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	17 - 18 Sep	**12 - 13 Oct**																
Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date?																		
Approve	*17*	**19**	5	41	27	4	16	31	8	23	15	20	20	19	15	24	14	16
Disapprove	*60*	**58**	77	34	44	87	57	41	78	60	56	47	52	61	69	55	63	60
Don't know	*23*	**23**	18	25	29	9	28	28	14	18	29	33	28	19	16	21	22	24
Do you have a favourable or unfavourable opinion of the following?																		
Andy Burnham																		
Very favourable	*10*	**12**	2	29	15	2	10	22	4	14	11	14	13	12	10	15	12	10
Somewhat favourable	*35*	**34**	21	48	50	14	49	44	21	34	34	42	37	32	26	38	30	29
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***45***	**46**	**23**	**77**	**65**	**16**	**59**	**66**	**25**	**48**	**45**	**56**	**50**	**44**	**36**	**53**	**42**	**39**
Somewhat unfavourable	*20*	**18**	30	7	15	20	20	15	21	19	18	22	18	18	18	17	18	19
Very unfavourable	*19*	**23**	39	6	11	60	5	9	44	25	21	8	15	27	39	19	25	28
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***39***	**41**	**69**	**13**	**26**	**80**	**25**	**24**	**65**	**44**	**39**	**30**	**33**	**45**	**57**	**36**	**43**	**47**
Don't know	*17*	**13**	9	9	9	5	16	10	10	8	17	14	16	11	8	10	15	13
Donald Trump																		
Very favourable	*3*	**3**	5	1	0	11	1	1	5	4	2	1	4	4	2	2	2	4
Somewhat favourable	*7*	**7**	8	1	2	25	0	2	13	10	5	4	7	9	7	5	8	10
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***10***	**10**	**13**	**2**	**2**	**36**	**1**	**3**	**18**	**14**	**7**	**5**	**11**	**13**	**9**	**7**	**10**	**14**
Somewhat unfavourable	*12*	**11**	16	6	5	27	3	6	16	12	11	12	10	13	11	10	14	12
Very unfavourable	*73*	**75**	69	89	92	34	94	90	63	72	77	76	74	71	79	81	72	69
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***85***	**86**	**85**	**95**	**97**	**61**	**97**	**96**	**79**	**84**	**88**	**88**	**84**	**84**	**90**	**91**	**86**	**81**
Don't know	*5*	**4**	2	3	2	2	2	1	2	3	5	7	5	3	1	2	4	5

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Somewhat favourable	*35*	**34**	34	32	30	34	32	41	33
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***45***	**46**	**46**	**44**	**39**	**52**	**43**	**52**	**43**
Somewhat unfavourable	*20*	**18**	18	17	24	16	18	18	19
Very unfavourable	*19*	**23**	23	22	18	21	25	18	26
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***39***	**41**	**41**	**39**	**42**	**37**	**43**	**36**	**45**
Don't know	*17*	**13**	12	17	18	10	14	12	13
Donald Trump									
Very favourable	*3*	**3**	3	3	4	2	3	5	2
Somewhat favourable	*7*	**7**	8	6	6	8	5	6	8
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***10***	**10**	**11**	**9**	**10**	**10**	**8**	**11**	**10**
Somewhat unfavourable	*12*	**11**	11	13	10	11	14	8	12
Very unfavourable	*73*	**75**	75	71	77	76	73	76	74
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***85***	**86**	**86**	**84**	**87**	**87**	**87**	**84**	**86**
Don't know	*5*	**4**	4	8	3	2	6	4	4

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	14 - 15 Apr	**12 - 13 Oct**																
Benjamin Netanyahu																		
Very favourable	*2*	**2**	3	1	0	7	0	1	4	3	1	0	2	2	3	2	1	3
Somewhat favourable	*6*	**6**	12	2	2	18	1	2	12	9	3	2	3	8	11	6	6	7
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***8***	**8**	**15**	**3**	**2**	**25**	**1**	**3**	**16**	**12**	**4**	**2**	**5**	**10**	**14**	**8**	**7**	**10**
Somewhat unfavourable	*11*	**12**	18	8	10	18	5	7	16	13	11	9	10	12	15	12	14	12
Very unfavourable	*52*	**53**	41	69	64	30	69	70	41	59	48	61	50	53	56	57	51	48
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***63***	**65**	**59**	**77**	**74**	**48**	**74**	**77**	**57**	**72**	**59**	**70**	**60**	**65**	**71**	**69**	**65**	**60**
Don't know	*29*	**27**	25	20	24	27	25	20	27	16	37	28	35	24	16	23	28	31
	20 - 21 Jul																	
Pope Leo XIV																		
Very favourable	*8*	**9**	9	12	15	5	9	12	8	10	8	9	7	8	13	10	12	7
Somewhat favourable	*32*	**31**	34	38	39	20	35	39	26	31	31	31	27	34	36	36	31	28
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***40***	**40**	**43**	**50**	**54**	**25**	**44**	**51**	**34**	**41**	**39**	**40**	**34**	**42**	**49**	**46**	**43**	**35**
Somewhat unfavourable	*9*	**11**	12	10	7	18	17	9	13	13	9	13	10	12	10	11	9	11
Very unfavourable	*7*	**9**	5	7	5	17	4	6	11	10	7	4	10	9	8	7	9	11
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***16***	**20**	**17**	**17**	**12**	**35**	**21**	**15**	**24**	**23**	**16**	**17**	**20**	**21**	**18**	**18**	**18**	**22**
Don't know	*43*	**40**	40	34	34	40	35	33	41	36	44	43	46	37	32	35	39	43
J. K. Rowling																		
Very favourable	x	**19**	33	10	16	37	10	12	32	19	18	6	14	23	29	19	19	21
Somewhat favourable	x	**34**	43	29	37	40	16	30	43	33	34	18	26	43	44	35	37	35
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	**x**	**53**	**76**	**39**	**53**	**77**	**26**	**42**	**75**	**52**	**52**	**24**	**40**	**66**	**73**	**54**	**56**	**56**
Somewhat unfavourable	x	**16**	6	22	18	11	29	23	8	16	16	22	20	13	9	18	15	15
Very unfavourable	x	**18**	5	27	19	3	36	21	7	19	18	42	25	9	6	16	16	16
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	**x**	**34**	**11**	**49**	**37**	**14**	**65**	**44**	**15**	**35**	**34**	**64**	**45**	**22**	**15**	**34**	**31**	**31**
Don't know	x	**13**	14	12	10	9	9	14	10	13	14	13	15	12	12	11	14	13

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Benjamin Netanyahu									
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Somewhat favourable	*6*	**6**	6	4	5	5	6	4	8
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	***8***	**8**	**8**	**7**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**7**	**10**
Somewhat unfavourable	*11*	**12**	12	8	11	12	12	11	13
Very unfavourable	*52*	**53**	53	47	58	54	51	65	49
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***63***	**65**	**65**	**55**	**69**	**66**	**63**	**76**	**62**
Don't know	*29*	**27**	27	38	25	28	30	17	28

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Somewhat unfavourable	*9*	**11**	11	5	12	10	12	13	11
Very unfavourable	*7*	**9**	8	10	11	8	7	13	7
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	***16***	**20**	**19**	**15**	**23**	**18**	**19**	**26**	**18**
Don't know	*43*	**40**	40	53	38	40	42	28	42
J. K. Rowling									
Very favourable	x	**19**	19	14	16	18	21	12	22
Somewhat favourable	x	**34**	34	28	30	35	35	34	34
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	**x**	**53**	**53**	**42**	**46**	**53**	**56**	**46**	**56**
Somewhat unfavourable	x	**16**	16	20	19	14	16	20	15
Very unfavourable	x	**18**	17	20	25	21	15	21	15
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	**x**	**34**	**33**	**40**	**44**	**35**	**31**	**41**	**30**
Don't know	x	**13**	13	18	10	12	13	14	15

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	17 - 18 Sep	**12 - 13 Oct**																
If there was a referendum on Britain's membership of the European Union, how would you vote?																		
I would vote to join the European Union	*53*	**52**	27	77	75	11	85	81	20	52	53	68	63	46	34	61	50	40
I would vote to stay out of the European Union	*29*	**29**	62	11	13	76	4	9	63	33	25	9	18	35	51	24	30	38
I would not vote	*6*	**6**	3	2	3	2	0	2	5	5	7	5	6	8	5	4	5	9
Don't know	*8*	**10**	7	9	7	9	8	6	11	7	12	12	9	10	9	8	10	10
Refused	*3*	**3**	1	1	2	2	4	2	1	3	3	7	4	1	1	3	4	2
	20 - 21 Jul	**12 - 13 Oct**																
Would you say that you are very optimistic, fairly optimistic, fairly pessimistic or very pessimistic about the future of the European Union?																		
Very optimistic	*5*	**7**	2	13	6	3	7	11	2	8	6	10	8	4	5	9	4	7
Fairly optimistic	*37*	**37**	26	54	58	10	48	53	21	38	36	45	39	34	32	43	38	30
TOTAL OPTIMISTIC	***42***	**44**	**28**	**67**	**64**	**13**	**55**	**64**	**23**	**46**	**42**	**55**	**47**	**38**	**37**	**52**	**42**	**37**
Fairly pessimistic	*24*	**21**	35	13	17	24	14	13	30	22	21	16	18	26	24	21	22	22
Very pessimistic	*11*	**16**	22	4	7	51	2	5	31	19	13	6	13	16	24	13	15	20
TOTAL PESSIMISTIC	***35***	**37**	**57**	**17**	**24**	**75**	**16**	**18**	**61**	**41**	**34**	**22**	**31**	**42**	**48**	**34**	**37**	**42**
Don't know	*22*	**20**	15	16	11	13	29	19	16	14	25	23	22	20	14	14	22	22
Thinking about the relationship between the European Union and member states, do you think…?																		
There should be a closer union between EU countries, with member states giving more powers to the EU institutions	*24*	**25**	13	37	36	8	42	37	11	26	25	31	34	19	15	29	22	23
There should be a less close union between EU countries, with some current EU powers being returned to the member states	*27*	**26**	48	15	19	59	7	14	48	31	22	14	18	32	40	28	29	27
The current balance is about right	*22*	**22**	18	29	29	12	29	32	15	25	20	26	22	24	20	25	19	22
No view/Don't know	*27*	**26**	21	19	16	21	22	18	26	18	33	29	26	25	24	18	29	29

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If there was a referendum on Britain's membership of the European Union, how would you vote?	*17 - 18 Sep*	**12 - 13 Oct**							
I would vote to join the European Union	*53*	**52**	51	61	60	51	48	61	49
I would vote to stay out of the European Union	*29*	**29**	30	25	22	31	30	20	33
I would not vote	*6*	**6**	6	3	7	7	8	6	5
Don't know	*8*	**10**	10	9	10	8	11	9	10
Refused	*3*	**3**	3	2	1	2	4	4	3
Would you say that you are very optimistic, fairly optimistic, fairly pessimistic or very pessimistic about the future of the European Union?	*20 - 21 Jul*	**12 - 13 Oct**							
Very optimistic	*5*	**7**	7	8	6	6	8	9	6
Fairly optimistic	*37*	**37**	36	40	40	37	30	44	36
TOTAL OPTIMISTIC	***42***	**44**	**43**	**48**	**46**	**43**	**38**	**53**	**42**
Fairly pessimistic	*24*	**21**	22	15	20	23	20	18	23
Very pessimistic	*11*	**16**	16	18	14	16	16	11	17
TOTAL PESSIMISTIC	***35***	**37**	**38**	**33**	**34**	**39**	**36**	**29**	**40**
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For each of the following institutions, please say whether you tend to trust it or tend not to trust it.																		
European Commission																		
Tend to trust	*28*	**28**	12	45	43	6	42	45	9	30	25	34	32	24	20	35	26	23
Tend not to trust	*42*	**43**	66	25	31	83	23	25	73	49	38	25	34	52	58	40	45	48
Don't know	*30*	**29**	23	30	26	11	35	30	19	21	36	42	33	24	21	24	29	29
European Parliament																		
Tend to trust	*30*	**31**	13	52	45	7	47	48	11	32	29	39	36	28	21	38	28	25
Tend not to trust	*45*	**44**	69	24	33	85	23	26	74	50	39	26	36	50	61	42	47	49
Don't know	*25*	**25**	18	24	22	9	29	26	15	18	32	35	28	21	18	20	25	26
The British Parliament																		
Tend to trust	*30*	**31**	37	44	43	14	25	43	25	34	28	24	30	32	35	39	30	27
Tend not to trust	*57*	**56**	54	41	47	80	60	45	67	55	56	53	56	57	55	50	57	59
Don't know	*13*	**13**	10	15	10	6	15	13	8	11	16	23	14	12	10	10	13	15
The British Government																		
Tend to trust	*26*	**29**	26	48	44	9	22	42	18	33	26	31	29	28	30	38	28	23
Tend not to trust	*62*	**59**	65	41	46	88	64	48	74	58	60	51	58	62	62	54	62	63
Don't know	*12*	**11**	9	11	10	3	14	10	8	9	14	18	13	9	8	8	11	13

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Tend not to trust	*42*	**43**	44	40	34	45	42	38	47
Don't know	*30*	**29**	29	31	32	29	30	30	28
European Parliament									
Tend to trust	*30*	**31**	30	29	36	31	26	35	30
Tend not to trust	*45*	**44**	45	45	37	46	44	37	48
Don't know	*25*	**25**	25	26	27	23	29	28	23
The British Parliament									
Tend to trust	*30*	**31**	31	26	28	29	28	36	33
Tend not to trust	*57*	**56**	55	55	60	56	57	50	55
Don't know	*13*	**13**	13	19	12	15	16	13	11
The British Government									
Tend to trust	*26*	**29**	30	27	27	28	28	34	30
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Don't know	*12*	**11**	11	13	13	13	13	10	10

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