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●	81	10	Q.8 Which of these statements best describes your opinion on the present system of governing Britain?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	88	11	Q.9 What is the name of your local Member of Parliament?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
	95	12	Q.10 Summary table: Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	96	13	Q.10_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128

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●	101	14	Q.10_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	106	15	Q.10_03 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	111	16	Q.10_04 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. Members of the House of Lords are elected by the British public	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	116	17	Q.10_05 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. There is a minimum number of days that MPs have to attend Parliament each year	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	121	18	Q.10_06 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. Most of the money that local councils spend is raised locally, through council tax	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	126	19	Q.10_07 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. Government and Parliament are the same thing	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	131	20	Q.10_08 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. Political parties receive some state funding	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	136	21	Q.10_09 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question. The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128

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●	141	22	Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	149	23	Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	157	24	Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
	165	25	Q.14 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	166	26	Q.14_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... 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	1128
●	172	27	Q.14_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... Politics is a waste of time	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	178	28	Q.14_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... The only way to be really informed about politics is to get involved	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	184	29	Q.14_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... Participating in politics is not much fun	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	190	30	Q.14_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	196	31	Q.14_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	202	32	Q.14_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... A person like me could do a good job as a local MP	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	208	33	Q.14_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... Every citizen should get involved in politics if democracy is to work properly	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128

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●	214	34	Q.14_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	220	35	Q.14_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... I don't have enough time to get involved in politics	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
	226	36	Q.15 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the UK Parliament?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	227	37	Q.15_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	1128
●	233	38	Q.15_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	1128
●	239	39	Q.15_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	1128
●	245	40	Q.15_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	1128
●	251	41	Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	258	42	Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	272	43	Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	279	44	Q.19 What from this list, if anything, would you like to have learned more about at school?	Base: All who would have liked to have learned more	536

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	293	45	Q.20 Summary table: How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in...	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	294	46	Q.20_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in your local area	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	301	47	Q.20_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	1128
	308	48	Q.21 Summary table: To what extent, if at all, would you like to be involved in decision making in...	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	309	49	Q.21_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	1128
●	316	50	Q.21_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	1128
●	323	51	Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	330	52	Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
	337	53	Q.24 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	338	54	Q.24_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	345	55	Q.24_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	352	56	Q.24_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128

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●	359	57	Q.24_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	366	58	Q.24_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements... When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	373	59	Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	380	60	Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
●	387	61	Q.27 If politics were LESS influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?	Base: All aged 18 or above	1128
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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Labour	354 31%	165 32%	188 31%	46 27%	52 26%	64 34%	68 35%	46 33%	37 30%	41 38%	57 31%	78 27%	81 31%	137 34%	186 29%	168 33%
Conservative	162 14%	76 15%	86 14%	15 9%	25 12%	29 15%	30 15%	24 17% <sup>c</sup>	24 20% <sup>c</sup>	15 14%	46 25% <sup>lm</sup>	50 17% <sup>m</sup>	32 12%	34 8%	96 15%	66 13%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	20 4%	23 4%	7 4%	7 3%	3 2%	7 4%	11 8% <sup>eh</sup>	1 1%	7 6%	12 7% <sup>m</sup>	12 4%	10 4%	8 2%	27 4%	16 3%
UK Independence Party	42 4%	19 4%	23 4%	1 1%	3 1%	4 2%	7 4%	5 3%	16 13% <sup>cdefg</sup>	6 6% <sup>cd</sup>	10 6%	8 3%	14 5%	10 3%	31 5% <sup>o</sup>	11 2%
Green Party	35 3%	10 2%	24 4%	- -	10 5% <sup>c</sup>	3 2%	8 4% <sup>c</sup>	6 4% <sup>c</sup>	6 5% <sup>c</sup>	1 1%	10 5%	6 2%	6 2%	13 3%	20 3%	15 3%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	14 3%	9 2%	1 *	4 2%	4 2%	6 3%	5 3%	3 2%	2 2%	2 1%	9 3%	4 2%	8 2%	16 3%	7 1%
BNP	15 1%	10 2%	5 1%	3 2%	3 1%	2 1%	4 2%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	3 2%	3 1%	1 1%	8 2%	11 2%	3 1%
Respect	6 1%	3 1%	3 *	* *	3 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	2 1%	4 2% <sup>m</sup>	- -	3 1%	3 1%
Other	20 2%	10 2%	10 2%	3 2%	4 2%	4 2%	5 2%	* *	2 2%	1 1%	1 1%	5 2%	6 2%	7 2%	9 1%	11 2%
Would not vote	292 26%	131 25%	161 26%	74 44% <sup>defghi</sup>	64 32% <sup>fghi</sup>	58 31% <sup>fhi</sup>	37 19%	29 20%	14 11%	16 15%	21 11%	61 21% <sup>j</sup>	81 31% <sup>jk</sup>	129 32% <sup>jk</sup>	150 24%	142 28%
Not able\eligible to vote	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	* *	- -	- -	- -	* *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -
Undecided	112 10%	47 9%	64 10%	20 12%	22 11%	15 8%	19 9%	10 7%	14 11%	12 11%	19 10%	40 14% <sup>l</sup>	13 5%	40 10% <sup>l</sup>	55 9%	57 11%
Refused	29 3%	13 3%	16 3%	1 1%	5 2%	2 1%	5 3%	3 2%	5 4%	7 7% <sup>ce</sup>	3 2%	15 5% <sup>lm</sup>	4 2%	7 2%	26 4% <sup>o</sup>	3 1%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Labour	354 31%	163 29%	191 34%	117 33%	236 30%	280 30%	73 37%	76 27%	105 30%	83 38%g	74 32%	14 34%	142 33%n	109 38%n	102 24%
Conservative	162 14%	86 15%	75 13%	54 15%	108 14%	145 16%f	17 8%	55 19%ij	67 19%ij	11 5%	21 9%	7 17%i	53 13%	39 13%	70 17%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	25 4%	18 3%	10 3%	33 4%	36 4%	7 3%	10 4%	17 5%	4 2%	12 5%	1 1%	7 2%	8 3%	28 7%lm
UK Independence Party	42 4%	13 2%	29 5%a	6 2%	36 5%c	34 4%	8 4%	26 9%hij	9 3%	4 2%	1 1%	1 3%	20 5%	8 3%	14 3%
Green Party	35 3%	18 3%	17 3%	13 4%	22 3%	29 3%	6 3%	12 4%	7 2%	7 3%	8 4%	-	17 4%	6 2%	11 3%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	14 2%	10 2%	6 2%	17 2%	19 2%	4 2%	7 2%	11 3%	2 1%	1 1%	2 4%	1 *	6 2%l	16 4%l
BNP	15 1%	6 1%	9 2%	5 1%	10 1%	12 1%	3 1%	1 *	6 2%	6 3%	1 *	1 3%j	6 1%	7 2%n	2 *
Respect	6 1%	5 1%	2 *	1 *	5 1%	5 1%	1 1%	1 *	* *	1 1%	3 1%	-	3 1%	2 1%	1 *
Other	20 2%	10 2%	9 2%	5 1%	15 2%	17 2%	3 1%	4 1%	3 1%	9 4%h	4 2%	-	8 2%	6 2%	6 1%
Would not vote	292 26%	163 29%b	129 23%	101 28%	191 25%	245 26%	47 24%	49 17%	81 23%	69 31%g	83 36%gh	10 25%	125 29%lm	56 19%	111 26%lm
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	1 *	* *	* *	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- *	* *	1 *	- -
Undecided	112 10%	55 10%	57 10%	35 10%	76 10%	92 10%	20 10%	31 11%	36 10%	18 8%	21 9%	5 12%	31 7%	31 11%	50 12%l
Refused	29 3%	13 2%	16 3%	3 1%	26 3%c	18 2%	10 5%e	12 4%j	7 2%	7 3%	2 1%	-	13 3%	8 3%	9 2%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Labour	354 31%	26 44%cfhi	47 36%c	19 21%	25 31%	25 28%	31 26%	67 48%cdefhij k	41 24%	23 23%	19 33%	31 31%	291 29%	59 53%l
Conservative	162 14%	4 7%	15 12%	15 17%	13 16%	15 17%	16 14%	19 13%	25 15%	21 22%ak	6 10%	10 10%	148 15%	12 11%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	1 2%	7 5%	3 3%	3 3%	3 3%	6 5%	1 1%	4 2%	9 9%gh	1 2%	5 5%g	41 4% m	* *
UK Independence Party	42 4%	- -	8 6%gk	7 8%ghk	1 2%	3 3%	4 4%	1 1%	3 2%	7 7%gk	6 10%adghk	1 1%	42 4% m	- -
Green Party	35 3%	1 2%	- -	4 5%b	1 2%	1 2%	7 6%bjk	3 2%	11 7%bjk	4 4%b	- -	1 1%	34 3% m	1 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 7%abcde fghi	19 19% bcdefgh ij	23 2% m	* *
BNP	15 1%	1 2%	3 2%	1 2%	3 3%	1 2%	- -	3 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	15 1%	- -
Respect	6 1%	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	1 2%	- -	1 1%	2 1%	- -	- -	* *	6 1%	1 1%
Other	20 2%	1 2%	1 1%	1 2%	3 4%	- -	1 1%	5 4%	2 1%	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	15 2%	3 3%
Would not vote	292 26%	17 29%	35 27%	19 21%	21 27%	30 34%gk	31 26%	24 17%	61 36%cgik	20 20%	15 26%	18 18%	267 26%	25 22%
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	1 *	* *
Undecided	112 10%	6 10%	11 9%	14 15%	4 5%	8 9%	19 16% d	14 10%	13 8%	7 7%	4 7%	12 12%	100 10%	8 7%
Refused	29 3%	- -	3 2%	4 5%	6 7%gk	* 1%	3 3%	1 1%	4 2%	6 6%g	1 1%	1 1%	27 3%	2 2%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Labour	354 31%	52 46%cd	131 36%d	120 33%d	50 17%
Conservative	162 14%	17 15%d	90 25%acd	42 11%d	12 4%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	5 4%	14 4%	15 4%	9 3%
UK Independence Party	42 4%	8 7%d	20 6%d	13 4%d	1 *
Green Party	35 3%	10 9%cd	14 4%d	8 2%	3 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	5 4%d	12 3%d	5 1%	1 *
BNP	15 1%	1 1%	3 1%	7 2%	4 1%
Respect	6 1%	3 2%d	2 1%	1 *	-
Other	20 2%	* *	9 2%	7 2%	3 1%
Would not vote	292 26%	6 5%	22 6%	95 26%ab	168 58%abc
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	* *	- -	1 *	- -
Undecided	112 10%	5 5%	28 8%	47 13%ab	31 11%
Refused	29 3%	1 1%	15 4%c	5 1%	6 2%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Labour	354 31%	22 47% <sup>d</sup>	150 35% <sup>d</sup>	154 33% <sup>d</sup>	27 15%	21 43% <sup>h</sup>	130 35% <sup>h</sup>	167 33% <sup>h</sup>	35 18%
Conservative	162 14%	10 21% <sup>d</sup>	91 21% <sup>cd</sup>	51 11% <sup>d</sup>	9 5%	9 18% <sup>h</sup>	79 21% <sup>gh</sup>	62 12% <sup>h</sup>	12 6%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	1 1%	14 3%	26 6% <sup>d</sup>	1 1%	-	16 4%	23 5%	4 2%
UK Independence Party	42 4%	3 7% <sup>cd</sup>	29 7% <sup>cd</sup>	10 2%	-	4 8% <sup>h</sup>	23 6% <sup>gh</sup>	15 3%	1 *
Green Party	35 3%	3 6% <sup>d</sup>	20 5% <sup>d</sup>	10 2%	1 1%	4 8% <sup>gh</sup>	17 5% <sup>h</sup>	14 3% <sup>h</sup>	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	1 2%	11 3% <sup>d</sup>	11 2%	-	2 5% <sup>h</sup>	10 3%	10 2%	1 *
BNP	15 1%	1 1%	7 2%	4 1%	3 2%	2 4%	4 1%	4 1%	4 2%
Respect	6 1%	1 3% <sup>d</sup>	2 *	3 1%	-	-	3 1%	3 1%	-
Other	20 2%	-	7 2%	9 2%	4 2%	-	8 2%	8 2%	4 2%
Would not vote	292 26%	2 3%	50 12%	132 28% <sup>ab</sup>	109 60% <sup>abc</sup>	1 2%	42 11%	142 28% <sup>ef</sup>	107 55% <sup>efg</sup>
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	* *	- -	1 *	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -
Undecided	112 10%	1 2%	37 9%	51 11%	23 13%	3 7%	27 7%	55 11%	26 13% <sup>f</sup>
Refused	29 3%	3 6%	13 3%	8 2%	3 2%	3 6%	12 3%	9 2%	3 2%

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

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**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Labour	354 31%	207 45%bd	6 2%	295 43%bd	58 13%b
Conservative	162 14%	88 19%bd	3 1%	132 19%bd	28 6%b
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43 4%	19 4%b	1 1%	34 5%bd	8 2%
UK Independence Party	42 4%	27 6%bd	1 1%	37 5%bd	4 1%
Green Party	35 3%	23 5%bd	1 1%	31 4%bd	4 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23 2%	18 4%bd	-	22 3%bd	1 *
BNP	15 1%	5 1%	3 1%	10 2%	4 1%
Respect	6 1%	3 1%	-	5 1%	1 *
Other	20 2%	9 2%	-	12 2%	8 2%
Would not vote	292 26%	5 1%	194 86%acd	18 3%	271 63%ac
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 *
Undecided	112 10%	36 8%	12 5%	68 10%	38 9%
Refused	29 3%	22 5%bd	2 1%	24 3%d	4 1%

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**Q.1 How would you vote if there were a General Election tomorrow?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Labour	354	354	-	-	-	-	8	90	152	93	330	23
	31%	94%bcde	-	-	-	-	35%	32%	33%	31%	33%k	18%
Conservative	162	-	162	-	-	-	10	62	68	18	157	4
	14%	-	92%acde	-	-	-	44%	22%hi	15%i	6%	16%k	3%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	43	-	-	43	-	-	-	12	22	9	40	3
	4%	-	-	88%abde	-	-	-	4%	5%	3%	4%	2%
UK Independence Party	42	-	-	-	-	42	-	10	18	14	42	-
	4%	-	-	-	-	9%abd	-	4%	4%	5%	4%k	-
Green Party	35	-	-	-	-	35	-	12	13	9	35	-
	3%	-	-	-	-	7%ab	-	4%	3%	3%	3%k	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	23	-	-	-	-	23	-	3	15	5	23	1
	2%	-	-	-	-	5%ab	-	1%	3%	2%	2%	*
BNP	15	-	-	-	-	15	-	1	6	7	12	3
	1%	-	-	-	-	3%ab	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Respect	6	-	-	-	-	6	-	3	2	2	4	2
	1%	-	-	-	-	1%a	-	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Other	20	-	-	-	-	20	-	4	10	5	13	7
	2%	-	-	-	-	4%ab	-	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%j
Would not vote	292	-	-	-	-	292	4	43	98	113	224	68
	26%	-	-	-	-	61%abcd	19%	15%	21%	37%gh	22%	51%j
Not able\eligible to vote	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	*	1	-	-	1
	*	-	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-	-	1%j
Undecided	112	20	14	6	47	24	1	30	47	22	95	17
	10%	5%	8%	12%	92%abce	5%	2%	11%	10%	7%	9%	13%
Refused	29	1	-	-	4	23	-	7	9	7	24	5
	3%	*	-	-	8%ab	5%ab	-	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	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	132	62	70	20	23	19	24	11	18	17	19	52	16	45	77	55
Weighted Base	140	60*	80*	21**	27**	17**	24**	14**	19**	19**	22**	54*	17**	46*	80*	60*
Effective Base	113	51	62	17	21	15	20	10	16	15	17	44	14	38	66	48
Labour	22 15%	7 12%	14 18%	4 20%	2 9%	6 32%	4 17%	* 3%	2 11%	3 17%	3 13%	11 20%	- -	8 17%	10 13%	11 19%
Conservative	14 10%	7 11%	7 9%	- -	* 2%	2 11%	1 6%	1 10%	5 26%	4 21%	4 19%	4 7%	1 4%	5 11%	8 10%	6 10%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	1 2%	5 6%	* 2%	3 10%	- -	1 6%	1 10%	- -	- -	3 13%	3 5%	- -	* 1%	3 3%	3 5%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	- -	2 2%	- -	- -	1 8%	1 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 8%	1 1%	1 1%	1 2%
Green Party	2 1%	* 1%	1 2%	- -	- -	* 3%	- -	1 10%	- -	- -	- -	1 3%	- -	* 1%	1 2%	* 1%
UK Independence Party	2 1%	2 3%	- -	1 7%	- -	* 3%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	* 3%	1 3%	* 1%	1 2%
BNP	1 1%	- -	1 2%	- -	1 5%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 3%	- -	- -	1 2%	- -
Respect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	5 8%	4 5%	- -	3 10%	3 16%	2 8%	1 10%	- -	- -	- -	2 4%	3 16%	4 9%	5 6%	4 7%
Undecided	51 36%	24 39%	28 35%	14 65%	14 53%	4 22%	8 33%	3 25%	7 38%	1 6%	8 35%	19 35%	9 51%	16 34%	29 37%	22 36%
Refused	30 21%	14 23%	16 20%	1 7%	1 5%	1 6%	7 28%	4 31%	5 26%	10 56%	5 21%	13 24%	2 11%	10 22%	20 25%	10 17%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	132	63	69	37	95	103	29	39	40	22	25	6	37	37	58
Weighted Base	140	68*	73*	38*	102*	110*	30**	44*	43*	26**	23**	5**	44*	38*	59*
Effective Base	113	54	59	31	82	89	24	35	34	20	20	5	33	31	49
Labour	22 15%	13 19%	9 12%	6 16%	16 15%	18 17%	3 11%	4 9%	6 15%	5 18%	5 20%	2 47%	5 11%	10 27%	7 12%
Conservative	14 10%	3 5%	11 15%	2 6%	12 11%	9 8%	5 17%	8 19%	3 8%	1 5%	1 5%	-	2 5%	4 11%	8 13%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	5 7%	1 2%	1 4%	5 5%	6 5%	-	1 3%	3 7%	-	2 8%	-	1 3%	* 1%	4 7%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	1 2%	1 1%	1 4%	1 1%	2 2%	-	1 1%	1 3%	-	-	-	1 3%	-	1 1%
Green Party	2 1%	1 2%	* 1%	-	2 2%	1 1%	* 1%	2 4%	-	-	-	-	2 4%	-	-
UK Independence Party	2 1%	* 1%	1 2%	* 1%	1 1%	2 2%	-	-	* 1%	1 5%	-	-	* 1%	-	1 2%
BNP	1 1%	1 2%	-	-	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	1 3%	-	-	-	1 3%	-	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	5 7%	4 6%	6 15% <sup>d</sup>	3 3%	8 7%	1 5%	3 6%	1 1%	4 16%	1 6%	-	6 13% <sup>n</sup>	3 7%	1 1%
Undecided	51 36%	25 36%	27 36%	17 45%	34 33%	45 40%	7 22%	10 24%	17 40%	8 32%	13 58%	2 40%	15 33%	11 29%	26 44%
Refused	30 21%	11 16%	19 26%	4 10%	26 26%	17 15%	13 43%	15 34%	8 19%	6 22%	1 4%	1 13%	10 24%	9 25%	10 18%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	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	132	4	10	14	8	8	18	15	16	9	7	23	107	22
Weighted Base	140	6**	14**	18**	9**	8**	22**	15**	18**	13**	5**	13**	127*	10**
Effective Base	113	4	10	13	7	7	17	12	14	9	7	23	98	22
Labour	22 15%	3 50%	4 30%	2 10%	3 30%	-	2 8%	5 33%	* 3%	1 11%	-	1 10%	18 14%	4 39%
Conservative	14 10%	-	-	2 10%	-	-	3 13%	2 12%	1 8%	4 33%	1 14%	1 9%	13 10%	1 9%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	-	-	1 8%	-	* 5%	1 6%	-	1 8%	1 11%	-	-	6 4%	* 5%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	1 25%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 4%	2 2%	-
Green Party	2 1%	-	-	-	-	* 5%	1 6%	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	* 5%
UK Independence Party	2 1%	-	-	-	* 5%	-	-	-	1 8%	-	-	-	1 1%	* 5%
BNP	1 1%	-	-	-	-	1 17%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	-	1 10%	1 8%	-	1 17%	1 6%	1 9%	1 8%	-	-	1 4%	9 7%	-
Undecided	51 36%	1 25%	4 30%	4 24%	* 5%	4 50%	9 42%	7 46%	7 39%	3 22%	3 57%	8 63%	47 37%	3 28%
Refused	30 21%	-	4 30%	7 40%	4 45%	* 5%	4 19%	-	5 26%	3 22%	1 29%	1 9%	28 22%	1 9%



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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	132	6	40	49	35
Weighted Base	140	7**	43*	51*	37**
Effective Base	113	5	34	42	30
Labour	22 15%	1 22%	7 16%	10 19%	4 10%
Conservative	14 10%	2 28%	9 20%	3 7%	-
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	* 7%	3 7%	3 5%	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	-	1 1%	1 3%	-
Green Party	2 1%	-	-	2 4%	-
UK Independence Party	2 1%	-	* 1%	-	1 4%
BNP	1 1%	-	1 3%	-	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	-	1 3%	1 3%	6 17%
Undecided	51 36%	-	8 19%	23 45%b	19 51%
Refused	30 21%	3 43%	11 26%	8 15%	7 18%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	132	4	47	56	24	5	42	57	27
Weighted Base	140	4**	50*	59*	26**	6**	39*	64*	29**
Effective Base	113	3	40	48	21	5	34	50	24
Labour	22 15%	-	10 20%	8 14%	3 13%	1 23%	7 19%	10 15%	3 12%
Conservative	14 10%	-	10 19%	4 7%	-	1 23%	4 11%	8 13%	-
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	-	2 4%	4 7%	-	-	3 7%	3 5%	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	-	1 1%	1 2%	-	-	-	2 3%	-
Green Party	2 1%	-	-	2 3%	-	-	-	2 3%	-
UK Independence Party	2 1%	-	* 1%	-	1 5%	-	* 1%	-	1 5%
BNP	1 1%	-	-	1 2%	-	-	-	1 2%	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	-	3 6%	2 3%	4 16%	-	1 4%	2 3%	6 19%
Undecided	51 36%	1 27%	9 19%	26 45% <sup>b</sup>	14 56%	1 9%	10 25%	24 38%	16 56%
Refused	30 21%	3 73%	14 28%	10 16%	2 9%	3 45%	12 30%	12 18%	2 8%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	132	54	14	84	42
Weighted Base	140	58*	14**	92*	42*
Effective Base	113	47	12	74	35
Labour	22 15%	10 17%	* 3%	16 18%	5 13%
Conservative	14 10%	6 10%	-	12 13%	2 4%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6 4%	1 2%	-	4 5%	2 4%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2 1%	1 1%	-	1 1%	1 3%
Green Party	2 1%	-	-	1 2%	* 1%
UK Independence Party	2 1%	-	1 10%	* *	1 3%
BNP	1 1%	-	-	1 2%	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9 6%	1 2%	4 29%	3 3%	5 11%
Undecided	51 36%	16 27%	8 54%	24 26%	24 57%ac
Refused	30 21%	22 37%d	1 4%	28 30%d	1 2%

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**Q.2 Which party are you most inclined to support?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above who refused or were undecided about who they would vote for in a General Election**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	132	23	13	5	51	40	1	33	52	29	109	23
Weighted Base	140	22**	14**	6**	51*	47*	1**	37**	57*	29**	119*	22**
Effective Base	113	18	11	5	43	36	1	29	45	24	95	19
Labour	22	22	-	-	-	-	-	9	11	1	20	1
	15%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	23%	20%	5%	17%	6%
Conservative	14	-	14	-	-	-	-	4	8	2	14	-
	10%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	11%	14%	6%	12%	-
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	3	3	*	6	-
	4%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	8%	5%	2%	5%	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	2	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	4%	-	-	1%	5%	2%	-
Green Party	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	*	2	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	4%	-	-	2%	2%	2%	-
UK Independence Party	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	*	1
	1%	-	-	-	-	4%	-	-	-	6%	*	7%
BNP	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
	1%	-	-	-	-	3%	-	4%	-	-	1%	-
Respect	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Would not vote	9	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	2	3	8	1
	6%	-	-	-	-	19% <sup>d</sup>	-	-	3%	10%	6%	7%
Undecided	51	-	-	-	51	-	1	9	22	11	36	16
	36%	-	-	-	100% <sup>e</sup>	-	100%	25%	40%	39%	30%	72%
Refused	30	-	-	-	-	30	-	10	8	8	28	2
	21%	-	-	-	-	63% <sup>d</sup>	-	26%	14%	26%	24%	9%

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Labour	375	173	203	50	55	70	72	47	38	44	60	89	81	145	196	179
	33%	33%	33%	29%	27%	37%	37%	33%	31%	41% <sup>d</sup>	32%	31%	31%	36%	31%	36%
Conservative	175	83	93	15	25	31	31	25	29	19	50	53	33	39	104	72
	16%	16%	15%	9%	12%	16%	16%	18% <sup>c</sup>	24% <sup>cd</sup>	18% <sup>c</sup>	27% <sup>lm</sup>	19% <sup>m</sup>	13%	10%	16%	14%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49	21	28	7	10	3	8	12	1	7	15	15	10	8	29	19
	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	2%	4%	9% <sup>eh</sup>	1%	6%	8% <sup>m</sup>	5% <sup>m</sup>	4%	2%	5%	4%
UK Independence Party	44	21	23	3	3	4	7	5	16	6	10	8	14	12	32	12
	4%	4%	4%	2%	1%	2%	4%	3%	13% <sup>cdefg</sup>	6% <sup>d</sup>	6%	3%	6%	3%	5% <sup>o</sup>	2%
Green Party	37	11	26	-	10	4	8	8	6	1	10	7	6	14	21	15
	3%	2%	4%	-	5% <sup>c</sup>	2%	4% <sup>c</sup>	5% <sup>c</sup>	5% <sup>c</sup>	1%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25	14	11	1	4	5	7	5	3	2	2	9	6	9	17	8
	2%	3%	2%	*	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
BNP	16	10	6	3	4	2	4	1	1	-	3	4	1	8	13	3
	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Respect	6	3	3	*	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	4	-	3	3
	1%	1%	*	*	2%	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	2% <sup>m</sup>	-	1%	1%
Other	20	10	10	3	4	4	5	*	2	1	1	5	6	7	9	11
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	*	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
Would not vote	301	135	166	74	66	61	39	30	14	16	21	63	84	133	155	146
	27%	26%	27%	44% <sup>efghi</sup>	33% <sup>fghi</sup>	32% <sup>fhi</sup>	20%	21% <sup>h</sup>	11%	15%	11%	22% <sup>j</sup>	32% <sup>jk</sup>	33% <sup>jk</sup>	25%	29%
Not able\eligible to vote	1	-	1	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	1	-	1	-
	*	-	*	-	*	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	*	-	*	-
Undecided	51	24	28	14	14	4	8	3	7	1	8	19	9	16	29	22
	5%	5%	5%	8% <sup>egi</sup>	7% <sup>ei</sup>	2%	4%	2%	6%	1%	4%	7%	3%	4%	5%	4%
Refused	30	14	16	1	1	1	7	4	5	10	5	13	2	10	20	10
	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%	4%	10% <sup>cdefg</sup>	3%	5% <sup>l</sup>	1%	3%	3%	2%

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\* small base

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Labour	375 33%	176 31%	199 35%	123 35%	252 32%	298 32%	77 38%	80 28%	111 32%	88 40%g	79 34%	17 40%	147 34%n	120 42%n	109 26%
Conservative	175 16%	90 16%	86 15%	56 16%	119 15%	153 16%	22 11%	63 22%ij	70 20%ij	13 6%	22 10%	7 17%i	55 13%	43 15%	77 18%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49 4%	29 5%	20 3%	11 3%	38 5%	42 5%	7 3%	12 4%	19 6%i	4 2%	14 6%i	1 1%	8 2%	9 3%	32 8%lm
UK Independence Party	44 4%	14 2%	30 5%a	7 2%	37 5%c	36 4%	8 4%	26 9%hij	10 3%	5 2%	1 1%	1 3%	20 5%	8 3%	16 4%
Green Party	37 3%	19 3%	17 3%	13 4%	24 3%	30 3%	7 3%	14 5%	7 2%	7 3%	8 4%	-	19 5%	6 2%	11 3%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25 2%	15 3%	10 2%	7 2%	18 2%	21 2%	4 2%	8 3%	12 3%j	2 1%	1 1%	2 4%	3 1%	6 2%	17 4%l
BNP	16 1%	7 1%	9 2%	5 1%	11 1%	13 1%	3 1%	1 *	7 2%	6 3%	1 *	1 3%j	7 2%	7 2%n	2 *
Respect	6 1%	5 1%	2 *	1 *	5 1%	5 1%	1 1%	1 *	* *	1 1%	3 1%	-	3 1%	2 1%	1 *
Other	20 2%	10 2%	9 2%	5 1%	15 2%	17 2%	3 1%	4 1%	3 1%	9 4%h	4 2%	-	8 2%	6 2%	6 1%
Would not vote	301 27%	168 29%b	133 24%	107 30%	194 25%	252 27%	49 24%	52 18%	81 23%	73 33%gh	84 36%gh	10 25%	131 31%lm	59 20%	111 27%
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	1 *	* *	* *	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -	* *	1 *	- -
Undecided	51 5%	25 4%	27 5%	17 5%	34 4%	45 5%	7 3%	10 4%	17 5%	8 4%	13 6%	2 5%	15 3%	11 4%	26 6%
Refused	30 3%	11 2%	19 3%	4 1%	26 3%c	17 2%	13 6%e	15 5%j	8 2%	6 3%	1 *	2 2%	10 2%	9 3%	10 2%

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Labour	375 33%	28 49% <i>cefhik</i>	51 39% <i>ch</i>	20 23%	27 34%	25 28%	33 28%	72 51% <i>cdefhijk</i>	42 25%	24 25%	19 33%	33 33%	309 31%	62 57% <i>l</i>
Conservative	175 16%	4 7%	15 12%	17 19%	13 16%	15 17%	19 16%	21 15%	27 16%	26 26% <i>abjk</i>	7 11%	11 11%	161 16%	13 12%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49 4%	1 2%	7 5%	4 5%	3 3%	3 4%	7 6% <i>g</i>	1 1%	6 3%	10 10% <i>gh</i>	1 2%	5 5% <i>g</i>	47 5% <i>m</i>	1 1%
UK Independence Party	44 4%	- -	8 6% <i>gk</i>	7 8% <i>gk</i>	2 2%	3 3%	4 4%	1 1%	4 2%	7 7% <i>gk</i>	6 10% <i>adghk</i>	1 1%	44 4% <i>m</i>	* *
Green Party	37 3%	1 2%	- -	4 5% <i>b</i>	1 2%	2 2%	8 7% <i>bjk</i>	3 2%	11 7% <i>bjk</i>	4 4% <i>b</i>	- -	1 1%	36 4% <i>m</i>	1 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25 2%	1 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	4 7% <i>bcdef</i>	20 19% <i>abcdefgh</i>	25 2% <i>m</i>	* *
BNP	16 1%	1 2%	3 2%	1 2%	3 3%	3 3%	- -	3 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	16 2%	- -
Respect	6 1%	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	1 2%	- -	1 1%	2 1%	- -	- -	* *	6 1%	1 1%
Other	20 2%	1 2%	1 1%	1 2%	3 4%	- -	1 1%	5 4%	2 1%	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	15 2%	3 3%
Would not vote	301 27%	17 29%	37 28%	21 23%	21 27%	32 36% <i>gik</i>	32 27%	25 18%	62 37% <i>cgik</i>	20 20%	15 26%	19 19%	276 27%	25 22%
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	1 *	* *
Undecided	51 5%	1 2%	4 3%	4 5%	1 1%	4 5%	9 8% <i>d</i>	7 5%	7 4%	3 3%	3 5%	8 8% <i>d</i>	47 5%	3 2%
Refused	30 3%	- -	4 3%	7 8% <i>egk</i>	4 5% <i>g</i>	* 1%	4 4% <i>g</i>	- -	5 3%	3 3%	1 2% <i>g</i>	1 1%	28 3%	1 1%

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 \* small base

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Labour	375 33%	54 47%cd	138 38%d	130 35%d	54 19%
Conservative	175 16%	19 17%d	99 28%acd	45 12%d	12 4%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49 4%	5 5%	16 5%	18 5%	9 3%
UK Independence Party	44 4%	8 7%d	21 6%d	13 4%	3 1%
Green Party	37 3%	10 9%cd	14 4%d	10 3%	3 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25 2%	5 4%d	13 3%d	7 2%	1 *
BNP	16 1%	1 1%	4 1%	7 2%	4 1%
Respect	6 1%	3 2%d	2 1%	1 *	-
Other	20 2%	* *	9 2%	7 2%	3 1%
Would not vote	301 27%	6 5%	23 7%	97 26%ab	175 60%abc
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	* *	- -	1 *	- -
Undecided	51 5%	- -	8 2%	23 6%ab	19 7%ab
Refused	30 3%	3 2%	11 3%	8 2%	7 2%

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\* small base



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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Labour	375 33%	22 47% <sup>d</sup>	160 37% <sup>d</sup>	163 35% <sup>d</sup>	30 17%	23 46% <sup>h</sup>	138 37% <sup>h</sup>	177 34% <sup>h</sup>	38 19%
Conservative	175 16%	10 21% <sup>d</sup>	101 23% <sup>cd</sup>	56 12% <sup>d</sup>	9 5%	10 20% <sup>h</sup>	84 23% <sup>gh</sup>	70 14% <sup>h</sup>	12 6%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49 4%	1 1%	16 4%	31 7% <sup>d</sup>	1 1%	-	18 5%	26 5%	4 2%
UK Independence Party	44 4%	3 7% <sup>cd</sup>	30 7% <sup>cd</sup>	10 2%	1 1%	4 8% <sup>h</sup>	23 6% <sup>gh</sup>	15 3%	2 1%
Green Party	37 3%	3 6% <sup>d</sup>	20 5% <sup>d</sup>	12 3%	1 1%	4 8% <sup>h</sup>	17 5% <sup>h</sup>	15 3% <sup>h</sup>	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25 2%	1 2%	12 3% <sup>d</sup>	12 3% <sup>d</sup>	-	2 5% <sup>h</sup>	10 3%	12 2%	1 *
BNP	16 1%	1 1%	7 2%	6 1%	3 2%	2 4%	4 1%	6 1%	4 2%
Respect	6 1%	1 3% <sup>d</sup>	2 *	3 1%	-	-	3 1%	3 1%	-
Other	20 2%	-	7 2%	9 2%	4 2%	-	8 2%	8 2%	4 2%
Would not vote	301 27%	2 3%	53 12%	133 28% <sup>ab</sup>	113 63% <sup>abc</sup>	1 2%	43 12%	144 28% <sup>ef</sup>	112 57% <sup>efg</sup>
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	* *	- -	1 *	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -
Undecided	51 5%	1 2%	9 2%	26 6% <sup>b</sup>	14 8% <sup>b</sup>	1 1%	10 3%	24 5%	16 8% <sup>f</sup>
Refused	30 3%	3 6%	14 3%	10 2%	2 1%	3 6%	12 3%	12 2%	2 1%

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\* small base

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Labour	375 33%	217 47%bd	6 3%	312 45%bd	63 15%b
Conservative	175 16%	94 20%bd	3 1%	145 21%bd	29 7%b
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49 4%	20 4%b	1 1%	39 6%bd	10 2%
UK Independence Party	44 4%	27 6%bd	3 1%	37 5%bd	6 1%
Green Party	37 3%	23 5%bd	1 1%	32 5%bd	5 1%
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25 2%	19 4%bd	-	22 3%bd	3 1%
BNP	16 1%	5 1%	3 1%	12 2%	4 1%
Respect	6 1%	3 1%	-	5 1%	1 *
Other	20 2%	9 2%	-	12 2%	8 2%
Would not vote	301 27%	7 1%	198 88%acd	21 3%	276 64%ac
Not able/eligible to vote	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 *
Undecided	51 5%	16 3%	8 3%	24 3%	24 6%
Refused	30 3%	22 5%bd	1 *	28 4%bd	1 *

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**Q.1/Q.2 Voting intention (who would vote for or most inclined to support)**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Labour	375	375	-	-	-	-	8	98	163	94	350	25
	33%	100%bcde	-	-	-	-	35%	35%	35%	31%	35%k	19%
Conservative	175	-	175	-	-	-	10	66	77	20	171	4
	16%	-	100%acde	-	-	-	44%	24%hi	17%i	7%	17%k	3%
Liberal Democrats (Lib Dem)	49	-	-	49	-	-	-	14	25	10	46	3
	4%	-	-	100%abde	-	-	-	5%	5%	3%	5%	2%
UK Independence Party	44	-	-	-	-	44	-	10	18	16	43	1
	4%	-	-	-	-	9%abd	-	4%	4%	5%	4%	1%
Green Party	37	-	-	-	-	37	-	12	14	9	37	-
	3%	-	-	-	-	8%ab	-	4%	3%	3%	4%k	-
Scottish/Welsh Nationalist	25	-	-	-	-	25	-	3	15	6	25	1
	2%	-	-	-	-	5%ab	-	1%	3%	2%	2%	*
BNP	16	-	-	-	-	16	-	3	6	7	13	3
	1%	-	-	-	-	3%ab	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
Respect	6	-	-	-	-	6	-	3	2	2	4	2
	1%	-	-	-	-	1%a	-	1%	*	1%	*	1%
Other	20	-	-	-	-	20	-	4	10	5	13	7
	2%	-	-	-	-	4%ab	-	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%j
Would not vote	301	-	-	-	-	301	4	43	100	116	231	70
	27%	-	-	-	-	63%abcd	19%	15%	22%	38%gh	23%	53%j
Not able/eligible to vote	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	*	1	-	-	1
	*	-	-	-	-	*	-	*	*	-	-	1%j
Undecided	51	-	-	-	51	-	1	9	22	11	36	16
	5%	-	-	-	100%abce	-	2%	3%	5%	4%	4%	12%j
Refused	30	-	-	-	-	30	-	10	8	8	28	2
	3%	-	-	-	-	6%ab	-	4%	2%	3%	3%	1%

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\* 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**

	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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	462 (10)	226 41%	235 38%	21 12%	62 31% <sup>c</sup>	67 35% <sup>c</sup>	93 47% <sup>cde</sup>	72 51% <sup>cde</sup>	84 67% <sup>cdefg</sup>	63 59% <sup>cde</sup>	99 53% <sup>klm</sup>	123 43%	99 38%	141 35%	280 44% <sup>o</sup>	181 36%
9	49 (9)	25 4%	25 4%	3 2%	7 3%	9 5%	17 9% <sup>cdi</sup>	7 5%	4 4%	2 2%	18 10% <sup>klm</sup>	12 4%	5 2%	14 4%	30 5%	19 4%
8	73 (8)	31 6%	42 7%	14 8%	14 7%	12 6%	9 5%	7 5%	7 6%	11 10%	13 7%	21 7%	15 6%	24 6%	30 5%	43 9% <sup>n</sup>
7	48 (7)	20 4%	28 5%	11 7% <sup>f</sup>	13 6% <sup>f</sup>	9 5%	3 2%	4 3%	2 1%	6 5%	6 3%	17 6%	10 4%	15 4%	26 4%	22 4%
6	57 (6)	26 5%	31 5%	11 6%	8 4%	6 3%	17 9% <sup>e</sup>	5 3%	6 5%	4 4%	4 2%	14 5%	16 6%	23 6%	26 4%	31 6%
5	103 (5)	40 9%	63 10%	31 18% <sup>deghi</sup>	15 7%	17 9%	23 11% <sup>h</sup>	9 6%	4 4%	5 4%	15 8%	30 11%	23 9%	36 9%	56 9%	47 9%
4	20 (4)	10 2%	10 2%	2 1%	5 3% <sup>f</sup>	7 3% <sup>f</sup>	- -	4 3% <sup>f</sup>	3 2%	- -	1 *	5 2%	8 3%	7 2%	13 2%	7 1%
3	52 (3)	19 5%	32 5%	11 7% <sup>fh</sup>	9 4%	19 10% <sup>dfgh</sup>	3 2%	5 3%	1 1%	3 3%	10 5%	10 3%	14 5%	18 5%	26 4%	26 5%
2	31 (2)	15 3%	16 3%	7 4%	7 4%	7 3%	8 4%	1 1%	1 *	- -	5 3%	5 2%	10 4%	11 3%	17 3%	14 3%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	224 (1)	99 20%	125 20%	58 34% <sup>efghi</sup>	57 28% <sup>fhi</sup>	39 20% <sup>fh</sup>	22 11%	28 20% <sup>fh</sup>	9 7%	12 11%	13 7%	49 17% <sup>j</sup>	58 22% <sup>j</sup>	104 26% <sup>jk</sup>	119 19%	106 21%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689 61%	328 63%	361 59%	60 35%	103 51% <sup>c</sup>	102 54% <sup>c</sup>	140 71% <sup>cde</sup>	94 67% <sup>cde</sup>	103 83% <sup>cdefg</sup>	86 80% <sup>cdeg</sup>	141 76% <sup>klm</sup>	186 65% <sup>m</sup>	145 56%	216 54%	393 62%	296 59%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431 38%	185 36%	246 40%	110 64% <sup>defghi</sup>	92 46% <sup>fghi</sup>	88 46% <sup>fghi</sup>	56 28% <sup>h</sup>	46 33% <sup>hi</sup>	18 15%	20 19%	43 23%	99 34% <sup>j</sup>	113 43% <sup>jk</sup>	176 44% <sup>jk</sup>	231 37%	200 40%

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\* 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**

	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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Don't know	10	4	6	*	6	*	1	-	3	-	1	1	1	6	5	5
	1%	1%	1%	*	3%e	*	*	-	2%	-	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	1%
Refused	2	2	*	-	*	*	-	-	-	1	-	*	-	2	2	*
	*	*	*	-	*	*	-	-	-	1%	-	*	-	*	*	*
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>6.750</b>	<b>6.426</b>	<b>4.499</b>	<b>5.721c</b>	<b>6.094c</b>	<b>7.380cde</b>	<b>7.075cde</b>	<b>8.494cdef</b>	<b>7.987cde</b>	<b>7.917klm</b>	<b>6.879lm</b>	<b>6.159</b>	<b>5.997</b>	<b>6.763</b>	<b>6.338</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>3.614</b>	<b>3.598</b>	<b>3.223</b>	<b>3.756</b>	<b>3.628</b>	<b>3.238</b>	<b>3.653</b>	<b>2.766</b>	<b>3.089</b>	<b>2.997</b>	<b>3.459</b>	<b>3.681</b>	<b>3.748</b>	<b>3.612</b>	<b>3.591</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.025</b>	<b>0.022</b>	<b>0.063</b>	<b>0.067</b>	<b>0.067</b>	<b>0.054</b>	<b>0.097</b>	<b>0.068</b>	<b>0.098</b>	<b>0.051</b>	<b>0.041</b>	<b>0.053</b>	<b>0.036</b>	<b>0.021</b>	<b>0.026</b>

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\* 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**

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	(10) 462 41%	202 35%	260 46%a	120 34%	341 44%c	367 39%	95 47%	151 53%ijk	156 45%ijk	82 37%j	62 27%	10 24%	164 39%	126 44%	171 41%
9	(9) 49 4%	33 6%b	17 3%	18 5%	31 4%	44 5%	6 3%	11 4%	22 6%j	10 4%	5 2%	3 6%	22 5%	11 4%	16 4%
8	(8) 73 6%	41 7%	32 6%	24 7%	49 6%	58 6%	15 7%	17 6%	23 7%	10 4%	19 8%	4 9%	17 4%	13 5%	43 10%lm
7	(7) 48 4%	27 5%	21 4%	15 4%	33 4%	41 4%	7 3%	12 4%	13 4%	7 3%	12 5%	4 9%	20 5%	18 6%n	10 2%
6	(6) 57 5%	29 5%	28 5%	19 5%	38 5%	45 5%	12 6%	12 4%	18 5%	17 8%	9 4%	1 3%	13 3%	27 9%ln	17 4%
5	(5) 103 9%	55 10%	48 9%	38 11%	65 8%	91 10%	13 6%	20 7%	28 8%	22 10%	28 12%	5 13%	42 10%	25 9%	36 9%
4	(4) 20 2%	11 2%	9 2%	10 3%	10 1%	18 2%	2 1%	5 2%	6 2%	3 1%	6 2%	1 2%	8 2%	2 1%	10 2%
3	(3) 52 5%	32 6%	20 4%	20 5%	32 4%	44 5%	8 4%	8 3%	19 6%	10 4%	12 5%	3 6%	30 7%am	4 1%	18 4%
2	(2) 31 3%	24 4%b	7 1%	9 2%	22 3%	28 3%	3 1%	11 4%	11 3%	3 1%	5 2%	1 2%	17 4%	6 2%	8 2%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	(1) 224 20%	115 20%	110 20%	79 22%	146 19%	184 20%	41 20%	36 12%	50 14%	57 26%gh	70 30%gh	11 27%gh	87 20%	50 17%	88 21%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689 61%	332 58%	357 64%	196 55%	493 63%c	555 60%	133 67%	202 71%ijk	232 67%ijk	126 57%j	107 46%	21 51%	236 55%	195 68%l	257 61%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431 38%	236 41%b	194 35%	155 44%d	275 35%	365 39%	65 33%	79 28%	114 33%	95 43%gh	121 52%gh	21 49%gh	184 43%am	87 30%	160 38%
Don't know	10 1%	2 *	8 1%	3 1%	7 1%	10 1%	- -	3 1%	2 1%	* *	5 2%	- -	6 1%	2 1%	2 *

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 \* 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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Refused	2	*	2	1	1	1	1	1	-	*	*	-	-	2	*
	*	*	*	*	*	*	1%	*	-	*	*	-	-	1%	*
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>6.306</b>	<b>6.852a</b>	<b>6.149</b>	<b>6.769c</b>	<b>6.504</b>	<b>6.905</b>	<b>7.437ijk</b>	<b>7.023ijk</b>	<b>6.130</b>	<b>5.428</b>	<b>5.653</b>	<b>6.304</b>	<b>6.947l</b>	<b>6.596</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>3.588</b>	<b>3.609</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>3.593</b>	<b>3.599</b>	<b>3.638</b>	<b>3.367</b>	<b>3.440</b>	<b>3.725</b>	<b>3.662</b>	<b>3.578</b>	<b>3.673</b>	<b>3.451</b>	<b>3.630</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.023</b>	<b>0.024</b>	<b>0.036</b>	<b>0.017</b>	<b>0.014</b>	<b>0.069</b>	<b>0.043</b>	<b>0.036</b>	<b>0.061</b>	<b>0.055</b>	<b>0.246</b>	<b>0.037</b>	<b>0.037</b>	<b>0.031</b>

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	462 (10) 41%	27 46%	52 39%	37 41%	39 48%	28 32%	41 34%	59 42%	57 34%	43 43%	25 44%	54 54% <sup>befgh</sup>	416 41%	38 35%
9	49 (9) 4%	1 2%	7 5%	3 4%	2 2%	4 5%	4 4%	4 3%	10 6%	5 5%	3 5%	6 6%	46 5%	3 3%
8	73 (8) 6%	3 5%	9 7%	8 9%	4 5%	4 5%	13 11%	6 4%	8 5%	7 7%	3 5%	8 8%	65 6%	8 7%
7	48 (7) 4%	4 7% <sup>ik</sup>	6 4%	6 7% <sup>ik</sup>	3 3%	6 7% <sup>ik</sup>	5 4%	7 5% <sup>k</sup>	8 5% <sup>k</sup>	* *	2 3%	1 1%	36 4%	10 9% <sup>l</sup>
6	57 (6) 5%	3 5%	6 4%	9 10% <sup>efh</sup>	2 2%	1 2%	2 2%	16 12% <sup>bdefhj</sup>	5 3%	6 6%	2 3%	6 6%	48 5%	7 6%
5	103 (5) 9%	4 7%	14 11%	4 5%	7 9%	6 6%	12 10%	16 11%	19 11%	10 10%	5 9%	6 6%	88 9%	14 12%
4	20 (4) 2%	2 3%	- -	3 3%	3 4% <sup>b</sup>	2 2%	5 4%	1 1%	4 2%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	17 2%	4 3%
3	52 (3) 5%	4 7%	6 4%	4 5%	4 5%	5 6%	6 5%	2 2%	7 4%	6 6%	5 8% <sup>g</sup>	3 3%	48 5%	4 3%
2	31 (2) 3%	3 5% <sup>f</sup>	4 3%	3 3%	1 2%	5 5% <sup>fk</sup>	- -	2 2%	5 3%	4 4%	3 6% <sup>fk</sup>	1 1%	29 3%	2 2%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	224 (1) 20%	7 12%	27 20%	10 12%	14 18%	26 29% <sup>acjk</sup>	28 23%	24 17%	44 26% <sup>ck</sup>	19 19%	9 15%	17 17%	206 20%	18 17%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689 61%	38 65%	79 60%	63 71% <sup>efh</sup>	49 62%	44 50%	65 55%	93 66% <sup>eh</sup>	88 52%	60 61%	35 61%	74 73% <sup>befhj</sup>	611 61%	67 61%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431 38%	20 35%	51 39% <sup>k</sup>	24 27%	31 38%	43 48% <sup>cgk</sup>	50 42% <sup>k</sup>	45 32%	79 47% <sup>cgk</sup>	38 39%	22 39% <sup>k</sup>	27 27%	388 38%	41 37%
Don't know	10 1%	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	1 2%	4 3%	2 1%	1 1%	- -	* *	- -	8 1%	2 1%



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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Refused	2	-	1	-	-	-	*	*	-	-	-	-	1	1
	*	-	1%	-	-	-	*	*	-	-	-	-	*	1% <sup>l</sup>
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>6.928</b>	<b>6.529</b>	<b>7.084<sup>eh</sup></b>	<b>6.836</b>	<b>5.652</b>	<b>6.275</b>	<b>6.818<sup>e</sup></b>	<b>5.966</b>	<b>6.625</b>	<b>6.710</b>	<b>7.468<sup>befh</sup></b>	<b>6.555</b>	<b>6.537</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>3.441</b>	<b>3.632</b>	<b>3.240</b>	<b>3.627</b>	<b>3.857</b>	<b>3.641</b>	<b>3.426</b>	<b>3.741</b>	<b>3.660</b>	<b>3.610</b>	<b>3.458</b>	<b>3.644</b>	<b>3.345</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.282</b>	<b>0.133</b>	<b>0.154</b>	<b>0.206</b>	<b>0.198</b>	<b>0.137</b>	<b>0.065</b>	<b>0.094</b>	<b>0.183</b>	<b>0.148</b>	<b>0.067</b>	<b>0.015</b>	<b>0.045</b>

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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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	462 (10) 41%	93 82%bcd	206 57%cd	124 34%d	39 13%
9	49 (9) 4%	4 3%	31 9%cd	11 3%	4 1%
8	73 (8) 6%	3 2%	27 8%	31 8%	12 4%
7	48 (7) 4%	1 1%	19 5%	19 5%	9 3%
6	57 (6) 5%	-	15 4%a	35 10%abd	7 2%
5	103 (5) 9%	2 2%	27 8%	47 13%ab	27 9%a
4	20 (4) 2%	3 2%	4 1%	9 3%	4 1%
3	52 (3) 5%	-	14 4%	24 7%a	14 5%a
2	31 (2) 3%	* *	- -	12 3%b	18 6%ab
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	224 (1) 20%	6 5%	14 4%	54 15%ab	150 52%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689 61%	101 89%cd	298 83%cd	219 60%d	70 24%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431 38%	12 11%	60 17%	146 40%ab	212 73%abc
Don't know	10 1%	-	*	1 *	7 2%bc

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

\* 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**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Refused	2	-	*	-	*
*	*	-	*	-	*
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>9.098bcd</b>	<b>8.349cd</b>	<b>6.413d</b>	<b>3.525</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>2.367</b>	<b>2.516</b>	<b>3.309</b>	<b>3.366</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.051</b>	<b>0.017</b>	<b>0.031</b>	<b>0.040</b>

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

\* 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**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	462 (10) 41%	36 75%bcd	248 57%cd	162 34%d	16 9%	35 70%gh	222 60%gh	173 34%h	31 16%
9	49 (9) 4%	- -	33 8%cd	15 3%	1 1%	- -	26 7%h	21 4%	2 1%
8	73 (8) 6%	2 5%	29 7%	36 8%	6 3%	4 8%	16 4%	46 9%fh	7 3%
7	48 (7) 4%	2 4%	15 3%	27 6%	4 2%	2 4%	16 4%	25 5%	5 3%
6	57 (6) 5%	* 1%	19 4%	36 8%d	2 1%	- -	19 5%	35 7%h	3 1%
5	103 (5) 9%	2 3%	27 6%	55 12%b	20 11%b	3 6%	24 6%	60 12%f	17 9%
4	20 (4) 2%	1 3%d	6 1%	13 3%d	- -	- -	4 1%	13 2%	3 2%
3	52 (3) 5%	- -	16 4%	29 6%	7 4%	1 3%	15 4%	22 4%	13 7%
2	31 (2) 3%	* 1%	3 1%	15 3%b	12 7%b	* 1%	4 1%	15 3%	11 5%f
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	224 (1) 20%	4 7%	36 8%	82 17%b	103 58%abc	4 9%	22 6%	101 20%f	97 50%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689 61%	41 85%cd	343 80%cd	275 58%d	30 16%	41 82%gh	300 81%gh	300 59%h	48 24%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431 38%	7 15%	87 20%	194 41%ab	143 80%abc	9 18%	70 19%	210 41%ef	141 72%efg
Don't know	10 1%	* 1%	2 *	1 *	7 4%bc	- -	2 *	2 *	7 3%fg

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)				
	Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)	
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Refused	2	-	-	*	*	-	*	-	*
	*	-	-	*	*	-	*	-	*
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>8.645cd</b>	<b>8.061cd</b>	<b>6.328d</b>	<b>2.970</b>	<b>8.391gh</b>	<b>8.192gh</b>	<b>6.309h</b>	<b>3.648</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>2.759</b>	<b>2.935</b>	<b>3.427</b>	<b>3.033</b>	<b>2.944</b>	<b>2.805</b>	<b>3.485</b>	<b>3.462</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.146</b>	<b>0.020</b>	<b>0.025</b>	<b>0.053</b>	<b>0.167</b>	<b>0.021</b>	<b>0.025</b>	<b>0.062</b>

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	462	217	94	20	16	115	12	143	187	110	447	14
(10)	41%	58%de	53%de	42%e	31%	24%	50%	51%hi	41%	36%	45%k	11%
9	49	19	15	3	1	12	-	16	23	9	49	1
(9)	4%	5%	8%e	6%	1%	3%	-	6%	5%	3%	5%k	*
8	73	30	17	8	4	14	3	19	36	12	69	4
(8)	6%	8%e	10%e	17%e	8%	3%	12%	7%	8%	4%	7%	3%
7	48	22	10	*	1	15	-	19	21	7	42	6
(7)	4%	6%	6%	1%	1%	3%	-	7%i	5%	2%	4%	5%
6	57	24	9	7	3	14	*	12	30	13	51	6
(6)	5%	6%e	5%	14%e	5%	3%	2%	4%	7%	4%	5%	5%
5	103	43	16	6	9	29	3	27	52	17	90	14
(5)	9%	11%e	9%	12%	18%e	6%	12%	10%	11%i	6%	9%	10%
4	20	5	4	1	1	8	-	3	9	8	17	4
(4)	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	-	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%
3	52	8	6	1	2	35	1	7	23	16	38	13
(3)	5%	2%	3%	3%	4%	7%a	6%	3%	5%	5%	4%	10%j
2	31	2	-	-	3	26	*	5	10	11	25	6
(2)	3%	*	-	-	7%ab	5%ab	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	4%
1 - Absolutely certain not to vote	224	6	3	1	8	206	3	26	66	98	164	61
(1)	20%	2%	2%	3%	15%ab	43%abcd	15%	9%	14%	32%gh	16%	46%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
LIKELY (6 OR ABOVE)	689	312	145	39	24	170	15	208	298	151	658	31
	61%	83%de	82%de	79%de	46%	35%	63%	75%hi	65%i	50%	66%k	23%
UNLIKELY (5 OR BELOW)	431	63	29	10	24	304	8	68	161	151	333	98
	38%	17%	17%	21%	46%abc	63%abcd	35%	25%	35%g	50%gh	33%	74%j

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Don't know	10	-	1	-	4	5	-	1	2	1	7	3
	1%	-	1%	-	7%abe	1%	-	1%	*	*	1%	2%
Refused	2	*	-	-	-	2	*	-	-	*	*	2
	*	*	-	-	-	*	2%	-	-	*	*	1%j
<b>Mean Score</b>	<b>6.575</b>	<b>8.380de</b>	<b>8.328de</b>	<b>7.778de</b>	<b>6.074e</b>	<b>4.430</b>	<b>7.130</b>	<b>7.697hi</b>	<b>6.869i</b>	<b>5.610</b>	<b>6.969k</b>	<b>3.528</b>
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	<b>3.607</b>	<b>2.291</b>	<b>2.314</b>	<b>2.463</b>	<b>3.457</b>	<b>3.791</b>	<b>3.544</b>	<b>3.049</b>	<b>3.348</b>	<b>3.945</b>	<b>3.478</b>	<b>3.112</b>
<b>Error Variance</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.013</b>	<b>0.033</b>	<b>0.144</b>	<b>0.254</b>	<b>0.032</b>	<b>0.502</b>	<b>0.034</b>	<b>0.024</b>	<b>0.052</b>	<b>0.012</b>	<b>0.068</b>

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Voted in an election	305 27%	147 28%	158 26%	18 11%	42 21% <sup>c</sup>	50 26% <sup>c</sup>	64 32% <sup>cd</sup>	42 30% <sup>c</sup>	55 45% <sup>cd</sup>	34 32% <sup>c</sup>	68 37% <sup>klm</sup>	78 27%	54 21%	104 26%	187 30% <sup>o</sup>	118 24%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224 20%	95 18%	129 21%	20 12%	33 16%	40 21% <sup>c</sup>	51 26% <sup>cd</sup>	25 17%	32 26% <sup>c</sup>	24 22% <sup>c</sup>	64 34% <sup>klm</sup>	62 22% <sup>m</sup>	42 16%	56 14%	151 24% <sup>o</sup>	73 15%
Created or signed an e-petition	104 9%	56 11%	49 8%	10 6%	14 7%	26 14% <sup>cdi</sup>	24 12% <sup>i</sup>	10 7%	16 13% <sup>ci</sup>	4 4%	35 19% <sup>lm</sup>	35 12% <sup>lm</sup>	16 6%	18 4%	68 11%	37 7%
Created or signed a paper petition	92 8%	38 7%	54 9%	6 3%	19 9% <sup>c</sup>	15 8%	21 11% <sup>c</sup>	11 8%	15 12% <sup>c</sup>	5 5%	27 15% <sup>klm</sup>	23 8%	19 7%	23 6%	55 9%	36 7%
Contacted a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	90 8%	49 10%	41 7%	3 2%	11 5%	18 9% <sup>c</sup>	20 10% <sup>ci</sup>	19 14% <sup>cdi</sup>	17 13% <sup>cdi</sup>	3 3%	24 13% <sup>lm</sup>	22 8%	17 7%	28 7%	65 10% <sup>o</sup>	26 5%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69 6%	25 5%	44 7%	7 4%	9 4%	11 6%	11 5%	15 11% <sup>cdi</sup>	13 10% <sup>i</sup>	3 3%	32 17% <sup>klm</sup>	20 7% <sup>lm</sup>	5 2%	12 3%	51 8% <sup>o</sup>	18 4%
Taken part in a public consultation	43 4%	19 4%	25 4%	3 2%	4 2%	5 3%	10 5%	10 7% <sup>cd</sup>	6 5%	4 4%	19 10% <sup>klm</sup>	10 4%	6 2%	7 2%	29 5%	14 3%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35 3%	16 3%	19 3%	4 2%	7 3%	9 5%	7 3%	3 2%	3 2%	3 3%	15 8% <sup>klm</sup>	8 3%	5 2%	8 2%	22 3%	13 3%
Contacted the media	23 2%	10 2%	14 2%	1 1%	- -	9 5% <sup>cd</sup>	5 3% <sup>d</sup>	3 2%	4 3% <sup>d</sup>	1 1%	4 2%	6 2%	3 1%	10 2%	17 3%	6 1%
Taken an active part in a campaign	20 2%	7 1%	13 2%	1 1%	2 1%	4 2%	7 3%	3 2%	3 2%	- -	7 4% <sup>l</sup>	6 2%	1 *	6 2%	12 2%	8 2%
Attended political meetings	17 1%	10 2%	7 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 *	5 2%	3 2%	3 2%	* *	4 2%	7 3%	1 1%	4 1%	9 1%	7 1%

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\* small base



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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**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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Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	9 2%	6 1%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	3 1%	1 1%	3 2%	2 2%	5 3%	2 1%	3 1%	5 1%	7 1%	8 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	5 1%	7 1%	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%	4 2%	- -	1 1%	- -	5 2%	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	3 *	9 2%n
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	266 51%	303 49%	50 29%	89 44%c	108 57%cd	111 56%cd	73 52%c	86 69%cddefgi	52 48%c	125 67%klm	146 51%	126 49%	172 43%	352 56%o	217 43%
None of these	563 50%	252 49%	311 51%	120 71%defghi	112 56%efh	83 43%h	86 44%h	68 48%h	38 31%	56 52%h	61 33%	141 49%j	134 51%j	228 57%j	278 44%	285 57%n

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Voted in an election	305 27%	132 23%	173 31%a	91 25%	214 28%	245 26%	60 30%	87 30%j	100 29%j	67 30%j	42 18%	9 22%	124 29%	82 29%	99 24%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224 20%	115 20%	109 19%	63 18%	161 21%	194 21%	30 15%	74 26%ij	82 24%ij	25 11%	37 16%	6 15%	75 18%	48 17%	101 24%lm
Created or signed an e-petition	104 9%	55 10%	49 9%	34 10%	70 9%	100 11%f	4 2%	33 12%	34 10%	15 7%	18 8%	4 11%	47 11%	19 7%	38 9%
Created or signed a paper petition	92 8%	40 7%	51 9%	36 10%	56 7%	79 8%	13 6%	26 9%	31 9%	15 7%	15 6%	5 12%	36 8%	14 5%	42 10% <sup>m</sup>
Contacted a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	90 8%	45 8%	46 8%	20 6%	71 9%	80 9%	10 5%	34 12% <sup>hjk</sup>	19 6%	22 10%	14 6%	* 1%	41 10%	23 8%	26 6%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69 6%	29 5%	40 7%	24 7%	45 6%	64 7% <sup>f</sup>	5 2%	31 11% <sup>ij</sup>	24 7% <sup>ij</sup>	4 2%	7 3%	3 7% <sup>i</sup>	26 6%	13 5%	30 7%
Taken part in a public consultation	43 4%	24 4%	19 3%	10 3%	33 4%	40 4%	3 1%	18 6% <sup>i</sup>	16 4%	4 2%	6 2%	-	12 3%	10 4%	21 5%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35 3%	18 3%	17 3%	16 4%	19 2%	34 4%	1 1%	10 4%	11 3%	4 2%	10 4%	-	14 3%	7 2%	14 3%
Contacted the media	23 2%	8 1%	15 3%	11 3%	13 2%	21 2%	2 1%	7 2%	8 2%	6 3%	2 1%	-	13 3%	5 2%	5 1%
Taken an active part in a campaign	20 2%	7 1%	13 2%	5 1%	15 2%	20 2%	-	8 3%	7 2%	2 1%	3 1%	-	8 2%	1 *	11 3% <sup>m</sup>
Attended political meetings	17 1%	10 2%	7 1%	3 1%	13 2%	14 1%	3 1%	5 2%	5 1%	3 1%	4 2%	-	7 2%	3 1%	7 2%

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
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Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	8 1%	7 1%	4 1%	10 1%	13 1%	2 1%	6 2%	5 2%	1 *	2 1%	-	5 1%	3 1%	7 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	6 1%	6 1%	3 1%	9 1%	12 1%	-	3 1%	3 1%	4 2%	3 1%	-	5 1%	2 1%	6 1%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	278 49%	291 52%	168 47%	401 52%	475 51%	94 47%	161 56%j	187 54%j	109 49%	93 40%	19 45%	208 49%	149 52%	211 50%
None of these	563 50%	293 51%	270 48%	188 53%	375 48%	457 49%	106 53%	125 44%	162 46%	113 51%	140 60%gh	23 55%	218 51%	137 48%	208 50%

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Voted in an election	305	24	30	25	24	24	30	39	39	33	16	22	270	33
	27%	41%bhk	23%	28%	30%	27%	25%	28%	23%	33%	28%	22%	27%	30%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224	18	33	29	11	14	22	15	37	16	9	20	208	13
	20%	31%dgj	25%g	33%defgijk	13%	15%	18%	11%	22%g	16%	15%	20%g	21%am	12%
Created or signed an e-petition	104	12	14	5	5	12	13	5	17	8	3	10	96	7
	9%	20%cdgj	11%g	5%	6%	13%g	11%g	4%	10%	9%	6%	10%g	9%	6%
Created or signed a paper petition	92	8	5	9	7	10	11	8	13	10	5	5	87	5
	8%	15%b	4%	10%	9%	12%b	9%	6%	8%	10%	8%	5%	9%am	4%
Contacted a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	90	6	10	8	3	8	7	13	14	10	3	9	82	7
	8%	10%	7%	9%	3%	9%	6%	10%	8%	10%	5%	9%	8%	6%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69	7	2	4	3	8	8	4	17	7	1	6	66	3
	6%	12%bgj	1%	5%	3%	10%b	7%	3%	10%bgj	8%b	2%	6%b	7%am	3%
Taken part in a public consultation	43	3	1	4	1	3	6	6	4	6	3	6	41	2
	4%	5%	1%	5%	2%	4%	5%	4%	2%	6%	5%	6%b	4%	2%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35	-	2	2	*	6	6	4	10	1	1	4	32	3
	3%	-	1%	2%	1%	6%	5%	3%	6%	1%	1%	4%	3%	3%
Contacted the media	23	1	2	2	-	6	1	*	6	1	2	2	22	2
	2%	2%	1%	2%	-	6%dg	1%	*	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%
Taken an active part in a campaign	20	1	1	*	1	1	6	-	5	-	-	3	19	1
	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	5%g	-	3%	-	-	3%g	2%	1%
Attended political meetings	17	1	-	2	1	-	4	2	3	1	-	2	16	1
	1%	2%	-	2%	2%	-	4%	1%	2%	1%	-	2%	2%	1%

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 \* small base

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	- -	2 1%	1 2%	- -	- -	4 4%	2 2%	4 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	12 1%	2 2%
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	- -	2 1%	* 1%	1 2%	- -	3 2%	* *	* *	1 1%	1 1%	3 3%h	10 1%	2 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	44 76% bdefghi jk	62 47%	56 62% dfhk	30 37%	48 54%	53 44%	73 52%	75 45%	53 54%	27 47%	48 47%	510 50%	53 48%
None of these	563 50%	14 24%	70 53% a	34 38%	50 63% ac	40 46% a	66 56% ac	67 48% a	93 55% ac	45 46% a	31 53% a	53 53% ac	500 50%	57 52%

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Voted in an election	305	24	160	108	13	23	139	124	19
	27%	51%cd	37%cd	23%d	7%	45%gh	37%gh	24%h	10%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224	17	109	86	12	20	93	98	13
	20%	35%cd	25%cd	18%d	7%	40%fgh	25%gh	19%h	7%
Created or signed an e-petition	104	14	61	27	2	14	58	30	2
	9%	30%bcd	14%cd	6%d	1%	28%gh	16%gh	6%h	1%
Created or signed a paper petition	92	5	62	20	5	7	48	31	7
	8%	11%d	14%cd	4%	3%	13%h	13%gh	6%	3%
Contacted a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	90	16	51	20	4	12	47	25	7
	8%	33%bcd	12%cd	4%	2%	24%gh	13%gh	5%	3%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69	17	41	10	2	13	40	15	*
	6%	35%bcd	9%cd	2%	1%	27%fgh	11%gh	3%h	*
Taken part in a public consultation	43	4	27	9	3	8	20	11	4
	4%	8%cd	6%cd	2%	2%	16%fgh	5%g	2%	2%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35	6	20	8	-	7	15	13	-
	3%	13%bcd	5%cd	2%	-	14%fgh	4%h	2%h	-
Contacted the media	23	3	15	4	1	5	10	8	1
	2%	7%cd	4%cd	1%	*	10%fgh	3%	2%	*
Taken an active part in a campaign	20	2	17	1	-	3	11	5	-
	2%	4%cd	4%cd	*	-	7%gh	3%gh	1%	-
Attended political meetings	17	6	8	2	-	5	6	6	-
	1%	13%bcd	2%cd	*	-	10%fgh	2%	1%	-

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	3 6%cd	7 2%	5 1%	- -	5 10%fgh	6 2%	3 1%	- -
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	1 2%	9 2%cd	2 *	- -	2 3%gh	9 2%gh	2 *	- -
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	39 82%bcd	278 64%cd	212 45%cd	39 22%	37 74%gh	240 65%gh	245 48%h	46 24%
None of these	563 50%	9 18%	154 36%a	259 55%ab	141 78%abc	13 26%	131 35%	267 52%ef	150 76%efg

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

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	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Voted in an election	305	220	7	280	25
	27%	48%bcd	3%	41%bd	6%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224	119	22	164	60
	20%	26%bd	10%	24%bd	14%
Created or signed an e-petition	104	60	8	77	26
	9%	13%bd	4%	11%bd	6%
Created or signed a paper petition	92	56	11	74	17
	8%	12%bd	5%	11%bd	4%
Contacted a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	90	59	9	72	18
	8%	13%bd	4%	10%bd	4%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69	54	4	59	10
	6%	12%bd	2%	9%bd	2%
Taken part in a public consultation	43	33	4	36	7
	4%	7%bd	2%	5%d	2%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35	20	2	27	8
	3%	4%b	1%	4%b	2%
Contacted the media	23	14	3	19	5
	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%
Taken an active part in a campaign	20	17	-	18	2
	2%	4%bd	-	3%bd	*
Attended political meetings	17	15	1	16	1
	1%	3%bd	*	2%d	*



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Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	11 2%bd	- -	13 2%	2 *
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	9 2%d	1 1%	11 2%	1 *
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	310 67%bd	53 23%	433 63%bd	134 31%
None of these	563 50%	151 33%	172 77%ac	256 37%	296 69%ac

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**Q.4 In the last 12 months have you done any of the following to influence decisions, laws or policies?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Voted in an election	305	126	74	17	9	80	12	97	132	60	299	6
	27%	33%de	42%de	34%e	17%	17%	52%	35%i	29%i	20%	30%k	5%
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	224	74	44	15	6	85	4	71	106	42	212	12
	20%	20%	25%	31%d	12%	18%	17%	26%i	23%i	14%	21%k	9%
Created or signed an e-petition	104	36	23	6	1	38	-	43	43	17	100	4
	9%	10%	13%	13%	3%	8%	-	15%hi	9%	6%	10%k	3%
Created or signed a paper petition	92	28	16	5	3	40	2	34	29	27	92	-
	8%	8%	9%	10%	5%	8%	8%	12%h	6%	9%	9%k	-
Contacted a local councillor /MP/MSP/Welsh Assembly Member	90	32	16	4	1	37	1	27	33	27	83	8
	8%	8%	9%	9%	3%	8%	6%	10%	7%	9%	8%	6%
Boycotted certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	69	30	12	1	1	24	1	26	27	13	68	1
	6%	8%	7%	3%	3%	5%	6%	9%i	6%	4%	7%k	1%
Taken part in a public consultation	43	15	8	4	3	13	1	15	20	7	41	2
	4%	4%	5%	9%	5%	3%	2%	5%	4%	2%	4%	1%
Contributed to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	35	11	10	1	-	12	1	7	14	11	34	1
	3%	3%	6%	3%	-	3%	6%	3%	3%	4%	3%	*
Contacted the media	23	9	4	-	-	10	-	6	11	7	22	1
	2%	2%	2%	-	-	2%	-	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Taken an active part in a campaign	20	6	6	1	-	7	1	6	9	3	20	-
	2%	2%	3%	3%	-	1%	6%	2%	2%	1%	2%	-
Attended political meetings	17	7	1	-	1	7	*	3	9	4	16	1
	1%	2%	1%	-	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	*

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	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Donated money or paid a membership fee to a political party	15 1%	8 2%	1 1%	-	-	5 1%	2 8%	3 1%	8 2%	2 1%	14 1%	* *
Taken part in a demonstration, picket or march	12 1%	5 1%	* *	-	-	7 1%	-	5 2%	4 1%	3 1%	11 1%	1 1%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
ANY OF THE ABOVE	568 50%	206 55%de	117 67%ade	32 66%de	12 24%	201 42%d	14 60%	164 59%i	248 54%i	133 44%	538 54%k	31 23%
None of these	563 50%	170 45%b	58 33%	17 34%	39 76%abce	279 58%abc	9 40%	115 41%	213 46%	170 56%gh	461 46%	102 77%j

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Vote in an election	480	220	260	54	87	75	90	54	67	53	107	145	90	138	275	205
	42%	42%	42%	32%	43% <sup>c</sup>	39%	46% <sup>c</sup>	38%	54% <sup>ceeg</sup>	50% <sup>c</sup>	57% <sup>lm</sup>	50% <sup>lm</sup>	35%	35%	44%	41%
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462	221	241	42	69	74	95	71	66	44	109	119	96	139	290	172
	41%	43%	39%	25%	35%	39% <sup>c</sup>	48% <sup>cd</sup>	50% <sup>cd</sup>	54% <sup>cde</sup>	41% <sup>c</sup>	59% <sup>klm</sup>	41%	37%	35%	46% <sup>o</sup>	34%
Create or sign a paper petition	390	160	230	47	61	64	87	55	41	36	89	112	79	110	245	145
	34%	31%	38% <sup>a</sup>	27%	31%	33%	44% <sup>cde</sup>	39%	33%	33%	48% <sup>lm</sup>	39% <sup>m</sup>	30%	27%	39% <sup>o</sup>	29%
Create or sign an e-petition	278	122	156	37	58	64	55	31	27	6	79	101	47	51	175	103
	25%	23%	25%	21% <sup>i</sup>	29% <sup>i</sup>	34% <sup>cghi</sup>	28% <sup>i</sup>	22% <sup>i</sup>	22% <sup>i</sup>	6%	42% <sup>lm</sup>	35% <sup>lm</sup>	18%	13%	28% <sup>o</sup>	21%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197	68	129	22	34	29	40	24	27	20	58	55	27	57	123	74
	17%	13%	21% <sup>a</sup>	13%	17%	15%	20%	17%	21%	18%	31% <sup>klm</sup>	19% <sup>l</sup>	10%	14%	20%	15%
Contact the media	183	78	105	20	27	36	38	35	21	7	49	40	34	61	117	66
	16%	15%	17%	11%	13%	19% <sup>i</sup>	19% <sup>i</sup>	25% <sup>cdi</sup>	17% <sup>i</sup>	6%	26% <sup>klm</sup>	14%	13%	15%	19% <sup>o</sup>	13%
Take an active part in a campaign	162	75	87	26	20	30	40	23	21	3	48	41	32	41	94	68
	14%	14%	14%	15% <sup>i</sup>	10% <sup>i</sup>	16% <sup>i</sup>	20% <sup>di</sup>	17% <sup>i</sup>	17% <sup>i</sup>	3%	26% <sup>klm</sup>	14%	12%	10%	15%	14%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162	66	95	12	20	29	35	28	25	12	60	36	27	38	108	53
	14%	13%	15%	7%	10%	15% <sup>c</sup>	18% <sup>cd</sup>	20% <sup>cd</sup>	20% <sup>cd</sup>	11%	32% <sup>klm</sup>	13%	10%	10%	17% <sup>o</sup>	11%
Take part in a public consultation	161	78	83	11	17	27	39	30	23	14	50	41	25	45	101	60
	14%	15%	14%	6%	8%	14% <sup>c</sup>	20% <sup>cd</sup>	21% <sup>cd</sup>	19% <sup>cd</sup>	13%	27% <sup>klm</sup>	14%	10%	11%	16%	12%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116	55	61	17	17	26	24	16	12	3	32	29	14	41	70	46
	10%	11%	10%	10%	8%	14% <sup>i</sup>	12% <sup>i</sup>	12% <sup>i</sup>	9%	3%	17% <sup>klm</sup>	10%	6%	10% <sup>l</sup>	11%	9%
Attend political meetings	112	54	58	12	15	19	24	20	16	7	38	29	15	30	63	49
	10%	10%	9%	7%	7%	10%	12%	14% <sup>c</sup>	13%	7%	20% <sup>klm</sup>	10%	6%	8%	10%	10%

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 \* small base

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	44 8%	50 8%	15 9%i	20 10%i	22 11%i	22 11%i	7 5%i	7 6%i	- -	28 15%klm	22 8%	15 6%	28 7%	55 9%	39 8%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	22 4%	30 5%	8 5%	9 4%	4 2%	13 6%	6 4%	9 7%	3 3%	15 8%l	13 5%	4 2%	20 5%l	30 5%	23 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	395 76%	489 80%	119 70%	145 72%	152 80%c	171 87%cdi	111 79%	107 86%cdi	80 74%	173 93%klm	245 85%lm	190 73%	276 69%	508 81%o	376 75%
None of these	247 22%	123 24%	125 20%	52 30%efh	56 28%fh	39 20%	27 13%	30 21%	17 14%	28 26%fh	13 7%	42 15%j	69 27%jk	123 31%k	122 19%	125 25%n

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Vote in an election	480	234	246	130	350	400	80	138	174	74	83	12	188	114	179
	42%	41%	44%	36%	45% <sup>c</sup>	43%	40%	48% <sup>ijk</sup>	50% <sup>ijk</sup>	33%	35%	27%	44%	40%	43%
Contact a local councillor /MP/MSP/Welsh Assembly Member	462	229	233	138	324	398	64	138	156	84	69	15	189	92	181
	41%	40%	42%	39%	42%	43% <sup>f</sup>	32%	48% <sup>ij</sup>	45% <sup>j</sup>	38%	30%	35%	44% <sup>m</sup>	32%	43% <sup>m</sup>
Create or sign a paper petition	390	195	195	124	266	335	55	114	140	57	70	9	150	65	175
	34%	34%	35%	35%	34%	36% <sup>f</sup>	27%	40% <sup>ijk</sup>	40% <sup>ijk</sup>	26%	30%	22%	35% <sup>m</sup>	23%	42% <sup>m</sup>
Create or sign an e-petition	278	166	112	101	177	267	11	62	125	32	51	9	109	56	113
	25%	29% <sup>b</sup>	20%	28%	23%	29% <sup>f</sup>	5%	22% <sup>i</sup>	36% <sup>gij</sup>	14%	22%	21%	25%	20%	27% <sup>m</sup>
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197	92	105	61	136	170	27	65	72	16	39	5	64	38	95
	17%	16%	19%	17%	17%	18%	13%	23% <sup>i</sup>	21% <sup>i</sup>	7%	17% <sup>i</sup>	12%	15%	13%	23% <sup>lm</sup>
Contact the media	183	99	84	58	126	169	15	48	63	27	38	7	73	33	77
	16%	17%	15%	16%	16%	18% <sup>f</sup>	7%	17%	18%	12%	16%	17%	17%	12%	18% <sup>m</sup>
Take an active part in a campaign	162	86	76	55	106	149	13	48	53	26	30	5	63	26	72
	14%	15%	14%	16%	14%	16% <sup>f</sup>	6%	17%	15%	12%	13%	12%	15% <sup>m</sup>	9%	17% <sup>m</sup>
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162	84	78	49	113	147	14	64	58	10	25	5	61	28	73
	14%	15%	14%	14%	15%	16% <sup>f</sup>	7%	22% <sup>ij</sup>	17% <sup>i</sup>	5%	11% <sup>i</sup>	11%	14%	10%	17% <sup>m</sup>
Take part in a public consultation	161	86	75	45	117	144	17	55	53	23	27	3	64	30	68
	14%	15%	13%	13%	15%	15% <sup>f</sup>	8%	19% <sup>ijk</sup>	15%	11%	12%	6%	15%	10%	16% <sup>m</sup>
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116	64	53	41	75	110	6	29	36	22	25	5	48	23	45
	10%	11%	9%	12%	10%	12% <sup>f</sup>	3%	10%	10%	10%	11%	12%	11%	8%	11%
Attend political meetings	112	54	58	33	80	101	11	42	33	13	21	3	44	23	45
	10%	10%	10%	9%	10%	11% <sup>f</sup>	6%	15% <sup>i</sup>	9%	6%	9%	6%	10%	8%	11%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	60 11% <sup>b</sup>	33 6%	33 9%	61 8%	92 10% <sup>f</sup>	2 1%	18 6%	35 10%	15 7%	23 10%	2 5%	41 10% <sup>m</sup>	13 5%	39 9% <sup>m</sup>
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	24 4%	28 5%	20 6%	32 4%	46 5%	6 3%	16 6%	17 5%	5 2%	12 5%	2 4%	20 5%	7 2%	26 6% <sup>m</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	452 79%	432 77%	266 75%	618 80%	747 80% <sup>f</sup>	137 69%	227 79% <sup>jk</sup>	302 87% <sup>gijk</sup>	166 75%	163 70%	27 63%	339 80%	220 77%	325 77%
None of these	247 22%	118 21%	129 23%	90 25%	158 20%	185 20%	63 31% <sup>e</sup>	59 21% <sup>h</sup>	47 13%	56 25% <sup>h</sup>	70 30% <sup>gh</sup>	15 37% <sup>gh</sup>	87 20%	66 23%	95 23%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Vote in an election	480	34	47	47	36	42	53	51	61	37	26	46	438	39
	42%	58%bghi	36%	53%bgh	45%	48%	44%	36%	36%	38%	46%	46%	43% <i>m</i>	35%
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462	25	54	38	41	32	51	43	67	41	23	48	424	37
	41%	44%	41%	42%	51%g	36%	43%	30%	40%	42%	40%	48%g	42% <i>m</i>	33%
Create or sign a paper petition	390	25	45	40	26	33	53	25	52	35	20	34	372	17
	34%	44%g	34%g	45%g	32%g	37%g	45%gh	18%	31%g	36%g	36%g	34%g	37% <i>m</i>	15%
Create or sign an e-petition	278	16	38	16	10	23	44	19	53	20	12	27	260	15
	25%	27%g	29%dg	18%	13%	26%g	37%cdgij	14%	32%dg	20%	21%	27%dg	26% <i>m</i>	14%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197	11	21	30	10	15	19	13	36	10	10	20	186	9
	17%	19%	16%	34%bdefgij k	13%	17%	16%	9%	22%gi	10%	18%	20%g	18% <i>m</i>	8%
Contact the media	183	13	26	14	13	13	22	10	28	20	9	17	172	11
	16%	22%g	20%g	15%	16%	15%	18%g	7%	17%g	20%g	15%g	17%g	17% <i>m</i>	10%
Take an active part in a campaign	162	8	21	10	11	17	25	12	27	13	6	11	151	11
	14%	15%	16%	12%	14%	19%g	21%gk	9%	16%	13%	10%	10%	15% <i>m</i>	10%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162	8	13	27	9	15	14	8	30	14	8	14	154	7
	14%	15%	10%	30%bdfghij k	12%	17%g	12%	6%	18%g	15%g	14%g	14%g	15% <i>m</i>	7%
Take part in a public consultation	161	13	13	17	16	11	15	15	28	11	7	17	148	12
	14%	22%	10%	19%	20%	12%	13%	10%	17%	11%	11%	17%	15% <i>m</i>	11%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116	8	5	12	7	14	14	10	24	4	5	12	109	7
	10%	15%b	4%	13%b	9%	15%bi	12%b	7%	14%bi	4%	9%	12%bi	11% <i>m</i>	6%
Attends political meetings	112	6	12	10	13	6	14	10	14	9	7	12	105	7
	10%	10%	9%	11%	16%	6%	12%	7%	8%	9%	13%	12%	10% <i>m</i>	7%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	6 10%	9 7%	6 7%	9 12%	10 12%	8 7%	7 5%	20 12%	6 6%	4 7%	9 9%	87 9%	6 6%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	1 2%	3 2%	4 5%	8 10% <sup>bg</sup>	4 5%	8 7%	3 2%	9 5%	3 3%	4 7% <sup>g</sup>	4 4%	50 5%	2 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	51 88% <sup>g</sup>	109 83%	77 86% <sup>g</sup>	61 76%	68 77%	91 76%	101 72%	125 74%	73 74%	44 77%	85 84% <sup>gh</sup>	796 79%	81 73%
None of these	247 22%	7 12%	23 17%	13 14%	19 24%	20 23%	28 24%	39 28% <sup>ack</sup>	44 26% <sup>k</sup>	26 26%	13 23%	16 16%	213 21%	29 27%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Vote in an election	480 42%	71 62%cd	210 59%cd	143 39%cd	55 19%
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462 41%	79 70%bcd	202 56%cd	125 34%cd	55 19%
Create or sign a paper petition	390 34%	59 52%cd	150 42%cd	125 34%cd	54 19%
Create or sign an e-petition	278 25%	47 41%cd	123 34%cd	83 23%cd	24 8%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197 17%	41 36%bcd	80 22%cd	50 14%	25 9%
Contact the media	183 16%	34 30%cd	83 23%cd	47 13%cd	19 7%
Take an active part in a campaign	162 14%	45 40%bcd	69 19%cd	33 9%cd	13 5%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162 14%	50 44%bcd	76 21%cd	24 7%	12 4%
Take part in a public consultation	161 14%	48 42%bcd	68 19%cd	33 9%cd	12 4%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116 10%	40 35%bcd	45 13%cd	18 5%	13 5%
Attend political meetings	112 10%	45 40%bcd	45 12%cd	18 5%cd	4 1%
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	26 23%bcd	42 12%cd	16 4%	10 3%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

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Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	18 16%bcd	19 5%	9 2%	6 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	102 90%cd	332 92%cd	296 81%d	153 53%
None of these	247 22%	11 10%	27 8%	71 19%ab	137 47%abc

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Vote in an election	480	27	236	189	28	29	211	207	33
	42%	56%cd	55%cd	40%d	16%	57%gh	57%gh	40%h	17%
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462	32	239	168	24	31	209	194	28
	41%	67%cd	55%cd	36%d	13%	62%gh	56%gh	38%h	14%
Create or sign a paper petition	390	23	174	157	35	23	147	182	39
	34%	49%cd	40%cd	33%d	19%	45%h	39%h	36%h	20%
Create or sign an e-petition	278	20	131	112	15	18	117	125	17
	25%	43%cd	30%cd	24%d	8%	36%h	32%gh	24%h	9%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197	13	94	73	17	16	78	82	21
	17%	27%d	22%cd	16%	9%	32%gh	21%h	16%	11%
Contact the media	183	15	88	67	14	18	72	80	13
	16%	32%cd	20%cd	14%d	8%	35%fgh	19%h	16%h	7%
Take an active part in a campaign	162	18	88	49	7	17	76	58	10
	14%	38%bcd	20%cd	10%d	4%	34%fgh	20%gh	11%h	5%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162	24	93	37	8	18	86	51	7
	14%	49%bcd	21%cd	8%	4%	35%gh	23%gh	10%h	3%
Take part in a public consultation	161	20	88	45	8	21	83	50	8
	14%	42%bcd	20%cd	10%d	4%	41%fgh	22%gh	10%h	4%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116	16	63	26	10	14	58	38	7
	10%	34%bcd	15%cd	5%	6%	28%fgh	15%gh	7%	4%
Attend political meetings	112	19	60	28	4	17	58	35	3
	10%	40%bcd	14%cd	6%	2%	33%fgh	15%gh	7%h	2%
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93	8	54	23	7	11	41	36	5
	8%	17%cd	13%cd	5%	4%	22%fgh	11%h	7%h	2%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	9 18%bcd	26 6%c	11 2%	7 4%	9 18%fgh	21 6%h	19 4%	3 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	44 91%d	381 88%cd	377 80%d	82 46%	44 87%h	326 88%gh	419 82%h	96 49%
None of these	247 22%	4 9%	50 12%	94 20%b	98 54%abc	7 13%	46 12%	93 18%f	100 51%efg

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Vote in an election	480 42%	274 59%bd	24 11%	393 57%bd	84 19%b
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462 41%	261 57%bd	38 17%	358 52%bd	99 23%
Create or sign a paper petition	390 34%	185 40%bd	43 19%	270 39%bd	117 27%b
Create or sign an e- petition	278 25%	127 27%bd	24 11%	190 28%bd	85 20%b
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197 17%	100 22%bd	21 10%	136 20%bd	59 14%
Contact the media	183 16%	90 19%bd	21 10%	129 19%bd	53 12%
Take an active part in a campaign	162 14%	94 20%bd	13 6%	121 18%bd	40 9%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162 14%	98 21%bd	5 2%	132 19%bd	30 7%b
Take part in a public consultation	161 14%	102 22%bd	12 5%	127 18%bd	34 8%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116 10%	69 15%bd	17 8%	85 12%d	32 7%
Attend political meetings	112 10%	68 15%bd	5 2%	87 13%bd	25 6%

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	51 11%bd	7 3%	66 10%b	28 6%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	31 7%bd	4 2%	39 6%b	13 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	411 89%bd	105 47%	611 89%bd	269 62%b
None of these	247 22%	50 11%	120 53%acd	78 11%	162 38%ac

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Vote in an election	480	190	96	25	18	151	13	146	205	100	451	29
	42%	51%e	55%de	51%e	36%	31%	53%	53%i	45%i	33%	45%k	22%
Contact a local councillor \MP\MSP\Welsh Assembly Member	462	184	89	25	16	149	8	141	201	102	443	19
	41%	49%de	51%de	51%e	32%	31%	35%	51%i	44%i	34%	44%k	15%
Create or sign a paper petition	390	124	68	25	17	156	6	106	176	97	369	21
	34%	33%	39%	50%ae	33%	33%	26%	38%	38%	32%	37%k	16%
Create or sign an e-petition	278	92	60	18	13	95	3	94	132	44	260	18
	25%	25%	34%ae	37%e	26%	20%	14%	34%i	29%i	14%	26%k	14%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a charity or campaigning organisation	197	67	35	11	11	73	*	61	91	40	183	14
	17%	18%	20%	22%	21%	15%	2%	22%i	20%i	13%	18%k	10%
Contact the media	183	64	30	11	4	75	2	53	75	48	171	12
	16%	17%	17%	22%	8%	16%	10%	19%	16%	16%	17%k	9%
Take an active part in a campaign	162	57	27	9	10	58	3	58	63	34	151	11
	14%	15%	15%	19%	20%	12%	12%	21%hi	14%	11%	15%	9%
Boycott certain products for political, ethical or environmental reasons	162	49	42	6	6	58	3	60	60	36	155	7
	14%	13%	24%ae	13%	11%	12%	12%	21%hi	13%	12%	15%k	5%
Take part in a public consultation	161	55	37	11	7	51	6	50	70	33	156	5
	14%	15%	21%e	22%e	14%	11%	26%	18%i	15%	11%	16%k	4%
Take part in a demonstration, picket or march	116	49	12	2	4	50	1	38	49	27	106	10
	10%	13%b	7%	4%	8%	10%	6%	13%	11%	9%	11%	8%
Attend political meetings	112	49	21	5	3	34	3	35	45	26	107	5
	10%	13%e	12%	9%	7%	7%	12%	12%	10%	9%	11%k	4%

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**Q.5 Which of the following would you be prepared to do if you felt strongly enough about an issue?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Contribute to a discussion or campaign online or on social media	93 8%	35 9%	17 10%	3 7%	5 9%	33 7%	1 6%	32 11%	36 8%	23 8%	87 9%	6 4%
Donate money or pay a membership fee to a political party	52 5%	20 5%	7 4%	1 3%	3 5%	22 4%	- -	13 5%	25 6%	12 4%	47 5%	5 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
ANY OF THE ABOVE	884 78%	327 87% <sup>de</sup>	159 90% <sup>de</sup>	46 94% <sup>de</sup>	35 67%	318 66%	16 67%	245 88% <sup>i</sup>	392 85% <sup>i</sup>	209 69%	810 81% <sup>k</sup>	74 56%
None of these	247 22%	49 13%	17 10%	3 6%	17 33% <sup>abc</sup>	162 34% <sup>abc</sup>	8 33%	34 12%	69 15%	95 31% <sup>gh</sup>	188 19%	59 44% <sup>j</sup>

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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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very interested	113 10%	64 12%b	49 8%	5 3%	9 4%	17 9%c	23 12%cd	31 22%cdeth	14 11%cd	14 13%cd	42 23%klm	29 10%	16 6%	26 6%	69 11%	44 9%
Fairly interested	359 32%	177 34%	182 30%	35 20%	63 31%c	69 36%cg	71 36%c	35 25%	55 45%cdgi	32 29%	95 51%klm	94 33% <i>m</i>	77 30%	93 23%	224 35% <i>o</i>	135 27%
Not very interested	367 32%	166 32%	201 33%	69 41%eg	63 31%	54 28%	66 34%	37 26%	41 33%	37 34%	34 18%	113 40% <i>j</i>	88 34% <i>j</i>	133 33% <i>j</i>	186 29%	181 36% <i>n</i>
Not at all interested	290 26%	109 21%	180 29% <i>a</i>	61 36% <i>fhi</i>	65 32% <i>fh</i>	51 27% <i>h</i>	37 19%	38 27% <i>h</i>	14 11%	24 22% <i>h</i>	15 8%	50 18% <i>j</i>	77 30% <i>jk</i>	147 37% <i>jk</i>	151 24%	139 28%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472 42%	242 47% <i>b</i>	231 38%	40 24%	72 36% <i>c</i>	86 45% <i>c</i>	94 48% <i>cd</i>	66 47% <i>c</i>	69 56% <i>cd</i>	46 43% <i>c</i>	137 74% <i>klm</i>	123 43% <i>m</i>	93 36%	118 30%	293 46% <i>o</i>	180 36%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657 58%	275 53%	382 62% <i>a</i>	130 76% <i>defghi</i>	128 64% <i>fh</i>	105 55%	103 52%	75 53%	55 44%	60 56%	49 26%	164 57% <i>j</i>	164 63% <i>j</i>	280 70% <i>jk</i>	336 53%	321 64% <i>n</i>
Don't know	3 *	1 *	1 *	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	1 *	1 *	1 *

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very interested	113 10%	49 9%	64 11%	26 7%	87 11%	99 11%	14 7%	51 18%hij	32 9%	11 5%	15 7%	3 8%	46 11%	32 11%	35 8%
Fairly interested	359 32%	184 32%	175 31%	107 30%	252 32%	317 34% <sup>f</sup>	42 21%	99 35% <sup>i</sup>	134 38% <sup>ij</sup>	53 24%	61 26%	12 29%	141 33%	82 29%	137 33%
Not very interested	367 32%	189 33%	178 32%	117 33%	250 32%	289 31%	78 39% <sup>ee</sup>	83 29%	116 33%	84 38%	67 29%	16 38%	142 33%	89 31%	136 32%
Not at all interested	290 26%	149 26%	141 25%	106 30% <sup>d</sup>	184 24%	225 24%	65 32% <sup>ee</sup>	51 18%	65 19%	73 33% <sup>gh</sup>	89 38% <sup>gh</sup>	11 25%	98 23%	80 28%	112 27%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472 42%	233 41%	239 43%	133 37%	339 44%	417 45% <sup>f</sup>	56 28%	150 52% <sup>ij</sup>	166 48% <sup>ij</sup>	64 29%	77 33%	16 37%	186 44%	114 40%	172 41%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657 58%	337 59%	319 57%	223 63%	434 56%	514 55%	143 72% <sup>ee</sup>	134 47%	182 52%	158 71% <sup>gh</sup>	157 67% <sup>gh</sup>	27 63%	240 56%	169 59%	248 59%
Don't know	3 *	-	3 *	-	3 *	1 *	1 7%	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	-	3 1%	-

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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

\* small base

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very interested	113	8	12	7	7	7	12	19	16	10	5	8	100	11
	10%	15%	9%	8%	9%	8%	10%	14%	10%	10%	8%	8%	10%	10%
Fairly interested	359	15	38	28	30	30	38	36	59	27	20	38	313	39
	32%	27%	29%	32%	37%	34%	32%	26%	35%	27%	34%	38%g	31%	35%
Not very interested	367	21	49	30	21	30	44	39	48	37	18	29	335	31
	32%	36%	38%	34%	26%	34%	37%	28%	28%	38%	32%	29%	33%	28%
Not at all interested	290	13	31	23	22	21	26	45	45	24	15	25	259	30
	26%	23%	24%	26%	27%	24%	22%	32%	27%	25%	26%	25%	26%	27%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472	24	50	36	37	37	50	55	76	37	24	46	413	50
	42%	41%	38%	40%	47%	42%	42%	39%	45%	37%	42%	46%	41%	45%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657	34	81	53	43	51	69	84	93	62	33	54	594	61
	58%	59%	61%	60%	53%	58%	58%	60%	55%	63%	58%	54%	59%	55%
Don't know	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-
	*	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	*	-

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very interested	113	113	-	-	-
	10%	100%bcd	-	-	-
Fairly interested	359	-	359	-	-
	32%	-	100%acd	-	-
Not very interested	367	-	-	367	-
	32%	-	-	100%abd	-
Not at all interested	290	-	-	-	290
	26%	-	-	-	100%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472	113	359	-	-
	42%	100%cd	100%cd	-	-
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657	-	-	367	290
	58%	-	-	100%ab	100%ab
Don't know	3	-	-	-	-
	*	-	-	-	-

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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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very interested	113 10%	35 72%bcd	75 17%cd	4 1%	-	35 69%fgh	65 18%gh	12 2%	1 1%
Fairly interested	359 32%	9 19%d	240 56%acd	109 23%d	1 *	12 24%h	203 54%egh	138 27%h	7 3%
Not very interested	367 32%	3 7%	86 20%ad	257 54%abd	22 12%	1 1%	79 21%e	252 49%efh	35 18%e
Not at all interested	290 26%	1 2%	32 7%	100 21%ab	157 88%abc	3 6%	25 7%	109 21%ef	153 78%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472 42%	44 91%bcd	314 73%cd	113 24%d	1 *	47 93%fgh	268 72%gh	149 29%h	8 4%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657 58%	4 9%	117 27%a	356 76%ab	179 100%abc	3 7%	104 28%e	361 71%ef	188 96%efg
Don't know	3 *	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	1 *	-

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\* small base

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Very interested	113 10%	93 20%bcd	6 3%	101 15%bd	12 3%
Fairly interested	359 32%	206 45%bd	14 6%	298 43%bd	60 14%b
Not very interested	367 32%	124 27%	54 24%	219 32%b	146 34%ab
Not at all interested	290 26%	39 8%	150 67%acd	70 10%	212 49%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472 42%	299 65%bcd	21 9%	399 58%bd	72 17%b
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657 58%	162 35%	204 91%acd	289 42%a	359 83%ac
Don't know	3 *	-	-	-	-

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
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Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very interested	113	54	19	5	-	35	6	43	35	29	110	3
	10%	14%de	11%d	11%d	-	7%	26%	16%hi	8%	10%	11%k	2%
Fairly interested	359	138	99	16	8	98	7	119	163	66	339	20
	32%	37%de	56%acde	33%	15%	20%	30%	43%i	35%i	22%	34%k	15%
Not very interested	367	130	45	18	23	151	7	83	179	82	320	47
	32%	35%	26%	37%	45%b	31%	28%	30%	39%gi	27%	32%	35%
Not at all interested	290	54	12	9	19	195	4	33	84	127	227	62
	26%	14%b	7%	18%b	37%ab	41%abc	16%	12%	18%g	42%gh	23%	47%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
VERY/FAIRLY INTERESTED	472	192	118	22	8	133	13	162	198	95	450	22
	42%	51%de	67%acde	44%de	15%	28%	56%	58%hi	43%i	31%	45%k	17%
NOT VERY/NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	657	184	58	27	42	346	10	116	263	209	548	109
	58%	49%b	33%	56%b	82%abc	72%abc	44%	42%	57%g	69%gh	55%	82%j
Don't know	3	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
	*	-	-	-	3%abe	*	-	-	-	-	*	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	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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A great deal	48 4%	34 7% <sup>b</sup>	14 2%	4 2%	3 2%	8 4%	9 5%	11 8% <sup>cd</sup>	8 7% <sup>d</sup>	5 5%	21 11% <sup>klm</sup>	15 5% <sup>m</sup>	5 2%	7 2%	32 5%	16 3%
A fair amount	432 38%	230 44% <sup>b</sup>	201 33%	35 21%	62 31% <sup>c</sup>	72 38% <sup>c</sup>	94 48% <sup>cd</sup>	60 42% <sup>cd</sup>	65 53% <sup>cde</sup>	44 40% <sup>c</sup>	111 60% <sup>klm</sup>	110 38%	84 32%	126 32%	255 40%	177 35%
Not very much	471 42%	189 37%	282 46% <sup>a</sup>	81 47% <sup>f</sup>	90 45%	83 44%	70 36%	54 39%	45 36%	48 44%	44 24%	135 47% <sup>j</sup>	130 50% <sup>jm</sup>	162 40% <sup>j</sup>	248 39%	223 44%
Nothing at all	180 16%	63 12%	117 19% <sup>a</sup>	51 30% <sup>efghi</sup>	47 23% <sup>efghi</sup>	28 15% <sup>h</sup>	24 12% <sup>h</sup>	15 11%	5 4%	10 9%	9 5%	27 9%	40 15% <sup>jk</sup>	104 26% <sup>jdkl</sup>	93 15%	86 17%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480 42%	264 51% <sup>b</sup>	215 35%	39 23%	65 32%	79 42% <sup>c</sup>	104 53% <sup>cde</sup>	71 50% <sup>cd</sup>	74 60% <sup>cdei</sup>	48 45% <sup>cd</sup>	132 71% <sup>klm</sup>	125 44% <sup>lm</sup>	89 34%	133 33%	287 46% <sup>o</sup>	193 38%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650 57%	252 49%	398 65% <sup>a</sup>	132 77% <sup>efghi</sup>	136 68% <sup>fghi</sup>	111 58% <sup>fh</sup>	94 47%	70 50%	50 40%	58 54%	53 29%	162 56% <sup>j</sup>	170 66% <sup>jk</sup>	265 66% <sup>jdk</sup>	341 54%	309 62% <sup>n</sup>
Don't know	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	1 *	1 *	-

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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

\* small base

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A great deal	48 4%	22 4%	26 5%	10 3%	38 5%	42 5%	6 3%	25 9%hij	13 4%	2 1%	7 3%	1 3%	14 3%	17 6%	17 4%
A fair amount	432 38%	213 37%	219 39%	123 35%	308 40%	370 40%l	62 31%	134 47%ij	153 44%ij	64 29%	64 27%	16 39%	180 42%	98 34%	154 37%
Not very much	471 42%	243 43%	228 41%	156 44%	315 41%	373 40%	98 49%e	103 36%	144 41%	109 49%g	100 43%	15 36%	176 41%	115 40%	180 43%
Nothing at all	180 16%	93 16%	87 16%	67 19%	112 14%	147 16%	33 16%	23 8%	38 11%	47 21%gh	62 27%gh	9 22%gh	56 13%	55 19%	69 16%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480 42%	235 41%	245 44%	133 37%	347 45%c	412 44%l	68 34%	159 55%ij	166 48%ij	67 30%	71 31%	18 42%	194 46%	115 40%	171 41%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650 57%	335 59%	315 56%	223 63%d	428 55%	520 56%	131 65%e	126 44%	183 52%	155 70%gh	162 69%gh	24 58%	232 54%	169 59%	249 59%
Don't know	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 *	-	1 1%e	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	-

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
A great deal	48	-	5	6	*	3	5	9	7	7	2	5	39	7
	4%	-	4%	6%	1%	3%	4%	6%	4%	7%	3%	5%	4%	7%
A fair amount	432	22	46	33	34	34	49	53	70	38	22	32	378	45
	38%	39%	35%	37%	42%	38%	41%	38%	41%	38%	39%	31%	37%	41%
Not very much	471	34	66	41	33	38	46	43	66	32	26	47	431	38
	42%	59% <sup>fghi</sup>	50% <sup>gi</sup>	46% <sup>g</sup>	41%	43%	38%	31%	39%	33%	45% <sup>g</sup>	47% <sup>gi</sup>	43% <sup>m</sup>	35%
Nothing at all	180	1	14	10	13	14	20	35	26	21	7	17	160	20
	16%	2%	11%	12%	16% <sup>a</sup>	16% <sup>a</sup>	17% <sup>a</sup>	25% <sup>abcj</sup>	15% <sup>a</sup>	22% <sup>a</sup>	13% <sup>a</sup>	17% <sup>a</sup>	16%	18%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480	22	50	38	34	36	53	62	76	45	24	37	417	53
	42%	39%	38%	43%	43%	41%	45%	44%	45%	45%	42%	37%	41%	48%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650	35	80	51	46	52	66	78	92	54	33	64	591	58
	57%	61%	61%	57%	57%	59%	55%	56%	55%	55%	58%	63%	59%	52%
Don't know	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
	*	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	-

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
A great deal	48 4%	35 31%bcd	9 3%d	3 1%	1 *
A fair amount	432 38%	75 66%cd	240 67%cd	86 23%d	32 11%
Not very much	471 42%	4 3%	109 30%a	257 70%abd	100 34%a
Nothing at all	180 16%	-	1 *	22 6%ab	157 54%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480 42%	109 97%bcd	249 69%cd	89 24%d	33 11%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650 57%	4 3%	110 31%a	278 76%ab	257 89%abc
Don't know	1 *	-	-	-	-

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
A great deal	48	48	-	-	-	32	16	*	-
	4%	100%bcd	-	-	-	64%fgh	4%gh	*	-
A fair amount	432	-	432	-	-	16	301	112	3
	38%	-	100%acd	-	-	32%h	81%egh	22%h	1%
Not very much	471	-	-	471	-	2	55	367	46
	42%	-	-	100%abd	-	4%	15%e	72%efh	24%ef
Nothing at all	180	-	-	-	180	-	-	32	147
	16%	-	-	-	100%abc	-	-	6%f	75%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480	48	432	-	-	48	317	112	3
	42%	100%cd	100%cd	-	-	96%fgh	85%gh	22%h	1%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650	-	-	471	180	2	55	400	193
	57%	-	-	100%ab	100%ab	4%	15%e	78%ef	99%efg
Don't know	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
A great deal	48 4%	36 8%bd	4 2%	41 6%bd	7 2%
A fair amount	432 38%	248 54%bd	36 16%	343 50%bd	87 20%
Not very much	471 42%	162 35%	82 36%	275 40%	194 45%a
Nothing at all	180 16%	16 4%	103 46%acd	30 4%	143 33%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480 42%	283 61%bd	39 18%	384 56%bd	94 22%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650 57%	178 39%	185 82%ac	305 44%	337 78%ac
Don't know	1 *	-	-	-	-

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

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

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
A great deal	48 4%	22 6%e	10 6%	1 1%	1 2%	14 3%	2 8%	14 5%	14 3%	18 6%	45 5%	3 2%
A fair amount	432 38%	160 43%de	101 58%acde	16 33%	9 18%	145 30%	12 52%	138 50%hi	188 41%i	87 29%	407 41%k	25 19%
Not very much	471 42%	163 43%b	56 32%	31 63%abe	26 52%b	195 41%	7 28%	107 39%	218 47%gi	119 39%	425 43%	46 35%
Nothing at all	180 16%	30 8%	9 5%	1 3%	14 28%abc	124 26%abc	3 13%	19 7%	41 9%	79 26%gh	123 12%	57 43%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	480 42%	182 49%de	111 63%acde	17 34%	10 20%	159 33%	14 60%	152 54%hi	203 44%i	106 35%	452 45%k	28 21%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	650 57%	193 51%b	64 37%	32 66%b	41 80%ab	320 67%ab	10 40%	127 46%	258 56%g	198 65%gh	547 55%	103 78%j
Don't know	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
A great deal	50 4%	36 7%b	15 2%	7 4%	3 1%	7 4%	7 4%	10 7% <i>d</i>	6 5%	10 10% <i>d</i>	21 12% <i>klm</i>	13 5%	5 2%	11 3%	33 5%	17 3%
A fair amount	372 33%	210 41% <i>b</i>	162 26%	27 16%	56 28% <i>c</i>	62 33% <i>c</i>	77 39% <i>cd</i>	54 39% <i>c</i>	61 49% <i>cdei</i>	35 32% <i>c</i>	103 55% <i>klm</i>	93 32%	76 29%	100 25%	226 36% <i>o</i>	145 29%
Not very much	512 45%	210 41%	302 49% <i>a</i>	81 48%	101 50%	91 48%	86 44%	58 41%	47 38%	48 45%	51 27%	147 51% <i>j</i>	132 51% <i>j</i>	183 46% <i>j</i>	273 43%	239 48%
Nothing at all	196 17%	61 12%	135 22% <i>a</i>	55 32% <i>defghi</i>	42 21% <i>h</i>	31 16%	28 14%	19 13%	10 8%	13 12%	11 6%	34 12% <i>j</i>	46 18% <i>j</i>	105 26% <i>ijkl</i>	96 15%	100 20%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422 37%	246 47% <i>b</i>	176 29%	34 20%	58 29%	69 36% <i>c</i>	84 42% <i>cd</i>	64 46% <i>cd</i>	67 54% <i>cde</i>	45 42% <i>cd</i>	124 67% <i>klm</i>	106 37% <i>m</i>	81 31%	111 28%	260 41% <i>o</i>	162 32%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708 63%	271 52%	437 71% <i>a</i>	136 80% <i>efghi</i>	143 71% <i>fghi</i>	121 64% <i>h</i>	114 58%	76 54%	57 46%	61 57%	61 33%	180 63% <i>j</i>	179 69% <i>j</i>	288 72% <i>jk</i>	369 59%	339 68% <i>n</i>
Don't know	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	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	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
A great deal	50 4%	21 4%	29 5%	12 3%	38 5%	43 5%	7 4%	24 9%ij	16 4%i	2 1%	7 3%	1 3%	18 4%	19 7%	14 3%
A fair amount	372 33%	189 33%	183 33%	100 28%	272 35% <sup>c</sup>	318 34%	54 27%	125 44%ij	129 37%ij	49 22%	56 24%	13 32%	151 36%	82 29%	139 33%
Not very much	512 45%	263 46%	249 44%	169 48%	343 44%	416 45%	96 48%	102 36%	168 48% <sup>g</sup>	122 55% <sup>gj</sup>	102 44%	17 41%	186 44%	125 44%	201 48%
Nothing at all	196 17%	98 17%	98 18%	74 21%	122 16%	155 17%	41 21%	33 12%	36 10%	49 22% <sup>gh</sup>	68 29% <sup>gh</sup>	10 23% <sup>gh</sup>	71 17%	59 20%	66 16%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422 37%	210 37%	212 38%	112 32%	310 40% <sup>c</sup>	361 39% <sup>f</sup>	61 31%	149 52% <sup>hijk</sup>	144 41% <sup>ij</sup>	50 23%	63 27%	15 35%	169 40%	101 35%	152 36%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708 63%	360 63%	348 62%	244 68% <sup>d</sup>	464 60%	571 61%	137 69%	135 47%	204 59% <sup>g</sup>	171 77% <sup>gh</sup>	170 73% <sup>gh</sup>	27 65% <sup>g</sup>	257 60%	184 64%	267 64%
Don't know	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 1% <sup>e</sup>	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -

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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

\* small base

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
A great deal	50	-	8	3	*	1	4	12	8	8	1	5	42	7
	4%	-	6%	3%	1%	2%	3%	9%adej	5%	9%ad	1%	5%	4%	6%
A fair amount	372	24	43	34	28	24	37	38	59	28	21	35	323	42
	33%	41%	33%	39%	35%	27%	31%	27%	35%	29%	37%	34%	32%	38%
Not very much	512	28	59	38	38	48	56	54	77	42	25	45	470	38
	45%	49%	45%	42%	48%	55%g	47%	39%	46%	42%	44%	45%	47% <sup>m</sup>	35%
Nothing at all	196	6	20	14	14	15	22	35	25	20	10	16	173	23
	17%	10%	15%	16%	17%	17%	18%	25% <sup>ah</sup>	15%	20%	17%	16%	17%	21%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422	24	51	37	28	25	41	51	66	37	22	39	365	49
	37%	41%	39%	42%	35%	28%	34%	36%	40%	37%	38%	39%	36%	45% <sup>l</sup>
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708	34	79	52	52	63	78	90	102	62	35	61	644	61
	63%	59%	60%	58%	65%	72%	66%	64%	60%	63%	62%	61%	64% <sup>m</sup>	55%
Don't know	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
	*	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	-

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

\* small base

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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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
A great deal	50 4%	35 31%bcd	12 3%c	1 *	3 1%
A fair amount	372 33%	65 58%cd	203 56%cd	79 22%d	25 9%
Not very much	512 45%	12 10%	138 38%a	252 69%abd	109 38%a
Nothing at all	196 17%	1 1%	7 2%	35 9%ab	153 53%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422 37%	100 88%bcd	215 60%cd	80 22%d	28 9%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708 63%	13 12%	144 40%a	287 78%ab	262 91%abc
Don't know	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	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
A great deal	50	32	16	2	-	50	-	-	-
	4%	67%bcd	4%cd	*	-	100%fgh	-	-	-
A fair amount	372	16	301	55	-	-	372	-	-
	33%	32%cd	70%acd	12%d	-	-	100%egh	-	-
Not very much	512	*	112	367	32	-	-	512	-
	45%	*	26%a	78%abd	18%a	-	-	100%efh	-
Nothing at all	196	-	3	46	147	-	-	-	196
	17%	-	1%	10%ab	82%abc	-	-	-	100%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422	48	317	57	-	50	372	-	-
	37%	100%bcd	73%cd	12%d	-	100%gh	100%gh	-	-
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708	*	115	414	180	-	-	512	196
	63%	*	27%a	88%ab	100%abc	-	-	100%ef	100%ef
Don't know	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

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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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
A great deal	50 4%	35 8%bd	4 2%	41 6%bd	9 2%
A fair amount	372 33%	222 48%bd	22 10%	300 43%bd	70 16%b
Not very much	512 45%	173 38%	101 45%	300 44%	210 49%a
Nothing at all	196 17%	31 7%	97 43%acd	48 7%	141 33%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422 37%	258 56%bd	27 12%	341 49%bd	79 18%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708 63%	204 44%	198 88%ac	348 51%	352 82%ac
Don't know	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	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
A great deal	50 4%	23 6%	10 6%	- -	1 1%	17 3%	3 12%	18 6%	17 4%	13 4%	49 5%k	1 1%
A fair amount	372 33%	138 37%de	84 48%ade	18 38%	10 19%	122 25%	11 46%	132 47%hi	152 33%i	70 23%	349 35%k	23 17%
Not very much	512 45%	177 47%	70 40%	26 54%	24 48%	215 45%	7 30%	112 40%	244 53%gi	134 44%	459 46%	53 40%
Nothing at all	196 17%	38 10%	12 7%	4 9%	16 32%abc	126 26%abc	3 13%	16 6%	49 11%g	86 28%gh	142 14%	54 41%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
GREAT DEAL / FAIR AMOUNT	422 37%	160 43%ade	94 54%ade	18 38%	10 20%	139 29%	14 57%	150 54%hi	168 37%i	83 27%	398 40%k	24 18%
NOT VERY MUCH / NOTHING AT ALL	708 63%	215 57%b	81 46%	31 62%	41 80%ab	341 71%ab	10 43%	128 46%	293 63%g	220 73%gh	601 60%	107 81%j
Don't know	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%j

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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	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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	17 3%b	7 1%	3 2%	2 1%	4 2%	6 3%	1 1%	3 2%	4 4%	5 3%	6 2%	8 3%	5 1%	16 3%	8 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	139 27%	140 23%	54 32%h	45 22%	46 24%	53 27%	32 23%	23 19%	24 22%	71 38%lm	90 32%lm	53 20%	64 16%	166 26%	112 22%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	207 40%	254 41%	58 34%	92 46%c	71 37%	88 45%	57 41%	55 44%	41 38%	83 44%	126 44%	101 39%	151 38%	273 43%	188 37%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	130 25%	174 28%	36 21%	45 22%	61 32%cd	45 23%	43 30%	42 34%cd	32 30%	24 13%	54 19%	86 33%jk	140 35%jk	148 23%	156 31%n
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
WORKS WELL	302 27%	155 30%b	146 24%	57 34%dh	47 24%	51 27%	59 30%	34 24%	26 21%	28 26%	76 41%lm	97 34%lm	61 23%	68 17%	182 29%	119 24%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	337 65%	428 70%	93 55%	137 68%c	132 69%c	133 68%c	100 71%c	96 78%c	73 68%	106 57%	181 63%	187 72%jk	291 73%jk	421 67%	344 69%
Don't know	65 6%	26 5%	39 6%	19 11%efh	17 8%fh	8 4%	5 3%	7 5%	1 1%	7 6%	3 2%	9 3%	12 5%	41 10%jkl	27 4%	39 8%n

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	13 2%	11 2%	10 3%	13 2%	20 2%	3 2%	6 2%	8 2%	5 2%	5 2%	-	8 2%	6 2%	9 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	154 27%	124 22%	88 25%	190 24%	252 27% <sup>f</sup>	26 13%	66 23% <sup>i</sup>	115 33% <sup>gik</sup>	33 15%	58 25% <sup>i</sup>	5 13%	119 28% <sup>m</sup>	59 21%	100 24%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	233 41%	228 41%	151 43%	310 40%	383 41%	78 39%	109 38%	154 44%	89 40%	90 39%	20 47%	170 40%	109 38%	182 43%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	139 24%	165 29%	86 24%	218 28%	229 25%	74 37% <sup>ee</sup>	95 33% <sup>hj</sup>	64 18%	83 37% <sup>hj</sup>	48 21%	14 34% <sup>h</sup>	106 25%	91 32%	107 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
WORKS WELL	302 27%	167 29%	134 24%	99 28%	203 26%	272 29% <sup>f</sup>	29 15%	73 25% <sup>i</sup>	123 35% <sup>gik</sup>	38 17%	63 27% <sup>i</sup>	5 13%	127 30%	65 23%	109 26%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	372 65%	393 70%	237 67%	528 68%	612 66%	152 76% <sup>ee</sup>	203 71% <sup>hj</sup>	218 62%	172 77% <sup>hj</sup>	138 59%	34 81% <sup>hj</sup>	276 65%	200 70%	288 69%
Don't know	65 6%	31 5%	34 6%	20 6%	45 6%	47 5%	18 9% <sup>ee</sup>	10 4%	8 2%	12 6%	32 14% <sup>gghi</sup>	3 6%	23 5%	20 7%	22 5%

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	1 2%	- -	4 5%b	3 4%b	3 3%	2 2%	4 3%	2 1%	3 3%	1 1%	1 1%	19 2%	5 4%l
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	10 17%	39 30%cj	13 14%	20 25%	21 24%	33 28%cj	34 25%	46 27%cj	32 33%cj	8 14%	21 21%	245 24%	28 25%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	17 29%	50 38%	37 41%	34 42%	41 47%g	54 45%g	44 32%	73 43%g	35 36%	31 54%abgi	44 44%g	417 41%	41 37%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	30 52%bdefghi jk	35 27%	29 33%	17 21%	19 21%	23 20%	46 33%f	40 24%	21 21%	16 28%	27 26%	274 27%	27 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
WORKS WELL	302 27%	11 19%	39 30%j	17 19%	23 29%j	24 27%	35 30%j	38 27%j	48 28%j	35 36%cj	9 15%	23 22%	263 26%	33 30%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	47 81%i	86 65%	66 74%i	51 63%	60 68%	77 65%	91 65%	113 67%	56 57%	47 82%bdefg hik	71 71%i	690 68%	68 62%
Don't know	65 6%	- -	7 5%	6 7%	6 8%	5 5%	7 5%	12 8%a	8 5%	7 8%	2 3%	7 7%	56 6%	9 8%

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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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	6 5% <i>d</i>	7 2%	7 2%	4 1%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	43 38% <i>cd</i>	119 33% <i>cd</i>	83 23% <i>d</i>	33 11%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	35 31%	163 46% <i>ad</i>	179 49% <i>ad</i>	84 29%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	29 26%	66 18%	82 22%	127 44% <i>abc</i>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
WORKS WELL	302 27%	49 44% <i>cd</i>	126 35% <i>cd</i>	89 24% <i>d</i>	37 13%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	64 56%	229 64%	261 71% <i>a</i>	211 73% <i>ab</i>
Don't know	65 6%	-	4 1%	17 5% <i>ab</i>	42 14% <i>abc</i>

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\* 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	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	2 4%	12 3%	7 1%	3 2%	3 5%	11 3%	7 1%	3 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	14 28%d	138 32%cd	107 23%d	19 11%	18 35%gh	132 35%gh	112 22%h	16 8%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	14 30%	188 44%d	218 46%ad	41 23%	17 33%	152 41%h	244 48%h	49 25%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	18 38%b	87 20%	119 25%	79 44%bc	13 26%	70 19%	134 26%f	86 44%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
WORKS WELL	302 27%	16 32%d	150 35%cd	114 24%d	22 12%	21 41%gh	143 38%gh	119 23%h	19 10%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	33 68%	276 64%	337 72%b	120 67%	30 59%	222 60%	378 74%ef	136 69%f
Don't know	65 6%	-	6 1%	20 4%b	38 21%abc	-	7 2%	15 3%	41 21%efg

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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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	12 3%	3 2%	15 2%	8 2%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	143 31%bd	26 12%	208 30%bd	68 16%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	187 40%b	66 29%	298 43%b	161 37%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	110 24%	98 44%acd	151 22%	151 35%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
WORKS WELL	302 27%	155 34%bd	30 13%	223 32%bd	77 18%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	297 64%	164 73%ac	449 65%	312 72%ac
Don't know	65 6%	9 2%	30 14%ac	16 2%	43 10%ac

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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	Q.1:2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Works extremely well and could not be improved	24 2%	8 2%	10 6%ae	-	1 1%	4 1%	24 100%	-	-	-	20 2%	4 3%
Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well	278 25%	98 26%e	66 38%ade	14 30%	9 18%	90 19%	-	278 100%hi	-	-	252 25%	26 20%
Could be improved quite a lot	461 41%	163 43%e	77 44%	25 51%	22 44%	174 36%	-	-	461 100%gi	-	423 42%k	38 29%
Needs a great deal of improvement	304 27%	94 25%b	20 12%	10 20%	11 22%	168 35%ab	-	-	-	304 100%gh	269 27%	35 26%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
WORKS WELL	302 27%	107 28%e	77 44%ade	14 30%	10 19%	94 20%	24 100%	278 100%hi	-	-	272 27%	30 23%
NEEDS A LOT/A GREAT DEAL OF IMPROVEMENT	765 68%	257 69%b	97 55%	34 70%	34 66%	343 71%b	-	-	461 100%g	304 100%g	692 69%k	73 55%
Don't know	65 6%	11 3%	2 1%	-	8 15%abc	44 9%ab	-	-	-	-	35 4%	30 23%j

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**Q.9 What is the name of your local Member of Parliament?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Correct	247	116	130	15	23	33	50	44	49	33	73	58	40	75	159	87
	22%	22%	21%	9%	12%	17% <sup>c</sup>	25% <sup>cd</sup>	31% <sup>cde</sup>	40% <sup>cdef</sup>	30% <sup>cde</sup>	40% <sup>klm</sup>	20%	16%	19%	25% <sup>o</sup>	17%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	4	7	*	1	1	2	3	2	1	2	2	5	2	7	4
	1%	1%	1%	*	*	*	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	1%	1%
Incorrect - given other name	62	27	35	3	8	13	14	6	8	9	9	18	13	22	40	22
	5%	5%	6%	2%	4%	7% <sup>c</sup>	7% <sup>c</sup>	4%	7%	8% <sup>c</sup>	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	4%
None/don't know	812	370	442	151	169	144	131	87	64	65	101	209	201	301	424	388
	72%	71%	72%	89% <sup>efghi</sup>	84% <sup>fghi</sup>	76% <sup>ghi</sup>	66% <sup>h</sup>	62%	52%	60%	54%	73% <sup>j</sup>	77% <sup>j</sup>	75% <sup>j</sup>	67%	77% <sup>n</sup>

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	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA				
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427	
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419	
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361	
Correct	247	104	143	60	186	201	46	95	89	34	21	7	79	62	106	
		22%	18%	25% <sup>a</sup>	17%	24% <sup>c</sup>	22%	23%	33% <sup>ijk</sup>	26% <sup>ij</sup>	15%	9%	17%	18%	22%	25% <sup>l</sup>
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	4	7	1	10	7	4	4	5	2	-	-	4	1	6	
	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	*	1%	
Incorrect - given other name	62	26	36	12	50	50	12	21	15	14	9	3	26	14	22	
	5%	5%	6%	3%	7% <sup>c</sup>	5%	6%	7%	4%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%	5%	
None/don't know	812	437	375	283	529	674	138	167	239	171	202	32	317	210	285	
	72%	77% <sup>b</sup>	67%	80% <sup>d</sup>	68%	72%	69%	58%	69% <sup>g</sup>	77% <sup>gh</sup>	87% <sup>ghi</sup>	77% <sup>g</sup>	74%	73%	68%	

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Correct	247	15	43	17	14	19	17	18	36	25	10	32	234	10
	22%	27%g	32%dfgj	19%	17%	21%	14%	13%	22%	26%g	18%	32%dfghj	23%m	9%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	-	1	1	-	1	*	1	1	-	-	4	10	1
	1%	-	1%	2%	-	2%	*	1%	1%	-	-	4%fji	1%	1%
Incorrect - given other name	62	3	3	3	3	2	3	9	14	6	6	11	56	6
	5%	5%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	7%	8%	6%	10%bef	10%bcef	6%	6%
None/don't know	812	40	84	68	63	66	99	112	117	68	41	54	710	92
	72%	69%	64%	76%k	78%k	75%k	83%bhik	80%bk	70%k	69%k	72%k	54%	70%	84%l



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	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Correct	247	51	102	60	34
	22%	45%bcd	28%cd	16%	12%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	3	3	4	1
	1%	2%	1%	1%	*
Incorrect - given other name	62	9	24	20	9
	5%	8%d	7%d	5%	3%
None/don't know	812	50	230	284	246
	72%	44%	64%a	77%ab	85%abc

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

\* small base

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**Q.9 What is the name of your local Member of Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Correct	247	28	133	71	15	24	130	78	15
	22%	58%bcd	31%cd	15%d	8%	47%gh	35%gh	15%h	8%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	1	4	6	-	1	4	6	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-
Incorrect - given other name	62	1	32	24	5	3	25	28	6
	5%	2%	7%	5%	3%	5%	7%	5%	3%
None/don't know	812	19	262	370	160	23	213	400	175
	72%	39%	61%a	79%ab	89%abc	46%	57%	78%ef	89%efg

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

\* small base

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**Q.9 What is the name of your local Member of Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Correct	247	145	26	195	50
	22%	31%bd	12%	28%bd	12%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	6	2	7	4
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Incorrect - given other name	62	33	4	48	12
	5%	7%bd	2%	7%bd	3%
None/don't know	812	278	192	438	365
	72%	60%	86%ac	64%	85%ac

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**Q.9 What is the name of your local Member of Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Correct	247	88	44	16	7	91	4	80	96	66	238	8
	22%	24%	25%	33%de	14%	19%	18%	29%h	21%	22%	24%k	6%
Incorrect - given old mps name	11	5	1	-	2	3	-	6	4	1	11	-
	1%	1%	1%	-	4%e	1%	-	2%i	1%	*	1%	-
Incorrect - given other name	62	27	12	3	3	17	*	13	28	20	60	2
	5%	7%e	7%	6%	5%	4%	2%	5%	6%	7%	6%k	1%
None/don't know	812	255	118	30	40	370	19	179	333	218	690	122
	72%	68%	67%	60%	77%	77%abc	80%	64%	72%g	72%	69%	92%j

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

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**Q.10 Summary table: Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister	British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters	You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax	Members of the House of Lords are elected by the British public	There is a minimum number of days that MPs have to attend Parliament each year	Most of the money that local councils spend is raised locally, through council tax	Government and Parliament are the same thing	Political parties receive some state funding	The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16
Unweighted Base	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944	944	944	944	944	944	944	944
True	202 18%	490 43%	410 36%	233 21%	795 70%	620 55%	344 30%	585 52%	263 23%
False	658 58%	460 41%	622 55%	763 67%	187 17%	389 34%	684 60%	387 34%	801 71%
Don't know	271 24%	182 16%	100 9%	136 12%	149 13%	122 11%	104 9%	159 14%	67 6%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.10\_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	202	87	116	31	45	39	37	19	19	12	19	56	45	82	102	100
	18%	17%	19%	18%	22%i	20%	19%	14%	16%	11%	10%	19%j	18%	20%j	16%	20%
False	658	334	324	87	92	107	130	92	85	64	145	168	146	199	393	265
	58%	65%b	53%	51%	46%	56%	66%cd	65%cd	69%cde	60%cd	78%klm	59%m	56%	50%	62%o	53%
Don't know	271	97	174	52	64	45	30	30	19	31	21	63	68	119	135	136
	24%	19%	28%a	30%fh	32%fgh	24%	15%	21%	16%	29%fh	11%	22%j	26%j	30%k	21%	27%n

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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

\* small base

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**Q.10\_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	202	11	24	11	11	16	20	28	32	19	11	19	175	25
	18%	19%	18%	13%	14%	18%	17%	20%	19%	19%	18%	18%	17%	22%
False	658	34	77	57	47	53	61	74	101	56	35	63	594	55
	58%	58%	58%	64%	59%	60%	52%	53%	60%	56%	61%	63%	59% <sup>m</sup>	50%
Don't know	271	13	31	21	22	19	38	38	35	24	12	19	240	30
	24%	23%	23%	23%	27%	22%	32% <sup>k</sup>	27%	21%	24%	20%	19%	24%	28%

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\* small base

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**Q.10\_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	202	13	56	76	58
	18%	12%	16%	21%a	20%
False	658	95	249	197	117
	58%	84%bcd	69%cd	54%d	41%
Don't know	271	5	54	94	115
	24%	5%	15%a	26%ab	40%abc

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\* small base



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**Q.10\_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	202	7	64	93	39	5	48	110	39
	18%	14%	15%	20%	22%	10%	13%	21% <sup>f</sup>	20% <sup>f</sup>
False	658	41	318	230	70	42	281	263	72
	58%	85% <sup>cd</sup>	74% <sup>cd</sup>	49% <sup>d</sup>	39%	83% <sup>gh</sup>	76% <sup>gh</sup>	51% <sup>h</sup>	37%
Don't know	271	*	50	148	70	3	43	139	84
	24%	1%	12% <sup>a</sup>	31% <sup>ab</sup>	39% <sup>ab</sup>	6%	12%	27% <sup>ef</sup>	43% <sup>efg</sup>

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\* small base

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**Q.10\_01 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Cabinet ministers stop being MPs when they become a minister**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	202	78	26	3	5	90	3	38	92	63	180	23
	18%	21% <sup>c</sup>	15%	7%	9%	19%	14%	14%	20% <sup>g</sup>	21% <sup>g</sup>	18%	17%
False	658	214	122	39	31	252	17	190	267	170	602	56
	58%	57%	70% <sup>ae</sup>	81% <sup>ae</sup>	60%	52%	74%	68% <sup>hi</sup>	58%	56%	60% <sup>k</sup>	42%
Don't know	271	84	27	6	15	139	3	50	102	70	217	54
	24%	22%	15%	12%	30% <sup>b</sup>	29% <sup>abc</sup>	13%	18%	22%	23%	22%	41% <sup>j</sup>

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**Q.10\_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	490	257	234	68	77	77	80	63	66	58	116	117	103	154	278	213
	43%	50% <sup>b</sup>	38%	40%	38%	40%	41%	45%	54% <sup>cdef</sup>	54% <sup>cdef</sup>	63% <sup>klm</sup>	41%	40%	39%	44%	42%
False	460	192	267	70	81	90	88	59	41	30	55	138	112	155	264	196
	41%	37%	44% <sup>aa</sup>	41% <sup>i</sup>	40%	47% <sup>hi</sup>	45% <sup>i</sup>	42% <sup>i</sup>	33%	28%	29%	48% <sup>jm</sup>	43% <sup>j</sup>	39% <sup>j</sup>	42%	39%
Don't know	182	69	113	32	43	24	29	18	16	19	15	32	44	91	89	93
	16%	13%	18% <sup>aa</sup>	19%	21% <sup>e</sup>	13%	15%	13%	13%	18%	8%	11%	17% <sup>j</sup>	23% <sup>k</sup>	14%	19%

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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

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**Q.10\_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	490 43%	27 47%	56 43%	39 43%	30 38%	45 51%	47 39%	57 40%	73 44%	50 50%	20 36%	46 46%	440 44%	46 42%
False	460 41%	27 46%	51 39%	36 41%	39 48%	33 37%	46 39%	56 40%	68 41%	35 36%	27 46%	42 42%	409 41%	44 40%
Don't know	182 16%	4 7%	24 18%	14 16%	11 14%	11 13%	26 22%a	27 19%	26 16%	14 14%	10 18%	13 13%	160 16%	20 18%

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**Q.10\_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	490	75	174	152	91
	43%	66%bcd	48%d	41%d	31%
False	460	37	157	147	118
	41%	32%	44%	40%	41%
Don't know	182	2	29	68	81
	16%	2%	8%a	19%ab	28%abc

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

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**Q.10\_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	490	40	223	163	65	41	203	188	59
	43%	84%bcd	52%cd	35%	36%	81%fgh	55%gh	37%	30%
False	460	7	175	217	61	8	145	234	73
	41%	15%	41%a	46%ad	34%a	15%	39%e	46%e	37%e
Don't know	182	1	34	92	54	2	24	90	64
	16%	1%	8%	19%ab	30%abc	4%	6%	18%ef	33%efg

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\* small base

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**Q.10\_02 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**British members of the European Parliament are directly elected by British voters**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	490	176	97	18	14	184	19	145	190	121	451	39
	43%	47%de	56%cde	37%	28%	38%	80%	52%hi	41%	40%	45%k	30%
False	460	154	62	28	26	190	3	102	200	141	408	51
	41%	41%	35%	57%be	50%	40%	14%	37%	43%	46%g	41%	39%
Don't know	182	45	16	3	11	106	2	31	71	42	140	42
	16%	12%	9%	6%	22%bc	22%abc	7%	11%	15%	14%	14%	32%j

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**Q.10\_03 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	410	182	227	56	75	69	59	45	48	57	58	94	86	171	220	190
	36%	35%	37%	33%	37%	36%	30%	32%	39%	53% <sup>cdefg</sup>	31%	33%	33%	43% <sup>ijkl</sup>	35%	38%
False	622	294	328	90	103	109	124	89	65	42	126	168	148	180	364	259
	55%	57%	53%	53%	51%	57% <sup>i</sup>	63% <sup>di</sup>	63% <sup>di</sup>	53%	39%	68% <sup>lm</sup>	59% <sup>m</sup>	57% <sup>m</sup>	45%	58%	52%
Don't know	100	42	58	25	23	12	15	7	10	8	1	25	25	49	47	53
	9%	8%	9%	15% <sup>efg</sup>	11% <sup>g</sup>	6%	8%	5%	8%	7%	1%	9% <sup>j</sup>	10% <sup>j</sup>	12% <sup>j</sup>	7%	11%

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\* small base



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.10\_03 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	410	17	57	35	30	39	34	50	62	32	24	28	360	45
	36%	30%	43%fk	39%	38%	45%fk	28%	36%	37%	33%	42%k	28%	36%	41%
False	622	35	66	47	47	45	70	72	84	61	28	68	563	53
	55%	61%	50%	53%	58%	51%	59%	52%	50%	62%	49%	67%bceghj	56%m	48%
Don't know	100	6	9	7	3	4	15	18	22	6	5	5	86	13
	9%	10%	7%	8%	4%	4%	13%k	13%k	13%ek	6%	10%	5%	8%	12%

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**Q.10\_03 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	410	32	113	161	104
	36%	28%	31%	44%ab	36%
False	622	76	230	177	138
	55%	67%cd	64%cd	48%	48%
Don't know	100	5	16	29	48
	9%	5%	5%	8%	17%abc

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

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**You are automatically registered to vote if you pay council tax**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)				
	Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)	
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	410	12	125	205	68	13	107	213	76
	36%	24%	29%	43%ab	38%b	27%	29%	42%f	39%f
False	622	35	289	223	75	35	250	258	80
	55%	72%cd	67%cd	47%	42%	69%gh	67%gh	50%h	41%
Don't know	100	2	17	43	36	2	16	41	39
	9%	4%	4%	9%b	20%abc	4%	4%	8%f	20%efg

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	410	151	55	11	20	173	9	93	180	109	372	38
	36%	40% <sup>c</sup>	31%	23%	39%	36%	39%	33%	39%	36%	37%	29%
False	622	209	111	34	23	245	13	172	252	168	559	63
	55%	56%	63% <sup>de</sup>	70% <sup>de</sup>	46%	51%	57%	62%	55%	55%	56%	48%
Don't know	100	16	9	3	8	63	1	14	29	27	68	31
	9%	4%	5%	7%	16% <sup>ab</sup>	13% <sup>ab</sup>	4%	5%	6%	9%	7%	24% <sup>j</sup>

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.10\_04 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Members of the House of Lords are elected by the British public**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	233 21%	99 19%	134 22%	58 34%efghi	51 25%fg	43 22%fg	26 13%	10 7%	26 21%g	19 18%g	21 11%	56 20%j	59 23%j	97 24%j	105 17%	129 26%n
False	763 67%	375 72%b	388 63%	81 47%	108 54%	132 69%cd	157 79%cde	114 81%cde	93 75%cd	78 72%cd	157 85%klm	206 72%m	167 64%	233 58%	455 72%o	307 61%
Don't know	136 12%	44 8%	92 15%a	31 18%efh	42 21%efghi	15 8%	15 8%	17 12%h	4 3%	11 10%	8 4%	25 9%	33 13%j	70 17%k	70 11%	65 13%

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**Q.10\_04 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Members of the House of Lords are elected by the British public**

**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)
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True	233 21%	7 12%	35 26% <sup>dj</sup>	15 17%	10 12%	26 29% <sup>adijk</sup>	26 21%	37 26% <sup>dj</sup>	39 23%	15 15%	7 13%	17 17%	194 19%	34 30% <sup>l</sup>
False	763 67%	46 80% <sup>gh</sup>	84 63%	65 73%	59 73%	58 65%	75 63%	84 60%	105 62%	68 69%	44 76% <sup>gh</sup>	75 75% <sup>fgh</sup>	696 69% <sup>m</sup>	60 55%
Don't know	136 12%	5 8%	14 10%	8 9%	12 15%	5 5%	19 16% <sup>e</sup>	20 14%	25 15%	15 16%	6 11%	8 8%	119 12%	17 15%

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
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Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	233	11	66	88	67
	21%	10%	18%	24%a	23%a
False	763	101	282	230	148
	67%	90%bcd	79%cd	63%d	51%
Don't know	136	*	10	49	74
	12%	*	3%	13%ab	26%abc

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Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	233	3	71	110	49	7	50	128	48
	21%	7%	16%	23%ab	27%ab	13%	14%	25%f	24%f
False	763	44	352	296	71	43	315	318	87
	67%	92%cd	81%cd	63%d	39%	86%gh	85%gh	62%h	44%
Don't know	136	*	9	65	60	*	7	65	61
	12%	1%	2%	14%ab	33%abc	1%	2%	13%ef	31%efg

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Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	233	81	35	9	10	98	7	52	108	59	202	32
	21%	22%	20%	18%	20%	20%	28%	19%	23%	19%	20%	24%
False	763	261	133	38	32	298	15	205	318	205	705	58
	67%	70%e	76%e	78%e	63%	62%	66%	74%	69%	67%	71%k	43%
Don't know	136	33	7	2	9	85	2	22	35	40	92	43
	12%	9%	4%	4%	17%b	18%abc	7%	8%	8%	13%h	9%	33%j

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**There is a minimum number of days that MPs have to attend Parliament each year**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
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Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	795	357	438	104	141	148	158	100	75	69	131	213	189	262	449	346
	70%	69%	71%	61%	70%	77% <sup>chi</sup>	80% <sup>cdhi</sup>	71%	61%	64%	70%	74% <sup>m</sup>	73%	65%	71%	69%
False	187	103	85	38	27	23	26	19	34	21	43	37	41	66	106	81
	17%	20% <sup>b</sup>	14%	22% <sup>def</sup>	13%	12%	13%	14%	28% <sup>defg</sup>	19%	23% <sup>k</sup>	13%	16%	17%	17%	16%
Don't know	149	59	91	29	33	20	14	21	14	18	12	36	29	72	75	74
	13%	11%	15%	17% <sup>f</sup>	17% <sup>f</sup>	11%	7%	15% <sup>f</sup>	11%	16% <sup>f</sup>	7%	13%	11%	18% <sup>l</sup>	12%	15%

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**There is a minimum number of days that MPs have to attend Parliament each year**

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	Total	GOVERNMENT REGION										ETHNICITY		
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Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	795	44	99	63	63	64	73	89	121	62	47	70	710	75
	70%	76%	75%f	70%	79%fgj	73%	61%	63%	72%	63%	81%fgik	70%	70%	68%
False	187	6	19	15	8	18	23	31	24	20	6	18	166	20
	17%	10%	15%	17%	10%	20%	20%	22%dj	14%	20%	10%	18%	16%	18%
Don't know	149	8	14	11	9	7	23	20	23	17	5	13	134	16
	13%	15%	10%	13%	11%	7%	19%e	14%	14%	17%	8%	13%	13%	14%

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**There is a minimum number of days that MPs have to attend Parliament each year**

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
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Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
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Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	795	78	279	258	178
	70%	69%	78%cd	70%d	62%
False	187	25	58	57	46
	17%	22%	16%	16%	16%
Don't know	149	10	22	52	65
	13%	8%	6%	14%b	22%abc

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Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	795	30	342	334	89	31	285	374	105
	70%	62%	79%acd	71%d	50%	61%	77%eh	73%h	54%
False	187	14	68	68	38	17	66	66	39
	17%	29%bc	16%	14%	21%	33%fg	18%	13%	20%g
Don't know	149	4	22	69	53	3	21	73	51
	13%	9%	5%	15%b	29%abc	6%	6%	14%f	26%efg

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
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Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	795	280	139	34	33	309	14	194	349	218	730	65
	70%	75%e	79%de	70%	64%	64%	60%	70%	76%	72%	73%k	49%
False	187	60	22	12	7	86	5	59	59	55	153	34
	17%	16%	12%	24%	14%	18%	22%	21%h	13%	18%	15%	26%j
Don't know	149	35	15	3	11	86	4	25	53	31	116	34
	13%	9%	8%	6%	22%abc	18%ab	19%	9%	11%	10%	12%	25%j

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**Q.10\_06 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Most of the money that local councils spend is raised locally, through council tax**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	620	287	334	94	113	106	93	76	71	67	83	163	144	230	333	288
	55%	55%	54%	55%	56%	56%	47%	54%	57%	62% <sup>f</sup>	45%	57% <sup>j</sup>	56% <sup>j</sup>	57% <sup>j</sup>	53%	57%
False	389	188	202	52	59	65	87	54	43	28	92	91	87	119	237	152
	34%	36%	33%	31%	29%	34%	44% <sup>c</sup> <sup>d</sup> <sup>i</sup>	38%	35%	26%	49% <sup>k</sup> <sup>l</sup> <sup>m</sup>	32%	33%	30%	38% <sup>o</sup>	30%
Don't know	122	44	78	23	29	20	17	11	10	12	11	32	28	51	60	62
	11%	8%	13% <sup>a</sup>	14%	15%	10%	9%	8%	8%	11%	6%	11%	11%	13% <sup>j</sup>	10%	12%

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**Most of the money that local councils spend is raised locally, through council tax**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	620	27	80	51	45	47	64	76	98	57	31	45	544	71
	55%	46%	61%k	57%	56%	53%	53%	54%	59%k	58%k	54%	44%	54%	64%l
False	389	25	38	31	29	31	32	49	51	30	20	53	359	26
	34%	44%	29%	35%	37%	35%	27%	35%	30%	30%	36%	53%bcdefgh ij	36%m	24%
Don't know	122	6	14	7	6	11	23	16	19	11	6	3	107	14
	11%	10%	10%k	8%	7%	12%k	20%dk	11%k	11%k	11%k	11%k	3%	11%	12%

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**Most of the money that local councils spend is raised locally, through council tax**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	620	53	174	209	183
	55%	47%	49%	57%b	63%ab
False	389	54	161	114	60
	34%	48%cd	45%cd	31%d	21%
Don't know	122	6	24	43	47
	11%	6%	7%	12%b	16%ab

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Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)				
	Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)	
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	620	26	221	266	107	27	184	293	117
	55%	55%	51%	57%	60%	53%	49%	57%f	60%f
False	389	19	183	151	37	22	164	162	41
	34%	39%d	42%cd	32%d	20%	44%h	44%gh	32%h	21%
Don't know	122	3	28	54	36	1	24	58	38
	11%	6%	6%	11%b	20%abc	3%	6%	11%f	19%efg

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	620	220	99	25	21	256	15	152	244	181	555	65
	55%	59% <sup>d</sup>	56%	51%	40%	53%	65%	55%	53%	59%	56%	49%
False	389	128	67	22	23	148	8	103	176	93	354	35
	34%	34%	38%	46%	45%	31%	33%	37%	38%	31%	35% <sup>k</sup>	26%
Don't know	122	27	9	1	7	77	*	23	41	30	89	33
	11%	7%	5%	3%	14% <sup>b</sup>	16% <sup>abc</sup>	2%	8%	9%	10%	9%	25% <sup>j</sup>

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**Q.10\_07 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**Government and Parliament are the same thing**

**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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True	344	167	177	45	53	61	52	36	49	48	36	74	80	154	189	155
	30%	32%	29%	27%	26%	32%	26%	26%	39%cd	45%cd	19%	26%	31%j	38%jk	30%	31%
False	684	321	363	101	121	117	133	91	69	51	145	189	154	196	391	292
	60%	62%	59%	59%	60%	62%i	67%i	65%i	56%	48%	78%klm	66%m	59%m	49%	62%	58%
Don't know	104	31	73	24	28	12	13	13	6	8	5	24	25	50	50	54
	9%	6%	12%a	14%efh	14%efh	6%	7%	10%	4%	7%	3%	8%j	10%j	13%j	8%	11%

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Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	344	17	41	27	26	36	33	44	38	35	20	25	298	39
	30%	29%	31%	30%	33%	41%hk	28%	31%	23%	35%	36%h	25%	30%	35%
False	684	35	79	51	48	47	72	85	108	57	34	68	618	61
	60%	61%	60%	57%	59%	54%	60%	61%	64%	58%	59%	68%e	61%	56%
Don't know	104	6	12	11	7	5	14	11	22	7	3	7	94	10
	9%	10%	9%	13%	8%	5%	12%	8%	13%	7%	5%	7%	9%	9%

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True	344	23	103	122	94
	30%	21%	29%	33%a	32%a
False	684	87	245	204	147
	60%	77%cd	68%cd	55%	51%
Don't know	104	3	11	41	49
	9%	2%	3%	11%ab	17%ab

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	30%	17%	25%	35%ab	35%ab	24%	25%	32%f	37%f
False	684	40	309	256	78	38	270	292	84
	60%	83%cd	72%cd	54%d	44%	76%gh	72%gh	57%h	43%
Don't know	104	-	15	51	38	-	9	55	39
	9%	-	3%	11%ab	21%abc	-	3%	11%ef	20%efg

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Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	344	125	50	15	13	142	6	64	147	107	301	43
	30%	33%	28%	30%	25%	30%	26%	23%	32%g	35%g	30%	32%
False	684	229	124	31	32	268	17	199	273	173	621	63
	60%	61%	70%e	64%	63%	56%	74%	72%hi	59%	57%	62%k	48%
Don't know	104	22	2	3	6	71	-	15	41	23	77	27
	9%	6%b	1%	6%	12%b	15%ab	-	6%	9%	8%	8%	20%j

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**Political parties receive some state funding**

**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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True	585	263	323	96	114	101	90	66	59	59	86	150	139	210	305	280
	52%	51%	53%	57%	56%f	53%	46%	47%	47%	55%	47%	52%	54%	53%	48%	56%n
False	387	192	195	45	51	70	85	51	52	33	85	95	89	118	239	148
	34%	37%	32%	27%	25%	37%d	43%cd	36%d	42%cd	31%	46%klm	33%	34%	29%	38%o	29%
Don't know	159	63	96	29	37	20	23	23	13	16	14	42	31	72	86	74
	14%	12%	16%	17%	18%e	10%	12%	16%	10%	14%	8%	15%j	12%	18%l	14%	15%

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**Political parties receive some state funding**

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Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	585	32	85	39	37	47	53	74	85	42	33	58	519	59
	52%	56%	65%cdfhi	44%	46%	53%	45%	53%	50%	43%	58%	57%i	51%	53%
False	387	17	32	31	32	33	44	53	56	41	16	32	351	33
	34%	29%	24%	35%	40%b	37%	37%	38%b	33%	42%b	28%	32%	35%	30%
Don't know	159	9	14	19	11	9	21	14	28	15	8	11	139	19
	14%	15%	11%	21%g	14%	10%	18%	10%	17%	16%	14%	11%	14%	17%

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	52%	40%	52%a	56%a	50%
False	387	60	139	110	78
	34%	53%bcd	39%cd	30%	27%
Don't know	159	8	32	50	68
	14%	7%	9%	14%	23%abc

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False	387	28	177	133	48	24	167	150	46
	34%	58%bcd	41%cd	28%	27%	49%gh	45%gh	29%	23%
Don't know	159	2	30	78	48	2	27	74	55
	14%	4%	7%	17%ab	27%abc	4%	7%	14%f	28%efg

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	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	585	208	88	25	23	241	12	129	253	172	520	65
	52%	55%	50%	52%	45%	50%	50%	46%	55%g	57%g	52%	49%
False	387	132	71	21	17	146	11	123	152	92	355	32
	34%	35%	41%e	42%	33%	30%	48%	44%hi	33%	30%	36%k	24%
Don't know	159	36	17	3	11	93	1	26	56	40	123	36
	14%	9%	9%	6%	22%abc	19%abc	2%	9%	12%	13%	12%	27%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.10\_09 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
True	263 23%	127 25%	135 22%	46 27%fgh	69 34%fghi	61 32%fghi	30 15%	18 13%	16 13%	21 20%	31 16%	69 24%	71 27%j	93 23%	135 21%	128 25%
False	801 71%	362 70%	440 72%	111 65%d	108 54%	121 64%	160 81%cde	117 83%cdei	106 86%cdei	77 72%cd	155 83%klm	204 71%	172 66%	271 68%	461 73%	341 68%
Don't know	67 6%	29 6%	39 6%	12 7%h	24 12%efgh	8 4%	7 4%	5 3%	1 1%	9 8%h	* *	14 5%j	16 6%j	36 9%j	34 5%	33 7%

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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.10\_09 Please tell me if you think that the following statements are true or false. If you don't know, just say so and we will move on to the next question.**

**The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
True	263 23%	13 23%	25 19%	18 20%	23 29%	18 20%	27 22%	37 26%	49 29% <sup>i</sup>	15 16%	14 25%	24 23%	229 23%	32 29% <sup>l</sup>
False	801 71%	45 77%	102 78% <sup>dgh</sup>	66 74%	50 62%	65 73%	87 73%	89 63%	103 61%	77 79% <sup>dgh</sup>	41 72%	76 76% <sup>dgh</sup>	721 71% <sup>m</sup>	70 63%
Don't know	67 6%	-	5 4%	5 6% <sup>k</sup>	7 9% <sup>k</sup>	6 6% <sup>k</sup>	6 5%	15 11% <sup>abk</sup>	16 10% <sup>ak</sup>	6 6% <sup>k</sup>	2 4%	1 1%	59 6%	9 8%

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**The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
True	263	23	67	93	81
	23%	20%	19%	25%	28% <sup>b</sup>
False	801	90	289	250	172
	71%	80% <sup>cd</sup>	80% <sup>cd</sup>	68% <sup>d</sup>	60%
Don't know	67	-	3	25	36
	6%	-	1%	7% <sup>ab</sup>	13% <sup>abc</sup>

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**The minimum age for voting at a general election is 16**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
True	263	8	75	128	51	11	72	131	50
	23%	17%	17%	27% <sup>b</sup>	28% <sup>b</sup>	21%	19%	26%	25%
False	801	40	351	313	98	40	298	346	118
	71%	83% <sup>cd</sup>	81% <sup>cd</sup>	66% <sup>d</sup>	55%	79% <sup>h</sup>	80% <sup>gh</sup>	68%	60%
Don't know	67	-	5	30	30	-	2	35	29
	6%	-	1%	6% <sup>b</sup>	17% <sup>abc</sup>	-	1%	7% <sup>f</sup>	15% <sup>efg</sup>

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
True	263	88	29	12	5	129	5	65	107	75	227	36
	23%	24%d	16%	24%	10%	27%bd	22%	23%	23%	25%	23%	27%
False	801	273	146	36	37	309	18	203	340	211	729	73
	71%	73%e	83%ae	73%	73%	64%	76%	73%	74%	70%	73%k	55%
Don't know	67	14	*	1	9	43	*	10	15	18	43	24
	6%	4%b	*	3%	17%abc	9%ab	2%	4%	3%	6%	4%	18%j

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
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Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very satisfied	18 2%	12 2%	6 1%	3 2%	2 1%	3 1%	1 1%	3 2%	2 2%	4 3%	* *	6 2%	2 1%	10 2%	10 2%	8 2%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	155 30%b	124 20%	32 19%	37 18%	37 19%	59 30%cde	44 31%cde	41 33%cde	30 28%	78 42%klm	79 28%lm	47 18%	74 19%	168 27%	111 22%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	165 32%	260 42%a	97 57%efghi	99 49%fghi	81 43%ghi	64 32%h	31 22%	23 19%	29 27%	66 36%	126 44%m	106 41%m	127 32%	231 37%	194 39%
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	99 19%	121 20%	21 12%	33 16%	32 17%	44 22%c	33 23%c	30 24%c	27 25%c	31 17%	49 17%	50 19%	91 23%	114 18%	106 21%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	71 14%	82 13%	10 6%	18 9%	33 17%cd	26 13%c	27 19%cd	23 19%cd	16 15%c	9 5%	25 9%	44 17%jk	75 19%jk	90 14%	63 13%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
SATISFIED	297 26%	168 32%b	129 21%	35 21%	39 19%	40 21%	60 30%de	47 33%cde	43 35%cde	33 31%cd	78 42%klm	85 30%lm	49 19%	84 21%	178 28%	119 24%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	170 33%	203 33%	31 18%	51 25%	65 34%c	70 36%cd	60 43%cd	53 43%cd	43 40%cd	40 22%	74 26%	94 36%jk	165 41%jk	204 32%	169 34%
Don't know	36 3%	16 3%	21 3%	7 4%	13 6%f	5 3%	3 2%	2 2%	4 3%	2 2%	1 *	2 1%	10 4%jk	23 6%jk	16 3%	20 4%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very satisfied	18 2%	5 1%	13 2%	2 1%	16 2%	15 2%	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	8 4%h	5 2%	-	3 1%	11 4%ln	4 1%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	147 26%	131 23%	66 18%	213 27% <sup>c</sup>	240 26%	39 20%	93 32% <sup>ij</sup>	97 28% <sup>i</sup>	34 16%	47 20%	7 17%	102 24%	67 23%	110 26%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	249 44% <sup>b</sup>	176 31%	169 47% <sup>d</sup>	256 33%	376 40% <sup>f</sup>	49 25%	70 25%	166 48% <sup>gi</sup>	74 33% <sup>g</sup>	97 42% <sup>g</sup>	17 41% <sup>g</sup>	155 36%	111 39%	159 38%
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	96 17%	125 22% <sup>a</sup>	58 16%	163 21%	169 18%	51 26% <sup>e</sup>	63 22% <sup>h</sup>	53 15%	51 23% <sup>h</sup>	43 18%	10 23%	100 23% <sup>m</sup>	41 14%	80 19%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	56 10%	97 17% <sup>a</sup>	47 13%	106 14%	107 11%	47 23% <sup>e</sup>	50 18% <sup>hj</sup>	28 8%	48 22% <sup>hj</sup>	20 9%	6 15%	56 13%	42 15%	55 13%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
SATISFIED	297 26%	153 27%	144 26%	68 19%	229 30% <sup>c</sup>	255 27%	42 21%	96 33% <sup>ijk</sup>	99 28% <sup>i</sup>	42 19%	52 22%	7 17%	105 25%	78 27%	113 27%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	151 27%	222 40% <sup>a</sup>	105 29%	269 35%	276 30%	98 49% <sup>e</sup>	113 40% <sup>hj</sup>	81 23%	100 45% <sup>hj</sup>	63 27%	16 38% <sup>h</sup>	156 37%	83 29%	134 32%
Don't know	36 3%	17 3%	19 3%	14 4%	22 3%	25 3%	11 5%	7 2%	2 1%	6 3%	21 9% <sup>ghi</sup>	1 3%	10 2%	13 5%	13 3%

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**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very satisfied	18 2%	- -	- -	- -	* 1%	1 2%	1 1%	11 8%bcdfhijk	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	12 1%	6 6%l
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	9 15%	30 23%	17 19%	18 22%	22 25%	33 28%	35 25%	52 31%j	24 25%	10 17%	28 28%	246 24%	28 25%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	20 34%	52 39%	32 36%	33 41%	46 52%hijk	59 49%hijk	53 38%	56 33%	26 27%	18 31%	32 32%	382 38%	39 36%
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	14 24%eg	28 22%g	22 25%efg	16 20%	9 10%	14 12%	14 10%	34 20%g	31 31%efgk	20 35%bdefg hk	18 18%	197 20%	20 18%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	15 27%efgh	17 13%f	16 18%f	12 15%f	10 11%	5 4%	17 12%f	19 11%	13 13%f	9 16%f	21 21%fgh	142 14%	11 10%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
SATISFIED	297 26%	9 15%	30 23%	17 19%	18 23%	24 27%	35 29%	47 33%acj	53 32%aj	26 26%	10 17%	29 28%j	258 26%	34 31%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	29 51%efgh	45 34%fg	39 43%efg	27 34%f	19 21%	19 16%	31 22%	52 31%f	44 45%efg	29 51%bdefg hk	39 38%efg	339 34%	31 28%
Don't know	36 3%	- -	5 4%	1 2%	2 2%	* 1%	7 5%	10 7%ejk	7 4%	3 3%	* *	1 1%	31 3%	6 5%

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**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very satisfied	18 2%	4 4%	4 1%	5 1%	5 2%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	44 39%cd	140 39%cd	71 19%d	23 8%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	21 19%	105 29%a	181 49%abd	116 40%ab
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	27 24%	74 21%	70 19%	50 17%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	16 14%	35 10%	32 9%	70 24%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	297 26%	49 43%cd	144 40%cd	76 21%d	28 10%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	43 38%	108 30%	102 28%	120 41%bc
Don't know	36 3%	-	1 *	8 2%b	26 9%abc

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very satisfied	18 2%	3 7%bc	5 1%	6 1%	5 3%	6 11%fgh	3 1%	6 1%	4 2%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	18 37%cd	153 36%cd	96 20%d	12 7%	19 39%gh	145 39%gh	98 19%h	16 8%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	11 22%	117 27%	209 44%ab	88 49%ab	13 26%	102 27%	222 43%ef	89 45%ef
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	10 20%d	98 23%d	98 21%d	16 9%	6 13%	82 22%h	108 21%h	25 13%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	7 14%	56 13%	52 11%	37 21%bc	6 12%	40 11%	68 13%	40 20%fg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
SATISFIED	297 26%	21 44%cd	158 37%cd	101 22%d	16 9%	25 50%gh	149 40%gh	104 20%h	19 10%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	16 34%	154 36%	150 32%	53 30%	12 25%	121 33%	176 34%	64 33%
Don't know	36 3%	-	3 1%	10 2%	22 12%abc	-	* *	11 2%f	23 12%efg

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**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
<b>Effective Base</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>353</b>
Very satisfied	18 2%	11 2%	5 2%	12 2%	6 1%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	159 35%bd	13 6%	228 33%bd	48 11%b
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	116 25%	99 44%ac	217 32%a	202 47%ac
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	101 22%	36 16%	139 20%	81 19%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	65 14%	53 24%ac	81 12%	72 17%c
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	297 26%	170 37%bd	18 8%	240 35%bd	54 13%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	166 36%	90 40%c	219 32%	154 36%
Don't know	36 3%	9 2%	18 8%ac	12 2%	21 5%ac



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**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.11.2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very satisfied	18 2%	10 3%	1 1%	-	-	7 1%	3 11%	7 2%	4 1%	4 1%	16 2%	2 2%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	107 28%de	83 47%ade	19 40%de	7 13%	63 13%	10 44%	150 54%hi	90 19%i	23 8%	263 26%k	15 12%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	126 34%	66 38%	15 30%	25 49%a	193 40%	6 27%	102 37%i	208 45%gi	78 26%	358 36%	67 50%j
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	79 21%b	21 12%	12 25%b	14 28%b	93 19%b	1 3%	14 5%	121 26%g	82 27%g	202 20%	19 14%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	48 13%bd	3 2%	3 5%	1 1%	99 21%abcd	3 14%	3 1%	33 7%g	110 36%gh	137 14%	16 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
SATISFIED	297 26%	117 31%de	84 48%ade	19 40%de	7 13%	70 14%	13 55%	157 56%hi	94 20%i	27 9%	279 28%k	18 13%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	127 34%b	25 14%	15 30%b	15 29%b	192 40%b	4 17%	18 6%	154 33%g	191 63%gh	339 34%	35 26%
Don't know	36 3%	5 1%	*	-	4 8%ab	26 5%ab	* 2%	1 1%	5 1%	7 2%	23 2%	14 10%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

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**Q.11 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the way that Parliament works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WHETHER KNEW NAME OF MP	
		Correct (a)	Incorrect/Don't know (b)
Unweighted Base	1128	233	895
Weighted Base	1132	247	885
Effective Base	944	201	743
Very satisfied	18 2%	6 2%	13 1%
Fairly satisfied	279 25%	98 40%b	181 20%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	425 38%	61 25%	364 41%a
Fairly dissatisfied	221 19%	52 21%	169 19%
Very dissatisfied	153 14%	31 12%	122 14%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>			
SATISFIED	297 26%	104 42%b	193 22%
DISSATISFIED	374 33%	82 33%	291 33%
Don't know	36 3%	-	36 4%a

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very satisfied	15 1%	10 2%	5 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	3 2%	6 4%de	1 *	* *	2 1%	6 2%	1 *	6 2%	10 2%	5 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	112 22%	132 21%	31 18%	34 17%	43 23%	42 21%	31 22%	37 30%cd	26 24%	62 34%lm	74 26%lm	42 16%	66 16%	144 23%	99 20%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	178 34%	237 39%	86 50%efghi	101 50%efghi	67 35%h	68 34%	37 26%	29 24%	28 26%	64 35%	107 37%	102 39%	142 35%	232 37%	183 37%
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	124 24%	132 21%	30 18%	40 20%	36 19%	51 26%	32 23%	35 28%	32 30%ce	46 25%	65 23%	53 20%	91 23%	125 20%	131 26%n
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	79 15%	89 15%	11 6%	18 9%	38 20%cd	32 16%cd	33 23%cd	23 18%cd	14 13%	11 6%	30 11%	55 21%jk	73 18%jk	106 17%	63 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
SATISFIED	259 23%	122 24%	137 22%	33 20%	35 18%	44 23%	45 23%	37 26%	37 30%d	26 25%	64 35%lm	80 28%lm	43 17%	72 18%	154 24%	105 21%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	204 39%	221 36%	41 24%	58 29%	74 39%c	83 42%cd	65 46%cd	57 46%cd	46 43%cd	57 31%	96 33%	108 41%j	164 41%j	231 37%	193 39%
Don't know	33 3%	15 3%	18 3%	10 6%fh	7 3%	6 3%	2 1%	2 1%	- -	7 6%fh	1 *	4 1%	7 3%	22 6%jk	12 2%	21 4%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very satisfied	15 1%	7 1%	8 2%	1 *	14 2%	14 2%	1 1%	4 1%	3 1%	2 1%	6 3%	-	3 1%	6 2%	6 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	121 21%	122 22%	62 18%	181 23% <sup>c</sup>	212 23%	32 16%	70 25%	85 24%	43 19%	40 17%	6 14%	98 23%	60 21%	85 20%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	235 41% <sup>b</sup>	180 32%	165 46% <sup>d</sup>	250 32%	354 38%	61 30%	86 30%	143 41% <sup>gi</sup>	63 28%	107 46% <sup>gi</sup>	16 38%	164 38%	100 35%	152 36%
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	127 22%	129 23%	68 19%	188 24%	200 21%	56 28%	67 23%	82 23%	52 24%	43 18%	12 28%	95 22%	60 21%	101 24%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	68 12%	101 18% <sup>a</sup>	48 14%	120 16%	128 14%	41 20% <sup>e</sup>	51 18% <sup>hj</sup>	34 10%	56 25% <sup>hj</sup>	20 9%	7 16%	58 14%	49 17%	62 15%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
SATISFIED	259 23%	128 22%	131 23%	64 18%	195 25% <sup>c</sup>	226 24% <sup>f</sup>	33 16%	75 26%	87 25%	45 20%	46 20%	6 14%	101 24%	66 23%	91 22%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	195 34%	230 41% <sup>a</sup>	116 33%	309 40% <sup>c</sup>	328 35%	97 49% <sup>e</sup>	118 41% <sup>j</sup>	116 33%	108 49% <sup>hj</sup>	63 27%	19 45% <sup>j</sup>	154 36%	109 38%	162 39%
Don't know	33 3%	12 2%	21 4%	11 3%	22 3%	24 3%	9 5%	7 2%	2 1%	6 3% <sup>h</sup>	17 7% <sup>gh</sup>	1 3%	8 2%	11 4%	14 3%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB  
 Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b - c/d - e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n  
 \* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very satisfied	15	-	1	1	-	2	2	5	2	1	-	1	10	5
	1%	-	1%	2%	-	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	4%l
Fairly satisfied	243	10	23	16	16	21	31	31	47	20	4	25	213	29
	22%	17%	17%	18%	20%j	24%j	26%j	22%j	28%j	20%j	7%	25%j	21%	26%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415	13	44	30	32	37	54	54	59	35	22	34	365	43
	37%	23%	33%	34%	40%	42%a	46%a	38%	35%	36%	38%	34%	36%	39%
Fairly dissatisfied	256	21	36	22	19	14	20	21	41	24	17	21	235	18
	23%	36%efgk	28%g	25%	23%	15%	17%	15%	24%	25%	30%efg	21%	23%am	16%
Very dissatisfied	169	14	24	16	12	13	6	22	17	13	13	18	156	12
	15%	24%fh	18%f	18%f	15%f	15%f	5%	15%f	10%	13%	23%fh	18%fh	15%	11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
SATISFIED	259	10	24	18	16	23	33	36	49	21	4	25	224	34
	23%	17%	18%j	20%j	20%j	26%j	27%j	25%j	29%j	22%j	7%	25%j	22%	31%l
DISSATISFIED	425	35	60	38	31	27	26	43	58	37	31	39	391	30
	38%	61%defghik	46%efg	43%f	38%f	30%	22%	30%	34%f	38%f	53%efghk	39%f	39%am	27%
Don't know	33	-	3	3	1	1	6	8	2	4	1	2	30	3
	3%	-	2%	3%	2%	2%	5%	6%h	1%	4%	2%	2%	3%	3%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very satisfied	15 1%	6 5%bd	1 *	6 2%	3 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	37 33%cd	118 33%cd	63 17%d	25 9%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	23 20%	111 31%a	160 44%ab	120 41%ab
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	35 31%d	88 24%d	89 24%d	44 15%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	13 11%	40 11%	42 11%	74 26%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	259 23%	43 38%cd	120 33%cd	69 19%d	28 10%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	48 42%	128 36%	131 36%	118 41%
Don't know	33 3%	-	*	7 2%b	24 8%abc

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

\* small base

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**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very satisfied	15 1%	2 4%	4 1%	7 2%	2 1%	4 7%fgh	4 1%	5 1%	2 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	18 38%cd	128 30%cd	85 18%d	12 7%	20 40%gh	116 31%gh	97 19%h	11 5%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	9 18%	129 30%	188 40%ab	89 50%abc	14 27%	101 27%	201 39%f	100 51%efg
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	11 23%d	113 26%d	116 25%d	16 9%	7 15%	107 29%eh	120 23%h	21 11%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	8 17%	57 13%	66 14%	37 20%b	5 11%	43 12%	80 16%	40 20%f
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
SATISFIED	259 23%	20 42%cd	132 31%cd	92 20%d	15 8%	24 48%fgh	120 32%gh	102 20%h	13 7%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	19 40%	170 39%d	183 39%d	52 29%	13 25%	151 41%h	200 39%	61 31%
Don't know	33 3%	-	*	8	24	-	-	9	22
		-	*	2%b	13%abc	-	-	2%f	11%efg

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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.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
<b>Effective Base</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>353</b>
Very satisfied	15 1%	9 2%	4 2%	11 2%	5 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	135 29%bd	13 6%	197 29%bd	44 10%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	119 26%	89 40%ac	214 31%	195 45%ac
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	118 26%bd	36 16%	174 25%bd	81 19%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	73 16%	61 27%acd	87 13%	82 19%c
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	259 23%	145 31%bd	16 7%	208 30%bd	48 11%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	191 41%	97 43%	261 38%	163 38%
Don't know	33 3%	6 1%	22 10%ac	6 1%	24 5%ac



## Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very satisfied	15 1%	8 2%	2 1%	1 3%	- -	4 1%	3 14%	7 2%	3 1%	2 1%	14 1%	1 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	95 25%de	67 38%ade	16 33%de	6 12%	59 12%	9 38%	124 45%hi	76 16%i	26 9%	229 23%k	14 11%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	121 32%	68 39%	20 41%	26 51%a	179 37%	7 30%	105 38%i	195 42%i	83 27%	352 35%	64 48%j
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	95 25%	35 20%	8 16%	12 23%	106 22%	1 6%	30 11%	143 31%g	75 25%g	238 24%k	18 14%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	52 14%b	3 2%	3 6%	3 7%	107 22%abcd	2 8%	8 3%	40 9%g	115 38%gh	149 15%	19 15%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
SATISFIED	259 23%	103 27%de	69 40%ade	18 36%de	6 12%	63 13%	12 51%	131 47%hi	78 17%i	28 9%	243 24%k	16 12%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	148 39%abc	38 22%	11 22%	15 30%	213 44%bc	3 14%	38 14%	182 40%g	190 63%gh	387 39%k	37 28%
Don't know	33 3%	3 1%	-	-	4 7%ab	26 5%ab	1 5%	4 2%	5 1%	3 1%	17 2%	16 12%j

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**Q.12 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way MPs in general are doing their job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WHETHER KNEW NAME OF MP	
		Correct (a)	Incorrect/Don't know (b)
Unweighted Base	1128	233	895
Weighted Base	1132	247	885
Effective Base	944	201	743
Very satisfied	15 1%	5 2%	11 1%
Fairly satisfied	243 22%	82 33%b	161 18%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	415 37%	61 25%	354 40%a
Fairly dissatisfied	256 23%	65 26%	191 22%
Very dissatisfied	169 15%	34 14%	135 15%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>			
SATISFIED	259 23%	87 35%b	172 19%
DISSATISFIED	425 38%	99 40%	326 37%
Don't know	33 3%	- -	33 4%a

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very satisfied	65 6%	29 6%	37 6%	2 1%	4 2%	8 4%	14 7%cd	11 8%cd	18 15%cdef	8 7%cd	15 8%l	18 6%	8 3%	24 6%	41 6%	25 5%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	152 29%	160 26%	35 20%	39 19%	55 29%cd	51 26%	46 32%cd	43 35%cd	44 40%cdf	71 38%klm	73 25%	60 23%	108 27%	175 28%	138 27%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	205 40%	275 45%	89 52%fghi	114 57%fghi	89 47%ghi	77 39%i	44 31%	40 32%	26 24%	63 34%	140 49%j	113 44%	164 41%	266 42%	213 43%
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	55 11%	60 10%	15 9%	19 9%	13 7%	28 14%e	16 12%	11 9%	13 12%	22 12%	25 9%	32 12%	37 9%	68 11%	48 10%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	45 9%	44 7%	12 7%	12 6%	15 8%	20 10%	12 9%	7 6%	11 10%	8 4%	13 4%	30 12%jk	38 9%k	48 8%	41 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
SATISFIED	378 33%	181 35%	197 32%	37 22%	43 21%	64 34%cd	65 33%cd	57 40%cd	61 49%cdef	52 48%cdef	86 46%klm	91 32%	68 26%	132 33%	215 34%	162 32%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	100 19%	104 17%	27 16%	31 15%	28 15%	48 24%de	29 20%	18 14%	24 23%	29 16%	38 13%	63 24%k	74 19%	115 18%	89 18%
Don't know	70 6%	32 6%	38 6%	18 10%f	13 7%	10 5%	7 4%	12 8%	5 4%	5 5%	7 4%	19 6%	15 6%	29 7%	33 5%	37 7%

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 \* small base

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very satisfied	65 6%	24 4%	41 7%a	14 4%	51 7%	57 6%	8 4%	23 8%	15 4%	14 6%	11 5%	2 4%	24 6%	18 6%	23 6%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	148 26%	164 29%	84 24%	229 29%	247 27%	65 32%	95 33%j	98 28%	57 26%	51 22%	11 26%	119 28%	75 26%	118 28%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	270 47%b	209 37%	172 48%d	308 40%	413 44%f	67 33%	93 33%	161 46%g	83 37%	121 52%gi	21 51%g	176 41%	120 42%	183 44%
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	59 10%	56 10%	35 10%	80 10%	92 10%	24 12%	34 12%	35 10%	29 13%j	15 7%	2 5%	49 12%	27 10%	39 9%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	38 7%	51 9%	26 7%	63 8%	66 7%	22 11%	25 9%	21 6%	27 12%hj	10 4%	5 12%j	32 8%	25 9%	32 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
SATISFIED	378 33%	172 30%	206 37%a	98 28%	280 36%c	305 33%	73 37%	118 41%hj	113 32%	72 32%	62 27%	13 31%	144 34%	93 32%	141 34%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	97 17%	107 19%	61 17%	143 18%	158 17%	46 23%	59 21%j	57 16%	56 25%hj	26 11%	8 18%	82 19%	52 18%	71 17%
Don't know	70 6%	31 5%	39 7%	25 7%	45 6%	56 6%	14 7%	16 6%	17 5%	12 5%	24 10%h	* 1%	25 6%	21 7%	25 6%

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 \* small base

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very satisfied	65 6%	4 7%	3 2%	4 5%	8 10%b	4 5%	9 7%	11 8%b	9 6%	3 3%	2 4%	7 7%	57 6%	9 8%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	16 27%	38 29%	23 26%	18 23%	31 35%	29 24%	35 25%	50 30%	27 27%	14 24%	31 31%	277 27%	33 29%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	28 48%	54 41%	41 46%	36 45%	37 42%	55 46%	57 40%	72 43%	42 42%	23 39%	36 36%	430 43%	43 39%
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	6 10%	15 12%	8 9%	4 5%	3 4%	14 12%	9 6%	22 13%e	15 16%eg	9 15%deg	10 10%	105 10%	8 8%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	3 5%	14 11%f	4 4%	6 8%	9 10%f	2 2%	16 11%f	8 5%	7 8%	7 13%fh	11 11%fh	79 8%	9 9%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
SATISFIED	378 33%	20 35%	41 31%	28 31%	27 33%	35 40%	38 32%	47 33%	59 35%	30 30%	16 28%	38 38%	334 33%	41 38%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	8 15%	29 22%	12 14%	10 13%	12 14%	16 14%	25 18%	30 18%	23 23%	16 28%cdef	22 22%	184 18%	18 16%
Don't know	70 6%	1 2%	7 6%	8 9%	7 9%	5 5%	10 8%	12 9%	7 4%	4 4%	3 5%	5 5%	62 6%	8 7%

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very satisfied	65 6%	21 19%bcd	27 8%cd	11 3%	6 2%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	37 33%d	149 41%cd	86 23%d	41 14%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	30 27%	114 32%	189 52%ab	145 50%ab
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	16 14%	35 10%	35 10%	29 10%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	6 5%	17 5%	24 7%	41 14%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	378 33%	59 52%cd	176 49%cd	96 26%d	47 16%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	22 20%	52 14%	60 16%	70 24%bc
Don't know	70 6%	2 2%	17 5%	22 6%	28 10%ab

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\* small base

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very satisfied	65 6%	8 16%cd	36 8%cd	17 4%	4 2%	8 15%gh	33 9%gh	20 4%	5 2%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	12 26%d	160 37%cd	119 25%d	21 12%	21 42%h	132 36%gh	141 28%h	18 9%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	16 33%	149 35%	220 47%b	94 52%ab	12 24%	131 35%	226 44%ef	110 56%efg
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	6 13%	38 9%	56 12%	16 9%	5 11%	35 10%	57 11%	18 9%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	5 10%	32 8%	30 6%	22 12%c	4 9%	23 6%	39 8%	22 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
SATISFIED	378 33%	20 42%d	196 45%cd	136 29%d	25 14%	29 57%gh	165 44%gh	161 32%h	23 11%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	11 23%	70 16%	85 18%	37 21%	10 19%	58 16%	96 19%	40 21%
Don't know	70 6%	1 1%	16 4%	29 6%	23 13%abc	-	17 5%	29 6%	23 12%efg

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\* small base

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
<b>Effective Base</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>353</b>
Very satisfied	65 6%	50 11%bd	4 2%	58 8%bd	7 2%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	156 34%bd	24 11%	232 34%bd	78 18%b
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	154 33%	117 52%ac	252 37%	221 51%ac
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	47 10%	20 9%	71 10%	45 10%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	34 7%	33 15%ac	42 6%	46 11%c
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
SATISFIED	378 33%	206 45%bd	28 12%	290 42%bd	85 20%b
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	81 18%	53 24%c	113 16%	91 21%
Don't know	70 6%	21 4%	27 12%ac	34 5%	33 8%



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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very satisfied	65 6%	32 9%de	14 8%e	2 4%	- -	17 3%	6 27%	22 8%i	25 5%	10 3%	64 6%k	1 1%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	122 32%e	79 45%ade	22 44%de	9 18%	81 17%	8 32%	113 41%hi	126 27%i	59 19%	294 29%k	18 14%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	137 36%	60 34%	22 46%	29 56%ab	231 48%ab	3 12%	111 40%	208 45%	128 42%	408 41%	71 54%j
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	34 9%	14 8%	1 3%	7 14%	59 12%	3 12%	12 4%	59 13%g	37 12%g	107 11%	8 6%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	32 8%b	4 3%	- -	2 3%	51 11%bc	1 6%	9 3%	25 5%	53 17%gh	75 7%	14 10%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
SATISFIED	378 33%	154 41%de	93 53%ade	24 48%de	9 18%	98 20%	14 60%	135 49%hi	151 33%i	69 23%	358 36%k	19 15%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	66 17%abc	18 10%	1 3%	9 18%c	110 23%bc	4 18%	21 7%	84 18%g	90 30%gh	182 18%	22 17%
Don't know	70 6%	19 5%	4 2%	1 3%	4 9%	42 9%b	3 11%	11 4%	17 4%	17 6%	50 5%	20 15%j

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

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

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**Q.13 Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way your MP is doing his/her job?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WHETHER KNEW NAME OF MP	
		Correct (a)	Incorrect/Don't know (b)
Unweighted Base	1128	233	895
Weighted Base	1132	247	885
<b>Effective Base</b>	<b>944</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>743</b>
Very satisfied	65 6%	38 16% <sup>b</sup>	27 3%
Fairly satisfied	312 28%	93 38% <sup>b</sup>	219 25%
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	479 42%	62 25%	417 47% <sup>a</sup>
Fairly dissatisfied	116 10%	29 12%	87 10%
Very dissatisfied	88 8%	18 7%	70 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>			
SATISFIED	378 33%	132 53% <sup>b</sup>	246 28%
DISSATISFIED	204 18%	47 19%	157 18%
Don't know	70 6%	6 2%	65 7% <sup>a</sup>

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**Q.14 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	When people like me get involved in politics, they really can change the way that the UK is run	Politics is a waste of time	The only way to be really informed about politics is to get involved	Participating in politics is not much fun	I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community	A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor	A person like me could do a good job as a local MP	Every citizen should get involved in politics if democracy is to work properly	If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it	I don't have enough time to get involved in politics
Unweighted Base	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944	944	944	944	944	944	944	944	944
Strongly agree	84 7%	96 8%	160 14%	182 16%	138 12%	93 8%	82 7%	223 20%	188 17%	267 24%
Tend to agree	283 25%	133 12%	488 43%	376 33%	361 32%	209 18%	166 15%	453 40%	519 46%	341 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	247 22%	229 20%	321 28%	380 34%	257 23%	240 21%	247 22%	278 25%	275 24%
Tend to disagree	266 24%	368 33%	184 16%	184 16%	162 14%	326 29%	346 31%	141 12%	103 9%	160 14%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	270 24%	52 5%	44 4%	71 6%	221 20%	276 24%	54 5%	24 2%	78 7%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>										
AGREE	367 32%	230 20%	649 57%	559 49%	500 44%	302 27%	248 22%	676 60%	707 62%	608 54%
DISAGREE	411 36%	638 56%	236 21%	228 20%	233 21%	547 48%	623 55%	195 17%	127 11%	238 21%
Don't know	22 2%	17 1%	18 2%	24 2%	19 2%	24 2%	21 2%	14 1%	19 2%	11 1%

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**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	84 7%	39 8%	45 7%	16 9%	11 6%	16 8%	16 8%	14 10%	5 4%	5 5%	12 7%	23 8%	16 6%	32 8%	43 7%	40 8%
Tend to agree	283 25%	117 23%	166 27%	47 28%	54 27%	37 20%	47 24%	34 24%	34 28%	29 27%	53 29%	87 30%lm	53 21%	89 22%	159 25%	123 25%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	150 29%	183 30%	54 32%	78 39%fgh	56 29%	51 26%	31 22%	30 24%	33 31%	52 28%	73 25%	85 33%	123 31%	184 29%	149 30%
Tend to disagree	266 24%	127 25%	139 23%	33 19%	33 16%	52 27% <sup>d</sup>	56 29% <sup>di</sup>	39 28% <sup>d</sup>	35 28% <sup>d</sup>	18 17%	53 28% <sup>m</sup>	69 24%	66 26%	78 20%	159 25%	108 21%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	75 15%	69 11%	13 8%	22 11%	26 13%	26 13%	18 13%	20 16% <sup>c</sup>	19 18% <sup>c</sup>	13 7%	34 12%	33 13%	64 16% <sup>j</sup>	76 12%	68 14%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	367 32%	156 30%	211 34%	63 37%	65 32%	53 28%	63 32%	48 34%	40 32%	34 32%	66 35%	110 38%lm	70 27%	121 30%	203 32%	164 33%
DISAGREE	411 36%	203 39%	208 34%	46 27%	55 27%	78 41% <sup>cd</sup>	83 42% <sup>cd</sup>	57 41% <sup>cd</sup>	55 44% <sup>cd</sup>	37 35%	66 36%	103 36%	100 38%	142 35%	235 37%	176 35%
Don't know	22 2%	10 2%	12 2%	7 4% <sup>fh</sup>	3 1%	3 2%	1 *	5 3%	- -	3 3%	1 1%	1 *	5 2%	14 4% <sup>k</sup>	9 1%	13 3%

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\* small base

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**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	84 7%	37 7%	46 8%	30 8%	54 7%	71 8%	12 6%	19 7%	24 7%	18 8%	22 9%	1 2%	35 8%	20 7%	28 7%
Tend to agree	283 25%	135 24%	147 26%	78 22%	205 26%	240 26%	43 22%	69 24%	79 23%	65 29%	60 26%	9 21%	117 28%	70 25%	95 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	171 30%	162 29%	123 35% <sup>d</sup>	210 27%	267 29%	66 33%	74 26%	104 30%	63 28%	79 34%	13 31%	116 27%	97 34%	120 29%
Tend to disagree	266 24%	150 26% <sup>b</sup>	116 21%	84 24%	182 23%	231 25% <sup>f</sup>	35 17%	76 27% <sup>ij</sup>	106 31% <sup>ij</sup>	37 17%	38 16%	8 19%	102 24% <sup>m</sup>	45 16%	119 28% <sup>m</sup>
Strongly disagree	145 13%	69 12%	75 13%	33 9%	111 14% <sup>c</sup>	107 11%	37 19% <sup>e</sup>	43 15%	34 10%	34 16%	22 10%	11 26% <sup>hj</sup>	52 12%	45 16%	47 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	367 32%	173 30%	194 35%	108 30%	258 33%	311 33%	55 28%	88 31%	103 30%	82 37%	82 35%	10 23%	153 36%	91 32%	123 29%
DISAGREE	411 36%	220 38%	191 34%	118 33%	293 38%	339 36%	72 36%	119 42% <sup>j</sup>	140 40% <sup>j</sup>	72 32%	61 26%	19 45% <sup>j</sup>	154 36%	90 32%	166 40% <sup>m</sup>
Don't know	22 2%	7 1%	14 3%	7 2%	14 2%	15 2%	7 3%	5 2%	1 *	5 2% <sup>h</sup>	11 5% <sup>h</sup>	-	4 1%	8 3%	10 2%

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 \* small base

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**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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	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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	84 7%	4 7%	7 6%	7 8%	8 10%	13 14%hi	9 7%	14 10%	8 5%	4 4%	3 5%	7 7%	67 7%	15 14%l
Tend to agree	283 25%	13 22%	34 26%	18 20%	17 21%	18 20%	39 32%k	34 24%	50 30%	23 23%	17 30%	21 21%	248 25%	32 29%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	21 37%	36 28%	21 24%	18 22%	28 32%	34 29%	53 38%cdjk	49 29%	31 32%	14 24%	27 27%	293 29%	35 32%
Tend to disagree	266 24%	10 17%	29 22%g	23 26%g	24 30%g	17 19%	25 21%	17 12%	48 28%g	29 30%g	17 30%g	28 28%g	249 25% m	15 14%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	10 17%h	23 18%h	17 19%h	12 15%	11 13%	11 9%	18 13%	11 6%	8 9%	6 10%	17 17%h	133 13%	10 9%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	367 32%	17 29%	42 32%	25 28%	25 31%	30 34%	47 40%k	48 34%	58 34%	27 27%	20 34%	28 28%	315 31%	47 43%l
DISAGREE	411 36%	20 34%	52 40%g	40 45%g	36 45%g	28 32%	36 30%	35 25%	58 35%	38 38%g	23 40%g	45 45%fg	382 38% m	25 23%
Don't know	22 2%	-	1 1%	3 4%	1 2%	1 2%	1 1%	5 3%	3 2%	3 3%	1 2%	1 1%	19 2%	3 3%

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**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	84 7%	11 10%	23 6%	18 5%	31 11% <sup>c</sup>
Tend to agree	283 25%	38 34% <sup>cd</sup>	124 34% <sup>cd</sup>	80 22% <sup>d</sup>	41 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	20 17%	79 22%	136 37% <sup>ab</sup>	96 33% <sup>ab</sup>
Tend to disagree	266 24%	30 27%	96 27% <sup>d</sup>	89 24% <sup>d</sup>	50 17%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	13 11%	36 10%	40 11%	57 20% <sup>bc</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	367 32%	49 43% <sup>cd</sup>	147 41% <sup>cd</sup>	98 27%	72 25%
DISAGREE	411 36%	43 38%	132 37%	129 35%	107 37%
Don't know	22 2%	1 1%	1 *	3 1%	15 5% <sup>bc</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	84 7%	8 16%bc	29 7%	26 6%	21 11%c	8 15%g	26 7%	27 5%	22 11%g
Tend to agree	283 25%	21 44%bcd	121 28%d	116 25%d	24 13%	17 35%h	97 26%h	138 27%h	31 16%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	9 19%	98 23%	158 34%ab	67 37%ab	11 22%	90 24%	161 31%f	71 36%f
Tend to disagree	266 24%	7 16%	118 27%d	112 24%d	28 16%	9 18%	104 28%h	127 25%h	26 14%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	1 3%	65 15%a	51 11%	27 15%a	4 7%	55 15%	52 10%	34 17%g
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	367 32%	29 60%bcd	150 35%d	143 30%	45 25%	25 50%fgh	123 33%	165 32%	53 27%
DISAGREE	411 36%	9 18%	184 43%acd	163 35%a	56 31%	13 25%	159 43%egh	179 35%	61 31%
Don't know	22 2%	1 3%b	* *	7 1%b	12 7%bc	1 3%f	- -	7 1%f	11 6%fg

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**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**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	84 7%	30 8%	9 5%	1 1%	8 15%bc	36 8%	2 10%	18 7%	32 7%	28 9%	72 7%	11 9%
Tend to agree	283 25%	108 29%e	55 31%e	16 32%	11 22%	93 19%	4 15%	79 28%	127 28%	65 21%	260 26%k	23 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	333 29%	97 26%	47 27%	18 38%	15 28%	156 32%a	10 42%	86 31%	128 28%	86 28%	273 27%	60 45%j
Tend to disagree	266 24%	85 23%	53 30%	11 22%	11 21%	107 22%	6 24%	81 29%i	115 25%	56 19%	249 25%k	18 13%
Strongly disagree	145 13%	49 13%b	12 7%	3 7%	6 11%	74 15%b	1 6%	12 4%	54 12%g	66 22%gh	130 13%	14 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	367 32%	138 37%e	64 37%e	16 33%	19 37%	129 27%	6 26%	98 35%	159 34%	93 31%	332 33%	34 26%
DISAGREE	411 36%	135 36%	64 37%	14 29%	16 32%	181 38%	7 30%	93 33%	169 37%	123 40%	379 38%k	32 24%
Don't know	22 2%	6 2%	-	-	1 3%b	14 3%b	1 3%	1 1%	5 1%	2 1%	15 1%	7 5%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Politics is a waste of time**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	96 8%	38 7%	58 9%	20 12%	15 8%	17 9%	17 9%	11 8%	8 7%	7 7%	6 3%	13 4%	24 9%jk	54 14%jk	50 8%	46 9%
Tend to agree	133 12%	57 11%	77 13%	21 12%	29 14%	16 8%	16 8%	17 12%	15 12%	20 18%ef	10 6%	29 10%	34 13%j	60 15%j	71 11%	63 12%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	104 20%	143 23%	42 25%	56 28%g	40 21%	41 21%	22 16%	24 19%	22 20%	22 12%	48 17%	66 26%jk	112 28%jk	121 19%	127 25%n
Tend to disagree	368 33%	172 33%	196 32%	51 30%	57 29%	69 36%	74 37%	44 31%	39 32%	33 31%	76 41%m	108 38%m	85 33%	100 25%	214 34%	155 31%
Strongly disagree	270 24%	139 27%	131 21%	34 20%	40 20%	46 24%	48 24%	43 31%cd	36 29%	23 21%	72 39%lm	89 31%lm	49 19%	60 15%	167 27%o	103 21%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	230 20%	95 18%	135 22%	42 24%	44 22%	32 17%	33 17%	28 20%	24 19%	27 25%	16 9%	42 15%	58 22%jk	114 28%jk	121 19%	109 22%
DISAGREE	638 56%	311 60%b	328 53%	85 50%	97 48%	115 61%d	122 62%cd	87 62%d	75 60%	56 52%	148 80%klm	197 69%lm	134 52%m	160 40%	381 60%o	257 51%
Don't know	17 1%	8 2%	8 1%	1 1%	3 2%	3 2%	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	3 3%	- -	* *	1 1%	15 4%jkl	8 1%	9 2%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Politics is a waste of time**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	96 8%	39 7%	58 10%	31 9%	65 8%	69 7%	27 14% <sup>e</sup>	23 8%	20 6%	24 11% <sup>h</sup>	23 10%	6 15% <sup>h</sup>	33 8%	23 8%	41 10%
Tend to agree	133 12%	54 9%	80 14% <sup>a</sup>	30 9%	103 13% <sup>c</sup>	91 10%	43 21% <sup>e</sup>	34 12%	33 10%	31 14%	29 12%	6 15%	44 10%	32 11%	58 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	133 23%	114 20%	89 25%	159 20%	196 21%	51 26%	48 17%	68 19%	65 29% <sup>gh</sup>	58 25% <sup>g</sup>	9 21%	101 24%	64 23%	82 20%
Tend to disagree	368 33%	202 35%	166 30%	118 33%	250 32%	323 35% <sup>f</sup>	46 23%	96 34%	129 37% <sup>i</sup>	62 28%	67 29%	15 35%	140 33%	99 34%	130 31%
Strongly disagree	270 24%	138 24%	132 24%	82 23%	188 24%	241 26% <sup>f</sup>	29 14%	80 28% <sup>i</sup>	99 28% <sup>i</sup>	33 15%	52 22%	6 15%	106 25%	60 21%	104 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	230 20%	92 16%	137 24% <sup>a</sup>	62 17%	168 22%	160 17%	70 35% <sup>e</sup>	56 20%	53 15%	55 25% <sup>h</sup>	52 22% <sup>h</sup>	12 30% <sup>h</sup>	76 18%	54 19%	99 24%
DISAGREE	638 56%	339 59%	299 53%	200 56%	438 56%	564 61% <sup>f</sup>	74 37%	176 62% <sup>ij</sup>	227 65% <sup>ij</sup>	95 43%	118 51%	21 50%	246 58%	159 55%	234 56%
Don't know	17 1%	5 1%	11 2%	5 1%	11 1%	11 1%	5 3%	5 2% <sup>h</sup>	-	7 3% <sup>h</sup>	5 2% <sup>h</sup>	-	3 1%	8 3% <sup>l</sup>	5 1%

## Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)

Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...

Politics is a waste of time

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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	96 8%	4 7%	16 12% <sup>c</sup>	3 3%	7 9%	10 11%	6 5%	8 6%	12 7%	11 11%	7 11% <sup>c</sup>	13 13% <sup>cf</sup>	87 9%	9 8%
Tend to agree	133 12%	10 17% <sup>d</sup>	15 12% <sup>d</sup>	10 11% <sup>d</sup>	- -	10 12% <sup>d</sup>	10 9% <sup>d</sup>	16 12% <sup>d</sup>	23 14% <sup>d</sup>	14 14% <sup>d</sup>	12 21% <sup>df</sup>	13 13% <sup>d</sup>	123 12%	9 9%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	11 19%	25 19%	15 17%	23 29% <sup>ejk</sup>	13 14%	38 32% <sup>bceijk</sup>	41 29% <sup>ejk</sup>	39 23%	17 17%	8 14%	16 16%	222 22%	26 23%
Tend to disagree	368 33%	18 31%	54 41% <sup>gk</sup>	35 39% <sup>k</sup>	28 35% <sup>k</sup>	33 37% <sup>k</sup>	36 30%	39 28%	56 33% <sup>k</sup>	32 33%	16 28%	21 21%	327 32%	34 31%
Strongly disagree	270 24%	13 23%	20 15%	22 25%	20 25%	23 26%	28 23%	31 22%	38 22%	24 25%	15 25%	37 37% <sup>bfg</sup>	237 23%	30 27%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	230 20%	14 24% <sup>d</sup>	31 24% <sup>d</sup>	13 14%	7 9%	20 23% <sup>d</sup>	16 13%	24 17%	35 21%	25 26% <sup>df</sup>	18 32% <sup>cd</sup>	26 26% <sup>cd</sup>	210 21%	18 17%
DISAGREE	638 56%	31 54%	74 56%	57 64%	48 60%	56 63%	64 53%	70 50%	94 56%	56 57%	31 54%	58 58%	563 56%	64 58%
Don't know	17 1%	1 2%	1 1%	4 5% <sup>h</sup>	1 2%	- -	1 1%	6 4% <sup>h</sup>	* *	- -	* *	1 1%	15 1%	2 2%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Politics is a waste of time**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	96 8%	1 1%	6 2%	21 6%b	69 24%abc
Tend to agree	133 12%	1 1%	28 8%a	57 15%ab	46 16%ab
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	9 8%	51 14%	104 28%ab	83 29%ab
Tend to disagree	368 33%	40 35%d	152 42%cd	121 33%d	54 19%
Strongly disagree	270 24%	61 54%bcd	122 34%cd	61 17%d	26 9%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	230 20%	2 2%	33 9%a	77 21%ab	115 40%abc
DISAGREE	638 56%	101 90%bcd	274 76%cd	182 50%d	81 28%
Don't know	17 1%	-	1 *	3 1%	11 4%bc

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Politics is a waste of time**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	96	3	11	34	48	4	8	33	50
	8%	5%	3%	7%b	27%abc	9%f	2%	6%f	26%efg
Tend to agree	133	2	33	76	23	3	36	70	25
	12%	3%	8%	16%ab	13%	5%	10%	14%	13%
Neither agree nor disagree	247	1	69	122	56	4	58	121	64
	22%	2%	16%a	26%ab	31%ab	7%	16%	24%ef	33%efg
Tend to disagree	368	15	161	161	31	14	128	193	33
	33%	31%d	37%d	34%d	17%	27%	34%h	38%h	17%
Strongly disagree	270	28	157	71	14	26	141	88	15
	24%	58%bcd	36%cd	15%d	8%	52%gh	38%gh	17%h	8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	230	4	44	110	71	7	45	103	75
	20%	9%	10%	23%ab	39%abc	13%	12%	20%f	38%efg
DISAGREE	638	43	318	232	45	40	269	281	48
	56%	89%bcd	74%cd	49%d	25%	79%gh	72%gh	55%h	25%
Don't know	17	-	*	7	8	-	-	7	8
	1%	-	*	1%b	5%bc	-	-	1%f	4%fg

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Politics is a waste of time**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	96 8%	20 5%	5 3%	2 4%	5 10%	65 13%ab	2 9%	5 2%	27 6%g	51 17%gh	76 8%	20 15%j
Tend to agree	133 12%	39 10%	12 7%	3 7%	7 14%	72 15%b	4 18%	13 5%	56 12%g	49 16%g	113 11%	21 16%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	61 16%	25 15%	13 27%	10 19%	138 29%ab	3 12%	47 17%	104 23%	74 25%g	204 20%	44 33%j
Tend to disagree	368 33%	131 35%e	77 44%e	17 34%	18 36%	126 26%	5 21%	113 41%i	160 35%i	80 26%	340 34%k	28 21%
Strongly disagree	270 24%	121 32%de	55 31%de	14 29%e	8 15%	73 15%	10 40%	97 35%hi	111 24%i	47 15%	254 25%k	16 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	230 20%	58 16%	17 9%	5 10%	13 24%b	137 28%abc	6 27%	19 7%	83 18%g	100 33%gh	188 19%	41 31%j
DISAGREE	638 56%	251 67%de	132 75%de	31 63%e	26 51%	198 41%	15 62%	210 75%hi	271 59%i	127 42%	594 59%k	44 33%
Don't know	17 1%	5 1%	1 1%	- -	3 5%ab	8 2%	- -	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	13 1%	4 3%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**The only way to be really informed about politics is to get involved**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	160 14%	82 16%	78 13%	23 14%	33 17%	25 13%	23 12%	28 20%h	12 10%	16 15%	24 13%	45 16%	35 14%	56 14%	91 14%	70 14%
Tend to agree	488 43%	203 39%	285 46%a	67 39%	91 45%g	90 47%g	85 43%	47 33%	58 47%g	49 46%	74 40%	147 51%jm	111 43%	157 39%	273 43%	216 43%
Neither agree nor disagree	229 20%	106 21%	123 20%	47 28%g	42 21%	35 19%	42 21%	23 17%	22 18%	18 17%	31 17%	44 15%	62 24%k	93 23%k	123 20%	106 21%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	99 19%b	86 14%	22 13%	27 13%	26 14%	35 18%	30 21%	27 22%	18 16%	46 25%klm	47 16%	34 13%	58 15%	106 17%	78 16%
Strongly disagree	52 5%	18 3%	34 6%	7 4%	5 2%	9 5%	11 6%	9 7%	5 4%	4 4%	10 6%	6 2%	14 5%k	21 5%k	29 5%	22 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	649 57%	286 55%	363 59%	90 53%	125 62%	115 60%	108 55%	75 53%	70 56%	65 61%	98 53%	191 67%jlm	146 56%	213 53%	363 58%	285 57%
DISAGREE	236 21%	116 22%	120 20%	30 17%	32 16%	36 19%	46 23%	39 28%cd	32 26%d	21 20%	56 30%klm	52 18%	48 19%	80 20%	136 22%	100 20%
Don't know	18 2%	10 2%	8 1%	3 2%	3 1%	5 2%	1 1%	3 2%	- -	3 3%	- -	- -	3 1%	15 4%jk	8 1%	10 2%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/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



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**Q.14\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**The only way to be really informed about politics is to get involved**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	160 14%	75 13%	85 15%	39 11%	121 16%	134 14%	27 13%	46 16%	44 13%	27 12%	35 15%	7 17%	65 15%	49 17% <sup>n</sup>	46 11%
Tend to agree	488 43%	247 43%	241 43%	163 46%	325 42%	402 43%	86 43%	122 43%	161 46%	93 42%	94 40%	18 43%	180 42%	109 38%	200 48% <sup>m</sup>
Neither agree nor disagree	229 20%	118 21%	111 20%	83 23%	146 19%	185 20%	44 22%	48 17%	67 19%	56 25% <sup>g</sup>	52 23%	7 16%	95 22%	60 21%	74 18%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	95 17%	89 16%	45 13%	140 18% <sup>c</sup>	156 17%	28 14%	55 19%	61 17%	31 14%	33 14%	5 11%	69 16%	46 16%	69 17%
Strongly disagree	52 5%	29 5%	23 4%	20 6%	31 4%	43 5%	9 4%	11 4%	15 4%	10 5%	11 5%	4 9%	15 3%	14 5%	23 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	649 57%	323 57%	326 58%	202 57%	447 58%	536 58%	112 56%	168 59%	205 59%	120 54%	130 56%	26 61%	245 58%	158 55%	246 59%
DISAGREE	236 21%	124 22%	112 20%	65 18%	171 22%	199 21%	37 19%	66 23%	76 22%	42 19%	43 19%	8 20%	84 20%	60 21%	92 22%
Don't know	18 2%	6 1%	12 2%	6 2%	12 2%	11 1%	7 3% <sup>e</sup>	4 1%	* *	5 2% <sup>h</sup>	7 3% <sup>h</sup>	1 3% <sup>h</sup>	3 1%	7 3% <sup>l</sup>	8 2%

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**Q.14\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	160 14%	8 15%	18 13%	14 16%	13 16%	16 18%h	18 15%	25 18%h	14 8%	13 13%	7 11%	16 16%h	145 14%	14 12%
Tend to agree	488 43%	31 53%g	49 37%	38 42%	40 49%g	33 38%	57 48%g	48 34%	79 47%g	43 44%	31 54%bgk	40 40%	436 43%	48 43%
Neither agree nor disagree	229 20%	7 13%	29 22%	10 12%	16 20%	17 19%	24 20%	38 27%ckj	40 24%c	22 23%	9 15%	17 17%	202 20%	26 23%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	8 15%	27 21%	20 23%d	7 9%	17 19%	18 15%	17 12%	28 17%	11 11%	9 16%	20 20%d	165 16%	16 15%
Strongly disagree	52 5%	1 2%	7 6%	4 5%	4 5%	3 4%	1 1%	8 6%	6 3%	7 8%f	2 3%	7 7%f	45 4%	5 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	649 57%	39 68%	67 51%	52 58%	52 65%	49 56%	75 63%	73 52%	92 55%	56 57%	37 65%	56 56%	581 58%	62 56%
DISAGREE	236 21%	10 17%	35 26%	24 27%	12 15%	20 23%	19 16%	25 18%	34 20%	19 19%	11 20%	27 27%dfg	210 21%	21 19%
Don't know	18 2%	1 2%	1 1%	3 3%	-	2 2%	1 1%	5 3%	2 1%	1 1%	-	1 1%	16 2%	2 2%

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	160 14%	27 24%bc	51 14%	37 10%	46 16%c
Tend to agree	488 43%	37 32%	169 47%ad	180 49%ad	102 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	229 20%	17 15%	52 15%	82 22%b	78 27%ab
Tend to disagree	184 16%	27 24%cd	73 20%d	55 15%	31 11%
Strongly disagree	52 5%	6 5%	14 4%	9 3%	22 8%c
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	649 57%	63 56%	219 61%d	216 59%	148 51%
DISAGREE	236 21%	33 29%cd	87 24%c	64 17%	53 18%
Don't know	18 2%	-	1 *	5 1%	11 4%b

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

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
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Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	160	7	64	60	29	6	63	59	33
	14%	15%	15%	13%	16%	11%	17%g	12%	17%
Tend to agree	488	15	184	235	54	16	145	261	66
	43%	32%	43%d	50%ad	30%	32%	39%	51%efh	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	229	12	71	91	56	11	72	92	54
	20%	24%	16%	19%	31%bc	22%	19%	18%	28%fg
Tend to disagree	184	10	94	63	16	14	76	78	17
	16%	21%d	22%cd	13%	9%	27%gh	20%h	15%h	9%
Strongly disagree	52	4	18	16	14	4	16	15	16
	5%	8%	4%	3%	8%c	8%	4%	3%	8%g
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	649	22	249	295	83	22	208	320	99
	57%	47%	58%d	63%ad	46%	43%	56%	62%eh	51%
DISAGREE	236	14	112	80	30	18	92	93	33
	21%	29%c	26%cd	17%	17%	35%gh	25%g	18%	17%
Don't know	18	-	-	5	11	-	-	7	9
	2%	-	-	1%b	6%bc	-	-	1%f	5%fg

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	160 14%	55 15% <sup>c</sup>	26 15% <sup>c</sup>	1 3%	8 16% <sup>c</sup>	70 15% <sup>c</sup>	8 35%	34 12%	54 12%	52 17%	140 14%	21 16%
Tend to agree	488 43%	172 46%	85 48%	18 36%	22 42%	192 40%	9 38%	123 44%	232 50% <sup>i</sup>	110 36%	452 45% <sup>k</sup>	36 27%
Neither agree nor disagree	229 20%	70 19%	29 17%	13 26%	9 18%	108 23%	3 14%	49 18%	83 18%	73 24%	184 18%	45 34% <sup>j</sup>
Tend to disagree	184 16%	60 16%	27 15%	15 31% <sup>abe</sup>	8 16%	74 15%	1 6%	60 22%	73 16%	46 15%	165 17%	19 14%
Strongly disagree	52 5%	15 4%	8 5%	2 4%	1 2%	25 5%	2 8%	11 4%	14 3%	22 7% <sup>h</sup>	46 5%	5 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	649 57%	226 60% <sup>c</sup>	111 63% <sup>c</sup>	19 39%	30 59%	262 55%	17 73%	156 56%	287 62% <sup>i</sup>	163 54%	592 59% <sup>k</sup>	57 43%
DISAGREE	236 21%	75 20%	35 20%	17 35% <sup>ae</sup>	9 18%	99 21%	3 14%	71 26%	87 19%	68 22%	212 21%	24 18%
Don't know	18 2%	4 1%	-	-	3 5% <sup>ab</sup>	11 2%	-	1 1%	4 1%	1 *	11 1%	7 5% <sup>j</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

## Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)

Q.14\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...

Participating in politics is not much fun

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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	182 16%	82 16%	100 16%	35 20% <sup>d</sup>	23 12%	31 16%	35 18%	20 14%	19 15%	19 18%	18 10%	51 18% <sup>j</sup>	38 15%	75 19% <sup>j</sup>	85 14%	97 19% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to agree	376 33%	172 33%	204 33%	59 35%	72 36%	53 28%	67 34%	45 32%	47 38%	32 30%	59 32%	94 33%	79 31%	144 36%	211 33%	166 33%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	146 28%	176 29%	40 23%	66 33% <sup>h</sup>	64 34% <sup>ch</sup>	51 26%	41 29%	26 21%	32 30%	55 30%	76 27%	86 33%	104 26%	185 29%	136 27%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	88 17%	96 16%	29 17%	31 15%	27 14%	40 20%	19 14%	23 18%	14 13%	48 26% <sup>klm</sup>	50 18% <sup>m</sup>	42 16%	44 11%	115 18%	69 14%
Strongly disagree	44 4%	19 4%	24 4%	7 4%	4 2%	10 5% <sup>f</sup>	2 1%	13 9% <sup>df</sup>	4 3%	5 4%	5 3%	12 4%	10 4%	17 4%	23 4%	21 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	559 49%	255 49%	304 50%	94 55%	96 48%	84 44%	102 52%	65 46%	66 53%	52 48%	77 42%	145 51%	117 45%	219 55% <sup>jl</sup>	296 47%	263 52%
DISAGREE	228 20%	107 21%	121 20%	36 21%	35 17%	37 20%	42 21%	32 23%	27 21%	19 17%	53 29% <sup>m</sup>	62 22% <sup>m</sup>	52 20%	61 15%	137 22%	91 18%
Don't know	24 2%	10 2%	13 2%	1 *	4 2%	5 2%	3 1%	2 1%	5 4% <sup>c</sup>	5 4% <sup>c</sup>	1 *	3 1%	4 2%	16 4% <sup>jk</sup>	12 2%	12 2%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Participating in politics is not much fun**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	182 16%	79 14%	103 18%	58 16%	124 16%	138 15%	44 22% <sup>ee</sup>	48 17%	51 15%	36 16%	40 17%	7 18%	61 14%	42 15%	79 19%
Tend to agree	376 33%	197 34%	180 32%	111 31%	265 34%	316 34%	60 30%	83 29%	122 35%	79 36%	80 34%	12 28%	146 34%	91 32%	139 33%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	175 31%	146 26%	107 30%	214 28%	266 29%	55 27%	83 29%	107 31%	52 23%	68 29%	11 26%	121 28%	85 30%	115 28%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	97 17%	87 15%	61 17%	123 16%	158 17%	26 13%	50 18%	58 17%	37 17%	31 13%	9 20%	83 19% <sup>m</sup>	37 13%	64 15%
Strongly disagree	44 4%	16 3%	28 5%	13 4%	31 4%	36 4%	8 4%	12 4%	10 3%	9 4%	10 4%	3 8%	12 3%	19 7% <sup>ln</sup>	13 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	559 49%	276 48%	283 50%	170 48%	389 50%	454 49%	105 52%	131 46%	173 50%	116 52%	120 51%	19 46%	207 49%	133 47%	218 52%
DISAGREE	228 20%	113 20%	114 20%	74 21%	154 20%	194 21%	33 17%	63 22%	68 19%	46 21%	40 17%	12 28%	95 22%	56 19%	77 18%
Don't know	24 2%	6 1%	18 3% <sup>aa</sup>	5 1%	19 2%	17 2%	7 4%	9 3% <sup>h</sup>	1 *	9 4% <sup>h</sup>	5 2%	-	3 1%	12 4% <sup>l</sup>	9 2%

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	182 16%	13 22%	23 17%	19 21%	13 16%	10 12%	15 13%	19 13%	20 12%	14 14%	19 34% bdefg hik	18 18%	172 17% m	11 10%
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Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	17 30%	42 32% j	24 27%	24 30%	36 41% fijk	27 22%	40 29%	53 31% j	24 24%	11 19%	24 24%	284 28%	32 29%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	7 12%	12 9%	11 12%	15 19%	13 14%	20 17%	17 12%	37 22% bg	26 27% bcg	8 14%	19 19% b	159 16%	23 20%
Strongly disagree	44 4%	3 5%	4 3%	3 3%	3 3%	6 7% fh	* *	12 8% fhi	2 1%	1 1%	1 2%	8 8% fhi	37 4%	6 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	559 49%	29 51%	71 54% e	48 53%	36 45%	33 38%	71 59% egh	64 45%	76 45%	47 48%	37 64% deghi k	48 47%	508 50%	48 43%
DISAGREE	228 20%	10 17%	16 12%	13 15%	18 22%	19 21%	20 17%	29 21%	39 23% b	28 28% b	9 16%	27 27% bcj	196 19%	29 26% l
Don't know	24 2%	1 2%	3 2%	4 5% h	3 3%	* 1%	1 1%	7 5% hi	1 1%	- -	1 1%	2 2%	22 2%	2 2%



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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
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Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
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Tend to agree	376 33%	20 18%	117 33%a	147 40%ad	90 31%a
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	29 26%	103 29%	114 31%	75 26%
Tend to disagree	184 16%	46 41%bcd	96 27%cd	30 8%	12 4%
Strongly disagree	44 4%	14 12%bcd	11 3%	7 2%	13 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	559 49%	25 22%	144 40%a	213 58%ab	176 61%ab
DISAGREE	228 20%	60 53%bcd	107 30%cd	37 10%	25 9%
Don't know	24 2%	-	6 2%	3 1%	13 5%abc

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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
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Strongly agree	182	6	45	81	50	3	38	86	55
	16%	13%	11%	17%b	28%abc	7%	10%	17%f	28%efg
Tend to agree	376	10	143	172	52	12	119	193	53
	33%	21%	33%	36%a	29%	23%	32%	38%h	27%
Neither agree nor disagree	321	8	122	140	51	8	113	136	65
	28%	17%	28%	30%	29%	16%	30%e	27%	33%e
Tend to disagree	184	19	102	53	10	23	86	70	6
	16%	39%bcd	24%cd	11%d	5%	45%fgh	23%gh	14%h	3%
Strongly disagree	44	5	17	14	7	4	14	16	10
	4%	10%c	4%	3%	4%	9%	4%	3%	5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	559	16	188	252	102	15	156	279	108
	49%	34%	44%	54%ab	57%ab	30%	42%	54%ef	55%ef
DISAGREE	228	24	119	67	17	27	99	86	15
	20%	50%bcd	28%cd	14%	10%	54%fgh	27%gh	17%h	8%
Don't know	24	-	2	11	9	-	3	11	8
	2%	-	*	2%b	5%b	-	1%	2%	4%f

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	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
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Tend to agree	376 33%	114 30%	63 36%	16 33%	19 36%	164 34%	8 35%	98 35%	161 35%	95 31%	343 34%k	33 25%
Neither agree nor disagree	321 28%	104 28%	50 29%	21 44%ae	13 25%	133 28%	4 18%	89 32%	119 26%	86 28%	273 27%	49 37%j
Tend to disagree	184 16%	79 21%e	38 21%e	4 9%	7 13%	56 12%	4 18%	61 22%i	84 18%i	31 10%	171 17%k	13 10%
Strongly disagree	44 4%	24 6%e	4 3%	- -	1 1%	15 3%	2 10%	7 2%	17 4%	16 5%	41 4%	3 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	559 49%	161 43%	80 46%	23 47%	28 54%	267 55%a	13 55%	118 43%	238 52%g	163 54%g	495 50%	64 48%
DISAGREE	228 20%	103 27%ce	42 24%ce	4 9%	7 14%	71 15%	7 28%	67 24%i	101 22%i	47 15%	212 21%k	16 12%
Don't know	24 2%	7 2%	3 2%	- -	3 7%	10 2%	- -	3 1%	3 1%	8 3%	20 2%	4 3%

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

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Q.14\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...

I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community

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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	138 12%	66 13%	73 12%	13 8%	21 10%	29 15% <sup>c</sup>	27 14%	23 16% <sup>c</sup>	11 9%	14 13%	33 18% <sup>lm</sup>	38 13%	24 9%	43 11%	77 12%	62 12%
Tend to agree	361 32%	167 32%	194 32%	66 39% <sup>ei</sup>	73 36% <sup>i</sup>	53 28% <sup>i</sup>	60 30% <sup>i</sup>	42 30% <sup>i</sup>	49 40% <sup>ei</sup>	18 16%	66 36%	92 32%	73 28%	130 33%	215 34%	146 29%
Neither agree nor disagree	380 34%	162 31%	219 36%	60 35%	73 36%	77 40% <sup>h</sup>	64 32%	44 31%	31 25%	32 30%	59 32%	100 35%	104 40% <sup>m</sup>	117 29%	202 32%	178 36%
Tend to disagree	162 14%	80 15%	82 13%	17 10%	25 12%	17 9%	34 17% <sup>e</sup>	21 15%	23 18% <sup>e</sup>	25 24% <sup>cde</sup>	21 11%	42 15%	38 15%	61 15%	89 14%	73 15%
Strongly disagree	71 6%	35 7%	36 6%	10 6%	5 2%	13 7%	10 5%	8 6%	10 8% <sup>d</sup>	15 14% <sup>cdf</sup>	7 4%	12 4%	15 6%	37 9% <sup>jk</sup>	35 6%	36 7%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	500 44%	232 45%	267 44%	79 46% <sup>i</sup>	94 47% <sup>i</sup>	82 43% <sup>i</sup>	87 44% <sup>i</sup>	65 46% <sup>i</sup>	60 49% <sup>i</sup>	32 30%	99 54% <sup>lm</sup>	129 45%	97 38%	173 43%	292 46%	208 41%
DISAGREE	233 21%	116 22%	118 19%	27 16%	30 15%	30 16%	44 23%	29 21%	33 26% <sup>de</sup>	40 38% <sup>defg</sup>	27 15%	54 19%	53 20%	99 25% <sup>j</sup>	124 20%	110 22%
Don't know	19 2%	8 2%	10 2%	4 2%	5 2%	2 1%	2 1%	3 2%	- -	3 3%	- -	3 1%	5 2%	11 3% <sup>j</sup>	13 2%	6 1%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	138 12%	70 12%	68 12%	46 13%	92 12%	119 13%	19 10%	43 15%h	31 9%	28 12%	32 14%	5 11%	42 10%	42 15%	54 13%
Tend to agree	361 32%	184 32%	177 32%	130 36%d	232 30%	312 33%f	49 25%	96 33%	100 29%	75 34%	75 32%	15 37%	157 37% <sup>m</sup>	78 27%	126 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	380 34%	204 36%	176 31%	126 35%	254 33%	319 34%	61 30%	75 26%	149 43%gik	62 28%	84 36%g	10 24%	136 32%	101 35%	144 34%
Tend to disagree	162 14%	74 13%	88 16%	34 9%	128 17% <sup>c</sup>	118 13%	44 22% <sup>e</sup>	46 16% <sup>j</sup>	53 15% <sup>j</sup>	32 15%	19 8%	11 26% <sup>j</sup>	65 15%	38 13%	59 14%
Strongly disagree	71 6%	29 5%	42 7%	14 4%	57 7% <sup>c</sup>	47 5%	25 12% <sup>e</sup>	22 8%	14 4%	19 9% <sup>h</sup>	15 6%	1 3%	21 5%	16 6%	34 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	500 44%	254 45%	245 44%	176 49% <sup>d</sup>	324 42%	431 46% <sup>f</sup>	68 34%	138 48% <sup>h</sup>	131 38%	103 46%	108 46%	20 47%	200 47%	120 42%	180 43%
DISAGREE	233 21%	104 18%	130 23%	48 13%	185 24% <sup>c</sup>	164 18%	69 34% <sup>e</sup>	68 24% <sup>j</sup>	67 19%	52 23% <sup>j</sup>	34 14%	12 29% <sup>j</sup>	86 20%	55 19%	93 22%
Don't know	19 2%	8 1%	11 2%	7 2%	12 2%	17 2%	2 1%	4 1%	2 *	5 2%	8 3% <sup>h</sup>	-	5 1%	10 4% <sup>l</sup>	4 1%

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**Q.14\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	138 12%	7 12%	10 8%	12 13%	10 12%	10 12%	20 17%	28 20%bhi	15 9%	7 8%	6 11%	13 13%	109 11%	26 23%l
Tend to agree	361 32%	25 44%cfk	43 33%	21 24%	27 33%	23 26%	27 23%	42 30%	70 42%cefgk	34 35%	24 41%cefk	25 25%	320 32%	40 36%
Neither agree nor disagree	380 34%	14 25%	46 35%	36 41%	24 30%	37 42%	52 43%ai	44 31%	52 31%	27 27%	17 29%	32 31%	343 34%	32 29%
Tend to disagree	162 14%	7 12%	19 14%	8 9%	12 15%	13 14%	15 13%	14 10%	24 14%	20 20%g	7 13%	23 23%cfghj	154 15%m	7 6%
Strongly disagree	71 6%	4 7%	13 10%gh	10 11%gh	8 10%gh	6 6%	6 5%	3 2%	4 2%	8 9%gh	2 3%	8 8%gh	68 7%m	3 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	500 44%	32 56%k	53 40%	33 37%	36 45%	33 38%	47 39%	70 50%k	85 51%k	42 42%	30 52%k	38 37%	429 43%	66 60%l
DISAGREE	233 21%	11 19%	31 24%g	18 20%	20 25%g	18 21%	21 17%	18 12%	27 16%	28 29%gh	9 16%	31 31%fghj	222 22%m	10 9%
Don't know	19 2%	-	1 1%	1 2%	-	-	-	9 6%bdefk	4 2%	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	16 2%	3 3%

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**Q.14\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	138 12%	40 35%bcd	48 13%c	24 6%	26 9%
Tend to agree	361 32%	37 32%	140 39%cd	115 31%	70 24%
Neither agree nor disagree	380 34%	22 19%	107 30%a	139 38%ab	111 38%ab
Tend to disagree	162 14%	13 12%	53 15%	59 16%	37 13%
Strongly disagree	71 6%	1 1%	9 3%	24 7%ab	37 13%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	500 44%	77 68%bcd	188 52%cd	138 38%	96 33%
DISAGREE	233 21%	14 13%	62 17%	83 23%a	74 26%ab
Don't know	19 2%	* *	2 *	7 2%	9 3%b

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**Q.14\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	138	14	74	37	13	16	65	37	20
	12%	30%bcd	17%cd	8%	7%	32%fgh	18%gh	7%	10%
Tend to agree	361	17	159	144	41	17	137	165	43
	32%	35%	37%cd	31%	23%	33%	37%h	32%h	22%
Neither agree nor disagree	380	12	121	173	74	11	106	187	76
	34%	24%	28%	37%b	41%ab	22%	28%	37%f	39%f
Tend to disagree	162	5	58	81	18	7	48	84	23
	14%	11%	13%	17%cd	10%	13%	13%	16%	12%
Strongly disagree	71	-	17	29	25	-	15	30	27
	6%	-	4%	6%	14%abc	-	4%	6%	14%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	500	32	233	181	54	32	202	203	63
	44%	65%cd	54%cd	38%	30%	64%gh	54%gh	40%	32%
DISAGREE	233	5	75	110	43	7	63	114	50
	21%	11%	17%	23%b	24%	13%	17%	22%	25%f
Don't know	19	-	2	7	9	-	1	9	8
	2%	-	*	1%	5%bc	-	*	2%	4%f

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**Q.14\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I enjoy working with other people on common problems in our community**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	138 12%	57 15%	22 13%	2 4%	6 12%	52 11%	2 10%	36 13%	57 12%	38 13%	132 13%k	6 5%
Tend to agree	361 32%	133 35%ce	76 43%ce	9 18%	15 29%	128 27%	7 31%	101 36%	145 32%	98 32%	323 32%	38 29%
Neither agree nor disagree	380 34%	107 28%	53 30%	24 49%ab	17 33%	179 37%a	8 34%	99 36%	160 35%	91 30%	328 33%	52 39%
Tend to disagree	162 14%	50 13%	18 10%	14 29%abe	8 16%	71 15%	3 13%	33 12%	73 16%	45 15%	146 15%	16 12%
Strongly disagree	71 6%	23 6%	6 3%	-	3 5%	40 8%b	3 12%	5 2%	23 5%	29 9%gh	57 6%	14 11%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	500 44%	190 51%ce	98 56%ce	11 22%	21 41%	180 37%	10 41%	137 49%	202 44%	136 45%	455 46%k	45 34%
DISAGREE	233 21%	74 20%	24 13%	14 29%b	11 21%	111 23%b	6 25%	38 14%	96 21%g	74 24%g	203 20%	30 23%
Don't know	19 2%	5 1%	* *	- -	3 5%b	11 2%	- -	4 2%	3 1%	3 1%	13 1%	6 4%j

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**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	93 8%	44 8%	50 8%	14 8%	20 10%	20 11%	11 6%	14 10%	9 7%	5 4%	14 7%	24 9%	21 8%	34 9%	55 9%	38 8%
Tend to agree	209 18%	98 19%	111 18%	31 18%	32 16%	39 21%	45 23% <i>i</i>	27 19%	22 18%	13 12%	46 25% <i>m</i>	53 19%	49 19%	60 15%	126 20%	83 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	119 23%	138 22%	42 25%	62 31% <i>f</i> <i>g</i> <i>i</i>	43 23%	39 20%	27 19%	26 21%	20 18%	43 23%	59 21%	58 23%	97 24%	132 21%	125 25%
Tend to disagree	326 29%	157 30%	169 27%	54 32%	56 28%	59 31%	58 30%	29 21%	32 26%	37 34% <i>g</i>	51 27%	96 33%	75 29%	104 26%	188 30%	138 27%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	87 17%	134 22%	25 15%	25 13%	24 12%	42 21% <i>d</i> <i>e</i>	41 29% <i>c</i> <i>d</i> <i>e</i>	34 28% <i>c</i> <i>d</i> <i>e</i>	30 28% <i>c</i> <i>d</i> <i>e</i>	32 17%	49 17%	49 19%	92 23%	113 18%	108 22%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	302 27%	142 27%	161 26%	45 26%	52 26%	60 31% <i>i</i>	56 28% <i>i</i>	41 29% <i>i</i>	32 25%	18 17%	60 32%	78 27%	70 27%	95 24%	181 29%	122 24%
DISAGREE	547 48%	245 47%	303 49%	79 46%	82 41%	83 43%	101 51%	70 50%	66 54% <i>d</i>	67 62% <i>c</i> <i>d</i> <i>e</i>	83 45%	144 50%	124 48%	196 49%	302 48%	246 49%
Don't know	24 2%	12 2%	12 2%	4 3%	6 3%	5 3%	2 1%	3 2%	- -	3 3%	- -	5 2%	7 3% <i>j</i>	12 3% <i>j</i>	16 2%	9 2%

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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

\* small base

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**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
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Tend to agree	209 18%	112 20%	97 17%	66 18%	144 19%	185 20%l	24 12%	51 18%	63 18%	42 19%	49 21%	4 9%	95 22%n	47 16%	67 16%
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	137 24%	120 21%	86 24%	171 22%	215 23%	43 21%	57 20%	72 21%	50 23%	67 29%gh	11 27%	95 22%	61 21%	101 24%
Tend to disagree	326 29%	182 32%b	144 26%	110 31%	216 28%	270 29%	56 28%	78 27%	129 37%gij	53 24%	51 22%	15 36%j	124 29%	76 27%	126 30%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	84 15%	137 24%a	50 14%	172 22%c	162 17%	59 30%e	77 27%hij	56 16%	40 18%	41 18%	8 18%	75 18%	54 19%	93 22%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	302 27%	155 27%	147 26%	100 28%	203 26%	264 28%l	38 19%	69 24%	87 25%	73 33%g	66 28%	8 18%	126 29%n	84 29%n	93 22%
DISAGREE	547 48%	266 47%	282 50%	160 45%	387 50%	432 46%	115 58%e	155 54%ij	185 53%ij	92 42%	92 39%	23 55%	199 47%	130 45%	219 52%
Don't know	24 2%	12 2%	12 2%	10 3%	15 2%	21 2%	4 2%	5 2%	4 1%	6 3%	9 4%h	-	7 2%	11 4%	7 2%

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**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	93 8%	4 7%	13 10%	7 8%	5 6%	11 12%hk	10 8%	24 17%dhik	6 4%	5 5%	5 9%	4 4%	75 7%	17 15%l
Tend to agree	209 18%	15 27%d	34 26%dgj	13 15%	8 10%	15 17%	22 18%	21 15%	40 24%dj	16 17%	7 12%	19 19%	179 18%	28 25%l
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	10 17%	17 13%	17 19%	15 19%	21 24%	32 27%b	42 30%bk	48 28%bk	27 27%b	13 22%	17 17%	220 22%	34 31%l
Tend to disagree	326 29%	14 25%	29 22%	28 32%	30 38%bg	21 24%	30 25%	34 24%	56 34%	34 34%	16 28%	33 33%	298 30%m	22 20%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	14 24%gh	36 28%gh	21 24%gh	21 26%gh	20 22%gh	24 20%gh	13 9%	14 8%	17 18%	16 28%gh	25 25%gh	214 21%m	7 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	302 27%	20 34%d	46 35%djk	20 22%	12 16%	26 29%	32 26%	44 32%d	46 28%	21 21%	12 21%	23 23%	254 25%	45 40%l
DISAGREE	547 48%	28 49%	66 50%g	50 56%g	51 64%efgh	41 46%	54 45%	46 33%	70 42%	51 52%g	32 56%gh	58 58%fgh	513 51%m	29 27%
Don't know	24 2%	-	3 2%	3 3%	1 2%	1 2%	2 2%	8 6%i	4 2%	-	1 2%	2 2%	22 2%	2 2%

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**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	93 8%	18 16% <sup>c</sup>	32 9% <sup>c</sup>	17 5%	26 9% <sup>c</sup>
Tend to agree	209 18%	33 29% <sup>cd</sup>	77 21% <sup>d</sup>	63 17%	36 12%
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	22 20%	77 21%	82 22%	75 26%
Tend to disagree	326 29%	23 21%	118 33% <sup>ad</sup>	113 31%	71 24%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	15 13%	53 15%	85 23% <sup>ab</sup>	68 23% <sup>ab</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	302 27%	51 45% <sup>bcd</sup>	110 31% <sup>cd</sup>	80 22%	62 21%
DISAGREE	547 48%	38 34%	172 48% <sup>a</sup>	199 54% <sup>a</sup>	139 48% <sup>a</sup>
Don't know	24 2%	1 1%	1 *	6 2%	15 5% <sup>bc</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	93 8%	5 10%	42 10% <sup>c</sup>	24 5%	22 12% <sup>c</sup>	5 9%	33 9%	36 7%	20 10%
Tend to agree	209 18%	22 46% <sup>bcd</sup>	100 23% <sup>cd</sup>	69 15%	19 10%	16 32% <sup>gh</sup>	89 24% <sup>gh</sup>	87 17% <sup>h</sup>	17 9%
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	8 16%	100 23%	92 20%	57 32% <sup>abc</sup>	8 16%	86 23%	111 22%	52 27%
Tend to disagree	326 29%	9 19%	124 29% <sup>d</sup>	166 35% <sup>ad</sup>	27 15%	14 27%	111 30% <sup>h</sup>	164 32% <sup>h</sup>	37 19%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	5 10%	64 15%	112 24% <sup>ab</sup>	40 22% <sup>b</sup>	8 15%	51 14%	107 21% <sup>f</sup>	56 29% <sup>fg</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	302 27%	27 56% <sup>bcd</sup>	142 33% <sup>cd</sup>	93 20%	41 23%	21 41% <sup>gh</sup>	122 33% <sup>gh</sup>	122 24%	37 19%
DISAGREE	547 48%	14 29%	188 44%	278 59% <sup>abd</sup>	67 38%	21 43%	162 44%	271 53% <sup>f</sup>	93 47%
Don't know	24 2%	-	2 *	7 2%	14 8% <sup>bc</sup>	-	1 *	8 2%	14 7% <sup>fg</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

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**Q.14\_06 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local councillor**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	93 8%	37 10%	16 9%	1 1%	7 13%c	33 7%	5 22%	11 4%	38 8%g	32 11%g	81 8%	12 9%
Tend to agree	209 18%	80 21%	37 21%	5 10%	6 12%	81 17%	6 24%	60 21%	81 18%	54 18%	187 19%	23 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	257 23%	82 22%	35 20%	11 23%	14 28%	115 24%	4 15%	76 27%	97 21%	65 21%	210 21%	47 35%j
Tend to disagree	326 29%	106 28%	61 35%	19 39%	10 19%	130 27%	4 19%	92 33%i	146 32%i	72 24%	306 31%k	20 15%
Strongly disagree	221 20%	69 18%	26 15%	12 25%	11 22%	103 21%	5 21%	36 13%	94 20%g	74 25%g	197 20%	25 19%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	302 27%	116 31%ce	53 30%c	6 11%	13 25%	115 24%	11 45%	71 26%	120 26%	87 29%	268 27%	35 26%
DISAGREE	547 48%	174 46%	87 50%	32 65%ad	21 41%	233 49%	9 39%	128 46%	241 52%	147 48%	503 50%k	44 33%
Don't know	24 2%	2 1%	1 *	1 1%	3 6%ab	18 4%ab	- -	3 1%	3 1%	5 2%	18 2%	7 5%j

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

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Q.14\_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...

A person like me could do a good job as a local MP

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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	82 7%	41 8%	41 7%	11 7%	17 8%	19 10% <sup>i</sup>	13 6%	11 8%	8 7%	3 3%	12 7%	19 7%	16 6%	35 9%	44 7%	38 8%
Tend to agree	166 15%	72 14%	94 15%	27 16% <sup>i</sup>	26 13%	34 18% <sup>i</sup>	36 18% <sup>i</sup>	20 14%	16 13%	6 6%	35 19% <sup>m</sup>	40 14%	45 17%	46 12%	94 15%	72 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	240 21%	121 23%	118 19%	35 21%	61 30% <sup>fghi</sup>	49 26% <sup>h</sup>	34 17%	26 18%	15 12%	19 18%	38 20%	56 20%	64 25%	81 20%	132 21%	108 22%
Tend to disagree	346 31%	174 34%	173 28%	53 31%	59 29%	53 28%	62 31%	39 28%	45 37%	36 33%	62 33%	99 35%	68 26%	118 29%	200 32%	146 29%
Strongly disagree	276 24%	99 19%	177 29% <sup>a</sup>	40 23%	35 17%	29 15%	50 26% <sup>e</sup>	42 30% <sup>de</sup>	39 31% <sup>de</sup>	41 38% <sup>cdef</sup>	38 21%	69 24%	60 23%	109 27%	146 23%	131 26%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	248 22%	113 22%	135 22%	38 23% <sup>i</sup>	42 21% <sup>i</sup>	53 28% <sup>i</sup>	49 25% <sup>i</sup>	31 22% <sup>i</sup>	24 20% <sup>i</sup>	10 9%	48 26%	58 20%	61 24%	81 20%	139 22%	109 22%
DISAGREE	623 55%	273 53%	350 57%	92 54%	94 46%	82 43%	112 57% <sup>e</sup>	81 58% <sup>e</sup>	84 68% <sup>cde</sup>	77 71% <sup>cdefg</sup>	100 54%	168 59% <sup>l</sup>	128 49%	227 57%	346 55%	276 55%
Don't know	21 2%	11 2%	10 2%	4 2%	5 2%	5 3%	2 1%	3 2%	- -	1 1%	- -	4 1%	6 2%	11 3% <sup>j</sup>	13 2%	8 2%

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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

\* small base



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**Q.14\_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local MP**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	82 7%	37 6%	45 8%	27 8%	55 7%	71 8%	11 5%	14 5%	22 6%	30 13%ghj	12 5%	3 7%	32 8%	28 10%n	22 5%
Tend to agree	166 15%	96 17%	70 13%	56 16%	110 14%	146 16%	20 10%	34 12%	58 17%	29 13%	40 17%	6 14%	68 16%	51 18%n	47 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	240 21%	139 24%b	101 18%	82 23%	158 20%	204 22%	36 18%	49 17%	69 20%	47 21%	66 28%gh	8 20%	97 23%	55 19%	87 21%
Tend to disagree	346 31%	173 30%	173 31%	116 33%	230 30%	285 31%	61 30%	93 32%j	126 36%j	62 28%	50 22%	15 37%j	125 29%	82 29%	140 33%
Strongly disagree	276 24%	113 20%	163 29%a	67 19%	210 27%c	207 22%	69 34%e	91 32%hi	72 21%	49 22%	55 24%	9 22%	100 23%	60 21%	116 28%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	248 22%	133 23%	116 21%	82 23%	166 21%	217 23%f	31 16%	48 17%	80 23%	59 27%g	52 22%	9 21%	100 24%n	79 28%n	69 16%
DISAGREE	623 55%	287 50%	336 60%a	183 51%	440 57%	493 53%	130 65%e	184 64%ij	197 57%j	111 50%	106 45%	25 59%	225 53%	142 50%	256 61%lm
Don't know	21 2%	12 2%	9 2%	9 2%	12 2%	18 2%	3 2%	5 2%	2 1%	5 2%	9 4%h	-	4 1%	9 3%l	8 2%

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**Q.14\_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local MP**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	82 7%	6 10%	10 7%	7 8%	7 8%	6 6%	8 7%	19 14%hk	6 3%	7 7%	4 7%	4 4%	68 7%	14 13%l
Tend to agree	166 15%	11 19%	22 17%	12 13%	6 8%	18 20%dij	19 16%	26 19%dij	27 16%	7 8%	5 8%	14 14%	141 14%	21 19%l
Neither agree nor disagree	240 21%	7 12%	26 20%	9 10%	15 19%	15 17%	28 24%c	37 26%c	48 28%ack	22 22%	13 23%c	18 18%	203 20%	34 31%l
Tend to disagree	346 31%	17 30%	32 24%	33 37%	34 42%bfg	26 29%	31 26%	36 26%	59 35%	29 30%	17 29%	33 33%	314 31%m	26 24%
Strongly disagree	276 24%	17 29%gh	39 30%gh	25 28%gh	19 23%g	23 26%g	31 26%gh	16 11%	26 15%	33 33%gh	18 31%gh	31 30%gh	265 26%m	11 10%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	248 22%	17 29%	32 24%	19 21%	13 16%	23 26%	27 23%	45 32%dhijk	32 19%	14 15%	9 15%	17 17%	209 21%	36 33%l
DISAGREE	623 55%	34 59%g	71 54%g	58 65%g	52 65%g	48 55%g	62 52%g	52 37%	85 50%g	62 63%g	35 60%g	64 63%gh	579 57%m	38 34%
Don't know	21 2%	-	3 2%	3 3%	-	1 2%	2 2%	7 5%	4 2%	-	1 2%	1 1%	19 2%	2 2%

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	82 7%	17 15%cd	30 8%c	14 4%	22 7%
Tend to agree	166 15%	26 23%cd	53 15%	48 13%	39 13%
Neither agree nor disagree	240 21%	21 18%	73 20%	81 22%	63 22%
Tend to disagree	346 31%	36 32%d	131 36%d	117 32%d	62 22%
Strongly disagree	276 24%	12 11%	71 20%a	101 28%ab	92 32%ab
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	248 22%	42 38%bcd	83 23%	63 17%	60 21%
DISAGREE	623 55%	48 43%	202 56%a	218 59%a	154 53%
Don't know	21 2%	1 1%	1 *	5 1%	12 4%bc

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**Q.14\_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local MP**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	82	8	36	20	17	8	27	32	16
	7%	17% <sup>c</sup>	8% <sup>c</sup>	4%	10% <sup>c</sup>	15% <sup>g</sup>	7%	6%	8%
Tend to agree	166	9	78	61	19	9	61	79	17
	15%	18%	18% <sup>d</sup>	13%	11%	18%	16% <sup>h</sup>	15% <sup>h</sup>	9%
Neither agree nor disagree	240	14	84	91	51	12	76	104	49
	21%	30%	19%	19%	28% <sup>abc</sup>	24%	20%	20%	25%
Tend to disagree	346	13	150	153	31	14	138	162	32
	31%	26%	35% <sup>d</sup>	33% <sup>d</sup>	17%	28%	37% <sup>h</sup>	32% <sup>h</sup>	16%
Strongly disagree	276	5	82	139	51	8	68	129	71
	24%	10%	19%	29% <sup>ab</sup>	28% <sup>ab</sup>	15%	18%	25% <sup>f</sup>	36% <sup>efg</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	248	16	114	81	37	17	88	111	33
	22%	34% <sup>c</sup>	26% <sup>c</sup>	17%	20%	33% <sup>h</sup>	24%	22%	17%
DISAGREE	623	17	232	292	82	22	207	291	103
	55%	36%	54% <sup>a</sup>	62% <sup>abd</sup>	46%	43%	56%	57%	53%
Don't know	21	-	2	7	10	-	2	7	11
	2%	-	*	2%	6% <sup>bc</sup>	-	*	1%	6% <sup>fg</sup>

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**Q.14\_07 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**A person like me could do a good job as a local MP**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	82 7%	36 10%	8 5%	1 1%	4 8%	33 7%	4 16%	10 4%	25 6%	40 13%gh	72 7%	10 7%
Tend to agree	166 15%	60 16% <sup>c</sup>	31 18% <sup>c</sup>	* 1%	8 15% <sup>c</sup>	67 14% <sup>c</sup>	5 20%	37 13%	65 14%	50 16%	150 15%	16 12%
Neither agree nor disagree	240 21%	77 20%	30 17%	11 22%	6 12%	116 24%	2 9%	64 23%	91 20%	67 22%	194 19%	46 34% <sup>j</sup>
Tend to disagree	346 31%	117 31%	74 42% <sup>ae</sup>	21 42% <sup>ae</sup>	14 27%	121 25%	8 34%	106 38% <sup>i</sup>	158 34% <sup>i</sup>	62 20%	320 32% <sup>k</sup>	26 19%
Strongly disagree	276 24%	84 23%	32 18%	16 32%	15 30%	129 27% <sup>b</sup>	5 21%	59 21%	118 26%	81 27%	247 25%	30 22%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	248 22%	97 26% <sup>c</sup>	39 22% <sup>c</sup>	1 2%	12 24% <sup>c</sup>	100 21% <sup>c</sup>	8 35%	48 17%	91 20%	89 29% <sup>gh</sup>	223 22%	25 19%
DISAGREE	623 55%	201 54%	106 60%	36 74% <sup>ae</sup>	29 57%	250 52%	13 55%	165 59% <sup>i</sup>	276 60% <sup>i</sup>	143 47%	567 57% <sup>k</sup>	55 42%
Don't know	21 2%	1 *	1 *	1 1%	4 7% <sup>ab</sup>	15 3% <sup>a</sup>	- -	1 1%	4 1%	4 1%	15 1%	6 5% <sup>j</sup>

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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Every citizen should get involved in politics if democracy is to work properly**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	223 20%	112 22%	112 18%	24 14%	44 22%	34 18%	35 18%	38 27% <i>c</i>	30 25% <i>c</i>	17 16%	48 26% <i>m</i>	61 21%	47 18%	67 17%	130 21%	94 19%
Tend to agree	453 40%	205 40%	248 40%	62 36%	78 39%	77 40%	83 42%	50 36%	58 47%	44 41%	77 41%	129 45%	100 38%	147 37%	254 40%	199 40%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	104 20%	143 23%	53 31% <i>igh</i>	49 25% <i>g</i>	42 22%	40 20%	21 15%	20 16%	22 20%	33 18%	51 18%	63 24%	100 25% <i>k</i>	123 20%	123 25%
Tend to disagree	141 12%	67 13%	74 12%	22 13%	21 10%	26 14%	31 15% <i>h</i>	22 15% <i>h</i>	9 7%	12 11%	20 11%	35 12%	39 15%	46 11%	88 14%	53 11%
Strongly disagree	54 5%	24 5%	30 5%	4 3%	7 3%	11 6%	8 4%	8 6%	5 4%	11 10% <i>cdi</i>	7 4%	10 3%	8 3%	29 7% <i>kl</i>	27 4%	27 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	676 60%	317 61%	359 59%	86 50%	122 61%	111 58%	118 60%	89 63% <i>c</i>	89 72% <i>cefi</i>	62 57%	125 67% <i>lm</i>	190 66% <i>lm</i>	147 57%	214 54%	384 61%	292 58%
DISAGREE	195 17%	91 18%	104 17%	26 15%	27 14%	37 19%	38 19%	30 21%	14 11%	23 21%	27 15%	45 16%	47 18%	75 19%	115 18%	80 16%
Don't know	14 1%	7 1%	7 1%	5 3%	3 1%	1 *	1 *	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 *	3 1%	11 3% <i>jk</i>	8 1%	6 1%

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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Every citizen should get involved in politics if democracy is to work properly**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	223 20%	104 18%	119 21%	66 19%	157 20%	189 20%	35 17%	63 22%	64 18%	50 22%	40 17%	7 16%	86 20%	69 24% <sup>n</sup>	69 16%
Tend to agree	453 40%	237 42%	216 38%	152 43%	301 39%	389 42% <sup>f</sup>	64 32%	121 42% <sup>i</sup>	149 43% <sup>i</sup>	72 32%	94 40%	16 39%	185 43%	105 37%	163 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	116 20%	130 23%	77 22%	170 22%	191 21%	55 28% <sup>e</sup>	54 19%	65 19%	64 29% <sup>gh</sup>	53 23%	11 25%	90 21%	64 22%	93 22%
Tend to disagree	141 12%	88 16% <sup>b</sup>	53 9%	40 11%	101 13%	120 13%	21 11%	30 10%	59 17% <sup>gi</sup>	18 8%	28 12%	6 14%	46 11%	30 10%	65 16%
Strongly disagree	54 5%	20 4%	33 6%	15 4%	39 5%	32 3%	21 11% <sup>e</sup>	13 5%	10 3%	17 8% <sup>h</sup>	10 4%	3 6%	17 4%	12 4%	25 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	676 60%	341 60%	335 60%	218 61%	458 59%	577 62% <sup>f</sup>	99 49%	184 64% <sup>i</sup>	213 61%	122 55%	134 57%	23 55%	270 63% <sup>n</sup>	174 61%	231 55%
DISAGREE	195 17%	109 19%	86 15%	55 15%	140 18%	152 16%	43 21%	43 15%	69 20%	35 16%	39 17%	8 20%	63 15%	42 15%	90 21% <sup>lm</sup>
Don't know	14 1%	4 1%	10 2%	6 2%	8 1%	11 1%	3 2%	5 2%	1 *	1 1%	7 3% <sup>h</sup>	-	3 1%	6 2%	5 1%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB  
 Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5% risk level) - a/b - c/d - e/f - g/h/i/j/k - l/m/n  
 \* small base

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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Every citizen should get involved in politics if democracy is to work properly**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	223 20%	11 19%	18 13%	14 15%	20 24%	23 26%bh	24 20%	44 31%bchijk	24 14%	18 18%	10 18%	20 20%	183 18%	35 32%l
Tend to agree	453 40%	27 46%	54 41%	39 43%	29 37%	29 33%	50 42%	46 33%	75 45%g	38 39%	24 41%	41 41%	411 41%	39 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	9 15%	32 24%	16 18%	16 20%	19 22%	31 26%	36 26%	34 20%	25 26%	11 18%	19 18%	218 22%	26 23%
Tend to disagree	141 12%	8 15%	14 11%	13 14%g	10 12%	13 14%g	12 10%	8 6%	32 19%g	9 9%	11 18%g	13 13%g	133 13%g	7 6%
Strongly disagree	54 5%	3 5%	11 9%h	7 8%h	6 7%h	4 5%	3 2%	4 3%	1 1%	6 6%h	2 3%	7 7%h	52 5%g	2 1%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	676 60%	38 65%	72 55%	52 59%	49 61%	52 59%	73 62%	89 64%	99 59%	56 57%	34 59%	61 61%	594 59%	74 67%l
DISAGREE	195 17%	11 19%	25 19%g	20 22%g	15 19%g	17 19%g	14 12%	12 8%	34 20%g	14 15%	12 21%g	20 20%g	185 18%g	9 8%
Don't know	14 1%	-	3 2%	1 2%	-	* 1%	-	3 2%	2 1%	3 3%	1 2%	1 1%	12 1%	2 1%



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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	223 20%	57 50%bcd	88 24%cd	45 12%	34 12%
Tend to agree	453 40%	35 31%	174 48%ad	152 41%d	92 32%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	10 9%	48 13%	99 27%ab	89 31%ab
Tend to disagree	141 12%	11 10%	37 10%	53 14%	40 14%
Strongly disagree	54 5%	- -	11 3%	16 4%a	28 10%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	676 60%	92 81%cd	261 73%cd	197 54%d	126 44%
DISAGREE	195 17%	11 10%	47 13%	68 19%	68 23%ab
Don't know	14 1%	- -	2 1%	3 1%	7 2%

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

\* small base

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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	223	27	112	66	18	25	100	79	19
	20%	56%bcd	26%cd	14%	10%	49%fgh	27%gh	15%	10%
Tend to agree	453	14	197	188	54	17	167	210	60
	40%	28%	46%ad	40%d	30%	33%	45%h	41%h	30%
Neither agree nor disagree	247	4	61	117	65	4	52	122	69
	22%	9%	14%	25%ab	36%abc	8%	14%	24%ef	35%efg
Tend to disagree	141	3	47	70	21	5	41	73	23
	12%	7%	11%	15%	12%	10%	11%	14%	12%
Strongly disagree	54	-	12	27	15	-	11	25	18
	5%	-	3%	6%	8%b	-	3%	5%	9%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	676	41	309	254	72	41	267	289	78
	60%	84%cd	72%cd	54%d	40%	82%gh	72%gh	56%h	40%
DISAGREE	195	3	60	97	36	5	52	97	41
	17%	7%	14%	21%ab	20%a	10%	14%	19%	21%f
Don't know	14	-	2	3	8	-	1	3	8
	1%	-	*	1%	4%bc	-	*	1%	4%fg

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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**Q.14\_08 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	223 20%	96 26% <sup>e</sup>	37 21%	7 14%	8 16%	75 16%	9 37%	48 17%	92 20%	69 23%	207 21% <sup>k</sup>	16 12%
Tend to agree	453 40%	142 38%	96 55% <sup>ae</sup>	20 41%	20 39%	175 36%	6 26%	132 48% <sup>i</sup>	200 43% <sup>i</sup>	99 32%	422 42% <sup>k</sup>	31 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	71 19%	24 14%	10 21%	16 30% <sup>b</sup>	126 26% <sup>ab</sup>	2 10%	52 19%	94 20%	72 24%	184 18%	63 47% <sup>aj</sup>
Tend to disagree	141 12%	45 12%	15 8%	8 16%	3 5%	71 15%	4 18%	38 14%	55 12%	38 12%	130 13%	11 8%
Strongly disagree	54 5%	20 5%	3 2%	3 7%	2 4%	25 5%	1 6%	6 2%	18 4%	24 8% <sup>gh</sup>	47 5%	6 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	676 60%	238 63% <sup>e</sup>	133 76% <sup>acde</sup>	27 55%	28 55%	250 52%	15 64%	181 65% <sup>i</sup>	292 63% <sup>i</sup>	167 55%	629 63% <sup>k</sup>	47 35%
DISAGREE	195 17%	65 17%	18 10%	11 23% <sup>b</sup>	5 9%	96 20% <sup>b</sup>	6 24%	44 16%	73 16%	62 20%	178 18%	17 13%
Don't know	14 1%	2 *	- -	- -	3 5% <sup>ab</sup>	9 2%	1 3%	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	8 1%	6 5% <sup>j</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

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**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
**If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it**  
**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	188 17%	92 18%	95 16%	22 13%	39 19%	28 15%	30 15%	32 23% <sup>c</sup>	23 19%	15 14%	42 22% <sup>km</sup>	39 14%	50 19%	57 14%	110 17%	78 16%
Tend to agree	519 46%	233 45%	286 47%	73 43%	83 41%	92 48%	96 49%	57 41%	69 56% <sup>cdg</sup>	49 45%	98 53% <sup>m</sup>	149 52% <sup>m</sup>	115 44%	158 39%	287 46%	232 46%
Neither agree nor disagree	278 25%	130 25%	148 24%	51 30% <sup>h</sup>	53 27% <sup>h</sup>	48 25%	44 22%	35 25%	20 16%	28 26%	28 15%	66 23% <sup>j</sup>	64 25% <sup>j</sup>	120 30% <sup>j</sup>	142 22%	137 27%
Tend to disagree	103 9%	45 9%	58 10%	16 10%	17 8%	15 8%	25 13%	12 9%	8 6%	9 9%	16 8%	27 9%	21 8%	39 10%	66 10%	37 7%
Strongly disagree	24 2%	9 2%	16 3%	* *	5 2%	6 3%	2 1%	3 2%	4 3%	4 4%	3 2%	5 2%	6 2%	11 3%	16 3%	8 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	707 62%	325 63%	382 62%	95 56%	121 60%	120 63%	126 64%	89 63%	92 74% <sup>odi</sup>	64 59%	139 75% <sup>klm</sup>	188 66% <sup>m</sup>	164 63% <sup>m</sup>	215 54%	397 63%	310 62%
DISAGREE	127 11%	53 10%	74 12%	17 10%	22 11%	21 11%	27 14%	16 11%	12 10%	13 12%	19 10%	32 11%	27 10%	50 13%	82 13%	45 9%
Don't know	19 2%	10 2%	10 2%	7 4% <sup>fh</sup>	5 2%	2 1%	1 *	2 1%	- -	3 3%	- -	1 *	3 1%	15 4% <sup>jk</sup>	10 2%	10 2%

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**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
**If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it**  
**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	188 17%	86 15%	102 18%	72 20% <sup>d</sup>	116 15%	156 17%	31 16%	51 18%	49 14%	46 21%	34 15%	7 16%	76 18%	45 16%	66 16%
Tend to agree	519 46%	276 48%	243 43%	145 41%	374 48% <sup>c</sup>	424 46%	94 47%	138 48%	176 51% <sup>j</sup>	92 42%	96 41%	16 38%	199 47%	136 47%	184 44%
Neither agree nor disagree	278 25%	138 24%	141 25%	95 27%	183 24%	230 25%	48 24%	64 22%	81 23%	58 26%	66 28%	10 23%	106 25%	76 27%	96 23%
Tend to disagree	103 9%	55 10%	48 9%	31 9%	72 9%	89 10%	15 7%	26 9%	37 11%	16 7%	18 8%	6 14%	37 9%	15 5%	51 12% <sup>m</sup>
Strongly disagree	24 2%	7 1%	18 3% <sup>a</sup>	5 1%	20 3%	15 2%	9 5% <sup>e</sup>	3 1%	4 1%	7 3%	7 3%	3 8% <sup>gh</sup>	7 2%	6 2%	11 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	707 62%	363 64%	344 61%	217 61%	489 63%	581 62%	126 63%	189 66% <sup>j</sup>	225 65%	139 63%	130 56%	23 55%	275 65%	180 63%	251 60%
DISAGREE	127 11%	61 11%	66 12%	36 10%	91 12%	104 11%	24 12%	29 10%	41 12%	22 10%	25 11%	9 22% <sup>gi</sup>	44 10%	21 7%	62 15% <sup>m</sup>
Don't know	19 2%	9 2%	11 2%	7 2%	12 2%	17 2%	2 1%	4 1%	1 *	3 1%	12 5% <sup>ghi</sup>	-	2 *	8 3% <sup>l</sup>	10 2% <sup>l</sup>

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**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
**If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it**  
**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	188 17%	7 12%	13 10%	10 12%	16 20%	17 19%	26 21%bh	33 23%bch	19 11%	21 22%bh	7 13%	19 19%b	155 15%	33 30%l
Tend to agree	519 46%	31 54%g	83 63%cddefghi jk	39 44%	35 44%	36 40%	55 46%	51 36%	81 48%	36 36%	27 48%	45 44%	463 46%	49 44%
Neither agree nor disagree	278 25%	14 24%	25 19%	28 32%	20 24%	21 24%	23 20%	40 29%	44 26%	26 26%	13 23%	24 23%	253 25%	23 21%
Tend to disagree	103 9%	4 7%	6 4%	7 8%	7 9%	13 15%bg	14 11%	7 5%	20 12%b	8 9%	7 13%bg	10 10%	99 10%lm	3 2%
Strongly disagree	24 2%	1 2%	4 3%	3 3%	3 3%	1 2%	-	3 2%	3 2%	3 3%	1 1%	2 2%	23 2%	2 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	707 62%	38 66%	95 72%cgh	49 55%	51 63%	53 59%	81 68%	84 60%	100 59%	57 58%	35 61%	64 63%	618 61%	81 73%l
DISAGREE	127 11%	6 10%	10 7%	10 11%	10 12%	14 16%g	14 11%	10 7%	22 13%	11 11%	8 14%	13 13%	122 12%lm	4 4%
Don't know	19 2%	-	1 1%	1 2%	-	* 1%	1 1%	7 5%k	2 1%	4 4%	2 3%	1 1%	17 2%	2 2%

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**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
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Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	188 17%	38 33%bcd	68 19%c	42 12%	39 14%
Tend to agree	519 46%	50 45%	188 52%d	174 47%d	106 37%
Neither agree nor disagree	278 25%	14 13%	57 16%	114 31%ab	93 32%ab
Tend to disagree	103 9%	10 9%	36 10%	29 8%	26 9%
Strongly disagree	24 2%	* *	8 2%	5 1%	11 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	707 62%	88 78%cd	257 72%cd	216 59%d	145 50%
DISAGREE	127 11%	11 9%	45 12%	33 9%	37 13%
Don't know	19 2%	- -	1 *	3 1%	14 5%abc

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
**If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it**  
**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	188	15	87	60	25	9	79	70	30
	17%	32%cd	20%c	13%	14%	18%	21%g	14%	15%
Tend to agree	519	27	206	229	57	32	179	247	61
	46%	56%d	48%d	49%d	32%	63%h	48%h	48%h	31%
Neither agree nor disagree	278	3	83	138	54	4	72	137	66
	25%	7%	19%a	29%ab	30%ab	7%	19%	27%ef	33%ef
Tend to disagree	103	3	46	36	18	6	34	46	17
	9%	5%	11%	8%	10%	12%	9%	9%	9%
Strongly disagree	24	-	9	6	9	-	7	9	8
	2%	-	2%	1%	5%c	-	2%	2%	4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	707	42	293	289	82	41	258	316	91
	62%	88%bcd	68%d	61%d	46%	81%gh	69%gh	62%h	47%
DISAGREE	127	3	55	42	28	6	42	55	25
	11%	5%	13%	9%	15%c	12%	11%	11%	13%
Don't know	19	-	*	2	16	-	-	3	14
	2%	-	*	*	9%abc	-	-	1%	7%fg



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_09 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**  
**If a person is dissatisfied with political decisions, he/she has a duty to do something about it**  
**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	188 17%	73 19%	35 20%	3 7%	7 14%	68 14%	6 24%	42 15%	79 17%	56 18%	168 17%	19 15%
Tend to agree	519 46%	189 50%e	92 53%e	30 61%e	22 43%	186 39%	12 50%	144 52%i	221 48%	123 41%	483 48%k	36 27%
Neither agree nor disagree	278 25%	76 20%	28 16%	11 22%	9 17%	155 32%abd	3 12%	60 22%	114 25%	80 26%	226 23%	53 40%j
Tend to disagree	103 9%	28 8%	16 9%	5 10%	10 20%ae	43 9%	3 12%	30 11%	35 8%	30 10%	93 9%	11 8%
Strongly disagree	24 2%	7 2%	3 2%	-	-	14 3%	-	-	11 2%g	13 4%g	21 2%	4 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	707 62%	262 70%e	128 73%e	33 68%	29 58%	255 53%	17 74%	186 67%	300 65%	179 59%	651 65%k	56 42%
DISAGREE	127 11%	36 10%	20 11%	5 10%	10 20%a	57 12%	3 12%	30 11%	45 10%	43 14%	113 11%	14 11%
Don't know	19 2%	2 1%	-	-	3 5%ab	14 3%ab	1 3%	2 1%	1 *	2 1%	9 1%	10 8%j

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved 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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	267 24%	117 23%	150 24%	39 23%	56 28%hi	61 32%ghi	47 24%	26 18%	19 15%	18 17%	44 24%	66 23%	64 25%	93 23%	156 25%	111 22%
Tend to agree	341 30%	172 33%	169 27%	47 28%	52 26%	48 25%	66 34%	46 32%	45 36%	37 34%	49 27%	101 35%	71 27%	120 30%	204 32%	137 27%
Neither agree nor disagree	275 24%	110 21%	165 27%a	40 24%	53 26%	46 24%	47 24%	36 26%	23 19%	30 27%	44 24%	59 20%	65 25%	107 27%	146 23%	130 26%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	77 15%	83 14%	26 15%	33 16%	23 12%	27 14%	17 12%	22 18%	11 10%	30 16%	46 16%	39 15%	45 11%	79 13%	81 16%
Strongly disagree	78 7%	36 7%	42 7%	13 7%	7 3%	11 6%	10 5%	13 9% <sup>d</sup>	14 11% <sup>d</sup>	11 10% <sup>d</sup>	17 9%	15 5%	18 7%	28 7%	40 6%	38 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	608 54%	290 56%	318 52%	87 51%	108 54%	109 57%	113 57%	72 51%	64 52%	55 51%	94 51%	167 58%	135 52%	212 53%	361 57% <sup>o</sup>	247 49%
DISAGREE	238 21%	113 22%	125 20%	39 23%	39 19%	35 18%	36 18%	31 22%	36 29% <sup>ef</sup>	22 20%	47 25%	61 21%	56 22%	73 18%	119 19%	119 24%
Don't know	11 1%	5 1%	5 1%	4 2%	1 1%	* *	1 *	2 1%	1 *	1 1%	1 *	- -	3 1%	7 2% <sup>k</sup>	5 1%	6 1%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved in politics**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	267 24%	155 27% <sup>b</sup>	112 20%	113 32% <sup>d</sup>	154 20%	220 24%	47 23%	39 14%	107 31% <sup>g</sup>	50 22% <sup>g</sup>	61 26% <sup>g</sup>	10 24%	99 23%	69 24%	99 24%
Tend to agree	341 30%	181 32%	160 28%	105 30%	236 30%	288 31%	53 26%	92 32% <sup>k</sup>	119 34% <sup>k</sup>	61 27%	62 27%	7 16%	139 33%	75 26%	127 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	275 24%	130 23%	145 26%	76 21%	199 26%	223 24%	53 26%	70 24%	66 19%	62 28% <sup>h</sup>	60 26%	18 42% <sup>ghj</sup>	101 24%	80 28%	94 22%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	70 12%	89 16%	43 12%	117 15%	136 15%	24 12%	45 16%	43 12%	32 15%	36 16%	3 8%	70 16%	33 12%	57 14%
Strongly disagree	78 7%	29 5%	49 9% <sup>a</sup>	15 4%	63 8% <sup>c</sup>	56 6%	22 11% <sup>e</sup>	36 13% <sup>hj</sup>	13 4%	15 7%	9 4%	4 10%	15 4%	24 9% <sup>i</sup>	39 9% <sup>i</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	608 54%	337 59% <sup>b</sup>	271 48%	218 61% <sup>d</sup>	389 50%	509 55%	99 50%	132 46%	226 65% <sup>gijk</sup>	110 50%	123 53%	17 40%	238 56%	144 50%	226 54%
DISAGREE	238 21%	100 17%	138 25% <sup>a</sup>	58 16%	180 23% <sup>c</sup>	192 21%	46 23%	81 28% <sup>hj</sup>	57 16%	47 21%	45 19%	8 18%	85 20%	57 20%	95 23%
Don't know	11 1%	4 1%	7 1%	3 1%	7 1%	8 1%	3 1%	4 1%	-	2 1%	5 2% <sup>h</sup>	-	2 *	5 2%	4 1%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved 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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	267 24%	19 32%h	41 31%h	22 25%	22 27%h	22 25%	26 22%	28 20%	25 15%	28 28%h	13 23%	22 22%	238 24%	26 23%
Tend to agree	341 30%	15 27%	31 23%	29 33%	28 34%	31 35%	43 36%k	38 27%	58 34%k	28 29%	16 28%	24 24%	304 30%	35 32%
Neither agree nor disagree	275 24%	13 22%	31 23%	16 18%	20 24%	21 23%	22 19%	42 30%	53 32%cf	20 20%	11 20%	27 26%	245 24%	26 24%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	8 15%	17 13%	9 10%	9 12%	9 11%	19 16%	18 13%	23 14%	15 16%	14 25%bcdeg h	17 17%	140 14%	18 17%
Strongly disagree	78 7%	3 5%	11 9%	11 13%dh	2 2%	6 7%	9 7%	11 8%	7 4%	6 6%	3 5%	10 10%dh	73 7% m	4 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	608 54%	34 59%	71 54%	52 58%	49 62%k	53 59%	69 58%	66 47%	83 49%	56 57%	29 51%	46 46%	542 54%	61 55%
DISAGREE	238 21%	11 19%	28 21%	20 22%	11 14%	15 17%	28 23%	29 21%	30 18%	21 21%	17 29% dh	27 27% d	213 21%	22 20%
Don't know	11 1%	-	1 1%	1 2%	-	-	-	3 2%	2 1%	1 1%	*	1 1%	10 1%	1 1%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved in politics**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	267 24%	8 7%	63 18%a	89 24%a	107 37%abc
Tend to agree	341 30%	34 30%	124 35%d	123 34%d	59 20%
Neither agree nor disagree	275 24%	21 19%	71 20%	106 29%b	77 26%
Tend to disagree	160 14%	34 30%cd	76 21%cd	28 8%	22 8%
Strongly disagree	78 7%	17 15%bcd	23 6%	18 5%	20 7%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	608 54%	41 37%	188 52%a	212 58%a	166 57%a
DISAGREE	238 21%	50 44%bcd	99 28%cd	46 13%	43 15%
Don't know	11 1%	-	1 *	3 1%	5 2%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved in politics**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	267	8	71	116	72	5	63	124	75
	24%	17%	16%	25%b	40%abc	10%	17%	24%ef	38%efg
Tend to agree	341	12	146	152	32	18	121	168	33
	30%	25%	34%d	32%d	18%	37%h	33%h	33%h	17%
Neither agree nor disagree	275	7	92	122	53	8	83	125	60
	24%	15%	21%	26%	30%b	16%	22%	24%	31%f
Tend to disagree	160	16	85	51	8	16	76	59	9
	14%	33%bcd	20%cd	11%d	4%	31%gh	20%gh	12%h	5%
Strongly disagree	78	4	37	26	10	4	28	33	13
	7%	9%	9%	6%	5%	7%	8%	6%	7%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	608	20	217	267	103	23	184	292	108
	54%	42%	50%	57%	58%	46%	50%	57%f	55%
DISAGREE	238	20	122	78	18	19	104	92	23
	21%	42%cd	28%cd	16%	10%	38%gh	28%gh	18%	12%
Don't know	11	1	*	3	5	-	1	4	5
	1%	1%	*	1%	3%b	-	*	1%	3%f

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.14\_10 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I don't have enough time to get involved in politics**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	267 24%	77 21%	44 25%	13 27%	9 17%	124 26%	9 37%	58 21%	99 21%	80 26%	230 23%	36 27%
Tend to agree	341 30%	107 28%	57 32%	16 32%	18 36%	143 30%	10 44%	86 31%	160 35% <sup>i</sup>	73 24%	321 32% <sup>k</sup>	20 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	275 24%	89 24%	43 24%	9 19%	16 31%	119 25%	3 12%	60 21%	113 24%	80 26%	228 23%	48 36% <sup>j</sup>
Tend to disagree	160 14%	70 19% <sup>e</sup>	21 12%	8 16%	5 10%	55 11%	* 2%	54 19% <sup>h</sup>	61 13%	40 13%	146 15%	14 10%
Strongly disagree	78 7%	29 8%	11 6%	3 6%	2 4%	33 7%	1 6%	18 7%	26 6%	30 10% <sup>h</sup>	68 7%	10 8%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	608 54%	184 49%	100 57%	29 59%	27 53%	267 56%	19 81%	145 52%	259 56%	154 51%	551 55% <sup>k</sup>	57 43%
DISAGREE	238 21%	99 26% <sup>e</sup>	32 18%	11 22%	7 14%	88 18%	2 8%	73 26% <sup>h</sup>	87 19%	70 23%	214 21%	24 18%
Don't know	11 1%	2 1%	-	-	1 3% <sup>b</sup>	7 1%	-	1 1%	2 *	* *	7 1%	4 3% <sup>j</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15 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	1128	1128	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944	944	944
Strongly agree	122 11%	63 6%	333 29%	176 16%
Tend to agree	408 36%	267 24%	428 38%	441 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	340 30%	247 22%	295 26%
Tend to disagree	143 13%	304 27%	54 5%	131 12%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	119 11%	35 3%	60 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>				
AGREE	530 47%	330 29%	761 67%	616 54%
DISAGREE	201 18%	423 37%	90 8%	191 17%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	39 3%	34 3%	29 3%



## Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)

Q.15\_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

	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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	122 11%	72 14% <sup>b</sup>	49 8%	16 10%	10 5%	22 11% <sup>d</sup>	19 9%	24 17% <sup>d</sup>	19 15% <sup>d</sup>	13 12% <sup>cd</sup>	19 10%	33 11%	28 11%	42 11%	67 11%	54 11%
Tend to agree	408 36%	199 38%	209 34%	42 25%	82 41% <sup>c</sup>	59 31%	80 41% <sup>c</sup>	42 30%	62 50% <sup>ceg</sup>	40 38% <sup>c</sup>	98 53% <sup>klm</sup>	107 37%	81 31%	123 31%	256 41% <sup>o</sup>	152 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	140 27%	210 34% <sup>a</sup>	79 46% <sup>defghi</sup>	66 33% <sup>h</sup>	64 33% <sup>h</sup>	64 33% <sup>h</sup>	34 24% <sup>h</sup>	13 10%	31 29% <sup>h</sup>	40 22%	82 29%	87 34% <sup>j</sup>	141 35% <sup>j</sup>	178 28%	172 34% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	143 13%	62 12%	81 13%	19 11%	21 10%	21 11%	21 11%	28 20% <sup>def</sup>	21 17%	13 12%	19 10%	36 13%	46 18% <sup>m</sup>	42 11%	77 12%	66 13%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	26 5%	32 5%	2 1%	8 4%	18 10% <sup>cdi</sup>	10 5%	8 6% <sup>c</sup>	8 6% <sup>c</sup>	3 3%	8 5%	15 5%	11 4%	24 6%	31 5%	27 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	530 47%	272 52% <sup>b</sup>	258 42%	58 34%	92 46% <sup>c</sup>	80 42%	99 50% <sup>c</sup>	66 47% <sup>c</sup>	81 66% <sup>cdefgi</sup>	53 50% <sup>c</sup>	117 63% <sup>klm</sup>	139 49%	109 42%	165 41%	323 51% <sup>o</sup>	207 41%
DISAGREE	201 18%	88 17%	113 18%	21 13%	28 14%	39 21%	31 16%	36 26% <sup>cdf</sup>	28 23% <sup>c</sup>	16 15%	27 15%	51 18%	56 22%	66 16%	108 17%	93 19%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	18 4%	32 5%	12 7% <sup>fh</sup>	15 7% <sup>fh</sup>	8 4%	3 2%	5 4%	1 1%	7 6%	1 1%	14 5% <sup>j</sup>	7 3%	28 7% <sup>jl</sup>	21 3%	30 6%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	122 11%	56 10%	66 12%	28 8%	94 12% <sup>c</sup>	101 11%	21 10%	41 14% <sup>h</sup>	30 9%	23 10%	24 10%	4 10%	39 9%	49 17% <sup>ln</sup>	33 8%
Tend to agree	408 36%	216 38%	192 34%	123 35%	285 37%	341 37%	67 33%	115 40% <sup>i</sup>	142 41% <sup>i</sup>	61 27%	78 33%	12 29%	170 40% <sup>m</sup>	85 30%	154 37%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	189 33%	162 29%	127 36% <sup>d</sup>	223 29%	289 31%	61 31%	67 24%	112 32% <sup>g</sup>	76 34% <sup>g</sup>	80 34% <sup>g</sup>	15 35%	125 29%	85 30%	141 34%
Tend to disagree	143 13%	65 11%	78 14%	41 12%	102 13%	115 12%	28 14%	44 15% <sup>j</sup>	43 12%	30 14%	19 8%	7 16%	55 13%	36 13%	52 12%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	26 4%	32 6%	17 5%	41 5%	46 5%	12 6%	16 5%	12 4%	22 10% <sup>hj</sup>	5 2%	3 7%	20 5%	18 6%	20 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	530 47%	272 48%	258 46%	151 42%	379 49%	442 47%	88 44%	156 54% <sup>ij</sup>	172 49% <sup>i</sup>	84 38%	102 44%	17 39%	209 49%	134 47%	186 44%
DISAGREE	201 18%	90 16%	110 20%	58 16%	143 18%	160 17%	40 20%	59 21% <sup>j</sup>	55 16%	53 24% <sup>hj</sup>	24 10%	10 23% <sup>j</sup>	75 18%	53 19%	72 17%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	20 3%	31 6%	20 6%	31 4%	40 4%	10 5%	4 1%	9 3%	9 4%	27 12% <sup>ghi</sup>	1 3%	16 4%	14 5%	21 5%

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**Q.15\_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	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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	122 11%	8 15%fh	15 12%fh	10 12%fh	13 16%fh	14 15%fh	3 3%	30 21%fhijk	6 4%	7 7%	4 7%	12 12%fh	99 10%	21 19%l
Tend to agree	408 36%	23 39%	48 37%	33 37%	29 37%	26 30%	40 33%	35 25%	81 48%efgk	39 40%g	23 40%g	31 31%	364 36%	42 38%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	11 19%	38 29%	29 32%	22 28%	29 33%	50 42%aj	42 30%	51 30%	31 32%	15 26%	31 31%	315 31%	31 28%
Tend to disagree	143 13%	11 19%	18 14%	11 13%	8 10%	10 11%	15 13%	15 10%	20 12%	10 10%	10 17%	15 15%	133 13% m	7 7%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	3 5%	7 5%	4 5%	-	6 7% d	1 1%	11 8% df	7 4%	6 6%	4 7% df	9 9% df	56 6% m	2 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	530 47%	31 54%	64 48%	43 48%	42 52%	40 45%	43 36%	65 46%	86 51% f	46 47%	27 47%	43 42%	463 46%	63 57% l
DISAGREE	201 18%	14 24%	25 19%	15 17%	8 10%	16 18%	16 14%	26 18%	27 16%	15 16%	14 24% d	24 24% df	189 19% m	9 8%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	1 2%	5 4%	2 2%	7 9% h	3 4%	10 8%	8 6%	4 2%	6 6%	2 3%	3 3%	43 4%	7 6%

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**Q.15\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	122 11%	18 16%	45 13%	33 9%	25 9%
Tend to agree	408 36%	46 40% <sup>d</sup>	162 45% <sup>cd</sup>	125 34% <sup>d</sup>	74 26%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	19 17%	82 23%	133 36% <sup>ab</sup>	116 40% <sup>ab</sup>
Tend to disagree	143 13%	22 19% <sup>d</sup>	45 13%	52 14% <sup>d</sup>	24 8%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	8 7%	18 5%	11 3%	20 7% <sup>c</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	530 47%	64 57% <sup>cd</sup>	207 58% <sup>cd</sup>	158 43% <sup>d</sup>	100 34%
DISAGREE	201 18%	30 26% <sup>cd</sup>	63 18%	63 17%	45 15%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	-	7 2%	14 4%	29 10% <sup>abc</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

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**Q.15\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	122	7	55	40	19	10	48	45	18
	11%	15%	13%	9%	10%	19%g	13%	9%	9%
Tend to agree	408	18	191	163	36	21	170	178	38
	36%	37% <sup>d</sup>	44% <sup>cd</sup>	35% <sup>d</sup>	20%	43% <sup>h</sup>	46% <sup>gh</sup>	35% <sup>h</sup>	20%
Neither agree nor disagree	350	10	99	162	79	9	71	179	92
	31%	20%	23%	34% <sup>b</sup>	44% <sup>abc</sup>	18%	19%	35% <sup>ef</sup>	47% <sup>efg</sup>
Tend to disagree	143	8	58	64	13	4	55	72	12
	13%	17% <sup>d</sup>	13% <sup>d</sup>	14% <sup>d</sup>	7%	8%	15% <sup>h</sup>	14% <sup>h</sup>	6%
Strongly disagree	58	5	23	21	9	6	22	16	14
	5%	10%	5%	4%	5%	12% <sup>g</sup>	6%	3%	7% <sup>g</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	530	25	246	203	55	31	219	223	57
	47%	52% <sup>d</sup>	57% <sup>cd</sup>	43% <sup>d</sup>	30%	62% <sup>gh</sup>	59% <sup>gh</sup>	44% <sup>h</sup>	29%
DISAGREE	201	13	81	85	21	10	77	88	25
	18%	27% <sup>d</sup>	19%	18%	12%	21%	21% <sup>h</sup>	17%	13%
Don't know/Can't remember	51	-	5	20	24	-	6	22	22
	5%	-	1%	4% <sup>b</sup>	14% <sup>abc</sup>	-	2%	4% <sup>f</sup>	11% <sup>efg</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

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**Q.15\_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**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	122 11%	54 14%e	25 14%e	3 5%	5 9%	36 7%	6 24%	37 13%	45 10%	28 9%	110 11%	12 9%
Tend to agree	408 36%	145 39%e	87 50%ae	19 40%	19 38%	137 29%	8 32%	130 47%hi	172 37%i	87 29%	377 38%k	31 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	350 31%	104 28%	39 22%	18 37%	11 21%	179 37%abd	8 35%	79 29%	145 31%	93 31%	296 30%	54 41%j
Tend to disagree	143 13%	47 13%	17 10%	5 11%	9 18%	64 13%	1 4%	18 6%	64 14%g	56 18%g	132 13%	11 8%
Strongly disagree	58 5%	16 4%	5 3%	2 4%	2 4%	33 7%	- -	4 2%	18 4%	35 12%gh	50 5%	7 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	530 47%	199 53%e	112 64%ace	22 45%	24 47%	173 36%	13 56%	168 60%hi	217 47%i	115 38%	487 49%k	42 32%
DISAGREE	201 18%	63 17%	22 13%	7 15%	11 21%	97 20%b	1 4%	22 8%	83 18%g	91 30%gh	182 18%	18 14%
Don't know/Can't remember	51 5%	9 3%	3 2%	1 3%	6 11%ab	32 7%ab	1 5%	9 3%	16 4%	5 2%	33 3%	18 14%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

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**Q.15\_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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	63 6%	33 6%	30 5%	12 7%	9 4%	12 6%	9 4%	13 9%	4 4%	4 4%	10 5%	15 5%	12 5%	27 7%	35 6%	28 6%
Tend to agree	267 24%	132 25%	135 22%	44 26%	51 26%	34 18%	48 24%	27 19%	34 28%	29 27%	47 25%	76 27%	57 22%	87 22%	150 24%	117 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	146 28%	194 32%	69 41% <i>fghi</i>	70 35% <i>h</i>	63 33% <i>h</i>	58 29% <i>h</i>	35 25%	21 17%	25 23%	46 25%	73 26%	94 36% <i>jk</i>	127 32%	181 29%	159 32%
Tend to disagree	304 27%	141 27%	163 27%	30 18%	48 24%	51 27%	63 32% <i>c</i>	42 30% <i>c</i>	35 28%	34 31% <i>c</i>	63 34% <i>lm</i>	85 30%	61 23%	94 24%	178 28%	125 25%
Strongly disagree	119 11%	51 10%	68 11%	4 2%	15 7% <i>c</i>	25 13% <i>c</i>	18 9% <i>c</i>	21 15% <i>cd</i>	28 23% <i>cdefi</i>	9 8% <i>c</i>	18 10%	30 11%	28 11%	42 11%	71 11%	48 10%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	330 29%	165 32%	165 27%	55 32%	60 30%	47 24%	56 29%	40 29%	38 31%	33 31%	57 30%	91 32%	69 27%	114 28%	185 29%	145 29%
DISAGREE	423 37%	192 37%	231 38%	34 20%	63 31% <i>c</i>	76 40% <i>c</i>	81 41% <i>c</i>	63 45% <i>cd</i>	63 51% <i>cd</i>	42 39% <i>c</i>	81 44% <i>m</i>	116 40%	89 34%	136 34%	249 40%	174 35%
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	15 3%	24 4%	12 7% <i>fgh</i>	8 4%	5 3%	2 1%	2 2%	1 1%	8 7% <i>fh</i>	2 1%	7 2%	7 3%	23 6% <i>j</i>	15 2%	24 5% <i>n</i>

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**Q.15\_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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	63 6%	32 6%	31 6%	17 5%	46 6%	53 6%	10 5%	15 5%	13 4%	18 8%h	15 7%	2 4%	21 5%	28 10%ln	14 3%
Tend to agree	267 24%	136 24%	131 23%	84 24%	183 24%	230 25%	37 19%	67 23%	83 24%	50 22%	54 23%	14 32%	117 27%	62 22%	89 21%
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	187 33%	153 27%	120 34%	220 28%	280 30%	60 30%	69 24%	102 29%	72 32%	87 37%g	10 23%	113 27%	96 34%	130 31%
Tend to disagree	304 27%	154 27%	150 27%	94 26%	209 27%	253 27%	50 25%	88 31%j	113 32%ij	49 22%	43 18%	11 25%	125 29% <sup>m</sup>	55 19%	123 29% <sup>m</sup>
Strongly disagree	119 11%	50 9%	69 12%	28 8%	91 12%	88 9%	31 15%e	41 15%j	32 9%	26 12%	15 6%	4 10%	40 9%	32 11%	48 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	330 29%	168 29%	162 29%	101 28%	229 30%	283 30%	47 23%	82 29%	96 28%	67 30%	69 30%	15 37%	138 32% <sup>n</sup>	89 31%	103 25%
DISAGREE	423 37%	204 36%	219 39%	123 34%	300 39%	342 37%	81 41%	129 45%ij	145 42%j	75 34%j	58 25%	15 36%	164 39% <sup>m</sup>	87 30%	171 41% <sup>m</sup>
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	11 2%	27 5%a	12 3%	27 3%	26 3%	12 6%e	5 2%	5 2%	8 3%	19 8%ghi	2 4%	11 3%	13 5%	15 4%

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 \* small base



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**Q.15\_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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	63 6%	1 2%	7 5%	3 4%	5 6%	6 7%	3 2%	20 14% abcfhijk	8 5%	3 3%	1 2%	6 6%	49 5%	13 11% l
Tend to agree	267 24%	19 32%	26 20%	24 27%	21 26%	18 20%	28 24%	33 23%	47 28%	19 19%	9 16%	23 23%	225 22%	38 34% l
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	10 17%	45 34% a	31 35% a	25 31%	31 35% a	42 36% ak	47 34% a	43 26%	25 26%	16 28%	24 24%	306 30%	30 27%
Tend to disagree	304 27%	15 27%	40 30% g	17 19%	16 20%	22 25%	30 25% g	20 14%	54 32% g	39 39% cdg	19 33% g	31 31% g	284 28% m	20 18%
Strongly disagree	119 11%	13 22% bfgh	11 9%	11 13%	8 10%	8 10%	8 7%	12 9%	12 7%	8 9%	11 19% bfgh	16 15% fh	114 11% m	5 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	330 29%	20 35%	33 25%	27 31%	26 32%	24 27%	31 26%	53 37% bij	55 33% j	22 22%	11 19%	29 28%	274 27%	50 45% l
DISAGREE	423 37%	28 48% g	51 39% g	28 32%	25 31%	30 34%	38 32%	32 23%	66 39% g	47 48% fg	30 52% cdefg	47 46% cdfg	398 39% m	24 22%
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	-	3 2%	2 2%	5 6%	3 4%	7 6%	8 6%	4 2%	4 4%	1 2%	2 2%	32 3%	6 5%

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		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
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Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	63 6%	11 10% <sup>c</sup>	23 6%	14 4%	15 5%
Tend to agree	267 24%	27 24%	94 26% <sup>d</sup>	95 26% <sup>d</sup>	51 18%
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	28 25%	77 21%	121 33% <sup>b</sup>	113 39% <sup>ab</sup>
Tend to disagree	304 27%	31 28%	120 33% <sup>d</sup>	98 27% <sup>d</sup>	54 19%
Strongly disagree	119 11%	15 13%	41 11%	28 8%	35 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	330 29%	39 34% <sup>d</sup>	117 33% <sup>d</sup>	108 30%	65 23%
DISAGREE	423 37%	46 41%	161 45% <sup>cd</sup>	125 34%	90 31%
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	-	4 1%	12 3%	22 7% <sup>abc</sup>

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

\* small base

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**Q.15\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
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Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	63 6%	3 6%	30 7%	19 4%	11 6%	6 12%	20 5%	26 5%	12 6%
Tend to agree	267 24%	15 31% <sup>d</sup>	105 24%	118 25% <sup>d</sup>	30 17%	12 25%	101 27% <sup>h</sup>	126 25% <sup>h</sup>	27 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	9 18%	97 23%	158 33% <sup>ab</sup>	77 43% <sup>abc</sup>	14 28%	81 22%	157 31% <sup>f</sup>	89 45% <sup>efg</sup>
Tend to disagree	304 27%	12 24%	144 33% <sup>cd</sup>	120 26% <sup>d</sup>	28 16%	13 27% <sup>h</sup>	124 33% <sup>h</sup>	138 27% <sup>h</sup>	27 14%
Strongly disagree	119 11%	10 21% <sup>cd</sup>	53 12%	42 9%	15 8%	4 9%	44 12%	48 9%	23 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	330 29%	18 37%	135 31% <sup>d</sup>	137 29%	40 23%	19 37% <sup>h</sup>	121 33% <sup>h</sup>	152 30% <sup>h</sup>	39 20%
DISAGREE	423 37%	22 45% <sup>d</sup>	196 45% <sup>cd</sup>	162 34% <sup>d</sup>	43 24%	18 35%	168 45% <sup>gh</sup>	186 36% <sup>h</sup>	50 26%
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	-	4 1%	14 3% <sup>b</sup>	20 11% <sup>abc</sup>	-	2 *	17 3% <sup>f</sup>	19 9% <sup>efg</sup>

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**Q.15\_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**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	63 6%	30 8% <sup>e</sup>	8 5%	2 4%	3 5%	20 4%	4 18%	19 7%	18 4%	17 6%	57 6%	6 5%
Tend to agree	267 24%	108 29% <sup>e</sup>	60 34% <sup>ce</sup>	8 17%	10 19%	81 17%	9 37%	81 29% <sup>i</sup>	115 25% <sup>i</sup>	55 18%	242 24%	25 19%
Neither agree nor disagree	340 30%	86 23%	44 25%	14 30%	14 27%	182 38% <sup>ab</sup>	5 20%	87 31%	134 29%	84 28%	285 29%	55 42% <sup>j</sup>
Tend to disagree	304 27%	106 28%	50 28%	17 35%	12 23%	118 25%	1 2%	74 26%	143 31%	80 26%	284 28% <sup>k</sup>	20 15%
Strongly disagree	119 11%	37 10%	12 7%	5 11%	7 14%	57 12%	4 18%	10 3%	40 9% <sup>g</sup>	64 21% <sup>gh</sup>	107 11%	12 9%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	330 29%	138 37% <sup>e</sup>	68 39% <sup>ce</sup>	10 21%	12 24%	101 21%	13 55%	99 36% <sup>i</sup>	133 29%	72 24%	299 30%	31 23%
DISAGREE	423 37%	144 38%	62 35%	23 46%	19 37%	175 36%	5 20%	83 30%	183 40% <sup>g</sup>	145 48% <sup>g</sup>	391 39% <sup>k</sup>	32 24%
Don't know/Can't remember	39 3%	8 2%	1 1%	1 3%	6 11% <sup>ab</sup>	23 5% <sup>ab</sup>	1 5%	9 3%	10 2%	3 1%	24 2%	15 11% <sup>j</sup>

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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 (o)
Unweighted Base	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	333 29%	175 34% <sup>b</sup>	159 26%	32 19%	39 19%	53 28%	62 31% <sup>cd</sup>	62 44% <sup>cdef</sup>	51 41% <sup>cde</sup>	36 33% <sup>cd</sup>	99 53% <sup>klm</sup>	91 32% <sup>lm</sup>	59 23%	83 21%	204 32% <sup>o</sup>	130 26%
Tend to agree	428 38%	220 42% <sup>b</sup>	208 34%	63 37%	86 43%	76 40%	69 35%	50 36%	44 35%	39 36%	65 35%	126 44% <sup>m</sup>	98 38%	138 35%	253 40%	175 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	74 14%	173 28% <sup>a</sup>	56 33% <sup>eghi</sup>	50 25% <sup>gh</sup>	42 22% <sup>gh</sup>	51 26% <sup>gh</sup>	15 11%	14 11%	20 19%	15 8%	42 15%	75 29% <sup>jk</sup>	116 29% <sup>jk</sup>	115 18%	132 26% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	54 5%	23 5%	31 5%	8 5%	12 6%	7 4%	8 4%	6 4%	10 8%	3 3%	4 2%	16 6%	12 5%	23 6%	25 4%	29 6%
Strongly disagree	35 3%	18 4%	17 3%	3 2%	5 2%	8 4%	7 4%	5 4%	3 3%	3 3%	3 2%	6 2%	10 4%	16 4%	20 3%	15 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	761 67%	394 76% <sup>b</sup>	367 60%	95 56%	126 62%	129 68% <sup>c</sup>	131 66%	112 80% <sup>cdef</sup>	95 76% <sup>cd</sup>	74 69% <sup>c</sup>	164 89% <sup>klm</sup>	217 76% <sup>lm</sup>	158 61%	222 55%	456 72% <sup>o</sup>	305 61%
DISAGREE	90 8%	42 8%	48 8%	12 7%	16 8%	16 8%	15 7%	11 8%	14 11%	6 6%	6 3%	22 8%	22 9%	39 10% <sup>j</sup>	45 7%	44 9%
Don't know/Can't remember	34 3%	8 2%	26 4% <sup>a</sup>	8 5% <sup>f</sup>	10 5% <sup>f</sup>	4 2%	1 *	2 2%	1 1%	7 7% <sup>f</sup>	- -	6 2%	5 2%	23 6% <sup>kl</sup>	13 2%	21 4%

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**Q.15\_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		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	333	169	165	81	253	286	48	103	130	48	46	7	120	87	126
	29%	30%	29%	23%	33% <sup>c</sup>	31%	24%	36% <sup>ijk</sup>	37% <sup>ijk</sup>	22%	20%	18%	28%	31%	30%
Tend to agree	428	229	199	143	285	362	66	115	132	66	97	17	177	97	154
	38%	40%	35%	40%	37%	39%	33%	40% <sup>i</sup>	38%	30%	42% <sup>i</sup>	41%	41%	34%	37%
Neither agree nor disagree	247	126	120	90	157	194	53	43	65	73	54	12	89	65	93
	22%	22%	21%	25%	20%	21%	26%	15%	19%	33% <sup>ghj</sup>	23% <sup>g</sup>	28% <sup>g</sup>	21%	23%	22%
Tend to disagree	54	22	33	18	37	41	13	13	10	15	13	4	21	16	17
	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	7%	5%	3%	7% <sup>h</sup>	5%	10% <sup>h</sup>	5%	6%	4%
Strongly disagree	35	13	23	12	24	23	12	7	8	11	9	1	11	7	17
	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	6% <sup>e</sup>	2%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	2%	4%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	761	398	363	224	537	647	114	218	262	114	143	25	297	185	279
	67%	70%	65%	63%	69%	69% <sup>f</sup>	57%	76% <sup>ijk</sup>	75% <sup>ijk</sup>	51%	61% <sup>i</sup>	58%	70%	65%	67%
DISAGREE	90	34	55	29	60	64	26	20	18	25	21	5	32	23	34
	8%	6%	10% <sup>a</sup>	8%	8%	7%	13% <sup>e</sup>	7%	5%	11% <sup>h</sup>	9%	12%	8%	8%	8%
Don't know/Can't remember	34	12	22	13	21	26	8	5	3	9	15	1	8	13	13
	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	2%	1%	4% <sup>h</sup>	7% <sup>gh</sup>	2%	2%	5% <sup>l</sup>	3%

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**Q.15\_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	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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	333 29%	17 30%	41 31%h	26 29%	28 35%h	31 35%h	33 28%	43 31%h	33 19%	30 31%	12 21%	39 39%hj	292 29%	36 33%
Tend to agree	428 38%	25 44%	48 36%	35 39%	26 33%	29 33%	52 43%g	39 28%	75 45%gk	36 36%	30 52%bdegi k	33 32%	386 38%	38 34%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	11 19%	29 22%	16 18%	20 25%	20 22%	27 23%	37 26%i	44 26%i	13 13%	10 17%	21 21%	221 22%	24 22%
Tend to disagree	54 5%	1 2%	8 6%	7 8%	3 3%	3 4%	2 2%	7 5%	10 6%	7 7%	3 5%	3 3%	49 5%	5 5%
Strongly disagree	35 3%	1 2%	4 3%	3 3%	1 2%	3 4%	3 2%	4 3%	3 2%	7 7%	2 3%	4 4%	33 3%	3 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	761 67%	43 73%	88 67%	61 68%	54 67%	60 68%	85 71%	83 59%	108 64%	66 67%	42 73%g	72 71%g	678 67%	74 67%
DISAGREE	90 8%	3 5%	13 10%	10 11%	4 5%	7 7%	5 4%	10 7%	13 8%	14 14%f	5 8%	7 7%	82 8%	8 7%
Don't know/Can't remember	34 3%	1 2%	1 1%	3 3%	2 2%	2 2%	3 2%	11 8%bhk	4 2%	6 6%	1 2%	1 1%	28 3%	4 4%

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**Q.15\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	333 29%	70 62%bcd	134 37%cd	87 24%d	43 15%
Tend to agree	428 38%	29 26%	158 44%ad	143 39%a	97 34%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	7 6%	46 13%	100 27%ab	93 32%ab
Tend to disagree	54 5%	5 4%	15 4%	21 6%	14 5%
Strongly disagree	35 3%	3 3%	4 1%	9 2%	19 7%bc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	761 67%	99 87%cd	292 81%cd	230 63%d	140 49%
DISAGREE	90 8%	8 7%	19 5%	30 8%	33 11%b
Don't know/Can't remember	34 3%	-	2 1%	7 2%	23 8%abc

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**Q.15\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	333	29	176	102	26	29	156	121	27
	29%	60%bcd	41%cd	22%	15%	58%fgh	42%gh	24%h	14%
Tend to agree	428	10	172	195	50	14	149	208	56
	38%	21%	40%ad	41%ad	28%	29%	40%h	41%h	29%
Neither agree nor disagree	247	4	51	124	68	3	44	129	71
	22%	8%	12%	26%ab	38%abc	6%	12%	25%ef	36%efg
Tend to disagree	54	2	22	28	2	2	11	32	8
	5%	5%	5%d	6%d	1%	5%	3%	6%f	4%
Strongly disagree	35	3	9	10	14	1	10	12	13
	3%	6%	2%	2%	8%abc	2%	3%	2%	6%fg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	761	39	348	297	77	44	305	330	83
	67%	81%cd	81%cd	63%d	43%	87%gh	82%gh	64%h	42%
DISAGREE	90	5	31	38	16	4	21	44	21
	8%	11%	7%	8%	9%	7%	6%	9%	11%f
Don't know/Can't remember	34	-	2	11	19	-	2	9	22
	3%	-	*	2%b	11%abc	-	*	2%	11%efg

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

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**Q.15\_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**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
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Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	333 29%	124 33% <sup>de</sup>	77 44% <sup>ade</sup>	14 28%	7 14%	111 23%	9 40%	113 41% <sup>hi</sup>	133 29% <sup>i</sup>	66 22%	312 31% <sup>k</sup>	21 16%
Tend to agree	428 38%	142 38%	69 39%	22 44%	25 49%	170 35%	6 24%	120 43% <sup>i</sup>	192 42% <sup>i</sup>	101 33%	390 39% <sup>k</sup>	37 28%
Neither agree nor disagree	247 22%	77 20% <sup>b</sup>	20 12%	9 18%	10 19%	131 27% <sup>ab</sup>	5 22%	35 13%	98 21% <sup>g</sup>	84 28% <sup>g</sup>	201 20%	46 35% <sup>j</sup>
Tend to disagree	54 5%	17 5%	5 3%	3 7%	3 5%	26 6%	3 12%	1 *	24 5% <sup>g</sup>	26 8% <sup>g</sup>	50 5%	4 3%
Strongly disagree	35 3%	7 2%	-	1 3% <sup>b</sup>	2 4% <sup>b</sup>	25 5% <sup>ab</sup>	-	4 1%	7 2%	24 8% <sup>gh</sup>	27 3%	8 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	761 67%	266 71% <sup>e</sup>	146 83% <sup>ade</sup>	35 72%	32 63%	281 58%	15 64%	233 84% <sup>hi</sup>	324 70% <sup>i</sup>	167 55%	702 70% <sup>k</sup>	59 44%
DISAGREE	90 8%	24 6%	5 3%	5 10%	5 9%	51 11% <sup>ab</sup>	3 12%	5 2%	31 7% <sup>g</sup>	50 16% <sup>gh</sup>	77 8%	12 9%
Don't know/Can't remember	34 3%	8 2%	4 2%	-	5 9% <sup>ab</sup>	17 4%	1 3%	5 2%	8 2%	4 1%	18 2%	16 12% <sup>j</sup>

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**Q.15\_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**

	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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Strongly agree	176 16%	94 18%b	82 13%	10 6%	20 10%	30 16%c	42 21%cd	31 22%cd	25 20%cd	18 17%cd	50 27%klm	42 15%	37 14%	46 12%	111 18%	65 13%
Tend to agree	441 39%	223 43%b	218 35%	59 35%	75 37%	67 35%	80 41%	55 39%	63 51%cde	41 38%	77 41%	133 46%lm	89 34%	141 35%	255 40%	186 37%
Neither agree nor disagree	295 26%	106 20%	189 31%a	60 36%gh	60 30%h	56 30%h	51 26%h	30 21%h	9 7%	28 26%h	32 17%	60 21%	85 33%jk	118 29%jk	153 24%	141 28%
Tend to disagree	131 12%	60 12%	72 12%	21 12%	25 12%	24 13%	16 8%	15 11%	21 17%f	9 8%	23 12%	28 10%	28 11%	52 13%	68 11%	63 13%
Strongly disagree	60 5%	25 5%	35 6%	9 5%	14 7%	10 5%	7 3%	10 7%	5 4%	5 5%	3 2%	16 6%	15 6%	26 6%j	32 5%	28 6%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
AGREE	616 54%	317 61%b	300 49%	69 40%	95 47%	97 51%	123 62%cde	85 61%cd	88 71%cdei	60 55%cd	127 68%lm	175 61%lm	127 49%	187 47%	366 58%o	251 50%
DISAGREE	191 17%	85 16%	107 17%	30 18%	38 19%	35 18%	23 12%	25 18%	26 21%f	14 13%	26 14%	45 16%	43 17%	78 19%	100 16%	91 18%
Don't know/Can't remember	29 3%	11 2%	18 3%	11 6%efgh	7 4%fh	3 2%	1 *	1 1%	- -	6 6%fgh	1 *	7 2%	5 2%	17 4%j	11 2%	18 4%

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**Q.15\_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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
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Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	176 16%	87 15%	89 16%	43 12%	133 17% <sup>c</sup>	149 16%	27 13%	54 19% <sup>j</sup>	64 18% <sup>j</sup>	33 15%	22 9%	3 7%	58 14%	50 18%	68 16%
Tend to agree	441 39%	226 40%	214 38%	127 36%	313 40%	376 40% <sup>f</sup>	64 32%	126 44% <sup>i</sup>	148 42% <sup>i</sup>	66 30%	82 35%	18 43%	182 43%	100 35%	158 38%
Neither agree nor disagree	295 26%	157 28%	138 25%	117 33% <sup>d</sup>	178 23%	237 25%	57 29%	54 19%	89 26%	62 28% <sup>g</sup>	79 34% <sup>gh</sup>	11 25%	105 25%	80 28%	110 26%
Tend to disagree	131 12%	66 12%	66 12%	43 12%	88 11%	100 11%	32 16%	35 12%	35 10%	35 16% <sup>j</sup>	20 9%	6 15%	54 13%	29 10%	49 12%
Strongly disagree	60 5%	26 5%	34 6%	15 4%	45 6%	47 5%	13 7%	13 4%	10 3%	22 10% <sup>gh</sup>	11 5%	4 10% <sup>h</sup>	20 5%	17 6%	22 5%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
AGREE	616 54%	313 55%	303 54%	170 48%	447 58% <sup>c</sup>	525 56% <sup>f</sup>	91 46%	180 63% <sup>ij</sup>	212 61% <sup>ij</sup>	99 45%	104 45%	21 50%	240 56%	151 53%	226 54%
DISAGREE	191 17%	92 16%	100 18%	58 16%	133 17%	146 16%	45 23% <sup>e</sup>	48 17%	44 13%	57 26% <sup>ghj</sup>	32 14%	11 25% <sup>h</sup>	74 17%	46 16%	71 17%
Don't know/Can't remember	29 3%	9 2%	20 4% <sup>a</sup>	11 3%	18 2%	23 2%	6 3%	4 1%	3 1%	4 2%	18 8% <sup>ghi</sup>	-	8 2%	9 3%	12 3%

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\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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	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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	176 16%	10 18%	20 15%	16 18%	14 17%	17 19% <sup>f</sup>	10 9%	24 17%	20 12%	17 17%	7 13%	20 20% <sup>fh</sup>	152 15%	21 19%
Tend to agree	441 39%	24 41%	56 43% <sup>g</sup>	38 42%	29 37%	37 42%	51 43% <sup>g</sup>	42 30%	66 39%	38 38%	23 40%	38 38%	395 39%	40 36%
Neither agree nor disagree	295 26%	14 24%	32 24%	21 24%	20 25%	18 20%	41 34% <sup>k</sup>	44 31%	48 28%	21 22%	14 24%	22 22%	264 26%	29 26%
Tend to disagree	131 12%	6 10%	13 10%	9 10%	11 14%	12 14%	11 9%	13 9%	30 18% <sup>gi</sup>	6 6%	11 18% <sup>gi</sup>	11 11%	119 12%	13 11%
Strongly disagree	60 5%	4 7% <sup>f</sup>	10 7% <sup>fh</sup>	6 6% <sup>f</sup>	3 3%	3 3%	* *	10 7% <sup>fh</sup>	3 2%	13 13% <sup>efhj</sup>	2 3%	7 7% <sup>fh</sup>	57 6%	4 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
AGREE	616 54%	34 59%	76 58%	54 60%	43 54%	54 61%	61 51%	66 47%	86 51%	55 55%	30 52%	58 58%	546 54%	61 55%
DISAGREE	191 17%	10 17%	22 17%	14 16%	14 17%	15 17%	11 9%	23 16%	33 19% <sup>f</sup>	18 18%	13 22% <sup>f</sup>	18 18% <sup>f</sup>	175 17%	16 15%
Don't know/Can't remember	29 3%	- -	1 1%	- -	3 3%	2 2%	7 5%	7 5% <sup>c</sup>	2 1%	4 4%	1 2%	2 2%	23 2%	4 4%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	176 16%	46 40%bcd	79 22%cd	33 9%	18 6%
Tend to agree	441 39%	40 35%	181 50%acd	140 38%d	80 28%
Neither agree nor disagree	295 26%	11 10%	52 14%	128 35%ab	102 35%ab
Tend to disagree	131 12%	13 11%	31 9%	43 12%	44 15%b
Strongly disagree	60 5%	4 3%	12 3%	15 4%	30 10%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
AGREE	616 54%	86 76%cd	260 72%cd	173 47%d	98 34%
DISAGREE	191 17%	16 14%	43 12%	58 16%	74 25%abc
Don't know/Can't remember	29 3%	-	4 1%	8 2%	16 6%abc

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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 POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	176	25	96	48	8	22	89	54	11
	16%	51%bcd	22%cd	10%d	4%	45%fgh	24%gh	11%	5%
Tend to agree	441	15	199	191	35	17	167	211	46
	39%	32%	46%d	41%d	20%	33%	45%h	41%h	24%
Neither agree nor disagree	295	4	68	150	73	6	56	154	79
	26%	9%	16%	32%ab	41%abc	11%	15%	30%ef	40%efg
Tend to disagree	131	2	48	56	25	4	47	61	19
	12%	5%	11%	12%	14%	9%	13%	12%	10%
Strongly disagree	60	2	18	18	22	1	12	21	26
	5%	3%	4%	4%	12%abc	2%	3%	4%	13%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
AGREE	616	40	295	238	43	39	256	265	57
	54%	83%bcd	68%cd	51%d	24%	78%gh	69%gh	52%h	29%
DISAGREE	191	4	66	75	46	5	59	82	45
	17%	8%	15%	16%	26%abc	11%	16%	16%	23%
Don't know/Can't remember	29	-	3	8	17	-	2	11	15
	3%	-	1%	2%	9%abc	-	*	2%	8%fg

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.15\_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**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	176 16%	82 22%de	34 20%de	6 12%	3 5%	51 11%	4 18%	58 21%h	61 13%	47 15%	166 17%k	10 7%
Tend to agree	441 39%	141 37%	91 52%ae	27 55%ae	19 37%	163 34%	10 42%	122 44%i	200 43%i	99 33%	411 41%k	30 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	295 26%	93 25%	32 18%	14 28%	13 26%	143 30%b	6 24%	71 25%	115 25%	76 25%	245 25%	50 38%j
Tend to disagree	131 12%	38 10%	12 7%	3 5%	8 16%	71 15%b	1 6%	13 5%	62 14%g	48 16%g	118 12%	14 10%
Strongly disagree	60 5%	13 4%	5 3%	-	3 5%	39 8%ab	1 6%	7 2%	18 4%	32 11%gh	44 4%	16 12%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
AGREE	616 54%	222 59%de	125 71%ade	33 67%de	22 43%	214 45%	14 60%	180 65%hi	261 57%i	146 48%	577 58%k	40 30%
DISAGREE	191 17%	51 14%	17 10%	3 5%	11 21%c	110 23%abc	3 12%	20 7%	80 17%g	80 26%gh	162 16%	29 22%
Don't know/Can't remember	29 3%	9 2%	1 1%	-	6 11%abce	13 3%	1 5%	7 3%i	5 1%	1 *	16 2%	13 10%j

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

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



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	370 71%	412 67%	101 59%	125 62%	139 73%cd	149 75%cd	101 72%cd	90 72%cd	78 73%cd	145 78%lm	210 73%lm	175 68%	252 63%	446 71%	336 67%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	140 27%	133 22%	22 13%	34 17%	40 21%	59 30%cd	44 32%cd	46 37%cd	27 25%cd	77 42%klm	82 29%lm	60 23%lm	54 14%	186 30%o	88 17%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	68 13%	68 11%	15 9%	11 6%	20 11%	15 8%	22 16%df	32 26%cd	19 18%cdf	41 22%lm	45 16%lm	18 7%	31 8%	78 12%	58 12%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	62 12%	61 10%	9 5%	10 5%	20 10%	18 9%	26 18%cdf	26 21%cdf	15 14%cd	37 20%lm	37 13%lm	22 9%	26 6%	80 13%o	42 8%
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	65 12%b	48 8%	14 8%	23 11%	18 10%	29 15%i	15 10%	9 7%	5 4%	37 20%lm	44 15%lm	17 7%	15 4%	71 11%	42 8%
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	29 6%	20 3%	5 3%	1 *	8 4%cd	14 7%cd	8 6%cd	8 6%cd	6 6%cd	20 11%klm	15 5%lm	9 3%	7 2%	31 5%	18 4%
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	19 4%	25 4%	3 2%	6 3%	11 6%	10 5%	4 3%	8 7%cd	2 2%	20 11%klm	13 5%lm	7 3%	4 1%	28 5%	16 3%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
DONE ANY	879 78%	412 80%	467 76%	111 65%	137 68%	156 82%cd	171 87%cd	112 80%cd	108 88%cd	84 78%cd	166 89%klm	232 81%lm	201 77%	281 70%	502 80%	377 75%
None of these	252 22%	106 20%	147 24%	59 35%efghi	64 32%efgh	35 18%	26 13%	29 20%	15 12%	24 22%	20 11%	55 19%j	59 23%j	119 30%jk	128 20%	124 25%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	396 69%	387 69%	230 65%	553 71% <sup>c</sup>	653 70%	130 65%	199 70% <sup>j</sup>	255 73% <sup>j</sup>	158 71% <sup>j</sup>	140 60%	30 72%	296 69%	202 71%	285 68%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	146 26%	127 23%	71 20%	203 26% <sup>c</sup>	234 25%	39 20%	94 33% <sup>ij</sup>	105 30% <sup>ij</sup>	29 13%	37 16%	9 20%	96 23%	53 18%	125 30% <sup>lm</sup>
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	58 10%	78 14%	30 8%	106 14% <sup>c</sup>	118 13%	18 9%	60 21% <sup>hijk</sup>	37 11%	16 7%	19 8%	3 7%	60 14%	27 10%	48 11%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	51 9%	71 13%	25 7%	98 13% <sup>c</sup>	103 11%	20 10%	60 21% <sup>hijk</sup>	36 10% <sup>j</sup>	13 6%	12 5%	2 4%	48 11%	21 8%	54 13% <sup>m</sup>
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	74 13% <sup>b</sup>	38 7%	35 10%	78 10%	110 12% <sup>f</sup>	3 2%	25 9%	49 14% <sup>i</sup>	13 6%	19 8%	6 15% <sup>i</sup>	47 11%	28 10%	37 9%
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	31 5%	19 3%	7 2%	42 5% <sup>c</sup>	45 5%	5 2%	20 7% <sup>ij</sup>	22 6% <sup>ij</sup>	3 2%	3 1%	1 3%	21 5%	13 4%	15 4%
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	24 4%	21 4%	15 4%	30 4%	40 4%	5 2%	17 6% <sup>i</sup>	17 5%	3 1%	8 3%	-	18 4%	9 3%	18 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
DONE ANY	879 78%	447 78%	433 77%	259 73%	621 80% <sup>c</sup>	732 79%	147 74%	229 80% <sup>j</sup>	284 82% <sup>j</sup>	174 79% <sup>j</sup>	156 67%	35 84% <sup>j</sup>	330 77%	223 78%	326 78%
None of these	252 22%	124 22%	129 23%	97 27% <sup>d</sup>	155 20%	200 21%	53 26%	57 20%	64 18%	48 21%	77 33% <sup>ghik</sup>	7 16%	97 23%	62 22%	93 22%

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 \* small base

## Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)

## Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to 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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	43 75%	92 70%	70 79%ei	58 72%	53 59%	87 73%	102 72%	111 66%	58 59%	41 71%	69 68%	698 69%	79 71%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	13 22%	33 25%	22 25%	14 17%	21 24%	25 21%	26 19%	45 27%	34 34%dg	18 32%dg	22 22%	253 25% m	19 18%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	7 12%	12 9%	9 10%	11 14%	6 6%	19 16%	16 12%	21 12%	17 17%	7 13%	12 12%	128 13% m	8 7%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	6 10%	9 7%	15 17%b	6 7%	7 8%	10 9%	12 9%	27 16%b	13 13%	5 9%	13 13%	114 11% m	6 5%
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	8 15% c	12 9% c	1 2%	7 9%	10 12% c	13 11% c	14 10% c	20 12% c	13 13% c	3 6%	10 10% c	100 10%	10 9%
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	6 10% cd	3 2%	-	-	1 2%	6 5%	10 7% cd	10 6% c	8 9% cd	2 3%	3 3%	46 5%	3 2%
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	6 10%	3 2%	3 3%	1 2%	1 2%	8 7%	6 4%	7 4%	3 3%	1 2%	4 4%	40 4%	4 4%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
DONE ANY	879 78%	50 87% ei	99 75%	73 82% e	68 84% ei	58 66%	95 80% e	117 83% ei	128 76%	68 69%	47 81% e	76 76%	780 77%	89 81%
None of these	252 22%	7 13%	33 25%	16 18%	13 16%	30 34% acdfgj	24 20%	23 17%	40 24%	31 31% adg	11 19%	24 24%	229 23%	21 19%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	98 87%cd	296 82%cd	241 66%d	146 50%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	67 60%bcd	114 32%cd	59 16%	33 11%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	48 43%bcd	52 15%cd	27 7%d	9 3%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	46 40%bcd	46 13%cd	25 7%d	6 2%
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	37 33%bcd	61 17%cd	14 4%d	1 *
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	23 21%bcd	18 5%d	8 2%d	1 *
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	27 23%bcd	13 4%cd	4 1%	2 1%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
DONE ANY	879 78%	111 98%bcd	329 92%cd	270 74%d	167 58%
None of these	252 22%	2 2%	30 8%a	97 26%ab	123 42%abc

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\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	43 90%cd	349 81%cd	304 64%d	87 48%	40 80%h	308 83%gh	344 67%h	91 46%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	28 58%bcd	155 36%cd	76 16%d	14 8%	32 63%fgh	136 37%gh	87 17%h	18 9%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	22 45%bcd	75 17%cd	37 8%d	2 1%	22 44%fgh	71 19%gh	37 7%	6 3%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	22 46%bcd	73 17%cd	24 5%	4 2%	17 33%fgh	73 20%gh	29 6%	4 2%
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	20 41%bcd	74 17%cd	18 4%d	* *	16 32%fgh	68 18%gh	28 6%h	1 *
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	14 28%bcd	33 8%cd	3 1%	- -	13 26%fgh	31 8%gh	5 1%	- -
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	11 23%bcd	27 6%cd	7 2%	- -	11 23%fgh	25 7%gh	8 2%	* *
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
DONE ANY	879 78%	48 99%cd	387 90%cd	350 74%d	94 52%	48 95%gh	340 91%gh	390 76%h	101 52%
None of these	252 22%	1 1%	44 10%	121 26%ab	86 48%abc	2 5%	32 9%	122 24%ef	95 48%efg

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	364 79%bd	112 50%	528 77%bd	249 58%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	164 36%bd	25 11%	216 31%bd	57 13%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	98 21%bd	4 2%	118 17%bd	16 4%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	86 19%bd	2 1%	110 16%bd	11 3%
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	69 15%bd	4 2%	95 14%bd	17 4%
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	41 9%bd	1 1%	47 7%bd	2 1%
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	29 6%bd	* *	36 5%bd	9 2%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
DONE ANY	879 78%	405 88%bd	123 55%	597 87%bd	277 64%b
None of these	252 22%	56 12%	101 45%acd	92 13%	154 36%ac

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.16 Which of the following have you ever done in relation to Parliament?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Watched it on TV or online	782 69%	283 75%de	140 80%de	37 76%d	25 49%	297 62%	18 76%	206 74%	326 71%	212 70%	716 72%k	67 50%
Viewed the building from outside	274 24%	92 24%	65 37%ade	14 29%	7 13%	96 20%	9 38%	96 35%hi	111 24%	56 18%	264 26%k	9 7%
Been on a tour of the building	136 12%	54 15%e	33 19%e	3 7%	3 7%	41 9%	6 24%	57 20%hi	46 10%	26 9%	131 13%k	5 4%
Met my MP \ lobbied my MP in Westminster	123 11%	59 16%de	29 16%de	7 14%d	- -	29 6%	4 18%	44 16%h	40 9%	33 11%	123 12%k	- -
Visited Parliament's website	113 10%	44 12%e	28 16%e	3 6%	3 7%	35 7%	3 14%	53 19%hi	44 9%i	13 4%	107 11%k	6 4%
Been to an event in the building	50 4%	21 6%e	18 10%e	1 1%	2 4%	9 2%	3 12%	20 7%h	15 3%	12 4%	48 5%	1 1%
Attended a debate or committee session	45 4%	23 6%	7 4%	* 1%	- -	15 3%	- -	17 6%	18 4%	11 3%	44 4%k	* *
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
DONE ANY	879 78%	323 86%de	150 86%de	43 87%de	32 63%	331 69%	20 84%	232 83%	373 81%	234 77%	805 81%k	74 56%
None of these	252 22%	52 14%	25 14%	6 13%	19 37%abc	150 31%abc	4 16%	47 17%	88 19%	70 23%	194 19%	58 44%j

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	226 44%	315 51%a	72 42%	95 47%	92 48%	108 55%c	68 48%	61 49%	46 42%	97 52% <i>m</i>	151 53% <i>m</i>	137 53% <i>m</i>	156 39%	299 48%	242 48%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	218 42%	224 37%	33 19%	63 31% <i>c</i>	60 31% <i>c</i>	94 48% <i>cde</i>	76 54% <i>cde</i>	70 57% <i>cde</i>	47 44% <i>cd</i>	100 54% <i>lm</i>	130 45% <i>m</i>	101 39% <i>m</i>	111 28%	265 42% <i>o</i>	177 35%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	149 29%	207 34%	59 35%	71 35% <i>i</i>	65 34%	62 31%	43 31%	31 25%	25 23%	56 30%	106 37%	73 28%	121 30%	204 32%	152 30%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	141 27%	153 25%	18 11%	38 19%	50 26% <i>c</i>	57 29% <i>cd</i>	50 36% <i>cdi</i>	55 45% <i>cdefi</i>	24 23% <i>c</i>	69 37% <i>lm</i>	81 28% <i>m</i>	69 27% <i>m</i>	74 18%	191 30% <i>o</i>	102 20%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	156 30%	167 27%	58 34% <i>g</i>	51 25%	61 32%	52 27%	32 23%	38 31%	30 28%	43 23%	74 26%	83 32%	123 31%	173 27%	150 30%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	32 6%	34 5%	13 8% <i>f</i>	16 8% <i>f</i>	19 10% <i>fh</i>	3 1%	8 6%	3 3%	4 4%	10 5%	17 6%	13 5%	26 7%	39 6%	27 5%
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	50 10%	43 7%	8 5%	18 9%	11 6%	23 12% <i>ci</i>	20 14% <i>cei</i>	10 8%	3 3%	29 15% <i>lm</i>	27 9% <i>l</i>	9 4%	29 7%	55 9%	39 8%



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**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	105 20% <sup>b</sup>	88 14%	19 11%	30 15%	36 19%	32 16%	29 20% <sup>c</sup>	23 19%	23 22% <sup>c</sup>	46 25% <sup>lm</sup>	53 18%	38 15%	56 14%	125 20% <sup>o</sup>	68 14%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	50 10%	84 14% <sup>a</sup>	25 15%	34 17% <sup>h</sup>	19 10%	24 12%	15 10%	9 7%	9 8%	22 12%	43 15%	29 11%	41 10%	88 14% <sup>o</sup>	46 9%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	463 89%	540 88%	132 78%	174 87% <sup>c</sup>	174 91% <sup>c</sup>	185 94% <sup>cdi</sup>	130 92% <sup>c</sup>	118 95% <sup>cdi</sup>	91 84%	182 98% <sup>klm</sup>	269 94% <sup>m</sup>	231 89% <sup>m</sup>	322 81%	576 91% <sup>o</sup>	428 85%
None of these	128 11%	55 11%	73 12%	38 22% <sup>defgh</sup>	27 13% <sup>fh</sup>	17 9%	13 6%	11 8%	6 5%	17 16% <sup>fh</sup>	4 2%	18 6% <sup>j</sup>	29 11% <sup>j</sup>	78 19% <sup>kl</sup>	54 9%	74 15% <sup>n</sup>

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\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	287 50%	254 45%	162 45%	379 49%	457 49%	84 42%	148 52% <sup>aj</sup>	187 54% <sup>ij</sup>	96 43%	93 40%	17 40%	192 45%	142 50%	207 49%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	226 40%	216 39%	111 31%	332 43% <sup>c</sup>	365 39%	78 39%	151 53% <sup>hij</sup>	154 44% <sup>ij</sup>	56 25%	63 27%	18 43% <sup>ij</sup>	163 38%	104 36%	176 42%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	181 32%	175 31%	117 33%	239 31%	308 33% <sup>fi</sup>	48 24%	85 30%	113 33%	73 33%	72 31%	13 31%	126 30%	83 29%	147 35%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	139 24%	154 28%	76 21%	217 28% <sup>c</sup>	248 27%	45 22%	101 35% <sup>ijk</sup>	106 30% <sup>ijk</sup>	33 15%	47 20%	5 13%	98 23%	71 25%	124 30%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	161 28%	162 29%	106 30%	217 28%	265 28%	57 29%	73 25%	92 26%	79 36% <sup>gh</sup>	67 29%	13 30%	133 31%	77 27%	113 27%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	34 6%	32 6%	24 7%	42 5%	59 6%	7 3%	8 3%	15 4%	19 9% <sup>gh</sup>	20 9% <sup>gh</sup>	4 9%	30 7%	12 4%	24 6%
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	47 8%	46 8%	30 8%	64 8%	85 9% <sup>f</sup>	8 4%	23 8%	34 10%	12 5%	20 9%	5 11%	32 7%	21 7%	41 10%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	104 18%	89 16%	62 17%	131 17%	167 18%	26 13%	55 19%j	77 22%ij	29 13%	26 11%	6 15%	87 21% <sup>m</sup>	34 12%	71 17%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	77 14%	57 10%	46 13%	88 11%	118 13%	16 8%	18 6%	49 14% <sup>g</sup>	27 12% <sup>g</sup>	35 15% <sup>g</sup>	6 13%	54 13%	38 13%	43 10%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	509 89%	495 88%	307 86%	696 90%	840 90% <sup>f</sup>	164 82%	260 91% <sup>ij</sup>	329 94% <sup>ij</sup>	187 84%	191 82%	37 87%	378 89%	248 87%	378 90%
None of these	128 11%	62 11%	66 12%	48 14%	80 10%	92 10%	36 18% <sup>ee</sup>	26 9%	20 6%	35 16% <sup>gh</sup>	42 18% <sup>gh</sup>	5 13%	49 11%	37 13%	42 10%

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\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	32 56%i	61 46%i	41 46%	42 53%i	49 56%i	64 54%i	71 50%i	75 44%	30 31%	33 57%ik	43 43%	479 47%	55 50%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	24 42%	59 45%g	37 42%g	28 35%	32 36%	43 36%	39 28%	61 36%	39 39%	29 51%fgh	52 51%defgh	405 40%m	36 33%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	13 22%	49 37%	29 33%	27 34%	22 25%	43 36%	39 28%	51 30%	32 33%	16 29%	34 34%	317 31%	38 35%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	19 32%g	38 29%g	28 31%g	22 27%	30 34%g	24 20%	24 17%	38 22%	21 21%	18 32%g	30 30%g	280 28%m	14 12%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	14 24%	36 28%	30 34%	24 30%	31 35%	34 29%	41 29%	42 25%	21 22%	19 33%	29 29%	290 29%	32 29%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	6 10%	6 4%	7 8%	5 6%	7 8%	7 6%	8 6%	12 7%	3 3%	3 6%	3 3%	59 6%	6 6%
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	7 12%	10 8%	7 8%	6 7%	5 5%	14 11%	7 5%	9 5%	7 7%	8 14%gh	15 14%egh	87 9%	7 6%

## Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?

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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	10 18%	21 16%	13 15%	15 19%	16 18%	23 20%	18 13%	28 17%	16 17%	13 23%g	18 18%	173 17%	18 16%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	13 22%fhjk	14 11%	14 16%	11 13%	9 10%	10 9%	18 13%	12 7%	19 19%hkh	5 8%	9 9%	118 12%	15 14%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	51 88%	120 91%	83 94%	71 89%	80 91%	110 93%	120 86%	143 85%	82 83%	53 92%	90 90%	895 89%	98 89%
None of these	128 11%	7 12%	12 9%	6 6%	9 11%	8 9%	9 7%	20 14%	25 15%	17 17%	5 8%	11 10%	115 11%	12 11%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	41 37%	206 57%acd	179 49%ad	113 39%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	63 56%cd	183 51%cd	126 34%d	71 24%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	40 36%d	136 38%d	115 31%d	63 22%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	39 34%cd	121 34%cd	82 22%	51 18%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	28 24%	117 33%d	107 29%	71 24%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	11 10%b	10 3%	24 7%b	20 7%b
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	23 20%bcd	39 11%d	26 7%d	6 2%

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

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
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Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	36 32%bcd	73 20%d	56 15%	28 10%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	12 10%	42 12%	49 13%	31 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	111 99%cd	350 97%cd	323 88%d	218 75%
None of these	128 11%	2 1%	9 3%	44 12%ab	71 25%abc

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	15 30%	232 54%ad	235 50%ad	59 33%	12 24%	191 51%eh	267 52%eh	71 36%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	26 53%cd	232 54%cd	156 33%cd	29 16%	23 47%h	193 52%gh	191 37%h	36 18%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	16 33%d	152 35%d	157 33%d	31 17%	16 31%	133 36%h	171 33%h	36 19%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	18 37%cd	145 33%cd	107 23%d	23 13%	20 41%gh	134 36%gh	117 23%h	22 11%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	11 22%	137 32%d	136 29%	40 22%	12 24%	108 29%h	166 32%h	37 19%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	4 8%	26 6%	30 6%	7 4%	4 8%	29 8%	24 5%	9 5%
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	13 27%bcd	49 11%cd	28 6%d	3 2%	15 30%fgh	46 12%gh	30 6%h	3 1%

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\* small base



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**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	9 19% <sup>d</sup>	90 21% <sup>d</sup>	82 18% <sup>d</sup>	12 7%	10 21% <sup>h</sup>	84 23% <sup>gh</sup>	82 16% <sup>h</sup>	16 8%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	3 6%	48 11%	63 13%	20 11%	4 9%	42 11%	56 11%	32 16%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	47 97% <sup>d</sup>	420 97% <sup>cd</sup>	414 88% <sup>d</sup>	123 68%	49 97% <sup>h</sup>	361 97% <sup>gh</sup>	456 89% <sup>h</sup>	138 70%
None of these	128 11%	2 3%	12 3%	56 12% <sup>b</sup>	57 32% <sup>abc</sup>	1 3%	11 3%	56 11% <sup>f</sup>	58 30% <sup>efg</sup>

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**Q.17 Which of the following changes do you think would improve the British political system the most?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	233 50%bd	80 36%	349 51%bd	186 43%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	227 49%bd	56 25%	313 45%bd	127 29%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	156 34%bd	45 20%	238 35%bd	114 27%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	159 34%bd	35 16%	205 30%bd	87 20%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	128 28%	54 24%	206 30%	114 26%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	21 5%	17 8%	28 4%	37 9%ac
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	53 11%bd	7 3%	77 11%bd	17 4%

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Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Get experts more involved in decision- making	193 17%	94 20%bd	27 12%	137 20%bd	55 13%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	55 12%	21 9%	83 12%	51 12%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	430 93%bd	165 74%	645 94%bd	349 81%b
None of these	128 11%	31 7%	59 26%acd	43 6%	81 19%ac

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	Total	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Make politics more transparent so that it is easier to follow	541 48%	191 51%e	97 56%e	23 47%	23 45%	206 43%	10 41%	143 51%	239 52%	139 46%	502 50%k	39 29%
Make politicians more accountable for their performance between elections	443 39%	148 39%	97 55%ade	20 42%	15 30%	162 34%	6 26%	107 38%	197 43%	129 42%	424 42%k	18 14%
Better information and education about politics for all citizens	356 31%	132 35%e	56 32%	15 30%	18 34%	135 28%	7 30%	108 39%i	161 35%i	74 24%	327 33%k	29 22%
Less 'spin' in political communication	293 26%	85 23%	60 34%ade	18 36%d	7 14%	123 26%	7 32%	77 28%	131 28%	73 24%	281 28%k	13 10%
Give citizens more of a say (e.g. more referendums, more consultation)	323 29%	110 29%	50 28%	11 23%	16 31%	136 28%	5 23%	69 25%	152 33%g	88 29%	286 29%	37 28%
More people like me as MPs	66 6%	20 5%	14 8%	-	-	33 7%	5 22%	10 4%	24 5%	25 8%g	62 6%	4 3%
Constitutional changes (e.g. an elected House of Lords, a different voting system)	94 8%	42 11%e	11 6%	8 16%be	3 7%	29 6%	1 6%	31 11%	38 8%	21 7%	89 9%	5 4%

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Get experts more involved in decision-making	193 17%	51 14%	39 22% <sup>ad</sup>	16 32% <sup>ade</sup>	3 7%	83 17%	3 12%	65 23% <sup>i</sup>	84 18% <sup>i</sup>	37 12%	184 18% <sup>k</sup>	9 7%
More positive media coverage of politics	134 12%	49 13%	19 11%	8 16%	4 7%	54 11%	3 11%	38 14%	56 12%	32 11%	119 12%	15 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
ANY CHANGE	1004 89%	345 92% <sup>de</sup>	169 96% <sup>de</sup>	49 100% <sup>de</sup>	40 77%	401 83%	19 80%	262 94% <sup>i</sup>	435 94% <sup>i</sup>	263 87%	914 92% <sup>k</sup>	89 67%
None of these	128 11%	30 8%	7 4%	-	12 23% <sup>abc</sup>	79 17% <sup>abc</sup>	5 20%	16 6%	26 6%	41 13% <sup>gh</sup>	84 8%	44 33% <sup>j</sup>

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**Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?**

**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/ divrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Yes	535	229	306	84	103	89	103	63	56	38	103	157	125	150	305	230
	47%	44%	50%	49% <sup>i</sup>	51% <sup>i</sup>	47%	52% <sup>i</sup>	45%	45%	35%	55% <sup>m</sup>	55% <sup>m</sup>	48% <sup>m</sup>	38%	48%	46%
No	579	277	302	81	94	101	93	77	68	66	79	124	132	244	318	260
	51%	53%	49%	47%	47%	53%	47%	55%	55%	61% <sup>cd</sup>	43%	43%	51%	61% <sup>ijkl</sup>	51%	52%
Don't know	18	12	5	6	5	1	2	1	-	4	4	6	2	6	6	11
	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	*	1%	*	-	4% <sup>eh</sup>	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%

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**Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Yes	535 47%	281 49%	254 45%	175 49%	360 46%	471 51% <sup>f</sup>	64 32%	137 48%	171 49%	97 44%	114 49%	15 36%	223 52% <sup>n</sup>	127 44%	185 44%
No	579 51%	279 49%	299 53%	177 50%	402 52%	448 48%	131 65% <sup>e</sup>	146 51%	171 49%	122 55%	113 48%	27 64%	201 47%	151 53%	228 54%
Don't know	18 2%	10 2%	8 1%	4 1%	14 2%	13 1%	5 3%	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	6 3%	-	2 1%	8 3% <sup>l</sup>	7 2%

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**Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Yes	535	31	55	35	43	44	58	65	87	44	29	44	476	56
	47%	53%	42%	39%	53%	50%	48%	47%	52%	45%	50%	44%	47%	51%
No	579	27	70	53	37	43	61	70	81	54	29	55	519	52
	51%	47%	53%	59%	47%	48%	52%	49%	48%	55%	50%	55%	51%	47%
Don't know	18	-	7	1	-	1	-	6	-	-	*	2	14	2
	2%	-	6% <sup>fhi</sup>	2%	-	2%	-	4% <sup>fh</sup>	-	-	*	2%	1%	2%

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**Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Yes	535 47%	68 60%cd	234 65%cd	161 44%d	70 24%
No	579 51%	44 39%	121 34%	201 55%ab	214 74%abc
Don't know	18 2%	1 1%	4 1%	6 2%	5 2%

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**Q.18 Thinking back, at school do you wish you had learned more about politics and how our democracy works?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Yes	535	24	249	211	51	21	209	250	54
	47%	49% <sup>d</sup>	58% <sup>cd</sup>	45% <sup>d</sup>	28%	43%	56% <sup>gh</sup>	49% <sup>h</sup>	27%
No	579	23	178	253	125	27	158	255	139
	51%	48%	41%	54% <sup>b</sup>	69% <sup>abc</sup>	55%	42%	50% <sup>f</sup>	71% <sup>efg</sup>
Don't know	18	1	5	6	4	1	5	7	4
	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%

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Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Yes	535	243	66	373	159
	47%	53%bd	29%	54%bd	37%
No	579	212	154	307	265
	51%	46%	69%ac	45%	62%ac
Don't know	18	7	5	9	7
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%

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	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Yes	535	200	101	21	16	197	14	142	250	116	489	46
	47%	53%de	57%de	43%	31%	41%	58%	51%i	54%i	38%	49%k	35%
No	579	172	72	28	30	276	10	130	205	188	500	79
	51%	46%	41%	57%	59%b	57%ab	42%	47%	44%	62%gh	50%	60%
Don't know	18	3	3	-	5	7	-	7	7	*	10	7
	2%	1%	2%	-	9%abe	1%	-	2%i	1%	*	1%	5%j

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**Q.19 What from this list, if anything, would you like to have learned more about at school?**

**Base: All who would have liked to have learned more**

	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	536	241	295	87	109	87	104	62	52	35	95	161	123	157	302	234
Weighted Base	535	229	306	84*	103*	89*	103*	63*	56*	38*	103*	157	125	150	305	230
Effective Base	448	197	251	71	88	73	87	53	46	31	82	133	103	129	255	193
How government works	266	116	150	38	55	46	54	27	27	19	51	85	55	75	147	119
	50%	51%	49%	46%	53%	52%	52%	43%	49%	50%	50%	54%	44%	50%	48%	52%
How laws are made and implemented	242	108	134	32	54	33	49	33	24	17	47	77	58	60	141	101
	45%	47%	44%	38%	53%e	37%	48%	53%	42%	44%	46%	49%	47%	40%	46%	44%
How Parliament works	181	78	103	29	34	40	33	21	15	10	38	54	41	49	105	76
	34%	34%	34%	34%	33%	45%	32%	33%	27%	27%	37%	34%	33%	32%	34%	33%
How best to have my say about politics	145	60	86	17	26	26	31	21	15	9	28	36	30	52	84	62
	27%	26%	28%	21%	25%	29%	30%	34%	27%	25%	27%	23%	24%	35%k	27%	27%
How the local council works	121	49	73	10	20	19	25	18	17	14	20	36	31	34	76	45
	23%	21%	24%	12%	19%	21%	24%	28%c	30%c	37%c	20%	23%	25%	23%	25%	20%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115	34	81	13	16	22	33	14	8	8	28	35	25	26	78	36
	21%	15%	26%a	16%	16%	25%	32%cdh	22%	15%	20%	27%	22%	20%	17%	26%o	16%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92	35	57	20	19	20	16	6	9	1	18	40	18	16	49	43
	17%	15%	18%	24%gi	18%	23%i	15%	10%	16%	4%	17%	26%lm	14%	11%	16%	19%
How the European Union works	80	39	41	14	10	9	16	15	10	6	16	20	27	17	39	41
	15%	17%	13%	17%	10%	10%	15%	23%de	18%	17%	16%	13%	21%m	11%	13%	18%
How to contact my MP	60	31	29	11	13	7	9	9	8	4	12	17	11	20	34	26
	11%	13%	10%	13%	12%	8%	9%	14%	13%	11%	11%	11%	9%	13%	11%	11%

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**Base: All who would have liked to have learned more**

	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/ divrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	536	241	295	87	109	87	104	62	52	35	95	161	123	157	302	234
Weighted Base	535	229	306	84*	103*	89*	103*	63*	56*	38*	103*	157	125	150	305	230
Effective Base	448	197	251	71	88	73	87	53	46	31	82	133	103	129	255	193
How to register to vote	43	24	19	6	10	6	9	5	5	2	7	10	9	16	23	19
	8%	10%	6%	7%	10%	7%	9%	8%	8%	5%	7%	6%	7%	11%	8%	8%
How to vote	39	17	22	8	7	4	7	3	6	4	5	10	9	14	22	17
	7%	8%	7%	9%	7%	4%	6%	5%	11%	10%	5%	6%	8%	9%	7%	7%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
ANY SUBJECT	528	226	302	81	101	87	103	63	56	36	101	157	121	148	304	225
	99%	99%	99%	97%	99%	98%	100%	100%	100%	96%	99%	100%	97%	99%	100%	98%
None of these	7	2	4	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	2	1	5
	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	-	-	-	4%	1%	-	3%	1%	*	2%

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	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	536	288	248	181	355	474	62	129	164	98	123	22	192	150	194
Weighted Base	535	281	254	175	360	471	64*	137	171	97*	114*	15**	223	127	185
Effective Base	448	238	210	148	300	395	53	112	140	81	99	17	172	116	163
How government works	266	141	125	90	176	244	22	63	87	49	62	6	110	59	97
	50%	50%	49%	51%	49%	52% <sup>f</sup>	35%	46%	51%	50%	54%	39%	49%	47%	52%
How laws are made and implemented	242	142	100	78	164	218	24	61	90	36	48	8	107	50	85
	45%	51% <sup>b</sup>	39%	45%	46%	46%	38%	44%	52% <sup>i</sup>	37%	42%	50%	48%	39%	46%
How Parliament works	181	101	80	59	122	170	11	44	64	29	39	5	84	35	63
	34%	36%	32%	34%	34%	36% <sup>f</sup>	18%	32%	37%	30%	34%	33%	38%	27%	34%
How best to have my say about politics	145	75	70	49	96	126	20	39	42	32	28	5	65	32	48
	27%	27%	28%	28%	27%	27%	31%	28%	24%	33%	25%	35%	29%	25%	26%
How the local council works	121	55	67	36	85	100	22	35	38	23	21	5	51	29	41
	23%	19%	26%	21%	24%	21%	34% <sup>e</sup>	26%	22%	24%	18%	31%	23%	23%	22%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115	66	48	51	63	107	7	27	49	14	23	1	48	29	38
	21%	24%	19%	29% <sup>d</sup>	18%	23%	11%	20%	29% <sup>i</sup>	15%	20%	10%	22%	23%	20%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92	51	41	36	56	83	8	21	36	10	21	3	40	22	30
	17%	18%	16%	20%	16%	18%	13%	15%	21%	11%	18%	21%	18%	17%	16%
How the European Union works	80	39	41	14	66	71	9	29	19	12	19	*	31	20	29
	15%	14%	16%	8%	18% <sup>c</sup>	15%	15%	21% <sup>h</sup>	11%	13%	17%	3%	14%	16%	16%
How to contact my MP	60	31	29	16	44	47	13	18	15	14	11	2	27	14	19
	11%	11%	11%	9%	12%	10%	21% <sup>e</sup>	13%	9%	14%	10%	12%	12%	11%	10%

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	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	536	288	248	181	355	474	62	129	164	98	123	22	192	150	194
Weighted Base	535	281	254	175	360	471	64*	137	171	97*	114*	15**	223	127	185
Effective Base	448	238	210	148	300	395	53	112	140	81	99	17	172	116	163
How to register to vote	43	21	22	12	30	32	10	11	9	12	7	3	11	22	9
	8%	7%	9%	7%	8%	7%	16% <sup>e</sup>	8%	5%	13%	6%	19%	5%	18% <sup>ln</sup>	5%
How to vote	39	11	28	9	30	28	11	14	5	10	9	1	10	18	10
	7%	4%	11% <sup>a</sup>	5%	8%	6%	17% <sup>e</sup>	10% <sup>h</sup>	3%	10% <sup>h</sup>	8%	6%	5%	14% <sup>ln</sup>	5%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
ANY SUBJECT	528	278	250	175	354	466	63	134	171	95	113	15	219	124	185
	99%	99%	98%	100%	98%	99%	98%	98%	100%	98%	99%	100%	98%	98%	100%
None of these	7	3	4	*	6	5	1	3	*	2	1	-	4	2	-
	1%	1%	2%	*	2%	1%	2%	2%	*	2%	1%	-	2%	2%	-

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Q.19 What from this list, if anything, would you like to have learned more about at school?

Base: All who would have liked to have learned more

	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	536	22	41	27	36	35	50	93	78	33	44	77	407	127
Weighted Base	535	31**	55*	35**	43*	44*	58*	65*	87*	44*	29*	44*	476	56
Effective Base	448	22	40	26	32	33	44	68	68	32	44	77	371	126
How government works	266	14	28	19	25	28	26	27	39	25	13	22	238	26
	50%	45%	50%	55%	59%	63%g	45%	41%	45%	57%	44%	50%	50%	46%
How laws are made and implemented	242	20	23	17	25	17	23	23	39	22	13	20	219	21
	45%	64%	42%	49%	58%g	39%	40%	36%	44%	51%	46%	45%	46%	38%
How Parliament works	181	8	22	12	10	21	19	14	43	11	8	13	165	16
	34%	27%	41%g	35%	24%	46%g	32%	22%	49%dgijk	25%	28%	29%	35%	29%
How best to have my say about politics	145	14	14	12	14	7	14	18	26	6	7	13	128	18
	27%	45%	26%	33%	33%	17%	25%	27%	29%	14%	25%	29%	27%	31%
How the local council works	121	8	15	11	9	11	9	10	11	14	9	13	114	7
	23%	27%	28%	32%	22%	24%	15%	15%	13%	33%h	30%h	30%gh	24%lm	13%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115	7	14	7	12	12	10	11	12	12	7	10	105	10
	21%	23%	26%	21%	28%	26%	18%	18%	14%	27%	23%	22%	22%	17%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92	6	10	6	8	10	9	10	6	14	7	6	85	6
	17%	18%	18%	17%	19%	22%h	16%	15%	6%	33%hk	23%h	13%	18%	11%
How the European Union works	80	-	7	8	4	1	14	12	8	10	6	8	71	7
	15%	-	14%	24%	10%	3%	24%eh	19%e	9%	23%e	21%e	18%e	15%	13%
How to contact my MP	60	4	*	3	6	9	8	9	4	4	7	5	50	10
	11%	14%	1%	8%	14%b	20%bh	14%b	13%b	5%	9%	26%bhk	12%b	11%	17%l

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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	536	22	41	27	36	35	50	93	78	33	44	77	407	127
Weighted Base	535	31**	55*	35**	43*	44*	58*	65*	87*	44*	29*	44*	476	56
Effective Base	448	22	40	26	32	33	44	68	68	32	44	77	371	126
How to register to vote	43	-	1	*	2	4	6	19	4	1	*	4	32	10
	8%	-	3%	1%	5%	9%	10%	29%bdefhijk	5%	3%	1%	9%	7%	19%l
How to vote	39	-	-	1	2	4	1	17	6	3	3	2	31	8
	7%	-	-	4%	4%	9%	2%	26%bdfhijk	6%	6%	10%b	4%	7%	14%l
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
ANY SUBJECT	528	29	53	35	43	44	58	64	86	44	29	43	470	56
	99%	95%	97%	100%	100%	100%	100%	97%	98%	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%
None of these	7	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	6	*
	1%	5%	3%	-	-	-	-	3%	2%	-	-	1%	1%	1%

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**Base: All who would have liked to have learned more**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	536	68	238	157	72
Weighted Base	535	68*	234	161	70*
Effective Base	448	57	199	132	59
How government works	266 50%	26 38%	131 56% <sup>ad</sup>	79 49%	28 40%
How laws are made and implemented	242 45%	36 53%	111 47%	68 42%	26 37%
How Parliament works	181 34%	14 21%	85 36% <sup>a</sup>	51 32%	29 42% <sup>a</sup>
How best to have my say about politics	145 27%	31 46% <sup>bcd</sup>	60 25%	39 24%	15 22%
How the local council works	121 23%	14 20%	51 22%	42 26%	15 22%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115 21%	20 29% <sup>d</sup>	50 21%	35 22%	10 14%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92 17%	16 24%	36 16%	29 18%	9 13%
How the European Union works	80 15%	16 23% <sup>d</sup>	37 16%	23 14%	4 6%
How to contact my MP	60 11%	5 7%	30 13%	18 11%	6 9%

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	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	536	68	238	157	72
Weighted Base	535	68*	234	161	70*
Effective Base	448	57	199	132	59
How to register to vote	43	6	18	9	10
	8%	9%	8%	5%	14% <sup>c</sup>
How to vote	39	4	19	5	11
	7%	6%	8%	3%	16% <sup>c</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY SUBJECT	528	68	233	159	67
	99%	100%	99% <sup>d</sup>	99%	95%
None of these	7	-	1	1	4
	1%	-	1%	1%	5% <sup>b</sup>

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**Base: All who would have liked to have learned more**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	536	26	250	211	49	25	216	243	52
Weighted Base	535	24**	249	211	51*	21**	209	250	54*
Effective Base	448	21	209	177	42	20	178	206	44
How government works	266	8	124	110	23	6	97	141	21
	50%	36%	50%	52%	45%	29%	46%	56%	40%
How laws are made and implemented	242	7	127	95	13	5	114	103	20
	45%	31%	51% <sup>d</sup>	45% <sup>d</sup>	25%	24%	54% <sup>gh</sup>	41%	37%
How Parliament works	181	5	79	74	24	5	71	90	15
	34%	20%	32%	35%	47%	22%	34%	36%	28%
How best to have my say about politics	145	11	75	48	11	8	66	59	12
	27%	46%	30%	23%	22%	37%	31%	24%	23%
How the local council works	121	1	50	60	11	3	40	70	9
	23%	2%	20%	28%	21%	12%	19%	28% <sup>f</sup>	16%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115	4	62	42	6	5	47	50	12
	21%	16%	25%	20%	12%	24%	22%	20%	23%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92	4	41	40	6	1	35	45	10
	17%	17%	17%	19%	12%	7%	17%	18%	18%
How the European Union works	80	8	47	21	4	5	40	28	7
	15%	34%	19% <sup>cc</sup>	10%	8%	25%	19% <sup>g</sup>	11%	13%
How to contact my MP	60	3	27	24	6	2	23	28	7
	11%	12%	11%	11%	12%	10%	11%	11%	13%

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		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	536	26	250	211	49	25	216	243	52
Weighted Base	535	24**	249	211	51*	21**	209	250	54*
Effective Base	448	21	209	177	42	20	178	206	44
How to register to vote	43	4	17	14	8	4	14	18	7
	8%	18%	7%	7%	16%	17%	7%	7%	13%
How to vote	39	6	16	6	10	4	15	11	8
	7%	23%	7%	3%	20%bc	20%	7%	5%	16%g
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
ANY SUBJECT	528	24	248	208	49	21	208	248	51
	99%	100%	99% <sup>d</sup>	99%	95%	100%	99%	99%	95%
None of these	7	-	1	3	2	-	1	3	2
	1%	-	1%	1%	5% <sup>b</sup>	-	1%	1%	5%

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	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	536	247	66	373	160
Weighted Base	535	243	66*	373	159
Effective Base	448	206	55	313	133
How government works	266 50%	120 50%	29 45%	191 51%	73 46%
How laws are made and implemented	242 45%	115 47% <sup>b</sup>	18 28%	179 48% <sup>b</sup>	60 38%
How Parliament works	181 34%	73 30%	24 36%	123 33%	55 35%
How best to have my say about politics	145 27%	66 27%	13 20%	102 27%	43 27%
How the local council works	121 23%	60 25%	10 15%	86 23%	36 23%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115 21%	61 25%	11 17%	87 23%	28 18%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92 17%	38 16%	8 13%	68 18%	23 15%
How the European Union works	80 15%	44 18%	7 10%	58 16%	22 14%
How to contact my MP	60 11%	29 12%	8 13%	41 11%	17 11%

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	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	536	247	66	373	160
Weighted Base	535	243	66*	373	159
Effective Base	448	206	55	313	133
How to register to vote	43	19	11	27	15
	8%	8%	17% <sup>ac</sup>	7%	10%
How to vote	39	19	10	25	14
	7%	8%	15% <sup>c</sup>	7%	9%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY SUBJECT	528	241	63	370	155
	99%	99%	96%	99%	98%
None of these	7	1	2	3	4
	1%	1%	4%	1%	2%

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	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	536	223	88	18	17	190	15	139	251	115	484	52
Weighted Base	535	200	101*	21**	16**	197	14**	142	250	116*	489	46*
Effective Base	448	178	78	16	14	163	12	116	210	97	407	41
How government works	266	94	51	16	8	97	6	70	126	59	243	23
	50%	47%	51%	75%	51%	49%	42%	50%	50%	51%	50%	49%
How laws are made and implemented	242	91	53	11	6	81	4	74	119	42	227	15
	45%	46%	52%	52%	36%	41%	31%	52%i	48%	36%	46%	32%
How Parliament works	181	69	29	9	7	66	4	51	84	38	168	13
	34%	35%	29%	43%	45%	33%	28%	36%	34%	32%	34%	27%
How best to have my say about politics	145	62	21	3	1	58	1	30	80	32	141	5
	27%	31%	21%	12%	9%	30%	10%	21%	32%g	27%	29%k	10%
How the local council works	121	40	25	6	4	47	4	29	65	24	116	5
	23%	20%	25%	29%	26%	24%	28%	21%	26%	20%	24%	11%
Social policy issues in this country such as health, education, environment or transport	115	42	22	3	4	43	1	34	55	22	105	10
	21%	21%	22%	16%	25%	22%	11%	24%	22%	19%	22%	20%
How political parties work and what they stand for	92	29	23	6	2	32	3	27	43	15	85	6
	17%	14%	23%	27%	11%	16%	25%	19%	17%	13%	17%	14%
How the European Union works	80	28	23	4	2	23	-	27	33	16	73	7
	15%	14%	23%e	21%	12%	12%	-	19%	13%	13%	15%	16%
How to contact my MP	60	25	6	1	2	26	2	11	29	14	54	6
	11%	12%	6%	7%	12%	13%	17%	8%	12%	13%	11%	13%

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**Q.19 What from this list, if anything, would you like to have learned more about at school?**

**Base: All who would have liked to have learned more**

	Total	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	536	223	88	18	17	190	15	139	251	115	484	52
Weighted Base	535	200	101*	21**	16**	197	14**	142	250	116*	489	46*
Effective Base	448	178	78	16	14	163	12	116	210	97	407	41
How to register to vote	43	15	7	-	1	20	2	8	18	12	36	7
	8%	7%	7%	-	7%	10%	17%	6%	7%	10%	7%	14%
How to vote	39	15	7	-	-	17	1	9	13	13	29	10
	7%	7%	7%	-	-	9%	10%	6%	5%	11%	6%	21%j
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
ANY SUBJECT	528	199	99	21	16	194	14	141	250	111	482	46
	99%	99%	99%	100%	96%	98%	100%	100%	100% <sup>i</sup>	96%	99%	99%
None of these	7	1	1	-	1	3	-	*	-	5	6	1
	1%	1%	1%	-	4%	2%	-	*	-	4% <sup>h</sup>	1%	1%

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)****Q.20 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	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944
A great deal of influence	20 2%	16 1%
Some influence	267 24%	165 15%
Not very much influence	453 40%	482 43%
No influence at all	371 33%	451 40%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>		
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	181 16%
Don't know	20 2%	17 1%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.20\_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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
A great deal of influence	20 2%	7 1%	13 2%	4 2%	6 3%	3 1%	3 1%	2 1%	2 2%	* *	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	9 2%	10 2%	10 2%
Some influence	267 24%	138 27%b	129 21%	30 18%	58 29%ci	39 21%	56 28%ci	30 21%	36 29%ci	18 16%	80 43%klm	69 24%	48 19%	71 18%	160 25%	108 21%
Not very much influence	453 40%	208 40%	245 40%	77 45%	70 35%	78 41%	79 40%	55 39%	50 40%	44 41%	62 33%	131 46%j	100 39%	160 40%	247 39%	206 41%
No influence at all	371 33%	156 30%	215 35%	56 33%	64 32%	68 36%	57 29%	52 37%	35 28%	39 36%	41 22%	77 27%	106 41%jk	147 37%jk	206 33%	165 33%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	145 28%	142 23%	34 20%	64 32%cei	42 22%	59 30%ci	32 22%	38 31%i	18 17%	82 44%klm	74 26%	51 20%	79 20%	170 27%	118 23%
Don't know	20 2%	9 2%	11 2%	4 2%	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *	7 7%defgh	* *	4 1%	2 1%	14 4%j	7 1%	13 3%

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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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.20\_01 How much influence, if any, do you feel you have over decision making in your local area**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
A great deal of influence	20 2%	9 2%	10 2%	7 2%	13 2%	16 2%	3 2%	4 1%	3 1%	6 3%	7 3%	*	9 2%	8 3% <sup>n</sup>	2 1%
Some influence	267 24%	147 26%	120 21%	74 21%	193 25%	242 26% <sup>f</sup>	26 13%	74 26% <sup>i</sup>	90 26% <sup>i</sup>	38 17%	56 24%	10 23%	113 26%	69 24%	85 20%
Not very much influence	453 40%	231 40%	222 40%	142 40%	311 40%	378 41%	75 37%	109 38%	150 43%	92 42%	87 37%	15 36%	172 40%	105 37%	176 42%
No influence at all	371 33%	177 31%	194 35%	126 35%	245 32%	281 30%	91 45% <sup>e</sup>	94 33%	104 30%	79 36%	77 33%	17 40%	129 30%	96 34%	146 35%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	156 27%	131 23%	81 23%	206 27%	258 28% <sup>f</sup>	29 15%	78 27%	92 27%	44 20%	63 27%	10 24%	122 29% <sup>n</sup>	78 27%	88 21%
Don't know	20 2%	6 1%	14 2%	7 2%	14 2%	15 2%	6 3%	5 2%	1 *	7 3% <sup>h</sup>	7 3% <sup>h</sup>	-	3 1%	7 3%	10 2%

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**Q.20\_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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
A great deal of influence	20 2%	- -	- -	- -	1 2%	- -	3 2%	8 5%bceik	6 4%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	10 1%	8 7%l
Some influence	267 24%	15 27%j	33 25%j	17 19%	19 23%j	30 34%ijk	36 30%j	34 24%j	40 24%j	18 18%	5 9%	21 21%j	231 23%	33 30%l
Not very much influence	453 40%	26 44%	52 40%	36 41%	25 31%	33 37%	45 38%	48 34%	76 45%	43 44%	32 55%bdefg k	37 36%	410 41%	39 35%
No influence at all	371 33%	17 29%	45 34%	34 38%	33 41%h	24 27%	33 28%	45 32%	43 26%	35 36%	20 34%	42 41%efh	344 34%m	27 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	15 27%j	33 25%j	17 19%	20 25%j	30 34%ij	39 32%ij	42 30%j	46 28%j	18 18%	6 10%	22 22%j	241 24%	41 37%l
Don't know	20 2%	- -	1 1%	1 2%	2 2%	1 2%	2 2%	6 4%k	2 1%	3 3%	* *	1 1%	15 1%	3 3%

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**Q.20\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
A great deal of influence	20 2%	3 2%	7 2%	5 1%	5 2%
Some influence	267 24%	41 36%cd	118 33%cd	73 20%d	36 13%
Not very much influence	453 40%	46 41%	142 40%	168 46%d	95 33%
No influence at all	371 33%	24 21%	88 25%	114 31%	146 50%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	43 38%cd	125 35%cd	78 21%d	41 14%
Don't know	20 2%	-	4 1%	7 2%	7 3%

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

\* small base

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**Q.20\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
A great deal of influence	20 2%	1 3%	5 1%	9 2%	4 2%	1 2%	5 1%	10 2%	4 2%
Some influence	267 24%	19 39%cd	138 32%cd	89 19%	21 12%	19 37%gh	128 34%gh	95 19%	26 13%
Not very much influence	453 40%	23 47%cd	177 41%cd	206 44%cd	47 26%	24 49%h	152 41%h	228 45%h	49 25%
No influence at all	371 33%	5 11%	108 25%a	159 34%ab	99 55%abc	6 13%	84 23%	170 33%ef	112 57%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	20 42%cd	143 33%cd	98 21%	26 14%	19 39%gh	133 36%gh	106 21%	29 15%
Don't know	20 2%	-	3 1%	8 2%	8 4%b	-	4 1%	9 2%	6 3%

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

\* small base



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**Q.20\_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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
A great deal of influence	20 2%	9 2%	2 1%	14 2%	5 1%
Some influence	267 24%	126 27%bd	23 10%	188 27%bd	77 18%b
Not very much influence	453 40%	190 41%b	68 30%	295 43%bd	156 36%
No influence at all	371 33%	128 28%	127 56%acd	182 26%	184 43%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	135 29%bd	25 11%	201 29%bd	82 19%b
Don't know	20 2%	8 2%	5 2%	10 1%	8 2%

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**Q.20\_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	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
A great deal of influence	20 2%	10 3%	2 1%	- -	* 1%	7 2%	* 2%	3 1%	10 2%	5 2%	13 1%	6 5%j
Some influence	267 24%	105 28%e	62 35%e	13 28%	10 19%	77 16%	7 30%	98 35%hi	115 25%i	39 13%	243 24%	24 18%
Not very much influence	453 40%	149 40%	72 41%	26 54%	18 34%	188 39%	14 58%	121 44%	193 42%	115 38%	419 42%k	34 26%
No influence at all	371 33%	106 28%	38 22%	9 18%	21 40%bc	198 41%abc	2 10%	52 19%	137 30%g	143 47%gh	310 31%	61 46%j
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	287 25%	114 30%e	64 37%de	13 28%	10 20%	85 18%	8 32%	101 36%hi	125 27%i	43 14%	257 26%	31 23%
Don't know	20 2%	7 2%	1 1%	- -	3 5%	10 2%	- -	4 2%	6 1%	2 1%	14 1%	7 5%j

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**Q.20\_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	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	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
A great deal of influence	16 1%	9 2%	7 1%	3 2%	7 3%g	2 1%	3 2%	- -	- -	* *	2 1%	5 2%	1 1%	8 2%	6 1%	10 2%
Some influence	165 15%	87 17%	78 13%	19 11%	32 16%	24 13%	31 16%	24 17%	18 15%	16 15%	37 20%l	42 14%	32 12%	55 14%	104 17%	61 12%
Not very much influence	482 43%	226 44%	257 42%	75 44%	86 43%	86 45%	90 45%	51 37%	57 46%	37 34%	96 52%lm	142 50%m	106 41%	138 34%	270 43%	213 42%
No influence at all	451 40%	188 36%	264 43%a	71 41%	73 36%	77 40%	71 36%	63 45%	48 39%	48 45%	50 27%	95 33%	118 45%jk	188 47%jk	243 38%	209 42%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	96 19%	85 14%	22 13%	39 19%	27 14%	35 18%	24 17%	18 15%	17 15%	39 21%l	46 16%	33 13%	63 16%	110 18%	71 14%
Don't know	17 1%	9 2%	8 1%	2 1%	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	- -	6 5%eh	- -	3 1%	2 1%	11 3%j	8 1%	9 2%

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**Q.20\_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		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
A great deal of influence	16 1%	7 1%	10 2%	5 2%	11 1%	14 2%	2 1%	* *	1 *	7 3%gh	7 3%gh	* 1%	6 2%	6 2%	4 1%
Some influence	165 15%	78 14%	88 16%	50 14%	115 15%	142 15%	24 12%	53 19%j	45 13%	34 15%	25 11%	8 19%	63 15%	46 16%	57 14%
Not very much influence	482 43%	272 48%b	210 37%	149 42%	333 43%	413 44%f	69 34%	109 38%	184 53%gijk	82 37%	93 40%	14 33%	197 46%	111 39%	174 41%
No influence at all	451 40%	207 36%	244 44%a	146 41%	305 39%	350 38%	102 51%e	119 41%	117 34%	95 43%h	101 43%h	20 46%	158 37%	117 41%	176 42%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	84 15%	97 17%	55 16%	126 16%	156 17%	25 13%	54 19%	46 13%	41 18%	32 14%	9 20%	69 16%	52 18%	61 14%
Don't know	17 1%	7 1%	9 2%	5 1%	12 2%	12 1%	4 2%	5 2%	1 *	4 2%	6 3%h	- -	1 *	6 2%l	9 2%l

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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

\* small base

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**Q.20\_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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
A great deal of influence	16 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 2%	1 1%	5 4%b	7 4%b	- -	- -	1 1%	8 1%	7 6%l
Some influence	165 15%	11 19%j	14 11%	9 10%	14 17%j	18 21%ij	19 16%j	32 23%bcijk	26 15%j	7 7%	2 3%	13 13%j	135 13%	30 27%l
Not very much influence	482 43%	23 39%	63 48%dg	34 38%	24 30%	39 44%	62 52%dgk	48 34%	82 49%dgk	42 43%	29 51%dgk	37 37%	437 43%m	38 34%
No influence at all	451 40%	24 41%	54 41%	45 50%efh	41 51%efh	28 32%	35 29%	51 36%	51 30%	48 49%efh	26 46%fh	49 49%efgh	418 41%m	33 30%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	11 19%j	14 11%	9 10%	14 17%j	20 22%bij	20 17%j	37 27%bcijk	33 20%ij	7 7%	2 3%	13 13%j	142 14%	37 34%l
Don't know	17 1%	- -	1 1%	1 2%	1 2%	1 2%	2 2%	5 3%	2 1%	1 1%	* *	1 1%	12 1%	2 2%

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
A great deal of influence	16 1%	1 1%	5 2%	4 1%	6 2%
Some influence	165 15%	31 28%bcd	65 18%cd	44 12%	25 9%
Not very much influence	482 43%	54 48%d	166 46%d	174 48%d	87 30%
No influence at all	451 40%	27 23%	119 33%	140 38%a	165 57%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	33 29%cd	71 20%cd	47 13%	31 11%
Don't know	17 1%	-	4 1%	5 1%	7 2%

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

\* small base

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**Q.20\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
A great deal of influence	16 1%	1 2%	3 1%	7 1%	5 3%	1 2%	4 1%	6 1%	5 3%
Some influence	165 15%	18 37%bcd	78 18%cd	53 11%	17 10%	17 33%fgh	73 20%gh	59 12%	16 8%
Not very much influence	482 43%	21 43%d	206 48%d	208 44%d	48 27%	28 55%h	180 48%h	223 44%h	52 27%
No influence at all	451 40%	9 18%	142 33%	200 43%ab	101 56%abc	5 10%	112 30%e	218 43%ef	116 59%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	19 39%bcd	81 19%c	59 13%	22 12%	18 35%fgh	77 21%gh	66 13%	21 11%
Don't know	17 1%	-	3 1%	3 1%	9 5%bc	-	3 1%	5 1%	8 4%fg

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

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**Q.20\_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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
A great deal of influence	16 1%	6 1%	5 2%	10 1%	5 1%
Some influence	165 15%	79 17%bd	14 6%	118 17%bd	45 10%
Not very much influence	482 43%	207 45%bd	61 27%	329 48%bd	152 35%
No influence at all	451 40%	164 36%	138 61%acd	225 33%	221 51%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	84 18%bd	19 8%	128 19%bd	50 12%
Don't know	17 1%	7 1%	6 3%	7 1%	8 2%



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.20\_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**

	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
A great deal of influence	16 1%	6 2%	2 1%	- -	1 2%	8 2%	- -	3 1%	5 1%	6 2%	8 1%	8 6%j
Some influence	165 15%	66 18%e	43 25%de	8 17%	5 9%	43 9%	5 22%	58 21%hi	64 14%	32 10%	146 15%	19 14%
Not very much influence	482 43%	166 44%	78 45%	28 58%e	23 45%	186 39%	14 61%	154 55%hi	217 47%i	86 28%	448 45%k	34 26%
No influence at all	451 40%	135 36%	50 29%	12 25%	19 38%	234 49%abc	4 18%	60 21%	171 37%g	179 59%gh	388 39%	64 48%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
A GREAT DEAL/SOME INFLUENCE	181 16%	72 19%e	45 26%de	8 17%	6 11%	51 11%	5 22%	61 22%hi	69 15%	37 12%	154 15%	27 21%
Don't know	17 1%	2 1%	1 1%	- -	3 6%ab	10 2%	- -	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	9 1%	8 6%j

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

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	Your local area	The country as a whole
Unweighted Base	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944
Very involved	95 8%	75 7%
Fairly involved	444 39%	395 35%
Not very involved	331 29%	361 32%
Not at all involved	246 22%	281 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>		
INVOLVED	539 48%	470 42%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	642 57%
Don't know	15 1%	20 2%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.21\_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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very involved	95 8%	54 10%b	41 7%	13 7%	27 13%ghi	21 11%i	16 8%	9 6%	7 5%	3 3%	17 9%	30 10%	23 9%	25 6%	51 8%	44 9%
Fairly involved	444 39%	213 41%	231 38%	65 38%i	88 44%i	77 40%i	89 45%i	56 40%i	46 37%i	23 21%	105 57%klm	124 43%lm	87 33%	128 32%	249 40%	195 39%
Not very involved	331 29%	146 28%	185 30%	54 32%	47 23%	60 32%	54 27%	41 29%	37 30%	39 36%d	42 22%	91 32%j	85 33%j	114 28%	190 30%	142 28%
Not at all involved	246 22%	95 18%	151 25%a	37 22%	35 18%	31 16%	36 18%	35 25%	33 27%e	39 36%cdef	20 11%	37 13%	62 24%jk	126 32%jk	134 21%	111 22%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
INVOLVED	539 48%	267 52%b	272 44%	77 45%i	115 57%chi	98 51%i	105 53%i	65 46%i	53 43%i	26 24%	123 66%klm	154 54%lm	110 42%	153 38%	300 48%	239 48%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	241 47%	336 55%a	91 53%d	82 41%	91 48%	89 45%	76 54%d	71 57%d	77 72%cdefgh	62 33%	129 45%j	147 57%jk	240 60%jk	324 51%	253 50%
Don't know	15 1%	10 2%	5 1%	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	3 2%	-	-	4 4%gh	1 1%	5 2%	3 1%	6 2%	6 1%	9 2%

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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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.21\_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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very involved	95 8%	57 10%	38 7%	35 10%	60 8%	87 9% <sup>f</sup>	8 4%	18 6%	21 6%	28 13% <sup>gh</sup>	25 11%	4 9%	34 8%	37 13% <sup>ln</sup>	25 6%
Fairly involved	444 39%	235 41%	209 37%	152 43%	291 38%	398 43% <sup>f</sup>	45 23%	112 39%	152 44% <sup>i</sup>	75 34%	90 39%	15 35%	187 44%	103 36%	154 37%
Not very involved	331 29%	170 30%	161 29%	103 29%	229 29%	274 29%	58 29%	82 29%	111 32%	62 28%	66 28%	11 25%	132 31%	69 24%	130 31%
Not at all involved	246 22%	102 18%	144 26% <sup>a</sup>	63 18%	183 24% <sup>c</sup>	163 17%	83 42% <sup>e</sup>	71 25% <sup>h</sup>	59 17%	54 24% <sup>h</sup>	49 21%	12 27%	73 17%	70 24% <sup>l</sup>	103 24% <sup>l</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
INVOLVED	539 48%	292 51% <sup>b</sup>	247 44%	188 53% <sup>d</sup>	352 45%	486 52% <sup>f</sup>	53 27%	130 46%	172 49%	103 47%	115 49%	19 44%	221 52% <sup>n</sup>	140 49%	178 43%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	272 48%	305 54% <sup>a</sup>	166 47%	411 53%	436 47%	141 70% <sup>e</sup>	153 54%	170 49%	116 52%	116 50%	22 52%	206 48%	139 49%	232 55%
Don't know	15 1%	6 1%	9 2%	3 1%	13 2%	10 1%	6 3%	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	3 1%	1 3%	- -	7 2% <sup>l</sup>	9 2% <sup>l</sup>

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 \* small base

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**Q.21\_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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very involved	95 8%	4 7%	9 7%	7 8%	7 9%	4 5%	9 7%	23 17% <sup>befhk</sup>	13 8%	7 7%	4 7%	7 7%	76 8%	19 18% <sup>l</sup>
Fairly involved	444 39%	25 44%	45 34%	27 30%	27 34%	38 43%	59 49% <sup>bck</sup>	53 38%	74 44% <sup>k</sup>	40 41%	23 41%	33 33%	388 38%	54 48% <sup>l</sup>
Not very involved	331 29%	19 32%	34 26%	30 34%	23 29%	27 30%	31 26%	34 24%	59 35%	26 26%	19 33%	31 30%	304 30% <sup>m</sup>	24 22%
Not at all involved	246 22%	10 17%	38 29% <sup>h</sup>	25 28% <sup>h</sup>	21 27% <sup>h</sup>	17 19%	21 17%	28 20%	21 12%	24 25% <sup>h</sup>	11 18%	30 30% <sup>fh</sup>	231 23% <sup>m</sup>	12 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
INVOLVED	539 48%	29 51%	54 41%	34 38%	34 42%	42 47%	67 57% <sup>bck</sup>	76 54% <sup>bck</sup>	87 52% <sup>k</sup>	47 48%	27 48%	40 40%	463 46%	73 66% <sup>l</sup>
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	28 49%	72 55%	55 62% <sup>fg</sup>	45 56%	44 49%	52 43%	62 44%	80 47%	50 51%	30 52%	60 60% <sup>fgn</sup>	535 53% <sup>m</sup>	36 33%
Don't know	15 1%	-	6 4% <sup>k</sup>	-	1 2%	3 3%	-	2 2%	1 1%	1 1%	*	-	11 1%	1 1%

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**Q.21\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very involved	95 8%	16 14%cd	37 10%c	21 6%	20 7%
Fairly involved	444 39%	66 58%cd	204 57%cd	122 33%d	52 18%
Not very involved	331 29%	20 17%	89 25%	136 37%ab	87 30%a
Not at all involved	246 22%	11 9%	25 7%	80 22%ab	130 45%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
INVOLVED	539 48%	82 73%cd	242 67%cd	142 39%d	71 25%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	30 27%	114 32%	216 59%ab	217 75%abc
Don't know	15 1%	* *	3 1%	8 2%	2 1%

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

\* small base

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**Q.21\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very involved	95 8%	9 18%cd	50 12%cd	29 6%	8 4%	9 18%gh	43 11%gh	36 7%	8 4%
Fairly involved	444 39%	28 59%cd	227 53%cd	160 34%d	28 16%	26 52%gh	206 55%gh	182 36%h	30 15%
Not very involved	331 29%	6 13%	107 25%	171 36%abd	47 26%	11 21%	86 23%	180 35%f	55 28%
Not at all involved	246 22%	4 9%	43 10%	104 22%ab	95 53%abc	4 8%	32 9%	107 21%ef	104 53%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
INVOLVED	539 48%	37 77%cd	277 64%cd	189 40%d	36 20%	35 70%gh	248 67%gh	218 43%h	37 19%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	10 22%	150 35%	275 58%ab	141 79%abc	15 29%	118 32%	286 56%ef	158 81%efg
Don't know	15 1%	* 1%	4 1%	7 1%	2 1%	* 1%	6 2%	7 1%	* *

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\* small base

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**Q.21\_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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Very involved	95 8%	48 10%	18 8%	65 9%	29 7%
Fairly involved	444 39%	215 47%bd	41 18%	316 46%bd	123 29%b
Not very involved	331 29%	121 26%	66 29%	197 29%	135 31%
Not at all involved	246 22%	71 15%	97 43%acd	104 15%	138 32%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
INVOLVED	539 48%	263 57%bd	59 26%	381 55%bd	152 35%b
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	192 42%	163 73%acd	301 44%	273 63%ac
Don't know	15 1%	7 2%	3 1%	7 1%	6 1%



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**Q.21\_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	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very involved	95 8%	40 11%c	19 11%c	- -	3 6%	34 7%	3 12%	24 9%	34 7%	32 10%	85 9%	10 8%
Fairly involved	444 39%	171 46%de	89 51%de	22 45%d	11 22%	151 31%	8 35%	124 45%i	205 45%i	98 32%	409 41%k	35 26%
Not very involved	331 29%	101 27%	47 27%	17 35%	19 37%	148 31%	11 45%	95 34%	133 29%	81 27%	298 30%	33 25%
Not at all involved	246 22%	62 16%	20 11%	10 20%	15 30%ab	139 29%ab	2 8%	32 11%	82 18%g	91 30%gh	196 20%	50 38%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
INVOLVED	539 48%	211 56%de	107 61%de	22 45%	14 28%	185 38%	11 47%	148 53%i	240 52%i	130 43%	494 50%k	45 34%
NOT INVOLVED	577 51%	163 43%	67 38%	27 55%	34 67%ab	287 60%ab	12 53%	127 46%	214 46%	172 57%gh	494 49%	83 63%j
Don't know	15 1%	2 *	1 1%	- -	3 5%ab	9 2%	- -	3 1%	7 2%	1 *	10 1%	5 4%j

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**Q.21\_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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
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Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Very involved	75 7%	40 8%	35 6%	12 7%hi	19 9%hi	22 11%ghi	13 7%hi	6 4%	2 1%	1 1%	9 5%	27 10%m	20 8%	19 5%	39 6%	36 7%
Fairly involved	395 35%	190 37%	205 33%	59 35%i	83 41%i	67 35%i	82 41%i	45 32%i	40 33%i	20 18%	105 56%klm	104 36%m	80 31%	107 27%	218 35%	177 35%
Not very involved	361 32%	174 34%	187 30%	58 34%	55 27%	67 35%	62 31%	42 30%	41 33%	37 34%	50 27%	102 36%	88 34%	120 30%	203 32%	157 31%
Not at all involved	281 25%	103 20%	178 29%a	39 23%	39 19%	34 18%	36 18%	48 34%def	40 32%def	46 43%cdef	19 10%	49 17%	69 26%jk	145 36%jkl	159 25%	122 24%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
INVOLVED	470 42%	230 44%	240 39%	71 42%i	102 51%ghi	89 46%hi	95 48%ghi	51 36%i	42 34%i	21 19%	114 61%klm	131 46%m	99 38%	126 32%	257 41%	213 42%
NOT INVOLVED	642 57%	276 53%	365 60%	97 57%	94 47%	100 53%	98 49%	90 64%df	80 65%df	82 77%cdefg	69 37%	151 53%j	157 61%j	265 66%jk	362 57%	280 56%
Don't know	20 2%	11 2%	8 1%	2 1%	6 3%	2 1%	5 2%	-	1 1%	4 4%g	3 2%	5 2%	3 1%	9 2%	11 2%	9 2%

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\* small base

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**Q.21\_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**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
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Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Very involved	75 7%	42 7%	33 6%	25 7%	50 6%	73 8% <sup>f</sup>	2 1%	15 5%	16 5%	17 8%	25 11% <sup>gh</sup>	2 6%	29 7%	23 8%	24 6%
Fairly involved	395 35%	220 39% <sup>b</sup>	175 31%	145 41% <sup>d</sup>	250 32%	354 38% <sup>f</sup>	41 21%	87 31%	137 39% <sup>g</sup>	73 33%	83 35%	14 33%	177 41% <sup>n</sup>	100 35%	118 28%
Not very involved	361 32%	188 33%	173 31%	111 31%	250 32%	305 33%	56 28%	92 32%	125 36%	62 28%	71 31%	10 25%	132 31%	84 29%	145 34%
Not at all involved	281 25%	112 20%	169 30% <sup>a</sup>	70 20%	211 27% <sup>c</sup>	187 20%	94 47% <sup>e</sup>	88 31% <sup>hj</sup>	64 18%	66 30% <sup>h</sup>	50 21%	14 33% <sup>h</sup>	87 21%	73 26%	120 29% <sup>l</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
INVOLVED	470 42%	262 46% <sup>b</sup>	208 37%	171 48% <sup>d</sup>	300 39%	427 46% <sup>f</sup>	43 22%	102 36%	154 44%	91 41%	107 46% <sup>g</sup>	17 39%	205 48% <sup>n</sup>	123 43% <sup>n</sup>	142 34%
NOT INVOLVED	642 57%	300 53%	342 61% <sup>a</sup>	180 51%	461 59% <sup>c</sup>	492 53%	150 75% <sup>e</sup>	180 63% <sup>hj</sup>	189 54%	128 58%	121 52%	24 57%	220 51%	157 55%	265 63% <sup>lm</sup>
Don't know	20 2%	8 1%	11 2%	5 1%	15 2%	13 1%	7 4%	4 1%	6 2%	3 1%	5 2%	1 3%	1 *	6 2% <sup>l</sup>	12 3% <sup>l</sup>

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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

\* small base

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**Q.21\_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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Very involved	75 7%	4 7%	8 6%	6 6%	4 5%	6 6%	7 6%	17 12%k	12 7%	4 4%	3 5%	5 5%	60 6%	16 14%l
Fairly involved	395 35%	25 44%k	43 33%	23 26%	22 27%	33 37%	48 40%k	48 35%	73 43%cdk	31 32%	22 38%	27 27%	340 34%	52 48%l
Not very involved	361 32%	16 27%	34 26%	33 37%	26 33%	31 35%	37 31%	41 29%	64 38%	32 32%	16 28%	32 32%	329 33% <i>m</i>	27 24%
Not at all involved	281 25%	13 22%	41 31% <i>h</i>	28 31% <i>h</i>	24 30% <i>h</i>	17 19%	28 23% <i>h</i>	32 23% <i>h</i>	18 11%	28 29% <i>h</i>	16 28% <i>h</i>	36 36% <i>efgh</i>	265 26% <i>m</i>	15 14%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
INVOLVED	470 42%	29 51% <i>k</i>	51 39%	28 32%	26 32%	38 43%	55 46% <i>k</i>	65 47% <i>ck</i>	85 50% <i>cdk</i>	35 36%	25 43%	32 32%	400 40%	68 62% <i>l</i>
NOT INVOLVED	642 57%	28 49%	75 57%	61 68% <i>gh</i>	50 63%	47 54%	64 54%	73 52%	82 49%	60 61%	32 55%	68 68% <i>aefghj</i>	594 59% <i>m</i>	42 38%
Don't know	20 2%	-	6 4% <i>k</i>	-	4 5% <i>fk</i>	3 3%	-	2 1%	1 1%	3 3%	1 2%	-	16 2%	1 1%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.21\_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	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Very involved	75 7%	20 18%bcd	27 8%c	9 3%	18 6%c
Fairly involved	395 35%	67 59%cd	178 50%cd	109 30%d	40 14%
Not very involved	361 32%	16 15%	111 31%a	150 41%abd	83 29%a
Not at all involved	281 25%	10 9%	38 11%	90 25%ab	143 50%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
INVOLVED	470 42%	87 77%bcd	205 57%cd	118 32%d	59 20%
NOT INVOLVED	642 57%	26 23%	149 42%a	240 65%ab	226 78%abc
Don't know	20 2%	-	5 1%	9 2%	4 2%

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

\* small base

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**Q.21\_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)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Very involved	75	10	38	18	9	9	34	25	7
	7%	20%bcd	9%cd	4%	5%	17%gh	9%gh	5%	4%
Fairly involved	395	27	208	135	25	25	190	158	22
	35%	56%cd	48%cd	29%cd	14%	50%gh	51%gh	31%h	11%
Not very involved	361	5	131	179	45	11	101	193	55
	32%	11%	30%a	38%abd	25%	22%	27%	38%fh	28%
Not at all involved	281	5	51	130	95	5	39	127	110
	25%	10%	12%	28%ab	53%abc	11%	10%	25%ef	56%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
INVOLVED	470	37	246	153	34	34	225	183	29
	42%	76%bcd	57%cd	33%cd	19%	67%gh	60%gh	36%h	15%
NOT INVOLVED	642	10	181	310	141	17	140	320	165
	57%	21%	42%a	66%ab	78%abc	33%	38%	63%ef	84%efg
Don't know	20	1	4	8	5	-	7	9	2
	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	-	2%	2%	1%

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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.21\_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	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Very involved	75 7%	38 8%	16 7%	48 7%	27 6%
Fairly involved	395 35%	195 42%bd	34 15%	287 42%bd	102 24%b
Not very involved	361 32%	137 30%	62 28%	220 32%	140 33%
Not at all involved	281 25%	82 18%	107 48%acd	123 18%	154 36%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
INVOLVED	470 42%	233 50%bd	51 23%	335 49%bd	129 30%
NOT INVOLVED	642 57%	219 47%	170 76%ac	343 50%	294 68%ac
Don't know	20 2%	10 2%	4 2%	10 2%	7 2%

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**Q.21\_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	Q.112 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Very involved	75	26	12	3	2	32	2	18	21	34	65	10
	7%	7%	7%	7%	3%	7%	8%	6%	4%	11%h	7%	8%
Fairly involved	395	164	75	18	14	124	10	111	183	82	364	31
	35%	44%de	43%e	36%	28%	26%	42%	40%i	40%i	27%	36%k	24%
Not very involved	361	106	63	18	15	159	7	109	151	81	328	33
	32%	28%	36%	37%	30%	33%	29%	39%i	33%	27%	33%	25%
Not at all involved	281	77	23	10	16	155	5	36	97	104	227	54
	25%	21%	13%	20%	32%b	32%ab	22%	13%	21%g	34%gh	23%	41%j
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
INVOLVED	470	190	87	21	16	157	12	129	204	116	429	41
	42%	51%de	50%de	43%	31%	33%	50%	46%	44%	38%	43%k	31%
NOT INVOLVED	642	183	86	28	32	313	12	146	247	185	555	86
	57%	49%	49%	57%	62%	65%ab	50%	52%	54%	61%	56%	65%
Don't know	20	3	3	-	3	10	-	3	10	3	15	5
	2%	1%	2%	-	7%a	2%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%

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



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**Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Yes - where living now	943	427	516	94	152	160	180	136	121	100	171	244	217	312	555	388
	83%	82%	84%	55%	75% <sup>c</sup>	84% <sup>c</sup>	91% <sup>cde</sup>	97% <sup>cde</sup>	98% <sup>cdef</sup>	93% <sup>cde</sup>	92% <sup>klm</sup>	85% <sup>m</sup>	84%	78%	88% <sup>o</sup>	77%
Yes - another address	59	21	37	20	15	13	8	3	-	1	6	13	18	21	25	33
	5%	4%	6%	12% <sup>fghi</sup>	8% <sup>ghi</sup>	7% <sup>hi</sup>	4% <sup>h</sup>	2%	-	1%	3%	5%	7%	5%	4%	7%
No	116	63	53	52	33	14	10	2	3	2	8	25	25	58	45	71
	10%	12%	9%	31% <sup>defghi</sup>	16% <sup>efghi</sup>	7% <sup>g</sup>	5%	1%	2%	2%	4%	9%	10%	15% <sup>jk</sup>	7%	14% <sup>n</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>																
ANY YES	999	448	551	114	167	171	187	139	121	101	176	257	234	332	580	418
	88%	87%	90%	67%	83% <sup>c</sup>	90% <sup>c</sup>	95% <sup>cd</sup>	99% <sup>cde</sup>	98% <sup>cde</sup>	94% <sup>cd</sup>	95% <sup>m</sup>	90% <sup>m</sup>	90% <sup>m</sup>	83%	92% <sup>o</sup>	83%
Don't know	16	7	10	4	1	6	1	-	-	4	1	5	1	9	5	12
	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%	*	-	-	4% <sup>fgh</sup>	1%	2%	*	2%	1%	2% <sup>n</sup>

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\* small base

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**Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Yes - where living now	943	479	464	290	654	769	174	273	312	180	148	30	359	226	358
	83%	84%	83%	81%	84%	83%	87%	95%hijk	90%ijk	81%j	64%	70%	84%	79%	85%m
Yes - another address	59	37	22	25	34	55	3	4	16	8	26	4	24	22	12
	5%	6%	4%	7%	4%	6%l	2%	1%	5%g	4%	11%ghi	9%g	6%	8%n	3%
No	116	53	63	36	80	99	17	6	18	29	55	7	40	33	43
	10%	9%	11%	10%	10%	11%	9%	2%	5%	13%gh	24%ghi	18%gh	9%	11%	10%
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>															
ANY YES	999	513	486	314	685	822	177	277	326	188	174	33	383	246	370
	88%	90%	87%	88%	88%	88%	89%	97%ijk	94%ijk	85%j	75%	79%	90%	86%	88%
Don't know	16	4	13	5	11	11	6	3	4	4	4	1	3	7	6
	1%	1%	2%a	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%l	1%

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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

\* small base

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**Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Yes - where living now	943	54	115	81	69	72	103	101	134	78	50	86	855	80
	83%	93%gh	88%g	91%gh	86%g	81%	86%g	72%	79%	80%	88%g	86%g	85% <sup>m</sup>	73%
Yes - another address	59	1	6	3	4	6	3	11	14	5	2	3	53	6
	5%	2%	5%	4%	5%	7%	3%	8%	9% <sup>k</sup>	5%	4%	3%	5%	5%
No	116	3	7	3	7	7	11	27	18	15	5	11	91	22
	10%	5%	6%	4%	9%	8%	9%	19% <sup>abcejk</sup>	11%	16% <sup>bc</sup>	8%	11%	9%	20% <sup>l</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>														
ANY YES	999	55	119	84	73	78	106	112	148	83	53	89	905	86
	88%	95% <sup>g</sup>	90% <sup>g</sup>	95% <sup>g</sup>	91%	88%	89%	79%	88%	84%	92% <sup>g</sup>	88% <sup>g</sup>	90% <sup>m</sup>	78%
Don't know	16	-	6	1	-	3	2	2	2	-	-	1	13	2
	1%	-	4%	2%	-	4%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	2%

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	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Yes - where living now	943	106	325	299	213
	83%	93%cd	91%cd	81%d	73%
Yes - another address	59	5	17	22	15
	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%
No	116	3	17	41	55
	10%	2%	5%	11%ab	19%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY YES	999	110	339	320	227
	88%	98%cd	95%cd	87%d	78%
Don't know	16	-	2	6	7
	1%	-	1%	2%	2%

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

\* small base

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**Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Yes - where living now	943	42	392	399	110	45	338	426	134
	83%	87% <sup>d</sup>	91% <sup>cd</sup>	85% <sup>d</sup>	61%	90% <sup>h</sup>	91% <sup>gh</sup>	83% <sup>h</sup>	68%
Yes - another address	59	3	16	28	12	4	11	36	8
	5%	6%	4%	6%	7%	8%	3%	7% <sup>f</sup>	4%
No	116	3	23	39	51	1	22	44	50
	10%	7%	5%	8%	28% <sup>abc</sup>	2%	6%	9%	25% <sup>efg</sup>
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>									
ANY YES	999	45	407	425	123	49	349	459	142
	88%	93% <sup>d</sup>	94% <sup>cd</sup>	90% <sup>d</sup>	68%	98% <sup>h</sup>	94% <sup>gh</sup>	90% <sup>h</sup>	72%
Don't know	16	-	2	7	6	-	1	9	4
	1%	-	*	1%	3% <sup>b</sup>	-	*	2%	2%

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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.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Yes - where living now	943	432	148	631	304
	83%	94%bd	66%	92%bd	71%
Yes - another address	59	15	16	30	29
	5%	3%	7%a	4%	7%a
No	116	11	51	27	86
	10%	2%	23%ac	4%	20%ac
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>					
ANY YES	999	447	164	658	333
	88%	97%bd	73%	96%bd	77%
Don't know	16	3	10	3	12
	1%	1%	4%ac	*	3%ac

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**Q.22 As far as you know, is your name on the electoral register, that is, the official list of people entitled to vote, either where you are living now or somewhere else?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Yes - where living now	943	334	160	45	34	369	20	234	402	255	943	-
	83%	89%de	91%de	93%de	67%	77%	84%	84%	87%	84%	94%k	-
Yes - another address	59	17	13	1	1	26	-	20	22	14	59	-
	5%	5%	7%	1%	3%	5%	-	7%	5%	5%	6%k	-
No	116	24	3	3	16	71	4	21	34	33	-	116
	10%	6%b	2%	6%	30%abce	15%ab	16%	8%	7%	11%	-	88%j
<b>SUMMARY CODE</b>												
ANY YES	999	350	171	46	36	395	20	252	423	269	999	-
	88%	93%de	98%de	94%d	70%	82%d	84%	91%	92%	89%	100%k	-
Don't know	16	*	1	-	-	15	-	5	4	1	-	16
	1%	*	1%	-	-	3%a	-	2%	1%	*	-	12%j

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**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
A great deal of interest	288 25%	157 30% <sup>b</sup>	131 21%	26 15%	34 17%	47 25% <sup>c</sup>	54 27% <sup>cd</sup>	53 38% <sup>cdei</sup>	47 38% <sup>cde</sup>	26 25%	95 51% <sup>klm</sup>	79 28% <sup>lm</sup>	48 18%	66 16%	196 31% <sup>o</sup>	92 18%
Some interest	524 46%	229 44%	295 48%	71 42%	99 49%	92 49%	101 51%	60 42%	52 42%	50 46%	76 41%	145 50%	133 51% <sup>m</sup>	170 43%	294 47%	230 46%
Not much interest	191 17%	78 15%	113 18%	42 25% <sup>efg</sup>	37 18% <sup>g</sup>	25 13%	30 15%	14 10%	23 19%	20 19%	14 7%	40 14% <sup>j</sup>	41 16% <sup>j</sup>	96 24% <sup>kl</sup>	81 13%	110 22% <sup>n</sup>
No interest at all	125 11%	51 10%	73 12%	31 18% <sup>fhi</sup>	30 15% <sup>fh</sup>	26 14% <sup>fh</sup>	13 7%	14 10% <sup>h</sup>	2 1%	8 8% <sup>h</sup>	1 1%	21 7% <sup>j</sup>	36 14% <sup>jk</sup>	67 17% <sup>jk</sup>	58 9%	66 13%
Don't know	5 *	3 1%	2 *	1 *	1 1%	-	-	-	-	3 3% <sup>ef</sup>	-	2 1%	1 1%	1 *	1 *	3 1%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/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



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**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
A great deal of interest	288 25%	144 25%	144 26%	79 22%	208 27%	252 27% <sup>f</sup>	35 18%	99 35% <sup>ij</sup>	103 29% <sup>ij</sup>	34 15%	42 18%	9 22%	107 25%	75 26%	106 25%
Some interest	524 46%	286 50% <sup>b</sup>	238 42%	174 49%	350 45%	439 47%	85 42%	130 45%	174 50%	98 44%	103 44%	18 43%	205 48%	122 43%	197 47%
Not much interest	191 17%	81 14%	110 20% <sup>a</sup>	55 15%	136 18%	139 15%	52 26% <sup>ee</sup>	45 16%	41 12%	54 24% <sup>gh</sup>	41 18%	9 22%	73 17%	53 18%	65 15%
No interest at all	125 11%	59 10%	66 12%	48 13%	77 10%	99 11%	25 13%	10 4%	29 8% <sup>g</sup>	34 15% <sup>gh</sup>	46 20% <sup>gh</sup>	5 13% <sup>g</sup>	42 10%	33 12%	50 12%
Don't know	5 *	1 *	3 1%	-	5 1%	2 *	3 1% <sup>ee</sup>	1 *	2 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	3 1%	2 *

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\* small base

## Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?

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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
A great deal of interest	288	13	28	21	21	26	31	39	37	28	14	30	255	29
	25%	22%	22%	24%	26%	29%	26%	28%	22%	28%	25%	30%	25%	27%
Some interest	524	31	68	34	39	40	58	58	84	35	29	48	463	56
	46%	54%	52%i	38%	49%	46%	49%	41%	50%i	35%	51%i	47%	46%	51%
Not much interest	191	10	28	23	7	11	19	20	34	20	9	10	175	14
	17%	17%	22%dk	26%dek	9%	12%	16%	14%	20%k	20%k	15%	10%	17%	13%
No interest at all	125	4	5	11	13	10	11	22	14	17	5	12	113	10
	11%	7%	4%	13%b	16%b	12%	9%	15%b	8%	17%cb	9%	12%b	11%	9%
Don't know	5	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	-
	*	-	1%	-	-	2%	-	1%	-	-	-	1%	*	-

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\* small base

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**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
A great deal of interest	288 25%	90 80%bcd	131 37%cd	42 11%	24 8%
Some interest	524 46%	21 18%	191 53%ad	215 59%ad	96 33%a
Not much interest	191 17%	1 1%	32 9%a	78 21%ab	78 27%ab
No interest at all	125 11%	*	3 1%	30 8%ab	91 31%abc
Don't know	5 *	-	1 *	1 *	1 *

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
A great deal of interest	288 25%	44 91%bcd	175 40%cd	61 13%d	8 5%	43 86%fgh	161 43%gh	69 14%h	14 7%
Some interest	524 46%	3 7%	207 48%ad	270 57%abd	43 24%a	5 9%	181 49%eh	286 56%eh	53 27%e
Not much interest	191 17%	1 1%	40 9%	95 20%ab	56 31%abc	2 4%	23 6%	111 22%ef	55 28%ef
No interest at all	125 11%	* 1%	9 2%	43 9%b	72 40%abc	* 1%	6 1%	44 9%f	74 38%efg
Don't know	5 *	- -	1 *	1 *	1 *	- -	1 *	1 *	1 *

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\* small base

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**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
A great deal of interest	288 25%	186 40%bcd	29 13%	226 33%bd	59 14%
Some interest	524 46%	199 43%	81 36%	331 48%b	191 44%
Not much interest	191 17%	56 12%	49 22%ac	92 13%	95 22%ac
No interest at all	125 11%	18 4%	65 29%acd	37 5%	85 20%ac
Don't know	5 *	3 1%	1 *	3 *	1 *

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**Q.23 How much interest do you take in news and current affairs?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
A great deal of interest	288	99	75	8	10	96	6	103	112	62	272	15
	25%	26%e	43%acde	16%	19%	20%	24%	37%hi	24%	21%	27%k	12%
Some interest	524	184	85	30	17	208	14	132	235	126	483	41
	46%	49%	48%	61%de	34%	43%	58%	47%	51%i	42%	48%k	31%
Not much interest	191	62	12	6	16	95	2	29	84	62	162	29
	17%	17%b	7%	11%	30%abc	20%b	8%	10%	18%g	20%g	16%	22%
No interest at all	125	30	2	6	7	80	2	14	28	54	80	44
	11%	8%b	1%	11%b	14%b	17%ab	10%	5%	6%	18%gh	8%	33%j
Don't know	5	-	1	-	1	2	-	1	1	-	1	3
	*	-	1%	-	3%a	*	-	1%	*	-	*	3%j

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**Q.24 Summary table: To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable	Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on	I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view	I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views	When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally
Unweighted Base	1128	1128	1128	1128	1128
Weighted Base	1132	1132	1132	1132	1132
Effective Base	944	944	944	944	944
Strongly agree	62 6%	198 18%	135 12%	309 27%	40 4%
Tend to agree	179 16%	423 37%	466 41%	419 37%	157 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	255 23%	355 31%	246 22%	293 26%
Tend to disagree	324 29%	166 15%	131 12%	87 8%	355 31%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	89 8%	45 4%	70 6%	286 25%

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**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	62 6%	19 4%	44 7%a	15 9%	7 4%	11 6%	9 4%	10 7%	7 6%	5 4%	5 3%	20 7%l	6 2%	31 8%j	32 5%	31 6%
Tend to agree	179 16%	68 13%	112 18%a	19 11%	31 15%	33 17%	27 14%	21 15%	25 21%	23 21%c	26 14%	48 17%	38 15%	67 17%	102 16%	77 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	148 29%	178 29%	64 37%fgh	67 33%gh	61 32%gh	50 26%	29 21%	24 19%	31 29%	30 16%	63 22%	93 36%jk	140 35%k	147 23%	179 36%n
Tend to disagree	324 29%	159 31%	165 27%	47 28%	60 30%	49 25%	64 33%	38 27%	38 31%	27 25%	75 40%klm	77 27%	72 28%	101 25%	194 31%	130 26%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	125 24%b	115 19%	25 15%	35 18%	38 20%	47 24%	44 31%cde	29 24%	22 20%	50 27%m	79 28%lm	51 19%	60 15%	155 25%o	85 17%

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\* small base



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**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	62 6%	23 4%	39 7%	14 4%	48 6%	46 5%	16 8%	11 4%	11 3%	21 9%gh	18 8%h	1 3%	21 5%	11 4%	30 7%
Tend to agree	179 16%	84 15%	95 17%	56 16%	123 16%	137 15%	42 21%ee	48 17%	55 16%	37 17%	31 13%	9 20%	73 17%	45 16%	62 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	175 31%	151 27%	110 31%	216 28%	256 28%	70 35%	68 24%	92 26%	81 37%gh	72 31%	13 30%	97 23%	102 36%l	127 30%l
Tend to disagree	324 29%	175 31%	149 27%	109 31%	215 28%	283 30%f	41 20%	84 29%	112 32%	54 24%	64 27%	10 25%	158 37%mn	63 22%	102 24%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	112 20%	127 23%	66 19%	173 22%	209 22%	31 16%	75 26%i	78 22%i	30 13%	48 20%	9 22%	77 18%	65 23%	98 23%

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\* small base

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**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	62 6%	1 2%	10 8%	3 4%	5 6%	4 5%	10 8%j	6 4%	5 3%	8 9%	1 1%	8 8%hj	54 5%	9 8%
Tend to agree	179 16%	8 15%	25 19%	16 18%	12 15%	10 11%	14 11%	20 14%	33 20%	13 13%	13 22%	15 15%	159 16%	19 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	17 29%	34 26%	29 33%	24 30%	21 24%	38 32%	56 40%behijk	44 26%	25 26%	13 23%	23 23%	289 29%	33 30%
Tend to disagree	324 29%	20 35%g	35 27%	21 24%	22 28%	29 33%g	38 32%g	26 19%	57 34%gk	38 39%gk	16 28%	21 21%	296 29%	27 24%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	11 19%	27 20%	20 22%	16 20%	23 26%	20 17%	32 23%	29 17%	14 14%	15 26%	33 33%bfghi	212 21%	23 21%

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**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	62 6%	5 4%	13 4%	25 7%	19 7%
Tend to agree	179 16%	8 7%	53 15%	65 18%a	53 18%a
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	8 7%	72 20%a	130 35%ab	114 39%ab
Tend to disagree	324 29%	38 34%d	131 37%cd	97 26%	58 20%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	55 48%bcd	90 25%cd	50 14%	45 16%

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

\* small base

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**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	62	*	17	27	17	1	14	31	16
	6%	1%	4%	6%	10%b	2%	4%	6%	8%f
Tend to agree	179	3	56	95	26	6	46	89	38
	16%	6%	13%	20%ab	14%	11%	12%	17%	20%f
Neither agree nor disagree	326	6	76	163	80	4	70	170	81
	29%	12%	18%	35%ab	44%abc	8%	19%	33%ef	41%ef
Tend to disagree	324	15	152	123	34	20	125	145	34
	29%	31%	35%cd	26%	19%	40%h	34%h	28%h	17%
Strongly disagree	240	24	130	62	23	20	117	77	27
	21%	50%bcd	30%cd	13%	13%	39%gh	31%gh	15%	14%

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)				
	Total	Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Strongly agree	62 6%	19 4%	18 8%a	32 5%	30 7%
Tend to agree	179 16%	62 13%	36 16%	106 15%	73 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	94 20%	86 38%ac	159 23%	162 38%ac
Tend to disagree	324 29%	145 31%bd	48 22%	217 31%bd	101 23%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	141 31%bd	37 16%	176 26%bd	64 15%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_01 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When people argue about politics, I feel uncomfortable**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	62 6%	22 6%	7 4%	3 7%	3 7%	26 5%	2 8%	15 5%	24 5%	16 5%	51 5%	11 8%
Tend to agree	179 16%	55 15%	34 19%	8 16%	4 8%	78 16%	5 20%	48 17%	72 16%	41 14%	165 17%	14 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	326 29%	90 24%	33 19%	12 24%	19 37%b	173 36%ab	3 13%	67 24%	128 28%	99 32%g	264 26%	62 47%j
Tend to disagree	324 29%	115 31%	63 36%e	16 32%	13 26%	117 24%	7 30%	96 34%	129 28%	81 27%	297 30%k	27 20%
Strongly disagree	240 21%	93 25%e	39 22%	10 20%	11 22%	87 18%	7 30%	53 19%	110 24%	66 22%	221 22%	19 14%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	198 18%	67 13%	131 21% <sup>a</sup>	30 18%	32 16%	31 16%	24 12%	31 22% <sup>f</sup>	28 23% <sup>f</sup>	22 21%	18 10%	37 13%	49 19% <sup>j</sup>	94 23% <sup>jk</sup>	102 16%	96 19%
Tend to agree	423 37%	188 36%	235 38%	57 34%	78 39%	70 37%	85 43% <sup>g</sup>	42 30%	48 38%	44 41%	57 31%	128 45% <sup>jm</sup>	101 39%	137 34%	246 39%	177 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	123 24%	132 22%	55 32% <sup>fgh</sup>	56 28% <sup>fgh</sup>	48 25% <sup>gh</sup>	37 19%	20 14%	18 15%	22 20%	28 15%	49 17%	67 26% <sup>jk</sup>	111 28% <sup>jk</sup>	114 18%	141 28% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	166 15%	83 16%	84 14%	20 12%	26 13%	26 14%	36 18%	23 17%	21 17%	14 13%	60 32% <sup>klm</sup>	45 16% <sup>m</sup>	25 10%	36 9%	108 17% <sup>o</sup>	58 12%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	57 11% <sup>b</sup>	32 5%	8 5%	10 5%	16 8%	16 8%	24 17% <sup>cdefhi</sup>	9 7%	6 6%	22 12% <sup>m</sup>	28 10% <sup>m</sup>	17 6%	22 5%	60 9% <sup>o</sup>	29 6%

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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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	198 18%	79 14%	120 21%a	60 17%	138 18%	141 15%	58 29%e	52 18%h	37 11%	54 24%h	44 19%h	11 27%h	71 17%	46 16%	81 19%
Tend to agree	423 37%	216 38%	207 37%	146 41%	277 36%	347 37%	76 38%	106 37%	150 43%ij	73 33%	77 33%	16 38%	167 39%	92 32%	165 39%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	133 23%	122 22%	80 23%	175 23%	208 22%	47 23%	49 17%	70 20%	69 31%gh	58 25%	9 21%	79 18%	79 28%l	98 23%
Tend to disagree	166 15%	94 16%	73 13%	49 14%	118 15%	154 17%f	12 6%	53 19%ik	57 16%i	18 8%	36 15%i	2 5%	78 18%n	38 13%	50 12%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	49 9%	40 7%	21 6%	68 9%	82 9%f	7 4%	26 9%i	34 10%i	7 3%	18 8%i	4 9%	31 7%	31 11%n	26 6%

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\* small base



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**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	198 18%	11 19%h	21 16%h	20 23%h	14 18%h	22 25%h	15 13%	26 18%h	11 7%	20 20%h	13 23%h	24 24%fh	180 18%	18 16%
Tend to agree	423 37%	24 42%	48 37%	36 40%	27 34%	27 30%	48 41%g	38 27%	77 46%egi	30 31%	24 41%g	42 42%g	381 38%	39 35%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	13 22%	26 20%	18 20%	19 24%	19 22%	34 28%jk	46 32%bjk	43 25%jk	20 20%	7 12%	13 13%	223 22%	30 27%
Tend to disagree	166 15%	8 15%	21 16%	8 9%	12 15%	15 17%	15 12%	15 11%	30 18%	20 20%	9 16%	13 13%	145 14%	17 15%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	1 2%	16 12%h	7 8%	7 9%	6 6%	7 6%	16 11%h	7 4%	8 9%	5 8%	9 9%	81 8%	7 6%

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\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	198 18%	10 9%	38 11%	72 20%ab	79 27%abc
Tend to agree	423 37%	25 22%	142 40%ad	168 46%ad	87 30%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	11 10%	65 18%	83 23%a	94 32%abc
Tend to disagree	166 15%	35 31%cd	81 23%cd	31 8%	19 6%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	32 28%bcd	32 9%cd	13 3%	12 4%

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\* small base

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**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	198	5	40	106	48	4	31	101	62
	18%	10%	9%	23%b	27%ab	8%	8%	20%f	32%efg
Tend to agree	423	11	151	211	50	7	123	243	49
	37%	24%	35%	45%abd	28%	14%	33%e	47%efh	25%
Neither agree nor disagree	255	4	77	107	66	4	67	119	64
	23%	8%	18%	23%a	37%abc	8%	18%	23%e	33%efg
Tend to disagree	166	13	110	36	9	20	96	38	12
	15%	26%cd	25%cd	8%	5%	40%gh	26%gh	7%	6%
Strongly disagree	89	16	55	10	7	15	55	10	9
	8%	33%bcd	13%cd	2%	4%	29%fgh	15%gh	2%	4%

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**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)				
	Total	Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Strongly agree	198 18%	76 17%	52 23% <sup>c</sup>	107 16%	90 21% <sup>c</sup>
Tend to agree	423 37%	162 35%	64 29%	262 38% <sup>b</sup>	158 37%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	73 16%	79 35% <sup>ac</sup>	127 18%	124 29% <sup>ac</sup>
Tend to disagree	166 15%	97 21% <sup>bd</sup>	14 6%	130 19% <sup>bd</sup>	33 8%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	53 12% <sup>d</sup>	15 7%	63 9%	26 6%

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**Q.24\_02 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**Sometimes politics & government seem so complicated that a person like me cannot really understand what is going on**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	198 18%	67 18%b	18 10%	5 9%	12 23%b	97 20%b	5 23%	23 8%	80 17%g	69 23%g	170 17%	28 21%
Tend to agree	423 37%	139 37%	75 43%	16 33%	22 42%	171 36%	6 24%	96 35%	211 46%gi	93 31%	387 39%k	35 27%
Neither agree nor disagree	255 23%	74 20%	31 18%	13 27%	11 21%	126 26%ab	7 31%	58 21%	84 18%	81 27%h	203 20%	53 40%j
Tend to disagree	166 15%	60 16%	38 21%de	12 25%de	4 7%	53 11%	* 2%	73 26%hi	55 12%	38 12%	156 16%k	10 8%
Strongly disagree	89 8%	34 9%	14 8%	3 5%	3 6%	35 7%	5 20%	28 10%	32 7%	23 8%	82 8%	7 5%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	135 12%	64 12%	71 12%	15 9%	29 14%	16 9%	26 13%	27 19% <sup>cei</sup>	14 12%	8 7%	27 14%	41 14%	27 10%	40 10%	85 14%	49 10%
Tend to agree	466 41%	226 44%	240 39%	61 36%	73 36%	87 45%	93 47% <sup>cd</sup>	56 40%	56 45%	41 38%	97 52% <sup>lm</sup>	130 45% <sup>m</sup>	105 40%	135 34%	282 45% <sup>o</sup>	184 37%
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	141 27%	215 35% <sup>a</sup>	67 40% <sup>igh</sup>	68 34%	67 35%	53 27%	35 25%	30 24%	36 33%	36 19%	70 24%	94 36% <sup>jk</sup>	155 39% <sup>jk</sup>	173 28%	182 36% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	131 12%	67 13%	65 11%	21 12%	23 11%	12 6%	20 10%	14 10%	21 17% <sup>e</sup>	20 18% <sup>ee</sup>	21 11%	36 12%	25 10%	49 12%	71 11%	61 12%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	21 4%	23 4%	7 4%	8 4%	9 5%	6 3%	9 6%	3 3%	3 3%	6 3%	11 4%	8 3%	20 5%	19 3%	25 5%

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/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

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**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	135 12%	65 11%	69 12%	41 12%	93 12%	114 12%	20 10%	34 12%	49 14%	25 11%	25 11%	1 3%	43 10%	40 14%	52 12%
Tend to agree	466 41%	251 44%	215 38%	146 41%	320 41%	397 43%	69 34%	123 43%j	166 48%ij	85 38%	74 32%	19 45%	205 48%mn	92 32%	168 40%m
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	176 31%	180 32%	119 33%	237 31%	283 30%	72 36%	75 26%	100 29%	76 34%	88 38%gh	15 37%	108 25%	112 39%l	136 32%l
Tend to disagree	131 12%	58 10%	73 13%	38 11%	94 12%	101 11%	30 15%	42 15%h	27 8%	27 12%	28 12%	6 14%	52 12%	27 9%	53 13%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	21 4%	24 4%	12 3%	33 4%	36 4%	9 4%	11 4%	7 2%	9 4%	18 8%h	* 1%	19 4%	14 5%	11 3%

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**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	135 12%	6 10%	19 15%j	13 14%j	8 10%	16 18%hj	14 12%	20 14%hj	12 7%	8 9%	2 4%	16 16%hj	116 12%	17 15%
Tend to agree	466 41%	35 61%cegik	59 45%g	32 36%	34 42%g	33 37%	52 44%g	38 27%	80 48%g	36 37%	28 49%g	39 39%g	427 42%m	37 33%
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	12 20%	40 31%	28 32%	20 24%	26 30%	36 30%	60 43%adjk	56 33%	32 33%	13 23%	31 31%	312 31%	39 35%
Tend to disagree	131 12%	4 7%	10 7%	12 13%	13 16%	10 12%	14 12%	11 7%	17 10%	18 18%bg	12 21%abghk	11 10%	118 12%	11 10%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	1 2%	4 3%	4 5%	6 7%	3 3%	2 2%	12 9%fh	4 2%	3 3%	2 3%	4 4%	36 4%	7 6%

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\* small base



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**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	135 12%	23 21%cd	55 15%cd	31 9%	25 9%
Tend to agree	466 41%	52 46%d	182 51%d	159 43%d	72 25%
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	20 17%	70 19%	121 33%ab	143 49%abc
Tend to disagree	131 12%	11 10%	43 12%	48 13%	29 10%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	7 6%c	10 3%	7 2%	21 7%bc

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	135	14	69	44	8	13	54	54	14
	12%	30%bcd	16%cd	9%	4%	25%gh	15%h	10%	7%
Tend to agree	466	16	205	205	39	22	183	223	37
	41%	34%	47%d	44%d	22%	45%h	49%h	44%h	19%
Neither agree nor disagree	355	11	87	155	101	7	84	160	103
	31%	23%	20%	33%b	56%abc	14%	23%	31%ef	52%efg
Tend to disagree	131	4	53	57	17	7	39	58	27
	12%	9%	12%	12%	10%	15%	10%	11%	14%
Strongly disagree	45	2	18	10	14	1	12	17	15
	4%	5%	4%	2%	8%c	2%	3%	3%	8%fg

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

***I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view***

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)				
	Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Strongly agree	135 12%	81 18%bd	20 9%	102 15%d	33 8%
Tend to agree	466 41%	205 44%bd	70 31%	308 45%bd	157 36%
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	105 23%	103 46%ac	172 25%	176 41%ac
Tend to disagree	131 12%	55 12%	17 7%	86 12%	43 10%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	15 3%	14 6%	22 3%	23 5%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_03 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I usually find it easy to see political issues from other people's point of view**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	135 12%	51 14%	24 14%	5 10%	8 15%	47 10%	4 16%	34 12%	50 11%	43 14%	128 13%k	6 5%
Tend to agree	466 41%	171 46%e	87 50%e	19 39%	20 39%	169 35%	12 51%	140 50%i	202 44%i	100 33%	436 44%k	29 22%
Neither agree nor disagree	355 31%	91 24%	43 25%	17 35%	15 30%	188 39%ab	5 23%	74 27%	135 29%	100 33%	291 29%	64 49%j
Tend to disagree	131 12%	43 12%	19 11%	6 13%	6 11%	57 12%	2 8%	23 8%	61 13%	36 12%	110 11%	22 16%
Strongly disagree	45 4%	19 5%b	2 1%	1 3%	3 5%	20 4%	* 2%	6 2%	13 3%	25 8%gh	33 3%	11 8%j

Fieldwork : 14/12/2012 - 18/12/2012 (Week 50) Hansard Society/TNS-BMRB

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

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

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political 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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	309 27%	151 29%	158 26%	34 20%	54 27%	47 24%	55 28%	42 30%	48 39% <sup>cde</sup>	30 28%	57 31%	87 30%	61 24%	105 26%	186 30%	123 25%
Tend to agree	419 37%	188 36%	231 38%	64 38%	68 34%	72 38%	84 43%	48 34%	48 39%	34 32%	94 51% <sup>lm</sup>	118 41% <sup>lm</sup>	81 31%	126 32%	239 38%	180 36%
Neither agree nor disagree	246 22%	106 20%	140 23%	45 27% <sup>h</sup>	53 26% <sup>h</sup>	48 25% <sup>h</sup>	37 19% <sup>h</sup>	26 18% <sup>h</sup>	11 9%	27 25% <sup>h</sup>	16 9%	48 17% <sup>j</sup>	70 27% <sup>jk</sup>	112 28% <sup>jk</sup>	116 18%	130 26% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	87 8%	37 7%	50 8%	18 11%	17 8%	13 7%	11 5%	9 6%	9 7%	10 10%	10 6%	18 6%	26 10%	33 8%	43 7%	44 9%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	35 7%	35 6%	9 5%	10 5%	10 5%	10 5%	16 12% <sup>d</sup>	9 7%	6 6%	9 5%	15 5%	22 8%	24 6%	46 7%	24 5%

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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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)	
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	309	146	163	86	223	257	52	80	99	57	65	8	109	71	130
	27%	26%	29%	24%	29%	28%	26%	28%	28%	26%	28%	19%	26%	25%	31%
Tend to agree	419	231	188	141	279	355	64	113	143	68	76	18	183	90	146
	37%	41%b	34%	40%	36%	38%	32%	40%	41%i	31%	33%	42%	43%mn	31%	35%
Neither agree nor disagree	246	121	125	84	163	194	52	45	66	64	62	9	79	80	88
	22%	21%	22%	24%	21%	21%	26%	16%	19%	29%gh	26%g	22%	19%	28%ln	21%
Tend to disagree	87	40	47	27	60	70	17	24	20	23	18	3	30	29	28
	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%	9%	8%	6%	10%	8%	6%	7%	10%	7%
Strongly disagree	70	32	38	18	51	55	14	23	20	10	12	5	24	17	28
	6%	6%	7%	5%	7%	6%	7%	8%	6%	4%	5%	11%	6%	6%	7%

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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  
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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political 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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	309 27%	21 36%gi	38 29%i	33 37%ghi	25 31%i	19 22%	36 30%i	28 20%	37 22%	14 14%	24 41%eghi	35 35%eghi	286 28%m	23 21%
Tend to agree	419 37%	23 39%	60 46%egk	30 34%	31 39%	27 30%	39 33%	39 28%	74 44%gk	46 47%egk	18 32%	31 31%	376 37%	38 34%
Neither agree nor disagree	246 22%	8 15%	23 18%	19 21%	18 22%	21 24%	30 25%k	43 31%abjk	38 23%	24 24%	8 14%	14 14%	208 21%	34 31%l
Tend to disagree	87 8%	1 2%	6 4%	3 3%	5 6%	11 12%	7 6%	18 12%bc	16 10%	6 6%	5 8%	11 11%bc	79 8%	8 8%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	4 7%	5 4%	5 5%	1 2%	11 13%bdh	7 5%	13 9%h	3 2%	9 9%h	3 5%	10 10%bdh	61 6%	7 6%

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\* small base

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**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	309 27%	32 28%	129 36%cd	85 23%	63 22%
Tend to agree	419 37%	51 45%d	152 42%d	147 40%d	69 24%
Neither agree nor disagree	246 22%	9 8%	44 12%	85 23%ab	106 37%abc
Tend to disagree	87 8%	8 7%	22 6%	30 8%	26 9%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	13 11%b	12 3%	19 5%	26 9%b

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

\* small base



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**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	309	15	143	126	25	15	126	132	36
	27%	31% <sup>d</sup>	33% <sup>d</sup>	27% <sup>d</sup>	14%	30%	34% <sup>gh</sup>	26%	18%
Tend to agree	419	22	181	179	37	25	146	201	47
	37%	46% <sup>d</sup>	42% <sup>d</sup>	38% <sup>d</sup>	21%	50% <sup>h</sup>	39% <sup>h</sup>	39% <sup>h</sup>	24%
Neither agree nor disagree	246	2	50	102	90	3	51	104	87
	22%	5%	12%	22% <sup>ab</sup>	50% <sup>abc</sup>	6%	14%	20% <sup>ef</sup>	44% <sup>efg</sup>
Tend to disagree	87	1	32	43	11	1	26	45	15
	8%	2%	7%	9%	6%	2%	7%	9%	7%
Strongly disagree	70	8	25	21	16	6	22	30	12
	6%	16% <sup>bc</sup>	6%	4%	9% <sup>c</sup>	11%	6%	6%	6%

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\* small base

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**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)				
	Total	Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Strongly agree	309 27%	162 35%bd	52 23%	214 31%bd	96 22%
Tend to agree	419 37%	174 38%b	54 24%	277 40%bd	138 32%
Neither agree nor disagree	246 22%	63 14%	84 37%ac	104 15%	136 32%ac
Tend to disagree	87 8%	30 6%	16 7%	53 8%	31 7%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	33 7%	19 9%	41 6%	29 7%

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**Q.24\_04 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**I do not take it personally when someone disagrees with my political views**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	309 27%	107 29%	52 29%	12 24%	19 36%	120 25%	6 26%	70 25%	150 32%i	70 23%	290 29%k	20 15%
Tend to agree	419 37%	142 38%	80 46%e	22 46%	18 35%	157 33%	6 26%	115 41%	177 38%	101 33%	383 38%k	36 27%
Neither agree nor disagree	246 22%	59 16%	28 16%	10 21%	11 22%	138 29%ab	6 26%	59 21%	80 17%	75 25%h	194 19%	52 39%j
Tend to disagree	87 8%	40 11%e	10 6%	2 4%	3 7%	32 7%	3 12%	22 8%	33 7%	27 9%	72 7%	15 12%
Strongly disagree	70 6%	27 7%	6 4%	3 5%	- -	34 7%	2 10%	12 4%	23 5%	32 10%gh	60 6%	10 7%

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

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

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**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Strongly agree	40 4%	20 4%	20 3%	11 6% <sup>f</sup>	6 3%	5 3%	3 2%	4 3%	5 4%	5 5%	7 4%	13 5%	5 2%	14 4%	23 4%	17 3%
Tend to agree	157 14%	75 14%	82 13%	21 12%	29 14%	36 19%	23 12%	21 15%	15 12%	12 11%	19 10%	40 14%	44 17%	54 14%	77 12%	80 16%
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	133 26%	160 26%	61 36% <sup>efgh</sup>	66 33% <sup>fgh</sup>	47 25%	38 19%	28 20%	22 17%	31 29%	26 14%	53 18%	82 32% <sup>ijk</sup>	131 33% <sup>ijk</sup>	145 23%	147 29% <sup>n</sup>
Tend to disagree	355 31%	167 32%	189 31%	45 26%	57 28%	51 27%	70 36%	45 32%	49 40% <sup>ce</sup>	38 36%	74 40% <sup>lm</sup>	104 36% <sup>l</sup>	63 24%	115 29%	211 33%	145 29%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	124 24%	162 26%	33 19%	44 22%	52 27%	62 31% <sup>cdi</sup>	43 30% <sup>c</sup>	33 26%	21 20%	59 32% <sup>m</sup>	77 27%	65 25%	85 21%	175 28%	112 22%

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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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Strongly agree	40 4%	14 2%	27 5%	9 2%	31 4%	31 3%	9 5%	9 3%	8 2%	9 4%	11 5%	2 6%	10 2%	15 5%l	15 4%
Tend to agree	157 14%	93 16%b	64 11%	57 16%	100 13%	126 14%	31 16%	33 11%	47 13%	35 16%	36 15%	7 16%	54 13%	40 14%	63 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	141 25%	152 27%	101 28%	191 25%	236 25%	57 28%	62 22%	84 24%	67 30%	70 30%	10 23%	91 21%	87 30%l	115 27%
Tend to disagree	355 31%	180 31%	176 31%	106 30%	249 32%	296 32%	60 30%	107 37%ij	119 34%i	56 25%	62 27%	11 27%	159 37% <sup>m</sup>	70 24%	127 30%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	143 25%	143 25%	82 23%	204 26%	244 26%	43 21%	74 26%	91 26%	55 25%	54 23%	12 28%	112 26%	74 26%	100 24%

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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

\* small base

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**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Strongly agree	40 4%	4 7%h	3 2%	6 6%	3 4%	1 1%	3 2%	11 8%eh	2 1%	1 1%	1 2%	5 5%	31 3%	9 8%l
Tend to agree	157 14%	10 17%	22 17%	11 13%	10 13%	9 10%	12 10%	20 14%	30 18%	10 10%	9 15%	14 14%	134 13%	23 21%l
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	2 3%	32 24%a	21 23%a	16 20%a	27 30%ak	41 35%adjk	51 36%adjk	42 25%a	34 34%ajk	10 18%a	18 18%a	255 25%	33 30%
Tend to disagree	355 31%	20 34%	41 31%	27 30%	25 31%	24 27%	37 31%	29 21%	67 40%gk	32 33%	25 44%egk	28 28%	328 32%gk	23 21%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	22 39%ghij	34 26%	25 28%h	26 32%h	28 32%h	26 22%	30 21%	27 16%	21 21%	12 21%	36 36%fghij	261 26%gk	22 20%

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Strongly agree	40 4%	4 4%	11 3%	13 4%	11 4%
Tend to agree	157 14%	10 9%	45 12%	66 18%a	35 12%
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	8 7%	56 16%a	107 29%ab	118 41%abc
Tend to disagree	355 31%	31 27%	140 39%ad	122 33%d	63 22%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	59 52%bcd	107 30%cd	59 16%	62 21%

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

\* small base

**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Strongly agree	40	1	13	13	12	1	14	11	14
	4%	3%	3%	3%	7% <sup>c</sup>	3%	4%	2%	7% <sup>g</sup>
Tend to agree	157	5	52	75	24	7	42	82	27
	14%	11%	12%	16%	13%	14%	11%	16%	14%
Neither agree nor disagree	293	6	66	130	89	8	56	134	93
	26%	12%	15%	28% <sup>ab</sup>	50% <sup>abc</sup>	15%	15%	26% <sup>f</sup>	48% <sup>efg</sup>
Tend to disagree	355	12	162	158	25	12	143	175	26
	31%	24%	37% <sup>d</sup>	33% <sup>d</sup>	14%	23%	39% <sup>h</sup>	34% <sup>h</sup>	13%
Strongly disagree	286	24	138	94	30	23	117	110	36
	25%	50% <sup>bcd</sup>	32% <sup>cd</sup>	20%	17%	45% <sup>gh</sup>	32% <sup>gh</sup>	21%	19%

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

\* small base



**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)				
	Total	Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
Strongly agree	40 4%	19 4%	8 3%	24 3%	16 4%
Tend to agree	157 14%	52 11%	31 14%	94 14%	63 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	84 18%	84 38%ac	136 20%	148 34%ac
Tend to disagree	355 31%	149 32%b	51 23%	239 35%bd	113 26%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	158 34%bd	50 22%	196 28%d	90 21%

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**Q.24\_05 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements...**

**When I'm in a group, I often go along with what the majority decides is best, even if it is not what I want personally**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE		
	Total	Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Strongly agree	40 4%	17 5%	6 3%	1 3%	2 5%	13 3%	1 6%	8 3%	16 3%	11 3%	36 4%	4 3%
Tend to agree	157 14%	55 15%	26 15%	6 12%	4 8%	67 14%	3 14%	39 14%	65 14%	42 14%	142 14%	15 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	293 26%	77 20%	34 19%	15 31%	21 40%ab	147 31%ab	5 23%	68 24%	100 22%	83 27%	230 23%	63 47%aj
Tend to disagree	355 31%	119 32%	63 36%	22 45%de	12 24%	140 29%	9 40%	98 35%	156 34%	84 28%	326 33%k	29 22%
Strongly disagree	286 25%	108 29%c	47 27%c	4 9%	12 24%	115 24%c	4 18%	65 23%	125 27%	84 28%	265 27%k	21 16%

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?**

**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/ divrcd/ sprtd (o)
Unweighted Base	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	76 15%	96 16%	35 20% <i>fgh</i>	33 16%	33 17%	22 11%	16 11%	13 11%	19 18%	21 11%	41 14%	40 15%	70 17%	95 15%	76 15%
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	411 79%	467 76%	115 68%	151 75%	148 78% <i>c</i>	168 85% <i>cdi</i>	115 82% <i>c</i>	104 84% <i>c</i>	78 73%	161 87% <i>lm</i>	237 83% <i>m</i>	203 78% <i>m</i>	278 70%	500 79%	378 75%
Don't know	82 7%	31 6%	50 8%	20 12% <i>ef</i>	17 9%	9 5%	8 4%	10 7%	7 5%	10 9%	4 2%	9 3%	17 6%	52 13% <i>kl</i>	34 5%	47 9% <i>n</i>

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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

\* small base

## Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA			
	Total	In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	84 15%	88 16%	63 18%	109 14%	140 15%	31 16%	39 14%	46 13%	45 20%h	36 15%	6 14%	59 14%	45 16%	67 16%
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	454 80%	425 76%	270 76%	609 78%	736 79%f	143 71%	232 81%ij	290 83%ij	157 71%	167 72%	33 78%	341 80%	215 75%	323 77%
Don't know	82 7%	33 6%	48 9%	23 6%	58 8%	56 6%	26 13%e	15 5%	12 3%	21 9%h	31 13%gh	3 8%	26 6%	25 9%	30 7%

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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

\* small base

## Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	6 10%	13 10%	12 13%	19 24% <sup>b</sup>	13 15%	16 13%	26 19%	30 18%	12 12%	12 21% <sup>b</sup>	13 13%	146 15%	23 21% <sup>l</sup>
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	48 83%	113 86% <sup>deghj</sup>	73 82%	58 73%	63 72%	98 82%	100 71%	126 75%	78 79%	42 73%	79 79%	789 78%	82 74%
Don't know	82 7%	4 7%	6 4%	4 5%	3 3%	12 13% <sup>b</sup>	6 5%	14 10%	13 7%	8 9%	4 6%	9 9%	74 7%	5 5%

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)			
		Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	18 16%	51 14%	49 13%	54 19%
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	93 82% <sup>d</sup>	298 83% <sup>d</sup>	298 81% <sup>d</sup>	188 65%
Don't know	82 7%	2 2%	11 3%	20 6%	47 16% <sup>abc</sup>

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

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**Audit of Political Engagement 10 Omnibus Survey: December 2012 (QS8724/QS8725 - 230750)**

**Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	7 14%	63 15%	60 13%	41 23%abc	8 17%	51 14%	70 14%	43 22%fg
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	41 85%d	358 83%d	380 81%d	100 56%	41 82%h	314 84%h	408 80%h	115 59%
Don't know	82 7%	1 1%	11 3%	30 6%b	38 21%abc	1 1%	7 2%	34 7%f	38 20%efg

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

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## Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	VOTING LIKELIHOOD (Q.3)			
		Certainly will (a)	Certainly will not (b)	Likely (c)	Unlikely (d)
Unweighted Base	1128	465	212	699	416
Weighted Base	1132	462	224	689	431
Effective Base	944	389	182	582	353
The best decisions are made by leaders who follow their instincts rather than consulting widely	171 15%	58 12%	45 20%ac	92 13%	78 18%a
The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	381 83%bd	145 64%	565 82%bd	307 71%
Don't know	82 7%	23 5%	35 16%ac	32 5%	46 11%ac



## Q.25 Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Base: All aged 18 or above

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
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The best decisions are made by leaders who try to seek agreement from all interested groups	879 78%	310 83%e	140 80%	42 86%	39 76%	347 72%	19 80%	223 80%	373 81%	232 76%	797 80%k	81 61%
Don't know	82 7%	16 4%	7 4%	2 4%	8 15%ab	49 10%ab	2 8%	5 2%	27 6%g	22 7%g	54 5%	28 21%j

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Definitely more interested	78 7%	42 8%	35 6%	10 6%	7 4%	19 10%d	16 8%	14 10%d	6 5%	6 6%	13 7%	18 6%	19 7%	27 7%	36 6%	42 8%
Probably more interested	325 29%	148 28%	177 29%	42 25%	63 31%	59 31%	64 33%	39 28%	33 26%	25 23%	54 29%	86 30%	73 28%	111 28%	187 30%	137 27%
Probably less interested	357 32%	163 31%	194 32%	57 33%	73 36%	62 33%	62 31%	37 26%	34 27%	31 29%	63 34%	93 32%	88 34%	112 28%	213 34%	144 29%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	121 23%	145 24%	36 21%	35 17%	38 20%	43 22%	41 29%d	43 35%cd	30 28%	47 26%	59 20%	62 24%	98 24%	148 24%	117 23%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
MORE INTERESTED	402 36%	190 37%	212 35%	52 30%	70 35%	77 41%	80 41%	53 38%	39 31%	31 29%	68 37%	105 37%	92 36%	137 34%	223 35%	179 36%
LESS INTERESTED	622 55%	283 55%	339 55%	93 55%	108 54%	100 52%	105 53%	78 55%	77 62%	61 57%	111 60%	151 53%	150 58%	210 52%	361 57%	261 52%
Don't know	107 9%	45 9%	62 10%	25 15%efh	23 11%	13 7%	12 6%	10 7%	8 7%	15 14%f	7 4%	31 11%j	17 7%	53 13%j	45 7%	62 12%n

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	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
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Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Definitely more interested	78 7%	33 6%	45 8%	21 6%	56 7%	67 7%	11 5%	23 8%	14 4%	23 10%h	16 7%	2 5%	29 7%	23 8%	26 6%
Probably more interested	325 29%	173 30%	151 27%	130 37%d	195 25%	274 29%	50 25%	75 26%	112 32%	66 30%	59 25%	13 32%	143 34%m	68 24%	113 27%
Probably less interested	357 32%	197 35%b	159 28%	114 32%	243 31%	301 32%	56 28%	85 30%	121 35%	59 27%	78 33%	13 30%	130 30%	97 34%	130 31%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	123 22%	142 25%	54 15%	212 27%c	208 22%	58 29%	80 28%	77 22%	52 24%	47 20%	9 21%	98 23%	68 24%	99 24%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
<b>MORE INTERESTED</b>	402 36%	207 36%	196 35%	151 43%d	251 32%	341 37%	61 31%	98 34%	126 36%	89 40%	75 32%	15 37%	172 40%mn	91 32%	139 33%
<b>LESS INTERESTED</b>	622 55%	321 56%	301 54%	168 47%	454 59%c	509 55%	113 57%	165 58%	198 57%	112 50%	125 54%	21 50%	228 53%	165 58%	229 55%
Don't know	107 9%	43 8%	64 11%a	37 10%	70 9%	82 9%	26 13%	23 8%	24 7%	22 10%	33 14%gh	5 13%	26 6%	30 10%	51 12%l

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved 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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
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Probably less interested	357 32%	16 27%	40 30%	34 38%k	33 41%fik	33 37%	29 24%	43 31%	63 37%fk	24 25%	18 32%	24 24%	317 31%	38 34%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	20 34%eh	38 29%e	21 23%	16 20%	13 14%	27 23%	35 25%	31 19%	19 19%	15 26%	32 32%ehi	246 24%m	20 18%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
<b>MORE INTERESTED</b>	402 36%	22 39%	42 32%	28 31%	26 32%	30 34%	41 34%	50 36%	64 38%	47 48%bk	20 34%	33 33%	351 35%	43 39%
<b>LESS INTERESTED</b>	622 55%	35 61%	78 59%i	54 61%i	49 61%i	45 51%	56 47%	78 55%	94 56%	43 44%	34 59%	56 56%	563 56%	57 52%
Don't know	107 9%	- -	12 9%a	7 8%	6 7%	14 15%ah	22 19%adghj	12 9%a	11 6%	8 9%	4 7%a	11 11%a	95 9%	10 9%

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

Total	INTEREST IN POLITICS (Q.6)				
	Very (a)	Fairly (b)	Not very (c)	Not at all (d)	
Unweighted Base	1128	110	372	354	290
Weighted Base	1132	113*	359	367	290
Effective Base	944	93	306	301	242
Definitely more interested	78 7%	19 17%bcd	24 7%	21 6%	13 5%
Probably more interested	325 29%	38 33%d	119 33%d	111 30%d	56 19%
Probably less interested	357 32%	29 25%	114 32%	128 35%	87 30%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	23 21%	80 22%	75 21%	87 30%bc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
MORE INTERESTED	402 36%	57 50%cd	143 40%d	132 36%d	69 24%
LESS INTERESTED	622 55%	52 46%	194 54%	203 55%	173 60%a
Don't know	107 9%	4 4%	22 6%	32 9%	47 16%abc

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

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
Unweighted Base	1128	53	429	464	181	52	384	492	199
Weighted Base	1132	48*	432	471	180	50*	372	512	196
Effective Base	944	42	358	392	151	43	316	419	165
Definitely more interested	78 7%	12 24%bcd	34 8%	24 5%	8 5%	13 25%fgh	37 10%gh	19 4%	9 5%
Probably more interested	325 29%	12 24%	154 36%cd	134 29%d	25 14%	13 27%h	131 35%h	156 31%h	24 12%
Probably less interested	357 32%	13 27%	122 28%	174 37%bd	48 27%	15 30%	103 28%	178 35%f	60 31%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	11 22%	98 23%	95 20%	62 35%abc	8 15%	83 22%	108 21%	67 34%efg
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
MORE INTERESTED	402 36%	23 48%d	188 44%cd	158 34%d	33 18%	26 52%gh	169 45%gh	175 34%h	33 17%
LESS INTERESTED	622 55%	24 49%	220 51%	268 57%	110 61%b	23 45%	186 50%	286 56%	127 65%ef
Don't know	107 9%	1 3%	23 5%	44 9%b	37 20%abc	1 3%	17 5%	51 10%f	37 19%efg

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	ORDER IN WHICH QUESTIONS APPEARED	
		26 first (a)	27 first (b)
Unweighted Base	1128	554	574
Weighted Base	1132	557	575
Effective Base	944	464	481
Definitely more interested	78 7%	49 9%b	28 5%
Probably more interested	325 29%	192 34%b	133 23%
Probably less interested	357 32%	147 26%	210 37%a
Definitely less interested	265 23%	123 22%	142 25%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>			
MORE INTERESTED	402 36%	241 43%b	161 28%
LESS INTERESTED	622 55%	270 48%	352 61%a
Don't know	107 9%	46 8%	61 11%

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**Q.26 If politics were MORE influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.1/2 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
Unweighted Base	1128	413	162	42	51	460	26	271	462	300	980	148
Weighted Base	1132	375	175	49*	51*	481	24**	278	461	304	999	133
Effective Base	944	331	140	38	43	393	21	228	388	252	827	117
Definitely more interested	78 7%	36 10%b	7 4%	2 4%	3 5%	30 6%	1 4%	15 6%	26 6%	32 11%gh	71 7%	7 5%
Probably more interested	325 29%	126 34%e	62 35%e	11 23%	11 21%	115 24%	7 28%	91 33%	139 30%	80 26%	300 30%k	24 18%
Probably less interested	357 32%	118 32%	55 32%	16 33%	17 34%	149 31%	10 41%	101 36%i	152 33%	78 26%	316 32%	40 30%
Definitely less interested	265 23%	69 18%	40 23%	18 37%a	12 24%	126 26%a	5 22%	49 18%	109 24%	95 31%gh	234 23%	32 24%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
MORE INTERESTED	402 36%	162 43%de	69 39%e	13 27%	13 26%	145 30%	8 32%	107 38%	165 36%	112 37%	372 37%k	31 23%
LESS INTERESTED	622 55%	187 50%	95 54%	34 70%a	30 58%	275 57%	15 63%	149 54%	262 57%	173 57%	550 55%	72 54%
Don't know	107 9%	26 7%	11 6%	1 3%	8 16%abc	61 13%ab	1 5%	22 8%	34 7%	18 6%	78 8%	30 22%j

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**Q.27 If politics were LESS influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**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	1128	533	595	167	217	198	196	138	114	98	176	293	255	404	627	501
Weighted Base	1132	518	614	170	201	191	197	141	124	108*	186	287	259	400	630	502
Effective Base	944	439	505	140	174	161	165	117	100	86	150	243	214	337	526	418
Definitely more interested	126 11%	58 11%	68 11%	13 8%	16 8%	28 15%di	33 17%cdi	18 13%i	16 13%i	3 2%	36 20%klm	26 9%	23 9%	40 10%	66 10%	60 12%
Probably more interested	451 40%	204 39%	247 40%	63 37%	87 43%	74 39%	89 45%i	52 37%	52 42%	34 31%	88 47%lm	147 51%lm	88 34%	128 32%	268 43%	183 36%
Probably less interested	296 26%	139 27%	157 26%	49 29%	53 27%	55 29%	45 23%	33 23%	25 20%	37 34%h	39 21%	57 20%	90 35%jk	110 27%k	161 26%	135 27%
Definitely less interested	137 12%	69 13%	69 11%	18 11%	21 11%	17 9%	17 9%	23 16%	20 16%	21 20%def	12 7%	24 8%	39 15%jk	63 16%jk	81 13%	56 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>																
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	262 51%	315 51%	76 44%	102 51%i	102 54%i	122 62%cdi	71 50%i	68 55%i	36 34%	124 67%lm	173 60%lm	111 43%	169 42%	334 53%	243 48%
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	207 40%	226 37%	67 39%	75 37%	71 37%	62 31%	55 39%	45 37%	58 53%cddefgh	51 28%	81 28%	129 50%jk	172 43%jk	242 38%	191 38%
Don't know	122 11%	49 9%	73 12%	27 16%f	24 12%	17 9%	13 7%	15 11%	11 9%	14 13%	10 5%	33 11%j	20 8%	59 15%j	54 9%	67 13%n

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**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	WORKING STATUS		CHILDREN IN H/HOLD		INTERNET ACCESS		TENURE					TYPE OF AREA		
		In work (a)	Not in work (b)	Any (c)	None (d)	Any (e)	None (f)	Owned outright (g)	Bought mortgage (h)	Rent local authority (i)	Rent privately (j)	Other (k)	Urban (l)	Semi Rural (m)	Rural (n)
Unweighted Base	1128	574	554	369	759	934	194	264	335	228	249	52	372	329	427
Weighted Base	1132	570	561	356	776	932	200	286	348	222	233	42*	426	286	419
Effective Base	944	478	467	301	644	779	165	232	285	188	200	41	330	257	361
Definitely more interested	126 11%	71 12%	55 10%	33 9%	92 12%	114 12% <sup>f</sup>	12 6%	35 12%	38 11%	20 9%	27 12%	5 11%	41 10%	36 13%	48 11%
Probably more interested	451 40%	238 42%	213 38%	139 39%	312 40%	397 43% <sup>f</sup>	54 27%	110 38%	154 44% <sup>i</sup>	71 32%	101 43% <sup>i</sup>	15 36%	189 44% <sup>n</sup>	110 38%	152 36%
Probably less interested	296 26%	160 28%	136 24%	112 32% <sup>d</sup>	183 24%	231 25%	65 33% <sup>e</sup>	70 24%	103 30% <sup>j</sup>	64 29%	47 20%	12 28%	114 27%	64 22%	118 28%
Definitely less interested	137 12%	50 9%	87 15% <sup>a</sup>	31 9%	107 14% <sup>c</sup>	95 10%	43 21% <sup>e</sup>	46 16% <sup>h</sup> <sup>j</sup>	28 8%	39 17% <sup>h</sup> <sup>j</sup>	20 9%	4 10%	50 12%	43 15%	45 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>															
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	309 54% <sup>b</sup>	268 48%	172 48%	404 52%	511 55% <sup>f</sup>	66 33%	145 51%	192 55% <sup>i</sup>	92 41%	128 55% <sup>i</sup>	20 47%	230 54%	146 51%	200 48%
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	211 37%	222 40%	143 40%	290 37%	325 35%	108 54% <sup>e</sup>	116 40% <sup>j</sup>	131 38% <sup>j</sup>	102 46% <sup>j</sup>	68 29%	16 39%	164 38%	106 37%	163 39%
Don't know	122 11%	51 9%	71 13%	40 11%	81 10%	95 10%	27 13%	26 9%	25 7%	28 12% <sup>h</sup>	37 16% <sup>g</sup> <sup>h</sup>	6 14%	33 8%	33 12%	56 13% <sup>l</sup>

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**Q.27 If politics were LESS influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

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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	1128	42	100	69	64	76	102	184	150	73	89	179	867	252
Weighted Base	1132	58*	132*	89*	80*	88*	119*	141	168	99*	57*	101	1009	110
Effective Base	944	42	96	65	59	67	91	137	130	71	88	176	789	249
Definitely more interested	126 11%	4 7%	15 12%	11 13%	7 9%	10 12%	10 9%	23 16%i	20 12%	6 6%	7 13%	11 11%	107 11%	17 16%l
Probably more interested	451 40%	27 47%	46 35%	33 37%	35 44%	35 40%	46 39%	50 35%	75 45%	38 39%	29 51%bgk	37 37%	404 40%	43 39%
Probably less interested	296 26%	20 34%	37 28%	24 27%	22 27%	18 20%	31 26%	31 22%	47 28%	30 31%	13 23%	24 24%	265 26%	29 26%
Definitely less interested	137 12%	6 10%	20 15%fj	13 15%j	10 13%	14 15%fj	7 5%	22 15%fj	17 10%	11 11%	3 5%	16 15%fj	123 12%	13 11%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>														
<b>MORE INTERESTED</b>	577 51%	31 54%	61 46%	44 49%	42 53%	46 52%	56 47%	72 51%	95 57%	44 45%	37 64%bfik	48 48%	510 51%	60 55%
<b>LESS INTERESTED</b>	433 38%	25 44%	57 43%j	37 41%	32 40%	31 35%	38 32%	52 37%	64 38%	42 42%	16 28%	39 39%	389 38%	42 38%
Don't know	122 11%	1 2%	14 10%	8 9%	6 7%	12 13%	25 21%abdhj	16 12%	9 5%	13 13%	5 8%	13 13%ah	110 11%	8 8%

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Definitely less interested	137 12%	8 7%	25 7%	43 12%b	61 21%abc
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>					
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	73 65%cd	224 63%cd	180 49%cd	97 34%
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	31 28%	115 32%	152 41%ab	135 47%ab
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	Total	KNOWLEDGE OF POLITICS (Q.7)				KNOWLEDGE OF UK PARLIAMENT (Q.7)			
		Great deal (a)	Fair amount (b)	Not very much (c)	Nothing at all (d)	Great deal (e)	Fair amount (f)	Not very much (g)	Nothing at all (h)
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<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>									
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	32 66%cd	259 60%cd	238 51%d	48 26%	26 51%h	244 66%gh	246 48%h	61 31%
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	12 25%	148 34%	182 39%	92 51%abc	19 38%	112 30%	208 41%f	94 48%f
Don't know	122 11%	4 9%	25 6%	51 11%b	40 22%abc	6 11%	16 4%	58 11%f	40 21%fg

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<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>			
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	225 40%	352 61%a
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	276 50%b	157 27%
Don't know	122 11%	57 10%	65 11%

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**Q.27 If politics were LESS influenced by self-serving politicians and powerful special interests do you think that you would be more or less interested in getting involved in politics?**

**Base: All aged 18 or above**

	Total	Q.12 VOTING INTENTION					OPINION ON PRESENT SYSTEM OF GOVERNING BRITAIN				WHETHER REGISTERED TO VOTE	
		Labour (a)	Conservative (b)	Liberal Democrat (c)	Undecided (d)	Other (e)	Works extremely well (f)	Mainly works well (g)	Could be improved quite a lot (h)	Needs great deal of improvement (i)	Yes (j)	No/Don't know (k)
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Definitely more interested	126 11%	50 13%	19 11%	7 14%	7 13%	43 9%	1 6%	28 10%	61 13%	34 11%	115 12%	11 8%
Probably more interested	451 40%	151 40%	77 44%	26 53%	18 35%	179 37%	13 55%	128 46%i	199 43%i	99 33%	417 42%k	34 26%
Probably less interested	296 26%	100 27%	55 32%	11 23%	10 20%	119 25%	5 20%	76 27%	120 26%	85 28%	263 26%	33 25%
Definitely less interested	137 12%	44 12%	14 8%	3 7%	4 8%	72 15%b	3 14%	16 6%	46 10%	65 21%gh	114 11%	23 17%
<b>SUMMARY CODES</b>												
MORE INTERESTED	577 51%	201 53%	97 55%	33 67%e	25 48%	222 46%	14 61%	155 56%i	260 56%i	133 44%	532 53%k	45 34%
LESS INTERESTED	433 38%	144 38%	69 40%	15 30%	14 28%	191 40%	8 34%	92 33%	166 36%	149 49%gh	377 38%	56 42%
Don't know	122 11%	31 8%	10 5%	1 3%	12 24%abc	67 14%ab	1 5%	31 11%	35 8%	21 7%	90 9%	31 24%j

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