

YouGov Survey Results

Trident

Sample Size: 702 UK Opinion Formers Panel
Fieldwork 31st June - 14th July 2014

Total	Voting intention		
	Conservative	Labour	Liberal Democrat

Britain's nuclear weapons system, Trident, currently costs around £2billion to maintain - some 5-6% of the defence budget. Recent Government proposals to upgrade Trident have been estimated to cost between £15-£20billion. Which of the following, if any, do you most agree with regarding Britain's nuclear deterrent?

	Base	702	245	193	66
Britain should disband Trident and focus defence spending on conventional weapons and forces	36%	18%	52%	45%	
Britain should replace Trident with a new and upgraded system	27%	46%	11%	21%	
Britain should maintain Trident - there is no need to upgrade Britain's nuclear weapons system	25%	29%	21%	27%	
Don't know	7%	6%	8%	3%	
Other	4%	0%	7%	3%	
None of the above	1%	1%	2%	-	