

# Humanist Scotland Poll

12/07/2018

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# Methodology

## Fieldwork Dates

5<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> July 2018

## 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 Scotland.

## Sample Size

1,002

## Data Weighting

Data were weighted to the profile of all Scottish adults aged 18+. Data were weighted by age, sex, region, 2017 General Election vote and 2014 referendum vote. Targets for the weighted data were derived from Office of National Statistics data, the results of the 2017 UK General Election and the 2014 referendum result.

## 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 1,002 it is 95% certain that the 'true' value will fall within the range of 3.1% from the sample result. Subsamples from the cross-breaks will be subject to higher margin of error, conclusions drawn from cross breaks 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. In what religion, if any, were you raised?**

Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Region							2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG					
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE	
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220	
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225	
No religion	392	160	231	66	97	76	72	48	31	25	48	69	62	23	46	51	68	169	144	15	50	72	127	90	127	71	104	
	39.1%	33.3%	44.4%	60.3%	57.1%	50.9%	40.2%	30.1%	13.4%	33.9%	38.8%	49.4%	37.6%	25.1%	39.4%	35.9%	45.3%	45.9%	31.6%	22.6%	24.0%	40.5%	44.9%	36.7%	39.0%	34.3%	46.3%	
Christian	566	307	259	35	62	65	102	107	196	44	71	69	97	65	59	85	76	187	301	50	155	102	143	146	188	127	104	
	56.5%	63.8%	49.7%	31.6%	36.4%	42.9%	56.5%	66.7%	84.9%	58.9%	57.9%	49.6%	58.7%	69.8%	50.4%	60.2%	51.2%	50.6%	65.9%	77.4%	74.8%	57.1%	50.7%	59.9%	57.9%	61.1%	46.5%	
Muslim	16	6	10	6	4	3	1	2	-	2	-	-	2	-	7	4	2	6	4	-	-	3	6	4	4	3	5	
	1.6%	1.3%	1.9%	5.1%	2.6%	2.2%	0.6%	1.2%	-	2.6%	-	-	1.3%	-	5.8%	2.5%	1.3%	1.7%	0.9%	-	-	1.9%	2.1%	1.7%	1.2%	1.5%	2.2%	
Hindu	5	1	4	1	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	
	0.5%	0.1%	0.8%	0.6%	2.1%	0.5%	-	-	-	1.2%	-	0.6%	-	-	1.1%	-	1.4%	0.3%	0.4%	-	-	-	-	0.3%	0.2%	1.4%	0.3%	
Buddhist	7	-	7	1	-	3	1	2	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	1	-	3	-	-	1	-	3	3	1	1	2	
	0.7%	-	1.3%	1.2%	-	1.7%	0.6%	1.2%	-	1.7%	0.8%	0.5%	1.1%	1.0%	-	0.7%	-	0.7%	-	-	0.4%	-	0.9%	1.1%	0.3%	0.5%	1.0%	
Sikh	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	*	
	0.1%	-	0.3%	-	-	0.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.6%	-	0.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.3%	0.4%	-	-	0.2%	
Jewish	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	
	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.7%	-	-	-	0.5%	-	-	-	-	-	1.0%	-	0.8%	-	0.5%	-	0.6%	-	0.4%	-	0.4%	0.6%	-	
Other	13	6	7	1	2	1	4	1	3	1	3	-	1	4	2	1	-	3	3	-	1	1	2	-	4	1	8	
	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%	2.2%	0.8%	1.2%	1.7%	2.4%	1.1%	0.8%	4.2%	1.9%	0.6%	-	0.8%	0.7%	-	0.3%	0.5%	0.7%	-	1.1%	0.6%	3.4%	
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225	
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 2**  
**Q2. What is your religion now, or are you not religious?**

Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Region							2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG					
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE	
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220	
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225	
Not religious	590	267	323	76	117	103	114	88	92	39	75	93	98	51	64	80	91	232	244	31	90	106	181	142	189	116	142	
	58.8%	55.4%	62.1%	69.1%	68.9%	68.5%	63.0%	54.6%	39.9%	52.6%	60.9%	66.4%	59.3%	54.4%	54.6%	56.3%	61.1%	62.8%	53.4%	48.0%	43.2%	59.5%	64.1%	58.1%	58.2%	55.8%	63.4%	
Christian	373	204	169	24	43	39	62	69	136	32	47	43	61	40	41	54	54	126	204	33	116	69	91	94	127	82	70	
	37.2%	42.4%	32.5%	21.9%	25.4%	25.8%	34.5%	42.8%	58.9%	43.3%	38.3%	31.0%	37.3%	42.8%	35.5%	38.0%	36.2%	34.0%	44.6%	51.4%	55.6%	38.8%	32.3%	38.6%	38.9%	39.2%	31.4%	
Muslim	15	4	11	7	4	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	6	3	3	5	4	-	-	2	5	4	3	3	5	
	1.5%	0.8%	2.1%	6.3%	2.2%	1.4%	0.6%	0.7%	-	1.7%	-	-	0.7%	-	5.4%	2.4%	2.0%	1.4%	0.9%	-	-	1.2%	1.8%	1.5%	1.0%	1.5%	2.3%	
Hindu	4	1	3	1	3	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	
	0.4%	0.1%	0.6%	0.6%	1.5%	0.5%	-	-	-	1.2%	-	0.6%	-	-	1.1%	-	0.7%	0.3%	0.2%	-	-	-	-	0.3%	0.2%	0.9%	0.3%	
Buddhist	8	2	6	-	1	2	3	2	-	-	1	2	3	*	1	-	-	2	2	*	1	-	2	2	2	1	3	
	0.8%	0.3%	1.1%	-	0.4%	1.2%	1.7%	1.2%	-	-	0.8%	0.5%	1.1%	2.8%	0.4%	0.7%	-	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	-	0.7%	0.9%	0.5%	0.5%	1.2%	
Jewish	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	1	
	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	-	0.7%	0.4%	-	-	0.5%	-	-	-	0.8%	-	1.5%	-	-	0.2%	0.3%	-	0.6%	-	0.2%	-	-	1.2%	0.3%	
Other	10	3	7	2	1	3	*	1	1	1	-	2	1	-	2	4	-	3	1	-	*	1	3	1	4	2	3	
	1.0%	0.6%	1.3%	2.1%	0.8%	2.1%	0.3%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%	-	1.5%	0.8%	-	1.6%	2.6%	-	0.7%	0.3%	-	0.2%	0.5%	1.0%	0.5%	1.2%	0.9%	1.2%	
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225	
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 3**  
**Q3. Which denomination of Christianity do you presently belong to or identify with?**

Base: All Respondents

	Gender		Age						Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG							
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE		
Unweighted Total	359	166	193	23	52	51	61	76	96	32	35	48	52	29	73	47	43	122	192	32	111	70	84	96	122	76	65	
Weighted Total	373	204	169	24	43	39	62	69	136	32	47	43	61	40	41	54	54	126	204	33	116	69	91	94	127	82	70	
Church of Scotland	215	124	91	8	17	16	40	39	95	18	32	24	35	21	12	34	39	77	127	23	75	33	55	55	69	50	41	
	57.7%	60.9%	53.7%	31.2%	39.5%	41.7%	64.1%	56.9%	70.1%	55.4%	68.9%	54.6%	56.4%	53.6%	29.4%	63.9%	71.4%	61.6%	62.2%	69.3%	64.5%	48.3%	60.7%	57.9%	54.9%	61.3%	58.0%	
Roman Catholic	71	38	33	5	12	10	13	14	17	3	8	8	11	5	18	9	9	26	33	6	11	24	19	19	25	14	14	
	19.1%	18.6%	19.6%	22.7%	28.2%	26.0%	20.2%	19.9%	12.6%	8.9%	16.2%	18.0%	18.5%	13.8%	43.7%	16.7%	16.6%	20.9%	16.3%	18.2%	9.4%	34.6%	20.3%	20.0%	19.5%	16.6%	20.0%	
Church of England	23	9	14	1	2	1	5	4	10	3	3	2	4	6	1	1	3	7	12	-	12	5	5	3	8	4	8	
	6.2%	4.5%	8.4%	5.6%	5.0%	2.4%	8.7%	5.6%	7.1%	9.1%	6.4%	4.8%	7.1%	15.3%	2.2%	2.6%	4.7%	5.4%	5.9%	-	10.2%	7.3%	5.7%	3.4%	6.5%	4.3%	11.9%	
Baptist	6	3	4	2	1	*	*	1	2	-	-	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	4	1	2	*	*	3	2	2	-	
	1.7%	1.3%	2.1%	7.4%	2.1%	1.1%	0.8%	1.6%	1.2%	-	-	-	6.2%	-	6.1%	-	-	-	2.0%	3.2%	1.4%	0.6%	0.5%	3.1%	1.2%	2.2%	-	
Episcopalian	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	2	-	2	-	3	1	-	
	1.2%	1.5%	0.8%	-	-	-	-	6.4%	-	-	-	5.3%	3.4%	-	-	-	-	1.8%	1.0%	-	1.8%	-	2.5%	-	2.4%	1.7%	-	
Independent/Free Evangelical	6	5	1	-	2	2	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	-	
	1.5%	2.4%	0.4%	-	5.2%	5.1%	-	-	1.1%	2.3%	2.1%	3.3%	2.1%	-	-	-	2.3%	1.7%	1.7%	3.0%	0.6%	2.1%	1.4%	2.4%	1.0%	2.7%	-	
Pentecostal (e.g. Elim Pentecostal, Assemblies of God)	6	4	2	-	1	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	1	3	-	2	-	1	5	-	1	-	3	3	2	1	-	
	1.7%	2.0%	1.4%	-	2.7%	-	1.3%	1.7%	2.4%	2.6%	-	-	1.9%	6.7%	-	3.2%	-	0.9%	2.6%	-	1.0%	-	3.2%	3.1%	1.6%	1.8%	-	
Methodist	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	
	0.6%	-	1.4%	-	-	-	-	3.4%	-	-	-	3.3%	-	2.3%	-	-	-	-	1.2%	-	0.8%	2.1%	-	2.5%	-	-	-	
Free Church of Scotland	6	3	3	-	*	2	-	1	2	1	-	-	2	1	*	2	-	1	5	-	4	-	1	-	2	3	*	
	1.5%	1.4%	1.7%	-	1.0%	6.3%	-	1.7%	1.2%	2.5%	-	-	2.6%	3.0%	1.0%	2.9%	-	0.6%	2.4%	-	3.8%	-	1.4%	-	1.6%	3.9%	0.6%	
Orthodox	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	
	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%	6.2%	1.6%	-	-	-	-	2.2%	-	-	-	-	-	2.8%	-	1.2%	0.3%	-	1.9%	-	-	0.7%	1.2%	-	-	
Brethren	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	1	1	
	0.9%	1.2%	0.6%	-	2.7%	3.1%	-	-	0.7%	-	-	2.2%	-	-	-	4.4%	-	0.8%	0.6%	-	0.8%	3.4%	-	1.3%	-	1.2%	1.6%	
United Reformed Church/Presbyterian	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	
	0.2%	-	0.5%	-	2.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7%	-	-	-	0.5%	-	-	-	-	1.0%	-	-	-	
Other	10	3	6	5	1	1	2	-	1	2	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	4	-	3	-	2	2	4	1	3	
	2.6%	1.7%	3.7%	19.8%	2.8%	1.3%	3.4%	-	0.8%	7.6%	4.5%	4.1%	-	8.0%	-	-	-	0.6%	1.8%	-	2.3%	-	2.0%	2.0%	3.3%	0.9%	4.1%	
Don't know	8	4	3	-	*	2	-	1	3	2	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	2	3	1	-	1	2	1	5	*	2	
	2.0%	2.0%	2.0%	-	1.1%	5.7%	-	2.0%	2.5%	6.7%	1.9%	1.8%	-	5.3%	3.7%	-	-	1.9%	1.3%	4.0%	-	1.5%	1.9%	0.6%	3.8%	0.6%	2.3%	
Prefer not to say	9	4	5	2	3	3	1	*	1	1	-	1	-	2	1	3	-	3	1	1	2	-	*	2	4	2	1	
	2.4%	1.8%	3.1%	7.2%	6.0%	7.3%	1.5%	0.5%	0.4%	2.7%	-	2.5%	1.8%	-	5.9%	1.8%	5.0%	2.6%	0.3%	2.3%	1.4%	-	0.5%	2.0%	3.0%	2.8%	1.5%	
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Table 4

Q4. Which of the following comes closest to expressing what you believe about God or a higher power?

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Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
I don't believe in God or a higher power	321 32.0%	158 32.8%	163 31.2%	34 30.8%	68 40.0%	49 32.6%	65 36.1%	49 30.6%	56 24.2%	22 30.1%	44 35.8%	48 34.1%	59 35.8%	22 23.2%	33 28.7%	53 37.5%	39 26.5%	116 31.5%	146 32.0%	28 43.2%	59 28.3%	55 30.9%	85 30.1%	87 35.5%	102 31.5%	62 29.9%	69 30.9%
I don't know whether there is a God or a higher power and I don't believe there is any way to find out	264 26.4%	132 27.5%	132 25.4%	34 30.5%	41 24.1%	36 23.9%	48 26.7%	40 25.0%	66 28.4%	27 36.0%	36 29.1%	35 25.0%	43 26.1%	34 36.9%	25 21.3%	28 19.6%	37 24.9%	101 27.3%	123 26.9%	10 15.4%	61 29.5%	49 27.6%	76 26.8%	64 26.2%	82 25.3%	62 29.9%	56 24.8%
I find myself believing in God or a higher power some of the time, but not others	172 17.2%	73 15.1%	100 19.1%	14 12.4%	27 16.1%	27 18.1%	28 15.6%	40 25.0%	36 15.5%	9 12.0%	16 13.1%	24 17.4%	28 16.9%	20 22.1%	22 19.3%	27 19.2%	25 16.6%	74 20.1%	75 16.3%	14 20.9%	37 18.0%	24 13.6%	61 21.7%	39 16.0%	56 17.3%	35 16.9%	42 18.6%
I know God exists and I have no doubt about it	179 17.9%	95 19.8%	84 16.1%	17 15.8%	20 11.8%	23 15.5%	25 13.9%	24 15.0%	70 30.2%	15 20.7%	22 18.1%	22 16.0%	21 12.9%	13 13.6%	26 22.7%	25 17.4%	34 23.0%	57 15.5%	89 19.4%	13 20.5%	46 22.1%	38 21.2%	42 15.0%	40 16.5%	68 21.0%	39 18.5%	32 14.4%
Don't know	65 6.5%	23 4.8%	42 8.1%	11 10.4%	14 8.0%	15 9.9%	14 7.8%	7 4.4%	4 1.7%	1 1.2%	5 3.8%	10 7.5%	14 8.3%	4 4.1%	9 8.0%	9 6.2%	13 9.1%	20 5.5%	24 5.3%	-	4 2.0%	12 6.7%	18 6.5%	14 5.8%	16 4.9%	10 4.7%	25 11.3%
SIGMA	1002 100.0%	482 100.0%	520 100.0%	110 100.0%	170 100.0%	150 100.0%	180 100.0%	160 100.0%	231 100.0%	74 100.0%	123 100.0%	140 100.0%	165 100.0%	93 100.0%	116 100.0%	142 100.0%	149 100.0%	369 100.0%	457 100.0%	65 100.0%	208 100.0%	178 100.0%	283 100.0%	244 100.0%	325 100.0%	208 100.0%	225 100.0%

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**Table 5**  
**Q5. Which of the following best describes your belief in God?**

Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age					Region							2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG					
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
I dont believe in God now and never have	342 34.1%	158 32.8%	184 35.3%	52 47.6%	79 46.5%	52 34.8%	71 39.1%	47 29.2%	40 17.4%	22 29.5%	45 36.5%	54 38.9%	60 36.2%	24 26.2%	36 31.0%	56 39.8%	44 29.4%	126 34.1%	146 31.9%	19 28.5%	60 28.7%	68 38.3%	91 32.0%	82 33.5%	119 36.5%	64 30.5%	78 34.5%
I dont believe in God now, but I didnt used to	151 15.1%	79 16.4%	72 13.9%	9 7.9%	21 12.1%	24 16.3%	24 13.6%	29 18.1%	44 19.2%	15 20.5%	22 18.2%	16 11.7%	28 16.8%	18 19.1%	16 13.4%	18 12.8%	18 12.3%	61 16.6%	75 16.3%	15 23.7%	25 12.1%	22 12.4%	60 21.1%	48 19.7%	39 11.9%	35 16.7%	30 13.3%
I believe in God now, but I didnt used to	37 3.7%	16 3.3%	21 4.1%	10 9.5%	7 4.4%	7 4.9%	1 0.7%	3 1.9%	8 3.4%	3 3.5%	3 2.7%	5 3.5%	5 2.8%	3 2.9%	8 7.0%	5 3.5%	6 4.0%	15 4.1%	13 2.8%	2 3.2%	9 4.2%	2 1.2%	14 4.9%	10 4.1%	8 2.4%	6 3.0%	13 5.8%
I believe in God now and I always have	274 27.3%	133 27.7%	140 27.0%	17 15.8%	34 19.7%	36 23.9%	45 24.8%	49 30.8%	93 40.2%	21 28.3%	28 22.8%	36 26.1%	40 24.1%	23 24.3%	34 29.5%	44 31.0%	47 31.7%	96 26.1%	131 28.8%	22 33.3%	75 35.9%	49 27.6%	71 25.0%	66 26.8%	93 28.6%	57 27.4%	58 25.8%
Prefer not to say	54 5.4%	31 6.4%	23 4.4%	5 4.3%	11 6.2%	6 4.2%	16 9.1%	9 5.6%	7 2.9%	3 4.1%	5 4.0%	7 5.3%	9 5.2%	6 6.4%	4 3.8%	10 7.0%	10 6.4%	22 6.0%	17 3.8%	4 6.3%	7 3.4%	13 7.1%	11 3.7%	14 5.7%	16 5.0%	13 6.0%	11 4.9%
Don't know	144 14.4%	65 13.4%	80 15.4%	16 14.9%	19 11.1%	24 15.9%	23 12.8%	39 14.5%	39 17.0%	11 14.2%	19 15.8%	20 14.6%	24 14.9%	20 21.0%	18 15.3%	8 5.8%	24 16.2%	48 13.1%	75 16.4%	3 5.1%	33 15.7%	24 13.4%	38 13.3%	25 10.2%	51 15.6%	34 16.3%	35 15.6%
SIGMA	1002 100.0%	482 100.0%	520 100.0%	110 100.0%	170 100.0%	150 100.0%	180 100.0%	160 100.0%	231 100.0%	74 100.0%	123 100.0%	140 100.0%	165 100.0%	93 100.0%	116 100.0%	142 100.0%	149 100.0%	369 100.0%	457 100.0%	65 100.0%	208 100.0%	178 100.0%	283 100.0%	244 100.0%	325 100.0%	208 100.0%	225 100.0%

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**Table 6**  
**Q6. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Life after death**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	146	67	79	23	24	26	27	12	34	14	11	21	23	14	23	18	23	60	61	6	27	29	51	32	47	36	30
	14.6%	13.9%	15.3%	21.3%	14.3%	17.6%	14.7%	7.2%	14.7%	18.9%	8.7%	14.9%	13.9%	14.8%	19.8%	12.9%	15.3%	16.3%	13.4%	8.8%	13.2%	16.3%	18.0%	13.3%	14.6%	17.4%	13.5%
Mostly believe in	197	74	123	27	33	26	31	40	39	11	26	27	28	16	26	31	32	76	85	12	38	35	50	40	70	31	55
	19.6%	15.3%	23.7%	24.7%	19.5%	17.4%	17.1%	25.0%	17.1%	14.5%	20.9%	19.5%	16.8%	17.5%	22.6%	21.9%	21.4%	20.5%	18.6%	18.6%	18.1%	19.6%	17.6%	16.5%	21.6%	15.0%	24.4%
Mostly do not believe in	159	87	73	24	30	24	25	21	36	11	25	24	24	19	19	18	20	60	70	13	30	28	46	40	56	31	31
	15.9%	18.0%	14.0%	21.7%	17.6%	15.7%	13.7%	13.2%	15.6%	15.4%	19.9%	16.9%	14.3%	20.5%	13.6%	12.9%	13.2%	16.2%	15.4%	19.4%	14.6%	15.6%	16.3%	16.6%	17.4%	15.0%	14.0%
Do not believe in at all	353	193	160	24	60	48	66	70	87	30	49	49	69	26	28	57	46	125	179	30	87	67	96	103	104	76	71
	35.3%	40.1%	30.8%	21.5%	35.1%	31.9%	36.3%	43.4%	37.6%	39.8%	39.6%	35.3%	41.9%	27.8%	24.3%	39.9%	30.8%	33.8%	39.1%	46.0%	41.6%	37.8%	34.1%	42.1%	32.0%	36.5%	31.5%
Don't know	146	62	85	12	23	26	33	18	34	8	13	19	22	18	19	18	29	49	61	5	26	19	40	28	47	34	37
	14.6%	12.8%	16.3%	10.7%	13.5%	17.4%	18.2%	11.2%	15.0%	11.3%	10.9%	13.3%	13.2%	19.4%	16.7%	12.4%	19.4%	13.2%	13.5%	7.2%	12.4%	10.6%	14.0%	11.6%	14.5%	16.1%	16.6%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 7**  
**Q7. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Heaven**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	150	73	76	26	23	24	20	15	41	16	12	18	18	11	26	21	29	50	67	2	34	31	41	31	46	38	35
	14.9%	15.3%	14.6%	24.0%	13.5%	15.9%	11.1%	9.5%	17.8%	21.0%	9.6%	12.6%	10.6%	12.2%	22.8%	14.6%	19.2%	13.6%	14.7%	3.2%	16.2%	17.6%	14.4%	12.5%	14.2%	18.0%	15.7%
Mostly believe in	185	72	113	17	31	28	29	34	46	12	21	30	32	14	23	23	31	81	75	14	36	35	56	42	64	34	45
	18.4%	14.9%	21.7%	15.0%	18.1%	18.8%	16.3%	21.2%	19.7%	15.7%	16.9%	21.1%	19.3%	15.6%	19.6%	16.1%	20.7%	22.0%	16.5%	20.9%	17.1%	19.7%	19.6%	17.4%	19.5%	16.1%	20.1%
Mostly do not believe in	129	65	64	14	21	19	26	22	28	10	17	22	21	21	12	18	7	41	68	12	30	21	31	36	40	25	29
	12.9%	13.5%	12.3%	12.8%	12.6%	12.5%	14.3%	13.5%	11.9%	13.6%	14.1%	15.7%	12.7%	22.5%	10.5%	11.9%	5.0%	11.2%	14.8%	18.4%	14.6%	11.9%	10.9%	14.8%	12.2%	11.8%	12.8%
Do not believe in at all	429	220	210	41	77	62	87	73	89	27	55	58	79	32	43	69	67	164	197	30	88	79	130	116	143	84	87
	42.8%	45.6%	40.3%	37.4%	45.0%	41.5%	48.1%	45.6%	38.7%	36.2%	44.3%	41.1%	48.0%	34.9%	36.9%	48.5%	45.1%	44.4%	43.2%	46.8%	42.1%	44.2%	46.1%	47.4%	43.9%	40.3%	38.8%
Don't know	109	52	58	12	18	17	18	16	27	10	18	13	16	14	12	11	15	33	49	7	21	12	25	20	33	29	28
	10.9%	10.7%	11.1%	10.7%	10.8%	11.2%	10.2%	10.3%	11.8%	13.5%	15.0%	9.5%	9.4%	14.9%	10.2%	7.9%	10.0%	8.8%	10.8%	10.7%	9.9%	6.7%	8.9%	8.0%	10.1%	13.8%	12.5%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 8**  
**Q8. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Hell**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	95	45	50	23	17	15	11	10	18	7	9	12	15	6	16	12	18	37	31	3	18	17	28	20	26	22	26
	9.4%	9.3%	9.5%	20.9%	10.2%	10.2%	5.9%	6.5%	7.7%	9.3%	7.1%	8.9%	9.0%	6.2%	13.9%	8.4%	12.1%	10.0%	6.9%	4.8%	8.8%	9.4%	9.8%	8.3%	7.8%	10.8%	11.8%
Mostly believe in	110	50	60	11	21	13	21	16	27	9	13	13	14	11	17	19	14	37	54	4	22	34	21	26	31	27	27
	11.0%	10.3%	11.5%	10.1%	12.5%	8.4%	11.7%	10.3%	11.8%	12.0%	10.3%	9.4%	8.7%	12.2%	14.7%	13.2%	9.2%	9.9%	11.8%	6.5%	10.7%	18.8%	7.4%	10.7%	9.4%	12.7%	11.8%
Mostly do not believe in	158	76	82	20	20	28	27	29	35	14	16	29	22	19	17	22	18	65	73	15	37	18	49	38	60	24	36
	15.8%	15.8%	15.8%	18.1%	11.6%	18.4%	15.0%	18.0%	15.1%	18.5%	12.7%	20.9%	13.4%	20.5%	15.0%	15.9%	12.4%	17.6%	15.9%	23.6%	17.7%	10.3%	17.3%	15.6%	18.6%	11.4%	16.1%
Do not believe in at all	521	257	265	46	91	72	102	88	123	36	68	73	96	43	52	76	78	192	243	37	106	95	154	140	174	106	102
	52.0%	53.3%	50.8%	41.7%	53.2%	47.7%	56.6%	54.8%	53.5%	49.0%	54.8%	52.4%	58.2%	46.4%	44.6%	53.4%	52.2%	52.0%	53.3%	56.6%	51.2%	53.3%	54.6%	57.2%	53.5%	50.7%	45.4%
Don't know	118	54	64	10	21	23	19	17	27	8	19	12	18	14	14	13	21	39	56	6	24	15	31	20	35	30	33
	11.8%	11.2%	12.3%	9.2%	12.5%	15.4%	10.8%	10.4%	11.9%	11.1%	15.1%	8.4%	10.7%	14.8%	11.8%	9.2%	14.2%	10.4%	12.2%	8.5%	11.6%	8.1%	10.9%	8.2%	10.6%	14.3%	14.9%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 9**  
**Q9. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Divine miracles from God**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	102	54	48	12	22	13	13	9	33	10	9	12	13	9	18	16	15	40	43	5	21	20	32	23	41	20	18
	10.2%	11.2%	9.2%	11.1%	12.9%	8.6%	7.5%	5.4%	14.2%	13.0%	7.6%	8.7%	8.1%	9.6%	15.1%	11.2%	10.3%	10.8%	9.3%	8.2%	9.9%	11.3%	11.2%	9.5%	12.5%	9.7%	8.1%
Mostly believe in	113	48	65	9	19	23	21	13	27	7	7	18	16	8	19	9	29	52	44	5	30	24	28	30	34	28	21
	11.3%	10.0%	12.5%	8.6%	11.1%	15.5%	11.9%	8.0%	11.7%	10.0%	5.9%	12.7%	9.7%	8.2%	16.0%	6.5%	19.6%	14.0%	9.7%	7.8%	14.6%	13.4%	10.0%	12.3%	10.4%	13.4%	9.4%
Mostly do not believe in	164	75	89	18	27	22	24	33	40	11	25	29	27	19	15	25	14	59	84	17	30	32	45	40	54	34	37
	16.4%	15.5%	17.2%	16.7%	16.1%	14.4%	13.2%	20.5%	17.4%	15.2%	19.9%	20.8%	16.1%	20.2%	13.2%	17.3%	9.5%	15.9%	18.3%	25.6%	14.6%	18.2%	16.1%	16.4%	16.6%	16.1%	16.4%
Do not believe in at all	507	262	244	52	87	72	101	85	109	37	67	67	92	44	50	78	70	187	234	35	109	82	147	137	163	101	106
	50.6%	54.5%	46.9%	47.4%	51.1%	48.0%	56.0%	52.8%	47.4%	50.3%	54.2%	48.1%	56.1%	47.5%	43.4%	55.1%	47.0%	50.6%	51.2%	54.2%	52.2%	46.3%	51.9%	56.1%	50.2%	48.3%	47.2%
Don't know	116	42	74	18	15	20	21	21	21	9	15	14	17	13	14	14	20	32	52	3	18	19	30	14	33	26	43
	11.6%	8.8%	14.2%	16.1%	8.7%	13.5%	11.4%	13.2%	9.3%	11.5%	12.4%	9.8%	10.0%	14.5%	12.3%	9.8%	13.7%	8.7%	11.5%	4.2%	8.8%	10.8%	10.8%	5.8%	10.2%	12.5%	19.0%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 10**  
**Q10. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Reincarnation**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	70 6.9%	29 5.9%	41 7.9%	17 15.3%	14 8.2%	9 6.0%	15 8.2%	6 3.7%	9 3.9%	6 8.5%	5 4.1%	11 7.5%	14 8.3%	4 4.3%	11 9.4%	8 5.6%	11 7.5%	34 9.2%	20 4.3%	1 1.1%	10 4.6%	14 8.1%	27 9.6%	12 4.9%	22 6.7%	18 8.4%	19 8.3%
Mostly believe in	136 13.6%	44 9.2%	92 17.6%	15 13.9%	28 16.3%	28 18.4%	26 14.3%	21 13.2%	18 7.9%	11 14.5%	15 12.1%	24 17.2%	12 7.3%	12 12.4%	19 16.0%	16 11.4%	28 18.8%	51 13.7%	55 12.1%	7 10.1%	25 11.8%	26 14.5%	35 12.5%	37 15.2%	43 13.1%	25 12.2%	31 13.7%
Mostly do not believe in	165 16.5%	74 15.4%	91 17.5%	14 12.5%	31 18.0%	27 17.7%	22 12.5%	28 17.3%	44 19.2%	12 16.3%	18 14.8%	28 20.2%	25 15.4%	15 16.1%	17 14.5%	29 20.5%	21 13.8%	62 16.8%	75 16.4%	15 22.9%	35 16.8%	28 15.6%	49 17.2%	39 16.0%	63 19.4%	39 18.8%	24 10.7%
Do not believe in at all	467 46.6%	264 54.9%	203 38.9%	40 35.9%	73 43.1%	60 40.2%	83 46.1%	84 52.1%	127 55.0%	36 48.3%	65 52.5%	60 42.6%	91 55.1%	43 45.8%	48 41.5%	69 48.7%	56 37.5%	170 45.9%	237 51.9%	40 61.8%	110 52.9%	87 48.8%	127 45.0%	138 56.6%	142 43.5%	88 42.3%	99 44.1%
Don't know	164 16.4%	70 14.6%	94 18.1%	25 22.4%	25 14.5%	27 17.8%	34 18.9%	22 13.7%	32 14.0%	9 12.4%	20 16.5%	18 12.5%	23 14.0%	20 21.3%	22 18.6%	33 13.8%	33 22.3%	53 14.4%	70 15.4%	3 4.1%	29 13.8%	23 13.0%	44 15.7%	18 7.3%	56 17.3%	38 18.2%	52 23.3%
SIGMA	1002 100.0%	482 100.0%	520 100.0%	110 100.0%	170 100.0%	150 100.0%	180 100.0%	160 100.0%	231 100.0%	74 100.0%	123 100.0%	140 100.0%	165 100.0%	93 100.0%	116 100.0%	142 100.0%	149 100.0%	369 100.0%	457 100.0%	65 100.0%	208 100.0%	178 100.0%	283 100.0%	244 100.0%	325 100.0%	208 100.0%	225 100.0%

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**Table 11**  
**Q11. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Supernatural powers of deceased ancestors**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Gender		Age						Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE	
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	60	21	38	18	12	6	10	7	6	4	4	11	9	4	8	9	12	27	18	1	11	10	22	8	18	13	20
	6.0%	4.5%	7.4%	16.5%	7.0%	4.3%	5.3%	4.6%	2.7%	5.1%	3.0%	8.2%	5.3%	3.8%	6.6%	6.5%	7.9%	7.2%	3.9%	1.1%	5.2%	5.5%	7.9%	3.3%	5.7%	6.3%	9.0%
Mostly believe in	134	60	74	13	32	26	27	19	18	12	13	22	17	10	23	19	19	54	54	5	20	26	41	33	45	30	26
	13.4%	12.6%	14.2%	11.7%	18.7%	17.2%	15.2%	11.5%	7.8%	16.2%	10.2%	15.9%	10.4%	10.7%	19.4%	13.1%	12.9%	14.7%	11.9%	7.9%	9.7%	14.8%	14.6%	13.7%	13.8%	14.4%	11.6%
Mostly do not believe in	189	84	105	24	26	27	37	30	45	11	26	29	27	22	18	29	25	68	93	21	44	29	51	43	74	37	34
	18.9%	17.5%	20.1%	21.7%	15.1%	17.9%	20.7%	18.4%	19.7%	14.6%	21.1%	21.1%	16.6%	24.2%	15.7%	20.5%	17.1%	18.5%	20.4%	32.1%	21.4%	16.1%	18.0%	17.7%	22.8%	17.9%	15.3%
Do not believe in at all	494	268	226	42	76	68	90	89	129	39	64	62	92	44	49	70	73	181	242	35	117	90	135	144	153	98	99
	49.3%	55.7%	43.4%	38.2%	44.6%	45.5%	49.7%	55.5%	56.0%	52.7%	51.8%	44.4%	56.1%	47.3%	42.5%	49.7%	48.9%	48.9%	52.9%	53.6%	56.5%	50.4%	47.6%	58.8%	47.2%	47.0%	44.2%
Don't know	125	47	78	13	25	23	16	16	32	8	17	15	19	13	18	14	20	40	50	3	15	24	34	16	34	30	44
	12.4%	9.8%	14.9%	11.9%	14.6%	15.1%	9.1%	9.9%	13.8%	11.4%	13.9%	10.4%	11.6%	14.0%	15.8%	10.2%	13.2%	10.8%	11.0%	5.3%	7.2%	13.2%	11.8%	6.4%	10.6%	14.4%	19.8%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 12**  
**Q12. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Angels**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	128	58	70	23	25	25	13	12	31	11	8	16	15	15	24	18	20	53	43	5	21	26	42	29	37	32	30
	12.8%	12.0%	13.5%	20.9%	14.5%	16.4%	7.3%	7.4%	13.3%	14.7%	6.6%	11.7%	9.2%	16.2%	20.8%	12.8%	13.5%	14.4%	9.4%	7.9%	10.0%	14.4%	14.8%	12.0%	11.4%	15.2%	13.4%
Mostly believe in	160	56	104	17	30	19	33	27	35	11	20	22	23	5	23	23	36	61	74	11	37	36	39	35	55	32	39
	16.0%	11.7%	20.0%	15.7%	17.4%	12.5%	18.2%	16.7%	15.2%	14.4%	16.1%	15.5%	13.7%	4.9%	19.5%	16.1%	23.9%	16.5%	16.2%	16.8%	17.9%	20.5%	13.9%	14.4%	16.9%	15.2%	17.2%
Mostly do not believe in	155	77	78	14	27	24	33	25	33	17	25	29	24	20	10	17	12	51	85	11	33	24	43	37	56	26	37
	15.5%	16.0%	15.0%	12.9%	15.9%	15.7%	18.2%	15.5%	14.3%	23.1%	20.5%	21.1%	14.6%	21.2%	8.9%	12.1%	8.2%	13.8%	18.5%	16.6%	15.7%	13.5%	15.1%	15.2%	17.2%	12.4%	16.3%
Do not believe in at all	447	249	198	40	71	65	82	81	109	29	60	61	85	40	42	70	60	171	208	35	101	81	129	126	146	87	87
	44.6%	51.7%	38.1%	36.0%	41.4%	43.2%	45.5%	50.3%	47.3%	39.4%	48.4%	43.3%	51.7%	43.3%	35.9%	49.7%	40.3%	46.4%	45.6%	53.4%	48.4%	45.4%	45.6%	51.6%	45.0%	42.0%	38.9%
Don't know	111	42	70	16	18	18	19	16	23	6	10	12	18	13	17	13	21	33	47	4	17	11	30	17	31	32	32
	11.1%	8.7%	13.4%	14.5%	10.8%	12.3%	10.8%	10.1%	9.9%	8.4%	8.4%	8.5%	10.9%	14.3%	14.8%	9.2%	14.2%	9.0%	10.2%	5.4%	8.0%	6.3%	10.5%	6.9%	9.5%	15.3%	14.2%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 13**  
**Q13. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**Demons/evil spirits**  
**Base: All Respondents**

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	101	44	57	32	21	14	11	8	14	8	8	13	15	11	13	17	15	37	34	4	18	19	22	24	29	25	23
	10.1%	9.1%	11.0%	29.0%	12.5%	9.4%	6.3%	5.0%	6.3%	11.4%	6.8%	9.4%	9.0%	11.9%	11.1%	11.9%	10.4%	10.1%	7.3%	6.5%	8.6%	10.4%	7.9%	9.8%	8.8%	12.1%	10.5%
Mostly believe in	146	68	79	15	33	22	25	25	27	10	16	25	20	11	25	17	22	56	65	4	26	32	49	33	48	28	38
	14.6%	14.0%	15.1%	13.2%	19.4%	14.4%	14.1%	15.3%	11.7%	13.1%	12.9%	17.8%	12.3%	12.1%	21.5%	12.0%	15.0%	15.3%	14.2%	5.5%	12.6%	17.9%	17.3%	13.7%	14.7%	13.2%	16.8%
Mostly do not believe in	173	75	98	25	27	26	29	27	38	17	24	23	19	16	23	22	28	67	82	13	36	27	46	35	61	38	38
	17.2%	15.6%	18.8%	23.1%	15.7%	17.2%	16.4%	16.8%	16.6%	22.3%	19.3%	16.6%	11.7%	17.7%	20.0%	15.4%	19.0%	18.1%	17.9%	20.3%	17.5%	14.9%	16.3%	14.5%	18.8%	18.3%	17.0%
Do not believe in at all	474	248	226	29	69	67	95	86	128	32	66	63	93	44	41	69	66	181	231	40	111	87	139	132	159	93	91
	47.3%	51.5%	43.5%	26.0%	40.6%	44.9%	52.7%	53.5%	55.7%	43.0%	53.8%	45.0%	56.7%	47.2%	35.1%	48.9%	44.1%	49.0%	50.5%	61.2%	53.2%	48.7%	49.2%	54.1%	48.9%	44.5%	40.4%
Don't know	107	47	61	9	20	21	19	15	22	8	9	16	17	10	14	17	17	28	46	4	17	14	27	20	29	25	34
	10.7%	9.7%	11.6%	8.6%	11.8%	14.2%	10.6%	9.4%	9.7%	10.2%	7.1%	11.2%	10.3%	11.0%	12.3%	11.8%	11.5%	7.5%	10.1%	6.5%	8.0%	8.0%	9.4%	8.0%	8.8%	11.9%	15.3%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%



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**Table 14**  
**Q14. To what extent do you believe in each of the following?**  
**A judgement day when God will punish some and reward others**  
Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly believe in	91	50	41	16	17	13	11	8	26	7	7	8	13	9	17	14	17	32	38	4	17	20	25	24	27	21	18
	9.1%	10.5%	7.8%	14.7%	9.8%	9.0%	5.8%	5.0%	11.3%	9.2%	5.5%	6.0%	7.9%	9.7%	14.5%	9.6%	11.2%	8.7%	8.4%	5.6%	8.4%	11.0%	8.9%	9.7%	8.4%	10.3%	8.2%
Mostly believe in	90	40	50	9	22	12	13	12	22	5	12	10	9	8	16	13	18	37	39	4	20	24	23	22	28	17	23
	9.0%	8.3%	9.7%	8.5%	13.1%	8.0%	7.1%	7.6%	9.4%	6.5%	9.5%	7.2%	5.5%	8.4%	13.7%	9.0%	12.0%	10.1%	8.6%	5.9%	9.8%	13.5%	8.1%	9.2%	8.6%	8.4%	10.1%
Mostly do not believe in	141	70	71	10	17	24	25	25	40	17	12	21	26	18	13	19	16	52	71	16	36	17	37	34	53	26	28
	14.1%	14.5%	13.7%	8.8%	10.1%	16.0%	13.9%	15.8%	17.3%	23.1%	9.5%	14.7%	15.6%	19.0%	10.9%	13.5%	11.1%	13.9%	15.5%	24.3%	17.4%	9.8%	13.2%	14.0%	16.3%	12.3%	12.7%
Do not believe in at all	575	276	298	63	97	83	114	97	123	38	77	88	103	49	56	82	81	220	262	38	117	97	173	148	186	121	120
	57.4%	57.4%	57.3%	56.8%	56.7%	55.0%	63.2%	60.3%	53.2%	51.2%	62.4%	62.9%	62.4%	53.1%	48.4%	58.1%	54.5%	59.6%	57.3%	58.9%	56.0%	54.6%	61.2%	60.8%	57.3%	57.9%	53.3%
Don't know	105	45	60	12	18	18	18	18	20	7	16	13	14	9	14	14	17	29	46	3	17	20	24	16	30	23	35
	10.4%	9.4%	11.4%	11.3%	10.3%	12.1%	10.0%	11.2%	8.9%	10.0%	13.1%	9.1%	8.5%	9.9%	12.5%	9.7%	11.3%	7.7%	10.2%	5.3%	8.4%	11.2%	8.6%	6.4%	9.4%	11.2%	15.7%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 15**  
**Q15. Outside of church services, how often do you pray?**

Base: All Respondents

	Gender		Age						Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE	
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Several times a day	46	24	22	7	12	6	4	6	11	6	3	6	5	5	7	8	6	20	15	1	11	11	9	12	13	15	6
	4.6%	5.0%	4.2%	6.1%	7.0%	4.2%	2.1%	3.7%	4.9%	8.2%	2.4%	4.3%	3.0%	5.5%	6.1%	5.4%	4.3%	5.5%	3.4%	1.9%	5.3%	6.3%	3.1%	4.8%	4.1%	7.1%	2.8%
Daily/almost daily	86	41	45	4	14	14	9	9	35	6	12	9	13	9	16	11	10	36	43	7	17	15	32	22	32	15	17
	8.6%	8.5%	8.7%	3.6%	8.4%	9.1%	5.3%	5.8%	15.2%	8.3%	9.5%	6.5%	7.9%	9.6%	13.6%	7.8%	6.8%	9.7%	9.4%	10.5%	8.0%	8.4%	11.3%	9.1%	9.8%	7.2%	7.4%
A few times a week	52	26	26	4	7	8	10	10	14	5	3	5	7	3	4	13	14	18	23	8	13	10	9	12	21	10	10
	5.2%	5.5%	5.0%	3.6%	4.0%	5.2%	5.7%	6.1%	5.9%	6.6%	2.0%	3.6%	4.0%	2.7%	3.8%	9.0%	9.1%	4.9%	4.9%	12.5%	6.3%	5.9%	3.2%	4.7%	6.5%	4.6%	4.5%
About once a week	24	8	15	4	2	3	5	5	5	-	-	6	6	2	1	4	4	10	11	2	7	2	9	3	11	5	5
	2.4%	1.7%	3.0%	3.3%	1.1%	1.7%	2.7%	3.4%	2.4%	-	-	4.6%	3.9%	2.4%	1.2%	2.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.4%	2.4%	3.5%	1.2%	3.1%	1.2%	3.3%	2.5%	2.2%
About once a fortnight	15	7	8	4	*	2	1	2	6	1	4	2	-	2	1	3	3	4	7	2	2	-	5	3	2	5	5
	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	3.2%	0.3%	1.5%	0.6%	1.0%	2.7%	1.7%	3.3%	1.5%	-	1.9%	1.1%	0.9%	2.2%	1.1%	1.5%	2.7%	1.2%	-	1.9%	1.2%	0.8%	2.3%	2.2%
About once a month	17	5	12	5	1	1	-	5	6	-	1	4	5	3	2	1	1	2	12	3	7	3	2	4	8	2	3
	1.7%	1.1%	2.3%	4.2%	0.5%	0.5%	-	3.0%	2.6%	-	1.1%	2.7%	3.0%	3.2%	2.1%	0.6%	0.5%	0.6%	2.6%	5.4%	3.4%	1.9%	0.7%	1.8%	2.5%	0.9%	1.1%
A few times a year	41	17	24	3	9	7	6	10	6	3	3	8	6	3	5	4	7	11	21	2	7	11	11	11	13	8	9
	4.1%	3.5%	4.5%	2.9%	5.0%	5.0%	3.1%	6.4%	2.5%	4.3%	2.6%	5.9%	3.9%	3.5%	4.6%	2.7%	4.8%	3.0%	4.5%	3.6%	3.5%	6.0%	3.7%	4.4%	4.1%	3.8%	3.9%
About once a year	21	11	10	5	3	5	3	-	5	3	1	2	3	3	4	4	1	7	6	-	4	3	5	5	3	8	4
	2.1%	2.2%	1.9%	4.8%	1.9%	3.2%	1.5%	-	2.0%	4.2%	0.8%	1.7%	1.7%	2.9%	3.1%	2.8%	0.7%	2.0%	1.3%	-	1.9%	1.7%	1.7%	2.2%	1.0%	4.0%	1.8%
Hardly ever	167	91	76	9	11	20	29	33	64	13	24	26	23	21	19	22	19	55	89	9	48	29	48	42	49	38	39
	16.7%	19.0%	14.5%	8.2%	6.6%	13.3%	16.3%	20.6%	27.9%	17.0%	19.8%	18.5%	13.9%	22.4%	16.3%	15.6%	12.9%	15.0%	19.6%	13.6%	22.9%	16.3%	17.1%	17.1%	14.9%	18.3%	17.3%
Never	534	251	282	66	111	85	113	80	78	37	72	71	97	43	56	75	84	205	230	31	92	93	153	131	172	103	128
	53.3%	52.2%	54.3%	60.0%	65.1%	56.5%	62.8%	50.1%	33.9%	49.7%	58.4%	50.7%	58.7%	46.0%	48.1%	52.7%	56.2%	55.5%	50.4%	47.5%	44.1%	52.3%	54.1%	53.6%	53.0%	49.3%	56.9%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 16**  
**Q16. Thinking about the last year, apart from weddings, baptisms, funerals and other special occasions, how often do you attend church?**

Base: All Respondents

	Gender		Age						Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE	
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Daily/almost daily	12	9	3	4	6	2	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	1	4	1	1	10	2	1	3	6	2	5	3	3	2
	1.2%	2.0%	0.6%	3.5%	3.5%	1.4%	-	0.3%	-	3.3%	-	1.3%	-	1.5%	3.7%	0.8%	0.9%	2.6%	0.3%	1.2%	1.4%	3.4%	0.6%	2.0%	0.9%	1.3%	0.8%
A few times a week	38	24	14	2	11	7	2	5	11	3	3	5	5	4	3	9	6	13	17	-	8	7	10	11	11	11	5
	3.8%	5.0%	2.7%	2.2%	6.2%	4.7%	1.2%	3.0%	5.0%	4.4%	2.3%	3.8%	3.2%	4.6%	2.4%	6.3%	3.9%	3.5%	3.8%	-	3.7%	4.1%	3.5%	4.7%	3.4%	5.4%	2.1%
About once a week	69	36	33	6	9	10	10	8	26	5	4	3	18	5	11	11	12	25	34	7	23	12	17	18	30	10	12
	6.9%	7.5%	6.4%	5.2%	5.5%	6.7%	5.6%	5.0%	11.3%	6.6%	3.5%	2.2%	10.9%	5.1%	9.6%	7.9%	7.9%	6.9%	7.5%	10.5%	11.1%	6.8%	6.0%	7.2%	9.1%	4.8%	5.3%
About once a fortnight	12	5	7	1	2	1	3	3	2	1	-	2	1	-	1	-	6	6	2	-	1	1	6	4	4	4	-
	1.2%	1.0%	1.4%	1.2%	1.4%	0.6%	1.5%	1.8%	0.8%	1.2%	-	1.7%	0.5%	-	1.3%	-	4.3%	1.6%	0.5%	-	0.6%	0.8%	2.1%	1.5%	1.3%	2.0%	-
About once a month	15	8	7	1	5	1	2	2	3	-	1	1	1	1	4	2	5	3	8	3	4	1	1	4	5	2	3
	1.5%	1.6%	1.3%	1.2%	2.9%	0.5%	1.0%	1.3%	1.5%	-	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	1.2%	3.5%	1.4%	3.1%	0.7%	1.8%	4.4%	2.0%	0.8%	0.4%	1.8%	1.6%	1.0%	1.3%
A few times a year	64	24	40	7	8	10	8	9	20	5	5	10	14	7	10	7	5	19	31	10	12	10	13	19	21	13	10
	6.3%	5.0%	7.6%	6.4%	4.8%	7.0%	4.5%	5.9%	8.8%	6.9%	3.9%	7.3%	8.3%	8.0%	8.3%	5.1%	3.6%	5.0%	6.8%	15.6%	5.9%	5.8%	4.8%	7.8%	6.4%	6.5%	4.5%
About once a year	35	22	13	1	6	6	7	4	10	4	5	5	5	3	3	7	4	15	13	1	5	5	9	9	10	10	6
	3.5%	4.6%	2.4%	1.2%	3.7%	4.3%	3.8%	2.3%	4.4%	5.8%	3.7%	3.9%	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	4.6%	2.5%	4.1%	2.9%	1.5%	2.6%	2.9%	3.1%	3.8%	3.0%	4.8%	2.6%
Hardly ever	156	74	81	19	15	25	21	26	50	14	23	25	17	22	14	22	20	44	80	8	44	21	38	28	63	34	31
	15.6%	15.5%	15.6%	17.7%	8.7%	16.5%	11.8%	16.0%	21.7%	18.6%	18.6%	17.7%	10.2%	24.0%	12.1%	15.2%	13.3%	11.8%	17.5%	11.9%	21.1%	12.1%	13.5%	11.6%	19.3%	16.4%	13.7%
Never	601	279	322	68	108	88	127	103	107	40	83	86	104	49	66	83	90	236	269	36	107	113	187	145	178	120	157
	60.0%	57.8%	61.9%	61.4%	63.3%	58.3%	70.6%	64.4%	46.5%	53.2%	67.3%	61.7%	63.2%	52.6%	56.8%	58.6%	60.6%	63.8%	58.9%	55.0%	51.6%	63.4%	66.0%	59.6%	54.9%	57.8%	69.8%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**Survation.**

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**Table 49**  
**Q49 .In Scotland, pupils at all schools take part in some form of religious service during school hours. As things stand, parents can choose for their child to opt-out of such services, but the pupils themselves cannot.**  
**Do you think a parent opting a child out of a whole school activity of religious observance risks stigmatising that child amongst their peers?**

Base: All Respondents

	Total	Gender		Age						Region							2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG				
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002	403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Yes	397	185	212	36	65	52	71	70	103	32	41	59	80	37	38	52	59	153	192	30	100	69	105	104	139	77	76
	39.6%	38.4%	40.8%	32.3%	38.3%	34.8%	39.6%	43.4%	44.6%	43.5%	32.9%	42.1%	48.3%	39.5%	32.6%	36.7%	39.6%	41.4%	42.0%	46.4%	48.0%	39.0%	37.2%	42.8%	42.8%	37.2%	33.8%
No	386	205	181	43	62	62	73	54	92	27	53	49	47	41	51	65	54	147	178	26	76	73	121	103	112	84	88
	38.5%	42.6%	34.8%	39.0%	36.3%	41.2%	40.4%	33.7%	40.0%	36.1%	42.9%	35.3%	28.4%	44.2%	43.7%	45.7%	36.0%	39.8%	39.1%	39.4%	36.4%	41.1%	42.9%	42.1%	34.3%	40.1%	39.2%
Don't know	219	92	127	32	43	36	36	37	36	15	30	32	38	15	28	25	36	70	86	9	32	35	56	37	74	47	61
	21.8%	19.1%	24.4%	28.7%	25.4%	23.9%	19.9%	22.8%	15.4%	20.3%	24.2%	22.7%	23.3%	16.3%	23.7%	17.6%	24.4%	18.8%	18.9%	14.2%	15.6%	19.9%	19.9%	15.1%	22.8%	22.7%	27.0%
SIGMA	1002	482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 50**  
**Q50. Currently in Scotland there are two types of state funded schools: denominational schools that are run with ethos and observance of a particular religious denomination (e.g. Roman Catholic, Episcopal and Jewish) or non-denominational schools which require pupils to attend religious observance (including acts of worship) during the school year that reflects 'Scotland's Christian heritage'. The law does not allow for non-religious state schools where there would be no requirement for religious observance though pupils may learn about different religions in the classroom. To what extent would you support or oppose the establishment of non-religious community schools, open to children of all faiths and none, that do not require pupils to take part in any acts of religious observance?**

Base: All Respondents

	Total		Gender		Age					Region						2014 Referendum		2017 General Election Vote				SEG						
			Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	Highlands and Islands	Mid Scotland and Fife	North East Scotland	Lothian	South Scotland	Glasgow	West Scotland	Central Scotland	Yes	No	Liberal Democrats	Conservative	Labour	SNP	AB	C1	C2	DE
Unweighted Total	1002		403	599	99	204	176	182	177	164	74	99	161	145	67	207	124	125	376	450	65	208	178	283	251	325	206	220
Weighted Total	1002		482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
Strongly support	396		197	200	57	66	60	72	59	82	31	49	57	53	34	52	70	50	161	165	26	79	71	128	110	137	78	72
	39.6%		40.8%	38.4%	52.1%	38.6%	40.1%	39.9%	37.0%	35.5%	41.2%	39.9%	41.0%	32.4%	36.9%	44.5%	49.3%	33.6%	43.5%	36.1%	40.5%	37.8%	39.9%	45.3%	45.0%	42.1%	37.4%	32.1%
Somewhat support	205		91	114	12	39	34	37	42	42	20	14	30	32	23	20	28	39	83	96	11	35	42	66	49	66	44	46
	20.5%		18.9%	21.9%	10.6%	23.0%	22.3%	20.6%	26.0%	18.2%	27.1%	11.1%	21.5%	19.3%	24.6%	16.8%	19.9%	26.0%	22.4%	21.1%	17.4%	16.7%	23.5%	23.2%	20.2%	20.4%	20.9%	20.5%
Neither support nor oppose	224		106	118	19	33	37	46	34	54	10	31	27	48	21	23	24	41	75	106	13	48	38	59	48	65	54	57
	22.3%		22.1%	22.6%	17.3%	19.3%	24.8%	25.6%	21.5%	23.4%	12.9%	25.1%	19.4%	28.8%	22.8%	19.4%	16.6%	27.7%	20.4%	23.2%	20.7%	23.3%	21.2%	20.8%	19.8%	19.9%	25.9%	25.3%
Somewhat oppose	63		36	26	1	7	8	10	12	25	5	14	7	11	7	9	6	4	20	36	9	24	10	10	19	24	12	7
	6.3%		7.5%	5.1%	0.9%	4.1%	5.3%	5.5%	7.6%	10.7%	6.7%	11.0%	5.1%	6.7%	7.8%	7.4%	4.1%	2.9%	5.4%	7.9%	13.3%	11.7%	5.4%	3.6%	7.9%	7.4%	5.9%	3.2%
Strongly oppose	35		25	10	-	5	3	5	4	18	2	5	4	8	4	1	4	8	6	22	4	11	6	7	8	13	5	9
	3.5%		5.3%	1.9%	-	2.8%	2.1%	2.9%	2.4%	7.8%	2.9%	3.7%	2.9%	4.9%	3.8%	0.7%	2.6%	5.4%	1.7%	4.9%	5.7%	5.3%	3.2%	2.5%	3.1%	4.0%	2.6%	3.9%
Don't know	79		26	53	21	21	8	10	9	10	7	11	14	13	4	13	11	7	24	31	1	11	12	13	10	20	15	34
	7.9%		5.4%	10.2%	19.1%	12.2%	5.3%	5.5%	5.5%	4.4%	9.0%	9.1%	10.0%	7.9%	4.1%	11.1%	7.4%	4.5%	6.6%	6.8%	2.3%	5.2%	6.8%	4.5%	4.0%	6.3%	7.2%	15.0%
SIGMA	1002		482	520	110	170	150	180	160	231	74	123	140	165	93	116	142	149	369	457	65	208	178	283	244	325	208	225
	100.0%		100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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	22	19	Q19. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? It is possible to live a good ethical life without being religious	Base: All Respondents	1002
	23	20	Q20. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Religious leaders should not try to influence how people vote in elections	Base: All Respondents	1002
	24	21	Q21. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Religious leaders should not try to influence government decisions	Base: All Respondents	1002
	25	22	Q22. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all. Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Teaching your children	Base: All Respondents Answered	283
	26	23	Q23. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all. Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Being your GP	Base: All Respondents Answered	1002
	27	24	Q24. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all. Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Being elected as your MSP	Base: All Respondents Answered	1002

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	28	25	Q25. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Marrying a relative of yours	Base: All Respondents Answered	1002
	29	26	Q26. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Giving you relationship advice	Base: All Respondents Answered	1002
	30	27	Q27. People in Scotland belong to different faith groups or no faith group at all Would you accept or not accept a person of a different faith from yours (or who belonged to no faith at all) from doing each of the following? Supporting you emotionally after a bereavement	Base: All Respondents Answered	1002
	31	28	Q28. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	32	29	Q29. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	33	30	Q30. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement? All women should have the right of access to an abortion if they choose it	Base: All Respondents	1002
	34	31	Q31. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	35	32	Q32. The law does not currently allow for any person who is terminally ill or intolerably suffering to have access to a medically assisted death. Do you think the law should be changed to allow for a person to have access to a medically assisted death in each of the following circumstances? Someone suffering from a terminal illness	Base: All Respondents	1002
	36	33	Q33. The law does not currently allow for any person who is terminally ill or intolerably suffering to have access to a medically assisted death. Do you think the law should be changed to allow for a person to have access to a medically assisted death in each of the following circumstances? Someone intolerably suffering from an illness BUT is not terminal	Base: All Respondents	1002



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	37	34	Q34. Thinking about someone who has registered their decision to donate their organs after their own death, which of the following is closest to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	38	35	Q35. Do you believe the following groups of people should or should not be able to vote in all elections held in Scotland, such as General Elections to the UK Parliament in Westminster, and Scottish Parliamentary elections to the Scottish Parliament in Holyrood? 16 and 17-year olds	Base: All Respondents	1002
	39	36	Q36. Do you believe the following groups of people should or should not be able to vote in all elections held in Scotland, such as General Elections to the UK Parliament in Westminster, and Scottish Parliamentary elections to the Scottish Parliament in Holyrood? EU Nationals who live in Scotland	Base: All Respondents	1002
	40	37	Q37. Do you believe the following groups of people should or should not be able to vote in all elections held in Scotland, such as General Elections to the UK Parliament in Westminster, and Scottish Parliamentary elections to the Scottish Parliament in Holyrood? People in remand custody (people charged with an offence but not yet faced trial)	Base: All Respondents	1002
	41	38	Q38. Do you believe the following groups of people should or should not be able to vote in all elections held in Scotland, such as General Elections to the UK Parliament in Westminster, and Scottish Parliamentary elections to the Scottish Parliament in Holyrood? Prisoners	Base: All Respondents	1002
	42	39	Q39. Thinking about cannabis, which of the following options do you think is best regarding the law around its sale and possession?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	43	40	Q40. Which of the following statements is closest to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	44	41	Q41. Which of the following statements is closer to your view?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	45	42	Q42. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not Those fleeing war	Base: All Respondents	1002

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	46	43	Q43. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those fleeing famine/drought/disease	Base: All Respondents	1002
	47	44	Q44. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those whose homes are destroyed by climate/natural events	Base: All Respondents	1002
	48	45	Q45. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those fleeing persecution because of their religion	Base: All Respondents	1002
	49	46	Q46. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those fleeing persecution because they have no religious belief	Base: All Respondents	1002
	50	47	Q47. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those fleeing persecution because they are homosexual, bisexual or transgender	Base: All Respondents	1002
	51	48	Q48. Imagine the following refugees are seeking asylum in Scotland. In each case, please select whether you think they should be granted asylum in Scotland or not. Those fleeing persecution because of restrictions on freedom of speech and expression	Base: All Respondents	1002
	52	49	Q49. In Scotland, pupils at all schools take part in some form of religious service during school hours. As things stand, parents can choose for their child to opt-out of such services, but the pupils themselves cannot. Do you think a parent opting a child out of a whole school activity of religious observance risks stigmatising that child amongst their peers?	Base: All Respondents	1002

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	53	50	<p>Q50. Currently in Scotland there are two types of state funded schools: denominational schools that are run with ethos and observance of a particular religious denomination (e.g. Roman Catholic, Episcopal and Jewish) or non-denominational schools which require pupils to attend religious observance (including acts of worship) during the school year that reflects 'Scotland's Christian heritage'. The law does not allow for non-religious state schools where there would be no requirement for religious observance though pupils may learn about different religions in the classroom.</p> <p>To what extent would you support or oppose the establishment of non-religious community schools, open to children of all faiths and none, that do not require pupils to take part in any acts of religious observance?</p>	Base: All Respondents	1002
	54	51	<p>Q51 .For the following questions, by 'pastoral support', we mean professional emotional and moral support provided at difficult times.</p> <p>Currently hospitals, prisons and universities have religious chaplains working at them to provide pastoral support to patients, prisoners, students, staff and their families.</p> <p>Have you ever personally made use of the support offered by chaplains in a hospital, prison or university?</p>	Base: All Respondents	1002
	55	52	<p>Q52 .Some chaplains only offer their support to people who belong to the same religion as them. Some prisons, hospitals and universities are now introducing trained non-religious pastoral support providers,who can give the same help to non-religious people as these chaplains give to religious people.</p> <p>To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement?</p> <p>'Institutions such as prisons, hospitals and universities which have chaplains should also have dedicated non-religious pastoral support.'</p> <p>To what extent would you support or oppose the establishment of non-religious community schools, open to children of all faiths and none, that do not require pupils to take part</p>	Base: All Respondents	1002
	56	53	<p>Q53. If you felt as though you needed support, and non-religious pastoral support was available, would you be likely or not likely to take up that offer of support?</p>	Base: All Respondents	1002
	57	54	<p>Q54. If non-religious pastoral support was being offered to you, which of the following names would be easier to understand what was offered?</p>	Base: All Respondents	1002

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	58	55	Q55. When was the last time you attended either a Humanist wedding, funeral or naming ceremony?	Base: All Respondents	1002
	59	56	Q56. How many Humanist funerals have you attended in last 5 years ?	Base: All Respondents Who attended Humanist funerals in last 5 years	454
	60	57	Q57. How many Humanist weddings have you attended in last 5 years ?	Base: All Respondents Who attended Humanist weddings in last 5 years	454
	61	58	Q58. How many Humanist naming ceremonies have you attended in last 5 years ?	Base: All Respondents Who attended Humanist naming ceremonies in last 5 years	454
	62	59	Q59. If a friend or family member had a new baby, adopted a child or formed a new step-family, how likely would you be to attend a ceremony that they hosted to mark their life event,	Base: All Respondents	1002
	63	60	Q60. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Humanist Society Scotland	Base: All Respondents	1002
	64	61	Q61. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Christian Institute	Base: All Respondents	1002
	65	62	Q62. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Equality Network	Base: All Respondents	1002
	66	63	Q63. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Engender	Base: All Respondents	1002
	67	64	Q64. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Inclusion Scotland	Base: All Respondents	1002
	68	65	Q65. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Scottish Secular Society	Base: All Respondents	1002
	69	66	Q66. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Together (Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights)	Base: All Respondents	1002
	70	67	Q67. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Humanists UK (formerly British Humanist Association)	Base: All Respondents	1002
	71	68	Q68. Which of the following organisations have you heard of? Scottish Cross Association	Base: All Respondents	1002