

## **BRITISH SOCIAL ATTITUDES**

**SUMMER 2001** 



## CARD A1

Married

Living as married

Separated (after being married)

Divorced

Widowed

Single (never married)

### CARD A2

**Brother** Sister Son Daughter Grandchild (daughter's child) Grandchild (son's child) None of these

## CARD B1

Education Defence Health Housing Public transport Roads Police and prisons Social security benefits Help for industry Overseas aid

## CARD B2

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## CARD C1

Very satisfied

Quite satisfied

Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied

Quite dissatisfied

Very dissatisfied

## CARD C2

Definitely would

Probably would

Probably would not

Definitely would not

## CARD C3

Much better

Better

About the same

Worse

Much worse

## CARD D1

A great deal

Quite a lot

Some

Not very much

None at all

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Increased a lot

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## CARD D6

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 

### CARD D8

Improved it a lot

Improved it a little

Made no difference

Made it a little worse

Made it a lot worse

### CARD D9

Just about always

Most of the time

Only some of the time

Almost never

## CARD D10

Agree strongly

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**Disagree strongly** 

# CARD D11

English, not British

More English than British

Equally English and British

More British than English

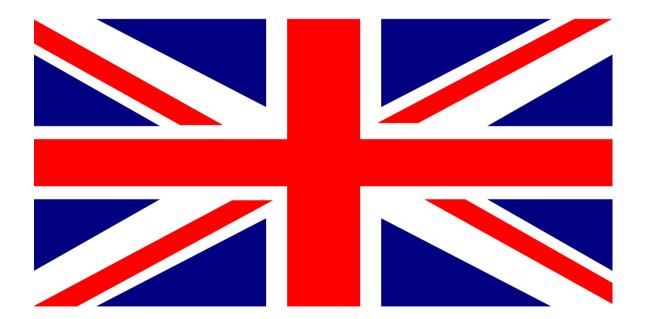
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Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

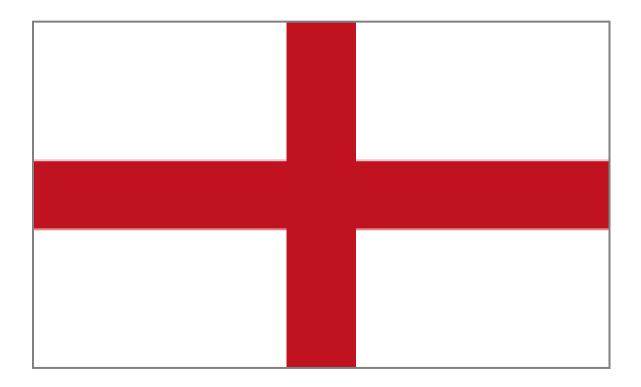
## CARD D12

Working class British Elderly A woman / A man Not religious A wife / A husband A Catholic A country person A city person A Protestant A mother / A father Middle class Black Retired Religious A working person Young White English Asian Unemployed Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)









# CARD D15

#### Scotland should:

...become independent

- separate from the UK and the European Union
- separate from the UK but part of the European Union

...remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament

- which has <u>some</u> taxation powers
- which has <u>no</u> taxation powers

...remain part of the UK without an elected parliament

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  - with its own elected assembly which has limited law-making powers <u>only</u>

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# CARD D17

Much more than its fair share of government spending

A little more than its fair share of government spending

Pretty much its fair share of government spending

- A little less than its fair share of government spending
- Much less than its fair share of government spending

## CARD D18

Very proud

Somewhat proud

Not very proud

Not at all proud

Don't think of myself in that way at all



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- In full-time education (not paid for by employer, including on vacation)
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- Permanently sick or disabled
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- Looking after the home

# CARD E2

#### Private sector firm or company

Including, for example, limited companies and PLCs

#### Nationalised industry or public corporation

Including, for example, the Post Office and the BBC

#### Other public sector employer

Including, for example:

- Central government, Civil Service, Government Agencies
- Local authority, Local Education Authority (including 'opted out' schools)
- Universities
- Health Authority/NHS hospitals/NHS Trusts/GP surgeries
- Police and Armed forces

#### **Charity/Voluntary sector**

Including, for example, charitable companies, churches and trade unions

#### Other organisation (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD E3

Much too big a gap

Too big

About right

Too small

Much too small a gap

# CARD E4

- Firm will close down
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- I will reach normal retirement age
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- I will take early retirement
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# CARD E5

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- Working is the normal thing to do
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- I enjoy working
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- Other reason (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD E7

In my job....

I only work as hard as I have to

I work hard, but not so that it interferes with the rest of my life

I make a point of doing the best I can, even if it sometimes does interfere with the rest of my life

## CARD E8

No fees

Self / family / relative

Employer / potential employer

Government-sponsored training programme (e.g. New Deal)

Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

Don't know who paid

# CARD F1

No one Any doctor or hospital Employer's health and safety officer at my workplace Directly to my employer Trade union representative Local authority Health and Safety Executive Police Solicitor Newspaper, radio or television Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD F2

Never any accidents or health damage Lack of adequate health and safety precautions Lack of training Lack of consultation with employees Corner cutting by management Corner cutting by employees Human error or carelessness Tiredness Drink or drugs Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD F3

Agree strongly

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Leave it to my employer to notice and deal with Deal with it myself Speak to my employer's health and safety officer Speak to my employer directly Speak to a trade union representative Speak to the local authority Speak to the local authority Speak to the Health and Safety Executive Speak to the police Speak to a solicitor Speak to a newspaper, radio or television Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD F5

No one

The trade union

The local authority

The Health and Safety Executive

The police

Other (PLEASE SAY WHO)

## CARD G1

Strongly in favour

In favour

Neither in favour nor against

Against

Strongly against

**Remember** – an extra 1p in the pound on income tax means around £100 more a year on average for every tax payer

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A great deal

Quite a bit

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# CARD H1

Nursery or pre-school children

Primary school children

Secondary school children

Less able children with special needs

Students at colleges or universities

# CARD H2

- More information available about individual schools
- More links between parents and schools
- More resources for buildings, books and equipment
- Better quality teachers
- Smaller class sizes
- More emphasis on exams and tests
- More emphasis on developing the child's skills and interests
- Better leadership within individual schools
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#### CARD H4

Children should go to a different kind of secondary school, according to how well they do at primary school

All children should go to the same kind of secondary school, no matter how well or badly they do at primary school

## CARD H5

All students or their families should pay towards their tuition costs while they are studying

Some students or their families should pay towards their tuition costs while they are studying, depending on their circumstances

No students or their families should pay towards their tuition costs while they are studying

## CARD H6

All students should pay back some tuition costs after they have finished studying

Some students should pay back some tuition costs after they have finished studying, depending on their circumstances

No students should pay back some tuition costs after they have finished studying

## CARD J1

British English European Irish Northern Irish Scottish Ulster Welsh Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD J2

BLACK:	of African origin of Caribbean origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
ASIAN:	of Indian origin of Pakistani origin of Bangladeshi origin of Chinese origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
WHITE:	of any European origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
MIXED ORIGIN:	PLEASE SAY WHICH
OTHER:	PLEASE SAY WHICH

## CARD J3

#### **SECTION 1:**

GCSE Grades D-G CSE Grades 2-5 GCE O-level grades D-E or 7-9 Scottish SCE Ordinary Bands D-E Scottish Standard Grades 4-7 Scottish Leaving Certificate – no grade

#### **SECTION 3:**

GCE A-level, S-level, AS-level Scottish Higher Grades Scottish Higher-Still Scottish SCE/SLC/SUPE at Higher Grade Scottish Higher School Certificate Certificate of Sixth Year Studies Northern Ireland Senior Certificate

#### **SECTION 2:**

GCSE Grades A-C CSE Grade 1 GCE O-level Grades A-C or 1-6 School Certificate or Matriculation Scottish SCE Ordinary Bands A-C or Pass Scottish Standard Grades 1-3 or Pass Scottish School Leaving Certificate Lower Grade SUPE Ordinary Northern Ireland Junior Certificate

#### **SECTION 4:**

Overseas school leaving exam or certificate



#### CARD J4

**Modern** apprenticeship **completed** Other recognised trade apprenticeship **completed** 

**RSA/OCR** (PLEASE GIVE LEVEL) Other clerical or commercial qualification

City and Guilds Certificate (PLEASE GIVE LEVEL)

BEC/TEC/ BTEC/EdExcel General/ Ordinary National Certificate (**ONC**) or Diploma (**OND**) Higher/ Higher National Certificate (**HNC**) or Diploma (**HND**)

NVQ/SVQ/GNVQ/GSVQ (PLEASE GIVE LEVEL)

Teacher Training qualification Nursing qualification Other technical or business qualification/certificate University or CNAA degree or diploma Other recognised academic or vocational qualifications (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD J5

In full-time education (not paid for by employer, including on vacation)

On government training or employment programme

In paid work (or away temporarily) for at least 10 hours in the week

Waiting to take up paid work already accepted

Unemployed and registered at a benefit office

**Unemployed and <u>not</u> registered,** but actively looking for a job (of at least 10 hours a week)

Unemployed, wanting a job (of at least 10 hours a week) but <u>not</u> actively looking for a job

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Looking after the home

## CARD J6

#### Private sector firm or company

Including, for example, limited companies and PLCs

#### Nationalised industry or public corporation

Including, for example, the Post Office and the BBC

#### Other public sector employer

Including, for example:

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- Police and Armed forces

#### **Charity/Voluntary sector**

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#### Other organisation (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

## CARD J7

State retirement pension (National Insurance) **War Pension** (War Disablement Pension or War Widow's Pension) Widow's Benefits (Widow's Pension and Widowed Mother's Allowance) Jobseeker's Allowance / Unemployment Benefit / Income Support for the Unemployed Income Support (other than for unemployment) / Minimum Income Guarantee (for pensioners) Child Benefit (formerly Family Allowance) **Child Tax Credit Childcare Tax Credit One Parent Benefit** Working Families Tax Credit / Family Credit Housing Benefit (Rent Rebate) **Council Tax Benefit** (or Rebate) Incapacity Benefit / Sickness Benefit / Invalidity Benefit **Disabled Person's Tax Credit / Disability Working Allowance Disability Living Allowance** (for people under 65) Attendance Allowance (for people aged 65+) Severe Disablement Allowance Invalid Care Allowance **Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit** Other state benefit (PLEASE SAY WHICH)

# CARD J8

Earnings from employment (own or spouse/partner's) Occupational pension(s) - from previous employer(s) State retirement or widow's pension Jobseeker's Allowance / Unemployment Benefit Income Support / Minimum Income Guarantee (for pensioners) Invalidity, sickness or disabled pension or benefit(s) Other state benefit (PLEASE SAY WHICH) Interest from savings or investments Student grant, bursary or loans Dependent on parents / other relatives Other main source of income (PLEASE SAY WHICH)

## CARD J9

State retirement pension

A company pension

A personal pension

Other savings or investments

From somewhere else (PLEASE SAY FROM WHERE)

## CARD J10

# WEEKLY income BEFORE tax

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Less than £77	
£78-£115	
£116-£154	
£155-£192	
£193-£230	
£231-£289	
£290-£346	
£347-£385	
£386-£442	
£443-£500	
£501-£558	
£559-£615	
£616-£673	
£674-£730	
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£731-£788	
£789-£845	
£846-£904	
£905-£961	
£962-£1,019	
£1,020 or more	
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# ANNUAL income BEFORE tax

	Less than £3,999
	£4,000 - £5,999
	£6,000-£7,999
	£8.000-£9.999
	£10.000-£11.999
	£12,000-£14,999
	£15.000-£17.999
	£18,000-£19,999
	£20.000-£22.999
	£23.000-£25.999
	£26,000-£28,999
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#### P2060/B

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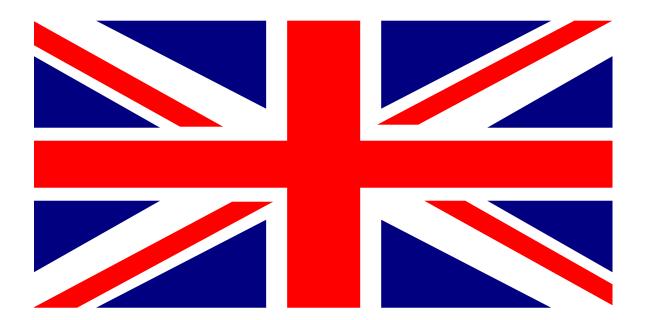
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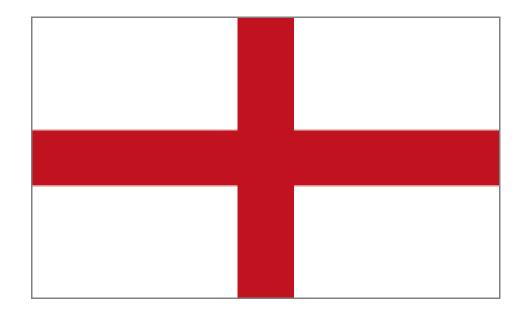
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Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 



# CARD H2

Taking heroin should be legal, without restrictions

Taking heroin should be legal, but it should only be available from licensed shops

Taking heroin should remain illegal

# CARD H3

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 



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# CARD H6

Taking ecstasy should be legal, without restrictions

Taking ecstasy should be legal, but it should only be available from licensed shops

Taking ecstasy should remain illegal

# CARD H7

Amphetamine (speed) Cannabis Cocaine (coke) Ecstasy (E) Heroin LSD (acid)

# CARD H8

Alcohol Amphetamine (speed) Cannabis Cocaine (coke) Crack cocaine Ecstasy (E) Heroin LSD (acid) Magic mushrooms Tobacco Tranquillisers and sleeping pills



### CARD H9

Definitely should

Probably should

Probably should not

Definitely should not



# CARD H10

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

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Disagree strongly

# CARD J1

British English European Irish Northern Irish Scottish Ulster Welsh Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD J2

BLACK:	of African origin of Caribbean origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
ASIAN:	of Indian origin of Pakistani origin of Bangladeshi origin of Chinese origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
WHITE:	of any European origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
MIXED ORIGIN:	PLEASE SAY WHICH
OTHER:	PLEASE SAY WHICH

# CARD J3

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#### **SECTION 4:**

Overseas school leaving exam or certificate



### CARD J4

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NVQ/SVQ/GNVQ/GSVQ (PLEASE GIVE LEVEL)

Teacher Training qualification Nursing qualification Other technical or business qualification/certificate University or CNAA degree or diploma Other recognised academic or vocational qualifications (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD J5

**In full-time education** (not paid for by employer, including on vacation)

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Permanently sick or disabled

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# CARD J6

### Private sector firm or company

Including, for example, limited companies and PLCs

### Nationalised industry or public corporation

Including, for example, the Post Office and the BBC

### Other public sector employer

Including, for example:

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- Local authority, Local Education Authority (including 'opted out' schools)
- Universities
- Health Authority/NHS hospitals/NHS Trusts/GP surgeries
- Police and Armed forces

### **Charity/Voluntary sector**

Including, for example, charitable companies, churches and trade unions

### Other organisation (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD J7

State retirement pension (National Insurance) War Pension (War Disablement Pension or War Widow's Pension) Widow's Benefits (Widow's Pension and Widowed Mother's Allowance) Jobseeker's Allowance / Unemployment Benefit / Income Support for the Unemployed Income Support (other than for unemployment) / Minimum Income Guarantee (for pensioners) **Child Benefit** (formerly Family Allowance) **Child Tax Credit** Childcare Tax Credit **One Parent Benefit** Working Families Tax Credit / Family Credit Housing Benefit (Rent Rebate) Council Tax Benefit (or Rebate) Incapacity Benefit/ Sickness Benefit / Invalidity Benefit **Disabled Person's Tax Credit / Disability Working Allowance Disability Living Allowance** (for people under 65) Attendance Allowance (for people aged 65+) Severe Disablement Allowance Invalid Care Allowance Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit Other state benefit (PLEASE SAY WHICH)

# CARD J8

Earnings from employment (own or spouse/partner's) Occupational pension(s) - from previous employer(s) State retirement or widow's pension Jobseeker's Allowance/ Unemployment Benefit Income Support / Minimum Income Guarantee (for pensioners) Invalidity, sickness or disabled pension or benefit(s) Other state benefit (PLEASE SAY WHICH) Interest from savings or investments Student grant, bursary or loans Dependent on parents/other relatives Other main source of income (PLEASE SAY WHICH)

# CARD J9

State retirement pension

A company pension

A personal pension

Other savings or investments

From somewhere else (PLEASE SAY FROM WHERE)

## CARD J10

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£443-£500	
£501-£558	
£559-£615	
£616-£673	
£674-£730	
£731-£788	
£789-£845	
£846-£904	
£905-£961	
£962-£1,019	
£1,020 or more	

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	£41,000-£43,999
	£44,000-£46,999
	£47,000-£49,999
	£50,000-£52,999
	£53,000 or more
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# CARD A1

Married

Living as married

Separated (after being married)

Divorced

Widowed

Single (never married)

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# CARD A2

**Brother** Sister Son Daughter Grandchild (daughter's child) Grandchild (son's child) None of these

### P2060/C

# CARD B1

Education Defence Health Housing **Public transport** Roads Police and prisons Social security benefits Help for industry Overseas aid



**Retirement pensions** 

Child benefits

Benefits for the unemployed

Benefits for disabled people

Benefits for single parents



Reduce taxes and spend <u>less</u> on health, education and social benefits

Keep taxes and spending on these services at the <u>same</u> level as now

Increase taxes and spend <u>more</u> on health, education and social benefits



Mainly the government

Mainly a person's employer

Mainly a person themselves and their family



Mainly the government

Mainly a person themselves and their family



Living comfortably on present income

Coping on present income

Finding it difficult on present income

Finding it very difficult on present income

## CARD D1

A great deal

Quite a lot

Some

Not very much

None at all

## CARD D2

Increased a lot

Increased a little

Stayed the same

Fallen a little

Fallen a lot



Maintain order in the nation

Give people more say in government decisions

Fight rising prices

Protect freedom of speech

## CARD D4

## Britain's long-term policy should be ...

To leave the European Union

To stay in the EU and try to <u>reduce</u> the EU's powers

To leave things as they are

To stay in the EU and try to increase the EU's powers

To work for the formation of a single European government



Works extremely well and could not be improved

Could be improved in small ways but mainly works well

Could be improved quite a lot

Needs a great deal of improvement

### CARD D6

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 

## CARD D7

Just about always

Most of the time

Only some of the time

Almost never

### CARD D8

Improved it a lot

Improved it a little

Made no difference

Made it a little worse

Made it a lot worse

#### CARD D9

Just about always

Most of the time

Only some of the time

Almost never

## CARD D10

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 

# CARD D11

English, not British

More English than British

Equally English and British

More British than English

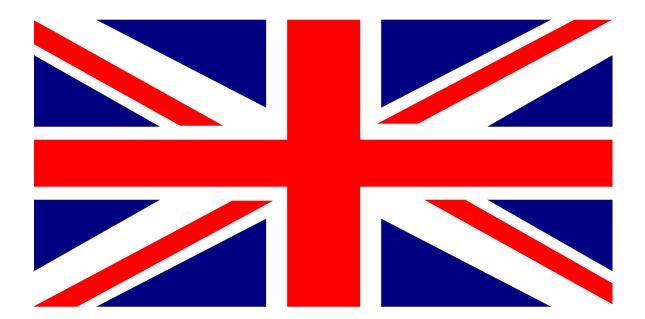
British, not English

Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

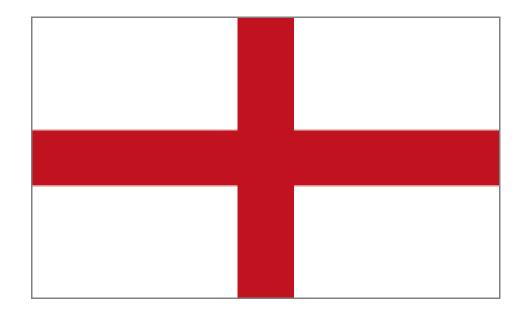
## CARD D12

Working class British Elderly A woman / A man Not religious A wife / A husband A Catholic A country person A city person A Protestant A mother / A father Middle class Black Retired Religious A working person Young White English Asian Unemployed Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)









# CARD D15

#### Scotland should:

...become independent

- separate from the UK and the European Union
- separate from the UK but part of the European Union

...remain part of the UK, with its own elected parliament

- which has <u>some</u> taxation powers
- which has <u>no</u> taxation powers

...remain part of the UK without an elected parliament

# CARD D16

#### Wales should:

...become independent

- separate from the UK and the European Union
- separate from the UK but part of the European Union
- ...remain part of the UK
  - with its own elected parliament which has lawmaking and taxation powers
  - with its own elected assembly which has limited law-making powers <u>only</u>

...remain part of the UK without an elected assembly

# CARD D17

Much more than its fair share of government spending

- A little more than its fair share of government spending
- Pretty much its fair share of government spending
- A little less than its fair share of government spending
- Much less than its fair share of government spending

## CARD D18

Very proud

Somewhat proud

Not very proud

Not at all proud

Don't think of myself in that way at all



England to be governed as it is now, with laws made by the UK parliament

Each region of England to have its own assembly that runs services like health

England as a whole to have its own new parliament with law-making powers



English regional chambers or assemblies

The UK government at Westminster

Local councils in England

The European Union



English regional chambers or assemblies

A new English parliament

The UK government at Westminster

Local councils in England

The European Union

# CARD E1

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# CARD E2

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## CARD E3

Much too big a gap

Too big

About right

Too small

Much too small a gap

# CARD E4

- Firm will close down
- I will be declared redundant
- I will reach normal retirement age
- My contract of employment will expire
- I will take early retirement
- I will decide to leave and work for another employer
- I will decide to leave and work for myself, as self-employed
- I will leave to look after home, children or relative
- Other reason (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD E5

#### Unions or staff associations should try to:

- Improve working conditions
- Improve pay
- Protect existing jobs
- Have more say over how work is done day-to-day
- Have more say over management's long-term plans
- Work for equal opportunities for women
- Work for equal opportunities for ethnic minorities
- Reduce pay differences at the workplace

# CARD E6

- Working is the normal thing to do
- Need money for basic essentials such as food, rent, or mortgage
- To earn money to buy extras
- To earn money of my own
- For the company of other people
- I enjoy working
- To follow my career
- For a change from my children or housework
- Other reason (PLEASE SAY WHAT)



# CARD E7

In my job....

I only work as hard as I have to

I work hard, but not so that it interferes with the rest of my life

I make a point of doing the best I can, even if it sometimes does interfere with the rest of my life



## CARD E8

No fees

Self / family / relative

Employer / potential employer

Government-sponsored training programme (e.g. New

Deal)

Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

Don't know who paid

# CARD F1

No one Any doctor or hospital Employer's health and safety officer at my workplace Directly to my employer Trade union representative Local authority Health and Safety Executive Police Solicitor Newspaper, radio or television Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD F2

Never any accidents or health damage Lack of adequate health and safety precautions Lack of training Lack of consultation with employees Corner cutting by management Corner cutting by employees Human error or carelessness Tiredness Drink or drugs Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD F3

Agree strongly

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Disagree

**Disagree strongly** 

# CARD F4

Leave it to my employer to notice and deal with Deal with it myself Speak to my employer's health and safety officer Speak to my employer directly Speak to a trade union representative Speak to the local authority Speak to the Health and Safety Executive Speak to the police Speak to a solicitor Speak to a newspaper, radio or television Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD F5

No one

The trade union

The local authority

The Health and Safety Executive

The police

Other (PLEASE SAY WHO)

# CARD G1

Strongly in favour

In favour

Neither in favour nor against

Against

Strongly against

**Remember** – an extra 1p in the pound on income tax means around £100 more a year on average for every tax payer

## CARD G2

A great deal

Quite a bit

Not much

Not at all

# CARD G3

Strongly in favour

In favour

Neither in favour nor against

Against

Strongly against

**Remember** – an extra 3p in the pound on income tax means around £300 more a year on average for every tax payer

### CARD G4

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Not at all

# CARD G5

Education Defence Health Housing Public transport Roads Police and prisons Social security benefits Help for industry Overseas aid

# CARD G6

**Retirement pensions** 

Child benefits

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### CARD G7

Car

Coach

Train

Aeroplane

# CARD H1

A very serious problem

A serious problem

Not a very serious problem

Not a problem at all

### CARD H2

Might use car even more

Might use car a little less

Might use car quite a bit less

Might give up using car

It would make no difference



### CARD H3

# Charging motorists £2 for entering town centres at peak times <u>and</u> greatly improving the reliability of local public transport

Might use car even more Might use car a little less Might use car quite a bit less Might give up using car It would make no difference



### CARD H4

### Charging motorists £1 for every 50 miles on motorways <u>and</u> greatly improving long distance rail and coach services

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# CARD H5

Every day or nearly every day

2-5 days a week

Once a week

Less often but at least once a month

Less often than that

Never nowadays

### CARD H6

Not at all inconvenient

Not very inconvenient

Fairly inconvenient

Very inconvenient

# CARD J1

British English European Irish Northern Irish Scottish Ulster Welsh Other (PLEASE SAY WHAT)

# CARD J2

BLACK:	of African origin of Caribbean origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
ASIAN:	of Indian origin of Pakistani origin of Bangladeshi origin of Chinese origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
WHITE:	of any European origin of other origin (PLEASE SAY WHICH)
MIXED ORIGIN:	PLEASE SAY WHICH
OTHER:	PLEASE SAY WHICH

# CARD J3

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GCE A-level, S-level, AS-level Scottish Higher Grades Scottish Higher-Still Scottish SCE/SLC/SUPE at Higher Grade Scottish Higher School Certificate Certificate of Sixth Year Studies Northern Ireland Senior Certificate

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GCSE Grades A-C CSE Grade 1 GCE O-level Grades A-C or 1-6 School Certificate or Matriculation Scottish SCE Ordinary Bands A-C or Pass Scottish Standard Grades 1-3 or Pass Scottish School Leaving Certificate Lower Grade SUPE Ordinary Northern Ireland Junior Certificate

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