

Deltapoll Survey Results

Prepared by Deltapoll for the Department for Business,
Energy and Industry Strategy

Sample Size: 1,031

Fieldwork: 6th-12th March 2023

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All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
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%	%	%	%

You have told us that you're either not working in paid employment at the moment or thinking about leaving paid employment early/retiring. Which one of the following best describes why you decided to stop working or are considering doing so?

To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	6	10	39
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	28	15	8
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	17	8	13
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	14	13	10
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	10	13	2
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	7	9	5
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	4	13	1
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	2	4	5
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	4	3	2
I became/am bored of my job	3	1	3	6
Other (please specify)	3	4	5	1
Don't know	1	2	1	2
No reason	3	1	2	5

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Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%

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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	19	17	19	19	20	15
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	17	18	17	17	19	17
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	18	8	9	6	15	21
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	11	13	14	16	11	9
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	2	15	14	8	6	7
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	7	8	7	9	7	6
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	8	4	5	9	5	6
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	3	4	3	3	4	4
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	2	4	4	5	2	2
I became/am bored of my job	3	4	3	4	3	5	3
Other (please specify)	3	3	4	4	2	2	6
Don't know	1	1	1	1	2	2	0
No reason	3	3	2	1	3	3	4

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	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	18	18	23	15	8	24	25
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	12	20	19	15	24	20	13
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	14	12	11	16	8	10	19
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	13	14	9	12	16	13	6
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	5	10	11	8	4	2	9
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	8	5	6	7	12	9	16
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	12	5	7	6	6	1	3
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	3	4	3	4	2	2	3
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	5	2	2	4	4	3	3
I became/am bored of my job	3	7	3	4	3	2	2	0
Other (please specify)	3	1	3	2	5	2	7	3
Don't know	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	0
No reason	3	3	3	1	3	10	3	0

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Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
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1031	542	481	517	506
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%	%	%	%	%

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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	13	24	27	10
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	23	12	11	24
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	9	17	19	7
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	15	9	9	16
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	11	6	6	11
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	6	8	7	8
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	7	5	3	9
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	4	4	4	3
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	3	3	2	4
I became/am bored of my job	3	2	5	5	2
Other (please specify)	3	3	4	4	2
Don't know	1	1	1	1	2
No reason	3	3	3	3	3

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Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	36	33	8	12	4	35	8
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	8	9	33	15	14	8	23
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	14	12	4	31	8	13	13
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	9	11	20	10	8	9	14
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	3	3	2	4	36	3	12
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	5	2	6	6	16	4	9
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	3	4	15	1	3	3	8
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	5	5	2	3	1	5	2
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	4	4	4	2	2	4	3
I became/am bored of my job	3	6	7	2	3	0	6	2
Other (please specify)	3	0	3	3	8	4	1	5
Don't know	1	2	2	0	1	1	2	1
No reason	3	5	4	1	2	3	5	2

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Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%

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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	18	18	29	21	0	25
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	18	9	5	0	50	6
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	13	9	12	7	50	12
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	12	9	10	29	0	13
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	9	0	10	0	0	6
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	7	0	7	0	0	4
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	5	9	12	21	0	13
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	3	18	2	7	0	6
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	3	9	2	14	0	6
I became/am bored of my job	3	4	0	2	0	0	1
Other (please specify)	3	3	9	2	0	0	3
Don't know	1	1	0	2	0	0	1
No reason	3	3	9	2	0	0	3

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	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	7	7	22	22	30	11	22	30
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	26	23	18	15	8	24	13	8
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	3	10	12	15	23	7	16	23
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	22	12	11	12	5	15	13	5
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	5	10	10	7	8	8	7	8
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	6	12	9	7	3	8	9	3
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	13	7	4	4	3	9	2	3
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	5	3	3	3	3	4	3	3
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	5	6	3	1	2	5	2	2
I became/am bored of my job	3	1	4	2	3	8	2	3	8
Other (please specify)	3	3	4	3	6	3	4	4	3
Don't know	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
No reason	3	2	1	1	7	3	2	4	3

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Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
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To achieve a better work-life balance/lifestyle change	18	19	32	6	9	27
For physical health or disability reasons not due to the COVID pandemic	17	14	11	27	34	3
My household's income was/is sufficient for a financially secure retirement/I no longer need/ed to work	13	21	11	4	6	19
For mental health or workplace stress reasons	12	11	7	18	20	6
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	8	5	12	10	5	11
To care for an elderly or ill relative	7	6	6	8	5	9
I lost/will lose my job and could not find another	6	5	3	9	7	5
I felt/feel I was not valued in my role	3	3	5	3	2	5
For physical health or disability reasons due to the COVID pandemic	3	2	1	6	6	0
I became/am bored of my job	3	3	6	2	1	6
Other (please specify)	3	5	2	2	2	4
Don't know	1	1	0	2	1	2
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Thinking about the decision to leave paid employment before your official retirement date, as far as you are concerned how easy a decision was it/will it be for you to make?

Very easy	21	33	16	13
Quite easy	32	29	28	39
Not very easy	28	19	33	33
Not easy at all	15	15	16	13
Don't know	5	5	7	2
Easy (All)	53	62	44	52
Not easy (All)	43	34	49	46
Net	+10	+28	-5	+6

How confident are you, if at all, that you have/will have enough income to last you through the rest of your life if you never worked another day of paid employment?

Very confident	12	18	8	10
Quite confident	33	35	21	43
Not very confident	27	21	27	34
Not confident at all	23	21	37	9
Don't know	5	5	7	4
Confident (All)	45	53	29	53
Not confident (All)	50	42	64	43
Net confidence	-5	+11	-35	+10

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	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
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Thinking about the decision to leave paid employment before your official retirement date, as far as you are concerned how easy a decision was it/will it be for you to make?

Very easy	21	23	18	21	17	20	26
Quite easy	32	33	30	31	27	36	33
Not very easy	28	25	31	29	32	25	25
Not easy at all	15	13	16	14	18	15	11
Don't know	5	6	4	5	7	3	4
Easy (All)	53	56	48	52	44	56	59
Not easy (All)	43	38	47	43	50	40	36
Net	+10	+18	+1	+9	-6	+16	+23

How confident are you, if at all, that you have/will have enough income to last you through the rest of your life if you never worked another day of paid employment?

Very confident	12	15	10	15	9	10	16
Quite confident	33	39	27	23	25	42	39
Not very confident	27	24	30	27	31	25	24
Not confident at all	23	19	27	29	29	19	15
Don't know	5	4	6	6	6	5	5
Confident (All)	45	54	37	38	34	52	55
Not confident (All)	50	43	57	56	60	44	39
Net confidence	-5	+11	-20	-18	-26	+8	+16

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Very easy	21	14	20	19	24	22	23	31
Quite easy	32	32	33	35	30	30	27	34
Not very easy	28	31	27	33	29	24	23	6
Not easy at all	15	15	17	7	14	12	22	28
Don't know	5	8	3	6	4	12	5	0
Easy (All)	53	46	53	54	54	52	50	65
Not easy (All)	43	46	44	40	43	36	45	34
Net	+10	0	+9	+14	+11	+16	+5	+31

How confident are you, if at all, that you have/will have enough income to last you through the rest of your life if you never worked another day of paid employment?

Very confident	12	14	13	12	15	4	9	3
Quite confident	33	30	33	27	37	28	38	38
Not very confident	27	25	29	31	17	30	36	28
Not confident at all	23	22	22	24	26	24	15	25
Don't know	5	9	3	5	6	14	1	6
Confident (All)	45	44	46	39	52	32	47	41
Not confident (All)	50	47	51	55	43	54	51	53
Net confidence	-5	-3	-5	-16	+9	-22	-4	-12

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Very easy	21	22	20	20	21
Quite easy	32	29	35	41	23
Not very easy	28	30	26	24	31
Not easy at all	15	14	16	13	17
Don't know	5	6	3	2	7
Easy (All)	53	51	55	61	44
Not easy (All)	43	44	42	37	48
Net	+10	+7	+13	+24	-4

How confident are you, if at all, that you have/will have enough income to last you through the rest of your life if you never worked another day of paid employment?

Very confident	12	9	16	16	8
Quite confident	33	30	36	41	25
Not very confident	27	27	26	28	25
Not confident at all	23	26	19	11	35
Don't know	5	7	3	5	5
Confident (All)	45	39	52	57	33
Not confident (All)	50	53	45	39	60
Net confidence	-5	-14	+7	+18	-27

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Very easy	21	17	20	16	34	22	18	22
Quite easy	32	38	38	22	37	28	38	28
Not very easy	28	28	30	31	18	30	29	27
Not easy at all	15	13	11	20	11	16	12	16
Don't know	5	4	1	11	1	4	3	6
Easy (All)	53	55	58	38	71	50	56	50
Not easy (All)	43	41	41	51	29	46	41	43
Net	+10	+14	+17	-13	+42	+4	+15	+7

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Very confident	12	15	13	5	23	8	14	11
Quite confident	33	45	33	19	49	20	42	28
Not very confident	27	29	36	23	18	32	31	24
Not confident at all	23	7	14	47	5	32	9	32
Don't know	5	4	4	6	4	8	4	6
Confident (All)	45	60	46	24	72	28	56	39
Not confident (All)	50	36	50	70	23	64	40	56
Net confidence	-5	+24	-4	-46	+49	-36	+16	-17

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Very easy	21	21	9	17	0	0	12
Quite easy	32	32	27	27	36	50	29
Not very easy	28	27	36	32	43	50	35
Not easy at all	15	14	18	22	21	0	21
Don't know	5	5	9	2	0	0	3
Easy (All)	53	53	36	44	36	50	41
Not easy (All)	43	41	54	54	64	50	56
Net	+10	+12	-18	-10	-28	0	-15

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Very confident	12	12	36	20	7	0	19
Quite confident	33	33	18	34	21	100	31
Not very confident	27	27	27	29	29	0	28
Not confident at all	23	23	9	15	29	0	16
Don't know	5	5	9	2	14	0	6
Confident (All)	45	45	54	54	28	100	50
Not confident (All)	50	50	36	44	58	0	44
Net confidence	-5	-5	+18	+10	-30	+100	+6

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Very easy	21	18	22	19	22	23	21	18	23
Quite easy	32	25	24	36	35	39	28	36	39
Not very easy	28	31	32	27	27	23	30	27	23
Not easy at all	15	14	17	16	13	14	15	15	14
Don't know	5	11	5	3	3	2	7	3	2
Easy (All)	53	43	46	55	57	62	49	54	62
Not easy (All)	43	45	49	43	40	37	45	42	37
Net	+10	-2	-3	+12	+17	+25	+4	+12	+25

How confident are you, if at all, that you have/will have enough income to last you through the rest of your life if you never worked another day of paid employment?

Very confident	12	4	9	12	14	20	7	15	20
Quite confident	33	21	29	33	39	43	27	36	43
Not very confident	27	24	26	31	26	25	26	29	25
Not confident at all	23	45	29	19	13	9	34	14	9
Don't know	5	6	7	5	7	4	6	6	4
Confident (All)	45	25	38	45	53	63	34	51	63
Not confident (All)	50	69	55	50	39	34	60	43	34
Net confidence	-5	-44	-17	-5	+14	+29	-26	+8	+29

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Very easy	21	25	15	20	21	21
Quite easy	32	39	33	22	24	38
Not very easy	28	23	30	32	28	28
Not easy at all	15	11	18	17	20	10
Don't know	5	3	4	8	7	3
Easy (All)	53	64	48	42	45	59
Not easy (All)	43	34	48	49	48	38
Net	+10	+30	0	-7	-3	+21

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Very confident	12	18	9	8	11	14
Quite confident	33	41	39	18	25	40
Not very confident	27	23	31	29	24	29
Not confident at all	23	13	15	41	34	14
Don't know	5	6	6	4	6	4
Confident (All)	45	59	48	26	36	54
Not confident (All)	50	36	46	70	58	43
Net confidence	-5	+23	+2	-44	-22	+11

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%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	42	48	49
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	8	16	20
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	24	29	23
Don't know	14	25	7	9

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	18	28	7
A little	34	29	40	34
None at all	43	49	27	52
Don't know	5	4	5	6
Regret (All)	52	47	68	41

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	50	39	72
Not in my control	41	45	54	22
Don't know	6	5	7	6

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	47	45	49	46	45	45
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	16	13	18	16	13	12
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	22	28	22	26	31	21
Don't know	14	15	13	11	13	12	21

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	18	17	25	22	14	11
A little	34	33	36	39	34	35	30
None at all	43	46	40	29	39	48	55
Don't know	5	3	7	7	6	3	4
Regret (All)	52	51	53	64	56	49	41

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	57	50	45	43	61	63
Not in my control	41	39	43	48	51	34	30
Don't know	6	4	8	6	6	5	6

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	50	45	52	46	44	36	31
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	22	14	13	13	12	15	22
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	22	29	23	23	26	29	25
Don't know	14	5	12	12	19	18	20	22

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	25	19	15	17	16	15	13
A little	34	33	34	40	33	34	33	34
None at all	43	37	41	41	47	42	50	47
Don't know	5	5	6	5	3	8	2	6
Regret (All)	52	58	53	55	50	50	48	47

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	55	53	53	52	48	60	47
Not in my control	41	38	41	38	42	44	37	50
Don't know	6	7	6	8	5	8	2	3

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	46	45	45	46
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	11	20	19	11
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	26	25	24	27
Don't know	14	17	11	12	16

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	17	19	11	24
A little	34	36	32	33	36
None at all	43	42	45	52	34
Don't know	5	5	4	4	6
Regret (All)	52	53	51	44	60

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	48	59	67	40
Not in my control	41	46	35	28	53
Don't know	6	6	6	5	7

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	50	50	39	52	42	50	43
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	22	21	12	8	12	21	11
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	20	21	30	21	32	20	28
Don't know	14	8	8	18	20	14	8	18

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	14	7	31	7	21	12	22
A little	34	36	33	35	26	40	35	34
None at all	43	45	51	29	66	35	47	40
Don't know	5	5	9	5	2	5	6	4
Regret (All)	52	50	40	66	33	61	47	56

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	71	71	27	70	41	71	43
Not in my control	41	23	21	68	26	52	22	52
Don't know	6	6	8	5	4	7	7	5

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	46	45	41	36	0	40
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	14	18	27	7	0	21
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	25	27	29	50	50	34
Don't know	14	14	9	2	7	50	6

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	17	36	24	21	0	25
A little	34	34	27	39	21	50	34
None at all	43	44	27	32	36	50	32
Don't know	5	5	9	5	21	0	9
Regret (All)	52	51	63	63	42	50	59

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	54	45	49	29	50	44
Not in my control	41	40	45	41	64	50	47
Don't know	6	5	9	10	7	0	9

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	44	45	50	44	46	46	46	46
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	11	11	13	18	23	11	16	23
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	27	30	25	23	22	27	24	22
Don't know	14	18	14	12	15	10	15	14	10

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	28	22	18	9	12	24	13	12
A little	34	32	37	36	34	33	35	34	33
None at all	43	35	37	43	49	51	37	48	51
Don't know	5	6	3	3	7	5	4	5	5
Regret (All)	52	60	59	54	43	45	59	47	45

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	29	47	55	56	75	41	57	75
Not in my control	41	61	49	41	38	21	53	37	21
Don't know	6	10	5	5	6	4	7	5	4

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

If you had to return to or stay in work for financial reasons, would this be more likely to be because.....

The current cost of living crisis means you need to boost your income in the short term	46	43	50	47	46	46
You have medium term financial needs or hopes that might not now be sufficient	15	14	21	11	11	18
You think your long term retirement income will not be sufficient to cover all your needs	25	27	21	27	25	25
Don't know	14	16	8	16	18	10

How much regret, if any, do you have in no longer working or thinking about not working?

A lot	18	12	11	29	28	9
A little	34	30	39	35	36	33
None at all	43	54	44	31	32	52
Don't know	5	5	6	5	4	5
Regret (All)	52	42	50	64	64	42

Do you consider you current situation not to work/considering not to work anymore to be one that was/is in your control, or not in your control?

In my control	53	65	63	33	37	68
Not in my control	41	30	31	61	57	26
Don't know	6	6	6	6	6	6

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	21	33	14
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	21	50	33
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	23	12	34
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	27	1	11
Don't know	7	8	4	8
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	42	83	47
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	50	13	45
Net	+22	-8	+70	+2

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment...
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	6	15	12
Quite likely	16	3	25	19
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	8	25	19
Quite unlikely	15	13	20	12
Very unlikely	32	68	11	14
Don't know/Still working	10	1	5	25
Likely (All)	27	9	40	31
Unlikely (All)	47	81	31	26
Net likelihood	-20	-72	+9	+5

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	25	20	30	27	17	18
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	32	37	38	37	36	28
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	23	22	18	18	29	25
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	14	13	9	10	15	20
Don't know	7	6	7	5	9	4	9
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	57	57	68	64	53	46
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	37	35	27	28	44	45
Net	+22	+20	+22	+41	+36	+9	+1

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	13	9	15	15	7	7
Quite likely	16	16	16	18	17	16	11
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	18	16	17	16	19	17
Quite unlikely	15	15	16	16	13	15	17
Very unlikely	32	29	34	22	28	36	39
Don't know/Still working	10	10	9	12	10	7	10
Likely (All)	27	29	25	33	32	23	18
Unlikely (All)	47	44	50	38	41	51	56
Net likelihood	-20	-15	-25	-5	-9	-28	-38

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	28	22	17	23	16	27	22
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	45	38	34	30	28	28	25
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	16	21	27	25	24	22	22
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	5	14	12	16	10	16	28
Don't know	7	6	5	9	5	22	7	3
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	73	60	51	53	44	55	47
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	21	35	39	41	34	38	50
Net	+22	+52	+25	+12	+12	+10	+17	-3

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	20	12	11	7	12	7	6
Quite likely	16	22	19	12	14	6	12	16
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	16	15	20	17	20	21	19
Quite unlikely	15	13	14	13	17	18	20	6
Very unlikely	32	16	30	36	36	34	35	41
Don't know/Still working	10	12	10	8	10	10	6	13
Likely (All)	27	42	31	23	21	18	19	22
Unlikely (All)	47	29	44	49	53	52	55	47
Net likelihood	-20	+13	-13	-26	-32	-34	-36	-25

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	24	21	16	29
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	33	37	33	36
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	21	25	30	15
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	14	12	15	12
Don't know	7	8	5	5	8
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	57	58	49	65
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	35	37	45	27
Net	+22	+22	+21	+4	+38

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	9	13	11	10
Quite likely	16	14	17	17	14
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	17	18	17	18
Quite unlikely	15	16	14	16	15
Very unlikely	32	35	28	27	36
Don't know/Still working	10	9	10	12	7
Likely (All)	27	23	30	28	24
Unlikely (All)	47	51	42	43	51
Net likelihood	-20	-28	-12	-15	-27

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	21	10	39	5	22	18	25
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	33	37	34	27	42	35	35
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	28	33	11	31	20	30	19
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	10	10	9	31	10	10	15
Don't know	7	7	9	6	5	6	8	6
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	54	47	73	32	64	53	60
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	38	43	20	62	30	40	34
Net	+22	+16	+4	+53	-30	+34	+13	+26

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	17	14	12	2	6	16	8
Quite likely	16	20	24	17	9	8	21	12
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	17	17	17	13	22	17	17
Quite unlikely	15	12	10	12	20	23	11	17
Very unlikely	32	12	15	38	55	40	13	43
Don't know/Still working	10	22	20	4	0	1	21	2
Likely (All)	27	37	38	29	11	14	37	20
Unlikely (All)	47	24	25	50	75	63	24	60
Net likelihood	-20	+13	+13	-21	-64	-49	+13	-40

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	22	45	32	14	0	29
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	34	18	56	57	0	49
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	24	18	5	14	50	10
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	14	0	5	14	0	6
Don't know	7	7	18	2	0	50	6
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	56	63	88	71	0	78
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	38	18	10	28	50	16
Net	+22	+18	+45	+78	+43	-50	+62

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment...
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	11	36	15	0	0	15
Quite likely	16	14	9	34	29	0	28
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	17	18	17	36	0	21
Quite unlikely	15	16	9	10	0	50	9
Very unlikely	32	33	18	12	21	50	16
Don't know/Still working	10	9	9	12	14	0	12
Likely (All)	27	25	45	49	29	0	43
Unlikely (All)	47	49	27	22	21	100	25
Net likelihood	-20	-24	+18	+27	+8	-100	+18

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	33	27	22	17	17	28	18	17
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	35	33	32	39	33	34	35	33
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	11	22	26	23	29	19	24	29
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	12	11	13	15	15	12	15	15
Don't know	7	9	6	7	6	6	7	8	6
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	68	60	54	56	50	62	53	50
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	23	33	39	38	44	31	39	44
Net	+22	+45	+27	+15	+18	+6	+31	+14	+6

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	10	12	7	12	15	10	10	15
Quite likely	16	16	9	17	20	15	15	17	15
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	17	16	18	15	18	17	17	18
Quite unlikely	15	16	21	12	13	14	17	11	14
Very unlikely	32	37	38	34	27	23	36	31	23
Don't know/Still working	10	5	4	11	13	15	5	14	15
Likely (All)	27	26	21	24	32	30	25	27	30
Unlikely (All)	47	53	59	46	40	37	53	42	37
Net likelihood	-20	-27	-38	-22	-8	-7	-28	-15	-7

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting other factors aside, how much, if at all, would you like to return to/stay in paid employment?

I would very much like to be in paid employment	23	16	15	36	29	17
I would quite like to be in paid employment	35	31	39	35	37	32
I do not really want to be in paid employment	23	28	28	12	14	30
I do not want to be in paid employment at all	13	18	12	9	10	16
Don't know	7	6	6	8	9	5
Want to be in paid employment (All)	58	47	54	71	66	49
Do not want to be in paid employment (All)	36	46	40	21	24	46
Net	+22	+1	+14	+50	+42	+3

**And how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will actually return to paid employment....
Within 6 months**

Very likely	11	9	13	12	11	11
Quite likely	16	14	17	15	14	16
Neither likely nor unlikely	17	17	15	18	15	19
Quite unlikely	15	16	15	14	15	16
Very unlikely	32	36	23	33	39	26
Don't know/Still working	10	9	16	6	6	13
Likely (All)	27	23	30	27	25	27
Unlikely (All)	47	52	38	47	54	42
Net likelihood	-20	-29	-8	-20	-29	-15

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	4	22	14
Quite likely	18	5	29	18
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	8	22	15
Quite unlikely	14	15	15	13
Very unlikely	30	66	6	16
Don't know/Still working	10	1	5	24
Likely (All)	31	9	51	32
Unlikely (All)	44	81	21	29
Net likelihood	-13	-72	+30	+3

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	4	34	17
Quite likely	17	6	29	15
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	12	20	16
Quite unlikely	11	15	5	13
Very unlikely	28	60	5	18
Don't know/Still working	10	2	6	22
Likely (All)	36	10	63	32
Unlikely (All)	39	75	10	31
Net likelihood	-3	-65	+53	+1

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	16	11	15	18	11	10
Quite likely	18	16	19	19	18	19	14
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	15	15	18	14	15	15
Quite unlikely	14	16	13	13	16	14	13
Very unlikely	30	28	32	22	24	34	39
Don't know/Still working	10	10	10	13	10	8	10
Likely (All)	31	32	30	34	36	30	24
Unlikely (All)	44	44	45	35	40	48	52
Net likelihood	-13	-12	-15	-1	-4	-18	-28

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	20	17	23	26	14	11
Quite likely	17	15	19	19	20	19	8
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	18	14	18	16	14	17
Quite unlikely	11	12	11	6	9	16	12
Very unlikely	28	26	30	21	19	29	44
Don't know/Still working	10	9	10	13	11	7	8
Likely (All)	36	35	36	42	46	33	19
Unlikely (All)	39	38	41	27	28	45	56
Net likelihood	-3	-3	-5	+15	+18	-12	-37

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	22	14	12	11	14	8	9
Quite likely	18	22	20	17	14	10	19	9
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	18	13	15	16	16	14	22
Quite unlikely	14	10	15	15	13	14	19	6
Very unlikely	30	13	29	34	35	32	34	41
Don't know/Still working	10	14	8	8	11	14	7	13
Likely (All)	31	44	34	29	25	24	27	18
Unlikely (All)	44	23	44	49	48	46	53	47
Net likelihood	-13	+21	-10	-20	-23	-22	-26	-29

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	26	18	19	18	12	14	13
Quite likely	17	21	20	15	14	10	16	9
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	15	14	20	15	24	15	19
Quite unlikely	11	13	13	9	9	14	15	9
Very unlikely	28	14	27	30	33	26	31	41
Don't know/Still working	10	12	9	8	11	14	8	9
Likely (All)	36	47	38	34	32	22	30	22
Unlikely (All)	39	27	40	39	42	40	46	50
Net likelihood	-3	+20	-2	-5	-10	-18	-16	-28

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	11	15	13	14
Quite likely	18	17	18	19	17
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	15	15	15	15
Quite unlikely	14	14	14	14	14
Very unlikely	30	33	26	27	32
Don't know/Still working	10	9	11	13	7
Likely (All)	31	28	33	32	31
Unlikely (All)	44	47	40	41	46
Net likelihood	-13	-19	-7	-9	-15

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	18	19	17	20
Quite likely	17	17	17	15	18
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	16	15	15	16
Quite unlikely	11	9	13	13	10
Very unlikely	28	31	25	28	28
Don't know/Still working	10	9	11	11	8
Likely (All)	36	35	36	32	38
Unlikely (All)	39	40	38	41	38
Net likelihood	-3	-5	-2	-9	0

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	17	16	19	5	6	16	12
Quite likely	18	19	23	17	12	19	20	16
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	15	16	14	15	17	15	15
Quite unlikely	14	13	13	14	15	16	13	15
Very unlikely	30	14	15	30	53	40	15	39
Don't know/Still working	10	22	18	6	0	2	21	3
Likely (All)	31	36	39	36	17	25	36	28
Unlikely (All)	44	27	28	44	68	56	28	54
Net likelihood	-13	+9	+11	-8	-51	-31	+8	-26

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	21	17	26	6	15	20	18
Quite likely	17	14	25	17	9	23	17	16
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	17	12	15	18	15	16	16
Quite unlikely	11	14	8	8	15	12	12	11
Very unlikely	28	14	22	28	51	31	17	35
Don't know/Still working	10	20	17	6	1	4	19	4
Likely (All)	36	35	42	43	15	38	37	34
Unlikely (All)	39	28	30	36	66	43	29	46
Net likelihood	-3	+7	+12	+7	-51	-5	+8	-12

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	13	27	15	14	0	16
Quite likely	18	17	18	32	14	0	25
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	15	9	12	36	0	16
Quite unlikely	14	14	18	15	0	50	13
Very unlikely	30	31	18	15	21	50	18
Don't know/Still working	10	10	9	12	14	0	12
Likely (All)	31	30	45	47	28	0	41
Unlikely (All)	44	45	36	30	21	100	31
Net likelihood	-13	-15	+9	+17	+7	-100	+10

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	18	36	24	14	0	24
Quite likely	17	16	18	29	43	0	29
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	17	0	10	0	0	6
Quite unlikely	11	12	0	5	14	50	7
Very unlikely	28	28	45	20	14	50	24
Don't know/Still working	10	10	0	12	14	0	10
Likely (All)	36	34	54	53	57	0	53
Unlikely (All)	39	40	45	25	28	100	31
Net likelihood	-3	-6	+9	+28	+29	-100	+22

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	14	14	11	15	13	14	13	13
Quite likely	18	17	13	17	20	22	16	18	22
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	19	14	14	12	15	16	12	15
Quite unlikely	14	16	20	13	13	10	17	13	10
Very unlikely	30	28	35	34	26	26	31	30	26
Don't know/Still working	10	6	5	11	13	14	6	14	14
Likely (All)	31	31	27	28	35	35	30	31	35
Unlikely (All)	44	44	55	47	39	36	48	43	36
Net likelihood	-13	-13	-28	-19	-4	-1	-18	-12	-1

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	23	12	19	19	19	20	17	19
Quite likely	17	18	18	16	13	18	17	15	18
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	17	21	14	14	13	18	13	13
Quite unlikely	11	10	10	11	14	12	10	13	12
Very unlikely	28	25	32	29	27	26	28	28	26
Don't know/Still working	10	6	6	11	13	13	6	15	13
Likely (All)	36	41	30	35	32	37	37	32	37
Unlikely (All)	39	35	42	40	41	38	38	41	38
Net likelihood	-3	+6	-12	-5	-9	-1	-1	-9	-1

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

Within 1 year

Very likely	13	11	15	15	13	14
Quite likely	18	16	17	19	16	19
Neither likely nor unlikely	15	16	16	14	16	15
Quite unlikely	14	15	12	15	14	14
Very unlikely	30	33	24	30	35	26
Don't know/Still working	10	9	16	7	7	12
Likely (All)	31	27	32	34	29	33
Unlikely (All)	44	48	36	45	49	40
Net likelihood	-13	-21	-4	-11	-20	-7

Within 3 years

Very likely	19	15	20	21	18	19
Quite likely	17	16	13	20	17	16
Neither likely nor unlikely	16	16	19	14	17	14
Quite unlikely	11	11	12	10	8	14
Very unlikely	28	35	21	26	33	24
Don't know/Still working	10	7	16	9	7	12
Likely (All)	36	31	33	41	35	35
Unlikely (All)	39	46	33	36	41	38
Net likelihood	-3	-15	0	+5	-6	-3

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment	32
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment	53
Don't know	15

21	44	33
63	39	57
16	17	10

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment	37
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment	46
Don't know	17

24	52	37
60	29	49
17	19	14

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment **32**
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment **53**
Don't know **15**

32	38	27	40	39	26	26
53	50	57	45	43	62	61
15	13	17	15	19	12	13

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment **37**
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment **46**
Don't know **17**

37	40	35	45	39	36	30
46	46	46	38	43	48	54
17	15	19	17	17	16	16

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment **32**
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment **53**
Don't know **15**

43	34	33	28	28	26	28
35	54	54	58	46	59	59
22	12	13	13	26	15	13

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment **37**
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment **46**
Don't know **17**

45	40	38	32	26	38	34
35	43	47	53	48	45	59
19	18	15	15	26	16	6

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment **32**

Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment **53**

Don't know **15**

29	37	36	29
55	51	53	54
17	12	11	17

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment **37**

Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment **46**

Don't know **17**

35	40	40	35
49	44	47	45
17	16	13	20

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment
Don't know

32	42	25	32	23	31	37	29
53	48	61	48	65	52	52	54
15	9	14	19	12	17	11	17

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment
Don't know

37	45	30	38	27	38	41	35
46	43	52	41	57	45	46	46
17	12	17	21	16	17	14	18

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment **32**
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment **53**
Don't know **15**

32	31	64	59	36	0	53
53	54	36	29	57	100	38
15	15	0	12	7	0	9

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment **37**
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment **46**
Don't know **17**

37	36	64	66	29	50	57
46	48	36	10	64	50	26
17	16	0	24	7	0	16

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
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1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment **32**
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment **53**
Don't know **15**

32	30	28	32	33	39	30	32	39
53	51	57	56	50	51	54	53	51
15	19	16	12	18	10	16	15	10

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment **37**
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment **46**
Don't know **17**

37	34	31	40	39	43	35	38	43
46	44	56	45	39	48	47	42	48
17	22	13	15	23	9	18	19	9

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

As you may know, the government is keen for people aged 50-65 who have retired early to return to paid employment. Do you think it is right to try and focus on getting people like you back into paid employment, or should it be focussing more on other types of people not currently in work?

Right to focus on getting people like me to return to paid employment	32	31	35	32	29	35
Wrong - should focus on others not in paid employment	53	56	48	54	55	52
Don't know	15	13	17	15	16	13

Generally speaking do you think that government policies to encourage people like you to return to paid employment would be effective or would be ineffective?

Effective - there are a number of things that government could do to help people like me return to paid employment	37	35	40	38	34	41
Ineffective - people like me cannot or will not return to paid employment	46	49	45	43	50	42
Don't know	17	16	15	19	16	17

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	18	24	25
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	17	30	25
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	6	14	11
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	6	11	13
Stress or mental health concerns	22	24	22	19
Low pay	20	18	21	23
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	8	8	7
The need to re-train for something new	15	12	21	12
Boring jobs	8	5	7	13
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	13	14	15
My physical health would stop me	24	35	21	14
My mental health would stop me	14	19	14	9
Inaccessible places of employment	7	6	11	3
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	22	11	25
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	9	13	8
Other (please specify)	2	5	1	1
None of them/nothing stops me	3	3	3	5
I don't know	3	3	3	4

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	18	26	20	20	25	22
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	19	29	15	22	30	26
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	13	7	10	11	12	6
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	11	9	10	10	10	9
Stress or mental health concerns	22	22	22	30	23	20	15
Low pay	20	23	18	19	19	20	23
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	9	7	10	11	6	5
The need to re-train for something new	15	15	16	15	15	15	16
Boring jobs	8	11	6	10	7	7	11
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	15	13	8	11	14	22
My physical health would stop me	24	20	28	19	22	26	26
My mental health would stop me	14	14	14	15	21	11	8
Inaccessible places of employment	7	6	7	10	7	6	4
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	21	17	18	14	22	22
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	5	15	14	10	8	8
Other (please specify)	2	3	2	2	3	2	3
None of them/nothing stops me	3	4	3	2	4	3	5
I don't know	3	4	3	3	3	4	3

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	19	23	24	19	14	27	31
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	16	27	23	25	22	24	16
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	18	10	5	10	6	8	22
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	8	12	9	10	8	10	6
Stress or mental health concerns	22	28	21	24	20	24	19	16
Low pay	20	22	15	24	23	14	26	22
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	5	7	7	10	12	5	19
The need to re-train for something new	15	12	14	17	14	18	23	6
Boring jobs	8	9	9	11	8	8	5	3
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	14	15	13	12	22	14	9
My physical health would stop me	24	17	24	31	21	28	23	22
My mental health would stop me	14	18	13	13	13	28	7	16
Inaccessible places of employment	7	5	8	6	9	4	6	6
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	18	21	23	18	8	19	19
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	5	11	13	12	6	3	13
Other (please specify)	2	4	1	3	0	2	5	13
None of them/nothing stops me	3	5	4	2	3	6	3	0
I don't know	3	4	3	1	5	4	2	0

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
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%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	19	25	25	19
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	21	27	27	21
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	9	11	11	10
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	8	12	14	5
Stress or mental health concerns	22	23	21	20	24
Low pay	20	19	22	23	18
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	9	7	6	10
The need to re-train for something new	15	15	16	15	16
Boring jobs	8	7	10	11	6
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	13	14	16	11
My physical health would stop me	24	31	15	14	33
My mental health would stop me	14	17	11	7	21
Inaccessible places of employment	7	6	7	6	8
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	19	20	25	14
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	11	9	9	11
Other (please specify)	2	2	2	2	2
None of them/nothing stops me	3	4	3	4	3
I don't know	3	3	4	3	3

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	21	24	17	24	28	22	22
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	16	44	17	33	26	24	24
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	15	3	12	6	8	12	10
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	14	10	6	11	8	13	8
Stress or mental health concerns	22	20	17	29	19	20	19	24
Low pay	20	24	17	18	20	21	22	19
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	9	4	11	5	7	7	8
The need to re-train for something new	15	12	10	18	17	17	12	18
Boring jobs	8	13	13	7	7	2	13	6
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	13	20	11	20	8	15	13
My physical health would stop me	24	13	14	38	19	28	13	30
My mental health would stop me	14	11	6	25	7	13	9	17
Inaccessible places of employment	7	3	6	11	6	7	4	9
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	24	23	9	33	12	24	16
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	8	7	3	7	28	8	11
Other (please specify)	2	0	1	4	3	3	1	3
None of them/nothing stops me	3	4	4	2	5	1	4	3
I don't know	3	5	4	2	2	3	5	2

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	21	27	32	21	50	29
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	24	9	29	21	0	24
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	10	9	12	14	0	12
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	10	18	5	7	0	7
Stress or mental health concerns	22	22	36	20	43	0	26
Low pay	20	20	27	22	14	50	22
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	8	18	5	14	0	9
The need to re-train for something new	15	14	36	29	7	50	26
Boring jobs	8	8	18	5	14	0	9
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	14	0	5	21	0	7
My physical health would stop me	24	24	9	5	36	0	12
My mental health would stop me	14	14	9	7	14	0	9
Inaccessible places of employment	7	6	9	15	14	0	13
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	20	9	12	14	0	12
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	10	9	10	0	0	7
Other (please specify)	2	2	0	0	0	50	1
None of them/nothing stops me	3	3	0	0	7	0	1
I don't know	3	3	9	5	0	0	4

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	16	19	24	25	26	19	24	26
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	18	24	25	26	28	22	25	28
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	11	9	10	9	12	10	10	12
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	6	8	10	9	16	7	11	16
Stress or mental health concerns	22	31	18	23	21	15	24	24	15
Low pay	20	19	22	22	21	19	21	22	19
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	9	13	8	4	7	10	6	7
The need to re-train for something new	15	17	16	13	18	14	16	15	14
Boring jobs	8	6	7	6	9	13	6	8	13
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	13	11	14	13	14	13	14	14
My physical health would stop me	24	32	33	25	17	14	33	16	14
My mental health would stop me	14	26	19	13	7	7	21	9	7
Inaccessible places of employment	7	8	5	9	4	7	7	6	7
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	14	17	17	22	28	16	19	28
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	4	11	11	12	11	8	11	11
Other (please specify)	2	2	3	3	1	2	3	2	2
None of them/nothing stops me	3	3	1	2	6	5	2	4	5
I don't know	3	4	3	4	4	1	4	4	1

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

Putting aside whether you are currently thinking about returning to work or not, which two or three of the following are the most important barriers that might prevent you from returning to paid employment?

Lack of jobs that offer flexible working	22	23	29	17	16	27
Lack of suitable part time jobs	24	29	24	17	16	30
Lack of suitable full time jobs	10	9	11	11	9	11
The need to be in offices rather than being able to work from home	10	11	12	7	8	12
Stress or mental health concerns	22	19	22	26	32	14
Low pay	20	18	23	22	18	22
Withdrawal of state benefits if you returned to work	8	6	7	11	9	7
The need to re-train for something new	15	14	15	16	14	16
Boring jobs	8	9	9	8	5	11
Lack of respect for older people in work	14	17	14	10	11	16
My physical health would stop me	24	20	15	35	45	6
My mental health would stop me	14	9	11	22	24	6
Inaccessible places of employment	7	5	6	9	8	6
My own lack of desire to work/just don't want to work	19	28	19	9	11	27
Caring responsibilities for children/grandchildren	10	8	16	9	6	13
Other (please specify)	2	4	0	2	2	2
None of them/nothing stops me	3	4	3	3	2	5
I don't know	3	4	2	4	3	3

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

More one-to-one support at jobcentres to get over 50s into and progress at work

Definitely convince you to return to work	8	4	14	6
Probably convince you to return to work	16	9	24	16
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	17	31	23
Would not convince you to return to work	43	58	23	48
Don't know / it depends	10	12	10	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	30	69	45

Creating "50PLUS Champions" in every district to work with employers to help them understand how older workers could benefit their business

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	5	14	9
Probably convince you to return to work	16	8	24	17
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	21	29	23
Would not convince you to return to work	37	49	21	41
Don't know / it depends	12	16	11	9
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	34	67	49

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

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Definitely convince you to return to work	8	9	6	10	9	8	4
Probably convince you to return to work	16	17	16	22	17	15	11
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	25	24	25	22	23
Would not convince you to return to work	43	42	44	34	39	48	49
Don't know / it depends	10	10	10	10	9	7	13
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	49	47	56	51	45	38

Creating "50PLUS Champions" in every district to work with employers to help them understand how older workers could benefit their business

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	12	8	11	11	9	7
Probably convince you to return to work	16	15	17	23	17	14	13
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	26	24	24	25	24
Would not convince you to return to work	37	37	38	28	37	42	42
Don't know / it depends	12	13	11	14	11	10	14
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	50	51	58	52	48	44

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

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Definitely convince you to return to work	8	17	8	5	7	4	2	6
Probably convince you to return to work	16	25	15	19	12	18	12	9
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	21	26	22	26	20	21	9
Would not convince you to return to work	43	28	42	43	46	40	55	66
Don't know / it depends	10	9	9	10	8	18	10	9
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	63	49	46	45	42	35	24

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Definitely convince you to return to work	10	16	10	10	7	6	6	9
Probably convince you to return to work	16	25	16	20	13	14	9	13
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	19	21	27	27	26	36	13
Would not convince you to return to work	37	27	39	33	42	30	41	56
Don't know / it depends	12	12	13	11	11	24	8	9
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	60	47	57	47	46	51	35

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

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Definitely convince you to return to work	8	8	7	7	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	16	16	14	19
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	24	24	23
Would not convince you to return to work	43	41	45	47	39
Don't know / it depends	10	12	7	7	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	47	47	45	50

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Definitely convince you to return to work	10	10	10	10	9
Probably convince you to return to work	16	17	16	16	16
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	26	25	24
Would not convince you to return to work	37	35	40	41	34
Don't know / it depends	12	15	9	8	16
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	50	52	51	49

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

More one-to-one support at jobcentres to get over 50s into and progress at work

Definitely convince you to return to work	8	11	3	11	3	7	8	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	20	16	16	10	17	18	15
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	25	22	24	20	26	24	23
Would not convince you to return to work	43	39	53	37	60	35	43	43
Don't know / it depends	10	7	7	12	7	15	7	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	56	41	51	33	50	50	46

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Definitely convince you to return to work	10	14	10	10	3	8	13	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	21	16	18	12	13	19	15
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	22	22	25	22	31	22	26
Would not convince you to return to work	37	34	45	32	53	30	37	37
Don't know / it depends	12	9	8	15	10	18	8	15
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	57	48	53	37	52	54	49

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

More one-to-one support at jobcentres to get over 50s into and progress at work

Definitely convince you to return to work	8	7	27	15	14	0	16
Probably convince you to return to work	16	16	18	27	29	0	25
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	9	41	29	50	34
Would not convince you to return to work	43	45	27	10	29	50	18
Don't know / it depends	10	10	18	7	0	0	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	46	54	83	72	50	75

Creating "50PLUS Champions" in every district to work with employers to help them understand how older workers could benefit their business

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	9	36	22	29	0	25
Probably convince you to return to work	16	16	9	34	7	100	26
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	24	27	24	21	0	24
Would not convince you to return to work	37	39	9	10	36	0	15
Don't know / it depends	12	12	18	10	7	0	10
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	49	72	80	57	100	75

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

More one-to-one support at jobcentres to get over 50s into and progress at work

Definitely convince you to return to work	8	6	10	7	7	8	8	6	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	20	14	14	15	16	17	13	16
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	21	26	25	24	24	23	24	24
Would not convince you to return to work	43	41	41	44	43	46	41	45	46
Don't know / it depends	10	12	8	10	11	7	10	11	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	47	50	46	46	48	48	43	48

Creating "50PLUS Champions" in every district to work with employers to help them understand how older workers could benefit their business

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	11	8	8	8	13	10	7	13
Probably convince you to return to work	16	15	17	15	15	19	15	17	19
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	23	23	26	26	24	25	24	24
Would not convince you to return to work	37	36	36	39	40	38	35	42	38
Don't know / it depends	12	16	16	12	10	6	15	11	6
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	49	48	49	49	56	50	48	56

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

Here are some policies that a future government might decide to implement in order to help people like you return to work. For each one, would you say it would definitely convince you to return to paid employment, would probably convince you to, would possibly convince you to, or would it not convince you at all?

More one-to-one support at jobcentres to get over 50s into and progress at work

Definitely convince you to return to work	8	7	6	11	8	7
Probably convince you to return to work	16	15	19	15	15	17
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	20	27	25	23	24
Would not convince you to return to work	43	49	41	37	43	43
Don't know / it depends	10	9	7	12	12	8
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	42	52	51	46	48

Creating "50PLUS Champions" in every district to work with employers to help them understand how older workers could benefit their business

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	9	10	11	9	10
Probably convince you to return to work	16	14	17	19	17	16
Possibly convince you to return to work	24	25	25	23	24	25
Would not convince you to return to work	37	41	38	32	36	39
Don't know / it depends	12	12	11	14	14	10
Convinced to return to work (All)	50	48	52	53	50	51

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	5	16	9
Probably convince you to return to work	16	11	19	18
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	20	33	23
Would not convince you to return to work	39	53	20	43
Don't know / it depends	10	10	11	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	36	68	50

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	10	24	18
Probably convince you to return to work	22	13	30	24
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	28	25	34
Would not convince you to return to work	22	37	11	19
Don't know / it depends	10	13	10	5
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	51	79	76

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	6	14	13
Probably convince you to return to work	18	10	22	22
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	16	19	21
Would not convince you to return to work	38	51	27	34
Don't know / it depends	15	17	17	11
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	32	55	56

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	10	10	14	11	9	7
Probably convince you to return to work	16	16	16	20	16	14	14
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	26	26	27	26	26	23
Would not convince you to return to work	39	39	39	28	36	44	46
Don't know / it depends	10	9	10	12	10	7	10
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	52	52	61	53	49	44

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	19	15	21	17	17	14
Probably convince you to return to work	22	22	22	19	23	24	21
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	28	29	32	27	27	29
Would not convince you to return to work	22	20	24	16	23	23	26
Don't know / it depends	10	10	10	12	9	9	10
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	69	66	72	67	68	64

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	12	9	15	13	9	6
Probably convince you to return to work	18	17	18	22	19	15	17
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	18	19	21	16	19	18
Would not convince you to return to work	38	39	37	24	35	45	45
Don't know / it depends	15	13	17	18	16	13	14
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	47	46	58	48	43	41

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	18	11	6	9	8	6	6
Probably convince you to return to work	16	18	16	22	13	12	12	9
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	28	27	24	23	22	31	19
Would not convince you to return to work	39	26	38	39	43	38	44	59
Don't know / it depends	10	9	8	9	11	20	7	6
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	64	54	52	45	42	49	34

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	26	15	19	15	20	14	16
Probably convince you to return to work	22	25	25	19	18	26	26	19
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	19	33	28	31	18	27	31
Would not convince you to return to work	22	22	18	24	26	20	26	34
Don't know / it depends	10	8	10	11	10	16	8	0
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	70	73	66	64	64	67	66

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	15	12	9	9	6	8	13
Probably convince you to return to work	18	29	17	20	14	16	14	6
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	18	22	16	17	12	21	16
Would not convince you to return to work	38	25	36	37	44	46	41	47
Don't know / it depends	15	12	13	17	16	20	16	19
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	62	51	45	40	34	43	35

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	10	10	9	11
Probably convince you to return to work	16	14	18	18	13
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	25	25	25	26
Would not convince you to return to work	39	38	40	41	37
Don't know / it depends	10	12	7	6	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	49	53	52	50

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	14	20	19	15
Probably convince you to return to work	22	21	24	26	19
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	28	29	28	29
Would not convince you to return to work	22	24	21	22	23
Don't know / it depends	10	13	6	5	14
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	63	73	73	63

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	10	12	12	10
Probably convince you to return to work	18	16	20	19	17
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	18	19	21	16
Would not convince you to return to work	38	39	37	37	39
Don't know / it depends	15	18	12	11	19
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	44	51	52	43

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
	Full time	Part time	Unemployed	Retired	Other	Working (All)	Not Working (All)
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
1031	276	115	289	172	179	391	640
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	14	10	11	3	9	13	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	20	17	12	13	17	19	14
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	25	21	30	26	23	24	27
Would not convince you to return to work	39	35	45	35	51	36	38	40
Don't know / it depends	10	6	8	11	8	14	7	11
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	59	48	53	42	49	56	49

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	22	17	18	11	14	20	15
Probably convince you to return to work	22	26	24	20	20	21	25	20
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	31	30	24	33	27	31	27
Would not convince you to return to work	22	14	26	24	28	25	18	25
Don't know / it depends	10	7	3	15	8	13	5	13
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	79	71	62	64	62	76	62

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	17	10	10	2	11	15	8
Probably convince you to return to work	18	24	23	17	12	13	24	15
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	22	14	16	21	18	19	18
Would not convince you to return to work	38	27	41	39	55	33	31	42
Don't know / it depends	15	10	12	18	10	25	10	18
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	63	47	43	35	42	58	41

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	9	36	22	14	0	22
Probably convince you to return to work	16	15	9	37	21	100	31
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	25	27	32	29	0	29
Would not convince you to return to work	39	41	9	5	29	0	10
Don't know / it depends	10	9	18	5	7	0	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	49	72	91	64	100	82

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	16	55	24	14	0	26
Probably convince you to return to work	22	22	9	27	14	50	22
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	29	9	22	50	0	25
Would not convince you to return to work	22	23	9	15	14	50	15
Don't know / it depends	10	9	18	12	7	0	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	67	73	73	78	50	73

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	10	45	24	21	0	26
Probably convince you to return to work	18	17	18	29	29	100	29
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	19	0	22	21	0	18
Would not convince you to return to work	38	39	18	15	14	0	15
Don't know / it depends	15	15	18	10	14	0	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	46	63	75	71	100	73

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
1031	218	148	236	137	240	501	238	240
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	11	14	10	7	11	11	9	11
Probably convince you to return to work	16	11	15	17	14	20	14	15	20
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	27	22	25	28	25	25	27	25
Would not convince you to return to work	39	38	39	39	43	38	38	42	38
Don't know / it depends	10	13	11	8	7	6	11	8	6
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	49	51	52	49	56	50	51	56

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	14	13	15	17	24	14	16	24
Probably convince you to return to work	22	18	26	21	23	25	21	24	25
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	26	28	33	28	27	28	31	27
Would not convince you to return to work	22	25	25	22	26	18	25	24	18
Don't know / it depends	10	17	8	9	7	6	13	6	6
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	58	67	69	68	76	63	71	76

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	11	8	11	9	15	10	10	15
Probably convince you to return to work	18	16	17	15	18	23	16	18	23
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	12	18	19	23	23	15	21	23
Would not convince you to return to work	38	43	43	39	37	30	42	39	30
Don't know / it depends	15	18	15	16	13	10	17	13	10
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	39	43	45	50	61	41	49	61

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Housing Tenure			Disability Status	
	Owned Outright	Mortgage	Renting	Yes	No
1031	422	254	339	464	553
1031	422	254	339	464	553
%	%	%	%	%	%

“Mid-life MOTs” available in jobcentres to help people take stock of their skills and finance, and to help them boost their incomes based on their skills and experience

Definitely convince you to return to work	10	9	8	14	12	8
Probably convince you to return to work	16	16	20	13	13	19
Possibly convince you to return to work	26	27	26	23	25	26
Would not convince you to return to work	39	41	39	37	40	38
Don't know / it depends	10	8	7	13	11	8
Convinced to return to work (All)	52	52	54	50	50	53

A year-long income tax break for over 50's

Definitely convince you to return to work	17	18	15	18	13	20
Probably convince you to return to work	22	22	29	18	21	23
Possibly convince you to return to work	29	27	31	28	25	32
Would not convince you to return to work	22	25	19	22	28	18
Don't know / it depends	10	9	7	14	13	7
Convinced to return to work (All)	68	67	75	64	59	75

Raising the £1 million lifetime allowance on tax-free pension savings to make sure people aren't disincentivised from working longer

Definitely convince you to return to work	11	9	11	13	11	10
Probably convince you to return to work	18	16	20	18	16	20
Possibly convince you to return to work	19	19	23	14	16	21
Would not convince you to return to work	38	41	34	37	39	37
Don't know / it depends	15	14	12	18	18	12
Convinced to return to work (All)	48	44	54	45	43	51

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Workplace Leaver Status		
	No longer working, no return plans	No longer working, but have return plans	Currently working, considering early retirement
1031	356	347	328
1031	356	347	328
%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	27	33	34
In jobcentres	15	13	19	14
In large supermarkets	9	12	7	10
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	9	9	8
In GP practices or local health centres	6	8	5	6
In pop up high street shops	7	6	6	10
At leisure centres	2	1	2	1
Other	1	1	2	2
Don't know	19	25	16	16

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Gender		Age			
	Male	Female	45 to 49	50 to 54	55 to 59	60 to 65
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
1031	522	509	221	270	307	233
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	33	29	31	33	31	31
In jobcentres	15	16	14	14	15	18	13
In large supermarkets	9	8	11	8	8	9	13
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	9	8	10	8	8	9
In GP practices or local health centres	6	6	7	9	7	7	4
In pop up high street shops	7	5	9	8	6	7	9
At leisure centres	2	2	1	1	1	2	2
Other	1	2	1	0	1	2	0
Don't know	19	18	19	19	21	17	18

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Region						
	London	Rest of South	Midlands	North	Wales	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
1031	130	318	172	243	50	86	32
%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	28	34	31	29	36	33	34
In jobcentres	15	12	17	16	17	12	8	16
In large supermarkets	9	12	8	12	9	4	14	3
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	11	6	6	7	16	17	9
In GP practices or local health centres	6	11	6	10	5	6	0	3
In pop up high street shops	7	7	7	8	7	6	8	9
At leisure centres	2	4	2	0	1	4	1	0
Other	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	0
Don't know	19	15	19	15	24	14	15	25

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Qualification level		Social Grade	
	Not University	University	ABC1	C2DE
1031	542	481	517	506
1031	542	481	517	506
%	%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	27	37	38	25
In jobcentres	15	19	11	11	20
In large supermarkets	9	9	10	10	9
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	8	9	9	8
In GP practices or local health centres	6	5	8	6	7
In pop up high street shops	7	6	8	8	7
At leisure centres	2	1	2	2	1
Other	1	1	1	1	2
Don't know	19	23	14	15	22

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Work Status					Working Status	
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On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	34	38	24	37	31	35	29
In jobcentres	15	14	10	22	9	13	13	16
In large supermarkets	9	9	10	9	13	7	10	9
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	9	3	9	9	11	7	9
In GP practices or local health centres	6	8	6	7	5	6	7	6
In pop up high street shops	7	8	11	4	8	8	9	6
At leisure centres	2	2	0	1	2	2	2	2
Other	1	1	1	2	1	0	1	1
Don't know	19	13	19	22	17	23	15	21

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Ethnicity					
	White (All)	Black (All)	Asian (All)	Mixed Race (All)	Chinese / Other	Non-White (All)
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1031	953	11	41	14	2	68
%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	32	27	34	36	0	32
In jobcentres	15	15	0	22	36	50	22
In large supermarkets	9	10	0	7	7	0	6
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	9	18	7	7	0	9
In GP practices or local health centres	6	6	18	7	7	0	9
In pop up high street shops	7	7	18	7	7	0	9
At leisure centres	2	2	0	2	0	0	1
Other	1	1	0	2	0	0	1
Don't know	19	19	18	10	0	50	10

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

Total	Annual Household Income (Detailed)					Annual Household Income		
	Under £14,000	£14,000 - £21,000	£21,000 - £34,000	£34,000 - £48,000	More than £48,000	Under £28,000	£28,000 to £48,000	More than £48,000
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On balance, which one of the following do you think is the most accessible way of getting help and support to over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	17	36	31	35	41	26	36	41
In jobcentres	15	20	18	17	15	7	19	16	7
In large supermarkets	9	9	7	11	12	10	10	8	10
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	10	7	7	6	11	8	7	11
In GP practices or local health centres	6	6	8	7	7	6	7	7	6
In pop up high street shops	7	6	5	9	6	9	6	8	9
At leisure centres	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	2	3
Other	1	3	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	19	28	17	17	17	12	22	16	12

All UK adults aged 45 to 65
Unweighted Sample

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over-50s who might want to return to the workforce?

Online	31	33	40	24	25	37
In jobcentres	15	12	11	22	19	12
In large supermarkets	9	10	9	8	7	12
In government owned buildings like town halls	9	11	6	8	9	8
In GP practices or local health centres	6	5	6	9	11	3
In pop up high street shops	7	8	8	6	6	8
At leisure centres	2	2	2	1	2	1
Other	1	1	1	1	1	1
Don't know	19	18	18	21	20	18