

## Guardian Opinion Poll

### Fieldwork : November 15th-17th 2002

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1  
**Q.AA How likely would you be to vote in an immediate general election?**  
**Base: All respondents**

	Total	Sex		Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region			
		Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South	
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351	
Absolutely certain to vote	(10)	508	242	266	15	69	260	163	130	131	88	158	117	149	81	28	174	157	176
		51%	50%	52%	15%	37%	52%	75%	55%	47%	43%	56%	69%	53%	56%	56%	52%	50%	50%
	(9)	65	33	31	7	15	37	5	16	28	10	11	12	10	11	5	12	29	24
		6%	7%	6%	7%	8%	7%	3%	7%	10%	5%	4%	7%	4%	8%	10%	3%	9%	7%
	(8)	86	44	42	8	15	50	12	16	28	23	18	10	37	13	3	33	29	25
		9%	9%	8%	9%	8%	10%	6%	7%	10%	12%	7%	6%	13%	9%	5%	10%	9%	7%
	(7)	54	27	26	9	19	22	4	15	17	13	9	9	22	7	4	12	20	21
		5%	6%	5%	9%	10%	4%	2%	6%	6%	6%	3%	5%	8%	5%	8%	4%	6%	6%
	(6)	27	11	16	9	3	11	4	8	9	4	6	1	11	4	-	8	6	13
		3%	2%	3%	9%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	*	4%	3%	-	2%	2%	4%
	(5)	92	38	54	21	22	43	5	19	25	24	23	7	27	23	5	30	33	30
		9%	8%	10%	22%	12%	9%	2%	8%	9%	12%	8%	4%	10%	16%	10%	9%	10%	8%
	(4)	23	12	11	12	4	8	-	4	7	5	7	3	6	2	2	8	10	5
		2%	2%	2%	12%	2%	2%	-	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	5%	3%	3%	1%
	(3)	17	7	9	1	3	12	1	3	6	5	2	3	4	1	-	9	1	7
		2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	*	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	3%	*	2%
	(2)	16	10	7	2	6	7	1	4	5	5	2	5	2	1	1	7	5	4
		2%	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Certain not to vote	(1)	80	50	30	9	24	40	6	16	14	22	28	-	-	-	-	30	18	32
		8%	10%	6%	9%	13%	8%	3%	7%	5%	11%	10%	-	-	-	-	9%	6%	9%
Don't know		33	12	21	5	6	7	15	6	7	5	15	3	13	3	2	14	6	14
		3%	3%	4%	5%	3%	1%	7%	3%	3%	3%	5%	2%	5%	2%	4%	4%	2%	4%
Mean		7.86	7.72	8.00	6.04	7.04	7.94	9.23	8.10	7.95	7.34	7.94	8.97	8.45	8.47	8.57	7.73	8.04	7.82
Standard deviation		2.94	3.09	2.78	2.71	3.25	2.92	1.98	2.80	2.72	3.14	3.09	2.04	2.07	2.12	2.15	3.09	2.70	3.00
Standard error		0.09	0.15	0.12	0.34	0.26	0.12	0.15	0.21	0.16	0.20	0.19	0.16	0.12	0.18	0.35	0.17	0.15	0.16

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Table 2  
**Published Vote Intention Figures - The Guardian, November 2002**

	<u>Total</u>
Conservative	29%
Labour	42%
Liberal Democrat	22%
Other	7%

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Table 3

**Q.A If there were to be a general election tomorrow which party do you think you would vote for?**

**Base: All respondents expressing an intention to vote and saying likely to vote (-10)**

**NOTE: THIS TABLE IS PRODUCED BEFORE MANUAL ADJUSTMENT. AT TOP LINE LEVEL, THIS TABLE MIGHT SHOW SLIGHT DIFFERENCES TO THE PUBLISHED VOTE INTENTION FIGURES. ANY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO SETS OF FIGURES IS ENTIRELY EXPLAINED BY THE ADJUSTMENT PROCEDURE, WHICH AIMS TO MAKE AN ALLOWANCE FOR SOME OF THE DON'T KNOWS.**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	517	264	253	30	87	262	137	136	143	95	143	147	218	112	40	179	162	176
Conservative	147 28%	78 29%	69 27%	7 22%	16 18%	78 30%	47 34%	47 34%	42 30%	27 28%	31 22%	147 100%	-	-	-	38 21%	48 29%	62 35%
Labour	218 42%	107 41%	111 44%	17 57%	48 56%	111 42%	42 30%	48 35%	57 40%	47 50%	66 46%	-	218 100%	-	-	90 50%	67 41%	61 35%
Liberal Democrat/ Liberal	112 22%	57 22%	55 22%	6 21%	18 20%	54 20%	34 25%	33 24%	31 22%	17 18%	30 21%	-	-	112 100%	-	36 20%	34 21%	42 24%
Others (net)	40 8%	22 8%	18 7%	-	5 6%	20 7%	15 11%	9 6%	12 9%	3 3%	16 11%	-	-	-	40 100%	16 9%	14 8%	11 6%
Scottish National Party/SNP	13 3%	11 4%	2 1%	-	-	7 3%	7 5%	3 3%	3 2%	2 2%	5 3%	-	-	-	13 33%	12 7%	-	1 1%
Plaid Cymru	8 2%	4 1%	5 2%	-	3 3%	5 2%	1 *	-	4 2%	1 1%	4 3%	-	-	-	8 21%	-	8 5%	-
Green Party	8 2%	4 1%	4 2%	-	2 3%	5 2%	-	5 4%	1 1%	-	2 1%	-	-	-	8 20%	1 *	1 1%	6 4%
Other	11 2%	3 1%	8 3%	-	-	3 1%	8 6%	-	5 3%	-	6 4%	-	-	-	11 26%	3 2%	5 3%	3 2%

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Table 4

**Q.1 Do you think we would be better off or worse off without the royal family?****Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Better off	307 31%	167 34%	140 27%	44 45%	53 28%	155 31%	55 25%	76 32%	80 29%	67 33%	84 30%	39 23%	102 36%	40 27%	22 43%	113 34%	84 27%	110 31%
Worse off	429 43%	203 42%	226 44%	33 34%	68 36%	214 43%	114 52%	101 42%	130 47%	78 38%	121 43%	93 55%	102 36%	67 46%	18 36%	137 41%	151 48%	141 40%
Don't know	264 26%	116 24%	148 29%	20 21%	67 36%	129 26%	48 22%	61 26%	69 25%	58 28%	76 27%	37 22%	79 28%	39 27%	10 21%	87 26%	78 25%	99 28%

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Table 5

**Q.2 From what you have seen and heard about the collapse of the Paul Burrell court case and other accusations surrounding the royal household do you think the reputation of the royal family has been...?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Damaged for ever	73 7%	38 8%	35 7%	8 8%	12 6%	40 8%	13 6%	19 8%	17 6%	18 9%	19 7%	8 5%	15 5%	12 8%	8 15%	25 7%	18 6%	30 9%
Damaged for the long term but not for ever	152 15%	75 15%	77 15%	10 11%	25 13%	81 16%	35 16%	29 12%	42 15%	28 14%	52 19%	16 10%	53 19%	24 16%	7 14%	54 16%	41 13%	56 16%
Has it been damaged in the short term but will recover	597 60%	291 60%	307 60%	57 59%	114 61%	304 61%	122 56%	151 63%	176 63%	119 59%	152 54%	118 70%	164 58%	94 64%	17 35%	198 59%	202 64%	197 56%
Not damaged at all	125 12%	59 12%	65 13%	14 15%	23 12%	54 11%	34 16%	29 12%	29 10%	24 12%	43 15%	21 12%	33 12%	12 8%	12 23%	41 12%	39 13%	44 13%
Don't know	53 5%	23 5%	30 6%	8 8%	14 7%	19 4%	13 6%	10 4%	14 5%	13 6%	16 6%	5 3%	18 6%	3 2%	7 13%	18 5%	13 4%	23 6%

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Table 6

**Q.3 From what you have seen or heard, do you think the strike action by the fire fighters is justified or unjustified?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Justified	532	223	308	63	123	256	90	111	151	118	152	62	155	81	35	170	159	203
	53%	46%	60%	64%	66%	51%	42%	47%	54%	58%	54%	37%	55%	55%	69%	50%	51%	58%
Unjustified	379	220	159	34	45	192	108	110	107	66	96	94	103	47	15	139	126	114
	38%	45%	31%	35%	24%	39%	50%	46%	38%	33%	34%	56%	37%	32%	29%	41%	40%	32%
Don't know	90	44	46	1	19	50	19	17	21	18	33	12	24	18	1	28	28	34
	9%	9%	9%	1%	10%	10%	9%	7%	8%	9%	12%	7%	8%	12%	2%	8%	9%	10%

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Table 7

**Q.4 From what you have seen and heard do you approve or disapprove of the way the government has handled the fire fighters dispute?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Approve	260 26%	157 32%	103 20%	29 30%	36 19%	134 27%	61 28%	72 30%	72 26%	55 27%	61 22%	37 22%	98 35%	40 28%	8 16%	80 24%	81 26%	99 28%
Dissapprove	621 62%	285 59%	336 66%	64 65%	121 64%	310 62%	127 58%	142 60%	180 64%	121 60%	179 64%	119 71%	154 55%	93 64%	36 71%	221 66%	198 63%	203 58%
Don't know	119 12%	45 9%	74 14%	5 5%	31 16%	53 11%	30 14%	24 10%	27 10%	27 14%	41 15%	12 7%	31 11%	13 9%	7 14%	35 10%	35 11%	49 14%

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Table 8

**Q.5 Which party do you think has the best policies for dealing with crime?****Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Conservative	131 13%	82 17%	50 10%	9 10%	17 9%	71 14%	35 16%	37 15%	39 14%	21 10%	35 12%	75 45%	8 3%	9 6%	- -	37 11%	47 15%	47 14%
Labour	223 22%	111 23%	112 22%	33 34%	38 20%	108 22%	44 20%	45 19%	55 20%	44 22%	79 28%	6 3%	162 57%	9 6%	9 19%	90 27%	60 19%	72 21%
Liberal Democrat	98 10%	54 11%	44 9%	8 8%	20 11%	46 9%	24 11%	32 13%	29 10%	19 9%	18 6%	4 2%	13 5%	56 38%	8 16%	36 11%	24 8%	38 11%
Another party	29 3%	17 3%	12 2%	3 3%	5 3%	12 2%	9 4%	3 1%	9 3%	7 3%	10 4%	2 1%	5 2%	3 2%	9 18%	4 1%	9 3%	15 4%
None of them	212 21%	107 22%	105 20%	4 4%	23 12%	127 26%	57 26%	54 23%	49 17%	46 23%	63 23%	41 25%	35 12%	21 15%	15 29%	68 20%	69 22%	75 21%
Don't know	308 31%	117 24%	191 37%	40 41%	85 45%	133 27%	49 23%	68 28%	98 35%	65 32%	77 27%	40 24%	60 21%	47 32%	9 19%	100 30%	104 33%	104 30%

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Table 9

**Q.6 From what you have seen and heard do you think that since Labour came to power in 1997 that the crime situation has improved, got worse or remained about the same?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
Improved	117 12%	71 15%	46 9%	21 21%	30 16%	51 10%	15 7%	32 13%	39 14%	17 8%	29 10%	3 2%	66 23%	12 8%	2 3%	41 12%	29 9%	47 13%
Stayed the same	457 46%	203 42%	254 49%	39 40%	100 53%	234 47%	84 39%	102 43%	131 47%	97 48%	126 45%	56 34%	162 57%	73 50%	20 40%	157 47%	150 48%	151 43%
Got worse	389 39%	196 40%	193 38%	33 34%	47 25%	199 40%	110 50%	93 39%	98 35%	78 38%	120 43%	107 63%	50 18%	59 40%	29 57%	130 39%	123 39%	135 39%
Don't know	38 4%	17 3%	21 4%	4 4%	11 6%	14 3%	9 4%	11 5%	10 4%	10 5%	6 2%	2 1%	5 2%	2 1%	-	9 3%	11 4%	18 5%

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

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
<b><u>Sex</u></b>																		
Male	487 49%	487 100%	- -	45 47%	87 46%	263 53%	92 42%	128 54%	139 50%	94 46%	126 45%	84 50%	133 47%	70 48%	27 54%	174 52%	145 46%	168 48%
Female	513 51%	- -	513 100%	52 53%	101 54%	235 47%	125 58%	109 46%	139 50%	109 54%	156 55%	84 50%	149 53%	76 52%	23 46%	162 48%	168 54%	183 52%
<b><u>Age</u></b>																		
18-24	98 10%	45 9%	52 10%	98 100%	- -	- -	- -	18 8%	43 15%	22 11%	15 5%	8 5%	40 14%	16 11%	1 3%	26 8%	32 10%	39 11%
25-34	188 19%	87 18%	101 20%	- -	188 100%	- -	- -	56 23%	66 24%	36 18%	31 11%	18 11%	57 20%	23 16%	11 22%	50 15%	66 21%	71 20%
35-44	191 19%	96 20%	95 18%	- -	- -	191 38%	- -	51 21%	54 19%	49 24%	37 13%	25 15%	58 21%	24 16%	9 18%	65 19%	61 19%	65 19%
45-54	172 17%	95 20%	78 15%	- -	- -	172 35%	- -	46 19%	45 16%	54 27%	28 10%	35 21%	47 17%	23 15%	8 15%	71 21%	53 17%	48 14%
55-64	135 13%	72 15%	62 12%	- -	- -	135 27%	- -	38 16%	35 13%	24 12%	37 13%	29 18%	30 11%	24 17%	6 11%	43 13%	39 12%	53 15%
65+	217 22%	92 19%	125 24%	- -	- -	- -	217 100%	29 12%	36 13%	18 9%	133 47%	52 31%	49 18%	36 25%	16 32%	80 24%	63 20%	74 21%

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Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
<b><u>Social Class</u></b>																		
AB	238 24%	128 26%	109 21%	18 19%	56 30%	135 27%	29 13%	238 100%	- -	- -	- -	54 32%	66 24%	37 26%	9 17%	84 25%	57 18%	96 27%
C1	278 28%	139 29%	139 27%	43 44%	66 35%	134 27%	36 17%	- -	278 100%	- -	- -	46 27%	68 24%	44 30%	15 29%	77 23%	101 32%	101 29%
C2	203 20%	94 19%	109 21%	22 22%	36 19%	127 25%	18 9%	- -	- -	203 100%	- -	31 18%	61 22%	27 18%	7 14%	64 19%	70 22%	68 20%
DE	281 28%	126 26%	156 30%	15 15%	31 16%	102 21%	133 61%	- -	- -	- -	281 100%	37 22%	87 31%	37 26%	20 39%	111 33%	85 27%	85 24%
<b><u>Region</u></b>																		
North	336 34%	174 36%	162 32%	26 27%	50 27%	180 36%	80 37%	84 35%	77 28%	64 32%	111 39%	45 26%	118 42%	49 34%	18 35%	336 100%	- -	- -
Midlands	313 31%	145 30%	168 33%	32 33%	66 35%	152 31%	63 29%	57 24%	101 36%	70 35%	85 30%	54 32%	85 30%	44 30%	18 35%	- -	313 100%	- -
South	351 35%	168 34%	183 36%	39 40%	71 38%	166 33%	74 34%	96 40%	101 36%	68 34%	85 30%	70 42%	79 28%	53 37%	15 30%	- -	- -	351 100%

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Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
<b>Working status</b>																		
Full-time	452 45%	290 60%	162 31%	50 51%	117 62%	281 56%	4 2%	140 59%	165 59%	105 52%	42 15%	73 43%	126 45%	73 50%	20 39%	139 41%	149 48%	163 47%
Part-time	107 11%	31 6%	77 15%	20 20%	24 13%	61 12%	2 1%	19 8%	38 14%	33 16%	17 6%	12 7%	33 12%	10 7%	3 5%	24 7%	39 13%	44 13%
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	70 7%	22 4%	48 9%	14 15%	13 7%	43 9%	- -	7 3%	15 5%	19 9%	30 11%	8 5%	26 9%	7 5%	5 10%	33 10%	16 5%	21 6%
Not working/not seeking work/retired	365 37%	141 29%	224 44%	13 14%	34 18%	107 22%	211 97%	68 29%	60 22%	47 23%	191 68%	73 43%	96 34%	56 38%	23 45%	138 41%	109 35%	118 34%
Refused	6 1%	3 1%	3 1%	- -	- -	6 1%	- -	4 2%	- -	- -	1 *	3 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	1 *	- -	4 1%
<b>Tenure</b>																		
Own outright	290 29%	139 29%	151 29%	12 12%	14 7%	131 26%	133 61%	72 30%	64 23%	57 28%	97 34%	70 41%	62 22%	51 35%	14 29%	99 29%	90 29%	102 29%
Own with a mortgage	421 42%	223 46%	198 39%	42 43%	104 55%	255 51%	20 9%	118 50%	148 53%	88 44%	66 24%	77 46%	121 43%	53 36%	19 39%	135 40%	151 48%	135 39%
Council	165 16%	64 13%	101 20%	17 18%	36 19%	68 14%	44 20%	24 10%	28 10%	33 16%	81 29%	11 6%	63 22%	20 14%	9 18%	61 18%	47 15%	57 16%
Rented from someone else	101 10%	49 10%	51 10%	23 24%	30 16%	34 7%	14 6%	17 7%	33 12%	21 10%	30 11%	5 3%	32 11%	19 13%	7 13%	35 10%	20 6%	46 13%
Rent free	9 1%	3 1%	6 1%	2 2%	2 1%	4 1%	2 1%	1 *	4 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 *	3 1%	2 1%	- -	3 1%	3 1%	3 1%
Refused	14 1%	8 2%	6 1%	1 1%	2 1%	7 1%	4 2%	6 3%	2 1%	2 1%	4 1%	5 3%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	4 1%	2 1%	8 2%

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Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
<b>Foreign Holiday in last 3 years</b>																		
Yes	601	307	294	63	122	322	94	194	190	110	106	105	171	90	32	192	194	215
	60%	63%	57%	64%	65%	65%	43%	82%	68%	54%	38%	62%	61%	62%	64%	57%	62%	61%
No	399	180	219	35	65	176	123	43	88	92	175	64	111	56	18	144	119	136
	40%	37%	43%	36%	35%	35%	57%	18%	32%	46%	62%	38%	39%	38%	36%	43%	38%	39%
<b>Number of cars</b>																		
None	225	91	135	16	36	75	98	20	46	32	127	33	83	23	11	80	58	87
	23%	19%	26%	17%	19%	15%	45%	9%	16%	16%	45%	19%	29%	16%	22%	24%	18%	25%
1	443	218	225	27	95	224	97	103	127	98	116	69	121	68	19	161	136	147
	44%	45%	44%	28%	51%	45%	45%	43%	46%	48%	41%	41%	43%	47%	39%	48%	43%	42%
2	261	141	120	41	50	152	18	92	80	56	33	40	70	46	16	82	91	88
	26%	29%	23%	42%	27%	31%	8%	39%	29%	27%	12%	24%	25%	32%	33%	25%	29%	25%
3+	70	37	33	13	6	47	3	23	25	17	5	26	9	9	3	13	29	29
	7%	8%	6%	14%	3%	9%	2%	10%	9%	8%	2%	15%	3%	6%	7%	4%	9%	8%

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### Fieldwork : November 15th-17th 2002

Absolutes/col percents

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

	Sex			Age				Social Class				Voting Intention				Region		
	Total	Male	Fe- male	18-24	25-34	35-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Other	North	Mid- lands	South
Weighted base	1000	487	513	98	188	498	217	238	278	203	281	168	282	146	50	336	313	351
<b><u>Internet Access</u></b>																		
At home	278 28%	145 30%	132 26%	36 37%	48 26%	158 32%	35 16%	72 30%	80 29%	69 34%	56 20%	46 27%	71 25%	42 29%	21 42%	104 31%	76 24%	98 28%
At work	99 10%	39 8%	60 12%	14 14%	36 19%	46 9%	3 2%	44 18%	29 11%	17 9%	8 3%	10 6%	27 9%	27 19%	3 6%	32 10%	29 9%	38 11%
Both at home and at work	175 18%	114 23%	61 12%	20 20%	49 26%	106 21%	1 *	74 31%	72 26%	23 11%	6 2%	28 16%	47 17%	22 15%	7 14%	51 15%	56 18%	68 19%
Somewhere else	44 4%	17 3%	27 5%	9 9%	9 5%	21 4%	4 2%	10 4%	12 4%	12 6%	10 4%	4 2%	15 5%	7 4%	1 3%	12 4%	13 4%	18 5%
Not at all	402 40%	168 35%	234 45%	19 19%	45 24%	164 33%	173 80%	34 14%	85 31%	82 40%	200 71%	79 47%	123 44%	49 33%	17 34%	137 41%	139 44%	126 36%
Refused	3 *	3 1%	- -	- -	- -	3 1%	- -	3 1%	- -	- -	- -	3 2%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 1%
<b><u>Marital Status</u></b>																		
Single	207 21%	108 22%	100 19%	57 58%	62 33%	72 14%	17 8%	48 20%	73 26%	36 18%	50 18%	29 17%	70 25%	29 20%	7 14%	57 17%	66 21%	85 24%
Married/ co-habiting	611 61%	315 65%	296 58%	35 36%	119 63%	343 69%	114 52%	166 70%	164 59%	148 73%	132 47%	98 58%	162 58%	95 65%	40 79%	213 63%	198 63%	200 57%
Widowed/ separated/ divorced	174 17%	59 12%	115 22%	5 5%	7 4%	76 15%	86 39%	18 7%	41 15%	19 9%	97 34%	38 22%	48 17%	23 15%	4 7%	66 19%	49 16%	59 17%
Refused	7 1%	5 1%	3 *	- -	- -	6 1%	1 *	5 2%	- -	- -	2 1%	3 2%	2 1%	- -	- -	1 *	- -	6 2%

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<b>Children in Household</b>																		
None aged 18 or under	672 67%	336 69%	336 65%	85 88%	94 50%	280 56%	212 98%	152 64%	196 70%	115 57%	210 75%	131 78%	176 62%	104 71%	33 65%	223 66%	208 66%	241 69%
Yes (net)	322 32%	147 30%	175 34%	12 12%	92 49%	213 43%	5 2%	82 34%	82 29%	87 43%	72 25%	34 20%	105 37%	42 29%	17 35%	114 34%	104 33%	104 30%
- Aged under 5	114 11%	48 10%	66 13%	9 9%	62 33%	42 8%	2 1%	30 13%	31 11%	26 13%	27 9%	10 6%	40 14%	14 10%	4 8%	36 11%	36 12%	41 12%
- Aged 5-10	149 15%	63 13%	86 17%	- -	56 30%	93 19%	1 *	37 16%	43 15%	36 18%	34 12%	13 8%	51 18%	18 12%	7 13%	52 15%	50 16%	47 13%
- Aged 11-15	133 13%	60 12%	73 14%	3 3%	22 12%	107 21%	1 *	31 13%	33 12%	42 21%	27 10%	15 9%	41 15%	14 9%	5 10%	47 14%	39 12%	47 13%
- Aged 16-18	77 8%	37 8%	40 8%	- -	3 2%	71 14%	3 2%	21 9%	18 7%	19 9%	18 7%	6 3%	25 9%	12 9%	6 12%	27 8%	28 9%	22 6%
Refused	6 1%	4 1%	2 *	- -	1 *	5 1%	- -	4 2%	1 *	1 *	- -	4 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	1 *	5 1%

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	4	4	Q.1 Do you think we would be better off or worse off without the royal family?	Base: All respondents	1000
	5	5	Q.2 From what you have seen and heard about the collapse of the Paul Burrell court case and other accusations / surrounding the royal household do you think the reputation of the royal family has been...?	Base: All respondents	1000
	6	6	Q.3 From what you have seen or heard, do you think the strike action by the fire fighters is justified or unjustified?	Base: All respondents	1000
	7	7	Q.4 From what you have seen and heard do you approve or disapprove of the way the government has handled / the fire fighters dispute?	Base: All respondents	1000
	8	8	Q.5 Which party do you think has the best policies for dealing with crime?	Base: All respondents	1000
	9	9	Q.6 From what you have seen and heard do you think that since Labour came to power in 1997 that the crime situation / has improved, got worse or remained about the same?	Base: All respondents	1000
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