

YouGov / Times Survey Results

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Fieldwork: 20th - 21st March 2016

	Vote 2015					Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region				
	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP		Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	1688	476	393	102	164	817	871	196	722	415	354	962	726	202	560	363	408	156
Unweighted Sample	1688	479	425	116	162	726	962	198	648	430	412	1043	645	182	562	360	417	167
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Do you think George Osborne is doing a good job or a bad job as Chancellor of the Exchequer?

He is doing a good job	17	41	3	14	6	21	13	19	14	17	20	20	13	15	20	16	15	15
He is doing a bad job	58	31	82	68	75	60	56	49	55	64	64	59	57	51	55	58	63	66
Don't know	25	29	15	19	19	19	31	32	31	19	16	21	30	34	25	27	22	19

Thinking about George Osborne, do you think he would or would not be up to the job of Prime Minister?

Would be up to the job of Prime Minister	8	14	3	10	2	9	7	8	8	7	8	8	8	12	7	7	8	8
Would not be up to the job of Prime Minister	73	66	86	79	86	78	69	65	70	78	79	76	70	62	75	73	76	75
Don't know	19	20	11	10	13	13	25	27	23	15	12	16	22	25	18	20	16	17

How likely or unlikely do you think it is that George Osborne will ever become Prime Minister?

Very likely	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2
Fairly likely	12	14	11	22	7	15	9	11	11	14	12	14	8	14	12	11	11	14
TOTAL LIKELY	13	15	12	22	8	17	10	12	13	15	13	15	9	16	13	12	12	16
Fairly unlikely	37	46	38	44	34	39	36	35	30	44	44	40	33	32	38	42	36	29
Very unlikely	30	23	34	25	41	31	28	26	31	25	33	26	34	23	31	26	33	31
TOTAL UNLIKELY	67	69	72	69	75	70	64	61	61	69	77	66	67	55	69	68	69	60
Don't know	20	15	16	10	16	14	26	26	26	16	11	18	23	30	18	19	18	24

Looking back, do you think Iain Duncan Smith did a good or bad job as Secretary of State for Work and Pensions?

Very good job	6	12	1	1	12	8	4	4	3	7	12	6	6	6	6	8	6	2
Fairly good job	27	47	15	34	37	28	27	13	18	36	45	29	25	24	31	29	24	25
TOTAL GOOD JOB	33	59	16	35	49	36	31	17	21	43	57	35	31	30	37	37	30	27
Fairly bad job	20	13	25	30	15	20	19	22	20	20	17	21	18	17	17	22	21	21
Very bad job	19	2	35	14	16	24	15	21	23	18	13	19	19	18	18	15	22	31
TOTAL BAD JOB	39	15	60	44	31	44	34	43	43	38	30	40	37	35	35	37	43	52
Don't know	28	26	23	20	20	21	34	40	36	20	13	25	32	35	28	27	27	21

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From what you have seen or heard about Iain Duncan Smith's resignation, do you think it was mainly...

Because Iain Duncan Smith opposed the government's policy on disability benefits	29	37	26	31	37	30	29	18	26	35	35	27	32	24	31	30	31	25
Because of longer standing differences between Iain Duncan Smith and George Osborne	24	25	28	31	24	26	21	18	19	28	31	28	19	22	25	23	21	28
Because Iain Duncan Smith wants Britain to vote to leave the European Union	15	16	19	23	11	17	13	12	13	17	19	18	11	13	15	13	15	20
Some other reason	7	3	9	3	6	6	7	8	8	5	3	5	8	10	5	6	8	5
Don't know	25	19	17	13	21	21	30	43	34	15	11	22	30	31	24	27	24	21

And what do you think the government's main motivation has been in the way it handles the benefit system?

Mostly concerned about making work pay more than benefits, making benefits fairer and encouraging people into work	13	31	4	12	7	15	12	6	13	14	17	14	12	12	17	11	12	10
Mostly concerned with making saving, and reducing the amount of money that is spent on welfare benefits	55	39	71	67	62	56	54	43	51	64	56	57	52	49	53	55	56	62
Concerned about both equally	11	18	7	12	9	12	10	10	10	10	14	12	9	11	10	8	13	11
Concerned about neither of these	7	4	9	4	8	7	8	14	7	5	7	6	10	7	7	9	8	6
Don't know	14	9	9	5	15	11	17	26	18	7	6	12	17	20	13	16	10	11

And what do you think was Iain Duncan Smith's MAIN motivation was in the way he handled the benefit system?

Mostly concerned about making work pay more than benefits, making benefits fairer and encouraging people into work	23	38	16	31	33	27	20	8	15	31	39	26	20	23	27	22	23	15
Mostly concerned with making saving, and reducing the amount of money that is spent on welfare benefits	28	15	44	30	22	30	26	23	32	28	20	29	25	21	25	26	32	35
Concerned about both equally	13	18	13	10	13	13	13	7	10	14	21	13	13	15	14	12	12	12
Concerned about neither of these	8	4	10	7	6	8	8	18	8	6	6	6	10	10	6	8	9	10
Don't know	28	25	18	21	26	22	33	43	34	21	14	25	31	32	28	32	23	27