

YouGov / Prospect Survey Results

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If you had to choose, which would you prefer to see after the next election, a Conservative government led by David Cameron or a Labour government led by Ed Miliband?

Conservative government led by David Cameron	41	98	2	51	50	83	8	35	44	39	33	39	39	50	46	35	40	51	41	37	21
Labour government led by Ed Miliband	36	1	88	20	18	6	74	40	38	34	34	40	38	29	34	38	39	27	38	40	46
Don't know	23	1	10	28	32	11	18	25	18	27	33	21	23	20	20	26	21	22	21	23	33

Here are some statements about David Cameron. In each case, please say whether you agree or disagree.

David Cameron doesn't understand the lives of people like me

Agree strongly	42	4	73	26	50	14	73	48	43	41	31	40	47	43	39	46	38	35	46	46	55
Tend to agree	27	24	20	41	31	29	19	32	28	26	23	30	25	28	28	25	30	29	22	27	26
TOTAL AGREE	69	28	93	67	81	43	92	80	71	67	54	70	72	71	67	71	68	64	68	73	81
Tend to disagree	17	45	3	21	10	33	3	12	16	17	21	16	16	17	17	16	15	20	19	14	6
Disagree strongly	7	21	2	4	4	16	2	2	7	6	5	6	7	8	8	5	10	8	7	5	6
TOTAL DISAGREE	24	66	5	25	14	49	5	14	23	23	26	22	23	25	25	21	25	28	26	19	12
Don't know	8	7	2	8	5	7	2	6	5	10	19	8	6	4	7	9	7	8	6	8	7

David Cameron has no clear principles

Agree strongly	22	2	37	11	33	7	35	23	23	20	17	16	26	23	19	25	20	16	24	24	31
Tend to agree	24	7	34	20	31	16	36	26	25	24	23	27	21	27	23	26	32	21	22	27	25
TOTAL AGREE	46	9	71	31	64	23	71	49	48	44	40	43	47	50	42	51	52	37	46	51	56
Tend to disagree	31	51	18	53	23	42	17	31	33	29	28	37	30	27	34	26	26	37	30	27	26
Disagree strongly	11	34	2	6	6	27	4	6	11	11	5	8	12	15	13	9	12	12	15	8	6
TOTAL DISAGREE	42	85	20	59	29	69	21	37	44	40	33	45	42	42	47	35	38	49	45	35	32
Don't know	12	6	8	10	7	8	7	13	8	16	27	12	11	7	11	14	9	14	9	14	12

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If you had to choose, which would you prefer to see after the next election, a Conservative government led by David Cameron or a Labour government led by Ed Miliband?

Conservative government led by David Cameron	41	100	0	99	55
Labour government led by Ed Miliband	36	0	100	0	17
Don't know	23	0	0	1	28

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David Cameron doesn't understand the lives of people like me

Agree strongly	42	10	75	5	31
Tend to agree	27	35	19	20	43
TOTAL AGREE	69	45	94	25	74
Tend to disagree	17	35	3	45	13
Disagree strongly	7	14	2	24	3
TOTAL DISAGREE	24	49	5	69	16
Don't know	8	6	1	6	10

David Cameron has no clear principles

Agree strongly	22	4	40	2	15
Tend to agree	24	15	34	6	33
TOTAL AGREE	46	19	74	8	48
Tend to disagree	31	50	16	48	33
Disagree strongly	11	25	2	39	5
TOTAL DISAGREE	42	75	18	87	38
Don't know	12	7	7	5	14

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Below are some statements about the Conservative party. For each one please say how strongly you agree or disagree.
The Conservatives care more about the rich and affluent than ordinary people

Agree strongly	41	3	73	26	44	12	71	47	44	38	29	41	46	38	37	45	41	31	44	44	61
Tend to agree	28	24	21	56	34	27	22	36	28	29	26	32	25	30	31	25	30	31	26	29	23
TOTAL AGREE	69	27	94	82	78	39	93	83	72	67	55	73	71	68	68	70	71	62	70	73	84
Tend to disagree	19	54	1	10	17	43	2	11	18	19	16	13	19	24	19	18	19	22	19	18	5
Disagree strongly	3	11	1	1	1	9	1	1	4	2	2	1	4	5	4	2	5	4	3	1	4
TOTAL DISAGREE	22	65	2	11	18	52	3	12	22	21	18	14	23	29	23	20	24	26	22	19	9
Don't know	9	8	4	7	6	9	4	5	7	12	27	13	6	3	9	10	6	13	8	8	8

Underneath the surface the Conservative party contains many people with bigoted and intolerant views

Agree strongly	31	3	56	23	36	9	53	36	34	28	25	27	36	32	30	33	29	25	33	35	41
Tend to agree	32	24	33	46	33	27	35	39	32	33	29	33	30	36	32	33	37	30	35	30	36
TOTAL AGREE	63	27	89	69	69	36	88	75	66	61	54	60	66	68	62	66	66	55	68	65	77
Tend to disagree	17	45	5	15	14	36	4	11	18	15	14	18	16	17	18	15	13	21	17	16	7
Disagree strongly	4	13	1	1	6	12	1	1	6	3	3	3	5	6	6	3	9	5	3	3	3
TOTAL DISAGREE	21	58	6	16	20	48	5	12	24	18	17	21	21	23	24	18	22	26	20	19	10
Don't know	15	15	6	16	11	17	7	13	10	21	29	20	13	9	15	16	11	18	13	16	13

The Conservatives are too close to big business and the banks

Agree strongly	39	5	69	33	47	13	66	45	43	36	27	39	43	40	36	44	40	33	41	40	55
Tend to agree	28	28	20	41	30	27	23	34	26	29	23	26	29	30	30	24	24	29	25	31	27
TOTAL AGREE	67	33	89	74	77	40	89	79	69	65	50	65	72	70	66	68	64	62	66	71	82
Tend to disagree	17	47	4	7	16	40	4	10	19	16	13	19	14	20	18	15	25	19	17	14	6
Disagree strongly	3	11	0	3	1	8	1	1	4	2	4	0	4	4	4	2	3	4	3	3	2
TOTAL DISAGREE	20	58	4	10	17	48	5	11	23	18	17	19	18	24	22	17	28	23	20	17	8
Don't know	13	9	7	15	6	12	6	10	8	17	34	15	10	6	11	15	9	15	14	11	10

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The Conservatives care more about the rich and affluent than ordinary people

Agree strongly	41	7	78	3	26
Tend to agree	28	36	19	20	38
TOTAL AGREE	69	43	97	23	64
Tend to disagree	19	42	1	56	21
Disagree strongly	3	7	0	13	1
TOTAL DISAGREE	22	49	1	69	22
Don't know	9	8	2	8	13

Underneath the surface the Conservative party contains many people with bigoted and intolerant views

Agree strongly	31	6	59	3	19
Tend to agree	32	33	31	22	36
TOTAL AGREE	63	39	90	25	55
Tend to disagree	17	35	4	47	18
Disagree strongly	4	10	0	15	6
TOTAL DISAGREE	21	45	4	62	24
Don't know	15	16	5	14	21

The Conservatives are too close to big business and the banks

Agree strongly	39	10	72	5	28
Tend to agree	28	36	19	23	33
TOTAL AGREE	67	46	91	28	61
Tend to disagree	17	36	4	52	20
Disagree strongly	3	7	0	13	1
TOTAL DISAGREE	20	43	4	65	21
Don't know	13	11	5	8	19

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The Conservatives are prepared to make the tough but necessary decisions the country needs

Agree strongly	16	46	3	11	13	36	4	9	17	14	8	15	16	19	19	12	19	17	17	14	8
Tend to agree	32	45	22	43	34	44	20	35	33	30	28	34	29	34	33	29	30	36	29	31	24
TOTAL AGREE	48	91	25	54	47	80	24	44	50	44	36	49	45	53	52	41	49	53	46	45	32
Tend to disagree	22	5	34	23	24	9	29	27	23	21	23	23	22	21	23	21	19	20	21	25	28
Disagree strongly	17	0	31	6	21	3	34	17	18	15	12	15	19	17	14	20	16	12	21	16	27
TOTAL DISAGREE	39	5	65	29	45	12	63	44	41	36	35	38	41	38	37	41	35	32	42	41	55
Don't know	14	4	11	17	8	7	13	12	8	19	29	13	14	8	11	17	15	15	12	14	12

The Conservative party have changed for the better since their time in opposition

Agree strongly	8	24	1	3	7	18	2	5	9	7	3	6	8	12	9	7	10	8	10	6	4
Tend to agree	26	53	9	42	20	44	10	26	27	24	28	29	22	26	29	20	29	31	24	21	18
TOTAL AGREE	34	77	10	45	27	62	12	31	36	31	31	35	30	38	38	27	39	39	34	27	22
Tend to disagree	23	9	30	17	28	15	30	26	24	22	21	19	24	27	21	26	23	23	22	25	24
Disagree strongly	25	1	48	13	30	7	49	28	28	23	12	24	30	27	22	30	21	19	28	28	41
TOTAL DISAGREE	48	10	78	30	58	22	79	54	52	45	33	43	54	54	43	56	44	42	50	53	65
Don't know	18	13	12	26	15	15	9	16	12	23	36	22	16	8	18	18	18	19	16	20	12

The Conservative party cares about helping all groups in society, not just the few

Agree strongly	6	19	1	0	3	16	1	3	6	6	3	4	6	9	7	5	8	7	6	4	3
Tend to agree	19	55	3	14	17	42	3	10	21	18	20	18	18	22	20	18	23	24	20	15	7
TOTAL AGREE	25	74	4	14	20	58	4	13	27	24	23	22	24	31	27	23	31	31	26	19	10
Tend to disagree	24	13	21	48	26	18	22	32	24	23	25	26	21	23	26	20	22	24	24	23	24
Disagree strongly	36	2	67	24	42	9	68	42	40	33	22	34	43	36	33	41	34	28	39	42	53
TOTAL DISAGREE	60	15	88	72	68	27	90	74	64	56	47	60	64	59	59	61	56	52	63	65	77
Don't know	15	11	8	14	11	15	6	13	9	20	29	18	12	9	13	17	12	17	11	16	13

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Tend to agree	32	50	18	43	46
TOTAL AGREE	48	85	21	92	61
Tend to disagree	22	8	36	4	19
Disagree strongly	17	1	34	1	8
TOTAL DISAGREE	39	9	70	5	27
Don't know	14	6	9	4	13

The Conservative party have changed for the better since their time in opposition

Agree strongly	8	18	1	26	5
Tend to agree	26	50	7	53	30
TOTAL AGREE	34	68	8	79	35
Tend to disagree	23	15	30	8	28
Disagree strongly	25	2	53	1	16
TOTAL DISAGREE	48	17	83	9	44
Don't know	18	15	9	12	22

The Conservative party cares about helping all groups in society, not just the few

Agree strongly	6	12	2	23	4
Tend to agree	19	43	2	56	19
TOTAL AGREE	25	55	4	79	23
Tend to disagree	24	25	19	9	33
Disagree strongly	36	5	72	1	22
TOTAL DISAGREE	60	30	91	10	55
Don't know	15	15	4	11	22

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Some people used to describe the Conservatives as the 'nasty party'.
Do you think this used to be true ten or more years ago?

Yes, definitely	27	5	50	19	24	7	49	32	31	23	20	25	34	24	27	28	27	22	27	29	41
Yes, on balance	22	15	25	35	21	13	29	27	21	23	22	23	21	22	24	19	20	21	20	24	28
TOTAL YES	49	20	75	54	45	20	78	59	52	46	42	48	55	46	51	47	47	43	47	53	69
No, on balance	20	41	9	18	22	40	9	18	23	18	12	16	19	29	21	19	22	24	19	19	12
No, definitely	8	20	1	2	13	20	1	3	8	9	4	3	10	12	8	8	8	10	9	7	3
TOTAL NO	28	61	10	20	35	60	10	21	31	27	16	19	29	41	29	27	30	34	28	26	15
Not sure	23	19	16	25	19	20	13	19	17	28	42	34	16	12	20	26	23	23	25	22	15

Do you think it is true today?

Yes, definitely	23	1	48	6	24	5	48	25	27	20	14	20	29	23	19	29	21	17	27	24	38
Yes, on balance	19	4	27	23	19	9	28	23	20	19	21	20	18	19	21	17	24	16	17	21	26
TOTAL YES	42	5	75	29	43	14	76	48	47	39	35	40	47	42	40	46	45	33	44	45	64
No, on balance	27	45	13	39	28	37	13	33	26	27	28	29	24	27	29	24	27	30	26	26	17
No, definitely	15	43	2	6	16	36	2	6	16	14	7	11	15	20	17	11	16	18	17	11	6
TOTAL NO	42	88	15	45	44	73	15	39	42	41	35	40	39	47	46	35	43	48	43	37	23
Not sure	16	7	9	26	14	13	9	13	12	20	30	20	14	10	13	20	11	18	13	19	13

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Yes, definitely	27	6	55	4	11
Yes, on balance	22	19	25	10	18
TOTAL YES	49	25	80	14	29
No, on balance	20	39	6	47	29
No, definitely	8	17	1	23	14
TOTAL NO	28	56	7	70	43
Not sure	23	19	13	16	27

Do you think it is true today?

Yes, definitely	23	1	52	1	11
Yes, on balance	19	9	28	3	18
TOTAL YES	42	10	80	4	29
No, on balance	27	47	10	40	33
No, definitely	15	33	1	47	17
TOTAL NO	42	80	11	87	50
Not sure	16	9	9	9	21