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Fieldwork: 18th - 19th September 2014

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The Conservatives, Labour and Liberal Democrats have said that if Scotland votes NO and remains part of the United Kingdom there will be increased devolution to the Scottish Parliament.

If Scotland remains part of the UK, but with increased devolution (so more spending and tax decisions for Scotland would be made by the Scottish Parliament) do you think...

Scottish MPs should or should not be able to vote in the House of Commons on issues that affect only England?

Should be able to vote on these issues
Should not be able to vote on these issues
Don't know

15	9	23	15	9	8	21	14	17	13	17	19	15	11	13	18	16	11	20	12	26	14
71	87	65	76	82	85	66	75	73	70	55	63	74	82	76	65	66	75	67	75	64	72
13	4	12	9	8	7	13	11	10	17	28	18	11	7	11	17	18	14	13	13	9	14

Scottish MPs should or should not be able to vote on tax and spending decisions in the House of Commons?

Should be able to vote on these issues
Should not be able to vote on these issues
Don't know

32	25	44	43	16	22	40	33	35	29	41	38	30	25	33	31	29	28	33	26	65	28
52	67	43	45	76	69	45	52	53	52	30	41	57	65	53	51	52	55	51	59	24	55
16	8	13	12	8	10	15	15	12	19	29	21	13	10	14	18	19	17	16	15	11	16

Currently central government funding is based on a formula caused the "Barnett Formula". This is based on population, but currently means that public spending in Scotland is more per person than in England and Wales.

Do you think the Barnett formula should be kept or abolished?

Should be retained (meaning Scotland would continue to have higher public spending for the time being)
Should be abolished (meaning Scottish public spending would be reduced)
Don't know

17	11	24	24	4	11	21	20	20	15	23	19	17	14	20	13	16	11	13	11	70	13
59	75	54	57	79	76	57	54	60	58	40	55	60	70	59	59	58	65	61	66	16	63
23	14	22	18	17	14	21	25	19	27	37	26	22	16	20	27	26	23	26	23	14	24

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Looking forward, which of the following politicians do you think would make the best first minister of Scotland?

Alex Salmond	10	5	11	11	10	5	12	11	11	9	8	8	12	9	9	11	8	7	12	9	22	8
Gordon Brown	25	25	40	26	20	21	38	26	28	22	18	25	25	28	28	20	22	22	24	29	29	24
Alistair Darling	19	31	16	16	24	27	16	17	22	16	12	15	18	26	20	18	18	20	19	17	22	18
Nicola Sturgeon	6	5	5	12	5	5	5	9	6	6	5	5	7	6	7	5	6	6	5	4	15	5
Don't know	41	34	28	35	41	42	29	38	33	47	57	47	38	31	36	46	47	46	40	41	12	43

	Sept 15-16	Sept 18-19																					
Do you approve or disapprove of...RAF dropping humanitarian supplies to people who have fled Islamic State/ISIS forces?																							
Approve	78	75	80	81	84	74	76	79	84	81	69	67	68	76	84	79	70	71	75	73	77	78	75
Disapprove	9	10	10	9	6	14	10	9	6	10	10	11	11	11	8	8	12	12	10	11	8	13	10
Don't know	14	15	10	10	10	12	14	12	11	9	20	22	21	13	9	12	18	17	15	16	15	9	15
US air strikes to prevent the killing of the religious minorities and to protect American personnel in the region?																							
Approve	61	61	72	62	59	76	69	62	57	75	48	50	51	63	72	61	60	53	62	61	67	50	62
Disapprove	16	16	11	16	16	13	12	17	20	12	20	21	17	17	13	17	16	20	16	14	14	25	16
Don't know	23	23	17	22	25	11	19	20	23	13	32	28	32	20	15	22	24	26	22	25	19	25	22
Would you approve or disapprove of... The RAF taking part in air strike operations against Islamic State/ISIS?																							
Approve	54	53	64	55	51	66	60	54	47	68	40	44	46	57	59	54	53	50	53	54	58	48	54
Disapprove	25	26	22	26	32	23	24	28	31	21	32	27	25	27	27	28	24	26	26	23	25	39	26
Don't know	21	20	14	19	17	12	16	18	21	12	28	29	29	17	13	18	23	25	21	22	17	13	21
US air strikes on Islamic State/ISIS forces and bases in Syria, to weaken them and push them back?																							
Approve	61	59	73	61	60	74	68	59	54	72	47	45	52	63	67	59	59	51	60	60	65	50	60
Disapprove	17	16	11	17	13	11	12	19	17	14	19	21	18	16	14	17	16	19	16	15	13	26	16
Don't know	22	24	16	22	27	15	19	22	29	15	34	34	31	21	20	24	25	30	24	25	22	24	24

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The RAF taking part in air strike operations against Islamic State/ISIS in Syria?

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Disapprove	27	26	21	27	24	22	24	28	30	22	31	28	24	27	27	29	24	28	28	24	23	37	26	
Don't know	21	23	18	20	26	17	21	20	26	14	32	32	29	19	18	21	25	27	23	26	20	18	23	

Would you approve or disapprove of Britain and the USA sending ground troops back into Iraq to help fight Islamic State/ISIS?

Approve	26	24	27	27	24	30	22	26	22	32	17	25	28	25	19	24	24	22	25	24	25	21	24
Disapprove	52	55	54	55	52	57	59	53	58	53	57	48	44	56	65	56	53	53	53	55	55	61	54
Don't know	22	21	19	18	24	13	19	21	21	16	26	27	28	19	16	20	23	25	22	21	19	18	21