

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1646 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 24th - 25th September 2015

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As you may know, the UK is currently taking military action in Iraq. There is also a conflict happening over the border in Syria, where a number of groups are fighting, such as Western-backed rebels, the government of Bashar al-Assad and the group called ISIS or 'Islamic State'.

Here are some things people have suggested the UK could do about the situation in SYRIA, in partnership with other countries.

Would you support or oppose the UK doing the following?

Using RAF planes to conduct air strikes against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	59	71	52	52	76	70	48	42	54	65	63	59	60	49	65	62	60	44
Oppose	21	14	25	28	14	17	25	31	17	20	22	22	20	24	19	20	20	30
Don't know	20	16	23	19	10	12	27	27	28	15	15	19	20	27	16	18	20	26

Using unmanned aerial drones to conduct air strikes against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	66	81	54	60	84	75	56	47	57	72	74	65	66	58	69	72	65	52
Oppose	16	7	23	21	7	13	19	31	13	15	14	18	14	16	16	12	16	26
Don't know	18	12	23	19	9	11	25	21	30	14	12	17	20	27	15	16	19	23

Using Royal Navy ships off the coast to conduct missile strikes against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	56	68	49	48	75	68	45	39	52	62	61	57	56	48	61	61	55	42
Oppose	22	14	26	34	12	18	25	37	18	19	22	23	20	22	21	20	21	34
Don't know	22	18	25	18	12	13	30	24	30	19	16	20	24	30	18	19	24	25

Sending heavy weapons like tanks and artillery to help Western-backed rebels fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	39	47	35	31	50	42	36	25	36	44	41	39	39	40	40	40	40	30
Oppose	35	29	34	46	31	38	32	53	32	30	35	36	33	31	36	32	34	42
Don't know	26	24	31	23	19	20	32	22	32	26	24	25	28	30	24	28	26	28

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Sending small/support arms, such as pistols, rifles and shoulder-launched missiles, to help Western-backed rebels fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	42	50	39	32	47	49	36	34	37	46	47	42	43	40	44	44	43	35
Oppose	31	27	31	47	31	32	30	45	31	29	29	33	29	27	34	30	29	40
Don't know	26	23	30	21	22	18	34	21	33	26	24	25	28	33	22	26	28	26

Sending regular UK troops to fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	30	36	27	22	38	35	26	16	33	33	30	31	29	29	31	30	31	26
Oppose	46	43	44	58	48	46	47	55	39	44	52	46	46	44	49	46	43	50
Don't know	23	20	29	20	14	19	28	29	28	23	18	23	24	27	20	24	26	24

Sending small teams of UK special forces to fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	51	58	45	51	64	60	42	40	51	53	52	52	49	43	54	53	52	43
Oppose	27	24	27	31	26	25	30	28	22	25	34	27	28	28	28	26	24	36
Don't know	22	19	28	18	10	15	28	32	27	21	14	21	23	29	18	22	24	21

Sending small teams of UK special forces to locate and, if possible, rescue hostages held by ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	67	72	64	72	70	72	62	72	62	67	68	69	64	61	70	68	67	61
Oppose	14	13	13	14	16	13	15	11	11	14	17	13	15	14	15	13	12	17
Don't know	19	15	23	14	15	15	23	16	26	18	15	18	21	25	15	19	21	23

Sending small teams of UK military personnel to advise Western-backed rebels fighting against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	57	64	53	59	57	64	50	46	52	59	63	56	58	52	58	57	59	50
Oppose	21	18	20	26	26	23	20	29	21	21	20	23	20	21	23	21	18	28
Don't know	22	18	26	16	17	13	30	25	28	20	17	21	23	27	19	21	24	22

Setting up a training camp in Turkey or Jordan to build a new army of Western-backed rebels to fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	45	51	42	35	57	52	39	34	43	45	51	44	46	40	48	48	46	33
Oppose	27	21	27	38	25	28	26	39	24	27	23	28	24	24	27	26	23	40
Don't know	28	27	31	27	17	20	36	27	33	27	26	27	30	36	25	26	31	27

Cooperating with the government of Russia to fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	53	59	47	43	68	66	41	51	46	56	56	52	54	47	56	55	53	45
Oppose	18	15	19	26	16	17	20	20	19	16	19	19	17	18	19	18	16	21
Don't know	29	26	34	32	16	18	40	29	35	28	25	29	29	35	25	27	31	34

Cooperating with the Assad Government to fight against ISIS militants in SYRIA

Support	40	45	33	26	57	43	36	31	35	45	40	37	44	36	42	41	39	34
Oppose	25	21	28	36	17	28	23	30	26	22	26	29	20	26	23	26	24	34
Don't know	35	34	39	38	25	29	40	39	39	32	33	34	36	38	34	34	37	31