

ICM interviewed a random sample of 1210 adults aged 18+ by telephone between 1st-4th October 1998. Interviews were conducted around the country and the results have been weighted to the profile of all adults.

Adjusted Voting Intentions	
Conservative	29%
Labour	51%
Liberal Democrats	15%
Other	5%

**Q1. When people talk about politics, they sometimes talk about the left, the right and the center. Where would you put yourself on this scale, would you say you are...?**

Very left wing	2%
Fairly left wing	5%
Slightly left of centre	15%
Center	37%
Slightly right of centre	13%
Fairly right wing	4%
Very right wing	1%
Don't Know	24%

**Q2. Where would you put New Labour on this scale? Would you say New Labour is...?**

Very left wing	3%
Fairly left wing	5%
Slightly left of centre	21%
Centre	23%
Slightly right of centre	15%
Fairly right wing	5%
Very right wing	2%
Don't Know	25%

**Q3. Where would you put The Conservatives on this scale? Would you say The Conservatives are...?**

Very left wing	2%
Fairly left wing	3%
Slightly left of centre	5%
Centre	10%
Slightly right of centre	25%
Fairly right wing	15%
Very right wing	14%
Don't Know	26%

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**Q4. Where would you put The Liberal Democrats on this scale?  
Would you say The Liberal Democrats are...?**

Very left wing	2%
Fairly left wing	3%
Slightly left of centre	18%
Centre	34%
Slightly right of centre	7%
Fairly right wing	2%
Very right wing	1%
Don't Know	34%

**Q5. If a party were to oppose British membership of the single  
currency at the next election as part of its manifesto for the next  
Parliament, would you be more or less likely to support that party?**

More likely	43%
Less likely	39%
Don't know	18%

**Q6. Which of the following do you think would make the best leader  
of the Conservative party?**

Ken Clarke	17%
Michael Heseltine	13%
William Hague	20%
Michael Portillo	8%
Chris Pattern	15%
Ann Widdecombe	4%
Don't know	23%