18%	67 18%	184 23%	195 22%	56 19%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	66 12%	64 10%	45 12%	86 11%	98 11%	33 11%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	349 30%	145 27%	204 32%	98 26%	251 32%	261 30%	88 30%
DISAGREE	381 33%	202 38%b	179 28%	112 30%	270 34%	293 33%	89 30%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	42 8%	73 11%	50 13%d	65 8%	73 8%	42 14%e

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	55 5%	3 5%	6 4%	8 7%	2 2%	6 5%	8 7%	2 2%	6 4%	3 3%	5 9% <small>dgi</small>	7 6%	46 4%	9 8%
Tend to agree	294 25%	8 14%	46 29% <small>ck</small>	18 16%	21 24%	39 31% <small>ack</small>	23 21%	42 37% <small>ackf</small>	43 29% <small>ck</small>	25 25%	15 26%	16 16%	259 25%	35 31%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	17 32%	38 24%	22 19%	21 24%	37 30%	31 29%	38 34% <small>c</small>	36 25%	32 31%	18 31%	30 30%	281 27%	38 34%
Tend to disagree	251 21%	12 21%	40 25% <small>g</small>	26 22% <small>g</small>	23 26% <small>g</small>	29 23% <small>g</small>	22 21%	12 11%	34 23% <small>g</small>	18 18%	14 23% <small>g</small>	22 21% <small>g</small>	235 22% <small>m</small>	15 13%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	4 7%	17 10%	23 20% <small>bdeghj</small>	8 9%	11 9%	13 12%	8 7%	13 9%	18 18% <small>gij</small>	4 6%	13 13%	123 12% <small>m</small>	6 5%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	349 30%	10 19%	52 33%	26 23%	23 26%	45 36% <small>ack</small>	31 28%	44 39% <small>ack</small>	48 33% <small>k</small>	28 27%	20 35% <small>k</small>	23 22%	305 29%	44 38% <small>l</small>
DISAGREE	381 33%	15 29%	56 35% <small>g</small>	49 43% <small>g</small>	31 35% <small>g</small>	39 32% <small>g</small>	35 32% <small>g</small>	20 18%	47 32% <small>g</small>	36 35% <small>g</small>	17 30% <small>g</small>	35 34% <small>g</small>	359 34% <small>m</small>	21 19%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	11 20% <small>begij</small>	13 8% <small>e</small>	17 15% <small>ej</small>	13 15% <small>e</small>	3 2%	12 11% <small>e</small>	9 8% <small>e</small>	14 10% <small>e</small>	6 6%	3 5%	14 14% <small>ej</small>	103 10%	10 9%

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	55 5%	8 4%	17 5%	6 2%	8 8% ^c	-	16 6% ^c	22 5% ^k	23 8% ^{ik}	8 4%	14 6% ^k	6 2%	11 11% ^{no}	28 7% ^{no}	13 3%	3 1%
Tend to agree	294 25%	60 29%	79 25%	63 23%	25 23%	5 21%	63 26%	89 22%	83 31% ^{gk}	83 34% ^{gjk}	60 25%	67 22%	33 34% ^o	125 31% ^o	103 27% ^o	34 12%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	50 24%	76 24%	89 33% ^b	25 24%	9 36%	73 30%	114 29%	59 22%	57 24%	73 31% ^h	89 29%	18 19%	92 23%	113 30% ^{lm}	94 34% ^{lm}
Tend to disagree	251 21%	56 27% ^f	74 24% ^f	59 22%	20 19%	4 18%	38 15%	85 22%	64 24%	61 25%	44 19%	60 20%	19 20%	111 28% ^o	82 22% ^o	39 14%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	17 8%	38 12%	32 12%	14 13%	3 13%	26 11%	46 12%	27 10%	28 12%	23 10%	37 12%	15 16% ^m	33 8%	38 10%	44 16% ^{mn}
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	349 30%	68 33%	95 31%	69 25%	33 31%	5 21%	79 32%	110 28%	106 40% ^{gk}	91 38% ^{gk}	74 31%	72 24%	43 45% ^{no}	153 38% ^{no}	116 31% ^o	37 13%
DISAGREE	381 33%	73 36% ^f	112 36% ^f	91 33%	34 32%	8 31%	63 26%	131 33%	91 34%	89 37% ^{aj}	67 28%	97 32%	35 36%	144 36%	121 32%	82 29%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	14 7%	28 9%	24 9%	15 14% ^a	3 12%	31 13%	39 10% ^{hi}	11 4%	3 1%	25 10% ^{hi}	46 15% ^{ghi}	1 1%	11 3%	29 8% ^{lm}	68 24% ^{lmn}

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	55 5%	7 16%bcd	28 6%d	19 4%d	1 1%	39 6%f	8 2%
Tend to agree	294 25%	9 20%	154 33%cd	113 24%d	19 11%	201 30%f	64 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	8 18%	103 22%	138 29%b	67 39%abc	157 23%	128 34%e
Tend to disagree	251 21%	11 25%d	121 26%d	105 22%d	13 8%	163 24%f	64 17%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	8 18%	46 10%	52 11%	24 14%	70 10%	52 14%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	349 30%	16 36%d	181 39%cd	132 28%d	20 11%	241 36%f	72 19%
DISAGREE	381 33%	19 43%d	167 36%d	158 33%d	37 21%	233 35%	115 31%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	1 3%	11 2%	48 10%b	51 29%abc	43 6%	60 16%e

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Strongly agree	55 5%	7 15%bcd	24 6%d	23 5%d	1 1%
Tend to agree	294 25%	10 23%d	151 36%cd	119 24%d	15 8%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	11 24%	92 22%	143 29%b	71 38%bc
Tend to disagree	251 21%	9 21%d	106 25%d	123 25%d	11 6%
Strongly disagree	130 11%	7 15%	40 10%	52 10%	32 17%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	349 30%	17 38%d	175 41%cd	142 28%d	16 8%
DISAGREE	381 33%	16 36%	146 35%d	175 35%d	43 23%
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	1 1%	10 2%	42 8%b	58 31%abc

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Q.11_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics

Base: All aged 18 or above

	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)				
	Total	Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	55 5%	1 7%	17 7%	18 4%	17 6%
Tend to agree	294 25%	8 47%	113 44%cd	116 25%d	46 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	2 11%	73 28%	143 30%d	65 21%
Tend to disagree	251 21%	4 22%	39 15%	130 27%b	68 22%b
Strongly disagree	130 11%	1 3%	8 3%	41 9%b	76 25%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	349 30%	9 54%	130 50%cd	135 28%d	63 21%
DISAGREE	381 33%	4 25%	47 18%	171 36%b	145 47%bc
Don't know/Can't remember	115 10%	2 11%	9 4%	25 5%	33 11%bc

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

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Q.11_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament is essential to our democracy

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ sprt (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	366 31%	212 38% ^b	154 25%	31 19%	48 22%	50 26%	57 36% ^{cd}	73 45% ^{cde}	54 42% ^{cde}	54 37% ^{cde}	82 46% ^{klm}	90 31%	69 32%	125 26%	224 34%	143 28%
Tend to agree	405 35%	187 34%	218 36%	56 35%	76 35%	73 38%	57 36%	53 33%	38 30%	52 36%	78 44% ^{lm}	118 41% ^{lm}	63 30%	145 30%	235 35%	170 34%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	90 16%	129 21% ^a	36 22% ^{gi}	62 28% ^{fghi}	42 22% ^{gi}	22 14%	18 11%	19 15%	19 13%	13 7%	51 18% ^j	51 24% ^j	105 22% ^j	125 19%	94 19%
Tend to disagree	53 5%	27 5%	26 4%	10 6%	7 3%	11 6%	6 4%	8 5%	4 3%	7 5%	3 2%	8 3%	10 4%	32 7% ^{jk}	23 3%	30 6%
Strongly disagree	22 2%	12 2%	10 2%	5 3%	2 1%	2 1%	5 3%	5 3%	1 *	3 2%	- -	2 1%	6 3% ^j	15 3% ^{jk}	10 2%	12 2%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	771 66%	399 72% ^b	372 61%	86 54%	124 56%	122 64%	114 72% ^{cd}	126 78% ^{cde}	93 72% ^{cd}	106 73% ^{cd}	160 90% ^{klm}	209 72% ^{lm}	132 62%	270 56%	459 69% ^o	312 62%
DISAGREE	76 6%	39 7%	37 6%	15 9% ^d	9 4%	13 7%	11 7%	13 8%	4 3%	10 7%	3 2%	10 4%	15 7% ^j	47 10% ^{jk}	33 5%	42 8% ⁿ
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	29 5%	72 12% ^a	24 15% ^{efgi}	25 11% ^g	14 7%	11 7%	5 3%	12 9% ^g	10 7%	2 1%	20 7% ^j	16 7% ^j	63 13% ^{kl}	48 7%	53 11%

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Q.11_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament is essential to our democracy

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	366 31%	171 32%	196 31%	82 22%	284 36% ^c	279 32%	87 30%
Tend to agree	405 35%	196 37%	209 33%	121 33%	283 36%	314 36%	91 31%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	99 19%	120 19%	102 27% ^d	118 15%	168 19%	51 17%
Tend to disagree	53 5%	18 3%	35 6%	15 4%	38 5%	37 4%	16 6%
Strongly disagree	22 2%	8 2%	14 2%	8 2%	14 2%	10 1%	12 4% ^e
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	771 66%	366 69%	405 64%	203 55%	568 71% ^c	593 68% ^f	178 61%
DISAGREE	76 6%	26 5%	49 8%	23 6%	53 7%	47 5%	28 10% ^e
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	41 8%	59 9%	43 12% ^d	57 7%	65 7%	35 12% ^e

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Q.11_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	366 31%	19 36%	45 29%	34 30%	23 26%	47 38%gk	39 36%gk	23 21%	54 37%gk	31 30%	26 44%bdgk	24 24%	342 33% m	24 21%
Tend to agree	405 35%	13 24%	52 33%	40 35%	39 44%ajk	49 40%	33 31%	49 44%ajk	48 33%	37 36%	16 28%	29 29%	361 34%	43 38%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	8 15%	40 25% d	19 17%	6 7%	18 15%	22 20% d	26 24% d	24 17%	19 19% d	13 21% d	23 23% d	189 18%	29 26% l
Tend to disagree	53 5%	1 2%	6 4%	6 6%	5 6%	6 5%	5 5%	5 4%	4 3%	4 4%	1 1%	9 8% hj	48 5%	4 4%
Strongly disagree	22 2%	4 7% cgj	3 2%	-	1 1%	3 2%	2 2%	1 1%	3 2%	5 5% c	-	1 1%	20 2%	2 2%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	771 66%	32 60%	97 61%	74 65% k	62 71% k	96 78% abcgk	72 66% k	72 65% k	102 70% k	68 67% k	42 71% k	54 52%	703 67% m	67 59%
DISAGREE	76 6%	5 10% j	8 5%	6 6%	6 7%	9 7% ej	7 6%	6 5%	8 5%	10 9% j	1 1%	10 10% j	68 6%	6 6%
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	8 15% e	14 9% e	14 12% e	13 15% ei	-	8 7% e	7 7% e	12 8% e	5 5% e	4 6% e	15 15% egjij	88 8%	11 10%

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Q.11_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	366 31%	90 44%bcdf	91 29%	79 29%	26 24%	9 37%	71 29%	96 24%	114 43%gjk	112 47%gjk	78 33%g	78 26%	64 66%mno	181 45%no	80 21%o	41 15%
Tend to agree	405 35%	80 39%cf	126 41%cf	80 29%	37 34%	9 36%	73 30%	137 35%	105 39%k	103 43%jk	80 33%	91 30%	25 26%	162 41%lo	102 43%lo	56 20%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	19 9%	53 17%a	69 25%ab	20 19%a	5 22%	53 21%a	95 24%hi	28 10%	14 6%	50 21%hi	67 22%hi	4 4%	39 10%	81 21%lm	92 33%lmn
Tend to disagree	53 5%	4 2%	13 4%	15 5%	8 8%a	-	14 6%	27 7%i	9 3%	5 2%	10 4%	15 5%	2 2%	10 2%	25 7%lm	16 6%lm
Strongly disagree	22 2%	1 1%	5 2%	7 3%	1 1%	-	8 3%	7 2%	5 2%	5 2%	3 1%	9 3%	1 1%	5 1%	2 1%	14 5%mn
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	771 66%	170 83%bcdf	217 70%cdf	160 58%	62 58%	18 73%	144 59%	233 59%	219 82%gjk	215 90%ghjk	159 66%k	169 56%	89 91%no	344 86%no	242 64%o	97 35%
DISAGREE	76 6%	5 2%	18 6%	22 8%a	9 9%a	-	21 9%a	33 8%i	14 5%	10 4%	14 6%	23 8%	3 3%	14 4%	28 7%lm	30 11%lm
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	11 5%	23 7%	22 8%	15 14%ab	1 5%	28 11%a	33 8%hi	6 2%	1 *	17 7%hi	44 15%ghij	1 1%	3 1%	29 8%lm	62 22%lmn

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Q.11_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament is essential to our democracy

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	366 31%	28 63%bcd	198 43%cd	124 26%d	16 9%	269 40%f	60 16%
Tend to agree	405 35%	10 23%	189 41%ad	177 37%d	27 15%	248 37%f	111 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	2 5%	46 10%	107 23%ab	61 35%abc	90 13%	110 29%e
Tend to disagree	53 5%	3 6%	16 3%	22 5%	13 7%b	25 4%	25 7%e
Strongly disagree	22 2%	1 3%	9 2%	3 1%	9 5%bc	8 1%	13 4%e
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	771 66%	39 86%cd	387 84%cd	302 63%d	42 24%	517 77%f	171 46%
DISAGREE	76 6%	4 9%	25 5%	25 5%	22 13%bc	34 5%	39 10%e
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	- -	5 1%	42 9%ab	50 28%abc	32 5%	56 15%e

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Strongly agree	366	34	188	125	19
	31%	76%bcd	44%cd	25%d	10%
Tend to agree	405	7	170	197	29
	35%	17%	40%ad	39%ad	15%
Neither agree nor disagree	219	1	45	106	63
	19%	3%	11%	21%ab	34%abc
Tend to disagree	53	1	9	29	14
	5%	3%	2%	6%b	8%b
Strongly disagree	22	-	8	6	9
	2%	-	2%	1%	5%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	771	41	358	322	48
	66%	93%cd	85%cd	64%d	26%
DISAGREE	76	1	16	35	23
	6%	3%	4%	7%	13%bc
Don't know/Can't remember	100	1	4	39	52
	9%	1%	1%	8%b	28%abc

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	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)				
	Total	Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	366 31%	11 65%	126 49%cd	137 29%	79 26%
Tend to agree	405 35%	4 25%	105 40%d	188 40%d	86 28%
Neither agree nor disagree	219 19%	1 7%	22 8%	97 20%b	65 21%b
Tend to disagree	53 5%	-	-	24 5%b	28 9%bc
Strongly disagree	22 2%	-	-	6 1%	15 5%bc
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	771 66%	16 89%	231 89%cd	324 68%d	166 54%
DISAGREE	76 6%	-	-	30 6%b	43 14%bc
Don't know/Can't remember	100 9%	1 3%	7 3%	22 5%	31 10%bc

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	162 14%	90 16% ^b	71 12%	10 6%	30 14% ^c	19 10%	29 19% ^{ce}	33 20% ^{cei}	23 18% ^{ce}	16 11%	44 25% ^{klm}	46 16% ^m	26 12%	45 9%	96 14%	66 13%
Tend to agree	409 35%	202 36%	207 34%	51 31%	65 30%	78 41% ^d	53 34%	54 33%	48 37%	61 42% ^d	75 42% ^m	109 38% ^m	80 37%	145 30%	256 38% ^o	153 31%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	136 24%	165 27%	42 26%	68 31%	52 27%	38 24%	38 23%	26 21%	37 26%	35 20%	71 25%	61 29%	133 27%	172 26%	129 26%
Tend to disagree	129 11%	61 11%	68 11%	19 12%	27 12%	18 10%	15 10%	18 11%	17 13%	14 10%	16 9%	34 12%	21 10%	58 12%	66 10%	63 12%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	36 6%	34 6%	19 12% ^{dhi}	4 2%	14 7% ^d	12 8% ^d	13 8% ^d	3 2%	6 4%	4 2%	12 4%	12 6%	41 8% ^{jk}	30 5%	39 8% ⁿ
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	571 49%	292 52% ^b	279 46%	61 38%	95 43%	97 51% ^c	83 52% ^c	87 53% ^c	71 55% ^{cd}	78 54% ^c	120 67% ^{klm}	155 54% ^m	106 50% ^m	190 39%	351 53% ^o	220 44%
DISAGREE	199 17%	97 17%	101 17%	38 23% ^{di}	31 14%	32 17%	28 17%	31 19%	20 16%	20 14%	20 11%	46 16%	34 16%	99 20% ^j	97 15%	102 20% ⁿ
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	32 6%	65 11% ^a	21 13% ^{eg}	26 12% ^{eg}	11 6%	10 7%	7 4%	11 8%	10 7%	2 1%	17 6% ^j	13 6% ^j	63 13% ^{kl}	45 7%	51 10%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	162 14%	78 15%	84 13%	45 12%	117 15%	130 15%	32 11%
Tend to agree	409 35%	207 39%b	202 32%	119 32%	290 37%	314 36%	95 32%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	130 24%	171 27%	110 30%d	190 24%	231 26%	70 24%
Tend to disagree	129 11%	57 11%	72 11%	34 9%	95 12%	91 10%	38 13%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	27 5%	43 7%	19 5%	50 6%	48 6%	21 7%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	571 49%	284 53%b	286 45%	164 44%	407 51%c	444 51%f	127 43%
DISAGREE	199 17%	83 16%	115 18%	54 15%	145 18%	139 16%	60 20%
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	36 7%	60 10%	43 12%d	53 7%	60 7%	37 12%e

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	162 14%	6 12%	30 19% ^{gk}	17 15%	12 14%	18 15%	18 17%	11 10%	15 11%	12 11%	13 21% ^{ghk}	9 9%	151 14% ^m	9 8%
Tend to agree	409 35%	18 33%	59 37%	33 29%	31 35%	46 37%	30 28%	44 39%	57 39%	35 34%	24 41%	32 31%	368 35%	40 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	11 20%	33 21%	30 26%	17 19%	39 32%	28 26%	34 31%	37 26%	34 33% ^b	13 21%	25 24%	264 25%	35 31%
Tend to disagree	129 11%	5 10%	15 9%	11 10%	12 13%	17 14%	15 14%	9 8%	17 12%	10 9%	5 9%	13 13%	118 11%	10 9%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	5 10% ^e	9 6%	10 8% ^e	5 6%	3 2%	8 7%	7 6%	8 6%	6 6%	2 3%	7 7% ^e	63 6%	7 6%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	571 49%	24 45%	90 56% ^k	50 44%	43 49%	65 52%	48 44%	55 49%	73 50%	46 45%	37 62% ^{cfik}	41 40%	519 50%	50 44%
DISAGREE	199 17%	10 19%	24 15%	20 18%	17 19%	20 16%	23 21%	16 14%	25 17%	16 16%	7 12%	21 20%	182 17%	17 15%
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	8 15% ^{ej}	13 8% ^e	13 11% ^e	12 13% ^{ej}	- -	10 9% ^e	7 7% ^e	10 7% ^e	6 6% ^e	2 4% ^e	16 15% ^{beghij}	83 8%	12 10%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	162 14%	45 22% <i>bcd</i>	43 14%	28 10%	14 13%	4 16%	27 11%	42 11%	46 17% <i>gk</i>	56 23% <i>gjk</i>	36 15%	33 11%	39 40% <i>mno</i>	82 20% <i>no</i>	28 7%	13 5%
Tend to agree	409 35%	81 40%	118 38%	88 32%	36 34%	8 33%	77 31%	131 33%	127 48% <i>gjk</i>	107 45% <i>gjk</i>	71 30%	84 28%	35 36% <i>o</i>	184 46% <i>no</i>	143 38% <i>o</i>	47 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	39 19%	82 26%	80 29% <i>a</i>	22 21%	8 33%	69 28% <i>a</i>	104 26% <i>hi</i>	45 17%	40 17%	79 33% <i>hi</i>	90 30% <i>hi</i>	14 15%	68 17%	117 31% <i>lm</i>	99 35% <i>lm</i>
Tend to disagree	129 11%	24 12%	34 11%	34 13%	11 10%	1 5%	25 10%	56 14%	31 12%	23 10%	26 11%	33 11%	5 5%	45 11%	48 13% <i>l</i>	31 11%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	6 3%	14 5%	22 8% <i>a</i>	10 9% <i>a</i>	1 5%	17 7%	29 7%	11 4%	14 6%	14 6%	21 7%	3 3%	18 4%	18 5%	31 11% <i>lmn</i>
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	571 49%	126 62% <i>bcd</i>	161 52% <i>cf</i>	117 43%	50 47%	12 49%	104 42%	173 44%	174 65% <i>gjk</i>	163 68% <i>gjk</i>	107 45%	117 38%	74 76% <i>no</i>	266 67% <i>no</i>	171 45% <i>o</i>	60 21%
DISAGREE	199 17%	30 14%	48 15%	56 21%	21 20%	3 11%	41 17%	84 21%	42 16%	37 16%	40 17%	54 18%	8 8%	62 16%	66 17% <i>l</i>	62 22% <i>lm</i>
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	11 5%	20 7%	20 7%	13 12% <i>a</i>	2 7%	31 12% <i>ab</i>	33 8% <i>hi</i>	6 2% <i>i</i>	-	14 6% <i>i</i>	43 14% <i>ghij</i>	1 1%	4 1%	26 7% <i>lm</i>	60 21% <i>lmn</i>

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
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Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	162 14%	18 39%bcd	90 19%cd	47 10%d	7 4%	121 18%f	25 7%
Tend to agree	409 35%	13 29%d	202 44%cd	167 35%d	25 14%	279 42%f	86 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	8 18%	88 19%	145 30%b	57 33%b	140 21%	126 34%e
Tend to disagree	129 11%	4 9%	54 12%	60 13%d	11 6%	81 12%	41 11%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	3 6%	21 5%	21 4%	25 14%bc	28 4%	37 10%e
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	571 49%	31 68%cd	292 63%cd	214 45%d	32 18%	400 59%f	111 30%
DISAGREE	199 17%	6 14%	75 16%	81 17%	36 21%	110 16%	78 21%
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	-	7 1%	35 7%b	50 29%abc	24 4%	60 16%e

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.11_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Strongly agree	162 14%	17 38%bcd	90 21%cd	47 9% <i>d</i>	8 4%
Tend to agree	409 35%	15 33% <i>d</i>	191 45% <i>cd</i>	181 36% <i>d</i>	20 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	8 17%	79 19%	150 30% <i>b</i>	62 33% <i>ab</i>
Tend to disagree	129 11%	3 7%	44 10%	65 13%	16 8%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	1 3%	13 3%	28 6%	27 15% <i>abc</i>
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	571 49%	32 72% <i>cd</i>	281 66% <i>cd</i>	228 45% <i>d</i>	28 15%
DISAGREE	199 17%	4 10%	57 13%	93 19% <i>b</i>	43 23% <i>b</i>
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	1 1%	7 2%	30 6% <i>b</i>	54 29% <i>abc</i>

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

* small base

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)

Q.11_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?

The UK Parliament debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me

Base: All aged 18 or above

	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)				
	Total	Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	162 14%	2 10%	50 19% ^d	67 14%	38 12%
Tend to agree	409 35%	10 57%	128 49% ^{cd}	178 38% ^d	73 24%
Neither agree nor disagree	301 26%	-	60 23%	123 26%	81 26%
Tend to disagree	129 11%	3 15%	14 5%	66 14% ^b	42 14% ^b
Strongly disagree	70 6%	1 7%	1 *	18 4% ^b	46 15% ^{bc}
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	571 49%	12 67%	178 69% ^{cd}	245 52% ^d	111 36%
DISAGREE	199 17%	4 22%	15 6%	84 18% ^b	87 29% ^{bc}
Don't know/Can't remember	96 8%	2 11%	6 2%	21 4%	26 9% ^{bc}

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)**Q.11 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?****Base: All aged 18 or above**

	The UK Parliament holds government to account	The UK Parliament encourages public involvement in politics	The UK Parliament is essential to our democracy	The UK Parliament debates and makes decisions about issues that matter to me
Unweighted Base	1163	1163	1163	1163
Weighted Base	1166	1166	1166	1166
Effective Base	1043	1043	1043	1043
Strongly agree	99 8%	55 5%	366 31%	162 14%
Tend to agree	345 30%	294 25%	405 35%	409 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	338 29%	321 28%	219 19%	301 26%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	251 21%	53 5%	129 11%
Strongly disagree	76 7%	130 11%	22 2%	70 6%
SUMMARY CODES				
AGREE	443 38%	349 30%	771 66%	571 49%
DISAGREE	236 20%	381 33%	76 6%	199 17%
Don't know/Can't remember	149 13%	115 10%	100 9%	96 8%

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Q.12 This is a list of some of the functions of the UK Parliament. Which would you say is the most important to you?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/widwd/dvrcd/sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	230 41%	236 39%	60 37%	77 35%	76 40%	65 41%	74 46% ^d	52 41%	61 42%	98 55% ^{lm}	143 49% ^{lm}	79 37%	146 30%	293 44% ^o	172 34%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	144 26%	176 29%	44 27%	65 29%	65 34% ^{fi}	34 22%	48 29%	32 25%	33 23%	49 28%	76 26%	73 34% ^m	123 25%	193 29%	127 25%
Holding government to account	273 23%	141 25%	132 22%	18 11%	28 13%	51 26% ^{cd}	51 32% ^{cd}	45 28% ^{cd}	33 26% ^{cd}	47 32% ^{cd}	57 32% ^{lm}	70 24%	48 22%	98 20%	159 24%	114 23%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	109 20%	127 21%	40 25%	47 21%	44 23%	31 20%	28 17%	22 17%	25 17%	33 19%	53 18%	44 21%	105 22%	125 19%	110 22%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	85 15% ^b	62 10%	9 6%	31 14% ^c	25 13% ^c	27 17% ^c	23 14% ^c	18 14% ^c	13 9%	32 18% ^m	45 16% ^m	23 11%	47 10%	84 13%	62 12%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	35 6%	39 6%	18 11% ^{ghi}	19 9%	12 6%	8 5%	7 4%	4 3%	6 4%	10 6%	14 5%	14 6%	35 7%	37 6%	37 7%
Don't know	215 18%	84 15%	131 21% ^a	40 25% ^{eg}	49 22% ^{eg}	27 14%	28 18%	23 14%	22 17%	26 18%	14 8%	41 14%	37 17% ^j	124 26% ^{kl}	112 17%	103 21%

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Q.12 This is a list of some of the functions of the UK Parliament. Which would you say is the most important to you?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	236 44%b	230 36%	129 35%	336 42%c	379 43%f	87 30%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	161 30%	159 25%	115 31%	206 26%	257 29%f	64 22%
Holding government to account	273 23%	124 23%	150 24%	74 20%	200 25%	209 24%	64 22%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	107 20%	129 20%	79 21%	157 20%	173 20%	62 21%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	76 14%	71 11%	41 11%	106 13%	121 14%f	26 9%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	32 6%	42 7%	26 7%	48 6%	59 7%	15 5%
Don't know	215 18%	84 16%	131 21%a	78 21%	137 17%	133 15%	82 28%e

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Q.12 This is a list of some of the functions of the UK Parliament. Which would you say is the most important to you?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	21 38%	63 40%	36 31%	38 43%	65 52%cgik	49 45%gk	35 32%	60 41%	35 35%	31 53%bcgik	33 32%	431 41% ^m	34 30%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	17 31%	41 26%	31 27%	26 30%	35 29%	34 31%	25 23%	33 23%	33 33%	20 35% ^h	25 24%	286 27%	34 30%
Holding government to account	273 23%	12 21%	31 19%	22 20%	29 34% ^{bcgk}	27 22%	27 25%	21 18%	39 27%	28 27%	19 33% ^{bcgk}	18 18%	252 24%	22 19%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	8 14%	28 17%	16 14%	14 16%	23 19%	33 30% ^{bcd}	22 19%	29 20%	23 23%	14 23%	27 26% ^c	216 21%	18 16%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	6 12%	19 12%	19 16%	8 9%	18 15%	13 12%	12 11%	17 12%	17 17%	7 12%	10 9%	134 13%	12 11%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	4 7%	5 3%	13 11% ^b	3 4%	11 9%	6 5%	6 5%	8 6%	8 8%	3 5%	8 8%	65 6%	9 8%
Don't know	215 18%	11 21% ^e	39 24% ^{efj}	26 22% ^{efj}	13 15%	10 8%	10 9%	27 24% ^{efj}	28 19% ^e	17 17%	7 11%	28 27% ^{defj}	185 18%	27 24% ^l

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	109 53%bcdf	134 43%df	118 43%df	29 27%	9 39%	67 27%	145 37%	143 53%gjk	130 54%gjk	90 38%	98 32%	58 60%no	197 49%no	154 40%o	57 20%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	48 23%	100 32%af	80 29%	30 29%	9 37%	54 22%	126 32%	77 29%	61 26%	74 31%	78 26%	21 22%	123 31%o	119 31%o	57 20%
Holding government to account	273 23%	60 29%c	74 24%	53 19%	22 21%	6 26%	57 23%	91 23%k	78 29%k	70 29%k	60 25%k	51 17%	37 38%no	133 33%no	72 19%o	30 11%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	42 20%	68 22%	58 21%	23 21%	3 13%	43 17%	78 20%	57 21%	54 22%	54 23%	60 20%	20 21%	86 22%	78 20%	51 18%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	42 21%cdf	44 14%f	26 10%	12 11%	3 13%	20 8%	34 9%	44 16%gk	55 23%gjk	31 13%	27 9%	27 27%mno	66 16%no	40 10%o	15 5%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	10 5%	23 7%	21 8%	7 7%	- -	13 5%	39 10%hk	11 4%	21 9%hk	19 8%	12 4%	7 7%	28 7%	25 7%	14 5%
Don't know	215 18%	19 9%	43 14%	55 20%a	23 22%a	5 22%	70 29%abc	70 18%hi	16 6%	8 3%	41 17%hi	92 30%ghij	4 4%	15 4%	62 16%lm	125 45%lmn

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Q.12 This is a list of some of the functions of the UK Parliament. Which would you say is the most important to you?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	24 52% ^d	236 51% ^{cd}	176 37% ^d	29 17%	295 44% ^f	113 30%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	12 26%	135 29% ^d	145 30% ^d	29 16%	219 33% ^f	86 23%
Holding government to account	273 23%	11 25% ^d	157 34% ^{cd}	87 18% ^d	18 10%	197 29% ^f	52 14%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	10 22%	91 20%	102 21%	32 19%	140 21%	85 23%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	12 27% ^{cd}	79 17% ^{cd}	48 10% ^d	8 4%	95 14% ^f	33 9%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	6 12% ^d	26 6%	36 7%	6 4%	36 5%	28 8%
Don't know	215 18%	1 3%	28 6%	87 18% ^{ab}	90 52% ^{abc}	68 10%	120 32% ^e

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	168 45%	164 39%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	113 30%	108 26%
Holding government to account	273 23%	99 27%	104 25%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	90 24%	82 20%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	62 17%	51 12%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	31 8%	26 6%
Don't know	215 18%	27 7%	78 19%a

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	47	407	510	190
Weighted Base	1166	44*	423	502	187
Effective Base	1043	41	370	455	169
Representing the UK's national interests	466 40%	26 59%cd	207 49%cd	197 39%cd	36 19%
Representing the views of local communities	321 28%	7 17%	119 28%cd	161 32%cd	33 18%
Holding government to account	273 23%	15 33%cd	138 33%cd	100 20%cd	19 10%
Representing the views of individual citizens	236 20%	6 14%	97 23%	99 20%	34 18%
Scrutinising proposed new laws	147 13%	12 28%cd	70 17%cd	55 11%cd	9 5%
Representing the views of interest groups (e.g. businesses/charities)	74 6%	6 14%bd	23 5%	39 8%cd	6 3%
Don't know	215 18%	2 4%	24 6%	89 18%ab	92 49%abc

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	168 14%	76 14%	92 15%	17 11%	37 17%	29 15%	24 15%	24 15%	18 14%	19 13%	25 14%	35 12%	31 14%	77 16%	99 15%	69 14%
Tend to agree	487 42%	241 43%	247 40%	77 48%i	86 39%	84 44%i	70 44%i	71 43%	54 42%	46 32%	94 53% <i>m</i>	130 45% <i>m</i>	91 42%	171 35%	281 42%	207 41%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	127 23%	135 22%	31 19%	60 27%	46 24%	32 20%	31 19%	26 21%	37 25%	32 18%	62 21%	48 22%	121 25%	150 23%	112 22%
Tend to disagree	144 12%	67 12%	76 13%	12 7%	18 8%	22 12%	18 11%	27 16% <i>cd</i>	18 14%	30 21% <i>cdef</i>	17 10%	39 14%	29 14%	58 12%	81 12%	63 13%
Strongly disagree	65 6%	33 6%	31 5%	11 7%	13 6%	7 4%	11 7%	9 6%	7 5%	7 5%	9 5%	13 4%	11 5%	32 7%	35 5%	30 6%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	655 56%	317 57%	338 56%	94 58% <i>i</i>	122 56%	113 59% <i>i</i>	94 60% <i>i</i>	95 58% <i>i</i>	72 56%	65 45%	119 67% <i>km</i>	165 57%	122 57%	249 51%	379 57%	276 55%
DISAGREE	209 18%	101 18%	108 18%	23 14%	30 14%	29 15%	29 18%	36 22% <i>d</i>	25 19%	37 26% <i>cde</i>	26 15%	52 18%	41 19%	90 19%	115 17%	93 19%
Don't know	40 3%	12 2%	28 5% <i>a</i>	14 8% <i>defg</i>	7 3%	3 2%	3 2%	1 1%	6 4%	6 4%	1 1%	10 4%	4 2%	24 5% <i>j</i>	20 3%	20 4%

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		POPULATION DENSITY		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Semi-rural (g)	Urban (h)	Rural (i)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298	335	300	528
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293	322	336	508
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265	297	281	467
Strongly agree	168 14%	76 14%	92 15%	65 18% ^d	103 13%	121 14%	47 16%	56 17% ⁱ	50 15%	62 12%
Tend to agree	487 42%	239 45%	248 39%	148 40%	339 43%	395 45% ^f	92 32%	134 42%	143 43%	210 41%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	117 22%	146 23%	89 24%	173 22%	198 23%	64 22%	78 24%	76 23%	109 21%
Tend to disagree	144 12%	60 11%	84 13%	35 9%	109 14%	100 11%	44 15%	34 11%	37 11%	72 14%
Strongly disagree	65 6%	25 5%	40 6%	20 5%	45 6%	37 4%	28 9% ^e	14 4%	12 4%	39 8% ^h
SUMMARY CODES										
AGREE	655 56%	315 59%	340 54%	213 57%	442 56%	515 59% ^f	140 48%	191 59%	193 57%	272 54%
DISAGREE	209 18%	85 16%	124 20%	55 15%	154 19%	137 16%	72 25% ^e	48 15%	50 15%	111 22% ^g ^h
Don't know	40 3%	17 3%	23 4%	15 4%	25 3%	23 3%	17 6% ^e	6 2%	18 5% ^g	16 3%

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	168 14%	9 17%	23 14%	17 15%	15 17%h	25 20%h	15 14%	18 16%h	10 7%	12 11%	13 21%h	13 13%	143 14%	24 21%l
Tend to agree	487 42%	21 38%	70 44%	49 43%	42 48%	59 48%	41 38%	46 42%	53 36%	42 41%	24 41%	41 40%	442 42%	44 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	8 15%	42 26%	21 18%	13 15%	22 17%	23 21%	31 28% d	51 35% acdefij k	21 20%	11 19%	21 20%	227 22%	33 29% l
Tend to disagree	144 12%	9 17%	17 10%	13 12%	12 13%	15 12%	13 12%	10 9%	24 17%	12 11%	6 10%	14 13%	139 13% m	5 4%
Strongly disagree	65 6%	3 5%	3 2%	10 9% be	4 4%	3 2%	9 8% b	5 5%	5 4%	15 15% bdeg hk	4 6% b	5 5%	61 6%	4 3%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	655 56%	29 55%	93 58% h	66 58% h	57 65% h	84 68% fhik	56 51%	64 58% h	63 43%	53 52%	37 62% h	54 53%	585 56%	68 60%
DISAGREE	209 18%	12 21%	19 12%	24 21%	15 18%	17 14%	22 21%	15 13%	29 20%	27 26% beg	10 16%	19 18%	200 19% m	8 7%
Don't know	40 3%	4 8% eh	6 4%	3 3%	3 3%	1 1%	8 7% eh	2 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 2%	9 9% bceghij	36 3%	4 4%

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	168 14%	35 17%	34 11%	44 16%	17 16%	5 21%	33 13%	61 16%	40 15%	47 20%k	36 15%	34 11%	29 30% <i>mno</i>	67 17% <i>o</i>	51 13% <i>o</i>	22 8%
Tend to agree	487 42%	90 44% <i>f</i>	160 51% <i>cf</i>	104 38%	47 44% <i>f</i>	8 33%	78 32%	169 43%	120 45% <i>k</i>	123 51% <i>gijk</i>	98 41%	108 35%	47 48% <i>o</i>	201 50% <i>no</i>	156 41% <i>o</i>	83 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	43 21%	60 19%	68 25%	20 19%	4 15%	68 28% <i>b</i>	88 22%	52 20%	41 17%	55 23%	78 26% <i>i</i>	7 7%	76 19% <i>l</i>	90 24% <i>l</i>	87 31% <i>lmn</i>
Tend to disagree	144 12%	27 13%	37 12%	25 9%	10 10%	4 18%	41 16% <i>c</i>	40 10%	44 16% <i>gi</i>	19 8%	26 11%	43 14% <i>i</i>	9 10%	45 11%	55 15%	34 12%
Strongly disagree	65 6%	7 3%	14 5%	22 8%	6 6%	1 5%	14 6%	21 5%	6 2%	8 3%	16 7% <i>h</i>	27 9% <i>hi</i>	4 4%	11 3%	19 5%	30 11% <i>lmn</i>
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	655 56%	125 61% <i>f</i>	194 62% <i>f</i>	148 54%	64 60% <i>f</i>	13 54%	111 45%	230 58% <i>k</i>	161 60% <i>k</i>	170 71% <i>ghjk</i>	133 56% <i>k</i>	142 47%	76 78% <i>mno</i>	268 67% <i>no</i>	207 54% <i>o</i>	105 37%
DISAGREE	209 18%	34 16%	51 17%	46 17%	17 16%	6 24%	55 22%	61 16%	50 19% <i>i</i>	27 11%	43 18%	71 23% <i>gi</i>	13 14%	55 14%	75 20% <i>m</i>	64 23% <i>m</i>
Don't know	40 3%	4 2%	6 2%	11 4%	6 6% <i>b</i>	2 8%	12 5%	15 4% <i>i</i>	4 1%	1 *	8 3% <i>i</i>	14 5% <i>hi</i>	1 1%	1 *	8 2% <i>m</i>	25 9% <i>lmn</i>

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 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	168 14%	11 25%cd	81 18%d	62 13%	14 8%	109 16%	43 12%
Tend to agree	487 42%	25 55%d	212 46%d	206 43%d	44 25%	299 44%	147 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	1 3%	87 19%a	112 24%a	58 33%abc	129 19%	96 26%e
Tend to disagree	144 12%	7 15%	59 13%	59 12%	18 10%	96 14%	37 10%
Strongly disagree	65 6%	1 1%	21 4%	23 5%	20 12%abc	30 4%	33 9%e
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	655 56%	36 81%bcd	293 63%cd	268 56%d	58 33%	408 61%f	190 51%
DISAGREE	209 18%	7 17%	80 17%	83 17%	38 22%	126 19%	70 19%
Don't know	40 3%	-	2 *	14 3%b	21 12%abc	10 2%	19 5%e

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
Strongly agree	168 14%	99 27% ^b	39 9%
Tend to agree	487 42%	200 54% ^b	143 34%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	36 10%	78 19% ^a
Tend to disagree	144 12%	24 7%	96 23% ^a
Strongly disagree	65 6%	7 2%	54 13% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
AGREE	655 56%	299 80% ^b	182 44%
DISAGREE	209 18%	31 8%	150 36% ^a
Don't know	40 3%	5 1%	6 1%

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Q.13 To what extent do you agree or disagree: When people like me get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	HOW INVOLVED WOULD LIKE TO BE IN LOCAL DECISION MAKING (Q.15)	
		Very/fairly (a)	Not very / not at all (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	446	673
Weighted Base	1166	444	679
Effective Base	1043	399	604
Strongly agree	168 14%	98 22% ^b	67 10%
Tend to agree	487 42%	220 50% ^b	263 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	262 22%	64 14%	185 27% ^a
Tend to disagree	144 12%	44 10%	96 14% ^a
Strongly disagree	65 6%	12 3%	52 8% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
AGREE	655 56%	318 72% ^b	330 49%
DISAGREE	209 18%	56 13%	147 22% ^a
Don't know	40 3%	6 1%	17 2%

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**Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
your local area**

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
A great deal of influence	20 2%	7 1%	13 2%	2 2%	3 1%	4 2%	5 3%	1 1%	2 1%	3 2%	4 2%	2 1%	3 1%	11 2%	10 1%	10 2%
Some influence	254 22%	129 23%	126 21%	38 24%	46 21%	46 24%	37 23%	34 21%	23 18%	29 20%	57 32%lm	68 23%	45 21%	86 18%	147 22%	108 22%
Not very much influence	458 39%	212 38%	246 40%	52 33%	88 40%	79 41%	59 37%	74 46% ^c	52 41%	52 36%	74 42%	116 40%	85 40%	183 38%	256 38%	202 40%
No influence at all	376 32%	193 35%	183 30%	56 35%	70 32%	57 30%	50 31%	53 32%	38 30%	54 37%	41 23%	93 32% ^j	73 34% ^j	169 35% ^j	221 33%	155 31%
SUMMARY CODES																
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	136 24%	139 23%	41 25%	49 22%	50 26%	42 27%	35 22%	25 20%	32 22%	61 34%klm	70 24%	48 22%	96 20%	156 24%	118 24%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	405 73%	429 70%	108 67%	158 72%	136 71%	109 69%	127 78% ^c	90 71%	106 74%	115 65%	209 73%	158 74%	352 73%	477 72%	358 71%
Don't know	58 5%	16 3%	41 7% ^a	12 8% ^g	13 6% ^g	5 3%	8 5% ^g	1 *	13 10% ^{eg}	6 4% ^g	2 1%	9 3%	9 4%	37 8% ^{kl}	32 5%	26 5%

**Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		POPULATION DENSITY		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Semi-rural (g)	Urban (h)	Rural (i)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298	335	300	528
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293	322	336	508
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265	297	281	467
A great deal of influence	20 2%	7 1%	13 2%	8 2%	12 1%	14 2%	6 2%	7 2%	6 2%	7 1%
Some influence	254 22%	136 26% ^b	118 19%	91 25%	163 21%	208 24% ^f	47 16%	69 21%	76 23%	110 22%
Not very much influence	458 39%	216 40%	243 38%	145 39%	314 39%	357 41%	102 35%	132 41%	147 44% ^h	179 35%
No influence at all	376 32%	156 29%	220 35%	109 29%	267 34%	260 30%	116 40% ^e	98 30%	85 25%	193 38% ^g ^h
SUMMARY CODES										
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	143 27% ^b	131 21%	99 27%	175 22%	222 25% ^f	52 18%	75 23%	82 24%	117 23%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	372 70%	462 73%	254 68%	581 73%	617 71%	218 74%	230 71%	232 69%	372 73%
Don't know	58 5%	19 3%	39 6% ^a	18 5%	39 5%	35 4%	23 8% ^e	17 5%	22 7%	19 4%

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**Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
your local area**

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
A great deal of influence	20 2%	2 4%h	3 2%	2 2%	- -	2 2%	4 4%h	2 2%	- -	1 1%	1 2%	3 3%h	16 1%	4 4%l
Some influence	254 22%	9 17%	29 18%	28 25%	19 21%	26 21%	25 23%	29 26%	25 17%	24 24%	16 27%	25 24%	231 22%	23 21%
Not very much influence	458 39%	18 33%	56 35%	43 38%	34 39%	58 47%ik	45 42%	47 42%	64 44%i	30 30%	28 48%bik	35 34%	413 39%	44 39%
No influence at all	376 32%	18 33%	67 42%fgjk	37 33%	31 35%g	37 30%	29 27%	24 21%	49 34%g	43 42%fgjk	13 21%	29 28%	344 33%	32 29%
SUMMARY CODES														
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	11 20%	31 20%	30 26%	19 21%	28 23%	29 27%	31 27%	25 17%	26 25%	17 29%h	28 27%h	246 23%	28 24%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	36 67%	123 77%gk	80 70%	65 74%	95 77%gk	75 69%	71 64%	113 78%gk	73 72%	41 69%	64 62%	756 72%	77 67%
Don't know	58 5%	7 13%bcej	5 3%	4 3%	4 5%e	- -	5 5%e	10 9%ej	7 5%e	3 3%	1 2%	11 11%bcej	45 4%	10 8%l

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Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...

your local area

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
A great deal of influence	20 2%	2 1%	1 *	8 3%b	4 4%b	- -	4 2%	7 2%	6 2%	5 2%	2 1%	3 1%	2 2%	7 2%	9 2%	1 *
Some influence	254 22%	56 27% <i>f</i>	81 26% <i>f</i>	54 20%	22 20%	7 31%	34 14%	74 19%	70 26% <i>gk</i>	80 33% <i>gjk</i>	53 22%	52 17%	37 39% <i>no</i>	116 29% <i>no</i>	65 17%	36 13%
Not very much influence	458 39%	91 44%	122 39%	98 36%	43 40%	10 41%	94 38%	169 43%	103 39%	93 39%	99 41%	111 37%	39 40% <i>o</i>	186 46% <i>o</i>	174 46% <i>o</i>	59 21%
No influence at all	376 32%	48 23%	101 32% <i>a</i>	100 36% <i>a</i>	30 28%	4 18%	93 38% <i>a</i>	127 32%	84 31%	60 25%	74 31%	115 38% <i>i</i>	17 18%	86 22%	117 31% <i>lm</i>	152 54% <i>lmn</i>
SUMMARY CODES																
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	59 29% <i>f</i>	82 27% <i>f</i>	62 23% <i>f</i>	26 24%	7 31%	38 15%	81 21%	75 28% <i>gk</i>	85 35% <i>gjk</i>	55 23%	56 18%	40 41% <i>no</i>	123 31% <i>no</i>	74 20% <i>o</i>	37 13%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	139 68%	223 72%	198 72%	73 69%	14 59%	188 76%	297 75% <i>i</i>	187 70%	154 64%	172 72%	226 74% <i>i</i>	56 58%	272 68%	292 77% <i>lm</i>	211 75% <i>l</i>
Don't know	58 5%	8 4%	6 2%	13 5%	7 7% <i>b</i>	2 10%	20 8% <i>b</i>	16 4% <i>i</i>	4 2%	1 1%	12 5% <i>hi</i>	22 7% <i>hi</i>	1 1%	5 1%	14 4% <i>m</i>	32 11% <i>lmn</i>

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 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

**Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
A great deal of influence	20 2%	1 3%	7 1%	9 2%	2 1%	15 2%	5 1%
Some influence	254 22%	17 37%cd	135 29%cd	82 17%	20 12%	169 25%f	58 15%
Not very much influence	458 39%	14 31%cd	205 44%d	210 44%d	29 16%	302 45%f	118 32%
No influence at all	376 32%	13 29%	109 24%	159 33%b	94 54%abc	171 25%	168 45%e
SUMMARY CODES							
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	18 40%cd	142 31%cd	91 19%	23 13%	184 27%f	63 17%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	27 60%	314 68%	369 78%ab	123 70%	473 70%	286 76%e
Don't know	58 5%	-	6 1%	15 3%	30 17%abc	16 2%	26 7%e

Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...

your local area

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
A great deal of influence	20 2%	13 3% ^b	3 1%
Some influence	254 22%	116 31% ^b	67 16%
Not very much influence	458 39%	154 41%	145 35%
No influence at all	376 32%	84 23%	190 46% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	129 35% ^b	70 17%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	239 64%	335 81% ^a
Don't know	58 5%	4 1%	10 2%

**Q.14_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITY CAN CHANGE WAY AREA IS RUN (Q.13)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	657	197
Weighted Base	1166	655	209
Effective Base	1043	588	180
A great deal of influence	20 2%	18 3%b	- -
Some influence	254 22%	222 34%b	6 3%
Not very much influence	458 39%	263 40%	77 37%
No influence at all	376 32%	147 22%	126 60%a
SUMMARY CODES			
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	240 37%b	6 3%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	410 63%	203 97%a
Don't know	58 5%	6 1%	- -

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**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
A great deal of influence	5 *	2 *	2 *	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	1 1%	2 *	3 *	2 *
Some influence	143 12%	78 14%	65 11%	19 12%	25 11%	18 9%	27 17%e	20 12%	15 12%	19 13%	23 13%	47 16%m	25 12%	49 10%	87 13%	56 11%
Not very much influence	466 40%	212 38%	254 42%	56 34%	85 39%	83 43%	58 37%	71 43%	50 39%	63 44%	97 54%klm	115 40%	81 38%	173 36%	251 38%	215 43%
No influence at all	496 43%	248 45%	248 41%	73 46%	95 43%	83 43%	65 41%	71 44%	53 41%	56 39%	57 32%	116 40%	99 46%j	225 46%j	290 44%	207 41%
SUMMARY CODES																
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	80 14%	68 11%	20 12%	27 12%	19 10%	27 17%	20 12%	15 12%	19 13%	23 13%	48 17%m	26 12%	51 11%	90 14%	58 12%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	459 82%	503 82%	129 80%	180 82%	166 87%f	124 78%	142 87%f	102 80%	119 82%	154 86%	231 80%	180 84%	398 82%	541 81%	421 84%
Don't know	56 5%	17 3%	39 6%a	12 8%g	13 6%g	6 3%	8 5%g	1 *	11 8%g	6 4%g	2 1%	10 4%	9 4%	36 7%k	34 5%	22 4%

**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		POPULATION DENSITY		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Semi-rural (g)	Urban (h)	Rural (i)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298	335	300	528
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293	322	336	508
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265	297	281	467
A great deal of influence	5 *	3 1%	2 *	3 1%	2 *	4 *	1 *	3 1%	1 *	1 *
Some influence	143 12%	71 13%	72 11%	47 13%	96 12%	116 13%	27 9%	49 15% ⁱ	44 13%	50 10%
Not very much influence	466 40%	226 42%	240 38%	150 40%	316 40%	356 41%	109 37%	122 38%	144 43%	200 39%
No influence at all	496 43%	214 40%	283 45%	152 41%	345 43%	361 41%	135 46%	131 41%	125 37%	239 47% ^h
SUMMARY CODES										
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	74 14%	74 12%	50 14%	97 12%	121 14%	27 9%	52 16% ⁱ	46 14%	50 10%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	440 82%	522 83%	301 81%	661 83%	718 82%	244 83%	253 79%	270 80%	439 86% ^{gh}
Don't know	56 5%	20 4%	36 6%	20 5%	37 5%	35 4%	21 7% ^e	17 5%	21 6%	18 4%

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**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
A great deal of influence	5 *	- -	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	2 *	3 3%l
Some influence	143 12%	9 17%	19 12%	17 15%	12 14%	17 14%	13 12%	20 18%ij	15 10%	6 6%	4 7%	11 11%	121 12%	22 19%l
Not very much influence	466 40%	17 31%	52 33%	38 33%	28 32%	60 48%bcd	47 43%	53 47%bcd	62 42%	38 37%	32 54%abcdi k	40 39%	423 40%	41 36%
No influence at all	496 43%	21 38%	82 51%egjk	54 47%g	44 50%g	46 37%	44 41%g	28 25%	62 43%g	54 53%egjk	22 37%	41 40%g	458 44%lm	38 34%
SUMMARY CODES														
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	9 17%	20 12%	18 16%i	12 14%	18 15%	13 12%	21 18%ij	15 10%	6 6%	4 7%	11 11%	123 12%	25 22%l
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	37 69%	134 84%ag	91 80%	72 82%	105 85%ag	91 84%	81 73%	124 85%ag	92 91%agk	54 91%agk	81 79%	881 84%lm	79 69%
Don't know	56 5%	8 14%bcehij	5 3%	4 3%	4 4%e	- -	5 5%e	10 9%ej	6 4%e	3 3%	1 2%	10 10%bcej	44 4%	10 9%l

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**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
A great deal of influence	5	1	1	2	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	1	2	-	1	2
	*	1%	*	1%	-	-	*	*	*	1%	-	*	2% ^m	-	*	1%
Some influence	143	26	45	37	14	3	18	44	49	48	26	20	23	74	35	11
	12%	13%	15% ^f	13% ^f	13%	11%	7%	11% ^k	18% ^{gjk}	20% ^{gjk}	11%	7%	24% ^{no}	18% ^{no}	9% ^o	4%
Not very much influence	466	104	125	99	38	13	86	152	110	115	97	115	41	188	177	60
	40%	51% ^{bcd}	40%	36%	35%	54%	35%	38%	41%	48% ^{gk}	40%	38%	42% ^o	47% ^o	47% ^o	21%
No influence at all	496	67	132	122	47	6	122	183	104	75	104	145	31	134	152	176
	43%	33%	42% ^a	45% ^a	44%	26%	50% ^a	46% ⁱ	39%	31%	43% ⁱ	48% ⁱ	32%	34%	40%	63% ^{lmn}
SUMMARY CODES																
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148	27	47	38	14	3	19	45	49	50	26	21	25	74	36	13
	13%	13%	15% ^f	14% ^f	13%	11%	8%	11%	18% ^{gjk}	21% ^{gjk}	11%	7%	26% ^{no}	18% ^{no}	10% ^o	5%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962	172	257	222	84	19	208	335	214	190	201	260	72	322	329	236
	82%	84%	83%	81%	79%	80%	85%	85%	80%	79%	84%	85%	74%	81%	87% ^{lm}	84% ^l
Don't know	56	6	7	13	8	2	19	15	4	-	12	24	-	4	14	32
	5%	3%	2%	5%	8% ^b	10%	8% ^{ab}	4% ⁱ	1%	-	5% ^{hi}	8% ^{ghi}	-	1%	4% ^m	11% ^{lmn}

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Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
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**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
A great deal of influence	5 *	1 3%b	- -	2 1%	1 1%	3 *	2 *
Some influence	143 12%	9 21%cd	81 17%cd	48 10%d	4 2%	96 14%f	25 7%
Not very much influence	466 40%	12 27%	211 46%ad	210 44%ad	32 19%	308 46%f	121 32%
No influence at all	496 43%	23 50%	166 36%	199 42%	107 61%bc	251 37%	202 54%e
SUMMARY CODES							
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	11 23%cd	81 17%cd	51 11%d	5 3%	99 15%f	26 7%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	35 77%	377 82%	409 86%	140 80%	559 83%	324 86%
Don't know	56 5%	- -	4 1%	16 3%b	30 17%abc	16 2%	25 7%e

**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
A great deal of influence	5 *	4 1%	1 *
Some influence	143 12%	78 21% ^b	23 5%
Not very much influence	466 40%	165 44% ^b	134 32%
No influence at all	496 43%	122 33%	249 60% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	83 22% ^b	23 6%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	287 77%	383 92% ^a
Don't know	56 5%	2 1%	9 2%

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**Q.14_02 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITY CAN CHANGE WAY AREA IS RUN (Q.13)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	657	197
Weighted Base	1166	655	209
Effective Base	1043	588	180
A great deal of influence	5 *	4 1%	1 *
Some influence	143 12%	118 18%b	2 1%
Not very much influence	466 40%	292 45%b	70 34%
No influence at all	496 43%	238 36%	136 65%a
SUMMARY CODES			
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	148 13%	123 19%b	2 1%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	962 82%	530 81%	206 99%a
Don't know	56 5%	2 *	1 *

Q.14 Summary table: How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...

Base: All aged 18 or above

	your local area	the country as a whole
Unweighted Base	1163	1163
Weighted Base	1166	1166
Effective Base	1043	1043
A great deal of influence	20 2%	5 *
Some influence	254 22%	143 12%
Not very much influence	458 39%	466 40%
No influence at all	376 32%	496 43%
SUMMARY CODES		
A GREAT DEAL / SOME	274 24%	148 13%
NOT VERY MUCH / NONE	834 72%	962 82%
Don't know	58 5%	56 5%

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**Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Very involved	58 5%	37 7% ^b	21 4%	13 8% ^h	12 5%	9 5%	15 9% ^{ghi}	4 3%	2 1%	4 3%	5 3%	13 4%	11 5%	30 6%	19 3%	39 8% ⁿ
Fairly involved	386 33%	193 35%	193 32%	58 36% ^{hi}	89 40% ^{hi}	81 42% ^{fhi}	49 31% ⁱ	55 34% ⁱ	30 24%	23 16%	70 39% ^m	102 35%	76 36%	138 28%	234 35%	152 30%
Not very involved	390 33%	176 32%	214 35%	45 28%	67 31%	68 35%	49 31%	61 38%	48 38%	51 35%	63 35%	112 39% ^{lm}	63 29%	152 31%	230 35%	161 32%
Not at all involved	289 25%	134 24%	155 25%	41 26% ^e	44 20%	30 16%	38 24%	39 24%	37 29% ^e	59 41% ^{cdefg}	37 21%	52 18%	59 27% ^k	141 29% ^{jk}	158 24%	131 26%
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	230 41% ^b	215 35%	71 44% ^{hi}	101 46% ^{hi}	90 47% ^{hi}	64 40% ^{hi}	60 37% ^{hi}	32 25%	27 19%	75 42%	114 40%	87 41%	168 35%	253 38%	191 38%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	310 56%	370 61%	86 54%	111 51%	98 51%	88 55%	101 62% ^d	85 67% ^{cde}	110 76% ^{cdefg}	100 56%	165 57%	122 57%	293 60%	388 58%	292 58%
Don't know	42 4%	17 3%	25 4%	4 2%	8 4%	4 2%	7 4%	2 1%	11 8% ^{ceg}	7 5%	3 2%	10 3%	6 3%	24 5%	24 4%	19 4%

Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...

your local area

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		POPULATION DENSITY		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Semi-rural (g)	Urban (h)	Rural (i)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298	335	300	528
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293	322	336	508
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265	297	281	467
Very involved	58 5%	35 6% ^b	24 4%	19 5%	39 5%	41 5%	17 6%	16 5%	25 7% ^l	17 3%
Fairly involved	386 33%	215 40% ^b	171 27%	152 41% ^d	234 29%	323 37% ^f	63 21%	109 34%	105 31%	172 34%
Not very involved	390 33%	177 33%	214 34%	118 32%	272 34%	305 35%	86 29%	116 36%	115 34%	160 31%
Not at all involved	289 25%	90 17%	199 31% ^a	74 20%	215 27% ^c	181 21%	108 37% ^e	70 22%	76 23%	143 28%
SUMMARY CODES										
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	250 47% ^b	195 31%	171 46% ^d	273 34%	365 42% ^f	80 27%	125 39%	130 39%	189 37%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	267 50%	413 65% ^a	193 52%	487 61% ^c	486 56%	194 66% ^e	186 58%	191 57%	303 60%
Don't know	42 4%	17 3%	25 4%	7 2%	35 4%	23 3%	19 7% ^e	11 3%	15 5%	16 3%

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* small base

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**Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
your local area**

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Very involved	58 5%	7 13%fhj	8 5%	7 6%	4 4%	7 6%	4 4%	5 4%	4 3%	7 7%	1 2%	5 4%	49 5%	8 7%
Fairly involved	386 33%	14 26%	50 31% ^c	21 19%	30 34% ^c	51 41% ^c	45 42% ^c	36 32% ^c	46 32% ^c	33 33% ^c	28 47% ^{abcghk}	32 31% ^c	351 33%	35 31%
Not very involved	390 33%	18 33%	42 26%	38 33%	40 46% ^{bfijk}	43 35%	32 30%	51 46% ^{bfijk}	52 36%	27 26%	16 28%	31 31%	341 33%	49 43% ^l
Not at all involved	289 25%	8 14%	58 37% ^{adefgj}	45 39% ^{adefghjk}	11 12%	23 19%	23 21%	14 13%	38 26% ^{dg}	28 28% ^{dg}	14 23% ^g	28 27% ^{dg}	272 26% ^m	17 15%
SUMMARY CODES														
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	21 39%	58 36%	28 25%	34 39%	58 47% ^c	49 45% ^c	41 36%	51 35%	40 40% ^c	29 49% ^{chk}	37 36%	400 38%	43 38%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	26 48%	100 63%	82 73% ^{aefgijk}	51 58%	66 53%	55 51%	65 59%	90 62%	55 54%	30 51%	59 58%	613 59%	66 58%
Don't know	42 4%	7 13% ^{bcdefhj}	2 1%	3 3%	3 3%	- -	4 4%	6 5% ^{ej}	5 4%	6 6% ^{bej}	- -	7 7% ^{bej}	35 3%	5 4%

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Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...

your local area

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Very involved	58 5%	7 3%	20 6%f	20 7%f	6 6%	- -	6 2%	23 6%	18 7%k	24 10%k	17 7%k	9 3%	17 17% <i>mno</i>	22 6%	11 3%	8 3%
Fairly involved	386 33%	82 40%f	135 43% <i>cdf</i>	93 34%f	31 29%f	9 39%	35 14%	137 35%	91 34%	105 44% <i>ghjk</i>	75 31%	85 28%	46 48% <i>no</i>	183 46% <i>no</i>	106 28% <i>o</i>	51 18%
Not very involved	390 33%	81 39% <i>c</i>	101 33%	77 28%	38 36%	9 36%	84 34%	122 31%	98 37%	81 34%	75 31%	107 35%	23 24%	137 34% <i>o</i>	168 44% <i>lmo</i>	62 22%
Not at all involved	289 25%	27 13%	48 15%	74 27% <i>ab</i>	27 25% <i>ab</i>	5 21%	109 44% <i>abcd</i>	101 25% <i>i</i>	54 20% <i>i</i>	24 10%	67 28% <i>i</i>	92 30% <i>hi</i>	8 8%	50 13%	84 22% <i>lm</i>	144 51% <i>lmn</i>
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	89 43% <i>f</i>	155 50% <i>cdf</i>	113 41% <i>f</i>	37 35% <i>f</i>	9 39%	41 17%	159 40% <i>k</i>	108 41% <i>k</i>	129 54% <i>ghjk</i>	92 38%	93 31%	63 65% <i>mno</i>	205 51% <i>no</i>	118 31% <i>o</i>	58 21%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	108 52%	149 48%	151 55%	65 61% <i>b</i>	14 56%	193 79% <i>abcd</i>	222 56% <i>i</i>	152 57% <i>i</i>	105 44%	142 59% <i>i</i>	199 65% <i>ghi</i>	31 32%	188 47% <i>l</i>	252 66% <i>lm</i>	206 73% <i>lm</i>
Don't know	42 4%	9 4%	7 2%	9 3%	4 4%	1 5%	11 5%	13 3%	7 3%	6 2%	5 2%	12 4%	3 3%	8 2%	10 3%	17 6% <i>mn</i>

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**Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Very involved	58 5%	9 21%bcd	30 6%c	13 3%	6 4%	37 5%	21 5%
Fairly involved	386 33%	17 37%cd	195 42%cd	151 32%d	23 13%	249 37%f	105 28%
Not very involved	390 33%	12 26%	167 36%d	180 38%d	32 18%	235 35%f	107 29%
Not at all involved	289 25%	7 16%	61 13%	119 25%b	101 58%abc	137 20%	129 34%e
SUMMARY CODES							
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	26 58%cd	224 49%cd	164 34%d	29 17%	286 42%f	126 34%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	19 42%	228 49%	298 63%ab	133 76%abc	372 55%	236 63%e
Don't know	42 4%	-	10 2%	14 3%	12 7%bc	16 2%	14 4%

Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...

your local area

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
Very involved	58 5%	32 9% ^b	15 4%
Fairly involved	386 33%	158 42% ^b	120 29%
Not very involved	390 33%	121 33%	127 31%
Not at all involved	289 25%	56 15%	143 34% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	190 51% ^b	135 33%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	177 48%	270 65% ^a
Don't know	42 4%	6 2%	11 3%

**Q.15_01 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
your local area**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITY CAN CHANGE WAY AREA IS RUN (Q.13)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	657	197
Weighted Base	1166	655	209
Effective Base	1043	588	180
Very involved	58 5%	42 6%	10 5%
Fairly involved	386 33%	276 42% ^b	47 22%
Not very involved	390 33%	219 33%	62 30%
Not at all involved	289 25%	111 17%	85 41% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	318 49% ^b	56 27%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	330 50%	147 71% ^a
Don't know	42 4%	7 1%	5 2%

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**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd/ (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Very involved	70 6%	39 7%	31 5%	18 11% ^{eghi}	13 6% ^h	9 5% ^h	18 12% ^{eghi}	6 3%	1 *	4 3%	9 5%	9 3%	12 6%	39 8% ^k	26 4%	43 9% ⁿ
Fairly involved	317 27%	165 30%	153 25%	44 28% ⁱ	78 35% ^{hi}	63 33% ^{hi}	40 25% ⁱ	47 29% ⁱ	26 20%	20 14%	61 34% ^m	90 31% ^m	55 26%	111 23%	194 29%	123 25%
Not very involved	395 34%	185 33%	211 35%	49 31%	66 30%	76 40%	47 30%	59 36%	46 36%	53 36%	61 34%	118 41% ^m	72 33%	145 30%	231 35%	164 33%
Not at all involved	344 30%	154 28%	190 31%	47 29% ^e	56 26%	37 19%	47 30% ^e	48 30% ^e	47 36% ^{de}	62 43% ^{cdefg}	43 24%	63 22%	71 33% ^k	167 34% ^{jk}	190 29%	154 31%
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	203 37% ^b	184 30%	63 39% ^{hi}	91 41% ^{hi}	72 38% ^{hi}	58 37% ^{hi}	52 32% ^{hi}	26 21%	24 17%	70 40% ^m	100 35%	67 31%	150 31%	220 33%	167 33%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	339 61%	401 66%	96 60%	122 56%	113 59%	94 60%	107 66%	92 72% ^{cdef}	115 80% ^{cdefg}	104 58%	181 63%	143 67%	312 64%	422 63%	318 63%
Don't know	40 3%	15 3%	25 4%	2 2%	7 3%	6 3%	6 4%	3 2%	10 7% ^{cg}	6 4%	4 2%	8 3%	4 2%	23 5%	23 3%	17 3%

**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		POPULATION DENSITY		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Semi-rural (g)	Urban (h)	Rural (i)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298	335	300	528
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293	322	336	508
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265	297	281	467
Very involved	70 6%	33 6%	37 6%	26 7%	44 6%	54 6%	16 5%	16 5%	25 8%	28 5%
Fairly involved	317 27%	181 34%b	136 22%	120 32% ^d	198 25%	268 31% ^f	49 17%	93 29%	95 28%	129 25%
Not very involved	395 34%	189 35%	207 33%	126 34%	270 34%	310 36%	85 29%	120 37%	113 34%	163 32%
Not at all involved	344 30%	115 22%	229 36% ^a	90 24%	254 32% ^c	220 25%	124 42% ^e	82 26%	87 26%	175 34% ^{gh}
SUMMARY CODES										
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	214 40% ^b	173 27%	146 39% ^d	241 30%	322 37% ^f	65 22%	109 34%	121 36%	157 31%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	304 57%	436 69% ^a	216 58%	524 66% ^c	530 61%	209 72% ^e	202 63%	200 59%	338 66%
Don't know	40 3%	16 3%	24 4%	10 3%	30 4%	21 2%	18 6% ^e	10 3%	16 5%	14 3%

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**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Very involved	70 6%	3 5%	8 5%	7 6%	8 9%	8 6%	10 9%h	5 4%	4 3%	10 9%h	3 5%	6 6%	61 6%	8 7%
Fairly involved	317 27%	17 31%	39 25%	20 18%	24 27%	44 35%ck	29 27%	30 27%	49 34%ck	24 24%	19 32%c	23 22%	285 27%	32 29%
Not very involved	395 34%	15 29%	45 28%	38 34%	40 46%bfjk	48 38%	31 28%	54 49%abcfhij k	48 33%	32 31%	16 27%	29 28%	350 33%	45 40%
Not at all involved	344 30%	12 23%	66 41%adegh	46 40%adegh	13 15%	25 20%	36 34%deg	16 15%	40 28%g	32 31%dg	21 36%deg	36 35%deg	321 31%m	23 20%
SUMMARY CODES														
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	19 36%	47 29%	27 24%	31 36%	51 42%ck	39 36%	35 31%	53 36%	34 33%	22 37%	29 28%	345 33%	40 35%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	28 51%	110 69%a	84 74%aeh	54 61%	72 58%	67 62%	70 63%	88 60%	64 63%	37 62%	65 64%	671 64%	68 60%
Don't know	40 3%	7 13%bcdefhj	2 1%	2 2%	3 3%	-	3 2%	6 6%be	5 4%	4 4%	1 1%	8 8%bcej	32 3%	5 5%

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**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)	
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Very involved	70 6%	10 5%	25 8%f	20 7%	7 6%	- -	8 3%	24 6%	21 8%	26 11%gk	14 6%	14 5%	17 18% mno	28 7% o	16 4%	8 3%
Fairly involved	317 27%	83 40%cdf	107 35%cdf	70 26%f	24 22%f	7 31%	26 11%	112 28%	83 31%k	85 36%jk	57 24%	69 23%	50 51% mno	153 38% no	79 21% o	35 13%
Not very involved	395 34%	67 33%	113 36%	94 34%	37 34%	11 44%	74 30%	126 32%	94 35%	87 36%	81 34%	103 34%	20 21%	151 38% lo	168 44% lo	56 20%
Not at all involved	344 30%	38 18%	59 19%	83 30%ab	34 32%ab	5 21%	126 51%abcd	120 30%i	64 24%i	38 16%	79 33%hi	107 35%hi	8 8%	61 15%	107 28%lm	166 59%lmn
SUMMARY CODES																
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	93 45%cdf	133 43%cdf	90 33%f	30 28%f	7 31%	34 14%	136 34%	104 39%jk	111 46%gjk	71 30%	83 27%	67 69% mno	182 45% no	96 25% o	43 15%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	104 51%	172 55%	177 65%ab	70 66%a	16 64%	200 81%abcd	246 62%i	158 59%	125 52%	161 67%i	210 69%hi	28 29%	211 53%l	275 73%lm	222 79%lm
Don't know	40 3%	8 4%	6 2%	7 3%	6 6%	1 5%	11 5%	13 3%	4 2%	4 2%	8 3%	11 4%	2 2%	7 2%	9 2%	16 6%mn

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
* small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Very involved	70 6%	8 18%bcd	38 8%cd	19 4%	4 3%	48 7%	20 5%
Fairly involved	317 27%	16 36%d	168 36%cd	117 25%d	16 9%	198 29%	88 24%
Not very involved	395 34%	13 29%d	168 36%d	187 39%d	27 15%	243 36%f	106 28%
Not at all involved	344 30%	8 17%	82 18%	137 29%b	116 66%abc	167 25%	150 40%e
SUMMARY CODES							
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	24 54%cd	206 45%cd	136 29%d	21 12%	246 37%f	108 29%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	21 46%	250 54%	325 68%ab	143 82%abc	411 61%	256 68%e
Don't know	40 3%	-	6 1%	15 3%	12 7%b	16 2%	11 3%

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**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	395	381
Weighted Base	1166	372	415
Effective Base	1043	348	352
Very involved	70 6%	45 12% ^b	18 4%
Fairly involved	317 27%	128 34% ^b	99 24%
Not very involved	395 34%	129 35%	124 30%
Not at all involved	344 30%	64 17%	169 41% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	173 46% ^b	117 28%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	193 52%	293 71% ^a
Don't know	40 3%	6 2%	5 1%

**Q.15_02 To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...
the country as a whole**
Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN LOCAL COMMUNITY CAN CHANGE WAY AREA IS RUN (Q.13)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1163	657	197
Weighted Base	1166	655	209
Effective Base	1043	588	180
Very involved	70 6%	53 8%	11 5%
Fairly involved	317 27%	216 33% ^b	48 23%
Not very involved	395 34%	237 36% ^b	54 26%
Not at all involved	344 30%	140 21%	95 46% ^a
SUMMARY CODES			
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	387 33%	270 41% ^b	59 28%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	740 63%	377 58%	149 72% ^a
Don't know	40 3%	8 1%	1 *

Q.15 Summary table: To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...

Base: All aged 18 or above

	your local area	the country as a whole
Unweighted Base	1163	1163
Weighted Base	1166	1166
Effective Base	1043	1043
Very involved	58 5%	70 6%
Fairly involved	386 33%	317 27%
Not very involved	390 33%	395 34%
Not at all involved	289 25%	344 30%
SUMMARY CODES		
VERY/FAIRLY INVOLVED	444 38%	387 33%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INVOLVED	679 58%	740 63%
Don't know	42 4%	40 3%

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
Strongly agree	387 33%	209 38% ^b	178 29%	37 23%	46 21%	67 35% ^{cd}	52 33% ^d	68 42% ^{cd}	61 48% ^{cdef}	56 39% ^{cd}	50 28%	86 30%	80 37%	170 35%	241 36% ^o	146 29%
Partly agree	452 39%	208 37%	244 40%	78 49% ^{efghi}	100 45% ^{ghi}	72 38%	66 42% ^h	54 33%	36 28%	45 32%	77 43%	135 47% ^{lm}	73 34%	168 35%	247 37%	205 41%
Partly disagree	87 7%	48 9%	39 6%	7 5%	19 9%	10 5%	13 8%	14 9%	11 9%	12 8%	21 12% ^m	21 7%	18 8%	27 6%	50 7%	37 7%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	21 4%	17 3%	1 1%	6 3%	5 3%	9 6% ^{ch}	10 6% ^{ch}	1 *	5 4%	17 9% ^{klm}	8 3%	6 3%	7 1%	27 4%	10 2%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	839 72%	418 75% ^b	421 69%	115 72%	146 66%	139 72%	118 75%	122 75%	97 76%	102 70%	128 72%	221 76%	153 71%	338 70%	488 73%	351 70%
DISAGREE	125 11%	69 12%	55 9%	9 5%	26 12% ^c	15 8%	22 14% ^c	24 15% ^c	12 9%	17 12%	37 21% ^{klm}	30 10%	23 11%	34 7%	77 12%	48 9%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	26 5%	58 10% ^a	24 15% ^{efghi}	21 9% ^g	13 7%	8 5%	5 3%	6 5%	9 6%	6 4%	13 4%	11 5%	54 11% ^{ijkl}	43 6%	42 8%
Don't know	118 10%	43 8%	74 12% ^a	14 8%	28 13%	24 13%	10 7%	11 7%	13 10%	17 12%	7 4%	25 9%	27 13% ^j	58 12% ^j	57 9%	61 12%

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
Strongly agree	387 33%	166 31%	221 35%	106 28%	281 35% ^c	282 32%	105 36%
Partly agree	452 39%	229 43% ^b	223 35%	151 41%	301 38%	364 42% ^f	88 30%
Partly disagree	87 7%	41 8%	46 7%	22 6%	65 8%	69 8%	18 6%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	18 3%	19 3%	12 3%	26 3%	27 3%	11 4%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	839 72%	395 74%	444 70%	257 69%	582 73%	646 74% ^f	193 66%
DISAGREE	125 11%	59 11%	65 10%	33 9%	91 12%	96 11%	29 10%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	36 7%	49 8%	38 10% ^d	46 6%	59 7%	26 9%
Don't know	118 10%	43 8%	74 12%	43 11%	75 9%	74 8%	44 15% ^e

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
Strongly agree	387 33%	21 38%g	52 33%g	47 41%dg	21 24%	36 29%	39 36%g	20 18%	45 31%g	39 38%g	26 45%degh	40 40%dg	362 35%lm	23 21%
Partly agree	452 39%	22 41%	55 35%	33 29%	32 36%	63 51%bcjk	47 44%ck	47 42%ck	63 44%ck	42 41%k	20 35%	28 27%	403 38%	49 43%
Partly disagree	87 7%	3 5%	17 10%i	5 5%	5 6%	12 10%i	6 5%	14 12%ci	9 7%	3 3%	6 10%i	8 8%	77 7%	10 9%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	-	8 5%k	3 2%	4 4%	4 3%	4 4%	2 2%	8 5%k	4 4%	1 2%	1 1%	36 3%	1 1%
SUMMARY CODES														
AGREE	839 72%	42 79%dg	107 67%	79 70%	53 60%	100 80%bdgk	86 80%dgk	68 61%	108 74%dg	81 79%dgk	47 80%bdgk	68 67%	766 73%lm	72 63%
DISAGREE	125 11%	3 5%	24 15%	8 7%	9 10%	16 13%	10 9%	16 14%	17 12%	6 6%	7 12%	9 8%	113 11%	11 10%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	1 2%	13 8%e	15 13%aefhij	8 9%e	2 2%	4 4%	19 17%abefhij	6 4%	4 4%	2 3%	12 11%efhij	62 6%	20 18%l
Don't know	118 10%	8 14%	15 9%	11 10%	18 21%befghj	6 5%	8 7%	10 9%	15 10%	11 11%	3 5%	14 13%ej	107 10%	10 9%

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
Strongly agree	387 33%	57 28%	96 31%	92 34%	40 37%	10 41%	92 38%a	135 34%	113 42%egijk	69 29%	79 33%	89 29%	44 45%no	155 39%no	118 31%	69 25%
Partly agree	452 39%	90 44%f	141 45%df	108 40%f	34 32%	9 39%	69 28%	162 41%k	109 41%	115 48%k	102 42%k	100 33%	28 29%	187 47%lo	161 42%lo	76 27%
Partly disagree	87 7%	27 13%cf	24 8%	19 7%	6 6%	- 5%	11 4%	23 6%	18 7%	30 13%ghk	19 8%	18 6%	11 11%	25 6%	33 9%	17 6%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	12 6%b	7 2%	11 4%	1 1%	- -	6 3%	8 2%	9 3%	17 7%gj	4 2%	10 3%	12 12%mo	8 2%	8 2%	10 3%
SUMMARY CODES																
AGREE	839 72%	147 72%	238 76%f	200 73%	74 69%	19 80%	161 66%	297 75%k	222 83%gk	185 77%k	181 76%k	189 62%	72 74%o	342 85%lo	279 73%o	146 52%
DISAGREE	125 11%	39 19%bcdf	31 10%	30 11%	8 7%	- -	18 7%	31 8%	27 10%	47 20%ghjk	23 10%	28 9%	23 23%mo	33 8%	41 11%	27 9%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	10 5%	14 5%	17 6%	14 13%abc	3 12%	27 11%ab	28 7%hi	5 2%	2 1%	14 6%hi	41 13%ghij	1 1%	8 2%	20 5%lm	54 19%lmn
Don't know	118 10%	10 5%	29 9%	27 10%	11 11%	2 8%	40 16%abc	39 10%hi	13 5%	5 2%	21 9%i	46 15%ghij	1 1%	18 4%	39 10%lm	55 20%lmn

Fieldwork : 07/12/2011 - 11/12/2011 (Week 49) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB
 Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n/o
 * small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
Strongly agree	387 33%	22 48%cd	182 39%cd	149 31%d	34 19%	261 39%f	95 25%
Partly agree	452 39%	9 21%	187 40%ad	207 44%ad	48 27%	271 40%	140 37%
Partly disagree	87 7%	6 12%d	39 8%	34 7%	7 4%	50 7%	29 8%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	7 16%bcd	13 3%	10 2%	8 5%	23 3%	9 2%
SUMMARY CODES							
AGREE	839 72%	31 69%d	369 80%d	356 75%d	82 47%	531 79%f	235 63%
DISAGREE	125 11%	13 28%bcd	52 11%	44 9%	15 9%	73 11%	37 10%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	1 3%	14 3%	25 5%	44 25%abc	26 4%	47 12%e
Don't know	118 10%	-	27 6%	51 11%ab	34 19%abc	43 6%	56 15%e

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
Strongly agree	387 33%	135 35%	112 33%	139 32%	224 40%eg	45 24%	284 38%eg	90 25%
Partly agree	452 39%	146 38%	125 37%	179 41%	208 37%e	54 29%	303 40%e	135 38%
Partly disagree	87 7%	16 4%	30 9%a	41 9%a	47 8%	11 6%	62 8%	23 6%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	13 3%	14 4%	10 2%	23 4%	9 5%	26 3%	10 3%
SUMMARY CODES								
AGREE	839 72%	280 73%	237 70%	319 73%	432 78%eg	99 53%	587 78%eg	225 63%e
DISAGREE	125 11%	29 8%	44 13%a	51 12%	70 13%	20 11%	88 12%	33 9%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	28 7%	26 8%	29 7%	19 3%	29 16%df	31 4%	41 12%df
Don't know	118 10%	46 12%	31 9%	40 9%	34 6%	38 20%df	47 6%	56 16%df

Audit of Political Engagement 9 Omnibus Survey: December 2011 (QS231618 - 640149)**Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today****Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Did not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	191	300	98	77	382
Weighted Base	1166	219	285	108*	61*	375
Effective Base	1043	181	265	91	66	340
Strongly agree	387 33%	90 41%e	107 38%e	36 33%	28 46%e	95 25%
Partly agree	452 39%	92 42%d	111 39%	51 48%d	16 27%	140 37%
Partly disagree	87 7%	14 6%	21 7%	8 8%	7 11%	29 8%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	8 4%	8 3%	4 4%	3 4%	9 2%
SUMMARY CODES						
AGREE	839 72%	181 83%e	218 77%e	87 81%e	44 73%	235 63%
DISAGREE	125 11%	22 10%	30 10%	12 11%	9 15%	37 10%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	4 2%	18 6%ac	1 1%	2 3%	47 12%abcd
Don't know	118 10%	11 5%	19 7%	7 7%	6 9%	56 15%abc

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base	1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base	1043	171	342	58	83	210
Strongly agree	387 33%	73 35%	120 33%	20 29%	42 48%abce	62 26%
Partly agree	452 39%	93 45%de	150 41%	37 53%de	26 30%	81 34%
Partly disagree	87 7%	17 8%	29 8%	6 8%	6 7%	16 7%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	11 5%d	10 3%	-	-	10 4%
SUMMARY CODES						
AGREE	839 72%	166 80%e	269 74%e	57 82%e	68 78%e	143 60%
DISAGREE	125 11%	28 13%	40 11%	6 8%	6 7%	26 11%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	4 2%	25 7%ac	-	4 5%	33 14%abcd
Don't know	118 10%	8 4%	29 8%	7 10%	8 9%	37 15%ab

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Q.26 To what extent do you agree or disagree: Important questions should be determined by referendums more often than today

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN (Q.8)			
		Works extremely well (a)	Mainly works well (b)	Could be improved quite a lot (c)	Needs great deal of improvement (d)
Unweighted Base	1163	18	247	476	302
Weighted Base	1166	18**	259	473	305
Effective Base	1043	16	225	426	271
Strongly agree	387 33%	12 68%	62 24%	163 34%b	139 46%bc
Partly agree	452 39%	4 22%	132 51%d	213 45%d	81 27%
Partly disagree	87 7%	-	32 12%d	36 8%	16 5%
Strongly disagree	38 3%	1 7%	13 5%	11 2%	10 3%
SUMMARY CODES					
AGREE	839 72%	16 89%	194 75%	376 79%d	221 72%
DISAGREE	125 11%	1 7%	45 17%cd	47 10%	26 9%
Not sure what a referendum is	85 7%	1 3%	6 3%	19 4%	19 6%
Don't know	118 10%	-	14 5%	31 6%	39 13%bc

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d

** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	557	606	171	224	195	159	153	126	135	167	278	206	512	647	516
Weighted Base	1166	557	609	161	220	191	158	163	128	144	178	289	214	485	665	501
Effective Base	1043	499	544	151	200	173	142	140	114	124	153	253	187	450	585	458
No, did not vote	375	175	200	99	101	66	43	32	15	19	26	94	77	178	180	196
	32%	31%	33%	61%defghi	46%efghi	35%ghi	27%hi	20%	11%	13%	14%	33%j	36%j	37%j	27%	39% ⁿ
Labour	285	144	141	23	42	47	46	45	38	46	34	57	56	139	166	119
	24%	26%	23%	14%	19%	24% ^c	29% ^{cd}	27% ^c	29% ^{cd}	32% ^{cd}	19%	20%	26%	29% ^{ijk}	25%	24%
Conservative	219	108	111	18	27	32	21	43	34	45	66	60	31	63	149	70
	19%	19%	18%	11%	12%	17%	13%	26% ^{cdef}	27% ^{cdef}	31% ^{cdef}	37% ^{klm}	21% ^m	14%	13%	22% ^o	14%
Liberal Democrat	108	44	63	12	18	19	18	15	14	11	22	29	25	32	65	42
	9%	8%	10%	7%	8%	10%	11%	9%	11%	7%	12% ^m	10%	12% ^m	7%	10%	8%
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	10	8	1	2	3	6	3	2	2	1	2	2	13	6	12
	2%	2%	1%	*	1%	2%	4% ^c	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%
BNP (British National Party)	12	6	5	1	-	3	3	5	-	-	-	3	1	8	9	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	3% ^{di}	-	-	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	5	2	-	1	-	1	3	-	1	1	1	-	4	1	6
	1%	1%	*	-	1%	-	1%	2%	-	1%	1%	*	-	1%	*	1%
Green Party	5	3	2	-	-	2	-	1	2	-	2	1	1	-	2	3
	*	1%	*	-	-	1%	-	*	1%	-	1% ^m	*	1%	-	*	1%
Plaid Cymru	5	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	1	1	2	3	2
	*	1%	*	-	-	-	*	-	2% ^{de}	1%	1%	*	1%	*	*	*
Other	14	5	9	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	5	4	2	3	9	5
	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	3% ^m	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Refused	118	52	66	4	24	17	19	16	19	19	20	36	19	43	74	44
	10%	9%	11%	3%	11% ^c	9% ^c	12% ^c	10% ^c	15% ^c	13% ^c	11%	12%	9%	9%	11%	9%

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	519	644	382	781	865	298
Weighted Base	1166	534	633	371	795	874	293
Effective Base	1043	469	573	339	704	777	265
No, did not vote	375 32%	182 34%	193 31%	152 41% ^d	223 28%	280 32%	95 33%
Labour	285 24%	123 23%	162 26%	91 24%	194 24%	199 23%	86 29% ^e
Conservative	219 19%	91 17%	128 20%	50 13%	170 21% ^c	163 19%	56 19%
Liberal Democrat	108 9%	59 11%	49 8%	30 8%	77 10%	86 10%	21 7%
SNP - Scottish National Party	19 2%	7 1%	12 2%	5 1%	14 2%	13 1%	6 2%
BNP (British National Party)	12 1%	6 1%	5 1%	5 1%	6 1%	9 1%	3 1%
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7 1%	3 *	4 1%	1 *	6 1%	6 1%	1 *
Green Party	5 *	4 1%	1 *	2 *	3 *	4 *	1 *
Plaid Cymru	5 *	1 *	4 1%	1 *	4 1%	2 *	3 1%
Other	14 1%	6 1%	8 1%	5 1%	9 1%	14 2% ^f	- -
Refused	118 10%	52 10%	66 10%	30 8%	88 11%	96 11%	22 7%

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1163	43	131	95	72	113	91	129	129	81	98	181	968	191
Weighted Base	1166	54*	159	114*	88*	124	108*	112	146	102*	59*	102	1048	114
Effective Base	1043	42	127	92	70	105	88	113	121	80	98	180	892	190
No, did not vote	375	22	58	33	31	33	38	34	41	35	11	40	330	46
	32%	42% ^j	36% ^j	29%	35% ^j	27%	35% ^j	30%	28%	34% ^j	18%	39% ^{ej}	31%	40% ^l
Labour	285	14	54	31	18	21	19	32	30	23	17	26	242	42
	24%	26%	34% ^{efh}	27%	21%	17%	18%	28%	20%	23%	30% ^e	26%	23%	36% ^l
Conservative	219	8	22	34	18	31	29	15	29	19	10	5	213	7
	19%	14% ^k	14% ^k	30% ^{bgk}	21% ^k	25% ^{bgk}	27% ^{bgk}	13% ^k	20% ^k	19% ^k	17% ^k	5%	20% ^m	6%
Liberal Democrat	108	5	6	6	8	15	12	14	15	15	5	6	103	4
	9%	10%	4%	6%	9%	12% ^b	11% ^b	12% ^{bk}	10%	14% ^{bk}	9%	6%	10% ^m	4%
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	18	*
	2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18% ^{abcdefg}	2%	*
BNP (British National Party)	12	-	3	-	3	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	12	-
	1%	-	2%	-	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	1	-	-	1	7	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	3% ^b	1%	-	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-
Green Party	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	3	1
	*	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	*	1%	2% ^b	1%	*	1%
Plaid Cymru	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8% ^{abcdef}	-	*	-
Other	14	-	1	1	-	-	-	3	6	-	4	-	14	1
	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	2%	4% ^{ek}	-	6% ^{bcdefi}	-	1%	1%
Refused	118	4	15	9	10	17	8	14	22	8	5	6	101	14
	10%	8%	10%	8%	12%	13% ^k	8%	12%	15% ^k	8%	9%	6%	10%	13%

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 * small base

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

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	Total	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Very (l)	Fairly (m)	Not very (n)	Not at all (o)
Unweighted Base	1163	208	308	265	115	27	240	406	252	239	247	300	99	401	375	280
Weighted Base	1166	205	311	273	107	24**	246	395	267	240	239	304	97*	400	379	281
Effective Base	1043	186	277	240	101	24	217	360	230	214	219	270	88	359	337	251
No, did not vote	375	54	107	96	41	4	73	136	50	46	78	135	9	72	120	172
	32%	27%	34%	35%	39%a	15%	30%	35%hi	19%	19%	32%hi	44%ghij	9%	18%l	32%lm	61%lmn
Labour	285	48	61	72	27	5	73	123	53	48	64	72	31	116	91	46
	24%	23%	19%	26%	25%	20%	30%b	31%hik	20%	20%	27%	24%	32%o	29%o	24%o	16%
Conservative	219	50	55	47	11	8	49	48	89	72	45	35	24	111	67	16
	19%	25%d	18%	17%	10%	32%	20%d	12%	33%gjk	30%gjk	19%gk	11%	25%o	28%no	18%o	6%
Liberal Democrat	108	22	43	20	6	2	15	39	25	32	23	21	14	43	39	12
	9%	11%	14%cdf	7%	6%	10%	6%	10%	9%	13%k	10%	7%	14%o	11%o	10%o	4%
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	2	4	5	5	-	3	13	4	3	4	1	3	8	7	1
	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%a	-	1%	3%k	2%	1%	2%	*	3%o	2%o	2%	*
BNP (British National Party)	12	1	4	3	-	1	3	5	4	-	4	5	1	1	5	4
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	5%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	2%	1%	*	1%	1%
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	1	3	-	2	-	1	1	3	3	2	1	3	4	-	-
	1%	1%	1%	-	2%c	-	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	*	3%no	1%	-	-
Green Party	5	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	1	2	1	1	1
	*	1%	1%	*	-	-	-	-	*	2%g	*	*	2%	*	*	*
Plaid Cymru	5	1	1	1	1	-	2	1	1	-	3	1	1	2	2	-
	*	*	*	*	1%	-	1%	*	*	-	1%	*	1%	*	1%	-
Other	14	6	5	3	-	-	-	1	2	7	1	5	1	5	6	2
	1%	3%f	2%	1%	-	-	-	*	1%	3%gj	*	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Refused	118	17	27	27	15	4	27	28	34	24	16	27	8	36	41	27
	10%	9%	9%	10%	14%	18%	11%	7%	13%gj	10%	7%	9%	8%	9%	11%	10%

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1163	46	457	475	178	666	382
Weighted Base	1166	45*	462	476	175	673	375
Effective Base	1043	41	411	426	158	599	340
No, did not vote	375	5	86	169	114	-	375
	32%	11%	19%	35%ab	65%abc	-	100%e
Labour	285	14	132	114	25	285	-
	24%	31%d	29%d	24%d	14%	42%f	-
Conservative	219	10	118	78	12	219	-
	19%	23%d	25%cd	16%d	7%	33%f	-
Liberal Democrat	108	6	55	43	4	108	-
	9%	14%d	12%d	9%d	2%	16%f	-
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	2	9	7	1	19	-
	2%	4%	2%	2%	*	3%f	-
BNP (British National Party)	12	-	4	6	1	12	-
	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	2%f	-
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	-	4	3	-	7	-
	1%	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-
Green Party	5	1	3	-	1	5	-
	*	3%c	1%	-	*	1%	-
Plaid Cymru	5	-	3	1	1	5	-
	*	-	1%	*	*	1%	-
Other	14	1	6	5	2	14	-
	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%f	-
Refused	118	6	44	48	14	-	-
	10%	13%	10%	10%	8%	-	-

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* small base

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1163	359	337	460	554	189	761	348
Weighted Base	1166	384	338	439	555	186	753	355
Effective Base	1043	330	302	406	497	168	679	313
No, did not vote	375	126	109	138	37	159	89	256
	32%	33%	32%	31%	7%	86%dfg	12%d	72%df
Labour	285	88	97	100	196	10	254	27
	24%	23%	29%	23%	35%eg	5%	34%eg	8%
Conservative	219	81	53	86	162	1	199	19
	19%	21%	16%	20%	29%eg	1%	26%eg	5%e
Liberal Democrat	108	39	19	49	64	3	87	19
	9%	10%b	6%	11%b	12%eg	1%	12%eg	5%e
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	6	3	10	17	-	18	*
	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%eg	-	2%eg	*
BNP (British National Party)	12	5	3	4	5	1	10	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	1	2	4	6	-	6	1
	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	*
Green Party	5	3	1	1	4	-	5	-
	*	1%	*	*	1%	-	1%	-
Plaid Cymru	5	1	2	1	2	-	5	-
	*	*	1%	*	*	-	1%	-
Other	14	2	9	4	7	1	11	2
	1%	*	3%a	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Refused	118	32	41	43	55	10	68	28
	10%	8%	12%	10%	10%	6%	9%	8%

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Q.27 How voted in the last General Election held on 6th May 2010

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)				
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)
Unweighted Base	1163	181	389	62	95	233
Weighted Base	1166	206	362	70*	87*	238
Effective Base	1043	171	342	58	83	210
No, did not vote	375	20	73	12	19	187
	32%	10%	20%a	17%	22%a	78%abcd
Labour	285	4	247	1	7	14
	24%	2%	68%acde	2%	8%a	6%
Conservative	219	170	8	1	11	10
	19%	83%bcde	2%	1%	12%bce	4%
Liberal Democrat	108	8	21	55	9	5
	9%	4%	6%e	79%abde	10%e	2%
SNP - Scottish National Party	19	1	1	1	15	1
	2%	*	*	1%	17%abce	*
BNP (British National Party)	12	-	-	-	8	1
	1%	-	-	-	9%abce	1%
UKIP (United Kingdom Independence Party)	7	-	2	-	4	1
	1%	-	1%	-	4%abe	1%
Green Party	5	1	-	-	3	-
	*	*	-	-	4%abe	-
Plaid Cymru	5	-	1	-	3	-
	*	-	*	-	3%abe	-
Other	14	-	3	-	1	2
	1%	-	1%	-	1%	1%
Refused	118	2	8	-	8	16
	10%	1%	2%	-	9%abc	7%abc

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Q.4A Which, if any, of the things on this list have you done in the LAST TWO TO THREE YEARS.

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1235	601	634	144	223	195	206	187	169	111	234	325	229	447	692	543
Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	345 58%	335 52%	38 28%	88 42% ^c	89 47% ^c	128 62% ^{cde}	131 67% ^{cde}	122 67% ^{cde}	84 71% ^{cde}	174 70% ^{klm}	193 59% ^{lm}	108 47%	205 48%	420 60% ^o	260 49%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	107 18%	98 15%	22 16%	40 19% ⁱ	25 13%	38 18% ⁱ	41 21% ⁱ	28 16%	11 9%	51 21% ^m	62 19% ^m	37 16%	55 13%	127 18%	78 15%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	77 13%	106 17%	22 16%	35 17%	24 13%	36 18% ⁱ	31 16%	24 13%	11 9%	51 21% ^{lm}	54 16%	29 12%	50 11%	112 16%	71 13%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	85 14%	71 11%	7 5%	13 6%	22 12%	22 11%	35 18% ^{cd}	45 25% ^{cdefi}	13 11%	53 21% ^{klm}	31 9%	26 11%	47 11%	99 14%	58 11%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	72 12%	58 9%	11 8%	18 8%	14 8%	32 15% ^{dei}	27 14% ⁱ	22 12%	7 6%	41 17% ^{lm}	36 11%	18 8%	34 8%	83 12%	47 9%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	62 10% ^b	37 6%	4 3%	7 3%	9 5%	22 11% ^{cde}	31 16% ^{cdei}	17 9% ^{cd}	8 6%	45 18% ^{klm}	26 8% ^m	14 6%	14 3%	69 10% ^o	30 6%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	58 10% ^b	38 6%	6 5%	19 9% ⁱ	14 8%	16 8%	21 11% ⁱ	15 8%	3 3%	38 15% ^{lm}	35 11% ^{lm}	8 4%	15 3%	62 9%	34 6%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	27 5% ^b	14 2%	4 3%	5 2%	4 2%	4 2%	10 5%	9 5%	4 3%	17 7% ^{klm}	9 3%	6 2%	9 2%	30 4%	11 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	17 3%	13 2%	1 1%	2 1%	3 2%	7 3%	6 3%	9 5% ^d	2 2%	11 4% ^m	9 3% ^m	7 3% ^m	3 1%	19 3%	11 2%
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	11 2%	9 1%	1 1%	2 1%	6 3% ^f	-	8 4% ^{fi}	4 2% ^f	-	6 2%	8 2%	4 2%	3 1%	11 2%	9 2%
Stood for public office	11 1%	5 1%	6 1%	-	-	-	-	4 2% ^{df}	4 2% ^d	3 3% ^{def}	6 2% ^m	1 *	3 1%	2 *	6 1%	6 1%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
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Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
None of these	398	175	223	63	82	70	62	50	41	29	43	81	91	182	206	192
	32%	29%	35%	47% ^{fghi}	39% ^{ghi}	37% ^{ghi}	30%	26%	22%	24%	17%	25%	40% ^{ijk}	42% ^{ijk}	29%	36% ⁿ
Don't know	9	1	8	1	1	3	-	1	1	2	2	3	1	4	3	6
	1%	*	1% ^a	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	519	603	327	795	872	250
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	307 54%	373 56%	171 49%	509 57% ^c	532 55%	148 54%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	98 17%	107 16%	58 17%	147 17%	181 19% ^f	25 9%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	91 16%	92 14%	57 16%	126 14%	164 17% ^f	19 7%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	57 10%	100 15% ^a	37 11%	120 13%	135 14% ^f	22 8%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	63 11%	68 10%	36 10%	94 11%	118 12% ^f	12 5%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	45 8%	53 8%	24 7%	75 8%	90 9% ^f	9 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	54 9%	42 6%	26 8%	70 8%	91 9% ^f	5 2%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	15 3%	26 4%	8 2%	33 4%	36 4%	4 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	15 3%	16 2%	7 2%	23 3%	27 3%	3 1%
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	12 2%	8 1%	3 1%	17 2%	21 2% ^f	- -
Stood for public office	11 1%	2 *	9 1%	- -	11 1% ^c	10 1%	1 *
None of these	398 32%	186 33%	212 32%	130 37% ^d	268 30%	298 31%	100 37%
Don't know	9 1%	2 *	7 1%	4 1%	5 1%	8 1%	1 *

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Q.4A Which, if any, of the things on this list have you done in the LAST TWO TO THREE YEARS.

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	24 46%	86 58%	73 72%abefghk	56 60%	59 50%	57 49%	72 48%	92 53%	67 59%	39 62%gk	55 49%	626 56%lm	53 44%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	4 8%	34 23%ag	21 21%g	16 18%	19 16%	15 13%	14 10%	29 17%	14 13%	18 28%aefgh i	20 18%g	190 17%	15 13%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	9 18%	18 12%	23 22%gk	16 17%	18 16%	19 17%g	12 8%	25 15%	19 17%g	10 15%	14 12%	171 15%lm	12 10%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	6 12%	22 15%g	18 17%g	14 15%g	11 9%	20 17%g	9 6%	22 13%g	14 12%	8 12%	13 12%	145 13%lm	9 7%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	6 12%	10 7%	11 11%	11 12%	13 11%	11 9%	13 9%	22 13%	8 7%	10 16%bi	15 13%	123 11%lm	7 6%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	3 5%	9 6%	11 11%	9 9%	9 8%	14 12%g	7 4%	16 10%	8 7%	4 6%	9 8%	96 9%lm	3 2%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	4 7%	17 11%	4 4%	4 4%	11 10%	10 9%	10 6%	15 9%	5 4%	5 9%	11 10%	90 8%	6 5%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	1 2%	6 4%	4 4%	3 3%	5 4%	3 2%	4 2%	8 5%	3 2%	1 2%	4 4%	39 4%	2 1%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	1 2%	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	3 2%	4 3%	3 2%	8 5%	3 2%	1 1%	3 3%	29 3%	1 1%
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	1 2%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	3 2%	4 3%	6 4%k	3 2%	- -	- -	19 2%	2 1%
Stood for public office	11 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	1 *	4 2%	- -	1 1%	- -	11 1%	1 *
None of these	398 32%	22 42%c	39 27%	19 19%	31 33%	49 43%bchj	38 33%c	60 40%bchj	49 29%	34 30%	16 25%	40 36%c	347 31%	48 40%l

Fieldwork : 11/01/2012 - 15/01/2012 (Week 02) Hansard Society/date/TNS-BMRB

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d/e/f/g/h/i/j/k - l/m

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GOVERNMENT REGION											ETHNICITY	
	North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Don't know	9	1	-	-	1	-	2	3	1	1	-	8	1
	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%

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Q.4A Which, if any, of the things on this list have you done in the LAST TWO TO THREE YEARS.

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	49 77%cd	343 68%cd	257 49%d	32 21%	605 77%f	22 6%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	30 47%bcd	109 22%cd	61 12%d	4 3%	174 22%f	21 6%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	20 31%cd	101 20%cd	55 10%d	7 5%	135 17%f	40 11%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	19 30%cd	106 21%cd	31 6%d	1 *	126 16%f	19 5%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	19 30%bcd	77 15%cd	31 6%	4 3%	100 13%f	21 6%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	14 23%bcd	64 13%cd	20 4%d	- -	78 10%f	10 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	17 27%bcd	58 12%cd	18 3%	3 2%	71 9%f	17 5%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	8 12%bcd	24 5%cd	8 1%	1 1%	34 4%f	4 1%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	13 20%bcd	16 3%cd	1 *	- -	28 3%f	2 1%
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	3 4%d	12 2%	6 1%	- -	15 2%	6 2%
Stood for public office	11 1%	4 7%bcd	3 1%	4 1%	- -	10 1%f	- -
None of these	398 32%	4 6%	91 18%a	203 39%ab	100 67%abc	120 15%	247 69%e

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Don't know 9	-	1	3	6	2	4
1%	-	*	1%	4%bc	*	1%e

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Q.4A Which, if any, of the things on this list have you done in the LAST TWO TO THREE YEARS.

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	210 60%b	158 51%	310 55%	506 78%efg	21 10%	615 73%eg	61 16%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	60 17%	45 14%	100 18%	150 23%eg	10 5%	184 22%eg	21 5%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	61 17%	39 13%	82 15%	119 18%eg	20 9%	144 17%eg	39 10%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	59 17%b	22 7%	76 13%b	122 19%eg	12 6%	137 16%eg	19 5%
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Don't know	9	3	2	5	1	5	1	7
	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	2%df	*	2%df

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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GENDER		AGE						SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
		Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/widwd/dvrcd/sprtd (o)
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Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	354 59%	342 53%	30 22%	91 43% ^c	91 49% ^c	124 60% ^{cde}	137 70% ^{cde}	143 79% ^{cdefi}	79 66% ^{cde}	178 72% ^{klm}	189 57% ^{lm}	120 52%	208 48%	446 63% ^o	249 47%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	345 58%	335 52%	38 28%	88 42% ^c	89 47% ^c	128 62% ^{cde}	131 67% ^{cde}	122 67% ^{cde}	84 71% ^{cde}	174 70% ^{klm}	193 59% ^{lm}	108 47%	205 48%	420 60% ^o	260 49%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	217 36%	242 38%	42 31%	66 31%	63 34%	88 43% ^{cd}	84 43% ^{cd}	71 39%	45 38%	132 53% ^{klm}	138 42% ^{lm}	71 31%	117 27%	277 39%	181 34%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	220 37%	217 34%	37 28%	67 31%	51 27%	84 41% ^{cei}	90 46% ^{cdei}	79 44% ^{cdei}	30 25%	137 55% ^{klm}	141 43% ^{lm}	67 29% ^m	91 21%	281 40% ^o	156 29%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	154 26%	174 27%	31 23%	63 30% ^h	51 27%	58 28%	63 32% ^h	37 20%	26 22%	99 40% ^{lm}	105 32% ^{lm}	44 19%	81 19%	206 29% ^o	122 23%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	125 21%	133 21%	40 30% ^{dei}	36 17%	31 17%	46 22%	40 20%	45 25%	20 17%	77 31% ^{klm}	74 22%	36 16%	72 17%	152 22%	105 20%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	107 18%	98 15%	22 16%	40 19% ⁱ	25 13%	38 18% ⁱ	41 21% ⁱ	28 16%	11 9%	51 21% ^m	62 19% ^m	37 16%	55 13%	127 18%	78 15%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	77 13%	106 17%	22 16%	35 17%	24 13%	36 18% ⁱ	31 16%	24 13%	11 9%	51 21% ^{lm}	54 16%	29 12%	50 11%	112 16%	71 13%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	85 14%	71 11%	7 5%	13 6%	22 12%	22 11%	35 18% ^{cd}	45 25% ^{cdefi}	13 11%	53 21% ^{klm}	31 9%	26 11%	47 11%	99 14%	58 11%
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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/widwd/dvrcd/sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1235	601	634	144	223	195	206	187	169	111	234	325	229	447	692	543
Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	63 11%	62 10%	7 6%	13 6%	19 10%	28 14%cd	29 15%cdi	20 11%	8 7%	42 17%m	37 11%m	24 11%m	23 5%	79 11%	47 9%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	62 10%b	37 6%	4 3%	7 3%	9 5%	22 11%cde	31 16%cd	17 9%cd	8 6%	45 18%klm	26 8%m	14 6%	14 3%	69 10%o	30 6%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	58 10%b	38 6%	6 5%	19 9%i	14 8%	16 8%	21 11%i	15 8%	3 3%	38 15%lm	35 11%lm	8 4%	15 3%	62 9%	34 6%
Voted in the last Welsh/London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	45 7%	40 6%	3 2%	6 3%	13 7%	21 10%cd	17 9%cd	16 9%cd	9 7%	20 8%	27 8%	15 7%	23 5%	56 8%	28 5%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	52 9%b	21 3%	14 10%hi	13 6%i	14 8%hi	10 5%	16 8%hi	5 3%	1 1%	26 11%lm	30 9%lm	8 3%	9 2%	43 6%	29 5%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	34 6%b	13 2%	5 4%	3 1%	5 3%	9 5%	13 6%d	5 3%	6 5%	20 8%km	11 3%	9 4%m	6 1%	29 4%	18 3%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	27 5%	17 3%	9 6%cd	3 1%	7 4%	9 5%	9 4%	4 2%	3 2%	17 7%lm	13 4%lm	8 4%	6 1%	24 3%	19 4%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	27 5%b	14 2%	4 3%	5 2%	4 2%	4 2%	10 5%	9 5%	4 3%	17 7%klm	9 3%	6 2%	9 2%	30 4%	11 2%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	20 3%	18 3%	1 *	4 2%	5 3%	9 5%c	6 3%	8 4%	5 4%	13 5%km	7 2%	11 5%lm	7 2%	24 3%	14 3%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	17 3%	13 2%	1 1%	2 1%	3 2%	7 3%	6 3%	9 5%d	2 2%	11 4%lm	9 3%lm	7 3%lm	3 1%	19 3%	11 2%
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	11 2%	9 1%	1 1%	2 1%	6 3%f	- -	8 4%fi	4 2%fi	- -	6 2%	8 2%	4 2%	3 1%	11 2%	9 2%

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	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
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Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Stood for public office	11	5	6	-	-	-	-	4	4	3	6	1	3	2	6	6
	1%	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	2%df	2%d	3%def	2%m	*	1%	*	1%	1%
SUMMARY CODES																
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589	293	296	45	85	80	103	109	109	57	166	178	90	154	372	217
	48%	49%	46%	34%	40%	43%	50%cd	56%cde	60%cde	48%c	67%klm	54%lm	39%	36%	53%o	41%
NON-ACTIVIST	649	305	344	89	127	108	103	87	73	62	81	151	139	278	331	318
	52%	51%	54%	66%fghi	60%fgh	57%gh	50%	44%	40%	52%	33%	46%j	61%jk	64%jk	47%	59%n
None	216	94	122	36	53	43	30	23	19	13	14	39	53	111	105	112
	17%	16%	19%	27%fghi	25%fghi	23%fghi	15%	12%	11%	11%	6%	12%j	23%jk	26%jk	15%	21%n

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Unweighted Base	1235	438	135	103	60	342	157	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	442	129	97*	50*	368	151	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	399	121	92	52	319	141	519	603	327	795	872	250
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	235 53%d	66 51%d	41 42%	13 26%	273 74%abcd	67 44%d	301 53%	394 59%g	173 50%	522 59%i	547 57%	148 54%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	233 53%df	73 57%cdf	41 42%	17 33%	251 68%abcd	65 43%	307 54%	373 56%	171 49%	509 57%i	532 55%	148 54%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	171 39%cf	55 42%cf	24 25%	20 39%	148 40%cf	41 27%	226 39%	233 35%	131 37%	328 37%	394 41%l	65 24%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	171 39%cf	46 36%f	23 24%	23 46%cf	142 39%cf	32 21%	217 38%	220 33%	117 34%	320 36%	382 40%l	55 20%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	141 32%ce	31 24%	14 15%	16 31%c	89 24%	36 24%	172 30%h	156 23%	96 28%	232 26%	287 30%l	41 15%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	79 18%	30 23%	19 19%	19 39%abcef	86 23%	24 16%	109 19%	149 22%	72 21%	186 21%	225 23%l	33 12%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	78 18%	20 15%	19 19%	12 25%	53 14%	23 15%	98 17%	107 16%	58 17%	147 17%	181 19%l	25 9%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	72 16%	19 14%	11 12%	10 20%	54 15%	17 11%	91 16%	92 14%	57 16%	126 14%	164 17%l	19 7%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	43 10%	14 11%	6 6%	5 10%	75 20%abcf	14 9%	57 10%	100 15%g	37 11%	120 13%	135 14%l	22 8%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	48 11%	15 12%	9 10%	7 13%	37 10%	14 10%	63 11%	68 10%	36 10%	94 11%	118 12%l	12 5%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	51 12%	14 11%	9 10%	6 12%	35 10%	9 6%	66 11%	60 9%	35 10%	90 10%	110 11%l	16 6%

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Effective Base	1122	399	121	92	52	319	141	519	603	327	795	872	250
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	33 8% ^f	12 9% ^f	4 5%	1 3%	45 12% ^{acdf}	2 2%	45 8%	53 8%	24 7%	75 8%	90 9% ^l	9 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	48 11% ^{bcf}	6 5%	4 4%	6 13% ^f	29 8% ^f	3 2%	54 9%	42 6%	26 8%	70 8%	91 9% ^l	5 2%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	33 7%	7 5%	5 5%	3 5%	30 8%	7 5%	40 7%	45 7%	23 7%	61 7%	63 6%	22 8%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	42 10% ^{bef}	4 3%	8 8% ^{ee}	7 14% ^{bef}	8 2%	4 2%	47 8% ^h	26 4%	20 6%	53 6%	70 7% ^l	2 1%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	18 4%	3 2%	3 3%	5 10% ^{bf}	15 4%	2 1%	21 4%	25 4%	7 2%	39 4%	42 4% ^l	4 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	20 5% ^f	7 5% ^f	3 3%	4 9% ^{ef}	8 2%	1 1%	27 5% ^h	16 2%	13 4%	31 3%	40 4% ^l	4 1%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	14 3%	1 1%	2 2%	2 4%	17 5% ^b	5 3%	15 3%	26 4%	8 2%	33 4%	36 4%	4 2%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	13 3% ^f	7 5% ^f	3 3%	1 1%	15 4% ^f	-	20 3%	18 3%	9 3%	29 3%	33 3%	5 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	10 2%	5 4% ^f	1 1%	1 3%	13 4% ^f	-	15 3%	16 2%	7 2%	23 3%	27 3%	3 1%
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	12 3%	1 *	-	1 3%	7 2%	-	12 2%	8 1%	3 1%	17 2%	21 2% ^l	-
Stood for public office	11 1%	1 *	1 1%	-	-	9 3% ^a	-	2 *	9 1%	-	11 1% ^l	10 1%	1 *

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Unweighted Base	1235	438	135	103	60	342	157	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	442	129	97*	50*	368	151	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	399	121	92	52	319	141	519	603	327	795	872	250
SUMMARY CODES													
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589	210	64	35	24	206	49	274	315	152	436	488	100
	48%	48% ^f	49% ^f	36%	47%	56% ^{acf}	33%	48%	47%	44%	49%	51% ^l	37%
NON-ACTIVIST	649	232	66	62	26	161	102	298	352	197	453	477	173
	52%	52% ^e	51%	64% ^{ae}	53%	44%	67% ^{abe}	52%	53%	56%	51%	49%	63% ^k
None	216	89	19	22	9	38	39	108	108	76	140	157	59
	17%	20% ^e	15%	23% ^{ae}	17%	10%	26% ^{be}	19%	16%	22% ^j	16%	16%	22%

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		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	27 51%	75 51%	72 71%abeghk	54 58%	60 52%	67 57%	68 45%	98 57%g	76 67%begk	40 63%g	58 53%	642 58%m	49 41%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	24 46%	86 58%	73 72%abefghk	56 60%	59 50%	57 49%	72 48%	92 53%	67 59%	39 62%gk	55 49%	626 56%m	53 44%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	23 43%g	52 35%g	49 49%gk	36 39%g	46 40%g	47 40%g	26 17%	67 39%g	46 41%g	27 42%g	39 35%g	433 39%m	25 21%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	19 37%g	53 36%g	36 36%g	38 40%g	39 34%g	38 32%g	31 21%	64 38%g	54 47%fgk	26 42%g	38 34%g	413 37%m	24 20%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	15 29%g	39 27%g	26 25%g	29 32%g	35 30%g	26 22%g	18 12%	55 32%g	34 30%g	19 30%g	31 28%g	310 28%m	18 15%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	8 14%	34 23%g	29 29%ghj	24 26%g	27 23%g	27 23%g	17 11%	29 17%	24 21%g	9 14%	31 28%ghj	233 21%	23 20%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	4 8%	34 23%ag	21 21%g	16 18%	19 16%	15 13%	14 10%	29 17%	14 13%	18 28%aefgh i	20 18%g	190 17%	15 13%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	9 18%	18 12%	23 22%gk	16 17%	18 16%	19 17%g	12 8%	25 15%	19 17%g	10 15%	14 12%	171 15%m	12 10%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	6 12%	22 15%g	18 17%g	14 15%g	11 9%	20 17%g	9 6%	22 13%g	14 12%	8 12%	13 12%	145 13%m	9 7%
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Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	6 11%	12 8%	11 11%	13 13%g	14 12%g	10 9%	7 4%	23 14%g	10 9%	9 14%g	11 10%	120 11%m	6 5%

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Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	3 5%	9 6%	11 11%	9 9%	9 8%	14 12%g	7 4%	16 10%	8 7%	4 6%	9 8%	96 9% <i>m</i>	3 2%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	4 7%	17 11%	4 4%	4 4%	11 10%	10 9%	10 6%	15 9%	5 4%	5 9%	11 10%	90 8%	6 5%
Voted in the last Welsh/London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	21 14% <i>abcde</i> <i>fghi</i>	- -	- -	26 41% <i>abcde</i> <i>fghi</i>	38 34% <i>abcde</i> <i>fghi</i> <i>j</i>	79 7%	6 5%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	4 8%	13 9%	4 4%	4 4%	6 5%	5 4%	12 8%	10 6%	3 3%	2 3%	10 9% <i>i</i>	63 6%	9 7%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	5 10% <i>gj</i>	4 2%	4 4%	3 3%	4 4%	3 3%	3 2%	13 8% <i>gj</i>	3 2%	- -	5 5% <i>j</i>	42 4%	5 4%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	4 7% <i>i</i>	3 2%	4 4%	4 4%	6 5%	4 3%	4 3%	7 4%	1 *	4 6% <i>i</i>	5 4%	40 4%	4 3%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	1 2%	6 4%	4 4%	3 3%	5 4%	3 2%	4 2%	8 5%	3 2%	1 2%	4 4%	39 4%	2 1%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	4 7% <i>gh</i>	6 4%	1 1%	3 3%	4 3%	6 5% <i>h</i>	2 1%	1 1%	5 4%	4 6% <i>gh</i>	3 2%	36 3%	2 1%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	1 2%	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	3 2%	4 3%	3 2%	8 5%	3 2%	1 1%	3 3%	29 3%	1 1%
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	1 2%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	3 2%	4 3%	6 4% <i>k</i>	3 2%	- -	- -	19 2%	2 1%
Stood for public office	11 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	1 *	4 2%	- -	1 1%	- -	11 1%	1 *
SUMMARY CODES														
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	26 49% <i>g</i>	68 46% <i>g</i>	61 61% <i>befgh</i>	48 51% <i>g</i>	49 42% <i>g</i>	51 43% <i>g</i>	45 30%	79 46% <i>g</i>	67 59% <i>efg</i>	42 66% <i>befgh</i> <i>k</i>	54 49% <i>g</i>	550 49% <i>m</i>	38 32%

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Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
NON-ACTIVIST	649	27	80	39	46	67	66	106	93	47	22	57	563	82
	52%	51%	54% ^{cj}	39%	49%	58% ^{cj}	57% ^{cj}	70% ^{abcdefgh ijk}	54% ^{cj}	41%	34%	51% ^j	51%	68% ^l
None	216	6	26	9	16	18	18	41	33	14	9	26	185	29
	17%	12%	17%	9%	17%	16%	15%	28% ^{abcefij}	19% ^c	12%	13%	24% ^{cj}	17%	24% ^l

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	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	177 66%bcf	193 56%	139 50%	55 57%	12 61%	118 52%	209 51%	159 63%gk	208 69%gjk	181 59%gk	120 46%	495 84%am	200 31%	92 86%opq	314 70%pq	215 53%q	74 27%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	174 65%cf	200 58%f	137 50%	51 53%	12 61%	105 46%	200 49%	160 63%gk	210 70%gjk	177 58%gk	116 44%	476 81%am	204 31%	85 79%pq	321 71%pq	204 51%q	70 25%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	134 50%bcd	142 41%df	104 38%df	18 19%	4 19%	56 24%	131 32%	111 44%gk	150 50%gk	130 42%gk	84 32%	371 63%am	87 13%	66 62%opq	214 47%pq	125 31%q	54 19%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	145 54%bcd	140 40%cf	86 31%f	31 32%f	2 13%	32 14%	105 26%	107 42%gk	178 59%ghjk	118 38%gk	71 27%	388 66%am	50 8%	90 85%opq	250 55%pq	86 21%q	11 4%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	118 44%bcd	96 28%f	68 25%f	18 19%	1 7%	26 12%	85 21%	82 33%gk	129 43%ghjk	88 29%g	57 22%	283 48%am	45 7%	64 60%opq	173 38%pq	62 16%	29 10%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	88 33%bcd	79 23%f	51 18%f	18 19%f	1 3%	21 9%	63 15%	65 26%g	105 35%ghjk	64 21%	50 19%	211 36%am	47 7%	45 42%opq	129 29%pq	55 14%	29 10%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	73 27%bcd	68 20%cf	29 10%	13 14%	2 10%	20 9%	62 15%	39 16%	79 26%ghjk	53 17%	29 11%	181 31%am	24 4%	51 48%opq	105 23%pq	43 11%q	6 2%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	59 22%cd	61 17%df	36 13%	7 7%	1 3%	20 9%	56 14%	42 17%	75 25%ghk	56 18%k	29 11%	166 28%am	17 3%	32 30%pq	98 22%pq	38 9%	15 5%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	53 20%bcf	46 13%f	29 11%	11 12%	1 4%	16 7%	51 12%	36 14%	61 20%gjk	41 13%	31 12%	132 22%am	25 4%	42 39%opq	78 17%pq	28 7%q	9 3%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	50 19%bcf	36 10%f	24 9%f	10 10%f	-	9 4%	37 9%	31 12%	48 16%gk	36 12%	24 9%	118 20%am	12 2%	37 35%opq	65 14%pq	17 4%	11 4%

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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	56 21%bcdf	36 10%f	17 6%	5 5%	1 4%	10 4%	22 5%	27 11%g	62 21%ghjk	35 11%g	21 8%	115 20%m	10 2%	45 42%opq	62 14%pq	14 4%	4 1%
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	45 17%bcdf	27 8%f	16 6%	4 5%	- -	6 3%	17 4%	23 9%g	48 16%ghjk	26 8%g	18 7%	90 15%m	9 1%	21 19%opq	52 12%pq	18 5%	8 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	50 19%bcdf	24 7%f	15 5%	2 3%	- -	4 2%	18 4%	20 8%	47 16%ghjk	14 5%	22 8%g	81 14%m	15 2%	26 25%opq	50 11%pq	12 3%	7 2%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	22 8%	27 8%	12 4%	4 4%	6 33%	14 6%	32 8%k	21 8%k	27 9%k	23 8%k	9 3%	79 13%m	6 1%	16 15%opq	37 8%p	19 5%	13 5%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	41 15%bcdf	23 7%cdf	8 3%f	1 1%	- -	- -	18 4%	19 8%	44 15%ghjk	15 5%	10 4%	60 10%m	13 2%	32 30%opq	35 8%pq	3 1%	2 1%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	24 9%bcdf	11 3%	8 3%	- -	- -	3 1%	12 3%	6 2%	31 10%ghjk	9 3%	8 3%	40 7%m	6 1%	23 21%opq	22 5%pq	1 *	1 *
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	24 9%bcdf	9 3%	7 3%	1 1%	- -	3 1%	16 4%	7 3%	26 9%ghjk	7 2%	4 2%	40 7%m	4 1%	18 17%opq	17 4%q	7 2%	1 *
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	14 5%f	10 3%	11 4%	3 3%	- -	3 1%	14 3%	11 4%j	18 6%jk	4 1%	6 2%	33 6%m	7 1%	12 11%opq	22 5%pq	6 1%	1 *
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	14 5%cf	13 4%	6 2%	1 1%	1 3%	3 1%	8 2%	8 3%	18 6%gk	12 4%	6 2%	34 6%m	4 1%	18 17%opq	12 3%	6 2%	2 1%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	17 6%bcdf	6 2%	5 2%	- -	- -	2 1%	8 2%	6 2%	21 7%ghjk	6 2%	3 1%	24 4%m	6 1%	16 15%opq	13 3%p	- -	2 1%

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	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	10 4%cf	9 3%c	-	-	-	1 1%	3 1%	2 1%	9 3%g	4 1%	4 2%	-	21 3%l	6 6%opq	6 1%	6 1%	3 1%
Stood for public office	11 1%	6 2%c	3 1%	-	-	-	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	6 2%	3 1%	1 *	9 1%	3 *	4 4%pq	4 1%	3 1%	-
SUMMARY CODES																		
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	168 62%bcd	178 51%f	122 44%f	40 41%	9 49%	71 31%	159 39%	141 56%gk	208 69%ghjk	168 54%gk	102 39%	589 100%g	-	93 87%opq	303 67%pq	152 38%q	40 14%
NON-ACTIVIST	649 52%	101 38%	170 49%a	154 56%a	57 59%a	10 51%	158 69%abc	251 61%hij	112 44%i	92 31%	141 46%i	159 61%hij	-	649 100%l	14 13%	147 33%n	250 62%no	238 86%nop
None	216 17%	30 11%	50 14%	50 18%a	22 23%a	5 26%	59 26%ab	79 19%hi	31 12%i	20 7%	43 14%i	69 26%ghj	-	216 33%l	1 1%	29 6%n	74 18%no	112 40%nop

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)		VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)	Conservative (g)	Labour (h)	Liberal Democrat (i)	Other (j)	Did not vote (k)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369	243	317	110	112	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356	270	290	126	104	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331	230	280	105	101	331
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	50 80%cd	355 71%cd	252 48%d	38 26%	601 76%f	36 10%	206 76%k	219 76%k	96 77%k	79 76%k	36 10%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	49 77%cd	343 68%cd	257 49%d	32 21%	605 77%f	22 6%	215 80%k	212 73%k	100 80%k	78 75%k	22 6%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	36 57%cd	233 47%cd	163 31%d	25 17%	334 42%f	92 26%	117 43%k	108 37%k	64 51%hk	46 44%k	92 26%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	46 73%bcd	255 51%cd	131 25%d	5 3%	354 45%f	60 17%	132 49%hk	103 36%k	73 58%hjk	45 44%k	60 17%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	36 56%bcd	189 38%cd	94 18%d	9 6%	255 32%f	56 16%	87 32%k	83 29%k	48 38%k	38 36%k	56 16%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	28 44%bcd	132 26%cd	82 16%	16 10%	181 23%f	58 16%	60 22%	53 18%	42 33%ghk	26 25%	58 16%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	30 47%bcd	109 22%cd	61 12%d	4 3%	174 22%f	21 6%	59 22%k	66 23%k	28 22%k	20 19%k	21 6%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	20 31%cd	101 20%cd	55 10%d	7 5%	135 17%f	40 11%	51 19%k	36 12%	32 25%hk	16 15%	40 11%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	19 30%cd	106 21%cd	31 6%d	1 *	126 16%f	19 5%	35 13%k	53 18%k	21 17%k	16 15%k	19 5%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	19 30%bcd	77 15%cd	31 6%	4 3%	100 13%f	21 6%	28 10%	39 14%k	18 14%k	16 15%k	21 6%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	25 40%bcd	78 16%cd	22 4%d	- -	101 13%f	15 4%	37 14%k	31 11%k	18 14%k	14 13%k	15 4%

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)		VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)	Conservative (g)	Labour (h)	Liberal Democrat (i)	Other (j)	Did not vote (k)
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Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356	270	290	126	104	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331	230	280	105	101	331
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	14 23%bcd	64 13%cd	20 4%cd	-	78 10%f	10 3%	31 11%hk	17 6%k	18 14%hk	11 11%k	10 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	17 27%bcd	58 12%cd	18 3%	3 2%	71 9%f	17 5%	21 8%	24 8%	14 11%k	13 12%k	17 5%
Voted in the last Welsh/London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	10 16%cd	44 9%cd	25 5%	5 3%	79 10%f	1 *	20 7%k	29 10%k	6 5%k	24 23%ghik	1 *
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	18 29%bcd	44 9%cd	11 2%	-	64 8%f	9 3%	18 7%k	21 7%k	10 8%k	15 14%ghk	9 3%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	13 20%bcd	32 6%cd	1 *	1 *	41 5%f	3 1%	14 5%k	14 5%k	7 5%k	6 6%k	3 1%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	11 18%bcd	24 5%cd	9 2%	-	37 5%f	6 2%	6 2%	14 5%k	7 5%k	10 10%gk	6 2%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	8 12%bcd	24 5%cd	8 1%	1 1%	34 4%f	4 1%	8 3%	10 3%k	8 7%k	8 8%gk	4 1%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	12 19%bcd	16 3%	9 2%	1 1%	29 4%	6 2%	6 2%	14 5%k	4 3%	6 5%k	6 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	13 20%bcd	16 3%cd	1 *	-	28 3%f	2 1%	9 3%k	11 4%k	5 4%k	3 3%k	2 1%
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	3 4%cd	12 2%	6 1%	-	15 2%	6 2%	3 1%	3 1%	8 6%ghk	1 1%	6 2%
Stood for public office	11 1%	4 7%bcd	3 1%	4 1%	-	10 1%f	-	3 1%	2 1%	3 2%k	3 2%k	-

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)		VOTE IN LAST ELECTION - PARTIES VOTED FOR (Q.27)				
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)	Conservative (g)	Labour (h)	Liberal Democrat (i)	Other (j)	Did not vote (k)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369	243	317	110	112	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356	270	290	126	104	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331	230	280	105	101	331
SUMMARY CODES												
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589	50	321	196	21	480	66	174	164	78	64	66
	48%	78%bcd	64%cd	37%d	14%	61%f	19%	64%k	57%k	62%k	61%k	19%
NON-ACTIVIST	649	14	180	327	129	309	290	96	125	48	40	290
	52%	22%	36%a	63%ab	86%abc	39%	81%e	36%	43%	38%	39%	81%ghij
None	216	2	35	109	70	39	157	11	15	4	8	157
	17%	3%	7%	21%ab	47%abc	5%	44%e	4%	5%	3%	8%	44%ghij

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	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	198 56%	170 55%	325 57%	512 79%efg	29 14%	618 73%eg	73 19%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	210 60%b	158 51%	310 55%	506 78%efg	21 10%	615 73%eg	61 16%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	137 39%	108 35%	210 37%	294 45%eg	51 24%	363 43%eg	94 25%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	144 41%b	95 30%	197 35%	318 49%eg	25 12%	380 45%eg	57 15%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	111 32%b	70 22%	146 26%	218 34%eg	33 16%	272 32%eg	56 15%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	79 23%	53 17%	123 22%	160 25%eg	28 13%	201 24%eg	56 14%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	60 17%	45 14%	100 18%	150 23%eg	10 5%	184 22%eg	21 5%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	61 17%	39 13%	82 15%	119 18%eg	20 9%	144 17%eg	39 10%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	59 17%b	22 7%	76 13%b	122 19%eg	12 6%	137 16%eg	19 5%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	37 11%	25 8%	68 12%	92 14%eg	13 6%	112 13%eg	18 5%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	41 12%	23 7%	62 11%	97 15%eg	9 4%	110 13%eg	15 4%

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	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	31 9%	20 6%	47 8%	76 12%eg	9 4%	84 10%eg	13 3%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	30 9%	20 6%	46 8%	66 10%eg	11 5%	77 9%g	19 5%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	22 6%	11 4%	51 9%b	67 10%eg	3 1%	77 9%eg	8 2%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	21 6%	12 4%	40 7%	51 8%eg	6 3%	64 8%eg	9 2%
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Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	12 4%	6 2%	26 5%b	29 5%e	1 1%	36 4%e	8 2%
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Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	15 4%	7 2%	16 3%	30 5%eg	1 1%	35 4%eg	3 1%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	13 4%b	1 *	16 3%b	23 4%g	5 2%	25 3%	5 1%
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	6 2%	3 1%	11 2%	11 2%	3 1%	14 2%	7 2%
Stood for public office	11 1%	3 1%	1 *	7 1%	9 1%	1 1%	9 1%	3 1%
SUMMARY CODES								
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	186 53%b	128 41%	271 48%	418 64%eg	32 15%	513 61%eg	74 19%

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	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
NON-ACTIVIST	649	165	183	295	232	178	332	310
	52%	47%	59% ^a	52%	36%	85% ^{df}	39%	81% ^{df}
None	216	55	52	106	37	92	62	151
	17%	16%	17%	19%	6%	43% ^{df}	7%	39% ^{df}

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	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)					CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)		
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)	Would still not vote (f)	Would vote the same as last time (g)	Would vote differently to last time (h)
Unweighted Base	1235	226	375	58	164	295	208	550	316
Weighted Base	1238	249	349	68*	152	299	207	550	332
Effective Base	1122	213	333	56	147	268	188	500	292
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	183 74%be	225 64%e	51 76%e	103 68%e	63 21%	12 6%	424 77%f	235 71%f
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	191 77%be	226 65%e	49 72%e	103 68%e	48 16%	2 1%	430 78%fh	229 69%f
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	113 46%be	124 36%e	35 51%be	68 45%e	79 27%	47 23%	228 42%f	138 42%f
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	130 52%be	123 35%e	35 52%be	71 47%be	40 13%	19 9%	244 44%f	132 40%f
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	77 31%e	95 27%e	22 33%e	62 41%be	44 15%	26 12%	158 29%f	115 35%f
Done voluntary work	258 21%	63 25%e	65 19%	25 37%be	39 26%e	39 13%	27 13%	123 22%f	76 23%f
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	54 22%e	73 21%e	13 19%e	35 23%e	11 4%	2 1%	122 22%f	63 19%f
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	46 18%e	46 13%	18 27%be	24 16%	35 12%	21 10%	87 16%	56 17%f
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	34 14%e	58 17%e	16 23%e	24 16%e	12 4%	5 2%	99 18%fh	38 12%f
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	27 11%e	37 11%e	11 17%e	30 20%abe	13 4%	4 2%	66 12%f	43 13%f
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	42 17%be	33 9%e	9 14%e	24 16%be	10 3%	6 3%	70 13%f	41 12%f

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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2)					CHANGE IN VOTING INTENTION (Q.1/Q.2/Q.27)		
		Conservative (a)	Labour (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Other (d)	Would not vote (e)	Would still not vote (f)	Would vote the same as last time (g)	Would vote differently to last time (h)
Unweighted Base	1235	226	375	58	164	295	208	550	316
Weighted Base	1238	249	349	68*	152	299	207	550	332
Effective Base	1122	213	333	56	147	268	188	500	292
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	28 11%be	20 6%	10 15%be	17 11%be	11 4%	6 3%	53 10%f	35 11%f
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	21 9%	22 6%	5 7%	21 14%be	16 5%	10 5%	44 8%	34 10%f
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	18 7%e	27 8%e	2 3%	27 18%abce	6 2%	- -	54 10%f	29 9%f
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	14 6%	23 7%e	3 4%	24 16%abce	7 2%	1 1%	37 7%f	27 8%f
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	9 4%	15 4%	3 4%	13 8%e	6 2%	1 *	26 5%f	17 5%f
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	5 2%	15 4%	3 4%	15 10%abe	6 2%	- -	18 3%f	20 6%f
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	10 4%	11 3%	3 4%	10 7%e	5 2%	1 1%	23 4%f	14 4%f
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	8 3%e	16 5%e	3 4%e	8 5%e	1 *	1 1%	24 4%f	8 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	7 3%	11 3%	3 4%	5 3%	4 1%	- -	19 4%f	9 3%f
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	2 1%	4 1%	1 2%	5 3%	7 2%	3 1%	4 1%	11 3%g
Stood for public office	11 1%	3 1%	3 1%	- -	3 2%	3 1%	- -	4 1%	8 2%f

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Effective Base	1122	213	333	56	147	268	188	500	292
SUMMARY CODES									
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	165 66%be	178 51%e	46 69%be	90 60%e	57 19%	22 11%	346 63%fh	176 53%f
NON-ACTIVIST	649 52%	84 34%	171 49%ac	21 31%	61 40%	242 81%abcd	184 89%gh	203 37%	156 47%g
None	216 17%	14 6%	39 11%ac	1 1%	13 8%c	116 39%abcd	103 50%gh	25 5%	34 10%g

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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1235	427	428
Weighted Base	1238	408	457
Effective Base	1122	382	398
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	257 63%	258 56%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	255 62% ^b	238 52%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	181 44%	171 37%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	185 45% ^b	160 35%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	145 36% ^b	101 22%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	106 26%	96 21%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	102 25% ^b	56 12%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	77 19% ^b	58 13%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	81 20% ^b	47 10%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	65 16% ^b	39 9%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	52 13%	49 11%

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	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1235	427	428
Weighted Base	1238	408	457
Effective Base	1122	382	398
Been an officer of an organisation or club	99 8%	43 11%	40 9%
Made a speech before an organised group	96 8%	36 9%	37 8%
Voted in the last Welsh/London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	38 9% ^b	24 5%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	36 9%	25 5%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	24 6%	16 3%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	22 5%	14 3%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	18 4%	13 3%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	21 5%	11 2%
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	23 6% ^b	3 1%
Created a new e-petition on http://epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	8 2%	4 1%
Stood for public office	11 1%	6 2%	4 1%

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	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1235	427	428
Weighted Base	1238	408	457
Effective Base	1122	382	398
SUMMARY CODES			
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	234 57%b	215 47%
NON-ACTIVIST	649 52%	174 43%	242 53%a
None	216 17%	47 12%	81 18%a

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Q.4A/Q.5 Activities has done in last two to three years

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1235	51	471	550	163
Weighted Base	1238	54*	469	555	160
Effective Base	1122	47	426	501	147
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	44 81%cd	337 72%cd	275 50%d	39 24%
Voted in the last general election	680 55%	41 75%cd	324 69%cd	275 50%d	40 25%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	31 57%cd	210 45%cd	191 34%d	26 17%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	36 67%cd	243 52%cd	152 27%d	6 3%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	28 51%cd	178 38%cd	113 20%d	9 6%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	23 42%bcd	124 26%cd	93 17%	18 11%
Urged someone outside my family to vote	205 17%	24 44%bcd	112 24%cd	65 12%d	4 2%
Helped on fund raising drives	183 15%	16 30%cd	91 19%cd	67 12%d	9 5%
Presented my views to a local councillor, MP, MSP or Welsh Assembly Member	156 13%	15 28%cd	96 21%cd	43 8%d	2 2%
Urged someone to get in touch with a local councillor or MP	130 11%	15 28%bcd	70 15%cd	42 8%d	3 2%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	17 31%bcd	77 17%cd	29 5%	3 2%

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Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	8 15%cd	39 8%d	34 6%	4 2%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	11 21%bcd	47 10%cd	12 2%	3 2%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	13 24%bcd	29 6%cd	3 1%	1 *
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	8 14%bcd	24 5%cd	11 2%	1 1%
Written a letter to an editor	41 3%	7 13%bcd	24 5%cd	8 1%	2 1%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	10 18%bcd	17 4%d	11 2%	- -
Taken an active part in a political campaign	30 2%	11 21%bcd	16 3%cd	3 *	- -
Created a new e-petition on http:// epetitions.direct.gov.uk	21 2%	3 5%	10 2%	7 1%	1 1%
Stood for public office	11 1%	3 5%cd	6 1%	3 *	- -
SUMMARY CODES					
POLITICAL ACTIVIST	589 48%	41 75%cd	299 64%cd	227 41%cd	22 14%

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Total	KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
	Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)
Unweighted Base 1235	51	471	550	163
Weighted Base 1238	54*	469	555	160
Effective Base 1122	47	426	501	147
NON-ACTIVIST 649	14	169	329	138
	52%	25%	36%	59%ab
None 216	2	37	104	73
	17%	4%	8%	19%ab
				46%abc

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Q.4B You said that you have presented your views to a local councillor or MP. Was this to a local councillor, an MP or both?

Base: All aged 18 or above in England who said they presented their views to a local councillor or MP

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	116	64	52	7	10	18	16	23	32	10	38	22	20	36	73	43
Weighted Base	135	74*	61*	7**	12**	18**	18**	29**	40*	12**	46*	26**	21**	42*	85*	51*
Effective Base	112	61	50	6	10	16	15	23	32	10	37	21	18	35	70	42
Local councillor	64	35	29	4	6	7	7	15	23	3	16	14	12	23	42	22
	47%	47%	48%	54%	53%	41%	38%	52%	56%	21%	34%	53%	55%	55%	49%	44%
MP	37	21	16	1	6	7	4	9	5	5	16	4	4	12	22	15
	27%	28%	26%	19%	47%	38%	24%	30%	13%	42%	36%	17%	21%	28%	26%	30%
Both	34	19	16	2	-	4	7	5	13	4	14	8	5	7	21	13
	25%	25%	26%	27%	-	21%	38%	17%	31%	37%	30%	31%	24%	17%	25%	26%
Don't know/Cant remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Q.4B You said that you have presented your views to a local councillor or MP. Was this to a local councillor, an MP or both?

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	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	116	41	75	29	87	100	16
Weighted Base	135	45*	90*	31**	104*	117*	19**
Effective Base	112	38	73	27	85	96	15
Local councillor	64	17	48	12	52	54	10
	47%	37%	53%	40%	50%	46%	54%
MP	37	16	21	9	28	34	3
	27%	36%	23%	28%	27%	29%	13%
Both	34	12	22	10	24	28	6
	25%	27%	24%	32%	23%	24%	33%
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	116	5	20	14	11	9	17	11	18	11	-	-	99	15
Weighted Base	135	6**	22**	18**	14**	11**	20**	9**	22**	14**	..	..	124*	9**
Effective Base	112	5	19	14	11	9	16	9	18	11	-	-	99	15
Local councillor	64	5	9	10	8	4	12	2	10	4	-	-	59	4
	47%	80%	41%	57%	55%	35%	62%	27%	46%	27%	-	-	47%	47%
MP	37	1	9	6	1	4	4	2	3	6	-	-	34	2
	27%	20%	39%	36%	9%	35%	19%	27%	14%	45%	-	-	27%	20%
Both	34	-	4	1	5	3	4	4	9	4	-	-	31	3
	25%	-	19%	7%	36%	29%	19%	47%	40%	27%	-	-	25%	33%
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	116	40	33	23	9	-	11	38	26	47	29	24	93	23	31	59	20	6
Weighted Base	135	45*	38*	27**	11**	-**	14**	43*	31**	55*	35**	28**	111*	25**	36**	68*	24**	7**
Effective Base	112	38	32	22	9	-	11	36	25	45	28	23	90	21	30	56	20	6
Local councillor	64	22	16	13	6	-	8	22	13	24	18	13	52	12	11	35	15	3
	47%	48%	43%	48%	53%	-	55%	52%	42%	43%	50%	47%	47%	50%	29%	52%	62%	45%
MP	37	11	10	8	4	-	4	12	8	12	9	9	31	6	9	17	7	4
	27%	25%	26%	29%	35%	-	27%	29%	24%	22%	27%	33%	28%	25%	24%	26%	28%	55%
Both	34	12	12	6	1	-	3	8	11	19	8	6	28	6	17	15	3	-
	25%	27%	31%	23%	12%	-	18%	19%	34%	35%	23%	20%	25%	25%	46%	22%	10%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Base: All aged 18 or above in England who said they presented their views to a local councillor or MP

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	116	14	79	22	1	93	15
Weighted Base	135	16**	92*	26**	1**	108*	17**
Effective Base	112	13	76	21	1	89	14
Local councillor	64	6	44	14	1	53	9
	47%	39%	47%	53%	100%	49%	50%
MP	37	3	25	9	-	26	6
	27%	15%	27%	36%	-	24%	32%
Both	34	7	24	3	-	29	3
	25%	46%	26%	12%	-	27%	18%
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Base: All aged 18 or above in England who said they presented their views to a local councillor or MP

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	116	45	18	53	86	9	99	17
Weighted Base	135	54*	21**	61*	104*	11**	117*	18**
Effective Base	112	44	17	51	85	9	96	16
Local councillor	64	23	12	29	51	5	56	8
	47%	42%	61%	48%	48%	47%	48%	45%
MP	37	9	8	20	25	4	29	7
	27%	16%	39%	33%	24%	35%	25%	41%
Both	34	22	-	12	29	2	32	2
	25%	42% ^c	-	19%	28%	17%	27%	13%
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Base: All aged 18 or above in England who said they presented their views to a local councillor or MP

	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)		
	Total	Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	116	61	33
Weighted Base	135	70*	41*
Effective Base	112	58	33
Local councillor	64	30	21
	47%	43%	52%
MP	37	15	15
	27%	21%	37%
Both	34	25	4
	25%	36% ^b	11%
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-
	-	-	-

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	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	33	17	16	1	2	6	6	9	7	2	11	7	8	7	22	11
Weighted Base	21*	11**	10**	1**	1**	4**	4**	6**	4**	1**	7**	5**	5**	5**	14**	7**
Effective Base	33	17	16	1	2	6	6	9	7	2	11	7	8	7	22	11
Local councillor	16 75%	8 76%	8 74%	-	1 50%	3 66%	4 100%	4 78%	3 70%	1 100%	6 81%	4 86%	4 75%	3 57%	12 82%	4 62%
MP	4 18%	3 23%	1 13%	1 100%	-	1 17%	1 17%	1 22%	-	1 48%	1 9%	1 14%	1 25%	1 29%	3 18%	1 18%
MSP	7 34%	2 18%	5 51%	-	1 50%	1 34%	1 17%	3 46%	2 45%	-	1 19%	3 58%	1 26%	2 43%	5 33%	3 38%
Welsh Assembly Member	1 6%	1 6%	1 6%	-	-	1 16%	-	1 11%	-	-	1 9%	-	1 12%	-	1 9%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	33	18	15	9	24	28	5
Weighted Base	21*	12**	10**	6**	15**	18**	3**
Effective Base	33	18	15	9	24	28	5
Local councillor	16 75%	10 83%	6 65%	4 77%	11 74%	14 78%	2 59%
MP	4 18%	3 22%	1 13%	2 34%	2 12%	4 22%	-
MSP	7 34%	4 34%	3 35%	1 23%	6 39%	6 33%	1 41%
Welsh Assembly Member	1 6%	1 10%	-	1 10%	1 4%	1 7%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	20	33	-
Weighted Base	21*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8**	13**	21*	..
Effective Base	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	20	33	-
Local councillor	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	9	16	-
	75%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92%	65%	75%	-
MP	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	4	-
	18%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%	20%	18%	-
MSP	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-
	34%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55%	34%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
	6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15%	-	6%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)							NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	33	11	13	3	1	1	4	12	7	9	10	5	33	-	9	16	5	3
Weighted Base	21*	7**	8**	2**	1**	1**	3**	8**	4**	6**	6**	3**	21*	-**	6**	10**	3**	2**
Effective Base	33	11	13	3	1	1	4	12	7	9	10	5	33	-	9	16	5	3
Local councillor	16	5	7	2	1	-	2	6	4	5	5	2	16	-	4	8	2	2
	75%	63%	85%	100%	100%	-	74%	74%	100%	77%	79%	60%	75%	-	65%	81%	58%	100%
MP	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	4	-	-	3	-	1
	18%	18%	31%	-	-	-	-	26%	14%	11%	20%	19%	18%	-	-	31%	-	34%
MSP	7	3	3	-	-	1	1	3	1	1	3	1	7	-	3	3	1	1
	34%	46%	32%	-	-	100%	26%	34%	30%	23%	42%	42%	34%	-	46%	26%	42%	34%
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-
	6%	8%	7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10%	19%	6%	-	11%	6%	-	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	33	4	21	8	-	28	3
Weighted Base	21*	3**	13**	5**	-**	18**	2**
Effective Base	33	4	21	8	-	28	3
Local councillor	16	2	10	5	-	14	1
	75%	74%	71%	87%	-	78%	65%
MP	4	-	3	1	-	3	1
	18%	-	24%	13%	-	18%	35%
MSP	7	1	6	1	-	6	-
	34%	26%	44%	13%	-	33%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
	6%	-	9%	-	-	7%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	33	8	2	23	28	2	31	2
Weighted Base	21*	5**	1**	15**	18**	1**	20*	1**
Effective Base	33	8	2	23	28	2	31	2
Local councillor	16	5	1	10	14	1	15	1
	75%	100%	48%	69%	78%	100%	74%	100%
MP	4	1	-	3	3	-	4	-
	18%	26%	-	17%	18%	-	19%	-
MSP	7	1	1	6	7	-	7	-
	34%	13%	52%	40%	37%	-	37%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
	6%	12%	-	4%	7%	-	6%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	33	17	10
Weighted Base	21*	11**	7**
Effective Base	33	17	10
Local councillor	16	8	5
	75%	76%	69%
MP	4	4	-
	18%	36%	-
MSP	7	3	3
	34%	31%	51%
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	-
	6%	11%	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-
	-	-	-

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Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b

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Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1235	601	634	144	223	195	206	187	169	111	234	325	229	447	692	543
Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Local councillor	114	62	53	5	7	13	18	25	38	8	35	26	20	33	74	40
	9%	10%	8%	4%	3%	7%	9% ^d	13% ^{cd}	21% ^{cdefgi}	7%	14% ^{km}	8%	9%	8%	11%	7%
MP	75	42	33	4	6	11	12	15	18	10	31	13	11	21	46	29
	6%	7%	5%	3%	3%	6%	6%	8% ^d	10% ^{cd}	8% ^d	12% ^{klm}	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%
MSP	7	2	5	-	1	1	1	3	2	-	1	3	1	2	5	3
	1%	*	1%	-	*	1%	*	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	*
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-
	*	*	*	-	-	*	-	*	-	-	*	-	*	-	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	512	569	127	199	166	184	162	137	106	195	298	203	385	604	477
	87%	86%	89%	95% ^{gh}	94% ^{gh}	88% ^h	89% ^h	82%	75%	89% ^h	79%	91% ^j	89% ^j	89% ^j	86%	89%

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Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	519	603	327	795	872	250
Local councillor	114	39	76	27	88	96	18
	9%	7%	11% ^a	8%	10%	10%	7%
MP	75	31	44	21	54	66	9
	6%	5%	7%	6%	6%	7% ^f	3%
MSP	7	4	3	1	6	6	1
	1%	1%	*	*	1%	1%	*
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	-	1	1	1	-
	*	*	-	*	*	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	515	567	312	769	830	251
	87%	90% ^b	85%	89%	87%	86%	92% ^e

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Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Local councillor	114	5	14	11	13	7	16	7	19	8	7	9	106	7
	9%	10%	9%	11%	13%g	6%	14%g	4%	11%g	7%	11%g	8%	10%	6%
MP	75	1	13	8	6	7	8	7	12	10	1	3	69	5
	6%	2%	9%jk	7%	7%	6%	6%	4%	7%	9%jk	2%	2%	6%	4%
MSP	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7%bcdefghi	1%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2%gh	-	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	46	126	83	79	106	97	142	149	100	56	97	967	111
	87%	88%	85%	83%	85%	91%	83%	94%bcdh	87%	88%	88%	88%	87%	93%l

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Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Total	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 / Level 3 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Local councillor	114	39	35	21	8	-	12	36	28	48	31	21	96	19	31	59	19	5
	9%	14%cf	10%f	8%	8%	-	5%	9%	11%	16%gjk	10%	8%	16%lm	3%	29%opq	13%pq	5%q	2%
MP	75	25	24	14	5	-	6	23	19	32	19	16	62	12	26	36	9	4
	6%	9%f	7%f	5%	5%	-	3%	5%	7%	11%g	6%	6%	11%lm	2%	24%opq	8%pq	2%	2%
MSP	7	3	3	-	-	1	1	3	1	1	3	1	7	-	3	3	1	1
	1%	1%	1%	-	-	4%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	1%lm	-	2%pq	1%	*	*
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	-
	*	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	*	*	-	1%	*	-	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	217	302	246	85	18	213	360	218	240	267	229	457	625	65	372	375	269
	87%	80%	87%a	89%a	88%	96%	93%ab	88%i	86%	80%	87%i	88%i	78%	96%l	61%	83%n	93%no	97%nop

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Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331
Local councillor	114	16	77	21	1	96	13
	9%	25%cd	15%cd	4%d	*	12%f	4%
MP	75	10	52	13	-	58	9
	6%	16%cd	10%cd	3%	-	7%f	3%
MSP	7	1	6	1	-	6	-
	1%	1%	1%c	*	-	1%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
	*	-	*	-	-	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	45	395	492	149	664	337
	87%	70%	79%	94%ab	100%abc	84%	95%e

Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
Local councillor	114	50	13	51	93	8	103	12
	9%	14%bc	4%	9%b	14%eg	4%	12%eg	3%
MP	75	32	8	34	57	6	65	10
	6%	9%b	3%	6%b	9%eg	3%	8%eg	3%
MSP	7	1	1	6	7	-	7	-
	1%	*	*	1%	1%	-	1%	-
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
	*	*	-	*	*	-	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	292	289	490	527	199	707	365
	87%	83%	93%ac	87%	81%	94%df	84%	95%df

Q.4B/Q.4BB To whom presented views

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WHETHER BELIEVES INVOLVEMENT IN POLITICS CAN CHANGE WAY UK IS RUN (Q.9)	
		Agree (a)	Disagree (b)
Unweighted Base	1235	427	428
Weighted Base	1238	408	457
Effective Base	1122	382	398
Local councillor	114	63	30
	9%	15%b	7%
MP	75	44	19
	6%	11%b	4%
MSP	7	3	3
	1%	1%	1%
Welsh Assembly Member	1	1	-
	*	*	-
Don't know/Can't remember	-	-	-
	-	-	-
All who did not present views	1081	328	409
	87%	80%	90%a

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/widwd/dvrcd/sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1235	601	634	144	223	195	206	187	169	111	234	325	229	447	692	543
Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	354 59%	342 53%	30 22%	91 43% ^c	91 49% ^c	124 60% ^{cde}	137 70% ^{cde}	143 79% ^{cdefi}	79 66% ^{cde}	178 72% ^{klm}	189 57% ^m	120 52%	208 48%	446 63% ^o	249 47%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	220 37%	217 34%	37 28%	67 31%	51 27%	84 41% ^{cei}	90 46% ^{cdei}	79 44% ^{cdei}	30 25%	137 55% ^{klm}	141 43% ^{lm}	67 29% ^m	91 21%	281 40% ^o	156 29%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	154 26%	174 27%	31 23%	63 30% ^h	51 27%	58 28%	63 32% ^h	37 20%	26 22%	99 40% ^{lm}	105 32% ^{lm}	44 19%	81 19%	206 29% ^o	122 23%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	217 36%	242 38%	42 31%	66 31%	63 34%	88 43% ^{cd}	84 43% ^{cd}	71 39%	45 38%	132 53% ^{klm}	138 42% ^{lm}	71 31%	117 27%	277 39%	181 34%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	125 21%	133 21%	40 30% ^{dei}	36 17%	31 17%	46 22%	40 20%	45 25%	20 17%	77 31% ^{klm}	74 22%	36 16%	72 17%	152 22%	105 20%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	63 11%	62 10%	7 6%	13 6%	19 10%	28 14% ^{cd}	29 15% ^{cdi}	20 11%	8 7%	42 17% ^m	37 11% ^m	24 11% ^m	23 5%	79 11%	47 9%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	52 9% ^b	21 3%	14 10% ^{hi}	13 6% ⁱ	14 8% ^{hi}	10 5%	16 8% ^{hi}	5 3%	1 1%	26 11% ^{lm}	30 9% ^{lm}	8 3%	9 2%	43 6%	29 5%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	34 6% ^b	13 2%	5 4%	3 1%	5 3%	9 5%	13 6% ^d	5 3%	6 5%	20 8% ^{km}	11 3%	9 4% ^m	6 1%	29 4%	18 3%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	20 3%	18 3%	1 *	4 2%	5 3%	9 5% ^c	6 3%	8 4%	5 4%	13 5% ^{km}	7 2%	11 5% ^m	7 2%	24 3%	14 3%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	27 5%	17 3%	9 6% ^d	3 1%	7 4%	9 5%	9 4%	4 2%	3 2%	17 7% ^m	13 4% ^m	8 4%	6 1%	24 3%	19 4%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	GENDER		AGE							SOCIAL GRADE				MARITAL STATUS		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65-74 (h)	75+ (i)	AB (j)	C1 (k)	C2 (l)	DE (m)	With partner (n)	Single/ widwd/ dvrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1235	601	634	144	223	195	206	187	169	111	234	325	229	447	692	543
Weighted Base	1238	597	640	135	212	188	206	196	182	119	248	329	229	432	703	535
Effective Base	1122	544	578	127	199	175	187	173	158	103	217	296	208	402	632	490
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	45 7%	40 6%	3 2%	6 3%	13 7%	21 10%cd	17 9%cd	16 9%cd	9 7%	20 8%	27 8%	15 7%	23 5%	56 8%	28 5%
None of these	278 22%	133 22%	145 23%	43 32%fghi	65 31%fghi	55 29%fghi	39 19%	32 16%	25 14%	19 16%	22 9%	57 17%j	63 27%jk	137 32%jk	136 19%	143 27%n
Don't know	9 1%	4 1%	6 1%	2 1%	2 1%	-	1 1%	-	-	4 4%egh	2 1%	3 1%	1 1%	4 1%	5 1%	4 1%

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Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS	
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	519	603	327	795	872	250
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	301 53%	394 59%a	173 50%	522 59%c	547 57%	148 54%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	217 38%	220 33%	117 34%	320 36%	382 40%f	55 20%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	172 30%b	156 23%	96 28%	232 26%	287 30%f	41 15%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	226 39%	233 35%	131 37%	328 37%	394 41%f	65 24%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	109 19%	149 22%	72 21%	186 21%	225 23%f	33 12%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	66 11%	60 9%	35 10%	90 10%	110 11%f	16 6%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	47 8%b	26 4%	20 6%	53 6%	70 7%f	2 1%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	21 4%	25 4%	7 2%	39 4%	42 4%f	4 2%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	20 3%	18 3%	9 3%	29 3%	33 3%	5 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	27 5%b	16 2%	13 4%	31 3%	40 4%f	4 1%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	40 7%	45 7%	23 7%	61 7%	63 6%	22 8%

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Unweighted Base	1235	573	662	366	869	960	275
Weighted Base	1238	572	666	349	889	965	273
Effective Base	1122	519	603	327	795	872	250
None of these	278	141	137	98	181	198	81
	22%	25%	21%	28% ^d	20%	21%	29% ^e
Don't know	9	3	6	3	7	6	4
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	27 51%	75 51%	72 71%abeghk	54 58%	60 52%	67 57%	68 45%	98 57%g	76 67%begk	40 63%g	58 53%	642 58%m	49 41%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	19 37%g	53 36%g	36 36%g	38 40%g	39 34%g	38 32%g	31 21%	64 38%g	54 47%fgk	26 42%g	38 34%g	413 37%m	24 20%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	15 29%g	39 27%g	26 25%g	29 32%g	35 30%g	26 22%g	18 12%	55 32%g	34 30%g	19 30%g	31 28%g	310 28%m	18 15%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	23 43%g	52 35%g	49 49%gk	36 39%g	46 40%g	47 40%g	26 17%	67 39%g	46 41%g	27 42%g	39 35%g	433 39%m	25 21%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	8 14%	34 23%g	29 29%ghj	24 26%g	27 23%g	27 23%g	17 11%	29 17%	24 21%g	9 14%	31 28%ghj	233 21%	23 20%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	6 11%	12 8%	11 11%	13 13%g	14 12%g	10 9%	7 4%	23 14%g	10 9%	9 14%g	11 10%	120 11%m	6 5%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	4 8%	13 9%	4 4%	4 4%	6 5%	5 4%	12 8%	10 6%	3 3%	2 3%	10 9%i	63 6%	9 7%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	5 10%gj	4 2%	4 4%	3 3%	4 4%	3 3%	3 2%	13 8%gj	3 2%	-	5 5%j	42 4%	5 4%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	4 7%gh	6 4%	1 1%	3 3%	4 3%	6 5%h	2 1%	1 1%	5 4%	4 6%gh	3 2%	36 3%	2 1%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	4 7%i	3 2%	4 4%	4 4%	6 5%	4 3%	4 3%	7 4%	1 *	4 6%i	5 4%	40 4%	4 3%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	21 14%abcdefhi	-	-	26 41%abcde	38 34%abcdefghi	79 7%	6 5%

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 * small base

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
		North East (a)	North West (b)	Yorkshire & Humber (c)	East Midlands (d)	West Midlands (e)	East of England (f)	London (g)	South East (h)	South West (i)	Wales (j)	Scotland (k)	White (l)	BME (m)
Unweighted Base	1235	43	132	82	77	109	100	170	153	95	105	169	1017	213
Weighted Base	1238	53*	148	101*	93*	116	117*	151	171	114*	64	111	1112	119
Effective Base	1122	42	125	81	76	101	96	148	144	93	105	168	959	212
None of these	278	8	37	12	22	21	24	54	44	18	12	26	236	39
	22%	14%	25% ^c	12%	24%	18%	21%	36% ^a ^c ^e ^f ^g ⁱ ^j ^k	25% ^c	15%	19%	24% ^c	21%	33% ^l
Don't know	9	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	-	1	8	1
	1%	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	2%	2%	-	-	1%	1%	1%

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	177 66%bcf	193 56%	139 50%	55 57%	12 61%	118 52%	209 51%	159 63%gk	208 69%gjk	181 59%gk	120 46%	495 84%am	200 31%	92 86%opq	314 70%pq	215 53%q	74 27%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	145 54%bcd	140 40%cf	86 31%f	31 32%f	2 13%	32 14%	105 26%	107 42%gk	178 59%ghjk	118 38%gk	71 27%	388 66%am	50 8%	90 85%opq	250 55%pq	86 21%q	11 4%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	118 44%bcd	96 28%f	68 25%f	18 19%	1 7%	26 12%	85 21%	82 33%gk	129 43%ghjk	88 29%g	57 22%	283 48%am	45 7%	64 60%opq	173 38%pq	62 16%	29 10%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	134 50%bcd	142 41%df	104 38%df	18 19%	4 19%	56 24%	131 32%	111 44%gk	150 50%gk	130 42%gk	84 32%	371 63%am	87 13%	66 62%opq	214 47%pq	125 31%q	54 19%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	88 33%bcd	79 23%f	51 18%f	18 19%f	1 3%	21 9%	63 15%	65 26%g	105 35%ghjk	64 21%	50 19%	211 36%am	47 7%	45 42%opq	129 29%pq	55 14%	29 10%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	56 21%bcd	36 10%f	17 6%	5 5%	1 4%	10 4%	22 5%	27 11%g	62 21%ghjk	35 11%g	21 8%	115 20%am	10 2%	45 42%opq	62 14%pq	14 4%	4 1%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	41 15%bcd	23 7%cd	8 3%f	1 1%	- -	- -	18 4%	19 8%	44 15%ghjk	15 5%	10 4%	60 10%am	13 2%	32 30%opq	35 8%pq	3 1%	2 1%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	24 9%bcd	11 3%	8 3%	- -	- -	3 1%	12 3%	6 2%	31 10%ghjk	9 3%	8 3%	40 7%am	6 1%	23 21%opq	22 5%pq	1 *	1 *
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	14 5%cf	13 4%	6 2%	1 1%	1 3%	3 1%	8 2%	8 3%	18 6%gk	12 4%	6 2%	34 6%am	4 1%	18 17%opq	12 3%	6 2%	2 1%

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	QUALIFICATIONS (Q.28)						NEWSPAPER READERSHIP (Q.29)					POLITICAL ACTIVISM (Q.4A/5)		INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Degree or above (a)	Non-degree higher / A level / Level 3 (b)	GCSE/ apprenticeship / Level 2 (c)	Level 1 or below (d)	Other (e)	None (f)	Tabloids (g)	Mid-market (h)	Broadsheets (i)	Local (j)	None (k)	Activist (l)	Non activist (m)	Very (n)	Fairly (o)	Not very (p)	Not at all (q)	
Unweighted Base	1235	281	346	264	95	24	225	418	245	301	320	252	579	656	107	450	398	280
Weighted Base	1238	269	348	276	97*	19**	229	410	253	301	308	260	589	649	107*	451	402	278
Effective Base	1122	250	315	243	87	21	206	378	225	272	288	231	530	592	97	408	362	255
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	24 9%bcd	9 3%	7 3%	1 1%	-	3 1%	16 4%	7 3%	26 9%ghjk	7 2%	4 2%	40 7%m	4 1%	18 17%opq	17 4%q	7 2%	1 *
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	22 8%	27 8%	12 4%	4 4%	6 33%	14 6%	32 8%k	21 8%k	27 9%k	23 8%k	9 3%	79 13%m	6 1%	16 15%opq	37 8%p	19 5%	13 5%
None of these	278 22%	37 14%	66 19%	66 24%a	27 28%a	7 36%	76 33%abc	111 27%hij	43 17%	35 12%	54 17%	79 30%hij	1 *	277 43%l	1 1%	48 11%n	98 24%no	131 47%nop
Don't know	9 1%	3 1%	2 1%	1 *	1 1%	-	3 1%	1 *	2 1%	5 2%j	-	3 1%	-	9 1%l	-	1 *	3 1%	5 2%o

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	50 80%cd	355 71%cd	252 48%d	38 26%	601 76%f	36 10%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	46 73%bcd	255 51%cd	131 25%d	5 3%	354 45%f	60 17%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	36 56%bcd	189 38%cd	94 18%d	9 6%	255 32%f	56 16%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	36 57%cd	233 47%cd	163 31%d	25 17%	334 42%f	92 26%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	28 44%bcd	132 26%cd	82 16%	16 10%	181 23%f	58 16%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	25 40%bcd	78 16%cd	22 4%d	-	101 13%f	15 4%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	18 29%bcd	44 9%cd	11 2%	-	64 8%f	9 3%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	13 20%bcd	32 6%cd	1 *	1 *	41 5%f	3 1%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	12 19%bcd	16 3%	9 2%	1 1%	29 4%	6 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	11 18%bcd	24 5%cd	9 2%	-	37 5%f	6 2%
Voted in the last Welsh/London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	10 16%cd	44 9%cd	25 5%	5 3%	79 10%f	1 *

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 Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f
 * small base

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				WHETHER VOTED IN LAST ELECTION (Q.27)	
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Yes (e)	No (f)
Unweighted Base	1235	64	500	515	156	782	369
Weighted Base	1238	63*	501	523	150	790	356
Effective Base	1122	58	453	470	141	713	331
None of these	278	4	55	138	81	77	179
	22%	7%	11%	26%ab	54%abc	10%	50%e
Don't know	9	-	3	3	4	6	1
	1%	-	1%	1%	2%bc	1%	*

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Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b/c/d - e/f

* small base

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

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	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
Voted in the last local council election	695 56%	198 56%	170 55%	325 57%	512 79%efg	29 14%	618 73%eg	73 19%
Discussed politics or political news with someone else	437 35%	144 41%b	95 30%	197 35%	318 49%eg	25 12%	380 45%eg	57 15%
Signed a petition / Signed an e-petition	328 27%	111 32%b	70 22%	146 26%	218 34%eg	33 16%	272 32%eg	56 15%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	458 37%	137 39%	108 35%	210 37%	294 45%eg	51 24%	363 43%eg	94 25%
Done voluntary work	258 21%	79 23%	53 17%	123 22%	160 25%eg	28 13%	201 24%eg	56 14%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	126 10%	41 12%	23 7%	62 11%	97 15%eg	9 4%	110 13%eg	15 4%
Expressed my political opinions online	73 6%	21 6%	12 4%	40 7%	51 8%eg	6 3%	64 8%eg	9 2%
Been to any political meeting	46 4%	16 5%	7 2%	23 4%	35 5%g	5 2%	37 4%	9 2%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	38 3%	15 4%	7 2%	16 3%	30 5%eg	1 1%	35 4%eg	3 1%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	44 4%	12 4%	6 2%	26 5%b	29 5%e	1 1%	36 4%e	8 2%
Voted in the last Welsh/ London Assembly/Scottish Parliament election	85 7%	22 6%	11 4%	51 9%b	67 10%eg	3 1%	77 9%eg	8 2%

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Q.5 And which of these, if any, have you done in the last two or three years?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	SEAT MARGINALITY			VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Marginal (a)	Non-marginal (b)	Safe (c)	Certainly will (d)	Certainly will not (e)	Likely (f)	Unlikely (g)
Unweighted Base	1235	336	302	587	635	210	843	384
Weighted Base	1238	351	311	566	650	211	845	384
Effective Base	1122	310	277	527	581	191	766	348
None of these	278	75	62	137	67	105	105	170
	22%	21%	20%	24%	10%	50%df	12%	44%df
Don't know	9	1	6	2	3	2	4	4
	1%	*	2%	*	*	1%	*	1%