

Transport Noise Survey

CATI Fieldwork : May 1st-4th 2009

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1
Q.1 Are you annoyed or disturbed by traffic noise in any of the following locations?
Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
While walking in your neighbourhood	146 15%	72 15%	74 14%	20 17%	25 16%	24 12%	28 17%	21 14%	28 14%	38 14%	39 13%	25 12%	45 19%	45 17%	43 16%	29 12%	21 15%	8 10%
While enjoying outdoor leisure activities	144 14%	72 15%	72 14%	20 17%	19 12%	23 12%	35 20%	21 14%	26 13%	31 12%	49 17%	25 12%	40 17%	49 19%	37 14%	25 10%	24 17%	9 10%
In your garden/ balcony	124 12%	58 12%	66 13%	15 12%	18 11%	23 12%	27 16%	21 14%	20 10%	34 13%	29 10%	27 13%	33 14%	43 16%	37 14%	23 9%	15 11%	5 5%
Inside your home	114 11%	55 11%	59 11%	19 16%	21 13%	22 11%	23 14%	13 9%	17 8%	26 10%	35 12%	26 12%	27 11%	49 19%	31 12%	22 9%	7 5%	4 4%
At place of work or study	77 8%	38 8%	40 8%	16 14%	17 11%	18 9%	10 6%	7 5%	7 4%	25 10%	23 8%	17 8%	12 5%	28 11%	17 6%	18 7%	8 6%	6 7%
None of these	725 72%	351 73%	374 72%	77 65%	110 69%	154 78%	117 70%	110 74%	157 75%	189 72%	218 75%	155 74%	164 68%	176 67%	190 72%	188 76%	101 71%	71 80%
Don't know	3 *	1 *	2 *	- -	1 1%	- -	* *	- -	1 1%	* *	1 *	1 1%	- -	1 *	* *	1 1%	- -	- -

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Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
While walking in your neighbourhood	146 15%	4 9%	13 15%	11 14%	10 11%	19 14%	26 21%	12 13%	10 19%	22 23%	12 11%	8 10%
While enjoying outdoor leisure activities	144 14%	5 11%	10 11%	13 17%	6 6%	22 16%	27 21%	12 14%	12 22%	18 20%	10 9%	9 10%
In your garden/ balcony	124 12%	3 7%	9 10%	9 12%	8 9%	18 13%	26 20%	11 12%	4 8%	20 22%	11 10%	5 5%
Inside your home	114 11%	4 8%	11 13%	7 10%	3 3%	23 17%	27 21%	4 4%	3 7%	21 22%	8 7%	4 4%
At place of work or study	77 8%	6 14%	4 4%	3 4%	5 6%	9 7%	19 15%	8 9%	- -	9 9%	8 7%	6 7%
None of these	725 72%	35 78%	60 70%	58 77%	74 81%	96 71%	80 63%	65 73%	36 69%	57 61%	92 79%	71 80%
Don't know	3 *	- -	1 2%	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	* *	- -	- -

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Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
While walking in your neighbourhood	146 15%	42 20%	67 16%	30 10%	8 9%	43 13%	55 14%	27 21%	15 17%	1 14%	6 14%	63 14%	11 9%	71 17%	39 13%	104 15%
While enjoying outdoor leisure activities	144 14%	37 18%	65 16%	33 11%	9 10%	50 15%	53 14%	18 14%	11 13%	1 14%	9 21%	63 14%	12 10%	68 16%	38 13%	102 15%
In your garden/ balcony	124 12%	29 14%	51 12%	35 12%	9 10%	41 13%	46 12%	17 13%	12 15%	-	5 13%	58 13%	14 11%	51 12%	32 11%	90 13%
Inside your home	114 11%	26 12%	50 12%	27 9%	11 13%	29 9%	49 13%	19 15%	12 14%	-	3 7%	57 13%	12 10%	45 11%	33 11%	79 12%
At place of work or study	77 8%	19 9%	26 6%	21 7%	11 13%	14 4%	30 8%	11 9%	12 14%	1 14%	7 18%	41 9%	10 9%	26 6%	22 7%	54 8%
None of these	725 72%	133 64%	301 72%	226 78%	65 72%	243 74%	283 73%	85 66%	55 65%	4 62%	31 74%	330 73%	89 74%	293 71%	233 77%	476 70%
Don't know	3 *	1 1%	* *	1 1%	- -	1 *	* *	- -	- -	1 24%	-	1 *	* *	1 *	* *	3 *

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Table 2

Q.2 Do you think the amount of traffic noise that you regularly hear nowadays has increased, decreased or remained about the same as it was 5 years ago?
Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
NET: Increased	590	275	316	53	77	100	101	102	157	147	162	131	150	156	154	147	90	45
	59%	57%	61%	45%	48%	50%	60%	69%	75%	56%	56%	62%	63%	59%	58%	59%	64%	51%
Increased a lot	(+2) 361	151	209	26	40	53	64	70	108	87	96	71	106	97	90	85	62	28
	36%	31%	40%	22%	25%	27%	38%	47%	52%	34%	33%	34%	44%	37%	34%	34%	44%	31%
Increased a little	(+1) 230	123	107	27	37	47	37	32	50	60	66	60	44	59	64	62	28	17
	23%	26%	20%	23%	23%	24%	22%	22%	24%	23%	23%	29%	18%	22%	24%	25%	20%	19%
Remained about the same	(0) 357	176	182	56	72	88	59	39	42	103	115	72	66	90	93	88	46	40
	36%	37%	35%	47%	46%	44%	35%	26%	20%	40%	40%	34%	28%	34%	35%	36%	32%	46%
Decreased a little	(-1) 29	19	10	6	7	6	3	3	4	6	9	2	12	10	10	5	2	2
	3%	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	5%	4%	4%	2%	2%	3%
Decreased a lot	(-2) 16	9	7	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	3	3	7	3	5	5	2	1
	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%
NET: Decreased	45	28	17	8	9	9	7	6	5	8	12	6	19	13	15	9	4	4
	5%	6%	3%	7%	6%	5%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	8%	5%	6%	4%	3%	4%
Don't know	9	3	6	1	-	1	1	1	4	2	1	1	5	4	1	3	1	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*	*	2%	1%	*	1%	1%	-
Mean	0.90	0.81	0.97	0.58	0.66	0.72	0.93	1.10	1.26	0.87	0.83	0.92	0.98	0.91	0.85	0.89	1.03	0.77
Standard deviation	0.99	0.99	0.98	0.95	0.96	0.95	1.00	1.01	0.91	0.95	0.97	0.94	1.10	0.99	1.00	0.98	0.99	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.10

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Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
NET: Increased	590 59%	27 59%	51 59%	45 59%	49 53%	80 59%	75 59%	53 59%	37 71%	60 64%	70 60%	45 51%
Increased a lot	(+2) 361 36%	10 22%	28 33%	28 37%	22 24%	53 39%	44 34%	37 41%	25 47%	40 42%	47 40%	28 31%
Increased a little	(+1) 230 23%	17 37%	22 26%	17 22%	26 29%	27 20%	32 25%	16 18%	12 23%	21 22%	23 20%	17 19%
Remained about the same	(0) 357 36%	17 38%	30 34%	26 34%	38 41%	49 36%	42 33%	30 34%	15 29%	29 31%	42 36%	40 46%
Decreased a little	(-1) 29 3%	1 1%	3 3%	3 4%	4 4%	3 2%	7 5%	2 2%	- -	3 3%	1 1%	2 3%
Decreased a lot	(-2) 16 2%	- -	2 3%	1 2%	1 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 3%	- -	3 3%	3 2%	1 1%
NET: Decreased	45 5%	1 1%	5 6%	5 6%	5 6%	4 3%	8 6%	4 5%	- -	5 6%	4 4%	4 4%
Don't know	9 1%	1 2%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	2 2%	1 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	- -
Mean	0.90	0.81	0.85	0.89	0.70	0.95	0.87	0.95	1.18	0.97	0.95	0.77
Standard deviation	0.99	0.80	1.01	1.02	0.93	0.98	1.00	1.06	0.86	1.05	1.01	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.12	0.11	0.12	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.11	0.12	0.11	0.09	0.10

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NET: Increased	590	121	250	173	47	217	219	76	38	4	22	236	68	275	154	419	
	59%	58%	60%	60%	53%	66%	57%	59%	45%	60%	53%	52%	57%	66%	51%	62%	
Increased a lot	(+2)	361	85	157	87	31	141	116	52	28	1	17	120	41	194	95	256
		36%	41%	38%	30%	35%	43%	30%	40%	33%	14%	41%	27%	34%	47%	31%	38%
Increased a little	(+1)	230	36	92	86	16	76	103	24	10	3	5	117	27	80	59	163
		23%	17%	22%	30%	18%	23%	27%	19%	12%	46%	12%	26%	23%	19%	20%	24%
Remained about the same	(0)	357	67	143	109	39	99	153	41	37	2	15	193	46	115	135	220
		36%	32%	34%	38%	44%	30%	39%	32%	44%	40%	37%	43%	38%	28%	44%	33%
Decreased a little	(-1)	29	10	14	2	3	4	10	8	5	-	1	14	3	12	10	19
		3%	5%	3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	6%	6%	-	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%
Decreased a lot	(-2)	16	6	6	4	-	3	5	4	2	-	2	7	2	7	3	13
		2%	3%	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	3%	2%	-	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
NET: Decreased		45	16	21	6	3	7	15	12	7	-	3	21	5	19	13	32
		5%	8%	5%	2%	3%	2%	4%	10%	8%	-	7%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%
Don't know		9	5	4	1	-	4	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	6	2	6
		1%	2%	1%	*	-	1%	-	-	3%	-	4%	*	1%	2%	1%	1%
Mean		0.90	0.90	0.92	0.87	0.85	1.07	0.81	0.86	0.70	0.75	0.85	0.73	0.86	1.08	0.77	0.94
Standard deviation		0.99	1.10	1.00	0.91	0.95	0.94	0.94	1.12	1.08	0.76	1.15	0.94	0.98	1.01	0.97	1.00
Standard error		0.03	0.08	0.05	0.05	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.12	0.11	0.27	0.16	0.05	0.09	0.05	0.06	0.04

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Q.3 Which aspect of noise from traffic that you hear when at home most disturbs or annoys you? (First Mention)

Base: All respondents who suffer from traffic noise at home

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	152	75	77	14	20	26	39	22	31	49	35	25	43	55	44	30	16	7
Weighted base	158	74	84	25	24	26	33	21	28	38	42	34	44	55	48	32	16	7
Motorbikes or scooters	27 17%	8 11%	19 22%	8 33%	4 18%	3 12%	6 18%	2 8%	4 13%	6 16%	10 23%	6 18%	5 12%	9 17%	6 12%	8 24%	3 21%	1 19%
Loud noise from in-car stereos	25 16%	12 16%	13 15%	3 10%	4 16%	5 20%	7 22%	2 11%	3 12%	3 7%	5 11%	5 14%	13 29%	9 16%	9 18%	5 17%	2 11%	-
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	24 15%	10 14%	14 17%	5 21%	5 21%	2 10%	3 10%	4 21%	4 13%	7 18%	7 18%	6 18%	4 10%	12 22%	8 17%	3 10%	1 4%	1 10%
Engine noise	23 15%	11 15%	12 14%	6 22%	-	4 15%	4 12%	4 17%	6 23%	3 9%	7 17%	4 10%	9 20%	5 10%	6 13%	7 23%	3 18%	1 16%
General road/ tyre noise	16 10%	9 12%	8 9%	1 4%	1 4%	5 20%	4 13%	1 5%	4 13%	5 13%	6 14%	2 5%	4 10%	5 9%	6 13%	3 9%	1 5%	2 26%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	14 9%	6 8%	8 10%	1 5%	6 23%	2 8%	1 2%	3 14%	1 3%	4 9%	4 9%	4 12%	2 5%	6 11%	2 4%	1 2%	4 24%	1 20%
Loud exhausts	11 7%	10 13%	1 1%	-	2 9%	1 4%	-	4 13%	2 10%	1 3%	4 9%	1 2%	4 12%	2 5%	5 11%	1 3%	2 13%	1 9%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	8 5%	3 3%	6 7%	1 4%	1 6%	1 3%	-	2 11%	3 9%	2 5%	-	4 12%	2 5%	2 3%	5 10%	2 5%	-	-
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	4 2%	3 4%	1 1%	-	1 3%	-	2 5%	1 2%	1 3%	2 4%	1 2%	-	1 3%	1 3%	-	2 6%	-	-
Don't know	6 4%	3 4%	3 4%	-	-	2 9%	2 5%	-	2 8%	4 10%	1 4%	-	1 2%	4 7%	1 2%	1 2%	1 5%	-

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Q.3 Which aspect of noise from traffic that you hear when at home most disturbs or annoys you? (First Mention)**Base: All respondents who suffer from traffic noise at home**

	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	152	4	13	13	9	23	32	11	5	22	13	7
Weighted base	158	5	14	12	8	24	31	11	4	27	13	7
Motorbikes or scooters	27 17%	-	5 35%	3 26%	* 5%	4 15%	6 18%	2 19%	1 24%	2 8%	3 20%	1 19%
Loud noise from in-car stereos	25 16%	2 31%	2 13%	-	3 32%	6 26%	3 8%	2 15%	-	6 22%	2 15%	-
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	24 15%	-	1 6%	3 25%	1 13%	5 22%	7 22%	-	1 14%	4 14%	2 18%	1 10%
Engine noise	23 15%	1 20%	3 20%	2 12%	1 10%	2 9%	3 11%	3 25%	-	4 15%	3 27%	1 16%
General road/ tyre noise	16 10%	-	2 12%	2 19%	2 19%	2 7%	3 11%	-	1 17%	2 8%	1 8%	2 26%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	14 9%	-	1 5%	-	-	3 12%	3 9%	4 33%	-	2 7%	-	1 20%
Loud exhausts	11 7%	1 19%	-	2 18%	1 9%	1 4%	1 3%	-	2 45%	2 8%	-	1 9%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	8 5%	2 29%	-	-	-	-	2 6%	-	-	5 18%	-	-
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	4 2%	-	1 9%	-	-	1 3%	1 2%	-	-	-	1 6%	-
Don't know	6 4%	-	-	-	1 12%	1 3%	3 10%	1 7%	-	-	1 6%	-

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Base: All respondents who suffer from traffic noise at home

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	152	31	75	38	8	55	52	16	18	8	64	17	69	42	106
Weighted base	158	43	64	39	12	49	56	29	14	7	72	16	70	42	112
Motorbikes or scooters	27	6	9	9	3	5	11	5	2	2	12	6	9	7	18
	17%	14%	14%	24%	22%	11%	19%	19%	17%	30%	17%	40%	12%	17%	16%
Loud noise from in-car stereos	25	10	8	5	1	7	7	8	1	-	7	2	15	9	15
	16%	24%	13%	14%	6%	15%	13%	29%	10%	-	10%	13%	21%	22%	13%
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	24	5	11	4	4	5	14	1	3	1	13	2	9	5	19
	15%	12%	17%	11%	35%	11%	25%	5%	20%	12%	18%	16%	13%	12%	17%
Engine noise	23	8	8	6	1	7	5	6	2	1	6	1	16	7	16
	15%	19%	13%	16%	6%	15%	10%	22%	13%	20%	8%	8%	22%	16%	14%
General road/ tyre noise	16	5	7	4	-	6	6	1	2	1	7	3	7	5	11
	10%	11%	12%	11%	-	13%	11%	4%	13%	10%	10%	17%	9%	13%	10%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	14	2	7	3	2	5	2	2	3	1	9	1	4	2	12
	9%	5%	10%	7%	18%	11%	4%	8%	18%	19%	12%	7%	5%	5%	10%
Loud exhausts	11	1	5	4	-	4	6	-	1	-	10	-	1	3	8
	7%	2%	8%	11%	-	9%	10%	-	4%	-	13%	-	1%	6%	7%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	8	4	2	2	-	3	-	4	1	-	2	-	6	1	7
	5%	10%	4%	4%	-	7%	-	14%	6%	-	3%	-	8%	3%	6%
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	4	2	2	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	1	-	3	1	3
	2%	4%	3%	-	-	4%	1%	-	-	9%	1%	-	4%	2%	2%
Don't know	6	-	4	1	1	2	4	-	-	-	5	-	1	1	4
	4%	-	6%	2%	12%	4%	7%	-	-	-	7%	-	2%	4%	3%

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Table 4

Q.3 Which aspects of noise from traffic that you hear when at home disturbs or annoys you? (Total Mentions)

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	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	152	75	77	14	20	26	39	22	31	49	35	25	43	55	44	30	16	7
Weighted base	158	74	84	25	24	26	33	21	28	38	42	34	44	55	48	32	16	7
Loud noise from in-car stereos	81 51%	29 39%	52 62%	15 58%	10 39%	16 64%	17 52%	9 43%	13 48%	16 41%	26 62%	11 32%	28 64%	31 56%	23 48%	19 58%	6 38%	2 28%
Engine noise	70 45%	35 47%	36 43%	13 53%	6 27%	16 63%	14 42%	10 48%	10 35%	17 43%	21 51%	14 42%	18 42%	25 46%	23 48%	13 40%	5 35%	4 55%
Loud exhausts	69 44%	32 43%	37 44%	15 59%	13 54%	12 48%	9 45%	6 26%	8 28%	17 44%	19 46%	15 46%	17 39%	29 54%	26 54%	7 21%	5 30%	2 28%
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	67 43%	28 38%	39 47%	13 52%	11 45%	12 47%	9 29%	10 45%	12 43%	16 41%	23 56%	12 37%	16 35%	28 51%	18 38%	13 42%	4 24%	4 52%
Motorbikes or scooters	65 41%	28 38%	37 44%	15 59%	9 38%	9 34%	12 35%	8 39%	12 43%	13 35%	22 54%	12 37%	17 38%	22 41%	22 46%	13 39%	7 42%	1 19%
General road/tyre noise	64 41%	37 50%	27 33%	12 46%	6 24%	14 56%	13 39%	8 38%	11 40%	15 39%	20 47%	12 37%	17 40%	22 40%	23 49%	12 38%	4 28%	3 36%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	57 36%	21 28%	36 43%	10 39%	10 42%	12 45%	12 36%	7 35%	6 21%	12 30%	23 55%	9 27%	13 30%	23 43%	15 32%	10 31%	4 29%	3 48%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	43 27%	17 23%	25 31%	11 42%	4 15%	7 28%	7 23%	8 36%	6 22%	7 17%	13 32%	13 38%	10 23%	16 30%	16 34%	6 20%	3 22%	-
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	31 19%	8 11%	23 27%	8 33%	4 16%	3 13%	8 24%	3 16%	4 14%	10 25%	9 21%	3 8%	9 21%	12 21%	11 23%	5 14%	3 18%	1 9%
Don't know	6 4%	3 4%	3 4%	-	-	2 9%	2 5%	-	2 8%	4 10%	1 4%	-	1 2%	4 7%	1 2%	1 2%	1 5%	-

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Table 4

Q.3 Which aspects of noise from traffic that you hear when at home disturbs or annoys you? (Total Mentions)**Base: All respondents who suffer from traffic noise at home**

	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	152	4	13	13	9	23	32	11	5	22	13	7
Weighted base	158	5	14	12	8	24	31	11	4	27	13	7
Loud noise from in-car stereos	81 51%	3 61%	11 74%	5 41%	6 69%	15 63%	16 51%	5 41%	1 31%	12 44%	5 40%	2 28%
Engine noise	70 45%	4 81%	4 28%	5 42%	4 47%	9 38%	16 52%	5 42%	1 17%	14 50%	5 38%	4 55%
Loud exhausts	69 44%	3 51%	1 7%	8 62%	4 52%	13 54%	16 54%	1 8%	4 86%	14 51%	3 25%	2 28%
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	67 43%	2 29%	7 50%	4 30%	5 65%	12 50%	16 52%	2 21%	1 31%	9 34%	5 37%	4 52%
Motorbikes or scooters	65 41%	1 19%	8 54%	10 78%	3 34%	10 41%	12 41%	5 43%	2 41%	10 35%	4 31%	1 19%
General road/tyre noise	64 41%	2 39%	3 23%	6 45%	5 62%	10 42%	12 38%	3 27%	1 31%	13 46%	7 53%	3 36%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	57 36%	2 31%	5 33%	3 27%	4 47%	11 45%	12 41%	4 33%	1 17%	8 30%	4 30%	3 48%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	43 27%	2 29%	1 8%	5 40%	3 38%	5 20%	12 38%	2 15%	2 40%	8 30%	4 29%	- -
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	31 19%	- -	1 9%	3 26%	2 28%	7 27%	5 16%	1 10%	2 39%	6 21%	3 25%	1 9%
Don't know	6 4%	- -	- -	- -	1 12%	1 3%	3 10%	1 7%	- -	- -	1 6%	- -

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Table 4

Q.3 Which aspects of noise from traffic that you hear when at home disturbs or annoys you? (Total Mentions)

Base: All respondents who suffer from traffic noise at home

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	152	31	75	38	8	55	52	16	18	8	64	17	69	42	106
Weighted base	158	43	64	39	12	49	56	29	14	7	72	16	70	42	112
Loud noise from in-car stereos	81 51%	30 69%	27 43%	19 50%	4 35%	21 43%	27 48%	20 69%	6 42%	4 60%	33 46%	7 48%	39 56%	25 58%	53 48%
Engine noise	70 45%	16 37%	27 42%	22 56%	6 53%	20 42%	25 44%	13 44%	7 45%	4 50%	32 45%	8 52%	29 42%	19 45%	49 43%
Loud exhausts	69 44%	16 37%	27 41%	18 47%	8 69%	17 34%	28 50%	10 37%	8 54%	4 60%	34 47%	8 50%	27 39%	15 35%	53 47%
Heavy vehicles e.g. lorries or buses	67 43%	18 41%	27 42%	18 47%	4 35%	18 38%	25 45%	11 37%	9 61%	3 42%	32 44%	7 43%	29 42%	17 41%	48 43%
Motorbikes or scooters	65 41%	13 30%	28 44%	16 42%	8 63%	20 41%	23 41%	12 41%	6 39%	3 40%	27 38%	11 71%	27 38%	15 36%	48 43%
General road/tyre noise	64 41%	18 42%	26 41%	16 42%	3 29%	20 42%	25 45%	9 31%	5 34%	3 36%	28 39%	8 48%	27 39%	16 38%	46 41%
Heavy breaking or accelerating	57 36%	19 45%	19 30%	14 36%	4 35%	14 28%	18 31%	13 46%	7 50%	4 55%	31 43%	5 31%	21 31%	14 33%	42 37%
Drivers sounding their vehicle horns	43 27%	11 26%	18 28%	11 27%	3 23%	11 23%	16 28%	8 28%	3 23%	2 31%	14 20%	7 47%	20 29%	10 24%	31 27%
Bangs, crashes, rattles from loose vehicle parts or loads	31 19%	6 13%	12 18%	11 29%	2 18%	9 18%	12 21%	6 22%	2 12%	1 16%	12 16%	3 20%	16 23%	7 16%	23 20%
Don't know	6 4%	-	4 6%	1 2%	1 12%	2 4%	4 7%	-	-	-	5 7%	-	1 2%	1 4%	4 3%

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Table 5
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you stress?
Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
NET: Often	83 8%	35 7%	49 9%	10 8%	16 10%	13 7%	14 9%	13 9%	16 8%	17 7%	24 8%	15 7%	26 11%	29 11%	23 9%	18 7%	12 8%	1 2%
Very often	(3) 29 3%	13 3%	16 3%	4 3%	4 2%	3 2%	6 3%	5 3%	8 4%	5 2%	4 1%	9 4%	12 5%	10 4%	8 3%	9 3%	3 2%	-
Fairly often	(2) 54 5%	22 5%	32 6%	6 5%	13 8%	10 5%	9 5%	9 6%	8 4%	13 5%	21 7%	6 3%	15 6%	19 7%	15 6%	9 4%	9 7%	1 2%
Not very often	(1) 231 23%	99 21%	132 25%	22 18%	41 26%	44 22%	44 26%	35 23%	46 22%	71 27%	64 22%	47 23%	49 20%	66 25%	61 23%	63 25%	28 20%	13 15%
Not at all	(0) 686 68%	346 72%	340 65%	88 74%	101 64%	141 71%	110 65%	101 68%	145 70%	171 66%	202 70%	148 70%	165 68%	166 63%	178 68%	167 67%	102 72%	73 83%
NET: Not often/ at all	918 92%	446 93%	472 91%	109 92%	142 90%	185 93%	154 91%	135 91%	192 92%	242 93%	266 92%	196 93%	214 89%	233 89%	239 91%	229 93%	129 92%	87 98%
Don't know	1 *	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	1 *	-	1 *	1 *	-	-	1 *	1 1%	-	-	-	-
Mean	0.43	0.38	0.47	0.37	0.49	0.37	0.47	0.44	0.42	0.43	0.40	0.41	0.47	0.51	0.44	0.43	0.38	0.18
Standard deviation	0.73	0.70	0.75	0.73	0.75	0.66	0.75	0.74	0.75	0.68	0.68	0.74	0.82	0.79	0.74	0.73	0.70	0.43
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05

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Table 5
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you stress?
Base: All respondents

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
NET: Often	83 8%	2 5%	7 8%	6 8%	5 6%	16 11%	13 10%	8 9%	4 7%	12 13%	9 8%	1 2%
Very often	(3) 29 3%	1 2%	2 2%	2 2%	1 1%	3 2%	7 5%	2 2%	1 2%	6 6%	6 5%	- -
Fairly often	(2) 54 5%	1 2%	5 6%	4 5%	4 5%	13 9%	6 5%	6 7%	3 5%	6 7%	3 3%	1 2%
Not very often	(1) 231 23%	11 25%	21 25%	14 19%	21 23%	27 20%	39 31%	19 22%	8 16%	26 27%	30 26%	13 15%
Not at all	(0) 686 68%	32 70%	58 67%	56 74%	66 71%	92 68%	74 58%	62 69%	40 76%	56 60%	77 66%	73 83%
NET: Not often/ at all	918 92%	43 95%	79 92%	70 92%	87 94%	119 88%	113 89%	81 91%	48 93%	82 87%	107 92%	87 98%
Don't know	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Mean	0.43	0.37	0.43	0.37	0.35	0.46	0.57	0.42	0.33	0.59	0.46	0.18
Standard deviation	0.73	0.65	0.70	0.70	0.62	0.75	0.82	0.71	0.68	0.87	0.78	0.43
Standard error	0.02	0.10	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.07	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.05

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Table 5
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you stress?
Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
NET: Often	83 8%	19 9%	42 10%	17 6%	6 6%	20 6%	35 9%	15 11%	9 10%	-	4 9%	30 7%	8 7%	44 11%	21 7%	60 9%
Very often	(3) 29 3%	10 5%	14 3%	3 1%	3 3%	7 2%	11 3%	5 4%	4 5%	-	2 5%	8 2%	3 3%	18 4%	6 2%	24 3%
Fairly often	(2) 54 5%	9 4%	28 7%	14 5%	3 3%	14 4%	23 6%	9 7%	5 5%	-	2 5%	22 5%	5 4%	26 6%	16 5%	37 5%
Not very often	(1) 231 23%	59 28%	88 21%	68 24%	16 18%	78 24%	87 22%	35 27%	16 19%	3 40%	9 22%	112 25%	30 25%	88 21%	66 22%	160 24%
Not at all	(0) 686 68%	130 63%	286 69%	203 70%	68 76%	229 70%	265 68%	79 62%	60 71%	4 60%	28 69%	308 68%	82 68%	284 68%	216 71%	456 67%
NET: Not often/ at all	918 92%	189 91%	374 90%	271 94%	84 94%	307 94%	351 91%	114 89%	76 90%	6 100%	37 91%	420 93%	112 93%	371 89%	282 93%	616 91%
Don't know	1 *	-	1 *	-	-	-	1 *	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	1 *	1 *	1 *
Mean	0.43	0.51	0.45	0.36	0.34	0.38	0.43	0.54	0.44	0.40	0.45	0.40	0.41	0.47	0.38	0.45
Standard deviation	0.73	0.79	0.76	0.62	0.69	0.67	0.74	0.80	0.80	0.54	0.79	0.67	0.70	0.80	0.67	0.75
Standard error	0.02	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.08	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.08	0.19	0.11	0.03	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.03

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Table 6
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you sleep disturbance?
Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
NET: Often	48 5%	23 5%	24 5%	6 5%	10 6%	9 5%	9 6%	8 5%	5 2%	12 5%	10 3%	12 6%	14 6%	18 7%	13 5%	11 4%	3 2%	3 4%
Very often	(3) 28 3%	17 4%	11 2%	6 5%	5 3%	5 3%	6 3%	4 3%	3 1%	6 2%	5 2%	9 4%	8 3%	10 4%	11 4%	4 2%	2 1%	1 2%
Fairly often	(2) 20 2%	6 1%	14 3%	1 1%	5 3%	4 2%	4 2%	4 3%	2 1%	6 2%	4 2%	3 1%	6 2%	7 3%	2 1%	7 3%	1 1%	2 2%
Not very often	(1) 146 15%	66 14%	80 15%	19 16%	31 19%	29 15%	20 12%	16 10%	31 15%	32 12%	46 16%	29 14%	39 16%	49 19%	33 13%	42 17%	11 8%	10 11%
Not at all	(0) 809 81%	392 82%	417 80%	93 78%	118 75%	160 81%	139 83%	125 84%	173 83%	217 83%	235 81%	169 80%	188 78%	196 75%	217 83%	194 79%	127 90%	75 85%
NET: Not often/ at all	954 95%	458 95%	497 95%	113 95%	149 94%	189 95%	159 94%	141 95%	204 98%	248 95%	281 97%	199 94%	227 94%	245 93%	250 95%	236 96%	139 98%	85 96%
Mean	0.27	0.27	0.27	0.32	0.35	0.27	0.26	0.24	0.21	0.24	0.24	0.29	0.31	0.36	0.26	0.27	0.13	0.21
Standard deviation	0.63	0.66	0.61	0.72	0.69	0.63	0.66	0.64	0.51	0.60	0.57	0.70	0.68	0.72	0.67	0.59	0.46	0.56
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.06

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Table 6
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you sleep disturbance?
Base: All respondents

	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
NET: Often	48 5%	2 5%	2 2%	4 6%	1 1%	10 7%	8 6%	- -	3 5%	7 8%	7 6%	3 4%
Very often	(3) 28 3%	1 2%	1 1%	3 4%	1 1%	4 3%	6 5%	- -	2 4%	6 7%	2 2%	1 2%
Fairly often	(2) 20 2%	1 3%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	5 4%	2 2%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	5 4%	2 2%
Not very often	(1) 146 15%	9 19%	14 16%	9 11%	8 8%	19 14%	30 24%	8 9%	3 7%	17 18%	20 17%	10 11%
Not at all	(0) 809 81%	34 76%	71 82%	63 83%	84 91%	106 79%	89 70%	81 91%	46 88%	70 74%	90 77%	75 85%
NET: Not often/ at all	954 95%	43 95%	84 98%	72 94%	91 99%	126 93%	119 94%	89 100%	49 95%	87 92%	109 94%	85 96%
Mean	0.27	0.32	0.21	0.27	0.11	0.32	0.41	0.09	0.21	0.40	0.30	0.21
Standard deviation	0.63	0.65	0.50	0.71	0.41	0.70	0.74	0.29	0.66	0.82	0.63	0.56
Standard error	0.02	0.10	0.05	0.08	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.09	0.08	0.06	0.06

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Table 6
Q.4 How often, if at all, does traffic noise cause you sleep disturbance?
Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
NET: Often	48 5%	10 5%	25 6%	9 3%	3 3%	10 3%	20 5%	10 8%	5 6%	-	1 4%	17 4%	4 3%	26 6%	16 5%	31 5%
Very often	(3) 28 3%	6 3%	15 4%	4 1%	3 3%	6 2%	15 4%	4 3%	3 4%	-	-	13 3%	2 2%	12 3%	6 2%	21 3%
Fairly often	(2) 20 2%	5 2%	10 2%	5 2%	-	5 1%	5 1%	6 5%	2 2%	-	1 4%	4 1%	2 1%	14 3%	9 3%	10 2%
Not very often	(1) 146 15%	40 19%	52 12%	44 15%	10 11%	39 12%	68 18%	16 12%	12 15%	-	6 15%	66 15%	16 13%	61 15%	42 14%	100 15%
Not at all	(0) 809 81%	158 76%	339 81%	235 82%	77 86%	278 85%	299 77%	103 80%	67 79%	6 100%	33 81%	367 81%	100 83%	329 79%	246 81%	546 81%
NET: Not often/ at all	954 95%	198 95%	391 94%	279 97%	87 97%	317 97%	367 95%	119 92%	79 94%	6 100%	40 96%	434 96%	116 97%	390 94%	288 95%	646 95%
Mean	0.27	0.32	0.28	0.23	0.20	0.20	0.32	0.31	0.31	0.00	0.22	0.25	0.22	0.30	0.26	0.27
Standard deviation	0.63	0.66	0.69	0.55	0.59	0.54	0.69	0.70	0.71	0.00	0.50	0.62	0.57	0.68	0.62	0.64
Standard error	0.02	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.03	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.00	0.07	0.03	0.05	0.03	0.04	0.02

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Table 7
Q.5 How often, if at all, do you go to places to avoid traffic noise i.e. 'quiet areas'
Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
NET: At all	308	132	176	47	57	59	53	42	49	73	83	72	81	93	79	77	37	22
	31%	28%	34%	40%	36%	30%	32%	28%	23%	28%	28%	34%	34%	35%	30%	31%	26%	25%
Everyday	30	13	17	4	1	7	5	9	4	6	11	4	9	10	7	5	5	3
	3%	3%	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%	6%	2%	2%	4%	2%	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	4%
4-6 times a week	13	4	10	3	3	1	1	1	5	1	3	3	7	5	4	1	2	1
	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	*	1%	*	2%	*	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	*	1%	1%
2-3 times a week	48	23	25	5	12	9	8	6	9	11	14	10	14	18	5	19	5	2
	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%	7%	2%	8%	3%	3%
Once a week	64	27	37	10	9	14	12	11	8	14	18	18	15	12	20	22	4	5
	6%	6%	7%	8%	6%	7%	7%	8%	4%	5%	6%	9%	6%	5%	8%	9%	3%	5%
Every 2-3 weeks	14	6	9	1	2	5	3	2	2	2	6	3	3	5	4	4	1	1
	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
Once a month	35	23	13	7	9	1	5	4	8	14	3	8	11	13	11	7	3	1
	4%	5%	2%	6%	6%	1%	3%	3%	4%	5%	1%	4%	5%	5%	4%	3%	2%	2%
Every 2-3 months	19	6	12	4	4	5	3	1	2	4	4	6	5	5	4	4	1	4
	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	5%
Every 4-6 months	23	7	16	8	2	4	4	2	3	8	7	2	5	5	5	4	7	2
	2%	1%	3%	7%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	2%
Less often than every 6 months	60	24	36	5	15	14	13	5	8	14	16	18	12	18	20	11	9	2
	6%	5%	7%	4%	10%	7%	8%	4%	4%	5%	5%	9%	5%	7%	8%	4%	6%	3%
Never	689	345	344	72	101	137	115	105	158	187	208	137	157	168	181	170	105	66
	69%	72%	66%	60%	64%	69%	68%	71%	76%	72%	72%	65%	65%	64%	69%	69%	74%	75%
Don't know	6	4	1	-	-	3	-	1	1	1	-	1	3	2	3	1	-	-
	1%	1%	*	-	-	1%	-	1%	1%	*	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	-	-

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Table 7
Q.5 How often, if at all, do you go to places to avoid traffic noise i.e. 'quiet areas'
Base: All respondents

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
NET: At all	308	14	24	17	28	42	51	24	13	34	39	22
	31%	31%	28%	22%	30%	31%	40%	26%	25%	37%	33%	25%
Everyday	30	-	5	2	2	4	6	5	-	3	-	3
	3%	-	6%	3%	2%	3%	5%	6%	-	3%	-	4%
4-6 times a week	13	1	-	1	-	2	3	-	2	3	-	1
	1%	2%	-	1%	-	2%	2%	-	4%	3%	-	1%
2-3 times a week	48	5	5	2	2	9	8	3	1	1	9	2
	5%	12%	5%	2%	2%	7%	7%	4%	2%	1%	8%	3%
Once a week	64	3	8	6	3	4	8	1	3	11	11	5
	6%	7%	10%	8%	3%	3%	6%	2%	5%	12%	10%	5%
Every 2-3 weeks	14	-	4	-	3	3	2	-	1	1	-	1
	1%	-	4%	-	3%	2%	2%	-	1%	1%	-	2%
Once a month	35	2	-	1	5	7	6	2	1	5	5	1
	4%	5%	-	1%	6%	5%	5%	2%	3%	5%	4%	2%
Every 2-3 months	19	1	1	-	1	3	2	1	-	3	3	4
	2%	1%	1%	-	1%	3%	2%	1%	-	3%	3%	5%
Every 4-6 months	23	1	-	-	3	-	5	3	4	1	3	2
	2%	3%	-	-	4%	-	4%	4%	8%	2%	2%	2%
Less often than every 6 months	60	1	2	6	8	8	10	7	1	6	8	2
	6%	2%	3%	7%	9%	6%	8%	8%	2%	7%	7%	3%
Never	689	31	62	59	64	94	74	66	39	58	77	66
	69%	69%	72%	77%	69%	69%	58%	74%	75%	62%	66%	75%
Don't know	6	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	-
	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	2%	-	-	2%	1%	-

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Table 7
Q.5 How often, if at all, do you go to places to avoid traffic noise i.e. 'quiet areas'
Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
NET: At all	308	75	129	82	22	100	106	47	32	1	11	139	44	121	98	203
	31%	36%	31%	28%	24%	30%	27%	36%	38%	24%	28%	31%	36%	29%	32%	30%
Everyday	30	10	8	10	3	11	10	4	3	-	1	14	2	13	7	22
	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	-	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
4-6 times a week	13	6	6	-	1	4	1	4	3	-	2	2	2	9	3	10
	1%	3%	1%	-	1%	1%	*	3%	4%	-	4%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
2-3 times a week	48	12	19	15	3	17	15	6	3	-	3	18	6	24	17	27
	5%	6%	5%	5%	3%	5%	4%	5%	4%	-	7%	4%	5%	6%	6%	4%
Once a week	64	15	29	15	5	14	23	13	5	1	4	29	12	24	23	42
	6%	7%	7%	5%	6%	4%	6%	10%	6%	24%	10%	6%	10%	6%	7%	6%
Every 2-3 weeks	14	1	9	4	-	6	7	-	2	-	-	6	5	4	6	9
	1%	*	2%	2%	-	2%	2%	-	2%	-	-	1%	4%	1%	2%	1%
Once a month	35	7	16	11	1	12	11	6	5	-	1	19	3	12	7	27
	4%	3%	4%	4%	1%	4%	3%	5%	6%	-	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	4%
Every 2-3 months	19	4	11	3	-	6	6	4	2	-	-	5	6	7	6	12
	2%	2%	3%	1%	-	2%	2%	3%	3%	-	-	1%	5%	2%	2%	2%
Every 4-6 months	23	6	7	8	2	9	9	3	1	-	1	13	1	9	8	15
	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	-	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%
Less often than every 6 months	60	14	24	15	7	21	25	6	7	-	-	33	8	19	21	39
	6%	7%	6%	5%	8%	6%	6%	5%	8%	-	-	7%	6%	5%	7%	6%
Never	689	131	283	206	68	226	279	82	52	5	30	309	77	292	205	470
	69%	63%	68%	72%	76%	69%	72%	64%	62%	76%	72%	69%	64%	70%	67%	69%
Don't know	6	1	4	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	3	-	3	1	4
	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	1%	*	1%

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Table 8

Q.6 Which of the following places do you visit to avoid traffic noise?

Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	298	133	165	28	47	56	63	47	57	91	74	49	84	91	74	75	35	23
Weighted base	308	132	176	47	57	59	53	42	49	73	83	72	81	93	79	77	37	22
Local park	193	70	123	31	41	42	32	19	29	47	57	43	47	66	49	47	18	13
	63%	53%	70%	66%	71%	72%	59%	44%	60%	64%	69%	60%	58%	72%	62%	61%	48%	60%
Your own garden	171	72	99	27	28	33	27	22	34	37	53	34	46	50	44	39	26	12
	55%	54%	56%	56%	48%	56%	50%	53%	71%	51%	65%	48%	57%	54%	55%	50%	72%	53%
River/ canal/ lake	147	58	89	20	27	30	33	17	20	31	51	38	28	37	44	41	18	7
	48%	44%	50%	42%	48%	50%	62%	41%	41%	42%	62%	53%	34%	40%	56%	53%	48%	32%
Church yard/ cemetery	53	21	32	16	2	8	12	9	6	7	20	12	14	14	16	13	7	4
	17%	16%	18%	33%	4%	14%	22%	21%	13%	10%	24%	17%	17%	15%	20%	17%	19%	19%
Civic square	39	16	23	10	7	7	6	7	2	6	17	9	8	13	9	11	3	3
	13%	12%	13%	22%	12%	12%	11%	16%	5%	8%	21%	12%	9%	14%	12%	14%	9%	12%
Other	94	44	49	16	16	13	21	13	14	29	27	15	23	32	15	27	10	9
	30%	34%	28%	34%	29%	22%	39%	32%	29%	40%	32%	22%	28%	35%	18%	35%	28%	42%
Don't know	18	9	9	4	3	5	2	2	2	3	3	9	4	3	9	4	1	1
	6%	7%	5%	9%	5%	8%	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	12%	5%	4%	12%	5%	3%	4%

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Table 8

Q.6 Which of the following places do you visit to avoid traffic noise?**Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise**

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	298	15	22	16	26	41	50	23	12	32	38	23
Weighted base	308	14	24	17	28	42	51	24	13	34	39	22
Local park	193 63%	7 52%	15 61%	11 64%	16 59%	29 70%	37 73%	10 43%	8 58%	22 63%	25 65%	13 60%
Your own garden	171 55%	8 58%	11 44%	7 42%	18 65%	21 50%	29 57%	17 70%	10 75%	19 54%	20 51%	12 53%
River/ canal/ lake	147 48%	6 43%	11 46%	9 51%	16 58%	19 45%	19 36%	13 53%	5 39%	19 56%	24 61%	7 32%
Church yard/ cemetery	53 17%	2 13%	7 28%	2 9%	4 14%	7 16%	7 13%	4 16%	3 25%	10 30%	4 10%	4 19%
Civic square	39 13%	3 20%	6 24%	3 17%	-	5 13%	8 15%	2 9%	1 11%	6 19%	2 5%	3 12%
Other	94 30%	7 47%	12 47%	5 29%	6 23%	20 48%	12 24%	7 30%	3 24%	3 10%	9 23%	9 42%
Don't know	18 6%	2 12%	-	3 16%	3 12%	-	3 6%	1 5%	-	3 9%	2 5%	1 4%

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Table 8
Q.6 Which of the following places do you visit to avoid traffic noise?
Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	298	60	149	75	14	107	98	27	37	2	13	121	46	124	90	198
Weighted base	308	75	129	82	22	100	106	47	32	1	11	139	44	121	98	203
Local park	193	56	76	46	16	53	65	33	25	1	6	83	34	74	74	115
	63%	74%	59%	56%	72%	53%	61%	71%	79%	61%	56%	60%	79%	61%	76%	57%
Your own garden	171	43	76	39	13	59	48	33	15	1	6	76	24	69	50	117
	55%	57%	58%	48%	60%	59%	46%	71%	46%	61%	57%	54%	55%	57%	51%	58%
River/ canal/ lake	147	25	70	43	9	45	58	20	12	1	4	72	26	49	46	98
	48%	33%	54%	53%	42%	45%	55%	44%	38%	100%	38%	51%	59%	40%	47%	48%
Church yard/ cemetery	53	17	25	8	3	16	13	14	5	-	5	21	9	23	13	40
	17%	23%	19%	10%	13%	16%	12%	30%	15%	-	46%	15%	21%	19%	14%	20%
Civic square	39	10	20	9	-	13	10	7	5	-	1	21	4	14	11	28
	13%	13%	16%	11%	-	13%	10%	15%	17%	-	12%	15%	10%	11%	11%	14%
Other	94	23	38	27	6	26	34	12	11	1	4	44	13	33	29	61
	30%	30%	29%	33%	28%	26%	32%	25%	35%	61%	35%	32%	30%	27%	30%	30%
Don't know	18	4	5	8	1	7	8	2	-	-	1	10	2	6	5	13
	6%	5%	4%	10%	6%	7%	8%	3%	-	-	13%	7%	5%	5%	5%	7%

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Table 9
Q.7 When are you most likely to visit a place to avoid traffic noise?
Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise

	Gender		Age							Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	298	133	165	28	47	56	63	47	57	91	74	49	84	91	74	75	35	23
Weighted base	308	132	176	47	57	59	53	42	49	73	83	72	81	93	79	77	37	22
At the weekend or on days off	128 42%	59 45%	69 39%	15 31%	21 37%	35 59%	26 50%	16 39%	14 28%	33 46%	36 43%	26 37%	32 40%	38 41%	30 38%	38 50%	12 34%	9 38%
On the spur of the moment	63 21%	19 15%	44 25%	8 16%	12 20%	9 14%	10 18%	8 20%	17 36%	16 22%	14 17%	16 22%	18 22%	16 18%	12 15%	19 25%	10 26%	7 30%
During holidays	44 14%	19 15%	25 14%	11 22%	10 17%	8 14%	9 17%	1 3%	6 12%	10 14%	15 18%	7 10%	12 15%	15 16%	18 23%	3 4%	5 14%	3 13%
After work	30 10%	17 13%	13 7%	10 22%	6 10%	2 3%	5 10%	2 5%	4 9%	3 4%	9 11%	11 16%	6 8%	6 6%	6 8%	11 14%	5 14%	2 8%
During the working day	23 7%	8 6%	15 9%	4 8%	6 11%	2 3%	1 1%	6 13%	4 9%	5 7%	6 7%	3 4%	8 10%	12 13%	6 7%	2 3%	2 5%	1 6%
Before work	6 2%	3 2%	3 2%	- -	1 1%	2 3%	1 1%	3 8%	- -	2 3%	2 2%	1 2%	1 1%	2 2%	2 3%	1 2%	1 2%	- -
Don't know	14 4%	7 5%	7 4%	- -	2 3%	2 3%	1 3%	5 13%	3 7%	2 3%	2 2%	6 9%	3 4%	4 4%	4 6%	3 4%	2 5%	1 4%

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Table 9

Q.7 When are you most likely to visit a place to avoid traffic noise?**Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise**

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	298	15	22	16	26	41	50	23	12	32	38	23
Weighted base	308	14	24	17	28	42	51	24	13	34	39	22
At the weekend or on days off	128 42%	4 31%	12 48%	7 42%	11 40%	16 39%	22 43%	10 41%	3 20%	12 36%	22 58%	9 38%
On the spur of the moment	63 21%	5 36%	4 16%	6 34%	4 14%	6 14%	10 20%	5 23%	4 31%	2 6%	10 25%	7 30%
During holidays	44 14%	* 3%	1 3%	1 4%	7 26%	8 19%	7 13%	2 10%	3 22%	10 30%	2 5%	3 13%
After work	30 10%	3 24%	6 25%	- -	2 6%	2 4%	4 8%	4 15%	1 11%	4 13%	1 3%	2 8%
During the working day	23 7%	1 4%	1 3%	1 5%	1 3%	8 19%	4 8%	1 3%	1 8%	4 11%	1 2%	1 6%
Before work	6 2%	- -	1 5%	1 5%	1 3%	2 5%	- -	1 3%	- -	1 2%	- -	- -
Don't know	14 4%	- -	- -	2 10%	2 7%	- -	4 7%	1 4%	1 7%	1 2%	3 7%	1 4%

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Table 9
Q.7 When are you most likely to visit a place to avoid traffic noise?
Base: All respondents who ever go to places to avoid traffic noise

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	298	60	149	75	14	107	98	27	37	2	13	121	46	124	90	198
Weighted base	308	75	129	82	22	100	106	47	32	1	11	139	44	121	98	203
At the weekend or on days off	128 42%	29 38%	54 42%	40 50%	5 21%	35 35%	53 50%	15 32%	13 42%	1 61%	6 53%	65 47%	19 44%	44 36%	50 51%	78 38%
On the spur of the moment	63 21%	14 19%	30 23%	15 18%	4 19%	27 27%	20 19%	6 14%	5 15%	-	3 24%	20 15%	8 19%	33 27%	14 15%	47 23%
During holidays	44 14%	14 18%	17 13%	11 13%	3 14%	12 13%	15 15%	9 19%	5 15%	-	3 23%	21 15%	4 10%	19 16%	17 18%	27 13%
After work	30 10%	9 12%	9 7%	7 9%	4 19%	7 7%	8 7%	9 18%	5 16%	-	-	18 13%	8 19%	3 3%	7 7%	21 10%
During the working day	23 7%	6 8%	11 8%	2 3%	3 14%	10 10%	4 3%	7 15%	2 5%	1 39%	-	5 4%	2 5%	15 12%	6 6%	15 7%
Before work	6 2%	-	2 1%	3 3%	2 7%	2 2%	3 3%	-	1 2%	-	-	5 3%	-	1 1%	2 2%	4 2%
Don't know	14 4%	3 4%	7 5%	3 3%	1 6%	6 6%	4 3%	1 3%	2 6%	-	-	5 4%	1 3%	6 5%	2 2%	11 6%

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Table 10

Q.8 How important do you think it is that quiet areas are protected from an increase in noise levels?

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
NET: Important	629	268	361	69	108	116	110	94	132	168	198	117	146	174	162	150	89	54
	63%	56%	69%	58%	68%	58%	65%	63%	64%	64%	68%	55%	61%	66%	62%	61%	63%	61%
Extremely important	(4) 262	107	155	26	45	56	50	43	43	77	85	41	60	80	57	54	45	26
	26%	22%	30%	22%	28%	28%	29%	29%	21%	30%	29%	19%	25%	30%	22%	22%	32%	29%
Very important	(3) 367	161	206	43	63	60	60	52	89	91	114	76	86	94	105	96	44	28
	37%	34%	39%	36%	40%	30%	36%	35%	43%	35%	39%	36%	36%	36%	40%	39%	31%	32%
Quite important	(2) 286	161	125	38	41	62	46	40	58	75	75	69	67	69	71	72	47	27
	29%	33%	24%	32%	26%	31%	27%	27%	28%	29%	26%	33%	28%	26%	27%	29%	33%	31%
Not at all important	(1) 82	49	32	12	8	17	13	14	17	16	16	24	26	17	29	23	5	7
	8%	10%	6%	10%	5%	9%	8%	9%	8%	6%	6%	11%	11%	7%	11%	9%	4%	8%
NET: Not important	367	210	157	50	50	79	59	54	75	91	91	92	93	86	99	96	52	34
	37%	44%	30%	42%	31%	40%	35%	36%	36%	35%	31%	44%	39%	33%	38%	39%	37%	39%
Don't know	6	3	3	-	1	3	-	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	1	2	-	-
	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	*	*	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-
Mean	2.81	2.68	2.93	2.69	2.91	2.79	2.87	2.83	2.76	2.88	2.92	2.64	2.75	2.91	2.73	2.74	2.91	2.83
Standard deviation	0.92	0.93	0.89	0.93	0.87	0.96	0.93	0.95	0.88	0.91	0.88	0.92	0.95	0.91	0.93	0.91	0.90	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.10

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Table 10

Q.8 How important do you think it is that quiet areas are protected from an increase in noise levels?**Base: All respondents**

	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
NET: Important	629 63%	23 51%	55 64%	39 51%	57 62%	95 70%	79 62%	52 58%	37 71%	66 70%	73 63%	54 61%
Extremely important	(4) 262 26%	3 7%	22 26%	14 19%	17 18%	44 33%	36 28%	24 27%	21 40%	26 28%	29 25%	26 29%
Very important	(3) 367 37%	19 43%	33 38%	25 33%	40 44%	51 37%	43 34%	28 31%	16 31%	40 42%	44 38%	28 32%
Quite important	(2) 286 29%	18 39%	24 28%	26 34%	25 27%	32 24%	37 29%	35 39%	12 23%	20 22%	30 26%	27 31%
Not at all important	(1) 82 8%	3 7%	7 8%	10 13%	10 11%	8 6%	9 7%	3 3%	3 5%	8 9%	13 11%	7 8%
NET: Not important	367 37%	21 46%	31 36%	36 47%	35 38%	40 30%	46 36%	37 42%	15 29%	29 30%	43 37%	34 39%
Don't know	6 1%	2 3%	-	1 2%	-	-	3 2%	-	-	-	-	-
Mean	2.81	2.53	2.82	2.58	2.69	2.97	2.84	2.82	3.07	2.88	2.76	2.83
Standard deviation	0.92	0.75	0.92	0.95	0.90	0.90	0.93	0.87	0.93	0.92	0.96	0.95
Standard error	0.03	0.11	0.10	0.11	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.13	0.09	0.09	0.10

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Table 10

Q.8 How important do you think it is that quiet areas are protected from an increase in noise levels?

Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No	
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688	
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677	
NET: Important	629	123	269	189	47	209	238	85	44	4	31	277	81	261	193	422	
	63%	59%	65%	66%	53%	64%	61%	66%	53%	58%	76%	61%	68%	63%	63%	62%	
Extremely important	(4)	262	57	111	74	20	85	100	37	14	1	19	125	31	103	85	171
		26%	27%	27%	26%	22%	26%	26%	29%	17%	24%	46%	28%	25%	25%	28%	25%
Very important	(3)	367	66	158	115	27	124	138	48	30	2	12	152	51	158	108	251
		37%	32%	38%	40%	31%	38%	36%	37%	36%	35%	30%	34%	42%	38%	35%	37%
Quite important	(2)	286	68	115	70	33	92	117	33	31	2	6	134	28	120	83	198
		29%	32%	28%	24%	37%	28%	30%	25%	36%	36%	15%	30%	24%	29%	27%	29%
Not at all important	(1)	82	16	32	25	9	27	28	12	9	*	3	37	10	34	25	55
		8%	8%	8%	9%	10%	8%	7%	9%	11%	5%	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%	8%
NET: Not important		367	84	146	96	42	119	145	44	40	3	9	171	38	154	109	253
		37%	40%	35%	33%	47%	36%	38%	34%	47%	42%	23%	38%	32%	37%	36%	37%
Don't know		6	1	1	3	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	3	1	1	2	2
		1%	1%	*	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	-	2%	1%	1%	*	1%	*
Mean		2.81	2.79	2.84	2.84	2.66	2.81	2.81	2.85	2.59	2.76	3.17	2.81	2.86	2.80	2.84	2.80
Standard deviation		0.92	0.94	0.91	0.92	0.93	0.91	0.91	0.94	0.90	0.95	0.96	0.94	0.90	0.91	0.93	0.91
Standard error		0.03	0.07	0.04	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.10	0.09	0.34	0.13	0.05	0.08	0.04	0.06	0.03

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Table 11

Q.9 How much road traffic noise do you consider to be acceptable in outdoor places you go to, to relax?

Base: All respondents

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Level of sound is not important as long as I feel relaxed	578 58%	271 56%	307 59%	66 55%	103 65%	117 59%	96 57%	84 57%	113 54%	143 55%	170 59%	121 58%	143 60%	139 53%	154 59%	149 60%	78 55%	58 66%
Distant traffic noise	254 25%	119 25%	135 26%	28 23%	36 23%	48 24%	44 26%	47 31%	51 25%	72 28%	74 25%	53 25%	55 23%	76 29%	54 21%	71 28%	37 26%	15 17%
No traffic noise	86 9%	51 11%	36 7%	17 14%	8 5%	12 6%	14 8%	8 5%	27 13%	21 8%	19 7%	20 9%	26 11%	26 10%	27 10%	17 7%	10 7%	6 7%
Other sounds (e.g. people/water features, etc.) masking traffic noise	68 7%	34 7%	34 7%	8 7%	11 7%	19 9%	13 8%	8 5%	10 5%	21 8%	24 8%	13 6%	12 5%	17 6%	24 9%	9 4%	13 9%	6 7%
Don't know	15 1%	7 1%	8 2%	1 1%	1 *	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	7 3%	3 1%	3 1%	4 2%	5 2%	5 2%	3 1%	1 *	3 2%	3 3%

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Table 11

Q.9 How much road traffic noise do you consider to be acceptable in outdoor places you go to, to relax?

Base: All respondents

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
Level of sound is not important as long as I feel relaxed	578 58%	19 42%	55 64%	49 65%	53 58%	75 56%	63 50%	48 53%	30 58%	51 55%	75 65%	58 66%
Distant traffic noise	254 25%	19 42%	20 24%	11 15%	23 25%	39 29%	37 29%	26 29%	11 22%	20 21%	31 27%	15 17%
No traffic noise	86 9%	2 4%	6 7%	9 12%	8 8%	14 11%	11 9%	5 6%	5 10%	10 11%	9 8%	6 7%
Other sounds (e.g. people/water features, etc.) masking traffic noise	68 7%	4 9%	4 5%	5 6%	8 9%	4 3%	13 10%	8 9%	5 10%	11 12%	1 1%	6 7%
Don't know	15 1%	1 2%	-	2 2%	-	2 1%	3 2%	3 3%	-	2 2%	-	3 3%

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Table 11

Q.9 How much road traffic noise do you consider to be acceptable in outdoor places you go to, to relax?

Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own outright	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
Level of sound is not important as long as I feel relaxed	578 58%	125 60%	245 59%	163 56%	46 52%	181 55%	215 56%	88 69%	51 60%	5 74%	25 60%	266 59%	73 61%	233 56%	195 64%	372 55%
Distant traffic noise	254 25%	43 20%	105 25%	80 28%	27 30%	92 28%	103 27%	21 17%	24 29%	-	9 22%	111 25%	35 29%	104 25%	60 20%	192 28%
No traffic noise	86 9%	21 10%	38 9%	21 7%	6 7%	31 9%	30 8%	12 10%	4 5%	2 26%	3 7%	39 9%	5 4%	40 10%	20 7%	64 9%
Other sounds (e.g. people/water features, etc.) masking traffic noise	68 7%	15 7%	21 5%	23 8%	10 11%	17 5%	37 10%	4 3%	5 6%	-	4 9%	32 7%	6 5%	29 7%	28 9%	40 6%
Don't know	15 1%	4 2%	8 2%	2 1%	1 1%	6 2%	2 *	2 2%	-	-	* 1%	2 1%	1 1%	8 2%	2 1%	10 1%

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Table 12

Q.10 Do you or have you ever owned a car?**Base: All respondents**

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
I currently own a car	696 69%	367 76%	329 63%	60 50%	104 65%	154 78%	136 81%	112 75%	131 63%	218 84%	192 66%	162 77%	123 51%	186 71%	191 73%	153 62%	112 79%	54 62%
I used to own a car	96 10%	35 7%	61 12%	8 7%	19 12%	8 4%	11 7%	14 9%	35 17%	17 7%	33 11%	13 6%	33 14%	30 11%	17 6%	26 10%	12 8%	11 13%
I have never owned a car	211 21%	79 16%	131 25%	51 43%	36 23%	36 18%	21 13%	23 15%	43 21%	25 10%	66 23%	35 17%	85 35%	47 18%	55 21%	69 28%	18 13%	23 26%

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Table 12

Q.10 Do you or have you ever owned a car?**Base: All respondents**

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
I currently own a car	696 69%	25 56%	53 61%	54 71%	74 80%	106 78%	80 63%	67 75%	45 86%	63 67%	75 65%	54 62%
I used to own a car	96 10%	7 16%	8 9%	7 9%	7 7%	12 9%	18 14%	10 12%	2 3%	4 4%	10 9%	11 13%
I have never owned a car	211 21%	13 28%	25 29%	15 20%	12 13%	17 13%	30 24%	12 14%	6 11%	27 29%	31 26%	23 26%

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Table 12
Q.10 Do you or have you ever owned a car?
Base: All respondents

	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own outright	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
I currently own a car	696 69%	8 4%	344 83%	264 92%	80 90%	246 75%	316 82%	47 37%	52 62%	5 76%	15 36%	361 80%	98 82%	225 54%	233 77%	449 66%
I used to own a car	96 10%	59 29%	18 4%	12 4%	6 7%	37 11%	27 7%	12 9%	6 7%	- -	10 23%	34 7%	6 5%	55 13%	13 4%	80 12%
I have never owned a car	211 21%	141 68%	55 13%	12 4%	3 4%	45 14%	44 11%	70 54%	27 32%	1 24%	17 41%	56 12%	16 13%	136 33%	57 19%	148 22%

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Table 13

Q.11 Before now, were you aware or unaware that tyres exist that can reduce noise?

Base: All respondents who have ever owned a car

	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	825	430	395	43	105	152	180	152	193	306	205	128	186	220	218	190	127	70
Weighted base	791	402	390	68	123	162	147	126	165	235	225	176	156	215	208	179	124	66
Aware	405	251	154	26	52	78	90	70	91	137	104	83	82	111	119	86	62	27
	51%	63%	39%	38%	42%	48%	61%	55%	55%	58%	46%	47%	52%	51%	57%	48%	50%	42%
Unaware	384	149	236	43	71	84	57	56	73	99	121	92	73	105	88	93	60	37
	49%	37%	60%	62%	58%	52%	39%	45%	44%	42%	54%	52%	47%	49%	43%	52%	49%	57%
Don't know	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	1	1
	*	*	*	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	*	1%	-	*	-	1%	1%

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Table 13

Q.11 Before now, were you aware or unaware that tyres exist that can reduce noise?

Base: All respondents who have ever owned a car

	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	825	32	65	63	82	121	99	79	48	73	93	70
Weighted base	791	33	61	61	80	118	97	77	46	67	86	66
Aware	405 51%	15 47%	30 50%	34 56%	52 65%	72 61%	39 40%	37 48%	25 54%	33 49%	40 47%	27 42%
Unaware	384 49%	17 53%	30 50%	27 44%	29 35%	46 39%	58 60%	40 52%	21 44%	33 50%	46 53%	37 57%
Don't know	2 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 2%	1 1%	-	1 1%

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Table 13

Q.11 Before now, were you aware or unaware that tyres exist that can reduce noise?

Base: All respondents who have ever owned a car

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own outright	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	825	64	425	269	67	318	323	42	72	6	34	367	113	324	238	562
Weighted base	791	68	362	276	86	282	343	59	57	5	24	395	104	280	247	529
Aware	405	35	181	139	51	148	171	32	30	3	13	216	42	141	116	282
	51%	52%	50%	50%	59%	52%	50%	53%	53%	62%	51%	55%	40%	51%	47%	53%
Unaware	384	33	180	137	35	132	172	28	27	2	12	179	63	137	131	246
	49%	48%	50%	49%	41%	47%	50%	47%	47%	38%	49%	45%	60%	49%	53%	46%
Don't know	2	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
	*	-	*	*	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	*

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Table 14

Q.12 If tyres were labelled according to their noise ratings, how likely or unlikely would you be to buy quieter tyres?

Base: All respondents who currently own a car

	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	735	395	340	37	91	144	166	138	159	285	177	119	154	194	199	167	116	59
Weighted base	696	367	329	60	104	154	136	112	131	218	192	162	123	186	191	153	112	54
NET: Likely	269	148	121	18	27	52	56	50	66	91	77	44	57	81	70	58	49	11
	39%	40%	37%	30%	26%	33%	41%	45%	50%	42%	40%	27%	46%	44%	37%	38%	44%	20%
Very likely to buy quieter tyres	(+2) 110	64	47	6	9	17	26	22	31	36	31	18	26	39	22	24	21	4
	16%	17%	14%	9%	9%	11%	19%	20%	24%	16%	16%	11%	21%	21%	12%	15%	18%	8%
Fairly likely to buy quieter tyres	(+1) 159	84	75	12	18	35	31	28	34	55	46	26	31	42	47	34	29	6
	23%	23%	23%	21%	17%	23%	23%	25%	26%	25%	24%	16%	25%	22%	25%	23%	26%	12%
It would make no difference	(0) 238	113	126	22	41	54	51	35	35	77	61	61	39	53	77	52	30	26
	34%	31%	38%	36%	40%	35%	37%	31%	27%	35%	32%	38%	32%	29%	40%	34%	27%	47%
Fairly unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-1) 78	39	39	8	14	18	16	12	10	18	21	28	11	13	21	17	22	6
	11%	11%	12%	13%	14%	11%	12%	11%	8%	8%	11%	17%	9%	7%	11%	11%	20%	11%
Very unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-2) 94	60	35	12	18	27	9	10	18	27	28	26	13	34	20	23	7	11
	14%	16%	11%	20%	18%	17%	7%	9%	14%	12%	15%	16%	11%	18%	10%	15%	6%	21%
NET: Unlikely	173	99	74	20	32	44	25	23	28	45	49	55	24	46	40	40	29	17
	25%	27%	22%	34%	31%	29%	18%	20%	21%	21%	25%	34%	20%	25%	21%	26%	26%	32%
Don't know	16	8	9	-	3	4	4	4	2	6	5	3	3	5	4	4	3	1
	2%	2%	3%	-	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%
Mean	0.17	0.15	0.18	-0.15	-0.14	-0.02	0.36	0.36	0.40	0.26	0.17	-0.12	0.38	0.22	0.17	0.13	0.31	-0.26
Standard deviation	1.24	1.30	1.16	1.24	1.18	1.23	1.13	1.21	1.31	1.21	1.27	1.20	1.23	1.37	1.11	1.26	1.18	1.17
Standard error	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.20	0.13	0.10	0.09	0.10	0.11	0.07	0.10	0.11	0.10	0.10	0.08	0.10	0.11	0.15

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Table 14

Q.12 If tyres were labelled according to their noise ratings, how likely or unlikely would you be to buy quieter tyres?

Base: All respondents who currently own a car

	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	735	26	58	56	75	109	85	70	46	68	83	59
Weighted base	696	25	53	54	74	106	80	67	45	63	75	54
NET: Likely	269 39%	10 39%	21 41%	16 30%	29 39%	46 43%	35 44%	24 36%	25 56%	25 39%	27 36%	11 20%
Very likely to buy quieter tyres	(+2) 110 16%	2 9%	9 17%	4 7%	8 11%	24 22%	15 19%	11 17%	10 21%	11 17%	12 16%	4 8%
Fairly likely to buy quieter tyres	(+1) 159 23%	8 30%	12 24%	13 23%	21 28%	22 21%	20 25%	13 19%	16 35%	14 22%	14 19%	6 12%
It would make no difference	(0) 238 34%	10 40%	16 31%	25 47%	31 42%	35 33%	18 23%	22 33%	8 18%	21 33%	26 34%	26 47%
Fairly unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-1) 78 11%	2 7%	6 11%	7 13%	8 11%	6 5%	7 9%	16 23%	7 15%	6 9%	9 13%	6 11%
Very unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-2) 94 14%	3 13%	8 15%	5 10%	5 6%	18 17%	16 20%	4 6%	3 7%	10 15%	12 15%	11 21%
NET: Unlikely	173 25%	5 21%	13 25%	12 23%	13 17%	24 22%	23 29%	20 29%	10 21%	15 24%	21 28%	17 32%
Don't know	16 2%	- -	2 3%	- -	2 2%	1 1%	4 5%	1 1%	2 4%	2 4%	2 2%	1 1%
Mean	0.17	0.15	0.19	0.04	0.27	0.27	0.16	0.18	0.52	0.18	0.09	-0.26
Standard deviation	1.24	1.14	1.29	1.02	1.02	1.35	1.41	1.15	1.20	1.29	1.28	1.17
Standard error	0.05	0.22	0.17	0.14	0.12	0.13	0.16	0.14	0.18	0.16	0.14	0.15

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Table 14

Q.12 If tyres were labelled according to their noise ratings, how likely or unlikely would you be to buy quieter tyres?
Base: All respondents who currently own a car

	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Unweighted base	735	8	405	258	64	282	302	33	65	6	21	338	107	270	227	485
Weighted base	696	8	344	264	80	246	316	47	52	5	15	361	98	225	233	449
NET: Likely	269	3	142	102	21	105	116	15	19	2	6	119	37	108	83	181
	39%	37%	41%	39%	27%	43%	37%	32%	36%	47%	41%	33%	38%	48%	36%	40%
Very likely to buy quieter tyres	(+2) 110	2	62	41	6	44	47	10	4	1	2	48	8	51	34	73
	16%	22%	18%	15%	8%	18%	15%	22%	7%	14%	14%	13%	8%	23%	15%	16%
Fairly likely to buy quieter tyres	(+1) 159	1	81	61	15	61	69	5	15	2	4	71	29	57	49	107
	23%	15%	24%	23%	19%	25%	22%	10%	29%	33%	27%	20%	30%	25%	21%	24%
It would make no difference	(0) 238	4	109	99	26	75	109	25	15	2	5	134	36	64	84	149
	34%	52%	32%	38%	32%	31%	34%	54%	28%	46%	37%	37%	37%	28%	36%	33%
Fairly unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-1) 78	-	37	26	16	31	33	5	6	-	2	45	13	20	30	48
	11%	-	11%	10%	19%	13%	11%	10%	11%	-	14%	12%	13%	9%	13%	11%
Very unlikely to buy quieter tyres	(-2) 94	1	46	31	16	27	52	2	10	*	1	57	10	28	34	59
	14%	12%	13%	12%	20%	11%	17%	4%	20%	7%	8%	16%	10%	12%	14%	13%
NET: Unlikely	173	1	83	56	32	58	85	7	16	*	3	101	22	48	63	108
	25%	12%	24%	21%	40%	24%	27%	15%	31%	7%	22%	28%	23%	21%	27%	24%
Don't know	16	-	9	6	1	7	6	-	2	-	-	7	3	5	3	12
	2%	-	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	-	4%	-	-	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%
Mean	0.17	0.35	0.22	0.22	-0.26	0.27	0.08	0.35	-0.08	0.47	0.25	0.03	0.14	0.38	0.09	0.20
Standard deviation	1.24	1.25	1.26	1.18	1.22	1.23	1.27	1.07	1.26	1.10	1.14	1.23	1.08	1.28	1.23	1.24
Standard error	0.05	0.44	0.06	0.07	0.15	0.07	0.07	0.19	0.16	0.45	0.25	0.07	0.11	0.08	0.08	0.06

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	Gender			Age						Social Grade				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	1002	499	503	75	132	181	206	177	231	335	254	149	264	260	261	249	142	90
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Gender																		
Male	481 48%	481 100%	- -	61 52%	68 43%	104 52%	99 59%	60 40%	89 43%	144 55%	140 48%	107 51%	90 37%	126 48%	127 48%	117 47%	71 50%	39 45%
Female	521 52%	- -	521 100%	58 48%	91 57%	95 48%	70 41%	89 60%	119 57%	117 45%	150 52%	103 49%	151 63%	136 52%	135 52%	130 53%	70 50%	49 55%
Age																		
18-24	(21) 12%	119 13%	61 11%	58 100%	119 -	- -	- -	- -	- -	30 11%	45 16%	22 10%	23 9%	37 14%	27 10%	29 12%	16 12%	9 11%
25-34	(29.5) 16%	159 14%	68 17%	91 -	- 100%	159 -	- -	- -	- -	49 19%	55 19%	30 14%	25 10%	49 19%	33 13%	39 16%	22 15%	16 18%
35-44	(39.5) 20%	198 22%	104 18%	95 -	- -	198 100%	- -	- -	- -	53 20%	73 25%	46 22%	26 11%	50 19%	69 26%	32 13%	25 18%	22 25%
45-54	(49.5) 17%	169 21%	99 13%	70 -	- -	- -	169 100%	- -	- -	56 21%	48 16%	37 17%	29 12%	45 17%	39 15%	44 18%	26 19%	15 16%
55-64	(59.5) 15%	149 12%	60 17%	89 -	- -	- -	- -	149 100%	- -	39 15%	30 10%	37 18%	42 18%	29 11%	42 16%	40 16%	26 18%	13 14%
65+	(70) 21%	208 19%	89 23%	119 -	- -	- -	- -	- -	208 100%	35 13%	39 13%	38 18%	96 40%	54 20%	53 20%	62 25%	26 18%	13 15%
Average age	46.71	45.92	47.45	21.00	29.50	39.50	49.50	59.50	70.00	44.76	42.52	47.02	53.64	45.14	47.15	48.49	46.94	44.75

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
<u>Social Grade</u>																		
AB	261	144	117	30	49	53	56	39	35	261	-	-	-	84	58	62	38	19
	26%	30%	22%	25%	31%	27%	33%	26%	17%	100%	-	-	-	32%	22%	25%	27%	21%
C1	291	140	150	45	55	73	48	30	39	-	291	-	-	90	64	69	40	27
	29%	29%	29%	38%	35%	37%	28%	20%	19%	-	100%	-	-	34%	24%	28%	28%	31%
C2	210	107	103	22	30	46	37	37	38	-	-	210	-	46	70	52	29	14
	21%	22%	20%	18%	19%	23%	22%	25%	18%	-	-	100%	-	17%	27%	21%	21%	16%
DE	240	90	151	23	25	26	29	42	96	-	-	-	240	42	71	65	34	29
	24%	19%	29%	19%	16%	13%	17%	28%	46%	-	-	-	100%	16%	27%	26%	24%	32%
<u>Region</u>																		
North	336	156	179	39	55	55	59	53	75	80	96	65	94	-	-	247	-	88
	34%	33%	34%	32%	35%	28%	35%	36%	36%	31%	33%	31%	39%	-	-	100%	-	100%
Midlands	315	156	159	30	39	81	48	53	64	73	75	81	86	-	263	-	52	-
	31%	32%	30%	25%	24%	41%	29%	36%	31%	28%	26%	38%	36%	-	100%	-	37%	-
South	352	169	183	51	65	63	61	43	69	108	120	64	60	263	-	-	89	-
	35%	35%	35%	43%	41%	32%	36%	29%	33%	41%	41%	30%	25%	100%	-	-	63%	-

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Working status																		
Full-time	451	291	160	49	105	126	110	51	11	159	163	96	33	118	122	105	65	40
	45%	60%	31%	41%	66%	63%	65%	34%	5%	61%	56%	45%	14%	45%	47%	42%	46%	46%
Part-time	120	28	93	19	13	35	22	21	10	27	38	34	21	36	26	27	19	12
	12%	6%	18%	16%	8%	18%	13%	14%	5%	10%	13%	16%	9%	14%	10%	11%	14%	14%
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	61	29	33	12	14	15	13	7	-	6	11	10	34	11	17	14	10	9
	6%	6%	6%	10%	9%	8%	8%	5%	-	2%	4%	5%	14%	4%	7%	6%	7%	10%
Not working/not seeking work	59	11	48	6	17	14	13	9	-	10	10	15	24	16	19	6	12	7
	6%	2%	9%	5%	11%	7%	8%	6%	-	4%	4%	7%	10%	6%	7%	2%	8%	8%
Retired	246	96	150	-	-	-	5	58	183	45	44	44	113	58	64	77	33	14
	25%	20%	29%	-	-	-	3%	39%	88%	17%	15%	21%	47%	22%	24%	31%	23%	16%
Student	49	19	30	32	8	6	4	-	-	7	21	10	11	17	11	19	-	3
	5%	4%	6%	27%	5%	3%	2%	-	-	3%	7%	5%	5%	6%	4%	7%	-	3%
Refused	15	7	8	1	1	3	2	3	5	5	3	2	4	7	3	-	3	2
	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	-	2%	3%

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Tenure																		
Own outright	327 33%	150 31%	178 34%	16 13%	6 4%	22 11%	52 31%	82 55%	150 72%	89 34%	75 26%	75 36%	89 37%	78 30%	88 33%	95 38%	45 32%	22 25%
Own with a mortgage	387 39%	216 45%	171 33%	58 49%	90 57%	118 60%	83 49%	32 22%	6 3%	128 49%	141 49%	82 39%	35 15%	104 40%	104 40%	82 33%	60 42%	38 43%
Council	129 13%	40 8%	89 17%	11 9%	23 14%	28 14%	12 7%	22 15%	33 16%	8 3%	19 7%	24 11%	77 32%	21 8%	39 15%	43 17%	13 9%	13 15%
Housing Assoc.	41 4%	17 4%	24 5%	7 6%	9 6%	6 3%	8 4%	5 3%	7 3%	5 2%	19 7%	4 2%	12 5%	12 4%	7 3%	11 4%	5 4%	6 7%
Rented from someone else	84 8%	43 9%	41 8%	20 17%	24 15%	20 10%	13 8%	3 2%	5 2%	21 8%	24 8%	18 9%	21 9%	36 14%	16 6%	13 5%	13 9%	6 7%
Rent free	6 1%	4 1%	3 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 *	2 1%	- -	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -
Refused	27 3%	12 2%	15 3%	6 5%	5 3%	3 2%	2 1%	4 3%	7 3%	7 3%	10 4%	4 2%	6 2%	10 4%	6 2%	3 1%	4 3%	4 4%

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Foreign Holiday in last 3 years																		
Yes	601	293	308	74	99	125	99	97	107	201	195	116	89	174	152	151	79	45
	60%	61%	59%	62%	63%	63%	59%	65%	51%	77%	67%	55%	37%	66%	58%	61%	56%	52%
No	401	188	213	45	59	73	70	52	101	59	95	95	151	89	111	96	63	43
	40%	39%	41%	38%	37%	37%	41%	35%	49%	23%	33%	45%	63%	34%	42%	39%	44%	48%
Number of cars																		
None	208	71	138	24	36	26	25	27	71	19	64	22	104	49	46	70	18	25
	21%	15%	26%	20%	23%	13%	15%	18%	34%	7%	22%	10%	43%	19%	18%	28%	13%	29%
1	417	205	212	35	66	82	58	67	108	101	111	104	101	114	116	93	55	38
	42%	43%	41%	29%	42%	41%	34%	45%	52%	39%	38%	49%	42%	44%	44%	38%	39%	43%
2	288	147	141	37	46	72	65	39	29	108	96	54	30	70	81	73	47	16
	29%	31%	27%	31%	29%	36%	39%	26%	14%	42%	33%	26%	12%	27%	31%	29%	33%	18%
3+	89	59	31	24	10	18	20	16	1	33	21	30	6	29	18	12	21	9
	9%	12%	6%	20%	6%	9%	12%	10%	*	13%	7%	14%	2%	11%	7%	5%	15%	10%

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Internet Access																		
At all	807	412	395	118	152	187	151	109	91	239	262	168	139	224	202	189	120	72
	81%	86%	76%	99%	96%	94%	89%	74%	44%	92%	90%	80%	58%	85%	77%	76%	85%	81%
At home (net)	749	382	367	114	149	173	138	97	79	229	249	151	120	216	184	170	111	67
	75%	79%	70%	96%	94%	87%	82%	65%	38%	88%	86%	72%	50%	82%	70%	69%	79%	76%
At work (net)	396	214	183	51	90	114	92	39	11	152	150	78	17	124	91	99	47	35
	40%	44%	35%	43%	57%	57%	54%	26%	5%	58%	51%	37%	7%	47%	35%	40%	34%	40%
At home	387	187	200	67	61	66	54	68	72	84	110	85	108	96	105	83	70	34
	39%	39%	38%	56%	38%	33%	32%	46%	35%	32%	38%	40%	45%	37%	40%	33%	50%	38%
At work	34	19	15	4	1	7	8	10	5	7	11	13	4	4	11	11	6	2
	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	3%	5%	7%	2%	3%	4%	6%	2%	1%	4%	4%	4%	2%
Both at home and at work	362	195	167	47	89	107	84	29	7	145	139	66	12	121	80	88	41	33
	36%	41%	32%	40%	56%	54%	50%	19%	3%	56%	48%	31%	5%	46%	30%	35%	29%	38%
Somewhere else	24	11	13	-	1	8	5	3	7	3	2	5	14	4	6	8	3	3
	2%	2%	2%	-	1%	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	6%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%
Not at all	193	69	125	1	6	12	18	39	118	21	29	42	101	37	60	58	21	17
	19%	14%	24%	1%	4%	6%	11%	26%	56%	8%	10%	20%	42%	14%	23%	24%	15%	19%
Refused	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
	*	-	*	-	1%	-	-	*	-	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	*	-

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Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
What is the highest educational level that you have achieved to date?																		
Secondary/ high school/ NVQ 1-3	517 52%	233 48%	284 55%	84 70%	64 40%	96 49%	82 48%	77 52%	114 55%	78 30%	157 54%	138 66%	143 60%	121 46%	151 58%	129 52%	69 49%	47 53%
University degree or equivalent professional qualification/ NVQ4	280 28%	145 30%	136 26%	24 20%	62 39%	63 32%	52 31%	35 23%	44 21%	116 44%	96 33%	37 18%	32 13%	83 32%	62 24%	67 27%	47 33%	22 25%
Higher university degree/ Doctorate/ MBA/ NVQ 5 or equivalent	80 8%	47 10%	33 6%	6 5%	23 14%	18 9%	19 11%	9 6%	6 3%	49 19%	19 7%	5 2%	7 3%	29 11%	16 6%	20 8%	9 7%	5 6%
No formal education	102 10%	46 9%	56 11%	4 3%	7 4%	16 8%	13 8%	25 17%	35 17%	11 4%	14 5%	26 13%	51 21%	20 8%	32 12%	28 11%	11 8%	11 13%
None of these	6 1%	4 1%	2 *	- -	2 1%	1 1%	1 *	1 *	2 1%	2 1%	1 *	2 1%	2 1%	3 1%	- -	1 *	2 2%	- -
Refused	17 2%	7 1%	10 2%	1 1%	1 1%	3 2%	2 1%	3 2%	6 3%	5 2%	4 1%	2 1%	6 3%	7 3%	2 1%	1 1%	3 2%	3 3%

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	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Marital Status																		
Single	240 24%	133 28%	107 21%	84 71%	51 32%	37 19%	33 19%	9 6%	26 12%	54 21%	83 29%	41 19%	62 26%	71 27%	52 20%	62 25%	24 17%	31 35%
Married/ co-habiting	585 58%	284 59%	301 58%	32 27%	100 63%	139 70%	116 69%	104 70%	94 45%	177 68%	170 59%	135 64%	103 43%	145 55%	160 61%	139 56%	100 71%	42 48%
Widowed/ separated/ divorced	160 16%	56 12%	104 20%	2 2%	6 4%	19 10%	17 10%	32 22%	83 40%	23 9%	34 12%	32 15%	71 29%	38 15%	47 18%	47 19%	15 10%	13 15%
Refused	17 2%	8 2%	8 2%	1 1%	1 1%	3 1%	3 2%	4 2%	5 2%	6 2%	3 1%	2 1%	5 2%	8 3%	3 1%	- -	3 2%	2 3%
Children																		
None aged 18 or under	677 68%	326 68%	351 67%	104 87%	85 54%	46 23%	102 61%	139 93%	201 97%	169 65%	188 65%	138 65%	182 76%	175 67%	170 65%	188 76%	88 63%	55 62%
NET: Yes	304 30%	145 30%	159 30%	13 11%	72 46%	147 74%	64 38%	6 4%	1 1%	85 33%	97 33%	71 34%	51 21%	77 29%	87 33%	59 24%	50 35%	31 35%
NET: Yes any aged 15 or under	275 27%	126 26%	149 29%	11 9%	72 46%	139 70%	47 28%	4 3%	1 1%	75 29%	89 31%	62 30%	48 20%	72 27%	80 30%	51 21%	42 30%	30 34%
- Aged under 5	105 10%	43 9%	61 12%	6 5%	49 31%	44 22%	4 2%	1 1%	- -	33 13%	34 12%	22 11%	15 6%	35 13%	34 13%	13 5%	18 13%	5 6%
- Aged 5-10	143 14%	58 12%	86 16%	6 5%	34 21%	85 43%	16 9%	2 2%	- -	35 13%	50 17%	34 16%	24 10%	32 12%	48 18%	28 11%	21 15%	14 16%
- Aged 11-15	122 12%	57 12%	65 12%	- -	21 13%	59 30%	39 23%	2 1%	1 1%	26 10%	35 12%	33 16%	27 11%	30 11%	33 12%	24 10%	19 13%	16 18%
- Aged 16-18	68 7%	38 8%	29 6%	2 2%	- -	30 15%	33 20%	2 2%	- -	22 8%	18 6%	18 9%	9 4%	17 6%	18 7%	18 7%	10 7%	5 5%
Refused	21 2%	9 2%	12 2%	2 2%	1 1%	5 3%	2 1%	5 3%	6 3%	6 2%	5 2%	2 1%	8 3%	10 4%	5 2%	1 *	3 2%	2 3%

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	Gender		Age						Social Grade				Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Weighted base	1002	481	521	119	159	198	169	149	208	261	291	210	240	263	263	247	141	88
Grocery shopping status																		
Yes - do half or more	755	294	461	60	129	150	119	124	172	176	231	151	196	204	194	195	96	65
	75%	61%	88%	50%	81%	76%	71%	83%	83%	67%	80%	72%	82%	78%	74%	79%	68%	74%
No - do less than half	238	183	55	58	28	48	48	23	33	82	56	59	41	52	67	52	45	21
	24%	38%	11%	49%	18%	24%	28%	15%	16%	31%	19%	28%	17%	20%	26%	21%	32%	24%
Refused	10	4	5	1	1	*	1	2	3	3	3	-	3	6	1	-	1	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	-	*	2%

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	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Unweighted base	1002	45	85	77	91	135	125	90	52	93	119	90
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
Gender												
Male	481 48%	24 53%	48 56%	44 58%	44 48%	62 46%	64 50%	43 48%	29 55%	39 42%	45 39%	39 45%
Female	521 52%	21 47%	38 44%	32 42%	48 52%	73 54%	64 50%	46 52%	24 45%	55 58%	71 61%	49 55%
Age												
18-24	(21) 119 12%	6 13%	10 12%	5 7%	4 4%	15 11%	22 17%	14 15%	3 5%	18 19%	13 11%	9 11%
25-34	(29.5) 159 16%	5 11%	12 14%	7 10%	12 14%	23 17%	26 20%	16 18%	6 11%	13 14%	22 19%	16 18%
35-44	(39.5) 198 20%	8 18%	8 9%	20 26%	25 27%	23 17%	27 21%	13 15%	11 22%	25 26%	16 14%	22 25%
45-54	(49.5) 169 17%	6 13%	20 23%	11 14%	16 18%	23 17%	22 17%	17 19%	10 19%	11 12%	18 16%	15 16%
55-64	(59.5) 149 15%	10 22%	14 17%	12 16%	18 19%	19 14%	10 8%	14 16%	11 22%	12 12%	16 14%	13 14%
65+	(70) 208 21%	11 24%	21 25%	20 27%	17 19%	33 24%	21 16%	15 17%	11 21%	15 16%	31 26%	13 15%
Average age	46.71	48.78	49.08	50.05	48.71	47.67	42.46	45.13	50.05	43.29	47.94	44.75

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Social Grade</u>												
AB	261 26%	8 18%	14 16%	18 24%	20 22%	44 32%	41 32%	23 26%	15 28%	20 21%	40 34%	19 21%
C1	291 29%	9 21%	22 26%	19 25%	24 26%	40 30%	50 39%	29 33%	11 20%	22 23%	37 32%	27 31%
C2	210 21%	13 29%	21 24%	23 31%	26 28%	24 18%	22 17%	19 21%	11 21%	21 22%	18 15%	14 16%
DE	240 24%	14 32%	29 34%	16 21%	22 24%	27 20%	15 12%	18 20%	16 30%	32 34%	22 19%	29 32%
<u>Region</u>												
North	336 34%	45 100%	86 100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	116 100%	88 100%
Midlands	315 31%	-	-	76 100%	92 100%	-	-	-	52 100%	94 100%	-	-
South	352 35%	-	-	-	-	135 100%	127 100%	89 100%	-	-	-	-

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Working status</u>												
Full-time	451 45%	18 40%	39 46%	36 47%	49 53%	58 43%	61 48%	46 52%	19 36%	37 39%	48 41%	40 46%
Part-time	120 12%	4 9%	8 9%	5 7%	14 16%	18 13%	18 14%	13 15%	6 11%	6 7%	15 13%	12 14%
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	61 6%	4 9%	4 5%	3 4%	3 3%	8 6%	3 3%	6 6%	4 8%	11 12%	6 5%	9 10%
Not working/not seeking work	59 6%	2 4%	3 3%	5 7%	2 2%	9 6%	7 6%	7 8%	5 9%	11 12%	2 1%	7 8%
Retired	246 25%	16 35%	29 33%	26 34%	20 21%	37 27%	21 16%	15 17%	18 34%	19 20%	33 28%	14 16%
Student	49 5%	2 4%	4 4%	1 1%	2 2%	2 1%	15 12%	- -	- -	8 9%	13 11%	3 3%
Refused	15 2%	- -	- -	- -	2 2%	5 3%	2 2%	2 2%	1 2%	1 1%	- -	2 3%

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
Tenure												
Own outright	327 33%	13 29%	32 37%	25 33%	37 40%	46 34%	31 25%	27 30%	19 36%	26 27%	50 43%	22 25%
Own with a mortgage	387 39%	14 32%	28 33%	35 46%	33 36%	47 34%	57 45%	41 46%	19 36%	36 38%	40 34%	38 43%
Council	129 13%	12 26%	16 19%	7 10%	8 9%	13 10%	7 6%	4 5%	8 16%	24 25%	14 12%	13 15%
Housing Assoc.	41 4%	3 7%	2 3%	3 4%	1 1%	5 4%	7 5%	5 5%	1 2%	3 4%	6 5%	6 7%
Rented from someone else	84 8%	1 3%	6 7%	4 5%	9 10%	19 14%	18 14%	9 10%	4 8%	3 3%	5 4%	6 7%
Rent free	6 1%	- -	1 2%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	1 2%	1 1%	- -	- -
Refused	27 3%	1 3%	- -	2 2%	4 4%	5 3%	6 5%	3 3%	1 2%	1 1%	1 1%	4 4%

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Foreign Holiday in last 3 years</u>												
Yes	601 60%	31 68%	50 58%	44 58%	56 61%	82 61%	91 72%	49 55%	30 57%	52 55%	71 61%	45 52%
No	401 40%	14 32%	36 42%	32 42%	36 39%	53 39%	36 28%	40 45%	22 43%	42 45%	45 39%	43 48%
<u>Number of cars</u>												
None	208 21%	16 36%	27 32%	13 17%	10 11%	22 16%	27 21%	14 16%	4 7%	23 24%	26 22%	25 29%
1	417 42%	16 36%	30 35%	36 47%	43 47%	57 42%	57 45%	32 36%	23 45%	38 40%	47 40%	38 43%
2	288 29%	10 22%	24 28%	24 32%	31 34%	39 29%	32 25%	30 33%	18 34%	26 28%	39 33%	16 18%
3+	89 9%	3 7%	4 5%	3 4%	8 9%	17 13%	12 9%	13 15%	8 15%	7 8%	4 4%	9 10%

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Internet Access</u>												
At all	807 81%	35 77%	62 72%	58 76%	69 75%	111 82%	113 89%	77 86%	43 83%	75 80%	92 80%	72 81%
At home (net)	749 75%	28 62%	56 65%	50 66%	62 67%	107 79%	110 86%	71 80%	40 77%	73 77%	86 74%	67 76%
At work (net)	396 40%	18 39%	35 41%	22 29%	41 45%	59 43%	66 52%	35 39%	13 25%	27 29%	46 39%	35 40%
At home	387 39%	15 34%	25 29%	33 43%	24 26%	50 37%	46 36%	41 46%	29 56%	47 50%	42 36%	34 38%
At work	34 3%	5 12%	4 5%	5 7%	4 4%	2 1%	2 2%	4 5%	2 4%	2 2%	1 1%	2 2%
Both at home and at work	362 36%	12 27%	31 36%	17 22%	37 41%	57 42%	64 50%	30 34%	11 21%	25 27%	44 38%	33 38%
Somewhere else	24 2%	2 4%	2 2%	3 3%	4 4%	2 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 3%	* *	5 4%	3 3%
Not at all	193 19%	10 23%	24 28%	18 24%	23 25%	24 17%	14 11%	12 13%	9 17%	19 20%	24 20%	17 19%
Refused	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>What is the highest educational level that you have achieved to date?</u>												
Secondary/ high school/ NVQ 1-3	517 52%	23 50%	47 54%	51 67%	41 44%	63 47%	58 45%	39 44%	30 57%	59 63%	60 51%	47 53%
University degree or equivalent professional qualification/ NVQ4	280 28%	12 27%	24 28%	16 20%	26 28%	36 27%	47 37%	33 37%	14 27%	20 22%	31 26%	22 25%
Higher university degree/ Doctorate/ MBA/ NVQ 5 or equivalent	80 8%	1 2%	7 8%	2 3%	8 8%	12 9%	17 13%	4 5%	5 10%	6 6%	13 11%	5 6%
No formal education	102 10%	9 19%	8 9%	6 8%	17 19%	17 12%	3 2%	9 10%	2 4%	8 9%	12 10%	11 13%
None of these	6 1%	- -	- -	- -	- -	3 2%	- -	2 3%	- -	- -	1 1%	- -
Refused	17 2%	1 2%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	5 3%	3 2%	2 3%	1 2%	* 1%	1 1%	3 3%

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	Total	Region										
		North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Marital Status</u>												
Single	240 24%	12 27%	23 27%	14 18%	10 11%	29 21%	43 34%	16 18%	8 15%	28 30%	26 23%	31 35%
Married/ co-habiting	585 58%	23 51%	51 59%	44 58%	66 71%	79 58%	66 52%	60 67%	40 77%	50 53%	65 56%	42 48%
Widowed/ separated/ divorced	160 16%	10 22%	12 14%	17 23%	14 16%	23 17%	15 12%	11 13%	3 6%	15 16%	25 21%	13 15%
Refused	17 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	2 2%	5 3%	3 3%	2 2%	1 2%	1 1%	- -	2 3%
<u>Children</u>												
None aged 18 or under	677 68%	34 75%	73 84%	52 68%	60 65%	86 64%	89 70%	57 64%	31 60%	59 63%	82 70%	55 62%
NET: Yes	304 30%	11 25%	14 16%	24 32%	30 33%	45 33%	33 26%	30 34%	20 38%	33 35%	34 29%	31 35%
NET: Yes any aged 15 or under	275 27%	11 25%	11 12%	20 27%	27 29%	42 31%	30 23%	25 28%	17 34%	32 34%	29 25%	30 34%
- Aged under 5	105 10%	2 5%	2 2%	7 9%	13 14%	20 15%	15 12%	12 13%	6 12%	14 15%	8 7%	5 6%
- Aged 5-10	143 14%	6 14%	6 6%	10 14%	19 21%	16 12%	16 13%	11 13%	10 19%	18 19%	17 14%	14 16%
- Aged 11-15	122 12%	4 10%	7 8%	8 10%	13 14%	23 17%	7 5%	8 9%	11 20%	12 12%	13 11%	16 18%
- Aged 16-18	68 7%	1 1%	4 5%	9 11%	4 4%	9 7%	7 6%	6 7%	4 9%	5 6%	14 12%	5 5%
Refused	21 2%	- -	- -	1 1%	2 2%	5 3%	6 4%	2 2%	1 2%	3 3%	1 *	2 3%

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	Region											
	Total	North East	Yorks & Humb.	East Midlands	East-ern	South East	London	South West	Wales	West Mid-lands	North West	Scot-land
Weighted base	1002	45	86	76	92	135	127	89	52	94	116	88
<u>Grocery shopping status</u>												
Yes - do half or more	755 75%	37 82%	66 76%	58 77%	65 71%	107 79%	98 77%	63 70%	33 64%	70 75%	93 80%	65 74%
No - do less than half	238 24%	8 18%	20 24%	17 23%	26 28%	24 18%	28 22%	26 29%	19 36%	24 25%	24 20%	21 24%
Refused	10 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	1 1%	4 3%	2 2%	1 1%	- -	- -	- -	1 2%

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	Total	Cars in household				Tenure						Working status			Children in Household		
		None	1	2	3+	Own outright	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No	
Unweighted base	1002	177	476	279	70	361	359	81	102	8	54	408	129	440	283	688	
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677	
Gender																	
Male	481 48%	71 34%	205 49%	147 51%	59 66%	150 46%	216 56%	40 31%	43 51%	4 56%	17 42%	291 64%	28 23%	155 37%	145 48%	326 48%	
Female	521 52%	138 66%	212 51%	141 49%	31 34%	178 54%	171 44%	89 69%	41 49%	3 44%	24 58%	160 36%	93 77%	260 63%	159 52%	351 52%	
Age																	
18-24	(21) 12%	119 11%	24 8%	35 13%	37 27%	24 5%	16 15%	58 9%	11 24%	20 14%	1 18%	7 11%	49 16%	19 12%	50 4%	13 15%	104 15%
25-34	(29.5) 16%	159 17%	36 16%	66 16%	46 11%	10 2%	6 23%	90 18%	23 29%	24 24%	1 22%	9 23%	105 11%	13 9%	39 24%	72 13%	85 13%
35-44	(39.5) 20%	198 20%	26 13%	82 20%	72 25%	18 20%	22 7%	118 31%	28 22%	20 23%	1 21%	6 14%	126 28%	35 29%	35 8%	147 48%	46 7%
45-54	(49.5) 17%	169 17%	25 12%	58 14%	65 23%	20 23%	52 16%	83 21%	12 9%	13 15%	- -	8 18%	110 24%	22 19%	35 8%	64 21%	102 15%
55-64	(59.5) 15%	149 15%	27 13%	67 16%	39 13%	16 17%	82 25%	32 8%	22 17%	3 3%	1 16%	5 11%	51 11%	21 18%	74 18%	6 2%	139 20%
65+	(70) 21%	208 21%	71 34%	108 26%	29 10%	1 1%	150 46%	6 2%	33 26%	5 5%	2 25%	7 17%	11 2%	10 8%	183 44%	1 *	201 30%
Average age	46.71	49.86	48.90	43.52	39.46	59.00	38.68	48.32	36.06	45.33	43.20	40.60	43.29	54.14	38.96	50.09	

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	Cars in household					Tenure					Working status			Children in Household		
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
<u>Social Grade</u>																
AB	261 26%	19 9%	101 24%	108 38%	33 37%	89 27%	128 33%	8 6%	21 25%	3 53%	5 13%	159 35%	27 23%	69 17%	85 28%	169 25%
C1	291 29%	64 31%	111 27%	96 33%	21 23%	75 23%	141 37%	19 15%	24 29%	1 9%	19 47%	163 36%	38 31%	86 21%	97 32%	188 28%
C2	210 21%	22 10%	104 25%	54 19%	30 34%	75 23%	82 21%	24 19%	18 22%	2 38%	4 10%	96 21%	34 29%	78 19%	71 23%	138 20%
DE	240 24%	104 50%	101 24%	30 10%	6 6%	89 27%	35 9%	77 60%	21 25%	-	12 29%	33 7%	21 18%	182 44%	51 17%	182 27%
<u>Region</u>																
North	336 34%	95 46%	131 31%	89 31%	21 23%	116 36%	120 31%	56 43%	19 22%	1 24%	17 42%	145 32%	39 33%	149 36%	90 30%	243 36%
Midlands	315 31%	50 24%	140 34%	99 34%	26 29%	106 32%	123 32%	48 37%	20 24%	3 46%	8 18%	141 31%	32 26%	138 33%	107 35%	202 30%
South	352 35%	63 30%	146 35%	100 35%	42 47%	105 32%	145 37%	25 20%	46 54%	2 31%	16 40%	165 37%	49 41%	129 31%	107 35%	232 34%

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	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own out-right	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
<u>Working status</u>																
Full-time	451 45%	54 26%	176 42%	165 57%	56 62%	97 30%	256 66%	26 20%	49 58%	4 56%	13 32%	451 100%	- -	- -	162 53%	287 42%
Part-time	120 12%	9 4%	52 13%	44 15%	15 17%	35 11%	60 15%	10 8%	11 13%	- -	3 7%	- -	120 100%	- -	59 19%	60 9%
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	61 6%	28 13%	23 5%	7 2%	4 4%	9 3%	17 5%	21 16%	6 7%	- -	7 16%	- -	- -	61 15%	29 10%	30 4%
Not working/not seeking work	59 6%	16 8%	21 5%	15 5%	7 8%	9 3%	20 5%	20 16%	4 5%	1 9%	5 13%	- -	- -	59 14%	37 12%	22 3%
Retired	246 25%	81 39%	122 29%	40 14%	3 3%	173 53%	15 4%	42 32%	6 7%	1 20%	9 21%	- -	- -	246 59%	1 *	244 36%
Student	49 5%	16 8%	14 3%	14 5%	5 6%	5 1%	20 5%	10 8%	9 10%	1 14%	4 10%	- -	- -	49 12%	15 5%	34 5%
Refused	15 2%	4 2%	9 2%	2 1%	* *	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -

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	Cars in household					Tenure						Working status			Children in Household	
	Total	None	1	2	3+	Own outright	Own with a mortgage	Council rent	Other rent	Rent Free	Rent from Housing Assoc.	Work Full-time	Work Part-time	Not working	Yes	No
Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
Tenure																
Own outright	327 33%	56 27%	154 37%	95 33%	23 25%	327 100%	-	-	-	-	-	97 21%	35 29%	196 47%	33 11%	294 43%
Own with a mortgage	387 39%	31 15%	145 35%	157 54%	55 61%	-	387 100%	-	-	-	-	256 57%	60 50%	72 17%	181 60%	205 30%
Council	129 13%	69 33%	50 12%	4 2%	5 6%	-	-	129 100%	-	-	-	26 6%	10 8%	93 22%	48 16%	78 11%
Housing Assoc.	41 4%	23 11%	14 3%	3 1%	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	41 100%	13 3%	3 3%	25 6%	12 4%	29 4%
Rented from someone else	84 8%	21 10%	42 10%	18 6%	3 3%	-	-	-	84 100%	-	-	49 11%	11 9%	25 6%	27 9%	57 8%
Rent free	6 1%	-	1 *	3 1%	2 3%	-	-	-	-	6 100%	-	4 1%	-	3 1%	1 *	5 1%
Refused	27 3%	8 4%	11 3%	7 2%	1 2%	-	-	-	-	-	-	7 2%	2 2%	3 1%	1 *	8 1%

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Weighted base	1002	208	417	288	89	327	387	129	84	6	41	451	120	416	304	677
<u>Foreign Holiday in last 3 years</u>																
Yes	601	91	231	213	66	202	280	41	42	6	18	324	74	200	182	412
	60%	44%	55%	74%	74%	62%	72%	32%	50%	90%	44%	72%	61%	48%	60%	61%
No	401	117	186	75	23	126	107	87	42	1	23	127	46	215	122	265
	40%	56%	45%	26%	26%	38%	28%	68%	50%	10%	56%	28%	39%	52%	40%	39%
<u>Number of cars</u>																
None	208	208	-	-	-	56	31	69	21	-	23	54	9	142	47	155
	21%	100%	-	-	-	17%	8%	54%	25%	-	56%	12%	7%	34%	16%	23%
1	417	-	417	-	-	154	145	50	42	1	14	176	52	180	100	306
	42%	-	100%	-	-	47%	37%	39%	50%	15%	35%	39%	43%	43%	33%	45%
2	288	-	-	288	-	95	157	4	18	3	3	165	44	76	124	161
	29%	-	-	100%	-	29%	41%	3%	22%	49%	8%	37%	37%	18%	41%	24%
3+	89	-	-	-	89	23	55	5	3	2	1	56	15	18	33	56
	9%	-	-	-	100%	7%	14%	4%	3%	37%	1%	12%	13%	4%	11%	8%

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<u>Internet Access</u>																
At all	807	119	332	272	84	224	368	85	73	6	34	433	105	263	290	507
	81%	57%	80%	95%	95%	69%	95%	66%	87%	88%	82%	96%	87%	63%	95%	75%
At home (net)	749	105	299	264	81	208	356	67	68	3	31	403	99	242	275	465
	75%	51%	72%	92%	90%	63%	92%	52%	81%	54%	77%	89%	82%	58%	91%	69%
At work (net)	396	44	144	160	48	82	228	24	41	2	11	314	54	24	145	247
	40%	21%	34%	56%	54%	25%	59%	19%	48%	35%	26%	70%	45%	6%	48%	37%
At home	387	65	176	111	35	136	138	49	30	3	23	115	50	219	135	246
	39%	31%	42%	39%	39%	42%	36%	38%	36%	54%	56%	26%	42%	53%	45%	36%
At work	34	4	20	8	2	10	10	6	3	2	2	27	6	1	5	29
	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%	35%	5%	6%	5%	*	2%	4%
Both at home and at work	362	40	124	152	46	72	218	18	38	-	9	287	49	23	140	219
	36%	19%	30%	53%	52%	22%	56%	14%	45%	-	21%	64%	40%	6%	46%	32%
Somewhere else	24	10	12	1	1	6	3	12	2	-	-	3	-	20	9	14
	2%	5%	3%	*	2%	2%	1%	9%	3%	-	-	1%	-	5%	3%	2%
Not at all	193	88	85	15	5	103	19	44	11	1	8	18	16	152	14	170
	19%	42%	20%	5%	5%	31%	5%	34%	13%	12%	18%	4%	13%	37%	5%	25%
Refused	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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What is the highest educational level that you have achieved to date?																
Secondary/ high school/ NVQ 1-3	517 52%	111 54%	220 53%	130 45%	56 62%	168 51%	198 51%	84 65%	35 42%	4 60%	21 52%	191 42%	74 61%	251 60%	152 50%	361 53%
University degree or equivalent professional qualification/ NVQ4	280 28%	46 22%	113 27%	100 35%	21 24%	96 29%	127 33%	11 8%	28 33%	2 34%	13 31%	174 38%	28 23%	78 19%	85 28%	192 28%
Higher university degree/ Doctorate/ MBA/ NVQ 5 or equivalent	80 8%	11 5%	27 7%	36 12%	5 6%	21 6%	39 10%	5 4%	13 16%	* 5%	1 2%	56 12%	8 7%	16 4%	29 10%	50 7%
No formal education	102 10%	31 15%	46 11%	19 7%	7 7%	38 12%	20 5%	29 22%	7 8%	-	6 14%	27 6%	10 8%	64 15%	33 11%	67 10%
None of these	6 1%	3 1%	2 1%	1 *	-	3 1%	3 1%	-	-	-	1 1%	2 *	1 *	4 1%	3 1%	3 *
Refused	17 2%	6 3%	9 2%	2 1%	* *	2 1%	-	-	1 1%	-	-	1 *	* *	3 1%	1 *	2 *

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Marital Status																
Single	240 24%	86 41%	87 21%	45 16%	23 25%	58 18%	78 20%	42 32%	32 38%	3 44%	20 49%	111 25%	28 24%	101 24%	44 14%	197 29%
Married/ co-habiting	585 58%	51 25%	245 59%	229 80%	60 67%	188 57%	281 73%	57 44%	42 50%	3 45%	12 29%	305 68%	76 63%	204 49%	234 77%	348 51%
Widowed/ separated/ divorced	160 16%	66 32%	76 18%	11 4%	7 7%	81 25%	27 7%	30 24%	10 12%	1 12%	9 22%	34 8%	16 13%	110 26%	26 9%	132 19%
Refused	17 2%	5 3%	9 2%	2 1%	* *	- -	1 *	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *
Children																
None aged 18 or under	677 68%	155 74%	306 73%	161 56%	56 62%	294 90%	205 53%	78 60%	57 68%	5 85%	29 71%	287 64%	60 50%	330 79%	- -	677 100%
NET: Yes	304 30%	47 23%	100 24%	124 43%	33 37%	33 10%	181 47%	48 38%	27 32%	1 15%	12 29%	162 36%	59 49%	83 20%	304 100%	- -
NET: Yes any aged 15 or under	275 27%	45 22%	95 23%	110 38%	25 28%	25 8%	164 42%	47 37%	25 30%	1 9%	12 29%	142 31%	54 44%	80 19%	275 91%	- -
- Aged under 5	105 10%	14 7%	35 8%	47 16%	9 10%	9 3%	64 16%	18 14%	8 10%	1 9%	4 11%	50 11%	20 16%	35 8%	105 34%	- -
- Aged 5-10	143 14%	22 11%	56 13%	58 20%	8 9%	13 4%	80 21%	30 23%	12 14%	- -	8 20%	69 15%	31 26%	43 10%	143 47%	- -
- Aged 11-15	122 12%	22 11%	44 11%	42 14%	13 15%	14 4%	63 16%	26 20%	12 15%	- -	6 15%	59 13%	21 17%	41 10%	122 40%	- -
- Aged 16-18	68 7%	9 4%	15 4%	31 11%	13 14%	11 3%	39 10%	11 9%	4 5%	* 5%	2 4%	42 9%	13 10%	14 3%	68 22%	- -
Refused	21 2%	6 3%	11 3%	4 1%	* *	- -	1 *	3 2%	- -	- -	- -	2 *	1 1%	3 1%	- -	- -

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<u>Grocery shopping status</u>																
Yes - do half or more	755 75%	187 90%	333 80%	187 65%	49 55%	253 77%	273 71%	116 90%	66 79%	5 75%	35 86%	314 70%	101 84%	337 81%	229 75%	520 77%
No - do less than half	238 24%	17 8%	80 19%	100 35%	40 45%	75 23%	114 29%	12 10%	18 21%	2 25%	6 14%	137 30%	19 16%	78 19%	75 25%	157 23%
Refused	10 1%	4 2%	4 1%	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 *	-	-