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PAGE 1

BASE: All

In which of the following regions do you live?

East Anglia
East Midlands
Greater London
North
North West
Scotland
South East
South West
Wales
West Midlands
Yorkshire & Humberside

PAGE 2

BASE: All

What is your gender?

Male
Female

PAGE 3

BASE: All

Which is your year of birth?

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| 1986 | route page=5 |
| 1987 | route page=5 |
| 1988 | route page=5 |
| 1989 | route page=5 |
| Abstain | |

PAGE 4

BASE: Those who selected abstain

In that case, could you say which age band you would fall into?

18 to 24

25 to 39

40 to 54

55 or over

PAGE 5

BASE: All

Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with Mr. Brown as Prime Minister?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

PAGE 6

BASE: All

If there were a General Election tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

Conservative [route](#)page=10

Labour [route](#)page=10

The Liberal Democrats [route](#)page=10

None – won't vote / never vote [route](#)page=8

Other party [route](#)page=7

Don't know [route](#)page=8

PAGE 7

BASE: Those who said other party

You say you would vote for another party. Which, if any, of the following would you vote for?

Scottish National Party [route](#)page=10

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|--|---|
| Plaid Cymru | route page=10 |
| Green Party | route page=10 |
| United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP) | route page=10 |
| British National Party (BNP) | route page=10 |
| Other party | route page=8 |

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BASE: Those who said other party at page 7

Which party would you be most inclined to vote for?

| | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Conservative | route page=10 |
| Labour | route page=10 |
| The Liberal Democrats | route page=10 |
| None – won't vote / never vote | route page=10 |
| Other party | route page=9 |
| Don't know | route page=10 |

PAGE 9

BASE: Those who said other party at page 8

You say you would be most inclined to vote for one of the other parties. Which, if any, of the following would you be most inclined to vote for?

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|--|
| Scottish National Party |
| Plaid Cymru |
| Green Party |
| United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP) |
| British National Party (BNP) |
| Other party |
| Don't know |

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BASE: All

Did you vote in the General Election held on the 5th May 2005, or were you prevented?

| | |
|--|---|
| Yes, I voted | |
| No, I chose not to vote | route page=13 |
| No, I was prevented from voting | route page=13 |
| Not old enough to vote in 2005 Elections | route page=13 |

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BASE: All who voted

For which party did you vote?

| | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Conservative | route page=13 |
| Labour | route page=13 |
| The Liberal Democrats | route page=13 |
| None – won't vote / never vote | route page=13 |
| Other party | route page=12 |
| Don't know | route page=13 |

PAGE 12

BASE: All who voted for some other party

You say you voted for another party. Which, if any, of the following parties did you vote for?

Scottish National Party
Plaid Cymru
Green Party
Other party
Don't know

PAGE 13

BASE: All

Who would make the best Prime Minister?

Gordon Brown
David Cameron
Nick Clegg
Don't know

PAGE 14

BASE: All

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

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know

PAGE 15

BASE: All

Do you think that the Government has, on balance, been honest and trustworthy, or not?

Yes – honest and trustworthy
No – not honest and trustworthy
Don't know

PAGE 16

BASE: All

How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months? Will it:

Get a lot better
Get a little better
Stay the same
Get a little worse
Get a lot worse

PAGE 17

BASE: All

If Britain were in economic difficulties, which party do you think could handle the problem best – the Conservative Party or the Labour Party?

Conservatives
Labour
Neither
Don't know

PAGE 18

BASE: All

How do you think the general economic situation in this country has changed over the last 12 months? Has it:

Got a lot better
Got a little better
Stayed the same
Got a little worse
Got a lot worse
Don't know

PAGE 19

BASE: All

How do you think the general economic situation in this country will develop over the next 12 months? Will it:

Get a lot better
Get a little better
Stay the same
Get a little worse
Get a lot worse
Don't know

PAGE 20

BASE: All

How does the financial situation of your household now compare with what it was 12 months ago? Has it:

Got a lot better
Got a little better
Stayed the same
Got a little worse
Got a lot worse
Don't know

PAGE 21

BASE: All

Using a scale from 0 to 10 where 10 means a complete success, and 0 means a complete failure, how would you rate the war against Iraq?

10 – A complete success

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – A complete failure

Don't know

PAGE 22

BASE: All

Using a scale from 0 to 10 where 10 means very likely, and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that the war against terrorism will be won in the next few years?

10 – Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 23

BASE: All

Please tell me whether you strongly approve, approve, disapprove, or strongly disapprove of Britain's involvement in the war with Iraq.

Strongly approve

Approve

Disapprove

Strongly disapprove

Don't know

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 24

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about Gordon Brown?

10 – Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Strongly dislike

Don't know

PAGE 25

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about David Cameron?

10 – Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Strongly dislike

Don't know

PAGE 26

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about Nick Clegg?

10 – Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Strongly dislike

Don't know

[End Block]

PAGE 27

BASE: All

Thinking of the Single European Currency (the Euro), which of the following would come closest to your own view? Do you think Britain should:

Definitely join

Wait and see how it develops

Definitely stay out

Don't know

PAGE 28

BASE: All

Which one of the following do you think affects the general economic situation in this country most?

- The British Government
- The European Union
- Both equally
- Neither
- Don't know

PAGE 29

BASE: All

Overall, do you strongly approve, approve, disapprove, or strongly disapprove of Britain's membership in the European Union?

- Strongly approve
- Approve
- Disapprove
- Strongly disapprove
- Don't know

PAGE 30

BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the country's general economic situation? (Please tick up to FOUR)[MULTICODE]

[Validate.RestrictedMulticode\(p30q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four"\)](#)

[Answer Block: Rotate]

- Angry
- Happy
- Disgusted
- Hopeful
- Uneasy
- Confident
- Afraid
- Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [\[clearothers\]](#)

Don't know [\[clearothers\]](#)

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BASE: All

Thinking of the same list of feelings, do any of them describe your feelings about the financial situation of your household? (Please tick up to FOUR)[MULTICODE]

[Validate.RestrictedMulticode\(p31q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four"\)](#)

- Angry
- Happy
- Disgusted
- Hopeful
- Uneasy
- Confident
- Afraid
- Proud

No feelings [clearothers]
Don't know [clearothers]

PAGE 32

BASE: All

Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as Conservative, Labour, Liberal Democrat or what?

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Conservative | routepage=34 |
| Labour | routepage=34 |
| Liberal Democrat | routepage=34 |
| Plaid Cymru | routepage=34 |
| Scottish Nationalist | routepage=34 |
| Green | routepage=34 |
| United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP) | routepage=34 |
| British National Party (BNP) | routepage=34 |
| Other Party | routepage=34 |
| No – none | routepage=33 |
| Don't know | routepage=33 |

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BASE: Those who said none or don't know above

Do you generally think of yourself as a little closer to one of the parties than the others? If yes, please say which party?

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Conservative | |
| Labour | |
| Liberal Democrat | |
| Plaid Cymru | |
| Scottish Nationalist | |
| Green | |
| United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP) | |
| British National Party (BNP) | |
| Other Party | |
| No - none | routepage=35 |
| Don't know | routepage=35 |

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Else

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End If

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[TEXTLINE]

BASE: All who selected option 1 to 8 on page 32

Would you call yourself very strongly, fairly strongly, or not very strongly [=p34q1]?

Very strongly
Fairly strongly
Not very strongly
Don't know

PAGE 35

BASE: All

**On a scale from 0 to 10, how much attention do you pay to politics and public affairs?
(where 10 means a great deal of attention and 0 means no attention)**

10 – Pay great deal of attention

9

8

7

6

5

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3

2

1

0 – Pay no attention to politics

Don't know

PAGE 36

BASE: All

**On a scale from 0 to 10, how much influence do you have on politics and public affairs?
(where 10 means a great deal of influence and 0 means no influence)**

10 – have a great deal of influence on politics

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – have no influence on politics at all

Don't know

PAGE 37

BASE: All

**Think for a moment about whether people with whom you have contact can be trusted.
Use the 0 to 10 scale again, where 10 means definitely can be trusted and 0 means
definitely cannot be trusted.**

10 – People definitely can be trusted

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – People definitely cannot be trusted

Don't know

PAGE 38

BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Now, a few questions about how active you are in politics and community affairs. Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you will:

[End Adhoc]

Vote in the next general election

10 – Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 39

BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you will:

[End Adhoc]

Vote in the next election for the European Parliament

10 – Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 40

BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you will:

[End Adhoc]

Work actively with a group of people to address a public issue or solve a problem (for example, like getting involved in a neighbourhood watch)

10 – Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 41

BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you will:

[End Adhoc]

Participate in a protest, like a rally or a demonstration, to show your concern about a public issue or problem

10 – Very likely

9

8

7

6

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4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Let's think about the next few years. Using a scale from 0 to 10, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you will:

[End Adhoc]

Be active in a voluntary organisation, like a community association, a charity group, or a sports club

10 – Very likely

9

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4

3

2

1

0 – Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 43

BASE: All

Over the past few years, has anyone asked you to get involved in politics or community affairs?

Yes – I have been asked

No – I have not been asked

Don't know

PAGE 44

BASE: All

Over the past few years, have you volunteered to get involved in politics or community affairs?

Yes – I have volunteered

No – I have not volunteered

Don't know

PAGE 45

BASE: All

What do you think is the most important problem facing the country at the present time?

[TextArea]

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BASE: All

Which party is best able to handle this problem?

There are no important problems

Conservative

Labour

Liberal Democrat

Scottish National Party (SNP)

Plaid Cymru

Green Party

United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)

British National Party (BNP)

Other party

None - no party

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Please say if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

[End Adhoc]

Being active in politics and family affairs is a good way to get benefits for yourself and your family.

Agree

Disagree

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Please say if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

[End Adhoc]

It takes too much time and effort to be active in politics and public affairs

Agree

Disagree

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Please say if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

[End Adhoc]

Being active in politics and public affairs is a good way to get benefits for groups that people care about, like pensioners or the disabled

Agree

Disagree

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Please say if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

[End Adhoc]

The Government generally treats people like yourself fairly.

Agree

Disagree

Don't know

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BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Please say if you agree or disagree with the following statements.

[End Adhoc]

There is often a big gap between what people like yourself expect out of life and what you actually get.

Agree

Disagree

Don't know

PAGE 52

BASE: All

Generally speaking, how willing are you to take risks? Are you:

Very willing

Somewhat willing

Somewhat unwilling

Very unwilling

Don't know

PAGE 53

BASE: All

Thinking about how well democracy works in this country, on the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, a little dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied with the way that democracy works in this country?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

PAGE 54

BASE: All

Thinking about your life as a whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, a little dissatisfied, or very dissatisfied with your life as a whole?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 55

BASE: All

Do you think that the crime situation in Britain these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

PAGE 56

BASE: All

Do you think that Britain's education system these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

PAGE 57

BASE: All

Do you think the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

PAGE 58

BASE: All

Do you think the National Health Service these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

PAGE 59

BASE: All

Do you think the risk of terrorism to British citizens these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

PAGE 60

BASE: All

Do you think the condition of Britain's railways these days is:

- A lot better
- A little better
- The same
- A little worse
- A lot worse
- Don't know

[End Block]

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BASE: All

Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

- Britain should increase the number of asylum-seekers coming to the country
- The current number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain is about right.
- Britain should reduce the number of asylum-seekers coming to the country
- Don't know

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 62

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled the crime situation in Britain?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 63

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled Britain's education system?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 64

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 65

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled the National Health Service?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 66

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled the risk of terrorism to British citizens?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 67

BASE: All

How well do you think the present government has handled the condition of Britain's railways?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

[End Block]

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 68

BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle the crime situation in Britain?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 69

BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle Britain's education system?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 70

BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

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BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle the National Health Service?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 72

BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle the risk of terrorism to British citizens?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly
- Fairly badly
- Very badly
- Don't know

PAGE 73

BASE: All

How well do you think a Conservative government would handle the condition of Britain's railways?

- Very well
- Fairly well
- Neither well nor badly

Fairly badly
Very badly
Don't know

[End Block]

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 74

BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the crime situation in Britain? (Please tick up to FOUR)[MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p74q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

Angry
Happy
Disgusted
Hopeful
Uneasy
Confident
Afraid
Proud
No feelings [clearothers]
Don't know [clearothers]

PAGE 75

BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about Britain's education system? (Please tick up to FOUR)[MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p75q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

Angry
Happy
Disgusted
Hopeful
Uneasy
Confident
Afraid
Proud
No feelings [clearothers]
Don't know [clearothers]

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BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain? (Please tick up to FOUR) [MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p76q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Angry
Happy
Disgusted
Hopeful
Uneasy
Confident
Afraid

Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [clearothers]

Don't know [clearothers]

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BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the National Health Service? (Please tick up to FOUR) [MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p77q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Angry

Happy

Disgusted

Hopeful

Uneasy

Confident

Afraid

Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [clearothers]

Don't know [clearothers]

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BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the risk of terrorism to British citizens? (Please tick up to FOUR) [MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p78q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Angry

Happy

Disgusted

Hopeful

Uneasy

Confident

Afraid

Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [clearothers]

Don't know [clearothers]

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BASE: All

Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the condition of Britain's railways? (Please tick up to FOUR) [MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p79q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Angry

Happy

Disgusted

Hopeful

Uneasy
Confident
Afraid
Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [clearothers]

Don't know [clearothers]

[End Block]

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BASE: All

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member seek assistance from the authorities over a crime committed in your home, in your neighbourhood, or at work?

Yes

No [route=82](#)

Don't know [route=82](#)

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BASE: Those who seek assistance

Generally speaking, how satisfied were you with this assistance?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

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BASE: All

Do you or a family member have any children of school-age?

Yes

No [route=85](#)

PAGE 83

BASE: Those with children of school age

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member have any contact with school officials about your children's education?

Yes

No [route=85](#)

Don't know [route=85](#)

PAGE 84

BASE: Those who had contact with school officials

Generally speaking, how satisfied were you with this contact?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

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BASE: All

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member have any contact with asylum-seekers?

Yes

No [routepage=87](#)

Don't know [routepage=87](#)

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BASE: Those who had contact with asylum seekers

Generally speaking, how would you evaluate this contact?

Very positive

Fairly positive

A little negative

Very negative

Don't know

PAGE 87

BASE: All

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member seek or receive medical treatment (that is, from a general practitioner or a dentist, or as a hospital patient)?

Yes

No [routepage=89](#)

Don't know [routepage=89](#)

PAGE 88

BASE: Those who received medical treatment

Generally speaking, how satisfied were you with this medical treatment?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

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BASE: All

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member have any experience with the authorities' attempts to deal with the risk of terrorism (for example, airport security procedures)?

Yes

No [routepage=91](#)

Don't know [routepage=91](#)

PAGE 90

BASE: Those who had an experience with the authorities

Generally speaking, how satisfied were you with this experience?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

PAGE 91

BASE: All

During the last 12 months, did you or a family member travel by rail in Britain?

Yes

No [route=93](#)

Don't know [route=93](#)

PAGE 92

BASE: Those who travelled by rail

Generally speaking, how satisfied were you with travel by rail?

Very satisfied

Fairly satisfied

A little dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

Don't know

[\[Page Block: Random\]](#)

PAGE 93

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about the Conservative Party?

10 - Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Strongly dislike

Don't know

PAGE 94

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about the Labour Party?

10 - Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Strongly dislike

Don't know

PAGE 95

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means strongly like, and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about the Liberal Democrats?

10 - Strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Strongly dislike

Don't know

[End Block]

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 96

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the condition of the UK economy these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 97

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the crime situation in Britain these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 98

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is Britain's education system these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 99

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the number of asylum-seekers coming to Britain these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 100

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the National Health Service these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 101

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is inflation these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 102

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the risk of terrorism to British citizens these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 103

BASE: All

Using the 0-10 scale, how important a problem is the condition of Britain's railways these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

PAGE 104

BASE: All

Using the 0 - 10 scale, how important a problem is local government reform in Britain these days?

10 - Very important

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Not at all important

Don't know

[End Block]

PAGE 105

BASE: All

Regardless of how you yourself may vote, which party do you think is most likely to win the next General Election?

Conservatives

Labour

Liberal Democrats

Other Party

Don't Know

PAGE 106

BASE: All

How often do you read a daily morning newspaper?

Every day

Sometimes

Not at all

[route=108](#)

PAGE 107

BASE: Those who read daily morning newspaper

Which daily morning newspaper do you read most often?

Aberdeen Press and Journal

Daily Mail/Scottish Daily Mail

Daily Star/Daily Star of Scotland

Daily Telegraph

Express

Financial Times

Guardian

Independent

Mirror/Scottish Mirror/Daily Record

The Glasgow Herald

The Scotsman

The Sun

Times

Today
None most often
Don't know

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BASE: All

Do you, or your family, own your own home or do you rent it?

Own
Rent [route=110](#)
Neither [route=111](#)

PAGE 109

BASE: Those who own

Is your home paid for or do you have a mortgage?

Paid for [route=112](#)
Mortgage [route=112](#)

PAGE 110

BASE: Those who rent

Do you rent from a council or rent privately?

Council [route=112](#)
Privately [route=112](#)
Housing Association or Other [route=112](#)

PAGE 111

BASE: Those who do NOT own or rent

Is your home some form of accommodation such as a hostel or lodging?

Yes
No

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BASE: All

At what age did you or will you complete your full-time education?

14 or under
15
16
17 to 18
19 to 20
21 or over

PAGE 113

BASE: All

What is your marital status? Are you:

Single
Married
Living as married
Separated
Divorced
Widowed

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BASE: All

Which of these descriptions applies to you?

- In paid work
- In full-time education
- Unemployed for six months or more
- Unemployed for less than six months
- Permanently sick or disabled
- Retired
- Looking after the home
- Doing something else

PAGE 115

BASE: All

Please tell us which one of the following options best describes the sort of work you do. (If you are not working now, please tell us what you did in your last job.)

- Professional or higher technical work - work that requires at least degree-level qualifications (e.g. doctor, accountant, schoolteacher, university lecturer, social worker, systems analyst)
- Manager or Senior Administrator (e.g. company director, finance manager, personnel manager, senior sales manager, senior local government officer)
- Clerical (e.g. clerk, secretary)
- Sales or Services (e.g. commercial traveller, shop assistant, nursery nurse, care assistant, paramedic)
- Foreman or Supervisor of Other Workers (e.g. building site foreman, supervisor of cleaning workers)
- Skilled Manual Work (e.g. plumber, electrician, fitter, train driver, cook, hairdresser)
- Semi-Skilled or Unskilled Manual Work (e.g. machine operator, assembler, postman, waitress, cleaner, labourer, driver, bar-worker, call centre worker)
- Other
- Have never worked

PAGE 116

BASE: Those married or living as married

If (p113q1.Value = 2 or p113q1.Value = 2) Then

RoutePage=116

Else

RoutePage=118

End If

Which of these descriptions applies to your husband, wife or partner?

- In paid work
- In full-time education
- Unemployed for six months or more
- Unemployed for less than six months
- Permanently sick or disabled
- Retired
- Looking after the home
- Doing something else

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BASE: Those married or living as married

And please tell us which best describes the sort of work your husband, wife or partner (where appropriate) does or did.

No husband, wife or partner
Professional or higher technical work - work that requires at least degree-level qualifications (e.g. doctor, accountant, schoolteacher, university lecturer, social worker, systems analyst)
Manager or Senior Administrator (e.g. company director, finance manager, personnel manager, senior sales manager, senior local government officer)
Clerical (e.g. clerk, secretary)
Sales or Services (e.g. commercial traveller, shop assistant, nursery nurse, care assistant, paramedic)
Foreman or Supervisor of Other Workers (e.g. building site foreman, supervisor of cleaning workers)
Skilled Manual Work (e.g. plumber, electrician, fitter, train driver, cook, hairdresser)
Semi-Skilled or Unskilled Manual Work (e.g. machine operator, assembler, postman, waitress, cleaner, labourer, driver, bar-worker, call centre worker)
Other
Have never worked

PAGE 118

BASE: All

Do you belong to a trade union?

Yes

No

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BASE: Those married or living as married

If (p113q1.Value = 2 or p113q1.Value = 2) Then

RoutePage=119

Else

RoutePage=120

End If

Does your husband/wife/partner belong to a trade union?

Yes

No

PAGE 120

BASE: All

To which of these groups do you consider to belong?

White British

Any other white background

White and Black Caribbean

White and Black African

White and Asian

Any other mixed background

Indian

Pakistani

Bangladeshi

Any other Asian background

Black Caribbean

Black African

Any other black background

Chinese

Other ethnic group

Other ethnic group

PAGE 121

BASE: All

Could you tell me your total annual household income before any taxes or other deductions?

Less than £ 5000 per year

£5000 to £9999

£10 000 to £14 999

£15 000 to £19 999

£20 000 to £24 999

£25 000 to £29 999

£30 000 to £39 999

£40 000 to £49 999

£50 000 or more

Prefer not to say

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BASE: All

How much do you use the internet in a typical week?

Not very much

A fair amount

A great deal

Don't Know

[Page Block: Random]

PAGE 123

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you would EVER vote for the Conservative Party?

10 - Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 124

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you would EVER vote for the Labour Party?

10 - Very likely

9

8

7

6
5
4
3
2
1
0 - Very unlikely
Don't know

PAGE 125

BASE: All

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you would EVER vote for the Liberal Democrat Party?

10 - Very likely
9
8
7
6
5
4
3
2
1
0 - Very unlikely
Don't know

[End Block]

PAGE 126

BASE: Those who live in scotland

If p1q1.Value=1 Then

RoutePage=126

Else

RoutePage=127

End If

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is it that you would EVER vote for the Scottish Nationalist Party (SNP)?

10 - Very likely
9
8
7
6
5
4
3
2
1
0 - Very unlikely
Don't know

PAGE 127

BASE: Those who live in Wales

If p1q1.Value=9 Then

RoutePage=127

Else

RoutePage=128

End If

Using the 0 to 10 scale, where 10 means very likely and 0 means very unlikely, how likely is that that you would EVER vote Plaid Cymru?

10 - Very likely

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - Very unlikely

Don't know

PAGE 128

BASE: All

Using a scale of 0 to 10, where 10 means strongly like and 0 means strongly dislike, how do you feel about Tony Blair?

10 - strongly like

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 - strongly dislike

Don't know

PAGE 129

BASE: All

[Adhoc]

Finally, thinking about yourself, please say if you agree or disagree with the following statement

[End Adhoc]

I would be SERIOUSLY neglecting my duty as a citizen if I didn't vote

Strongly agree

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

Strongly disagree

Don't know

PAGE 130

BASE: All

Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10 where 0 means a very incompetent leader and 10 means a very competent leader, how would you describe Gordon Brown?

10 – A very competent leader

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – A very incompetent leader

Don't know

PAGE 131

BASE: All

Using a scale that runs from 0 to 10 where 0 means a very incompetent leader and 10 means a very competent leader, how would you describe David Cameron?

10 – A very competent leader

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – A very incompetent leader

Don't know

PAGE 132

BASE: All

Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate the extent to which the different leaders respond to voters' concerns. How would you describe Gordon Brown?

10 – Responds fully to voters' concerns

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – Does not respond at all to voters' concerns
Don't know

PAGE 133

BASE: All

Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate the extent to which the different leaders respond to voters' concerns. How would you describe David Cameron?

10 – Responds fully to voters' concerns

- 9
- 8
- 7
- 6
- 5
- 4
- 3
- 2
- 1

0 – Does not respond at all to voters' concerns
Don't know

PAGE 134

BASE: All

Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust Gordon Brown?

10 – A great deal of trust

- 9
- 8
- 7
- 6
- 5
- 4
- 3
- 2
- 1

0 – No trust
Don't know

PAGE 135

BASE: All

Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust David Cameron?

10 – A great deal of trust

- 9
- 8
- 7
- 6
- 5
- 4
- 3

2
1
0 – No trust
Don't know

PAGE 136

BASE: All

Now, please use the 0 to 10 scale to indicate how much trust you have for each of the party leaders, where 0 means no trust and 10 means a great deal of trust. How much do you trust Nick Clegg?

10 – A great deal of trust

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – No trust

Don't know

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[Adhoc]

Using a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'no trust' and 10 means 'a great deal of trust', how much do you trust the following:

[End Adhoc]

[grid: random]

Labour Party

Conservative Party

Liberal Democrat Party

Parliament at Westminster

Courts

Civil Service

Banks

Building Societies

The City of London

Police

10 – A great deal of trust

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

0 – No trust
Don't know
[end grid]

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Have you *personally* been affected by the financial crisis that is affecting world markets?

A great deal
Somewhat
Not much
Not at all
Don't know

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If p145q1.HasValue(1,2,3) then
RoutePage =150
Else
RoutePage =160
End if

[IF 'A GREAT DEAL', 'SOMEWHAT', OR 'NOT MUCH' TO Q. 1]

Please indicate the ways in which you have been *personally affected* by the current financial crisis. Please check all that apply: [MULTICODE]

My mortgage
My bank account
My pension fund
My investments
My weekly budget
My job
My business
My travel costs
Affected in other ways...please specify
Don't know [clearothers]

Please specify: [OPTIONAL]

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end if
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[TEXTLINE]

[Adhoc]

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[End Adhoc]

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[END JAVASCRIPT]

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Which, if any, of the following words describe your feelings about the current financial crisis? (Please tick up to FOUR)[MULTICODE]

Validate.RestrictedMulticode(p160q1, 1,4, "Please select up to four")

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Angry

Happy

Disgusted

Hopeful

Uneasy

Confident

Afraid

Proud

[End Block]

No feelings [clearothers]

Don't know [clearothers]

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How do you think the present government has handled the financial crisis?

Very well

Fairly well

Neither well nor badly

Fairly badly

Very badly

Don't know

PAGE 180

How do you think a Conservative government would have handled the current financial crisis?

Very well

Fairly well

Neither well nor badly

Fairly badly

Very badly

Don't know

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Who do you think is responsible for the current financial crisis? Please check all that you think are responsible: [MULTICODE]

[Answer Block: Rotate]

Gordon Brown

George W. Bush

The British government

The European Union

The American government

British banks

American banks
People who took out big mortgages
Oil Companies
International financiers

[End Block]

Other people or organizations. Please specify
It's nobody's fault - it just happened **[CLEAROTHERS]**
Don't Know**[CLEAROTHERS]**

Please specify: [OPTIONAL]

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[TEXTLINE]

[Adhoc]

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[End Adhoc]

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[END JAVASCRIPT]

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Gordon Brown's rescue plan for British banks involved using up to £500 billion of taxpayers money to protect the banks and to guarantee the safety of ordinary people's deposits. Do you approve or disapprove of this plan?

Strongly approve
Approve
Neither approve nor disapprove
Disapprove
Strongly disapprove
Don't know

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Using a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means 'very unlikely' and 10 means 'very likely', how likely is it that the financial crisis will be solved over the next year?

0 - Very unlikely

1
2
3
4

5

6

7

8

9

10 - Very likely

Don't know

[END]