

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2115

FIELDWORK DATES: 19th to 22nd March 2010

	Gender		Age			Social Grade		Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 50	Over 50	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands and Wales	North	Scotland
All GB Adults	2115	1015	1100	444	775	896	1163	952	414	495	462	551	193
Unweighted Sample	2115	983	1132	356	692	1067	1240	875	391	485	444	497	298
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

How do you expect consumer prices of goods and services will develop in the next 12 months?

Go down	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	2	3	1	1	2	1
Not change	8	5	10	11	10	4	7	8	6	8	7	7	11
Rise by 1% or less	11	11	12	11	12	11	12	10	11	11	10	12	12
Rise by 1% but less than 2%	19	19	19	21	19	19	20	18	18	19	19	20	19
Rise by 2% but less than 3%	21	23	20	17	20	25	24	18	21	22	21	20	25
Rise by 3% but less than 4%	14	16	12	9	14	16	16	12	11	15	15	14	11
Rise by 4% but less than 5%	6	6	5	4	5	7	5	6	5	7	6	4	5
Rise by 5% but less than 6%	5	6	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	5	5	5
Rise by 6% or more	5	6	5	3	6	7	4	7	8	6	5	5	4
Don't know	9	6	12	16	9	6	6	13	11	7	10	10	6

How do you expect consumer prices of goods and services will develop in the next 12 months?

[Excluding don't knows, BASE = 1947]

Go down	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	3	3	1	1	3	1
Not change	8	5	11	13	10	4	7	10	7	8	8	8	11
Rise by 1% or less	12	12	13	13	13	11	13	12	13	12	11	14	13
Rise by 1% but less than 2%	21	21	22	25	21	20	22	21	20	20	21	23	20
Rise by 2% but less than 3%	24	25	23	21	22	26	26	21	24	23	24	22	27
Rise by 3% but less than 4%	15	17	14	11	15	17	17	13	13	16	17	16	12
Rise by 4% but less than 5%	6	6	6	5	5	8	6	7	6	8	7	5	6
Rise by 5% but less than 6%	5	6	5	6	5	5	5	6	6	5	6	5	5
Rise by 6% or more	6	6	6	4	6	7	4	8	8	6	5	5	4
MEDIAN March 2010	2.3	2.5	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3
(February 2010)	2.3	2.5	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.4
(January 2010)	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.8	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.2
(December 2009)	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.2
(November 2009)	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.2
(October 2009)	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.3	1.9	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.2
(September 2009)	1.9	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.3	1.9	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.1

(August 2009)	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.6	2.1	1.7	2.0	1.6	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.1
(July 2009)	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.9
(June 2009)	2.0	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.2	1.9	2.2	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.2
(May 2009)	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.9
(April 2009)	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.4	1.5	2.1	1.6	2.0	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.1
(March 2009)	1.8	1.6	2.1	1.4	1.5	2.1	1.6	2.1	1.5	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.0
(February 2009)	1.5	1.3	1.9	1.1	1.4	1.8	1.3	1.8	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8
(January 2009)	1.1	0.8	1.4	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.0
(December) 2008	0.8	0.6	1.1	0.3	0.6	1.1	0.6	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2
(November 2008)	0.9	0.7	1.2	0.9	0.6	1.2	0.6	1.2	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.5
(October 2008)	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9
(September 2008)	4.4	4.5	4.2	3.9	4.3	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.7	4.3	4.3	4.0
(August 2008)	4.4	4.5	4.3	3.7	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.3
(July 2008)	4.2	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.3
(June 2008)	4.6	4.6	4.6	3.9	4.5	4.9	4.7	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.8	4.5	4.4
(May 2008)	4.1	4.3	3.9	3.6	4.0	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.1	3.6
(April 2008)	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.2	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.3	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.8	3.7
(March 2008)	3.6	3.8	3.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.4
(February 2008)	3.1	3.2	3.1	2.6	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.9
(January 2008)	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2	2.9
(December 2007)	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6
(November 2007)	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.6	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7
(October 2007)	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.5
(September 2007)	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.6
(August 2007)	2.4	2.5	2.2	1.8	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2
(July 2007)	2.5	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4
(June 2007)	2.4	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.4
(May 2007)	2.5	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.4
(April 2007)	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
(March 2007)	2.5	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3
(February 2007)	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.4
(January 2007)	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.6
(December 2006)	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.3
(November 2006)	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.2
(October 2006)	2.4	2.5	2.3	2	2.3	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5
(September 2006)	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.3
(August 2006)	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4
(July 2006)	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.7	2.0	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.1
(June 2006)	2.3	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1
(May 2006)	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4
(April 2006)	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4
(March 06)	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3
(Feb 06)	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.2	2.5	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.5
(Jan 06)	2.3	2.4	2.2	1.9	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3
(Dec 05)	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.3
(Nov 05)	2.3	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4

And what do you think will happen to the prices of goods and services, on average, over the longer term - say five to ten years?

Go down	2	1	2	3	2	1	1	2	2	3	1	1	2
Not change	2	1	3	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	3
Rise by 1% or less per year on average	7	5	8	7	7	6	6	7	7	7	6	8	6
Rise by 1% but less than 2% per year	12	11	12	11	12	12	12	11	10	12	12	14	13
Rise by 2% but less than 3% per year	19	21	16	20	18	19	21	16	20	20	18	18	16
Rise by 3% but less than 4% per year	15	18	12	10	16	17	17	12	13	15	16	14	19
Rise by 4% but less than 5% per year	11	11	11	11	10	12	11	11	9	11	13	10	13
Rise by 5% but less than 6% per year	10	12	9	8	10	11	10	11	10	11	11	10	9
Rise by 6% or more per year on average	11	12	10	11	11	12	10	12	14	10	10	12	10
Don't know	12	8	15	16	12	9	10	14	14	10	11	13	10

And what do you think will happen to the prices of goods and services, on average, over the longer term - say five to ten years?

[Excluding don't knows, BASE = 1947]

Go down	2	1	3	4	2	1	1	3	2	3	2	1	2
Not change	2	1	3	4	2	2	2	3	1	2	2	3	3
Rise by 1% or less per year on average	8	5	10	8	8	7	7	8	8	7	7	9	6
Rise by 1% but less than 2% per year	13	12	14	13	14	13	14	13	11	13	13	16	14
Rise by 2% but less than 3% per year	21	23	19	24	21	20	23	19	23	22	20	21	18
Rise by 3% but less than 4% per year	17	20	15	12	18	19	19	14	15	17	18	16	21
Rise by 4% but less than 5% per year	12	12	13	13	12	13	12	12	11	12	15	11	14
Rise by 5% but less than 6% per year	12	13	11	10	11	12	11	13	12	12	12	11	10
Rise by 6% or more per year on average	13	13	12	13	13	13	11	14	16	11	12	13	11
MEDIAN March 2010	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3
(February 2010)	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.9
(January 2010)	3.3	3.4	3.2	2.8	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.2	3.4
(December 2009)	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	2.9	3.0	3.2
(November 2009)	3.3	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.0
(October 2009)	3.2	3.3	3.2	2.9	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.1
(September 2009)	3.0	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.9	3.3	2.9	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.1
(August 2009)	3.0	3.4	2.8	2.6	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2
(July 2009)	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.6	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.0
(June 2009)	3.0	3.2	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.3	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.3	2.9	3.0	3.0
(May 2009)	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.4	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.0
(April 2009)	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.4	2.9	3.4	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.5
(March 2009)	3.1	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2
(February 2009)	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.1	3.0	2.7
(January 2009)	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7

(December) 2008	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7
(November 2008)	3.0	2.9	3.1	2.7	2.9	3.1	2.9	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.6
(October) 2008	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.9
(September) 2008	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.8	3.4
(August 2008)	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4
(July 2008)	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6
(June 2008)	3.8	3.6	4.0	3.4	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.8	3.7
(May 2008)	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.8	3.8	4.0	3.7	4.2	3.6	3.9	4.1	4.1	3.7
(April 2008)	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.6	3.9	3.5	3.6	3.8	4.0	3.7
(March 2008)	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.6	3.8	4.1	3.8	4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.7
(February 2008)	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.5	3.6	3.9	3.3	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.5
(January 2008)	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.6	3.9	3.6	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9
(December 2007)	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.2	3.8	3.4	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7
(November 2007)	3.7	3.4	4	3.4	3.4	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.4
(October 2007)	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.8	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.5
(September 2007)	3.6	3.4	3.9	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.2
(August 2007)	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.0
(July 2007)	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3
(June 2007)	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.5
(May 2007)	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.6	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.3
(April 2007)	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.5
(March 2007)	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.4
(February 2007)	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.3
(January 2007)	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.4
(December 2006)	3.6	3.3	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.7
(November 2006)	3.5	3.2	3.8	3.3	3.3	3.9	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.4
(October 2006)	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.7
(September 2006)	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.6
(August 2006)	3.6	3.3	3.9	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.3	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.7
(July 2006)	3.3	3.0	3.5	2.9	3.1	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.3
(June 2006)	3.4	3.2	3.7	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
(May 2006)	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.8	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.2
(April 2006)	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.3
(March 06)	3.7	3.4	3.9	3.5	3.4	4.0	3.5	3.8	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.4
(Feb 06)	3.7	3.4	4.0	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.3
(Jan 06)	3.3	3.2	3.6	3.0	3.3	3.7	3.2	3.6	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2
(Dec 05)	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.4	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	3.7
(Nov 05)	3.5	3.3	3.7	3.2	3.2	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.4