

YouGov Survey Results

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Fieldwork: 26th - 27th March 2017

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	20-21 March	26-27 March																			
How well or badly do you the government are doing at negotiating Britain's exit from the European Union?																					
Very well	4	5	2	8	10	2	1	7	6	3	2	3	5	8	5	4	5	5	4	4	5
Fairly well	28	28	17	43	42	17	26	41	28	28	16	21	32	43	28	28	23	33	28	26	19
TOTAL WELL	32	33	19	51	52	19	27	48	34	31	18	24	37	51	33	32	28	38	32	30	24
Fairly badly	18	20	25	17	13	28	19	17	21	20	27	23	19	14	19	22	23	18	21	21	22
Very badly	21	17	32	5	5	28	25	6	18	16	19	21	15	10	18	15	24	15	13	15	31
TOTAL BADLY	39	37	57	22	18	56	44	23	39	36	46	44	34	24	37	37	47	33	34	36	53
Don't know	28	30	25	27	29	25	30	29	27	33	36	33	30	24	30	31	25	29	34	33	24

	20-21 March	26-27 March																		
And do you think the government have been moving too quickly towards Brexit, have not been moving quickly enough, or have they got the balance about right?																				
Have been moving too quickly	20	38	3	9	31	34	2	21	19	30	23	18	9	23	14	34	18	15	16	26
Have not been moving quickly enough	35	18	55	35	29	25	63	38	32	20	30	42	45	31	40	27	36	36	37	34
Have got the balance about right	27	26	33	42	22	28	29	26	28	20	25	29	32	30	23	23	30	28	25	24
Not sure	19	19	9	13	18	13	6	15	22	30	22	11	14	16	22	16	17	20	22	17

	20-21 March	26-27 March																			
In hindsight, do you think Britain was right or wrong to vote to leave the European Union?																					
Right to leave	44	44	5	86	54	28	32	92	46	42	12	38	52	62	38	50	28	48	45	48	36
Wrong to leave	44	43	87	5	33	62	60	4	41	45	65	45	39	31	49	35	62	40	39	39	52
Don't know	12	13	8	9	12	10	8	4	13	14	23	17	8	7	13	15	10	13	17	14	12

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Thinking about the result of the EU referendum, which of the following best reflects your view?

	13-14 Nov '16	26-27 March '17																			
I support Britain leaving the EU, and the British government should ensure that Britain does leave the EU	45	44	3	90	54	30	31	92	46	42	12	39	54	60	39	50	29	48	46	49	34
I did not support Britain leaving the EU, but now the British people have voted to leave the government has a duty to carry out their wishes and leave	23	25	49	3	29	30	31	3	24	26	40	24	23	22	28	21	25	25	27	24	24
I do not support Britain leaving the EU and the government should ignore the result of the referendum or seek to overturn it in a second referendum	22	21	43	2	11	33	35	2	20	21	24	25	18	14	24	17	36	18	16	16	31
Don't know	10	10	5	5	6	7	3	4	10	11	24	12	5	5	9	12	10	10	11	10	11

How much confidence, if any, do you have in Theresa May to negotiate the sort of Brexit deal she says she wants for Britain?

	17-18 Jan	26-27 March																			
A lot of confidence	12	10	4	19	21	6	2	17	9	11	4	6	13	20	11	9	5	11	12	11	9
A fair amount of confidence	35	38	29	52	51	28	38	57	39	37	26	33	43	49	38	39	34	44	38	36	26
TOTAL A LOT / FAIR AMOUNT CONFIDENCE	47	48	33	71	72	34	40	74	48	48	30	39	56	69	49	48	39	55	50	47	35
Not very much confidence	23	23	29	16	15	31	33	17	24	21	33	24	19	18	24	21	32	21	22	23	21
No confidence at all	15	16	30	5	4	28	23	3	17	15	12	20	17	8	16	16	20	13	11	17	31
TOTAL NOT MUCH / NO CONFIDENCE	38	39	59	21	19	59	56	20	41	36	45	44	36	26	40	37	52	34	33	40	52
Don't know	15	13	8	8	9	8	4	8	11	15	25	16	7	6	12	14	9	11	17	14	12

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From what you have seen or heard, when do you think Britain will actually leave the European Union?

2017	3	3	4	3	4	1	5	2	5	3	4	3	3	2	5	3	3	4	4	2
2018	11	10	12	12	10	9	12	10	12	13	10	12	7	9	12	11	10	13	11	7
2019	42	40	49	49	38	54	55	49	35	29	38	45	52	45	36	40	45	40	39	43
2020	14	15	14	14	14	12	10	13	14	13	13	16	14	15	12	10	15	15	13	13
After 2020	8	12	7	7	11	8	5	9	7	9	9	8	7	9	7	12	7	8	7	10
Will probably not leave at all	5	5	3	2	6	7	4	5	5	4	6	3	4	4	6	5	4	4	7	4
Don't know	18	16	13	13	17	10	9	13	22	28	21	12	12	15	22	19	17	15	19	21

	20-21 March	26-27 March																			
Do you think Britain will be economically better or worse off after we leave the European Union, or will it make no difference?																					
Better off	30	27	4	55	35	16	19	66	30	24	10	22	31	42	24	31	18	29	27	31	23
Worse off	38	37	74	4	26	55	54	4	37	38	56	40	34	25	43	30	56	35	32	32	48
Will make no real difference to the British economy	19	19	10	30	24	16	15	23	19	20	11	18	22	23	18	21	15	22	22	18	12
Don't know	13	16	13	12	15	13	12	6	14	18	23	19	13	11	15	18	12	15	19	19	17
Do you think Britain will have more or less influence in the world after we leave the European Union, or will it make no difference?																					
More influence	21	19	3	35	24	10	8	47	22	16	8	16	23	25	17	21	14	19	21	19	16
Less influence	35	35	68	5	23	53	53	5	35	36	51	41	29	23	40	29	49	34	29	32	45
Will make no real difference to British influence	34	34	20	52	43	26	35	44	34	34	19	28	42	46	32	37	26	38	34	35	27
Don't know	10	12	10	7	10	10	4	4	10	15	22	16	6	5	11	13	11	9	15	14	12
Do you think leaving the EU will have a good or bad effect on British jobs, or will it make no difference?																					
Good for jobs	28	24	4	46	30	17	10	55	27	21	10	20	28	33	22	26	13	25	25	26	22
Bad for jobs	32	34	68	4	22	51	55	5	34	34	48	37	32	21	38	27	48	33	29	29	42
Will make no real difference to British jobs	25	26	13	39	34	17	22	31	26	26	17	23	29	33	25	27	22	27	29	26	19
Don't know	15	17	15	11	14	14	13	9	14	19	25	20	11	13	15	19	17	15	17	19	16

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Do you think leaving the EU will have a good or bad effect on the NHS, or will it make no difference?

Good for the NHS	29	27	8	48	32	17	10	60	29	25	14	26	29	33	23	32	22	27	27	31	20
Bad for the NHS	27	28	57	4	18	46	41	3	27	30	42	32	24	18	33	22	39	29	22	24	37
Will make no real difference to the NHS	30	28	22	36	36	23	35	29	30	26	18	23	34	37	28	28	25	27	32	28	25
Don't know	15	17	13	12	14	14	14	8	14	19	26	19	13	12	16	18	14	16	19	17	18

Do you think there will be more or less immigration into Britain after we leave the European Union, or will it make no difference?

More immigration into Britain	3	3	5	1	2	4	1	3	3	3	5	4	3	2	3	4	3	3	3	4	5
Less immigration into Britain	54	49	30	72	58	39	34	78	51	48	32	46	55	60	49	50	45	50	50	51	49
Will make no real difference to the amount of immigration	31	33	53	19	29	45	55	14	36	31	39	33	35	27	36	29	39	35	31	32	30
Don't know	12	14	12	8	11	11	11	5	10	17	23	17	7	11	12	16	13	12	17	13	17

Do you think leaving the EU will have a good or bad effect on people's pensions, or will it make no difference?

Good for pensions	8	8	1	14	10	5	2	19	10	7	8	9	8	6	6	11	8	8	8	10	5
Bad for pensions	27	25	48	5	17	40	38	4	26	24	30	28	25	15	29	19	34	26	20	19	37
Will make no real difference to pensions	37	38	23	57	47	29	38	60	42	35	20	31	45	55	37	39	31	38	42	39	36
Don't know	29	29	27	23	26	27	23	17	23	34	42	31	23	24	27	31	27	28	30	32	22

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Below are some of the issues that the government may need to consider when deciding on Britain's future relationship with Europe. Please pick the two or three you think are MOST important.

Ensuring Britain has control of its own laws	33	17	54	47	22	24	60	34	32	12	25	41	54	32	34	20	37	37	34	26
Ensuring Britain can make its own trade deals with the rest of the world	33	23	46	42	25	37	43	34	33	20	29	42	40	34	33	23	38	34	33	31
Ensuring Britain still works with the EU on issues like security and terrorism	30	41	21	33	35	42	18	25	34	29	27	32	33	33	26	30	33	28	29	26
Ensuring Britain has control over EU immigration into Britain	29	16	45	35	20	17	58	28	30	12	27	37	33	26	33	24	31	29	29	28
ensuring Britain can trade freely with the EU without tariff barriers and customs checks	27	41	19	25	35	34	18	31	23	27	28	29	23	30	22	28	26	30	24	31
Keeping employment rights and human rights that are currently protected by the EU	24	46	8	12	41	40	2	21	27	32	27	24	15	27	20	31	22	22	21	35
Saving the money that Britain currently pays to the EU	17	10	25	19	16	13	27	16	17	10	17	16	21	16	18	12	17	19	20	8
Retaining the right of Britons to live and work in the rest of the EU	17	31	6	12	22	24	3	16	18	22	17	15	16	20	13	25	16	16	13	22
Respecting the fact that the British public voted to Leave the EU	15	4	25	17	9	11	22	17	13	8	12	18	20	14	16	12	16	15	14	15
Protecting important British industries, like financial services	14	21	9	17	14	24	5	18	10	17	14	12	14	16	11	24	14	9	12	17
None of these	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	6	1	0	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	3
Don't know	11	7	6	7	9	5	5	10	12	20	16	4	3	8	14	11	8	12	14	9

Which of the following best reflects your view?

It is more important for Britain to have control over EU immigration into Britain than to keep free trade	16	4	29	20	12	6	37	20	13	5	16	19	20	14	19	13	14	17	21	14
It is more important to ensure Britain can trade freely with the EU without tariff barriers than it is to control EU immigration	24	47	9	20	38	38	5	27	22	36	26	21	17	30	17	33	24	25	19	28
It is a false choice – it is possible to BOTH control EU immigration into Britain AND to keep British free trade with the EU	40	31	51	45	33	48	51	39	41	30	34	49	50	40	41	37	47	37	39	34
Not sure	19	17	12	14	17	8	7	14	24	29	24	11	14	16	22	18	15	22	21	24

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[The following question was only asked to those that said 'false choice'; n=785]

And if it was impossible to have both and you HAD to choose one or the other, which of the following would best reflect your view?

It is more important for Britain to have control over EU immigration into Britain than to keep free trade	42	23	60	47	28	32	74	43	41	29	36	51	42	38	47	33	42	44	43	42
It is more important to ensure Britain can trade freely with the EU without tariff barriers than it is to control EU immigration	42	64	25	39	55	50	15	43	41	57	45	37	39	46	36	56	36	42	47	36
Not sure	16	13	15	13	17	18	11	15	18	14	19	12	19	16	17	11	22	14	9	22

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Which, if any, of the following do you think will be the most NEGATIVE impacts from leaving the European Union? Please tick up to three.

Goods and services will become more expensive in the shops	29	30	37	23	28	34	38	21	30	29	29	32	29	25	34	24	31	32	25	28	34
Companies will be less likely to invest in Britain without access to EU markets	23	25	42	10	26	32	33	9	27	23	29	24	27	23	30	19	34	29	23	20	19
British exporters will find it harder to trade because of export barriers and tariffs	20	23	33	17	25	23	32	20	24	23	21	24	25	23	26	19	23	24	24	20	29
Much of Britain's financial services industry will move to other European cities	13	13	19	6	13	15	24	5	15	10	12	13	12	13	15	9	14	14	10	12	13
There will be a reduction in regulations protecting workers rights and holiday entitlements	14	13	22	7	7	23	20	6	14	13	17	14	14	11	15	11	19	13	10	13	16
The British economy will go into recession	15	12	21	4	8	20	16	3	12	12	11	13	13	9	14	9	17	10	12	10	15
British people wouldn't be able to live or work elsewhere in Europe	12	11	15	7	11	12	7	9	9	13	24	10	9	8	12	10	16	10	10	10	11
Britain will be taken less seriously and have less influence in the world	11	10	18	3	7	15	12	2	9	10	17	10	8	8	11	8	10	10	9	10	9
Other EU countries will be less willing to co-operate with Britain on things like combatting terrorism	11	10	11	9	12	11	10	9	8	12	15	9	10	9	9	11	11	9	8	13	7
Jobs will be less secure and there will be increased unemployment	10	9	17	2	6	15	11	2	9	9	10	10	8	6	9	9	12	8	8	8	11
Something else	4	2	2	2	2	1	3	0	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2
None - there will be no negative effects at all from leaving the European Union	21	18	2	37	24	11	8	42	19	17	3	12	25	32	17	20	9	19	21	18	20
Don't know	15	18	10	18	16	12	10	15	17	20	26	22	12	13	13	25	17	17	20	22	14

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Which, if any, of the following do you think will be the most POSITIVE impacts from leaving the European Union? Please tick up to three.

Britain will have more freedom to trade with countries outside the EU	28	30	23	43	43	25	32	42	33	28	17	24	35	45	31	28	24	38	31	24	23
There will be a reduction in immigration	28	24	10	39	30	17	14	46	24	24	14	22	29	29	23	25	21	25	22	25	27
The British government will have more money to spend on public services	16	19	12	26	24	15	10	27	17	22	16	20	19	21	19	20	17	20	20	20	19
Britain will be able to strike better trade deals than we could get as part of the EU	15	17	10	27	24	13	20	30	19	16	11	15	18	24	18	16	10	18	21	18	14
British businesses will face fewer rules and regulations	17	16	12	23	24	14	10	19	17	16	6	11	20	29	16	17	14	17	18	18	12
Government will have more freedom to intervene in the economy and help British companies	17	15	12	19	19	14	16	16	17	12	14	12	17	18	16	12	15	18	14	12	11
There will be less competition for jobs from EU immigrants	15	13	8	18	11	12	5	23	14	13	10	14	15	12	12	15	16	11	13	16	10
European vessels won't be able to fish in British waters	13	11	8	16	16	8	13	16	13	10	6	8	12	19	10	13	7	13	9	9	18
Britain will be able to scrap human rights laws	10	10	5	19	16	5	7	24	11	9	1	7	13	19	11	10	7	12	9	12	8
Food and groceries will become cheaper in the shops	2	3	2	2	2	2	1	3	4	2	6	3	2	1	3	3	1	4	3	3	2
Something else	3	2	2	1	1	2	4	0	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
None - there will be no positive effects at all from leaving the European Union	18	17	35	2	7	31	31	3	16	18	19	18	20	11	20	13	27	15	15	15	21
Don't know	15	18	14	12	13	15	11	8	16	20	37	22	10	8	14	23	16	15	19	21	18