### YouGov / The Sun Survey Results

**Sample Size:** 644 GB Adults  
**Fieldwork:** 20th - 20th March 2012

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#### Which of the following tax cuts would you most like to see in this week’s budget?

- A reduction in fuel duty: 31%
- Increasing the personal tax allowance to £10,000: 29%
- A cut in VAT: 17%
- Introducing a married couples tax allowance: 6%
- Freezing council tax: 5%
- Abolishing the 50p tax rate for earnings over £150,000: 3%
- Cutting corporation tax on businesses: 2%
- None of these: 5%
- Don’t know: 6%

#### Who do you think is most to blame for the current high price of petrol and diesel?

- The government for putting high levels of tax on petrol and diesel: 58%
- The high price of oil on the world markets: 18%
- The oil companies for charging too much and ripping off customers: 16%
- Other: 2%
- Don’t know: 6%

#### Thinking about the current high price of petrol and diesel, which of the following best reflects your view?

- I am having to cut back my spending elsewhere and/or drive my car much less due to high fuel prices: 25%
- I am having to cut back my spending elsewhere and/or drive my car a little less due to high fuel prices: 26%

**TOTAL HAVING TO CUT BACK** | 51 | 44 | 56 | 38 | 45 | 53 | 58 | 52 | 48 | 34 | 50 | 56 | 55 | 53

- I am having to pay more for petrol, but I have not have to change my lifestyle because of it: 24%
- I do not drive or buy petrol, so high prices are not affecting me or my lifestyle: 22%

**TOTAL NOT HAVING TO CUT BACK** | 46 | 50 | 41 | 51 | 49 | 45 | 41 | 45 | 47 | 56 | 46 | 41 | 42 | 45

- Don’t know: 4%