

Fathers4Justice – Opinion Polling – June 2019

Methodology: ComRes interviewed 2,082 British adults online between 29th May and 9th June 2019. Data were weighted to be representative of British adults by age, gender and region. ComRes also interviewed 1,015 British fathers, weighted to be representative of British adults by age, gender and region, with all ineligible respondents removed. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules. Full tables at www.comresglobal.com.

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Opinion Poll

ONLINE Fieldwork: 29th May - 9th June 2019

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1
Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Summary

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Statements							
	Children should have equal access to their fathers and mothers after separation	Child support should include emotional as well as financial support	Family courts treat fathers as equally as mothers	Organisations like the Child Support Agency and Child Maintenance Service do not treat fathers as equally as mothers	Child benefits should be equally divided between fathers and mothers	Mothers who break court orders giving fathers access to their children should be prosecuted	Given that there is a Minister for Women and Equalities, there should be a Minister for Men	New fathers should have automatic parental responsibility, even if they are not married
Unweighted base	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082
Weighted base	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082	2082
NET: Agree	1658 80%	1343 65%	435 21%	997 48%	904 43%	1258 60%	1046 50%	1567 75%
Strongly agree (+2)	966 46%	545 26%	166 8%	377 18%	411 20%	523 25%	430 21%	764 37%
Somewhat agree (+1)	693 33%	798 38%	269 13%	621 30%	493 24%	736 35%	616 30%	803 39%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	255 12%	354 17%	388 19%	399 19%	581 28%	392 19%	456 22%	261 13%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	42 2%	123 6%	569 27%	93 4%	206 10%	143 7%	210 10%	83 4%
Strongly disagree (-2)	14 1%	74 4%	265 13%	44 2%	135 6%	53 3%	151 7%	29 1%
NET: Disagree	56 3%	196 9%	833 40%	137 7%	342 16%	196 9%	361 17%	112 5%
Don't know	113 5%	189 9%	425 20%	548 26%	255 12%	236 11%	219 11%	142 7%
Mean	1.30	0.86	-0.30	0.78	0.46	0.83	0.52	1.13
Standard deviation	0.82	1.03	1.21	0.98	1.17	1.02	1.19	0.90
Standard error	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.02

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Table 2

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Children should have equal access to their fathers and mothers after separation
Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
NET: Agree	1658 80%	829 82%B	829 78%	162 70%	290 81%C	268 80%C	303 82%C	251 81%C	385 80%C	452 76%	570 81%i	636 81%	466 82%n	458 78%	325 77%	409 81%	274 81%	704 82%	508 80%s	257 74%	251 87%RS
Strongly agree (+2)	966 46%	515 51%B	450 42%	87 38%	185 51%CGH	161 48%CG	196 53%CGH	126 41%	210 44%	273 46%	357 51%K	336 43%	264 46%m	241 41%	216 51%M	244 48%M	155 46%	424 49%	318 50%S	144 41%	174 60%RS
Somewhat agree (+1)	693 33%	314 31%	379 36%A	74 32%	105 29%	107 32%	107 29%	125 41%cDEF	175 36%DF	179 30%	214 30%	299 38%IJ	202 35%N	217 37%N	109 26%	165 33%N	119 35%	280 32%	190 30%	114 33%	77 27%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	255 12%	118 12%	137 13%	34 15%D	29 8%	46 14%D	42 11%	38 12%d	66 14%D	63 11%	88 13%	104 13%	58 10%	71 12%	65 15%L	63 12%	40 12%	94 11%	83 13%t	57 16%T	25 9%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	42 2%	17 2%	26 2%	8 4%f	11 3%f	9 3%	4 1%	4 1%	8 2%	19 3%K	12 2%	11 1%	13 2%	15 3%	6 1%	8 2%	9 3%	16 2%	16 3%	12 3%	4 1%
Strongly disagree (-2)	14 1%	4 *	10 1%	4 2%eh	2 1%	1 *	4 1%	2 *	1 *	7 1%	4 1%	3 *	4 1%	2 *	5 1%	2 *	3 1%	7 1%	6 1%	6 2%t	1 *
NET: Disagree	56 3%	20 2%	35 3%a	12 5%FGH	13 4%	9 3%	7 2%	5 2%	9 2%	25 4%jK	16 2%	14 2%	17 3%	17 3%	11 3%	11 2%	12 3%	23 3%	22 3%	17 5%T	5 2%
Don't know	113 5%	48 5%	65 6%	23 10%EFGH	28 8%Efh	10 3%	16 4%	14 4%	22 4%	51 9%JK	26 4%	35 4%	28 5%	39 7%	21 5%	24 5%	12 4%	43 5%	24 4%	16 5%	9 3%
Mean	1.30	1.36B	1.23	1.12	1.38Cgh	1.30C	1.39CGh	1.26	1.27c	1.28	1.34k	1.27	1.31	1.25	1.31	1.33	1.27	1.34	1.30S	1.14	1.50RS
Standard deviation	0.82	0.79	0.85	0.96	0.83	0.82	0.81	0.77	0.79	0.89	0.82	0.78	0.82	0.81	0.88	0.80	0.85	0.82	0.87	0.94	0.74
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.04

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 3

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Children should have equal access to their fathers and mothers after separation
Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2082	169	92	1821	94	236	184	182	148	223	250	303	201
Weighted base	2082	181	104*	1797	87*	239	175	185	152	200	281	291	185
NET: Agree	1658 80%	137 76%	84 80%	1438 80%	68 78%	190 79%	135 77%	148 80%	131 86%AgK	160 80%	213 76%	243 83%aK	151 81%
Strongly agree (+2)	966 46%	84 47%	53 51%	829 46%	43 49%	111 46%	80 46%	95 51%kl	78 51%l	88 44%	117 42%	122 42%	95 51%kL
Somewhat agree (+1)	693 33%	53 29%	31 30%	609 34%	25 29%	79 33%	55 31%	52 28%	53 35%	73 36%	95 34%	121 41%AbEfGHkM	56 30%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	255 12%	26 15%	17 17%l	212 12%	11 13%	33 14%	21 12%	23 12%	15 10%	22 11%	38 14%	28 9%	20 11%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	42 2%	6 3%M	1 1%	35 2%	3 3% ^m	5 2%	3 2%	4 2%	2 1%	3 1%	5 2%	9 3%M	1 *
Strongly disagree (-2)	14 1%	- -	1 1%	13 1%	- -	- -	4 2%aFh	- -	- -	3 2%f	2 1%	1 *	3 2%f
NET: Disagree	56 3%	6 3%	2 2%	48 3%	3 3%	5 2%	7 4%	4 2%	2 1%	6 3%	7 2%	11 4%	4 2%
Don't know	113 5%	11 6% ^b	2 1%	100 6%	5 6%	11 4%	12 7% ^{bi}	11 6% ^b	4 2%	12 6% ^b	23 8%BIL	11 4%	10 6%
Mean	1.30	1.27	1.31	1.30	1.32	1.29	1.25	1.37	1.39	1.28	1.25	1.25	1.37
Standard deviation	0.82	0.86	0.84	0.82	0.84	0.80	0.92	0.79	0.73	0.84	0.83	0.81	0.83
Standard error	0.02	0.07	0.09	0.02	0.09	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m
* small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing

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Table 4

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Child support should include emotional as well as financial support

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
NET: Agree	1343 65%	621 61%	722 68%A	163 71%GH	248 69%GH	233 70%GH	243 66%GH	174 56%	281 58%	411 70%K	477 68%K	455 58%	371 65%	360 61%	277 65%	335 66%	240 71%	570 66%	459 72%	255 73%	204 70%
Strongly agree (+2)	545 26%	229 23%	316 30%A	67 29%GH	120 33%fGH	99 30%GH	97 26%gH	63 20%	98 20%	187 32%K	197 28%K	161 20%	142 25%	145 25%	107 25%	151 30%lm	101 30%	250 29%	217 34%	129 37%t	88 30%
Somewhat agree (+1)	798 38%	391 39%	406 38%	96 42%	128 35%	134 40%	146 40%	111 36%	183 38%	224 38%	280 40%	294 37%	229 40%	214 37%	170 40%	185 36%	139 41%	320 37%	241 38%	125 36%	116 40%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	354 17%	198 19%B	156 15%	33 14%	46 13%	54 16%	63 17%	66 21%cD	91 19%D	80 13%	117 17%	157 20%l	90 16%	102 17%	75 18%	87 17%	48 14%	148 17%	103 16%	50 14%	52 18%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	123 6%	60 6%	63 6%	10 4%	12 3%	11 3%	25 7%DE	23 7%DE	42 9%cDE	22 4%	36 5%	65 8%J	39 7%	29 5%	30 7%	25 5%	16 5%	41 5%	22 3%	12 3%	10 3%
Strongly disagree (-2)	74 4%	42 4%	32 3%	2 1%	8 2%	7 2%	14 4%c	19 6%CDE	22 5%Cde	10 2%	21 3%	42 5%J	18 3%	31 5%IN	8 2%	17 3%	10 3%	31 4%	14 2%	6 2%	8 3%
NET: Disagree	196 9%	102 10%	95 9%	12 5%	20 5%	18 5%	39 11%cDE	42 14%CDE	65 13%CDE	32 5%	57 8%i	107 14%J	57 10%	60 10%	37 9%	42 8%	26 8%	72 8%	36 6%	18 5%	18 6%
Don't know	189 9%	96 9%	93 9%	22 10%	46 13%eF	27 8%	23 6%	26 9%	45 9%	68 12%J	50 7%	71 9%	50 9%	64 11%	33 8%	42 8%	24 7%	73 9%	41 6%	25 7%	16 5%
Mean	0.86	0.77	0.94A	1.04FGH	1.08FGH	1.01FGH	0.83GH	0.62	0.67	1.06JK	0.91K	0.65	0.85	0.79	0.87	0.92m	0.98	0.91	1.05	1.12t	0.97
Standard deviation	1.03	1.04	1.02	0.87	0.95	0.93	1.05	1.12	1.08	0.92	1.00	1.10	1.02	1.09	0.97	1.03	0.98	1.03	0.94	0.93	0.95
Standard error	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.07	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

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Table 6

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Family courts treat fathers as equally as mothers

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
NET: Agree	435 21%	175 17%	260 24%A	54 23%g	96 27%EF	65 20%	73 20%	49 16%	99 21%	150 25%JK	138 20%	147 19%	125 22%	126 22%	86 20%	98 19%	78 23%	186 22%	169 27%	102 29%	67 23%
Strongly agree (+2)	166 8%	71 7%	95 9%	25 11%FGh	47 13%eFGH	29 9%fG	19 5%	14 4%	32 7%	73 12%JK	48 7%	46 6%	44 8%	47 8%	39 9%	36 7%	22 7%	79 9%	67 10%	42 12%	25 9%
Somewhat agree (+1)	269 13%	105 10%	165 15%A	29 12%	49 14%	36 11%	54 15%	35 11%	67 14%	77 13%	90 13%	102 13%	81 14%	79 14%	47 11%	62 12%	56 16%q	107 12%	102 16%	60 17%	42 15%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	388 19%	189 19%	199 19%	38 16%	56 15%	59 18%	65 18%	65 21%d	105 22%D	94 16%	124 18%	170 22%lj	89 16%	110 19%	84 20%	104 21%L	55 16%	152 18%	108 17%	68 20%t	40 14%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	569 27%	300 30%B	269 25%	65 28%	77 21%	89 27%	114 31%D	95 31%D	128 27%	142 24%	203 29%i	223 28%	163 29%	156 27%	122 29%	128 25%	101 30%	229 27%	159 25%	70 20%	88 30%rS
Strongly disagree (-2)	265 13%	179 18%B	86 8%	18 8%	51 14%CH	57 17%CH	52 14%CH	46 15%CH	41 8%	70 12%	109 16%iK	86 11%	69 12%	56 9%	64 15%M	76 15%M	38 11%	132 15%	93 15%S	32 9%	61 21%RS
NET: Disagree	833 40%	479 47%B	354 33%	84 36%	128 36%	147 44%DH	166 45%cDH	141 46%cDH	168 35%	212 36%	313 45%IK	309 39%	232 41%	211 36%	186 44%M	204 40%	139 41%	361 42%	252 40%S	103 29%	150 52%RS
Don't know	425 20%	173 17%	253 24%A	56 24%fg	80 22%	62 19%	64 17%	54 18%	109 23%fg	136 23%J	126 18%	163 21%	122 22%N	137 23%N	67 16%	99 20%	66 20%	164 19%	108 17%T	75 22%T	33 11%
Mean	-0.30	-0.49	-0.10A	-0.13eFG	-0.13EFG	-0.40	-0.42	-0.49	-0.21eFG	-0.13JK	-0.41	-0.32	-0.30	-0.21o	-0.35	-0.36	-0.29	-0.32	-0.21T	0.03RT	-0.46
Standard deviation	1.21	1.19	1.19	1.23	1.36	1.26	1.15	1.10	1.12	1.31	1.20	1.12	1.21	1.18	1.23	1.20	1.18	1.26	1.29	1.25	1.28
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.09	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.08

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 7

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Family courts treat fathers as equally as mothers

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
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Weighted base	2082	181	104*	1797	87*	239	175	185	152	200	281	291	185
NET: Agree	435 21%	40 22%	21 20%	374 21%	22 25%	61 25%JM	41 23%	36 19%	28 18%	34 17%	66 23% <i>m</i>	59 20%	30 16%
Strongly agree	(+2) 166 8%	16 9%	11 11% <i>j</i>	139 8%	11 13% <i>HJm</i>	26 11% <i>hJm</i>	17 10% <i>j</i>	10 5%	10 6%	9 5%	20 7%	24 8%	11 6%
Somewhat agree	(+1) 269 13%	24 13%	9 9%	236 13%	10 12%	34 14%	24 14%	26 14%	18 12%	24 12%	45 16% <i>m</i>	35 12%	19 10%
Neither agree nor disagree	(0) 388 19%	36 20%	24 23% <i>m</i>	328 18%	21 24% <i>lm</i>	47 20%	33 19%	44 24% <i>kLM</i>	31 20%	36 18%	45 16%	45 15%	26 14%
Somewhat disagree	(-1) 569 27%	42 23%	34 32% <i>j</i>	493 27%	25 29%	66 27%	43 25%	56 30% <i>j</i>	46 30%	45 22%	75 27%	88 30% <i>j</i>	49 26%
Strongly disagree	(-2) 265 13%	21 12%	15 15%	228 13%	7 8%	27 11%	27 15% <i>e</i>	26 14%	18 12%	31 16% <i>ek</i>	28 10%	41 14%	25 13%
NET: Disagree	833 40%	63 35%	49 47% <i>a</i>	721 40%	32 37%	92 39%	70 40%	82 44%	64 42%	76 38%	103 37%	129 44% <i>ak</i>	73 40%
Don't know	425 20%	42 23% <i>BH</i>	10 10%	373 21% <i>B</i>	13 15%	39 16%	32 18% <i>b</i>	24 13%	29 19% <i>b</i>	54 27% <i>BEFGHI</i>	67 24% <i>BfH</i>	59 20% <i>Bh</i>	56 30% <i>BEFGHIL</i>
Mean	-0.30	-0.20	-0.34	-0.31	-0.08 <i>hJIM</i>	-0.16 <i>JIM</i>	-0.28	-0.38	-0.37	-0.44	-0.21	-0.37	-0.44
Standard deviation	1.21	1.23	1.22	1.20	1.21	1.24	1.28	1.12	1.14	1.18	1.19	1.23	1.20
Standard error	0.03	0.11	0.14	0.03	0.14	0.09	0.10	0.09	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.10

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Table 8

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Organisations like the Child Support Agency and Child Maintenance Service do not treat fathers as equally as mothers

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
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Strongly agree (+2)	377 18%	252 25%B	124 12%	21 9%	71 20%CH	77 23%CH	90 24% <i>CgH</i>	56 18%CH	61 13%	93 16%	167 24% <i>IK</i>	117 15%	93 16%	87 15%	94 22% <i>LM</i>	102 20%M	68 20%	184 21%	137 21%S	48 14%	89 31%RS
Somewhat agree (+1)	621 30%	312 31%	308 29%	74 32% <i>d</i>	84 23%	96 29%	98 27%	110 36% <i>DeF</i>	158 33% <i>Df</i>	158 27%	195 28%	268 34% <i>lJ</i>	176 31%	158 27%	130 31%	157 31%	91 27%	260 30%	182 29%	91 26%	91 31%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	399 19%	180 18%	220 21%	51 22%	62 17%	65 20%	72 20%	60 20%	88 18%	113 19%	137 20%	149 19%	105 18%	108 18%	83 20%	103 20%	67 20%	156 18%	128 20%	76 22%	52 18%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	93 4%	24 2%	70 7%A	13 6%	21 6%	13 4%	16 4%	11 4%	19 4%	34 6%	29 4%	30 4%	23 4% <i>o</i>	34 6% <i>O</i>	25 6% <i>O</i>	11 2%	17 5%	40 5%	41 6% <i>T</i>	35 10% <i>rT</i>	6 2%
Strongly disagree (-2)	44 2%	15 1%	29 3% <i>a</i>	6 3% <i>H</i>	10 3% <i>H</i>	9 3% <i>H</i>	11 3% <i>H</i>	6 2% <i>h</i>	2 *	16 3% <i>K</i>	20 3% <i>K</i>	8 1%	13 2%	13 2%	11 3%	7 1%	11 3%	19 2%	26 4%	19 5% <i>t</i>	7 2%
NET: Disagree	137 7%	39 4%	98 9%A	19 8% <i>h</i>	31 9% <i>H</i>	22 7%	28 8% <i>h</i>	17 5%	21 4%	50 8% <i>K</i>	50 7% <i>k</i>	38 5%	36 6% <i>o</i>	47 8% <i>O</i>	36 9% <i>O</i>	18 4%	28 8%	58 7%	67 11% <i>T</i>	54 16% <i>RT</i>	13 4%
Don't know	548 26%	233 23%	315 30%A	66 28% <i>g</i>	112 31% <i>EFG</i>	72 22%	80 22%	65 21%	153 32% <i>EFG</i>	178 30% <i>J</i>	152 22%	218 28% <i>J</i>	158 28% <i>N</i>	185 32% <i>NO</i>	79 19%	125 25% <i>n</i>	83 25%	206 24%	124 19%	79 23% <i>T</i>	44 15%
Mean	0.78	0.97B	0.57	0.55	0.75	0.84C	0.83C	0.82C	0.78C	0.67	0.84i	0.80i	0.76	0.68	0.79	0.88IM	0.74	0.84	0.71S	0.42	1.02RS
Standard deviation	0.98	0.92	1.00	0.94	1.08	1.02	1.06	0.92	0.84	1.03	1.04	0.87	0.97	1.01	1.03	0.90	1.06	0.99	1.10	1.13	0.97
Standard error	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.06

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Table 9

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Organisations like the Child Support Agency and Child Maintenance Service do not treat fathers as equally as mothers

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humburside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2082	169	92	1821	94	236	184	182	148	223	250	303	201
Weighted base	2082	181	104*	1797	87*	239	175	185	152	200	281	291	185
NET: Agree	997 48%	82 45%	61 59%DAfhjKIM	854 48%	42 48%	113 47%	93 53% <small>m</small>	89 48%	79 52%	93 47%	127 45%	137 47%	80 43%
Strongly agree (+2)	377 18%	20 11%	24 23% <small>Af</small>	332 18% <small>A</small>	17 20% <small>a</small>	35 15%	35 20% <small>A</small>	40 21% <small>Af</small>	36 23% <small>AF</small>	38 19% <small>A</small>	47 17%	49 17%	36 19% <small>A</small>
Somewhat agree (+1)	621 30%	62 34% <small>M</small>	37 36% <small>M</small>	521 29%	25 28%	78 33% <small>m</small>	58 33% <small>m</small>	49 26%	43 29%	55 28%	80 28%	89 30%	44 24%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	399 19%	40 22%	19 18%	341 19%	19 22%	45 19%	32 18%	39 21%	31 20%	36 18%	49 18%	55 19%	33 18%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	93 4%	5 3%	5 5%	84 5%	7 8% <small>ag</small>	11 5%	4 2%	10 5%	7 4%	7 4%	17 6% <small>g</small>	13 4%	8 4%
Strongly disagree (-2)	44 2%	-	3 2% <small>a</small>	41 2% <small>a</small>	3 3% <small>A</small>	8 3% <small>A</small>	5 3% <small>A</small>	4 2% <small>a</small>	2 1%	4 2% <small>a</small>	8 3% <small>A</small>	4 1%	4 2% <small>a</small>
NET: Disagree	137 7%	5 3%	7 7% <small>a</small>	125 7% <small>A</small>	9 11% <small>A</small>	18 8% <small>A</small>	9 5%	14 8% <small>A</small>	9 6%	12 6%	25 9% <small>A</small>	17 6%	12 6% <small>a</small>
Don't know	548 26%	55 30% <small>Be</small>	16 16%	477 27% <small>B</small>	17 19%	63 26% <small>b</small>	41 24%	43 23%	33 22%	59 29% <small>Be</small>	79 28% <small>B</small>	82 28% <small>B</small>	60 32% <small>BEghi</small>
Mean	0.78	0.77	0.86	0.77	0.67	0.69	0.86	0.77	0.88	0.82	0.70	0.79	0.80
Standard deviation	0.98	0.76	0.98	1.00	1.06	1.00	0.96	1.03	0.96	0.99	1.05	0.93	1.02
Standard error	0.03	0.07	0.11	0.03	0.12	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.08	0.08	0.06	0.09

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 10
Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Child benefits should be equally divided between fathers and mothers
Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
NET: Agree	904 43%	501 49%B	403 38%	126 55%FGH	196 55%FGH	176 53%FGH	161 44%H	116 38%H	129 27%	323 55%JK	337 48%K	245 31%	258 45%	248 42%	179 42%	220 43%	168 50%	427 49%	319 50%S	143 41%	176 61%RS
Strongly agree (+2)	411 20%	252 25%B	158 15%	54 23%H	104 29%eFGH	75 23%H	75 20%H	54 18%H	49 10%	158 27%JK	150 21%K	103 13%	115 20%	99 17%	90 21%	107 21%	71 21%	210 24%	158 25%S	61 17%	97 34%RS
Somewhat agree (+1)	493 24%	249 24%	245 23%	73 31%fGH	92 26%H	101 30%fGH	86 23%H	61 20%	80 17%	165 28%K	187 27%K	142 18%	143 25%	149 25%	88 21%	113 22%	97 29%	217 25%	162 25%	83 24%	79 27%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	581 28%	275 27%	307 29%	48 21%	80 22%	74 22%	119 32%CDE	104 34%CDE	156 32%CDE	128 22%	193 28%I	260 33%IJ	147 26%	159 27%	127 30%	148 29%	80 24%	224 26%	163 26%	94 27%	69 24%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	206 10%	82 8%	124 12%A	21 9%D	15 4%	18 6%	25 7%	37 12%DEF	90 19%CDEFG6%	36 6%	43 6%	127 16%IJ	56 10%	76 13%nO	37 9%	37 7%	25 7%	67 8%	45 7%	27 8%	18 6%
Strongly disagree (-2)	135 6%	40 4%	95 9%A	7 3%	21 6%	23 7%c	27 7%c	22 7%c	36 7%c	28 5%	50 7%	57 7%i	34 6%	35 6%	33 8%	34 7%	26 8%	51 6%	56 9%T	48 14%RT	7 3%
NET: Disagree	342 16%	122 12%	219 21%A	28 12%	36 10%	41 12%	52 14%	59 19%cDEf	126 26%CDEFG1%	64 13%	93 13%	185 23%IJ	90 16%	111 19%O	70 17%	70 14%	51 15%	118 14%	100 16%T	75 22%RT	25 9%
Don't know	255 12%	117 12%	137 13%	29 12%	48 13%	41 12%	37 10%	30 10%	70 15%fG	76 13%	79 11%	100 13%	73 13%	67 11%	47 11%	68 13%	39 12%	95 11%	55 9%	35 10%	20 7%
Mean	0.46	0.66B	0.27	0.72FGH	0.78FGH	0.64fGH	0.47H	0.32H	0.04	0.75JK	0.55K	0.15	0.50	0.39	0.44	0.51	0.54	0.61	0.55S	0.26	0.89RS
Standard deviation	1.17	1.11	1.19	1.08	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.11	1.13	1.16	1.14	1.16	1.15	1.21	1.17	1.19	1.17	1.23	1.30	1.06
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.06

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

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Table 11

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Child benefits should be equally divided between fathers and mothers

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humburside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2082	169	92	1821	94	236	184	182	148	223	250	303	201
Weighted base	2082	181	104*	1797	87*	239	175	185	152	200	281	291	185
NET: Agree	904 43%	77 43%	48 46%	779 43%	39 44%	102 42%	76 43%	102 55%AFGJKLM	75 50%ijl	79 39%	114 41%	116 40%	77 42%
Strongly agree (+2)	411 20%	32 18%	25 24%	354 20%	17 19%	46 19%	31 17%	50 27%AfGJKLm	39 26%gjkL	36 18%	51 18%	50 17%	35 19%
Somewhat agree (+1)	493 24%	45 25%	23 22%	426 24%	22 25%	56 23%	45 26%	51 28%	36 24%	43 21%	63 23%	67 23%	42 23%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	581 28%	57 32%	30 28%	495 28%	25 29%	65 27%	42 24%	48 26%	45 30%	59 30%	75 27%	88 30%	47 26%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	206 10%	16 9%	15 15%l	175 10%	9 11%	27 11%l	18 11%l	15 8%	8 5%	17 8%	26 9%	39 13%hljm	15 8%
Strongly disagree (-2)	135 6%	10 6%	5 5%	121 7%	2 2%	18 8%eh	16 9%EHl	6 3%	11 7%	14 7%e	20 7%e	15 5%	18 10%EHl
NET: Disagree	342 16%	26 15%	20 19%h	295 16%	11 13%	45 19%h	35 20%Hi	21 11%	18 12%	31 16%	46 16%	54 18%h	33 18%h
Don't know	255 12%	20 11%	7 6%	228 13%b	13 14%b	28 12%	23 13%	14 8%	13 8%	31 15%BHi	46 16%BHi	33 11%	27 15%bh
Mean	0.46	0.45	0.49	0.46	0.57	0.40	0.36	0.73AFGJKLM	0.61l	0.41	0.42	0.38	0.39
Standard deviation	1.17	1.11	1.18	1.18	1.05	1.20	1.24	1.09	1.18	1.18	1.19	1.12	1.26
Standard error	0.03	0.09	0.13	0.03	0.12	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.10	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.10

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 14

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Given that there is a Minister for Women and Equalities, there should be a Minister for Men

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Private (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	2082	1013	1069	175	325	350	392	336	504	500	742	840	634	580	352	516	339	858	645	354	291
Weighted base	2082	1016	1066	231	360	333	368	308	481	591	701	790	568	585	423	506	338	863	637	348	290
NET: Agree	1046 50%	531 52%b	515 48%	97 42%	197 55%CH	190 57%CH	194 53%CH	164 53%CH	204 42%	294 50%	384 55%iK	368 47%	264 46%	281 48%	231 55%Lm	271 53%Lm	188 56%	450 52%	366 57%	194 56%	171 59%
Strongly agree (+2)	430 21%	269 26%B	161 15%	35 15%	89 25%CH	79 24%CH	87 24%CH	68 22%CH	73 15%	124 21%	166 24%K	141 18%	106 19%	109 19%	103 24%LM	113 22%	65 19%	216 25%P	159 25%S	67 19%	92 32%RS
Somewhat agree (+1)	616 30%	262 26%	354 33%A	62 27%	107 30%	112 34%h	107 29%	96 31%	131 27%	170 29%	219 31%	227 29%	158 28%	172 29%	127 30%	158 31%	124 37%Q	234 27%	207 32%	128 37%T	79 27%
Neither agree nor disagree (0)	456 22%	225 22%	231 22%	36 16%	52 14%	66 20%d	88 24%CD	74 24%CD	141 29%CDEf	88 15%	154 22%i	214 27%lJ	124 22%	116 20%	103 24%	113 22%	56 16%	182 21%p	118 19%	65 19%	53 18%
Somewhat disagree (-1)	210 10%	119 12%B	91 9%	24 10%	32 9%	29 9%	32 9%	33 11%	60 12%	56 9%	62 9%	92 12%j	75 13%NO	68 12%O	36 8%	31 6%	33 10%	78 9%	60 9%	27 8%	33 11%
Strongly disagree (-2)	151 7%	68 7%	83 8%	33 14%dEFGH	32 9%eg	17 5%	23 6%	16 5%	30 6%	66 11%JK	40 6%	46 6%	54 10%NO	57 10%NO	15 4%	25 5%	33 10%	72 8%	32 5%	15 4%	17 6%
NET: Disagree	361 17%	187 18%	174 16%	58 25%dEFGH	64 18%	46 14%	55 15%	49 16%	90 19%e	122 21%J	101 14%	138 18%	130 23%NO	125 21%NO	51 12%	56 11%	66 20%	149 17%	92 14%	42 12%	50 17%S
Don't know	219 11%	73 7%	146 14%A	40 18%EFGH	47 13%fG	31 9%	31 8%	22 7%	47 10%	88 15%JK	62 9%	69 9%	50 9%	63 11%	39 9%	67 13%Ln	28 8%	82 9%	62 10%T	47 13%T	15 5%
Mean	0.52	0.58B	0.46	0.21	0.60CH	0.68CH	0.60CH	0.59CH	0.36	0.46	0.64IK	0.45	0.36	0.40	0.70LM	0.69LM	0.50	0.57	0.70	0.68	0.72
Standard deviation	1.19	1.23	1.16	1.36	1.28	1.13	1.16	1.13	1.12	1.32	1.15	1.13	1.25	1.25	1.08	1.10	1.23	1.25	1.14	1.07	1.22
Standard error	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.11	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.07	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07

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Table 15

Q1. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Given that there is a Minister for Women and Equalities, there should be a Minister for Men

Base: All respondents (Wave 4 only)

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humburside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	2082	169	92	1821	94	236	184	182	148	223	250	303	201
Weighted base	2082	181	104*	1797	87*	239	175	185	152	200	281	291	185
NET: Agree	1046 50%	88 49%	62 60%dlK	896 50%	52 59%lK	126 53%lK	88 50%k	104 56%lK	64 42%	103 52%K	116 41%	147 50%K	95 51%K
Strongly agree	(+2) 430 21%	35 19%	32 31%DafhJKLm	363 20%	25 28%JKl	50 21%	39 22%	38 21%	41 27%JKl	34 17%	44 16%	53 18%	39 21%
Somewhat agree	(+1) 616 30%	53 29%l	30 29%l	532 30%	27 31%l	76 32%l	49 28%l	66 35%lK	24 16%	69 34%lK	72 26%l	94 32%l	57 31%l
Neither agree nor disagree	(0) 456 22%	38 21%	23 22%	394 22%	20 23%	61 26%K	39 23%	40 21%	35 23%	52 26%K	47 17%	60 21%	39 21%
Somewhat disagree	(-1) 210 10%	21 11%J	9 9%	181 10%	4 5%	19 8%	19 11%J	14 8%	27 18%bEFgHJM	9 4%	41 14%EFHJM	35 12%eJm	13 7%
Strongly disagree	(-2) 151 7%	16 9%	5 5%	130 7%	5 6%	14 6%	13 7%	8 4%	6 4%	13 6%	37 13%BeFgHIJL	19 7%	16 8%
NET: Disagree	361 17%	36 20%ehJ	14 14%	311 17%	9 10%	33 14%	31 18%j	22 12%	33 21%EfHJ	21 11%	78 28%aBEFGHJLMl9%ehJ	55 19%	29 16%
Don't know	219 11%	18 10%	5 4%	196 11%b	6 7%	18 8%	17 9%	19 10%	20 13%B	23 11%b	41 14%BF	30 10%	23 12%B
Mean	0.52	0.44k	0.75daKl	0.51	0.77aKl	0.59K	0.52K	0.67aK	0.50k	0.58K	0.19	0.48K	0.55K
Standard deviation	1.19	1.23	1.16	1.19	1.13	1.12	1.21	1.08	1.24	1.08	1.34	1.17	1.21
Standard error	0.03	0.10	0.12	0.03	0.12	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.11	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.09

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Table 18
Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?
Summary
Base: All fathers

	Actions				
	Unequal treatment of fathers compared to mothers in society	Not seeing my child(ren) on Father's Day	Feared losing, or have lost, contact with my child(ren) after separating from my partner	Challenges regarding access to my child(ren)	Distress or mental health issues after being denied access to my child(ren)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	1015	1015	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	1056	1056	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	480 45%	393 37%	417 39%	433 41%	334 32%
I have experienced	253 24%	220 21%	209 20%	179 17%	148 14%
Someone I know has experienced	261 25%	193 18%	231 22%	284 27%	207 20%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	576 55%	663 63%	639 61%	623 59%	722 68%

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Table 19

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Unequal treatment of fathers compared to mothers in society****Base: All fathers**

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	-	23	227	375	292	81	17	250	667	98	331	251	231	202	234	668	1015	-	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	-**	27**	248	383	299	81*	18**	275	682	99*	338	250	280	188	260	698	1056	-**	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	480 45%	480 45%	-	14 52%	129 52%F	174 46%	123 41%	34 42%	6 31%	143 52%JK	297 44%	39 40%	167 49%	108 43%	121 43%	83 44%	125 48%	305 44%	480 45%	-	480 45%
I have experienced	253 24%	253 24%	-	3 12%	64 26%	88 23%	69 23%	24 30%	4 23%	67 24%	157 23%	29 29%	77 23%	67 27%	65 23%	44 23%	68 26%	153 22%	253 24%	-	253 24%
Someone I know has experienced	261 25%	261 25%	-	11 40%	74 30%Fg	100 26%f	60 20%	15 18%	2 9%	85 31%JK	160 23%	16 16%	101 30%M	49 20%	67 24%	44 24%	63 24%	179 26%	261 25%	-	261 25%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	576 55%	576 55%	-	13 48%	119 48%	209 54%	176 59%D	47 58%	12 69%	132 48%	385 56%l	60 60%i	171 51%	142 57%	159 57%	105 56%	135 52%	393 56%	576 55%	-	576 55%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Table 20

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Unequal treatment of fathers compared to mothers in society****Base: All fathers**

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	1015	90	62	863	45	122	84	102	85	90	132	119	84
Weighted base	1056	99*	68*	889	50*	125	85*	119*	83*	88*	143	120*	77*
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	480 45%	44 45%	35 52%	400 45%	27 53%	58 46%	42 49%	50 42%	37 45%	39 44%	60 42%	52 44%	34 45%
I have experienced	253 24%	21 21%	20 30%	211 24%	14 28%	30 24%	26 31%	30 25%	18 21%	17 19%	30 21%	32 26%	15 20%
Someone I know has experienced	261 25%	28 28%	17 26%	216 24%	13 27%	33 26%	21 25%	21 18%	22 26%	24 28%	37 26%	24 20%	20 26%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	576 55%	55 55%	33 48%	489 55%	24 47%	67 54%	43 51%	69 58%	45 55%	49 56%	82 58%	67 56%	42 55%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Table 21

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Not seeing my child(ren) on Father's Day****Base: All fathers**

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	-	23	227	375	292	81	17	250	667	98	331	251	231	202	234	668	1015	-	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	-**	27**	248	383	299	81*	18**	275	682	99*	338	250	280	188	260	698	1056	-**	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	393 37%	393 37%	-	8 31%	96 39%	151 39%	104 35%	26 32%	8 46%	104 38%	255 37%	34 35%	124 37%	91 36%	102 36%	76 40%	95 37%	253 36%	393 37%	-	393 37%
I have experienced	220 21%	220 21%	-	1 3%	48 19%	70 18%	74 25%e	20 25%	8 42%	49 18%	144 21%	28 28%i	59 17%	47 19%	66 23%	49 26%Lm	48 18%	138 20%	220 21%	-	220 21%
Someone I know has experienced	193 18%	193 18%	-	8 28%	53 21%F	87 23%Fg	34 11%	11 13%	1 4%	61 22%K	121 18%	11 11%	73 22%n	47 19%	43 15%	31 16%	48 19%	133 19%	193 18%	-	193 18%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	663 63%	663 63%	-	18 69%	152 61%	232 61%	195 65%	55 68%	10 54%	171 62%	427 63%	65 65%	214 63%	159 64%	178 64%	112 60%	164 63%	446 64%	663 63%	-	663 63%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Table 22

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Not seeing my child(ren) on Father's Day****Base: All fathers**

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	1015	90	62	863	45	122	84	102	85	90	132	119	84
Weighted base	1056	99*	68*	889	50*	125	85*	119*	83*	88*	143	120*	77*
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	393 37%	33 34%	28 41%	332 37%	27 55% AHIJKI	53 42% h	34 40%	36 30%	27 32%	27 31%	50 35%	46 39%	31 40%
I have experienced	220 21%	21 21%	19 28% HiJk	180 20%	15 29% HiJk	32 25% hJk	22 26% hJ	17 14%	12 15%	11 13%	23 16%	31 26% hiJk	18 23% j
Someone I know has experienced	193 18%	16 16%	10 15%	167 19%	13 25%	24 19%	17 20%	19 16%	16 19%	17 19%	32 23%	17 14%	14 18%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	663 63%	66 66% E	40 59%	557 63%	23 45%	72 58%	51 60%	83 70% Ef	56 68% E	61 69% E	92 65% E	73 61% e	46 60%

Proportions/Mean: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Table 23

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?
Feared losing, or have lost, contact with my child(ren) after separating from my partner

Base: All fathers

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	-	23	227	375	292	81	17	250	667	98	331	251	231	202	234	668	1015	-	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	-**	27**	248	383	299	81*	18**	275	682	99*	338	250	280	188	260	698	1056	-**	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	417 39%	417 39%	-	8 32%	98 40%	154 40%	112 38%	31 39%	12 67%	107 39%	267 39%	43 44%	137 41%	97 39%	110 39%	73 39%	95 36%	273 39%	417 39%	-	417 39%
I have experienced	209 20%	209 20%	-	4 15%	46 19%	65 17%	65 22%	20 24%	9 48%	50 18%	131 19%	28 29% ⁱ	60 18%	52 21%	55 20%	42 23%	43 17%	131 19%	209 20%	-	209 20%
Someone I know has experienced	231 22%	231 22%	-	4 17%	55 22%	99 26% ^F	54 18%	16 19%	3 18%	59 22%	152 22%	19 19%	86 25% ^m	47 19%	61 22%	36 19%	55 21%	161 23%	231 22%	-	231 22%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	639 61%	639 61%	-	18 68%	150 60%	229 60%	187 62%	50 61%	6 33%	168 61%	415 61%	56 56%	201 59%	153 61%	170 61%	114 61%	165 64%	425 61%	639 61%	-	639 61%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 24

**Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?
Feared losing, or have lost, contact with my child(ren) after separating from my partner**

Base: All fathers

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	1015	90	62	863	45	122	84	102	85	90	132	119	84
Weighted base	1056	99*	68*	889	50*	125	85*	119*	83*	88*	143	120*	77*
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	417 39%	37 37%	32 47%	348 39%	24 48%	45 36%	33 39%	41 34%	32 38%	29 33%	63 44%	48 40%	33 43%
I have experienced	209 20%	18 19%	18 27%h	173 19%	15 29%Hj	24 19%	18 21%	17 14%	17 20%	14 16%	27 19%	27 22%	15 19%
Someone I know has experienced	231 22%	20 20%	16 23%	195 22%	9 18%	26 21%	19 23%	24 20%	18 21%	17 19%	39 27%	23 19%	20 26%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	639 61%	62 63%	36 53%	542 61%	26 52%	81 64%	51 61%	78 66%	51 62%	59 67%	80 56%	72 60%	44 57%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

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Table 25

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Challenges regarding access to my child(ren)****Base: All fathers**

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	-	23	227	375	292	81	17	250	667	98	331	251	231	202	234	668	1015	-	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	-**	27**	248	383	299	81*	18**	275	682	99*	338	250	280	188	260	698	1056	-**	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	433 41%	433 41%	-	10 38%	114 46%fg	165 43%g	110 37%	26 32%	9 48%	124 45%	274 40%	35 35%	142 42%	102 41%	109 39%	80 43%	112 43%	271 39%	433 41%	-	433 41%
I have experienced	179 17%	179 17%	-	2 6%	45 18%	60 16%	55 19%	13 16%	4 25%	47 17%	115 17%	17 18%	48 14%	36 15%	53 19%	41 22%Lm	42 16%	108 16%	179 17%	-	179 17%
Someone I know has experienced	284 27%	284 27%	-	10 38%	77 31%F	113 30%F	63 21%	17 21%	4 24%	87 32%k	176 26%	21 21%	100 30%	70 28%	68 24%	46 24%	71 27%	188 27%	284 27%	-	284 27%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	623 59%	623 59%	-	16 62%	135 54%	218 57%	189 63%d	55 68%de	9 52%	151 55%	408 60%	64 65%	196 58%	148 59%	171 61%	108 57%	148 57%	427 61%	623 59%	-	623 59%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/b - c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Table 26

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?**Challenges regarding access to my child(ren)****Base: All fathers**

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	1015	90	62	863	45	122	84	102	85	90	132	119	84
Weighted base	1056	99*	68*	889	50*	125	85*	119*	83*	88*	143	120*	77*
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	433 41%	41 42%	30 44%	362 41%	23 45%	57 46%	38 45%	46 39%	29 35%	32 37%	52 36%	48 40%	37 48%
I have experienced	179 17%	20 20% ^j	12 18%	147 16%	15 30% ^{HIJK}	24 19% ^j	17 20% ^j	17 14%	10 12%	8 9%	19 13%	23 19% ^j	14 18%
Someone I know has experienced	284 27%	26 26%	21 31% ^e	237 27%	8 15%	36 29% ^e	27 32% ^e	30 25%	20 25%	27 30% ^e	38 27%	28 24%	23 30% ^e
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	623 59%	57 58%	38 56%	527 59%	28 55%	68 54%	47 55%	72 61%	54 65%	56 63%	91 64%	72 60%	40 52%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m

*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Table 27

Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?
Distress or mental health issues after being denied access to my child(ren)
Base: All fathers

	Gender			Age									Social Grade				Employment Sector		Parenthood		
	Total	Male (a)	Female (b)	18-24 (c)	25-34 (d)	35-44 (e)	45-54 (f)	55-64 (g)	65+ (h)	18-34 (i)	35-54 (j)	55+ (k)	AB (l)	C1 (m)	C2 (n)	DE (o)	Public (p)	Pri- vate (q)	Parents (r)	Mothers (s)	Fathers (t)
Unweighted base	1015	1015	-	23	227	375	292	81	17	250	667	98	331	251	231	202	234	668	1015	-	1015
Weighted base	1056	1056	-**	27**	248	383	299	81*	18**	275	682	99*	338	250	280	188	260	698	1056	-**	1056
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	334 32%	334 32%	-	12 44%	85 34%g	124 33%g	89 30%	18 22%	6 33%	97 35%k	213 31%	24 24%	109 32%	78 31%	84 30%	63 34%	79 30%	216 31%	334 32%	-	334 32%
I have experienced	148 14%	148 14%	-	4 14%	42 17%g	49 13%	43 14%	7 9%	2 10%	46 17%k	93 14%	9 9%	48 14%	29 11%	42 15%	30 16%	25 10%	97 14%	148 14%	-	148 14%
Someone I know has experienced	207 20%	207 20%	-	10 39%	50 20%	82 21%	48 16%	13 17%	4 23%	60 22%	130 19%	18 18%	68 20%	50 20%	50 18%	38 20%	55 21%	135 19%	207 20%	-	207 20%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	722 68%	722 68%	-	15 56%	163 66%	259 67%	210 70%	63 78%de	12 67%	178 65%	469 69%	75 76%i	229 68%	173 69%	196 70%	124 66%	181 70%	482 69%	722 68%	-	722 68%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) -a/b -c/d/e/f/g/h - i/j/k - l/m/n/o - p/q - r/s/t
*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**

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Table 28
Q2. Have you or someone you know experienced any of the following?
Distress or mental health issues after being denied access to my child(ren)
Base: All fathers

	Total	Region											
		Scotland (a)	Wales (b)	NET: England (d)	North East (e)	North West (f)	Yorkshire & Humberside (g)	West Midlands (h)	East Midlands (i)	Eastern (j)	London (k)	South East (l)	South West (m)
Unweighted base	1015	90	62	863	45	122	84	102	85	90	132	119	84
Weighted base	1056	99*	68*	889	50*	125	85*	119*	83*	88*	143	120*	77*
NET: Experienced/ someone I know has experienced	334 32%	27 27%	27 39%	281 32%	19 38%	43 34%	28 33%	36 30%	27 33%	23 26%	42 29%	36 30%	27 35%
I have experienced	148 14%	7 7%	15 22%Alj	126 14%a	10 19%A	22 18%Ai	10 12%	18 15%a	7 9%	9 10%	20 14%	18 15%a	12 16%a
Someone I know has experienced	207 20%	21 21%	13 19%	174 20%	9 19%	24 19%	21 25%	20 16%	22 27%	16 18%	24 17%	23 19%	15 19%
Neither I nor someone I know have experienced	722 68%	72 73%	41 61%	609 68%	31 62%	83 66%	57 67%	83 70%	55 67%	65 74%	101 71%	84 70%	50 65%

Proportions/Means: Columns Tested (5%, 10% risk level) - a/d - b/d - c/d - a/b/c/e/f/g/h/i/j/k/l/m
*** small base; ** very small base (under 30) ineligible for sig testing**