

# YouGov Results: Housework

Sample Size: 1,314 UK adults currently living with a partner

Fieldwork: 14th - 15th November 2019



Total	Gender		Age				
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

Thinking about the chores that you and your partner do in the household...

Who tends to do the following? (please select the option that best applies)

## 1. Cook meals

	Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>		1314	656	658	36	201	242	253	582
Always me	22%		9%	34%	22%	22%	15%	23%	24%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	35%		30%	40%	14%	44%	46%	33%	29%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	32%		45%	20%	44%	27%	31%	34%	33%
Always my partner	10%		14%	5%	15%	5%	6%	9%	13%
Don't know	1%		1%	1%	6%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	0%		1%	0%	-	0%	1%	0%	0%

## 2. Food shopping

	Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>		1314	656	658	36	201	242	253	582
Always me	22%		12%	33%	23%	24%	22%	27%	19%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	41%		34%	48%	33%	42%	41%	39%	41%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	29%		44%	13%	29%	22%	28%	24%	33%
Always my partner	5%		8%	2%	5%	6%	5%	8%	4%
Don't know	2%		1%	3%	8%	4%	2%	2%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	1%		1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	0%	1%

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	ABC1	C2DE

Thinking about the chores that you and your partner do in the household...

Who tends to do the following? (please select the option that best applies)

## 1. Cook meals

	Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>		1314	800	513
Always me	22%		18%	28%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	35%		37%	31%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	32%		33%	31%
Always my partner	10%		10%	9%
Don't know	1%		1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	0%		0%	0%

## 2. Food shopping

	Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>		1314	800	513
Always me	22%		21%	24%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	41%		42%	39%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	29%		29%	29%
Always my partner	5%		5%	5%
Don't know	2%		2%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	1%		1%	1%

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## 3. Washing up

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	17%	11%	22%	24%	19%	19%	16%	14%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	42%	42%	42%	48%	36%	47%	36%	45%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	30%	34%	26%	16%	38%	26%	34%	29%
Always my partner	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%
Don't know	1%	1%	2%	6%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	5%	7%	4%	3%	2%	5%	8%	5%

## 4. Laundry/ washing clothes

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	30%	7%	54%	36%	29%	28%	32%	31%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	28%	21%	34%	33%	32%	33%	29%	23%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	26%	44%	9%	21%	28%	28%	27%	25%
Always my partner	14%	27%	1%	5%	10%	8%	12%	20%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	5%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	0%	0%	0%	-	-	0%	-	0%

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## 3. Washing up

	Total	ABC1	C2DE
Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>513</b>
Always me	17%	13%	22%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	42%	44%	40%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	30%	31%	29%
Always my partner	4%	4%	4%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	5%	6%	4%

## 4. Laundry/ washing clothes

	Total	ABC1	C2DE
Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>513</b>
Always me	30%	26%	37%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	28%	30%	24%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	26%	28%	24%
Always my partner	14%	15%	14%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	0%	0%	0%

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	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

### 5. Taking the bins out

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	29%	46%	13%	21%	25%	31%	28%	31%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	28%	37%	20%	29%	29%	31%	30%	27%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	26%	12%	41%	22%	34%	24%	25%	25%
Always my partner	15%	4%	25%	26%	12%	12%	16%	16%
Don't know	1%	0%	1%	3%	2%	0%	1%	0%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	0%	1%

### 6. Vacuum cleaning/ Hoovering

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	20%	9%	30%	11%	20%	17%	24%	20%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	37%	35%	39%	51%	35%	48%	33%	34%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	32%	44%	21%	19%	34%	27%	34%	34%
Always my partner	7%	9%	5%	5%	6%	4%	4%	9%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%	5%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	3%	2%	4%	8%	2%	2%	3%	3%

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	Unweighted base	1343	851	492
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Always me	29%		31%	27%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	28%		30%	26%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	26%		25%	28%
Always my partner	15%		12%	18%
Don't know	1%		1%	0%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	1%		0%	1%

### 6. Vacuum cleaning/ Hoovering

	Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>		<b>1314</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>513</b>
Always me	20%		17%	25%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	37%		38%	35%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	32%		35%	29%
Always my partner	7%		5%	9%
Don't know	1%		1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	3%		4%	1%

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	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

## 7. Making the bed(s)

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	26%	7%	45%	22%	27%	24%	31%	25%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	31%	26%	36%	42%	31%	34%	29%	30%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	30%	47%	13%	24%	26%	30%	29%	32%
Always my partner	9%	16%	1%	10%	10%	7%	6%	10%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	3%	3%	3%	-	4%	3%	3%	3%

## 8. Dusting

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	29%	7%	52%	31%	30%	29%	30%	28%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	16%	31%	14%	25%	26%	28%	22%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	46%	7%	34%	28%	25%	23%	28%
Always my partner	12%	23%	2%	3%	5%	11%	14%	15%
Don't know	1%	2%	1%	8%	4%	2%	0%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	6%	6%	7%	11%	9%	8%	4%	6%

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### 7. Making the bed(s)

	Unweighted base	ABC1	C2DE
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	1314	800	513
Always me	26%	21%	34%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	31%	35%	26%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	30%	34%	24%
Always my partner	9%	7%	11%
Don't know	1%	1%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	3%	2%	4%

### 8. Dusting

	Unweighted base	ABC1	C2DE
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	1314	800	513
Always me	29%	26%	34%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	24%	24%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	28%	24%
Always my partner	12%	13%	11%
Don't know	1%	1%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	6%	7%	5%

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	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

## 9. Polishing surfaces

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	28%	7%	50%	26%	29%	27%	30%	27%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	19%	29%	29%	22%	22%	29%	23%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	24%	41%	7%	31%	22%	23%	21%	25%
Always my partner	12%	22%	1%	6%	7%	10%	11%	15%
Don't know	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	11%	10%	12%	6%	18%	15%	8%	9%

## 10. Deep cleaning the oven

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	32%	17%	47%	20%	32%	34%	32%	32%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	16%	18%	14%	15%	13%	21%	15%	16%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	17%	20%	14%	30%	21%	14%	18%	16%
Always my partner	16%	25%	8%	8%	13%	14%	17%	18%
Don't know	3%	4%	2%	11%	5%	3%	2%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	17%	17%	16%	16%	17%	14%	16%	17%

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### 9. Polishing surfaces

	Unweighted base	ABC1	C2DE
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	1314	800	513
Always me	28%	25%	33%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	24%	24%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	24%	26%	20%
Always my partner	12%	12%	12%
Don't know	2%	1%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	11%	12%	9%

### 10. Deep cleaning the oven

	Unweighted base	ABC1	C2DE
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	1314	800	513
Always me	32%	30%	34%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	16%	16%	17%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	17%	16%	18%
Always my partner	16%	17%	15%
Don't know	3%	3%	3%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	17%	19%	13%

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Total	Gender		Age				
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

## 11. Mopping the floors (i.e. wet mop)

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	26%	8%	45%	14%	26%	27%	28%	26%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	20%	29%	36%	21%	27%	27%	22%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	41%	13%	29%	26%	27%	27%	28%
Always my partner	12%	20%	4%	-	12%	11%	11%	13%
Don't know	1%	2%	0%	8%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	9%	9%	9%	13%	13%	7%	5%	10%

## 12. Cleaning the bathroom(s)

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	31%	8%	54%	37%	34%	29%	33%	30%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	22%	27%	32%	28%	27%	27%	21%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	42%	11%	26%	24%	25%	24%	29%
Always my partner	13%	24%	3%	3%	10%	14%	12%	15%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	4%	3%	4%	-	3%	4%	3%	4%

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Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>513</b>
Always me	26%	23%	32%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	25%	23%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	29%	24%
Always my partner	12%	11%	13%
Don't know	1%	1%	2%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	9%	11%	7%

### 12. Cleaning the bathroom(s)

	Total	ABC1	C2DE
Unweighted base	1343	851	492
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>513</b>
Always me	31%	27%	38%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	24%	27%	21%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	27%	28%	24%
Always my partner	13%	13%	14%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	4%	5%	2%

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Total	Gender		Age				
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+

## 13. Mowing the lawn/ gardening

Unweighted base	1343	683	660	30	197	237	252	627
<b>Base: All UK adults living with a spouse or partner</b>	<b>1314</b>	<b>656</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>582</b>
Always me	27%	42%	12%	22%	22%	27%	26%	29%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	20%	26%	13%	17%	16%	22%	20%	20%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	15%	10%	21%	14%	14%	16%	17%	15%
Always my partner	21%	5%	36%	20%	19%	20%	25%	20%
Don't know	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	17%	16%	18%	25%	29%	14%	11%	15%

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Always me	27%	28%	25%
Mostly me, sometimes my partner	20%	20%	19%
Mostly my partner, sometimes me	15%	14%	18%
Always my partner	21%	20%	22%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - neither my partner or I do this	17%	17%	16%

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