

YouGov / Equality Network Survey Results

Sample Size: 1071 adults in Scotland (18+)
Fieldwork: 2nd - 7th January 2025

| | Vote in 2024 GE | | | | | EU ref 2016 | | Indy Ref 2014 | | Gender | | Age | | | | Social Grade | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|---------|-----|-------------|-------|---------------|-----|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-----|--------------|------|
| | Total | Con | Lab | Lib Dem | SNP | Remain | Leave | Yes | No | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-49 | 50-64 | 65+ | ABC1 | C2DE |
| Weighted Sample | 1071 | 99 | 276 | 76 | 234 | 550 | 283 | 386 | 478 | 513 | 558 | 107 | 428 | 277 | 258 | 557 | 514 |
| Unweighted Sample | 1071 | 116 | 287 | 88 | 256 | 557 | 286 | 360 | 449 | 469 | 602 | 116 | 375 | 283 | 297 | 619 | 452 |
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| It should be banned | 66 | 67 | 71 | 71 | 62 | 64 | 68 | 65 | 65 | 64 | 68 | 74 | 69 | 67 | 59 | 69 | 63 |
| It should not be banned | 13 | 13 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 13 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 14 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 16 | 13 | 14 |
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| It should be banned | 67 | 70 | 71 | 73 | 64 | 65 | 72 | 67 | 67 | 65 | 69 | 70 | 68 | 68 | 63 | 70 | 64 |
| It should not be banned | 12 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 16 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 11 | 14 | 11 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 12 |
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| | Scottish Region | | | | | | | | | Parental Status | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|---------------------|----------|---------|--|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| Total | North East Scotland | Highlands & Islands | South Scotland | West Scotland | Central | Mid-Scotland & Fife | Lothians | Glasgow | Yes, of at least one child younger than 18 years old | Yes, of at least one child 18 years old or older | No, I am neither a parent or guardian | |
| Weighted Sample 1071 | 189 | 103 | 142 | 135 | 107 | 139 | 147 | 109 | 211 | 358 | 492 | |
| Unweighted Sample 1071 | 173 | 105 | 156 | 119 | 107 | 137 | 167 | 107 | 185 | 385 | 497 | |
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