

YouGov Survey Results

Fieldwork: 11th - 12th August 2020

Sample Size: 1634 adults in GB



	Vote in 2019 GE			EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region						
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland	
Weighted Sample	1634	554	405	147	606	647	794	840	178	681	394	381	931	703	196	549	355	394	141	
Unweighted Sample	1634	595	429	170	692	681	696	938	139	701	402	392	1001	633	166	567	360	412	129	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for the Home Office to use RAF planes and personnel to assist the UK Border Force in preventing migrants attempting to cross the English Channel?

Completely acceptable	45	72	20	33	31	70	50	41	15	40	52	62	45	46	30	47	51	46	44
Somewhat acceptable	24	21	23	30	26	19	21	27	21	26	26	20	24	25	24	28	20	25	19
TOTAL ACCEPTABLE:	69	93	43	63	57	89	71	68	36	66	78	82	69	71	54	75	71	71	63
Somewhat unacceptable	8	3	13	15	12	4	7	9	10	10	7	6	9	7	13	7	9	6	7
Completely unacceptable	12	1	32	11	21	3	14	11	25	13	11	7	14	10	23	10	9	11	19
TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE:	20	4	45	26	33	7	21	20	35	23	18	13	23	17	36	17	18	17	26
Don't know	10	3	12	12	10	4	7	13	29	11	5	6	9	13	10	9	11	12	12

Do you think it is acceptable or unacceptable for the Home Office to use Royal Navy vessels and personnel to assist the UK Border Force in migrants attempting to cross the English Channel?

Completely acceptable	46	72	23	34	32	70	52	41	19	40	53	63	46	47	31	49	50	47	42
Somewhat acceptable	25	21	22	35	27	20	23	27	22	27	26	21	25	25	24	28	24	23	25
TOTAL ACCEPTABLE:	71	93	45	69	59	90	75	68	41	67	79	84	71	72	55	77	74	70	67
Somewhat unacceptable	8	3	13	13	12	4	8	8	11	10	6	5	8	7	12	7	9	6	10
Completely unacceptable	12	2	30	10	20	3	12	11	19	11	11	9	13	10	23	10	9	11	12
TOTAL UNACCEPTABLE:	20	5	43	23	32	7	20	19	30	21	17	14	21	17	35	17	18	17	22
Don't know	9	3	12	9	10	3	6	13	29	11	4	3	8	11	10	7	8	13	10

How serious of a problem, if at all, do you think illegal entry into the UK via the English Channel is?

Very serious	45	69	22	30	27	70	44	47	12	37	55	65	42	49	35	47	51	45	43
Somewhat serious	28	28	27	34	35	23	26	31	27	31	28	25	29	28	28	29	28	27	33
TOTAL SERIOUS:	73	97	49	64	62	93	70	78	39	68	83	90	71	77	63	76	79	72	76
Not very serious	13	3	27	25	22	4	16	10	22	16	10	6	15	11	22	14	9	12	9
Not serious at all	8	0	18	7	12	2	11	6	23	9	5	3	10	6	10	5	8	9	14
TOTAL NOT SERIOUS:	21	3	45	32	34	6	27	16	45	25	15	9	25	17	32	19	17	21	23
Don't know	5	0	6	4	4	1	4	6	16	7	1	1	4	7	5	5	4	8	2