

ICM Poll for The Guardian

Fieldwork dates: 13-15th February 2015

Interview Method: Telephone.

Population effectively sampled: All adults aged 18+

Sampling Method, RDD: Within each government office region, a random sample of telephone numbers was drawn from the entire BT database of domestic telephone numbers. Each number so selected had its last digit randomised so as to provide a sample including both listed and unlisted numbers. 850 interviews were conducted on land-lines.

Sampling Method, Mobile RDD: A random sample of mobile telephone numbers was generated in proportion to network provider market share. As with the landline process, seed telephone numbers are used to create the mobile RDD sample by randomising the last N digits of the seed number. A total of 150 interviews were conducted with people on their mobile phone.

Sample size: 1,00

Data weighting: Data were weighted to the profile of all adults aged 18+ (including non telephone owning households). Data were weighted by sex, age, social class, household tenure, work status and region. Targets for the weighted data were derived from the National Readership survey, a random probability survey comprising 36,000 random face-to-face interviews conducted annually.

The data were further weighted by declared votes in the 2010 general election. The weighting scheme is designed as follows:

Weighting by past votes

1. Respondents are asked whether they voted in the last general election and if they did, which party they voted for.

- 2. The sample is weighted by demographics (age, sex, tenure etc). However, after such weighting the declared past votes may not match, exactly, the results of the last election. Partly this is because demographics (by which ICM control the sample) are relatively poorly correlated with vote behaviour. Nevertheless past vote weighting has to be used with caution as some people genuinely forget how they voted. We cannot simply weight the data to the actual results last time.
- 3. ICM takes the declared past votes on any new poll and adds it to the 25 or so most recent ICM polls containing the same question. The average of these polls is used in the past vote weighting scheme.
- 4. ICM compares the declared past votes derived in 3) above to the actual result of the last general election and gives a weight of 80% to the results of the last election and 20% to the average of the most recent polls, thereby assuming that most of the difference can be attributed to political imbalance in the sample and to faulty recall.

Weighting for turnout

- 1. ICM ask respondents to say how likely it is that they will go and vote in a new general election using a ten points scale where 10 means they would be absolutely certain to vote and 1 means they would be certain not to vote.
- 2. We then weight people by their anticipated turnout. If someone is 10/10 certain to vote, they are given a weight of 1.0. If someone is 9/10 certain to vote they are given a weight of 0.9 etc. People who tell us they are likely to vote in the next General Election but did not vote in the last, are further down-weighted. If someone says they are 10/10 certain to vote but did not vote in 2010, they are given a weight of 0.5. If they say 9/10 certainty, the weight becomes 0.45 etc.

Voting intentions: ICM derives vote intentions from 2 questions.

First of all respondents are asked how likely it is that they would be to go and vote in a new election. Those who say they will vote are asked to say which party they would support in a new election. Respondents are then asked whether they voted in 2010 and which party they voted for in that election. The vote figures shown in the table are calculated after ICM has excluded those who say they will not vote, refuse to answer the question or don't know who they would vote for. The figures are adjusted for turnout calculated accordingly to their stated intentions to vote.

In a further step, ICM add 50% of those who refuse to answer the vote intention question or say they don't know to the party they voted for in 2010.

The analysis by vote intention shown on each table is taken from table 1, ie before adjusting for refusers and don't knows.

Questions: The computer tables attached in PDF format show each question, in full, in the order they were put to respondents, all response codes and the weighted and un-weighted bases for all demographics and other data including but not limited that published.

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	(8)	79 8%	38 8%	42 8%	11 9%	18 11%	42 8%	8 4%	18 6%	24 8%	23 11%	15 7%	15 8%	31 17%	6 15%	3 7%	5 5%	19 9%	16 9%	13 10%	6 7%	4 8%	25 10%	22 8%	23 6%	69 8%	73 8%
	(7)	44 4%	27 6%	17 3%	15 13%	9 6%	16 3%	4 2%	13 5%	16 5%	9 4%	7 3%	10 5%	8 4%	7 18%	5 10%	-	5 2%	5 3%	8 6%	2 2%	-	13 5%	13 5%	16 5%	43 5%	43 5%
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	(4)	19 2%	7 2%	11 2%	2 1%	5 3%	7 1%	4 2%	3 1%	7 2%	5 2%	4 2%	2 1%	5 3%	-	-	3 4%	2 1%	3 1%	1 1%	4 4%	2 4%	2 1%	3 1%	8 2%	13 2%	15 2%
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Refused		1	*	1	-	-	*	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	* 1%	-	-	1	1	1
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Mean		7.92	7.99	7.85	6.28	7.47	8.10	8.80	8.36	7.88	7.29	8.01	8.96	8.91	8.87	9.13	9.07	9.18	9.11	8.98	8.38	7.33	7.75	8.07	7.89	7.91	7.88
Standard deviation		3.07	3.03	3.12	3.41	3.26	2.96	2.53	2.71	3.06	3.40	3.10	1.88	1.84	1.35	1.55	1.93	1.78	1.83	1.85	2.76	3.61	3.14	2.97	3.09	3.07	3.10
Standard error		0.10	0.14	0.14	0.42	0.26	0.13	0.17	0.14	0.20	0.31	0.20	0.13	0.13	0.23	0.21	0.21	0.12	0.12	0.18	0.29	0.52	0.20	0.19	0.17	0.11	0.10



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Refused		1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Don't know		9 1%	2 2%	1 1%	-	2 1%	1	1 1%	-	3 1%
Mean		7.92	8.05	7.54	7.70	7.69	8.25	8.38	9.39	7.72
Standard deviation		3.07	3.09	3.35	3.42	3.10	2.83	2.76	1.46	3.26
Standard error		0.10	0.36	0.29	0.45	0.22	0.17	0.29	0.46	0.23



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Labour	184 18%	101 21%	83 16%	24 20%	44 27%	90 18%	27 13%	51 18%	54 18%	42 21%	37 17%	-	184 100%	-	-	-	4 2%	106 59%	25 19%	10 11%	8 16%	53 21%	54 21%	60 17%	166 19%	174 19%
Liberal Democrat/ Liberal	40 4%	17 4%	23 5%	8 7%	5 3%	17 3%	11 5%	10 4%	20 7%	3 2%	7 3%	-	-	40 100%	-	-	1 1%	2 1%	21 16%	1 1%	2 3%	5 2%	8 3%	25 7%	38 4%	39 4%
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Plaid Cymru	3	3 1%	-	2 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	2 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	3 4%	-	-	-	-	3 6%	-	-	-	-	3
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Refused	90 9%	34 7%	57 11%	9 8%	5 3%	43 9%	33 16%	21 8%	20 7%	20 10%	29 13%	-	-	-	-	-	6 3%	6 4%	7 5%	9 11%	3 6%	27 11%	23 9%	28 8%	78 9%	81 9%



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Labour	184 18%	16 21%	17 13%	2 4%	62 30%	40 14%	10 11%	2 22%	34 16%
Liberal Democrat/ Liberal	40 4%	2 3%	2 2%	9 17%	9 4%	12 4%	1 1%	-	4 2%
Scottish National Party/ SNP	34 3%	-	-	-	-	-	34 40%	-	-
Plaid Cymru	3	-	-	-	3 2%	-	-	-	-
Green Party	37 4%	6 8%	6 5%	3 6%	7 3%	7 3%	-	2 17%	12 6%
UK Independence Party (UKIP)	52 5%	2 3%	9 7%	2 3%	12 6%	18 6%	1 1%	1 7%	12 6%
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Table 4

Published Vote Intention Figures
Percentages derived from the responses of 737 respondents

	Total
Conservative	36%
Labour	32%
Liberal Democrat	10%
UKIP	9%
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Other	7%



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Q.1 Thinking about the single issue that will concern you most when it comes to casting your vote, which SINGLE ONE of the following would you say will be the most important to you? Base: All respondents

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The NHS	311 31%	123 25%	188 36%	19 15%	46 28%	166 33%	80 39%	77 28%	78 27%	68 33%	88 39%	50 26%	82 45%	15 37%	11 21%	25 30%	54 25%	84 47%	38 29%	31 37%	13 27%	75 30%	86 33%	105 30%	266 31%	280 31%
Jobs, prices and wages	168 17%	88 18%	80 15%	40 33%	46 28%	71 14%	11 5%	53 19%	54 18%	40 20%	21 10%	34 18%	39 21%	7 18%	1 3%	16 19%	26 12%	31 17%	23 18%	8 10%	7 15%	50 20%	44 17%	59 17%	153 18%	160 17%
Immigration	146 15%	77 16%	69 13%	11 9%	14 9%	77 15%	43 21%	36 13%	37 13%	33 16%	40 18%	30 16%	12 6%	1 2%	22 41%	9 11%	43 20%	17 10%	17 13%	11 12%	11 21%	38 15%	39 15%	48 13%	125 14%	136 15%
Education	116 12%	43 9%	72 14%	29 24%	24 14%	55 11%	7 4%	37 13%	43 14%	17 8%	19 8%	14 7%	23 12%	7 16%	1 1%	7 8%	14 6%	13 7%	23 17%	14 17%	2 5%	28 11%	21 8%	49 14%	99 11%	101 11%
The government deficit	69 7%	45 9%	24 5%	8 7%	6 3%	37 7%	18 9%	24 9%	19 7%	14 7%	12 5%	34 18%	3 1%	1 3%	1 2%	8 9%	30 14%	4 2%	10 8%	8 9%	4 8%	10 4%	27 10%	21 6%	57 7%	62 7%
Europe	41 4%	27 6%	14 3%	5 4%	6 4%	21 4%	10 5%	13 5%	11 4%	7 4%	10 4%	13 7%	2 1%	2 5%	11 22%	3 3%	18 8%	6 3%	6 5%	-	2 4%	12 5%	16 6%	12 3%	39 5%	41 4%
Pensions	36 4%	17 3%	19 4%	-	4 3%	13 3%	19 9%	7 3%	10 3%	7 3%	12 5%	4 2%	7 4%	2 5%	2 4%	3 4%	11 5%	7 4%	3 3%	4 5%	2 3%	6 3%	7 3%	17 5%	30 3%	32 3%
Crime and disorder	26 3%	6 1%	20 4%	1 1%	4 3%	16 3%	5 2%	5 2%	10 3%	4 2%	7 3%	3 1%	4 2%	1 2%	1 2%	-	6 3%	3 2%	3 2%	-	2 4%	6 2%	6 2%	13 4%	24 3%	26 3%
Other (specify)	51 5%	36 7%	15 3%	4 3%	9 6%	32 6%	6 3%	18 6%	20 7%	6 3%	7 3%	8 4%	11 6%	4 11%	* 1%	11 13%	9 4%	11 6%	7 5%	6 7%	3 6%	12 5%	8 3%	22 6%	42 5%	45 5%
Don't know	36 4%	21 4%	15 3%	5 4%	5 3%	18 4%	8 4%	6 2%	13 4%	10 5%	8 4%	2 1%	2 1%	-	2 3%	2 3%	3 1%	3 2%	-	3 4%	3 7%	11 4%	10 4%	9 2%	29 3%	33 4%



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Table 5

Absolutes/col percents

Q.1 Thinking about the single issue that will concern you most when it comes to casting your vote, which SINGLE ONE of the following would you say will be the most important to you? Base: All respondents

				C	Constituen	cy categor	у		
	<u>Total</u>	Lab held AND LAB<10 %, in E&W.	Con held AND CON<15 % in E&W.	LD- held seats in E&W	Safe Labour (i.e. Lab held AND Lab>10 .1%, in E&W)	Safe Conser vative (i.e. Con held>1 5.1%, in E&W)	Scotla nd	Other	All Lab- Con margin als (1+2) above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
The NHS	311 31%	33 43%	36 27%	11 19%	56 27%	90 32%	31 37%	2 19%	69 33%
Jobs, prices and wages	168 17%	15 20%	29 22%	6 11%	42 21%	41 15%	8 10%	2 17%	44 21%
Immigration	146 15%	7 9%	25 19%	6 11%	36 18%	35 12%	11 12%	5 49%	31 15%
Education	116 12%	4 5%	11 8%	6 10%	31 15%	32 11%	14 17%	-	15 7%
The government deficit	69 7%	1 1%	6 4%	9 17%	10 5%	27 10%	8 9%	-	7 3%
Europe	41 4%	7 9%	2 1%	7 13%	7 3%	11 4%	-	-	9 4%
Pensions	36 4%	1 1%	6 5%	1 2%	5 2%	11 4%	4 5%	-	7 3%
Crime and disorder	26 3%	3 4%	6 5%	1 1%	4 2%	8 3%	-	1 10%	9 4%
Other (specify)	51 5%	3 4%	7 5%	6 11%	10 5%	15 5%	6 7%	-	9 4%
Don't know	36 4%	3 4%	6 5%	2 4%	4 2%	11 4%	3 4%	* 5%	9 4%



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Table 6

Q.2 Which party do you trust most to force wealthy individuals and companies to pay their taxes? Base: All respondents

		Gen	Gender Age					Social	Class			Vot	ing Intent	tion			ote In 20 eral Elec					Region				
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	<u>C1</u>		DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	Con	_Lab_	Lib Dem	Scot- land	Wales	North	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	NET: Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
The Conservatives	205 20%	105 22%	100 19%	23 19%	29 18%	88 17%	65 31%	66 24%	50 17%	39 19%	50 22%	113 59%	6 3%	7 16%	11 21%	7 9%	100 47%	17 9%	12 10%	17 20%	8 17%	40 16%	60 23%	79 22%	179 21%	188 21%
Labour	348 35%	189 39%	159 31%	47 39%	72 44%	179 35%	49 24%	85 31%	115 39%	80 39%	68 30%	17 9%	151 82%	22 53%	18 34%	29 34%	21 10%	117 65%	54 42%	27 32%	19 37%	84 34%	106 41%	111 31%	302 35%	321 35%
Neither	290 29%	133 28%	156 30%	24 20%	36 22%	174 34%	56 27%	84 30%	88 30%	56 28%	62 27%	55 28%	18 10%	6 16%	14 28%	38 45%	69 32%	26 15%	48 37%	29 34%	19 38%	83 33%	58 22%	101 28%	242 28%	260 28%
Both	3	2	1	-	-	3 1%	1	1	2 1%	-	1	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1	-	1	2	2
Liberal Democrats	5	5 1%	-	2 1%	1 1%	1	1 1%	1	3 1%	2 1%	-	2 1%	-	2 5%	-	1 1%	1 1%	-	2 2%	1 1%	-	2 1%	-	2 1%	4	4
Green	2	1	2	-	-	2	1	2 1%	-	-	1	-	1	1 2%	-	1 1%	-	1	2 1%	-	-	-	1	1	2	2
UKIP	4	3 1%	1	1 1%	-	2	1	2 1%	1	-	1	-	-	-	3 5%	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	1	1	2 1%	4	4
SNP	3	2	1	-	1	3 1%	-	2 1%	-	2 1%	-	-	-	-	-	2 3%	-	1	-	3 4%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	140 14%	44 9%	96 19%	25 20%	26 16%	56 11%	34 16%	33 12%	37 12%	26 13%	44 19%	6 3%	9 5%	3 8%	6 12%	5 6%	23 11%	17 9%	10 7%	6 7%	3 7%	38 15%	36 14%	56 16%	131 15%	134 15%



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Table 6

Q.2 Which party do you trust most to force wealthy individuals and companies to pay their taxes? Base: All respondents

				C	Constituen	cy categor	У		
		Lab held AND LAB<10 %, in E&W.	Con held AND CON<15 % in E&W.	LD- held seats in E&W	Safe Labour (i.e. Lab held AND Lab>10 .1%, in E&W)	Safe Conser vative (i.e. Con held>1 5.1%, in E&W)	Scotla nd	Other	All Lab- Con margin als (1+2) above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
The Conservatives	205 20%	13 17%	27 21%	14 25%	30 15%	73 26%	17 20%	6 55%	41 19%
Labour	348 35%	35 45%	38 28%	14 26%	92 45%	84 30%	27 32%	4 40%	72 34%
Neither	290 29%	15 20%	42 31%	20 36%	51 25%	83 29%	29 34%	-	57 27%
Both	3	1 1%	-	-	1	1	1 1%	-	1
Liberal Democrats	5	-	-	2 3%	2 1%	-	1 1%	-	-
Green	2	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	2 1%
UKIP	4	-	1 1%	-	-	2 1%	-	-	1 1%
SNP	3	-	-	-	-	-	3 4%	-	-
Don't know	140 14%	11 15%	24 18%	6 10%	28 14%	39 14%	6 7%	* 5%	35 17%



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Table 7

Base: All respondents

Q.3 You may have seen or heard about how HSBC bank has helped wealthy lients dodge taxes, by using secret Swiss bank accounts. Some clients were aking advantage of loopholes in the tax law, which might not be illegal, but it has been reported that others were evading tax illegally. Either way, government tax revenues fall short as a result. Who, if anyone, do you most blame for the hit to the public purse when rich people fail to pay their taxes in this kind of way?

		Ger	nder	Age					Social	Class			Vot	ing Intent	ion			te In 20 eral Elec					Region			NET:
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB		C2	DE	Con	_Lab_	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	Con	_Lab_	Lib Dem	Scot- land	Wales	North	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
The bankers who help their clients dodge tax	316 32%	122 25%	194 38%	32 27%	59 36%	169 33%	55 27%	85 31%	90 31%	66 32%	75 33%	65 34%	62 33%	19 48%	14 27%	27 33%	69 32%	60 33%	46 35%	26 31%	17 35%	85 34%	84 32%	103 29%	272 31%	290 32%
Wealthy individuals, who only take their money abroad to avoid tax	219 22%	99 20%	120 23%	31 26%	35 21%	100 20%	53 26%	60 22%	65 22%	45 22%	49 22%	44 23%	47 25%	9 22%	12 22%	16 19%	48 22%	39 21%	26 20%	17 20%	9 19%	56 22%	55 21%	81 23%	192 22%	202 22%
The current Coalition government	168 17%	97 20%	71 14%	21 17%	29 17%	89 18%	29 14%	42 15%	59 20%	31 15%	36 16%	11 6%	44 24%	4 10%	12 24%	23 27%	17 8%	45 25%	28 21%	22 26%	8 17%	40 16%	42 16%	56 16%	138 16%	146 16%
The last Labour government	129 13%	83 17%	45 9%	8 7%	28 17%	63 12%	30 14%	39 14%	34 12%	36 17%	19 9%	43 23%	10 5%	6 16%	7 14%	8 10%	45 21%	12 7%	17 13%	10 12%	7 14%	31 13%	35 13%	45 13%	111 13%	118 13%
Someone else	26 3%	19 4%	7 1%	3 2%	2 1%	16 3%	5 2%	10 4%	7 2%	3 2%	6 3%	2 1%	2 1%	1 3%	2 4%	2 3%	2 1%	4 2%	3 2%	3 4%	1 2%	5 2%	6 2%	11 3%	22 3%	23 2%
None of them	36 4%	19 4%	17 3%	7 6%	2 1%	18 3%	9 4%	14 5%	3 1%	9 4%	10 4%	10 5%	3 1%	-	1 2%	3 3%	9 4%	3 1%	5 4%	1 2%	1 2%	4 2%	12 5%	17 5%	33 4%	34 4%
Other	12 1%	10 2%	3 1%	-	2 1%	9 2%	1 1%	5 2%	5 2%	-	2 1%	-	*	1 1%	-	-	5 2%	1	1	-	-	4 1%	5 2%	4 1%	12 1%	12 1%
All of them	27 3%	9 2%	18 3%	3 3%	-	15 3%	8 4%	5 2%	9 3%	3 2%	10 4%	3 1%	3 2%	-	1 1%	4 5%	6 3%	4 2%	2 1%	2 3%	4 8%	8 3%	7 3%	5 1%	20 2%	24 3%
Don't know	69 7%	27 6%	42 8%	15 12%	8 5%	29 6%	17 8%	16 6%	22 8%	13 6%	18 8%	14 8%	12 7%	-	2 4%	1 1%	12 5%	12 6%	4 3%	3 3%	2 4%	16 7%	15 6%	33 9%	64 7%	66 7%



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Base: All respondents

				C	Constituen	cy categor	у		
	_Total	Lab held AND LAB<10 %, in E&W.	Con held AND CON<15 % in E&W.	LD- held seats in E&W	Safe Labour (i.e. Lab held AND Lab>10 .1%, in E&W)	Safe Conser vative (i.e. Con held>1 5.1%, in E&W)	Scotla nd	Other	All Lab- Con margin als (1+2) above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
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Wealthy individuals, who only take their money abroad to avoid tax	219 22%	16 21%	36 27%	13 23%	53 26%	57 20%	17 20%	3 28%	52 25%
The current Coalition government	168 17%	15 19%	17 13%	10 17%	34 17%	42 15%	22 26%	1 12%	32 15%
The last Labour government	129 13%	7 9%	19 14%	15 27%	26 13%	26 9%	10 12%	-	25 12%
Someone else	26 3%	1 1%	2 2%	4 7%	3 1%	9 3%	3 4%	-	3 2%
None of them	36 4%	1 2%	4 3%	-	2 1%	18 6%	1 2%	-	5 2%
Other	12 1%	2 3%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	4 2%	-	-	4 2%
All of them	27 3%	1 2%	1 1%	2 4%	4 2%	11 4%	2 3%	-	2 1%
Don't know	69 7%	6 8%	9 7 %	1 2%	14 7%	22 8%	3 3%	1 14%	16 7%



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Table 8

Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Wealthy tax dodgers deserve to be treated even more harshly than benefits cheats
Base: All respondents

		Ger	nder		Ag	ge			Social	Class			Vot	ing Intent	ion			te In 20 eral Elec					Region			
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+_	AB		C2	DE_	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	_Con_	Lab	Lib Dem	Scot- land	Wales	North	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	NET: Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
Agree	522 52%	244 50%	278 54%	67 55%	89 54%	256 50%	110 53%	130 47%	142 48%	116 57%	133 59%	82 43%	119 65%	23 57%	33 63%	54 65%	89 42%	107 59%	74 56%	57 67%	26 52%	135 54%	134 51%	170 48%	439 51%	465 51%
Disagree	418 42%	205 42%	212 41%	54 45%	71 43%	215 42%	78 38%	132 48%	133 45%	72 35%	81 36%	92 48%	61 33%	17 41%	17 33%	27 32%	109 51%	69 39%	47 36%	25 30%	22 45%	100 40%	110 42%	160 45%	370 43%	392 43%
Don't know	61 6%	35 7%	26 5%	-	5 3%	36 7%	20 9%	13 5%	20 7%	16 8%	11 5%	17 9%	4 2%	1 2%	2 4%	3 3%	15 7%	4 2%	10 8%	2 3%	1 3%	15 6%	18 7%	24 7%	57 7%	58 6%



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				C		cy categor	у		
					Safe Labour (i.e. Lab	Safe Conser vative			All
		Lab	Con		held	(i.e.			Lab-
		held AND LAB<10	held AND CON<15	LD- held	AND Lab>10 .1%,	Con held>1 5.1%,			Con margin als
	<u>Total</u>	%, in <u>E&W.</u>	% in _E&W	seats in E&W	in E&W)	in E&W)	Scotla nd	Other	(1+2) above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
Agree	522 52%	36 47%	67 51%	24 43%	122 60%	125 44%	57 67%	4 35%	104 49%
Disagree	418 42%	36 47%	60 45%	23 42%	72 36%	135 48%	25 30%	5 46%	96 46%
Don't know	61 6%	5 6%	5 4%	9 16%	9 4%	22 8%	2	2 19%	10 5%



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Table 9

Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Avoiding tax on my income using legal loopholes is something that I would take advantage of if I were in a position to Base: All respondents

		Ger	nder		A	ge			Social	Class			Vot	ting Intent	tion			ote In 20 eral Elec					Region			
	<u>Total</u>	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB				Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Scot-	Wales	North	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	NET: Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
Agree	336 34%	201 42%	135 26%	35 29%	58 35%	176 35%	67 32%	106 38%	96 32%	79 38%	56 25%	91 47%	36 19%	19 46%	21 39%	28 33%	89 41%	47 26%	48 36%	29 35%	21 42%	79 32%	98 37%	109 31%	286 33%	306 33%
Disagree	610 61%	253 52%	357 69%	80 66%	101 62%	306 60%	122 59%	159 58%	184 62%	117 57%	150 67%	95 50%	146 79%	21 52%	30 56%	48 57%	114 53%	127 71%	76 58%	48 57%	27 54%	160 64%	152 58%	222 63%	535 62%	561 61%
Don't know	54 5%	30 6%	25 5%	6 5%	5 3%	25 5%	18 9%	11 4%	16 5%	9 4%	19 9%	5 3%	2 1%	1 1%	2 4%	8 10%	11 5%	6 3%	7 6%	7 8%	2 4%	10 4%	12 5%	23 7%	45 5%	47 5%



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					Constituen	cy categor	у		
					Safe				
					Labour	Safe			
					(i.e.	Conser			
					Lab	vative			All
		Lab	Con		held	(i.e.			Lab-
		held	held		AND	Con			Con
		AND	AND	LD-	Lab>10	held>1			margin
		LAB<10	CON<15	held	.1%,	5.1%,			als
		%, in	% in	seats	in	in	Scotla		(1+2)
	Total	_E&W	_E&W	in E&W	_E&W)_	_E&W)_	nd	Other	above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
Agree	336	25	49	28	51	99	29	2	73
rigido	34%	32%	37%	50%	25%	35%	35%	20%	35%
Disagree	610	45	79	23	139	171	48	8	125
Dioagroo	61%	59%	59%	42%	69%	61%	57%	80%	59%
Don't know	54	6	5	5	13	11	7	_	12
=	5%	8%	4%	9%	7%	4%	8%	-	6%



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Table 10

Q.4 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Politicians and big business are so close to each other that tax avoidance would be allowed to continue, irrespective of who is in government Base: All respondents

		Ger	nder		Ag	ge			Social	Class			Vot	ing Intent	ion			te In 20 [.] eral Elec					Region			
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB			DE	Con	_Lab_	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Scot- land	Wales	North	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	NET: Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
Agree	671 67%	319 66%	352 68%	78 64%	124 75%	360 71%	109 53%	183 66%	216 73%	154 75%	119 53%	123 64%	110 60%	30 75%	36 70%	62 74%	139 65%	105 58%	104 80%	56 66%	31 62%	173 69%	176 67%	235 66%	584 67%	615 67%
Disagree	268 27%	141 29%	127 25%	32 26%	32 20%	121 24%	83 40%	82 30%	67 23%	37 18%	82 37%	61 32%	67 36%	10 25%	12 24%	21 25%	62 29%	68 38%	24 18%	25 29%	15 31%	67 27%	68 26%	93 26%	228 26%	243 27%
Don't know	61 6%	24 5%	37 7%	11 9%	9 6%	26 5%	15 7%	11 4%	13 4%	14 7%	24 11%	8 4%	7 4%	-	3 7%	1 1%	12 6%	7 4%	3 2%	4 4%	3 7%	9 4%	19 7%	26 7%	54 6%	57 6%



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				(Constituen	cy categor	y		
					Safe				
					Labour	Safe			
					(i.e.	Conser			
					Lab	vative			All
		Lab	Con		held	(i.e.			Lab-
		held	held		AND	Ċon			Con
		AND	AND	LD-	Lab>10	held>1			margin
		LAB<10	CON<15	held	.1%,	5.1%,			als
		%, in	% in	seats	in	in	Scotla		(1+2)
	Total	E&W.	_E&W	in E&W	E&W)	_E&W)_	nd	Other	above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
Agree	671	55	89	40	131	194	56	6	144
	67%	72%	67%	72%	64%	69%	66%	57%	69%
Disagree	268	18	38	14	61	62	25	3	55
•	27%	23%	28%	26%	30%	22%	29%	27%	26%
Don't know	61	4	6	2	12	26	4	2	10
	6%	5%	5%	3%	6%	9%	4%	16%	5%



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Table 11

Q.5 Which one of the following most applies to you, when it comes to casting your vote? Base: All respondents

		Ger	nder		A	ge			Social	Class			Vot	ting Intent	ion			ite In 20 eral Ele					Region			
	<u>Total</u>	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB			DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Other	_Con_	_Lab_	Lib Dem	Scot- land	Wales	_North_	Mid- lands	South	NET: Eng- land	NET: Eng- land & Wales
Unweighted base	1000	466	534	68	155	550	227	391	238	117	254	208	194	35	55	86	234	226	108	89	51	250	257	353	860	911
Weighted base	1000	484	516	121	165	507	207	276	295	205	225	192	184	40	52	84	214	180	131	85	50	249	262	354	865	915
Business knows what is best for the economy, and if they back one party over another THAT MAY influence my vote.	207 21%	112 23%	94 18%	26 21%	30 18%	90 18%	61 29%	62 22%	59 20%	43 21%	43 19%	72 38%	29 16%	14 34%	10 19%	10 12%	81 38%	27 15%	17 13%	15 18%	6 11%	57 23%	64 24%	64 18%	186 21%	191 21%
Businessmen are just in it for themselves, and what they say will not influence my vote.	702 70%	330 68%	372 72%	92 76%	121 73%	367 72%	122 59%	192 70%	210 71%	144 70%	157 70%	108 56%	134 73%	25 62%	40 77%	70 84%	121 56%	129 72%	105 80%	63 74%	41 82%	167 67%	176 67%	256 72%	599 69%	639 70%
Don't know	91 9%	42 9%	50 10%	3 3%	14 8%	50 10%	24 12%	22 8%	27 9%	17 8%	25 11%	12 6%	21 11%	1 4%	2 4%	3 4%	12 6%	24 13%	9 7%	7 8%	3 7%	25 10%	22 8%	34 10%	81 9%	84 9%



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Base: All respondents

				Co	onstituenc	y categor	У		
		Lab held AND LAB<10 %, in	Con held AND CON<15 % in	LD- held seats	Safe Labour (i.e. Lab held AND Lab>10 .1%, in	Safe Conser vative (i.e. Con held>1 5.1%, in	Scotla		All Lab- Con margin als (1+2)
	Total	E&W.	_E&W	in E&W	E&W)	E&W)	nd	Other	above.
Unweighted base	1000	75	135	57	208	279	89	10	210
Weighted base	1000	76	133	56	203	282	85	10	210
Business knows what is best for the economy, and if they back one party over another THAT MAY influence my vote.	207 21%	21 27%	26 20%	18 32%	37 18%	59 21%	15 18%	4 44%	47 22%
Businessmen are just in it for themselves, and what they say will not influence my vote.	702 70%	48 63%	87 65%	36 65%	151 74%	205 73%	63 74%	5 52%	135 64%
Don't know	91 9%	8 11%	20 15%	2 3%	16 8%	18 7%	7 8%	* 5%	28 13%



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Table 12 Q.C/D Voting in May 6th 2010 General Election Base: All respondents

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base	1000	1000
Weighted base	1000	1000
Conservative	234 23%	214 21%
Labour	226 23%	180 18%
Liberal Democrat/ Liberal	108 11%	131 13%
Scottish National Party/SNP	17 2%	15 1%
Plaid Cymru	5 1%	5 1%
Green Party	14 1%	13 1%
UK Independence Party (UKIP)	17 2%	18 2%
British National Party (BNP)	-	-
Others	7 1%	6 1%
Did not vote	249 25%	300 30%
Refused	92 9%	86 9%
Don't know	31 3%	33 3%

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Table 13
Classification

		Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Unweighted base		1000	1000
Weighted base		1000	1000
<u>Gender</u>			
Male		466 47%	484 48%
Female		534 53%	516 52%
<u>Age</u>			
18-24	(21)	68 7%	121 12%
25-34	(29.5)	155 16%	165 16%
35-44	(39.5)	192 19%	189 19%
45-54	(49.5)	184 18%	169 17%
55-64	(59.5)	174 17%	149 15%
65+	(70)	227 23%	207 21%
Average age		48.94	46.59

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Table 13 Classification

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Weighted base	1000	1000
Social Grade		
AB	391 39%	276 28%
C1	238 24%	295 30%
C2	117 12%	205 20%
DE	254 25%	225 22%
Region		
North	339 34%	334 33%
Midlands	308 31%	312 31%
South	353 35%	354 35%

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Table 13
Classification

	Unweighted	Weighted
	Total	Total
Weighted base	1000	1000
Working status		
Full-time	478	441
	48%	44%
Part-time	133	121
	13%	12%
Not working but seeking	41	61
work or temporarily unemployed/sick	4%	6%
Not working/not seeking	38	54
work	4%	5%
Retired	257	247
	26%	25%
Student	21	43
	2%	4%
Refused	32	32
	3%	3%

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Table 13
Classification

	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Weighted base	1000	1000
<u>Tenure</u>		
Own outright	337 34%	332 33%
Own with a mortgage	363 36%	353 35%
Council	75 8%	125 13%
Housing Assoc.	36 4%	29 3%
Rented from someone else	126 13%	107 11%
Rent free	11 1%	9 1%
Refused	52 5%	44 4%