

YouGov Cambridge
The Globalism Project - All countries
 Sample size: 15059 adults
 Fieldwork Dates: 4th August - 21st September 2021



Country													
France	Germany	Sweden	Denmark	Spain	Italy	Hungary	Poland	GB	Australia	United States	Canada	Russia	Japan

Which of these applies to you?

Unweighted base	1085	1009	1038	1170	1035	1023	1012	1035	1062	1076	1004	1127	1228	1155
Base: All country adults	1085	1009	1038	1170	1035	1023	1012	1035	1062	1076	1004	1127	1228	1155
Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	45%	39%	44%	39%	43%	35%	52%	50%	38%	36%	31%	33%	56%	44%
Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	8%	12%	7%	7%	8%	11%	6%	6%	13%	15%	11%	9%	10%	13%
Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	2%
Full time student	4%	5%	8%	5%	6%	5%	3%	5%	4%	3%	5%	5%	2%	3%
Retired	27%	31%	29%	34%	23%	19%	20%	20%	27%	25%	25%	28%	19%	7%
Unemployed	7%	4%	4%	4%	12%	16%	5%	7%	6%	8%	10%	8%	5%	2%
Not working	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%	7%	4%	5%	6%	8%	9%	10%	4%	23%
Other	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	6%	3%	3%	2%	6%	5%	3%	6%
Net: Workers	54%	53%	52%	49%	53%	48%	61%	59%	54%	55%	45%	45%	68%	59%
Net: Not working	46%	47%	48%	51%	47%	52%	39%	41%	46%	45%	55%	55%	32%	41%

For the following question, if you were not in work before the pandemic started, please select the 'Not applicable' option Thinking about how you worked before the coronavirus pandemic started... Which ONE of the following best describes what your working situation was before the pandemic started?

Unweighted base	564	557	533	573	629	534	626	655	571	544	412	471	854	711
Base: All country adults who work	586	536	543	578	551	491	616	613	573	588	449	502	833	684
I worked from home the whole time	11%	8%	7%	6%	6%	5%	11%	10%	13%	15%	17%	17%	8%	3%
I worked from home most of the time	7%	7%	6%	7%	6%	8%	10%	8%	6%	11%	11%	10%	10%	4%
I worked from home some of the time	8%	13%	15%	20%	12%	7%	11%	13%	14%	15%	15%	12%	19%	9%
I did not work from home at all	65%	64%	68%	61%	68%	68%	60%	60%	58%	52%	48%	53%	58%	75%
Not applicable - I was not in work before the pandemic started	8%	6%	4%	6%	6%	8%	7%	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%	5%	5%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	0%	4%

In general, would you say your work life has become more stressful or less stressful since the pandemic started, or has there been no overall change either way?

Unweighted base	564	557	533	573	629	534	626	655	571	544	412	471	854	711
Base: All country adults who work	586	536	543	578	551	491	616	613	573	588	449	502	833	684
A lot more stressful	15%	12%	8%	7%	18%	12%	18%	11%	15%	18%	20%	20%	13%	17%
A bit more stressful	30%	25%	23%	17%	32%	37%	29%	30%	30%	36%	32%	29%	37%	35%
No overall change either way	35%	43%	46%	54%	33%	30%	37%	44%	36%	30%	30%	36%	39%	35%
A bit less stressful	7%	8%	11%	10%	6%	6%	3%	4%	6%	7%	5%	4%	3%	4%
A lot less stressful	2%	4%	6%	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%
Don't know	2%	1%	2%	4%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%	2%	3%
Not applicable - I was not in work before the pandemic started	8%	6%	4%	6%	6%	8%	7%	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%	5%	5%
Net: More stressful	46%	37%	31%	24%	51%	49%	47%	41%	45%	54%	51%	49%	50%	52%
Net: Less stressful	9%	12%	18%	13%	9%	11%	6%	6%	10%	9%	8%	7%	4%	6%

Which ONE of the following best describes your current working situation now?

Unweighted base	564	557	533	573	629	534	626	655	571	544	412	471	854	711
Base: All country adults who work	586	536	543	578	551	491	616	613	573	588	449	502	833	684
Working from home the whole time	7%	9%	18%	6%	9%	9%	8%	10%	23%	32%	24%	24%	9%	5%
Working from home most of the time	9%	10%	12%	9%	7%	6%	8%	6%	13%	11%	14%	12%	10%	8%
Working from home some of the time	18%	14%	16%	21%	19%	11%	13%	14%	8%	11%	14%	10%	20%	13%
Not working from home at all	57%	61%	54%	61%	62%	65%	64%	64%	51%	41%	43%	47%	58%	67%
Furloughed/ not working	3%	2%	0%	1%	1%	5%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other	5%	3%	1%	1%	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%
Don't know	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	0%	3%
Not applicable - my job status has changed (i.e. I no longer work, etc.)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Thinking about when the pandemic is over. Which ONE of the following best describes what your preferred working situation would be then, if you were able to choose?

Unweighted base	564	557	533	573	629	534	626	655	571	544	412	471	854	711
Base: All country adults who work	586	536	543	578	551	491	616	613	573	588	449	502	833	684
Working from home the whole time	10%	9%	13%	7%	9%	10%	15%	12%	15%	18%	24%	22%	9%	7%
Working from home most of the time	13%	14%	16%	12%	12%	15%	15%	15%	20%	18%	20%	16%	17%	8%
Working from home some of the time	21%	22%	26%	33%	23%	18%	18%	18%	18%	23%	18%	17%	23%	18%
Not working from home at all	37%	42%	31%	33%	41%	42%	37%	39%	28%	30%	24%	29%	37%	45%
Don't know	4%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	6%	3%	9%
Not applicable - I do not work in an industry where working from home would be possible	15%	10%	12%	12%	12%	13%	13%	13%	16%	10%	10%	10%	10%	13%