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Poll

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Methodology

Fieldwork Dates

2nd – 3rd April 2015

Data Collection Method

The survey was conducted via online panel. Invitations to complete surveys were sent out to members of the panel. Differential response rates from different demographic groups were taken into account.

Population Sampled

All residents aged 18+ in Great Britain

Sample Size

1,207

Data Weighting

Data were weighted to the profile of all Great British adults aged 18+. Data were weighted by age, sex, region, household income, education and past vote. Targets for the weighted data were derived from Office for National Statistics 2011 Census data and the results of the 2010 General Election.

Margin of Error

Because only a sample of the full population was interviewed, all results are subject to margin of error, meaning that not all differences are statistically significant. For example, in a question where 50% (the worst case scenario as far as margin of error is concerned) gave a particular answer, with a sample of 1,207 it is 95% certain that the 'true' value will fall within the range of 2.8% from the sample result. Subsamples from the cross-breaks will be subject to higher margin of error, conclusions drawn from crossbreaks with very small sub-samples should be treated with caution.

Question presentation

All data tables shown in full below, in order and wording put to respondents, including but not limited to all tables relating to published data and all relevant tables preceding them. Tables for demographic questions might not be included but these should be clear from the cross-breaks on published tables. In all questions where the responses are a list of parties, names or statements, these will typically have been displayed to respondents in a randomising order. The only questions which would not have had randomising responses would be those in which there was a natural order to maintain – e.g. a scale from “strongly agree” to “strongly disagree”, a list of numbers from 0 to 10 or questions which had factual rather than opinion-related answers such as demographic information. “Other”, “Don't know” and “Refused” responses are not randomised.

Not all questions will have necessarily been asked to all respondents – this is because they may be follow-on questions from previous questions or only appropriate to certain demographic groups. Lower response counts should make clear where this has occurred.

Data were analysed and weighted by Survation.

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Table 1
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?
Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age			Voting Intention					2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1								
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales	
Unweighted Total	1207	593	614	210	379	618	316	301	80	178	86	168	338	255	183	108	257	266	246	317	378	114	200	272	440	1026	111	70	
Weighted Total	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61	
Depression is an illness	1008	472	536	271	364	373	254	267	68	146	71	146	284	221	179	63	210	216	164	282	347	117	170	234	349	870	85	54	
	83.5%	80.5%	86.3%	77.9%	85.5%	86.0%	84.9%	83.1%	80.3%	80.5%	86.4%	88.2%	86.6%	83.8%	85.4%	75.5%	81.5%	84.7%	82.2%	81.3%	85.2%	84.5%	85.2%	83.2%	82.4%	83.4%	82.0%	87.4%	
Depression is not an illness	128	81	47	47	45	35	30	41	14	24	5	8	31	29	25	13	28	28	24	46	30	17	20	28	46	112	12	5	
	10.6%	13.9%	7.6%	13.7%	10.7%	8.2%	10.0%	12.6%	16.7%	13.3%	6.7%	4.8%	9.3%	10.9%	12.1%	16.1%	10.9%	10.9%	12.2%	13.2%	7.4%	12.4%	10.3%	9.8%	11.0%	10.7%	11.3%	8.1%	
Dont know	71	33	38	29	16	25	15	14	3	11	6	12	13	14	5	7	19	11	11	19	30	4	9	20	28	61	7	3	
	5.9%	5.6%	6.1%	8.5%	3.8%	5.8%	5.1%	4.2%	3.0%	6.2%	6.9%	7.0%	4.1%	5.3%	2.4%	8.4%	7.6%	4.4%	5.6%	5.4%	7.3%	3.1%	4.5%	7.0%	6.7%	5.9%	6.7%	4.5%	
SIGMA	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 2
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. Which of the following statements is closest to your opinion?
Base: Owns / mortgages accomodation

	Gender		Age			Voting Intention						2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1								
	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecid ed	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midland s	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales		
Unweighted Total	786	400	386	85	246	455	247	184	56	119	52	94	265	181	140	71	101	216	186	194	190	65	128	184	288	665	80	41	
Weighted Total	753	383	370	148	283	323	227	202	55	112	48	81	246	186	156	53	89	204	149	210	190	82	120	184	261	646	72	35	
I currently require financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my mortgage	73	35	38	34	26	12	6	30	10	12	1	12	14	28	14	2	11	18	8	23	23	13	11	17	25	66	5	1	
	9.7%	9.1%	10.2%	23.3%	9.3%	3.7%	2.7%	14.9%	18.1%	10.7%	1.4%	14.5%	5.6%	15.3%	9.2%	3.0%	12.9%	9.0%	5.3%	11.0%	12.2%	15.7%	8.9%	9.5%	9.7%	10.2%	7.5%	3.1%	
I used to require financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my mortgage, but I no longer do	86	53	33	37	39	11	28	25	6	10	7	9	26	23	8	10	15	35	22	19	10	18	22	14	26	80	3	3	
	11.4%	13.9%	8.8%	25.0%	13.6%	3.3%	12.2%	12.2%	10.8%	9.2%	15.0%	11.4%	10.7%	12.5%	5.3%	19.4%	17.3%	17.3%	14.9%	9.0%	5.2%	21.7%	18.4%	7.4%	10.0%	12.3%	4.2%	9.7%	
I have never required financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my mortgage	557	277	280	70	208	279	181	140	36	87	34	55	194	126	128	35	58	145	111	162	139	49	84	144	197	474	56	28	
	74.0%	72.4%	75.7%	47.3%	73.7%	86.5%	79.7%	69.4%	66.8%	77.5%	70.6%	67.2%	78.8%	67.9%	82.1%	65.3%	65.1%	71.1%	74.1%	77.4%	73.4%	59.6%	70.1%	78.4%	75.5%	73.3%	77.8%	79.0%	
I have never had a mortgage	37	18	19	7	9	21	12	7	2	3	6	6	12	8	5	7	4	5	9	5	18	2	3	9	12	27	7	3	
	4.9%	4.6%	5.3%	4.5%	3.4%	6.5%	5.3%	3.5%	4.4%	2.5%	13.0%	6.8%	4.9%	4.3%	3.5%	12.2%	4.6%	2.7%	5.7%	2.6%	9.2%	3.0%	2.6%	4.8%	4.8%	4.1%	10.4%	8.2%	
SIGMA	753	383	370	148	283	323	227	202	55	112	48	81	246	186	156	53	89	204	149	210	190	82	120	184	261	646	72	35	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 3
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. Which of the following statements is closest to your current situation?
Base: Rents accomodation

	Gender		Age			Voting Intention						2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1							
	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales	
Unweighted Total	365	168	197	91	123	151	59	103	23	51	31	60	66	69	38	34	125	38	47	110	170	43	62	80	130	315	27	23
Weighted Total	376	169	207	142	130	104	60	99	27	58	29	65	73	70	45	27	125	31	36	117	191	45	66	86	134	331	24	21
I currently require financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my rent	70	25	45	35	30	6	6	17	3	9	5	16	12	6	8	6	30	3	7	21	38	7	15	18	24	64	4	2
	18.7%	15.0%	21.7%	24.3%	22.8%	5.9%	10.0%	17.6%	9.5%	15.6%	16.8%	24.2%	16.0%	9.1%	18.7%	23.0%	23.8%	10.7%	20.3%	18.2%	20.0%	15.2%	23.3%	20.5%	18.3%	19.4%	15.6%	10.7%
I used to require financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my rent, but I no longer do	64	38	26	27	29	9	4	18	9	13	5	15	11	9	8	4	23	6	12	18	29	13	7	6	29	54	4	6
	17.1%	22.5%	12.7%	18.8%	22.0%	8.7%	6.1%	18.3%	32.1%	21.6%	18.8%	22.8%	14.8%	13.2%	16.9%	12.9%	18.6%	19.5%	32.3%	15.2%	15.0%	28.1%	9.9%	7.2%	21.7%	16.4%	18.2%	26.6%
I have never required financial help from family or friends to be able to pay my rent	223	104	119	68	66	89	49	58	16	34	15	31	49	51	29	15	63	21	17	75	109	24	41	58	78	200	9	13
	59.2%	61.6%	57.2%	47.9%	51.0%	84.9%	82.0%	58.7%	58.4%	58.8%	52.1%	47.1%	66.7%	72.9%	64.4%	53.6%	50.6%	67.9%	47.3%	64.3%	57.0%	52.6%	61.4%	67.6%	58.1%	60.5%	38.6%	62.6%
I have never paid rent	19	1	17	13	6	*	1	5	-	2	4	4	2	3	-	3	9	1	-	3	15	2	4	4	3	12	7	-
	5.0%	0.8%	8.4%	9.0%	4.3%	*	1.9%	5.4%	-	4.0%	12.4%	5.9%	2.5%	4.8%	-	10.4%	7.0%	1.9%	-	2.3%	8.1%	4.1%	5.4%	4.8%	1.9%	3.7%	27.6%	-
SIGMA	376	169	207	142	130	104	60	99	27	58	29	65	73	70	45	27	125	31	36	117	191	45	66	86	134	331	24	21
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 4
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. Which of the following statements best matches your view?
Base: All Respondents

	Gender		Age			Voting Intention						2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1							
	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales	
Unweighted Total	1207	593	614	210	379	618	316	301	80	178	86	168	338	255	183	108	257	266	246	317	378	114	200	272	440	1026	111	70
Weighted Total	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
I trust politicians to make laws regarding internet censorship and digital security	316	174	142	83	113	120	99	91	31	41	14	30	110	81	42	19	58	75	55	76	111	31	59	62	115	266	33	17
	26.2%	29.7%	22.9%	24.0%	26.5%	27.8%	33.2%	28.4%	37.0%	22.5%	17.1%	18.2%	33.6%	30.7%	20.0%	22.4%	22.5%	29.5%	27.4%	21.8%	27.3%	22.2%	29.8%	21.9%	27.0%	25.5%	31.9%	28.3%
I do not trust politicians to make laws regarding internet censorship and digital security	674	340	334	185	242	246	129	192	40	117	58	95	164	150	132	55	142	152	112	193	217	90	109	148	234	580	59	35
	55.8%	58.0%	53.8%	53.3%	56.8%	56.8%	42.9%	59.9%	47.9%	64.6%	70.1%	57.1%	49.9%	56.9%	63.2%	66.2%	55.1%	59.8%	56.0%	55.6%	53.4%	64.5%	54.5%	52.6%	55.2%	55.6%	56.9%	57.7%
Dont know	217	72	144	79	71	67	72	38	13	24	10	41	54	33	35	9	58	27	33	78	78	18	31	72	75	197	12	9
	18.0%	12.3%	23.3%	22.6%	16.7%	15.4%	23.9%	11.7%	15.0%	13.0%	12.7%	24.7%	16.5%	12.5%	16.9%	11.4%	22.3%	10.7%	16.6%	22.6%	19.3%	13.3%	15.7%	25.6%	17.7%	18.9%	11.2%	14.0%
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 5
Q1. Normal weightings
Q1. Do you know the details of a policy from any one of the political parties regarding...?
Base: All Respondents
Mental health

	Total	Gender		Age			Voting Intention					2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1							
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales
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Weighted Total	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
Yes	294	167	127	107	96	90	81	94	26	50	23	18	82	67	53	27	59	84	60	74	77	44	51	74	92	262	21	12
	24.4%	28.6%	20.4%	30.9%	22.6%	20.9%	27.0%	29.4%	31.2%	27.3%	27.7%	10.6%	24.9%	25.4%	25.2%	31.9%	22.9%	32.9%	30.2%	21.2%	18.9%	31.7%	25.7%	26.5%	21.8%	25.1%	20.1%	19.0%
No	913	419	494	240	330	343	219	227	58	132	59	148	246	197	156	57	199	171	139	273	330	95	148	207	331	781	82	50
	75.6%	71.4%	79.6%	69.1%	77.4%	79.1%	73.0%	70.6%	68.8%	72.7%	72.3%	89.4%	75.1%	74.6%	74.8%	68.1%	77.1%	67.1%	69.8%	78.8%	81.1%	68.3%	74.3%	73.5%	78.2%	74.9%	79.9%	81.0%
SIGMA	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 6

Q1. Normal weightings

Q1. Do you know the details of a policy from any one of the political parties regarding...?

Base: All Respondents

Housing

	Total	Gender		Age			Voting Intention					2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1							
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales
Unweighted Total	1207	593	614	210	379	618	316	301	80	178	86	168	338	255	183	108	257	266	246	317	378	114	200	272	440	1026	111	70
Weighted Total	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
Yes	380	206	174	127	126	127	103	120	27	75	25	26	121	91	71	32	59	115	72	97	96	54	66	92	123	336	28	16
	31.5%	35.2%	28.0%	36.5%	29.7%	29.3%	34.5%	37.5%	31.9%	41.2%	30.8%	15.8%	36.9%	34.6%	33.8%	38.3%	23.1%	45.0%	36.1%	28.0%	23.7%	39.2%	33.2%	32.9%	29.0%	32.2%	27.6%	25.7%
No	827	380	447	221	300	306	196	201	57	107	57	139	207	172	139	51	198	140	127	249	310	84	133	189	300	707	75	46
	68.5%	64.8%	72.0%	63.5%	70.3%	70.7%	65.5%	62.5%	68.1%	58.8%	69.2%	84.2%	63.1%	65.4%	66.2%	61.7%	76.9%	55.0%	63.9%	72.0%	76.3%	60.8%	66.8%	67.1%	71.0%	67.8%	72.4%	74.3%
SIGMA	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Table 7

Q1. Normal weightings

Q1. Do you know the details of a policy from any one of the political parties regarding...?

Base: All Respondents

Internet censorship and digital security

	Total	Gender		Age			Voting Intention					2010 Vote					SEG				Region6 + 1							
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	OTHER	Undecided	CON	LAB	LD	OTHER	Did Not Vote	AB	C1	C2	DE	London	Midlands	North	South	England	Scotland	Wales
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Weighted Total	1207	586	621	347	426	433	299	321	84	182	82	166	328	264	209	83	258	255	199	347	407	139	199	281	423	1043	103	61
Yes	192	108	85	92	66	34	37	72	11	37	19	13	44	51	39	22	34	53	46	47	47	37	35	43	54	169	17	7
	15.9%	18.4%	13.6%	26.6%	15.4%	8.0%	12.5%	22.6%	12.5%	20.5%	23.4%	7.8%	13.3%	19.4%	18.6%	26.7%	13.0%	20.7%	23.3%	13.5%	11.4%	26.5%	17.5%	15.2%	12.8%	16.2%	16.1%	11.4%
No	1015	478	536	255	360	399	262	249	74	145	63	153	284	213	170	61	224	202	153	300	360	102	165	238	369	874	87	54
	84.1%	81.6%	86.4%	73.4%	84.6%	92.0%	87.5%	77.4%	87.5%	79.5%	76.6%	92.2%	86.7%	80.6%	81.4%	73.3%	87.0%	79.3%	76.7%	86.5%	88.6%	73.5%	82.5%	84.8%	87.2%	83.8%	83.9%	88.6%
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