

YouGov / BuzzFeed Survey Results

Sample Size: 1084 Scottish Adults
Fieldwork: 2nd - 5th September 2014

	Likelihood to vote		Ref		Holyrood Voting intention				Holyrood Constituency Vote 2011				Gender		Age				Social Grade		Birthplace			
	Total	10/10	8+/10	Yes	No	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	SNP	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	SNP	Male	Female	16-24	25-39	40-59	60+	ABC1	C2DE	Scotland	Elsewhere in UK	Outside UK
Weighted Sample	1084	986	1027	x	x	x	x	x	x	115	263	65	375	522	562	159	254	380	291	509	575	889	108	87
Unweighted Sample	1084	998	1043	475	538	154	335	39	338	122	302	78	331	535	549	111	229	435	309	660	424	853	174	57
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If Scotland vote YES in the upcoming referendum, how important, if at all, do you think the oil industry would be to the Scottish economy?

Very important	51	52	52	35	71	74	62	52	36	72	58	52	42	49	53	39	46	52	61	54	49	49	67	58
Fairly important	38	39	39	56	21	18	32	35	56	23	33	39	49	40	37	43	43	39	31	38	39	41	24	33
TOTAL IMPORTANT	89	91	91	91	92	92	94	87	92	95	91	91	91	89	90	82	89	91	92	92	88	90	91	91
Not very important	6	6	6	8	6	5	5	12	7	3	6	5	6	9	4	10	6	6	5	6	7	7	6	1
Not important at all	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NOT IMPORTANT	6	6	6	8	6	5	5	12	7	3	6	5	6	9	4	10	6	6	5	6	7	7	6	1
Don't know	4	3	2	1	3	3	2	2	1	2	3	4	3	2	5	7	6	3	2	2	6	4	3	8

How reliable or unreliable do you think the oil industry would be as a source of income for an independent Scotland?

Very reliable	13	14	14	25	3	3	8	0	27	4	10	2	23	18	9	9	13	15	14	13	14	15	6	11
Fairly reliable	48	48	48	66	29	29	38	46	65	31	40	43	61	46	49	39	48	50	49	44	51	49	40	43
TOTAL RELIABLE	61	62	62	91	32	32	46	46	92	35	50	45	84	64	58	48	61	65	63	57	65	64	46	54
Fairly unreliable	23	24	24	6	42	44	34	49	6	42	34	40	10	24	23	22	17	24	29	25	22	22	39	22
Very unreliable	11	11	11	1	21	23	16	4	1	21	10	10	3	11	10	24	14	6	6	14	8	10	12	15
TOTAL UNRELIABLE	34	35	35	7	63	67	50	53	7	63	44	50	13	35	33	46	31	30	35	39	30	32	51	37
Don't know	5	3	3	1	4	1	5	2	0	2	7	6	2	1	8	6	8	4	2	4	6	5	3	8

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Below are some things that people have said about the Scottish referendum campaign. For each of the following statements please state whether you think it is true or false...

There have been new reserves of oil found in Scotland during the campaign, but the UK government is keeping them secret

Probably true	42	43	43	72	13	10	25	23	76	10	32	25	65	46	38	44	44	44	36	35	48	45	30	27
Probably false	42	42	42	15	71	79	55	65	14	84	49	63	17	43	40	42	40	41	43	48	36	39	60	46
Don't know	17	16	16	12	16	12	20	12	10	6	18	12	18	11	21	14	16	15	21	16	17	16	10	27

MI5 is working with the UK government to try and stop Scottish Independence

Probably true	26	26	26	43	9	8	17	20	43	4	23	11	39	28	23	27	25	28	22	21	29	26	24	23
Probably false	55	56	56	38	77	84	69	57	37	85	63	65	37	58	52	53	53	55	57	59	51	55	60	49
Don't know	20	18	18	19	14	8	14	23	19	11	14	24	23	13	25	19	22	17	21	20	19	19	16	29

It is likely that the Scottish referendum will be rigged

Probably true	19	19	20	28	12	10	14	13	26	11	19	11	21	18	21	31	17	17	17	15	23	19	18	18
Probably false	62	64	63	54	74	81	72	68	56	81	67	70	59	69	56	56	58	64	67	67	58	62	68	55
Don't know	18	17	17	18	14	10	15	18	18	9	15	20	20	13	24	14	25	19	15	17	19	18	14	27