

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1581 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 11th - 12th September 2016

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How many years do you think it will take for humans to die out, or do you think humans will not die out?

Less than 100 years	2	1	3	2	2	1	5	3	2	1	4	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	1
101 – 500 years	8	8	7	8	6	7	11	11	9	7	8	9	8	6	8	7	7	8	8	6	13
501 – 1000 years	11	11	11	11	10	9	13	8	9	12	15	12	11	7	11	10	11	12	11	8	16
More than 1000 years	38	33	27	20	25	32	27	29	34	23	33	30	27	21	30	26	35	26	27	29	24
Not applicable – I don't think humans will ever die out	20	26	36	29	36	31	28	36	30	30	9	28	33	42	30	31	26	30	33	32	26
Don't know	21	20	16	31	20	20	17	14	15	27	31	20	18	22	19	24	19	22	20	23	20

And which of the following, if any, do you think are the most likely to cause human extinction? (please select up to three)

A nuclear bomb	38	38	40	39	39	38	40	37	31	45	39	36	42	38	35	43	36	38	44	35	36
Global warming / climate change	31	44	25	21	26	40	43	17	30	33	39	33	30	26	32	30	41	35	28	23	38
A pandemic	27	29	30	20	29	27	34	34	28	26	18	26	29	32	29	25	27	25	31	24	32
A meteor / asteroid	26	29	28	18	27	28	33	31	33	20	11	27	32	26	28	24	26	24	31	24	29
An extreme seismic event (volcano / tsunami)	19	19	18	18	21	20	19	16	19	18	21	19	16	18	20	16	21	19	17	17	20
The bees dying out	13	14	14	8	11	12	24	12	11	15	13	12	13	16	13	13	10	14	12	12	15
A solar flare	11	9	12	12	13	9	5	13	13	8	9	12	11	9	11	10	12	10	11	11	8
A religious apocalypse	8	5	12	8	9	6	6	18	8	8	12	7	9	10	7	10	5	9	9	9	4
Robots / artificial intelligence	5	5	5	7	6	3	4	2	7	4	11	6	3	3	5	6	5	7	4	4	4
A zombie apocalypse	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	1	2	1	4	2	0	1	2	1	2	2	0	2	2
An alien invasion	2	2	3	0	3	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	1	2
Other	4	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	6	3	2	4	5	4	5	3	4	4	3	6	4
Don't know	16	10	15	27	13	11	9	12	12	19	23	15	13	16	14	18	15	15	13	20	16

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And do you think the government should or should not be developing realistic contingency plans for...

...a zombie apocalypse?

Should be developing contingency plans	6	6	7	5	6	6	10	6	8	4	7	8	5	3	6	6	6	6	6	5	10
Should not be developing contingency plans	77	85	76	67	79	81	81	79	77	77	75	75	81	78	81	72	77	78	81	71	76
Don't know	17	10	17	28	15	13	9	15	14	20	18	18	14	19	13	22	17	16	13	23	14

...Global warming / climate change?

Should be developing contingency plans	75	89	69	64	73	86	90	64	76	75	80	77	75	70	77	73	78	78	78	67	80
Should not be developing contingency plans	12	6	18	11	17	6	6	23	14	10	5	9	15	18	14	10	13	11	10	15	9
Don't know	13	5	13	25	10	8	4	14	10	15	15	14	10	11	9	17	9	11	12	18	11

...a meteor / asteroid?

Should be developing contingency plans	54	61	53	44	53	53	62	66	59	49	55	55	56	47	53	55	52	54	60	51	52
Should not be developing contingency plans	25	24	27	22	25	28	28	19	25	24	22	22	26	30	28	20	27	26	21	22	34
Don't know	21	16	19	34	22	20	10	16	15	27	23	23	18	23	19	25	21	21	20	27	15

...the bees dying out?

Should be developing contingency plans	63	72	64	41	66	70	75	68	63	64	51	60	67	70	63	63	58	66	61	62	66
Should not be developing contingency plans	18	15	18	22	17	17	12	18	20	15	22	18	19	13	19	15	19	15	21	17	19
Don't know	19	12	17	37	17	13	14	14	18	21	26	22	14	17	17	22	22	19	19	21	15

...an Alien invasion?

Should be developing contingency plans	13	12	14	14	11	14	13	17	17	9	15	17	10	7	13	13	9	13	17	11	12
Should not be developing contingency plans	67	73	67	56	72	69	75	65	66	67	64	61	70	76	71	61	70	68	65	64	72
Don't know	20	15	19	30	17	18	12	18	16	24	21	22	20	17	16	26	21	19	18	25	16

...a pandemic?

Should be developing contingency plans	73	83	72	52	73	78	91	70	76	69	67	75	76	67	75	69	67	74	76	67	81
Should not be developing contingency plans	10	7	12	13	11	11	2	11	10	10	8	9	10	12	11	8	14	9	9	11	6
Don't know	17	10	16	34	16	11	7	18	14	21	25	15	15	20	13	23	20	17	15	21	13

...a nuclear bomb?

Should be developing contingency plans	76	84	76	62	77	80	86	78	76	76	74	77	78	73	77	74	72	78	79	70	82
Should not be developing contingency plans	10	9	11	11	11	9	7	14	13	8	8	8	11	14	12	8	16	10	10	10	7
Don't know	14	7	13	27	12	12	7	9	11	16	19	14	11	13	11	18	11	12	11	20	11

...a solar flare?

Should be developing contingency plans	42	47	42	36	42	44	47	46	47	38	45	47	43	30	44	41	41	42	47	40	41
Should not be developing contingency plans	28	28	31	19	28	31	29	31	28	28	20	23	31	38	29	26	30	28	25	29	29
Don't know	30	25	27	45	29	25	24	23	25	35	35	30	26	32	27	34	30	30	28	31	30

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...robots / artificial intelligence?																					
Should be developing contingency plans	27	30	27	24	25	26	32	36	33	23	36	31	23	20	28	27	28	29	28	23	32
Should not be developing contingency plans	50	52	51	44	53	54	54	46	49	50	41	45	56	56	54	44	50	49	51	49	52
Don't know	23	18	22	32	22	20	13	18	18	27	23	24	21	24	18	29	22	23	21	28	16
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Should not be developing contingency plans	23	19	26	22	26	21	21	27	26	20	7	21	27	30	24	21	22	19	26	24	24
Don't know	20	14	19	31	19	16	11	16	15	24	22	18	20	23	15	26	16	19	20	25	16
...a religious apocalypse																					
Should be developing contingency plans	27	26	31	23	33	24	26	36	27	28	24	27	29	27	26	29	22	30	30	24	27
Should not be developing contingency plans	50	59	48	39	49	55	58	48	56	45	52	49	50	50	55	44	60	47	49	49	53
Don't know	23	15	21	39	18	21	16	16	18	27	24	23	21	22	19	27	18	22	21	28	20