



Expert Survey 2017

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Codebook

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1 Purpose and design

When drafting a questionnaire for an electoral survey, one of the sections that needs addressing is where respondents are asked about their attitudes about issues and policies. Because of the overriding importance of these issue questions for a variety of research perspectives – like the estimation of issue effects on the vote, the effectiveness of political representation (understood as issue congruence between representatives and represented), or the properties of the space of party competition -- this section is of particular importance.

One quite predominant style of approaching all these questions compares the issue orientations and preferences of citizens and voters (=survey respondents) with those of political parties (or presidential candidates). The smaller the distance between citizens and parties or candidates, the more likely are they to vote for that party, the closer is the representational bond between them, and so on. This politico-economic tradition of studies of issue voting originates in Downs' *Economic Theory of Democracy* (1957) and builds almost entirely on the spatial paradigm of voting and party competition. This assumes that voters can identify their issue preferences on an issue or policy dimension, can identify where the parties and/or candidates stand on this same dimension, and deduce their voting decision from the comparison of distances between them-selves and the competing parties/candidates by voting for the closest alternative.

One of the problems with that stream of studies is that the necessary survey instrumentation is quite extensive and time consuming. The reason for that is that positions on each issue or policy dimension are measured for the



respondent as well as for each of the relevant competing parties. This way each question on an issue or policy dimension is repeated multiple times which is very costly.

But this strategy of data collection is also potentially misleading because of the psychological mechanism referred to as ‘assimilation and contrast’ (Granberg and Holmberg 1988). Under this psychological mechanism observations are summarised according to which citizens pull the issue positions of parties which they like towards their own positions, and push the position of others that they do not like further away from their own positions than where they actually are located.

Both problems – the limits of space and perceptual distortions -- suggest the measurement of ‘objective’ party positions through an independent data collection effort. This is often realised by way of an expert survey. We have chosen to follow that strategy also in the framework of the BES 2015 and have decided to do so using three survey waves to capture perceived change in policy positions. Administrative details and results of the third wave of this BES2015 expert survey are documented in this codebook.

2 Survey administration and response

The expert survey was administered online. It was fielded between 1 May 2017 and 31 May 2017 to ensure that all responses were received prior to the 2017 UK General Election. As in the 2014 and 2015 Expert Surveys the targeted universe was the membership of “EPOP” – a professional organisation that



serves as a forum for academics with an interest in elections, public opinion and parties in the UK. Unfortunately, due to changes in the data protection protocols related to the EPOP mailing list we were unable to have as much control over the sampling and administration process as we did in the previous two waves.

In 2014 and 2015 we were able to create our own mailing groups that anonymously tracked respondents so that we could monitor response rates. Our survey response request e-mail came directly from the BES team. In 2017 we were also unable to send direct follow up e-mails in order to try and boost response rates as we had done in the previous years. Our survey invitation went out through EPOP's general mailing service.

We believe that this necessary, but unfortunate, change in process had a depressing effect on the response rate to the 2017 survey compared with the 2014 and 2015 waves. We received 41 partial or fully completed responses. Of these 41, 12 are classified as partially completed. Again, due to the data protection protocols we are unable to estimate a comparable response rate with the 2014 and 2015 waves as we do not have information regarding the total size of the mailing list. However, this represents a decline from 93 and 95 respondents in 2014 and 2015 respectively. Nevertheless, we believe this to be a valuable data source as it still compares favourably to the sample size of other expert surveys that have been carried out in the UK and elsewhere.



The survey was administered with the internal online survey tool of the University of Manchester which is owned and operated by Alliance Manchester Business School. It was powered by ClassApps Select-survey.Net v4.078.002.

3 Survey content and question format

The survey concentrates on position issues. Valence issues and competence assessments are left aside. With only one exception, the questions asked are those also asked in the online panel survey. Party positions are established for the following issue dimension:

- left-right (11 point scale)
- libertarian-authoritarian (11 point scale)¹
- national independence – EU integration (11 point scale)
- pro-con redistribution (11 point scale)
- economy vs environmental protection (11 point scale)
- security vs civil liberties (11 point scale)
- immigration good-bad for economy (7 point scale)
- immigration good-bad for cultural life (7 point scale)
- environment protection (5 point scale)
- equality of ethnic minorities – too far or not far enough (5 point scale)
- equality of women – too far or not far enough (5 point scale)
- equality of gays and lesbians – too far or not far enough (5 point scale)

¹ This is not asked as such in the internet panel survey, but a number of more detailed indicator variables are measuring it there as well.



The different scale formats match those that have been used in the internet panel survey. Throughout, positions on those issues have been established for the following parties:

- Labour
- Conservatives
- Liberal democrats
- UKIP
- Greens²
- SNP
- Paid Cymru

An addition to the 2017 survey involved the inclusion of self-placement questions for the respondent on each of our issue dimension. These have been added to the end of the codebook.

² Please note that The Green Party was added to the survey for the 2015 wave of the expert survey having not been included in the first wave of the survey in 2014. It was retained for the 2017 wave.



4. CODEBOOK

For each of these issue dimensions and each of the parties listed, the subsequent codebook informs about the following qualities:

- N of valid cases
- N of missing cases
- The arithmetic mean of the distribution
- The standard deviation of the distribution
- The counts for each of the scale values, including the different categories of missingness

Not all of the scales are equally close to a metric measurement scale, so mean and standard deviation are a bit more problematic pieces for some of the scales than for others. Still, we thought it might be useful to run these basic descriptive statistics throughout.



Left Right Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: Labour Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.37 0.942	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	7
	2	2	17
	3	3	13
	4	4	3
	5	5	1
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: Conservatives Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.54 0.809	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	4
	7	7	15
	8	8	18
	9	9	4
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: Liberal Democrats Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	4.61 1.159	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	0
	3	3	5
	4	4	12
	5	5	14
	6	6	8
	7	7	1
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: UKIP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency	Mean	8.78	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.255	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	2
	6	6	1
	7	7	1
	8	8	8
	9	9	17
	10	right	12
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: Green Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.88	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.005	
Labelled Values	0	left	4
	1	1	9
	2	2	18
	3	3	8
	4	4	2
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: SNP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.95	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.139	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	0
	3	3	11
	4	4	23
	5	5	3
	6	6	1
	7	7	1
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Left Right Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: Plaid Cymru Scale	
N	Valid Missing	36 5	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	3.61 1.379	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	6
	3	3	11
	4	4	12
	5	5	2
	6	6	2
	7	7	2
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: Labour Scale	
N	Valid Missing	36 5	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	4.39 1.358	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	10
	4	4	11
	5	5	5
	6	6	6
	7	7	3
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	5



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: Conservative Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.51 1.121	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	2
	6	6	5
	7	7	9
	8	8	14
	9	9	7
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: Liberal Democrat Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.84	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.143	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	0
	1	1	5
	2	2	10
	3	3	10
	4	4	10
	5	5	2
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: UKIP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	8.73 1.326	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	libertarian 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 authoritarian No Position dk, na	0 0 0 0 0 0 4 3 5 12 13 0 4



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: Green Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.46	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.850	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	2
	1	1	10
	2	2	12
	3	3	6
	4	4	2
	5	5	2
	6	6	2
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	1
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale:SNP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	35 6	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	4.74 1.482	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	2
	3	3	5
	4	4	8
	5	5	11
	6	6	5
	7	7	2
	8	8	2
	9	9	0
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	6



Libertarian Authoritarian Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: Plaid Cymru Scale	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	4.52	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.221	
Labelled Values	0	libertarian	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	5
	4	4	10
	5	5	8
	6	6	2
	7	7	1
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	authoritarian	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	14



European Integration Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: Labour Scale	
N	Valid Missing	36 5	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	5.58 1.481	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	too far already 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 push further No Position dk, na	0 0 0 4 4 9 8 9 1 1 0 0 5



European Integration Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: Conservatives Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.41 1.624	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	too far already 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 push further No Position dk, na	1 10 13 5 6 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 4



European Integration Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: Liberal Democrats Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	8.38 1.570	
Labelled Values	0	too far already	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	1
	6	6	0
	7	7	2
	8	8	11
	9	9	18
	10	push further	4
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



European Integration Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: UKIP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency	Mean	0.38	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.656	
Labelled Values	0	too far already	32
	1	1	4
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	push further	1
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



European Integration Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: Green Scale	
N	Valid Missing	33 8	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.58 1.985	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	too far already 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 push further No Position dk, na	0 1 1 0 0 0 4 7 11 4 5 0 8



European Integration Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: SNP Scale	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.65 2.017	
Labelled Values	0	too far already	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	3
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	1
	6	6	1
	7	7	6
	8	8	14
	9	9	8
	10	push further	4
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	4



European Integration Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: Plaid Cymru Scale	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.14 1.900	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	too far already 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 push further No Position dk, na	0 0 2 0 0 2 4 4 11 4 1 0 13



Redistribution Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	33 8	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.67 1.652	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	1
	1	1	6
	2	2	10
	3	3	9
	4	4	4
	5	5	2
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	1
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	8



Redistribution Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: Conservative	
N	Valid Missing	33 8	
Central Tendency	Mean	7.97	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.425	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	1
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	4
	7	7	4
	8	8	10
	9	9	12
	10	govt should be less concerned	2
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	8



Redistribution Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: Liberal Democrat	
N	Valid Missing	33 8	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	5.03 1.759	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	1
	3	3	3
	4	4	10
	5	5	5
	6	6	5
	7	7	5
	8	8	3
	9	9	0
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	8



Redistribution Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	31 10	
Central Tendency	Mean	7.45	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.219	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	1
	4	4	1
	5	5	3
	6	6	4
	7	7	4
	8	8	5
	9	9	5
	10	govt should be less concerned	7
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	10



Redistribution Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: Green	
N	Valid Missing	31 10	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.23	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.726	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	3
	1	1	8
	2	2	8
	3	3	9
	4	4	1
	5	5	1
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	1
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	10



Redistribution Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	32 9	
Central Tendency	Mean	4.22	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.518	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	4
	3	3	7
	4	4	8
	5	5	8
	6	6	2
	7	7	2
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	9



Redistribution Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	24 17	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.83	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.404	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	3
	3	3	7
	4	4	10
	5	5	2
	6	6	0
	7	7	1
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	17



Economy vs Environment Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: Labour	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.29	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.607	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	1
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	7
	5	5	8
	6	6	6
	7	7	4
	8	8	2
	9	9	0
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Economy vs Environment Scale: Conservatives

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: Conservatives	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.11	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.514	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	4
	1	1	2
	2	2	7
	3	3	7
	4	4	3
	5	5	1
	6	6	0
	7	7	1
	8	8	1
	9	9	2
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Economy vs Environment Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.68	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.827	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	1
	3	3	2
	4	4	2
	5	5	4
	6	6	8
	7	7	6
	8	8	4
	9	9	0
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Economy vs Environment Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: UKIP	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.36	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.896	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	9
	1	1	6
	2	2	4
	3	3	2
	4	4	3
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	7	1
	8	8	1
	9	9	1
	10	Environment always over economic growth	1
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Economy vs Environment Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: Green	
N	Valid	32	
	Missing	9	
Central Tendency	Mean	8.16	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	3.446	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	3
	1	1	2
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	7
	9	9	18
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	9



Economy vs Environment Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: SNP	
N	Valid	24	
	Missing	17	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.38	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.096	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	0
	4	4	2
	5	5	10
	6	6	8
	7	7	3
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	17



Economy vs Environment Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: Labour	
N	Valid	19	
	Missing	22	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.68	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.565	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	3
	4	4	0
	5	5	6
	6	6	3
	7	7	5
	8	8	2
	9	9	0
	10	Environment always over economic growth	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	5.63 1.668	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	2
	4	4	4
	5	5	3
	6	6	10
	7	7	5
	8	8	0
	9	9	2
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	14



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: Conservatives

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: Conservatives	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.43	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.289	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	2
	1	1	4
	2	2	10
	3	3	5
	4	4	6
	5	5	1
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.33 1.387	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	2
	6	6	3
	7	7	8
	8	8	8
	9	9	4
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	1
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	14



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: UKIP	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.57	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.952	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	7
	1	1	10
	2	2	7
	3	3	2
	4	4	1
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	7	0
	8	8	0
	9	9	0
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	1
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: Greens	
N	Valid	26	
	Missing	15	
Central Tendency	Mean	7.62	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.099	15
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	1
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	1
	6	6	1
	7	7	4
	8	8	10
	9	9	5
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	3
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: SNP	
N	Valid	21	
	Missing	20	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.62	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.161	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	3
	5	5	9
	6	6	3
	7	7	5
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	20



Security vs Civil Liberties Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid	18	
	Missing	23	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.61	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.145	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	3
	5	5	6
	6	6	5
	7	7	3
	8	8	1
	9	9	0
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	23



Immigration Economy Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.00	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.177	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	1
	4	4	7
	5	5	8
	6	6	8
	7	good for economy	2
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Economy Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: Conservative	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.82	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.124	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	2
	2	2	11
	3	3	8
	4	4	4
	5	5	3
	6	6	0
	7	good for economy	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



Immigration Economy Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: Liberal Democrat	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.82	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.819	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	2
	5	5	6
	6	6	15
	7	good for economy	5
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



Immigration Economy Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	29 12	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.24	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.435	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	22
	2	2	7
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	good for economy	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	12



Immigration Economy Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	6.26 0.859	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	4
	6	6	9
	7	good for economy	13
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Economy Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.48	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.085	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	8
	6	6	12
	7	good for economy	5
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Immigration Economy Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	20 21	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.50	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.761	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	10
	6	6	7
	7	good for economy	2
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	21



Immigration Culture Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.31	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.928	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	5
	2	2	8
	3	3	8
	4	4	6
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	Enriches cultural life	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Culture Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: Conservatives	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.56	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.050	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	5
	2	2	8
	3	3	08
	4	4	6
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	Enriches cultural life	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Culture Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	6.04	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.808	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	1
	5	5	5
	6	6	13
	7	enriches cultural life	8
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Culture Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.15	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.456	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	24
	2	2	2
	3	3	1
	4	4	0
	5	5	0
	6	6	0
	7	enriches cultural life	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Immigration Culture Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	6.19	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.801	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	0
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	0
	5	5	6
	6	6	9
	7	enriches cultural life	11
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Immigration Culture Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	25 16	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.48	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.085	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	0
	4	4	2
	5	5	8
	6	6	11
	7	enriches cultural life	3
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	16



Immigration Culture Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	20 21	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.10	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.071	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	0
	2	2	1
	3	3	0
	4	4	4
	5	5	6
	6	6	9
	7	enriches cultural life	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	21



Environment Protection Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.54	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.706	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	1
	2	not gone far enough	12
	3	about right	11
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Environment Protection Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: Conservative	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.73	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.667	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	10
	4	gone too far	13
	5	gone much too far	3
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Environment Protection Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: Liberal Democrat	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.31	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.788	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	3
	2	not gone far enough	14
	3	about right	7
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Environment Protection Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	4.54	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.647	
2Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
1	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	2
	4	gone too far	8
	5	gone much too far	16
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Environment Protection Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.32	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.056	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	25
	2	not gone far enough	1
	3	about right	0
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	2
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



Environment Protection Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	24 17	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.63	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.576	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	10
	3	about right	13
	4	gone too far	1
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	17



Environment Protection Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	20 21	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.50	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.607	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	11
	3	about right	8
	4	gone too far	1
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	21



Ethnic Equality Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.11 0.698	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	3
	2	not gone far enough	20
	3	about right	2
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Ethnic Equality Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: Conservatives	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	3.52 0.802	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	2
	3	about right	12
	4	gone too far	10
	5	gone much too far	3
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Ethnic Equality Scale: Liberal Democrat

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.19 0.622	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	1
	2	not gone far enough	22
	3	about right	2
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Ethnic Equality Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	4.68 0.819	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	1
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	0
	4	gone too far	5
	5	gone much too far	22
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



Ethnic Equality Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	1.73 0.778	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	11
	2	not gone far enough	12
	3	about right	2
	4	gone too far	1
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Ethnic Equality Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities SNP	
N	Valid Missing	22 19	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.36 0.790	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	2
	2	not gone far enough	12
	3	about right	6
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	19



Ethnic Equality Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	18 23	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.56 0.705	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	10
	3	about right	6
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	23



Gender Equality Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.07	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.474	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	2
	2	not gone far enough	21
	3	about right	4
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Gender Equality Scale: Conservatives

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: Conservatives	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.41	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.636	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	18
	4	gone too far	7
	5	gone much too far	2
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Gender Equality Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.12	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.326	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	23
	3	about right	3
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Gender Equality Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	4.22	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.751	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	5
	4	gone too far	11
	5	gone much too far	11
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Gender Equality Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.70	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.609	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	10
	2	not gone far enough	15
	3	about right	2
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14

0



Gender Equality Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.27	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.452	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	19
	3	about right	7
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Gender Equality Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	21 20	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.38	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.498	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	13
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	8
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	20



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Labour

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: Labour	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.26 0.594	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	2
	2	not gone far enough	16
	3	about right	9
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: Conservatives	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	3.41 0.636	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	18
	4	gone too far	7
	5	gone much too far	2
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Liberal Democrats

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: Liberal Democrats	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.04 0.587	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	4
	2	not gone far enough	18
	3	about right	5
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: UKIP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: UKIP	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	4.30 0.669	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	0
	3	about right	3
	4	gone too far	13
	5	gone much too far	11
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	0



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Green

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: Greens	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	1.69 0.549	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	9
	2	not gone far enough	16
	3	about right	1
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: SNP

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: SNP	
N	Valid Missing	25 16	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.44 0.583	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	1
	2	not gone far enough	12
	3	about right	12
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	16



Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Plaid Cymru

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: Plaid Cymru	
N	Valid Missing	20 21	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.45 0.510	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	0
	2	not gone far enough	11
	3	about right	9
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	21



Respondent Self Placement: Left-Right

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Left Right Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	41 0	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	3.80 1.569	
Labelled Values	0	left	0
	1	1	1
	2	2	8
	3	3	8
	4	4	14
	5	5	6
	6	6	1
	7	7	1
	8	8	2
	9	9	0
	10	right	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	0



Respondent Self Placement: Libertarianism-Authoritarianism

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Libertarianism Authoritarianism Scale: respondent self- placement	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	3.32 1.857	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	libertarian 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 authoritarian No Position dk, na	0 5 10 9 4 3 2 4 0 0 0 0 4



Respondent Self Placement: European Integration

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	European Integration Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	37 4	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	7.24 3.022	
Labelled Values	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 97 99	too far already 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 push further No Position dk, na	1 1 2 3 1 1 2 4 5 5 12 0 4



Respondent Self Placement: Redistribution

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Redistribution Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	33 8	
Central Tendency	Mean	3.76	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.222	
Labelled Values	0	govt should make more equal	1
	1	1	2
	2	2	5
	3	3	13
	4	4	4
	5	5	2
	6	6	0
	7	7	2
	8	8	3
	9	9	1
	10	govt should be less concerned	0
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	8



Respondent Self Placement: Economy vs Environment

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Economy vs Environment Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid	30	
	Missing	11	
Central Tendency	Mean	6.20	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.325	
Labelled Values	0	economic growth always over environment	1
	1	1	0
	2	2	2
	3	3	0
	4	4	2
	5	5	6
	6	6	5
	7	7	3
	8	8	8
	9	9	1
	10	Environment always over economic growth	2
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	11



Respondent Self Placement: Security vs Civil Liberties

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Fighting Terrorism vs Protecting Civil Liberties Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid	28	
	Missing	13	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.46	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	2.134	
Labelled Values	0	fighting terrorism always over civil liberties.	0
	1	1	0
	2	2	3
	3	3	2
	4	4	5
	5	5	5
	6	6	3
	7	7	4
	8	8	5
	9	9	0
	10	civil liberties always over fighting terrorism	1
	97	No Position	0
	99	dk, na	13



Respondent Self Placement: Immigration Bad-Good for the economy

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Bad-Good for the economy: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.96	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.319	
Labelled Values	1	bad for economy	1
	2	2	0
	3	3	0
	4	4	2
	5	5	3
	6	6	11
	7	good for economy	11
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



Respondent Self Placement: Immigration culture scale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Immigration Undermines- Enriches Cultural Life: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency	Mean	5.59	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	1.738	
Labelled Values	1	undermines cultural life	1
	2	2	1
	3	3	3
	4	4	0
	5	5	4
	6	6	7
	7	Enriches cultural life	11
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Respondent Self Placement: Environment Scale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Measures to Protest the Environment Scale: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	26 15	
Central Tendency	Mean	1.77	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.951	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	12
	2	not gone far enough	10
	3	about right	3
	4	gone too far	0
	5	gone much too far	1
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	15



Respondent Self Placement: Ethnic Equality Scale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	27 14	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.22 1.013	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	7
	2	not gone far enough	10
	3	about right	8
	4	gone too far	1
	5	gone much too far	1
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	14



Respondent Self Placement: Gender Equality Scale

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to women: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency	Mean	2.00	
Dispersion	Standard Deviation	0.903	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	9
	2	not gone far enough	12
	3	about right	5
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13




Equality of Sexual Orientations Scale: Conservative

		Value	Count
Standard Attributes	Label Measurement	Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians: respondent self-placement	
N	Valid Missing	28 13	
Central Tendency Dispersion	Mean Standard Deviation	2.18 0.945	
Labelled Values	1	not gone nearly far enough	8
	2	not gone far enough	9
	3	about right	9
	4	gone too far	2
	5	gone much too far	0
	97	no position	0
	99	Dk, na	13



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1. Do you have a PhD in political science (or any politics related sub-field) and/or are you an academic in a British University?

--Please Select--

2. If you answered no, please write in your current employer or area of study:

3. Which UK country do you live in?

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These questions ask you to place the British political parties on the Left-Right dimension.

4. Please place **yourself** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

5. Please place the **Labour Party** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

6. Please place the **Conservative Party** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

7. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

8. Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

9. Please place the **Green Party** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

10. Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

11. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 0= left and 10 = right
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8 ☐ 9 ☐ 10 ☐ Dont Know

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These questions ask you to place British political parties on the Libertarian-Authoritarian dimension.

12

Please place **yourself** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

13

Please place the **Labour Party** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

14

Please place the **Conservative Party** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

15

Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

16

Please place the **UKIP Party** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

17

Please place the **Green Party** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

18

Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

19

Please place the **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 0= Libertarian and 10 = Authoritarian

Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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These questions ask you to place British political parties in terms of their position with respect to Europe.

20.

Please place **yourself** on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

21.

Please place the **Labour** Party on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 5

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☐ 9

☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

22.

Please place the **Conservative** Party on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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23.

Please place the **Liberal Democrat** Party on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ 5

☐ 6

☐ 7

☐ 8

☐ 9

☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

24.

Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ Don't Know

25.

Please place the **Green** Party on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

26.

Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

27.

Please place **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 0= Regain independence and 10 = Integrate fully with Europe.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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These questions ask you to place British political parties in terms of their positions with respect to equality of incomes.

28. Please place **yourself** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

29. Please place the **Labour Party** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

30. Please place the **Conservative Party** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

31. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

32. Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ Dont Know

33. Please place the **Green Party** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ Dont Know

34. Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ Dont Know

35. Please place the **Plaid Cymru Party** on a scale where 0= Government should try to make people's income equal and 10 = Government should be less concerned about equal incomes.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ Dont Know



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Some believe that protecting the environment should have priority even if that reduces economic growth. Others believe that economic growth should have priority even if that hinders protecting the environment. Where do you think the following parties are on this scale?

36. Please place **yourself** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

37. Please place the **Labour Party** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ Dont Know

38. Please place the **Conservative Party** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

39. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

40. Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ Dont Know

41. Please place the **Green Party** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ Dont Know

42. Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Dont Know

43. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 0= Economic growth should always have priority over the environment and 10 = The Environment should always have priority over economic growth.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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Some people feel that, in order to fight terrorism, we have to accept infringements on privacy and civil liberties. Others feel that privacy and civil liberties are to be protected at all costs. Where would you place the following political parties on this scale?

44.

Please place yourself on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

45.

Please place the Labour Party on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

46.

Please place the Conservative Party on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

47.

Please place the Liberal Democrat Party on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

48.

Please place UKIP on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

49.

Please place the Green Party on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

50.

Please place the SNP on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

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☐ 10

☐ Don't Know

51.

Please place Plaid Cymru on a scale where 0= fighting terrorism should always have priority over civil liberties and 10 = civil liberties should always have priority over fighting terrorism.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 0

☐ 1

☐ 2

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☐ Don't Know



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These questions ask you to place the British parties in terms of their position with respect to the economic impact of immigration.

52. Please place **yourself** on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

53. Please place the **Labour** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

54. Please place the **Conservative** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

55. Please place the **Liberal Democrat** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

56. Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

57. Please place the **Green** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

58. Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

59. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 1 = Immigration is bad for the economy and 7 = Immigration is good for the economy.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

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These questions ask you to place the British parties in terms of their position with respect to the cultural impact of immigration.

60. Please place **yourself** on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

61. Please place the **Labour** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

62. Please place the **Conservative** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

63. Please place the **Liberal Democrat** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

64. Please place **UKIP** on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

65. Please place the **Green** party on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

66. Please place the **SNP** on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.


☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know

67. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on a scale where 1 = Immigration undermines Britain's cultural life and 7 = Immigration enriches Britain's cultural life.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ Don't Know



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These questions ask you to place British parties in terms of their position with respect to whether measures to protect the environment have gone too far or not far enough.

68. Please place **yourself** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

69. Please place the **Labour Party** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

70. Please place the **Conservative Party** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

71. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

72. Please place **UKIP** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

73. Please place the **Green Party** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

74. Please place the **SNP** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

75. Please place **Pŵl Cymru** on the following scale - Measures to protect the environment - where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far. Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know



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These questions ask you to place British parties in terms of their position with respect to ethnic minorities.

76. Please place **yourself** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
77. Please place the **Labour Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
78. Please place the **Conservative Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
79. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
80. Please place **UKIP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
81. Please place the **Green Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
82. Please place the **SNP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know
83. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to ethnic minorities have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.
- ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know



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These questions ask you to place British parties in terms of their position with respect to women's equality.

84. Please place **yourself** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1

☐ 2

☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

85. Please place the **Labour Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 3

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☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

86. Please place the **Conservative Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

87. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

88. Please place **UKIP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

89. Please place the **Green Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1

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☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

90. Please place the **SNP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1

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☐ 3

☐ 4

☐ 5

☐ Don't Know

91. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to women have- where 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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☐ 2

☐ 3

☐ 4


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☐ Don't Know

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These questions ask you to place British parties in terms of their position with respect to gay and lesbian equality.

92. Please place **yourself** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

93. Please place the **Labour Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

94. Please place the **Conservative Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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95. Please place the **Liberal Democrat Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

96. Please place **UKIP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

97. Please place the **Green Party** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

98. Please place the **SNP** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.


☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ Don't Know

99. Please place **Plaid Cymru** on the following scale - Attempts to give equal opportunities to gays and lesbians have 1 = Not gone nearly far enough 2 = Not gone far enough 3 = About right 4 = Gone too far 5 = Gone much too far.
Select at least 1 and no more than 1.

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