

YouGov / The Times Survey Results

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HEADLINE VOTING INTENTION

Westminster Voting Intention

[Weighted by likelihood to vote, excluding those who would not vote, don't know, or refused]

5-6 Oct

12-13 Oct

Con	39	41	100	0	0	85	4	6	22	66	40	41	21	28	48	59	40	42	31	48	43	38	30
Lab	31	31	0	100	0	5	75	27	46	13	29	33	53	41	22	18	31	31	44	25	31	40	14
Lib Dem	9	9	0	0	100	1	5	56	14	3	10	7	7	9	9	8	10	5	16	11	8	4	4
SNP	6	4	0	0	0	1	1	3	7	2	4	5	1	6	5	3	4	4	0	1	0	0	41
Plaid Cymru	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	0	3
Reform UK	4	4	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	8	5	3	0	3	5	5	2	6	2	6	6	2	0
Green	9	8	0	0	0	1	12	8	10	4	9	8	12	10	8	3	9	7	6	8	8	11	6
Other	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	4	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	3	1	1	2	5	2

If there were a general election held tomorrow, which party would you vote for?

Conservative	26	27	100	0	0	68	3	5	17	46	29	25	14	18	35	41	29	25	23	31	27	25	21
Labour	21	21	0	100	0	4	57	21	36	9	21	21	33	26	16	13	23	19	32	17	21	27	10
Liberal Democrat	6	6	0	0	100	1	4	43	11	2	7	4	4	6	7	6	8	3	11	8	5	3	3
Scottish National Party (SNP)	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	1	3	3	0	4	4	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	31
Plaid Cymru	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	4
Reform UK	3	3	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	6	3	2	0	2	4	4	2	4	2	4	4	1	0
Green	6	6	0	0	0	0	9	6	8	3	6	5	7	6	6	2	7	4	5	5	6	7	4
Some other party	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	4	2
Would not vote	11	12	0	0	0	4	6	1	3	9	12	12	13	14	8	11	7	18	7	12	14	13	8
Don't know	18	19	0	0	0	16	16	23	17	19	13	24	19	21	18	17	18	20	15	20	19	20	15
Refused	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2	1	5	2	1	0	1	2	5	2	1	1	2

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And which of these parties would you vote for?

[Asked only to those who answered 'some other party'; n=26]

UK Independence Party (UKIP)	25	37	0	0	0	35	54	0	50	48	27	48	0	36	53	47	31	45	40	28	56	38	0
Women's Equality Party	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Some other party	57	60	0	0	0	65	46	0	28	52	73	47	100	64	47	44	65	55	26	72	44	62	100
Don't know	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	100	22	0	0	5	0	0	0	9	4	0	33	0	0	0	0
Refused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

On a scale of 0 (certain NOT to vote) to 10 (absolutely certain to vote), how likely would you be to vote in a general election tomorrow?

0 - Certain NOT to vote	8	10	1	0	1	2	4	1	2	7	11	9	14	12	6	9	6	16	8	10	12	10	8
1	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	1	2	1	0
2	2	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
3	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	2	1	2	2	1	1
4	2	1	1	2	1	0	1	2	1	1	2	4	2	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
5	5	7	2	5	6	4	5	5	3	5	5	8	10	7	6	6	6	8	3	7	8	6	9
6	3	3	2	4	3	2	5	1	3	3	3	4	5	4	2	2	2	4	4	3	4	3	1
7	6	5	4	6	1	3	4	2	4	4	5	4	11	5	2	3	4	5	8	4	2	7	3
8	8	8	8	10	3	9	9	7	9	8	9	7	12	8	6	7	8	8	8	8	7	9	5
9	8	8	11	9	11	9	7	11	9	8	7	8	5	7	12	6	9	7	10	8	7	9	4
10 - Absolutely certain to vote	55	54	71	63	72	68	64	71	67	60	55	53	35	49	63	64	60	46	56	52	55	50	68

Which of the following do you think would make the best Prime Minister?

		15-16 Sep	12-13 Oct																				
Boris Johnson	31	31	89	2	9	69	6	9	19	52	34	28	13	23	40	44	31	31	27	36	32	27	24
Keir Starmer	26	25	1	66	39	5	52	51	47	10	27	24	28	29	27	17	30	20	31	24	22	27	29
Not sure	39	41	10	31	48	25	41	38	32	36	36	46	55	44	32	38	37	46	37	38	43	44	44
Refused	5	3	0	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	5	3	2	2	2	3	5	2	3	3	4

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How well or badly do you think the government are doing at handling Britain's exit from the European Union?

Very well	3	4	14	1	0	11	0	1	2	9	5	4	1	2	8	7	4	5	3	5	5	5	1
Fairly well	26	25	61	4	20	53	5	13	13	43	27	24	16	17	31	39	26	25	22	30	22	24	26
TOTAL WELL	29	29	75	5	20	64	5	14	15	52	32	28	17	19	39	46	30	30	25	35	27	29	27
Fairly badly	25	26	17	28	21	22	27	25	24	25	22	29	26	28	21	25	24	27	22	27	28	25	23
Very badly	29	35	2	63	56	8	62	58	57	15	39	31	34	40	37	24	39	30	40	29	34	38	42
TOTAL BADLY	54	61	19	91	77	30	89	83	81	40	61	60	60	68	58	49	63	57	62	56	62	63	65
Don't know	16	10	6	4	3	6	6	3	4	8	7	12	23	13	4	4	7	13	13	9	11	8	9

In hindsight, do you think Britain was right or wrong to vote to leave the European Union?

Right to leave	40	38	75	10	8	72	10	9	8	78	41	35	11	26	47	63	32	46	25	42	38	40	33
Wrong to leave	47	49	18	82	84	21	82	83	86	13	47	51	58	58	48	32	57	38	60	44	49	48	56
Don't know	13	13	7	8	8	8	8	8	5	9	12	14	31	16	6	5	10	16	15	13	13	11	11

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	Unweighted no.	Weighted no.	Target %
Age by Gender by Education (Labour Force Survey and ONS Mid Year Estimates)			
Men Over 65	191	176	10.6%
Men 50-64 High education	57	53	3.2%
Men 50-64 Mid education	79	76	4.6%
Men 50-64 Low education	76	66	4.0%
Men 25-49 High education	124	134	8.1%
Men 25-49 Mid education	136	123	7.4%
Men 25-49 Low education	47	86	5.2%
Men Under 25 High education	6	15	0.9%
Men Under 25 Mid & Low education	20	76	4.6%
Women Over 65	226	211	12.7%
Women 50-64 High education	60	50	3.0%
Women 50-64 Mid education	91	86	5.2%
Women 50-64 Low education	75	68	4.1%
Women 25-49 High education	165	144	8.7%
Women 25-49 Mid education	149	128	7.7%
Women 25-49 Low education	90	76	4.6%
Women Under 25 High education	20	18	1.1%
Women Under 25 Mid & Low education	47	71	4.3%
Political Attention (British Election Study face to face element)			
Low (0,1,2)	179	315	19.0%
Medium (3-7)	1082	995	60.0%
High (8,9,10)	398	348	21.0%
Social Grade (NRS and 2011 census)			
AB	540	465	28.0%
C1	470	481	29.0%
C2	282	348	21.0%
DE	367	365	22.0%
EU Referendum Vote (Election Result)			
Remain	683	615	37.1%
Leave	666	657	39.6%
Don't Know / Did Not Vote	310	387	23.3%

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Region by 2019 Vote (Election Result and ONS Population estimates)

North Con	119	116	7.0%
North Lab	140	128	7.7%
North LD	24	23	1.4%
North BP	18	15	0.9%
North Oth	12	12	0.7%
North DNV	95	106	6.4%
Midlands Con	115	109	6.6%
Midlands Lab	75	66	4.0%
Midlands LD	21	17	1.0%
Midlands BP	4	3	0.2%
Midlands Oth	9	8	0.5%
Midlands DNV	68	71	4.3%
London Con	53	48	2.9%
London Lab	53	73	4.4%
London LD	20	23	1.4%
London BP	2	2	0.1%
London Oth	6	5	0.3%
London DNV	45	48	2.9%
South Con	242	237	14.3%
South Lab	98	100	6.0%
South LD	77	73	4.4%
South BP	2	2	0.1%
South Oth	23	22	1.3%
South DNV	128	124	7.5%
Wales Con	20	23	1.4%
Wales Lab	25	25	1.5%
Wales LD	4	3	0.2%
Wales PC	5	7	0.4%
Wales BP	4	3	0.2%
Wales Oth DNV	15	23	1.4%
Scotland Con	27	28	1.7%
Scotland Lab	19	20	1.2%
Scotland LD	10	10	0.6%
Scotland SNP	49	50	3.0%
Scotland Oth DNV	32	35	2.1%

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