

Sample size: 2007 English adults aged 16 to 24 Fieldwork dates: 10th-16th November 2017

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Total	Male	Female	16-24	NET: 18-24	NET: 16-18	NET: 19-21	NET: 22-24	ABC1	C2DE

Thinking about your current relationship status...

Which ONE of the following statements BEST applies to

/ou?										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
I am currently single	48%	53%	42%	48%	46%	67%	50%	38%	48%	48%
I am currently dating (i.e. not in a relationship but going on dates with someone/ people)	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	4%	6%	5%	4%
I am in a relationship that has been going on for less than 3 months (i.e. since August 2017)	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%
I am in a relationship that has been going on for more than 3 months	42%	36%	48%	42%	44%	23%	39%	52%	42%	42%
None of these	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	0%	0%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Net: Not in relationship (single/ dating)	53%	58%	48%	53%	51%	71%	55%	44%	53%	52%
Net: In a relationship	44%	38%	50%	44%	46%	26%	41%	54%	44%	44%



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By "condoms", we mean both male and female condoms.

Do each of the following statements apply to you, or not? (Please select one option on each row)

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I have had sex with someone new for the first time without										
using a condom										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Yes, this applies to me	31%	30%	33%	31%	33%	14%	28%	42%	30%	35%
No, this does not apply to me	34%	33%	34%	34%	36%	19%	36%	38%	36%	29%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Not applicable - I have never had sex	28%	30%	26%	28%	24%	61%	28%	15%	28%	29%
Prefer not to say	6%	7%	6%	6%	6%	7%	8%	5%	6%	7%
I have had sex using a condom										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Yes, this applies to me	60%	58%	61%	60%	63%	29%	57%	74%	61%	56%
No, this does not apply to me	6%	5%	8%	6%	7%	3%	8%	7%	6%	8%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	-	1%	0%	0%	0%
Not applicable - I have never had sex	28%	30%	26%	28%	24%	61%	28%	15%	28%	29%
Prefer not to say	6%	7%	5%	6%	6%	7%	7%	4%	5%	6%



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	Total	Male	Female	16-24	NET: 18-24	NET: 16-18	NET: 19-21	NET: 22-24	ABC1	C2DE
I have been tested for a sexually transmitted infection (STI)										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Yes, this applies to me	31%	24%	38%	31%	34%	7%	26%	46%	32%	30%
No, this does not apply to me	35%	39%	30%	35%	36%	25%	39%	35%	35%	34%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%
Not applicable - I have never had sex	28%	30%	26%	28%	24%	61%	28%	15%	28%	29%
Prefer not to say	6%	6%	5%	6%	6%	7%	7%	4%	5%	6%

You said that you have ever had sex with someone new for the first time without using a condom...

Which, if any, of the following are your reasons for this? (Please select all that apply. If any of your answers don't appear below, please type it in the 'Other' box)

Unweighted base	659	319	340	659	643	55	228	376	457	193
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24 that have ever had sex without a condom	659	330	329	659	643	55	228	376	457	193
Neither of us had a condom available	28%	31%	25%	28%	28%	26%	28%	29%	30%	24%
I felt it would have ruined the moment	16%	18%	15%	16%	17%	7%	15%	19%	16%	17%
Condoms are uncomfortable to use	15%	21%	9%	15%	16%	13%	15%	16%	16%	13%
Sex doesn't feel as good using a condom	27%	31%	23%	27%	28%	27%	23%	30%	28%	25%
I/ the other person was on another type of contraception (e.g. the pill, the contraceptive implant etc.) so we didn't feel we needed to use one	46%	43%	49%	46%	46%	49%	45%	46%	49%	38%
I didn't want to ask the other person to use a condom	8%	5%	11%	8%	8%	5%	8%	8%	7%	10%
The other person didn't want to use a condom	12%	13%	11%	12%	12%	15%	13%	11%	12%	12%
I don't know how to use them	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
I/ the other person was drunk so I/ the other person forgot to use one	25%	21%	29%	25%	26%	7%	21%	30%	26%	23%
I would rather worry about the consequences afterwards (e.g. having a sexually transmitted infection (STI) test, taking the morning after pill etc.)	6%	8%	5%	6%	6%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%
was having sex with someone of the same sex so I didn't think we needed to use one	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	9%	5%	5%	5%	6%
Other	10%	8%	12%	10%	10%	13%	9%	10%	10%	9%
Don't know/ can't recall	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%
Prefer not to say	6%	7%	4%	6%	6%	11%	8%	4%	5%	8%



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For the following question, we would now like you to think about occasions where you have had sex AND used a condom....

In general, which ONE, if any, of the following is the main reason why you have EVER used a condom (i.e. either male or female condoms)? (Please select the option that best applies. If any of your answers don't appear below, please type it in the 'Other' box)

Unweighted base	1380	665	715	1380	1339	128	522	730	994	359
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24 who have ever had sex	1379	687	692	1379	1338	128	523	729	994	358
To avoid pregnancy	58%	57%	58%	58%	58%	58%	60%	56%	59%	54%
To avoid the risk of an sexually transmitted infection (STI)	29%	29%	29%	29%	29%	23%	25%	33%	28%	30%
For a more pleasurable experience	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Other	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	2%
Not applicable - I have never used a condom during sex	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	7%	7%	4%	5%	6%
Not applicable - I have never had sex	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prefer not to say	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	8%	5%	3%	4%	5%



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Now thinking generally about young people (i.e. aged 16 to 24) in England...

In general, which, if any, of the following do you think are barriers preventing young people in England from using condoms (i.e. male or female condoms) during sex? (Please select all that apply)

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Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
They think condoms are expensive	28%	25%	32%	28%	29%	22%	30%	30%	29%	28%
They think condoms don't fit	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	8%
They don't know where to get condoms	9%	10%	8%	9%	8%	12%	7%	8%	9%	8%
They think sex with condoms doesn't feel as good as sex without one	59%	56%	62%	59%	59%	53%	61%	59%	59%	57%
They don't feel that condoms are necessary if they are on another contraceptive method (e.g. the pill, the contraceptive implant)	54%	49%	59%	54%	54%	50%	54%	55%	56%	49%
They don't want to have a conversation about using condoms	29%	26%	32%	29%	29%	33%	28%	29%	30%	27%
They think that carrying condoms makes it look like you sleep around	19%	17%	21%	19%	19%	23%	17%	19%	19%	18%
They are not prepared for having sex (i.e. not knowing the risks of having sex without a condom)	20%	22%	19%	20%	20%	18%	19%	23%	19%	23%
They expect that the other person will carry a condom so they don't have to	24%	17%	31%	24%	24%	24%	23%	26%	24%	24%
They think the prospect of getting a sexually transmitted infection (STI) is not a big enough issue to worry about using condoms	25%	22%	27%	25%	25%	19%	25%	26%	24%	26%
They think the prospect of getting pregnant is not a big enough issue to worry about using condoms	12%	11%	13%	12%	12%	11%	10%	13%	11%	14%
They get drunk and forget	50%	47%	54%	50%	50%	48%	49%	52%	51%	49%
They think condoms are a hassle to use	36%	34%	37%	36%	36%	29%	35%	39%	37%	34%
They would rather worry about the consequences afterwards (e.g. having an sexually transmitted infection (STI) test, taking the morning after pill) rather than wearing a condom	23%	21%	24%	23%	24%	16%	22%	27%	23%	24%
They think it's embarrassing to buy condoms	44%	44%	45%	44%	44%	52%	42%	43%	46%	41%
They don't want to interupt the moment	42%	39%	45%	42%	43%	39%	43%	43%	44%	38%
None of these	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Don't know	7%	8%	6%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	6%	9%



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	Total	Male	Female	16-24	NET: 18-24	NET: 16-18	NET: 19-21	NET: 22-24	ABC1	C2DE
Prefer not to say	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%



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For the following question, even if you do not have heterosexual sex, we are still interested in your opinion.

Would you say that carrying a condom is mainly a man's or woman's responsibility, or are they both equally responsible?

Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Mainly a man's responsibility	36%	40%	32%	36%	35%	46%	37%	31%	37%	33%
Both are equally responsible	59%	53%	64%	59%	60%	49%	56%	65%	58%	60%
Mainly a woman's responsibility	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	0%
Don't know	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%
Prefer not to say	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%

Approximately, how often, if at all, do you see a person using a condom (e.g. seeing the packaging/ putting it on/ inserting it etc.) while watching a sex scene in each of the following? (Please select the answer that best applies. If you have never watched any of the following, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

TV shows and films

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Unweighted base	1846	912	934	1846	1846	202	764	880	1317	490
Base: All English adults aged 18 to 24	1845	941	905	1845	1845	202	765	879	1318	489
All of the time (i.e. everytime I watch a sex scene)	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
Most of the time	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Some of the time	11%	10%	13%	11%	11%	14%	11%	11%	12%	11%
Rarely	40%	37%	44%	40%	40%	40%	39%	42%	41%	39%
Never	32%	35%	29%	32%	32%	30%	34%	31%	32%	31%
Don't know	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%	9%	8%	8%	11%
Prefer not to say	3%	5%	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%



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For the following question, if you have never watched pornography, please select the 'Not applicable' option. As a reminder, answers are always treated confidentially and are never analysed individually. We have provided you with a "Prefer not to say" option if you would rather not share your experiences.

Approximately, how often, if at all, do you see a person using a condom (e.g. seeing the packaging/ putting it on/ inserting it etc.) while watching each of the following? (Please select the answer that best applies. If you have never watched any of the following, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

Pornography										
Unweighted base	1846	912	934	1846	1846	202	764	880	1317	490
Base: All English adults aged 18 to 24	1845	941	905	1845	1845	202	765	879	1318	489
All of the time (i.e. everytime I watch a sex scene)	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Most of the time	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%
Some of the time	12%	18%	6%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	12%	13%
Rarely	28%	37%	19%	28%	28%	23%	26%	31%	29%	25%
Never	25%	22%	28%	25%	25%	28%	25%	24%	25%	26%
Don't know	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	6%
Not applicable - I have never watched this	22%	9%	35%	22%	22%	24%	23%	20%	22%	21%
Prefer not to say	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	3%	4%
Net: Watched pornography	75%	87%	62%	75%	75%	72%	72%	77%	75%	75%
Net: Never watched pornography	22%	9%	35%	22%	22%	24%	23%	20%	22%	21%
Pornography										
Unweighted base	1371	789	582	1371	1371	145	549	677	976	364
Base: All English adults aged 18 to 24 who have ever watched pornography	1378	814	564	1378	1378	146	553	679	982	365
All of the time (i.e. everytime I watch a sex scene)	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Most of the time	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%
Some of the time	16%	21%	9%	16%	16%	17%	17%	16%	16%	17%
Rarely	37%	43%	30%	37%	37%	32%	36%	40%	39%	33%
Never	34%	25%	46%	34%	34%	39%	34%	32%	33%	35%
Don't know	7%	5%	10%	7%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	8%



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Which ONE, if any, of the following do you think you would be most comfortable doing? (Please select the option that best applies)

Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Asking to use a condom	73%	71%	74%	73%	72%	76%	73%	71%	75%	67%
Visiting an STI clinic after not using a condom to seek advice/ be tested	8%	8%	8%	8%	8%	4%	7%	10%	8%	7%
None of these	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	7%	6%	10%
Don't know	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%	7%	9%	9%	8%	10%
Prefer not to say	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	5%

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? (Please select one option on each row)

Carrying condoms around with you gives people the impression that you sleep around

Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	6%	7%	4%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%
Tend to agree	29%	29%	29%	29%	28%	33%	28%	28%	29%	28%
Tend to disagree	32%	32%	32%	32%	32%	29%	32%	33%	33%	28%
Strongly disagree	20%	18%	23%	20%	21%	17%	20%	22%	20%	21%
Don't know	10%	11%	10%	10%	10%	11%	11%	10%	10%	13%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%
Net: Agree	35%	37%	33%	35%	34%	39%	34%	33%	35%	34%
Net: Disagree	52%	50%	55%	52%	53%	46%	52%	55%	54%	49%



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Generally speaking, someone who is clean and hygienic is less likely to have a sexually transmitted infections (STI), than someone who is unclean and untidy										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	4%	6%	2%	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%
Tend to agree	20%	26%	14%	20%	20%	23%	22%	17%	21%	19%
Tend to disagree	28%	26%	30%	28%	28%	32%	26%	28%	28%	27%
Strongly disagree	29%	21%	38%	29%	30%	20%	28%	34%	29%	30%
Don't know	16%	18%	14%	16%	16%	17%	16%	15%	15%	18%
Prefer not to say	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Net: Agree	25%	32%	16%	25%	24%	28%	27%	21%	25%	23%
Net: Disagree	57%	47%	68%	57%	58%	52%	54%	62%	58%	56%
If I had a sexually transmitted infection (STI), I would find it difficult to talk to about it with a sexual partner										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	17%	19%	16%	17%	16%	22%	16%	16%	17%	18%
Tend to agree	41%	41%	41%	41%	41%	42%	39%	42%	44%	34%
Tend to disagree	19%	18%	19%	19%	19%	14%	19%	20%	18%	19%
Strongly disagree	9%	8%	10%	9%	9%	8%	9%	10%	9%	11%
Don't know	11%	10%	12%	11%	11%	10%	13%	10%	10%	14%
Prefer not to say	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Net: Agree	58%	59%	57%	58%	58%	64%	56%	58%	61%	53%
Net: Disagree	28%	27%	29%	28%	28%	23%	28%	30%	27%	30%



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	Total	Male	Female	16-24	NET: 18-24	NET: 16-18	NET: 19-21	NET: 22-24	ABC1	C2DE
If condoms had more of a presence in TV programmes and films, it would make people more likely to use them										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	18%	13%	22%	18%	17%	17%	17%	18%	17%	17%
Tend to agree	49%	45%	54%	49%	49%	51%	48%	50%	49%	50%
Tend to disagree	13%	17%	8%	13%	13%	13%	12%	13%	13%	12%
Strongly disagree	4%	5%	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%
Don't know	14%	16%	12%	14%	14%	12%	16%	14%	14%	16%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Net: Agree	67%	58%	76%	67%	67%	68%	65%	68%	67%	67%
Net: Disagree	16%	22%	10%	16%	16%	17%	16%	16%	17%	14%
If condoms had more of a presence in pornography, it would make people more likely to use them										
Unweighted base	1846	912	934	1846	1846	202	764	880	1317	490
Base: All English adults aged 18 to 24	1845	941	905	1845	1845	202	765	879	1318	489
Strongly agree	17%	13%	20%	17%	17%	19%	17%	17%	17%	17%
Tend to agree	42%	39%	46%	42%	42%	45%	42%	42%	43%	42%
Tend to disagree	12%	16%	8%	12%	12%	10%	12%	13%	12%	12%
Strongly disagree	6%	9%	3%	6%	6%	5%	7%	6%	7%	4%
Don't know	20%	19%	21%	20%	20%	19%	19%	20%	19%	22%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Net: Agree	59%	52%	66%	59%	59%	64%	59%	58%	59%	59%
Net: Disagree	18%	26%	11%	18%	18%	15%	19%	19%	19%	16%



Sample size: 2007 English adults aged 16 to 24 Fieldwork dates: 10th-16th November 2017

Fieldwork dates. Total-Total November 2017										
		Ger	nder			Age			Social	Grade
	Total	Male	Female	16-24	NET: 18-24	NET: 16-18	NET: 19-21	NET: 22-24	ABC1	C2DE
It is difficult to talk about sexually transmitted infections (STIs) with friends										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	15%	18%	12%	15%	14%	19%	14%	14%	15%	14%
Tend to agree	35%	38%	31%	35%	35%	38%	33%	35%	35%	34%
Tend to disagree	25%	22%	29%	25%	26%	17%	27%	27%	26%	24%
Strongly disagree	12%	9%	17%	12%	13%	12%	13%	13%	12%	13%
Don't know	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	12%	10%	9%	9%	12%
Prefer not to say	3%	4%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Net: Agree	50%	56%	43%	50%	49%	57%	47%	49%	50%	48%
Net: Disagree	38%	30%	45%	38%	38%	29%	40%	39%	38%	37%
In general, young people are well-informed about sexually transmitted infections (STIs)										
Unweighted base	2007	994	1013	2007	1846	363	764	880	1436	528
Base: All English adults aged 16 to 24	2007	1026	981	2007	1845	364	765	879	1437	527
Strongly agree	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%
Tend to agree	40%	43%	36%	40%	40%	40%	41%	39%	41%	36%
Tend to disagree	32%	28%	37%	32%	33%	33%	33%	32%	33%	31%
Strongly disagree	10%	9%	12%	10%	10%	11%	10%	11%	11%	11%
Don't know	9%	10%	8%	9%	10%	8%	8%	11%	7%	14%
Prefer not to say	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Net: Agree	45%	49%	41%	45%	45%	46%	46%	44%	47%	41%
Net: Disagree	43%	37%	49%	43%	43%	44%	43%	42%	43%	42%