

YouGov / Friends of the Earth Survey Results

Sample Size: 1913 UK Adults
Fieldwork: 17th - 19th February 2019

	Vote in 2017			EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region						
	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland	Northern Ireland	
Wewighted Sample	1913	615	578	107	738	781	926	987	212	803	455	442	1090	823	224	624	400	453	163	50
Unweighted Sample	1913	657	599	121	832	785	856	1057	200	789	460	464	1174	739	220	646	395	439	155	58
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

In general, do you think the following should do more or less to cut down on plastic, or are they doing about the right amount?

Manufacturers

A lot more	72	74	75	82	77	72	67	76	64	65	77	81	75	68	69	74	72	68	73	79
A little more	17	18	15	13	15	17	19	15	18	18	15	15	17	17	20	16	19	15	16	9
TOTAL MORE	89	92	90	95	92	89	86	91	82	83	92	96	92	85	89	90	91	83	89	88
About the right amount	9	6	7	3	6	8	11	7	11	13	5	4	7	11	8	8	5	14	7	13
A little less	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	0
A lot less	2	1	3	2	1	2	2	2	6	2	2	0	2	3	3	1	4	2	1	0
TOTAL LESS	3	2	4	2	2	3	3	3	8	3	3	0	3	4	3	2	5	3	3	0

Retailers (e.g. supermarkets, clothes stores)

A lot more	67	68	70	75	74	65	64	70	62	61	71	76	70	63	63	68	68	64	71	76
A little more	19	22	17	19	16	21	20	18	18	20	20	18	18	20	22	20	20	18	16	16
TOTAL MORE	86	90	87	94	90	86	84	88	80	81	91	94	88	83	85	88	88	82	87	92
About the right amount	10	8	10	4	8	10	12	9	12	15	6	5	9	13	11	10	7	14	10	8
A little less	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	2	2	1	0	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	0
A lot less	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	6	2	2	0	2	3	3	1	4	2	2	0
TOTAL LESS	3	2	3	2	2	2	4	3	8	4	3	0	3	5	5	2	5	4	4	0

In general, would you support or oppose each of the following:

A law to significantly reduce plastic waste and pollution within 25 years

Strongly support	61	60	66	78	70	58	59	63	63	57	62	67	64	57	61	63	57	60	63	67
Tend to support	28	31	26	19	23	30	29	27	23	29	28	28	26	30	31	24	34	28	24	24
TOTAL SUPPORT	89	91	92	97	93	88	88	90	86	86	90	95	90	87	92	87	91	88	87	91
Tend to oppose	3	3	3	1	3	3	4	2	1	4	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	4	3	5
Strongly oppose	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	0	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	2
TOTAL OPPOSE	4	5	4	2	4	5	6	3	2	6	4	2	4	5	4	5	3	5	5	7
Don't know	7	5	5	1	4	6	6	8	12	8	6	3	5	8	4	8	6	7	8	2

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A law to ensure manufacturers and retailers phase out all non-essential single-use plastic by 2025

Strongly support	60	59	65	74	68	58	59	62	56	56	63	67	63	57	65	62	57	57	64	62
Tend to support	28	30	27	23	25	29	29	27	27	30	26	26	27	29	26	24	34	29	25	32
TOTAL SUPPORT	88	89	92	97	93	87	88	89	83	86	89	93	90	86	91	86	91	86	89	94
Tend to oppose	3	4	2	1	2	4	4	3	2	4	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	5	3	0
Strongly oppose	1	2	1	0	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	0	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2
TOTAL OPPOSE	4	6	3	1	3	6	6	4	4	5	5	2	4	5	4	5	3	6	4	2
Don't know	7	5	6	3	4	7	6	8	13	8	6	4	6	9	4	8	6	9	7	3