

## Hutton Enquiry Poll

### Fieldwork : August 29th-30th 2003

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

**Q.1 From what you have seen or heard of the evidence given to the Hutton inquiry, who do you blame most for the death of Dr David Kelly?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex			Age						Social Class				Region				
	Total	Male	Fe- male	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
Unweighted base	509	238	271	41	64	105	93	90	116	89	142	138	140	132	129	130	71	47
Weighted base	509	250	259	57	98	98	88	67	102	121	141	106	141	135	131	127	70	45
Tony Blair	109 21%	63 25%	46 18%	8 15%	18 18%	17 17%	19 21%	16 23%	31 30%	16 14%	43 30%	20 19%	29 21%	24 18%	31 24%	25 20%	21 30%	7 16%
Dr Kelly himself	74 15%	44 18%	30 12%	7 13%	20 20%	21 22%	12 14%	9 14%	5 4%	24 20%	18 13%	18 17%	14 10%	22 16%	16 12%	19 15%	6 8%	12 27%
The Ministry of Defence	33 7%	17 7%	16 6%	5 9%	8 8%	3 3%	10 12%	4 6%	3 3%	6 5%	18 12%	4 4%	6 4%	13 9%	8 6%	6 5%	6 8%	1 2%
The BBC	33 6%	20 8%	13 5%	1 1%	11 11%	3 3%	7 8%	3 5%	8 7%	13 10%	7 5%	5 4%	9 6%	6 4%	7 6%	12 10%	6 8%	2 4%
Communications director Alastair Campbell	30 6%	18 7%	12 5%	1 1%	2 2%	6 6%	10 11%	3 5%	8 7%	13 10%	6 4%	6 6%	5 4%	7 5%	5 4%	9 7%	5 7%	3 7%
BBC reporter Andrew Gilligan	19 4%	14 5%	6 2%	4 7%	2 2%	4 5%	4 5%	3 5%	1 1%	4 4%	7 5%	4 4%	3 2%	3 2%	8 6%	3 2%	3 4%	2 5%
Defence Secretary Geoff Hoon	19 4%	12 5%	7 3%	4 7%	3 3%	5 5%	2 2%	1 1%	4 4%	5 4%	6 4%	2 2%	6 4%	2 2%	4 3%	4 3%	2 3%	6 13%
None of these	28 5%	13 5%	15 6%	7 12%	4 4%	7 7%	3 3%	2 3%	6 6%	5 4%	4 3%	7 6%	12 9%	10 8%	5 4%	8 6%	3 5%	1 2%
Don't know	165 32%	50 20%	115 44%	19 34%	31 32%	32 32%	21 24%	25 37%	37 36%	36 30%	33 23%	40 37%	57 40%	49 36%	46 35%	42 33%	19 27%	10 23%

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Table 2  
**Q.2 Now Tony Blair has given evidence to the Hutton inquiry do you trust him...?**  
**Base: All respondents**

	Sex		Age						Social Class				Region					
	Total	Male	Fe- male	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
Unweighted base	509	238	271	41	64	105	93	90	116	89	142	138	140	132	129	130	71	47
Weighted base	509	250	259	57	98	98	88	67	102	121	141	106	141	135	131	127	70	45
More than you did before	8 2%	7 3%	1 1%	- -	3 3%	1 1%	1 1%	* 1%	3 3%	1 1%	- -	2 2%	5 4%	2 1%	1 1%	5 4%	- -	1 2%
No change	332 65%	149 60%	183 70%	35 63%	64 66%	79 80%	55 63%	45 68%	53 52%	84 69%	93 66%	67 63%	88 63%	89 66%	89 68%	82 65%	40 57%	32 70%
Less than you did before	139 27%	86 35%	53 20%	13 22%	25 26%	15 15%	27 30%	18 28%	41 40%	30 25%	42 30%	31 30%	36 26%	38 28%	34 26%	32 26%	23 33%	12 27%
Don't know	29 6%	7 3%	22 9%	9 15%	5 5%	3 4%	5 6%	3 4%	5 5%	6 5%	6 4%	5 5%	12 8%	7 5%	8 6%	7 6%	7 10%	1 1%

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Table 3

**Q.3 In view of the war on Iraq, its aftermath and the death of Dr Kelly do you consider Tony Blair is fit to be Prime Minister?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex		Age						Social Class				Region					
	Total	Male	Fe- male	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
Unweighted base	509	238	271	41	64	105	93	90	116	89	142	138	140	132	129	130	71	47
Weighted base	509	250	259	57	98	98	88	67	102	121	141	106	141	135	131	127	70	45
Yes	234 46%	123 49%	111 43%	21 37%	48 49%	57 59%	41 47%	31 46%	36 35%	70 58%	57 41%	44 42%	62 44%	60 44%	58 44%	64 50%	29 41%	23 51%
No	219 43%	110 44%	109 42%	29 52%	37 38%	29 29%	42 48%	27 40%	55 53%	40 33%	68 48%	49 46%	62 44%	60 44%	59 45%	48 38%	31 45%	20 45%
Don't know	56 11%	17 7%	40 15%	6 11%	12 12%	12 12%	5 5%	9 14%	12 12%	11 9%	16 11%	13 12%	17 12%	16 12%	14 11%	15 12%	10 14%	2 4%

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Table 4

**Q.4 In view of the escalating violence to British troops in Iraq and the growing death toll, do you think that British troops should now...?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Sex		Age						Social Class				Region					
	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
Unweighted base	509	238	271	41	64	105	93	90	116	89	142	138	140	132	129	130	71	47
Weighted base	509	250	259	57	98	98	88	67	102	121	141	106	141	135	131	127	70	45
Withdraw as soon as possible	150 29%	60 24%	90 35%	10 17%	25 26%	24 25%	31 35%	26 40%	34 33%	35 29%	28 20%	30 28%	56 40%	33 24%	37 28%	43 34%	24 35%	12 27%
Gradually withdraw with a set date in mind for final withdrawal	163 32%	87 35%	76 29%	20 35%	39 40%	31 31%	23 26%	15 23%	36 35%	36 30%	58 41%	32 30%	38 27%	52 38%	48 36%	31 24%	18 25%	15 34%
Stay in Iraq for as long as necessary	165 32%	91 36%	74 29%	21 37%	27 28%	36 37%	33 38%	22 33%	25 25%	44 36%	50 36%	37 35%	34 24%	41 31%	41 31%	45 35%	23 33%	14 31%
Don't know	31 6%	12 5%	19 7%	6 11%	7 7%	7 7%	1 1%	3 5%	8 7%	6 5%	5 3%	8 7%	13 9%	9 7%	5 4%	8 6%	5 7%	4 8%