

## Times Poll

### CATI Fieldwork : February 1st-3rd 2008

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Table 1  
**Q.2 If there was a general election tomorrow, which party would you vote for?**  
**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention				Vote in 2005			
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Swing Voters	
Unweighted base	1504	724	780	92	239	308	285	250	330	501	355	235	413	368	405	378	210	143	339	311	149	279	420	162	502	
Weighted base	1504	718	786	178	239	297	256	226	307	398	434	314	358	397	392	366	217	132	342	286	154	281	339	184	492	
Conservative	342	174	168	28	41	63	74	60	76	115	108	60	59	98	91	77	60	17	342	-	-	210	37	18	74	
	23%	24%	21%	16%	17%	21%	29%	26%	25%	29%	25%	19%	16%	25%	23%	21%	28%	13%	100%	-	-	75%	11%	10%	15%	
Labour	286	150	136	44	43	57	48	39	55	64	89	59	74	66	70	83	36	31	-	286	-	3	180	9	101	
	19%	21%	17%	25%	18%	19%	19%	17%	18%	16%	21%	19%	21%	17%	18%	23%	17%	23%	-	100%	-	1%	53%	5%	20%	
Liberal Democrat	154	67	88	10	32	39	20	27	27	59	39	26	30	48	40	37	21	9	-	-	154	6	26	93	69	
	10%	9%	11%	5%	13%	13%	8%	12%	9%	15%	9%	8%	8%	12%	10%	10%	10%	7%	-	-	100%	2%	8%	50%	14%	
SNP	33	18	15	4	4	2	10	7	6	4	10	6	12	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	-	1	3	1	15	
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	-	-	-	-	25%	-	-	-	*	1%	*	3%	
Plaid Cymru	12	5	7	-	2	6	1	2	2	4	4	3	2	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	5	
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	-	-	-	6%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	
The Green Party	34	19	14	3	6	11	7	5	1	8	14	4	8	11	11	6	2	3	-	-	-	3	4	3	17	
	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	*	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	-	-	-	1%	1%	2%	3%	
The United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)	14	8	6	-	2	3	-	5	4	2	6	4	2	3	6	-	5	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	12	
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	2%	-	2%	-	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	3%	
The British National Party (BNP)	16	10	5	6	2	3	1	1	3	2	5	5	4	-	9	5	2	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	5	
	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	-	2%	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	*	1%	1%	1%	
Some other party	9	4	4	-	2	3	1	2	1	4	-	2	2	2	3	1	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	3	
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	*	1%	*	1%	-	1%	1%	*	1%	*	1%	*	-	-	-	*	*	*	1%	
Would not vote at all	205	96	110	41	38	38	33	27	28	32	54	57	62	62	50	62	24	7	-	-	-	7	14	7	-	
	14%	13%	14%	23%	16%	13%	13%	12%	9%	8%	12%	18%	17%	16%	13%	17%	11%	5%	-	-	-	2%	4%	4%	-	
Refused	126	60	66	5	12	26	22	17	45	32	37	22	35	32	34	30	16	14	-	-	-	16	13	9	26	
	8%	8%	8%	3%	5%	9%	8%	7%	15%	8%	9%	7%	10%	8%	9%	8%	7%	11%	-	-	-	6%	4%	5%	5%	
Don't know	273	107	167	38	54	47	39	37	59	72	68	64	69	75	77	66	37	18	-	-	-	29	55	42	166	
	18%	15%	21%	21%	23%	16%	15%	16%	19%	18%	16%	21%	19%	19%	20%	18%	17%	14%	-	-	-	10%	16%	23%	34%	

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Table 2

**Q.1 Many people currently say that they probably won't vote at all, while others say they would definitely vote.**

**How likely are you, personally, to vote at the next election?**

**Q.2 If there were a general election tomorrow, which party would you vote for?**

**THIS TABLE DOES NOT INCLUDE ADJUSTMENT FOR DON'T KNOW/REFUSERS**

	Sex		Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention			Vote in 2005				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	782	401	380	33	108	159	161	148	173	286	197	106	192	194	200	185	115	88	307	258	128	215	276	104	238
Weighted base	761	393	368	62	106	156	144	132	162	228	236	135	162	196	190	174	119	82	308	230	131	217	225	114	234
Conservative	308	158	150	23	34	55	67	56	72	105	96	53	54	86	82	68	56	16	308	-	-	200	33	17	59
	40%	40%	41%	38%	32%	35%	47%	42%	44%	46%	41%	39%	33%	44%	43%	39%	47%	19%	100%	-	-	92%	15%	15%	25%
Labour	230	125	105	27	32	45	43	32	51	53	74	44	59	56	53	68	26	27	-	230	-	2	160	9	74
	30%	32%	29%	44%	30%	29%	30%	25%	32%	23%	31%	32%	36%	28%	28%	39%	22%	33%	-	100%	-	1%	71%	8%	32%
Liberal Democrat	131	57	73	6	26	32	18	24	25	51	34	20	25	42	34	29	17	8	-	-	131	5	22	83	58
	17%	15%	20%	9%	25%	20%	12%	18%	15%	22%	14%	15%	16%	21%	18%	17%	14%	10%	-	-	100%	2%	10%	72%	25%
SNP	28	16	11	2	4	2	9	6	6	3	8	6	10	-	-	-	-	28	-	-	-	1	3	1	12
	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	1%	6%	5%	4%	1%	4%	4%	6%	-	-	-	-	34%	-	-	-	*	1%	1%	5%
Plaid Cymru	11	5	6	-	2	5	1	2	1	4	3	2	2	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	5
	1%	1%	2%	-	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	-	9%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	2%
The Green Party	27	16	11	2	5	10	4	5	1	7	11	3	7	9	8	6	1	3	-	-	-	3	3	3	13
	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%	7%	3%	4%	1%	3%	5%	2%	4%	5%	4%	4%	1%	4%	-	-	-	1%	1%	2%	5%
The United Kingdom Independence Party (UKIP)	11	7	5	-	2	2	-	4	3	1	6	4	1	2	6	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	10
	1%	2%	1%	-	2%	1%	-	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	3%	-	3%	-	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	4%
The British National Party (BNP)	9	6	3	2	1	2	1	*	2	1	3	2	2	-	5	2	2	-	-	-	-	*	1	1	2
	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	-	3%	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	*	*	1%	1%
Some other party	7	4	3	-	1	3	1	2	1	3	-	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	2
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	*	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%	-	-	-	*	*	1%	1%

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Table 3  
**Published voting intention figures**

	<u>Total</u>
Conservative	40%
Labour	31%
Liberal Democrat/ Liberal	17%
Scottish National Party/SNP	3%
Plaid Cymru	1%
Other	6%

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Table 4

**Q.4 Are you fairly sure that is what you'll do at the time of the next general election, or do you think you may well change your mind between now and then?**

**Base: All respondents who give a voting intention**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention		Vote in 2005				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Demo-cratic	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Demo-cratic	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	909	458	451	50	135	191	182	163	188	326	228	130	225	223	235	218	134	99	339	311	149	228	314	113	301
Weighted base	899	455	444	95	134	186	162	146	175	262	275	170	192	227	230	208	140	93	342	286	154	229	257	126	301
Fairly sure that is what I'll do	580	327	253	54	76	109	109	104	128	180	157	111	132	152	136	146	88	58	265	179	82	192	156	78	-
	65%	72%	57%	57%	57%	58%	67%	71%	73%	69%	57%	65%	69%	67%	59%	70%	63%	62%	77%	62%	53%	84%	61%	62%	-
May well change my mind	301	120	181	39	54	73	49	41	45	79	111	56	56	68	92	56	50	35	74	101	69	34	96	47	301
	33%	26%	41%	41%	40%	39%	30%	28%	26%	30%	40%	33%	29%	30%	40%	27%	36%	38%	22%	35%	45%	15%	37%	37%	100%
Don't know	18	8	10	1	4	5	4	2	3	4	7	3	4	7	2	7	2	-	4	7	3	2	5	1	-
	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	-	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-

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Table 5

**Q.5 Do you think of yourself as a floating voter - who hasn't decided yet which party, if any, to support at the election, or do you just prefer not to say how you may vote?**

**Base: All respondents who don't know/ refuse voting intention**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention			Vote in 2005			
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Demo-cratic	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Demo-cratic	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	394	164	230	20	64	79	70	59	102	129	85	67	113	96	115	99	50	34	-	-	-	42	83	40	201
Weighted base	381	157	224	38	63	71	60	52	96	98	104	85	94	103	106	93	49	29	-	-	-	43	64	48	192
Floating voter	192	81	110	16	48	34	31	24	40	56	43	49	44	54	51	51	21	15	-	-	-	23	40	31	192
	50%	52%	49%	40%	75%	48%	53%	45%	41%	57%	41%	58%	47%	52%	48%	55%	42%	50%	-	-	-	54%	63%	65%	100%
Prefer not to say	189	76	113	23	16	37	28	29	56	42	61	36	50	49	55	42	29	15	-	-	-	20	24	17	-
	50%	48%	51%	60%	25%	52%	47%	55%	59%	43%	59%	42%	53%	48%	52%	45%	58%	50%	-	-	-	46%	37%	35%	-

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Table 6

**Q.6 Do you think that the Labour Government is more or less guilty of sleaze than the previous Conservative Government, or do you think they are both about the same?**

**Base: All 'Sample A' respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention			Vote in 2005			
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	751	362	389	47	122	146	139	123	174	237	175	124	215	170	210	191	104	76	159	165	72	142	214	76	240
Weighted base	747	365	382	89	121	140	127	108	161	190	216	160	181	177	207	184	109	68	161	150	75	140	175	88	235
More guilty	107	52	56	6	14	18	18	17	34	31	30	20	26	26	29	24	20	7	53	3	3	54	7	10	28
	14%	14%	15%	7%	11%	13%	14%	16%	21%	16%	14%	13%	14%	15%	14%	13%	19%	10%	33%	2%	4%	38%	4%	12%	12%
About the same	544	265	279	68	93	100	96	82	104	135	167	116	126	124	158	132	82	48	102	112	66	81	138	68	183
	73%	73%	73%	76%	76%	72%	76%	76%	65%	71%	78%	72%	70%	70%	76%	72%	75%	70%	63%	75%	88%	58%	79%	77%	78%
Less guilty	57	36	21	6	9	13	9	5	15	16	8	14	18	14	10	17	5	11	3	30	5	1	27	7	15
	8%	10%	5%	7%	8%	9%	7%	4%	9%	9%	4%	9%	10%	8%	5%	9%	5%	16%	2%	20%	6%	1%	16%	8%	6%
Refused	4	3	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	2	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1%	1%	*	-	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	*	1%	*	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	35	10	25	9	6	7	2	3	7	9	9	7	10	11	9	11	1	3	2	5	1	4	3	3	9
	5%	3%	7%	10%	5%	5%	2%	3%	5%	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	4%	6%	1%	4%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%

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Table 7

**Q.7 Thinking about the three main political parties - Labour, Conservative and Liberal Democrats - please say which, if any of them, you think of as being tainted by financial sleaze?**

**Base: All 'Sample B' respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention			Vote in 2005			
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	753	362	391	45	117	162	146	127	156	264	180	111	198	198	195	187	106	67	180	146	77	137	206	86	262
Weighted base	757	353	404	89	118	157	129	118	146	208	218	154	177	219	184	182	108	64	182	136	79	141	164	96	258
Labour	519	267	252	44	80	109	93	89	104	161	154	99	105	152	130	126	74	38	156	84	63	113	120	78	189
	69%	76%	62%	50%	68%	69%	72%	75%	71%	78%	70%	64%	60%	69%	71%	69%	68%	59%	86%	61%	79%	80%	73%	82%	73%
Conservative	384	195	188	12	58	96	74	72	72	120	111	82	70	112	85	98	50	39	78	74	52	62	101	66	151
	51%	55%	47%	13%	50%	61%	57%	61%	49%	58%	51%	53%	40%	51%	46%	54%	46%	60%	43%	55%	65%	44%	61%	69%	59%
Liberal Democrats	195	100	95	10	24	44	30	38	48	59	54	40	42	57	50	48	24	16	41	30	24	35	40	22	66
	26%	28%	24%	11%	21%	28%	23%	32%	33%	28%	25%	26%	24%	26%	27%	26%	22%	25%	23%	22%	30%	25%	25%	23%	26%
None of these	45	22	23	2	7	10	9	8	9	13	13	7	12	15	13	8	6	3	7	8	4	8	9	5	8
	6%	6%	6%	2%	6%	6%	7%	7%	6%	6%	6%	5%	7%	7%	7%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%	3%
Refused	7	2	5	-	1	2	-	-	4	2	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	1%	*
Don't know	114	34	80	39	17	16	16	9	18	14	25	35	35	27	27	14	11	12	18	3	13	12	3	32	
	15%	10%	20%	43%	14%	10%	12%	8%	12%	7%	18%	16%	20%	16%	15%	15%	13%	18%	7%	13%	3%	9%	8%	3%	13%

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Table 8

**Q.8 Which of the following statements is closest to your view?**

**Base: All 'Sample A' respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention		Vote in 2005				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Dem-ocrat	Swing Voters
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Weighted base	747	365	382	89	121	140	127	108	161	190	216	160	181	177	207	184	109	68	161	150	75	140	175	88	235
MPs SHOULD NOT be allowed to employ members of their family on their staff, paid for out of public funds, regardless of how well qualified their family members are, or how good a job they'd do	281	127	154	24	47	42	46	42	79	60	69	66	86	73	73	73	33	29	45	64	29	45	81	28	88
	38%	35%	40%	27%	39%	30%	37%	39%	49%	32%	32%	41%	48%	41%	35%	40%	30%	43%	28%	42%	39%	32%	46%	32%	37%
MPs SHOULD be allowed to employ members of their family on their staff, paid for out of public funds, as long as the family members are qualified for the job, do the job they're paid for - and their employment is fully disclosed	438	227	211	65	72	87	74	63	76	128	135	85	90	98	123	107	75	36	113	83	44	94	89	57	137
	59%	62%	55%	73%	60%	62%	59%	58%	47%	67%	63%	53%	50%	55%	59%	58%	68%	52%	70%	55%	59%	67%	51%	65%	58%
Neither	5	4	1	-	-	1	-	1	2	1	1	2	1	-	1	3	1	-	1	2	1	1	2	-	1
	1%	1%	*	-	-	1%	-	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	*
Refused	7	3	4	-	-	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	-	2	2	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	2
	1%	1%	1%	-	-	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	-	-	1%	-	1%	2%	1%
Don't know	15	3	12	-	2	7	4	1	2	1	8	4	3	4	9	1	-	2	1	2	-	-	2	1	8
	2%	1%	3%	-	1%	5%	3%	1%	1%	*	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	*	-	3%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	3%

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Table 9

**Q.9 If Britain's economy were to face problems in the months or years ahead, who would you most trust to deal with it in the best interests of Britain?**

**Base: All 'Sample B' respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region					Voting Intention		Vote in 2005				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Con-ser-vative	Labour	Lib-eral Democ-rat	Swing Voters
Unweighted base	753	362	391	45	117	162	146	127	156	264	180	111	198	198	195	187	106	67	180	146	77	137	206	86	262
Weighted base	757	353	404	89	118	157	129	118	146	208	218	154	177	219	184	182	108	64	182	136	79	141	164	96	258
David Cameron & the Shadow Chancellor of the Exchequer George Osborne	276	142	134	29	45	48	46	47	62	85	73	65	52	73	77	71	42	13	152	18	25	107	33	36	78
	36%	40%	33%	32%	38%	31%	36%	40%	42%	41%	34%	42%	30%	33%	42%	39%	39%	20%	84%	13%	31%	76%	20%	37%	30%
Gordon Brown & the Chancellor of the Exchequer Alastair Darling	251	115	135	33	35	52	48	36	47	72	71	45	62	71	56	47	37	39	15	103	32	12	102	32	105
	33%	33%	34%	37%	29%	33%	37%	31%	32%	35%	33%	29%	35%	32%	30%	26%	34%	61%	8%	76%	41%	9%	62%	34%	41%
Neither	88	47	41	2	20	26	14	19	7	19	29	20	20	30	18	26	10	4	2	3	20	6	7	18	22
	12%	13%	10%	2%	17%	17%	11%	16%	5%	9%	13%	13%	11%	14%	10%	14%	9%	6%	1%	2%	25%	4%	4%	19%	9%
Refused	18	9	9	1	1	4	3	4	6	5	5	1	7	5	6	4	2	1	3	-	-	4	*	-	1
	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	3%	*	-	*
Don't know	124	41	84	24	18	27	19	12	24	27	40	22	35	40	27	34	16	7	9	12	3	12	21	10	51
	16%	11%	21%	27%	15%	17%	14%	11%	16%	13%	19%	15%	20%	18%	15%	19%	15%	11%	5%	9%	3%	9%	13%	10%	20%

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Table 10  
**Classification**  
**Base: All respondents**

		<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Unweighted base		1504	1504
Weighted base		1504	1504
<b><u>Gender</u></b>			
Male		724 48%	722 48%
Female		780 52%	782 52%
<b><u>Age</u></b>			
18-24	(21)	92 6%	179 12%
25-34	(29.5)	239 16%	238 16%
35-44	(39.5)	308 20%	298 20%
45-54	(49.5)	285 19%	253 17%
55-64	(59.5)	250 17%	223 15%
65+	(70)	330 22%	312 21%
Average age		48.69	46.71

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Social Class</u></b>		
AB	501 33%	391 26%
C1	355 24%	436 29%
C2	235 16%	316 21%
DE	413 27%	361 24%
<b><u>Region</u></b>		
North	521 35%	504 34%
Midlands	484 32%	472 31%
South	499 33%	528 35%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Working status</u></b>		
Full-time	686 46%	677 45%
Part-time	193 13%	180 12%
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	72 5%	95 6%
Not working/not seeking work	82 5%	93 6%
Retired	405 27%	381 25%
Student	30 2%	48 3%
Refused	36 2%	29 2%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Tenure</u></b>		
Own outright	523 35%	491 33%
Own with a mortgage	558 37%	581 39%
Council	130 9%	194 13%
Housing Assoc.	72 5%	58 4%
Rented from someone else	146 10%	120 8%
Rent free	13 1%	9 1%
Refused	62 4%	50 3%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Foreign Holiday in last 3 years</u></b>		
Yes	945 63%	902 60%
No	559 37%	602 40%
<b><u>Number of cars</u></b>		
None	299 20%	313 21%
1	671 45%	625 42%
2	435 29%	432 29%
3+	99 7%	134 9%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Internet Access</u></b>		
At all	1112 74%	1118 74%
At home (net)	1014 67%	1021 68%
At work (net)	510 34%	497 33%
At home	576 38%	596 40%
At work	72 5%	72 5%
Both at home and at work	438 29%	425 28%
Somewhere else	26 2%	25 2%
Not at all	392 26%	386 26%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>What is the highest educational level that you have achieved to date?</u></b>		
Secondary/ high school/ NVQ 1-3	787 52%	835 56%
University degree or equivalent professional qualification/ NVQ4	427 28%	405 27%
Higher university degree/ Doctorate/ MBA/ NVQ 5 or equivalent	136 9%	120 8%
None of these	103 7%	102 7%
Refused	51 3%	43 3%

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	Unweighted Total	Weighted Total
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Marital Status</u></b>		
Single	290 19%	335 22%
Married/ co-habiting	869 58%	852 57%
Widowed/ separated/ divorced	305 20%	283 19%
Refused	40 3%	34 2%
<b><u>Children</u></b>		
None aged 18 or under	1032 69%	1010 67%
NET: Yes	448 30%	470 31%
NET: Yes any aged 15 or under	390 26%	407 27%
- Aged under 5	152 10%	169 11%
- Aged 5-10	187 12%	191 13%
- Aged 11-15	174 12%	176 12%
- Aged 16-18	121 8%	132 9%
Refused	24 2%	23 2%

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	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Weighted base	1504	1504
<b><u>Grocery shopping status</u></b>		
Yes - do half or more	1200 80%	1176 78%
No - do less than half	278 18%	306 20%
Refused	26 2%	21 1%

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Table 11

**Q.3 At the last general election in May 2005, many people didn't vote. If you did vote in the general election could you tell me which party you voted for?**

	<u>Unweighted Total</u>	<u>Weighted Total</u>
Unweighted base	1504	1504
Weighted base	1504	1504
Conservative	279 19%	281 19%
Labour	420 28%	339 23%
Liberal Democrat	162 11%	184 12%
Other	62 4%	68 5%
Did not vote	427 28%	486 32%
Refused	103 7%	94 6%
Don't know	51 3%	52 3%