

# YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2018 GB Adults  
Fieldwork: 12th - 13th December 2023

	Vote in 2019 GE			EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Country			Region in England				
Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	England	Wales	Scotland	North	Midlands	London	Rest of South	
<b>Weighted Sample 2018</b>	660	488	172	711	751	977	1041	212	833	498	474	1150	868	1742	101	176	486	335	244	676	
<b>Unweighted Sample 2018</b>	693	477	174	765	810	911	1107	156	827	532	503	1194	824	1792	108	118	532	348	189	723	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

## Do you ever use virtual meetings (e.g. Zoom calls, Google meet etc.)

Yes - at work	<b>43</b>	32	57	57	56	30	42	43	48	60	43	10	57	23	42	35	51	42	36	53	41
Yes - for personal calls (e.g. friends and family)	<b>25</b>	22	27	32	30	20	24	25	31	22	24	27	29	19	25	22	28	20	23	35	25
No	<b>44</b>	53	29	29	29	57	45	43	37	32	45	67	30	63	44	49	38	47	51	28	44

## During a virtual meeting of the following kind, have you ever taken the device you are having the meeting on to the toilet with you and used the toilet while still attending the meeting?

### During a work virtual meeting call

[Asked only to those who have used virtual meetings at work; n=867]

Yes I have	<b>12</b>	12	11	10	11	10	12	11	25	12	6	4	11	14	12	4	9	14	11	14	11
No I have not	<b>85</b>	86	84	86	88	88	85	85	66	84	93	96	85	83	85	93	83	84	88	76	88
Don't know/can't recall	<b>3</b>	1	3	2	1	1	2	3	7	3	1	0	3	2	2	3	8	2	1	5	1
Prefer not to say	<b>1</b>	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	5	1

### During a personal virtual meeting call

[Asked only to those who have used virtual meetings for personal calls; n=495]

Yes I have	<b>10</b>	7	9	6	8	6	10	10	30	11	3	4	9	11	10	11	11	12	2	11	11
No I have not	<b>85</b>	91	84	89	89	93	81	88	62	79	94	96	86	82	85	89	85	85	94	70	87
Don't know/can't recall	<b>3</b>	3	3	3	3	1	4	2	1	6	3	0	3	3	3	0	4	3	4	6	2
Prefer not to say	<b>2</b>	0	4	1	0	0	4	0	6	4	0	0	1	5	3	0	0	0	0	12	0

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%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

## Do you ever use virtual meetings (e.g. Zoom calls, Google meet etc.)

Yes - at work	<b>43</b>	70	42	29	54	5	15	9	15	100	100
Yes - for personal calls (e.g. friends and family)	<b>25</b>	20	29	37	34	29	22	20	24	31	24
No	<b>44</b>	25	42	51	34	69	66	74	64	0	0

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Yes I have	<b>12</b>	12	8	36	17	8	12	0	7	100	0
No I have not	<b>85</b>	85	88	64	66	92	79	100	79	0	100
Don't know/can't recall	<b>3</b>	1	3	0	17	0	9	0	15	0	0
Prefer not to say	<b>1</b>	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### During a personal virtual meeting call

[Asked only to those who have used virtual meetings for personal calls; n=495]

Yes I have	<b>10</b>	10	16	28	10	3	18	10	7	60	9
No I have not	<b>85</b>	82	83	72	82	97	66	86	65	33	90
Don't know/can't recall	<b>3</b>	4	1	0	7	0	16	4	5	7	1
Prefer not to say	<b>2</b>	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0

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And regardless of whether you have done so or not, do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for a person to take the device they are having the meeting on to the toilet with them during a...

**Work virtual meeting call?**

Completely acceptable	5	5	4	4	5	6	7	4	2	7	4	5	5	6	5	2	12	5	5	3	6
Somewhat acceptable	8	6	9	4	7	5	9	7	18	10	4	4	9	7	8	7	11	8	5	16	6
<b>TOTAL ACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>
Somewhat unacceptable	14	13	16	15	15	12	17	12	25	14	14	11	16	12	15	9	11	15	15	23	12
Completely unacceptable	67	73	68	72	69	72	60	74	51	63	73	75	67	68	68	73	58	66	70	56	72
<b>TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>84</b>
Don't know	5	3	4	5	4	4	7	4	4	6	5	5	4	7	5	9	8	6	6	3	4

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Completely acceptable	8	7	7	8	7	6	10	7	16	10	5	6	8	8	8	7	16	8	6	9	7
Somewhat acceptable	15	13	19	11	15	11	16	15	36	18	10	7	17	13	15	16	14	13	14	27	13
<b>TOTAL ACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>20</b>
Somewhat unacceptable	21	20	24	24	23	18	23	20	23	24	22	16	22	20	21	19	22	18	23	23	22
Completely unacceptable	48	58	44	52	49	59	44	53	19	40	58	66	47	50	49	50	38	54	48	36	52
<b>TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>74</b>
Don't know	6	3	6	5	6	5	8	5	6	8	6	5	5	9	6	7	9	6	8	5	5

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Work virtual meeting call?

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Somewhat acceptable	8	8	9	14	17	3	22	5	6	34	5
<b>TOTAL ACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>9</b>
Somewhat unacceptable	14	16	16	18	30	10	11	10	11	28	17
Completely unacceptable	67	66	66	58	50	76	48	71	70	15	72
<b>TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>89</b>
Don't know	5	4	6	9	0	6	8	12	10	2	3

Personal virtual meeting call?

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Somewhat acceptable	15	16	21	14	34	7	20	10	18	30	16
<b>TOTAL ACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>23</b>
Somewhat unacceptable	21	26	19	27	25	15	12	20	16	25	28
Completely unacceptable	48	43	45	45	31	67	31	52	47	11	45
<b>TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>73</b>
Don't know	6	5	6	9	1	6	20	15	12	2	4

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