

YouGov / WWF Survey Results



Sample Size: 1672 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 2nd - 3rd August 2021

	Vote In 2029 GE			2016 EU Ref		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region					
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leav e	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC 1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	1672	567	415	150	620	662	813	859	182	697	403	390	953	719	201	562	363	403	144
Unweighted Sample	1672	602	418	161	704	679	723	949	102	676	431	463	985	687	169	585	350	417	151
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

The Government has made a number of commitments to act on climate change including a target to cut carbon emissions in the UK by 78% by the year 2035. How confident, if at all, are you that the Government will meet this target?

Very confident	2	3	1	0	2	2	2	2	1	3	2	2	2	3	5	2	2	2	0
Somewhat confident	19	27	12	13	15	22	16	21	19	18	18	20	18	19	21	19	18	21	8
TOTAL CONFIDENT	21	30	13	13	17	24	18	23	20	21	20	22	20	22	26	21	20	23	8
Not very confident	38	39	39	44	41	39	36	39	43	33	35	45	37	38	34	38	39	35	45
Not at all confident	30	19	39	33	34	26	36	24	19	31	36	26	32	27	30	32	27	27	35
TOTAL NOT CONFIDENT	68	58	78	77	75	65	72	63	62	64	71	71	69	65	64	70	66	62	80
Not sure	12	11	9	9	8	10	10	14	19	15	8	7	11	14	10	10	14	15	12

For each of the following, please say whether you think the Government should or should not provide funding to fund changes to homes to help people reduce their carbon footprint (e.g. installing heat pumps and improving insulation).

All individuals in the UK

The UK Government should provide funding to cover all costs	22	23	23	12	19	25	26	19	22	24	21	22	22	23	30	20	22	22	23
The UK Government should provide funding to cover some of the costs	55	50	64	71	67	49	52	58	47	53	58	58	55	54	58	56	55	54	50
The UK Government should not provide any funding	9	14	2	5	5	13	11	7	6	8	10	10	9	9	5	9	8	9	13
Not sure	14	12	11	11	9	13	12	16	25	15	11	9	14	14	7	16	15	15	13

Those on lower incomes

The UK Government should provide funding to cover all costs	48	39	61	51	53	45	49	47	46	46	49	51	48	48	60	44	51	44	48
The UK Government should provide funding to cover some of the costs	33	36	30	37	36	33	32	34	24	33	32	36	33	33	28	35	32	34	27
The UK Government should not provide any funding	7	12	1	2	3	10	9	5	8	7	9	5	7	7	5	8	3	8	11
Not sure	12	12	8	10	8	12	10	15	22	13	10	8	12	12	8	12	13	13	14

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Thinking about timeframes for Government spending on climate change, which of the following comes closest to your view?

It is better to increase spending on climate change immediately to help reduce the costs in the long term, even if this means redirecting funding from elsewhere

Right now there are other priorities alongside climate change and so it is better not to immediately increase spending on climate change even if this means more spending in the long term.

Neither of these
Don't know

40	24	60	59	54	26	40	40	52	47	34	29	46	33	59	37	39	34	44
37	53	23	22	28	51	40	35	24	30	40	53	35	40	24	39	36	42	38
7	9	4	5	5	9	8	6	0	7	11	7	6	9	4	10	6	6	6
15	13	14	13	12	13	12	19	25	16	14	10	13	18	12	14	18	18	11