

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1646GB Adults
Fieldwork: 16th - 17th September 2018

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Would you consider yourself to be sexually active?

Yes	52	55	49	50	64	49	34	56	47	49	54	52	53	49
No	37	35	38	44	26	38	53	34	41	40	34	39	36	39
Don't know	2	2	2	4	3	1	2	2	3	2	2	3	3	2
Prefer not to say	9	7	10	2	7	12	11	8	9	9	10	7	8	9

If it was readily available for men, would you consider using hormonal contraception (such as the pill, or the implant)?

[Shown only to men who said they considered themselves to be sexually active; n = 368]

Definitely	11	11	0	14	14	8	8	9	14	18	11	8	12	5
Probably	22	22	0	17	26	22	15	26	16	28	20	24	25	11
TOTAL WOULD	33	33	0	31	40	30	23	35	30	46	31	32	37	16
Probably not	23	23	0	24	22	18	34	21	27	26	21	29	22	19
Definitely not	27	27	0	23	21	39	28	28	26	10	33	22	27	47
TOTAL WOULD NOT	50	50	0	47	43	57	62	49	53	36	54	51	49	66
Don't know	16	16	0	22	17	13	16	16	17	18	16	17	13	19

Do you use any form of hormonal contraception (e.g. the pill, the implant)?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active; n=441]

Yes	33	0	33	71	43	4	0	33	33	32	32	35	32	33
No	66	0	66	29	56	95	99	66	66	68	67	63	67	65
Don't know	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	1	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	2

Would you consider taking hormonal contraception at any point?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active and do not use any form of hormonal contraception; n=288]

Definitely	10	0	10	19	12	6	5	8	12	15	6	11	12	9
Probably	11	0	11	31	16	4	2	10	11	15	14	14	5	0
TOTAL WOULD	21	0	21	50	28	10	7	18	23	30	20	25	17	9

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	Would men consider using male hormonal pill					Do female use any form of hormonal contraception							
	Total	Definitely	Probably	Probably not	Definitely not	Don't know	Yes	No	Don't know	Prefer not to say	Male: 18-24	Female: 18-24	Male: 25-49
Weighted Sample	1646	44	89	92	107	64	131	263	0	5	92	92	342
Unweighted Sample	1646	36	87	82	99	64	146	288	0	7	52	100	290
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Would you consider yourself to be sexually active?

Yes	52	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	0	100	43	57	64
No	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	34	27
Don't know	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	3
Prefer not to say	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7

If it was readily available for men, would you consider using hormonal contraception (such as the pill, or the implant)?

[Shown only to men who said they considered themselves to be sexually active; n = 368]

Definitely	11	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	14
Probably	22	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	26
TOTAL WOULD	33	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	0	40
Probably not	23	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	22
Definitely not	27	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	21
TOTAL WOULD NOT	50	0	0	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	47	0	43
Don't know	16	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	22	0	17

Do you use any form of hormonal contraception (e.g. the pill, the implant)?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active; n=441]

Yes	33	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	71	0
No	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	29	0
Don't know	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0

Would you consider taking hormonal contraception at any point?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active and do not use any form of hormonal contraception; n=288]

Definitely	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	19	0
Probably	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	31	0
TOTAL WOULD	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	50	0

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		Age and Gender				
		Female: 25-49	Male: 50-64	Female: 50-64	Male: 65+	Female :65+
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Unweighted Sample	1646	395	197	212	195	205
	%	%	%	%	%	%

Would you consider yourself to be sexually active?

Yes	52	64	56	42	44	26
No	37	25	36	40	43	61
Don't know	2	3	1	1	2	2
Prefer not to say	9	8	6	17	11	11

If it was readily available for men, would you consider using hormonal contraception (such as the pill, or the implant)?

[Shown only to men who said they considered themselves to be sexually active; n = 368]

Definitely	11	0	8	0	8	0
Probably	22	0	22	0	15	0
TOTAL WOULD	33	0	30	0	23	0
Probably not	23	0	18	0	34	0
Definitely not	27	0	39	0	28	0
TOTAL WOULD NOT	50	0	57	0	62	0
Don't know	16	0	13	0	16	0

Do you use any form of hormonal contraception (e.g. the pill, the implant)?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active; n=441]

Yes	33	43	0	4	0	0
No	66	56	0	95	0	99
Don't know	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prefer not to say	1	1	0	2	0	1

Would you consider taking hormonal contraception at any point?

[Shown only to women who said they consider themselves to be sexually active and do not use any form of hormonal contraception; n=288]

Definitely	10	12	0	6	0	5
Probably	11	16	0	4	0	2
TOTAL WOULD	21	28	0	10	0	7

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Probably not	22	0	22	17	30	16	12	26	15	18	16	22	30	25
Definitely not	46	0	46	23	30	64	64	42	52	35	52	47	41	44
TOTAL WOULD NOT	68	0	68	40	60	80	76	68	67	53	68	69	71	69
Don't know	9	0	9	6	10	7	13	11	6	9	10	7	8	19
Prefer not to say	3	0	3	4	1	4	3	2	3	8	3	0	3	3

You have said you would not be willing to take hormonal contraception (i.e. the pill or an implant). Why not?

[Shown to both men and women who said they would not be willing to take hormonal contraception; n=379]

I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant	35	39	30	12	22	49	44	33	37	15	34	30	46	42
I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	22	21	23	38	37	9	9	23	21	34	19	30	19	14
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	15	21	7	32	23	8	4	13	17	29	16	15	11	6
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	10	10	11	35	15	5	2	8	13	17	10	14	7	2
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	6	11	1	16	6	7	4	5	9	0	4	11	9	3
I worry I would forget to take the pill	4	5	3	12	5	3	2	3	5	4	6	3	0	5
I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child	2	0	4	0	5	0	0	2	2	6	1	4	2	2
Don't know	2	2	2	0	2	1	3	1	2	2	1	2	1	6
Prefer not to say	2	2	1	0	3	2	0	2	1	3	0	2	2	5
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	3	0	2	1	0
None of the above	28	19	38	15	17	36	41	32	23	29	32	24	26	28

REBASED: You have said you would not be willing to take hormonal contraception (i.e. the pill or an implant). Why not?

[Excluding those who said "I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant" above. n=246]

I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	32	31	33	43	45	15	15	33	29	40	27	41	29	24
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	20	32	9	36	28	12	5	19	23	34	21	19	18	10
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	16	16	16	40	20	9	4	13	21	20	16	20	14	4
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	9	17	2	18	8	11	6	8	12	0	7	13	16	5
I worry I would forget to take the pill	6	8	4	13	6	6	3	5	7	4	9	5	0	9

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	Would men consider using male hormonal pill					Do female use any form of hormonal contraception							
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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Probably not	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	17	0
Definitely not	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	0	0	23	0
TOTAL WOULD NOT	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	68	0	0	0	40	0
Don't know	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	6	0
Prefer not to say	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	0

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I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant	35	0	0	30	47	0	0	30	0	0	17	0	25
I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	22	0	0	29	15	0	0	23	0	0	20	80	30
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	15	0	0	27	16	0	0	7	0	0	31	34	34
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	10	0	0	15	5	0	0	11	0	0	34	39	10
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	6	0	0	13	10	0	0	1	0	0	22	0	9
I worry I would forget to take the pill	4	0	0	8	2	0	0	3	0	0	9	19	4
I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1
Don't know	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
Prefer not to say	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
None of the above	28	0	0	16	21	0	0	38	0	0	20	0	14

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[Excluding those who said "I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant" above. n=246]

I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	32	0	0	40	19	0	0	33	0	0	25	80	34
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	20	0	0	38	26	0	0	9	0	0	37	34	43
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	16	0	0	21	10	0	0	16	0	0	41	39	14
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	9	0	0	18	16	0	0	2	0	0	26	0	13
I worry I would forget to take the pill	6	0	0	11	4	0	0	4	0	0	11	19	6

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Definitely not	46	30	0	64	0	64
TOTAL WOULD NOT	68	60	0	80	0	76
Don't know	9	10	0	7	0	13
Prefer not to say	3	1	0	4	0	3

You have said you would not be willing to take hormonal contraception (i.e. the pill or an implant). Why not?

[Shown to both men and women who said they would not be willing to take hormonal contraception; n=379]

I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant	35	19	59	40	45	43
I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	22	45	14	4	16	3
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	15	11	12	4	7	0
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	10	21	6	3	5	0
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	6	3	14	0	7	0
I worry I would forget to take the pill	4	5	6	0	3	0
I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child	2	10	0	0	0	0
Don't know	2	1	1	0	2	5
Prefer not to say	2	2	4	0	0	0
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s	1	2	0	0	0	0
None of the above	28	19	14	58	33	50

REBASED: You have said you would not be willing to take hormonal contraception (i.e. the pill or an implant). Why not?

[Excluding those who said "I am / my partner is unable to get pregnant" above. n=246]

I am concerned about the side effects (e.g. mood swings, bloating, problems with your skin)	32	56	31	5	25	4
I am uncomfortable with the concept of the implant	20	14	26	2	10	0
I or my partner use condoms and see this as a sufficient form of contraception	16	26	16	5	8	0
I was not aware of the option of hormonal contraception	9	3	28	0	12	0
I worry I would forget to take the pill	6	6	14	0	5	0

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child	3	1	6	0	7	0	0	4	3	7	1	5	3	4
Don't know	3	3	2	0	3	1	6	2	4	2	2	3	2	10
Prefer not to say	3	4	1	0	3	3	0	3	1	3	0	4	3	9
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s	2	2	1	0	3	0	0	3	0	3	1	3	2	0
None of the above	43	31	54	17	21	70	73	47	35	35	46	34	49	48

In general, who do you think tends to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	56	40	70	53	56	59	52	56	55	47	56	60	55	58
Men tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	3	6	1	6	3	2	3	3	4	4	3	3	4	1
Both women and men tend to take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	29	39	20	27	28	27	34	30	28	34	29	26	30	30
Don't know	12	15	9	14	12	12	10	11	13	16	11	11	12	11

And who do you think SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	8	6	9	8	7	7	12	7	9	11	7	8	6	10
Men SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	7	9	5	10	7	3	8	5	9	8	6	7	7	9
Women and men SHOULD take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	79	76	82	74	78	85	76	82	75	73	80	79	82	73
Don't know	6	9	4	8	8	5	5	6	7	8	7	7	5	7

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	1
Don't know	3	0	0	2	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4
Prefer not to say	3	0	0	2	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s	2	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
None of the above	43	0	0	23	40	0	0	54	0	0	24	0	19

In general, who do you think tends to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	56	40	41	51	45	44	81	71	0	83	44	62	39
Men tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	3	4	9	7	5	0	2	1	0	0	8	4	6
Both women and men tend to take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	29	50	45	38	35	45	13	22	0	0	32	21	39
Don't know	12	5	5	5	15	10	4	7	0	17	15	13	16

And who do you think SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	8	7	3	8	6	5	11	8	0	29	9	6	6
Men SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	7	8	7	4	7	6	2	4	0	16	17	4	9
Women and men SHOULD take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	79	76	83	86	81	75	87	86	0	56	65	84	74
Don't know	6	9	6	1	6	15	1	2	0	0	10	6	11

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I am in a relationship in which we are trying for a child		3	13	0	0	0	0
Don't know		3	1	3	0	4	9
Prefer not to say		3	3	9	0	0	0
I don't feel it is my responsibility to take the lead on contraception methods - I leave this to my sexual partner/s		2	2	0	0	0	0
None of the above		43	23	36	93	61	87

In general, who do you think tends to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	56	72	42	75	38	64
Men tend to take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	3	1	4	0	7	0
Both women and men tend to take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	29	19	40	15	43	27
Don't know	12	8	14	10	12	9

And who do you think SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship?

Women SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	8	8	6	8	7	15
Men SHOULD take more responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	7	5	4	2	10	6
Women and men SHOULD take equal responsibility for making sure appropriate contraception methods are used in a heterosexual relationship	79	82	84	86	76	76
Don't know	6	5	5	5	7	3